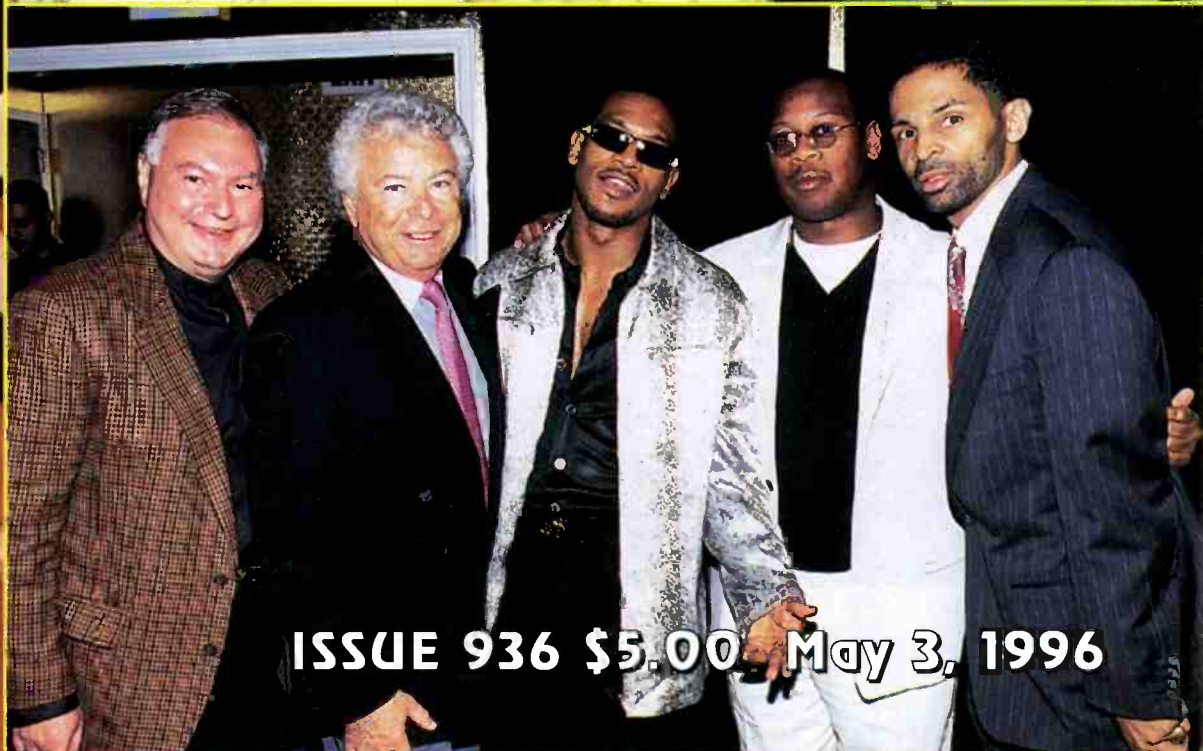
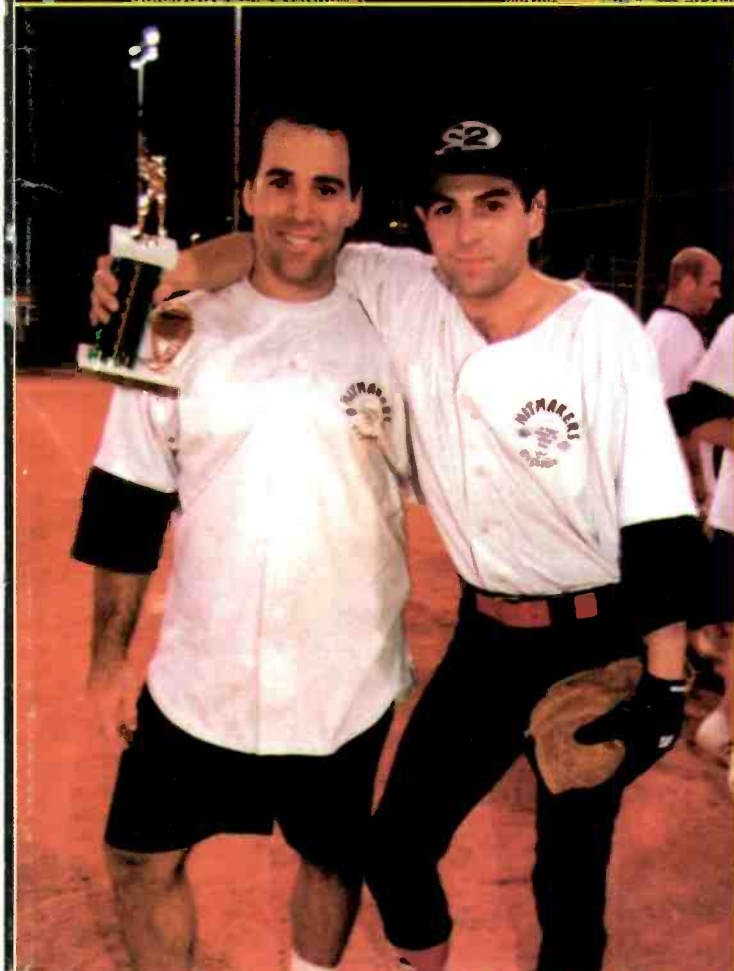
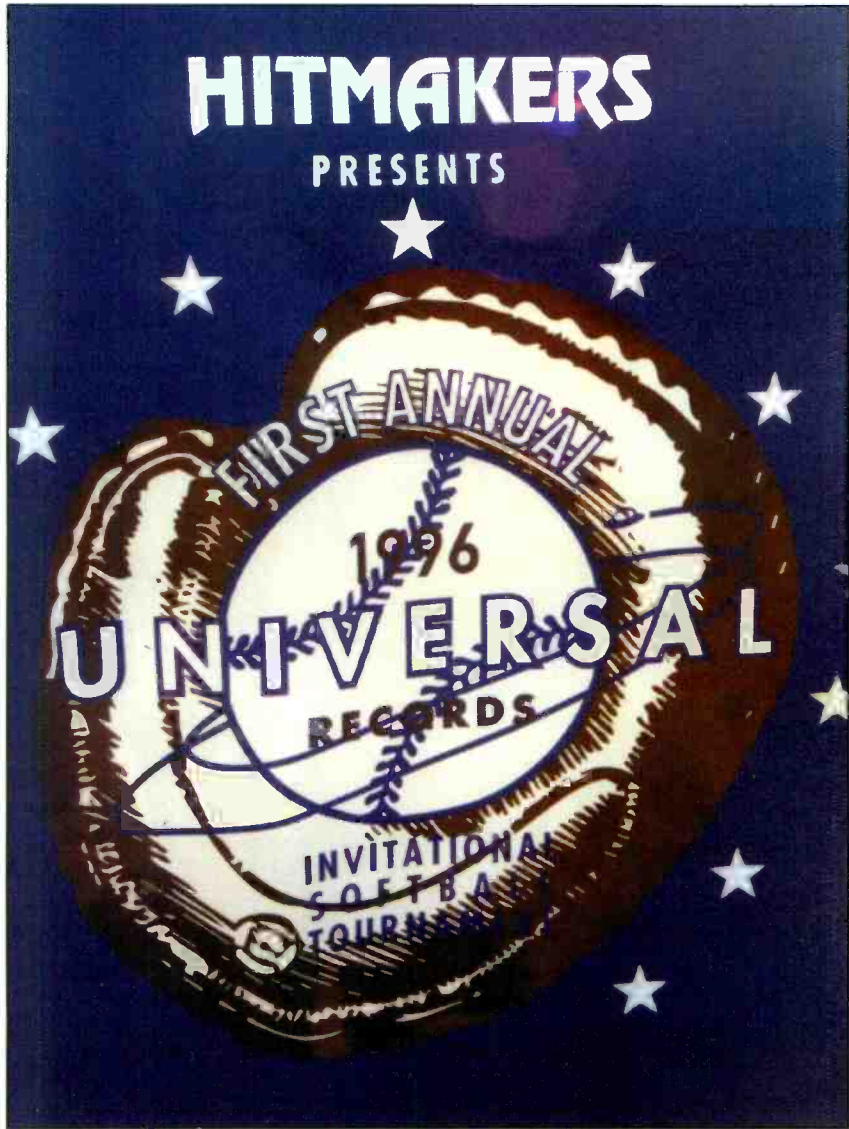


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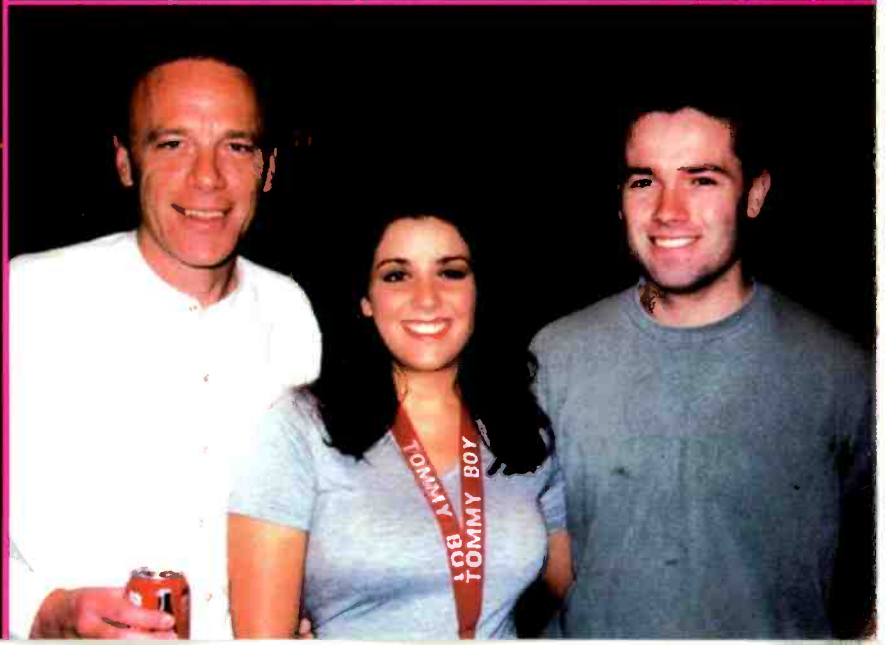
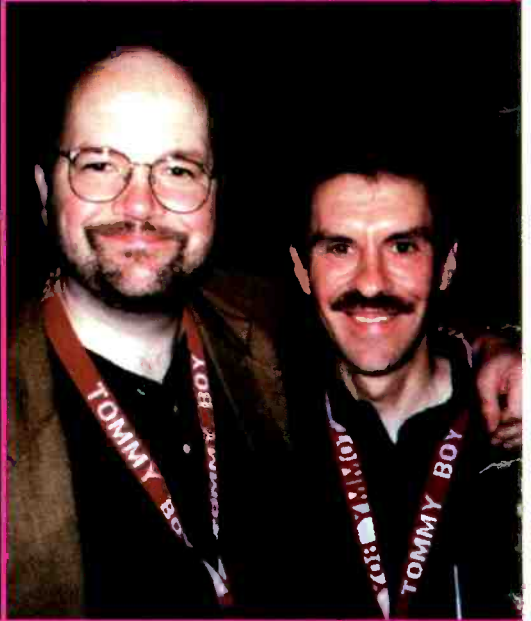
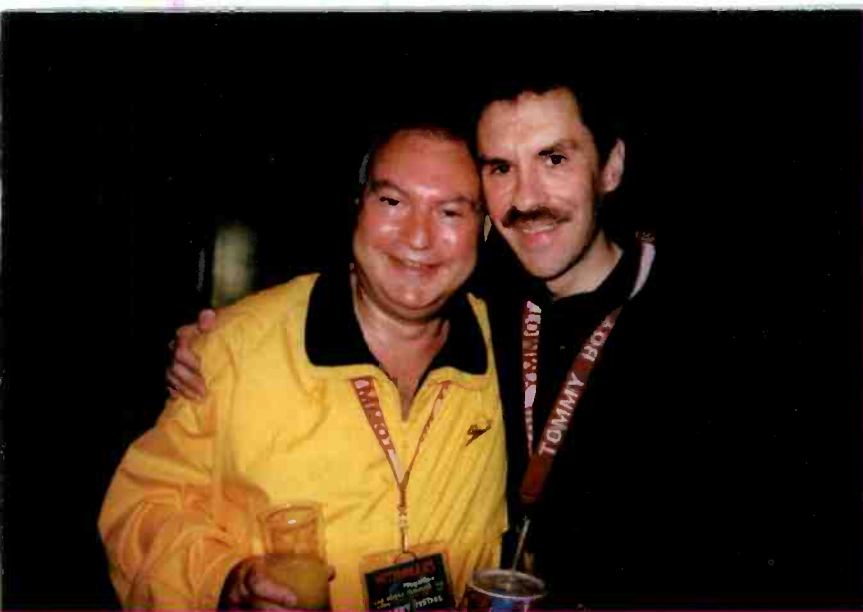
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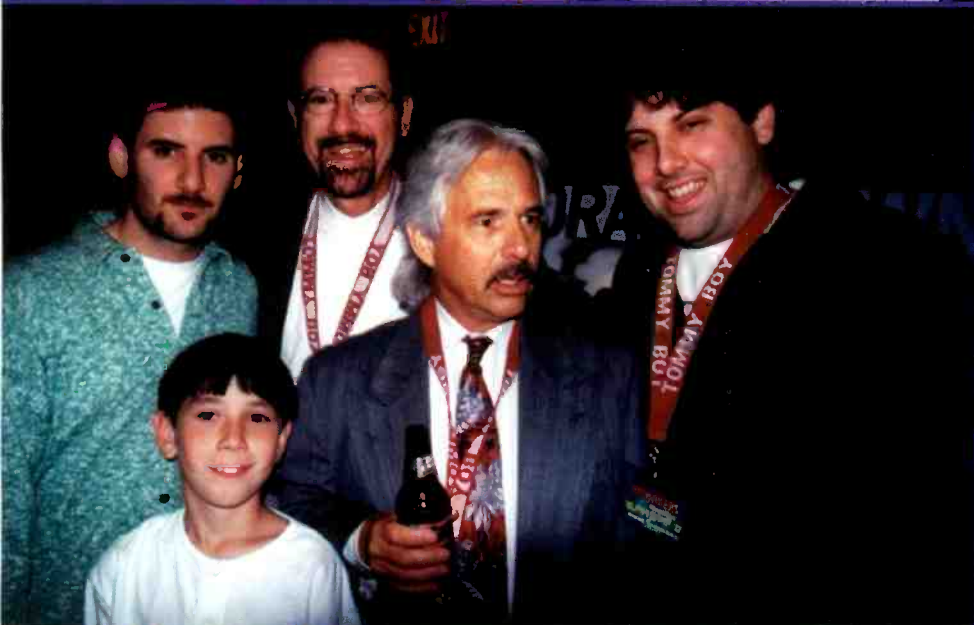
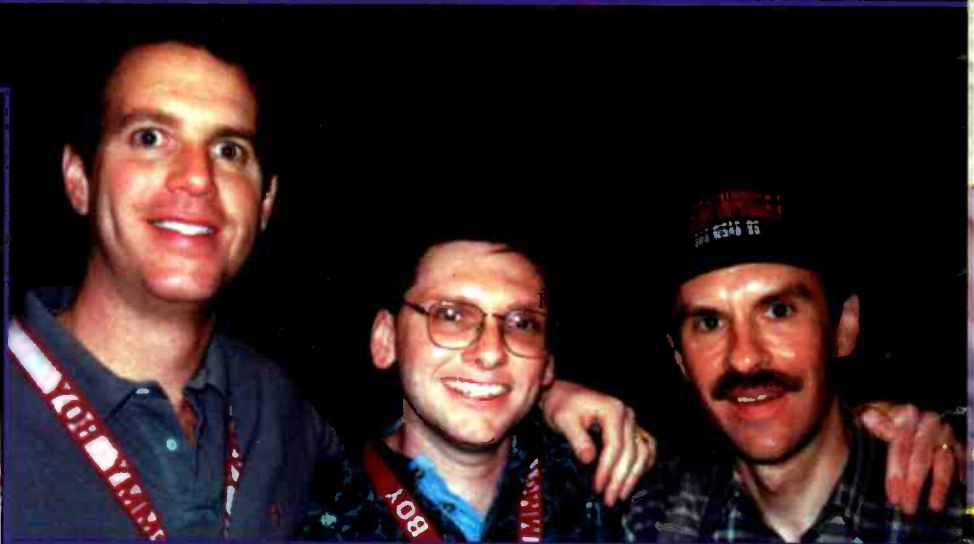
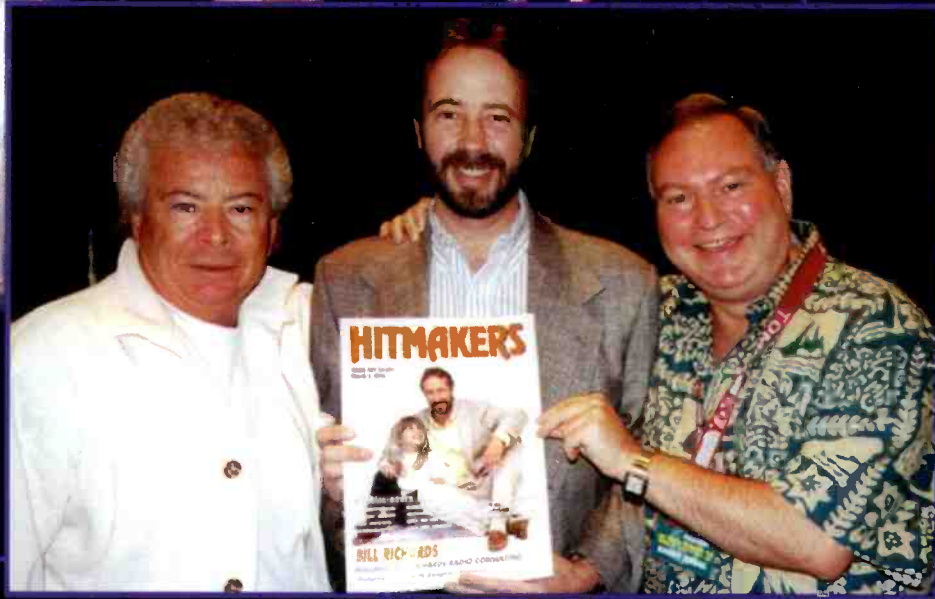
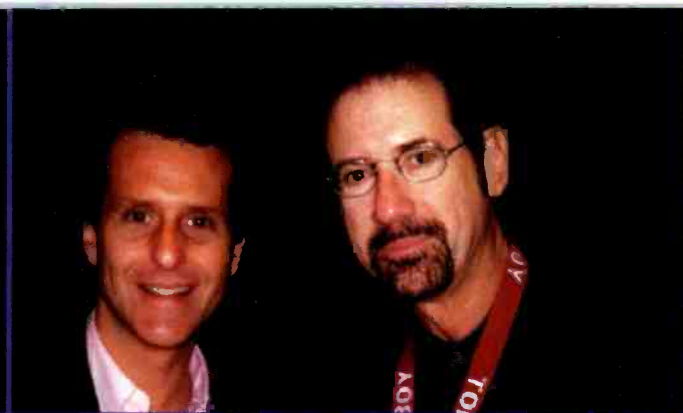


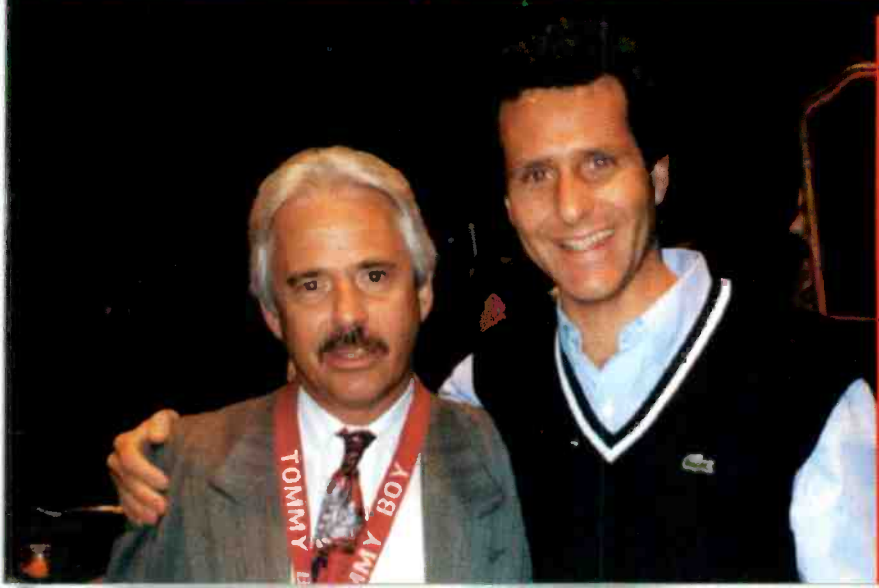
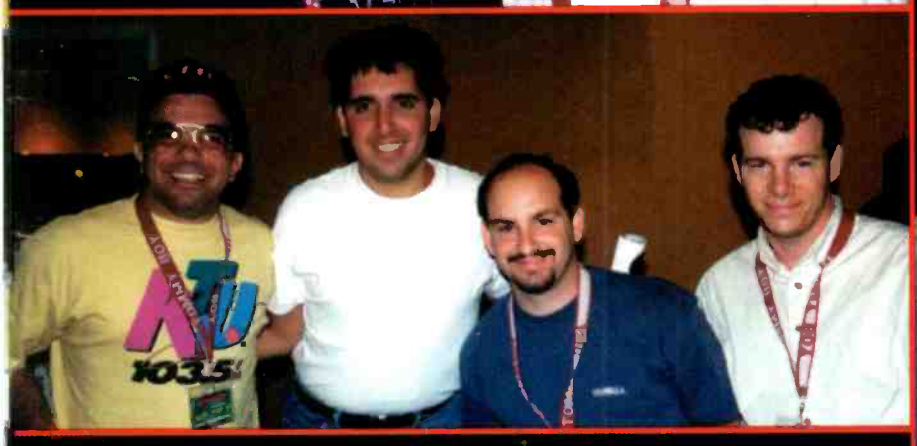
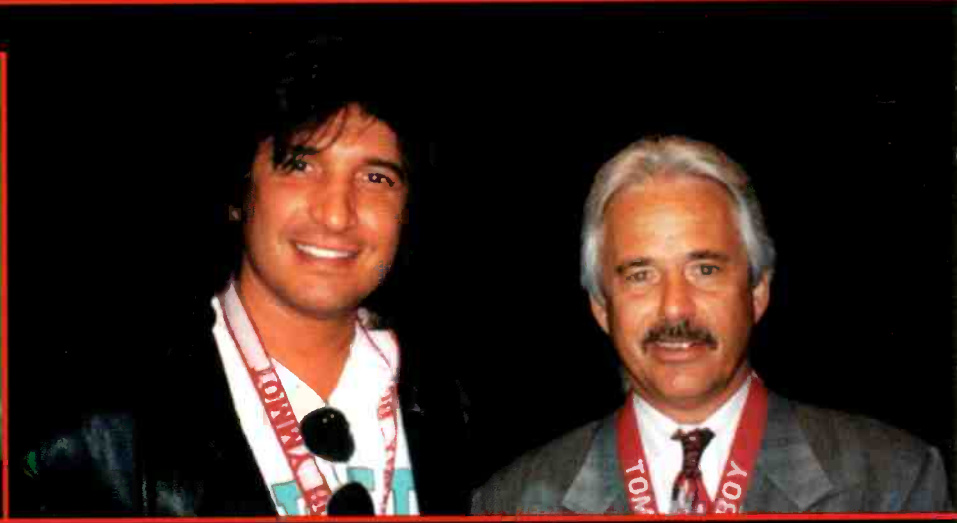
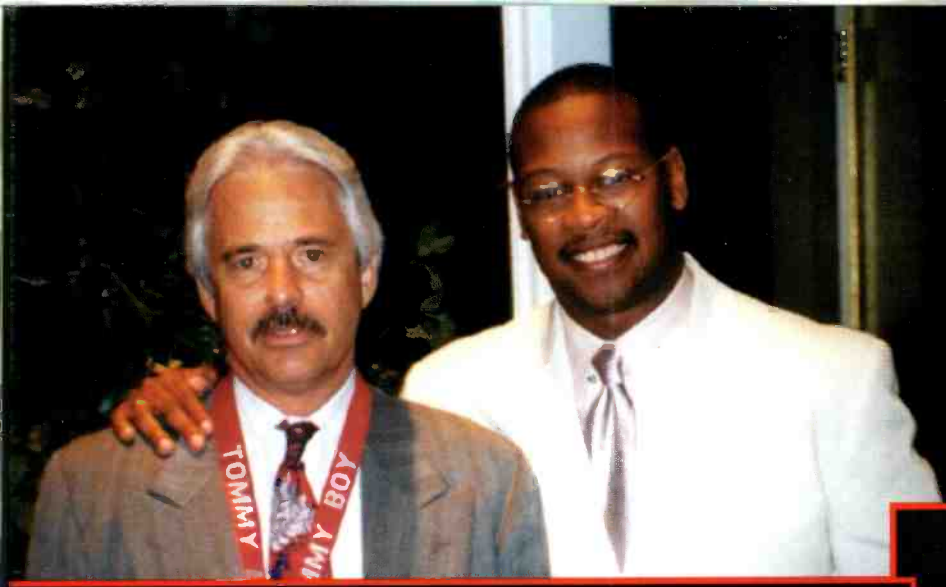
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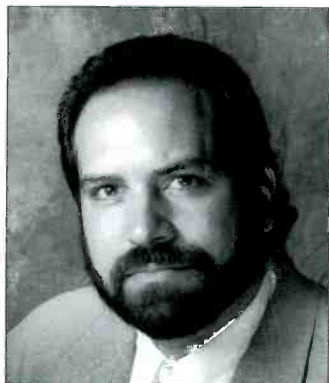


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COLUMBIA NAMES SR. VP's

Don Ienner, President/Chairman, Columbia Records Group, announced this week the promotions of two key executives.

Current VP of Special Projects John Ingrassia has been promoted to the post of Sr. Vice-President, Columbia Records Group. In his new role, Ingrassia will work closely with Ienner in effecting the goals and vision of the company, including supervision of the Financial, Administrative and New Technologies departments.

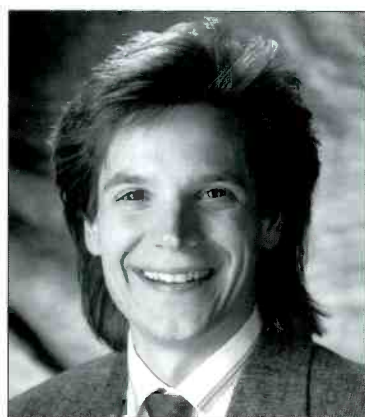
Ienner also announced that Will Botwin has been named to the newly created post of Sr. Vice-President, Columbia Records. In this role, Botwin will work closely with Ienner to develop the company's objectives and overall direction. He will also interface with the A&R and marketing departments.

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PEAKE TO PD KRBE



Veteran programmer John Peake has been named as the new PD of Susquehanna Radio's KRBE/Houston, succeeding Tom Poleman who exited last month for join Z100 (WHTZ)/New York as PD.

KRBE General Manager Nancy Vaeth commented, "With John's experience in radio programming, we are confident he will be an asset to KRBE. His experience and approach are sure to keep 104KRBE at the top of the Houston market."

For the past three years, Peake has been the PD of KWMX/Denver. He began his career more than 15 years ago as a researcher at WRQX in Washington D.C. For more on this, see Ear To The Ground.

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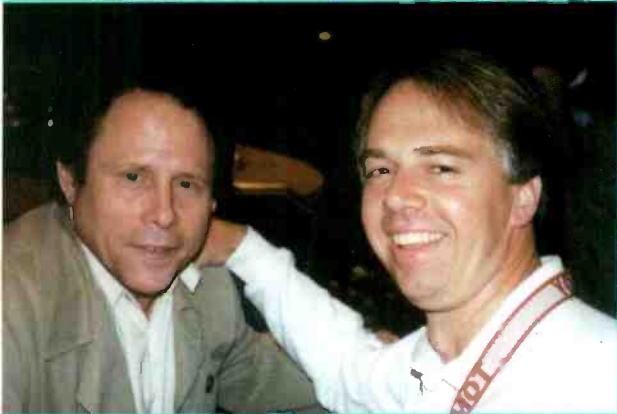
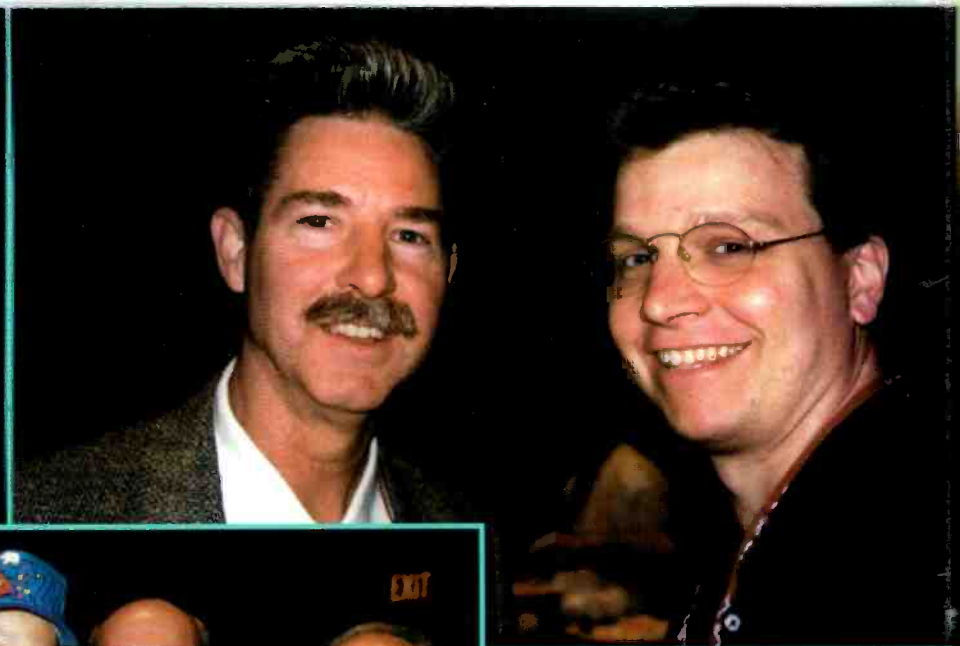


R. KELLY'S TOP SECRET PLATINUM STREAK! After recently headlining his sold-out "Top Secret Tour" at the Continental Airlines Arena in New Jersey, Jive Records' multi-platinum artist R. Kelly was presented with a host of plaques commemorating his Midas touch! Pictured (l-r) are: Jive Sr. VP/Pop Promotion Jack Satter; Jazzy Jordan, Jive VP/Black Music Mktg; Tom Carrabba, VP Sales & Mktg; R. Kelly's manager Barry Hankerson with R. Kelly; Jive VP/A&R Wayne Williams; Jive Records President Barry Weiss; Larry Khan, VP/R&B Promotion; Sr. Dir./Artist Dev't & Video Promotion Janet Kleinbaum; and Sr. VP/A&R Jeff Fenster.

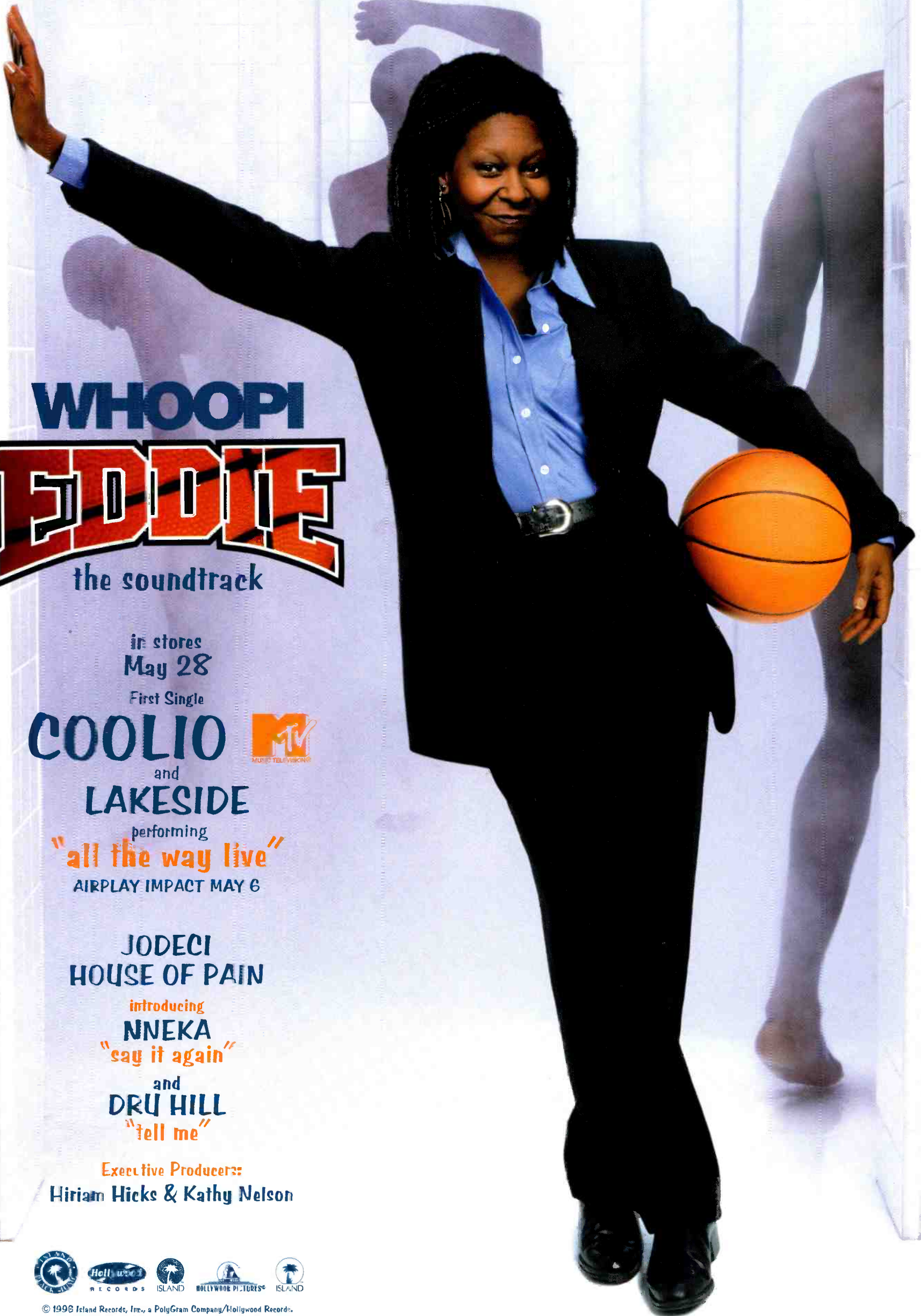
THE HOT TIP

PHILOSOPHER KINGS "Charms" (COLUMBIA/CRG)

Yeah, we're gonna say it: this really is a "charming" record! And don't just take our word for it. Check out the superb *DISC-OVERY* quotes this week by key programmers such as MICHAEL ST. JOHN, CAT THOMAS, JIM REITZ, SCOTT SEIPEL and TOMMY FRANK!! Wow!







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- Approaching 1000 Rotations after one week! New adds include: B94, Q106, Y100, Z100, WZJM, KWMX, KUTQ, WTIC, XL106.7, KQKQ, WWST, WKRZ, G105, KBFM, WFHN, WFBC and many more!! Congrats to JOE RICCITELLI, VICKI LEBEN, LINDA MURDOCK and the entire Island staff for the early success of this project!!

BABYLON ZOO Spaceman (EMI)

- BILL THORMAN @ KHOM adds, as does WIFC, WERZ, JET102, KCHX, WDDJ and KISR!

BILLIE RAY MARTIN Your Loving Arms (ELEKTRA)

- It's another fine week for BILLIE RAY as KHKS, WWST, WA1A and WNNK are among new adds! Rotations over 1000!

BONE THUGS-N-HARMONY Tha Crossroads (RUTHLESS/RELATIVITY)

- With a solid foundation @ X-over, this fine single is crossing to Mainstream. Added @ KIIS-FM!! Also added @ FLY92!!

FUGEES Killing Me Softly (COLUMBIA/CRG)

- Major slaps on the back to JERRY BLAIR, CHARLIE WALK, LEE LEIPSNER and their staff for the success of this record!
This week's **2nd MOST DISC-OVERED** single! Added @ WKSS, WBHT, WNOK, WTCF and many others! Over 2100 Rotations!

GEORGE MICHAEL Fastlove (GEFFEN)

- In its 3rd week, Rotations grow past 2400, as KDWB, WRVW, WHOT and WAEV all add!

H-TOWN A Thin Line Between Love and Hate (JAC-MAC/WARNER BROS.)

- DAVE ALEXANDER & RAY MICHAELS add @ KHTO as early action is about to get hot! The movie is huge! The soundtrack album is huge (monster sales) and this single will be huge!

JARS OF CLAY Flood (SILVERTONE)

- WEDJ, Q102, WKRZ, KFRX, WZYP and many others add as Rotations grow past 1100!

JEWEL Who Will Save Your Soul (ATLANTIC)

- Now over 500 Rotations and check out these new adds: KMXV, WTIC, K92, G105, KC101 and JET102, among others!

LENNY KRAVITZ Can't Get You Off My Mind (VIRGIN)

- With WHYT/Detroit adding this week, this is proving itself as a multi-format monster! You must give this a shot!

LOS DEL RIO Macarena (RCA)

- Rotations increase to over 700 with new adds @ WBHT, WHOT, WMXQ, Z104 and many more!

NATALIE MERCHANT Jealousy (ELEKTRA)

- This week's **MOST DISC-OVERED** is also the most added...with debut week Rotations @ Z100, WXKS, Q106, WFLZ, WZJM, WKSS, KWMX, KHOM, WAPE, WGTZ, WRVW, WDJX, WSSX, WFBC, WA1A and too many more to print!
Kudos to GREG THOMPSON, DON CODDINGTON & Co. for their fine work with NATALIE!!

NIXONS Sister (MCA)

- KRBE, WPLY, WFLZ, WIFC, WQGN, WJMX and KQIZ all add as Rotations grow past 350!!

OASIS Champagne Supernova (EPIC)

- This week's **3rd MOST DISC-OVERED** record! Programmers are raving about this stand-out single! New adds include: Z100, WKBQ, WEDJ, WGTZ, WAPE, KHOM, WDJX, K92, WWST, KHTQ and WHOT! Early Rotations over 650!!

PATTI ROTHBERG Inside (EMI)

- We believe this talented singer/musician/songwriter is poised for stardom! PETER NAPOLIELLO and his staff are totally committed to breaking this artist @ Mainstream Top40!!

PUFF JOHNSON Forever More (WORK/CRG)

- What a great week for PUFF! With new adds @ WNVZ, WKSS, KHOM, KHTT, WSSX, WA1A, WDJB, KSMB, WHZZ, WSPK and WYKS (among others) and Rotations nearing 300, somebody buy BURT a cigar!!

RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS Aeroplane (WARNER BROS.)

- Rotations flying over 1300 with new adds @ 93Q, WTCF, WIFC, KISX, WZNY and KDUK!!

ROBERT MILES Children (ARISTA)

- Over 950 Rotations with new adds @ WVKS, Z104, WSTO, KZMG and WWXM!!

SHAGGY In the Summertime (TRACK FACTORY/MCA)

- B.J HARRIS sez "add" @ WFLZ! Also added @ KSMB, WSPK, KQIZ and a bunch more!!!

STING You Still Touch Me (A&M)

- One of the week's most added, with out-of-the-box adds @ Z100, Q102, KHOM, WNCI, WRVW, WXKS and many more!

the cranberries Salvation (ISLAND)

- CHRIS SHEBEL & TONY MASCARO add @ PRO-FM, as does JOHNNY A. @ WFMF, TOM MARTENS @ KWTX and many others! Early Rotations over 900!!

VOICE OF THE BEEHIVE Scary Kisses (DISCOVERY)

- CLARK & J.J. add @ WPXY as Rotations jump over 1400+!!!

The Hottest New Records In America This Week! According To The Nation's Most Influential Top40 Programmers



1. NATALIE MERCHANT "Jealousy" (ELEKTRA)

"We like this and we love Natalie!"
- CAT THOMAS
PD, WAPE/Jacksonville

"This is a smash! Another hit for her!"
- JOHN IVEY
PD, WXKS/Boston

"A pretty darn good song. Another great record for her!"
- RON GERONIMO
PD, WWST/Knoxville

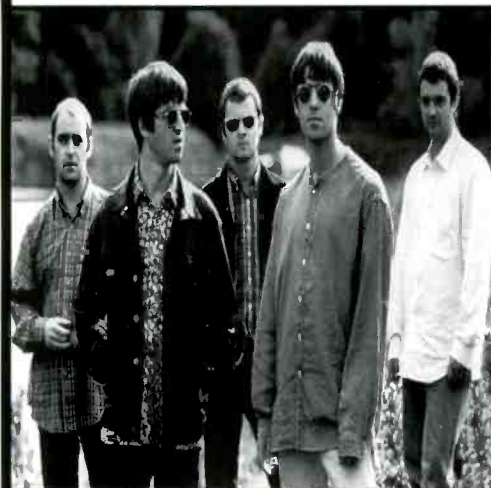


2. FUGEES "Killing Me Softly" (COLUMBIA/CRG)

"This is looking huge!"
- DANNY OCEAN
APD/MD, WBHT/
Wilkes-Barre

"Yeah, this is a great record!"
- J.R. AMMONS
MD, STAR94/Atlanta

"This went on two weeks ago and it's #2 phones overall now! Huge call-out! What more has to be said? Major props to Leipsner, Reiner and Watson for making me see the light!"
- DAVE EUBANKS
MD, WZJM/Cleveland



3. OASIS "Champagne Supernova" (EPIC)

"It's the Stairway To Heaven of the '90s!"
- MARC SUMMERS
PD, WZYP/Huntsville

"Simply huge! I think the label is going to let this develop like Stairway To Heaven kind of a thing!"
- MICHAEL ST. JOHN
PD, WKBQ/St. Louis

"I'm not big on picking Alternative-leaning records, but I think this is the Stairway To Heaven of the '90s! A very solid record!"
- CLARKE INGRAM
PD, 98PXY/Rochester

4. A. CLAYTON... "Theme From..." (MOTHER/ISLAND)

"Sounded incredible at the HITMAKERS' Seminar, so we put it on!"
- DALE BAIRD, PD, KQXY/Beaumont

5. DEF LEPPARD "Work It Out" (MERCURY)

"I really like this. It doesn't sound like old Def Leppard."
- MIKE J. STEELE, PD, KQKQ/Omaha

6. JEWEL "Who Will Save Your Soul" (ATLANTIC)

"Big national and local sales with very little airplay. Should be the sleeper hit of the Summer!"
- JON ZELLNER, PD, KMXV/Kansas City

7. PHILOSOPHER KINGS "Charms" (COLUMBIA/CRG)

"A real beauty - I'm on it!"
- SCOTT SHANNON, PD, KHTQ/Spokane

8. PUFF JOHNSON "Forever More" (WORK/CRG)

"I really like this...she's talented! I can see this as a wedding record for years to come!"
- MICHAEL MORGAN, PD, WFLY/Albany

9. H-TOWN "A Thin Line..." (WARNER BROS.)

"What a great song! A very nice cover of this great Persuaders record!"
- JIM REITZ, PD, WFHN-FM/New Bedford

10. EVERYTHING BUT THE GIRL "Wrong" (ATLANTIC)

"Oh, I like this a lot. A great follow-up. It will be hit #2 for them!"
- TONY MASCARO, MD, PRO-FM/Providence

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CLARKE INGRAM, PD, 98PX, Rochester

KRISTINE W. One More Try (RCA) - A good Pop/Dance record! It's got a good sound. One of those records that I like more and more after each listen! The kind of record we tend to pop early!

OASIS Champagne Supernova (EPIC) - I'm not big on picking Alternative-leaning records, but I think this is the Stairway To Heaven of the '90s! A very solid record!

NO DOUBT Just A Girl (TRAUMA/INTERSCOPE) - A good song. Someone said to me the group reminds them of Katrina & The Waves, only louder! It's a really fun record! A good chick tune!

NEAL SHARPE, PD, JET102, Erie

NATALIE MERCHANT Jealousy (ELEKTRA) - This is something that will work for everyone!

JEWEL Who Will Save Your Soul (ATLANTIC) - This is going to be a big record that really hits home with adult women!

BADLEES Angeline Is Coming Home (POLYDOR) - I like this...it's pretty good!

BABYLON ZOO Spaceman (EMI UK) - We've been spiking this, and just from those few spins, it's jumped into our top 10 in requests! So there's something happening with this record!!

BARRY MCGUIRE, PD, KDUK, Eugene

PUFF JOHNSON Forever More (WORK/CRG) - I really like Puff. This song is just so smooth and has a good feel to it!

THE NEWSBOYS Take Me To Your Leader (STAR SONG/VIRGIN) - This really might surprise people!

MICHAEL JACK KIRBY, PD/MD, KFFM, Yakima

BONE THUGS-N-HARMONY Tha Crossroads (Remix) (RUTHLESS/RELATIVITY) - A great record! Very melodic...their best record yet!

H-TOWN A Thin Line Between Love & Hate (WARNER BROS.) - A very solid remake of the great old Persuaders cut. Lookin' good!

NATALIE MERCHANT Jealousy (ELEKTRA) - Chalk up three in a row! What is it with her and these one-word titles?

DAVE ALEXANDER, PD, KHTO, Springfield

PUFF JOHNSON Forever More (WORK/CRG) - Fresh song with an obviously adorable artist - the combo works well!

TRACY CHAPMAN Give Me One Reason (ELEKTRA/EEG) - Very cool record! Getting good response!

NATALIE MERCHANT Jealousy (ELEKTRA) - Great song! May not be the powerhouse the last ones were, but it's a great texture song that adds the balance we need!

PHILOSOPHER KINGS Charms (COLUMBIA/CRG) - The group approach to Seal! Great texture to song! Can't limit to one format - everyone should play it!

RAY MICHAELS, MD, KHTO, Springfield

BILLIE RAY MARTIN Your Loving Arms (SIRE/EEG) - Fun-sounding tune! Got that Dance groove!

FUGEES Killing Me Softly (COLUMBIA/CRG) - It's a smash, no doubt! With the several mixes of this, there's a version for every station.

H-TOWN A Thin Line Between Love & Hate (WARNER BROS.) - It's a real groover! With the movie, it will take off!

ROBERT MILES Children (ARISTA) - Cool-sounding little song! Immediate reaction - a lot of curiosity calls! Looking for it to be a huge record!

SCOTT SHANNON, PD, KHTQ, Spokane

DEF LEPPARD Work It Out (MERCURY) - Hey, Def Lep for the '90s - a great song!! Their roots are in the '80s but they've retooled for the '90s in very fine form!!

SOUNDGARDEN Pretty Noose (A&M) - If you want an edge, this is the song. It makes me wish I was a Rock station!

REAL MCGOY Ooh Boy (ARISTA) - This kind of came out of nowhere. I really like it!

NATALIE MERCHANT Jealousy (ELEKTRA) - She's very consistent. I think everything from TIGERLILY is right on the mark!! This is very, very good!!

PHILOSOPHER KINGS Charms (COLUMBIA/CRG) - A real beauty - I'm on it!

MICK FULGHAM, MD, KISX, Tyler

OASIS Champagne Supernova (EPIC) - Smash! Bigger than the last!

ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN Theme From Mission: Impossible (MOTHER/ISLAND) - I grew up watching the show and I think this is a damn good remake! It's definitely got that U2 edge to it!

EVERYTHING BUT THE GIRL Wrong (ATLANTIC) - Wonderful! Cut #2 is great for Mainstream stations!

JEFF ANDREWS, PD/MD, KLYV, Dubuque

OASIS Champagne Supernova (EPIC) - Another smash!
FUGEES Killing Me Softly (COLUMBIA/CRG) - With the new radio edit, everyone should be playing this!

THE NEWSBOYS Take Me To Your Leader (STAR SONG/VIRGIN) - The Christian rockers are selling lots of CDs and tickets! This is kind of a neat song!

NATALIE MERCHANT Jealousy (ELEKTRA) - With the research success of the last two singles, you really can't turn your back on this one!

JON ZELLNER, PD, KMXV, Kansas City

SPIN DOCTORS She Used To Be Mine (EPIC) - This record screams Kansas City! I can't wait to put it on the air!!

JEWEL Who Will Save Your Soul (ATLANTIC) - Big national and local sales with very little airplay. Should be the sleeper hit of the Summer!

MIKE J. STEELE, PD, KQKQ, Omaha

BLESSID UNION OF SOULS All Along (EMI RECORDS) - This is really a great record from a group that has produced some solid hits for us!

3T Tease Me (MJJ/550 MUSIC) - This is just a killer record! We had a lot of success with Anything and this is just as good! It's really good!

DEF LEPPARD Work It Out (MERCURY) - I really like this. It doesn't sound like old Def Leppard.

H-TOWN A Thin Line Between Love & Hate (WARNER BROS.) - I like it! I think it has a lot of potential at the format.

JIMI JAMM, MD, KQKQ, Omaha

NIXONS Sister (MCA) - This is getting #1 call-out on THE EDGE, our sister station, in any demo you want to pick, so we said, "Hey, maybe we need to deal with it!"

BLESSID UNION OF SOULS All Along (EMI RECORDS) - This is a huge record! I've been waiting about eight months for this to come out. It should be their next smash!!

ALANIS MORISSETTE You Learn (MAVERICK/REPRISE) - This album is TAPESTRY for the '90s!

NATALIE MERCHANT Jealousy (ELEKTRA) - Actually, I think I like this the best of the three singles she's released so far from TIGERLILY.

DALE BAIRD, PD, KQXY, Beaumont

ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN Theme From Mission: Impossible (MOTHER/ISLAND) - Sounded incredible at the HITMAKERS Seminar, so we put it on!

NATALIE MERCHANT Jealousy (ELEKTRA) - It's smokin'! Better than sex on Saturday morning!

THE NEWSBOYS Take Me To Your Leader (STAR SONG/VIRGIN) - Smells like a hit!

JAMMER, MD, KQXY, Beaumont

NATALIE MERCHANT Jealousy (ELEKTRA) - Will be a smash!

NIXONS Sister (MCA) - Acoustic version is large, large, large - sales and phones!

JEWEL Who Will Save Your Soul (ATLANTIC) - Cool song!

ROBERT MILES Children (ARISTA) - It's hip!

ADAM BURNES, MD, KSLY, San Luis Obispo

DONNA LEWIS I Love You Always Forever (ATLANTIC) - Very, very sweet song! A Springtime record - I can watch the flowers bloom as I listen to this song!

ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN Theme From Mission: Impossible (MOTHER/ISLAND) - Getting instant phones! There's so much hype around this record with the blockbuster movie and the guys from U2!

JEWEL Who Will Save Your Soul (ATLANTIC) - If you play it, people will respond - buying records and requesting!

LEE CAGLE, MD, KWMX, Denver

SPIN DOCTORS She Used To Be Mine (EPIC) - A good little record. I think this is gonna happen!

the cranberries Free To Decide (ISLAND) - This is an incredible tune! I hope it's the next single!

LETTERS TO CLEO Dangerous Type (COLUMBIA/CRG) - From the Kraft soundtrack, it's a cover of the great Cars song! It's an excellent remake!

NATALIE MERCHANT Jealousy (ELEKTRA) - Another great record from Natalie!

FLASH PHILLIPS, MD, KWTX, Waco

ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN Theme From Mission: Impossible (MOTHER/ISLAND) - Very cool song!

EVERYTHING BUT THE GIRL Wrong (ATLANTIC) - It's the Everything But The Girl sound we all know and love!

DEF LEPPARD Work It Out (MERCURY) - It's a different sound for them. I like the hook!

DONNA LEWIS I Love You Always Forever (ATLANTIC) - I just like it!

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H-TOWN *A Thin Line Between Love & Hate* (WARNER BROS.) - A very smooth ballad!

BONE THUGS-N-HARMONY *Tha Crossroads (Remix)* (RUTHLESS/RELATIVITY) - We're warming up to this! A very good song!

TONY MASCARO, MD, PRO-FM, Providence

OASIS *Champagne Supernova* (EPIC) - This is going to do real well for us! *Live Forever* did okay for us last year, and then *Wonderwall* was a huge hit! Now, this is the next step for them. This will establish them as Top40 artists!

NATALIE MERCHANT *Jealousy* (ELEKTRA) - This will be a hit! We're testing it and so far audience reaction is real good!

EVERYTHING BUT THE GIRL *Wrong* (ATLANTIC) - Oh, I like this a lot. A great follow-up. It will be hit #2 for them!

DEF LEPPARD *Work It Out* (MERCURY) - I like this. The good thing is that it rocks. Even though their power ballads have always worked so well, it's nice to have something a little different from them!

J.R. AMMONS, MD, STAR94, Atlanta

THE SPECIALS *A Little Bit Of Me, A Little Bit Of You* (VIRGIN) - They're back with a neat remake of this song!

PATTI ROTHBERG *Inside* (EMI) - A very good record - it's gonna happen!

FUGEES *Killing Me Softly* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - Yeah, this is a great record!

NATALIE MERCHANT *Jealousy* (ELEKTRA) - Another very solid single from Natalie!

CAT THOMAS, PD, WAPE, Jacksonville

PHILOSOPHER KINGS *Charms* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - We like this. A very good song!

BADLEES *Angeline Is Coming Home* (POLYDOR) - I love this. What an awesome record!

NATALIE MERCHANT *Jealousy* (ELEKTRA) - We like this and we love Natalie!

OASIS *Champagne Supernova* (EPIC) - I really do love this!

TOMMY FRANK, PD, WAYV, Atlantic City

PHILOSOPHER KINGS *Charms* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - This is a secret weapon!

BADLEES *Angeline Is Coming Home* (POLYDOR) - Hootie meets Blues Traveler! I like it! It's very good!

JOAN JETT & THE BLACKHEARTS *Love Is All Around* (BLACKHEART/WARNER BROS.) - This is a fun tune! We've got it in a test Rotation and it's doing very well!

FUGEES *Killing Me Softly* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - We put it on the air and the phones exploded! They're begging for it!

DANNY OCEAN, APD/MD, WBHT, Wilkes-Barre

NATALIE MERCHANT *Jealousy* (ELEKTRA) - This is great! Natalie's on a roll with another good one!

DEF LEPPARD *Work It Out* (MERCURY) - I can see us playing this. Wilkes-Barre is a Def Leppard kind of town!

FUGEES *Killing Me Softly* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - This is looking huge!

TRACY BONHAM *Mother, Mother* (ISLAND) - I really like this. What a good song - very strong!

BILL KLAPROTH, PD, WDBR, Springfield

LOS DEL RIO *Macarena* (RCA) - I've been playing the thing since last Fall! Don't be afraid - upper-demo females love this song! Think of it as a novelty song!

AUDIO ADRENALINE *Never Gonna Be As Big As Jesus* (FOREFRONT) - Fun Pop Rock record! Good hook, great message!

RIK BLADE, MD, WDBR, Springfield

DEF LEPPARD *Work It Out* (MERCURY) - What a record! These guys really jumped into the '90s head first! Sounds U2ish!

OASIS *Champagne Supernova* (EPIC) - This record kind of sucks you in with its melodic Pop. Good song!

NAIS *My Eyes Adored You* (SCOTTI BROS.) - Good cover! These guys stay true to the original but still give it a '90s feel! Good balance record!

GARBAGE *Only Happy When It Rains* (ALMO SOUNDS/GEFFEN) - Sounds nothing like anything else we're playing right now! Lots of phones!

SCOTT THOMAS, PD/MD, WDJB, Fort Wayne

CAST *Alright* (POLYDOR) - Very catchy! Should cross over to Top40!

EAST 117 *You Oughta Know, Mang* (DIGITALIA) - Huge morning show reaction record! For more info, call Barry @ (201) 746-9500.

PUFF JOHNSON *Forever More* (WORK/CRG) - Should work well during the day!

FUGEES *Killing Me Softly* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - After one week, #1 requesting record!

HAWK HARRISON, MD, WFBC, Greenville, SC

ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN *Theme From Mission: Impossible* (MOTHER/ISLAND) - This is very cool!

JARS OF CLAY *Flood* (SILVERTONE) - I like this a lot!

JIM REITZ, PD, WFHN-FM, New Bedford

EVERYTHING BUT THE GIRL *Wrong* (ATLANTIC) - A really good follow-up!

H-TOWN *A Thin Line Between Love & Hate* (WARNER BROS.) - No, I'm not looking for another Urban ballad right now. But I do like this. What a great song! A very nice cover of this great Persuaders record!

PHILOSOPHER KINGS *Charms* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - It's really pretty good!

MICHAEL MORGAN, PD, WFLY, Albany

ANGELINA *Release Me* (UPSTAIRS) - Since we don't have an Urban or Churban station here, this is the kind of record we look for to give us some of that flavor!

PUFF JOHNSON *Forever More* (WORK/CRG) - I really like this. If this were sung by Whitney Houston, Mariah Carey or Toni Braxton, it would already be a #1 record. She's talented! I can see this as a wedding record for years to come!

SHAGGY *In The Summertime* (MCA) - The movie *Flipper* should really help this take off the second time!

LOUIS KAPLAN, PD, WGTZ, Dayton

ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN *Theme From Mission: Impossible* (MOTHER/ISLAND) - A very cool-sounding record!

SHAGGY *In The Summertime* (MCA) - I'm into this - it's good! I'm not sure where to play this, but I really do like it!

DEF LEPPARD *Work It Out* (MERCURY) - I kinda like this. It doesn't sound like your typical Def Leppard record!

JONNY HARTWELL, MD, WHOT, Youngstown

JEWEL *Who Will Save Your Soul* (ATLANTIC) - The song may not save your soul, but it sounds good on the radio!

SWV *You're The One* (RCA) - Sisters with a hit!

PHILOSOPHER KINGS *Charms* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - Socrates told me in a dream I should play this song!

FUGEES *Killing Me Softly* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - It's our #1 requested song!

BRIAN SCOTT, MD, WHTS, Quad Cities

DEF LEPPARD *Work It Out* (MERCURY) - Interesting new sound for them!

ROBERT MILES *Children* (ARISTA) - A little different - may pull some interesting reaction!

WOODY HOUSTON, MD, WHZZ, Lansing

FUGEES *Killing Me Softly* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - Wow...top 5 phones here and we just started playing it! Older demos are eating it up!

DISHWALLA *Counting Blue Cars* (A&M) - I really like this!

the cranberries *Salvation* (ISLAND) - We're getting requests for this and we're not playing it yet!

MICHAEL ST. JOHN, PD, WKBQ, St. Louis

PHILOSOPHER KINGS *Charms* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - I've been talking about this for weeks! We're playing it already. I'm not sure when the label is going after this, but we'll support the heck out of it!

OASIS *Champagne Supernova* (EPIC) - Simply huge! I think the label is going to let this develop like a *Stairway To Heaven* kind of a thing!

BLESSID UNION OF SOULS *All Along* (EMI RECORDS) - I really like this.

CHER *One By One* (REPRISE) - This is a great straight-ahead Top40 record - it definitely doesn't sound like Cher!

DAVE VAYDA, MD, WKSS, Hartford

the cranberries *Salvation* (ISLAND) - Well known band with a cool message in this song!

EVERYTHING BUT THE GIRL *Wrong* (ATLANTIC) - Sounds like it could be a great follow-up single for playing afternoons and nights!

NO DOUBT *Just A Girl* (TRAUMA/INTERSCOPE) - Pulling good phones at night - Top 9 countdown!

ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN *Theme From Mission: Impossible* (MOTHER/ISLAND) - Movie's gonna be huge and this song already has a buzz going for it!

JEFF WILLIAMS, MD, WKZW, Peoria

ROBERT MILES *Children* (ARISTA) - Slowly but surely, a lot of curiosity calls - people really seem to like it!

JEWEL *Who Will Save Your Soul* (ATLANTIC) - It's growing on me! Gets better every time I hear it!

DEF LEPPARD *Work It Out* (MERCURY) - A little more industrial and Joe Eliot isn't screaming.

LOS DEL RIO *Macarena* (RCA) - We retested it and it did great! It's huge - when you go to a club everyone does the dance!

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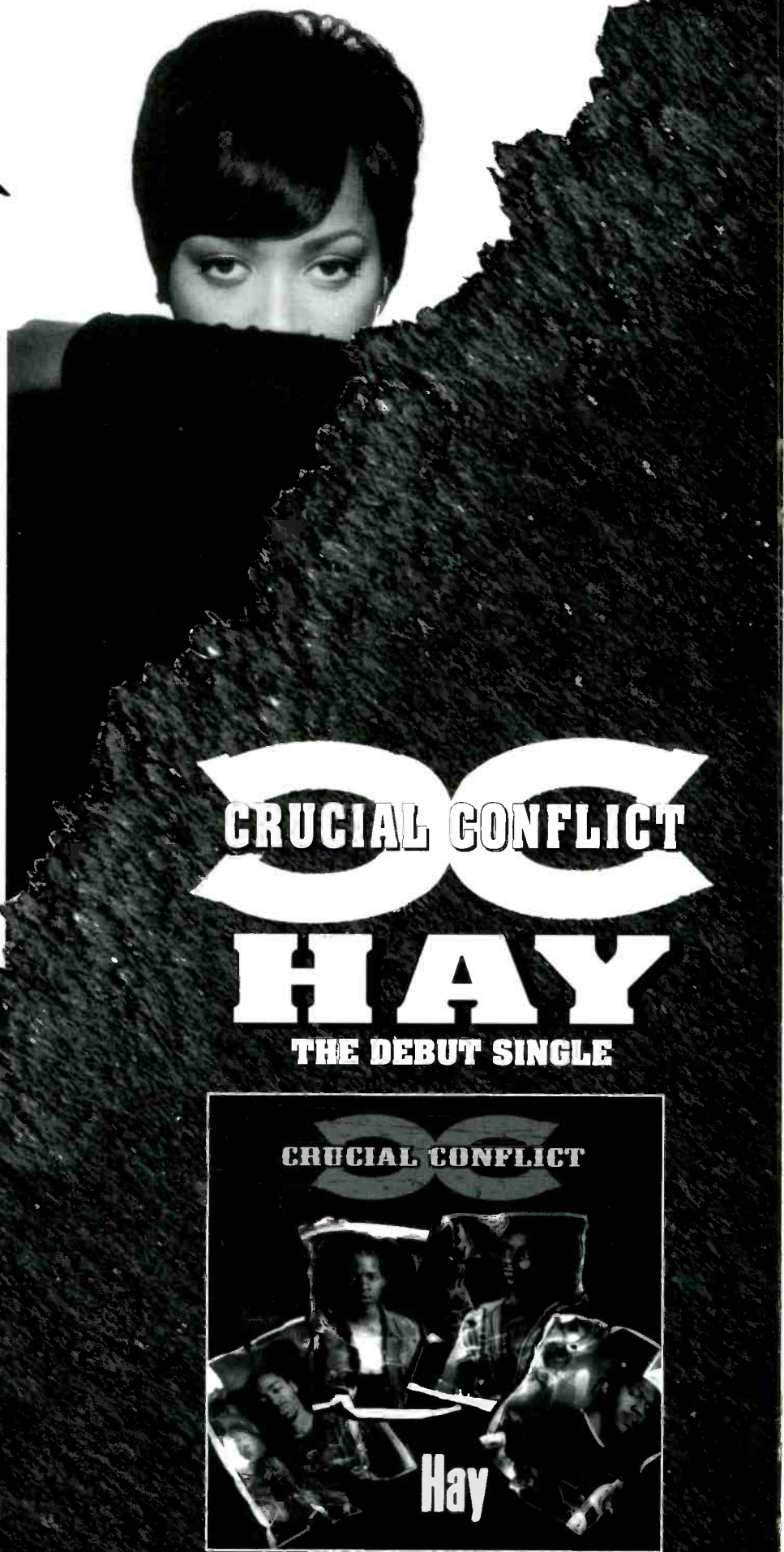
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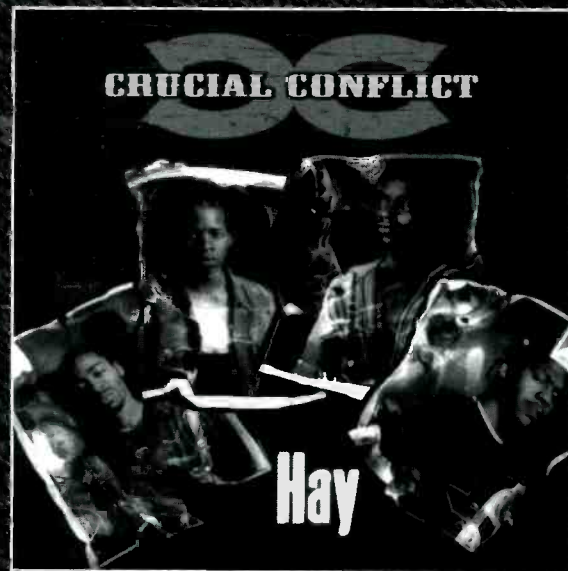
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JORDAN WALSH, PD, WLAN, Lancaster

FUGEES *Killing Me Softly* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - The title kind of says it: this is really "killing" for us here!

LOS DEL RIO *Macarena* (RCA) - This is a fun one. I popped it on the air last week and got some very positive calls!

FOO FIGHTERS *Big Me* (CAPITOL) - I wasn't a believer at first, but this is working! I'm opening it up to all dayparts this week!

DEM JONES, MD, WMRV, Binghamton

FUGEES *Killing Me Softly* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - She does an amazing job of singing this! Recognizable lyrics! Instant reaction! My girlfriend heard it for the first time as she was listening to our station while driving, and she was singing it as soon as she got out of the car!

ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN *Theme From Mission: Impossible* (MOTHER/ISLAND) - Instantly recognizable! At first I saw it as a novelty, but it's very funky! We were getting requests before we were even playing it!

NIXONS *Sister* (MCA) - Cool tune!

JEWEL *Who Will Save Your Soul* (ATLANTIC) - They've been pushing this for so long, people are beginning to recognize the song. She just might make it this time!

TRACY BONHAM *Mother, Mother* (ISLAND) - The video popped up on MTV and I recognized it like that! Hook sticks in your head and just won't go away!

SEAN SELLERS, MD, WNVZ, Norfolk

TEVIN CAMPBELL *Back To The World* (QWEST/WARNER BROS.) - This is awesome! It's a really good song - very strong!

J'SON *I'll Never Stop Loving You* (HOLLYWOOD) - A good song! A very big ballad!

DAVE MATTHEWS BAND *Too Much* (RCA) - This rocks! Very good stuff!!

JEWEL *Who Will Save Your Soul* (ATLANTIC) - I like this...it's a very good song!

ROB HAYES, MD, WQGN, New London

NATALIE MERCHANT *Jealousy* (ELEKTRA) - Without question, a hit! One of the best new Natalie Merchant songs. I think it's one of the best tracks on the album! Sounds great on the air!

BABYLON ZOO *Spaceman* (EMI UK) - It worked really well at Alternative - top phones, and it has a chance to do the same at Top40!

NIXONS *Sister* (MCA) - It has grown on me and will probably grow on our listeners!

J.T. BOSCH, PD, WRHT, Greenville, NC

LOS DEL RIO *Macarena* (RCA) - Huge phones! Huge phones! Amazing, enormous adult female phones! I'm surprised and impressed as all hell!!

SHAGGY *In The Summertime* (MCA) - Gave this a spin last night, and got lots of positive calls from all demos!

H-TOWN *A Thin Line Between Love & Hate* (WARNER BROS.) - This is selling like a mother in the market! How can I go wrong with a record so many people here are buying!

BILLY SURF, APD/MD, WRVQ, Richmond

GEORGE MICHAEL *Fastlove* (DREAMWORKS/GEFFEN) - Sounds like the perfect Pop record I was looking for!

KRISTINE W. *One More Try* (RCA) - My favorite song on the air! It's a f*%kin' smash!

LIL' SUZY *Falling In Love* (METROPOLITAN) - Played it the first time around and it worked. What the hell, we'll play it again! Great Dance record!

BECKY MYERS, PD, WSKS, Utica-Rome

PUFF JOHNSON *Forever More* (WORK/CRG) - Great song! Remember Seduction's *Could This Be Love*?

NATALIE MERCHANT *Jealousy* (ELEKTRA) - Your typical Natalie Merchant - bound to do just as well as the other two!

STING *You Still Touch Me* (A&M) - It's an upbeat song! Give Sting a second listen!

KEITH CURRY, MD, WSNX, Grand Rapids

SWV *You're The One* (RCA) - The ladies are back with a big Mainstream hit!

BILLIE RAY MARTIN *Your Loving Arms* (SIRE/EEG) - This sounds great on the air!

STEW SCHANTZ, PD, WSPK, Poughkeepsie

OASIS *Champagne Supernova* (EPIC) - The best Rock record of '96!

NATALIE MERCHANT *Jealousy* (ELEKTRA) - Perfect third single!

SHAGGY *In The Summertime* (MCA) - They picked the right time of year to release this time!

PUFF JOHNSON *Forever More* (WORK/CRG) - Check this out! It's classy!

CALVIN HICKS, PD, WSSX, Charleston

NATALIE MERCHANT *Jealousy* (ELEKTRA) - You just can't miss with her right now. She's the queen of one-word titles!!

STING *You Still Touch Me* (A&M) - This is the second single from his current album and it has a nice feel to it to get into Summertime with. Hopefully programmers won't shy away from this just because his last one wasn't a home run!

PUFF JOHNSON *Forever More* (WORK/CRG) - Huge! Definitely a female record! Now that the last Monica and Deborah Cox records are out of the way, I've got room for this. Those records did well for us, and I think the Puff record will do just as well!

GREG FRY, PD, WTCF, Saginaw

RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS *Aeroplane* (WARNER BROS.) - Really, really hooky - a real Pop hook! Very sing-alongable!

FUGEES *Killing Me Softly* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - Extreme female appeal!

COLOR ME BADD *The Earth, The Sun, The Rain* (GIANT) - Really coming out of the woodwork - calls from girls and guys!

SCOTT SEIPEL, PD, WWCK, Flint

NATALIE MERCHANT *Jealousy* (ELEKTRA) - I love this! It's a natural - a very easy record to play! If only they were all this easy!

OASIS *Champagne Supernova* (EPIC) - I really like this. A fine song!

PHILOSOPHER KINGS *Charms* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - This is a record I've loved for three or four months now. I'm looking forward to having this on the air!

DEF LEPPARD *Work It Out* (MERCURY) - We're already giving it some light early spins. I think they've done the right thing by changing their sound enough so that they appeal to a new generation of listeners.

RON GERONIMO, PD, WWST, Knoxville

NATALIE MERCHANT *Jealousy* (ELEKTRA) - A pretty darn good song. Another great record for her!

BILLIE RAY MARTIN *Your Loving Arms* (SIRE/EEG) - I like this. The timing was right for us this week. I needed a record like this, so I spiked it and it sounded great on the air!

STING *You Still Touch Me* (A&M) - This should have a lot of upper-demo appeal!

JOHN IVEY, PD, WXKS, Boston

ALANIS MORISSETTE *You Learn* (MAVERICK/REPRISE) - Obviously, this is awfully good! We toyed around with this a bit before *Ironic* was released, so it will be real easy to get back into this!

NATALIE MERCHANT *Jealousy* (ELEKTRA) - This is a smash! Another hit for her!

STING *You Still Touch Me* (A&M) - This is a f*%\$ing monster! It will be big. Absolutely wonderful!!

CHER *One By One* (REPRISE) - I really like this! Truthfully, I really like this. It sounds great!

DAVY CROCKETT, PD/MD, WYCR, York

THE NEWSBOYS *Take Me To Your Leader* (STAR SONG/VIRGIN) - Great hook! Great CD cover!

JARS OF CLAY *Flood* (SILVERTONE) - Top 10 requests after two weeks!

VAN HALEN *Humans Being* (WARNER BROS.) - Sounds like old Van Halen! From a movie that will be a big hit of the Summer!

NATALIE MERCHANT *Jealousy* (ELEKTRA) - This one's pretty obvious!

DAVE EUBANKS, MD, WZJM, Cleveland

FUGEES *Killing Me Softly* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - This went on two weeks ago and it's #2 phones overall now! Huge call-out! What more has to be said? Major props to Leipsner, Reiner and Watson for making me see the light!

ALANIS MORISSETTE *You Learn* (MAVERICK/REPRISE) - Don't wait, play!!! I don't care what anyone - label/programmer/whoever - says, just play it!

NATALIE MERCHANT *Jealousy* (ELEKTRA) - #3 from TIGERLILY - WOW!!

OASIS *Champagne Supernova* (EPIC) - It's back in a big way!

ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN *Theme From Mission: Impossible* (MOTHER/ISLAND) - Junior's Hard Mix makes me happy!

TOM GJERDRUM, PD, WZPL, Indianapolis

NATALIE MERCHANT *Jealousy* (ELEKTRA) - I like this. Actually *Wonder* is just now going into power Rotation here, but this is another fine single from her!

STING *You Still Touch Me* (A&M) - I like this! This will help bring him back to the format!

BLESSID UNION OF SOULS *All Along* (EMI RECORDS) - This is a real good record from them!

MARC SUMMERS, PD, WZYP, Huntsville

FUGEES *Killing Me Softly* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - One play and already getting solid adult requests!

GEORGE MICHAEL *Fastlove* (DREAMWORKS/GEFFEN) - Day-round uptempo record that all ages can enjoy!

OASIS *Champagne Supernova* (EPIC) - It's the *Stairway To Heaven* of the '90s!

KRAMER, MD, WZYP, Huntsville

ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN *Theme From Mission: Impossible* (MOTHER/ISLAND) - Kick-ass, slammin' jammin' night song!

FUGEES *Killing Me Softly* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - Played once and got instant phones from, surprisingly, old females!

NIXONS *Sister* (MCA) - Good song! Sounds like Pearl Jam!

REAL McCOY *Ooh Boy* (ARISTA) - It's the song that gets me in the mood!



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ONCE AGAIN YOU GUYS HAVE OUTDONE YOURSELVES BY HOSTING A GREAT CONVENTION IN LAS VEGAS. I HAD A WONDERFUL TIME, BUT MORE IMPORTANTLY, IT WAS GREAT TO SEE THE INDUSTRY COME TOGETHER WITH SUCH A POSITIVE PASSION.

IT WAS GREAT TO SEE YOU AGAIN AND I HOPE WE CAN GET TOGETHER SOON. PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CALL ME IF THERE IS ANYTHING THAT YOU NEED. TAKE CARE.

KINDEST REGARDS,



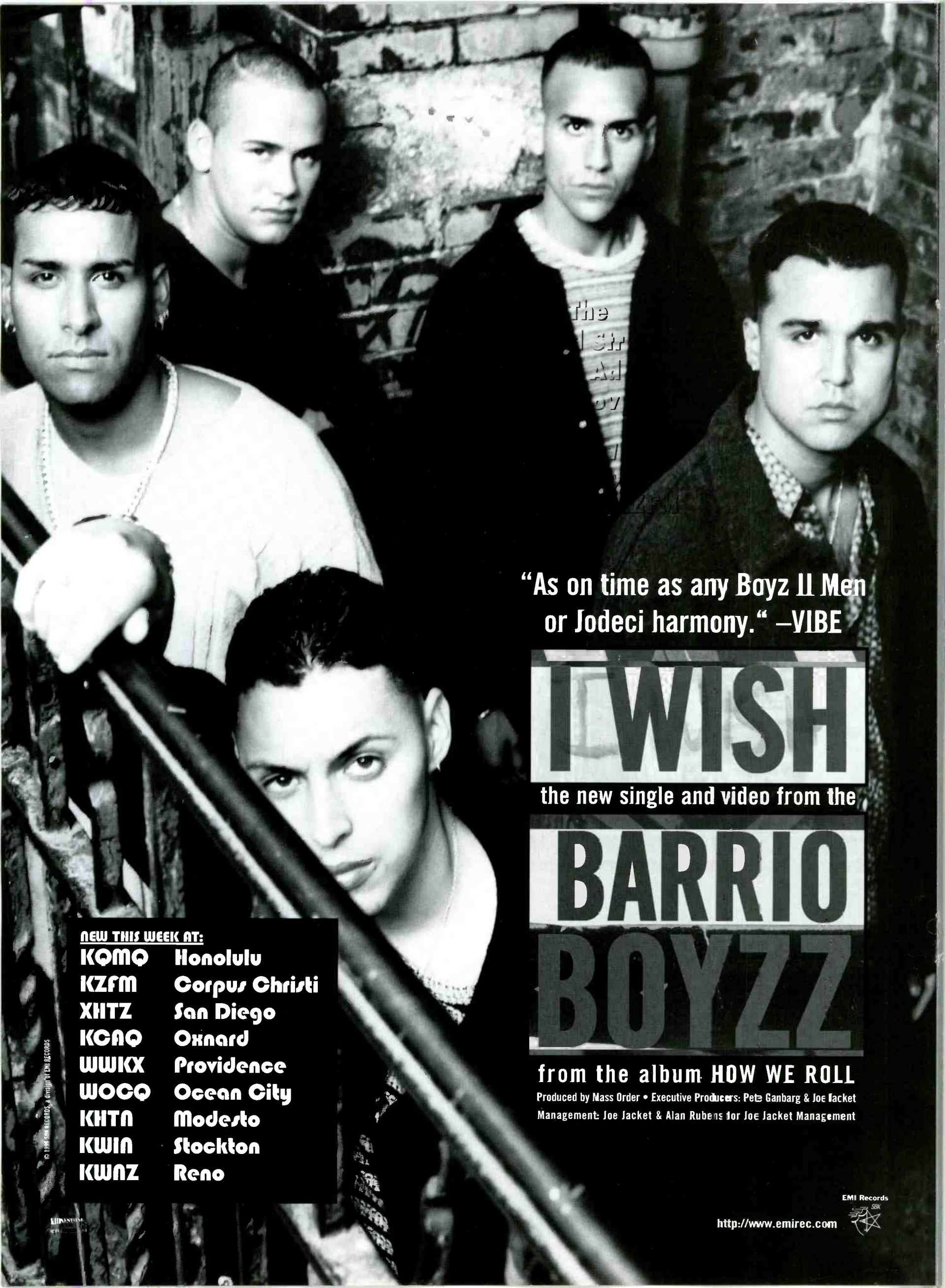
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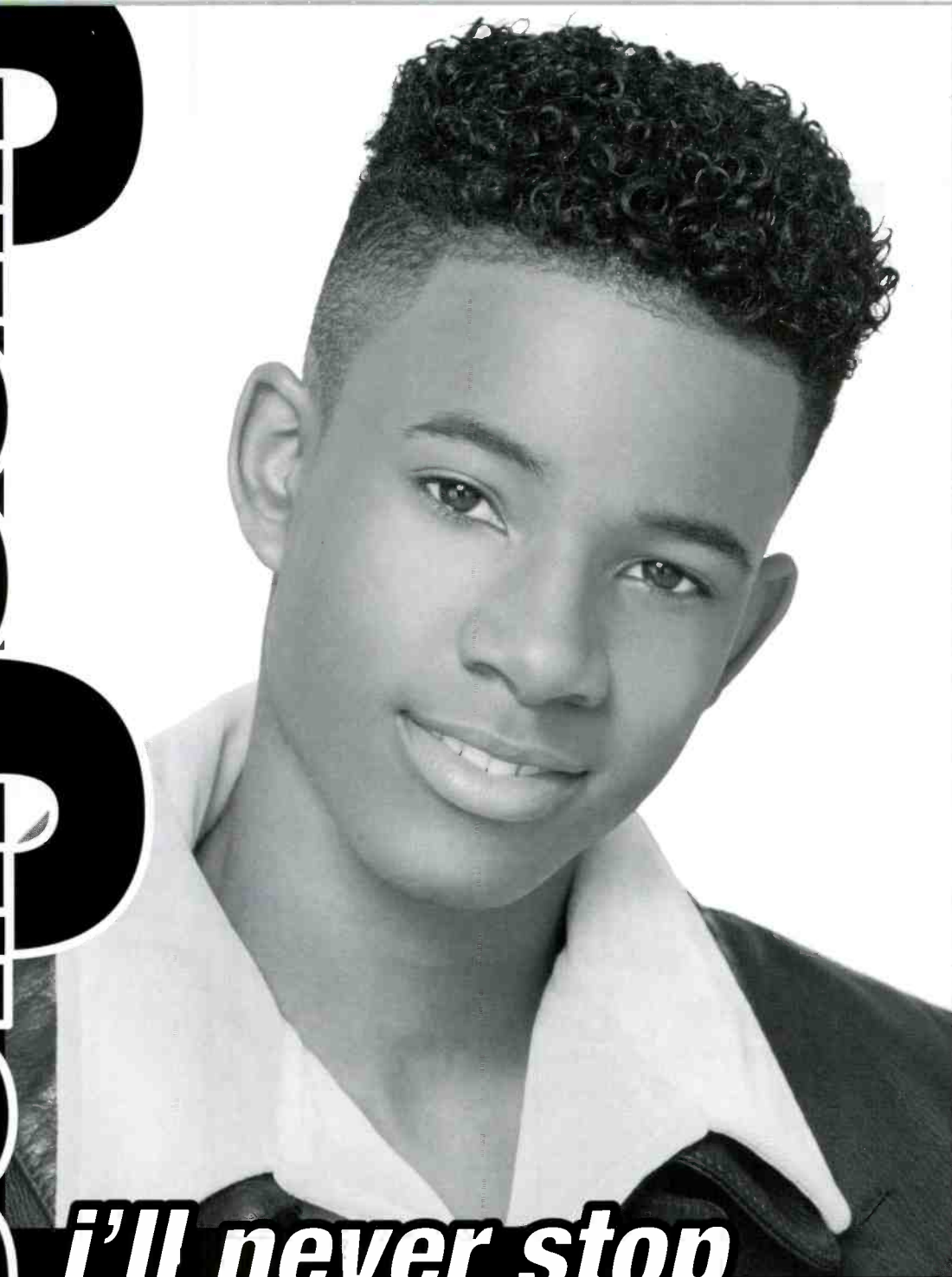
Dear Barry, Bob, Barry, & Chris,

Just wanted to drop you a short note to thank you guys for the great time at Hitmakers-Vegas. Everything was top notch and everyone was in a party mood all weekend. I can't wait till the New York Hitmakers. Send my thanks out also to Monte at Universal and I.J. for setting up the softball tournament, that was loads of fun. I have the trophy proudly displayed in my office and we're ready to defend our title next year. Look forward to seeing you guys in NYC in a few months.

Sincerely yours,

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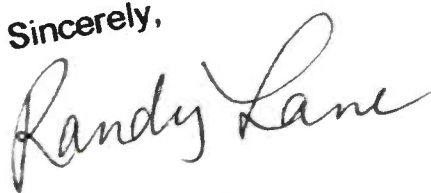
Barry:

Thank you for making me a part of the Las Vegas Seminar. I really appreciate the accommodations.

It is refreshing to see an industry leader like yourself understand the value of emotion and entertainment in the radio business.

I look forward to getting together with you soon.

Sincerely,



Randy Lane
RL/sp

Mark Jackson's format

FORMAT STUFF

From the top of the CAPITOL tower, the BUTTHOLE SURFERS catch a wave to become this week's MOST DISC-OVERED with their single "PEPPER." A truly active record with a big time request action everywhere. Bumped down, but not without a battle, former DISC-OVERY champs IMPERIAL DRAG still hit radio hard with BOY OR A GIRL on WORK/CRG. If you like yours with everything order SUPER DELUXE and "SHE CAME ON" from REVOLUTION. Time is running out, order yours today. "KING OF THE WORLD" seem to be in SUPER 8's future as the HOLLYWOOD guys spread their story coast to coast. One of the finest artists still remains in the hands of EMI:PATTI ROTHBERG and her "INSIDE" deserve a strong second listen. We've been "Revved Up" for weeks over TRIPL3FASTACTION on CAPITOL, another one to listen to again. Quietly, but not for long, HO-HUM builds a national story with "ONE OUT OF TEN" on UNIVERSAL. A&M's SOUNDGARDEN still sounds great on the radio with "PRETTY NOOSE." Cool to see the I.R.S. guys doing so well with DADA's "I GET HIGH." While ELEKTRA is "SUCKED OUT" with SUPERDRAG, let's not forget STEREO LAB with "NOISE OF CARPET." Walls fall down as even the most right wing ALTERNATIVE stop and take a listen to PAUL WESTERBERG "LOVE UNTOLD" on REPRISE. Keep an eye open for local action in your market with AMERICAN's GOD LIVES UNDERWATER and "DON'T KNOW HOW TO BE" These guys are now playing everywhere.

MARK JACKSON

FORMAT SPEAKS

In last week's Format Speaks, we spoke of the current controversy of free shows and festivals. A couple of radio types pointed out that nothing was said with regard to a station's commitment toward a band that plays one of their shows. Well what should that commitment be? The first battle is just getting the band for one's show, an activity that requires so much effort that often the "terms" of the agreement between a station and a record label is unclear. It is only after the band's show is long gone that these terms come into question. Most radio types I've spoken with feel that their commitment should only involve an artist's current project, be it a single or selected cuts off the CD. That's just fine, but what to do when your local guy comes around a year and a half later with a totally new CD and expects it out of the box? As we said last week, Alternative, for the most part, has always been a format of developing artists, yet today's industry demands a playing of "just the hits." It would seem that it really comes down to communication between both parties. Even at the point of trying to secure an act for a show, a station must set the terms in stone. Labels should also allow for the less than stable state radio now finds itself currently in. It would be real hard for a PD to commit to the next seven singles if his or her company is in the middle of a sale. On the other hand a station in a state of flux may just be the kind of situation that demands some sort of talent fee for the artists. A pain in the ass this show may be, but it's becoming obvious that both radio and records find them necessary. So I say, lets both cooperate and put it on paper.

MARK JACKSON

MOST DISC-OVERED

1. BUTTHOLE SURFERS Pepper (CAPITOL)
2. SUPERDRAG Sucked Out (ELEKTRA)
3. IMPERIAL DRAG Boy Or A Girl (WORK/CRG)
4. CLAYTON & MULLEN Mission... (MOTHER/ISLAND)
5. SOLUTION A.D. Fearless (TAG/ATLANTIC)
6. SOUNDGARDEN Pretty Noose (A&M)
7. FISHBONE Alcoholic (ROWDY/ARISTA)
8. CHEMICAL BROTHERS Loops Of Fury (ASTRALWERKS)
9. SUPER DELUXE She Came On (REVOLUTION)

FORMAT LIVE

SPAIN THE OPIUM DEN APRIL 29

The Opium Den could easily have passed as the Weasel Den on this hot, hot Monday evening. The place was buzzin' hard with A&R and other types taking time out to catch Spain, the phenomenon that is the brainchild of Josh Hayden. Spain, as I'm sure you know, has developed a unique, sensual, soft-spoken, elegant sound that stands out in the Alterna world of overdistorted, overhyped big noise. Spain is an incredible soulful unit that is very appealing to any ear. The songs, taken primarily from the incredible debut, THE BLUE MOODS OF SPAIN, seem almost to be a soundtrack to a deeply passionate black and white romance film or a melancholy impressionistic masterpiece captured with watercolours on canvas, not your normal description for a band that is being felt out by the Modern Rock format is it. Spain is a band that knows how to play their instruments and in keeping with that understanding avoid the trap of over playing. Haden's smooth and lurid bass lines set the scene for the guitar team of Keeny Boudakian and Merlo Podlewski with their well-timed fills and solos, and all the while Evan Hartzell kept the songs moving with his tasteful drumming. Spain's lyrics are both engaging and universally cathartic for anyone who has ever had passion go array. This band has done what few other current bands have done, create a deep new sound, and for that they alone they are refreshing and deserving of the immense buzz that is culminating around this band. However, the buzz at the Den was not limited to Spain but seemed directed at the label that brought them to us. RESTLESS has done an incredible job maintaining the integrity of their artists while still building the buzz. With the early word on their other projects, most notably Suncatcher, it seems to be simply a matter of time until they go the MATADOR route and are brought in to join the team of a certain major.

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AL SCOTT, MD, KBBT, Portland

SUPERDRAG *Sucked Out* (ELEKTRA) - Love it. This baby is a veritable sucker.
SOUNDGARDEN *Pretty Noose* (A&M) - So great. Those guys rule!
JOHNNY BRAVO *Used To Be Cool* (ARISTA) - Very cool.

DWIGHT ARNOLD, MD, KCXX, San Bernardino

SEMISONIC *Down In Flames* (MCA) - Gotta find a way to get it on the playlist.
SKELTONES *Razorback* (UNSIGNED) - From the new demo they are shopping with.
MYSTERIES OF LIFE *Going Through The Motions* (RCA) - Good song, good album.
PATTI ROTHBERG *Inside* (EMI) - Ear candy. Doing better than Tracy Bonham. A perfect mix, kids dig it and adults won't turn it off. There are four or five great tracks on the album.

JAY MICHAELS, MD, KDGE, Dallas

SMASHING PUMPKINS *Tonight, Tonight* (VIRGIN) - Testing like 1979. Huge!
ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN *Theme From Mission: Impossible* (MOTHER/ISLAND) - Already reacting after just one week.
LENNY KRAVITZ *Just Can't Get You Off My Mind* (VIRGIN) - Something that won't go away.

JOHN STEWART, MD, KDGE, Omaha

SUPERDRAG *Sucked Out* (ELEKTRA) - I love it. I'm really into this big time.
IMPERIAL DRAG *Boy Or A Girl* (WORK/CRG) - Good Pop. I like it a lot!
HOWLIN MAGGIE *Alcohol* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - Really like it.

DON O'NEAL, PD, KFRR, Fresno

JEWEL *Who Will Save Your Soul* (ATLANTIC) - Finally ready for this one. Should do well.
LOCAL H *High Fivin Motherf#cker* (ISLAND) - This one is it. Anytime you can say that in a song, it's gonna go on the radio.
SOLUTION A.D. *Fearless* (TAG/ATLANTIC) - I really dig this one, really cool.
DASHBOARD PROPHETS *Wearing Me Down* (NO NAME) - This needs some attention. Find it and give it a listen!

JASON JUSTICE, MD, KISF, Kansas City

SOUTHERN CULTURE ON THE SKIDS *Camel Walk* (Geffen) - Any song about snack crackers gets a thumbs up from me!
TORI AMOS *Tulula* (ATLANTIC) - She developing into a core artist.
TINA AND THE B-SIDE MOVEMENT *Run To Stay* (SIRE) - First Sire release had three of her own. Always did really well in the Midwest, looking for that to continue.

DEANNE SAFREN, MD, KJEE, Santa Barbara

SUPERDRAG *Sucked Out* (ELEKTRA) - Love it.
THE BUTTHOLE SURFERS *Pepper* (CAPITOL) - Awesome!
SUPER 8 *King Of The World* (HOLLYWOOD) - Want 'em.

NIKKI BASQUE, MD, KPOI, Honolulu

THE BUTTHOLE SURFERS *Pepper* (CAPITOL) - F#ckin' rocks.
LOVE N REVERSE *I'm A Contradiction* (REPRISE) - F#ckin' awesome.
FAR *In The Aisle Yelling* (IMMORTAL) - F#ckin the best thing since sliced bread.

SHAWN STEWART, MD, KREV, Minneapolis

IDA *I Know About You* (SIMPLE MACHINES) - Not for commercial radio. Elegant, beautiful, filled with tension. Nice to listen to, I'm gonna play it on my specialty show. Really, really, good.
YUM-YUM *Apiere* (TAG) - Such a revelation. How can you not like a band named Yum-Yum? Unique to the format. Beautiful songwriting, cool lyrics, great production.
SUPER 5 THOR *Superstar* (ECHOSTATIC SPACEBOY) - Sounds very much like Jesus And Mary Chain.

CHRIS 'Rip' EWING, MD, KRZQ, Reno

ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN *Theme From Mission: Impossible* (MOTHER/ISLAND) - Gonna be huge for a while. Pretty cool.
IMPERIAL DRAG *Boy Or A Girl* (WORK/CRG) - Attitude that Jellyfish needed.
SAMMY *Neptune And Me* (Geffen) - Different and twisted.

DAVID SADOFF, MD, KTBZ, Houston

THE BUTTHOLE SURFERS *Pepper* (CAPITOL)
RANCID *Olympia Wa* (EPITAPH)
SOLUTION A.D. *Fearless* (TAG/ATLANTIC)
SUPERDRAG *Sucked Out* (ELEKTRA)
VERUCA SALT *Blow It Out Your Ass* (Geffen)

ERIKA SMITH, MD, KZON, Phoenix

THE CRAFT *Soundtrack* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - Two or three great songs. Really getting into the Jewel track.
FUZZY *Someday* (TAG) - I like that one!

AARON AXELSON, AMD, LIVE 105, San Francisco

SMASHING PUMPKINS *God* (IMPORT) - Killer new B-side non-LP track.
THE CARDIGANS *Carnival* (MINTY FRESH) - New add at Live 105. Second off the album *Life*.
THE CHEMICAL BROTHERS *Loops Of Fury* (ASTRALWERKS) - New single from killer London trip-hop unit.
THE POSIES *Please Return It* (Geffen) - Heard it on THE END in Seattle and it sounds really good on the air.
CRUMB *Shoegazer* (WARNER BROS.) - Killer San Francisco band.

STEPHANIE HINDLEY, MD, WRBU, Providence

MIND SCIENCE OF THE MIND (EPIC) - Coolest supergroup ever, featuring members of Shudder To Think, Helium, and The Damn Builders.
STEREO LAB *Noise Of Carpet* (ELEKTRA) - Most radioish thing from them. Great album as a whole.
SOUL COUGHING *Super Bon Bon* (WARNER BROS.) - Killer singles.

SHELLY MILLER, MD, WDRE, Long Island

SUPER DELUXE *She Came On* (REVOLUTION/TIM KERR) - They're cute.
POLARA *Avenue E* (CLEAN/RESTLESS/INTERSCOPE) - The band. I like Ed, Ed like me.
TOMMY KEENE (MATADOR) - That's a good record.

LAZLOW JONES, DJ, WDRE, New York

GREGG TAH *Whoever You Are* (WARNER BROS.) - Nice hook.
NICK CAVE AND THE BAD SEEDS *Death Is Not The End* (REPRISE) - What a weird ass album.
BIKINI KILL *Statement Of Vindication* (KILL ROCK STARS) - One spin hooks the punks. What a mouth on that girl!
BOB MOULD *Ego Override* (RYCODISC) - What is that guitar noise?
THE ZAMBONIS *Shot..Score!* (DOT DOT DASH) - :45 seconds of rage.

SEAN ROBERTSON, MD, WENZ, Cleveland

THE BUTTHOLE SURFERS *Pepper* (CAPITOL) - Definite smash! One of the best sounding records, it's great!
IMPERIAL DRAG *Boy Or A Girl* (WORK/CRG) - Showing early reaction on the phones.

SEAN DEMERY, MD, 99X, Atlanta

THE BUTTHOLE SURFERS *Pepper* (CAPITOL) - Always play BHSF anytime I can just so I can say Butthole Surfers. This is why I live!
THE CRAFT *Soundtrack* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - Excellent soundtrack, especially tracks 5 and 6 by Love Spit Love and Matthew Sweet which stand out like an erection in an all girls school.
NEWSBOYS *Take Me To Your Leader* (VIRGIN) - More lovely Christian music for a God faring radio audience.

JARED AMAN, MD, KNRQ, Eugene

EVERCLEAR *Heartspark Dollarsign* (CAPITOL) - I've waited a long time for this song.
JOHNNY BRAVO *Used To Be Cool* (ARISTA) - Very cool song.
DADA *I Get High* (IRS)
311 *Down* (CAPRICORN) - It's gotta go huge!

CARTER ALLEN, MD, WBCN, Boston

STONE TEMPLE PILOTS *Trippin' On A Hole...* (ATLANTIC) - Love that song.
GARBAGE *Single Girl* (Geffen) - Great song. Put it right in.
GRAVITY KILLS *Guilty* (TVT) - Blowin the roof off. Huge.
NIRVANA *Merigold* (Geffen) - UK B-side for *Heartshape Box*.

TIM JOHNSTONE, MD, KQXR, Boise

GUIDED BOY VOICES *The Official Iron Man Rally Song* (MATADOR) - I can't stop listening to it..
SAMMY *Neptune Ave.* (Geffen) - The whole album is really good, especially the single.
THE CURE *Mint Car* (ELEKTRA) - Really good, much better than *The 13th*
YUM-YUM *Apiere* (TAG) - I've been into this for a couple of months. Great full album.
FRED SCHNIEDER *Bull Dozer* (REPRISE) - Hilarious. Good summer party record. Great

TREVOR SCOTT, MD, WMAD, Madison

FLEMING AND JOHN *I Am Not Afraid* (UNIVERSAL) - Really good song.
LUSH *Ladykillers* (4AD/REPRISE) - Still diggin' it.
NICK CAVE AND THE BAD SEEDS with Kylie Minoque *Where The Wild Roses Grow* (REPRISE) - Great. A little more adult-sounding tune. I think everyone should give it a chance.

JAY TAYLOR, PD, KOME, San Jose

BUTTHOLE SURFERS *Pepper* (CAPITOL) - Put it on last week and it's lighting up the phones.
LOCAL H *High Fivin Mother F#cker* (ISLAND) - It just works.
SUPER DELUXE *She Came On* (REVOLUTION) - Playing around with it a little bit. I think everyone should give it a chance.

DORSIE FYFFE, MD, WOXY, Cincinnati

IMPERIAL TEEN *Pig Latin* (SLASH/WARNER) - Because everyone should know second language.
BR5-49 *Me And Opie* (ARISTA) - From lost episode of Andy Griffith show. Wacky hillbilly band that I can't believe a major label has.
ALEX CHILTON *1970* (ARDEN) - Stuff he forgot he recorded. Lots of good drugs in the 70's.

KIM HASKELL, MD, WPGU, Champaign

SOLUTION A.D. *Fearless* (TAG/ATLANTIC)
FLEMING AND JOHN *I Am Not Afraid* (UNIVERSAL) - More people should get into it.
THE WHY STORE *Lack Of Water* (WAY COOL)
GOLDFINGER *Here In Your Bedroom* (UNIVERSAL)

JULIE FORMAN, PD/MD, WRLL, Nashville

FISHBONE *Alcoholic* (ROWDY/ARISTA) - Back to form. Skankin' madness once again makes me a happy camper.
THE WHY STORE *Lack Of Water* (WAY COOL) - Incredible live band with a roots sound.
THE BUTTHOLE SURFERS *Pepper* (CAPITOL) - Amazing!

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THE TEVIN CAMPBELL PAGE

Thanks to Qwest Records and Warner Bros. Records for the Las Vegas Seminar breakfast featuring the world premiere of Tevin Campbell's new album and single "BACK TO THE WORLD."



L to R: QWEST President Jim Swindell, Tevin Campbell, HITMAKERS own Bob Greenberg, and WB's Greg Lee.



L to R: Tevin Campbell, KMEI's Alex Meija, and WB's Greg Lee.



L to R: WJBT's Paco Lopez, WB's Greg Lee, and Tevin Campbell.



L to R: WB local Todd Galli, KLUC's Beau Jaxson, Tevin Campbell, KLUC MD Cat Thomas, WB's Greg Lee and KLUC PD Jerry Dean.



L to R: KRQC/KDON's Darrin Stone, KDON PD Michael Newman, and Tevin Campbell.



L to R: WWKX PD Joe Dawson with Tevin Campbell and WB's Greg Lee.



KBZR 103.9/Phoenix, the JERRY CLIFTON-owned station, went on the air at 6PM April 26 jockless and playing all Old School with CLIFTON doing sweepers. The sweepers are saying that RICK THOMAS (PD) and JERRY are holed up in the desert and looking for STEVE! They are upgrading the tower to cover the entire Phoenix area with 100,000 watts. The other two frequencies, 99.3 and 104.3, remain Alternative. They should be ready to roll by June 1st and are looking for an entire staff. T&R to RICK THOMAS at KSFM/Sacramento.

THE BAKA BOYZ of POWER 106/L.A. resigned April 24th after their show. The station is negotiating a return, but no answer as of press time. They have also cut a pilot for a TV series for ABC.

Evergreen Communications, as we said last week, bought KYLD from Crescent Communications for \$44 million and are in the process of taking over.

A.R.S. Communications is also in the process of taking over KSFM/Sacramento with the odds-on favorite that RICK GILLETTE is coming back. Rumor has it they are looking at 3 other stations in Sacramento also.

In New York, the vibe from FRANKIE BLUE PD/WKTU is that on May 23rd they will have "The Last Dance at Studio 54!" The historical evening will feature such celebs as LA BOUCHE, REAL McCOY, VICKY SUE ROBINSON, GLORIA GAYNOR, COLOR ME BADD, JODI WATLEY, RU-PAUL (part of KTU's morning team), LINA SANTIAGO, NICKI FRENCH, ROBIN S. & CRYSTAL WATERS with KTU's JELLYBEAN spinning and mixing all night along with all of the old mixers from STUDIO. Tickets can only be won over the air at KTU. The party will run from 8PM to 8AM with the REAZAR in the house!

With the success of WKTU in the ratings in New York, look for a new Dance station to sign in in L.A. by July 1st.

Changes at KLUC/Las Vegas: CHRIS DE MARCO is promoted to Production Director from overnights. BO JAXON has been promoted to late nights from swing.

Whatz up with BRUCE REINER and JOE HECHT??????????

The REAZAR went to a listening party at ICE T's house last week with LIZ POKORA of Priority. (See photo on this week's Ear to the Ground.) The album is called "VI: Return Of The Real." The cut that is extremely radio-friendly and should be as big as LL COOL J's "Hey Lover" is cut #8, "How Does It Feel (Making Love To An Old G)." Put this in the box and I guarantee it to be a #1 record!

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KGGI/Riverside. T&R to BOB LEWIS.

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KGGI/Riverside. T&R to BOB LEWIS.

KZHT/Salt Lake City. T&R to CHET BUCHANAN.

OK DOGS, I'M SPRINKLING YOU WITH THE JAMZ!!!!!!

TOM MAFFEI and PETER ALBERTELLI Elektrafied radio this week with MCLYTE featuring XSCAPE's "Keep On Keepin' On." Huge week after the movie opened this past weekend in the top 5. "Sunset Park" album debuted at #4 on the Album Chart. New believers this week: HOT97, KYLD, KMEL, KQKS, and KLUC. The single moves to #11!

MICHAEL KARSTING of Thump Records has a hot new re-

actionary record by KATALINA, "DJ Girl." Off of vinyl alone these stations are spinning it: KUBE (52X), KTFM (25X), KZHT (9X) and KMEL (4X). The CD pro on your desk now!

JACK SATTER and the HORSE at JIVE have the first radio-friendly TOO SHORT hit, "Gettin' It." KYLD's spinning it 70X. POWER106 Rap-Attack winner. Battle winner at STEVE WALL's KWIN. Also on KHTN & KMVR with the video on BET, MTV and THE BOX. Check out this very positive message!

MICHAEL PLEN and the Virgin promo staff have an out-and-out Rhythm smash with QUINDON's "It's You That's On My Mind" which went right on WPGC & KKBT. New this week at KKSS and Z90. THE GETO BOYS' "The World Is A Geto" is busting big out of KBXX and WJMH. MAXI PRIEST & SHAGGY have the Summertime anthem, "That Girl," with a BOOKER T & THE MG's sample, "Green Onions," coming June 1st.

ANDRE HARRELL and MARK KARGOL of Motown are hittin' and holdin' with LADAE's "Party 2 Nite." Out-the-box new believers are WWKX, WOCQ, WJJS, WJBT, WHHH, KKSS and Z90. Already on KMEL and KWIN.

BARBARA SELTZER and LIZ MONTALBANO of Epic have the new MICHAEL JACKSON, "They Don't Care About Us," played 55X last week at WPGC and receiving top 5 phones and top 5 call-out. WJMH 28X with #3 phones and #1 female call-out. New this week at KZFM, 92Q, KUBE, KZHT, WJJS, and WHHH. On 70 Urban stations. Urban spins went 318-941 this week. #5 BET and #30 THE BOX.

RUSSELL SIMMONS, LYOR COHEN, MIKE KYSER and the DEF JAM posse are most added at Rhythm this week with CASE featuring FOXY BROWN "Touch Me Tease Me." Added at KMEL, WJBT, WHHH, KIX106, Z90, WOCQ, KJMN, KHTN, KWIN & KCAQ.

SAMMY HERNANDEZ of Out of Control Records continues to have one of the most played records with DJ D-MAN & BILLY BOY's "Dooky Boody" new on WWKX with a re-add at Z90 with APD JEFF NELSON'S all-Rap edit. PHIL JONES MD/POWER96/Miami is doing a Miami-based remix. These should be in your hands this week.

GREG LEE and the Warner Bros. crew got new airplay on H-TOWN featuring ROGER's "A Thin Line Between Love & Hate" on KMEL, KYLD, KZHT and The Hot Mix Radio Network. Single D-38* Crossover Monitor with over 300 spins. MADONNA's "Love Don't Live Here Anymore," the new Hot Mix Radio Network Remix by MARCUS SHULTZ is new at KIIS-FM, WFLZ, HOT105 & more. The new TEVIN CAMPBELL, "Back To The World," on your desk May 15th.

JOE HECHT, KEVIN CARROLL and PHIL MATARAGAS of Relativity have the #1 single in the country with BONE THUGS-N-HARMONY's "Tha Crossroads." 106,000 units sold. #1 R&B Single, #1 Rap Single and #2 Hot 100 Debut. Adds this week include KIIS-FM, WFLY, & KZZU. Watch out for MAC MALL's "Get Right" already on KMEL and KKSS.

NANCY LEVIN and LIZ POKORA of Priority Records are on a roll with MACK 10/ICE CUBE's "Hoo' Bangin'" off the "The Substitute" soundtrack taking over the Rap slots at stations all over the country. Rotations are around 200 at the Crossover panel and on the way up. Also from the soundtrack is the Dance track "All of Puerto Rico" by AFRO-RICAN. Added at KYLD and KTFM and spinning at many others. Look out for the new ICE-T project, "VI: Return Of The Real." The first single, "I Must Stand," hits Crossover mid-May and is an amazing melodic story of ICE-T's gangsta days to the present.

JOE RICCITELLI and MARTHE REYNOLDS of Island Records got another 31 adds this week with ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN's "Mission: Impossible." Adds include KKFR, WKTU, KQMQ, and KZHT. 865 Plays combined. COOLIO's "All The Way Live," the first single from the WHOOP! GOLDBERG "Eddie" film and the Island Black Music Soundtrack, spinning at KPWR (5X), KUBE (3X), KIIS-FM, Z90, WJMN, KMEL, KYLD, KSFM, KCAQ and going for Crossover adds this week. On MTV, BET & THE BOX.

JERRY GREENBERG of MJJ and HILLARY SHAEV of 550 are jucking with the new 3T's "Tease Me." Check out the new Dance mixes.

Now go saute! See Ya,

Dz "Reazar" Rick

THE SUBSTITUTE



Spinning At:
WJMN, WJMH, KBXX, KTFM,
KCAQ, KZZU, KMEL, KKSS,
WWKX, POWER106, Z90, KWIN,
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TOTAL SPINS
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“ HOO BANGIN’ ”

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“ ALL OF PUERTO RICO ”

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**LIVE
ENTERTAINMENT**

GLENN KALINA, PD, WIOQ, Philadelphia

EVERYTHING BUT THE GIRL *Wrong* (ATLANTIC) - A smash! Great follow-up!

SHAGGY *In The Summertime* (VIRGIN) - No explanation necessary.

ROBERT MILES *Children* (ARISTA) - Put it on! Instant requests!

PLANET SOUL *Feel The Music* (STRICKLY RHYTHM) - A great song!

JOEY ARBAGEY, MD, KMEL, San Francisco

MAXWELL *Somethin' Somethin'* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - The whole album is da bomb!

ME'SHELL NDEGE'OCELLO *Faggot* (MAVERICK) - Major message from the #1 artist of all times!

QUAD CITY DJ'S *C'mon N' Ride It (The Train)* (BIG BEAT/ATLANTIC) - It's bubbling up from the mix shows! Major Crossover potential!

TOM CALOCOCCI, PD, WERQ, BALTIMORE

3T *Tease Me* (MJJ/550 MUSIC) - I've been teased, now I'm gonna see if I'm pleased!

QUINDON *It's You That's On My Mind* (VIRGIN) - It's starting to grow on me and we're taking a closer look at it!

SWV *Use Your Heart* (RCA) - It's off of the SWV LP and it's a smash!

PETE JONES, PD, HOT105, Modesto

CASE *Touch Me, Tease Me* (DEF JAM/MERCURY) - I'm likin' the Case record! I think this is gonna be a loaded soundtrack.

MONICA *Why I Love You* (ROWDY/ARISTA) - Phones are starting to ring on this record!

SONIA *Yes I'm Ready* (QUALITY) - A great song!

TOTAL *Kissin' You* (ARISTA) - It's quite cool!

WOOKIE, PD, WOCQ, Ocean City

GEORGE CLINTON *If Anybody Gets Funked Up (It's Gonna Be You)* (550 MUSIC/EPIC) - I love it! He stands the test of time! It's George Clinton...enough said.

BARRIO BOYZZ *I Wish* (EMI) - It's better than *This Is How We Roll!* It should help to break them open.

LADAE! *Party 2 Nite* (MOTOWN) - A great upbeat R&B record . . . finally!

VICTOR STARR, MD, KPRR, El Paso

TOTAL *Kissin' You* (ARISTA) - It's da bomb!

DJ D-MAN & BILLY BOY *Dooky Boody* (OUT OF CONTROL) - It's starting to blow up in El Paso's clubs! It's a stupid record, but it works!

EVERYTHING BUT THE GIRL *Wrong* (ATLANTIC) - It's a perfect follow-up to *Missing!* It's very large!

JOHN DICKINSON, MD, JAM'N92.1, Denver

MADONNA *Love Don't Live Here Anymore* (MAVERICK/WARNER BROS.) - Excellent! Excellent! Excellent!

CHER *One By One* (REPRISE) - Great song! Great remixes!

ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN *Theme From Mission: Impossible* (MOTHER/ISLAND) - Great for mix show! A good song!

DR. LOVE *Stay Out All Night* (CUTTING) - Great song!

MEECHIE *You'll Never Find* (MUSIC PLANT) - Great song!

JACKIE JAMES, MD, KKSS-FM, Albuquerque

KRIS KROSS *Live And Die For Hip Hop* (RUFFHOUSE/COLUMBIA/CRG) - Another hit from Kriss Kross!

3T *Tease Me* (MJJ/550 MUSIC) - It's going to be a big hit!

FUNKY AZTECS *Slipping Into Darkness* (RAGING BULL) - It's doing great!

CAT THOMAS, MD, KLUC, Las Vegas

CASE *Touch Me, Tease Me* (DEF JAM/MERCURY) - It just sounds great on the air and it's gonna be a great record!

JODECI *Get On Up* (MCA) - A late Springtime feel to the record! It's a great uptempo record!

MONICA *Why I Love You* (ROWDY/ARISTA) - Another hit from a girl who's got it going on!

FRANKIE BLUE, PD, WKTU, NEW YORK

AMBER *This Is Your Night* (TOMMY BOY)

4 TO THE FLOOR *Watchin' You Watchin' Me* (CURB)

KRISTINE W. *One More Try* (RCA)

KID CURRY, PD, WPOW, Miami

DONNA LEWIS *I Love You Always And Forever* (ATLANTIC) - It's got a great hook in the middle of it!

RICKY MARTIN *Maria* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - A great song!

CHET BUCHANAN, PD, KZHT, SALT LAKE CITY

ANGELINA *Release Me* (UPSTAIRS) - Just in time for Summer with the sun coming out and everything!

KATALINA *DJ Girl* (THUMP) - I think it can be a huge phone reaction record!

H-TOWN *A Thin Line Between Love & Hate* (WARNER BROS.) - It could be the big love song of the Summer!

ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN *Theme From Mission: Impossible* (MOTHER/ISLAND) - The movie should be huge and the song should be huge too, if you get on it now! Don't sleep!

MARK ADAMS, PD, KBOS, Fresno

3T *Tease Me* (MJJ/550 MUSIC)

EVERYTHING BUT THE GIRL *Wrong* (ATLANTIC)

KATALINA *DJ Girl* (THUMP)

JEFF NELSON, MD, Z90, San Diego

EVERYTHING BUT THE GIRL *Wrong* (ATLANTIC) - It looks like another anthem!

N-TRANCE *Set U Free* (CRITIQUE) - Look-out Real McCoy!

TOO SHORT *Gettin' It* (JIVE) - Last chance for the funk!

MIKEY FREEMAN, MD, KBOS, Fresno

B-CODE *Feel Good* (OUT OF CONTROL) - Fat as f*ck! B-code has been getting crazy club love for a while now and good requests!

ALANIS MORISSETTE *Ironic* (MAVERICK/REPRISE) - The only f*cking rock song we play, but my listeners love it and that's what counts!

JODECI *Get On Up* (MCA) - This track is cooo because it's *Get On Up* tempo. If the beat and vocals don't get you, then the whistle will! Keep your eyes on this one!

ENERGY *Take Me Higher* (UPSTAIRS) - Some corny ass Freehouse shit, but for some reason I love it!

TREJO, MD, KSFM, Sacramento

J'SON *I'll Never Stop Loving You* (HOLLYWOOD) - A great song! It's starting to react on the phones!

GLORIA ESTEFAN *Reach* (EPIC) - I can't wait for the tour! Every time I hear the song I anticipate seeing her!

SWV *You're The One* (RCA) - I've seen the club response, and when it was played, it was phenomenal!

WHITNEY HOUSTON & CECE WINANS *Count On Me* (ARISTA) - You know you're doing something right when you see a mother and daughter lip-synching to this song together!

CHARLIE HUERO, MD, KTFM, San Antonio

RICKY MARTIN *Maria* (COLUMBIA/CRG)

COOLIO *All The Way Live* (TOMMY BOY)

EVERYTHING BUT THE GIRL *Wrong* (ATLANTIC)

DEE DEE MCGUIRE, MD, WIOQ, Philadelphia

EVERYTHING BUT THE GIRL *Wrong* (ATLANTIC) - You can't go wrong with this one. A great follow-up to *Missing!* I definitely like this one!

3T *Tease Me* (MJJ/550 MUSIC) - I just love it! The remix is great!

PLANET SOUL *Feel The Music* (STRICKLY RHYTHM) - Planet Soul has been a huge success for us with *Set U Free* and *Feel The Music* should do just as well!

Dooky Boody

DJ D-MAN & BILLY BOY

YEAH, WE KNOW IT'S ANNOYING BUT

IT WORKS!

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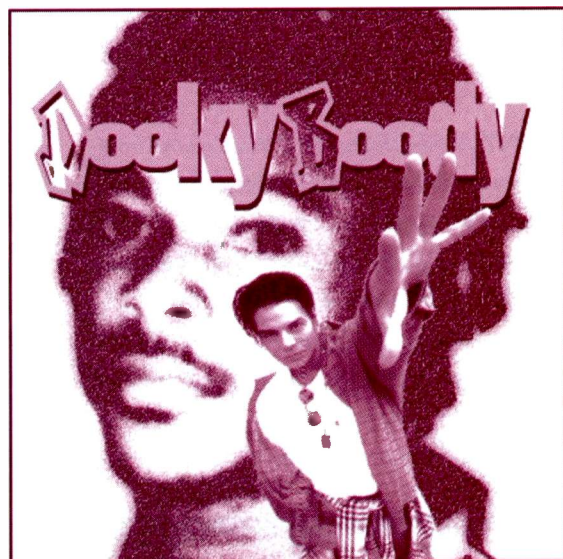
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NEW THIS WEEK:

KIX106, PROVIDENCE

STILL SWINGING THAT BOODY:

KCAQ	21x	KPWR	7x
KKFR	10x	HOT105	19x
KKXX	17x	KDON	5x
KPRR	11x	KQMQ	19x
KKSS	5x		



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WE'RE OUT OF CONTROL @



JOE DAWSON, PD, KIX106, Providence

DIGITAL UNDERGROUND *Oregano Flow* (CRITIQUE) - It's hooky enough and Old School enough that it might stand out from the pack.

CASE *Touch Me, Tease Me* (DEF JAM/MERCURY) - A strong record! It's got a good funky hook!

JOHN ALFORD *Smoke Gets In Your Eyes* (CRITIQUE) - It's got a little Reggae groove to it!

QUINDON *It's You That's On My Mind* (VIRGIN) - I like it! It's got a beat that will grow on you.

JEFF DAVIS, PD, KWNZ, Reno

DJ D-MAN & BILLY BOY *Dooky Boody* (OUT OF CONTROL) - Instant night phones! It's a great night record!

QUINDON *It's You That's On My Mind* (VIRGIN) - It's gonna be a good young end record. It will be a big phone record!

BILLIE RAY MARTIN *Your Loving Arms* (SIRE/EEG) - A good Springtime uptempo Dance record!

PACO LOPEZ, PD, WJBT, Jacksonville

CASE *Touch Me, Tease Me* (DEF JAM/MERCURY) - A very groovy little ditty of a record!

XSCAPE *Can't Hang* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - It's a wonderful little ditty of a record!

TOTAL *Kissin' You* (ARISTA) - It's a wonderful little ditty of a record!

NAIS *My Eyes Adored You* (SCOTTI BROS.) - It's a wonderful little ditty of a record and it's groovy!

II D EXTREME *If I Knew Then What I Know Now* (GASOLINE ALLEY) - It's a wonderful little ditty of a song and it's ever so lovely and groovy and neat and spiffy, solid gold and dynamite, too!

CHARLIE MAXX, PD, KZFM, Corpus Christi

EVERYTHING BUT THE GIRL *Wrong* (ATLANTIC) - The title is misleading because this record is so right!

ALANIS MORISSETTE *Ironic* (MAVERICK/REPRISE) - I vowed that I would never play this record . . . isn't it "ironic"?

GEORGE MICHAEL *Fastlove* (DREAMWORKS/GEFFEN) - Believe it or not we're getting curiosity calls . . . like you can't tell who this is?

MONICA *Why I Love You* (ROWDY/ARISTA) - She is unstoppable! She's 4 for 4 in my eyes!

BARRIO BOYZZ *I Wish* (EMI) - Started it in the "Love Hour" only, and it's tapped in phones!

TONY MANERO, MD, KZFM, Corpus Christi

RICKY MARTIN *Maria* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - This song has no English words in it so our listeners will understand it really well.

ADAM *Zombie* (WHITE LABEL) - It's been huge in the clubs for months! We've been messing around with it at night.

J'SON *I'll Never Stop Loving You* (HOLLYWOOD) - Good follow-up!

BARRIO BOYZZ *I Wish* (EMI) - These guys could pee in a cup, we'd record it, play it on the air, and it would be huge!

ALANIS MORISSETTE *Ironic* (MAVERICK/REPRISE) - Forget you're a Rhythm station and play the hit!

ROB SCORPIO, PD, KBXX, Houston

RUFFA *Don't You Worry* (MCA) - Females are into it! It's gonna be big for us!

BONE THUGS-N-HARMONY *Tha Crossroads (Remix)* (RUTHLESS/RELATIVITY) - It's huge!

TOTAL *Kissin' You* (ARISTA) - It's startin' to request and it's got good call-out!

BUSTA RHYMES *Woo-Hah! (Got You All In Check)* (ELEKTRA) - I didn't think it would work here, but surprise...Busta Rhymes is really happening!

R. KELLY *Step In My Room* (JIVE) - Strong call-out!

FUGEES *Ready Or Not* (COLUMBIA/CRG) - It's happening!

CASE *Touch Me, Tease Me* (DEF JAM/MERCURY) - It sounds a lot like Jodeci and of course that Mary J. Blige sound adds to it as well! It's gonna be a big song!

BOB LEWIS, PD, KGGI, Riverside

DELINQUENT HABITS *Tres Delinquentes* (LOUD) - It's fun! It's hooky! It's pullin' phones and I'm not even playing it!

EVERYTHING BUT THE GIRL *Wrong* (ATLANTIC) - This one should perform just like the last one! It should be a hit for another 30 weeks worth.

ARTIE THE 1 MAN PARTY *Esa Nena Linda* (SCOTTI BROS.) - Muy hip-o!

2PAC *2 Of Amerikaz Most Wanted* (DEATH ROW/INTERSCOPE) - A great song!

ROY JAYNES, PD, KKSS-FM, Albuquerque

CASE *Touch Me, Tease Me* (DEF JAM/MERCURY) - It's off of the *Nutty Professor* Soundtrack and it's gonna be big!

LADAE! *Party 2 Nite* (MOTOWN) - This is gonna be a hit!

QUINDON *It's You That's On My Mind* (VIRGIN) - Definitely one to check out!

KRIS KROSS *Live And Die For Hip Hop* (RUFFHOUSE/COLUMBIA/CRG) - It's going to be big for KKSS!

STEVE WALL, PD, KWIN, Stockton

ALEXIA PHILIPS *All I Ever Needed* (AUREUS) - A phat Dance record!

DELINQUENT HABITS *Tres Delinquentes* (LOUD) - It's a great record!

ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY MULLEN *Theme From Mission: Impossible* (MOTHER/ISLAND) - Cut #3 is all that!

ERIK BRADLEY, MD, B96, Chicago

JORDAN HILL *For The Love Of You* (ATLANTIC) - I love this artist already!

EVERYTHING BUT THE GIRL *Wrong* (ATLANTIC) - Sounds very solid!

PLANET SOUL *Feel The Music* (STRICKLY RHYTHM) - Good follow up!

NO MERCY *Where Do You Go* (ARISTA) - Sounds like it's gonna work!

AMBER *This Is Your Night* (TOMMY BOY) - This should be a #1 record for B96!

R. KELLY *I Can't Sleep* (JIVE) - I expect this will be Robert's biggest hit ever for us!

LUCY BARRAGAN, MD, Q105, Oxnard

MONIFAH *You* (UNIVERSAL) - A great mid-tempo song!

MONA LISA *You Said* (ISLAND) - This is a great ballad!

TOO \$HORT

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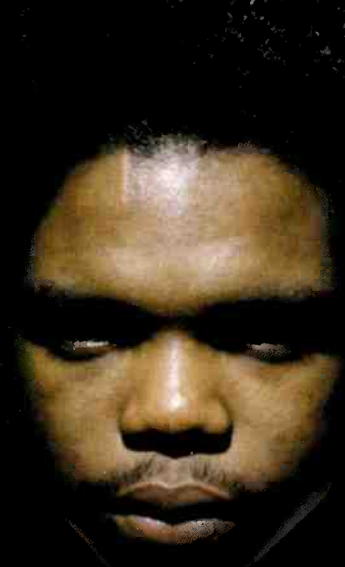
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WWKX	88x	KDON	66x
WHHH	50x	KMEL	40x
WJMH	70x	KYLD	48x
KPRR	57x	KPWR	47x



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TC	LC	SONGTITLE	ARTIST	LABEL
1	4	SWEET DREAMS	LA BOUCHE	RCA
2	5	SEXUALITY	K.D. LANG	WB
3	1	LUCKY LOVE	ACE OF BASE	ARISTA
4	2	OOH BOY/SLEEPING WITH AN ANGEL	REAL MCCOY	ARISTA
5	6	STRANGE WORLD	KE	RCA
6	3	TELL IT TO MY HEART	TAYLOR DAYNE	ARISTA
7	7	INSIDE OUT	CULTURE BEAT	550
8	12	1979	SMASHING PUMPKINS	VIRGIN
9	18	REMEMBERING THE FIRST TIME	SIMPLY RED	EAST WEST
10	8	HYPER-BALLAD	BJORK	ELEKTRA
11	15	ESA NENA LINDA	ARTIE THE 1 MAN PARTY	SCOTTI BROS
12	13	ZOMBIE	A.D.A.M.	RADIKAL
13	28	AS I WATCH YOU DANCE	TIA	ICHIBAN
14	9	LOVE HAS NO NAME	BABBLE	REPRISE
15	20	FEELS SO GOOD/SHOW ME	LINA SANTIAGO	GROOVE NATION
16	19	I NEVER NEEDED	ALEXIA PHILLIPS	INTERHIT
17	11	WHO DO YOU LOVE	DEBORAH COX	ARISTA
18	14	LIGHT YEARS	JAMIROQUAI	WORK
19	10	AIN'T NOBODY	DIANA KING	WORK
20	22	SUNDAY AFTERNOONS	VANESSA DAOU	MCA
21	21	DO WHAT'S GOOD FOR ME	2 UNLIMITED	RADIKAL
22	40	REACH	GLORIA ESTEFAN	EPIC
23	30	NO REASON TO CRY '96	JUDY TORRES	QPM
24	36	THE CAPTAIN OF THE SHIP	RATPACK	LOGIC
25	37	DON'T WASTE MY TIME	SA DUCE	EAST WEST
26	23	THINK TWICE	ALANA DANTE	NEXT PLATEAU
27	33	ALWAYS BE MY BABY	MARIAH CAREY	COLUMBIA
28	17	IMITATION OF LIFE	BILLIE RAY MARTIN	SIRE
29	35	FEEL THE MUSIC	PLANET SOUL	STRICTLY RHYTH
30	24	MOVIN' UP	DREAMWORLD	RCA
31	27	A BOY LIKE THAT	SELENA	RCA
32	31	1,2,3,4 (SUMPIN' NEW)	COOLIO	TOMMY BOY
33	16	ENERGY	DEVONE	AQUA BOOGIE
34	26	THE NEW ANTHEM	N-JOI	LOGIC
35	34	DO FRIES GO WITH THAT SHAKE	GILLETTE	SOS
36	42	IF YOU LOVE DANCE	VARIOUS	EPIC
37	29	SET ME FREE	MIISA	ICHIBAN
38	74	ONE MORE TRY	KRISTINE W	RCA
39	48	HELLO	STATE OF GRACE	RCA
40	25	STAYIN' ALIVE	N-TRANCE	RADIKAL
41	56	POINT OF NO RETURN	EXPOSE	ARISTA
42	60	MISSION:IMPOSSIBLE THEME	ADAM CLAYTON & LARRY	MOTHER
43	32	MR. KIRK	4-HERO	SM:JE
44	52	THE SOUND	X PRESS II	LOGIC
45	38	WE GOT IT	IMMATURE	MCA
46	55	DOIN IT	LL COOL J	DEF JAM
47	49	YOU'RE THE ONE	SWV	RCA
48	50	MOVIN'	MONE	STRICTLY RHYTH
49	61	KEEP ON,KEEPIN' ON	MC LYTE F. XSCAPE	EAST WEST
50	41	TRES DESEOS	GLORIA ESTEFAN	EPIC

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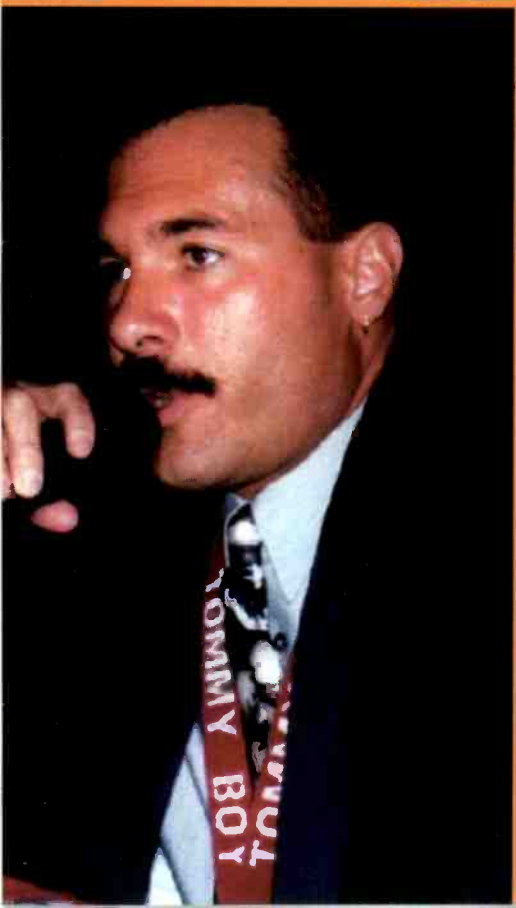
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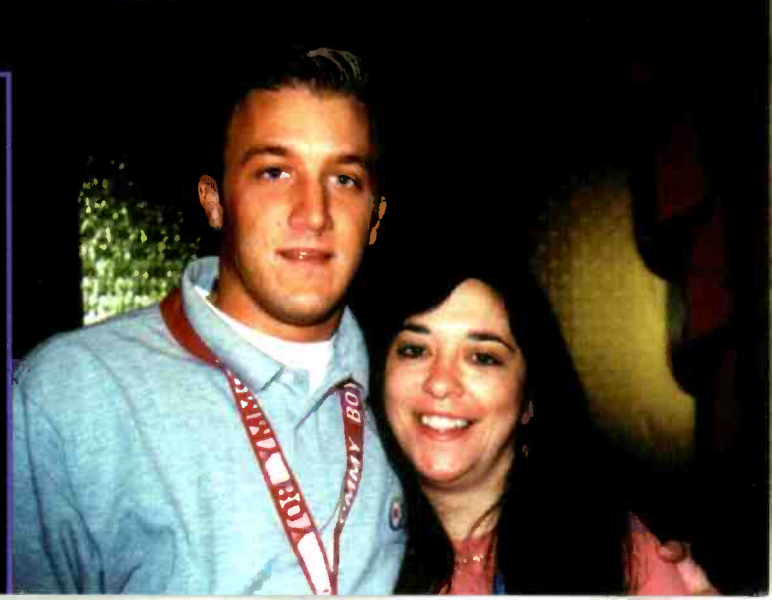
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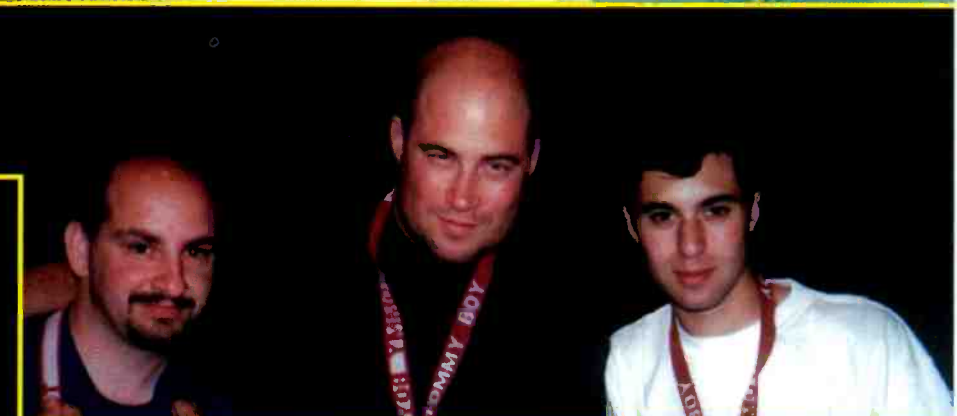
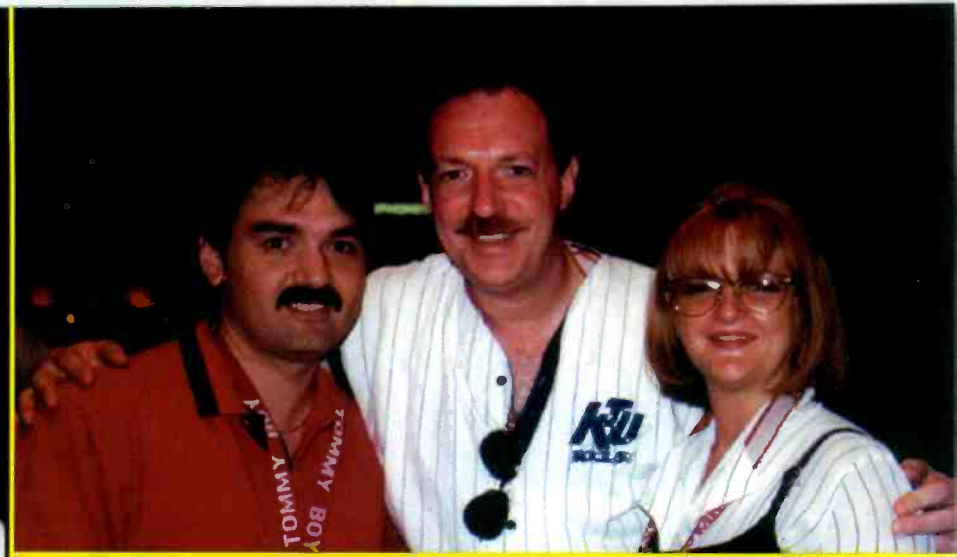
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2	5	YOU'RE THE ONE	SWV	RCA
3	4	WOO HAH!! GOT YOU ALL IN CHECK	BUSTA RHYMES	ELEKTRA
4	2	1,2,3,4 (SUMPIN' NEW)	COOLIO	TOMMY BOY
5	3	SOUL FOOD	GOODIE MOB	LA FACE
6	8	DOWN LOW	R. KELLY	JIVE
7	9	I WILL SURVIVE	CHANTAY SAVAGE	RCA
8	18	LIVE AND DIE FOR HIP HOP	KRIS KROSS	COLUMBIA
9	6	RENEE	LOST BOYZ	ISLAND
10	7	ONE FOR THE MONEY	HORACE BROWN	MOTOWN
11	11	A THIN LINE BETWEEN LOVE AND HATE	H-TOWN	WB
12	15	NOT GON' CRY	MARY J. BLIGE	ARISTA
13	23	DOIN' IT	LL COOL J	DEF JAM
14	24	HEATHEN RAGE	CAPLETON	DEF JAM
15	27	ALL EYEZ ON ME	2 PAC	DEATH ROW
16	26	KILLING ME SOFTLY	FUGEES	RUFF HOUSE
17	12	5 O'CLOCK	NONCHALANT	MCA-UNI
18	14	ALL I NEED	JESSE POWELL	SILAS
19	13	MOTHERLESS CHILD	GHOSTFACE KILLER	FLAVOR UNIT
20	20	HOO BANGIN'	MACK 10	PRIORITY
21	17	ALWAYS BE MY BABY	MARIAH CAREY	COLUMBIA
22	10	DROP	PHARCYDE	DELICIOUS VINYL
23	21	SCENT OF ATTRACTION	PATRA	EPIC
24	40	PARTY 2 NITE	LADAE	MOTOWN
25	36	COUNT ON ME	W. HOUSTON/C. WINANS	ARISTA
26	37	IT'S YOU THAT'S ON MY MIND	QUINDON	VIRGIN
27	49	YOU AND YOU AND YOU	FRANKIE CUTLASS	RELATIVITY
28	19	KEEP TRYIN'	GROOVE THEORY	EPIC
29	46	DEAD PRESIDENTS VOL 2	VARIOUS	CAPITOL
30	16	CAN'T BE WASTING MY TIME	MONA LISA	ISLAND
31	28	STAIRWAY TO HEAVEN	PURE SOUL	INTERSCOPE
32	38	THE WORLD IS A GHETTO	GETO BOYS	RAP-O-LOT
33	53	MAD SCIENTIST	MC RAN	RUTHLESS
34	30	SCARRED	LUKE	LUTHER CAMPBELL MUSIC
35	45	NO MORE GAMES	SKINDEEP f. LIL KIM	LOOSE CANNON
36	31	NEW YORK, NEW YORK	THA DOGG POUND	DEATH ROW
37	25	GET ON UP	JODECI	MCA
38	33	IF HEADZ ONLY KNEW	HEATHER B	PENDULUM
39	47	DON'T WASTE MY TIME	SA-DEUCE	EAST WEST
40	35	NO ONE ELSE	TOTAL	BAD BOY
41	42	WHY YOU TREAT ME SO BAD	SHAGGY	VIRGIN
42	44	DON'T BE A MENACE SOUNDTRACK	VARIOUS	ISLAND
43	43	SUSPENDED IN TIME	GROUP HOME	PAYDAY
44	29	ENVY	FAT JOE	RELATIVITY
45	39	FUNKORAMA	REDMAN	INTERSCOPE
46		LOUD HANGOVER	AKINYELE/SADAT X	LOUD
47	22	SITTIN' UP IN MY ROOM	BRANDY	ARISTA
48	65	LADY	D'ANGELO	EMI
49	70	SOUTHERN GIRL	LIL 1/2 DEAD	PRIORITY
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 ZYX-"Carol," Tommy Boy-"RichPTommyBoy," Road Runner-"Marni H," and more...







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BY GEORGE! White House Senior Advisor and bon vivant GEORGE STEPHANOPOULOS is joined by representatives of the Hard Rock Cafe, Q101/Chicago and Rock the Vote in an effort to raise the awareness of young voters this election year. Yes, that's Rock the Vote celebrity spokesman BILLY BALDWIN, third from right.



k.d. GOES TO WASHINGTON! While in Washington D.C. recently, as part of her "All You Can Eat" North American tour, Warner Bros. recording star k.d. lang was invited to the White House as the guest of President CLINTON.

THE LATEST

The KRBE PD derby has come to the finish line, with (as we told you to expect last week) KWMX/Denver PD JOHN PEAKE the winner. He told Ear exclusively, "I'm just very excited and thrilled to get the big chair at a radio station like KRBE with its long heritage of success. There's only a few plum opportunities like this in the whole industry. I'm honored that I got the gig and excited to be there!" Look for JOHN to be there this Monday (5/6). As to a successor at KWMX, JOHN told Ear, "At this point, the job is wide open." Any interested person should send packages to both KWMX GM BOB CALL, and Jefferson-Pilot programming honcho DON BENSON in Atlanta... Heritage Top40 WHHY/Montgomery, AL flipped format this week to Country. The station will now be known as "CAT COUNTRY102" under PD DARLENE DIXON. 'HHY PD SCOTT HAMILTON remains with the company as PD of WHHY-AM...Par Broadcasting's San Diego (Q106, KIOZ, KOGC) OM AL PETERSON has resigned to restart his consultancy, Peterson Media. And just as STEVE PERUN did two weeks ago (when he departed Gannett to revive his consultancy and then signed his former employer as a client) AL has inked Par to his client list...As long as we're in San Diego, scotch the rumors that THE FLASH (XHRM) is going Country - last week's little foray into that format was just part of an on-air gag cooked up by OM BRYAN JONES. (Get up close and personal with

BRYAN in next week's exclusive *HITMAKERS'* interview with him!)...WFNX/Boston PD TROY "Boy Troy" SMITH has resigned. TODD WILLIAMSON has been named acting/interim PD...Elektra Detroit local RICK MORRISON has been inked as RCA's new Director of Nat'l Alternative Promotion...Veteran radio programmer/personality TONY WAITEKUS has been inked as the new OM @ WHTS/Quad Cities, IA. He'll be in the house by mid-May...KFFM/Yakima PD MICHAEL JACK KIRBY tells Ear that there has been a "very amicable" parting of the ways between the station and morning hosts KEITH TAYLOR and PHIL TRACY. For the moment, night guy/APD "Scary" JERRY KELLY segues to the morning shift as MICHAEL JACK plans a retooling...KMCK/Fayetteville has a new address: 70 N. East St., #100, Fayetteville, AR 72701. You have been notified!...NANCY STEVENS is the new Promotions Director @ KEDJ/Phoenix...Discovery Records taps Mutant Promotions' TAMI MORRISSEY as Dir./Alternative & Rock Promotion...Evergreen's long rumored purchase of WILD107 (KYLD)/S/F. from Crescent Communications is a done deal. Price tag: \$44 million!

SCUTTLEBUTT

As we just reported above, Evergreen has added KYLD to its holdings. Now, enquiring minds want to know, "what's next for the station?" Can KYLD and KMEL both remain Rhythm Crossover outlets?...Is GUY ZAPOLEON about to sign on a Top40 in a top

50 market that already has a hit music station?...It looks like the field of candidates for the coveted KHKS/Dallas PD gig has been narrowed down to a short list, which includes one programming vet currently in the Lone Star State! And in the narrowing-down process, what longtime Eastcoast PD had to bow out of contention, perhaps actually decline an offer, because of rigid contractual obligations at his current gig? ...What's JILL MEYER got planned now that she's made her exit from WDJX/Louisville?

WICHITA STATIONS STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

Prism Radio's Wichita trombo, KKRD, KRZZ and KNFF, was on the wrong end of Mother Nature's fury this past weekend. This past Sunday morning (4/28) at 1:22, KKRD's transmitter tower took a direct hit from a bolt of lightning! The massive power spike that ensued obliterated safety systems and surge protection, and (somehow) flowed through the phone lines back to the studios, where it (literally) fried two studio boards and other equipment. Thankfully, none of PD JACK OLIVER's staff was injured in any way, nor were any staffers on KRZZ or KNFF. And rather remarkably, Chief Engineer DAN GENTRY had the stations back on the air within 6 hours! For now, KKRD is broadcasting with the aid of back-up equipment while repairs are underway. Makes us wonder why GLEN CAMPBELL wanted to be a "Wichita Lineman!"

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WHO SAYS RECORD & RADIO FOLKS CAN'T GET ALONG? WZPL PD TOM GJERDRUM and Columbia's BRUCE REINER are talkin' softball while in Las Vegas. Later, TOM slid into BRUCE spikes high, but, that's another story!!



MINNEAPOLIS GETS PHILOSOPHICAL! Following a performance at the Fine Line in Minneapolis recently, Columbia recording group THE PHILOSOPHER KINGS "charmed" the folks from KDWB backstage. That's KDWB PD DAN KIELEY on the left, KDWB MD RICK THOMAS on the right, and Columbia's DAVE ROSS, center.

KISS108 ANNOUNCES KISS CONCERT LINEUP

Evergreen flagship KISS108 (WXKS)/Boston has just announced the line-up for the 17th "KISS CONCERT," which will henceforth be called "KISS CONCERT 17." PD JOHN IVEY tells Ear that this year, just as in the past, the concert is "a diverse mix of artists from a wide range of genres." If you need proof, check out this roster: MELISSA ETHERIDGE, SEAL, LISA LOEB, DEEP BLUE SOMETHING, GLORIA ESTEFAN, LENNY KRAVITZ, SOPHIE B. HAWKINS, COLOR ME BADD, JOAN OSBORNE, BRYAN ADAMS, ALL-4-ONE, BLESSID UNION OF SOULS, the BODEANS, C.C. PENISTON, HARRY CONNICK, Jr., LA BOUCHE, JARS OF CLAY, BILLY MANN, The TONY RICH PROJECT, TINA ARENA, ZIGGY MARLEY, DEBORAH COX and VOICE OF THE BEEHIVE! What's more, JOHN says that this line-up is by no means complete. "We'll be adding more acts. This is really going to be another big one," he said. The event takes place Saturday, June 1st at Great Woods Center for the Performing Arts and benefits the Genesis Fund.

KUDOS & CONGRATS...

...to EMI Sr. VP/Promotion PETER NAPOLIELLO and his stellar staff for the runaway success of D'ANGELO. His label debut *Brown Sugar* has now sold close to 2 million copies. And the next single, *Those Dreaming Eyes of Mine*, (look for it in mid-June) will undoubtedly keep those RIAA folks certifying the name D'ANGELO next to precious metal for a long time to come!

...to WAPE/Jacksonville PD CAT THOMAS and APD/MD TONY MANN for the outstanding Winter Arb. numbers! THE APE jumped 6.9 - 7.5 (12+), solidifying its hold on the market's 3rd ranking overall, while also growing big time in those important adult demos!

...to KQKQ/Omaha OM/PD MIKE J. STEELE and MD JIMI JAMM for the incredible ratings turnabout there. After a disappointing Fall book, they turn SWEET98 around and have it headed in the right direction, going 5.8 - 7.9 (12+) and 7.5 - 9.9 (18-34)! Wow!



THE ICE HAVE IT! Our own BARRY "The Reazar" RICHARDS did something unusual last week: he had his picture taken! Okay, so that's not unusual, but what is unusual is who he had it taken with, Rap/Hip Hop superstar ICE T. and Priority Records Director of Crossover Promotion LIZ POKORA. B.R. was at ICE's house for a listening party for his upcoming new album, "VI: Return Of The Real."

...to WNVZ/Norfolk PD DON LONDON and MD SEAN SELLERS for their terrific Winter Arb. there. Z104 jumped a full ratings point, growing 4.7 - 5.7 (12+)! That's what we'd call very impressive!

CONDOLENCES

Our sympathies to Tommy Boy Dir./Nat'l Top40 Promotion MIKE BECCE on the death of his father-in-law ANTHONY CINQUE.

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