

## ***Ben Bailey's 15 Albums in 15 Minutes List***

**Kind of Blue** - Miles Davis (I couldn't believe this one was nearly a half century old when I found it.)

**Rubber Soul** - The Beatles (No more bubble-gum pop for these guys.)

**Revolver** - The Beatles (Here is where the orbit begins.)

**3 Feet High and Rising** - De La Soul (One of the funniest album concepts I've ever heard and the music's great.)

**Licensed to Ill**- Beastie Boys (This one changed rap as we know it.)

**Layla and Other Assorted Love Songs**- Derek and the Dominos (Raw. Unbridled. Raucous. Everyone should own this one.)

**The Fillmore Concerts**- The Allman Brothers Band (What a collection of live stuff from a band at their peak.)

**Two from the Vault** - The Grateful Dead (Primal Dead. Endless supply of energy here.)

**One from the Vault**- The Grateful Dead (Polished Dead. A technically brilliant rock and roll show.)

**Loaded** - The Velvet Underground (What can I say? Lou 'loaded' this one with hits.)

**!!!!LIVE!!!! !!!almost!!!!**- The Dillards (You can't be a fan of bluegrass without having this one.)

**Foggy Mountain Banjo** - Lester Flatt and Earl Scruggs (Hey, I cut my teeth on this one. It's got all the big titles that I'm still trying to teach myself on the banjo. Stupid banjo!)

**Grisman and Garcia**- Dave Grisman and Jerry Garcia (I could listen to this one all the time.)

**Lawn Boy**- Phish (Talk about a Phish album that puts it all together...)

**Briefcase Full of Blues** - The Blues Brothers (Much to my parents' chagrin, I grew up listening to (and singing) from this one.)

*...And these are in no particular order. I wish I could have added more - I would have added live performances/bootlegs too...*