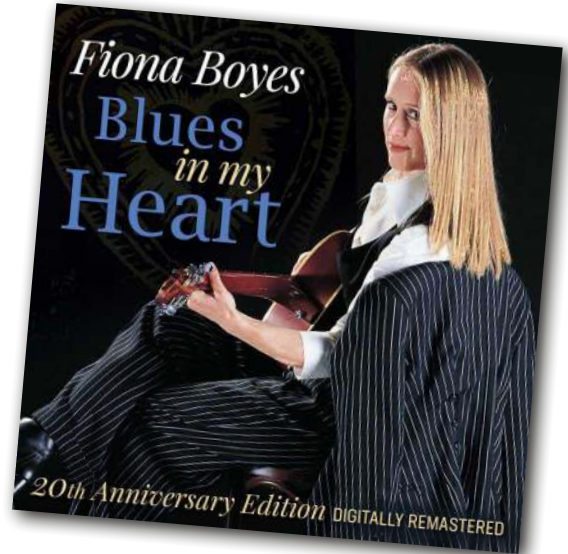


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Blues in My Heart is a remastered 20th Anniversary edition of her debut solo album, originally released in 2000 in Australia only. It includes Fiona’s diary-style liner notes, photo memories and original folk art in a single CD package. Fiona is joined on this album by bandmates Karen (Kaz) Dalla Rosa (harmonica); Gina Woods (piano); and Paula Dowse (drums and percussion).

Quoting Fiona, “*Blues in My Heart* is an acoustic album of finger-picking ragtime blues... the 16 tracks capture a unique performance moment, much like the historical recordings of the early players I so admire.”

This is Fiona’s fourth release on Reference Recordings®. Her 2018 album *Voodoo in the Shadows* brought her multiple awards and nominations:

- 2019 Koko Taylor Traditional Blues Female Artist of Year
- Music Victoria Award Nominee – Best Blues Album
- 2019 Australian Blues Music Awards Nominations
 - Album of the Year
 - Song of the Year – “Call Their Name”
 - Artist of the Year
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And her previous Reference Recordings release, *Professin’ The Blues*, received the 2017 Acoustic Album of the Year award from Blues Blast Magazine and countless superb reviews.

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| 1 <i>Blues in My Heart</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitar, vocals | 3:52 | 9 <i>Mean World</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitar, vocals | 3:38 |
| 2 <i>Pig Meat</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitar, vocals
Karen (Kaz) Dalla Rosa: harmonica
Paula Dowse: drums, percussion | 3:05 | 10 <i>Angel</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitar, vocals
Karen (Kaz) Dalla Rosa: harmonica
Paula Dowse: drums | 3:28 |
| 3 <i>She Could Play That Thing</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitar, vocals | 2:51 | 11 <i>Two-Legged Dog</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitarist, vocals | 3:11 |
| 4 <i>I Let the Blues In</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitar, vocals
Karen (Kaz) Dalla Rosa: harmonica
Gina Woods: piano
Paula Dowse: drums | 3:24 | 12 <i>That Certain Something</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitar, vocals
Paula Dowse: drums, percussion | 2:52 |
| 5 <i>Have Faith</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitar, vocals | 4:17 | 13 <i>Hokum Rag (instrumental)</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitar, vocals
Karen (Kaz) Dalla Rosa: harmonica
Paula Dowse: drums, percussion | 2:14 |
| 6 <i>Honey You Can Take My Man</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitar, vocals
Karen (Kaz) Dalla Rosa: harmonica
Paula Dowse: drums, percussion | 2:37 | 14 <i>Mercy</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitar, vocals | 3:53 |
| 7 <i>My Say So</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitar, vocals
Karen (Kaz) Dalla Rosa: harmonica
Paula Dowse: drums, percussion | 2:21 | 15 <i>Canned Heat</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitar, vocals
Paula Dowse: drums | 3:35 |
| 8 <i>Rowdy Blues</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitar, vocals,
foot percussion | 3:38 | 16 <i>Hotel Room</i>
Fiona Boyes: acoustic guitar, vocals
Karen (Kaz) Dalla Rosa: harmonica
– featured soloist | 3:35 |

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