

## The Gants/Greenwood, Mississippi

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<b>Brief Description</b>	There is a long list of cover versions of Bo Diddley's ROADRUNNER. Of all the versions, my favorite is the one cut by The Gants in 1965, a track that touches all the bases of Diddley's rock original, but adds snippets of soulful influence, for a distinctive final product. The Gants hail from Greenwood, Mississippi, and released the recording originally on their own Statue Records, before it was picked up nationally by Liberty Records.			
<b>Year Established</b>	1963-CURRENT			
<b>Favorite Venues</b>				
<b>Music Genre/Recordings</b>	Roadrunner (1965)			
<b>Performer</b>	<b>Now Resides</b>	<b>Instrument</b>	<b>Years In The</b>	<b>Notes</b>
Herring, Sid		Lead vocals, guitar		
Freemn, Johnny		Guitar		
Montgomery., Vince		Bass		
Woods, Don		Drums		
Sander, Johnny		guitar		replaces Freeman before "Roadrunner"
Hall, Clarence		Bass		