

The Texas Horns - *Get Here Quick*

The Texas Horns are tenor sax player Mark "Kaz" Kazanoff, trumpet player Al Gomez and baritone sax player John Mills and they are a triple treat here on this set of big, brassy blues cuts. But the Horns are just that, a horn section, so while they're out front throughout, the trio needed to enlist other players to make it all happen. Each horn player takes a solo during "Guitar Town" and so does guest guitarist Anson Funderburgh; Guy Forsyth handles lead vocals on the cut. Johnny Moeller plays lead guitar on most of the album including the Kazanoff-penned "I'm Doin' Alright, At Least for Tonight" which features gutsy vocals from Carolyn Wonderland, the appropriately jaunty instrumental "Feelin' No Pain" and the funky, Average White Band-recalling instrumental "Better Get Here Quick." Other guests of note include guitarists Ronnie Earl and Jon Del Toro Richardson and singers Curtis Salgado, John Nemeth and Gary Nicholson. Kazanoff does tackle one vocal and does a fine job with it too on his own "You Can't Be Serious."