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### DESCRIPTION

This is the legendary **Krzysztof Komeda Quintet** caught live at the Jazz Jamboree Festival in Warsaw in 1963. A marvelous combo featuring some of the greatest Polish jazz musicians, such as **Tomasz Stanko** (trumpet), **Michal Urbaniak** (tenor sax), **Maciej Suzin** (bass), and **Czeslaw Bartowski** (drums). Komeda, Stanko, and Urbaniak were sort of pioneers who effectively opened up a way for jazz in Poland. Komeda's fluent modern jazz conception was a perfect synthesis between the American influence and a certain Slavic lyricism. The album includes an astonishing version of "Ballad From Knife In Water" from Komeda's soundtrack for the 1962 **Roman Polanski** movie. A major statement in the East-European music history.

### TRACKLISTING

A1. What's Up Mr. Basie (9:28)  
A2. Roman Two (16:30)  
B1. Knife In The Water (17:16)

### HIGHLIGHTS

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