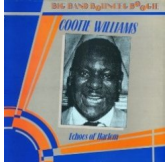


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1.Echoes Of Harlem 2.Things Ain't What The Used To Be 3.Tess' Torch Song 4.You Talk A Little Trash 5.Sweet Lorraine 6.Cherry Red Blues 7.Round Midnight 8.Is You Is Or Is You Ain't 9.Blue Garden Blues 10.Floogie Boo 11.I Don't Know 12.Gotta Do Some War Work 13.My Old Flame 14.Now I Know 15.Somebody's Gotta Go 16.Honeysuckle Rose

Personnel includes: Cootie Williams – trumpet Bud Powell – piano Eddie "Cleanhead" Vinson - alto saxophone, vocals Eddie "Lockjaw" Davis – tenor saxophone Pearl Bailey – vocals Norman Keenan – bass Sylvester "Vess" Payne – drums Recorded in New York City for Hit/Majestic in January and August 1944.

"Cootie" Williams was born in July 24, 1908(?) in Mobile, Alabama. He was a self-taught trumpeter, and toured with several bands, including Lester Young's family band, before moving to New York in 1928. The next year he joined Duke Ellington's band and over the years participated in numerous classic jazz recordings. He died in 1985 in New York City.

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