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Best CDs of 2008

Here are the best CDs of 2008. Let me know if I missed one of your favorite albums -- I'm always looking for more music to check out.

BEST CDS OF 2008

- 1. Willie Nelson & Wynton Marsalis -- Two Men With The
- Blues/Wynton Marsalis -- Standards & Ballads
- 2. Fleet Foxes -- Fleet Foxes/Peter Broderick -- Home
- 3. Mavis Staples -- Live: Hope At The Holdout
- 4. **Teddy Thompson** -- A Piece Of What You Need/ kd lang --
- Watershed
- 5. Del McCoury Band and Various Artists -- Moneyland
- 6. Various Artists -- Nigeria Special: Modern Highlife, Afro-Sounds
- & Nigerian Blues 1970-6/Various Artists -- Nigeria Disco Funk

Special: The Sounds Of The Underground Lagos Dancefloor 1974-1979

7. Kaiser Chiefs -- Off With Their Heads/The Last Shadow

Puppets -- The Age Of The Understatement

- 8. Boz Scaggs -- Speak Low
- 9. Erykah Badu -- New Amerykah (4th World War) Part One
- 10. **Bon Iver** -- For Emma, Forever Ago/**Bon Iver** -- Blood Bank
- 11. **B.B. King** -- One Kind Favor
- 12. **Q-Tip** -- The Renaissance/**Nas** -- Nas
- 13. Paul Weller -- 22 Dreams
- 14. Jenny Lewis -- Acid Tongue
- 15. Sam Roberts -- Love At The End Of The World
- 16. Kasey Chambers & Shane Nicholson -- Rattlin' Bones
- 17. She & Him -- Volume One
- 18. Various Artists -- New Orleans Funk Volume 2
- 19. Neil Diamond -- Home Before Dark/Joan Baez -- Day After

Tomorrow

- 20. Santogold -- Santogold
- 21. Sonny Rollins -- Road Show Vol. 1

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