

ROGER GLOVER

“IF LIFE WAS EASY” – CD Album / VÖ: 08. Juli 2011 (earMusic/edel)

This hodgepodge collection of songs reveals or obscures a range of emotions over a turbulent decade; separation, divorce, injustice, uncertainty, new love, escape, fatherhood, grand-fatherhood, emigration, touring and losing my mother are some of the extreme highs and lows during this storm-tossed period. All were written wherever I was living – on a MacPro with ProTools and a few instruments and gadgets – extra musicians were added in the studio as needed. By the way, I know that it should be *If Life Were Easy* – it’s a subtle irony.

I am most grateful to **The Guilty Party**, my collaborators, whose patience and talent has graced these humble efforts; Joe Bonadio – musical director, Randall Bramblett, Oz Noy, Nicky Moroch, Joe Mennonna. **My guests;** Gillian Glover, Dan McCafferty, Pete Agnew, Walther Gallay, Mickey Lee Soule, Sahaj Ticotin, Sim Jones, Don Airey, Eliot Denenberg, Harvey Jones.

**In Memory** of my dear mother, Brenda, who loved the song *If Life Was Easy* (“It should be a hit!”).

**Dedicated** to Lucinda, Xavier, Myriam, Gillian, and...

Produced by Roger Glover and Peter Denenberg.

Pre-production recording by Roger Glover.

Recorded and mixed by Peter Denenberg at Acme Studios, Mamaroneck, New York.

Assisted by Jonathan Jetter and Michael Messier.

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**Songs:**

DON'T LOOK NOW [EVERYTHING HAS CHANGED] (Roger Glover/Randall Bramblett)

Randall Bramblett – vocals, keyboards, saxophone

Gillian Glover – vocals  
Roger Glover – bass, baglama, guitar, piano  
Joe Bonadio – drums, percussion  
Oz Noy – guitars  
Harvey Jones – synthesizers

BOX OF TRICKS (Roger Glover)  
Roger Glover – Vocals, bass, guitar, programming  
Eliot Denenberg – drums, guitar atmosphere

MOONLIGHT (Roger Glover)  
Gillian Glover – vocals  
Roger Glover – Godin fretless bass  
Randall Bramblett – keyboards  
Joe Bonadio – drums, percussion  
Oz Noy – guitars  
Joe Mennonna – horns, horn arrangement

THE CAR WON'T START (Roger Glover)  
Roger Glover – vocals, guitar, harmonica, Godin fretless bass, keyboards,  
percussion, programming.  
Nicky Moroch – guitar

THE DREAM I HAD (Roger Glover)  
Dan McCafferty and Pete Agnew – vocals  
Roger Glover – guitar, bass, percussion  
Joe Bonadio – drums, percussion  
Oz Noy – slide, guitar

STAND TOGETHER (Roger Glover/Randall Bramblett)  
Randall Bramblett – vocals, keyboards  
Gillian Glover – vocals  
Roger Glover – bass, keyboards, programming  
Don Airey – pianet  
Joe Bonadio – drums, percussion  
Oz Noy – guitars

IF LIFE WAS EASY (Roger Glover)

Roger Glover – vocals, Spanish and electric guitars, Godin fretless bass, percussion

WELCOME TO THE MOON (Roger Glover)

Roger Glover – vocals, bass, guitar, keyboards, percussion, programming

SET YOUR IMAGINATION FREE (Roger Glover/Gillian Glover)

Gillian Glover – vocals

Roger Glover – bass, guitar, strings

Randall Bramblett – keyboards

Joe Bonadio – drums, percussion

Oz Noy – sitar guitars

WHEN LIFE GETS TO THE BONE (Roger Glover)

Roger Glover – vocals, guitar, bass, percussion

WHEN THE DAY IS DONE (Roger Glover)

Walther Galley – vocals

Roger Glover – guitar, keyboards, percussion, programming

Sim Jones – strings, string arrangement

STARING INTO SPACE (Roger Glover)

Roger Glover – vocals, bass, guitar, synthesizer, percussion, programming

GET AWAY (CAN'T LET YOU) (Roger Glover /Gillian Glover)

Gillian Glover – vocals

Randall Bramblett – piano

Roger Glover – bass

Joe Bonadio – drums, percussion, electric drill

Oz Noy – guitar

Nicky Moroch - guitar

Joe Mennonna – horns, horn arrangement

THE GHOST OF YOUR SMILE (Roger Glover)

Mickey Lee Soule – vocals

Randall Bramblett – keyboards

Roger Glover – Godin fretless bass, keyboards, percussion

Oz Noy - acoustic guitar

Joe Bonadio – drums, percussion

Nicky Moroch – lead guitar

CRUEL WORLD (Roger Glover)

Roger Glover – vocals, bass, acoustic and ‘Tin-Tone’ guitars, percussion, programming

Randall Bramblett – keyboards

Joe Bonadio – drums, percussion

Oz Noy – sitar guitar

FEEL LIKE A KING (Roger Glover)

Sahaj Ticotin – vocals

Roger Glover – vocals, lead and rhythm guitars, bass, programming

Joe Bonadio – drums, percussion

Nicky Moroch – guitar