



BOBBY CALDWELL What You Won't Do For Love/Open Your Eyes

Label

BE WITH RECORDS

Format

10"

Catalog Number

BEWITH 001HEART

EAN

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Store Price

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Territory

NORTH AMERICAN EXCLUSIVE

Genre

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DESCRIPTION

Be With presents the first-time reissue of the first ever heart-shaped red vinyl 45. Extremely limited! The smooth titan of blue-eyed soul, **Bobby Caldwell** transcended genre tags with consummate ease; he was a musical icon of real class and versatility, cherished the world over. Here are two timeless masterpieces of sophisticated jazzy soul brilliance that are strictly canonical. The originals of these red heart-shaped vinyl records go for stupid money – if you can find one in good condition. Here's your chance to snag a real collectors item for fans of Bobby and, well, LOVE, the world over. The eternal "What You Won't Do for Love" became a national anthem. It perfectly captured Bobby's ability to infuse a contagious groove with introspective and relatable lyrics. With its instantly recognizable horn riff and Caldwell's soulful delivery, this timeless, chiller anthem continues to captivate audiences and define his musical legacy. A perennial favorite, it has been heavily sampled, such is its unique allure; **Aaliyah** sang over snatches of it on "Age Ain't Nothing But A Number" and you can hear Caldwell's vocal sample used for the hook on **Tupac**'s posthumously released "Do For Love." Bobby's dynamite "Open Your Eyes" was immortalized by the eternal **J Dilla** in the hip-hop canon with his production of **Common**'s epochal "The Light," which heavily samples the magical "Open Your Eyes." On a post paying tribute to Bobby in March 2023, **Questlove** claimed that he "got word Brother Bobby loved it." Bobby's original has seen new life even more recently from the likes of **Dwele** and **Kendrick Lamar** and deservingly so, as its insistent drums and staccato piano created a modern-soul classic.

TRACKLISTING

- A1. What You Won't Do For Love (4:45)
- B1. Open Your Eyes (3:43)

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