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# Dickens, Hazel / Gerrard, Alice Pioneering Women of Bluegrass: The Definitive Edition

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The soaring harmonies and driving string-band sound of Hazel Dickens and Alice Gerrard shattered the glass ceiling of male-dominated bluegrass in the 1960s. Hazel and Alice's influence on music – and not just roots music – is hard to overstate. They've been acknowledged by artists as diverse as country superstars Naomi and Wynonna Judd, champion flat-picker Molly Tuttle, and proto-feminist punk rocker Kathleen Hanna. Their steadfast devotion to their own hard-hitting style inspired generations of women in bluegrass.

Pioneering Women of Bluegrass: The Definitive Edition collects all the songs from Hazel and Alice's two groundbreaking Folkways albums, and a previously unreleased bonus track, all remastered by their original producer Peter Siegel. They are joined on these recordings by such bluegrass legends as Chubby Wise and David Grisman. The CD booklet includes an expanded set of essays by Hazel, Alice, Laurie Lewis, and Peter Siegel, as well as iconic photographs by John Cohen and Carl Fleischhauer.

### **Featuring**

Gerrard, Alice

### **Musicians**

Alice Gerrard Voice, Guitar
Billy Baker Fiddle
Chubby Wise Fiddle
David Grisman Mandolin
Fred Weisz Voice

Hazel Dickens Voice, String bass

Lamar GrierBanjoSeeger, MikeGuitar

## **Tracklist**

1.	I Just Got Wise M: Carter Stanley	02:29
2. 3.	Walkin' in My Sleep The One I Love Is Gone M: Bill Monroe	02:07 03:07
4.	Weary Lonesome Blues M: Alton Delmore/Rabon Delmore	02:42
5.	Long Black Veil M: Marijohn Wilkin/Danny Dill	03:18
6.	Cowboy Jim	02:02
7.	Memories of Mother and Dad	02:35
8.	Sugar Tree Stomp	02:05



02:55

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Childish Love

M: Charlie Louvin

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M: Arthur Smith 9. Mommy Please Stay Home With Me 03:12 M: Eddy Arnold/Wallace Fowler/Gradony Hall 10. Gabriel's Call 02:13 M: Hazel Dickens/Alice Gerrard/Jeremy Foster/Marge Marash 11. Coal Miner's Blues 02:43 M: A. P. Carter 12. Difficult Run 01:31 M: Lamar Grier 13. Who's That Knocking? 02:57 M: A. P. Carter 14. A Tiny Broken Heart 03:01 M: Charlie Louvin/Ira Louvin/Eddie Hill 15. Can't You Hear Me Calling? 00:45 16. Darling Nellie Across the Sea 02:18 17. Won't You Come and Sing for Me? 02:44 M. Hazel Dickens 18. Lee Highway Blues 01:38 19. A Distant Land to Roam 00:29 20. Gonna Lay Down My Old Guitar 00:00 M: Alton Delmore/Rabon Delmore 21. Take Me Back to Tulsa 02:13 M: Bob Wills/Tommy Duncan 22. They're at Rest Together (T.B. Blues) 03:25 M: Walter Callahan 23. 01:48 John Henry Just Another Broken Heart 02:42 24. M: A. P. Carter Train on the Island 01:39 25. M: J. P. Nestor 26. Lover's Return 03:05 M: A. P. Carter I Hear a Sweet Voice Calling 03:07 27. M: Bill Monroe