

MIDWEST RECORD

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BOOTY GREEN/Pray to Booty: As cool as this on going series of deep, black comedy records has been, this twofer is the coolest because we've never heard of the comics or the records and the supporting set is by a Chicago act that we never came across---and back when this stuff was new, we were trying hard. Green is a gleefully, politically incorrect party comic that will fearlessly go for the laugh no matter what. And he ain't afraid of no dirty talk either. Simply a wonderfully hilarious find from deep in the Laff catalog, this is a great place to jump in and hang out at that black club your white suburban butt was always a little afraid to go to. The supporting set Sonny & Pepper's "Battle of the Sexes Live" is even a deeper trip in the Laff vaults. Certainly salty but not nearly as raucous as Green, this duo tears it up at a different speed and delivers the laughs nonetheless. Back in the 70s, it sounds like 'down home' could have easily have been a state of mind as an actual geographic location. Hold on to your sides and break out the Depends, this stuff is that funny.

- CHRIS SPECTOR, Editor and Publisher