



Derailroaded - Inside The Mind Of Larry 'Wild Man' Fischer

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Derailroaded takes its title from the self-coined expression Larry 'Wild Man' Fischer came up with to describe his misfortunes in the vicious and unforgiving world of the music business. Troubled by paranoid schizophrenia and manic depression since his teenage years the film documents Larry's dysfunctional family life and his various sojourns in mental hospitals before being 'discovered' singing his songs for dimes on the streets of LA by Frank Zappa and his subsequent on-off career as a recording artist of no little infamy with first Bizarre and then later Rhino Records.

By piecing together a jigsaw of vintage live footage, TV appearances, interviews and contemporary verite material with contributions from an exotic cast of characters including Frank and Gail Zappa, Devo's Mark Mothersbaugh, Solomon Burke, Dr Demento, Barnes & Barnes, Weird Al Yankowitz and various family members, Derailroaded gives a moving and powerful insight into the harrowing personal tragedy of Larry's ongoing battle with his demons, his obsession with fame and stardom and his loathing mistrust of the music business. Additionally, this 82 minute documentary comes with a glut of extras in the form of deleted scenes and numerous out-takes including Larry's Aunt Josephine discussing her first acid trip and an extraordinary encounter with the veteran Rudy Ray Moore aka Dolemite.

Once seen never forgotten, Derailroaded is an unsurpassed journey inside the wild parallel universe and the troubled life and times of one of the most memorably out there characters in the entire history of rock. Hats off to the one and only Larry Fischer !.

- Grahame Bent