Top 10 Albums Rhythm Section Players Should Listen To

1. Money Jungle by Duke Ellington

Duke Ellington-Piano

Charles Mingus-Bass

Max Roach-Drums

RELEASED IN 1963

Favorite Track: Caravan

2. *Monk Plays Duke* by Thelonious Monk

Thelonious Monk- Piano

Oscar Pettiford-Bass

Kenny Clarke-Drums

RELEASED IN 1956

Favorite Track: I Let A Song Out of My Heart

3. We Get Request by Oscar Peterson Trio

Oscar Peterson-Piano

Ray Brown-Bass

Ed Thigpen-Drums

RELEASED IN 1964

Favorite Track: Girl from Ipanema

4. Now He Sings, Now He Sobs by Chick Corea

Chick Corea-Piano

Miroslav Vitous-Bass

Roy Haynes-Drums

RELEASED IN 1968

Favorite Track: *Matrix*

5. We Three by Roy Haynes

Phineas Newborn-Piano

Paul Chambers-Bass

Roy Haynes-Drums

RELEASED IN 1958

Favorite Track(s): Sugar Ray & Reflections

6. Soul Station by Hank Mobley

Hank Mobley-Tenor Sax

Wynton Kelly-Piano

Paul Chambers-Bass

Art Blakey-Drums

RELEASED IN 1960

Favorite Track: THE ENTIRE ALBUM!

7. Free for All by Art Blakey and the Jazz Messengers

Freddie Hubbard-Trumpet

Curtis Fuller-Trombone

Wayne Shorter-Tenor Saxophone

Cedar Walton-Piano

Reggie Workman-Bass

Art Blakey-Drums

RELEASED IN 1964

Favorite Track: THE ENTIRE ALBUM

8. Live at the IT Club by Thelonious Monk

Charlie Rouse-Alto Saxophone

Thelonious Monk-Piano

Larry Gales-Bass

Ben Riley-Drums

RECORDED IN 1964; RELEASED IN 1988 Favorite Track: *THE ENTIRE ALBUM*

Clifford Brown-Trumpet

Harold Land-Tenor Saxophone

Richie Powell-Piano

George Morrow-Bass

Max Roach-Drums

RELEASED IN 1954

Favorite Track(s): Jordu, Daahoud, and Joy Spring

9. Clifford Brown & Max Roach by Clifford Brown & Max Roach

10. A Love Supreme by John Coltrane

John Coltrane-Tenor Saxophone

McCoy Tyner-Piano

Jimmy Garrison-Bass

Elvin Jones-Drums

RELEASED IN 1965

Favorite Track: THE ENTIRE ALBUM

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