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"Willie and the Poor Boys"

Bill Wyman, bassist for the Rolling Stones, takes center stage for a change in this rock rarity. Wyman assembled a crack lineup of musicians for a charity concert in March 1985. Performers include Charlie Watts, Jimmy Page, Ron Woods on saxophone, Kenney Jones, Paul Rodgers and Andy Fairweather-Low. Their old-time rockabilly sound is nothing like the Stones, but they have a lot of fun doing it. Songs include "All Night Long" and "Poor Boy Boogie." Kids dressed in 1950s-era outfits dance in the audience and appear in between some of the songs in lightly written comedy bits that are nothing special. Ringo Starr appears in one of them as the Janitor. Unrated, 60 minutes. DVD extra: a 30-minute making-of featurette. From MVD Visual. Released June 21.

- Chris Ball