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First Look At 23 New Acts Radio Will Hear Plenty About In '96

by Phyllis Stark

The first quarter brought radio plenty of new artists, but that's nothing compared to what's coming from labels before the end of the year. To give you a head start, we've compiled a rundown of 23 artists to whom you will be introduced in the coming months, along with some pertinent information about them. We've also given the labels a license to gush, so be forewarned.

Artist: Trace Adkins

Label: Capitol Nashville

Debut single: "There's A Girl In Texas"; March 25



Debut album: June

Factoid: Artist is 6'6" tall.

Label gush: "A very distinctive voice, a baritone that cuts

like a tenor. A country voice you'll come to rely on."

Artist: Big House

Label: MCA

Debut single/album: To be determined.

Label gush: "A mixture of J.J. Cale, Merle Haggard, and the Eagles—Bakersfield, Calif., meets Memphis and Nashville. Big House's distinct writing style, mixed with lead vocalist Monty Byrom's talent, should make them jump out from the rest. As a live band, they are very powerful."

Artist: BR5-49

Label: Arista

Debut single/album: TBD; fourth quarter



Label gush: "Hip, traditional country. The band has managed to create a nationwide buzz before

ever releasing a record. They have been drawing huge crowds to small country clubs and making a living off the tip jar."

Artist: Deana Carter

Label: Capitol Nashville

Debut single: TBD



Debut album:

TBD; September

Factoid: Carter is the daughter of veteran Nashville session guitarist player Fred Carter Jr.

Label gush: "A modern country singer/songwriter with her own energetic perspective and a very unique voice. She has a true sense of self and where Nashville is headed."

Artist: Neil Coty

Label: Mercury Nashville

Debut single/album: TBD

Factoid: Writes or co-writes his own material.

Label gush: "An incredibly passionate voice and songs that will blow you away."

Artist: Deryl Dodd

Label: Columbia

Debut single/album: TBD

Label gush: "Dodd has the diversity to sing Texas-style country. He can really cut loose and have fun on the uptempo music but at the same time can really deliver or 'live' a ballad. Dodd has an identifiable voice with a great range and won't be mistaken for anyone else. He can really deliver the music. Oh, by the way, he ain't ugly."

Artist: Bill Engvall

Label: Warner Bros.

Debut single: TBD

Debut album: TBD; May

Factoid: A comedian, not a musician.
Label gush: "Engvall takes his comedy from issues everyone is familiar with and makes them funny. His signature 'stupid sign' routine has kept

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WINCE GILL



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Shake-Up In Seattle; KCIN Kissed Off

Following last week's sale of KCIN Seattle to EZ Communications, the entire programming and air staff has left the building, including MD Lia Knight, PD Ray Randall, ND Ann DeAngelo, and morning man Ichabod Caine are still under contract, but their futures with the company have not been decided. Randall, whose contract expires May 1, has been invited to apply for the vacant PD job at duopoly sister KYCW (Young Country). Meanwhile, after five days of simulcasting sis-

ter KMPS and two more of KYCW, KCIN unveiled its new "rhythmic AC" format March 25, becoming "Kiss 106." KYCW GM Gary Taylor adds those duties at Kiss and its AM KRPM, replacing John Rogers. KMPS' Becky Brenner and Karen Oboi are helping program Kiss.

Also, at KYCW, Matt Bruno adds MD and acting PD duties to his creative director and production director chores. He replaces Lindsey Cipicic, who is now MD/middays at crosstown top 40 KUBE. **PHYLLIS STARK**



RADIOACTIVE BY PHYLLIS STARK

Sebastian Joins KZLA; Tim & Willy Confirmed

John Sebastian has been named PD at KZLA Los Angeles, effective April 8. Sebastian is currently PD at classic rock KSLX Phoenix. He has been in radio 28 years but has never done country. However, he has previously worked with KZLA GM J.D. Freeman. Sebastian is accepting resumés for an MD to replace KUBL Salt Lake City-bound APD Cary Rolfe. In other Chancellor news, KBGG San Francisco PD Bob Hamilton is now overseeing sister stations KNEW/KSAN.

Former KMLE Phoenix morning team Tim Hatrick and Willy D. Loon are now officially the morning team at the station now officially known as WKXX (Kicks Country) Chicago. They'll start in June, at which point Nancy Turner will move to early middays. Also, Alan Stagg from crosstown WCKG joins for morning news. And Mark Campbell joins as director of marketing and promotion. He most recently was director of field marketing at Entertainment Marketing Inc. in Chicago and previously was advertising and promotion director at WYNY New York.

Boston-based American Radio Systems and San Francisco-based Henry Broadcasting Co. have agreed to merge in a deal valued at approximately \$115 million. Henry owns nine stations, including country KSKS Fresno, Calif. Also at KSKS, evening host Chris Costa adds MD duties. She replaces Scott Stevens, now at crosstown KNAX.

WCDA Albany, N.Y., which we reported last week had dropped satellite country for a gold-based country mix, has become WPTR-FM. PD Steve Warren did mornings at WPTR-AM in the '80s.

In Fargo, N.D., KFGO-FM (Moose Country 102) has entered into separate LMAs-to-buy with country rival KVOX-AM-FM and oldies KKDL. Ed Schultz from crosstown WDAY-TV becomes VP/operations for the four stations, as well as KFGO-AM; KFGO GM Dick Boyd is now GM

for all five; and KVOX GM Clark Wideman becomes sales manager for all five. KVOX-FM ups morning host Ann Phibian to PD, replacing Bob James. Also, KKDL flips from oldies to rock.

The passage of the Telecom Act means that Scornix's Davenport, Iowa, company, Mississippi Valley Broadcasting, is now overseeing eight stations—six that it owns, two with which it has a sales agreement. WLLR GM Larry Rosmilso is overseeing all eight in addition to his WLLR duties.

By the time you read this, KHIT Reno, Nev., is expected to be an album rock outlet. PD Rob Williams stays on as OM.

KHSL Chico, Calif., has been LMA'd by Alta Broadcasting to McCoy Broadcasting, owner of crosstown N/T and AC combo KPAY/KMXI, which is in the process of purchasing KHSL. KMXI PD Clark Michael adds those duties at KHSL for now and says no format change is planned. He replaces Ron Woodward, who stays with Alta. McCoy GM Dave Brower adds those duties at KHSL, replacing Gus Smith, who moves to sales at the station.

Owner Bill Payne takes PD/morning duties and Shelby T. becomes MD/overnights at classic country KTFX Tulsa, Okla.

KTOM Monterey, Calif., morning co-host Karyann Hamilton adds MD duties. She replaces former APD Keith Medlin, now at crosstown KAXT.

As tipped here two weeks ago, former KPLX Dallas MD Chris Huff joins WIVK-FM Knoxville, Tenn., for nights. Colleen Adair moves from nights to middays, replacing Bob Thomas.

WOGY (Froggy 94) Memphis taps former "Miss Memphis" Cheryl Green for overnights. Green is using her real name, as Froggy starts downplaying frog-derived names in favor of what OM Joel Burke calls "real people on the radio."

KKNU Eugene, Ore., moves overnights Ryan West to middays, midday host Beth Bryant to nights, and P/T Jeremy Wingnut to overnights.



COUNTRY CONFIDENTIAL BY WADE JESSEN

The Other Reason Vets Have Trouble At Radio

Wade Jessen is attending the NARM convention in Washington, D.C. This week's guest column is by Airplay Monitor editor Sean Ross.

Ive wanted to write a guest column for Wade ever since January, when he quoted Charlie Daniels, who asked in a commentary for Billboard if George Jones' "He Stopped Loving Her Today" would get played if it came out today. In that column, Wade recalls being an MD in 1980, when that song came out, and having to struggle to get it played at his station during the "Urban Cowboy" craze, when "the flavor of the day had replaced the original recipe."

That was true, to an extent. But there was more going on than just artist image in 1980, and there is more going on today. Traditional country was down in 1980 but not entirely out: The record that followed "He Stopped" at No. 1 was Charley Pride's remake of Hank Williams Sr.'s "You Win Again." To fully appreciate the situation then and now, you have to look at the issue of an artist's track record.

When an artist is hot enough to get anything he releases played on the radio, that artist is usually tearing through material as fast as it can be found. When an artist is trying to make a comeback, they become a lot more careful. By then, however, PDs may be down on an artist because of the songs released during the artist's hot streak. In a perfect world, Ronnie Milsap's "True Believer"—his 1993 comeback attempt—would have been a bigger hit than some of his early '80s MOR records that were really "(There's) No Gettin' Over Me" side-

ways. But those songs, even though they were hits, used up a lot of Milsap's bonus points with PDs; by the time he contemporized in the early '90s, the bias was already there, but it didn't come out of the blue.

Now look at Jones' output in the six years between "The Grand Tour" and "He Stopped Loving Her Today." There are some classics. ("Someday My Day Will Come," the single before "He Stopped," is pretty great also.) There are a lot of throwaway novelties, too—the songs that are dismissed as "ditties" now—and a lot of duet projects (not including Tammy Wynette) where the pairing was more notable than the songs. Consider also the 15 years after "He Stopped"—first a very fertile period, then a return to the duets and novelties, with occasional moments of greatness in between. In other words, even eminences like George Jones occasionally chased the flavor of the day, too. And when time didn't tarnish an artist's image with PDs, inconsistency sometimes did.

OK, nobody comes up with "The Grand Tour" or "He Stopped" every time out. That's why they call them "career songs," and Jones is luckier than most to have had enough such songs for about 20 different careers. But the issue isn't just whether radio would play "He Stopped" if it came out now, but also whether there is a steady supply of songs of that caliber. That's not just an issue for Jones, who would need such a song to blast his way back into contention, but also an issue for some of today's hottest artists, who will see their hit streaks dwindle in a few years and not know why.

ON THE ROW

Miller Leaves A&M; Justice Gets Waylon

Steve Miller exits his position as VP/GM at A&M Nashville. No replacement has been named.

Waylon Jennings has signed a three-album recording contract with Houston-based Justice Records. His first release, "Right For The Time," is due May 21.

Anita Mandell has been named director of publicity and artist development at Decca. She previously handled publicity for Alan Jackson.

Several country artists recently teamed up to record a single, "Hope," as a benefit for the T.J. Martell Foundation. The single will be released by Giant in mid-April and will be promoted when many of the artists involved in the project perform it together during the Academy of Country Music Awards telecast April 24. Among the artists on the single that will appear on the ACMs are John Berry, Terri Clark, Faith Hill, Tracy Lawrence, Little Texas, Neal McCoy, Tim McGraw, Marty Stuart, Travis Tritt,

and Trisha Yearwood.

"Hope" was produced by James Stroud and written by Gerry Beckley, a founding member of the group America. Other performers on the record include Vince Gill and Lorrie Morgan plus an all-star chorus comprised of David Ball, Mandy Barnett, Kim Carnes, Andy Childs, Mark Collie, Helen Darling, Holly Dunn, Skip Ewing, Highway 101, Ronna Reeves, Victoria Shaw, Daryle Singletary, Lisa Stewart, Steve Wariner, and many others.

Columbia has teamed up with WPOC Baltimore, Best Buys, and Nashville's NightClub at the Holiday Inn in Timonium, Md., to promote artist Marcus Hummon, who will be "in residence" at the Holiday Inn, performing every Wednesday night in April. He is set to host a songwriter night there April 24, at which he will take questions from a reservation-only audience of 75 people.

The Country Dance Music Seminar will be held April 8-10 at the Stouffer Renaissance Hotel in Nashville. The seminar will include workshops and panel discussions on such subjects as "Programming Music For The Dance Floor" in the day and showcases from 12 artists in the evenings. The event will culminate in the Country Dance Music Awards April 10 at the Wildhorse Saloon.

The Country Music Assn. Awards show has been set for Oct. 2 at the Grand Ole Opry House. CMA's entertainment expo, SRO '96, will be held Oct. 3-5 at the Nashville Convention Center.

WIL's Heart's Desire



Lee Roy Parnell stopped by to support the WIL St. Louis radiothon for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital and pose for a picture with the station's staff. Pictured in the top row, from left, are Bo Matthews and Lynn Stewart. In the middle row, from left, are Jon Conlon of Career Records, Paul Jeffries, Debbie Connor, Willie the Cow, and Danny Montana. In the bottom row, from left, are MD Mark Langston and Parnell.

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Winner Takes All



Asylum artists Bryan White and Curtis Day recently stopped by KWNR Las Vegas to pick up some gaming tips from PD Tom Jordan and promotion director Lee Millard. Pictured, from left, are Millard, Asylum VP of promotion Denny Mosesman, White, Jordan, Day, and Asylum West Coast regional promotion manager Lisa Puzo.

Operation Peace Endeavor



Artists Mark Collie and Lisa Stewart showed their support for the peace-keeping mission in Bosnia by performing for and delivering CDs to U.S. troops. They were invited by the United Service Organization to tour military bases in Croatia, Bosnia, Hungary, Germany, and France. Nashville labels have donated more than 20,000 CDs, which will be delivered to troops in April. Collie and Stewart are pictured on a tank in Tulza, Bosnia, with four servicemen.

Big Ticket Talent



WPOC Baltimore is sponsoring the first Chesapeake Country Music Festival slated for Memorial Day Weekend in Middle River, Md. Headliners for the two-day event will be Tim McGraw, Faith Hill, Sawyer Brown, Sammy Kershaw, and Marty Stuart. Pictured with a jumbo version of the festival's admission ticket at the kick-off press conference, from left, are Casper Taylor, Maryland speaker of the house; Dutch Ruppersberger, Baltimore County executive; Jim Dolan, WPOC VP/GM; and Al Redmer, Maryland state delegate.

AIRBORNE

Instant information on Country's new artists

Edited by Sue Falco

Steve Azar

"SOMEDAY" (RIVER NORTH)

Hailing from the Mississippi Delta, Steve Azar grew up in the heart of blues country. Musical influences included B.B. King, Bruce Springsteen, Hank Williams, and John Mellencamp. At age 12, he began guitar lessons and discovered songwriting. After seven years on the road with his own band, Azar moved to Nashville to pursue a record contract. This is the first single off his debut album, "Heartbreak Town." Azar co-wrote 11 of the album's 12 cuts.

Paul Brandt

"MY HEART HAS A HISTORY" (REPRISE)

A native of Calgary, Alberta, Brandt sang in church as a boy, grew up on gospel music, and began playing guitar in ninth grade. In high school, he listened to such artists as George Strait, Dwight Yoakam, and Clint Black and entered talent contests. Although he won a \$1,000 prize at the 1992 Calgary Stampede, he chose to pursue a career in nursing and spent two years as a pediatric nurse before switching to music full-time.

This is the first single from his debut album, "Calm Before The Storm." Brandt, 23, wrote or co-wrote six songs on the album.

Keith Gattis

"LITTLE DROPS OF MY HEART" (RCA)

This Austin, Texas, native won a Texas State Finals talent competition at 16 and was asked to headline at the Future Farmers of America Nationals in Kansas City for a crowd of 26,000. That experience spurred Keith Gattis toward a musical career: Gattis played with Ernest Tubb's Texas Troubadours and on tour with Johnny Paycheck before signing up with RCA. He wrote or co-wrote eight of the 10 tracks on his self-titled debut.

Marcus Hummon

"GOD'S COUNTRY, USA" (COLUMBIA)

The son of a U.S. diplomat, Marcus Hummon lived in such diverse places as Africa, Italy, and the Philippines. He first performed with his three sisters in the Washington, D.C., area, where he picked up the musical influences of James Taylor, Cat Stevens, Willie Nelson, and the Judys. His songwriting credits include Wynonna's "Only Love" and Alabama's "Cheap Seats." This song is from his Columbia debut, "All In Good Time."

Mindy McCready

"TEN THOUSAND ANGELS" (BNA)

When Mindy McCready was 10 years old, she began seven years of vocal lessons. After graduating from high school at age 16 so she

could pursue singing, she came to Nashville with a self-imposed one-year deadline. If nothing happened in that time, McCready planned to go home to Florida and attend college. Fifty-one weeks after she arrived in Nashville, McCready was signed to a record deal.

JoDee Messina

"HEADS CAROLINA, TAILS CALIFORNIA" (CURB)

After performing at a local radio show in Nashville, JoDee Messina was introduced to a producer who took an interest in the singer and began working with her in the studio. In a chance meeting in the producer's office, she met Tim McGraw. The two became friends and, when it was time for the album, McGraw helped produce it.



★Gretchen Peters

"WHEN YOU ARE OLD" (IMPRINT)

Within months of arriving in Nashville (via Boulder, Colo.), determined to have her songs heard, Gretchen Peters quickly got a publishing deal. Her songs have been topping the charts ever since. "Independence Day," recorded by Martina McBride, earned Peters the 1995 Country Music Assn. Song of the Year Award, and "You Don't Even Know Who I Am," recorded by Patty Loveless, was nominated this year for a Grammy. "Chill Of An Early Fall," "Let That Pony Run," and "My Baby Loves Me (Just The Way That I Am)" were penned by Peters as well. "The Secret Of Life" is her debut album.



Ricochet

"WHAT DO I KNOW" (COLUMBIA)

Three years on the road helped to refine Ricochet's sound, which is distinguished by four-part harmonies. In motel rooms, the band spent hours practicing those harmonies and picking apart arrangements to achieve just the right blend. At a showcase appearance in Nashville, the group was offered a four-song developmental deal; a full-fledged record deal soon followed. "What Do I Know" is the first single from Ricochet's self-titled debut set.



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MARK COLLIE



"LIPSTICK DON'T LIE"

"THIS HAS ALWAYS BEEN MY SINGLE PICK FROM THE ALBUM." —BOB MOODY/WPOC

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audiences across the country roaring with laughter."

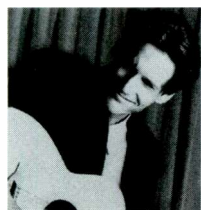
Artist: Tammy Graham



Label: Career
Debut single: TBD; May
Debut album: TBD; August
Factoid: Album was produced by Barry Beckett.
Label gush: "Traditional female country with a distinctive, powerhouse voice."

Artist: Paul Jefferson

Label: Almo Sounds
Debut single: "Check Please"; May 6



Debut album: "Paul Jefferson"; July 16
Factoid: A licensed pilot, Jefferson is an established songwriter who co-authored Aaron Tippin's No. 1 hit "That's As Close As I'll Get To Loving You." His album was produced by label head Garth Fundis.

Label gush: "A wonderful, lived-in tenor voice that sounds like it's seen some life."

Artist: David Kersh

Label: Curb
Debut single: "Breaking Hearts And Taking Names"; April 15

Debut album: Most likely self-titled; TBD
Factoid: The 26-year-old from Humble, Texas, is in the middle of a 12- to 14-week radio tour.
Label gush: "He's got this incredible, booming voice. The volume of it is amazing. The women think he's the greatest thing since sliced bread."

Artist: Mark Luna

Label: A&M Nashville
Debut single: "Pro'ly Be Too Old"; April 22
Debut album: "Mark Luna"; May 21
Label gush: "A complete artist, singer/songwriter, and musician whose music is about issues and everyday events in people's lives."

Artist: Mila Mason

Label: Atlantic
Debut single: TBD; June
Debut album: TBD; August
Factoid: Mason comes from a showbiz family; she used to travel across the country watching her mother perform at venues ranging from Las Vegas to the leading hotels.
Label gush: "Both Mason's vocals and the album's tracks have an edge. Her style is a fusion of many different influences coming from a strong musical background."

Artist: Steve Maynard

Label: A&M Nashville
Debut single: TBD; Aug. 5
Debut album: Most likely self-titled; Sept. 10
Factoid: From a musical family of 12 children.
Label gush: "A traditional country music vocalist, heavily influenced by Gene Watson."

Artist: LeAnn Rimes

Label: MCG Curb
Debut single: "Blue"; mid-May
Debut album: "LeAnn Rimes"; summer
Factoid: "Blue" was written by DJ Bill Mack of WBAP Fort Worth, Texas, for Patsy Cline. She had agreed to cut it, but was killed before she had a chance. Mack sat on the song for years, then offered it to Rimes after seeing her sing in her native Dallas.
Label gush: "A stunning Texas voice, somewhere between Patsy Cline and Reba McEntire, with a unique vocal styling and a powerful range."

Artist: Brady Seals

Label: Reprise
Debut single: "Natural Born Lovers"; June
Debut album: TBD
Factoid: A former member of Little Texas.
Label gush: "Seals showcases an inspiring new

presence in country music with his debut album, produced by Rodney Crowell. He co-wrote nine of the ten songs on the album."

Artist: The Sky Kings

Label: Warner Bros.
Debut single: "Picture Perfect"; April 1
Debut album: TBD; June 25

Label gush: "Three impressive musicians with three impressive musical pasts combine their talents to form one impressive new band. John Cowan (New Grass Revival), Bill Lloyd (Foster and Lloyd), and Rusty Young (Poco) share vocal and instrumental duties."

Artist: Slickerbilly

Label: Mercury Nashville
Debut single/album: TBD
Label gush: "Mainstream country with great vocal harmonies, good look to band, great songs."

Artist: The Thompson Brothers Band

Label: RCA
Debut single: TBD



Debut album: "Cows On Main Street" (EP); March 12

Label gush: "Boasts a sound that combines the raw country energy of Dwight Yoakam and Steve Earle with the harmonies reminiscent of the Everly Brothers. 'Cows On Main

Street' sought to capture the raw, live energy that their audiences have come to expect."

Artist: Thrasher/Shiver

Label: Asylum
Debut single/album: TBD; third quarter
Label gush: "Think 'Everly Hillbillies.' A true duo who share lead vocals. Neil Thrasher and Kelly Shiver combine traditional Southern 'front porch' music with contemporary harmonies. Their warmth, honesty, and humor evoke a feeling of kinship that draws in the listener. We hope to visit as many radio stations as possible so programmers can experience their great personalities and incredible sound."

Artist: Ray Vega

Label: BNA
Debut single: TBD; summer
Debut album: TBD; late fall
Label gush: "Romantic, amazing, very cool music."

Artist: Chris Ward

Label: Giant
Debut single/album: TBD; July
Label gush: "Ward is aggressive country. He is traditional in his lyrical content, while he and his production are quite aggressive in their music arrangements and recording techniques."

Artist: Jamie Warren

Label: River North
Debut single: TBD; September
Debut album: "Fallen Angel"; September (already released in Canada)
Factoid: Three singles have already been released in Canada. Two have gone top five.
Label gush: "Warren has a vocal quality that will, at times, remind you of Dwight Yoakam while remaining uniquely his own. His music leans traditional most of the time, but it's his melodic songs and real-life lyrics hitting close to home that will hook the listener from the get-go. Much of Warren's success will depend on programmers spending a little time with the record. It's infectious and gets better the more you hear it."

Artist: Mark Wills

Label: Mercury Nashville
Debut single: "Jacob's Ladder"; May 20
Debut album: "Mark Wills"; June 11
Label gush: "Hit songs with great production, mainstream country, killer ballads, and tempo tunes. A great singer."

MONITOR PROFILE

Y108 Owns The Market, But Just In Case, Its PD Keeps Up Pressure

Two years ago, there were four country stations battling it out in Pittsburgh, three of which were co-owned. Today, there is just one country outlet left, WDSY (Y108), and that station is well on its way to realizing its goal of becoming No. 1 12-plus in the market.

In the last year, Y108 has climbed 6.5-8.3 12-plus and was No. 3 in the market, according to the fall 1995 Arbitrons, behind N/T KDKA and album rock WDVE. In the latest Arbitrends, the station was tied for No. 2 with WDVE.

The battle that once raged in the Steel City was between Entercom's mainstream country Y108, hot country WXR (the Rebel), Real Country-affiliated AM WEEP, and EZ Communications' WQKB (the Bear). When EZ pulled the plug on the Bear about a year and a half ago, Entercom began simulcasting Y108 on WEEP, then continued to do extensive market research that led it to change the Rebel to modern rock as the Revolution last fall.



Justin Case
Program Director
WDSY (Y108) Pittsburgh

We found there was only room for one country station in Pittsburgh'

"After several studies, we found there was only room for one country station in Pittsburgh," says Y108 PD Justin Case. "We found that Y108 was in a very strong position because of its heritage and lack of strategic weaknesses and in terms of imaging in general. . . . What got us to change the Rebel to the Revolution was [the question], 'How can Y108 be No. 1? The way to do that was to change the Rebel. . . to help Y108 attain that No. 1 12-plus status.'"

At the same time, the company embarked on a heavy marketing campaign for Y108 that included TV commercials, bus-card advertising, and on-air contesting. Case says the purpose of the campaign was "to reinforce that we've been here and we're still here. We wanted to say to our listeners, 'Hey, come back to us.'"

The contesting included a \$20,000 Payroll Payoff and a \$10,000 rolling-jackpot contest, dubbed Cody's Cash Call, designed around the station's coyote mascot. (The mascot, incidentally, is recuperating from a St. Patrick's Day parade incident in which a band of excitable youngsters pulled off his tail.) More recently, Y108 gave away tickets for a cruise from Miami to Cozumel, Mexico, with the Mavericks.

Last summer, Y108 became aggressively visible in the market, going after noncountry events at which its listeners had not typically seen it in the past. That included a deal with Ticketmaster to have the Y108 logo on the back of all tickets, including those for sporting events, sponsorship of the out-of-town scoreboard at the Civic Arena, where the Penguins play, and "a lot of beer and chili festivals," says Case. Station staffers began showing up at such events as the Jimmy Buffett concert and Steelers games.

"We made an effort to get in front of as many people as possible," says Case. "That added exposure is really benefiting us now."

The station is big on image promotions and tries to sponsor a "benchmark" event about

once a month at which listeners can come out and meet the air staff. Those events include the Halloween midnight bowling party, Boo Bowl; a live Christmas Holiday Jam concert; a "prom for big kids"; and the Mother's Day Iron Mom competition. Case says those types of events help add personality to the station.

Another major focus for Y108 is its community-service obligation. It is involved in annual fund-raisers for at least a half-dozen organizations. "Just about anything we can do to get out and help the community we're involved in," Case says.

Entercom gives all of its employees a special day off each year dubbed Make a Difference Day, for which they are encouraged to work together for a charitable organization. Last fall, Y108 staffers worked with the Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank to refurbish a greenhouse; they picked, washed, and boxed nearly a ton of turnips.

Case says one of Entercom's "main philosophies is to be a good corporate citizen, so it's important for us to give back when we can."

Despite being the only game in town, Case says the station hasn't changed its programming philosophy. It is still 70% current/recurrent and 30% gold. Case goes back as far as '88 for gold but primarily plays music from '90 and thereafter.

The music is chosen by a committee that includes Case, MD Chris DeCarlo, and GM Joe Armao, a former programmer. "The three of us together bring a lot to the table," Case says.

"We have a conservative approach, because the Pittsburgh audience is older, so you kind of have to spoon-feed them new music and can't have too much [of it] out there at any one time."

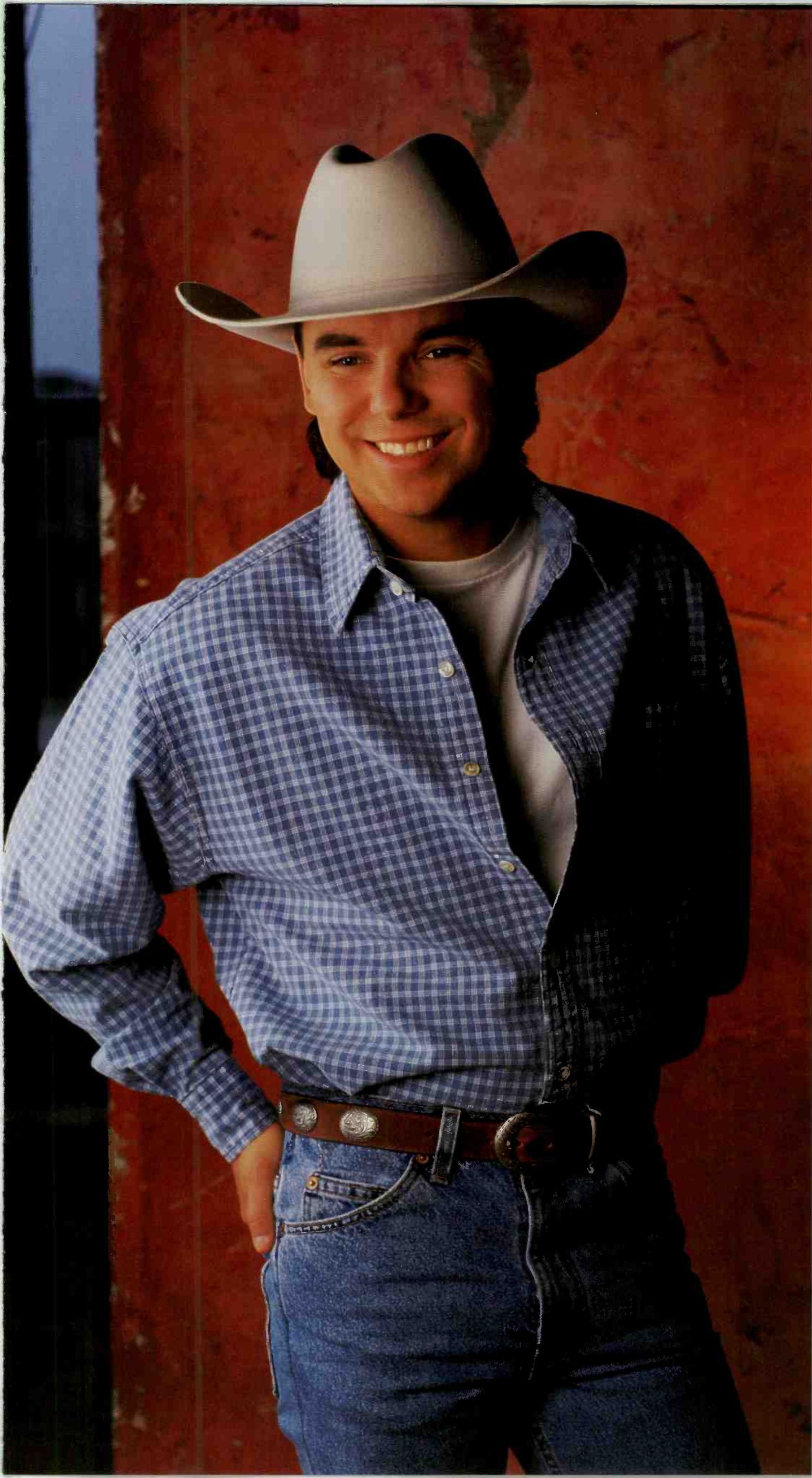
The nature of the market sometimes results in the committee being late on records, or even missing a national hit altogether, but Case says if the song "hits all three of us right between the eyes," they'll go early on a record, as they have done recently with Lonestar's "No News," Jeff Carson's "Holdin' On To Something," and Keith Gattis' "Little Drops Of My Heart."

Here's a recent 4 p.m. hour on Y108: Joe Diffie, "Bigger Than The Beatles"; Garth Brooks, "If Tomorrow Never Comes"; Brooks & Dunn, "Rock My World (Little Country Girl)"; Faith Hill, "Someone Else's Dream"; Ricochet, "What Do I Know"; Trisha Yearwood, "That's What I Like About You"; John Michael Montgomery, "Long As I Live"; Martina McBride, "Wild Angels"; Vince Gill, "I Can't Tell You Why"; Tracy Byrd, "Heaven In My Woman's Eyes"; Travis Tritt, "Foolish Pride"; Alabama, "I'm In A Hurry (And Don't Know Why)"; and Clay Walker, "Hypnotize The Moon."

Case launched his career at WADM and WQTZ Decatur, Ind., in the late '70s. After a stint at WMEE Fort Wayne, Ind., he landed his first PD job at WZOQ Lima, Ohio. That led to programming gigs at WMME Augusta, Maine, and WPKX Springfield, Mass. He joined WDSY as PD a year and a half ago.

Having been in country for a while, Case says the best change he's seen lately is that labels are taking pains with artist development. "I like the groundwork a lot of labels are doing with advance music and artist tours—letting us get familiar with the artist, so when their music comes across our desks, we've already developed a passion for [it]," he says. "The most frustrating thing for me was to get a song [from a new artist] on my desk, [and] I've never seen or heard this person, and suddenly I'm being worked on it." Now, he says, "they are establishing stars for tomorrow."

PHYLLIS STARK



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KRYS +35, WAMZ +26, WESC +25, KYNG +23, KWKH +22, KYCW +22, KKQB +21, KASE +20, KYCY +17, WYCD +17	
GARTH BROOKS • The Change (CAPITOL NASHVILLE)	+714
KRYS +22, WYAY +20, KZLA +18, WYCD +17, WCOL +17, WHYL +17, WESC +17, KSSN +16, WQMX +15, WZZK +15	
REBA MCENTIRE • Starting Over Again (MCA)	+644
WPOC +25, KKQB +23, WESC +18, WZZK +16, WYAY +16, WSSL +15, WAMZ +15, WNCY +14, KKCS +14, KXKT +14	
TERRI CLARK • If I Were You (MERCURY NASHVILLE)	+452
KZLA +18, KWNR +14, WKLB +12, KJYJ +12, KDDK +11, KRTY +11, KEBC +11, WOKO +10, WCOS +10, WTDR +10	
COLLIN RAYE • I Think About You (EPIC)	+442
KRYS +16, WKTF +15, WDSY +15, WIL +15, WDRM +14, WQDR +14, WAMZ +13, WBEE +13, KSKS +12, KXXY +12	
TOBY KEITH • Does That Blue Moon Ever Shine On You (A&M NASHVILLE)	+440
KSOP +19, WSTH +17, WPOC +15, WRKZ +14, WBBS +13, WDRM +13, KYNG +13, KXKT +13, WHYL +12, KDDK +11	
BRYAN WHITE • I'm Not Supposed To Love You Anymore (ASYLUM)	+426
KASY +22, WQBE +16, WTQR +14, WBCT +13, WCUZ +13, KCYY +13, KSCS +13, WKHX +12, WROO +11, WQMX +10	
DAVID LEE MURPHY • Every Time I Get Around You (MCA)	+352
WQBE +14, WBOB +13, WNCY +12, KDDK +12, WKKO +11, KFKF +11, KSOP +11, KEKY +11, WBUB +10, WEZL +10	
RICOCHET • What Do I Know (COLUMBIA)	+348
KRYS +18, WCMS +16, KKQB +15, KRST +14, KWJW +14, WWKA +14, KNAX +13, KNCI +13, WYNK +12, WROO +12	
CLAY WALKER • Hypnotize The Moon (GIANT)	+330
KDDK +21, KGMV +17, WRBQ +17, WGGY +16, WSSL +16, KZSN +15, WBEE +14, KXKT +12, WGKX +12, WIVK +11	
PAUL BRANDT • My Heart Has A History (REPRISE)	+317
KKQB +19, WESC +18, KDDK +15, WKIX +14, WGH +14, KKCS +12, KUZZ +12, WPOC +12, KGMV +10, WEZL +10	
LONESTAR • No News (BNA)	+307
KKQB +15, KDDK +14, KMPS +14, KGMV +12, KFDD +12, WSM +11, WNCY +10, WDRM +10, WKJN +10, WQYK +10	
JODEE MESSINA • Heads Carolina, Tails California (CURB)	+301
KZSN +15, WKLB +14, WIL +14, KIKK +13, KYNG +11, KFRG +10, KYCW +10, WKHX +10, KSCS +10, WDRM +9	
JOHN MICHAEL MONTGOMERY • Long As I Live (ATLANTIC)	+301
KASY +20, KYCW +18, WKJN +15, WKSJ +14, WEZL +14, WYRK +14, WYGY +13, WSM +13, KRTY +12, WQBE +11	

MOST NEW AIRPLAY THIS WEEK

	No. Of Stations		No. Of Stations
BROOKS & DUNN <i>My Maria (Arista)</i>	118	PAUL BRANDT <i>My Heart Has A History (Reprise)</i>	20
GEORGE STRAIT <i>Blue Clear Sky (MCA)</i>	86	BRYAN WHITE <i>I'm Not Supposed To Love You Anymore (Asylum)</i>	20
REBA MCENTIRE <i>Starting Over Again (MCA)</i>	50	TERRI CLARK <i>If I Were You (Mercury Nashville)</i>	19
GARTH BROOKS <i>The Change (Capitol Nashville)</i>	45	SAMMY KERSHAW <i>Meant To Be (Mercury Nashville)</i>	17
DAVID LEE MURPHY <i>Every Time I Get Around You (MCA)</i>	31	COLLIN RAYE <i>I Think About You (Epic)</i>	17
TOBY KEITH <i>Does That Blue Moon Ever Shine On You (A&M Nashville)</i>	22	SAWYER BROWN <i>Treat Her Right (Curb)</i>	17

VIDEO PLAYLISTS

TNN
THE NASHVILLE NETWORK
The Heart of Country

	TW	LW	
1	5	4	Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun
2	5	4	Billy Dean, It's What I Do
3	5	4	Emilio, Even If I Tried
4	4	4	Linda Davis, Some Things Are Meant To Be
5	4	4	The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me Down
6	4	3	Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon
7	4	5	Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me
8	4	4	Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away
9	4	4	Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway
10	4	4	JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails California
11	4	3	Doug Supernaw, She Never Looks Back
12	4	4	Shania Twain, You Win My Love
13	4	4	Paul Brandt, My Heart Has A History
14	4	3	Keith Gattis, Little Drops Of My Heart
15	4	3	Joe Diffie, C-O-U-N-T-R-Y
16	4	3	Junior Brown, My Wife Thinks You're Dead
17	4	0	Sammy Kershaw, Meant To Be
18	4	4	Lorrie Morgan, Standing Tall
19	4	4	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life
20	4	2	Reba McEntire, Starting Over Again
21	3	2	Baker & Myers, Years From Here
22	3	5	Alabama, It Works
23	3	4	Dwight Yoakam, Gone
24	3	2	Bobbie Cryner, You'd Think He'd Know Me Better
25	3	3	Neil Diamond, One Good Love
26	3	3	Dan Seals, I'd Really Love To
27	3	3	Terri Clark, If I Were You
28	3	3	Blackhawk, Almost A Memory Now
29	3	2	Bryan White, I'm Not Supposed To Love You
30	3	2	Sawyer Brown, Treat Her Right

CMT
COUNTRY MUSIC TELEVISION

	TW	LW	
1	38	9	Garth Brooks, The Change
2	37	35	Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway
3	34	33	The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me Down
4	34	21	Junior Brown, My Wife Thinks You're Dead
5	33	8	JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails California
6	33	4	Sky Kings, Picture Perfect
7	32	32	Linda Davis, Some Things Are Meant To Be
8	32	32	Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon
9	32	32	Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me
10	32	30	Alabama, It Works
11	32	31	Billy Dean, It's What I Do
12	31	33	Shania Twain, You Win My Love
13	31	32	Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun
14	31	31	Lonestar, No News
15	28	34	Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away
16	26	24	Bryan White, I'm Not Supposed To Love You
17	26	38	Sawyer Brown, Treat Her Right
18	26	25	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life
19	25	23	Paul Brandt, My Heart Has A History
20	25	23	Blackhawk, Almost A Memory Now
21	24	25	Toby Keith, Does That Blue Moon Ever Shine
22	24	24	Joe Diffie, C-O-U-N-T-R-Y
23	24	25	Gretchen Peters, When You Are Old
24	24	6	Sammy Kershaw, Meant To Be
25	24	24	Reba McEntire, Starting Over Again
26	23	25	Dwight Yoakam, Gone
27	23	25	Doug Supernaw, She Never Looks Back
28	18	17	Baker & Myers, Years From Here
29	18	18	Mandy Barnett, Now That's All Right With Me
30	18	17	Kieran Kane, Cool Me Down
31	18	17	Bobbie Cryner, You'd Think He'd Know Me Better
32	18	17	Joel Nava, I Do
33	18	17	Bellamy Brothers, Old Hippie
34	18	17	Dan Seals, I'd Really Love To
35	18	17	Emilio, Even If I Tried
36	17	16	Nanci Griffith With The Crickets, Well All Right
37	17	19	Keith Stegall, 1969
38	17	18	Stephanie Bentley, Who's That Girl
39	17	23	Neil Diamond, One Good Love
40	17	23	Terri Clark, If I Were You
41	17	17	Steve Azar, Someday
42	17	17	Rich McCready, Hangin' On
43	17	19	Mindy McCready, Ten Thousand Angels
44	17	18	Keith Gattis, Little Drops Of My Heart
45	17	30	Lorrie Morgan, Standing Tall
46	17	16	Rhonda Vincent, What More Do You Want From Me
47	16	17	Travis Tritt, Only You (And You Alone)
48	16	19	Delavantes, Driving At Night
49	9	0	Collin Raye, I Think About You
50	8	6	Mike Henderson, I Wouldn't Lay My Guitar Down

COUNTRY RECURRENT AIRPLAY

RANK	TW PLAYS	LW PLAYS	TITLE ARTIST (LABEL)
1	1834	1982	(IF YOU'RE NOT IN IT FOR LOVE) I'M OUTTA ... SHANIA TWAIN (MERCURY NASHVILLE)
2	1823	1912	IT MATTERS TO ME FAITH HILL (WARNER BROS.)
3	1751	1810	CHECK YES OR NO GEORGE STRAIT (MCA)
4	1593	1749	NOT ENOUGH HOURS IN THE NIGHT DOUG SUPERNAW (GIANT)
5	1586	1855	NOT THAT DIFFERENT COLLIN RAYE (EPIC)
6	1485	1687	WHAT I MEANT TO SAY WADE HAYES (COLUMBIA)
7	1418	1448	DUST ON THE BOTTLE DAVID LEE MURPHY (MCA)
8	1404	1390	TALL, TALL TREES ALAN JACKSON (ARISTA)
9	1380	1353	I LIKE IT, I LOVE IT TIM MCGRAW (CURB)
10	1335	1343	THAT'S AS CLOSE AS I'LL GET TO LOVING YOU AARON TIPPIN (RCA)
11	1304	1477	REBECCA LYNN BRYAN WHITE (ASYLUM)
12	1204	1238	COWBOY LOVE JOHN MICHAEL MONTGOMERY (ATLANTIC)
13	1188	1342	WHEN BOY MEETS GIRL TERRI CLARK (MERCURY NASHVILLE)

RANK	TW PLAYS	LW PLAYS	TITLE ARTIST (LABEL)
14	1135	1121	ANY MAN OF MINE SHANIA TWAIN (MERCURY NASHVILLE)
15	1057	1123	SOLD (THE GRUNDY COUNTY AUCTION ...) JOHN MICHAEL MONTGOMERY (ATLANTIC)
16	1054	1122	CAN'T BE REALLY GONE TIM MCGRAW (CURB)
17	1031	1575	SHE SAID YES RHETT AKINS (DECCA)
18	989	1030	IF THE WORLD HAD A FRONT PORCH TRACY LAWRENCE (ATLANTIC)
19	982	1070	PARTY CROWD DAVID LEE MURPHY (MCA)
20	981	1090	LIKE THERE AIN'T NO YESTERDAY BLACKHAWK (ARISTA)
21	948	930	THAT AIN'T MY TRUCK RHETT AKINS (DECCA)
22	945	1014	BETTER THINGS TO DO TERRI CLARK (MERCURY NASHVILLE)
23	939	1078	LIFE GETS AWAY CLINT BLACK (RCA)
24	909	899	WHO NEEDS YOU BABY CLAY WALKER (GIANT)
25	908	974	I'M NOT STRONG ENOUGH TO SAY NO BLACKHAWK (ARISTA)

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Boston, MA	WKLB	Mobile, AL	WKSJ
Buffalo, NY	WYRK	Monterey/Salinas, CA	KTOM
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Charleston, SC	WEZL	Nashville, TN	WSIX
	WBUB		WSM
Charleston, WV	WQBE	New Orleans, LA	WNOE
Charlotte, NC	WSOC	Norfolk, VA	WCMS
	WTDR		WGH
Chattanooga, TN	WDOD	Oklahoma City, OK	KEBC
	WUSY		KXXY
Chicago, IL	WUSN	Omaha, NE	KXKT
Cincinnati, OH	WUBE		WOW
	WYGY*	Orlando, FL	WWKA
Cleveland, OH	WGAR	Pensacola, FL	WXBM
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	WYCD	Rochester, NY	WBEE
El Paso, TX	KHEY	Sacramento, CA	KNCI
Flint, MI	WKCC		KRAK
Ft. Myers, FL	WCKT	St. Louis, MO	WIL
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Green Bay, WI	WGEE	San Diego, CA	KSON
	WNCY*	San Francisco, CA	KSAN
Greensboro, NC	WKSI*		KYCY
	WPCM	San Jose, CA	KRTY
	WTQR	Savannah, GA	WCHY
Greenville, SC	WESC	Seattle, WA	KMPS
	WSSL		KYCW
Harrisburg, PA	WHYL	Shreveport, LA	KRMD
	WRKZ		KWKH
Hartford, CT	WWYZ	Spokane, WA	KDRK
Houston, TX	KIKK	Springfield, MO	KGMY
	KILT		KTTT
	KKBQ	Syracuse, NY	WBBS
Huntsville, AL	WDRM	Tampa, FL	WQYK
Indianapolis, IN	WFMS		WRBQ
Jackson, MS	WKTF	Toledo, OH	WKKO
	WMSI	Tucson, AZ	KIIM
Jacksonville, FL	WQIK	Tulsa, OK	KVOO
	WROO		KWEN
Johnson City, TN	WBXQ	Washington, DC	WMZQ
Kansas City, MO	KBEQ	West Palm Beach, FL	WIRK
	KFKF	Wichita, KS	KFDI
	WDAF		KZSN
Knoxville, TN	WVWK	Wilkes-Barre, PA	WGGY
Lafayette, LA	KXKC	Youngstown, OH	WQXK

*New to panel.

POWER PLAYLISTS



For Week Ending
March 24, 1996



Playlists supplied by Broadcast Data Systems' Radio Trackservice. Stations selected from panel of leading broadcasters (top 25 radio artists electronically monitored 24 hours a day, 37 days a week). Songs ranked by number of plays in monitored week.

COUNTRY

WDSY			WSIX			WHKO		
Pittsburgh	PD: Justin Case MD: Chris DeCarlo	Nashville	OM: Charlie Quinn PD/MD: Dave Kelly	Dayton	PD: Gerry McCracken MD: Dawn Michaels			
	TW	LW		TW	LW		TW	LW
1 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	33	34	1 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	35	37	1 Alan Jackson, Tall, Tall Trees	37	36
2 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	31	35	2 Ricochet, What Do I Know	34	30	2 Joe Diffie, Bigger Than The Beatles	37	35
3 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	30	29	3 Lonestar, No News	34	34	3 John Michael Montgomery, Cowboy Love	37	34
4 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	30	34	4 Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun	31	36	4 Bryan White, Rebecca Lynn	37	36
5 Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun	29	27	5 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	31	36	5 Clay Walker, Who Needs You Baby	36	33
6 Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	28	33	6 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	30	36	6 Jeff Carson, The Car	36	37
7 Ricochet, What Do I Know	27	35	7 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	30	35	7 Kenny Chesney, All I Need To Know	36	37
8 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	27	36	8 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	29	35	8 George Strait, Check Yes Or No	33	37
9 Lonestar, No News	27	29	9 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	28	35	9 Collin Raye, One Boy, One Girl	32	37
10 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	27	37	10 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	27	35	10 Perfect Stranger, You Have The Right To	24	21
11 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	27	27	11 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	26	22	11 Tim McGraw, I Like It, I Love It	24	23
12 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	26	25	12 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	25	30	12 George Strait, I Know She Still Loves Me	24	19
13 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	25	25	13 Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	25	21	13 Alison Krauss & Union Station, When You	23	28
14 The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me D	25	28	14 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	24	25	14 Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	23	20
15 Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	25	25	15 Alabama, It Works	24	27	15 Garth Brooks, She's Every Woman	22	22
16 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	24	24	16 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	23	25	16 David Lee Murphy, Dust On The Bottle	22	10
17 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	23	21	17 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	21	23	17 Tracy Lawrence, Texas Tornado	21	22
18 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	22	13	18 Toby Keith, Does That Blue Moon Ever Shi	21	16	18 Alabama, In Pictures	21	24
19 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	22	13	19 John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls Yo	21	21	19 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	21	20
20 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	21	24	20 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	20	27	20 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	21	19
21 Collin Raye, I Think About You	19	4	21 Blackhawk, Almost A Memory Now	20	19	21 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	20	15
22 Blackhawk, Almost A Memory Now	19	19	22 Bryan White, I'm Not Supposed To Love Yo	19	22	22 Collin Raye, Not That Different	20	19
23 Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	18	22	23 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	18	22	23 Tim McGraw, Can't Be Really Gone	19	19
24 Toby Keith, Does That Blue Moon Ever Shi	17	9	24 Chely Wright, The Love That We Lost	18	18	24 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	19	19
25 Doug Supernaw, Not Enough Hours In	16	11	25 James Bonamy, She's Got A Mind Of Her Ow	18	20	25 Aaron Tippin, That's As Close As I'll Ge	19	20
26 Alabama, It Works	15	20	26 Terri Clark, When Boy Meets Girl	17	18	26 Faith Hill, It Matters To Me	19	19
27 Alan Jackson, I'll Try	14	29	27 George Strait, Check Yes Or No	17	17	27 Alan Jackson, I'll Try	18	20
28 Martina McBride, Wild Angels	14	19	28 Collin Raye, I Think About You	17	18	28 Doug Supernaw, Not Enough Hours In	18	19
29 George Strait, I Know She Still Loves Me	13	28	29 The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me D	16	23	29 Reba McEntire, Ring On Her Finger, Time	18	20
30 Joe Diffie, Bigger Than The Beatles	13	15	30 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	16	21	30 Tracy Lawrence, If The World Had A Front	17	34

WRBQ			KNIX			KSAN		
Tampa	PD/MD: Ronnie Lane	Phoenix	OM: Larry Daniels MD: Buddy Owens	San Francisco	MD: Richard Ryan			
	TW	LW		TW	LW		TW	LW
1 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	44	29	1 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	35	31	1 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	37	34
2 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	44	45	2 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	35	29	2 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	37	35
3 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	43	42	3 Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun	32	34	3 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	36	33
4 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	43	43	4 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	32	30	4 Lonestar, No News	36	32
5 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	42	45	5 Lonestar, No News	32	26	5 Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun	36	37
6 Alan Jackson, I'll Try	41	42	6 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	32	26	6 Ricochet, What Do I Know	36	32
7 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	41	24	7 Ricochet, What Do I Know	29	30	7 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	33	21
8 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	39	42	8 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	28	22	8 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	32	22
9 Collin Raye, Not That Different	39	41	9 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	28	20	9 Brooks & Dunn, My Maria	28	0
10 Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	36	44	10 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	27	32	10 John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls Yo	24	19
11 Wade Hayes, What I Meant To Say	34	38	11 Brooks & Dunn, My Maria	23	0	11 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	22	24
12 James Bonamy, She's Got A Mind Of Her Ow	29	25	12 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	21	34	12 The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me D	22	24
13 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	28	31	13 The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me D	20	21	13 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	22	21
14 Lonestar, No News	28	24	14 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	20	20	14 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	22	20
15 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	27	26	15 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	19	18	15 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	22	23
16 Mandy McCreedy, I LOOOOve Angels	27	21	16 Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	19	20	16 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	22	23
17 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	27	27	17 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	19	19	17 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	21	17
18 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	26	29	18 Billy Dean, It's What I Do	18	14	18 Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	20	34
19 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	26	31	19 Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	18	18	19 Billy Dean, It's What I Do	20	21
20 Stephanie Bentley, Who's That Girl	24	15	20 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	18	18	20 Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	19	19
21 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	24	15	21 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	17	19	21 Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	19	13
22 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	24	34	22 Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	17	14	22 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	18	34
23 John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls Yo	24	23	23 Tim McGraw, I Like It, I Love It	16	22	23 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	18	20
24 The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me D	23	23	24 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	15	20	24 Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	18	20
25 Toby Keith, Does That Blue Moon Ever Shi	22	16	25 Terri Clark, I Wrote You	14	8	25 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	17	12
26 Alabama, It Works	22	21	26 John Michael Montgomery, Cowboy Love	14	14	26 Patty Loveless, Half Way Down	13	10
27 Linda Davis, Some Things Are Meant To Be	22	22	27 Alan Jackson, I'll Try	14	30	27 David Lee Murphy, Dust On The Bottle	13	11
28 John Anderson, Paradise	19	20	28 Ronnie McDowell, Unchained Melody	13	1	28 Bryan White, Rebecca Lynn	13	13
29 Tim McGraw, I Like It, I Love It	19	16	29 Jeff Carson, Holdin' On To Something	13	6	29 George Strait, Blue Clear Sky	12	0
30 Ricochet, What Do I Know	19	22	30 Bryan White, Rebecca Lynn	13	13	30 Blackhawk, Almost A Memory Now	12	12

KFRG			KMLE			WAMZ		
San Bernardino	PD: Lee Logan MD: Don Jefferies	Phoenix	MD: Gwen Foster	Louisville	PD: Coyote Calhoun MD: Ron Hazard			
	TW	LW		TW	LW		TW	LW
1 Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun	38	39	1 Lonestar, No News	35	33	1 Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun	39	38
2 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	38	28	2 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	33	33	2 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	39	37
3 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	38	37	3 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	32	28	3 Billy Dean, It's What I Do	39	32
4 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	37	38	4 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	31	34	4 Alan Jackson, I'll Try	38	37
5 Ricochet, What Do I Know	37	36	5 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	31	30	5 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	37	40
6 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	36	36	6 Ricochet, What Do I Know	29	29	6 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	34	37
7 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	35	28	7 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	29	28	7 Brooks & Dunn, My Maria	33	0
8 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	34	36	8 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	29	32	8 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	32	23
9 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	33	24	9 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	28	32	9 Lonestar, No News	27	26
10 Linda Davis, Some Things Are Meant To Be	27	38	10 Bryan White, I'm Not Supposed To Love Yo	28	27	10 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	27	22
11 Frazier River, She Got What She Deserves	26	21	11 The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me D	26	25	11 George Strait, Blue Clear Sky	26	0
12 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	25	23	12 James Bonamy, She's Got A Mind Of Her Ow	26	24	12 Blackhawk, Almost A Memory Now	26	24
13 Alabama, It Works	25	26	13 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	26	15	13 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	25	27
14 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	25	24	14 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	26	27	14 Ricochet, What Do I Know	25	17
15 James Bonamy, She's Got A Mind Of Her Ow	25	24	15 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	25	31	15 David Lee Murphy, Every Time I Get Aroun	25	17
16 Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	25	25	16 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	24	25	16 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	24	25
17 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	25	24	17 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	24	26	17 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	24	23
18 The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me D	24	25	18 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	24	23	18 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	23	19
19 Lonestar, No News	23	27	19 Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun	23	27	19 Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	20	35
20 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	23	26	20 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	23	16	20 Toby Keith, Does That Blue Moon Ever Shi	20	18
21 Billy Dean, It's What I Do	23	21	21 Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	22	26	21 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	19	22
22 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	22	25	22 Alabama, It Works	22	18	22 Terri Clark, I Wrote You	19	14
23 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	22	21	23 Shania Twain, (If You're Not In It For L	19	14	23 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	19	22
24 John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls Yo	22	23	24 Alan Jackson, I'll Try	18	25	24 Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	19	19
25 Joe Diffie, C-O-U-N-T-R-Y	20	12	25 Billy Dean, It's What I Do	18	21	25 Rhett Akins, She Said Yes	18	15
26 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	20	12	26 Wade Hayes, What I Meant To Say	17	17	26 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	18	16
27 Stephanie Bentley, Who's That Girl	19	20	27 Brooks & Dunn, My Maria	16	0	27 Alabama, It Works	18	20
28 Chely Wright, The Love That We Lost	19	13	28 Chely Wright, The Love That We Lost	16	12	28 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	17	16
29 Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	18	21	29 Doug Supernaw, Not Enough Hours In	16	17	29 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	17	17
30 Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	15	12	30 George Strait, Check Yes Or No	15	20	30 Reba McEntire, Starting Over Again	15	0

WUBE			KMPS			WSM		
Cincinnati	PD: Tim Closson MD: Duke Hamilton	Seattle	PD: Alan Sledge MD: Tony Thomas	Nashville	PD/MD: Lee Cory			
	TW	LW		TW	LW		TW	LW
1 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	37	36	1 Lonestar, No News	37	23	1 Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun	37	39
2 Lonestar, No News	37	35	2 Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	36	32	2 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	36	38
3 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	36	34	3 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	36	32	3 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	35	34
4 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	35	35	4 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	35	28	4 Linda Davis, Some Things Are Meant To Be	35	33
5 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	35	35	5 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	35	30	5 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	34	34
6 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	35	37	6 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	32				

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COUNTRY

WZZK		WKLB		WTDR	
Birmingham	PD: Jim Tice MD: Scott Stewart	Boston	PD: Loren Owens	Charlotte	PD: Loyd Ford MD: Alison West
TW	LW	TW	LW	TW	LW
1 Daryl Singletary, Too Much Fun	40 41	1 Lonestar, No News	39 33	1 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	36 23
2 Ricochet, What Do I Know	40 40	2 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	39 37	2 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	35 39
3 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	38 27	3 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	36 29	3 Lonestar, No News	35 35
4 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	38 27	4 Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	35 32	4 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	34 40
5 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	35 35	5 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	34 27	5 Linda Davis, Some Things Are Meant To Be	34 21
6 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	35 32	6 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	33 29	6 Ricochet, What Do I Know	33 40
7 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	34 37	7 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	33 31	7 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	32 28
8 Alan Jackson, I'll Try	34 33	8 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	32 29	8 Alan Jackson, I'll Try	32 38
9 Wade Hayes, What I Meant To Say	32 31	9 Daryl Singletary, Too Much Fun	31 31	9 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	31 20
10 Lonestar, No News	28 22	10 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	30 36	10 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	26 26
11 James Bonamy, She's Got A Mind Of Her Own	28 19	11 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	29 39	11 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	24 20
12 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	26 26	12 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	28 25	12 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	23 21
13 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	25 22	13 Linda Davis, Some Things Are Meant To Be	27 30	13 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	22 22
14 Billy Dean, It's What I Do	25 22	14 Ricochet, What Do I Know	27 29	14 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	21 21
15 Alabama, It Works	23 20	15 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	27 30	15 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	21 20
16 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	23 20	16 John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	25 31	16 Collin Raye, I Think About You	21 14
17 Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	22 21	17 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	24 27	17 Toby Keith, Does That Blue Moon Ever Shi	19 22
18 Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	22 20	18 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	23 14	18 Brooks & Dunn, My Maria	18 0
19 Brooks & Dunn, My Maria	22 0	19 Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	22 12	19 Daryl Singletary, Too Much Fun	18 19
20 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	21 22	20 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	21 14	20 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	18 18
21 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	21 22	21 Martina McBride, Wild Angels	20 22	21 Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	17 9
22 Blackhawk, Almost A Memory Now	20 14	22 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	20 12	22 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	17 17
23 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	19 23	23 Billy Dean, It's What I Do	19 7	23 David Lee Murphy, Dust On The Bottle	16 8
24 Stephanie Bentley, Who's That Girl	19 23	24 Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	18 14	24 Shania Twain, If You're Not In It For L	16 19
25 Terri Clark, If I Were You	19 20	25 Blackhawk, Almost A Memory Now	17 6	25 Rhett Akins, That Ain't My Truck	15 8
26 Bryan White, I'm Not Supposed To Love You	19 18	26 Joe Diffie, Bigger Than The Beatles	16 15	26 Faith Hill, It Matters To Me	15 17
27 Rhett Akins, She Said Yes	18 23	27 Alabama, It Works	16 10	27 Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	15 20
28 Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	18 36	28 The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me D	16 22	28 George Strait, Check Yes Or No	15 18
29 John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	18 17	29 Mandy Barnett, Now That's All Right With	14 12	29 Aaron Tippin, That's As Close As I'll Ge	14 19
30 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	18 17	30 Shania Twain, (If You're Not In It For L	14 15	30 Doug Supernaw, Not Enough Hours In	13 15

WKIS		WQDR		KSON	
Miami	PD: Bob McKay MD: Darlene Evans	Raleigh	PD/MD: Len Shackelford	San Diego	PD: Mike Shepard MD: Nick Upton
TW	LW	TW	LW	TW	LW
1 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	34 28	1 Lonestar, No News	37 38	1 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	37 34
2 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	32 29	2 Daryl Singletary, Too Much Fun	36 29	2 Daryl Singletary, Too Much Fun	36 34
3 Lonestar, No News	31 26	3 Ricochet, What Do I Know	33 29	3 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	34 24
4 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	31 26	4 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	33 28	4 Lonestar, No News	34 33
5 Daryl Singletary, Too Much Fun	31 26	5 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	32 40	5 Ricochet, What Do I Know	34 31
6 Ricochet, What Do I Know	30 19	6 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	31 30	6 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	33 36
7 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	29 29	7 Linda Davis, Some Things Are Meant To Be	30 28	7 Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	33 22
8 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	29 14	8 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	30 34	8 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	33 34
9 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	27 18	9 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	29 35	9 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	29 22
10 Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	18 14	10 Martina McBride, Wild Angels	28 35	10 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	28 36
11 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	17 11	11 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	27 11	11 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	26 26
12 The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me D	16 17	12 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	27 24	12 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	25 18
13 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	15 14	13 The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me D	26 22	13 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	23 20
14 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	15 13	14 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	25 32	14 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	23 24
15 John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	15 10	15 James Bonamy, She's Got A Mind Of Her Own	24 13	15 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	22 24
16 Alabama, It Works	14 16	16 Billy Dean, It's What I Do	24 24	16 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	22 20
17 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	11 29	17 Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	23 28	17 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	22 24
18 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	11 1	18 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	23 34	18 Alabama, It Works	22 20
19 Billy Dean, It's What I Do	10 8	19 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	23 11	19 Billy Dean, It's What I Do	22 11
20 Faith Hill, It Matters To Me	10 8	20 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	23 26	20 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	22 22
21 David Lee Murphy, Dust On The Bottle	10 9	21 Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	23 25	21 Blackhawk, Almost A Memory Now	21 20
22 George Strait, Check Yes Or No	10 8	22 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	23 24	22 Collin Raye, I Think About You	20 16
23 Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	10 20	23 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	22 15	23 Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	19 31
24 Garth Brooks, Friends In Low Places	9 2	24 Aaron Tippin, That's As Close As I'll Ge	20 21	24 Martina McBride, Wild Angels	19 19
25 Terri Clark, Better Things To Do	9 9	25 Tracy Lawrence, Time Marches On	20 18	25 Alan Jackson, I'll Try	18 15
26 John Michael Montgomery, No Man's Land	8 7	26 George Strait, Check Yes Or No	20 21	26 Faith Hill, It Matters To Me	18 17
27 Bryan White, Rebecca Lynn	8 10	27 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	20 16	27 George Strait, I Know She Still Loves Me	17 29
28 Lonestar, Tegula Tucker	8 9	28 Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	19 29	28 Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	17 16
29 Joe Diffie, Bigger Than The Beatles	8 1	29 George Strait, I Know She Still Loves Me	19 29	29 The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me D	16 16
30 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	8 2	30 Blackhawk, Like There Ain't No Yesterday	18 15	30 Joe Diffie, Bigger Than The Beatles	15 16

WMIL		WUSY		WDAF	
Milwaukee	OM/PD: Kerry Wolfe MD: Nitch Morgan	Chattanooga	PD/MD: Bob Sterling	Kansas City	PD: Ted Cramer MD: David Bryan
TW	LW	TW	LW	TW	LW
1 Lonestar, No News	35 28	1 Lonestar, No News	36 30	1 Lonestar, No News	35 35
2 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	35 25	2 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	36 32	2 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	35 36
3 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	35 33	3 Daryl Singletary, Too Much Fun	35 38	3 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	33 30
4 Daryl Singletary, Too Much Fun	34 35	4 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	33 33	4 Daryl Singletary, Too Much Fun	32 36
5 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	34 34	5 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	32 32	5 Linda Davis, Some Things Are Meant To Be	30 31
6 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	34 33	6 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	31 21	6 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	30 34
7 Ricochet, What Do I Know	33 34	7 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	31 36	7 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	30 30
8 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	28 23	8 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	29 30	8 Alabama, It Works	30 27
9 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	27 17	9 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	29 0	9 The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me D	29 29
10 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	27 35	10 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	28 29	10 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	27 30
11 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	23 24	11 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	25 30	11 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	26 26
12 The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me D	22 26	12 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	25 23	12 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	26 27
13 Blackhawk, Almost A Memory Now	22 15	13 Linda Davis, Some Things Are Meant To Be	24 30	13 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	26 24
14 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	21 22	14 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	23 22	14 James Bonamy, She's Got A Mind Of Her Own	25 18
15 James Bonamy, She's Got A Mind Of Her Own	21 23	15 Joe Diffie, C-O-U-N-T-R-Y	23 22	15 Ricochet, What Do I Know	23 23
16 Collin Raye, I Think About You	20 11	16 Ricochet, What Do I Know	23 20	16 Joe Diffie, C-O-U-N-T-R-Y	22 22
17 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	20 11	17 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	22 24	17 Shenandoah, All Over But The Shoutin'	22 24
18 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	20 21	18 George Strait, I Know She Still Loves Me	22 31	18 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	22 19
19 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	18 20	19 The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bring Me D	21 16	19 Mindy McCready, 10,000 Angels	21 22
20 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	18 20	20 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	20 21	20 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	21 17
21 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	18 22	21 John Michael Montgomery, Cowboy Love	19 18	21 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	21 25
22 Alabama, It Works	18 15	22 Brooks & Dunn, My Maria	18 0	22 Blackhawk, Almost A Memory Now	20 17
23 Martina McBride, Wild Angels	18 15	23 Blackhawk, Almost A Memory Now	17 14	23 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	19 25
24 Brooks & Dunn, My Maria	17 17	24 Alan Jackson, I'll Try	17 25	24 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	19 25
25 Toby Keith, Does That Blue Moon Ever Shi	16 5	25 John Anderson, Long Hard Lesson Learned	17 11	25 Keith Stegall, -1965-	18 21
26 Billy Dean, It's What I Do	16 15	26 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	17 25	26 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	18 18
27 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	16 30	27 Shenandoah, All Over But The Shoutin'	16 11	27 John Anderson, Long Hard Lesson Learned	17 15
28 Alan Jackson, I'll Try	15 21	28 Alabama, It Works	16 15	28 David Lee Murphy, Every Time I Get Around	16 12
29 John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	14 12	29 John Anderson, Paradise	15 16	29 Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	16 19
30 Joe Diffie, Bigger Than The Beatles	14 15	30 George Strait, Check Yes Or No	15 15	30 Dwight Yoakam, Sorry You Asked?	15 10

WSSL		WBCT		KWJJ	
Greenville	PD: Mike Chapman MD: Ric Larson	Grand Rapids	PD: Doug Montgomery MD: Kelly Iris	Portland, OR	PD: Robin Mitchell MD: Kelly McCrae
TW	LW	TW	LW	TW	LW
1 Daryl Singletary, Too Much Fun	47 37	1 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	49 47	1 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	40 36
2 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	45 36	2 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	48 48	2 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	39 27
3 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	44 35	3 Lonestar, No News	48 49	3 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	38 29
4 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	44 36	4 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	48 48	4 Doug Supernaw, Not Enough Hours In	37 33
5 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	44 37	5 Daryl Singletary, Too Much Fun	48 36	5 Wade Hayes, What I Meant To Say	35 32
6 Ricochet, What Do I Know	41 35	6 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	47 48	6 Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	34 30
7 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	37 21	7 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	46 36	7 Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	33 29
8 Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	28 34	8 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	43 42	8 George Strait, I Know She Still Loves Me	32 35
9 Martina McBride, Wild Angels	27 19	9 Brooks & Dunn, My Maria	42 0	9 Alan Jackson, I'll Try	32 34
10 Joe Diffie, Bigger Than The Beatles	25 15	10 Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	41 47	10 Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	30 28
11 Shania Twain, (If You're Not In It For L	25 13	11 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	39 29	11 Collin Raye, I Think About You	29 27
12 George Strait, Check Yes Or No	24 14	12 Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	33 31	12 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	28 30
13 Faith Hill, It Matters To Me	24 17	13 Ricochet, What Do I Know	33 32	13 Martina McBride, Wild Angels	27 23
14 Doug Supernaw, Not Enough Hours In	24 15	14 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	33 32	14 Daryl Singletary, Too Much Fun	25 24
15 Aaron Tippin, That's As Close As I'll Ge	24 19	15 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	33 31	15 Shenandoah, All Over But The Shoutin'	25 19
16 David Lee Murphy, Dust On The Bottle	23 14	16 Joe Diffie, C-O-U-N-T-R-Y	32 21	16 Lonestar, No News	24 22
17 Lonestar, No News	23 21	17 Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	32 28	17 Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	23 29
18 Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	22 22	18 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	31 32	18 Billy Dean, It's What I Do	23 25
19 Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	22 19	19 Blackhawk, Almost A Memory Now	31 29	19 Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	23 21
20 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	22 19	20 Bryan White, I'm Not Supposed To Love You	30 17	20 Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	23 10
21 Wade Hayes, What I Meant To Say	22 17	21 John Anderson, Long Hard Lesson Learned	30 21	21 Aaron Tippin, That's As Close As I'll Ge	22 23
22 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	22 19	22 The Mavericks, All You Ever Do Is Bng Me D	29 32	22 Bryan White, Rebecca Lynn	20 23
23 JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	21 17	23 Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	27 29	23 George Strait, Check Yes Or No	20 22
24 Shania Twain, You Win My Love	20 22	24 John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	27 27	24 Ricochet, What Do I Know	20 6
25 Vince Gill, Go Rest High On That Mountain	20 14	25 David Lee Murphy, Every Time I Get Around	26 20	25 Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	20 7
26 Brooks & Dunn, My Maria	20 0	26 Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	24 23	26 Faith Hill, It Matters To Me	19 24
27 Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	20 19	27 Rhett Akins, She Said Yes	24 20	27 Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	19 19
28 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	20 21	28 Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	23 23	28 John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	18 12
29 Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	19 17	29 Collin Raye, I Think About You	21 23	29 Brooks & Dunn, My Maria	16 0
30 Billy Dean, It's What I Do	19 17	30 Ty Herndon, In Your Face	18 22	30 George Strait, Blue Clear Sky	15 0



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COUNTRY											
KBEQ		WVYZ		WGNA		WYNK		KWEN		WKKX	
Kansas City PD: Mike Kennedy MD: T.G. McEntire		Hartford PD: Greg Roche MD: John Saville		Albany, NY OM: Fred Horton MD: Bill Earley		Baton Rouge PD/MD: Brian King		Tulsa PD: Dave Block MD: Tim Howard		St. Louis PD: Russ Schell MD: Dave Louis	
TW	LW	TW	LW	TW	LW	TW	LW	TW	LW	TW	LW
1	Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	1	Ricochet, What Do I Know	1	Lonestar, No News	1	Linda Davis, Some Things Are Meant To Be	1	Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	1	Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun
2	Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun	2	Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun	2	Ricochet, What Do I Know	2	Ricochet, No News	2	Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	2	Shania Twain, You Win My Love
3	Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	3	James Bonamy, She's Got A Mind Of Her Own	3	Alabama, It Works	3	Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	3	Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	3	Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad
4	Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	4	JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	4	Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	4	Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun	4	Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	4	Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away
5	Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	5	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	5	Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun	5	Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	5	Clay Walker, I'll Try	5	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life
6	Ricochet, What Do I Know	6	Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	6	Shania Twain, You Win My Love	6	Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	6	Daryle Singletary, Too Much Fun	6	Lonestar, No News
7	Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	7	Lonestar, No News	7	Neal McCoy, You Gotta Love That	7	Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me	7	Marina McBride, Wild Angels	7	Wynonna, To Be Loved By You
8	Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	8	Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	8	Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	8	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	8	Collin Raye, I Think About You	8	Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon
9	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	9	Shania Twain, You Win My Love	9	Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	9	Ricochet, What Do I Know	9	Diamond Rio, Walkin' Away	9	Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love
10	Clay Walker, Hypnotize The Moon	10	Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	10	Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	10	Billy Dean, It's What I Do	10	Wade Hayes, What I Meant To Say	10	Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire
11	James Bonamy, She's Got A Mind Of Her Own	11	Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	11	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	11	Shania Twain, You Win My Love	11	JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	11	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live
12	Shania Twain, You Win My Love	12	Faith Hill, Someone Else's Dream	12	James Bonamy, She's Got A Mind Of Her Own	12	Wynonna, To Be Loved By You	12	Brooks & Dunn, My Maria	12	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have
13	JoDee Messina, Heads Carolina, Tails Ca	13	Patty Loveless, You Can Feel Bad	13	Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	13	Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	13	Shania Twain, You Win My Love	13	Tracy Lawrence, If You Loved Me
14	Lee Roy Parnell, Heart's Desire	14	Joe Diffie, C-O-U-N-T-R-Y	14	Toby Keith, Does That Blue Moon Ever Shi	14	Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	14	Shania Twain, You Win My Love	14	Wynonna, To Be Loved By You
15	Alan Jackson, I'll Try	15	Shenandoah, All Over But The Shoutin'	15	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	15	Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	15	Ricochet, What Do I Know	15	Wynonna, To Be Loved By You
16	Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	16	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	16	Garth Brooks, The Beaches Of Cheyenne	16	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	16	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	16	Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway
17	Aaron Tippin, Without Your Love	17	Lari White, Ready, Willing And Able	17	Tracy Byrd, Heaven In My Woman's Eyes	17	Jeff Carson, Holdin' On To Something	17	Billy Dean, It's What I Do	17	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live
18	Mindy McCready, 10,000 Angels	18	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	18	Ray Charles, Holdin' On To Something	18	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	18	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	18	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live
19	Blackhawk, Almost A Memory Now	19	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	19	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	19	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	19	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	19	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live
20	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live	20	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	20	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	20	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	20	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	20	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live
21	Lonestar, No News	21	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	21	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	21	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	21	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	21	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live
22	Pam Tillis, The River And The Highway	22	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	22	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	22	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	22	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	22	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live
23	Billy Dean, It's What I Do	23	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	23	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	23	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	23	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	23	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live
24	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	24	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	24	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	24	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	24	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	24	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live
25	Toby Keith, Does That Blue Moon Ever Shi	25	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	25	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	25	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	25	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	25	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live
26	Emilio, Even If I Tried	26	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	26	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	26	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	26	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	26	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live
27	Stephanie Bentley, Who's That Girl	27	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	27	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	27	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	27	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	27	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live
28	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	28	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	28	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	28	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	28	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	28	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live
29	Terri Clark, I'll Be Here	29	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	29	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	29	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	29	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	29	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live
30	Perfect Stranger, Remember The Ride	30	Tim McGraw, All I Want Is A Life	30	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	30	John Berry, Every Time My Heart Calls You	30	Mark Chesnut, It Wouldn't Hurt To Have	30	John Michael Montgomery, Long As I Live

MONITORING AIRPLAY **SONG ACTIVITY REPORTS**

For Week Ending March 24, 1996



Detailed song tracking information for the last 3 weeks for all songs showing increased play this week. Total plays and gain do not include video play. Markets listed in order of population.

COUNTRY

Total Plays/Gain				Total Plays/Gain				Total Plays/Gain				Total Plays/Gain				Total Plays/Gain				
ALABAMA 2991/56				JOHN BERRY 1817/97				BLACKHAWK 2234/221				JAMES BONAMY 2366/99				BROOKS & DUNN 2045/2045				
<i>It Works (RCA)</i>				<i>Every Time My Heart Calls Your Name (Capitol Nashville)</i>				<i>Almost A Memory Now (Arista)</i>				<i>She's Got A Mind Of Her Own (Epic)</i>				<i>My Maria (Arista)</i>				
Total Stations: 150				Total Stations: 143				Total Stations: 146				Total Stations: 148				Total Stations: 141				
Chart Move: 20-19				Chart Move: 34-36				Chart Move: 30-28				Chart Move: 29-26				Chart Move: Debut 30				
TW	LW	2W	IP	TW	LW	2W	IP	TW	LW	2W	IP	TW	LW	2W	IP	TW	LW	2W	IP	
CMT	23	23	265	OKLA	KBCB	28	16	215	CMT	23	15	60	KBCB	13	13	68	CMT	28	20	34
TNN	3	5	4	TNN	KXXY	15	11	43	TNN	3	2	11	KXXY	15	11	68	TNN	20	20	33
KIFK	21	19	161	KIFK	17	14	105	KIFK	15	16	92	KIFK	15	10	189	KIFK	20	19	33	

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	Total Plays/Gain	Total Plays/Gain	Total Plays/Gain	Total Plays/Gain
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Artist	4022/124			1858/442			4233/348			4851/105			2868/101				
	Heart's Desire (Career)			I Think About You (Epic)			What Do I Know (Columbia)			Too Much Fun (Giant)			The River And The Highway (Arista)				
	Total Stations: 151	Chart Move: 11-10		Total Stations: 144	Chart Move: 39-35		Total Stations: 150	Chart Move: 12-9		Total Stations: 151	Chart Move: 4-4		Total Stations: 150	Chart Move: 24-21			
	TM	WV	TP	TM	WV	TP	TM	WV	TP	TM	WV	TP	TM	WV	TP		
L.A.	CMT	26	24	195	KEBC	16	16	114	CMT	31	32	435	KEBC	38	25	36	37

Artist	4248/234			4903/330			1920/426			2865/44			4961/107				
	You Win My Love (Mercury Nashville)			Clay Walker (Giant)			I'm Not Supposed To Love You Anymore (Asylum)			Ready, Willing And Able (RCA)			To Be Loved By You (Curb/MCA)				
	Total Stations: 151	Chart Move: 9-8		Total Stations: 152	Chart Move: 6-3		Total Stations: 143	Chart Move: 36-33		Total Stations: 148	Chart Move: 22-22		Total Stations: 152	Chart Move: 2-1			
	TM	WV	TP	TM	WV	TP	TM	WV	TP	TM	WV	TP	TM	WV	TP		
L.A.	CMT	31	33	228	KEBC	37	27	30	CMT	27	24	38	KEBC	8	3	1	27

COUNTRY AIRPLAY

AIRPOWER
(Minimum 3000 detections for the first time)

JOHN MICHAEL MONTGOMERY 3127/301
Long As I Live (Atlantic)
Total Stations: 152/Chart Move: 21-15
Heavy (35+ plays): 4 KRYS, KYCW, KYCY, WYGY
Medium (25-34): 25 KASE, KEEY, KGMV, KHEY, KTEX, KVET, KXKC, KXKT, KYNG, KZLA, WBCT, WDDO, WFLS, WKCN, WKIX, WKSJ, WKTf, WPCM, WPOC, WQBE, WQDR, WQMX, WSIX, WSTH, WXBQ
Light (Under 25): 123
New Airplay This Week: 2 KASY, WKLB

JODEE MESSINA 3060/301
Heads Carolina, Tails California (Curb)
Total Stations: 149/Chart Move: 25-18
Heavy (35+): 5 KEEY, KFKE, KFRG, KHEY, WKLB
Medium (25-34): 44 KBEQ, KDRK, KEBC, KFMS, KKCS, KMLE, KNCI, KRST, KRKY, KSXK, KSON, KTEX, KTOM, KUZZ, KWKH, KWNR, KXKC, KYCY, KYNG, KZSN, WBCT, WBEE, WBOB, WCOL, WCTK, WCUZ, WDAF, WDDO, WFLS, WGAR, WGEE, WHYL, WIVK, WKH, WKSJ, WKTf, WPCM, WPOC, WQBE, WRBQ, WRKZ, WYXY, WYWB
Light (Under 25): 100
New Airplay This Week: 6 KIKK, KSCS, WDRM, WIL, WKIS, WYCD

AIR 2999 - 1000 DETECTIONS

ALABAMA 2991/56
It Works (RCA)
Total Stations: 150/Chart Move: 20-19
Heavy (35+ plays): 4 KHEY, KYCY, WMZQ, WPOC
Medium (25-34): 25 KDRK, KFKE, KFRG, KIIM, KOUL, KRMD, KSKS, KSSN, KTEX, KUZZ, KXXY, KYCW, KYGO, KZLA, WOCMS, WDAF, WGGY, WGN, WIL, WKIX, WKSJ, WLWI, WNCY, WXBQ
Light (Under 25): 121

BILLY DEAN 2869/274
It's What I Do (Capitol Nashville)
Total Stations: 150/Chart Move: 28-20
Heavy (35+): 2 KFKE, WAMZ
Medium (25-34): 24 KASE, KKAT, KKCS, KOUL, KSSN, KUPL, KXKC, KYCW, WBCT, WCOL, WESC, WFMS, WGGY, WGH, WKCN, WKTf, WNCY, WPCM, WPOC, WPOD, WQMX, WXBM, WYNY, WZZK
Light (Under 25): 124
New Airplay This Week: 4 KEBC, WKKO, WQBE, WXBQ

PAM TILLIS 2868/101
The River And The Highway (Arista)
Total Stations: 150/Chart Move: 24-21
Heavy (35+): 3 KFKE, KHEY, KXKC
Medium (25-34): 23 KPLX, KRMD, KSON, KTOM, KWNR, KYCW, KYCY, WBCT, WCOL, WGGY, WKCN, WKHK, WKJN, WKXX, WKTf, WMZQ, WNCY, WOKO, WPCM, WPOC, WRKZ, WXBQ, WYXY
Light (Under 25): 124
New Airplay This Week: 2 KZLA, WESC

LARI WHITE 2865/44
Ready, Willing And Able (RCA)
Total Stations: 148/Chart Move: 22-22
Heavy (35+): 4 KHEY, WHYL, WIL, WRBQ
Medium (25-34): 24 KAJA, KBEQ, KDDK, KDRK, KFMS, KFRG, KPLX, KXKC, KYCW, KYGO, KYNG, WBCF, WCOL, WGEE, WGGY, WKSJ, WKTf, WMSJ, WPCM, WPOC, WRKZ, WUSY, WXTU, WYAY
Light (Under 25): 120
New Airplay This Week: 3 KEBC, KSSN, WESC

THE MAVERICKS (FEAT. FLACO JIMENEZ) 2634/33
All You Ever Do Is Bring Me Down (MCA)
Total Stations: 147/Chart Move: 27-24
Heavy (35+): 1 KHEY
Medium (25-34): 25 KFMS, KIKF, KMLE, KNCI, KRAK, KRKY, KTEX, KWNR, KXKC, WBCT, WCTK, WDAF, WDDO, WDSY, WGEE, WHYL, WIL, WKJN, WKSJ, WMZQ, WPCM, WQDR, WRKZ, WSTH, WXTU
Light (Under 25): 121
New Airplay This Week: 1 KXXY

JAMES BONAMY 2366/99
She's Got A Mind Of Her Own (Epic)
Total Stations: 148/Chart Move: 29-26
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 23 KASE, KBEQ, KDRK, KEEY, KFMS, KFRG, KIIM, KILT, KMLE, KTEX, KXKC, KYNG, KZSN, WDAF, WKCN, WKIX, WQBE, WRBQ, WYXY, WYWB, WYWB, WXTU, WZZK
Light (Under 25): 125
New Airplay This Week: 4 KYCW, WBBS, WKHX, WKIS

BLACKHAWK 2234/221
Almost A Memory Now (Arista)
Total Stations: 146/Chart Move: 30-28
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 14 KBEQ, KTEX, KXKC, KYCW, KYNG, WAMZ, WBCT, WDDO, WESC, WKTf, WQBE, WRKZ, WXBQ, WYAY
Light (Under 25): 132
New Airplay This Week: 6 KAJA, KILT, KRKY, WIRK, WPOC, WYXY

BROOKS & DUNN 2045/2045
My Maria (Arista)
Total Stations: 141/Chart Move: Debut 30
Heavy (35+): 4 KRYS, KYNG, WBCT, WCUZ
Medium (25-34): 9 KEBC, KIIM, KSN, KYCW, KYCY, WAMZ, WESC, WXTU, WYCD
Light (Under 25): 128
New Airplay This Week: 118 KAJA, KASE, KASY, KBEQ, KCIN, KCYY, KDDK, KDRK, KEBC, KEEY, KFDI, KFKE, KFMS, KGMV, KHEY, KIIM, KIKF, KIKK, KILT, KJY, KKAT, KBQ, KKCS, KMLE, KMPS, KNAX, KNCI, KNIX, KOUL, KPLX, KRAK, KRMD, KRKY, KRYS, KSN, KSCS, KSKS, KSON, KSOP, KSSN, KTTS, KUZZ, KVET, KWEN, KWJJ, KWKH, KWNR, KXKC, KXKT, KYCW, KYCY, KYGO, KYNG, KZLA, WAMZ, WBBS, WBCT, WBEE, WBOB, WBUB, WCHY, WOCMS, WCOL, WCTK, WCUZ, WDAF, WDRM, WESC, WEZL, WFLS, WGAR, WGEE, WGGY, WGH, WIL, WIVK, WJCN, WKIX, WKLO, WKXK, WKSJ, WKSJ, WKXC, WLVN, WML, WNCY, WNOE, WNCY, WNOE, WOV, WPCM, WPOC, WQBE, WQDR, WQXK, WQYK, WRBQ, WRKZ, WUSY, WSM, WSSL, WSTH, WTD, WTR, WUBE, WUSN, WUSY, WVLK, WYCD, WYWB, WYWB, WYWB, WYWB, WXTU, WYAY, WYCD, WYGY, WYWK, WZZK

TERRI CLARK 1971/452
If I Were You (Mercury Nashville)
Total Stations: 148/Chart Move: 35-31
Heavy (35+): 2 KKBQ, KRYS
Medium (25-34): 3 WESC, WKIX, WPCM
Light (Under 25): 143
New Airplay This Week: 19 KCYY, KDDK, KFDI, KJY, KRKY, KSN, KWNR, WBEE, WBOB, WOCMS, WOCOS, WGXK, WKLB, WNOE, WQIK, WTD, WVLK, WYWB, WYWB

BRYAN WHITE 1920/426
I'm Not Supposed To Love You (Asylum)
Total Stations: 143/Chart Move: 36-33
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 4 KMLE, WBCT, WGEE, WSM
Light (Under 25): 139
New Airplay This Week: 20 KASY, KCYY, KHEY, KSCS, KTOM, KUPL, KYCW, WBBS, WOCOS, WCUZ, WGXK, WKHX, WOKO, WQBE, WQMX, WROO, WTD, WTR, WXBQ, WXTU

COLLIN RAYE 1858/442
I Think About You (Epic)
Total Stations: 144/Chart Move: 39-35
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 6 KWJJ, WKTf, WPCM, WPOC, WXBQ, WYAY
Light (Under 25): 138
New Airplay This Week: 17 KCYY, KDRK, KRMD, KSKS, KXXY, KYCW, KYCY, WAMZ, WBEE, WBUB, WDSY, WFMS, WGXK, WIL, WKKO, WPOD, WQDR

JOHN BERRY 1817/97
Every Time My Heart Calls Your Name (Capitol Nashville)
Total Stations: 143/Chart Move: 34-36
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 8 KBEQ, KXKC, WBCT, WDDO, WGAR, WKLB, WQBE, WYWB
Light (Under 25): 135
New Airplay This Week: 5 KASY, KYCY, WBBS, WLWI, WQYK

TOBY KEITH 1772/440
Does That Blue Moon Ever Shine On You (A&M Nashville)
Total Stations: 140/Chart Move: 40-37
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 6 KKAT, KKBQ, KXKC, KYNG, WRKZ, WSTH
Light (Under 25): 134
New Airplay This Week: 22 KDDK, KFRG, KMPS, KSOP, KXKT, WBSB, WBOB, WBUB, WCTT, WCTK, WDRM, WGH, WHYL, WML, WOKO, WPOC, WQDR, WQYK, WROO, WYXY, WXTU, WYCD

MINDY MCCREADY 1697/244
Ten Thousand Angels (BNA)
Total Stations: 142/Chart Move: 38-38
Heavy (35+): 2 KKBQ, WCUZ
Medium (25-34): 17 KAJA, KBEQ, KFKE, KRYS, KXKC, KYNG, WBCF, WOCMS, WCOL, WDDO, WHYL, WIL, WIVK, WPOC, WRBQ, WSTH, WYAY
Light (Under 25): 123
New Airplay This Week: 9 KILT, KRMD, KXXY, KYCW, WKCO, WQXK, WTD, WYWB, WXTU

JOE DIFFIE 1614/124
C-O-U-N-T-R-Y (Epic)
Total Stations: 131/Chart Move: 37-39
Heavy (35+): 1 KHEY
Medium (25-34): 8 KEBC, WBCT, WCOL, WDDO, WIVK, WPCM, WPOC, WYAY
Light (Under 25): 122
New Airplay This Week: 8 KTOM, KXXY, KYCW, WDSY, WKKO, WKXK, WQIK, WSTH

STEPHANIE BENTLEY 1282/25
Who's That Girl (Epic)
Total Stations: 128/Chart Move: 41-40
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 4 KFKE, KXKC, WKIX, WXBQ
Light (Under 25): 124
New Airplay This Week: 6 KSKS, KYCW, KYNG, WQIK, WTD, WTR

GEORGE STRAIT 1131/1131
Blue Clear Sky (MCA)
Total Stations: 119/Chart Move: Debut 41
Heavy (35+): 1 KRYS
Medium (25-34): 2 WAMZ, WESC
Light (Under 25): 116
New Airplay This Week: 86 KAJA, KASE, KASY, KCIN, KCYY, KDDK, KDRK, KEBC, KFDI, KFKE, KFMS, KIKF, KIKK, KILT, KJY, KKAT, KKBQ, KKCS, KMLE, KMPS, KNAX, KNIX, KOUL, KPLX, KRMD, KRYS, KSN, KSCS, KSKS, KSOP, KSSN, KTOM, KUZZ, KVET, KWEN, KWJJ, KWKH, KXKT, KXXY, KYCW, KYCY, KYGO, KYNG, KZLA, WAMZ, WBCF, WCHY, WOCMS, WCOL, WCUZ, WDAF, WESC, WEZL, WFLS, WGAR, WGEE, WGGY, WGH, WIL, WIVK, WJCN, WKIX, WKLO, WKXK, WKSJ, WKSJ, WKXC, WLVN, WML, WNCY, WNOE, WOV, WPCM, WQDR, WQXK, WQYK, WRBQ, WSM, WSTH, WTD, WUBE, WUSY, WYWB, WYWB, WYWB, WYWB, WYWB, WXTU, WYAY, WYCD, WYGY, WYWK, WZZK

DAVID LEE MURPHY 1034/352
Every Time I Get Around You (MCA)
Total Stations: 106/Chart Move: 47-42
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 3 WAMZ, WBCT, WPCM
Light (Under 25): 103
New Airplay This Week: 31 KCIN, KDDK, KDRK, KFKE, KFRG, KHEY, KNAX, KNIX, KPLX, KRST, KRKY, KRYS, KSOP, KWKH, KXXY, WBOB, WBUB, WDDO, WEZL, WFLS, WKCN, WKHK, WKKO, WOKO, WOV, WPOC, WQBE, WRBQ, WRKZ, WTD, WYWB

DAVID LEE MURPHY 1034/352
Every Time I Get Around You (MCA)
Total Stations: 106/Chart Move: 47-42
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 3 WAMZ, WBCT, WPCM
Light (Under 25): 103
New Airplay This Week: 31 KCIN, KDDK, KDRK, KFKE, KFRG, KHEY, KNAX, KNIX, KPLX, KRST, KRKY, KRYS, KSOP, KWKH, KXXY, WBOB, WBUB, WDDO, WEZL, WFLS, WKCN, WKHK, WKKO, WOKO, WOV, WPOC, WQBE, WRBQ, WRKZ, WTD, WYWB

999 - 500 DETECTIONS

SHENANDOAH 957/152
All Over But The Shoutin' (Capitol Nashville)
Total Stations: 112/Chart Move: 45-43
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 2 KWJJ, WYAY
Light (Under 25): 110
New Airplay This Week: 10 KCIN, KDDK, KFRG, KRST, WEZL, WKCN, WKIX, WQYK, WRBQ, WSTH

JEFF CARSON 899/171
Holdin' On To Something (MCG Curb)
Total Stations: 92/Chart Move: 46-44
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 1 WPOC
Light (Under 25): 91
New Airplay This Week: 10 KAJA, KOUL, KRST, KXKT, WBOB, WOCMS, WCOL, WMZQ, WQDR, WYWB

PAUL BRANDT 875/317
My Heart Has A History (Reprise)
Total Stations: 104/Chart Move: 50-45
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 2 KKBQ, WYAY
Light (Under 25): 102
New Airplay This Week: 20 KDDK, KFDI, KGMV, KKCS, KRYS, KSKS, KVOO, KWNR, WBOB, WOOD, WESC, WEZL, WGEE, WGH, WKIX, WKTf, WOV, WPOC, WSOC, WYNY

GARTH BROOKS 842/714
The Change (Capitol Nashville)
Total Stations: 122/Chart Move: 71-47
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 0
Light (Under 25): 122
New Airplay This Week: 45 KEBC, KEEY, KFDI, KFMS, KGMV, KIKF, KNAX, KNIX, KOUL, KRYS, KSN, KSCS, KSOP, KSSN, KVOO, KWEN, KYGO, WCOL, WCTK, WFLS, WFMS, WGAR, WHYL, WIL, WKHX, WKSJ, WKXC, WML, WMSJ, WNCY, WNOE, WQMX, WQXK, WQYK, WRKZ, WROO, WSM, WUBE, WYXY, WYCD, WYGY, WYRK, WYRD, WZZK

REBA MCENTIRE 789/644
Starting Over Again (MCA)
Total Stations: 106/Chart Move: 69-49
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 2 KKBQ, WPOC
Light (Under 25): 104
New Airplay This Week: 50 KBEQ, KFMS, KIIM, KIKF, KKAT, KKCS, KNAX, KNIX, KPLX, KRAK, KSKS, KVOO, KWJJ, KWKH, KXKT, KXXY, WAMZ, WBBS, WBEE, WCTK, WCOL, WCUZ, WDRM, WESC, WFMS, WGEE, WGGY, WGN, WHYL, WIRK, WJCN, WKIX, WKSJ, WML, WMSJ, WNOE, WQMX, WQYK, WQXK, WYWB, WYWB, WYWB, WYWB, WYWB, WXTU, WYAY, WYCD, WYGY, WYWK, WYRD, WZZK

CHELY WRIGHT 680/53
The Love That We Lost (A&M Nashville)
Total Stations: 73/Chart Move: 49-50
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 2 KKBQ, KRKY
Light (Under 25): 71
New Airplay This Week: 1 WKCN

BAKER & MYERS 658/8
Years From Here (MCG Curb)
Total Stations: 87/Chart Move: 48-51
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 1 WMZQ
Light (Under 25): 86
New Airplay This Week: 4 WBCT, WKSJ, WKSJ, WRBQ

JOHN ANDERSON 642/127
Long Hard Lesson Learned (BNA)
Total Stations: 73/Chart Move: 51-52
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 0
Light (Under 25): 73
New Airplay This Week: 12 KDDK, KHEY, KKAT, KMPS, KPLX, KTEX, KUZZ, WEZL, WGH, WKCN, WKSJ, WXTU

TRACY LAWRENCE 585/235
Time Marches On (Atlantic)
Total Stations: 71/Chart Move: 57-53
Heavy (35+): 1 KKBQ
Medium (25-34): 5 KRYS, WCUZ, WKIX, WSTH, WXBQ
Light (Under 25): 65
New Airplay This Week: 13 KHEY, KRYS, KUZZ, KWKH, WBCT, WCOL, WKJN, WKKO, WQYK, WRBQ, WUBE, WUSY, WYXY

SAMMY KERSHAW 526/120
Meant To Be (Mercury Nashville)
Total Stations: 65/Chart Move: 55-54
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 0
Light (Under 25): 65
New Airplay This Week: 17 KAJA, KDRK, KEEY, KMLE, KMPS, KNCI, KRMD, WDDO, WFLS, WKCN, WKKO, WKXK, WKTf, WMSJ, WQXK, WRKZ, WSM

DOUG SUPRENAW 519/53
She Never Looks Back (Giant)
Total Stations: 90/Chart Move: 52-55
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 0
Light (Under 25): 90
New Airplay This Week: 4 KBEQ, WKSJ, WRBQ, WUSY

499 - 75 DETECTIONS

SAWYER BROWN 412/125
Treat Her Right (Curb)
Total Stations: 72/Chart Move: 61-56
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 0
Light (Under 25): 72
New Airplay This Week: 17 KIIM, KIKF, KMLE, KTTS, KVET, KXKC, KZSN, WCTT, WGN, WHYL, WIVK, WKSJ, WRKZ, WSIX, WSM, WYXY, WXTU

RHETT AKINS 385/157
Don't Get Me Started (Decca)
Total Stations: 72/Chart Move: 65-57
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 1 KTTS
Light (Under 25): 71
New Airplay This Week: 16 KDRK, KEEY, KGMV, KIKF, KMLE, KRMD, KSON, KTTS, KUZZ, KXKC, WCHY, WHYL, WKTf, WNCY, WQBE, WSM

PERFECT STRANGER 354/27
Remember The Ride (Curb)
Total Stations: 39/Chart Move: 59-59
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 0
Light (Under 25): 39
New Airplay This Week: 2 KSSN, WSOC

STEVE AZAR 310/59
Someday (River North)
Total Stations: 52/Chart Move: 63-60
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 0
Light (Under 25): 52
New Airplay This Week: 10 KPLX, KSKS, KWN, WOCMS, WIL, WKCN, WKIX, WNOE, WRBQ, WYNY

TY HERNDON 206/62
In Your Face (Epic)
Total Stations: 29/Chart Move: 70-63
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 0
Light (Under 25): 29
New Airplay This Week: 6 KBEQ, KFDI, KSOP, KUZZ, WKTf, WNOE

LISA BROKOP 160/34
Before He Kissed Me (Capitol Nashville)
Total Stations: 24/Chart Move: 72-68
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 0
Light (Under 25): 24
New Airplay This Week: 5 KBEQ, KFDI, WEZL, WIL, WPOC

KENNY CHESNEY 139/139
Back In My Arms Again (BNA)
Total Stations: 53/Chart Move: Debut 71
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 0
Light (Under 25): 53
New Airplay This Week: 2 WIVK, WXBQ

MARTINA MCBRIDE 128/128
Phones Are Ringin' All Over (RCA)
Total Stations: 61/Chart Move: Debut 72
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 0
Light (Under 25): 61
New Airplay This Week: 2 KEBC, WTD

LORRIE MORGAN & JON RANDALL 113/46
By My Side (BNA)
Total Stations: 17/Chart Move: Debut 75
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 1 KXKC
Light (Under 25): 16
New Airplay This Week: 4 KAJA, KEBC, KEEY, KFDI

CHRIS LEDOUX 76/14
Gravitational Pull (Capitol Nashville)
Total Stations: 11
Heavy (35+): 0
Medium (25-34): 0
Light (Under 25): 11
New Airplay This Week: 1 KYNG

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MARTINA McBRIDE'S NEW SINGLE
"PHONES ARE RINGIN'
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ON RADIOS EVERYWHERE



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THIS WEEK	LAST WEEK	WKS. ON CHART	TITLE/LABEL/DISTRIBUTING LABEL	ARTIST	DETECTIONS		
					TW	LW	
			★ ★ ★ No. 1 ★ ★ ★				
1	2	14	TO BE LOVED BY YOU CURB/MCA 1 week at No. 1	WYNONNA	4961	4854	
2	3	17	WALKIN' AWAY ARISTA	DIAMOND RIO	4936	4796	
3	6	13	HYPNOTIZE THE MOON GIANT	CLAY WALKER	4903	4573	
4	4	18	TOO MUCH FUN GIANT	DARYLE SINGLETARY	4851	4746	
5	8	13	NO NEWS BNA	LONESTAR	4672	4365	
6	7	14	YOU GOTTA LOVE THAT ATLANTIC	NEAL MCCOY	4656	4460	
7	1	15	YOU CAN FEEL BAD EPIC	PATTY LOVELESS	4521	5113	
8	9	7	YOU WIN MY LOVE MERCURY NASHVILLE	SHANIA TWAIN	4248	4014	
9	12	18	WHAT DO I KNOW COLUMBIA	RICOCHE	4233	3885	
10	11	12	HEART'S DESIRE CAREER	LEE ROY PARNELL	4022	3898	
11	13	15	IT WOULDN'T HURT TO HAVE WINGS DECCA	MARK CHESNUTT	3854	3670	
12	16	13	ALL I WANT IS A LIFE CURB	TIM MCGRAW	3493	3273	
13	5	17	IF YOU LOVED ME ATLANTIC	TRACY LAWRENCE	3413	4628	
14	17	10	HEAVEN IN MY WOMAN'S EYES MCA	TRACY BYRD	3219	3170	
			★ ★ ★ AIRPOWER ★ ★ ★				
15	21	6	LONG AS I LIVE ATLANTIC	JOHN MICHAEL MONTGOMERY	3127	2826	
16	19	7	SOMEONE ELSE'S DREAM WARNER BROS.	FAITH HILL	3111	3073	
17	10	18	THE BEACHES OF CHEYENNE CAPITOL NASHVILLE	GARTH BROOKS	3060	3994	
			★ ★ ★ AIRPOWER ★ ★ ★				
18	25	11	HEADS CAROLINA, TAILS CALIFORNIA CURB	JODEE MESSINA	3060	2759	
19	20	13	IT WORKS RCA	ALABAMA	2991	2935	
20	28	10	IT'S WHAT I DO CAPITOL NASHVILLE	BILLY DEAN	2869	2595	
21	24	11	THE RIVER AND THE HIGHWAY ARISTA	PAM TILLIS	2868	2767	
22	22	17	READY, WILLING AND ABLE RCA	LARI WHITE	2865	2821	
23	23	10	WITHOUT YOUR LOVE RCA	AARON TIPPIN	2641	2795	
24	27	12	ALL YOU EVER DO IS BRING ME DOWN MCA THE MAVERICKS (FEAT. FLACO JIMENEZ)		2634	2601	
25	14	15	I'LL TRY ARISTA	ALAN JACKSON	2600	3571	
26	29	17	SHE'S GOT A MIND OF HER OWN EPIC	JAMES BONAMY	2366	2267	
27	26	19	WILD ANGELS RCA	MARTINA MCBRIDE	2271	2723	
28	30	7	ALMOST A MEMORY NOW ARISTA	BLACKHAWK	2234	2013	
29	15	19	SOME THINGS ARE MEANT TO BE ARISTA	LINDA DAVIS	2218	3464	
			★ ★ ★ Hot Shot Debut ★ ★ ★				
30	NEW		MY MARIA ARISTA	BROOKS & DUNN	2045	0	
31	35	5	IF I WERE YOU MERCURY NASHVILLE	TERRI CLARK	1971	1519	
32	18	16	I KNOW SHE STILL LOVES ME MCA	GEORGE STRAIT	1958	3165	
33	36	6	I'M NOT SUPPOSED TO LOVE YOU ANYMORE ASYLUM	BRYAN WHITE	1920	1494	
34	32	19	BIGGER THAN THE BEATLES EPIC	JOE DIFFIE	1863	1970	
35	39	5	I THINK ABOUT YOU EPIC	COLLIN RAYE	1858	1416	
36	34	8	EVERY TIME MY HEART CALLS YOUR NAME CAPITOL NASHVILLE	JOHN BERRY	1817	1720	

THIS WEEK	LAST WEEK	WKS. ON CHART	TITLE/LABEL/DISTRIBUTING LABEL	ARTIST	DETECTIONS	
					TW	LW
37	40	5	DOES THAT BLUE MOON EVER SHINE ON YOU A&M NASHVILLE	TOBY KEITH	1772	1332
38	38	10	TEN THOUSAND ANGELS BNA	MINDY MCCREADY	1697	1453
39	37	6	C-O-U-N-T-R-Y EPIC	JOE DIFFIE	1614	1490
40	41	10	WHO'S THAT GIRL EPIC	STEPHANIE BENTLEY	1282	1257
41	NEW		BLUE CLEAR SKY MCA	GEORGE STRAIT	1131	0
42	47	3	EVERY TIME I GET AROUND YOU MCA	DAVID LEE MURPHY	1034	682
43	45	7	ALL OVER BUT THE SHOUTIN' CAPITOL NASHVILLE	SHENANDOAH	957	805
44	46	6	HOLDIN' ON TO SOMETHING MCG CURB	JEFF CARSON	899	728
45	50	5	MY HEART HAS A HISTORY REPRISE	PAUL BRANDT	875	558
46	43	11	1969 MERCURY NASHVILLE	KEITH STEGALL	868	1206
47	71	4	THE CHANGE CAPITOL NASHVILLE	GARTH BROOKS	842	128
48	44	20	OUT WITH A BANG MCA	DAVID LEE MURPHY	832	968
49	69	2	STARTING OVER AGAIN MCA	REBA MCENTIRE	789	145
50	49	9	THE LOVE THAT WE LOST A&M NASHVILLE	CHELY WRIGHT	680	627
51	48	9	YEARS FROM HERE MCG CURB	BAKER & MYERS	658	650
52	51	5	LONG HARD LESSON LEARNED BNA	JOHN ANDERSON	642	515
53	57	3	TIME MARCHES ON ATLANTIC	TRACY LAWRENCE	585	350
54	55	3	MEANT TO BE MERCURY NASHVILLE	SAMMY KERSHAW	526	406
55	52	5	SHE NEVER LOOKS BACK GIANT	DOUG SUPERNOW	519	466
56	61	3	TREAT HER RIGHT CURB	SAWYER BROWN	412	287
57	65	2	DON'T GET ME STARTED DECCA	RHETT AKINS	385	228
58	56	6	YOU'D THINK HE'D KNOW ME BETTER MCA	BOBBIE CRYNER	357	363
59	59	8	REMEMBER THE RIDE CURB	PERFECT STRANGER	354	327
60	63	4	SOMEDAY RIVER NORTH	STEVE AZAR	310	251
61	53	13	NOW THAT'S ALL RIGHT WITH ME ASYLUM	MANDY BARNETT	233	457
62	64	2	LITTLE DROPS OF MY HEART RCA	KEITH GATTIS	225	245
63	70	2	IN YOUR FACE EPIC	TY HERNDON	206	144
64	54	12	EVEN IF I TRIED CAPITOL NASHVILLE	EMILIO	204	436
65	58	16	STANDING TALL BNA	LORRIE MORGAN	199	340
66	66	20	'ROUND HERE CURB	SAWYER BROWN	165	198
67	62	9	SHE GOT WHAT SHE DESERVES DECCA	FRAZIER RIVER	163	284
68	72	3	BEFORE HE KISSED ME CAPITOL NASHVILLE	LISA BROKOP	160	126
69	60	7	REDNECK SON RCA	TY ENGLAND	156	312
70	68	18	PARADISE BNA	JOHN ANDERSON	142	151
71	NEW		BACK IN MY ARMS AGAIN BNA	KENNY CHESNEY	139	0
72	NEW		PHONES ARE RINGIN' ALL OVER TOWN RCA	MARTINA MCBRIDE	128	0
73	67	11	IT'S MIDNIGHT CINDERELLA CAPITOL NASHVILLE	GARTH BROOKS	114	152
74	73	4	GOD'S COUNTRY, USA COLUMBIA	MARCUS HUMMON	113	118
75	NEW		BY MY SIDE BNA	LORRIE MORGAN & JON RANDALL	113	67

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"Thinkin' Strait"

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