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THE LEGACY OF RYAN WHITE

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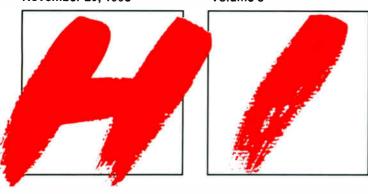
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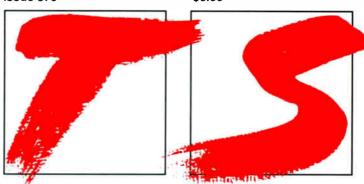
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SINGLES

Janet's #1 "Again," but Mariah's "Heroically" trying

DIALOGUE

Who's dominating the dial and who should be putting up the "For Sale" sign? HITS' radio bored examine the numbers and analyze the results as they stuff themselves on turkey, cranberry sauce and football.

VIBE-RATERS

Snoop Dogg, the Breeders and Kate Bush jockey for position as the "Vibe-Rater" marathon enters the holiday backstretch.

POST MODERN

Tom Waits, Blind Melon, Teenage Fanclub and "Born to Choose" debut, while PoMo Poobah Ivana's still recovering from her close encounters with Tom Cruise and the Afghan Whigs.

METAL

Geffen's "Beavis & Butt-Head" project is on fire at radio as heavy mental cases Thelma & Louise try to get that "Heh-heh-heh" out of their heh-heh-heads.

JAMS

EastWest acid-hop duo Das EFX "Freakit," which jolts JAMS street goddess Shannita "Vacation From This Pit" Williams into a frightening flashback of J.J. in a tutu.

ALBUMS

Frank's the Chairman of the Chart, Bolton debuts at #3 with the Dogg and the Gunners in the starting gate.

Hitsbound Babyface & the Blossoms.

24

Top Tens Pearl's Jam goes on. 64

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Janet, "Again."

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Breakouts Tom Petty's great-est.

40 **Earpicks** Def Leppard roars.

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Weiss Guys Can Jump



Jive VP/GM Barry Weiss may not look much like Santa Claus, but his label's getting hotter than Christmas at the Equator, with four Top 50 albums in A Tribe Called Quest (#12), Too Short (#21), R. Kelly (#26) and this week's cover guy Shaquille O'Neal (#31). Not bad for a guy who not too long ago thought rap was something Saran made to keep his sandwiches from going moldy and "Yo" was an expression uttered by a dyslexic old Jewish man with a backache.

On The Cover

Jive's funkin' hip-hop tower of raw power Shaquille O'Neal gets called for an offensive foul after this HITS Cover nod in honor of his slam-dunk "Shaq Diesel" album.

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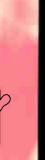
DEF LEPPARD MISS YOU IN A HEARTBEAT

from the album RETRO ACTIVE

#1 MOST ADDED OUT OF THE BOX!

EARPICKS WINNER!

STR94	add	WMMZ	add	WBB0	add	WSTW	add
KPLZ	add	WYKS	add	WERZ	add	WTCF	add
Y100	add	93Q	add	WHHY	adđ	WVIC	add
WAQQ	add	CK105	add	WHOT	add	WVSR	add
WGTZ	add	KHTT	add	WIFC	add	WXKB	add
WAPE	add	KISX	add	WIXX	add	WZYP	add
WBBQ	add	KKRD	add	WLAN	add	Y102	add
G105	add	KWNZ	add	WMEE	add	Z102	add
WFLY	add	KZMG	add	WMGV	add	Z104	add
WKDD	add	KZZU	add	WNOK	add	and mai	ny more!
WKRZ	add	PWR92	add	WQGN	add		
KTUX	add	U93	add	WQUT	add	WXKS	28-25
WFHN	add	WA1A	add	WRCK	add	WKBQ	31-25
WPST	add	WAAL	add	WRHT	add	98PXY	30-28





TEARS FOR FEARS GOODNIGHT SONG from the album ELEMENTAL

K106	#8	WPRR	24-20	wwzz	30-27
Z102	18-10	WBNQ	23-20	KMGZ	37-30
кwто	18-14	кснх	26-23	WKRZ	38-33
KNIN	19-15	WIFC	29-26	KLYV	40-36
WQUT	21-17	WKBQ	30-27	PWR92	39-36
Y102	22-19	WYYS	31-27	KRBE	#50

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98PXY	WA1A	KFRX	KYYA
KTUX	WAAL	KGGG	KZII
WMMZ	WERZ	KMCK	WBIZ
WYKS	WIXX	KOKZ	WHTO
KHTT	WRQK	KQCR	WJMX
KISX	WSTW	KQIX	WZOQ
KZZU	Z104	KTMT	
U93	K106	KTRS	



the cranberries Linger

20 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS! **18 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!**

35 Plays

XL106

1300 - 1700 TOP 40 BDS DETECTIONS!

KHEL WAOO 52 Plays 32 Plays KQKQ **B**97 50 Plays WAPE 31 Plays WNVZ KRBE **Q99** KTFM 46 Plays 29 Plays 29 Plays KRO 45 Plays STR94 **KDWB** WKBO 43 Plays KIIS 27 Plays KS104 Z100 38 Plays PRO-FM 26 Plays **WXKS KPLZ** 37 Plays WEHN 23 Plays

KISF

from the album EVERYBODY ELSE IS DOING IT, SO WHY CAN'T WE?

BREAKING AT:

KKRZ B94 WKSE WKSS KLUC







GABRIELLE

21 Plays

35 - 30 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!

OVER 1300 TOP 40 BDS DETECTIONS!

WHYT	57 plays	KS104	31 plays
KISF	55 plays	HOT97.7	31 plays
KHFI	50 plays	KDWB	30 plays
HOT97	36 plays	PWR96	22 plays
XLI06	36 plays 🥛	Q99	22 plays
WWHT	33 plays	WZPL	21 plays
KIIS	33 plays	STR94	19 plays
WKSE	33 plays	WHHH	16 plays
KPLZ	33 plays	KRBE	16 plays
KUBE	32 plays	92Q	13 plays

DREAMS

from the album FIND YOUR WAY

BREAKING AT:

19 Plays

18 Plays

17 Plays

17 Plays

17 Plays

16 Plays

WAQQ **WKBO** WCKZ WKSS WXKS WTIC Z100 KLUC **PWRPIG**







YOU GOT ME FLOATIN'

23 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS! 14-11 HITS POST MODERN!

FIRST WEEK ROTATION AT:

99X **KPLZ** KROO **B97**

Z100 WHFS from the Reprise album STONE FREE -

GEESTREET

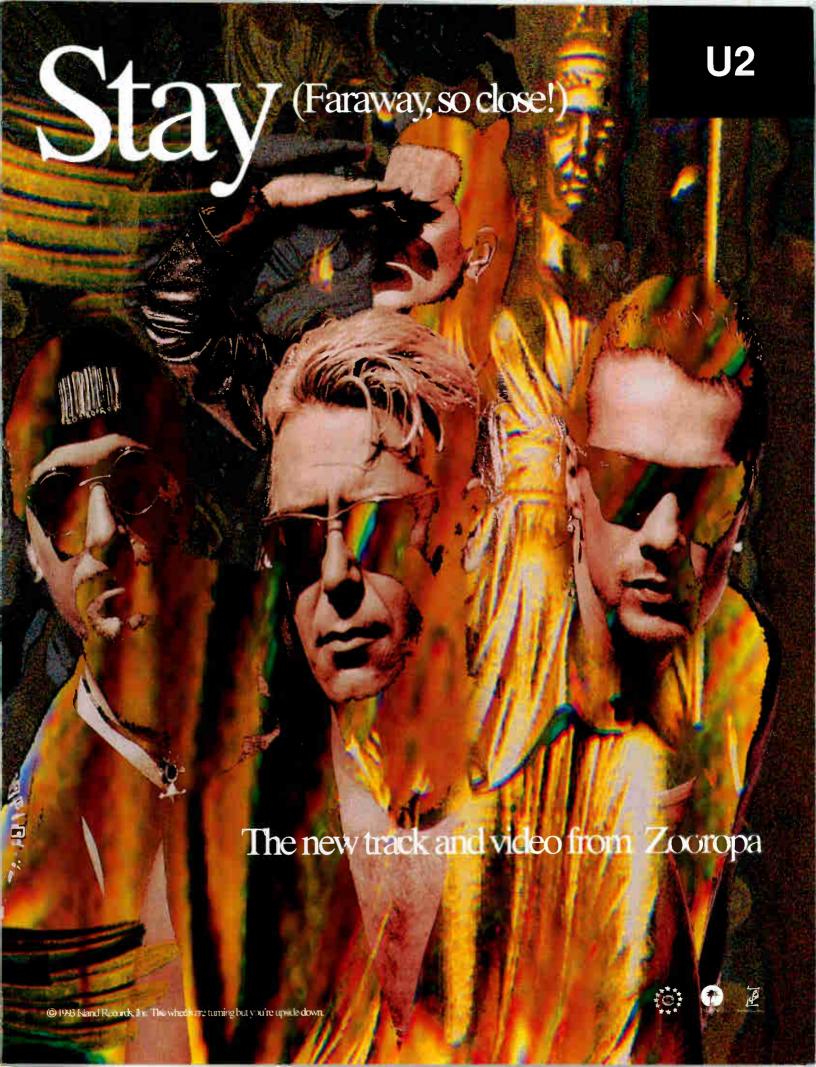
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SINGLES

······ 2 WEEKS AGO

:·····LAST WEEK

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	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS
Ÿ Ÿ Ÿ			4 10 10 10	
2 2 1	JANET JACKSON	AGAIN	Virgin 38404	Solid seller
11 4 2	MARIAH CAREY	HERO	Columbia 77224	Smash
3 3 3	DRS	GANGSTA LEAN	Capitol 44958	From new Lp
1 1 4	MEAT LOAF	I'D DO ANYTHING	MCA 54626	Peaking some now
8 7 5	SALT-N-PEPA	SHOOP	NP/Lon/PLG 857-314	Huge seller
10 8 6	TEVIN CAMPBELL	CAN WE TALK	Qwest/WB 18346	From gold Lp
7 6 7	TONI BRAXTON	BREATHE AGAIN	LaFace/Arista 24054	From Top 10 Lp
5 10 8	ACE OF BASE	ALL THAT SHE WANTS	Arista 12614	Lp hitting at press time
12 9 9	BRYAN ADAMS	PLEASE FORGIVE ME	A&M 31454	From Top 5 Lp
4 5 10	XSCAPE	JUST KICKIN' IT	Columbia 77119	Peaked
14 13 11	TAG TEAM	WHOOMP! THERE IT IS	Life/Bellmark 79500	Still selling
6 11 12	ZHANE'	HEY MR. D.J.	FU/Epic 77 177	Steady
27 17 13	2PAC	KEEP YA HEAD UP	TNT/Int/Atl G 5317	Sales
35 16 14	MICHAEL BOLTON	SAID I LOVED YOU	Columbia 5508	Lp debuts at #3
9 12 15	TONY TONI TONE	ANNIVERSARY	Wing/Mercury 859-566	Falling some now
13 14 16	HADDAWAY	WHAT IS LOVE	Arista 12575	Starting to slip now
24 20 17	BABYFACE	NEVER KEEPING	Epic 73412	From hot Lp
22 19 18	CRANBERRIES	LINGER	Isl/PLG 862-800	From Top 20 Lp
15 15 19	AEROSMITH	CRYIN'	Geffen 19256	Falling
29 22 20	PHIL COLLINS	BOTH SIDES OF	Atl/Atl G 87299	From Top 10 Lp
30 24 21	CULTURE BEAT	MR. VAIN	550 Music 77214	Techno dance
16 18 22	TONI BRAXTON	ANOTHER SAD LOVE	LaF/Arista 24047	Peaked
31 27 23	COLOR ME BADD	TIME AND CHANCE	Giant/Rep 18339	Lp debuts at #30
34 28 <mark>24</mark>	SNOOP DOGGY DOGG	WHAT'S MY NAME?	DR/Int/Atl G 5268	Lp hitting at press time
28 26 <mark>25</mark>	HI-FIVE	NEVER SHOULD'VE	Jive 42178	Breaking Top 40

(Based on a combination of sales and airplay)

ATOMO ON COUNTING...

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THE CONSUMMATE SINGLE AND VIDEO

FOLLOWING UP THE <u>Top</u> 5 singles

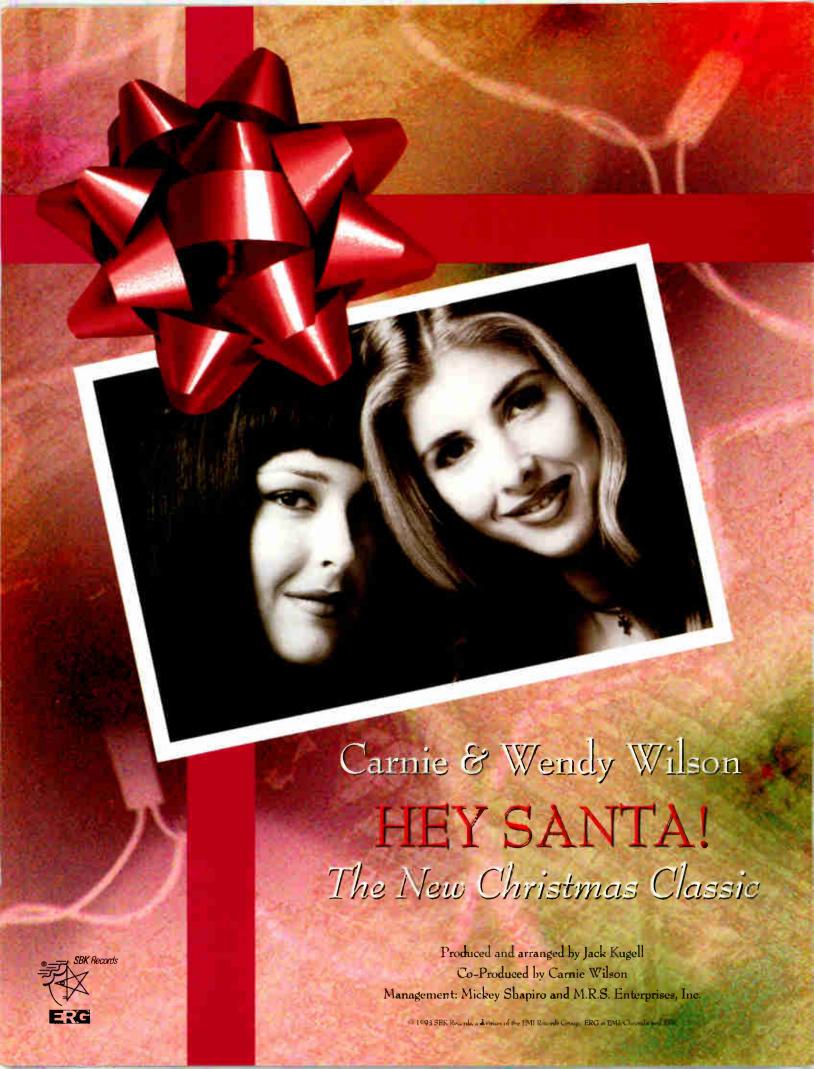
"DON'T CRY" AND "NOVEMBER BAIN"

FROM THE MULTI-PLATINUM ALBUM

<u>USE YOUR ILLUSION II</u>













SINGLES

.....2 WEEKS AGOLAST WEEKTHIS WEEK

	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS
17 21 26	BLIND MELON	NO RAIN	Capitol 44939	Peaked
18 23 27	MARIAH CAREY	DREAMLOVER	Columbia 77080	Peaked
32 30 28	К7	COME BABY COME	Tommy Boy 7572	Selling singles now
45 40 29	ZAPP & ROGER	SLOW & EASY	Reprise 6596	From Greatest Hits pkg
40 35 30	GABRIELLE	DREAMS	Go D/Lon/PLG 857298	Big in Europe
41 33 31	R. KELLY	SEX ME	Jive 42185	Sales
38 34 32	SHAQUILLE O'NEAL	I KNOW I GOT SKILLZ	Jive 42177	Sales
44 37 33	10,000 MANIACS	BECAUSE THE NIGHT	Elektra 464595	From "Unplugged"
50 38 34	BILLY JOEL	ALL ABOUT SOUL	Columbia 77254	Developing at Top 40
49 39 35	EAZY E	IT'S ON	Ruthless/Rel 55084	Sales
48 41 36	JIMMY CLIFF	I CAN SEE CLEARLY	Chaos 77207	From "Cool Runnings"
19 25 37	RHCP	SOUL TO SQUEEZE	Warner Bros 18401	Falling now
38	ADAMS/STEWART/STING	ALL FOR LOVE	A&M/Hwd 0476	Selling singles already
<mark>38</mark> 21 29 39	ADAMS/STEWART/STING INNER CIRCLE	SWEAT	A&M/Hwd 0476 BB/Atl/Atl G 98429	Selling singles already Falling
21 29 39	INNER CIRCLE	SWEAT	BB/Atl/Atl G 98429	Falling
21 29 39 23 32 40	INNER CIRCLE INTRO	SWEAT COME INSIDE	BB/Atl/Atl G 98429 Atl/Atl G 87317	Falling Falling
21 29 39 23 32 40 49 41	INNER CIRCLE INTRO DAS EFX	SWEAT COME INSIDE FREAKIT	BB/Atl/Atl G 98429 Atl/Atl G 87317 EW/Atl G 98341	Falling Falling Lp debuts at #18
21 29 39 23 32 40 49 41 20 31 42	INNER CIRCLE INTRO DAS EFX R.E.M.	SWEAT COME INSIDE FREAKIT EVERYBODY HURTS	BB/Ati/Ati G 98429 Ati/Ati G 87317 EW/Ati G 98341 Warner Bros 18638	Falling Falling Lp debuts at #18 Peaked
21 29 39 23 32 40 49 41 20 31 42 25 36 43	INNER CIRCLE INTRO DAS EFX R.E.M. 2PAC	SWEAT COME INSIDE FREAKIT EVERYBODY HURTS I GET AROUND	BB/Ati/Ati G 98429 Ati/Ati G 87317 EW/Ati G 98341 Warner Bros 18638 TNT/Int/Ati G 98372	Falling Falling Lp debuts at #18 Peaked Peaked
21 29 39 23 32 40 49 41 20 31 42 25 36 43 26 42 44	INNER CIRCLE INTRO DAS EFX R.E.M. 2PAC DEF LEPPARD	SWEAT COME INSIDE FREAKIT EVERYBODY HURTS I GET AROUND TWO STEPS BEHIND	BB/Atl/Atl G 98429 Atl/Atl G 87317 EW/Atl G 98341 Warner Bros 18638 TNT/Int/Atl G 98372 Columbia 77116	Falling Falling Lp debuts at #18 Peaked Peaked Falling
21 29 39 23 32 40 49 41 20 31 42 25 36 43 26 42 44 42 45 45	INNER CIRCLE INTRO DAS EFX R.E.M. 2PAC DEF LEPPARD MISTA GRIMM	SWEAT COME INSIDE FREAKIT EVERYBODY HURTS I GET AROUND TWO STEPS BEHIND INDO SMOKE	BB/Atl/Atl G 98429 Atl/Atl G 87317 EW/Atl G 98341 Warner Bros 18638 TNT/Int/Atl G 98372 Columbia 77116 Epic Strx 77256	Falling Falling Lp debuts at #18 Peaked Peaked Falling Sales
21 29 39 23 32 40 49 41 20 31 42 25 36 43 26 42 44 42 45 45 33 43 46	INNER CIRCLE INTRO DAS EFX R.E.M. 2PAC DEF LEPPARD MISTA GRIMM MR. BIG	SWEAT COME INSIDE FREAKIT EVERYBODY HURTS I GET AROUND TWO STEPS BEHIND INDO SMOKE WILD WORLD	BB/Atl/Atl G 98429 Atl/Atl G 87317 EW/Atl G 98341 Warner Bros 18638 TNT/Int/Atl G 98372 Columbia 77116 Epic Strx 77256 Atl/Atl G 687308	Falling Falling Lp debuts at #18 Peaked Peaked Falling Sales Falling
21 29 39 23 32 40 49 41 20 31 42 25 36 43 26 42 44 42 45 45 33 43 46 50 47	INNER CIRCLE INTRO DAS EFX R.E.M. 2PAC DEF LEPPARD MISTA GRIMM MR. BIG UB40	SWEAT COME INSIDE FREAKIT EVERYBODY HURTS I GET AROUND TWO STEPS BEHIND INDO SMOKE WILD WORLD HIGHER GROUND	BB/Atl/Atl G 98429 Atl/Atl G 87317 EW/Atl G 98341 Warner Bros 18638 TNT/Int/Atl G 98372 Columbia 77116 Epic Strx 77256 Atl/Atl G 687308 Virgin 12681	Falling Falling Lp debuts at #18 Peaked Peaked Falling Sales Falling From platinum Lp
21 29 39 23 32 40 49 41 20 31 42 25 36 43 26 42 44 42 45 45 33 43 46 50 47 46 47 48	INNER CIRCLE INTRO DAS EFX R.E.M. 2PAC DEF LEPPARD MISTA GRIMM MR. BIG UB40 JODECI	SWEAT COME INSIDE FREAKIT EVERYBODY HURTS I GET AROUND TWO STEPS BEHIND INDO SMOKE WILD WORLD HIGHER GROUND LATELY	BB/Atl/Atl G 98429 Atl/Atl G 87317 EW/Atl G 98341 Warner Bros 18638 TNT/Int/Atl G 98372 Columbia 77116 Epic Strx 77256 Atl/Atl G 687308 Virgin 12681 Uptown/MCA 54652	Falling Falling Lp debuts at #18 Peaked Peaked Falling Sales Falling From platinum Lp Over now

(Based on a combination of sales and airplay)

NEXT UP

XSCAPE (Columbia)

JOSH KADISON (SBK/ERG)

GIN BLOSSOMS (A&M) BOBBY & WHITNEY (MCA) US3 (BN/Capitol)
AEROSMITH (Geffen)

Snoop Doggy Dogg "What's My Name?"

RETAIL:

"The biggest release I've seen in 26 years!" — Violet Brown. Wherehouse "The biggest release since I've been in the business. A tremendous turnout!" — Kelvin Anderson, VIP "The most requested record all year. We've had to reorder about a million times." "Biggest first day sales ever! Snoop Dogg is the snoopiest!"— Lew Garrett, Camelot "It's the most incredible day we've had in a long time. Thank goodness for Snoop Dogg!" — Sam Ginsberg, Abbey Road Distribution RADIO: "One of our biggest testing records — goes against the conventional wisdom on the appeal of street songs. Most anticipated album of the year!" — Bob Case. PD/KUBE. Seattle "Our audience embraced Snoop Dogg from the moment it hit the air. Not just a crossover record" — it's mass appeal!" — Brian Bridgman, MD/KIIS, Los Angeles "Appeals to every demo, every ethnic group — an across the board hit." — Chuck Field, OM/KSFM, Sacramento "#1 Most requested after three weeks!" — Dana Lundon, MD/WTIC, Hartford "The most anticipated release of the year, 'Doggystyle' has surpassed all expectations!" — Greg Head, MD/KBXX, Houston **MEDIA:** "The most anticipated Rap album in history delivers... Awesome!" — Johnathan Gold, L.A. Times "As groundbreaking for Rap as the Beatles' "Sgt. Pepper" once was for Rock." — Robert Seidenberg, Entertainment Weekly

ADDS:

for months."

KIIS/Los Angeles #26 KKRZ/Portland #30 **KS104/Denver #29 KZ93/Peoria WFMF/Baton Rouge** 95XXX/Burlington

DEBUTS:

KC101/New Haven #29 H WQGN/New London #28 H WYYS/Ithica #33 H

"Grooves as funky as day-old collard greens; bass lines heavy enough to administer CPR.Doggstyle's hypnotic funk will keep this album cranking out of cars and Jeeps

MOVES:

WXKS/Boston 26-24 B94/Pittsburgh 20-17H WGTZ/Dayton 22-19 KWNZ/Reno 20H-15H KISF/Kansas City 16-13 KYYY/Bismarck 37-26H WFHN/New Bedford 28-15H











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Bolton Debuts Huge As Frank Rules.... But Here Comes The Big Week

NO TURKEYS!!!

Sixed Pac

Controversial rapper/actor Tupac Shakur was arrested last week in New York for forcible sodomy and unlawful imprisonment of a 20-year-old woman at the Parker Meridien Hotel.

The 22-year-old rapper was detained with two other suspects after an unidentified woman alleged the singer and two other men held her down while a fourth male sodomized her in a hotel room.

Shakur faces a maximum of up to 29 years in jail if convicted. His N.Y. attorney Michael Warren said the charges are false and that the woman has already hired a lawyer for the purpose of filing a civil suit.

Meanwhile, Shakur is due December 1 in Atlanta to face two counts of aggravated assault stemming from an October incident in which he allegedly shot and wounded two off-duty police officers. He also faces an outstanding charge of simple battery for allegedly slapping a woman last summer when she asked him for his autograph. He was also arrested last March in L.A. for carrying a concealed weapon and two days later for assaulting a limo driver.

Dawn Rises Again



PM Dawn: "Stone Free" going stone cold crazy at Top 40.

MTV Greets '94

MTV will usher in the New Year on December 31 with "MTV's Live and Loud," a special musical event from Seattle featuring performances by Pearl Jam, Nirvana, Cypress Hill and the Breeders, capped off with a special New Year's countdown live from the stage of Janet Jackson's sold-out appearance at Madison Square Garden in New York City.

The 90-minute "MTV's Live and Loud," hosted by Red Hot Chili Pepper vocalist Anthony Kiedis, kicks off at 10:00 pm (ET/PT), with "Janet's Live New Year Jam" following immediately afterward. Jackson will perform music from her new album while MTV on-air personalities report live and Tom Freston passes out and has his head dropped in Manhattan's famed Times Square. The two shows will then repeat in their entirety shortly after midnight. Yo, who needs Guy Lombardo when you've got John Norris?

s they sit down to their Thanksgiving dinners, retailers will be giving thanks for the fact that they're not scrubbing urinals in Northern Afghanistan. They'll also be giving thanks for another stellar week in the music world as Columbia's Michael Bolton blasted onto the chart at #3. Said blast underscored a changing of the guard in the Top Five of the Top 50 as Frank Sinatra's "Duets" barely eclipsed the Seattle studs for what is virtually assured to be a one-week reign in the top spot.

Why one week, you ask? Easy. As we were getting ready to blow out of here for the holiday weekend, both Snoop Doggy Dogg and Guns N' Roses were blowing out of the stores. Enthused early reports from retailers suggested Christmas had come about a month early as two of the most active buying groups converged on cash registers nationwide. And let's not forget the impact of Beavis & Butt-Head or Elton John.

So, who has the most active buyers — Snoop or Guns? We'll see ya next week.

Finally, we'd like to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving. Unfortunately, since our lives represent meaningless drains on the earth's natural resources, we can't.



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No Wonder He Got Darryl

That's John F. Kennedy Jr., proving the ol' saying, "If cousin Maria can marry a schmuck like Arnold, I can pose for trade shots with music executives." John, who is pictured with Sony Music Exec. VP Michele Anthony and Sony Music Entertainment President and Chief Operating Officer Thomas D. Mottola, is intelligent, sophisticated and level-headed. If he ever decides to wear pants under that jacket, he could go far.

HILTIS

MTV adds this week are U2 (Island/PLG), Candlebox (Maverick/ WB) and James (Fontana/Mercury). Bryan Adams (A&M) receives a rotation increase. US3 (Blue Note/Capitol) goes into Buzz Bin.

MCA

The rocker's swan song for the label is a smashing Greatest Hits production with two new tracks, including this sensational single many are calling a "career best." The album comes smashing on at #6 nationally as the track tops the Album Radio charts and is ready for a big run at Top 40. PDs love it and this one's going. Even those turkeys, Tenenbaum & Gorlick, can't mash this one!

Blockbuster Gets Super

Blockbuster Entertainment Corporation has officially acquired the Super Club Retail Entertainment Corporation, a subsidiary of Philips Electronics, for 5.2 million shares of its common stock and 1.8 million packages of microwave popcorn.

Super Club Retail is the largest retailer in the southeastern U.S., operating 270

stores under the names Record Bar, Tracks, Turtles and Rhythm & Views. The company also operates approximately 160 video retail superstores in 13 states.

Philips Electronics now owns 7.6% of Blockbuster's outstanding common stock and 2.8 million used copies of "Hudson Hawk."

Solar Power

R.E.M., U2, P.M. Dawn, Soundgarden & Brian May, Sonic Youth, Annie Lennox, James and UB40 are among the 16 artists who have contributed live recordings to "Alternative NRG," a benefit album for Greenpeace coming out January 25 on Hollywood Records.

The album title is a reference to the fact the entire album was recorded and mixed

using solar electricity. Former English Beat and General Public member Dave Wakeling co-produced the disc.

Proceeds from sales will be used to support the organization's energy and climate campaign, which explores ways to halt the Earth's rising temperature, stop CIA involvement in the Latin American drug trade and discover who really killed JFK.

Horky



CLS Ruler Charlie Horky. He'd be pretty tasty with a side of stuffing and cranberry sauce. Happy Thanksgiving.

QUICK H-I-T-S

The Most Added singles this week at Top 40 are #1 Def Leppard (Mercury), #2 Beavis & Butt-Head (Geffen), #3 Rozalla (Epic), #4 Prince (P. Pk/WB) and #5 PM Dawn (G St/Isl/PLG). Also, Kenny G (Arista) continues to grow with album sales building.



Brawl Jam

Cy Young award-winning Chicago White Sox pitcher Jack McDowell and Pearl Jam singer Eddie Vedder were involved in a barroom brawl in New Orleans' French Quarter in which the hurler was knocked unconscious by a bouncer.

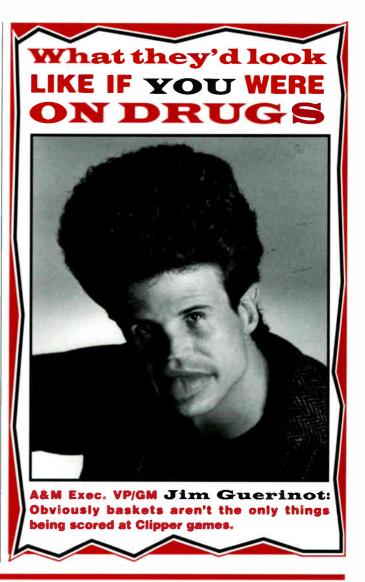
Vedder, who reportedly started the fight by spitting in the face of another man, was booked

for public drunkenness and disturbing the peace, according to police Sergeant Elizabeth Wigginton. McDowell, a rock musician in his spare time, was treated for a cut lip and scalp lacerations. Said McDowell: "I thought the guy was a sportswriter." Added Vedder: "I thought the guy was a rock critic."

Make That Filet



That's **Meat Loaf** accepting double platinum plaques for his "Bat Out Of Hell II" from MCA Music Entertainment Chairman **Al Teller** and MCA Records President **Richard Palmese**. Meat Loaf told the two beaming executives that he so enjoyed his musical comeback that he's decided to wait 16 more years until his next hit record. Manager **Allen Kovac** was unable to be in the picture since the drawbridge over his alligator-filled moat was stuck.



Since It's Thanksgiving, These Guys Must Be Turkeys



The photo on the left shows **Rod Stewart**, **Bryan Adams** and **Sting** coming to the grim realization that the film, "The Three Musketeers," ranks just above "Ishtar" on the ol' cinematic scale. The photo on the right shows Sting Manager **Miles Copeland**, Adams Manager **Bruce Allen** and Rod



Manager **Arnold Stiefel** proving conclusively that **Charlie Sheen** ain't the only one who should never step in front of a camera holding a sword. Copeland wants everyone to know that his sword is the biggest.



- 2 IAY COOPER: Was this one sealed when Lee Phillips gave up his parking space?
- 3 MARK SHIMMEL: Add starting Kahane's car to his list of responsibilities.
- 4 BOB KRASNOW: Maniacs, Jackson Browne, Breeders, Linda & Metallica. His only bummer is Leshay.
- 5 LESTER KNISPEL: No one seems to mind his nose in their business.
- 6 CLIVE CALDER: Obviously. there's room for two Clives.



- 7 GUNS N' ROSES: Perfect gift for Stephanie Seymour.
- 8 MICHAEL BOLTON: A first week like that would make anyone forget about Nicolette.
- 9 BEAVIS & BUTT-HEAD: Coming up, the boys befriend an aging rock star & kick-start her sales.
- 10 BRYAN HUTTENHOWER: His fielding deserves a golden glove.

QUICK H.I.T.S

The adds this week at VH-1 are U2 (Isl/PLG), Celine Dion (550 Music)

and Wilson Sisters (SBK/ ERG). Donald Fagen is in Five Star rotation and Jackson Browne (Elektra) is the Artist Of The Month.

Marky's Drawers Dropped

Calvin Klein has reportedly decided not to renew its contract with Marky Mark as the spokesbody for their underwear line. The rapper won't be jockey-less for long, however. Marky is apparently being pursued by Japanese investors to bankroll his own line of undergarments. Tentative names include "Funky Bunch," "Racing Stripes," "Wedgiewear" and "Strategic Bulge."

Hooray For Hollywood



Hollywood Records new signing **Brian Setzer** celebrates his exclusive, longterm booking at Euro-Disney, where the French are reticent and Mickey will have to do with a little less brie this winter. Pictured just before going home to watch their favorite TV show, "Who's The Boss?," are (I-r): Sr. VP Promo Brenda Romano, Manager Dave Kaplan, the very presidential-looking VP A&R **Bob Pfeifer**, Brian and VP Marketing **Jim Martone**.

UICK

The Top Ten best selling singles of the week are #1 DRS (Capitol), #2 Meat Loaf (MCA), #3 Ace Of Base (Arista), #4 Salt-N-Pepa

(NP/Lon/PLG), #5 Xscape (Columbia), #6 Janet Jackson (Virgin), #7 2Pac (Interscope/Atl G), #8 Mariah Carey (Columbia), #9 Tevin Campbell (A&M) and #10 Toni Braxton (Arista).

Hail Gloria

Gloria Estefan has been named "Musicares Person of the Year" by NARAS for helping victims of Florida's Hurricane Andrew by donating monies from several benefit concerts and royalties from her new single, "Always Tomorrow." Estefan will be honored with a banquet at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York on February 27 for Grammy Week, where she will have an opportunity to catch up on her sleep during Michael Greene's speech.

Thanksgiving Photo



Tom Jones: From what we hear. Mrs. Bobbitt would have had to use a machete.

QUICK

The Top Ten most requested videos this week at The Box are #1 Eazy-E (Relativity), #2 DRS (Capitol), #3 Salt-N-Pepa (NP/Lon/PLG), #4 Snoop Doggy Dogg (DR/ Int/Atl G), #5 Total Devastation (Arista), #6 R. Kelly (live), #7 2 Pac (Int/Atl G), #8 Babyface (Epic), #9 Bloods & Crips (Quality) and #10 Meat Loaf (MCA).

INTO YOUR ARMS

ON OVER 75 STATIONS!

Q99 add WPLY add

TOP TWENTY ACTION!

MUSIC TELEVISION*
BUZZ BIN!

99X	#4	KROQ	#13
KITS	#5	B97	#14
WENZ	#7	7100	#17

WDRE #8

INNER CIRCLE

ROCK WITH YOU

CONTINUED EARLY GROWTH!

WKSS PWRPIG add #13 29-18 WOVV add **Z90 WNNK KZ93** add 23-19 **KHTN** add 24-20 **KG95 KISX** 28-21 add **WPRR WQGN KKXX** deb 23 add **B94** 29-25

KJ103 33-30 **WTIC** deb 30

BIG BEAT

BIG REAT

R BINS

WHAT I DO BEST

ON OVER 35 STATIONS!

KGGI add WKSE #20 WPGC #26 WIOQ #28

KKMG add PWRPIG #22 Q99 #27

KBXX #24 MORE AIRPLAY: WTIC

92Q #9 KTFM #25 Z90 WHHH WWKX 26-19 WXKS 29-26 HOT102 WKSS



HITS

FOR INDIE PROMOTERS, THE TIMES THEY ARE



WHO'S STUPID ENOUGH TO CLAIM THIS CARTOON?

1	TITLE ADDAMS FAMILY VALUES	WEEKEND GROSS 14.1m	PER SCREEN AVERAGE 5478	TOTAL GROSS 14.1m	SOUND TRACK PLG
2	THREE MUSKETEERS	8.0m	3821	21.5m	H'Wood
3	CARLITO'S WAY	5.9m	3615	17.9m	Epic Sdtrx
4	MY LIFE	5.3m	4120	12.4m	_
5	MAN'S BEST FRIEND	3.9m	3165	3.9m	_
6	NIGHTMARE BEFORE	3.3m	2050	38.9m	Disney
7	THE REMAINS OF	2.7m	5282	7.4m	Angel
8	COOL RUNNINGS	2.5m	1612	51.5m	Chaos
9	THE BEVERLY HILLBILLIES	2.0m	1209	37.0m	Fox
10	THE PIANO	1.5m	15175	1.8m	Virgin

RUNDOWN OF EXECUTIVES ON THE MOV









KEYTON

wen "Loose" Lipsky has been promoted to Sr. VP Research & Planning for MTV: Music Television by network President/Business Director "Buono" Sara Levinson. Ms. Lipsky will oversee research efforts for the network, assessing audience reaction to programming and advertising, exploring attitudes and trends affecting the audience themselves and serving as Beavis & Butt-Head's wardrobe advisor... Jeffrey "She's Got A Brand-New Set of Roller-Skates, He Has A Brand-New" Keyton has been named Vice President Off-Air Creative at MTV by the channel's Sr. VP Marketing Howard Handler "With Care." In his new post, Keyton will be responsible for keeping Beavis & Butt-Head supplied with Bic lighters... Mark "Goo" Ghuneim has been upped to VP Video Promotion for Columbia Records by label VP/GM "Better Dead Than" Fred Ehrlich. Ghuneim will be responsible for the placement and promotion of Columbia artists' music videos by kissing serious MTV butt.... Yvette "Has A Thing For Al" Gorman has been promoted to Associate Producer Television & Radio Production, Creative Services, Sony Music by Director Film, Television & Radio Production Yvonne "Seven Days In" May. In this capacity, Ms.

Gorman will be producing radio spots, product shots and graphics, auditioning new voiceovers and providing support to freelance and staff producers in the way of expense account lunches... Hans "Across The Water" Haedelt has been named Manager A&R for MCA Records by label Exec. VP A&R Ron "It's Not Over Until It's" Oberman. Hans will be responsible for finding and developing new talent for MCA Records, starting in the A&R department... Christopher "After Hours, Likes To Dress Up As Julia" Roberts has been named President Poly-Gram Classics & Jazz in the U.S. by President/CEO Alain "When The" Levy "Breaks." Prior to his appointment, Roberts studied Berlin Cabaret Music in Germany, where he lip-synced to old Marlene Dietrich records... Larry "Won't Eat Baked Beans Because He Doesn't" Wanagas has been appointed President of Mute Records by label Chairman Daniel Miller "Time." President of his own Bumstead Prods., Wanagas manages kd lang and owns a beef cattle ranch in Kansas... Denise Brown- "Grassy" Noel was named a partner in the entertainment law firm of Mayer, Katz, Baker, Leibowitz & Roberts, P.C. Brown-Noel was previously with the firm of Dewey, Cheatham & Howe.









Tom Petty & the Hearth Kers

The New Single From Greatest Hits, The First-Ever Collection Of Their Classics

For Anyone Who Cares About American Rock From Where It's Been To Where It's Going

Produced By Rick Rubin With Tom Petty And Mike Campbell

Add Dates: NOVEMBER 29-30

Management: Tony Dimitriades For East End Management

LINDA RONSTADT

HEARTBEATS ACCELERATING

THE FIRST SINGLE AND VIDEO FROM HER NEW ALBUM

WINTER LIGHT

Produced by GEORGE MASSENBURG and LINDA RONSTADT WITH PETER ASHER.

Management: IRA KOSLOW for PETER ASHER MANAGEMENT, INC.

ON OVER 40 STATIONS!

WKRZ	add	B97	deb	24
WNNK	add	WBBQ	deb	35
KISX	add	KTUX	deb	38
KKRD	add			
K106	add	MIX96	#18	3
KZII	add	KHTT	37-3	1
OK95	add			



10.000 MANIACS

BECAUSE THE NIGHT

The premiere single and video from the new album

mtv unplugged™

Produced by Paul Fox



WXSR

add



10 NEW ADDS INCLUDING: STR94 8-4 WAQQ Q106/San Diego 9-6 **B97** KDWB/Minneapolis 12-7 Q102/Cincinnati Z100 WZPL/Indianapolis KIIS 16-13







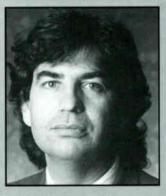


On Elektra Compact Discs and and Cassettes

I.B. BAD, LOS ANGELES

Whose active buyer is more active, Snoop's or Guns'? We'll see next week when both albums hit the charts.... Look for David Simone to assume the helm of PolyGram Music Publishing. Simone's been hanging at Capitol in the Biz Affairs domain.... Speaking of publishing, despite chatter to the contrary, the mega-deal for Michael Jackson's ATV catalog is a done one, with administration duties going to EMI. Chatter has the deal in the \$200 million area, including acquisition bucks, but not in-Jackson's cluding songs.... Final Jackson note has Jerry Breslauer exiting as embattled superstar's Business Manager. Look for Marshall Gelfond to be the numbers cruncher.... Speculators speculating that Fred Rosen's take from the \$300 million Ticketmaster deal is around the 10% area Don't look for that muchrumored-about move by Warren Entner into the label fold. Expect a joint venture between the Manager and Imago to go down.... So who is the next very hot manager to be bought out by a major label and recruited into its executive ranks?.... Sony/Pace officially opens up shop in El Lay with

Simone Says



David Simone: Poty wanna President.

goes on.

former Nederlander gunslinger Hal Lazareff manning the fort.... There are major rumblings of a restructuring of the North American division of an international music monolith Look for Jay Cooper to be accompanied to Manatt, Phelps & Phillips by fellow barristers Jonathan Haft and Jerry Margolis Then there's the tale of one successful band, with only a couple of albums left on its current worldwide deal. The band hates the UK label it's currently signed with, but is more than happy with its U.S. counterpart. An appeal to said company's international ruler is denied and the band is told to renegotiate with the UK. Is it shopping time?... Cher finished living the spa life in preparation for her appearance in the upcoming "Beavis & Butt-Head" video Rumors abound of one label creative exec. assuming management chores for one of said label's superstars.... Back in the land of Promotion in a brave new BDS world, wonderers are wondering how long labels will grade their Promo Depts. on the volume of adds, and not spins. Has "How many adds you get this week?" gone the way of the eight-track?....
A&M ruler Al Cafaro returns from the Big Apple. Were contract renegotiations on his itinerary?... In the wake of the shuttering of Chameleon by Elektra, tons of buzzing over the band Kyuss. Will they stay at Elektra or fall to major courting?.... Capitol silences critics of the disbanding of its Black Music Division by breaking DRS and US3.... Names in the Rumor Mill: Mickey Shapiro, Dennis Fine, Alex Hodges, Nick Rhodes and John Reid and the beat





HERS

Palm Sunday

Dave:

Who would have thought I'd be reduced to giving hand jobs to journalists? Enclosed please find a great promotional item for "Addams Family Values."

Best, Susan Clary VP Publicity PLG

Dave replies: Thanks for the gesture, Susan, but you know that activity is exclusively reserved for Jenkins.

Watch Along the Rhino

Dear Roy:

In our relentless pursuit of perfection, we in Rhino publicity seek to create press materials that are as functional and fun as possible. Since we value your opinion, we're sending you this survey, figuring your feedback and suggestions will help us create press material that'll serve you better.

Since we also appreciate the value of your time, we made the survey fun and easy to complete in 10 minutes or less, and included an SASE so you can send it back to us right away. We have a special prize for you if you're among the first 50 respondents! Thanks for your help.

Your friends in Rhino publicity Los Angeles, CA

Roy replies: Did I hear anyone say Otis Redding box set?

Davis Tries Harder

Dear Joe:

Someone pinch me. You mean a one-stop buyer actually listened to one of our advance cassettes?

This Frank Davis at Angott One-Stop is one sharp pinhead, but he's not the only one who thinks Ovis is a chart-topper.

Positive tests at over a dozen Top 40s like WYYS, WHHY,

Y93 and KTRS have convinced us to push the button for Ovis in January of '94.

I'm sending a copy to Ivana to get her blessing. Have a swell November.

Rich Schmidt Director of Marketing Restless Records

Joe replies: Forget Ovis, Rich... Davis only wants to know if Restless has an Underassistant Midwest Regional Promotion position open for him.

Life of Riley

Dear Joe:

I just wanted to thank you one more time for taking time out of your busy schedule and calling me, with what was very helpful advice. The A&R tipsheets and demo review services are great sources, not to mention the fanzines. I have really been focused on getting a scout position and feel I may be close to getting my foot in the door.

Thanks again for all your help, and please keep in touch. Also, if I'm not out of line by asking, a mention of my name in "Buzzin" in "Wheels & Deals" could be what I need to nail this scout position. Thanks!!

Peace, Timothy Patrick Riley Glen Parrish Mgmt. Hollywood, CA

Joe replies: Timbo, my good buddy, the only chance you have of getting your foot in the proverbial door is to dress for success. In fact, here's a picture of the last person whose career we turned around by suggesting just a little bit of flambovance.



FAR TRUTHS

BY RACHEL FELDER, NEW YORK

We've all heard about the serious game of industry musical chairs a handful of labels are about to play, so it was particularly fun this week to hang out at the bash to launch the new-and-improved Geffen N.Y.C. office. Revelling in the label's oomphed-up E. Coast presence were Mark Kates, Ed Rosenblatt, Wendy Goldstein, Hans Haedelt, Jill Johnson, Kathleen Murphy, Elliot Groffman, John Titta, Jim Merlis, Dennis Dennehy, Amanda Scheer and Joe Bosso, who were on the lookout to score an early copy of the Beavis & Butt-head album in mid-schmooze... Needless to say, the bulk of that list was also at Nirvana's two shows here this week, as were Ron Stone, John Silva, Janet Billig, Amy Fin-

JFK Jr. Faves



Stereolab: A band with Democratic appeal.

nerty, Shelby Meade, Lauren Spencer and a heard of moshers... And speaking of kids, there were loads at the Cranberries SRO show at the Manhattan Center Ballroom (they must've spoken to the Waldorf about the joys of elevators at rock events) along with Denny Cordell, Jesse Obstbaum, Eric Levine, John Vlautin, Karen Yee and Rachel Mintz... It was worth braving the Grand to see Stereolab and Unrest. Checking both out were David Bither, Bonnie Burkert, Jon and Tracy Leshay, Danny Kahn. Tommy Valentino.

Beth Jacobson, Faith Henschel, Mary Marcus, Michael Goldstone, Jonathan Rifkind, Terry Tolkin and Jake Ottman. And let us not forget indie fan John Kennedy Jr., who not only showed up, but was as much of an attraction to the audience as the bands were. Any chance of dumping Daryl Hannah for Stereolab's luscious Laetitia Sadier or Unrest's cool bassist Bridget Cross?... Later that night, the Boo Radleys (who rule) drew Josh Rosenthal, Todd Bisson, Peter Shershin, Mitchell Cohen, Nick Cucci, Peter Koepke, Ken Friedman, Rebecca Carroll, Lauren Zelisko, Bryan Huttenhower and our own Karen Glauber to Limelight... MCA hosted a gala record release party for Jody Watley's "Intimacy" at Laura Belle for Universalites Glen Lajeski, Andre Fischer, Randy Miller, A.D. Washington and Bobby Shaw with celebs spotted including RuPaul, Lawrence Taylor, Jellybean Benitez, Andre Cymone and Andre Harrell... Spotted at a CB's bill of Best Kissers/Chainsaw Kittens/Mother May I: Mike Mena, Ken Weinstein, Bill Pfeifer, Tom Cording, Peter Rauh and Lewis Largent... Guilty pleasure of the week: the "Carlito's Way" soundtrack on Epic, filled with '70s faves like "Lady Marmalade" and "Rock The Boat." ... Mike Gitter, Peter Wright and Andrew Stephanopoulos were dancing to the Mekons at Irving Plaza this week. How come it wasn't more crowded for this oh-so-ruling band?... Hanging at Counting Crowes/Cracker there the following night were John Sykes. Gary Gersh, Kathy Gillis, Meryl Wheeler and Mike Stone ... Shows we're psyched about: The Jesus Lizard and Curve - not together, mind you — both playing Irving Plaza in mid-December, not to mention Uncle Tupelo at Maxwell's also that month.

hi-five



never should've let you

25 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!

B 96	add	WZPL	16-11	KZHT	19-16
Z90	add	92Q	#12	KS104	22-20
PWR96	add	KMEL	#13	B94	28-24
7104	- 44	TOTAL TIME	44 7 17		

add PRO-FM #13 THE FIRST KCHX add WXKS #16 SINGLE FROM KDWB 25-16 "SISTER ACT 2"





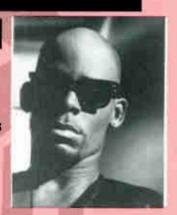
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26 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS! #31 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!

OVER 500,000 SINGLES SOLD! - OVER 350,000 ALBUMS! DEBUT 23* BILLBOARD TOP 200 ALBUM CHART!

KKFR add WHIX 1-1 920 18-11 WWKX 20-18 WPGC deb 23 KWIN add KBXX HMLW 14-12 #19 8-3 KSOL PWRPIG 27-24 KKSS add WCKZ 10-6 FM102 #13 KTFM #21 WHHH 26-24 HOT102 #6 KUBE #18 WIOO 27-23 KMEL 29-26



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32 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!

31 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS!

OVER 700,000 ALBUMS! SALES:

OVER 410,000 SINGLES!

WWXX add WHYT 12-9 WHHH 30-26 BREAKING AT: HOT97.7

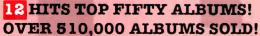
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WHJX WAIA

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19-13

24-18

add

PWR106 #21 KMEL 26-21 WIOO #24

deb 29

WCKZ

BREAKING AT:

KBXX







HISBOUND

Def Leppard is Most Added, along with parental faves Beavis & Butt-head, huh, huh. More sales and adds for US3, as MTV moves to Buzz Bin. Zapp takes off, jumping 40-29 Singles. The **Chairman** hits **#1 Albums**, as **Bolton** and **Petty** debut at 3 & 6. Petty grabs **Wildcard**, too. 'Tis the season (for retail) to be jolly. **NOTE:** MTV totals unavailable.

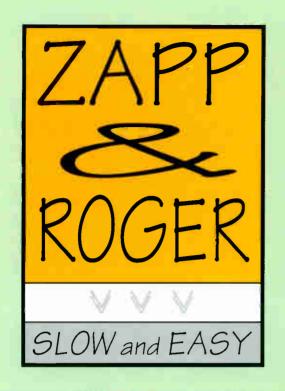
ONS = Total stations reporting airplay
ADDS = Total stations reporting new play

DEBUTS = Records moving from Add or Extra to a number **AGGRESSIVES** = Playlist moves of 4 or more MTV = Total plays for the week / Total plays since first aired

AVG. MOVE = Total playlist moves divided by (Ons minus Adds)

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	оиѕ	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	MTV	AVG MOVE
MARIAH CAREY #2 Singles, #7 Albums, #5 R	HERO lequests, she's hot - Jerry's no	COLUMBIA ot.	197	1	1	34	14/0	2.22
JANET JACKSON #1 Singles, #1 Requests, #1	AGAIN 1 Albums, WKSE adds (is it a	VIRGIN hit Brian?)	187	1	1	4	22/0	-0.39
BRYAN ADAMS #5 Albums, #2 Requests, #9	PLEASE Singles, smashski (note ski r	A&M reference - is it Xm	173 as yet?)	1	3	27	9/0	1.88
TONI BRAXTON #7 Singles, #10 Albums, #10	BREATHE Requests, closing at KDWB	LAF/ARISTA WZPL, KHFI, MIZ	168 ×96.	14	14	66	10/0	3 .38
BRYAN/ROD/STING	ALL FOR LOVE quests, more play at KDWB, V	A&M/HWD	164	8	62	113	0/0	7.04
TEVIN CAMPBELL #6 Singles, #24 Albums, #14	CAN WE TALK 4 Requests, new at STR94, V	QWEST/WB /RVQ, WKDD.	163	3	5	39	7/0	2.42
MICHAEL BOLTON Deb 3 Albums, #14 Singles,	SAID I LOVED #13 Requests, added at 895	COLUMBIA	161	2	2	56	0/0	3.23
PHIL COLLINS Deb 9 Albums, #20 Singles,	BOTH SIDES #15 Requests, good retail we	ATL/ATL G	161	0	1	38	8/0	2.16
BOBBY/WHITNEY Picks up more play this wee	SOMETHING k at KGGI, WAPE, KYIS, good	MCA d moves at radio.	150	6	10	64	14/0	3.65
JIMMY CLIFF #36 Singles, picks up majors	I CAN SEE s at Z100, KIIS, WPLJ, kudos	CHAOS Chaos.	149	8	4	62	0/0	2.93
10,000 MANIACS #13 Albums, #33 Singles, D	BECAUSE THE eb 20 Requests, new at Q100	ELEKTRA 6, Q102, WZPL, K	144 DWB.	10	12	50	13/0	3.25
BILLY JOEL #14 Albums, #34 Singles, no	ALL ABOUT ew at Q99, moves 25-20 B94	COLUMBIA	145	2	2	39	0/0	2.6
CRANBERRIES #18 Singles, #20 Albums, #1	LINGER 8 Requests, closing with KS1	ISL/PLG 04, Y100, 10-9 KII	139 S, 20-16 WPL	14 J.	12	58	20/0	3.57
CULTURE BEAT	MR. VAIN strong moves including 11-9	550 MUSIC	131	4	14	54	0/0	3.66
JOSHUA KADISON	JESSIE p more majors at PRO-FM, V	SBK/ERG	130	7	9	29	0/0	2.31
HI-FIVE	NEVER v at B96, Z90, PWR96, moves	JIVE	122	5	8	23	0/0	2.09
UB40	HIGHER GROUND ks up with KMEL, KHKS, WN	VIRGIN	118	14	15	35	0/0	2.48
ZHANE'	HEY MR. DJ more airplay this week at KJ	FU/EPIC	117	2	4	15	13/0	0.56
COLOR ME BADD Deb 30 Albums, #23 Single	TIME & CHANCE	GIANT	116	0	7	27	4/0	2.34

HITS November 29, 1993



40-29 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!

43 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS!

17* BDS CROSSOVER CHART - 720 TOTAL BDS SPINS!

DEBUT 40* R&R CHART!

250,000 ALBUMS SOLD!

ON OVER 50 STATIONS!

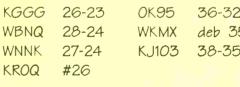
KISF	add	WHYT	#10
		MMLW	#11
KGGI	#5	KSÓL	14-12
PWR106	#6	Z90	20-12
KKFR	9-6	KZHT	17-14
KMEL	12-7	H0T102	deb 19
WWKX	9-7	FM102	23-20





ALBUM APPROACHING 400,000 SALES! ON AT OVER 50 STATIONS!

KRBE	add	WPST	30-26
KQIZ	add	WAAL	deb 28
		WIFC	31-28
KPLZ	22-20	WAQQ	deb 30
Z102	28-20	KQIX	34-31
KGGG	26-23	0K95	36-32
WBNQ	28-24	WKMX	deb 35
WNNK	27-24	KJ103	38-35
KRAA	#2G		



ADDITIONAL AIRPLAY AT:

WDRE KTUX KHTT AND MORE! 99X WYKS



BUZZ CLIP!



EARLY	ACTION!	MORE AIR	PLAY:		
KISR	20-12	WBBO add	CK105	Z104	WHTO
WKSE	25-23	WXKS	KKSS	K106	XMLW
WKBQ	#24	STR94	WERZ	KQIX	WZKX
WKSS	deb 28	98PXY	WHHY	KQIZ	WZOQ
WKMX	deb 34	KJ103	WVSR	KYYY	

LOOK FOR "WAYNE'S WORLD 2" OPENING DEC. 10th!

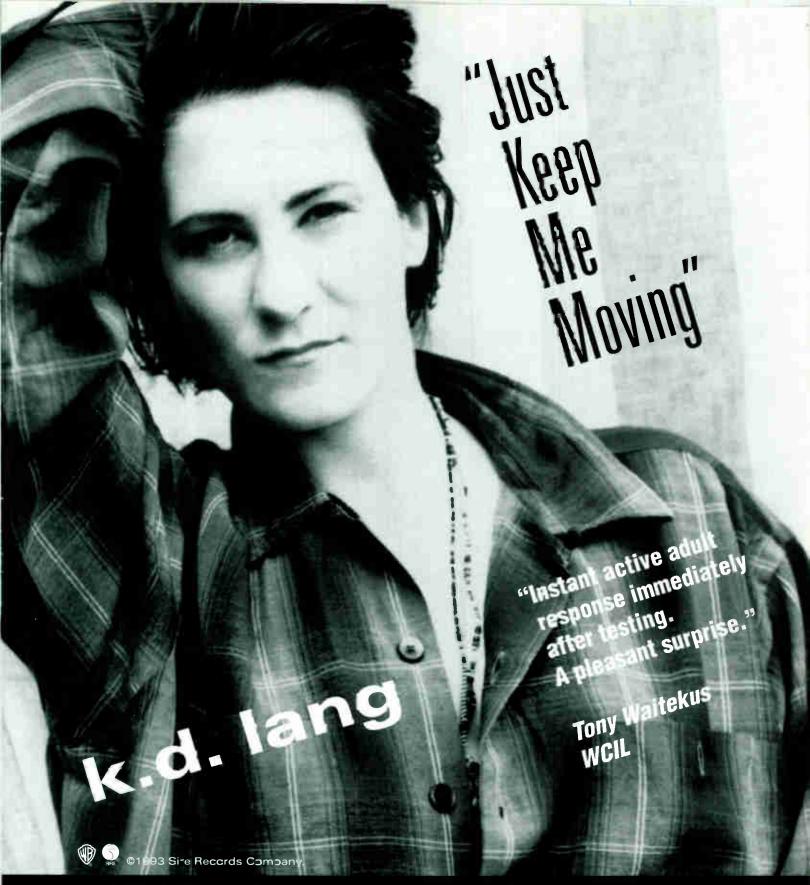




HISBOUND

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	оиѕ	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	MTV	AVG MOV
NEROSMITH Majors add this week at WX	AMAZ ING KS, STR94, WKBQ, XL106	GEFFEN and more.	110	12	51	38	0/0	3.81
GIN BLOSSOMS New play at PRO-FM, move	FOUND OUT s at B97 27-19, STR94 27-2	A&M	109	9	17	34	13/0	2.67
LTONKIKI Album out now with more pl	TRUE LOVE ay at WKSS, KQKQ, WPST,	MCA KKMG, KTUX and n	102 nore.	6	3	16	0/0	1.62
BABYFACE #17 Singles, #41 Albums, ad	NEVER KEEPING dded this week at PWR106,	EPIC WXKS, WJMN, KPLZ	99	16	14	17	0/0	2.12
SALT-N-PEPA #5 Singles, #6 Requests, #4	SHOOP 4 Albums, closing with KHK.	NP/ISL/PLG S, KDWB, WKBQ, Q	101 99.	9	3	24	19/0	2.42
DEF LEPPARD #1 Most Added this week in	MISS YOU cluding KPLZ, STR94, Y100	MERCURY , WAPE, WGTZ and	96 more.	92	0	1	0/0	2.75
SABRIELLE #30 Singles, more play at K	DREAMS RBE, 95WAQ, KZHT, 28-25	GO D/LON/PLG WHYT, 3-2 KISF.	94	13	5	12	0/0	1.25
EXPOSE Making gains in sales and a	AS LONG irplay with new add at WKDI	ARISTA	91	1	2	9	0/0	1.06
NOOP DOGGY DOG		DR/INT/ATL G	89	6	6	24	33/0	2.38
PEARL JAM #2 Albums, #12 Requests, I	DAUGHTER ots of airplay and more repor	EPIC ASSOC rted this week.	78	7	11	27	0/0	3.25
CELINE DION New majors at STR94, KISI	THE POWER	550 MUSIC Adult phones Q106.	76	13	8	24	0/0	2.92
DRS #3 Singles, #11 Requests, #	GANGSTA LEAN #34 Albums, new for WKBQ,	CAPITOL G105, lots of Top 10	74	6	5	23	8/0	2.99
EMONHEADS Spreading from PoMo with a	INTO YOUR sales base increasing, new for	ATL/ATL G or Q99, WPLY.	74	2	5	10	13/0	1.81
& BUTT-HEAD/CHE #2 Most Added this week w	R I GOT YOU ith big reaction wherever pla	GEFFEN yed.	70	68	1	0	0/0	1.0
PRINCE Picks up more major marke	PEACH t play including WWHT, 95W	P PK/WB /AQ and Q99.	60	19	14	10	0/0	2.5
MATTHEW SWEET More support this week from	TIME CAPSULE on KMCK and WERZ, moves	ZOO 19-15 WENZ, 12-9 k	53 (ISR.	2	1	2	5/0	0.98
KENNY G Deb 48 Albums, new at KK	SENTIMENTAL FR and Q99, deb 24 FM102,	ARISTA , deb 16 B95, 24-15 h	52 (ISN.	16	8	7	0/0	1.62
BELLY Spreading with new play at	GEPETTO KRBE and KQIZ, #17 KWO	SIRE/REP D, #15 99X.	45	2	3	4	6/0	1.16
PAC	KEEP YOUR ew at PWR96, PWRPIG, mo	TNT/INT/ATL G		3	2	10	6/0	2.03
JS3 MTV BUZZ BIN! Good Ip sa	CANTALOOP ales, new at B94, B97, HOTS	BN/CAPITOL 977, KPLZ, WKSE, W	41 /CKZ, 95WA	14 Q.	8	4	4/0	1.73
APP & ROGER	SLOW & EASY nore support from KISF, KKX	REPRISE	41	4	2	6	0/0	2.16

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THE DEBUT SINGLE FROM "MUSIC FROM THE MOTION PICTURE SOUNDTRACK

EVEN COWGIRLS GET THE BLUES" (4/2-45433)

Written, Performed and Produced by k.d. lang and Ben Mink Additional Production by Ben Grosse Mixed by Ben Grosse, k.d. lang and Marc Ramaer



HISBOUND

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL (эиз	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	MTV	AVG MOV
ST PILOTS #47 Albums, new play from	CREEP Z100, KJ103, Deb 39 WENZ,	ATL/ATL G 36-33 WDRE.	41	6	5	7	21/0	2.14
PET SHOP BOYS Sales continue with more air	GO WEST rplay from WABB, moves 23-	EMI/ERG 21 WENZ.	38	1	2	12	0/0	2.35
INDA RONSTADT Building from Adult play with	HEARTBEATS Lp hitting the streets this wee	ELEKTRA ek, Deb 24 B97.	38	8	3	2	0/0	0.83
<7 #28 Singles, pick s up new p	COME BABY lay at PWR106, WPGC, 92Q	T BOY	38	3	1	3	5/0	0.64
ROZALLA Retro remake first week add	I LOVE MUSIC ds include WZPL, WHHH, WV	EPIC STRX WHT, WKSS and more	37	30	2	4	0/0	3.14
NNER CIRCLE Picks up more play from Wh	ROCK WITH KSS, WOVV, WNNK, KISX, V	BB/ATL/ATL G NQGN, 29-18 Z90.	32	6	5	8	0/0	2.65
AARON NEVILLE Continues to spread with ne	DON'T FALL w play at WLRW, moves 28-	A&M 24 WKMX.	31	1	6	5	0/0	1.1
ROBIN S New play from KGGI and K	WHAT I DO KMG, moves 29-26 WXKS, 2	BB/ATL/ATL G 6-19 WWKX.	28	2	0	2	0/0	1.16
L MELENDEZ More major adds this week	GOODY GOODY at KSOL, WHHH, KHKS, mo	FEV/RAL/CHAOS ves 19-16 PWRPIG.	28	7	2	5	0/0	2.2
JACKSON BROWNE #40 Albums, VH1 Artist of T	I'M ALIVE The Month, new for WVSR, K	ELEKTRA 106, WHHY, WPRR.	28	5	7	7	0/0	2.43
ROBIN ZANDER Hanging in there with more	SHOW ME play from WQGN, moves 35-	INT/ATL G 28 Z102.	26	1	3	4	0/0	1.44
SHAI Making gains with major ad	YOURS ds at WPGC, KKFR, WJMO,	GA/MCA WHHH, KTFM.	26	8	3	6	0/0	2.76
DARYL HALL New single picks up more a	STOP LOVING adds including WXSR, WYKS,	EPIC WSTW amd WERZ.	25	4	0	3	0/0	0.86
XSCAPE #22 Albums, Ip track picks u	UNDERSTANDING up more reports at WIOQ, WV		25	4	2	11	0/0	4.48
TIA CARRERE Wayne's World II opens 12	I NEVER /12 with more play this week a	REPRISE at WBBO.	24	1	2	1	0/0	0.78
R KELLY #31 Singles, #26 Albums, n	SEX ME nore adds from KKFR, KWIN	JIVE and WKSS.	22	3	2	7	0/0	2.68
DAS EFX Deb 18 Albums, #41 Single	FREAKIT s, new radio support at KZH1	EW/ATL G and WGTZ.	22	2	2	2	0/0	1.65
DOMINO Deb 50 Singles, early sales	GETTO JAM and more reports at KKFR &	OB/RAL/CHAOS FM102, 28-20 WPGO	22 5, 14-7 PW	3 /R106.	7	8	0/0	3.0
SOUL ASYLUM More airplay this week from	SOMEBODY WNVZ, PWR92,WKHI, OK9	COLUMBIA 5, WPRR, WABB.	21	8	4	3	0/0	1.38
PM DAWN #23 Albums (Jimi tribute), a	YOU GOT ME lready in rotation at KROQ, K	G ST/ISL/PLG PLZ, Z100, B97, WJM	21 IO and mo	18 ore.	0	0	0/0	-1.0
CHANTAY SAVAGE	BETCHA'LL IYT. PWRPIG, KTFM, WTIC,	RCA	19	12	3	2	0/0	2.14

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HITSBOUND

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	ONS	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	MTV	AVG MOVE
BIG HEAD TODD Cool band picks up out of the	BITTERSWEET box adds at Z102, K106, K	GIANT TMT, KTUX and mo	19 re.	18	0	1	0/0	4.0
TO BE CONTINUED More airplay this week include	ONE ON ONE ing HOT977, WHHH, KDW	EW/ATL G B, KLUC, KPRR.	19	5	3	1	0/0	1.71
DON HENLEY Big research from Adult play a	SIT DOWN and picking up more Top 40	MCA reports.	18	-1	0	4	0/0	-0.18
REALITY Novelty continues to react and	YOLANDA d picks up more Top 40 rep	S RHYTHM orts.	18	3	1	3	0/0	1.93
EAZY E #16 Albums, #35 Singles, big	REAL COMPTON reaction wherever played.	RUTH/REL	16	1	1	5	0/0	3.13
INXS More adds this week at KQK0	TIME Q, KGGG, KCHX, KMGZ al	ATL/ATL G and Z102, 11-6 99X.	16	5	3	6	0/0	2.91
ULTRA NATE' Buzzing and picking up repon	SHOW ME ts at Z90, FM102, KKMG, Is	WB 94, KHTN.	15	5	2	0	0/0	0.8
AWESOME 3 Big reaction in the west with n	DON'T GO nore play at Q99, Top 5 Z96	AMER/WB 0, 34-28 KRBE.	16	1	0	3	0/0	1.14
COLLAGE Dance hit spreads with more	I'LL BE LOVING Top 40 play including KUBB	METRO	14	1	3	3	0/0	5.0
FEM 2 FEM Out of the box (closet?) this w	OBSESSION reek including WXKS, Z90,	CRITIQUE WJMO, Q99, KTFM.	12	12	0	0	0/0	0.0
APACHE INDIAN Reaction wherever played wit	BOOM SHACK h another report from WCIL	MANG O ., 13-12 KZHT.	12	1	2	2	0/0	1.91
MINT CONDITION Early support from KSOL, WH	U SEND ME HHH, KKMG, KFFM and Q	PERS/A&M 105.	11	5	1	1	0/0	4.17
QUEEN LATIFAH Deb 28 JAMS, label debut bu	U.N.I.T.Y. ilding with adds at WJMN, I	MOTOWN WHJX, WJMH, WWK	11 (X, Q105.	5	0	3	2/0	3.83
JODECI More early reports from KMEL	CRY FOR YOU	UPT/MCA	10	5	0	3	3/0	4.8



TRANSPORTATION, INC.



REQUESTS

American Airlines calls for "Fly Like An Eagle".

LW	TW	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	нотѕ	INCL	UDIN	G	%
1	1	JANET JACKSON	AGAIN	VIRGIN	118	B96 KRBE	KIIS 194	Q99 WPLJ	57
4	2	BRYAN ADAMS	PLEASE FORGIVE ME	A&M	114	PWR96 WYYS	B97 Q106	WWHT Q102	55
2	3	MEAT LOAF	I'D DO ANYTHING	MCA	93	B94 WRVQ	WKSE WZYP	WXKS WQXA	45
3	4	ACE OF BASE	ALL THAT SHE WANTS	ARISTA	89	WJMO KOKZ	KTFM WZPL	WENZ WGTZ	43
5	5	MARIAH CAREY	HERO	COLUMBIA	78	KKRZ WAPE	92Q WSPK	KIIS WZOQ	37
7	6	SALT-N-PEPA	SHOOP	NP/LON/PLG	51	WPGC WHJX	KBXX WKSS	HOT97 WFHN	24
6	7	XSCAPE	JUST KICKIN' IT	COLUMBIA	50	HOT102 WCIL	Y107 WA1A	Q105 KRQ	24
11	8	CRANBERRIES	LINGER	ISL/PLG	43	WENZ KRBE	KIIS G105	KISF WPLY	20
8	9	SNOOP DOGG	WHAT'S MY NAME?	DR/INT/ATL G	40	B96 KMEL	FM102 WHHH	KJMZ WW KX	19
15	10	TONI BRAXTON	BREATHE AGAIN	LAF/ARISTA	37	KS104 WPRR	KTFM KOKZ	G105 WYKS	17
9	11	DRS	GANGSTA LEAN	CAPITOL	36	HOT97 B95	KBXX WHYT	Y97 KI X Y	17
19	12	PEARL JAM	DAUGHTER	EPIC ASSOC	32	Z100 WVIC	KRBE KMCK	WMME Q99	15
20	13	MICHAEL BOLTON	SAID I LOVED YOU	COLUMBIA	29	WKQI WSTW	WRQX WDJX	WRVQ KQKQ	14
18	14	TEVIN CAMPBELL	CAN WE TALK	QWEST/WB	28	WPGC KKRZ	FLY92 WHHH	WTIC WQGN	13
12	15	PHIL COLLINS	BOTH SIDES	ATL/ATL G	27	MIX96 WIFC	KKRD WWZZ	KYIS KIMN	13
	16	ADAMS/ROD/STING	ALL FOR LOVE	A&M/HWD	26	B97 WZKX	WAPE	Q106 WSNX	12
16	17	CULTURE BEAT	MR. VAIN	550 MUSIC	25	KKMG KTRS	WNNK WRHT	PWR96 XL106	12
13	18	ZHANE'	HEY MR. DJ	FU/EPIC	20	WDJX KPSI	WKSS KLUC	KMGZ KKMG	9
	19	JOSHUA KADISON	JESSIE	SBK/ERG	18	WKDD WKHQ	WPLJ WRKY	WRQK KTUX	8
	20	10,000 MANIACS	BECAUSE THE NIGHT	ELEKTRA	17	95WAQ Z100	WCIR KGGG	WA1A 99KG	8

Total stations reporting this week: 206

ONE OF THE MOST ADDED AGAIN!

20 NE	W ADDS INCLUDING:	WMGV	23-18
WWHT	add	KGGG	30-24
WAQQ	add	KKMG	28-25
WGTZ	add	WIXX	30-26
195	add	KDWB	39-28
JET-FM	add	K106	35-31
		KHTT	40-33
14 DEBI	JTS INCLUDING:	KTRS	39-36

PWRPIG deb 26 WHTO 40-37 PRO-FM deb 28 KGOT 40-37

EARDICKS WINNER!

ALSO ON AT:

WHYT WKSE

AND MANY MORE!



"PEACH"





STATSHET

ARTIST	AVERAGE MOVE	AGGRESSIVES (4 or more)	TOP 10	TOP 5	REQUESTS (1 to 10)	Lp SALES (1 to 10)	45 SALES (1 to 10)
ADAMS/STEWART/STING	7.02	112	10	1	8	2	8
XSCAPE	4.48	11	9	5	4	8	-
AEROSMITH	3.83	38	0	0	5	5	2
BOBBY BROWN/WHITNEY	3.65	63	5	0	3	1	-
CULTURE BEAT	3.63	53	17	5	7	1	7
CRANBERRIES	3.58	58	25	10	8	9	8
10,000 MANIACS/UNPLG	3.26	50	17	6	7	9	4
PEARL JAM/VS	3.25	27	13	9	10	10	-
MICHAEL BOLTON	3.23	56	63	16	8	10	9
DOMINO	3.00	8	2	0	6	-	7
JIMMY CLIFF	2.93	62	20	6	6	2	3
CELINE DION	2.90	23	1	0	5	5	2
R. KELLY	2.68	7	4	2	4	8	9
GIN BLOSSOMS	2.67	34	4	1	5	5	1
BILLY JOEL	2.60	39	36	1	.5	9	5
PRINCE/BOX	2.56	10	0	0	1	2	2
UB40/PROMISES & LIES	2.48	35	7	1	1	3	3
JACKSON BROWNE	2.43	7	0	0	1	5	·
COLOR ME BADD	2.35	27	11	1	6	8	9
SNOOP DOGGY DOGG	2.31	23	19	3	9		-
JOSHUA KADISON	2.31	29	42	16	7	1	2
PHIL COLLINS	2.16	38	73	16	8	10	6
ZAPP & ROGER	2.16	6	7	1	2	6	8
STONE TEMPLE PILOTS	2.14	7	0	0	1	7	-
BABYFACE	2.110	17	10	4	3	6	9
HI-FIVE	2.1	23	29	6	3	1	7
2PAC	2.05	10	16	9	5	7	10

Average Move: The average upward radio playlist movement of the single.

Aggressive Moves: The number of key reporters moving the single up four or more positions on their playlist.

Top 10/Top 5: The number of reporting playlists showing Top 10 and Top 5 positioning.

Requests: Based on hot phone mentions from our reporters, listed on a 1-10 scale, 10 being strongest.

Lp Sales: Piece count reports from leading merchandisers on a 1-10 scale.

45 Sales: Based on reports from key retailers and one-stops. Info is on a 1-10 scale.

Z90 add @ 23

FM102 add

194 add

KHTN add

KKMG add

KFFM deb 40

KGOT deb 40



92Q #20

PWRPIG #20

WHHH 25-22

KDON #31

ALSO ON AT:

KKFR

HOT97.7

WJMO





THE RATINGS ARE IN...

WINHAUL

At first glance, it appears that the results of the summer Arbitron does not really say much for either the growth or demise of the Top 40 format. At closer range, three obvious trends surface: (1) The format is alive and well both at major and secondary level in markets where format-exclusive stations finish Top 5 both 12+ and 18-34. (2) Post-Modern leaning Top 40s with their strong, activeaudience base continue a positive growth. And (3) while shares may have levelled off for Top 40s in general, a proliferation of stations at country and adult radio makes for exclusive ground for stations remaining in format. This time, we'll look at few "key" market battles, and acknowledge those market dominators in the format.

NEW YORK CITY: The story is the explosion of Z100 who adopted a more aggressive posture toward new, fresh Post-Modern music. It worked. Both WPLJ and HOT97 remained steady across the board. The interesting battle between Urbans WRKS and WBLS warms up as Jerry Clifton enters the fray and 'BLS heads more "street."

12+	18-34	25-54				
6.5	10.4	5.5				
5.8	9.2	4.9				
5.8	8.5	5.0				
5.7	8.5	4.8				
Latest Trend 12+: 5.9						
	6.5 5.8 5.8 5.7	5.8 9.2 5.8 8.5 5.7 8.5				

	12+	18-34	25-54
Fall '92	3.6	4.6	2.9
Win '93	3.8	5.2	2.9
Spr '93	3.8	5.3	2.9
Sum '93	4.7	7.0	3.5
Latest 7	rend	12+:	4.6

7100

WRF2								
12+ 18-34 25-54								
Fall '92	4.4	6.4	5.2					
Win '93	4.4	6.6	4.7					
Spr '93	4.7	6.3	5.4					
Sum '93	4.1	6.3	4.9					
Latest 7	Latest Trend 12+: 4.2							

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44110							
	12+	18-34	25-54				
Fall '92	3.4	6.7	3.5				
Win '93	3.7	6.6	4.1				
Spr '93	4.0	7.4	4.8				
Sum '93	4.0	7.9	5.1				
Latest Trend 12+: 3.7							

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НОТ97				
	12+	18-34	25-54	
Fall '92	3.6	6.5	2.1	
Win '93	3.7	6.7	2.3	
Spr '93	3.6	6.4	2.8	
Sum '93	3.6	6.1	2.0	
Latest 7	rend	12+:	3.5	

LOS ANGELES: More of the status quo. Power 106 wins the street war. KIIS remains steady. KROQ off a bit but latest upward trend indicates book may have been bitten by ethnic weighting. Naftaly-led KKBT shows nice recovery.

PWR106				
	12+	18-34	25-54	
Fall '92	5.1	6.1	2.3	
Win '93	5.0	6.8	2.6	
Spr '93	5.0	6.2	2.5	
Sum '93	4.9	6.8	2.6	
Latest 7	Latest Trend 12+: 5.0			

KROQ					
	12+	18-34	25-54		
Fall '92	3.8	5.7	2.6		
Win '93	3.9	6.6	2.8		
Spr '93	4.3	7.7	2.9		
Sum '93	3.9	6.9	2.4		
Latest 1	rend	12+:	4.1		

KIIS AM/FM					
12+ 18-34 25-54					
Fall '92	4.2	5.0	3.6		
Win '93	4.4	5.1	4.0		
Spr '93	4.0	5.8	3.4		
Sum '93	3.9		3.2		
Latest Trend 12+: 3.9					

KKBT				
	12+	18-34	25-54	
Fall '92	3.1	4.9	2.7	
Win '93	3.4	5.4	3.1	
Spr '93	3.1	4.9	3.2	
Sum '93	3.3	4.7	3.0	
Latest Trend 12+: 3.3				

	12+	18-34	25-54
Fall '92	7.0	12.1	5.9
Win '93	7.8	12.2	5.9
Spr '93	8.3	13.1	7.7
Sum '93	7.7	11.7	6.6

Latest Trend 12+:

WXKS

BOSTON: The battle for Bunker Hill is drawing closer with each passing month! While **WXKS** continues to dominate, **WJMN** has made postive strides to make a game of it. Latest trend has the two separated by less than 1 1/2 points 12+.

MMM					
	12+	18-34	25-54		
Fall '92	4.5	7.0	3.7		
Win '93	4.0	7.2	3.0		
Spr '93	4.0	6.9	2.9		
Sum '93	5.8	8.9	3.7		
Latest 7	Trend	12+:	6.0		

SAN FRANCISCO: In a year's time, while KMEL has remained constant, KSOL has gained another share and a half! Speculation points to the additional cume picked up by massive media coverage of the Mancow "Morning Bridge Haircut Stunt!" If that's the case, crime may have paid!

KMEL					
	12+	18-34	25-54		
Fall '92	4.9	7.7	3.4		
Win '93	5.3	8.0	4.0		
Spr '93	4.4	7.1	2.6		
Sum '93	4	8.0	3.6		
Latest 7	rend	12+:	4.4		

KJOL					
	12+	18-34	25-54		
Fall '92	2.9	4.2	1.9		
Win '93	3.6	5.4	2.3		
Spr '93	3.9	6.9	2.5		
Sum '93	ātij,	6.6	2.8		
Latest Trend 12+: 4.5					

KCOI

KITS				
	12+	18-34	25-54	
Fall '92	2.6	5.7	2.6	
Win '93	2.4	4.9	2.0	
Spr '93	2.7	5.5	2.9	
Sum '93	217	5.7	2.8	
Latest	rend	12+:	2.5	

SAN DIEGO: It's a virtual dead heat. Q106 which exploded with the arrival of crosstown morning team Jeff & Jer and the resulting media blitz solidifies at a 6.1. Z90 which took a hit in earlier trends finished strong under new PD Steve Wall. This is one to watch.

Q106					
	12+	18-34	25-54		
Fall '92	3.2	4.3	2.1		
Win '93	3.3	4.6	1.9		
Spr '93	5.7	9.4	6.4		
Sum '93	6.1	8.3	7.2		
Latest	rend	12+:	5.6		

Z90					
	12+	18-34	25-54		
Fall '92	4.5	6.0	2.7		
Win '93	4.4	5.8	2.1		
Spr '93	4.0	5.8	2.5		
Sum '93	6.1	8.1	3.2		
Latest	rend	12+:	6.0		

SEATTLE: "Steady As She Goes" is the battle cry of the Coffee House City. While **KUBE** continues to break the Street and Urban product, the new **Steve Rivers**-consulted **KPLZ** remains solid in the game, while station sales and rumors thereof continue to perpetrate the market.

KUBE								
	12+	18-34	25-54					
Fall '92	6.4	8.3	3.7					
Win '93	5.4	7.2	2.9					
Spr '93	6.1	7.8	3.2					
Sum '93	6.2	9.2	4.1					
Latest	Latest Trend 12+: 5.9							

TO EX							
12+	18-34	25-54					
4.2	6.3	3.0					
3.1	5.1	1.9					
3.1	4.6	1.3					
	4.5	2.1					
Sum '93 4.5 2.1 Latest Trend 12+: 3.0							
	4.2 3.1 3.1	3.1 5.1 3.1 4.6 4.5					

KPI7

ATLANTA: Another Post-Modern-leaning Top 40 scores big, this time in the deep South with 99X. STAR94 leaning decidedly Adult continues to grow in all demos, most recently striking gains in the latest trend. Many feel this city is the most under-radioed major market as for number of stations in a major market.

HOUSTON: Post Modern leaning KRBE capitalized on the national trend scoring heavy gains in all money demos, while winning 18-34. (This music works). Meanwhile street urban Top 40 KBXX fell off while adult-driven KHMX rebounded nicely.

KHMX						
	12+	18-34	25-54			
Fall '92	4.9	6.1	6.2			
Win '93	4.9	6.2	6.0			
Spr '93	4.5	6.2	5.7			
Sum '93	5.2	7.0	6.0			
Latest 7	rend	12+:	5.2			

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	12+	18-34	25-54			
Fall '92	4.4	6.6	2.1			
Win '93	4.2	5.7	2.5			
Spr '93	3.8	5.6	2.4			
Sum '93	5.2	8.4	3.5			
Latest	Trend	12+:	5.1			
KBXX						
12+ 18-34 25-54						
Fall '92	5.2	6.6	2.9			

5.0 5.6

5.3 6.1

4.6 5.4

Latest Trend 12+:

3.0

Spr '93

Sum '93

KRBE

STAR 94						99	X	
	12+	18-34	25-54			12+	18-34	25-54
Fall '92	3.6	5.4	4.3		Fall '92	4 9	7.4	2.7
Win '93	5.9	8.0	6.7		Win '93	4 0	7.1	3.6
Spr '93	6.2	8.6	6.7		Spr '93	4.1	7.8	3.4
Sum '93	6.3	10.0	6.7		Sum '93	4.9	8.7	4.2
Latest	rend	12+:	6.6		Latest 7	rend	12+:	4.5

TAMPA: The "Every Other Book" scenario continues on the Bay, this time with recently purchased **MIX96** making big gains in 25+ demos. Can a **Mason Dixon** syndicated morning show be far behind? The recent trend shows **Power Pig** rebounding nicely for Fall.

Р	WR	PIG		MIX96			96	
	12+	18-34	25-54			12+	18-34	25-54
Fall '92	6.3	10.2	5.0	1000	Fall '92	4.7	9.5	6.7
Win '93	6.3	10.7	5.5		Win '93	6.7	8.9	10.5
Spr '93	7.6	14.2	6.7		Spr '93	6.3	12.4	9.2
Sum '93	6.7	12.0	5.1		Sum '93	6.7	9.7	10.1
Latest 7	rend	12+:	7.1		Latest 7	rend	12+:	5.6

HARTFORD: The see-saw battle between 96TIC and KISS saw-ed back to WTIC-FM overall, while adult demos remain a dead heat. The first fall book trend indicates this race is still too close to call.

W	WTIC-FM				WK	SS	
12+ 18-34 25-54					12+	18-34	25-54
Fall '92	6.8	8.5	6.1	Fall '92	4.7	7.1	4.2
Win '93	6.1	10.9	5.7	Win '93	5.1	8.7	3.7
Spr '93	5.9	8.7	5.1	Spr '93	6.2	10.2	5.3
Sum '93	7.6	10.8	6.6	Sum '93	6.2	10.6	5.6
Latest 7	rend	12+:	6.5	Latest 1	rend	12+:	6.1

INDIANAPOLIS: Dance-leaning Hoosier 96 stole the show last spring, and for summer, WZPL rebounded. Recently, station trading in the market creates a situation where WZPL will be spun to a new company (perhaps WHHH?). The result of this impending sale could have a lasting effect on this midwestern battleground.

WZPL					WHI	Н		
	12+	18-34	25-54			12+	18-34	25-54
Fall '92	7.0	8.5	5.6		Fall *92	5.3	6.5	3.4
Win '93	7.1	7.5	5.5		Win '93	5.1	8.1	3.6
Spr '93	5.3	5.6	3.9		Spr '93	8.1	9.6	4.1
Sum '93	6.2	8.7	4.6		Sum '93	5.8	8.1	4.4
Latest 7	Latest Trend 12+: 5.4					rend	12+:	5.7

JACKSONVILLE: So here's the real deal. WHJX captures the Rhythm/Urban crossover audience. WAPE wins the non-ethnic adults with an adult Top 40 lean. The lines are drawn. Interesting side note, shared audience between the two stations actually decreased indicating a strong, loyal fan base for both.

WHJX					WA	PE	
	12+	18-34	25-54		12+	18-34	25-54
Fall '92	5.2	6.8	4.7	Fall '92	6.1	8.7	4.3
Win '93	4.7	7.4	3.4	Win '93	6.6	8.7	5.9
Spr '93	7.8	13.9	7.9	Spr '93	7.7	11.4	5.9
Sum '93	10.6	14.2	8.2	Sum '93	7.4	11.0	7.3
Latest Trend 12+: 9.8				Latest T	rend	12+:	7.2

MARKET DOMINATORS						
STATION	MARKET	SUMMER '93	LATEST TREND			
WPGC	Washington	10.7	(10.1)			
WIOQ	Philadelphia	6.0	(5.5)			
B96	Chicago	4.9	(5.1)			
WHYT	Detroit	5.1	(4.9)			
KTFM	San Antonio	9.4	(9.1)			
PRO-FM	Providence	7.9	(8.0)			
FM102	Sacramento	9.4	(10.6)			

The job WPGC has done in D.C. is textbook Top 40 dominance... Q102 Philly wins in the streets and wins the war... B96 has heritage and strong drive numbers in the Windy City... WHYT Detroit remains a steady force with a decidedly Urban appeal... The strong Hispanic dance

flavor of San Antonio is a glove-like fit for **KTFM**... And no call letters in the nation have more Top 40 heritage than **PRO-FM** as they continue to rule Providence... Biggest book in station history shows even higher in latest trend for **FM102** in Sacramento.

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OUR PICKS TO BREAK FROM OUTSIDE TOP 40 • CHOSEN BY THE HITS EDITORIAL BOARD

SNOOP DOGG • DR/INT/ATL G

3 LW 3 2W



album: DOGGY STYLE track: WHAT'S MY NAME

With passibly the most eagerly awaited LP release of the year hitting the streets at presstime (pre-orders at around two million), retail "midnight madness" parties were doing massive business nationwide. MTV pounds out another 33 spins. #1 debut next week looks like a slam dunk. Mgmt: Suge Knight

BREEDERS • 4AD/ELEKTRA

1 LW 2 2W



album: LAST SPLASH track: CANNONBALL

18 MTV spins this week, igniting explosive album sales, which now approach Gold status. "Cannonball" added at B97 New Orleans and KRBE Houston, where it's already grabbing Top 10 phones. Tour with Nirvana on South swing. Management: Gold Mountain/Janet Billig

KATE BUSH • COLUMBIA

2 LW 1 2W



album: RED SHOES
track: RUBBERBAND GIRL

Video still in MTV specialty play, with single headed for Top 40 next week. In what promises to be an all-out media blitz, Kate makes her first public appearance in more than a decade at Tower Downtown New York on 12/9. LP sales approaching 300,000. Contact: Brad Gelfond

US3 •BLUE NOTE/CAPITOL

7 LW 11 2W



album: HAND ON THE ... track: CANTALOOP

Moves into prestigious Buzz Bin rotation this week. LP over 75,000 units. Performing at KROQ Acoustic Christmas on 12/12, with "Club Brass" performance later that night. Tour hits San Diego 12/13, San Francisco 12/14 and Chicago 12/15. Mgmt: Bill Diggins/Jeff McClusky

B LEMONHEADS • ATL/ATL G

4 IN 5 2W



album: C'MON FEEL THE...
track: INTO YOUR ARMS

An impressive 13 spins on MTV this week. Evan Dando appearing in Ben Stiller-directed film "Reality Bites," starring Winona Ryder. Tour with Redd Kross swings through East this week. Shooting video for "The Great Big No" live in Atlanta at The Masquerade, 12/6-7. Mgmt: Gold Mountain/Janet Billig

6 WU-TANG CLAN • LOUD/RCA

debut



album: ENTER THE...
track: METHOD MAN

With their LP in its second week of release, and already over 150,000, these Staten Island-based rappers (another Steve Rifkind find) are seeing the story spread from the Northeast. Video now in major rotation at both BET and The Box. Currently touring East Coast. Mgmt: Mike McDonald

DOMINO OUTBURST/RAL/CHAOS

8 LW 14 2W



album: DOMINO
track: GETTO JAM

Huge single sales and multi-format radio acceptance precede 12/7 LP release. Video #12 at The Box, #5 at BET "Rap City," and going into specialty rotation at MTV. Just filmed "Soul Train" to air at later date. Massive press campaign led by Snoop Dogg connection. Mgmt: Greg Jessie and Anthony Lewis

CRACKER • VIRGIN

6 LW 6 2W



album: KEROSENE HAT

track: LOW

Another 5 MTV spins this week. Huge at Album and Post Modern radio. Tour heads West beginning 12/3 in Salt Lake City, with Acoustic Christmas appearances for KNND Seattle 12/9, KITS San Francisco 12/11 and KROQ L.A.12/12. "Arsenio" skedded for 12/8. Management: Jackson Haring

VIBE-RATERS

OUR PICKS TO BREAK FROM OUTSIDE TOP 40 • CHOSEN BY THE HITS EDITORIAL BOARD



JAMES • FONTANA/MERCURY





album: LAID

Video moves from specialty play and picks up an official add this week at MTV. LP over 75,000 units. Retail campoign in 8 target markets continues to roll, with 250 regional buys on MTV tagging local retailers. "Laid" jumps 29-18 at powerhouse 99X Atlanta. Mgmt: Martine McDonagh and Peter Rudge



COUNTING CROWS • DGC

10 LW 10 2W



album: AUGUST AND...
track: MR. JONES

Added at KROQ L.A. and Q101 Chicago! Multi-format play in Atlanta at WRAS, WKLS and added at 99X. Holding at #1 WENZ Cleve. Sales breaking in several key regions. Tour with Cracker through 12/18. Completing video. Mgmt: Direct Mgmt. Group/Martin Kirkup & Steve Jensen

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COCTEAU TWINS • CAPITOL

5 LW 4 2W



album: FOUR CALENDAR...
track: SUMMERHEAD

In L..A., CEMA reports album as this week's hottest retail story. Hot sales reports include Wherehouse (L.A.), Harvard Coop and Newbury Comix (Boston). US tour begins 3/1, with kickoff site to be announced. "120 Minutes" interview with Robin Guthrie upcoming. Management: Raymond Coffer



BIG HEAD TODD • GIANT/REPRISE

9 LW 8 2W



album: SISTER SWEETLY track: BITTERSWEET

Tour continues through Midwest. Live dates spurring sales in every market. Label stressing long-term commitment well into the new year. Shooting video in December for next single, to be released early '94. "Bittersweet" going to Top 40 at presstime. Management: Morris/Bliesner Assoc.

B

BLUR • SBK/ERG

15 LW 16 2W



album: MODERN LIFE IS...
track: CHEMICAL WORLD

LP hits the street this week, with hot retail reports from Mich. Wherehouse (Detroit), Record & Tape Traders (Balt), Aron's (L.A.) and Apple Tree (De Kalb, III). Conan O'Brien 12/3. Hot PoMo radio action includes strong moves at WCHZ Augusta, KBAC Albuq. and WHFS DC. Mgmt: CMO/Chris Morrison



CANDLEBOX • MAVERICK/WB

12 LW 7 2W



album: CANDLEBOX track: YOU

Added at MTV! Jumps seven positions, 22-17, at Metal retail this week. "Rolling Stone" piece skedded for January. Heavy play on "You" at KZRX Phoenix and WAAF Worcester. Top 5 phones at KZRX and KISW Seattle. "Change" still getting heavy play at KAZY Denver. Management: Lindy Goetz.



BUFFALO TOM • EASTWEST /ATL G

13 LW 9 2W



album: BIG RED LETTER DAY
track: SODAJERK

MTV ups press darlings to active rotation this week. Back from European tour 12/20 to play CBGB's anniversary show with Lemonheads. Letterman, who loves this band, confirms for 12/22 appearance. Solid sales reported from Newbury Comix (Boston) and Music Biz (St Louis). Mgmt: Tom Johnston



AFGHAN WHIGS • ELEKTRA

14 LW 12 2W



album: GENTLEMEN track: DEBONAIR

"120 Minutes" interview and performance skedded for 11/28. Rave reviews on live shows, with singer Greg Dulli mobbed on stage in N.Y. Tour headed West in December, with date at L.A.'s Whisky 12/15. Retail action at Homer's (Omaha) and Border's (Ann Arbor). Management: Justine Chiara

HITS November 29, 1993





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I GOT YOU...

(Geffen) 7 **PEACH** (P Pk/WB)

PRINCE

3 **PM DAWN** YOU GOT...

(G St/IsI/PLG) 8

PEARL JAM

DAUGHTER

(Epic Assoc.)

BIG HEAD TODD

BITTERSWEET (Giant/Rep)

KATE BUSH

RUBBER...

(Columbia)

ROZALLA

ILOVE...

(Epic Strx)

(Mercury)

SINATRA/BARB I'VE GOT...

(Capitol)

RICH ADAMS//WR92/IOHERSTOWN D Leppant/PM Dance

DAVE BAKEH/WIMX/FLORENCE D Leppard/P Jam

JERI BANTA/WYKS/GAINESVILLE Cer-BALLIPM Dave

LUCY BARRAGAN/KCAQ/OXNARD Taran US3/Jodeci

S REAN/HARMONY HOUSE/DETROIT

BOB BECK/KYYY/BISMARCK Cher-B&B/D Leppard

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G BLANCOREC EXPRESS/HARTFORD DRS/SD Dogs Royalls/ATC Quest

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CURRY BRYANT/KRBE/HOUSTON James/Breeders/U Cookie/O Dove

CANDYMAN/KIPRE/EL PASO C Hillinguilly AF One

J COHENSTRAWBERRIEBBOSTON BH Todd/F Smans/D Leppant/Fem 2 Fem

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CRUZE/WKBQ/ST LOUIS DRS/S-N-Prou/G Hlostoms

BILL DAVIS/KROC/ROCHESTER Cher-B&B/BH Todd/S Asylum/Babyface

I DAWSON CAMPUS RECACOLUMBUS Cher-B&B/PM DurinD Lepperd/BH/Todd

D DEETER/TOWER/SAN FRANCISCO BH TOULW Sould F Shorra

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T DOWNING/SCOTT/S/INDIANAPOLIS Lemonheads T. Ronstatt/kd lang/K Bush

TOMMY EDWARDS/WPRR/ALTOONA Cher-B&B/D Leppard/Prince/I Browne

M ELIASNORTHERN LIGHTS/ST PAUL T Wain/R Wood/Whistersmill/T Finclub

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CHARLIE FOX/KYYA/BILLINGS M Incknin/PM Dawn/S-N-Pena

CARL FRYE/WHIHI-INDIANAPOLIS W Hendon/M Condition

TOM GALLAGHER/WZOO/LIMA Cher-B&B/D Leppard/PM Dawn

DANNY GARCIA/TOWER/TACOMA Cher-B&B/Fem 2 Fem/Rozalla/L Minelli

LOU GHIRALDI/MCD MUSIC/NY D: Ream/J Browne/EWF/US3

CLAY GISH/WWZZ/KNOXVILLE Curt/Prince/Cher-B&B

TOM GJERDRUM/Q106/SAN DIEGO CM Bacd/D Leppard/10,000 Maniacs

D GOIST/NATTL REC/PITTSBURGH K Bus I/SD Dogg/Jodeci/PM Dawn

K HARNETT/COCONUTS/INDY J J cl son/AO Base/T Campbell/K7

HAWK HAPPISON/PWRPIG/TAMPA L Melendez/Robin S/Rozalla/Haddaway

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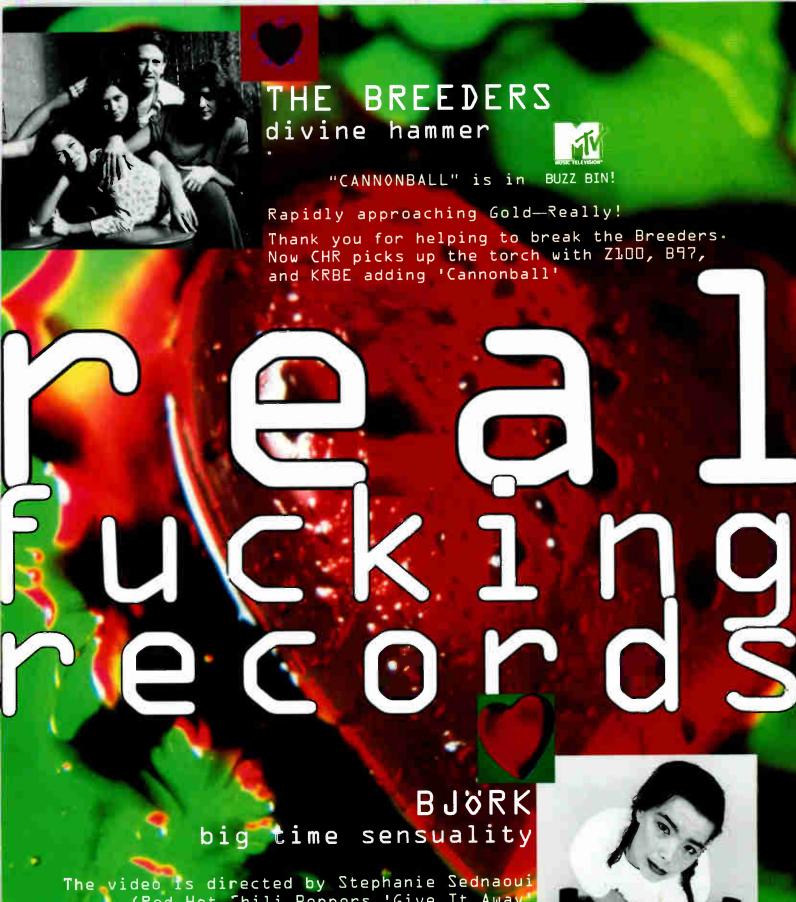
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The video will be on your desk Monday, November 29th. Please watch it. 1 A D

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1 1 PI	EARL JAM - Epic Go,Daughter	Tour w/Urge!!!
3 2 SI	MASHING PUMPKINS - Virgin Today	MTV Buzz Bin!
2 3 N	IRVANA - DGC All Apologies,Rape Me	Unplugged ruled!
4 4 B	REEDERS - 4AD/Elektra Cannonball	MTV Buzz Bin!
7 5 K	ATE BUSH - Columbia Rubberband Girl	NYC instore!
5 6 C	RANBERRIES - Island/PLG Linger	MTV Buzz Bin!
6 7 10	0,000 MANIACS - Elekt ² a MTV Unplugged	Born to Choose!
8 8 LI	EMONHEADS - Atlantic/Atl G Into Your Arms	MTV Buzz Bin!
12 9 N	O ALTERNATIVE: V/A - Arista Soul Asylum, Nirvana	BUY THIS LP!!!
9 10 G	IN BLOSSOMS - A&M Found Out About You	#1 KPNT
14 11 S	TONE FREE: V/A - Sire/Reprise PM Dawn, Pretenders, Cure	Sales!Requests!
11 12 C	ONCRETE BLONDE - IRS/Capitol Heal It Up	D.Synd.cover!
13 13 D	EAD CAN DANCE - 4AD/WB	WEQX,XHRM Add

Ubiquitous Mr. Lovegrove

so Nicole wouldn't suspect anything..... Truth be told, I'd trade ten Tom Cruises for one Greg Dulli. The Afghan Whigs show in NYC moved me in ways a live show hasn't affected me since I stopped attending them chemically altered. The Afghan Whigs are the embodiment of all that is genius in the post modern realm. See them or you suck..... It was a major treat to be able to see Nirvana tape MTV's "Unplugged." And that's not just because it gave me

POST TOASTED

PAWED BY TOM CRUISE: It wasn't even a figment of my hyperactive imagination; witnesses as credible as John Sykes, Amiira Largent and Rachel Felder will corroborate that Tom Cruise made a beeline for me in front of Stone Temple Pilot's dressing room at Saturday Night Live, put his hand on my arm and said, "here's to ya." At the after-show party, he had to put up a front and act like he didn't know me.

SHERRI TRAHAN:



So, When Are We Hanging With Madonna?

an excuse to hang with Mssrs. Waugh, Benjamin, Calderone and St. Thomas. The mega-highlight (for me) was the three Meat Puppets songs from "Meat Puppets II" that Nirvana performed with Curt and Cris Kirkwood, but you're probably not familiar with that album; in 1984 you were programming Wang Chung, Nena, Corey Hart and Men Without Hats records, right?..... WE TOLD YOU SO: Ted Volk from Geffen ruled supreme this week as he pulled in KROQ, 99X and Q101 on the Counting Crows' "Mr. Jones." All we can say is, "non-smoking on an aisle." Ask Ted for the band's live acoustic version of the Psychedelic Furs song, "Ghost In You." If it doesn't exist on DAT, it should..... Speaking of our impeccable instincts, MTV put US3 into "Buzz Bin" this week, just as the album hits the street and the band gears up for their first tour dates. including the already sold-out KROQ Acoustic Xmas Concert. Remember where you read about US3 first...... 99X, WENZ, WIIZ and KWOD added the REM/Natalie Merchant track from the "Born To Choose" compilation this week. More things to be thankful for this Thursday. Can anybody help me close out KTCL, Q101, KDGE, KEDG and KRZQ? Just asking..... We love Flop, the Doughboys, Gigolo Aunts and Redd Kross, Still. As much or more than ever Sherri Trahan is the new Director of Alternative Promotion at Maverick Records. We're extremely psyched for her...... MORE FUN THAN TRYPTOPHAN: Stabbing Westward, ms-lum, Sheryl Crow and the awesome new Bjork video!

14 COCTEAU TWINS - Capitol

Summerhead 10 15 INXS - Atlantic/Atl G

The Gift 16 CRACKER - Virgin

17 AFGHAN WHIGS - Elektra Debonair

18 JAMES - Fontana/Mercury Laid

19 TOM WAITS - Island/PLG Black Rider

20 BLIND MELON - Capital Tones Of Home

21 TEENAGE FANCLUB - DGC Hang On

22 MAZZY STAR - Capitol Various

BUFFALO TOM - B.B./EastWest/AG MTV to Active Treehouse.Sodajerk

24 BELLY - Sire/Reprise Gepetto

MTV Buzz Clip!

WZRH.WCHZ Add

tour w/C.Wheel

tour w/C.Crows

be still my heart

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KPOI,WROX Add

WBER,KTRU Add

we love them!

MTV Add!

BORN TO CHOOSE: V/A - Rykodisc 99X, WENZ Add REM w/Natalie Merchant

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- 1. PEARL JAM (Epic Associated)
- 2. KATE BUSH (Columbia)
- 3. BREEDERS (4AD/Elektra)
- 4. SMASHING PUMPKINS (Virgin)
- 5. LEMONHEADS (Atlantic/ATL G)
- 6. 10,000 MANIACS (Elektra)

- 1. SHONEN KNIFE (EP) (Virgin)
- 2. BOO RADLEYS (LP) (Columbia)
- 3. BEAVIS & BUTT-HEAD: V/A (LP) (Geffen)
- 4. COWBOY JUNKIES (LP) (RCA)
- 5. BJORK (LP) (Elektra)
- 5. THINKING FELLERS UNION... (EP) (Matador)

(Hot reports from the nation's leading radio and retail outlets)

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Kate Bush

10,000 Maniacs

Tom Petty

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Big Country

Tribe

Cranberries

Concrete Blonde

WCBN / BRENDAN GILLEN /

ANN ARBOR, MI

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Bikini Kill

Zeni Geva

Chris Knox

WHTG / MATT PINFIELD / AS-BURY PARK

Lemonheads

Pearl Jam US3

Smashing Pumpkins

Mathew Sweet

WPUP / DUG BROWN / ATHENS. GA

Afghan Whigs

Buffalo Tom

Kate Bush

Wonder Stuff

Born To Choose: V/A

99X / BRIAN PHILIPS / ATLANTA

Cranherries

Gin Blossoms

Pearl Jam Lemonheads

ATLANTA CD (PEACHTREE) /

BRAD SYNA / ATLANTA

Pearl Jam

Stone Free: V/A

No Alternative: V/A

Smashing Pumpkins

Kate Bush

KGSR / JODY DENBERG /

AUSTIN

Jackson Browne

Kate Bush

Cranberries

Stone Free: V/A

Born To Choose: V/A

WBOS / J. HERRON / M. KELLY / BOSTON

Jackson Browne

Al Stewart

Steven Bruton

Squeeze

Melissa Etheridge

WFNX / KURT ST.THOMAS / BOSTON

Pearl Jam

Nirvana

Breeders

Smashing Pumpkins

Buffalo Tom

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Candlebox

Counting Crows

Best Kissers in the World

Belly

Violent Femmes

KGRK / TERRY BROWN / CEDAR **FALLS**

Pearl Jam

Cracker

Joyfinger Nirvana

Possum Dixon

WXRT / NORM WINER /

CHICAGO

Stone Free: V/A

Pearl Jam

Bodeans

Lemonheads

WIZARD RECORDS / JOHN

JAMES / CINCINNATI

Breeders

Cranberries

Pearl Jam

A Tribe Called Quest No Alternative: V/A

WENZ / RICK MICHAELS /

CLEVELAND

Indians

Tripping Daisy

Pearl Jam

Cranherries 4 Non Blondes

BILLS RECORDS / BILL WISNER

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Stone Free: V/A

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Stone Free: V/A

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PM Dawn

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BURY

Love Iones

Cocteau Twins

Chainsaw Kittens

Spinanes

Monsterland

WDET / TIM / DETROIT

Pearl Jam

Kirsty MacColl

Kate Bush

Lemonheads

INXS MIDDLE EARTH / TIM CARTER /

DOWNEY, CA

Pearl Jam

Stone Free: V/A

Kate Bush

10,000 Maniacs Cocteau Twins

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Tiger Trap

Spinanes

New Bomb Turks Slug Butterglory

WEOS / CHRIS KULASINGAM /

GENEVA. NY

Lemonheads

Buffalo Tom

Eve's Plum Breeders

Smashing Pumpkins

KRBE / TOM POLEMAN /

HOUSTON Cranberries

Blind Melon

10,000 Maniacs US3

Breeders

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Velvet Underground

Teenage Fanc.ub

Born To Choose: V/A

Snoop Doggy Dog

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KINGSTON, RI

Medicine

Kate Bush Heavenly

Dead Can Dance

Stereolab

WUTK / DARRYL TORRELL /

KNOXVILLE

Cocteau Twins

One Dove Crash Test Dummies

Lemonheads

MICHIGAN WHEREHOUSE /

FRANK JENKS / LANSING Pearl Iam

No Alternative: V/A

10,000 Maniacs **Smashing Pumpkins**

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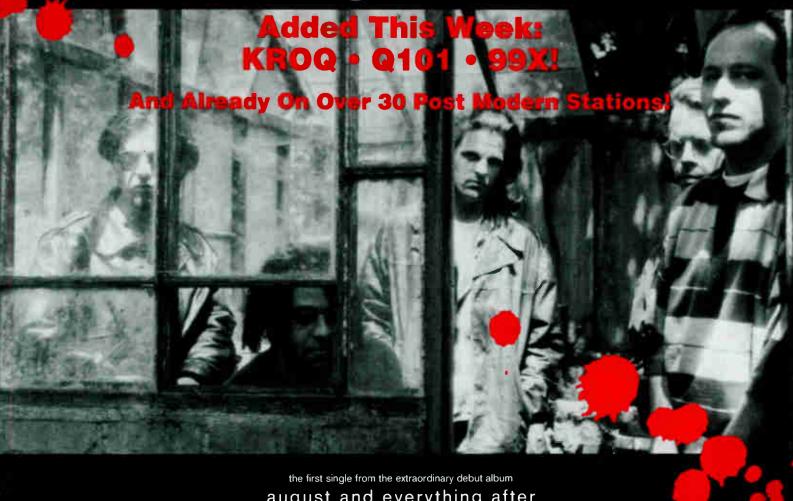
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august and everything after

" * * * *...gorgeous three-part harmonies and ringing, instrumental flourishes... Counting Crows communicate complex emotions honestly and intelligently without resorting to clichés or cheap sentimentality. That a young band achieves so much on its first album is an event well worth celebrating." -rolling stone

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JAY HARDING REPRISE RECORDS (as of Jan. 1st)

Is it merely a coincidence that the person chosen to replace Mark Neiter as the National College Promo Geek at Reprise is Jay Harding, who currently heads up the Want Adds, the college premotion company that Neiter just happened to have founded? And why does Steve Tipp only hire people who've worked at cable college radio stations? Is this because he too came from a station with the output of a hairdryer? Conspiracies not withstanding, we think Jay is awesome!

(Hot reports from the nation's leading radio and retail outlets)

WDRE / TOM CALDERONE / LONG ISLAND/PHILLY

Pearl Jam 112

Nirvana

10,000 Maniaes

Squeeze

ARONS RECORDS / STEPHANIE PAYNE / LOS ANGELES

David Bowie

Dead Can Dance No Alternative: V/A Cocteau Twins

Kate Bush

KCRW / CHRIS DOURIDAS / LOS **ANGELES**

Golden Palominos

Dead Can Dance

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KROO / KEVIN WEATHERLY / LOS ANGELES

Pearl Jam

Smashing Pumpkins

Dead Can Dance

Beck

Stone Free: V/A

WLCV / SHAWN BULLINGTON / LOUISVILLE

Breeders

Jello Biafra/Mojo Nixon

Concrete Blonde

Kate Bush

Cranberries

WEQX / JIM MCGUINN / MANCHESTER, VT

Counting Crows

Pearl Jam

10,000 Maniacs Breeders

Smashing Pumpkins

Y&T RECORDS / SCOTT WIL-LIAMS / MIAMI, FL

Love Jones

Crash Test Dummies

Sarah McLachlan

Cocteau Twins

Pearl Jam

WYBC / HAROLD RHEE / NEW

HAVEN, CT

Club Foot Orchestra

Blind Idiot God

Buck-O-Nine

Out Of Band Experience

Human Torch

KIM'S UNDERGROUND / JEFF GIBSON / NEW YORK

Codeine

Envelope

Mambo Kings Rollerskate Skinny

Pussycat Trash

SUBTERRANEAN RECORDS /

MICHAEL CARLUCCI / NEW

VORK Gigolo Aunts

Mekons

Breeders

Swinging Neckbreakers

New Bomb Turks

MAIN ST. RECORDS / BILL

MCDONALD / NORTHAMPTON, MA

Judgment Night ST

Samples

Bikini Kill

Stereolab

Mazzy Star

COOP BOOKSTORE / DAVE TODARELLO / OBERLIN, OH

Kate Bush

Insides

Th' Faith Healers

Medicine

Dred Zone

PENNY LANE / CRAIG SMITH /

PASADENA, CA

Pearl Jam

Frank Sinatra

Smashing Pumpkins

10.000 Maniacs A Tribe Called Quest

WBER / ANDREW CHINNICI /

PENFIELD

Dead Can Dance

One Dove

Pearl Jam Breeders

A Tribe Called Ouest

ROCKAWAY RECORDS / ROGER

/ PHOENIX, AZ

Concrete Blonde

Cocteau Twins

Teenage Fanclub Velvet Undergound

X15 / PAUL GOODMAN / PIT-

TSBURGH

U2

Jackson Browne

Kate Bush Nirvana

Pearl Jam

WVKR / BLAIR CARTY /

POUGHKEEPSIE

Yo La Tengo

Stereolab

Unrest

Bordoms

Don Caballero

WBRU / FRANK HUANG /

PROVIDENCE

Pearl Iam

Breeders

Cranberries

Nirvana

Dead Can Dance

91X / MIKE HALLORAN/KEVIN STAPLEFORD / SAN DIEGO

Pearl Jam

Born To Choose: V/A

Stone Free: V/A

Therapy?

Machines Of Loving Grace

CITY DISCS / T.K. KENNEDY /

SAN FRANCISCO 10.000 Maniaes

Pearl lam

Kate Bush

Blind Melon Cranberries

KNDD / MARCO COLLINS /

SEATTLE

Pearl Jam

Catherine Wheel Smashing Pumpkins

Machines Of Loving Grace

KTOZ/RICK KENNEDY/ SPRINGFIELD, MO

Pearl Jam

Lemenheads

New World Spirits

James

Kate Bush

KPNT / KEN ANTHONY / ST.

LOUIS Gin Blossoms

Smashing Pumpkins

10,000 Maniacs

Lemonheads Pogues

WEXB / SUZANNE MICHAELS /

ST. LOUIS, MO

Rodeans

Jackson Browne

Squeeze

Kenny Loggins Melissa Etheridge

WVFS / ERROL KOLOSINE /

TALLAHASSEE

Mekons

Barkmarket Afghan Whigs

No Alternative: V/A

THE ALTERNATIVE RECORD

STORE / PETE BARLAS / TAMPA

Smashing Pumpkins Breeders

Revolting Cocks

Pearl Jam Seaweed

CFNY / JOHN JONES / TORONTO

Pearl Jam Smashing Pumpkins

Lemonheads

INXS Kate Bush

EAST WEST / BRIAN MARTIN /

WINTER PARK, FL

Dean Can Dance Kate Bush

INXS

Concrete Blonde

Breeders

ADULT POST MODERN

	LW	TW ARTIST/LABEL	COMMENTS
1	1	COUNTING CROWS - DGC August And Everything	#1 WNCS,WEQX
2	2	JOHN HIATT - A&M Perfectly Good Guitar	#1 KOTR,KMTT
3	3	JACKSON BROWNE - Elektra I'm Alive	#1 KGSR,WRLT
4	4	BODEANS - Slash/Reprise Go Slow Down	#1 WFXB
5	5	MELISSA ETHERIDGE - Island/PLG Yes I Am	#1 KFMG
8	6	SQUEEZE - A&M Some Fantastic Place	WZEW add
6	7	10,000 MANIACS - Elektra MTV Unplugged	#1 WKOC,WZEW
7	8	KIRSTY MACCOLL - IRS Titanic Days	see on tour!
I	9	TOM PETTY - MCA Greatest Hits	WVAY add
16	10	ROBERT CRAY - Mercury Shame + A Sin	which is it?
9	11	THE BAND - Pyramid Jericho	#1 WBUR
10	12	KATE BUSH - Columbia Red Shoes	#1 KRCC,KIOT
13	13	STONE FREE: V/A - Reprise Pretenders,Clapton	KPIG add
12	14	CRASH TEST DUMMIES - Arista God Shuffled His Feet	#1 WYEP
17	15	POGUES - Chameleon/Elektra Waiting For Herb	not Irish
18	16	JOHN MELLENCAMP - Mercury Human Wheels	WFXB add
15	17	FREDDY JONES BAND - Capricorn Waiting For The Night	WFXB add
21	18	BORN TO CHOOSE: V/A - Rykodisc REM/Natalie Merchant	thanks a lot!
14	19	RICKIE LEE JONES - Geffen Traffic From Paradise	#1 WMKY
19	20	LEMONHEADS - Atlantic/ATL G Come On Feel The	#1 KAOI
22	_	MAE MOORE - TriStar Bohemia	good days follow
23	22	K.D. LANG - Sire/WB Even CowgirlsOST	WRNX add
20	23	PEARL JAM - Epic Associated Vs.	KSKE add
-	24	CONCRETE BLONDE - IRS/Capitol Mexican Moon	don't drink H20
-	25	COCTEAU TWINS - Capitol Four Calendar Cafe	WMNF add

ADDS

- 1. COWBOY JUNKIES (LP) (RCA)
- 2. NICK HEYWARD (LP) (Epic)
- 2. ELTON JOHN (LP) (MCA)
- 4. LINDA RONSTADT (Single) (Elektra)
- 4. NO ALTERNATIVE: V/A (LP) (Arista)
- 4. BOB DYLAN (LP) (Columbia)

HOTS

- 1. JACKSON BROWNE (Elektra)
- 2. COUNTING CROWS (DGC)
- 3. THE BAND (Pyramid)
- 4. KATE BUSH (Columbia)
- 5. STONE FREE: V/A (Reprise)
- 6. MELISSA ETHERIDGE (Island/PLG)

APM REPORTERS

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APM PICK

Cowboy Junkies, "Pale Sun, Crescent Moon" (RCA): Cowboy Junkies have always excelled at writing songs about love's triumphs and pitfalls. Their fifth LP is no exception. On "Anniversary Song," Margo Timmins explores, with her breathtaking voice, what we all crave—a special someone—and does so with beautiful simplicity. Brother Micha



with beautiful simplicity. Brother Michael Timmins' heartfelt lyrics read like pure poetry. The only way to describe this amazing album is "musically passionate and lyrically haunting." So fear no more: Take that leap and fall in love.

(Mimi Singer)

POSTIVIOUERN

POMO PICKS Edited by Karen Glauber



One Dove, "Morning Dove White" (ffrr): Scotland's One Dove are a rare treasure in the underground dance scene that has remained virtually unexcavated on this side of the Atlantic. Within their sonic walls of fleshy throb lurk stalagtites of distorted guitars (courtesy of Primal Scream's Andrew Innis), caverns

of gauzy, lilting feminine vocals and cool eddies of deeply emotional lyrics. Whereas other dance/techno artists besiege the listener with concussive repetition to evoke a response. One Dove places paramount importance on the vitality of song.

Possum Dixon, "Possum Dixon" (InterscopeAtl G): These L.A. dive bar faves release a debut LP full of angstridden lyrics about frustrations with employers and living in L.A. Led by the thumping stand-up bass and nasally vocals of Rob Zebrecky, their tunes carry a new wave flavor courtesy of



noted Earle Mankey. "Watch The Girl Destroy Me" takes the listener on a tour of L.A.'s East Side, while Zebrecky anguishes over being dumped. Robert O'Sullivan's frantic piano work will "nerve" you throughout this fine debut. (Chris Carey)



Alcohol Funnycar, "Time To Make The Donuts" (C/Z): Seattle's Alcohol Funnycar careens onto disc with their first full-length offering, blazing the highway of indie cred and anticipation built on several smashing 7" documents and a searing CD-5, "Burn," released earlier this year. The manic punk pop

that marked the highpoints of the band's previous work, strains to a steely and reckless perfection on the LP opener "Shapes" and the Husker Du/early Soul Asylum redolent track "All About It." Pure ethylene power, no smoke.

Nick Heyward, "From Monday To Sunday" (Epic): The fact that Nick Heyward's original band Haircut 100 only managed to release one album with him at the helm ranks as one of the bigger tragedies in pop music. Now, more than ten years later, the fresh-faced spirit that dominated classics like "Love"



Plus One" and "Favourite Shirts" finds a rebirth on one of this year's most enthralling surprises. The crystal-pure guitar layers of the first single, "Kite," provide a smooth canvas for Heyward's trademark symphonic and percussive accents. A major and nearly forgotten talent has returned in peak form.

POMO MUGS



WHITE BOY STILL MILQUETOAST: Mercury's Mark 'Waite Boy Chotiner fools no one with his ludicrous B-boy posing. Hangin' tough a: San Diego's groovy 91X are (t-r) Bryan Jones, Mike Halloran, № Hayseed and Rob Dick nson and Brian Futter of Catherine Wheel. Halloran found White Boy's display so embarrassing that he refused to conte out from behing the neck of his quitar and kept waiting: "Stop it this minute! You wearly don't understand the social and ethical implications of affecting the period of the gangster lifestyle and promidening the myth that crime is Acmorous." Said White Boy "Word to your mora!"



VERMONT VERMIN VEX VIRGIN: Yep, looks like the winter weather is atready wreaking Lavos with the staff of WEQX Manchester, as taes are captured on film here abducting Miss Teen USA, Charlotte Lopez, after convincing the youngs'er they were only taking her on a hayride. They dien wisked her to a remote outpost and subjected the little miss to repeated blerings of the new Best Kissers In The World LP until she agreed to star a the band's next video. Picturen just Lefore their wial are Thad Monteiro, Fred "Mc-Guy n" Flinstone, Joy Johnson, Sue "Gozilla" Gosselin, Godzilla, John Allers and Lopes



THEY SHALL STRAY NO MORE: Pictured here are to bywood's Michelle Robbins, Brian Setzer, WDRE: Malibu Sue and clueowner Charlie Greco just before they took up residence in the Disneysponsored Biosphere 3 which will resemble a bad was Vegos lounge.

III HITS POST MODERN!

23 HITS TOP 50 ALBUMS!

"He blew the minds of an entire generation and none of us have been the same since." - Chrissie Hynde

BIG REQUESTS!

KROQ #2 REQUESTS

KNDD #2 REQUESTS

KDGE #2 REQUESTS

#3 REQUESTS 91X

#4 REQUESTS LIVE 105

TOP 5 REQUESTS WXRT

TOP 5 REQUESTS Q101



The new track from Stone Free: A Tribute To Jimi Hendrix (4/2-45438)

Also featuring

BELLY - "Are You Experienced?"

THE CURE - "Purple Haze"

M.A.C.C. - "Hey Baby (Land Of The New Rising Sun)" (Mike McCready, Jeff Ament, Chris Cornell and Matt Cameron)

LIVING COLOUR - "Crosstown Traffic"

P.M. DAWN - "You Got Me Floatin"

BODY COUNT - "Hey Joe"

SPIN DOCTORS - "Spanish Castle Magic"

SEAL AND JEFF BECK - "Manic Depression"

ERIC CLAPTON - "Stone Free"

SLASH AND PAUL RODGERS WITH THE BAND OF GYPSYS - "I Don't Live Today"

BUDDY GUY - "Red House"

NIGEL KENNEDY - "Fire"

PAT METHENY - "Third Stone From The Sun"

Single Produced by Stephen Street

PEDDLE # METAL

OVER THE EDGE

Big news is the sale of Ticketmaster to Paul Allen for 340 *million* simoleons. That's Paul Allen as in Microsoft, which he co-founded, and America On-Line, of which he's a major shareholder. The marketing potential for artists that aren't getting support from radio/video is massive. Call Larry Solters, who'll be paying us an undisclosed fee to write this, and ask him how your artist can benefit... A total of 64 stations came in this week with major airplay debuts from Beavis & Butt-Head (also Top 5 Phones and Most Addec), thanks to both the Zombie and Megadeth tracks; Guns N' Roses' "The Spaghetti Incident?" ("Ain't It Fun") and the Carcass single. Def Lepp re-

enters. At retail, **Candlebox** takes a nice, seven-slot jump, thanks to aggressive Album airplay; **Type O Neg** re-enters and **Motorhead** debuts. The Top 6 stays the same... **House of Guitars** reopened at midnight Monday (22) to sell the new Gunners and those who brought any can of pasta (from Spaghetti-O's to chicken noodle soup) received a buck off the CD or tape while cans got donated to a local charity who will distribute food to the

needy. **A&M**'s making sure the "Spaghetti" inner sleeve message of "go find the originals" is taken seriously by servicing 400 copies of **Nazareth**'s "Hair of the Dog" to industry-types. We suggest they get to the *consumers* 'cause, as we all know, 75% of those who received the CD would never go *inside* a record store let alone *buy* something there, which reminds us... With the official Xmas shopping season kicking off, may we suggest that instead of calling your label buddies to send you swag that you in turn will give for presents, why not try *buying* it?... *Schwing this:* "Wayne's World II" soundtrack will include **Robert Plant, Aerosmith, Gin Blossoms** and **Joan Jett & the Blackhearts** with a remix of "I Love Rock and Roll," which will be the first video. In-store 12/14... **Brian Landau** is our hero.... **Emerald Forest's Marla McNally** told us to "feel free to write about **Marilyn Manson**" (who last week's Weasel **Tim Bryan** warned us about) "at any particular junction." Since the only junction we've ever been to is "Petticoat." we've sent her a bill for the mention and a year-end ad and figure it's even... What manager is putting their band's new label on hold while the label puts their new video on hold and will this put the group's upcoming U.S. tour also on hold after the first of the year?... Did we get your Fave 10 of the Year?... Top 10 Rock at **The Box**: **Rush**, **Suicidal**, **Danzig**, **Tool**, **Sepultura**, **Pumpkins**,

Alice in Chains, Morbid Angel, Clutch, KMFDM... Excuse of the week for no airplay: "I left it in the bathroom." On that note, hope you had a great holiday...



Larry Solters: We get an extra mil for running the photo.

By THELMA and LOUISE

TOP THIRTY RADIO THIS WEEK'S MOST PLAYED CURRENT RECORDS

241	SEPULTURA	Chaos A.D.	Epic/Roadrunner	84	LIFE OF AGONY	River Runs Red	Roadrunner
188	FIGHT	War Of Words	Epic	84	NIRVANA	In Utero	DGC
163	BEAVIS & BUTT-HEAD	Various Artists	Geffen	83	FUDGE TUNNEL	Creep Diet	Earache/Columbia
148	MOTORHEAD	Bastards	ZYX Music	81	STRIP MIND	What's In Your	Sire
146	PEARL JAM	Vs	Epic	78	SCORPIONS	Face The Heat	Mercury
128	JUDGMENT NIGHT	Soundtrack	Immortal/Epic	75	GRETA	No Biting	Stardog/Mercury
127	SHOTGUN MESSIAH	Violent New	Relativity	71	GUNS N'ROSES	The Spaghetti	Geffen
113	CROWBAR	Crowbar	Pavement	70	ELEVEN	Eleven	Hollywood
113	PARADISE LOST	Icon	Metal Blade	67	CARCASS	Buried Dreams	Earache/Columbia
113	WARRIOR SOUL	Chill Pill	DGC	67	CLUTCH	Transnational	EastWest/Atl G
108	TAD	Inhaler	Mechanic/Giant	66	IRON MAIDEN	A Real Dead	Capitol
104	MELVINS	Houdini	Atlantic/Atl G	66	SMASHING PUMPKINS	Siamese Dream	Virgin
100	TYPE O NEGATIVE	Bloody Kisses	Roadrunner	61	DEF LEPPARD	Retro Active	Mercury
89	METAL CHURCH	Hanging In	Blackheart	58	ENTOMBED	Hollowman	Earache/Columbia
85	STICK	No Groovy	Arista	57	SOULS AT ZERO	Souls At Zero	Energy

NUMBERS REFLECT TOTAL AMOUNT OF PLAYS FROM THIS WEEKS REPORTING STATIONS

LABEL

TOP FIVE MOST ADDED

BEAVIS & BUTT-HEAD Experience Geffen

METALLICA Live Shit Elektra

GUNS 'N ROSES Spaghetti Incident? Geffen

STRIPMIND tie STRESSBALL tie FUDGE TUNNEL tie BAD RELIGION

RAGE AGAINST THE... Epic tied with CARCASS Earache/Relativity

TOP FIVE PHONES

ARTIST TITLE LAREL **SEPULTURA** Chaos A.D. Epic/Roadrunner **FIGHT** War Of Words Epic MELVINS Atl/Atl G Houdini **BEAVIS & BUTT-HEAD** Experience Geffen MOTORHEAD Bastards ZYX

ARTIST

2₩	LW TW	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL
1	1 1	PEARL JAM	Vs	Epic
2	2 2	NIRVANA	In Utero	DGC
3	3	WHITE ZOMBIE	La Sexorcisto	Geffen
4	4 4	SMASHING PUMPKINS	Siamese Dream	vVirgin
6	5 5	RUSH	Counterparts	Atlantic/Atl G
9	6 6	TOOL	Undertow	Zoo
	13 7	STONE FREE	Hendrix Tribute	Reprise
8	12 8	BLIND MELON	Blind Melon	Capitol
5	8 9	JUDGMENT NIGHT	Soundtrack	Immortal/Epic
11	10 10	STONE TEMPLE PLTS	Core	Atlantic/Atl G
12	9 11	PEARL JAM	Ten	Epic
7	7 12	SEPULTURA	Chaos A.D.	Epic/Roadrunner
10	11 13	DEF LEPPARD	Retro Active	Mercury
13	14 14	AEROSMITH	Get A Grip	Geffen
21	22 15	CANDLEBOX	Candlebox	Maverick/Sire/WB
16	17 16	RAGE AGAINST THE	Rage Against	Epic
17	19 17	ALICE IN CHAINS	Dirt	Columbia
14	15 18	IRON MAIDEN	A Real Dead	Capitol
15	16 19	JOE SATRIANI	Time Machine	Relativity
19	18 20	METALLICA	Metallica	Elektra
20	21 21	FIGHT	War Of Words	Epic
18	20 22	SCORPIONS	Face The Heat	Mercury
26	25 23	MUDHONEY	Five Dollar	Reprise
23	24 24	MELVINS	Houdini	Atlantic/Atl G
24	26 25	MALEVOLENT CREAT	. Stillborn	Roadrunner
	 26	TYPE O NEGATIVE	Bloody Kisses	Roadrunner
22	23 27	PRIMUS	Pork Soda	Interscope/Atl G
28	29 28	PANTERA	Vulgar Display	. EastWest/Atl G

TOP FIVE IN-STORE PLAY

ARTIST PEARL JAM RUSH SMASHING PUMPKIS Virgin tied with WHITE ZOMBIE **NIRVANA**

29

28 30

TITLE Vs. Counterparts

La Sexorcisto

In Utero

MOTORHEAD

REVOLTING COCKS

LABEL Epic Atl/Atl G

Bastards

Linger...

SEPULTURA Epic/Roadrunner Geffen Geffen

WJUL Lowell, MA

ZYX Music

Wamer Bros.

Vancouver, BC	WKLL	Utica, NY
Montreal, Quebec	WKNC	Raleigh, NC
Ottowa, Canada	WKNH	Keene, NH
Colorado Springs, CO	WMBR	Cambridge, MA
San Antonio, TX	WMHW	Mt. Pleasant, MI
Honolulu, HI	WMPG	Portland, ME
Houston, TX	WNEW	New York, NY
Winona, MN	WNHU	West Haven, CT
Salt Lake City, UT	WNYU	New York, NY
Manhattan, KS	WPSU	University Pk, PA
San Jose, CA	WQSU	Selinsgrove, PA
Rapid City, SD	WREK	Atlanta, GA
Fayetteville, AR	WRRG	Rivergrove, IL
Las Vegas, NV	WSBF	Clemson, SC
Concord, CA	WSFW	Seneca Falls, NY
Albuquerque, NM	WSGR	Port Huron, MI
Stanford, CA	WSMU	North Dartmouth, MA
Babylon, NY	WSUP	Platteville, WI
Garden City, NY	WTSR	Trenton, NJ
Boston, MA	WVBR	Ithaca, NY
Penfield, NY	WVCR	Loudenville, NY
Bowling Green, OH	WVFS	Tallahasee, FL
Bridgewater, MA	WVKR	Poughkeepsie, NY
Brookville, NY	WVUD	Newark, DE
Cedar Knolls, NJ	WVUM	Miami, FL
Geneva, NY	WVXU	Cincinnati, OH
Bowling Green, OH	wwgc	Carrollton, GA
Altoona, PA	WWSP	Stevens Point, WI
New Britain, CT	WXPL	Fitchburg, MA
Melboume, FL	WYSY	Aurora, IL
St. Cloud, MN	WZIP	Akron, OH
	Montreal, Quebec Ottowa, Canada Colorado Springs, CO San Antonio, TX Honolulu, HI Houston, TX Winona, MN Salt Lake City, UT Manhattan, KS San Jose, CA Rapid City, SD Fayetteville, AR Las Vegas, NV Concord, CA Albuquerque, NM Stanford, CA Babylon, NY Garden City, NY Boston, MA Penfield, NY Bowling Green, OH Bridgewater, MA Brookville, NY Cedar Knolls, NJ Geneva, NY Bowling Green, OH Altoona, PA New Britain, CT Melboume, FL	Montreal, Quebec Ottowa, Canada WKNH Colorado Springs, CO WMBR San Antonio, TX WMHW Honolulu, HI WMPG Houston, TX WNEW Winona, MN WNHU Salt Lake City, UT Manhattan, KS WPSU San Jose, CA Rapid City, SD WREK Fayetteville, AR Las Vegas, NV WSBF Concord, CA WSFW Albuquerque, NM Stanford, CA WSMU Babylon, NY WSUP Garden City, NY WSR Boston, MA WYBR Penfield, NY WYCR Bridgewater, MA WYCR Bridgewater, MA WYCR Brookville, NY WYUD Cedar Knolls, NJ WWWCC Altoona, PA New Britain, CT Melboume, FL WMMW WMMW WKN WKNH WKNH WKNH WWCC WWSP

WZMB Greenville, NC

THCK20N



801 BDS TOTAL PLAYS & CLIMBING RAPIDLY!

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WBLS **KJMS** WDAS **KIPR** WVAZ **WBLX** WUSL IMLW WXYV WKYS **WJLB** KKDA WOW **WZAK** WCDX **KMJQ WPEG KSJL WQMG** WIZF **WEDR KJLH** WQOK WAMO **WHRK** WQUE **WKKV** V103.9 **KPRS** KQXL **KMJM** WBLK



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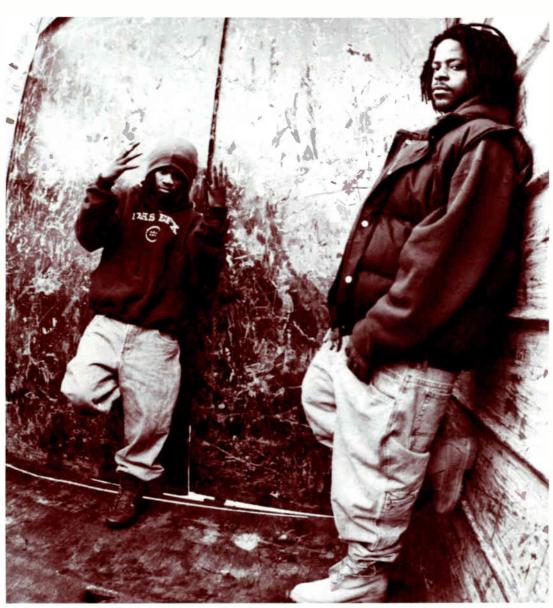




#1 BLACK SINGLE
TEVIN CAMPBELL "Con Wellok "Owes/WB
#1 BLACK ALBUM
MARIAH CAREY "Music Box" Columbia
#1 RAP ALBUM
A TRIBE CALLED QUEST "Midnight. "Jive
#1 QUIET STORM
TONY BRAXTON" Breethe Again" LaFace/Arista

The World Sez: "FREAKIT!"

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HOT NEW RELEASES

ALKAHOLIKS Likwit LOUD/RCA 62727-2

MARY J. BLIGE You Don't Have To... Upt/MCA 5P2760 B. CALDWELL Love Lite Sin-Drome 68900-2

G. CLINTON

Martial Law
P Pk/WB 4-18262

THE DELLS Spending Our X-Mas. Dells/Way Rec 2224

> JA-MAR-IA Side Show Street Heat 1729

K7 Swing Batta Swing Tommy Boy 1071

RUPAUL Little Drummer Boy Tommy Boy 7593 VERTICAL HOLD Matter Of Time Persp/A&M 8195-2

K. WASHINGTON Believe That Qwest/WB 4-18252 Don't play **Das EFX**'s hot new single, "Freakit," around members of JAMS. They spasm around, bump into terminals and spill coffee. A sorry state of affairs and a very sobering sight.

"Freakit," from Das' 2nd album, "Straight Up Sewaside," is striking the right chord with KIPR PD Mark Dyllan, who said the song is heading "straight out of the sewer and straight to the top here in Little Rock. Even Hillary is gettin' down!"

Doc Wynter, APD at KMJM in St. Louis, in a pitiful attempt to land a job at Das' label, slathered: "Even I'm getting a little freaky with Das EFX!"

At retail, **Keith McPhee** of **Sound of Market II** in Philly, foamed: "They're representing lovely!" (Ed. note: "Keith, time to get back to hunting and gathering...")

Manny Bella, East/West's VP of Promotion, gossiped: "After three short weeks 'Freakit' is gold-bound with sales over 400,000 units, and their CD is exploding at retail. With the enormous story emerging from radio and retail, Das EFX will be a contributing force in the everchanging trends in rap — not to mention a world-wide military combine!"

We at HITS were flushed down the sewa with alligators, crocodiles and a bunch of cute goldfish. What a food chain!



BLACK SINGLES

	T	HE TOP		RTY	
2W LW TW	ARTIST TITLE	LABEL	2W LW TW	ARTIST TITLE	LABEL
1 1 1	TEVIN CAMPBELL Can We Talk	Qwest/WB	13 13 16	HI-FIVE Never Should've	Jive
2 3 2	DRS Gangsta Lean	Capitol	12 15 17	INTRO Come Inside	Atlantic/Atl G
9 5 3	MARIAH CAREY Hero	Columbia	22 20 18	RAAB Foreplay	Rip-It
7 2 4	BABYFACE Never Keeping	Epic	30 19	DOMINO Getto Jam	OB/Chaos/RAL
8 6 5	R. KELLY Sex Me	Jive	23 21 20	UNV Straight From	Maverick/Sire/WB
17 11 6	COLOR ME BADD Time & Chance	Giant/Reprise	30 26 21	SHAQUILLE O'NEAL Skillz	Jive
6 4 7	SALT-N-PEPA Shoop	N Plateau/Lon/PLG	24 22	ZAPP & ROGER Slow And Easy	Reprise
15 14 8	2PAC <i>Keep Ya Head Up</i>	Interscope/Atl G	 23 23	MAZE The Morning After	WB
4 7 9	TONI BRAXTON Breathe Again	LaFace/Arista	24	JODECI Cry For You	MCA
10 10 10	TONY TONI TONE Anniversary	Wing/Mercury	29 27 25	JOHNNY GILL Long Way From	Motown
3 8 11	XSCAPE Just Kickin' It	So So Def/Columbia	26	DAS EFX Freakit	EastWest/Atl G
5 9 12	JANET JACKSON Again	jdj/Virgin	27	B. BROWN/W. HOUSTON Something In	MCA
11 12 13	ZHANE <i>Hey Mr. D.J.</i>	Flavor Unit/Epic	 28	QUEEN LATIFAH U.N.I.T.Y.	Motown
24 22 14	SNOOP DOGGY DOGG What's My Name?	DR/Int/Atl G	 29	FREDDIE JACKSON Make Love Easy	RCA
20 17 15	JADE (Looking For) Mr	Giant/Reprise	30	JODY WATLEY Your Love Keeps	MCA
	(Base	d on a combination of ra	idio airpiav and	retall sales)	

MUSIC: For your holiday music rotation: Check out Bebe & Cece Winans' "First Christmas" LP (Capitol). In a more Adult/Jazzy vein, there's the "GRP Christmas Collection Volume III" (GRP). featuring performances by B.B. King, Ramsey Lewis and others. Also from GRP is "A Kim Pensyl Christmas." Having fallen on my face with past prophecies, I predict (gulp) that Mint Condition's "U Send Me Swingin" (Perspective/A&M) will go Top 10, perhaps to #1. In the Quiet Storm corner, there's R. Kelly's "Your Body's Calling" (Jive) and with "Believe That" Keith Washington (QWest/WB). RADIO: Years ago, when I first arrived in L.A., my PD, Jim Maddox, said I sounded like a tux, which was cool, but the guy in jeans was

MINT CONDITION Perspective/A&M PRINCE Paisley Park/Warner Brothers

JODECI Uptown/MCA



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By J. J. Johnson

more fun. At the recent YBPC Aircheck Seminar, Madhatter stated that air personalities need to have the nerve to put their real selves on-air. Too many of us go on-air with the intention of being jocks. Better to go on with the intention of being *oneself* within format. As an air personality, you've got to believe that the real you is worthy and interesting. If you're having trouble getting your real self through the mic, here's one suggestion: Remove your headset from one ear. You'll hear what's going on around you, but your voice will come to you as it does in real life — with no processing. You'll be more inclined to speak as you do in life. Worked for me. As for content — read, observe, relax. And it will come. Later.

COMPANY Giant/Reprise

JEFF REDD EMI/ERG

BOYZ II MEN Motown

MICHAEL JACKSON Epic

ROBIN S Big Beat/Atl G

JE/FF REDD

BREAKING OUT OF THE BOX!

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5	DAS EFX	Straight Up	EastWest/Atl G	19	20 20	0	ZAPP & R	OGER All The Greatest	Reprise
2 5 6	EAZY E	It's On 187	Ruthless/Relativity		16 2	_	WU-TANG	CLAN Enter The Wu-Tang	Loud/RCA
7	MC REN	Shock Of The	Ruthless/Relativity	23	22 2		WHITNEY	HOUSTON The Bodyguard (ST)	Arista
8 11 8	TEVIN CA	MPBELL I'm Ready	Qwest/WB	15	19 2	3	SALT-N-P	EPA Very Necessary	NP/Lon/PLG
4 6 9	TOO SHO	RT Get In Where	Jive		17 2	4	JODY WA	TLEY Intimacy	MCA
8 10	R. KELLY	12 Play	Jive	18	23 2	5	TONY TO	NI TONE Sons Of Soul	Wing/Mercury
6 9 11	XSCAPE	Hummin' Comin'	So So Def/Col	13	14 2	6	JUDGMEN	NT NIGHT Soundtrack	Immortal/Epic
10 13 12	D.R.S.	Gangsta Lean	Capitol	14	21 2	7	ERICK SE	RMON No Pressure	DJ/RAL/Chaos
13	COLOR M	E BADD Time & Chance	Giant/Reprise	[25 2	8	BOYZ II M	Christmas	Motown
9 7 14		L E O'NEAL Shaq Diesel	Jive	24	28 2	9	SWV	It's About Time	RCA
7 10 15	CYPRESS	HILL Black Sunday	Ruffhouse/Columbia	[<u></u> 3	0	ADDAMS	FAMILY VALUES Soundtrack	Atlas/PLG

(Based on retail sales)

RADIO DOPE: Stations across the country are doing their part to feed the hungry during this holiday period. KKBT recently hosted a 12-hour drive for the L.A. and Orange County food banks. Across town, KJLH, with a live assist from Freddie Jackson, traded turkeys for

canned goods in their "Thanksgiving Can Be Good" campaign. WJMZ (107.3 JAMZ!)/Greenville, SC netted over a ton of non-perishable food items for a local food bank... Progressive Media Group has purchased former Country-formatted KQBR in Sacramento and airs a New Adult Contemporary/Urban format called "The Breeze." Major players on this new venture are all L.A. radio vets: Ricky Tatum, President/GM; Mary White, VP/Director of Sales; and Lawrence "L.T." Tanter, VP/Director of Programming... WMCS, formerly WMVP in Milwaukee, held a big bash to retire the station's old call letters. The new letters stand for "Milwaukee's Community Station."... Trends: Another PD is

DOPE

beefing about song lyrics. This time it's WKWM/Grand Rapids PD Lee Cadena. He states that he is not for censorship, just *common sense* on the part of companies in selecting the single with which they service radio... There is a (Touch) satellite in WAGH/Columbus, GA's

future. All staff is affected except Sunday morning programming, morning man Mack J and PD/Afternoon man Darryl Smith. Where will Mixtress Becky land?... Ex-WJJN/Dothan, AL PD Phil Davis has landed on-air at WIZF/Cincinnati... RECORD DOPE: Daria Langford has exited Mercury. No word yet on where she'll land. Industry vet Michael Johnson of the label's Atlanta office has been elevated to VP/Promotion, and will be making the Big Apple move shortly... Two fresh new acts to watch (in person, if at all possible): Tommy Boy's K-7 and Motown's 7669 (Seventy-six, sixty-nine)... IN THE MIX: Reggie Barnes, Jazzy Jordan, Troy Shelton, Carl Conner, Al Jai Wallace.

QUIET STORM

ALBUMS

2W LW TW	ARTIST TITLE	LABEL
1	FRANK SINATRA Duets	Capitol
1 1 2	MARIAH CAREY Music Box	Columbia
2 2 3	TONI BRAXTON Toni Braxton	LaFace/Arista
3 3 4	JANET JACKSON janet	jdj/Virgin
6 6 5	TEVIN CAMPBELL I'm Ready	Qwest/WB
4 5 6	XSCAPE Hummin' Comin'	So So Def/Col
4 7	R. KELLY 12 Play	Jive
8	COLOR ME BADD Time And Chance	Giant/Reprise
5 7 9	D.R.S. Gangsta Lean	Capitol
10	BABYFACE For The Cool	Epic
11	ZAPP & ROGER All The Greatest	Reprise
8 8 12	TONY TONI TONE Sons Of Soul	Wing/Mercury
13 9 13	BOYZ II MEN Christmas	Motown
14	INTRO Intro	Atlantic/Atl G
15	II D EXTREME	Gasoline Alley/MCA

II D Extreme
(Based on retail sales)

SOFT & WARM



STORM WATCH: This week, our Highness of High Pressure Kandace tunes into WIZF/Cincinnati QS jock Greg Patterson (pictured), who says there's no truth to the rumor that he'll move to Cleveland if the Bengals fail to win a game. Greg endorses Native Black's "Settle Down" (Design

Ent.): "This local talent is coming to a record store near you! Take a listen." On Luke's "The Caper" (Luke), he says: "It's a real cool cut." while the Frank Sinatra/Anita Baker collaboration, "Witchcraft" (Capitol), elicits this reply: "This song gives the Quiet Storm a different flavor. The response has been from older demos." Finally, Greg is high on Tevin Campbell's "Always In My Heart" (Qwest/WB): "The phones are ringin' off the hook!" HIGH TIDES: Best wishes to Vaughn Harper.

RADIO AIRPLAY

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2W LW TW	ARTIST TITLE	LABEL
1 1 1	TONI BRAXTON Breathe Again	LaFace/Arista
3 2 2	BABYFACE Never Keeping	Epic
5 6 3	TEVIN CAMPBELL Can We Talk	Qwest/WB
6 3 4	JANET JACKSON Again	jdj/Virgin
2 4 5	TONY TONI TONE Anniversary	Wing/Mercury
4 5 6	INTRO Come Inside	Atlantic/Atl G
10 8 7	JADE (Looking For) Mr	Giant/Reprise
12 13 8	R. KELLY Sex Me	J ive
8 7 9	KEITH WASHINGTON Stay in My	Qwest/WB
11 11 10	UNV Straight From	Maverick/Sire/WB
13 14 11	MARIAH CAREY Hero	Columbia
23 12 12	DRS Gangsta Lean	Capitol
9 9 13	TEDDY PENDERGRASS Voodoo	Elektra
7 10 14	BELL BIV DEVOE Something In	MCA
18 15 15	BRIAN MCKNIGHT After The Love	Mercury
17 16 16	HI-FIVE Never Shoulda	Jive
19 17	LUTHER VANDROSS Never Let Me	LV/Epic
16 17 18	XSCAPE Just Kickin' It	So So Def/Col
15 18 19	COMING OF AGE Coming Home	Zoo
24 20	Foreplay	Rip-It
21	The Morning After	WB
20 21 22	JOHNNY GILL Long Way From	Motown
23	ZAPP & ROGER Slow And Easy	Reprise
24	JOHNNY GILL Quiet Time FREDDIE JACKSON	Motown RCA
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(Based on radio airplay)

Make Love Easy

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RAP RADIO TOP FORTY

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1 1		2	SOULS OF MISCHIEF	93 T ill	Jive		39	22	AKINYELE	The Bomb	Interscope/Atl G
3 3		3	KRS-ONE	Outta Here	Jive	29	27	23	MC LYTE	I Go On	FPM/Atl/Atl G
5 5		4	BLACK MOON	How Many	Nervous/Wreck	23	22	24	SALT-N-PEPA	Shoop	N Plateau/Lon/PLG
6 2		5	L.O.N.S.	What's	Elektra	27	26	25	DADDY O	Brooklyn	Island/PLG
25 1	9	6	DAS EFX	Freak It	EastWest/Atl G	10	10	26	P.R.T.	Nobody Move	Profile
9 8		7	YZ	Ghetto's	Livin' Large		40	27	QUEEN LATIFAH	U.N.I.T.Y.	Motown
20 9		8	JERU THE DAMAJA	Come Clean	Payday/FFRR/PLG		33	28	ORIGINAL FLAVOR	Can I Get	Atlantic/Atl G
2 6		9	DE LA SOUL	Breakadawn	Tommy Boy	32	30	29	FAT JOE	Watch The	Violator/Relativity
15 1	1	10	ED OG & DA	Skinny Dip	Chemistry/Mercury	39	32	30	SHAQUILLE O'NEAL	Skillz	Jive
4 7	<u> </u>	11	ERICK SERMON	Stay Real	Def Jam/Chaos	13	24	31	ALKAHOLIKS	Make Room	LOUD/RCA
22 1	5	12	TOP QUALITY	Magnum Opus	RCA	17	16	32	MASTA ACE	Slaughtahouse	D Vinyl/Atl G
16 1	4	13	SHADES OF LINGO	Mad Flavaz	EMI/ERG	38	36	33	HARD 2 OBTAIN	L.I. Groove	Atlantic/Atl G
36 1	8	14	SNOOP DOGGY DOGG	What's My	DR/Int/Atl G	12	23	34	ONYX	Shifftee	JMJ/RAL/Chaos
19 1	7	15	N. BY NATURE	Written On	Tommy Boy			35	THA MEXAKINZ	Phonkie	Motown

Based on college radio and commercial mix show airplay

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SPANNING THE GLOBE: Round The Globe Music, a radio marketing service, has joined forces with the popular "Rap It Up & Reggae" syndicated show. This joint venture offers Round The Globe clients a chance to purchase advertising space on the show. "Rap It Up &

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That's How..

Heat It Up

Let Me Ride

Here Come...

DR/Int/Atl G

Pendulum/ERG

Wild Pitch

Jive

MCA

Reggae" features name DJs who can strut their mixing magic across the nation, thus providing excellent exposure for their skills. For further info, contact Globe Music's Lauren Coleman at (212) 947-5575... UNCONFIRMED RUMORS: Gangstarr's DJ Premiere wll be spinning on WBLS Fridays from 10pm to midnight. Speaking of Gangstarr, look for a new CD to drop in January. No title as of presstime... Are there about to be even more changes in an already-crazy fourth quarter? What East Coast rep is talking to major players on the West? And will someone be re-locating? Time will tell... MOVERS & SHAKERS: It's official! Eric Brooks and Carmonique Roberts have jumped from Priority to Virgin



Records, where Eric will head Virgin's street label (name to be determined). Carmonique will responsible for college and street promotions. Give them a shout at (310) 278-1181. JUMPING THE BROOM: James Andrews of Immortal Records is getting mar-

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RCA

DJ West/Chaos

TNT/Int/Alt G

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ried! The ceremony is sceduled for 11/27 in Marietta, GA. Congratulations, James and Sherrelle from the JAMS crew!... PARTIES, PARTIES EVERYWHERE: Mercury artist Nefertiti celebrated the release of her debut album "L.I.F.E." at L.A.'s Bel Age Hotel, while Snoop Doggy Dogg cruised the L.A. Marina to celebrate the release of his "Doggy Style" LP. In Atlanta, Ichiban threw a bash for Kilo & Nuff Ruffness. And Gee Street Records hosted a party for Doug E. Fresh' new album at New York's Wells Club. SHOUT OUTS: Peace to Fareed, Melle Mel, DJ Yutaka, Islam & the Zulu Nation... Big up to Bailey Broadcasting's Greg Johnson for his words of wisdom on black radio and hip-hop. Peace and I'm out.

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TOP TWENTY VIDEO

	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL WKL	Y PLAYS
1	2PAC	Keep Ya	TNT/Inter/Atl G	57
2	SNOOP DOGGY DOGG	What's My	DR/Int/Atl G	50
3	QUEEN LATIFAH	U.N.I.T.Y.	Motown	45
4	TRIBE CALLED QUEST	Awarc Tour	Jive	45
5	LORDS OF THE	Here Come	Pendulum/ERG	40
6	DAS EFX	Freakit	EastWest/Atl G	40
7	KRIS KROSS	I'm Real	Ruffhouse/Col	35
8	SALT -N- PEPA	Shoop	N. Plat/Lor/PLG	35
9	SHAQUILLE O'NEAL	Skillz	Jive	34
10	WU-TANG CLAN	Method Man	LOUD/RCA	33
11	FAT JOE	Watch The	Relativity	33
12	ERICK SERMON	Stay Real	D Jam/RAL/Chaos	32
13	SOULS OF MISCHEIF	93 T# Infinity	Jive	31
14	MC LYTE	I Go On	EastWest/Atl G	30
15	N. BY NATURE	Written On Ya.	Tommy Boy	27
16	FATHER	69	MCA	24
17	BORN JAMERICAN	Boom! Shak	DV/Atl G	23
18	HOODRATZ	Murdered	Epic	23
19	AKINYELE	The Bomb	Int/Atl G	20
20	ONYX	Shifftee	JMJ/RAL/Chaos	20
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Based on total nat'l & regional rotations

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ARTIST TITLE LABEL **WU-TANG CLAN** LOUD/RCA Enter The...

TOP FIFTEEN ALBUMS

2W LW TW	ARTIST TITLE (LABEL)	COMMENTS
4 1	A TRIBE CALLED QUEST Midnight (Jive)	Marauding
1 1 2	ERICK SERMON No Pressure (DJ/RAL/9	Staying Real Chaos)
9 3	WU-TANG CLAN Enter The (LOUD/RC	Lifted CA)
4 2 4	EAZY-E It's On (Ruthless/Rela	Eazy Listening ativity)
13 8 5	TOO SHORT Get In Where (Jive)	In The House
2 3 6	KRS-ONE Return Of The (Jive)	Jammin'
7 6 7	SALT-N-PEPA Very Necessary (N Pla	<i>Spicy</i> t/Lon/PLG)
8 5 8	SHAQUILLE O'NEAL Shaq Diesel (Jive)	Slam Dunk
10 10 9	BLACK MOON Enta Da Stage (Nervou	Getting Props us/Wreck)
5 7 10	L.O.N.S. T.I.M.E. (Elektra)	Educating
11	DAS EFX Straight Up (EastWes	Higest Debut st/Atl G)
6 11 12	SOULS OF MISCHIEF 93 Til Infinity (Jive)	Mischievious
3 13 13	SPICE 1 187 He Wrote (Jive)	Murderin'
14	MC REN Shock Of (Ruthless/F	Shocking! Relativity)
15	MASTA ACE Slaughtahouse (D Viny	Don't Sleep

Based on retail album sales

DOWN WIT'...



BOB TORRES: Baghdad by the Bay, aka San Francisco, is home to one incredibly busy young man. For the past year, Bob Torres has played host/executive producer of the weekly TV show, "Video Fusion," and a rap show on KSCU radio in the Bay Area. He's got a strong ear for music and a

taste for everything fine in that fabulous city. Of course, his rep will forever be sullied by this Down Wit' nod. Torres is hot on Black Moon's "How Many MCs" (Nervous Wreck), Poor Righteous Teachers' "Nobody Move" (Profile) and A Tribe Called Quest's "Award Tour" (Jive). He gives a shout out to "everybody who supports video and college radio shows. They help break artists from the street level, and play an important part in catapulting them to national fame."... On the strength.

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MINI-MUGS



GOLDEN PARACHUTE: Trying to prove life doesn't necessarily end at 40, Mercury revives the old Parachute label to capture the Adult Alternative marketplace. The first release from the imprint is L.A.-based singer/songwriters Lowen & Navarro's new album, "Broken Moon," Taking time out from menopause to mark the occasion before hitting their weekly Bingo game at the church are (1-r): Mercury Sr. VP A&R Bob Skoro, Mercury Sr. Director Mktg. Marty Maidenberg; Dan Navarro, Mercury Director A&R Tom Vickers and Eric Lowen.



KING & QUEEN: Finding out the quickest way to lose "respect" is an appearance in this magazine are Coretta Scott King (1), widow of the late civil rights leader Martin Luther King (r), and legendary "Queen of Soul," Arista recording artist Aretha Franklin, who hooked up in Atlanta to celebrate "Aretha Franklin Day," declared by the city's Mayor Maynard Jackson. When the duo found out where this photo was headed, they immediately ordered all copies of the pic destroyed along with the negatives.



HOW TO STUFF A WILD BIKINI: Publishing mogal Marvin Jarrett (r) marks the launch of his latest brainchild, Bikini magazine, with — what else? — a gala party at New York's Casa La Femme, where he hung with a glittering assemblage of celebrity impersonators, including this amazing clone of MTV Sports' host Dan Cortese (l), who hocked Marvin until he showed him the outtakes from the Alyssan Milano made spread in the 'zine's premier issue. The party was halted midway through, though, when the smart drinks began to kick in.

BEATIS ME

BY ROY TRAKIN

PR=TV: West Coast label publicity jobs have always been more about booking acts onto TV, with the East Coast PR departments renerally handling the mostly N.Y.-based national print consumer publications such as Rolling Stone, Spin, Entertainment Wordy, etc. In fact, the competition for television exposure is so increased and looking at talent bookers and others with mong TV backgrounds... Is Imago also looking to an uncertainty as its new publicity head?... Fellow publicists there are party for Virgin's Sue Sawyer to help her replent has a possessions she lost when her Malibu home burnt down

in the L.A. fires.... What bigname hand by a phoner with a majo market daily inumalist and substituted a enowned comedian for the supposed interviewed group member? So this is why ock critics are accorded such little respect: Daily News piece on aging rock stars that John Mollencamp's latest al-burn, "Human Wheels," should eventually go gold" on the day it went platinum... Ex-Visity Fair scribe Angela Janklow, Lughter of super literary agent Mort, is launchine a new Time-Life enter-



Ramones: Punk icons mark two decades and three chord.

unment magazine called Mouth to Mouth... America On-Line's "Record Industry Dirt Folder" is a repository for some of the vildest, most inside rumors in the biz... Geffen Records is the latest label to go online with CompuServe's Music Vendor Forum... What label is on the verge of signing their own spoken and impaint?.. Just to clarify last column's item, publicity for bith snoop Dogg and Dr. Dre is being handled — and quite well - in-house by Interscope's Lori Earl... Cary Baker has just oined Garth Breeks co-mgr. Pam Lewis' PLA West PR firm, whose clients include Diamond Rio, Charley Pride, Tracy Lawrence, Shawn Colvin, Darden Smith, CEMA's "Right Sunt" label and, natch, Brooks himself... Long-time Rolling Stone researcher Dulcy Israel segues to Entertainment Weekly as Music Editor. Davk Browne remains principal music writer, but what's happening with Greg Sandow?.... Musician's January issuc will include a complete redesign and the return of one-time editor Vic Garbarini as a contributor... Is MTV "Big Picture"/Premiere editor Chris Connelly being touted for Bob Contas's NBC talkshow "Later"? Will Costas grab the slot on CBS after Letterman? Will Rupert Murdoch's wife relent and let Howard Stern host Fox's show?... Celebrating their 20th anniversary, The Ramones cover 'Shapes of Things To Come.' originally performed by Max Frost & the Troopers for the soundtrack of "Wild In The Streets" on their totally brilliant all-cover version CD, "Acid Eaters," featuring cameos by Pete Townshend, Sebastian Bach and Traci Lords... Ex-MTV publicist Judianne Atencio has relocated to Boulder, Colorado. where she can provide you with fresh brioche at (303) 786-8837. (The HITS management wants you to know that Roy Trakin's column is Roy Trakin's column and does not necessarily reflect the opinion of HITS.)

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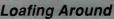
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WHEELS& DEALS

BY JOE FLEISCHER

NEXT BIG THING, PLEASE: Now that Beck and Jewel are safely tucked away in major label beds. Superchunk has elected to release their next album themselves on Merge/Touch And Go and Liz Phair worshippers will have to wait until she delivers Gerard another album before they work their weasely magic, what're shameless hypemongers to do? Well, unless you've been counting the days until the Pat Boone box set, you may have heard whisperings of an indie label that's on the verge of greatness. Alias is not only the label home of Plcasso Trigger and small 23, but the label's Archers Of Loaf could have used a tank of "Weasel Off"





Archers Of Loaf: Best thing since sliced ...?

spray at the recent CMJ convention, with all the slobbering they endured. The Loud Family's "Plants And Birds And Rocks And Things" definitely scores as this year's great lost guitarpop album. And, of course. each of the above-mentioned bands owes the label more records. several Maybe that's why chatterers are chattering about a major distribution deal for this true indie. In the search for "Next Big Thingdom," this sounds like as good a place as any to start ... 'SUP: The Miss Alans had not agreed

to terms with Chameleon, despite reports to the contrary, but are, in fact, close to inking with another label. Expect an announcement here soon... Chico's finest, Mother Hips, blew into Smogtown on Monday to experience the full-court press from two West Coast-based majors, who are each about to present the band with deal offers. The publishing battle, which seemed to be settled just a few weeks ago, will now have to wait until the band officially moves into a label home... Edna Swap signs with EastWest, kudos to Lara Hill... Seed inks with Mechanic, congrats to Steve Sinclair. Look for a Spring 1994 release... Sony Music lands Scarce for worldwide publishing... Heatmiser turned out the heavies for their L.A. showcase last week... Virgin swarmed en masse over Sara Hickman's last L.A. gig at Cafe Largo. Hmmm... Well Strung To Hang and Radio Flyer drew the most weasel attention at last week's BMI showcase at L.A.'s Club Lingerie... Big hitters crammed L.A.'s Raji's for Parthenon Huxley's new band Veg... Leave John Darnlelle of Mountain Goats fame alone already. He's not signing with anyone until he completes his PhD in Literature (that's books, guys)... Give A&R whiz Chris Long a call at (213) 482-9985. Something ate his company coupla weeks ago... HAVE YOU HEARD?: The Swirlies' "Brokedick Car" on Taang!, Smudge's "Tea, Toast & Turmoil" on Shake/Half A Cow, Trenchmouth's "Inside The Future" on Skene!... BUZZIN': Joe McEwen, Scarce, Filter, Green Thumb.

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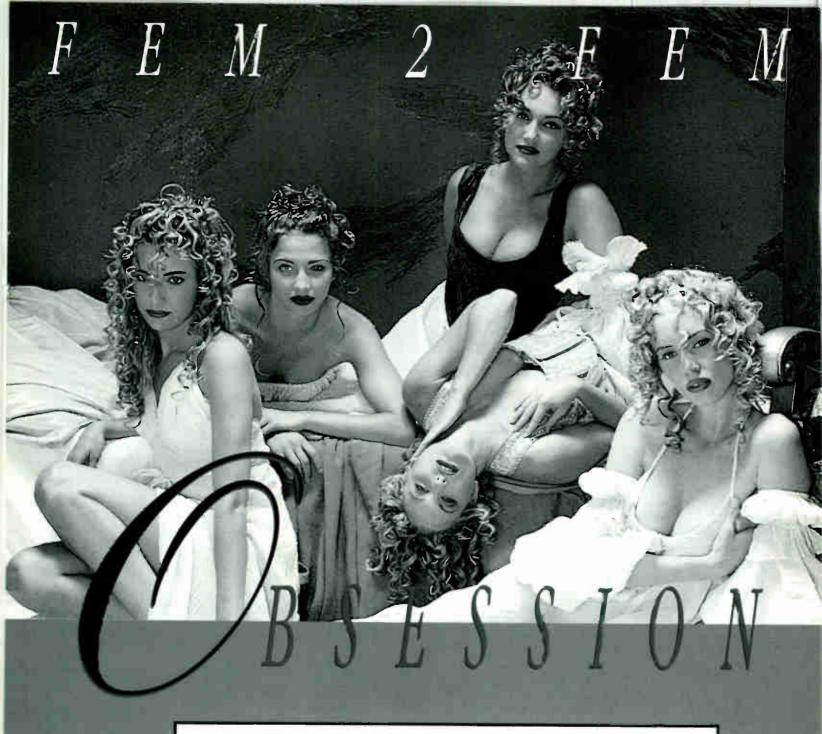
NO HORSE SENSE: Even cowgirls turn to drugs when they're forced to take cheesey photo-ops with this wild bunch of losers. Cowboy Junkie singer Margo Timmins stopped by RCA headquarters to deliver the band's new album, "Pale Sun, Crescent Moon," and press the flesh with the inspiring RCA townsfolk. Pictured desperately searching for their pulses are (I-r): RCA's Thomas Westfall, Dave Novik, Joe Galante, and Timmins, along with the label's Dave Loncao and Chris Hensley.



HEART-SHAPED BOSS: After performing a surprise acoustic set featuring songs from their just-released new album, "Desire Walks On," Heart's dynamic duo of Ann and Nancy Wilson discover that warm and fuzzy Capitol Prez Gary Gersh prefers his artists call him "Pookie." Giving new meaning to the term Capitol punishment are (1-r): Exec. VP Ralph Simon, the Wilson sisters (who Simon kept referring to as Carnie and Wendy). Gersh and guitarist Howard "Just Lost His" Leese.



THE ALTERED BEAST WITHIN: This photo was snapped just moments before Zoo's Matthew Sweet snapped himself, slaughtering and devowing management and label staffers. Pictured before the carnage are (I-r): managers Russell Carter and Tom Simenson; BMG's Heinz Henn and Michael Benjamin; Sweet; BMG's Pete Jones, and Zoo's Candy Masangale and Steven Pendergrass. Sweet was made to pay for crimes by serving 500 hours of community service performing dramatic readings of "The Best of Ivana."



OUT OF THE BOX!

WXKS add • Z90 add • KTFM add • WJMO add

WKSS add WERZ add XL106 add add **WQGN** 98PXY add **KCHX** add **WFHN** add **KTMT** add

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BASED ON SALES OF ALBUMS, TAPES AND CD'S FROM THE NATION'S LEADING RECORD MERCHANDISERS



WINNERS

- PEARL JAM
- FRANK SINATRA
- MICHAEL BOLTON

MOST TOP 5's

- PEARL JAM
- 2. FRANK SINATRA
- TOM PETTY

MOST TOP 10's

- PEARL JAM
- 2. FRANK SINATRA
- 3. TOM PETTY



DOUG SMITH 101 Retail Stores (Pittsburgh)

NAT'L RECORD MART

- 1. MICHAEL BOLTON
- 2. PEARL JAM 3. MEAT LOAF
- 4. TOM PETTY
- 5. FRANK SINATRA 6. BRYAN ADAMS
- MARIAH CAREY
- 8. COMMON THREAD
- 9. MC REN
- 10. BILLY JOEL



CHUCK LEE 340 Retail Stores (Los Angeles)

WHEREHOUSE

- FRANK SINATRA
- **PEARL JAM**
- **EAZY E**
- 4. MARIAH CAREY
- **TOO SHORT**
- MICHAEL BOLTON
- TOM PETTY
- 8. ZAPP & ROGER 9. MEAT LOAF
- 10. COMMON THREAD

THE WALL

STEVE CHALFANT 173 Retail Stores (Philadelphia)

THE WALL MUSIC INC

- 1. FRANK SINATRA
- **PEARL JAM**
- 3. MEAT LOAF
- MICHAEL BOLTON
- **BRYAN ADAMS**
- TOM PETTY
- **10,000 MANIACS**
- 8. NIRVANA
- 9. DAS EFX
- 10. BILLY JOEL



MIKE KAUPP 145 Retail Stores (Boston/Wash D.C.)

STRAWBERRIES/WAXIE MAXIE'S

- **PEARL JAM**
- 2. MICHAEL BOLTON
- FRANK SINATRA
- TOM PETT
- 5. MEAT LOAF 6. DAS EFX
- **MARIAH CAREY**
- 8. BRYAN ADAMS
- 9. BILLY JOEL
- 10. 10,000 MANIACS



DAVE WATLAND 122 Retail Stores (Amarillo)

HASTINGS/CD

- 1. PEARL JAM 2. COMMON THREAD
- **MEAT LOAF**
- MICHAEL BOLTON
- TOM PETTY
- **BRYAN ADAMS**
- NIRVANA
- FRANK SINATRA
- 9. CRANBERRIES
- 10. 10.000 MANIACS



HOWARD **APPELBAUM** 34 Retail Stores (Wash D.C.)

KEMP MILL

- TRIBE CALLED QUEST
- **PEARL JAM**
- **SMASHING PUMPKINS**
- **TONI BRAXTON**
- TOM PETTY
- **CRANBERRIES**
- FRANK SINATRA **TEVIN CAMPBELL**
- 9. NIRVANA
- 10. STONE FREE/HENDRIX



JAY ROSENBERG 58 Retail Stores (New York)

- 1. FRANK SINATRA
- 2. TRIBE CALLED QUEST
- 3. DAS EFX 4. TONI BRAXTON
- 5. MICHAEL BOLTON
- 6. PEARL JAM
- **TEVIN CAMPBELL**
- 8. TOM PETTY 9. MARIAH CAREY 10. MEAT LOAF



DEBBO HOUGHTON 4000+ Accounts (Philadelphia)

UNIVERSAL ONE-STOP

- 1. FRANK SINATRA
- **PEARL JAM**
- MARIAH CAREY MEAT LOAF
- 5. TRIBE CALLED QUEST
- 6. COMMON THREAD
- **BRYAN ADAMS**
- 8. PHIL COLLINS
- 9. JANET JACKSON 10. BILLY JOEL



DON JENSEN 98 Rack Accounts

ROUND UP

- **PEARL JAM**
- **COMMON THREAD**
- 3. MEAT LOAF 4. BRYAN ADAMS
- 5. MARIAH CAREY
- **MICHAEL BOLTON** TOM PETTY
- 8. GARTH BROOKS
- 9. REBA MCENTIRE
- 10. HEART



BASED ON SALES OF ALBUMS, TAPES AND CD'S FROM THE NATION'S LEADING RECORD MERCHANDISERS



TONY BRENNER 500 Accounts (Cleveland)

ARROW DISTRIBUTORS

- 1. PEARL JAM
- **MICHAEL BOLTON**
- **GARTH BROOKS**
- 4. MEAT LOAF
- **COMMON THREAD**
- **MARIAH CAREY**
- **BILLY JOEL**
- 8. JANET JACKSON
- 9. REBA MCENTIRE 10. BRYAN ADAMS



MICHELE MILLER 1500 Accts (Atlanta)

ONE-STOP RECORD HOUSE

- 1. DAS EFX
- MICHAEL BOLTON
- 3. DRS
- **EAZY E**
- 5. TRIBE CALLED QUEST
- **ADDAMS FAMILY... (ST)**
- **QUEEN LATIFAH**
- TONI BRAXTON
- 9. MC REN
- 10. COLOR ME BADD



LARRY WEBB 16 Retail Stores. 500 One-stop accts (Nashville)

MUSIC CITY RECORD DIST.

- MICHAEL BOLTON
- TOM PETTY
- MC REN
- **BARBARA COOK**
- 5. DOUG STONE
- COLOR ME BADD
- **COMMON THREAD**
- 8. HEART
- 9. DAS EFX
- 10. STONE FREE/HENDRIX

BAKER & TAYLOR MIKE BASHKIN

AUDIO

(Chicago)

BAKER & TAYLOR ONE-STOP

- MICHAEL BOLTON
- TOM PETTY
- 3. SLEEPLESS IN SEATTLE II
- 4. BOYZ II MEN 5. MC REN
- 6. BRYAN ADAMS
- DAS EFX
- 9. FRANK SINATRA
- 10. MEAT LOAF



JIMMY BRANNAN 1 Retail Store (New

J&R

- 1. FRANK SINATRA
- 2. PHIL COLLINS
- TONI BRAXTON
- TOM PETTY
- 5. MEAT LOAF
- 6 MARIAH CAREY
- **PEARL JAM**
- 8. BILLY JOEL
- 9. 10,000 MANIACS
- 10. YES



KRISTEN FREDERICK 1 Retail Store (Los Angeles)

VIRGIN MEGASTORE

- 1. CULTURE CLUB/HITS 2. FRANK SINATRA
- 3. 10,000 MANIACS
- PET SHOP BOYS KATE BUSH
- **PEARL JAM**
- **EMERSON, LAKE &...**
- **DEAD CAN DANCE**
- 9. US3
- 10. MARIAH CAREY



GAIL ANNAN 4 Retail Stores (Boston)

HARVARD COOP

- **FRANK SINATRA**
- **PEARL JAM**
- **10,000 MANIACS**
- KATE BUSH BILLY JOEL
- MARIAH CAREY
- **PHIL COLLINS**
- 8. MEAT LOAF
- 9. TOM WAITS
- 10. J.T. TAYLOR



8 Retail stores (Lansing)

MICHIGAN WHEREHOUSE

- TRIBE CALLED QUEST PEARL JAM
- 3. 10,000 MANIACS
- TOO SHORT R. KELLY
- TOM PETTY **MICHAEL BOLTON**
- 8. NO ALTERNATIVE (COMP)
 9. SMASHING PUMPKINS
- 10. SHAQUILLE O'NEAL



AMY BANNING 7 Stores (Grand Rapids)

BELIEVE IN MUSIC

- 1. PEARL JAM
- 2. MICHAEL BOLTON
- 3. BRYAN ADAMS
- TOM PETTY
- **MEAT LOAF**
- WHITE ZOMBIE
- R. KELLY NIRVANA 8.
- 9. COMMON THREAD
- 10. MELISSA ETHERIDGE



DOUGLAS WILLIAMS 1 Retail Store (Los Angeles)

ARONS

- TOM PETTY DAVID BOWIE
- 3. BLONDIE
- 4. DEAD CAN DANCE
- KATE BUSH 6. PAUL MCCARTNEY
- NO ALTERNATIVE (COMP)
- 8. COCTEAU TWINS 9. PEARL JAM
- 10. TEENAGE FANCLUB



BILLY WADE 3 Retail Stores & 150 One-Stop Accts (Mpls)

ELECTRIC FETUS

- 1. PHANTOM HIGHLIGHTS
- TOM PETTY 3. NO ALTERNATIVE (COMP)
- MICHAEL BOLTON
- HEART
- MC REN
- TOM WAITS
- DAS EFX STONE FREE/HENDRIX



KATHY SHEDD 4 Retail Stores

DOWN IN THE VALLEY

- 1. TOM PETTY
- 2. PEARL JAM
- 3. NO ALTERNATIVE (COMP)
 4. CITIES SAMPLER 5
- FRANK SINATRA CRASH TEST DUMMIES
- **10,000 MANIACS**
- 8. JACKSON BROWNE 9. BODEANS
- 10. STONE FREE/HENDRIX



HOT NEW OR RESURGING ALBUMS AS REPORTED BY THE NATION'S LEADING RECORD MERCHANDISERS

WINNERS

TOM PETTY

(MCA 10813)

COLOR ME BADD

(Giant/Rep 24524) 36%

MICHAEL BOLTON

PAUL McCARTNEY

(Capitol 27704) 32%

56% (Columbia 53567)

3 HEART (Capitol 99627)

51% **QUEEN LATIFAH** (Motown 6370) 22%

DAS EFX

(EW/Atl G 92265)

45%

40%

57%

T. CALLED QUEST

(Jive 41490) 12%

MC REN 5

(Ruthless/Relat 5505)

10 US3

(Blue N/Cap 80883) 11%

ADBEY ROAD /

RON SIMMS / LOS ANGELES Michael Bolton Das EFX MC Ren Color Me Budd Queen Latifah

APPLE TREE /

NANCY FINE / ILLINOIS Color Me Bodd Des EFX Tom Peny A Tribe Called Quest Psi Com

ARFOW DISTUBLEDRS / TONY

BRENNER / SOLON, OHIO

Lichael Bolton om Putty Heart Faul McCartney Had Co.

ASSOCIATED ONE-STOP /

PAM DUNN / PHOENIX Heart Doug Stone

Das EFX Nichael Bolton Color Me Badd A:e

ATLANTA CD/

MARY SEYLER / NORCROSS

Tim Perry Paul McCartney David Bowie

BORDERS / VICKI MARSHALL / ANN ARBOR

Paul McCartne Andreas Vollenweider

US3 Heart

CAMPUS RECORDS /

JIM DAWSON / COLUMBUS

Tom Patty A Tribe Called Quast MC Ren Das EFX Michael Bolton Paul McCartney

CENTRAL SOUTH /

TONY ROSS / NASHVILLE

II D Extreme MC Ren Michael Bolton Hi-C Tom Petty

COCONUTS / KEVIN HARNETT /

INDIANAPOLIS Concrete Blond Jackson Browne **Bodeans** No Alternative

DISCLAND /

JIM BINACO / WALTHAM

Indians A Tribe Called Quest Bob Dylan Wu-Tang Clan

DOWN IN THE VALLEY /

KATHY SHEDD / MPLS

Cities Sampler Black Mary Samples Winter Solstice IV ELP (Box)

H.L. DIST/

MICHELLE PLATAS / MIAMI MC Ren

Paul McCortney Color Me Badd Michael Bolton Tom Petty

HARMONY HOUSE/ SANDY BEAN / DETROIT

Michael Bolton

Tom Petty Color Me Badd US3 Heart MC Ren Addams Family (ST)

JEK ENTERPRISE /

MITCHEL ASCH / BALTIMORE

Queen Latifah Das EFX US3 Heart MC Ren Michael Bolton MCD MUSIC

LOU GHIRALDI / NY

PM Dawn Das EFX Wu-Tang Clan Curve James Saigon Kick R Kelly

MICHELLE'S RECORDS & VIDEO / MICHELLE DIX /

PARKERSBURG, WV

D, Tammy & Loretta Def Leppard Jackson Browne **Erick Sermon** Tevin Campbell

MICHIGAN WHEREHOUSE /

FRANK JENKS / DETROIT Michael Bolton MC Ren Blur Das El X

Tom P tty

MOBY DISC /

BOB SAY/LOS ANGELES

Tom Petty Paul McCartney Celine Dion Bryan Adams

MUSIC BIZ ENTERPRISES /

JACKIE HOYT/ST. LOUIS Michael Bolton Tom Petty Heart Paul McCartney MC Ren Doug Stone R Kelly

MUSIC CITY RECORD DIST / LARRY WEBB / NASHVILLE

Michael Bolton Tom Petty MC Ren Bad Co. Doug Stone Color Me Bodd



Gin Blossoms "Found Out About You"

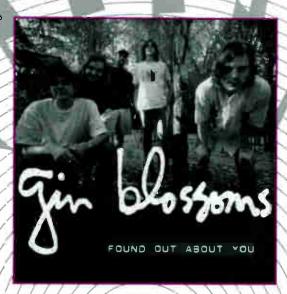
9 NEW ADDS INCLUDING: PRO-FM add

18 DEBUTS INCLUDING:

WPST deb 29 20 Plays WHHY deb 29 23 Plays WVSR deb 30 25 Plays

99X 6-2 WDRE #10 KROQ #10 KITS #10

KIIS #18 30 Plays Z100 #19 22 Plays **B97** 27-19 27 Plays #19 22 Plays STR94 27-20 26 Plays KRQ 25-21 36 Plays Z102 30-21 26 Plays PWR92 32-23



14 Plays WNVZ 28-25 28-25 WGTZ 34-25 **KISR KMGZ** 32-25 KROC 32-25 WIXX 29-25 25 Plays 33-26 KTRS 34-27 CK105 18 Plays KHTT 30-27 24 Plays WAQQ 30-29 21 Plays 93Q 33-30 19 Plays

ALSO ON AT:

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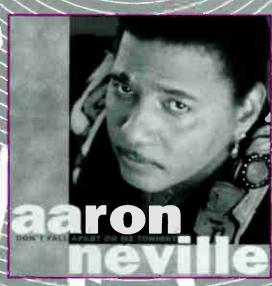
Aaron Neville "Don't Fall Apart On Me Tonight"

VH1 HEAVY

WLRW add

KZZU deb 27 103CIR deb 30 WIFC 35 deb KISR 36 deb KQIX 39 d b KMCK deb 40

KISN 23-19 WKEE 24-21 WERZ 27-23 WKMX 28-24 WYYS 36-32



ALSO ON AT: KMPZ KYIS KTUX KNIN KIMT WMMZ **OK95** KHTT KISX 0101 WBIZ KKRD WHTO WABB K106 **XMLW** KG95 WXSR









ALBUMS

······ 2 WEEKS AGO

:······LAST WEEK

···· THIS WEEK

	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS	POWER INDEX
† † †					INDEX
2 2 1	FRANK SINATRA	DUETS	Capitol 89611	Approaching 2 million	162.4
1 1 2	PEARL JAM	VS	Epic Assoc 53136	Still great sales	159.8
3	MICHAEL BOLTON	THE ONE THING	Columbia 53567	Killer first week	146.8
3 3 4	MEAT LOAF	BAT OUT OF HELL II	MCA 10699	Heading toward 3 million	123.3
7 5	BRYAN ADAMS	SO FAR, SO GOOD	A&M 540-157	Top 10 single leads	109.5
 6	TOM PETTY	GREATEST HITS	MCA 10813	Hits pkg with 2 new songs	100.4
5 5 7	MARIAH CAREY	MUSIC BOX	Columbia 53205	Second single Top 5	99.9
4 6 8	VARIOUS ARTISTS	COMMON THREAD	Giant 24531	Heading double platinum	86.4
4 9	PHIL COLLINS	BOTH SIDES	Atl/Atl G 82550	Hot single leads	80.9
9 9 10	TONI BRAXTON	TONI BRAXTON	LaFace/Arista 26007	Contains multiple smashes	77.3
11 11 11	JANET JACKSON	JANET.	Virgin 87825	Tour about to begin	75.2
8 12	TRIBE CALLED QUEST	MIDNIGHT MARAUDER	J ive 41490	Multi-format sales	74.7
10 14 13	10,000 MANIACS	UNPLUGGED	Elektra 61569	Over 700,000 now	72.5
8 12 14	BILLY JOEL	RIVER OF DREAMS	Columbia 53003	New single developing	70.8
6 10 15	NIRVANA	IN UTERO	DGC 24607	Video leading	66.1
7 13 16	EAZY E	IT'S ON 187	Ruthless/Rel 5503	Gangsta rap	63.7
13 15 17	SMASHING PUMPKINS	SIAMESE DREAM	Virgin 88 2 67	Platinum now	59.8
18	DAS EFX	DAS EFX	EW/Atl G 92265	Hot single leads	58.5
19	MC REN	MC REN	Ruth/Relativity 5505	Rap	54.0
15 17 20	CRANBERRIES	EVERYBODY ELSE IS	IsI/PLG 514-156	Top 20 single leading	52.9
12 16 21	TOO SHORT	GET IN WHERE YA FIT	Jive 41526	Rap	49.4
14 19 22	XSCAPE	HUMMIN', COMIN'	Columbia 57107	Ready for new single	47.4
18 23	STONE FREE	TRIBUTE TO JIMI	Reprise 45438	Hendrix tribute	46.5
18 21 24	TEVIN CAMPBELL	I'M READY	Qwest/WB 45388	Top 10 single leads	43.8
 25	HEART	DESIRE WALKS ON	Capitol 99627	Single shipping	42. 3

(Based on sales of albums, tapes and CD'S from the nation's leading record merchandisers)



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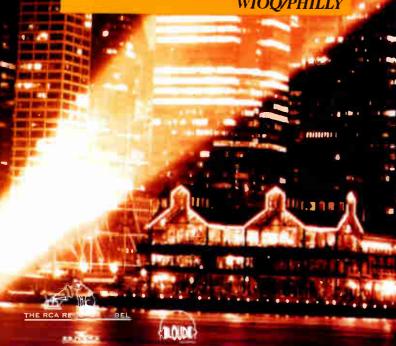
#1 PHONES, TOP 3 SALES... DEFINITELY THE BIGGEST RECORD IN NEW YORK CITY.

> Steve Smith HOT 97 NYC.

HUGE SALES - A SMASH HERE! Scotty Snipes KIX106/PROVIDENCE

A HUGE REACTION RECORD. **INSTANT PHONES AND INSTANT**

SALES! CUTTING EDGE HIP HOP. Jefferson Ward WIOQ/PHILLY





Chantay Savage BETCHA'LL NEVER FIND

From the album HERE WE GO...

DEBUT 41 BB TOP 200 ALBUMS THE FIRST WEEK!

> **BREAKING BIG OUT OF THE BOX AT:**

> > WHYT

PWRPIG

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WTIC

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Z90

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ALBUMS

......2 WEEKS AGO

	::	THIS WEEK				
		ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS	POWER INDEX
<u> </u>	ў 26	R. KELLY	12-PLAY	Jive 41527	Multi-format single leads	39.9
17 23	27	REBA MCENTIRE	GREATEST HITS, VOL 2	MCA 10906	Country sales	37.8
19 20	28	BLIND MELON	BLIND MELON	Capitol 96585	Ready for new single	35.5
22 25	29	WHITE ZOMBIE	LA SEXORCISTO	Geffen 24460	Falling slowly	34.2
	30	COLOR ME BADD	TIME & CHANCE	Giant 24524	Top 25 single leads	32.8
23 22	31	SHAQUILLE O'NEAL	SHAQ DIESEL	Jive 41529	Rap	32.7
34 28	32	SLEEPLESS	SOUNDTRACK	Epic Strx 52780	Slowly falling	31.9
	33	PAUL MCCARTNEY	PAUL IS LIVE	Capitol 27704	Live	30.2
21 32	34	DRS	GANGSTA LEAN	Capitol 814454	Monster ballad leads	30.1
31 31	35	PEARL JAM	TEN	Epic Assoc. 47857	Falling some this week	27.2
32 30	36	ROD STEWART	UNPLUGGED AND SEATED	Wamer Bros 45289	Needs new single	27.0
	37	QUEEN LATIFAH	BLACK REIGN	Motown 6370	First effort on new label	25.8
25 29	38	CYPRESS HILL	BLACK SUNDAY	RH/Columbia 53931	On tour	25.7
24 27	39	2PAC	STRICTLY 4 MY	TNT/Int/Atl G 92209	Top 15 single leads	25.0
38 40	40	JACKSON BROWNE	I'M ALIVE	Elektra 61524	Single & small tour	24.3
28 36	41	BABYFACE	FOR THE COOL IN YOU	Epic 53558	New 45 Top 20	24.1
43	42	BREEDERS	LAST SPLASH	4AD/Elektra 61508	Video on MTV	23.8
39 46	43	ZAPP & ROGER	ALL THE GREATEST	Reprise 45143	Hits package	23.8
30 38	44	SALT -N- PEPA	VERY NECESSARY	NP/Lon/PLG 828-39	2Top 5 single leads	23.2
	45	BODYGUARD	SOUNDTRACK	Arista 18699	Back on	22.2
41	46	WU-TANG CLAN	ENTER THE WU-TANG	LOUD/RCA 66336	Huge in N.Y. & Philly	21.7
33 35	47	STONE TEMPLE PILOTS	CORE	Atlantic/Atl G 82418	Falling some this week	20.6
	48	KENNY G	BREATHLESS	Arista 18646	Back on	20.6
16 26	49	RUSH	COUNTERPARTS	Ant/Atl/Atl G 82528	Falling this week	18.9
43 44	50	ALAN JACKSON	ALOT ABOUT	Arista 18711	Falling this week	18.4
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NEXT UP

GIN BLOSSOMS (A&M)
NO ALTERNATIVE (Arista)

TONY TONI TONE (Wing/Merc)
CELINE DION (550 Music)

BOYZ II MEN (XMAS) (Motown) ANOTHER BAD... (Motown) WELCOME BACK THE MOST POWERFUL INSTRUMENT IN MUSIC. THE VOICE

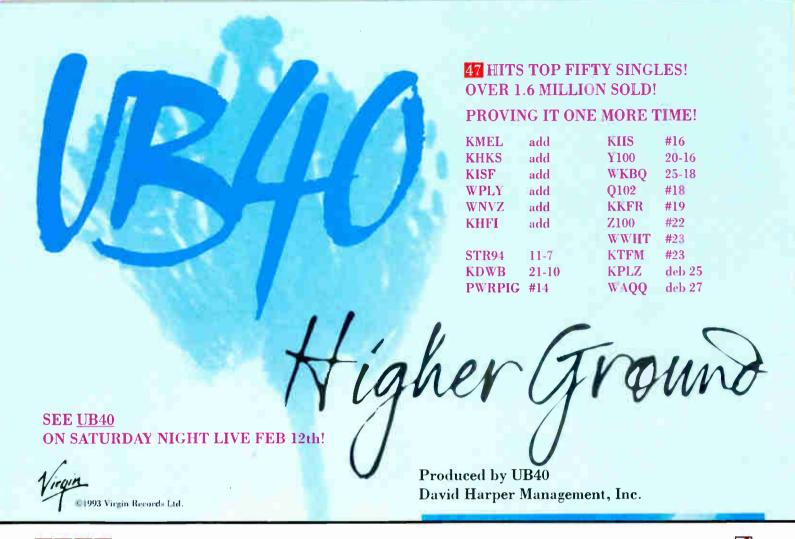


"WILL YOU BE THERE(IN THE MORNING)"

THE NEW SINGLE AND VIDEO FROM TO SEE WHEN THE

PASSIONATE, POWERFUL, AND LOADED WITH HEART.





WAVELENGIH

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position..... WNVZ Norfolk adds John Trout from WZPL Indianapolis for mornings We look for Kate Bush to have a breakthrough Top 40 hit with "Rubberband Girl."..... At KJMZ Dallas, MD Helen Little adds APD duties.... Many (including us) think Tom Petty's farewell single for MCA. "Mary Jane's Last Dance," is his finest effort to date. Listen to it. Add it Management at B95 Fresno has pulled all hardcore/gangsta music off the radio. This is growing trend,.... WPLJ New York adds Al Bandiero from crosstown HOT97 to its airstaff..... Capitol's US3 is already selling singles and albums, and this week was moved into Buzz Bin at MTV CBS-FM has flipped WLTT Washington to its new "Arrow" format. Look for KLTR Houston to go next Direct word from WBBO Greenville confirms the sale to George Francis with staff &

PD Mike Murphy remaining intact 'til further notice WHSY Hattiesburg names Kevin Davis from KLBQ El Dorado PD/mornings effective 12/23..... At KZIO Duluth. James Baker from WNVZ Norfolk joins as MD/afternoon drive The Top Ten Most Played videos this week at MTV are: #1 Snoop Doggv Dogg, #2 Meat Loaf, #3 Nirvana, #4 Blind Melon, #5 Smashing Pumpkins, #6 Aerosmith, #7 Ace Of Base, #8 Janet Jackson, #9 Stone Pilots and #10 Temple Cranberries Consultant Steve Perun needs record service from all labels. Send to 1909 Franklin Ave. Mpls. 55414..... Dan O'Day's PD Grad School Seminar will be held in Dallas Feb 5 & 6. For info call 310-476-2091..... What is happening at WMMZ Gainesville?.... Q101 Chicago names Robin Luce, formerly of KPNT St. Louis, as Prod. Dir.....

WZPL Indianapolis sponsored a "Stop The Violence" day, 11/22, by turning their microphones off and just presenting music and jingles for 24 hours.... STAR94 Tony Novia's wife Maty signs with ABC for national TV show... Job openings: WKRZ Wilkes-Barre needs night talent. T&Rs to PD Ken Medek. WKHI Ocean City is looking for air talent. T&Rs to PD Jack Da Wack. WSNX Muskegon/Grand Rapids looking for afts/promotions director. T&Rs to PD Jim Richards. WTBB Panama City is looking for midday talent. T&Rs to PD Jim Stacy: WJMX Florence's LMA sister WGTR Myrtle Beach is looking for a PD. T&Rs to Dave Baker Continued get well wishes to Atlantic's Joe Ianello, now recovering speedily in Chicago Congratulations to CK105 Flint PD Lee St. Michaels on the way to the altar in Las Vegas, 12/5..... Blowin' In The Wind: Louis Kaplan, Gary Berkowitz, Coyote McCloud, Liz Kiley, KPRR, Jay Shannon and Jeff "Booger" Kapugi.... And here's the lovely and talented Mary Catherine Sneed. Is ownership in her future, or will she be a very rich free agent?





DION THE POWER OF

LOVE

ADD!

from the album THE COLOUR OF MY LOVE

AIRPLAY = HUGE PHONES:

Q106 #1 ADULTS 18+!

WAQQ TOP 5 MIDDAY PHONES!

WAPE #1 25-34! TOP 15 OVERALL! WMMZ TOP 10 ADULT FEMALES!

WMMZ TOP 10 ADULT FEMALES! WSTO TOP 10 ADULTS!

ALSO HUGE AT... WFLY, WFHN, WMGV, WVIC, KG95, WXIL!

20 NEW TOP 40 AND ADULT STATIONS! 585 BDS DETECTIONS! AUDIENCE REACH OVER 4 MILLION! MAJOR AIRPLAY:

STAR 94 Atlanta Add! B97 KISF Kansas City Add! KISN KBIG Los Angeles Add! Q99 KMXV Minneapolis Add! **KPLZ** PRO -FM Providence WKTI THE "TONIGHT SHOW"

DECEMBER 3rd!

New Orleans Salt Lake City Salt Lake City Seattle Milwaukee WBMX Boston WYXR Philadelphia WMTX Tampa OVER 4,700 SINGLES SOLD THIS WEEK!

WZKX TOP 10 PHONES 25+!

112*-89* SOUNDSCAN SINGLES CHART!

WPST TOP 20!

KYYY TOP 15!

CULTURE BEAT

mr. vain

from the album sevenity



49*-39* SOUNDSCAN SINGLES CHART!



17 HITS REQUESTS!
24-21 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!
ON OVER 130 TOP 40 STATIONS!
OVER 2,000 BDS DETECTIONS!
REACHING AN AUDIENCE OF 19 MILLION LISTENERS!
OVER 10,000 PIECES SOLD THIS WEEK!

"AIRPLAY OF THE WEEK" AWARD KKSS ALBUQUERQUE 85 SPINS!

PWRPIG Tampa 54 Spins! KHKS Dallas 40 Spins! KRBE 27 Spins! Houston **PWR 96** Miami 22 Spins! KKFR 31 Spins! Phoenix KHFI 37 Spins! Austin

KUBESeattle46 Spins!Z90San Diego48 Spins!WXKSBoston28 Spins!HOT 97.7San Jose24 Spins!KLUCLas Vegas46 Spins!





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• OVER 2.6 MILLION ALBUMS SOLD WORLDWIDE ON THE STRENGTH OF ONE GOLD SINGLE - "INSANE IN THE BRAIN"

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 ALSO ON THE BOX AND BET

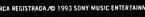
• RECENTLY MADE THEIR FIRST TV APPEARANCE EVER ON SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE

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While everyone was rushing home for Thanksgiving treats, the action came down hot and heavy in broadcasting circles: As predicted here week ago. the winner of the Z100 Secaucus morning man search is none other than John Lander. Lander is a brilliant morning talent and his signing marks the final piece in the station's comeback puzzle. Credit Steve Kingston and GM Alan Goodman for closing this important deal. Lander has already been on the air doing some drop-ins, but we don't expect him to begin on "The Zoo" for approximately three weeks. Addendum: Look for longtime sidekick Patti Steele to join Lander for mornings.... Big action this week in the Summit Communications world as a press release announces that the representatives of the Gordon Grav Trust, which owns most of the outstanding common stock of the

company is seeking "strategic alternatives." What this means in English is that the company is for sale. Will the cable division be the first to splinter off? Will management led by Jim Wesley attempt to purchase the seven station radio division? Will programming guru



WKSE Buffalo PD Brian Burns and lovely daughter Carly hang with Barney for some stupid promotion the station is doing to try to keep the station's ratings high enough to keep Burns out of the printed media. Amen!

Mary Catherine Sneed force them to buy us and close this rag? Look for these and other developments to go down quickly (as in before the New Year).... The rumored sale of Evergreen's WAPE and WFYV Jacksonville to Carl Hirsch's Omni America for \$19.6 million is official. Look for the duopoly's GM Mark Schwartz and "Big Ape" PD Jeff McCartney to remain in place Everyone in the business is laying down bets on whether the active rap buyer or the active rock buyer will prevail as newcomer Snoop Doggy Dogg and veterans Guns N' Roses hit the streets simultaneously with much coveted new albums. We're betting on the Dogg to debut at #1!!.... In Cleveland, the WJMO sale to Zapis is finally complete..... Post Modern goddess Sherri Trahan segues to Mayerick from MCA in a promotion

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3 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! 34 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS!

NEW AIRPLAY:

WKBO G105

WNNK

WATA WAEB

KMCK

OVER 180 BDS SPINS LAST WEEK! #9 MTV VIDEO JAMS COUNTDOWN

#1 BET VDEO SOUL COUNTDOWN (HEAVY ROTATION)

#2 Most Requested On THE BOX!





SALES: ALREADY PLATINUM SINGLE &

STILL GROWING!

SHIPPED OVER 40,000 ALBUMS TO RETAIL!

#1 SELLING SINGLE IN:

SAN FRANCISCO TAMPA

HOUSTON PHOENIX

ATLANTA

KANSAS CITY

CHARLOTTE

SACRAMENTO NEW ORLEANS

YOUR AUDIENCE WILL FEEL THIS RECORD!







GANGSTA

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TROL	215

B94	ADD
B97	ADD
H0T97.7	ADD
KPLZ	ADD
WKSE	ADD

NEW AIRPLAY!

WCKZ ADD WKSS ADD WTIC ADD WADO ADD AND MANY MORE!

WHHH **DEB 27** 29 SPINS **KZHT** 21-18 27 SPINS Z100 #20 26 SPINS WIOQ 29-27 22 SPINS WFNX 26 SPINS WHFS 20 SPINS

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SINGLES SOLD	LW	98	TW
NEW YORK	163		221
Los Angeles	334		550
DALLAS	125		189
BALTIMORE	39	-	63
WASHINGTON	47	-	133
SEATTLE	7	(A)	106

THE HIPPEST RECORD ON THE STREET IS ABOUT TO EXPLODE!



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2-1 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS! EARPICKS WINNER!

OVER 170,000 SOLD LAST WEEK!! New York LOS ANGELES #1 MIAMI #1 SAN FRANCISCO #1 TAMPA #1 CHICAGO

NEW AIRPLAY! WMMZ ADD KHTT ADD **KFFM** ADD KLYV ADD

ADD

WHTO ADD **XMLW** ABD WYYS ADD WZPK ADD KAKS

ADD

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