

## Fact Sheet

### Bill Evans Time Remembered

Bill Evans Time Remembered is a 90-minute documentary film, produced by Bruce Spiegel which tells the story of Bill Evans' turbulent life and his contribution to jazz music. The film was self-funded by the producer who traveled and interviewed approximately 40 people over a 7 year period of time. Several well renowned musicians are included in the film including Tony Bennett, Dr. Billy Taylor, singer Jon Hendricks, and jazz pianist Bill Charlap. The film also compiles a wide range of historical information about the jazz pianist including his first TV recording which appeared on CBS Look Up and Live in April 1958, playing Come Rain or Come Shine.

According to producer Bruce Spiegel, it was his during his second interview with drummer Paul Motian that compelled him to complete the film. Spiegel has also noted that several of the people he interviewed in the making of the film are now deceased including Paul Motian, Pat Evans, Connie Atkinson, Jim Hall, Frank Collett, Orrin Keepnews, Gene Lees, Bob Brookmeyer and Don Friedman.

The film was initially screened on November 4, 2015 on the campus of Southeastern Louisiana University where Bill Evans attended college. The film has received limited distribution, mainly through jazz and film festivals including the NW Film Center in Portland, Oregon on January 17, 2106, Big Sky Film Festival in Missoula, Montana on February 28, 2016, Chicago's CIMMFest 2016 on April 14, 2016 and the Burlington Discover Jazz Festival on June 6, 2016. The film is scheduled to be released online in early 2017.

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A FILM BY  
**BRUCE SPIEGEL**

### References

#### Festival Screenings:

Chicago CIMMFest on April 14, 2016:

<http://cimmfest.org/bill-evans-time-remembered/>

NW Film Center in Portland, Oregon on January 17, 2106

<https://nwfilm.org/films/bill-evans-time-remembered/>

Big Sky Film Festival in Missoula, Montana on February 28, 2016

[http://www.bigskyfilmfest.org/festival/films-2016-peak/bill\\_evans\\_time\\_remembered/c/17](http://www.bigskyfilmfest.org/festival/films-2016-peak/bill_evans_time_remembered/c/17)

Burlington Discover Jazz Festival on June 6, 2016

<http://discoverjazz.com/event/film-screening-bill-evans-time-remembered/> E D . C O M

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Other References:

Official Website for Film

[www.billevanstimeremembered.com](http://www.billevanstimeremembered.com)

Screening of Film in Baton Rouge

[http://www.theadvocate.com/new\\_orleans/entertainment\\_life/movies\\_tv/article\\_6fbcd01f-3f8c-5955-a651-9a7aa1cf1101.html](http://www.theadvocate.com/new_orleans/entertainment_life/movies_tv/article_6fbcd01f-3f8c-5955-a651-9a7aa1cf1101.html)

About the Film Maker Bruce Spiegel

<http://longroadhomefilm.com/about-the-film/about-the-filmmaker/>

Radio Interview with Bruce Spiegel – Jazz Radio 88

[http://www.jazz88.org/Player.asp?f=brucespiegel011116&p=/articles/Bill\\_Evans\\_Time\\_Remembered\\_Documentary\\_Producer\\_Bruce\\_Spiegel\\_Interview/&s=Bill%20Spiegel%20Time%20Remembered%20With%20Claudia%20Russell&d=764](http://www.jazz88.org/Player.asp?f=brucespiegel011116&p=/articles/Bill_Evans_Time_Remembered_Documentary_Producer_Bruce_Spiegel_Interview/&s=Bill%20Spiegel%20Time%20Remembered%20With%20Claudia%20Russell&d=764)

Gold Award Winner at the Atlanta Film Festival

<http://www.spotlightdocawards.com/2015awards.html>

Film Review – CIMMFest in Chicago

<http://www.rogerebert.com/festivals-and-awards/chicago-international-music-and-movies-festival-2016-preview>

Film Review – AllAboutJazz

<https://www.allaboutjazz.com/bill-evans-time-remembered-the-life-and-music-of-bill-evans-bill-evans-by-peter-jurew.php?pg=1>

You Tube Video – Question and Answer Session with Bruce Spiegel

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3B0G7cgsMJY>



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