The 14 Jazz Orchestra CARTOON BEBOP

Produced & Arranged by Dan Bonsanti

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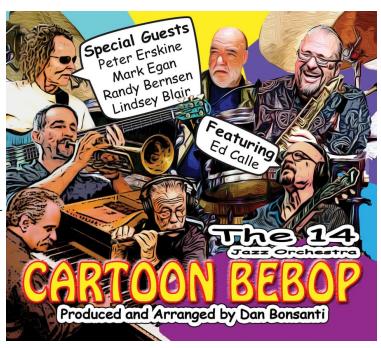
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CARTOON BEBOP, the newest release by composer/arranger **DAN BONSANTI's** band, **THE 14 JAZZ ORCHESTRA**, is a swinging, contemporary take on jazz compositions by modern masters. The 14 Jazz Orchestra is a 13-piece jazz ensemble under the direction of arranger and producer Dan Bonsanti. The group comprises 13 outstanding jazz musicians who have recorded and performed with many of the top names in jazz and pop. The orchestra's first album, *Nothing Hard is Ever Easy*, reached #9 on the JazzWeek chart, and their second, *The Future Ain't What It Used to Be*, reached #5.

Bonsanti is a sax player who performed with big bands like the Stan Kenton Orchestra, Jaco Pastorius' Word of Mouth Orchestra, and Doc Severinsen. He also wrote charts for The Jaco Pastorius Big Band, a tribute band to Jaco's legacy, and the Atlantean Driftwood Band.

The compositions on the album represent a variety of styles, with compositions by Chick Corea, Wayne Shorter, Herbie Hancock, Airto Moreira, and others, including two tunes by Bonsanti.



Although Bonsanti has written extensively for large ensembles, he prefers smaller configurations for his own recordings. "My goal is to 'not' sound like a big band. I like the lightness and colors you can get with less instrumentation," says Bonsanti. "I prefer to get orchestral flavors by mixing instruments from different sections of the band. It allows for a softer, more fluid and less strident sound."

Reeds

ED MAINA alto sax, flutes, piccolo; ED CALLE tenor & soprano sax, flutes, clarinet NEAL BONSANTI oboe, English horn, clarinet, flutes; Tom Timko tenor sax, flute PETER BREWER baritone sax, bass clarinet, flute

Trumpets

BRETT MURPHY, JASON CARDER, CISCO DIMAS

Trombones

DANA TEBOE, MAJOR BAILEY

Rhythm Section

PETER ERSKINE drums; LEE LEVIN drums; MIKE HARVEY drums; JACK CIANO drums RICHARD BRAVO conga; MARK EGAN fretless electric bass; TIM SMITH electric bass NICK ORTA electric bass; JAMIE OUSLEY upright bass; MATT BONELLI upright bass LINDSEY BLAIR electric & accoustic guitar, RANDY BERNSEN electric guitar MIKE LEVINE piano & keyboards; KEMUEL ROIG keyboard

CARTOON BEBOP

- * 1. CARTOON BEBOP 4:47
- * 2. MISTURADA 5:17
 - 3. DAYRIDE 4:56
 - 4. I'M ALL SMILES 5:45
 - 5. Got a Match? 4:29
- ★ 6. DRIFTIN' 5:18
- **★** 7. Wood Dance 5:34
 - 8. WHEN I LOOK IN YOUR EYES 5:38
 - 9. Duende 4:34
 - 10. INFANT EYES 5:36
 - 11. A Day Tripper's Blues Buffet 4:34

* Suggested Tracks

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