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Fanfare Ciocarlia "The Story of the Band" - Terrific DVD, which for fans is a joy and for those new to the band the first step along a joyous musical journey. You get over an hour of the band recorded live in Germany earlier this year plus a 57 minute movie 'Brass On Fire' plus outtakes from the forthcoming film Gypsy Caravan' recorded by the band on 8mm plus some further video clips. Brilliant value to enjoy one of my favourite bands, this twelve piece brass and woodwind band comes from the village of Zece Prajini, which lies near the Romanian-Moldavian border. They combine Romanian, Gypsy and Turkish influences into a fast, mad, compelling mix that is just the best.

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