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THE BLACK HALOS - 'WE ARE NOT ALONE' CD

Ahhh, always a pleasure to hear Billy and the Halos! I yearn for his sleazy, throaty vocals draped over gritty punk rock 'n' roll riffs...who the fuck doesn't dig THE BLACK HALOS??? I fuckin love them and I really feel that they fly the flag for all that mischievous, self-destructive rock 'n' roll ala Stiv Bators / DEAD BOYS, Johnny Thunders / HEARTBREAKERS, PLASMATICS etc and it's not like they're trying to mimic that sound because they make their own very distinctive noise and they do it in a way that only Canadians can! I've always been an absolute sucker for Canadian punk rock from the first time I ever heard the FORGOTTEN REBELS and it opened a new world for me as a teenager...this was the sound I was after! And in my opinion, THE BLACK HALOS are contemporaries in a very long line of amazing Canadian punk rockers that include THE DIODES, VILETONES, TEENAGE HEAD, DISHRAGS, MODERNETTES, K-TELS etc...I definitely lump them in with that because they are a direct product of that...back to 'We Are Not Alone'...well, this is just textbook, solid as fuck BLACK HALOS and what more do you want? Excellent production by Jack Endino too...an absolute winner. Acetate Records

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