

*Sorry for all the cussin' on the mix this year. Ah, fuck that.
It's been a shit year. We'll cuss if we want. Plus we've been
holding in all of this pent up yuletide aggression for years since
Britt would give copies of the annual disc to her little friends at
school and we had to keep it family friendly(ish).*

But she's 18 now! Can you believe that??

Well, let's hope for less shit next year.

Ho, etc.

Your pals,

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1 - MEIKO - This Year Can Kiss My Ass

2 - BRENNEN LEIGH - Merry Christmas Asshole

3 - DALE WATSON - Mistletoe on Death Row

Originally from a 2001 promo sampler called *Peeing in the Snow*. It also turned up on the soundtrack to a cheesy 2013 Xmas movie called *Angels Sing* featuring Lyle Lovett.

4 - THE RUBINOOS - Christmas is All Around

The funnest album released this year is unquestionably The Rubinoos newly uncovered '75 demo, *The CBS Tapes*. Ironically they released the funnest Xmas song of the year too.

5 - LITTLE JOEY FARR - Rock 'n Roll Santa

Info on Little Joey is pretty sparse. I can't even confirm if they are male or female. There's 2 versions of this song. Joey sounds a good 8 years younger on this one. 1961, maybe?

6 - LEEROY STAGGER - Christmas Carol

From Leeroy's 2021 album, *Dystopian Weekends*. Longtime friend of The StuDome, Lee and his family were devastated in the B.C. flood and they could use your help getting back on their feet. Check out the Go Fund Me campaign and lend a hand if you're able.

7 - TRACYANNE & DANNY - Santa, Don't Say No

8 - TENILLE TOWNES - One in a Million

I had given up hope of ever hearing quality mainstream country music again until I heard Tenille. And she's Canadian!

9 - ANA GASTEYER - Secret Santa f. Maya Rudolph

SNL alumnus Ana has a pretty great Xmas album called *Sugar & Booze*.

10 - ROTARY CONNECTION - Christmas Love

The 2nd album by Minnie Riperton's first band was an Xmas album: 1968's, *Peace*. Can't believe it took me 53 years to discover it. That's her kid guesting on that last song, didja know?

11 - KELLY FINNIGAN - Heartbreak for Christmas

The leader of San Fran's Monophonics put out a gem of an Xmas album last year. Dig it!

12 - PAUL KELLY & VIKA BULL - Christmas Train

A BellRays cover! Yow!

14 - LYDIA LOVELESS - Merry Christmas

15 - JULIA JACKLIN - Baby Jesus is Nobody's Baby Now

16 - MISE EN SCENE - Tinsel Town

Western Canada's greatest rock'n'roll band! The award they won this year says so!

17 - GIRLHOUSE - Ugly Xmas Sweater Party

The title holders of the 2021 TwangTrust Song of the Summer do winter, too.

18 - L.A. EXES - My Favorite Time of Year

Featuring Jenny Owen Youngs, who brought us the greatest sad-girl Xmas anthem of all time, *Things We Don't Need Anymore*. She's happy now!

19 - MARK MALIBU - Voodoo Surf Tribe

20 - LUCINDA WILLIAMS - Little Red Rooster

21 - PARKER MILSAP - Go Tell It On The Mountain

This 2012 cut is from an Oklahoma Xmas charity album series called Blackwatch that came out the same year as Parker's debut album.

22 - SAMANTHA CRAIN - BloodNog

Christmas is great, but I'd be just as happy with Second Halloween.

23 - THE PACK A.D - Coconut

24 - OVER THE RHINE - All I Ever Get For Christmas is Blue

25 - KALLE MATTSON - Twice the Gifts (Half the Love)

If you can listen all the way through to the end of this song without weeping uncontrollably, you're tougher than me. Kalle's new project, Summersets, was a highlight of this year.

26 - THE ORNAMENTS - A Coca-Cola Classic Christmas

These 2 guys from Wisconsin have been putting out an annual Xmas song for 8 years now. That's all they do. 1 Xmas song a year. They're all brilliant and all emotionally devastating.

27 - FAUX CANADA - Fuck It, It's Christmas

In 2021, this San Francisco combo released a "clean" version of this 2-year old song with new lyrics. We like this one with the cussin'.

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