

When I was asked to do this soundtrack, the intention was to build it out of elements of existing tracks. Some of these Alan Parker had already chosen.

We worked for a couple of weeks with unorthodox explorations of some of the sounds, rhythms and themes of existing tracks. This provided many moods but I felt some new material was needed as well. So what you have here is a combination of both.

For those people who know my records, I have included (in brackets) the titles which have been obviously raided. I do not wish anyone to be deceived by the sleeve. However, I am not revealing all my sources. I leave that for your detection.

Three of these tracks did not make it to the last round - the film. But the music on this record was chosen to make a compatible collection of moods.

I would like to thank the two Alans, Parker and Marshall, for guidance and encouragement. I would also like to thank my musical co-producer, Daniel Lanois, who, with patience and an endless supply of wonderful treatments, did some excellent work on this record.

I am very pleased to have done this soundtrack for my first attempt at a score. Birdy is a special film.

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WARNING: This record contains re-cycled material and no lyrics

> side one AT NIGHT FLOATING DOGS QUIET AND ALONE CLOSE UP (from Family Snapshot) SLOW WATER DRESSING THE WOUND

side two BIRDY'S FLIGHT (from Not One Of Us) SLOW MARIMBAS THE HEAT (from The Rhythm of the Heat) SKETCHPAD WITH TRUMPET AND VOICE UNDER LOCK AND KEY (from Wallflower) POWERHOUSE AT THE FOOT OF THE MOUNTAIN (from San Jacinto)

Produced by PETER GABRIEL and DANIEL LANOIS

This is a Real World Production Published by Real World Music Ltd/Sony ATV

All titles written and performed by Peter Gabriel with special musical contributions from: JON HASSELL THE DRUMMERS OF EKOME LARRY FAST TONY LEVIN JERRY MAROTTA DAVID RHODES

> With additional material performed by: Manny Elias Morris Pert and John Giblin

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TRI-STAR PICTURES PRESENT AN ALAN PARKER FILM "BIRDY" An A&M FILMS PRODUCTION MATTHEW MODINE and NICOLAS CAGE Music by PETER GABRIEL Production Designer GEOFFREY KIRKLAND Director of Photography MICHAEL SERESIN

Executive Producer DAVID MANSON Based upon the novel 'BIRDY' by WILLIAM WHARTON Screenplay by SANDY KROOPF and JACK BEHR Produced by ALAN MARSHALL

Directed by ALAN PARKER

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