

D218 NEWCASTLE, 20 JUNE 1998

SOUND Good but overloaded: H61, Silvio and one or two others suffer accordingly (so track down [D218.su2](#) instead).

IMAGE This fine-looking film can only have been shot with a hi-tech pro-quality camera in the hands of a competent operator. Stationed on the extreme right of the floor, his shooting angle is an oblique one across the front of the stage. This means that D and Larry are, as shown below, in shot all of the time with the three other band members remaining invisible throughout. But, its view wholly unimpeded, the lens delivers a smooth, close, clean, TV quality picture that's a consistent joy to behold. "Colour problems" noted on [D218's DVDylan](#) page are inconsequential.



RUNNING TIME 82 minutes

PERFORMANCE Right there

HIGHLIGHTS (1) Simple Twist (2) a wonderfully played and filmed Ramona (3) Love Minus Zero

COMMENT First verse of H61 is missing. There are video gremlins in Tangled especially (also, to a lesser extent, in the songs on either side) that do strange though not unpleasant things to the picture for a while - sound not affected. For a companion piece to this disc, see [D449](#).

THANKS Black Cat

STARS If only sound quality matched the outstanding visuals here, this would be a top-of-the-range five. As it is, a strong four.