

THE SUNBURYS

Today/Rosalina

(Independent)

The Sunburys borrow more than their name from a great tradition of no-nonsense Australian rock music. 'Today' is a rollicking little garage number with a restless walking bassline that sets up a short catchy chorus quite effortlessly. 'Rosalina' drives the ute further into 80s pub rock territory and is weighed down by a riffing guitar that is quite different from the subtlety in the aforementioned number but is tough enough to drink a beer to after a hard day laying concrete, building fences or whatever real men do for work. Thrown in an unashamed blues guitar solo and you're left with a nice dose of unpretentious rock'n'roll music that knows where it comes from and isn't trying to re-invent the future or be nu-anything.