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**THE GAVIN REPORT #1487
 WEEKLY SUMMARY**

Headliners

Smash of the Week

KARMA CHAMELEON-Culture Club (Virgin/Epic)
 Colour It Gone!!!

Hot

RUNNING WITH THE NIGHT-Lionel Richie (Motown)
 Full speed ahead into 1984.

Top Tip

THINK OF LAURA-Christopher Cross (Warner Brothers)
 Already tube tested, this TV crossover became a number one phone item in many areas immediately. #3 at Y100, 14-8 at 93Q, #9 at B-97, WHTX 22-12, KAFM 29-15, Q105 29-23, etc.

Record To Watch

GIVE IT UP-KC (Meca)
 KC's back up to bat ahead of Spring training. Twenty-one adds including WXKS-Boston, PRO/FM-Providence, WBEN/FM-Buffalo, WBBQ-Augusta, Z-93-Atlanta, WBGW-Bowling Green, WFBC-Altoona, WZEE-Madison, KSTN-Stockton, etc.

Top Prospect

AN INNOCENT MAN-Billy Joel (Columbia)
 So far radio's buying his story.

Top New Airplay

SO BAD-Paul McCartney (Columbia)

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The Top Forty

(Editor, Dave Sholin)

(Underlined sides show the strongest potential for continued growth.)

2W	LW	TW	
1.	1.	1.	Say Say Say-Paul McCartney & Michael Jackson (Columbia)
2.	2.	2.	Say It Isn't So-Hall & Oates (RCA)
10.	5.	3.	<u>OWNER OF A LONELY HEART-Yes (Atco)</u>
7.	6.	4.	<u>Union Of The Snake-Duran Duran (Capitol)</u>
12.	9.	5.	I Guess That's Why They Call It The Blues-Elton John (Geffen)
6.	3.	6.	Church Of The Poison Mind-Culture Club (Virgin/Epic)
3.	4.	7.	Love Is A Battlefield-Pat Benatar (Chrysalis)
15.	11.	8.	<u>TWIST OF FATE-Olivia Newton-John (MCA)</u>
26.	15.	9.	<u>THAT'S ALL-Genesis (Atlantic)</u>
28.	17.	10.	<u>KARMA CHAMELEON-Culture Club (Virgin/Epic)</u>
16.	13.	11.	Undercover Of The Night-Rolling Stones (Rolling Stones)
14.	12.	12.	Major Tom (Coming Home)-Peter Schilling (Elektra)
24.	16.	13.	TALKING IN YOUR SLEEP-Romantics (Nemperor/CBS)
22.	19.	14.	<u>BREAK MY STRIDE-Matthew Wilder (Private I)</u>
27.	20.	15.	<u>RUNNING WITH THE NIGHT-Lionel Richie (Motown)</u>
23.	21.	16.	<u>IF I'D BEEN THE ONE-38 Special (A&M)</u>
9.	8.	17.	Why Me-Irene Cara (Network/Geffen)
4.	7.	18.	Uptown Girl-Billy Joel (Columbia)
30.	25.	19.	READ 'EM AND WEEP-Barry Manilow (Arista)
32.	27.	20.	<u>I STILL CAN'T GET OVER LOVING YOU-Ray Parker Jr. (Arista)</u>
19.	18.	21.	Synchronicity II-Police (A&M)
34.	32.	22.	JOANNA-Kool & The Gang (De-Lite)
5.	10.	23.	All Night Long (All Night)-Lionel Richie (Motown)
--	35.	24.	PINK HOUSES-John Cougar Mellencamp (Riva/PolyGram)
--	36.	25.	<u>HOLIDAY-Madonna (Sire)</u>
36.	31.	26.	<u>GOLD-Spandau Ballet (Chrysalis)</u>
35.	33.	27.	<u>TIME WILL REVEAL-DeBarge (Gordy)</u>
--	--	28.	<u>AN INNOCENT MAN-Billy Joel (Columbia)</u>
8.	14.	29.	Crumbly'n' Down-John Cougar Mellencamp (Riva/PolyGram)
--	--	30.	THINK OF LAURA-Christopher Cross (Warner Brothers)
--	--	31.	<u>THE CURLY SHUFFLE-Jump 'N' The Saddle (Atlantic)</u>
25.	28.	32.	Ain't Nobody-Rufus & Chaka Khan (Warner Brothers)
--	--	33.	MIDDLE OF THE ROAD-Pretenders (Sire)
--	40.	34.	<u>STAY WITH ME TONIGHT-Jeffrey Osborne (A&M)</u>
31.	30.	35.	When The Lights Go Out-Naked Eyes (EMI)
40.	37.	36.	IN THE MOOD-Robert Plant (Esparanza/Atlantic)
--	38.	37.	<u>THE SIGN OF FIRE-The Fixx (MCA)</u>
29.	29.	38.	I Won't Stand In Your Way-Stray Cats (EMI)
--	--	39.	<u>REMEMBER THE NIGHTS-The Motels (Capitol)</u>
13.	24.	40.	Cum On Feel The Noize-Quiet Riot (Pasha/CBS)

The Top Contenders

NIGHTBIRD-Stevie Nicks (Modern)
 SO BAD-Paul McCartney (Columbia)
 SEND ME AN ANGEL-Real Life (Curb/MCA)
 THE DREAM-Irene Cara (Network/Geffen)
 YAH MO B THERE-James Ingram (Qwest)

Comment

Like almost everyone, I find it hard to believe this is our final report of 1983. It's especially gratifying this week to hear so many of our correspondents say they're going to sorely miss a Gavin over the next two weeks. This period is one of the toughest to gauge underlines on certain records, but those listed stand the best chance of maintaining over the holidays. Outside of the Top Contenders, the entries showing the most promise are Nena, KC, Shannon, and Journey's "Ask The Lonely". As is the case every week, the music information I'm able to give you comes as a result of your time and effort, relaying your stations' stats to me and the research staff. It's your honest and reliable figures and opinions that allow me and the other editors to give you the facts you need to program the best music possible at your station. I look forward to speaking with as many of you as possible each week, and if you have questions, doubts about certain records, or trends, I encourage you to ask and I'll be happy to fill you in on the information I have at that moment. I thank all of you for your support and hope everyone has a safe and happy holiday. We'll be back to "talk hits" again on January 3, 1984.

Correspondents' Consensus Picks

Title & Artist	Reports	Adds	On	Chart
+So Bad-Paul McCartney (Columbia)	97	96	1	--
Baby I Lied-Deborah Allen (RCA)	78	9	36	33
Let The Music Play-Shannon (Mirage/Atco)	64	20	23	21
Take Me Back-Bonnie Tyler (Columbia)	63	8	47	8
Save The Last Dance For Me-Dolly Parton (RCA)	63	37	24	2
You Don't Believe-Alan Parsons Pjt. (Arista)	55	4	33	18
Ebony Eyes-R. James & S. Robinson (Motown)	50	20	23	7
Almost Over You-Sheena Easton (EMI)	48	20	18	10
99 Luftballons-Nena (Epic)	47	19	12	16
The Big Crash-Eddie Money (Columbia)	45	5	30	10
(You Can Still) Rock In America-Night Ranger (MCA)	44	12	28	4
The Way He Makes Me Feel-Barbra Streisand (Col.)	42	2	14	26
*Give It Up-KC (Meca)	39	21	14	4
Sweetheart Like You-Bob Dylan (Columbia)	38	17	18	3
What's New-Linda Ronstadt (Asylum)	36	1	18	17
The Politics Of Dancing-Re-Flex (Capitol)	36	5	28	3
This Must Be The Place-Talking Heads (Sire/W.B.)	35	3	28	4
I Am Love-Jennifer Holliday (Geffen)	31	--	17	14
I Need You-Pointer Sisters (Planet)	31	3	14	14
Street Of Dreams-Rainbow (Mercury/PolyGram)	26	1	14	11
*Let's Pretend We're Married-Prince (Warner Bros.)	25	6	12	7
*Ask The Lonely-Journey (MCA-LP cut)	24	7	11	6

+Debuts as a Top Contender....

*First listing on this page.....

Dropped: #22 M. Jackson, #23 Big Country, #26 R. Springfield,
#34 H. Lewis & News, #39 Asia, Moody Blues.

Hit Factor

(December 12 through December 14)

Total reports this week 237 - last week 255)

Research: Keith Zimmerman, Lisa Smith, Betty Hollars.

Hit Factor: is a percentage of stations playing a record which also have it Top 20. In the opinion of the research staff the following records are of critical interest to programmers. Debut date is when a record first appears in Correspondents' Consensus Picks.

<u>THAT'S ALL-Genesis (Atlantic)</u>		<u>KARMA CHAMELEON-Culture Club (Virgin/Epic)</u>	
215 Reports	3 Chart @ 1-5	210 Reports	5 Chart @ 1-5
230 Reports last wk.	21 Chart @ 6-10	221 Reports last wk.	11 Chart @ 6-10
4 Adds	84 Chart @ 11-20	7 Adds	87 Chart @ 11-20
25 Uncharted	78 Chart @ 21-30	15 Uncharted	85 Chart @ 21-30
11/18 Debut Date	50% Hit Factor (LW27%)	11/25 Debut Date	49% Hit Factor (LW16%)
<u>RUNNING WITH THE NIGHT-Lionel Richie (Motown)</u>		<u>TALKING IN YOUR SLEEP-Romantics (Nemperor)</u>	
208 Reports	2 Chart @ 1-5	193 Reports	12 Chart @ 1-5
212 Reports last wk.	16 Chart @ 6-10	202 Reports last wk.	31 Chart @ 6-10
7 Adds	77 Chart @ 11-20	8 Adds	89 Chart @ 11-20
23 Uncharted	83 Chart @ 21-30	11 Uncharted	42 Chart @ 21-30
11/18 Debut Date	46% Hit Factor (LW20%)	10/21 Debut Date	68% Hit Factor (LW 45%)
<u>IF I'D BEEN THE ONE-38 Special (A&M)</u>		<u>PINK HOUSES-John Cougar Mellencamp (Riva)</u>	
192 Reports	4 Chart @ 1-5	183 Reports	-- Chart @ 1-5
198 Reports last wk.	13 Chart @ 6-10	160 Reports last wk.	-- Chart @ 6-10
4 Adds	83 Chart @ 11-20	30 Adds	13 Chart @ 11-20
29 Uncharted	59 Chart @ 21-30	78 Uncharted	62 Chart @ 21-30
11/4 Debut Date	52% Hit Factor (LW24%)	12/2 Debut Date	7% Hit Factor (LW -)

<u>BREAK MY STRIDE-Matthew Wilder (Private I)</u>		<u>JOANNA-Kool & The Gang (De-Lite)</u>	
175 Reports	30 Chart @ 1-5	163 Reports	2 Chart @ 1-5
185 Reports last wk.	37 Chart @ 6-10	170 Reports last wk.	4 Chart @ 6-10
2 Adds	75 Chart @ 11-20	11 Adds	47 Chart @ 11-20
4 Uncharted	27 Chart @ 21-30	43 Uncharted	56 Chart @ 21-30
9/16 Debut Date	81% Hit Factor (LW51%)	11/14 Debut Date	33% Hit Factor (LW21%)
<u>AN INNOCENT MAN-Billy Joel (Columbia)</u>		<u>READ 'EM AND WEEP-Barry Manilow (Arista)</u>	
163 Reports	-- Chart @ 1-5	162 Reports	3 Chart @ 1-5
104 Reports last wk.	-- Chart @ 6-10	171 Reports last wk.	17 Chart @ 6-10
72 Adds	-- Chart @ 11-20	4 Adds	58 Chart @ 11-20
74 Uncharted	17 Chart @ 21-30	15 Uncharted	65 Chart @ 21-30
12/9 Debut Date	-- Hit Factor (LW-)	11/11 Debut Date	48% Hit Factor (LW27%)
<u>I STILL CAN'T...-Ray Parker, Jr. (Arista)</u>		<u>GOLD-Spandau Ballet (Chrysalis)</u>	
162 Reports	1 Chart @ 1-5	151 Reports	-- Chart @ 1-5
181 Reports last wk.	6 Chart @ 6-10	174 Reports last wk.	-- Chart @ 6-10
4 Adds	51 Chart @ 11-20	3 Adds	23 Chart @ 11-20
22 Uncharted	78 Chart @ 21-30	48 Uncharted	77 Chart @ 21-30
11/4 Debut Date	36% Hit Factor (LW17%)	11/11 Debut Date	15% Hit Factor (LW6%)
<u>HOLIDAY-Madonna (Sire)</u>		<u>MIDDLE OF THE ROAD-Pretenders (Sire)</u>	
148 Reports	2 Chart @ 1-5	144 Reports	-- Chart @ 1-5
129 Reports last wk.	6 Chart @ 6-10	98 Reports last wk.	-- Chart @ 6-10
21 Adds	19 Chart @ 11-20	64 Adds	1 Chart @ 11-20
56 Uncharted	44 Chart @ 21-30	70 Uncharted	9 Chart @ 21-30
11/11 Debut Date	18% Hit Factor (LW10%)	12/9 Debut Date	1% Hit Factor (LW-)
<u>NIGHTBIRD-Stevie Nicks (Modern)</u>		<u>THE SIGN OF THE FIRE-Fixx (MCA)</u>	
143 Reports	-- Chart @ 1-5	142 Reports	-- Chart @ 1-5
76 Reports last wk.	-- Chart @ 6-10	149 Reports last wk.	-- Chart @ 6-10
87 Adds	-- Chart @ 11-20	16 Adds	6 Chart @ 11-20
49 Uncharted	7 Chart @ 21-30	77 Uncharted	43 Chart @ 21-30
12/9 Debut Date	-- Hit Factor (LW-)	11/25 Debut Date	4% Hit Factor (LW1%)
<u>THINK OF LAURA-Christopher Cross (W.B.)</u>		<u>REMEMBER THE NIGHTS-Motels (Capitol)</u>	
141 Reports	3 Chart @ 1-5	138 Reports	-- Chart @ 1-5
117 Reports last wk.	4 Chart @ 6-10	122 Reports last wk.	-- Chart @ 6-10
45 Adds	9 Chart @ 11-20	2R Adds	2 Chart @ 11-20
53 Uncharted	27 Chart @ 21-30	Uncharted	24 Chart @ 21-30
12/2 Debut Date	11% Hit Factor (LW6%)	84 Debut Date	1% Hit Factor (LW1%)
<u>IN THE MOOD-Robert Plant (Atlantic)</u>		<u>THE CURLY SHUFFLE-Jump 'N' The Saddle (Atlantic)</u>	
135 Reports	-- Chart @ 1-5	124 Reports	4 Chart @ 1-5
131 Reports last wk.	1 Chart @ 6-10	108 Reports last wk.	5 Chart @ 6-10
12 Adds	17 Chart @ 11-20	28 Adds	17 Chart @ 11-20
69 Uncharted	36 Chart @ 21-30	48 Uncharted	22 Chart @ 21-30
11/11 Debut Date	13% Hit Factor (LW3%)	12/2 Debut Date	21% Hit Factor (LW8%)
<u>TIME WILL REVEAL-DeBarge (Gordy)</u>		<u>STAY WITH ME TONIGHT-Jeffrey Osborne (A&M)</u>	
123 Reports	9 Chart @ 1-5	123 Reports	6 Chart @ 1-5
148 Reports last wk.	10 Chart @ 6-10	99 Reports last wk.	4 Chart @ 6-10
3 Adds	32 Chart @ 11-20	32 Adds	12 Chart @ 11-20
25 Uncharted	44 Chart @ 21-30	40 Uncharted	29 Chart @ 21-30
10/14 Debut Date	41% Hit Factor (LW31%)	10/28 Debut Date	18% Hit Factor (LW19%)
<u>SEND ME AN ANGEL-Real Life (Curb/MCA)</u>		<u>THE DREAM-Irene Cara (Network/Geffen)</u>	
116 Reports	-- Chart @ 1-5	104 Reports	-- Chart @ 1-5
97 Reports last wk.	-- Chart @ 6-10	83 Reports last wk.	-- Chart @ 6-10
27 Adds	3 Chart @ 11-20	34 Adds	1 Chart @ 11-20
68 Uncharted	18 Chart @ 21-30	62 Uncharted	7 Chart @ 21-30
11/25 Debut Date	3% Hit Factor (LW-)	12/2 Debut Date	1% Hit Factor (LW-)
	<u>Reports/L.W.</u>	<u>Hit Factor</u>	<u>Debut Date</u>
Yah Mo B There-James Ingram (Qwest)	91/47	1%	12/9
Let The Music Play-Shannon (Mirage)	64/50	14%	12/2

Top Forty Top 100

(Editor, Dave Sholin)

1. EVERY BREATH YOU TAKE-The Police (A&M)
2. BILLIE JEAN-Michael Jackson (Epic)
3. TOTAL ECLIPSE OF THE HEART-B.Tyler (Col.)
4. FLASHDANCE (WHAT..FEELING)-I.Cara (Casa.)
5. BEAT IT-Michael Jackson (Epic)
6. ALL NIGHT LONG...-Lionel Richie (Motown)
7. MANIAC-Michael Sembello (Casa./P'Gram)
8. YOU ARE-Lionel Richie (Motown)
9. UPTOWN GIRL-Billy Joel (Columbia)
10. SAY SAY SAY-McCartney/Jackson (Columbia)
11. JEOPARDY-Greg Kihn Band (Beserkley)
12. KING OF PAIN-Police (A&M)
13. TIME (CLOCK...HEART)-Culture Club (Epic)
14. ISLANDS IN..STREAM-Rogers & Parton (RCA)
15. SHAME ON THE MOON-Bob Seger (Capitol)
16. ONE ON ONE-Hall & Oates (RCA)
17. DO YOU...HURT ME-Culture Club (Epic)
18. MR. ROBOTO-Styx (A&M)
19. OVERKILL-Men At Work (Columbia)
20. TELL HER ABOUT IT-Billy Joel (Columbia)
21. ELECTRIC AVENUE-Eddy Grant (Portrait)
22. SWEET DREAMS (ARE..THIS)-Eurythmics (RCA)
23. SEPARATE WAYS (WORLDS APART)-Journey (Col.)
24. ALL RIGHT-Christopher Cross (Warner Bros.)
25. TRUE-Spandau Ballet (Chrysalis)
- 26.*DOWN UNDER-Men At Work (Columbia)
27. IT'S A MISTAKE-Men At Work (Columbia)
28. STAND BACK-Stevie Nicks (Modern)
29. DON'T LET IT END-Styx (A&M)
30. LOVE IS A BATTLEFIELD-Pat Benatar (Chrys.)
31. LET'S DANCE-David Bowie (EMI)
32. COME ON EILEEN-Dexy's M.Runners (Merc/PG)
33. OUR HOUSE-Madness (Geffen)
34. I WON'T HOLD YOU BACK-Toto (Columbia)
35. HUMAN NATURE-Michael Jackson (Epic)
36. THE SAFETY DANCE-Men W/O Hats (B'street)
37. SAY IT ISN'T SO-Hall & Oates (RCA)
38. ONE THING LEADS TO ANOTHER-Fixx (MCA)
39. TAKE ME TO HEART-Quarterflash (Geffen)
40. HEART TO HEART-Kenny Loggins (Columbia)
41. DER KOMMISSAR-After The Fire (Epic)
42. ALLENTOWN-Billy Joel (Columbia)
43. LAWYERS IN LOVE-Jackson Browne (Asylum)
44. MAKING LOVE..NOTHING-Air Supply (Arista)
45. HUNGRY LIKE THE WOLF-Duran Duran (Capitol)
46. BABY, COME TO ME-Patti Austin (Qwest)
47. DON'T CRY-Asia (Geffen)
48. LITTLE RED CORVETTE-Prince (Warner Bros.)
49. BABY JANE-Rod Stewart (Warner Bros.)
50. STRAIGHT FROM THE HEART-Bryan Adams (A&M)
51. I'VE..ROCK & ROLL HEART-Eric Clapton (Duck)
52. I'M STILL STANDING-Elton John (Geffen)
53. NEVER GONNA LET YOU GO-Sergio Mendes (A&M)
54. CHURCH OF THE POISON MIND-Culture Club (Epic)
55. WANNA BE STARTIN' SOMETHIN' -M.Jackson (Epic)
56. IS THERE SOMETHING..KNOW-Duran Duran (Capitol)
57. SUDDENLY LAST SUMMER-The Motels (Capitol)
58. HEART & SOUL-Huey Lewis & News (Chrysalis)
59. AFFAIR OF THE HEART-Rick Springfield (RCA)
- *60. AFRICA-Toto (Columbia)
61. SHE WORKS HARD FOR THE MONEY-D.Summer (Merc.)
62. STRAY CAT STRUT-Stray Cats (EMI)
63. BACK ON THE CHAIN GANG-Pretenders (Sire)
64. FAMILY MAN-Hall & Oates (RCA)
65. FAITHFULLY-Journey (Columbia)
66. CRUMBLIN' DOWN-John Cougar Mellencamp (Riva)
67. P.Y.T. (PRETTY YOUNG THING)-M.Jackson (Epic)
68. MY LOVE-Lionel Richie (Motown)
69. TOO SHY-Kajagoogoo (EMI)
70. DELIRIOUS-Prince (Warner Brothers)
71. IF ANYONE FALLS-Stevie Nicks (Modern)
72. SHE BLINDED ME WITH SCIENCE-T.Dolby (Harvest)
73. EVEN NOW-Bob Seger (Capitol)
74. (KEEP FEELING) FASCINATION-Human League (A&M)
75. CUM ON FEEL THE NOIZE-Quiet Riot (Pasha/CBS)
76. THE OTHER GUY-Little River Band (Capitol)
77. PROMISES, PROMISES-Naked Eyes (EMI)
78. WHY ME-Irene Cara (Network/Geffen)
79. COME DANCING-The Kinks (Arista)
80. SOLITAIRE-Laura Branigan (Atlantic)
81. I KNOW THERE'S SOMETHING..ON-Frida (Atlantic)
82. UNION OF THE SNAKE-Duran Duran (Capitol)
83. FAR FROM OVER-Frank Stallone (RSO/PolyGram)
84. 1999-Prince (Warner Brothers)
- *85. YOU CAN'T HURRY LOVE-Phil Collins (Atlantic)
86. TELEPHONE (LONG DISTANCE..)-Sheena Easton (EMI)
87. OWNER OF A LONELY HEART-Yes (Atco)
88. SHE'S A BEAUTY-The Tubes (Capitol)
89. ROCK 'N' ROLL IS KING-ELO (Jet)
90. (SHE'S) SEXY & 17-Stray Cats (EMI)
91. I'LL TUMBLE 4 YA-Culture Club (Virgin/Epic)
92. I GUESS THAT'S WHY...BLUES-Elton John (Geffen)
93. SEXUAL HEALING-Marvin Gaye (Columbia)
94. WE'VE GOT TONIGHT-Rogers & Easton (Liberty)
95. BURNING DOWN THE HOUSE-Talking Heads (Sire)
- *96. WELCOME TO HEARTLIGHT-Kenny Loggins (Col.)
97. BREAKING US IN TWO-Joe Jackson (A&M)
98. MODERN LOVE-David Bowie (EMI)
- *99. MANEATER-Hall & Oates (RCA)
100. BIG LOG-Robert Plant (Atlantic)

*Carry over from 1982.

(Underlined sides are still strong at the end of 1983.)

Correspondents Corner

(Listed below in regional order are the adds reported by these correspondents.)

NORTHEAST

Hamilton (Nevin Grant-CKOC) J.C.Mellencamp, Headpins.

Bangor (Mike O'Hara-WZON) Real Life, KC, Night Ranger, Jump, C.Cross, McCartney.

Ellsworth (Tim Moore-WKSQ) S.Nicks, J.Ingram.

Rumford (Michael Rivers-WWMR) J.Osborne, Plant, Pretenders, R.Life, McCartney, Nicks, Joel.

Boston (White/Donaghey-WXKS) Naked Eyes, KC, Musical Youth, D.Summer, J.Ingram, Jump/Saddle,

P.McCartney, S.O.S.Band, P.LaBelle, Nena, R.Flack & P.Bryson.

Worcester (Dick Smith-WORC) Real Life, Pretenders, C.Cross, Shannon, Stevie Nicks.

Norwalk (Michael Ramb-WLYQ) Real Life, DeBarge, Ray Parker Jr., S.Ballet.

Providence (Tom Cuddy-PRO/FM) Cross, D.Allen, Ingram, McCartney, Cara, Nicks, Plant, KC, M.Sta

Buffalo (Bob Wood-WBEN/FM) D.Allen, Osborne, Cross, Nicks, Nena, KC.

Schenectady (Jim Walsh-3WD) Pretenders, McCartney, Bryson & Flack.

Poughkeepsie (Chris Leide-WSPK) S.O.S., J.Ingram, KC, I.Cara, S.Easton, B.Joel.

New York (Lisa Tonacci-WPLJ) Romantics, Grandmaster & M.Mel, D.Train, Ingram.

Long Island (Bill Terry-WBLI) C.Cross, Joel, J.Osborne, S.Nicks, R.Plant, R.James.

MID-ATLANTIC

Williamsport (Frank Bell-WSQV) Journey, Lionel Richie, Real Life.

Easton/Allentown (Dave Dillon-WQQQ) R.Life, Pretenders, Joel, Nicks, Motels, McCartney, D.All

Trenton (Tom Taylor-WPST) Ingram, McCartney, Nena, Real Life, Re-Flex.

Ocean City (Jack Gillund-WKHI) McCartney, Cara, Nicks, Ingram, Easton, S.O.S. Band.

Baltimore (Jeffries/Kronthal-B104) Romantics, C.Cross, Joel, Shannon.

Bristol (Jeff Whitehead-WFHG) Cross, Madonna, Nicks, Real Life, J.C.Mellencamp.

Lynchburg (Wayne Fanning-WBOL/FM) Madonna, Real Life, Pretenders, I.Cara, Jump/Saddle.

Boone (Justin Phelps-WASU/FM) Simon Townshend, P.McCartney, S.Nicks.

Raleigh (Rick Freeman-WDCG) Billy Joel, S.Nicks, R.Parker Jr., Night Ranger.

Sanford (Bill Freeman-WFJA) Rick James, McCartney, C.Lauper.

Tryon (Chris Smart-WTYN) Cougar, Talking Heads, I.Cara.

Shelby (Andy Foster-WXIK) Fixx, S.Nicks, D.Parton, Stevie Woods.

Charlotte (Bob Kaghan-WBCY) Pretenders, P.McCartney, R.James, Real Life.

Rocky Mount (Bryan J.Conners-WEED) 38 Special, Kool/Gang, R.Plant, I.Cara, B.Joel.

Jacksonville (Gary Lee-WIIZ) Dolly Parton, B.Dylan, Jump/Saddle.

New Bern (John Peace-WPFL) Joel, Easton, McCartney, Re-Flex, Dolly, R.James.

Wilmington (Foster/Patrick-WHSL) Nicks, M.Stanley, Nena, Cara, Doors, Joel.

Anderson (Rod Metz-WANS) McCartney, Easton, Nicks, Shannon, Tyler, Nena.

Spartanburg (J.J.Hemingway-WORD) P.McCartney, N.Heyward, S.Easton, Pretenders, M.Jackson.

Conway (Carroll Smiley-WLAT/FM) Pretenders, Joel, M.Stanley, Nicks, Doors, Big Ric.

Cheraw (Mitch Adams-WPDZ) S.Nicks, McCartney, Motels, Dolly, J.Osborne, Big Ric.

Florence (Michael R. Ousley-WJMX) D.Parton, C.Cross, Nicks, McCartney, U2, Gayle, Ingram.

Georgetown (Robert Swinton-WGMB) Joel, Pretenders, D.Parton, Motels.

Myrtle Beach (Bob Chase-WKZQ) Thorogood, Prince, S.O.S., Nicks, Dolly, Streisand, E.King.

No.Myrtle Beach (Calvin Hicks-WNMB) McCartney, Nicks, Dolly, R.James.

SOUTHEAST

Augusta (Bruce Stevens-WBBQ) McCartney, Easton, Nicks, Cara, Dolly, Nena, KC, N.Ranger.

Savannah (Randy Summers-Z102) P.McCartney, Joel, Ingram, Nicks, C.Lauper.

- - - (J.D.North-WAEV/FM) Motels, Ingram, McCartney, Tyler.

Athens (Ron Norris-WAGQ) I.Cara, R.Life, Pretenders, S.Robinson, Motels, C.Cross.

Soperton (Shannon West-WMPZ) Ingram, Fixx, Madonna.

Atlanta (Chris Thomas-Z93) S.Nicks, McCartney, Nena, I.Cara, KC.

- - - (Jeff McCartney-94Q) Fixx, McCartney, Ingram, I.Cara.

Cedartown (Todd Shiflett-WGAA) Nicks, P.McCartney.

Columbus (Ralph Carroll-WCGQ) R.James, McCartney, KC, Parsons, Cross, Shannon, N.Ranger.

Ft.Valley (Nathan Hale-WQBZ) Joel, Nicks, Motels, Pretenders, Madonna, Prince.

Rome (Kyle McKay-WKCX) Romantics, Joel, Nicks, Fixx, Osborne.

Orlando (Long/Mitchell-WBJW) S.Nicks, Genesis, Cross, Pretenders.

Daytona Beach (Brian Douglas-WNFI) Nicks, Dangerfield, McCartney, Easton, Tyler, U2, Dylan.

Tampa (Diana Thomas-Q105) Jump/Saddle, Madonna, R.Parker Jr., J.Osborne, Shannon.

Miami (Frank Amadeo-Y100) P.McCartney, J.Ingram.

Panama City (Skip Bishop-WPFM) Dolly Parton, J.Ingram, Pretenders.

SOUTH

Huntsville (Dave Hargrove-WAAY) Cougar, Plant, Nicks, McCartney, Madonna, Osborne, Cara, Kool

Muscle Shoals (Matt Durham-WQLT) No adds.

Fayette (Kelsey Scott-WHKW) Motels, S.Easton, B.Joel, Pretenders.

Birmingham (Rich Bailey-WKXX/FM) B.Manilow, S.Nicks, J.Ingram, R.James.

Montgomery (Mark St.John-WHHY/FM) S.Nicks, P.McCartney, Nena, Tyler, I.Cara.

Demopolis (Russell Baty-WXAL) B.Joel, Big Ric, C.Cross, J.Osborne.

Correspondents' Corner

Atmore (Keith Lindsay-WATM) Nicks, McCartney, R.James, Big Ric, J.Ingram.
 Mobile (Scott Griffith-G100) R.Life, McCartney, Nicks, Pretenders, Ingram, Dolly, James, SOS.
 Starkville (Chuck Courtney-WKOR) Joel, D.Allen, Pretenders, Motels, Nicks, Ingram, Dolly, McC.
 Tupelo/New Albany (Mike Grace-WXKZ) Nicks, McCartney, D.Parton, Pretenders, Osborne, Pretenders.
 Biloxi (Kirk Clatt-WQID) Pretenders, Motels, D.Parton.
 Hattiesburg (Lori DuBose-WHSY/FM) R.Plant, B.Joel, J.Osborne, S.Nicks.
 Laurel/Hattiesburg (Dave Lyons-WNSL) J.C.Mellencamp, Romantics, M.Wilder, Big Ric.
 New Orleans (Nick Bazoo-B97) Pretenders, Ingram, McCartney, Shannon, Nicks, 38 Special, D.Allen.
 Baton Rouge (Rice/Ashy-WFMF) B.Joel, S.Nicks.
 Monroe (Tom Kenny-KMLB) McCartney, B.Joel, S.Easton, Dara & Neil Sedaka.
 Shreveport (Aubrey Hayden-KROK) Cougar, Ingram, Bryson/Flack, McCartney, R.Flack.
 Monroe (Sam Shea-KNOE/FM) McCartney, Ingram, Shannon, Dylan, Easton, Night Ranger.
 Morgan City (Kevin Bonner-KFXV) Kool/Gang, Cross, Pretenders.
 Johnson City (Rod Hampton-WQUT) Kool/Gang, Joel, Motels, Pretenders, C.Club.
 Chattanooga (Eric Page-WSKZ) C.Club, Pretenders, Nicks.
 Glasgow (Shannon McCombs-WOVO) S.Nicks, P.McCartney, R.James.
 Central City (Dave Waters-WKYA) Pretenders, Nicks, Ingram, Cross, Motels.
 Bowling Green (Darrell Duvall-WBGN) P.McCartney, Ingram, KC, D.Parton.
 Jenkin (Alan Damron-WIFX) M.Youth, B.Joel, Big C., B.Tyler, P.Schilling.

EAST CENTRAL

Lafayette (Gracie/Adams-WXUS) S.Nicks, B.Joel, C.Cross, J.Osborne, Pretenders.
 Angola (Larry Davis-WLKI) Pretenders, Motels.
 Terre Haute (Surette/Webb-WPFR) J.Osborne, Real Life, Ingram, Joel, Nicks, Heaven.
 Evansville (Fast Eddie Ashton-WSTO) Yes, Elton John, Romantics.
 - - - (Hobbs/Payne-WKDQ) Madonna, Dolly Parton, Shannon, Nena.
 Columbus (Adam Cook-92X) Wilder, L.Richie, M.Jackson.
 Cincinnati (Jim Fox-Q102) P.Schilling, Elton John.
 Cleveland (Bob Travis-WGCL) Pretenders, Cross, McCart., Stanley, Shannon, Cara, Ingram, R.James.
 Youngstown (Jeff Tobin-WYFM) Duran Duran, Yes, O.Newton-John.
 Clarksburg (Bill Dunn-WPQZ) Madonna, Fixx, E.W.& F., S.O.S.Band, M.Star, Pretenders, A.Parsons,
 T.Heads, Kiss, R.James, S.Robinson.
 Beckley (Bob Spencer-WCIR) Ingram, McCartney, E.Money, Nena, Pretenders.
 Altoona (Tony Booth-WFBG) McCartney, KC, S.Easton, Ingram, N.Ranger, U2.
 Erie (Ken Tyler-WJET) J.Osborne, C.Club, S.Ballet.
 Pittsburgh (Keith Abrams-WHTX) Kool/Gang, P.McCartney, Pretenders, Real Life, ONJ/JT.
 Petoskey (Jerry Noble-WJML) Dolly Parton, Willie Nelson, Madonna.
 Detroit (Paul Christy-WABX) U2, D.Ross, Dylan, McCartney.
 Lansing (Kittredge/Stevens-WVIC) N.Ranger, Jump/Saddle.

UPPER MIDWEST

Peoria (Mark Maloney-KZ93) Robert Plant.
 Springfield (Greg Lawley-WDBR) Manilow, Joel, Cross, Nicks, Ingram, Jump, Cara, McCart., Cap.Rat.
 Mt.Carmel (Rick Turner-WVJC) Dolly, Shannon, Jump, Pretenders, Cougar, Kool/Gang.
 Carbondale (Tony Waitkus-WCIL/FM) Oaks, Jarreau, McCartney, Richie, S.Woods, Helix.
 Chicago (Steve Perun-WLS) Ingram, Big Country, O.Newton-John, C.Club.
 - - - (Dave Robbins-WBBM/FM) Kool & The Gang.
 Bloomington (Mike Justin-WBNQ/FM) L.Richie, S.Nicks, C.Club, M.Stanley.
 Freeport (Jim Douglas-WXXQ) Dylan, McCartney, D.Parton, Ingram, Big Ric, R.James.
 Madison (Matt Hudson-WZEE) P.McCartney, B.Tyler, KC.
 Milwaukee (Pat Martin-WRKR) J.Ingram, Real Life, Joel, Journey.
 - - - (Danny Clayton-WKTI) P.McCartney, Kool/Gang, Pretenders.
 Two Rivers (Don Cook-WQTC) Motels, Cross, Joel, Nicks, Real Life.
 Green Bay (Gregg Albert-WDUZ) Billy Joel, S.Nicks.
 Appleton/Oshkosh (Ross/Allen-WKAU) B.Joel, J.Osborne, McCartney, D.Parton, Fixx, S.Nicks.
 Stevens Point (Jay Bouley-WSPT) B.Joel, McCartney, Ingram, Madonna, S.Easton.
 Wausau (Mike Edwards-WIFC) Nena, Nicks, Cross, Fixx.
 - - - (Jerry Steffen-WRIG) Pretenders, B.Joel, C.Club.
 Eau Claire (Rick James-WBIZ) Osborne, Cougar, M.Blues, Richie, McCart., Jackson, Tyler, Motels.
 LaCrosse (Knight/Schaefer-HIT105FM) Kool/Gang, Madonna, Pretenders, Cross, Cougar, S.Ballet.
 St. Cloud (Moffett/Wayne-KCLD/FM) Nicks, Jump, Shannon, Nena, C.Lauper.
 Rochester (Denny Foster-KROC/FM) J.Osborne, Dolly, Nicks, McCartney.
 Duluth (Dick Johnson-WEBC) B.Joel, DeBarge, J.Osborne, Jump/Saddle.
 Minneapolis (Lorne Palagi-KDWB) Motels, E.Money, Genesis, R.Parker Jr.
 Grand Forks (Greg Magnuson-KYTN) Rufus/Chaka, Kool, Dylan, B.Squier, G.Thorogood, Film at 11.
 Fargo (Leigh/Louie-Double KFM) J.Osborne, McCartney, Jump/Saddle.
 - - - (Craig Roberts-KQWB) B.Joel, Madonna.
 - - - (Brad Anderson-WDAY) Joel, McCart., Pretenders, Nicks, Dolly, Ingram, Dylan.

Correspondents' Corner

Bismarck (Dan Brannan-KFYR) B.Joel, Pretenders, McCartney.

- - - (Bob Beck-KYYY/FM) Pretenders, S.Nicks, B.Joel.

Aberdeen (Rod Curtis-KSDN) Mellencamp, Jump/Saddle, C.Richard, J.Ingram.

- - - (Les Cummings-KQAA/FM) McCartney, Motels, Nicks, Dylan, Journey.

Rapid City (Sherwyn/Piper-KKLS/FM) Madonna, Kool/Gang, J.Browne, B.Dylan.

Sioux Falls (Adam North-KKRC) Billy Joel.

Sioux City (Mark Hohn-KWSL) McCart., Joel, N.Ranger, KC, Dolly, Prince, B.Ric, C.Lauper.

- - - (Tim Harrison-KSEZ) KC, R.Life, Osborne, Pretenders, Joel, Cross, Nicks, McCart., Ingram

Mason City (Mark Hansen-KRIB) McCartney, Pretenders, J.Osborne, Sedakas, Journey, Dolly.

Iowa City (Bart Goynshor-KRNA) Joel, McCartney, J.Browne.

Davenport (Jim O'Hara-KIHK) J.Osborne, McCartney, Dolly, Cross, Ingram, Easton, Jump/Saddle.

Ft.Dodge (Charlie Chase-KKEZ) Joel, R.James, Cougar, Ingram.

CENTRAL

Norfolk (Doug Koehn-KNEN) B.Joel, J.Cougar, Sedaka, ONJ/JT.

Kansas City (Mike Benson-KZZC) Joel, C.Cross, Kool/Gang.

Kirksville (Bill Collins-KTUF) Big Ric, Cross, Dylan, Dolly, McCartney, S.Woods.

Gordonville (Jhan Snyder-KJAO) Fixx, Joel, L.Richie, Pretenders.

Columbia (Jim Williams-KFMZ) B.Joel, S.Nicks, McCartney.

East Prairie (Jeff Ladd-KYMO) Prince, Ingram, Shannon, Joel, Pretenders, E.Money, Talking Heads, L.Richie, Fixx, S.Nicks.

Quincy/Hannibal (Chuck Yates-KGRC) S.Nicks, Cougar, J.Osborne, Jump/Saddle, Ross, Motels, Joel

El Dorado (J.Randal-KLBQ) Madonna, D.Parton, S.O.S.Band, Cara, Ingram, Cross.

Little Rock (Mark McCain-KKYK) Yes, Elton John.

Hoisington (Mark Nicholson-KHOK) Dylan, Joel, Nicks, Pretenders, R.Life, Journey, P.Godwin.

Topeka (Jack Daniels-WIBW/FM) McCartney, S.Nicks.

- - - (Tony Stewart-KDVV) C.Cross, Motels, B.Tyler, Ingram.

Junction City (Pete Echhoff-KJCK) Pretenders.

SOUTHWEST

Ardmore (Angel/Michaels-KELS/FM) Osborne, R.James, Dylan, B.Joel, S.Nicks, T.Heads, S.Cats.

Tulsa (Dave Michaels-14K) B.Joel, Shannon, S.Nicks, E.Money, Quiet Riot.

Texarkana (Dave Hall-KTFS) Cross, Cougar, Club, Joel, James, Cara, Naked, Pretenders, Fixx.

Amarillo (Jamey Karr-KPUR) McCartney, Nicks, Pretenders, Cara, Dolly.

Dallas (Pete Thompson-KAFM) Nicks, Shannon, Motels, Ingram, McCartney, R.Life, Jump/Saddle.

Killeen (Tim Thomas-KIXS) R.Plant, Pretenders, S.Nicks.

Bryan (Kim Davis-KTAN) S.Nicks, D.Ross, Nena, Ingram, S.Easton.

Houston (Patti Hamilton-93FM) No adds.

Beaumont (Murphy/Harrison-KZZB) C.Lauper, N.Carter, McCartney, Nicks, Cara, Ingram.

- - - (Rick James-KIOC) Jeffrey Osborne.

Corpus Christi (Glenn Beck-KZFM) L.Richie, C.Club.

Abilene (Dominic Testa-KFMN) C.Lauper, M.Stanley Band, S.Nicks.

Odessa (John Clay-KRIG) P.McCartney, Pretenders, Oingo Boingo, Big Ric.

Alamogordo (Brian Bailey-KINN) McCartney, Dylan, Cara, Parton.

Gallup (Bill Lee-KYVA) M.Stanley Band, McCartney, S.Nicks, Fixx.

Tucson (Guy Zapoleon-KRQ) J.Cougar, P.McCartney, D.Allen, KC.

- - - (Bobby Rivers-KTKT) J.Osborne, C.Cross, S.Ballet.

Phoenix (Art Morales-KOPA) D.Allen, Fixx, C.Cross, Nena, J.Osborne.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN

Windsor (Rich Fields-KUAD) Nitty Gritty, Cougar, Nicks, Easton, R.Springfield.

Denver (Gloria Avila-Perez-KIMN) J.Osborne, McCartney, Nicks, Joel, Dolly, Ingram.

Colorado Springs (Howard/Perry-KIIQ) R.Plant, Madonna, Real Life.

Pueblo (Rip Avina-KDZA) Jump, McCartney, Cara, Shannon, Dolly, Ingram, N.Ranger, R.James, Lau

Gillette (Kalloway/Myers-KOLL) Pretenders, McCartney, Cross, Motels.

Casper (Rick Lane-KTRS) J.Osborne, Stones, Cross, Jump/Saddle, Cougar.

Cody (Todd Cavahan-KTAG) Genesis, J.Warnes.

Logan (Wayne Richards-KBLQ) Motels, KC, McCartney, Ingram, B.Joel, Jump/Saddle.

Billings (Charlie Fox-KYYA) Nicks, McCartney, Pretenders, B.Joel, Real Life.

Butte (Dave Williams-KXLF) C.Cross, N.Heyward, Pretenders, Cougar, D.Parton.

Moscow (Gary Cummings-KRPL) Pretenders, Ingram, Toni Basil, Nena, Shannon.

Lewiston (Jay McCall-KOZE) Cara, Jump/Saddle, Shannon, P.McCartney, N.Ranger.

Pocatello (Shawn Michaels-KZBQ) Plant, Pretenders, Ranger, Rainbow, Cougar, Fixx, Headpins, B.Joel, Jump/Saddle, I.Cara.

FAR WEST

San Diego (Steve Sande-ZTRA) McCartney, Re-Flex.

- - - (Glen McCartney-B100) B.Joel, Ingram, G.Knight, S.Easton.

Los Angeles (Mike Schaefer-KIIS/FM) Billy Joel, Re-Flex.

- - - (Dave Hall-KKHR) Pretenders, DeBarge.

Correspondents' Corner

Los Angeles (Hamilton/Grossman-KRTH) Genesis, M.Star, McCartney, D.Allen.

San Bernardino (Lori Gaston-KFXM) Shannon, Madonna.

Santa Barbara (Dick Williams-KIST) KC, S.Nicks, I.Cara.

Lompoc (Hank Michaels-KRQK) McCartney, Journey, Pretenders, Motels, Prince, Cross, Joel, Cara, Ingram.

Santa Maria (Maria Rubio-KXFM) Manilow, Osborne, Madonna, Pretenders.

San Luis Obispo (Tom Walsh-KSLY) Cross, Nicks, Dylan, Bryson/Flack, Cara, Easton, KC, M.Stanley.

Bakersfield (Bob Harlow-KQXR) Madonna, C.Lauper, Motels, I.Cara.

- - - (Dave Kamper-KKXX) Nena, Jump/Saddle, Pretenders, Paul McCartney.

Fresno (Carey Edwards-KMGX) P.McCartney, E.King, C.Lauper.

- - - (Jeff Davis-KYNO/FM) Prince, D.Ross, S.Easton, Ingram, Manilow, Dolly, 38 Special.

Salinas (Jennifer Thomas-KDON/FM) S.Nicks, I.Cara, B.Joel, Pretenders, Nena.

Monterey (Rick Boyd-KIDD) D.Ross, McCartney, Ingram, Pretenders, Nicks, Cross.

San Jose (Jim Bridges-KPEN) Real Life, Pretenders, Cougar, Madonna.

San Francisco (Gerry Cagle-KFRC) J.Ingram, E.King, A.Starr, Wham UK, P.McCartney.

Concord (Tina Smith-KWUN) S.Nicks, Pretenders, S.Easton, P.McCartney, S.Woods.

Modesto/Stockton (David Kraham-KHOP/FM) Joel, Jump/Saddle, Dolly, McCartney, Ronstadt, Re-Flex.

Modesto (Ausham/Main-K093) Madonna, Fixx, Dolly, Jump/Saddle, Joel, Nicks.

Stockton (John Hampton-KSTN) E.King, D.Allen, H.Hancock, KC, P.McCartney, Shannon, Real Life.

- - - (Roy Williams-KJOY) S.Nicks, B.Joel.

Paradise (McMurphy/Torti-KNVR) Cyndi Lauper, Musical Youth, P.McCartney.

Sacramento (Mister Ed-KWOD) B.Joel, M.Jackson, S.Nicks, Shannon.

- - - (Gillette/Collins-FM102) Pretenders, S.O.S.Band, M.Jackson, Romantics.

Eureka (Marcy/Gessner-KFMI) Motels, Pretenders, Nicks, R.Life, Night Ranger.

Redding (Stall/DuBois-KSXO) D.Parton, 38, Cougar, Osborne, Pretenders, Joel, Easton.

- - - (Kevin Kahl-KEWB) Jump, R.Life, Motels, Nicks, Squier, Thorogood, Edmunds.

Lake Tahoe (Mickey Lees-KLKT) I.Cara, Big Ric, Madonna, S.Robinson, Cougar, Dylan, Basil.

- - - (Mark Lennartz-KOWL) B.Joel, Romantics, Fixx, R.Parker Jr., J.Cougar.

Reno (Jim O'Neal-KCBN) S.Nicks, Joel, C.Cross, E.Money.

- - - (Steve Stone-KHTX) Madonna, Pretenders, Cross, McCartney, S.Nicks.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST

Medford (Rick St.Clair-KBOY) B.Joel, Cougar, Pretenders, J.Osborne, S.Nicks, Cross.

- - - (Lurch-KYJC) Joel, Easton, Milsap, Jump, Motels, Pretenders, Nicks.

Coos Bay (Bob Lambert-KYNG) R.James, B.Joel, I.Cara, S.Nicks, Cross.

Roseburg (Warden/Hills-KYES) Joel, Cara, Nicks, Dylan.

Albany (Wolcott/Ray-KGAL) R.Life, Cougar, Joel, Madonna, Osborne, S.Nicks.

Seaside (Nancy Black-KSWB) Cross, Joel, Ingram, Dolly, Pretenders, Big Ric, R.James.

Salem (Mike Brunswick-KBZY) Cross, Jarreau.

Salem/Portland (Len E. Mitchell-KSKD) McCartney, Cross, Lauper, U2, Dylan, Cara, M.Stanley.

Portland (Barry/Naganuma-KMJK) C.Cross, Nena.

- - - (Bill Jackson-KCNR) Cougar, R.Plant, N.Eyes.

Kelso/Longview (Ray Bartley-KLOG) J.Cougar, Nicks, Fixx, S.Ballet.

Chehalis (Bob Hart-KITI) B.Joel, I.Cara, Dylan, Gazebo, Jump/Saddle.

Olympia (Ron Palmer-KQEU) P.McCartney, S.Nicks, Jump/Saddle, Motels, Big Ric.

- - - (Jane Bradley-KMAS) Cougar, Stallone, Sedakas, Rabbitt, ONJ/JT. Gazebo.

Hoquiam (Steve Larson-KGHO) I.Cara, Jump/Saddle.

Seattle (Tom Hutylar-KUBE) Joel, Pretenders, Cross.

- - - (King/Maier-KPLZ) Kiss.

Everett (Randy Moore-KRKO) Cougar, Plant, Nena.

Enumclaw (Mike Buzga-KENU) McCartney, Pretenders, Cougar, M.Blues, Parsons, S.Woods.

Wenatchee (Brian Stephenson-KYJR) Pretenders, R.Plant.

Tri-Cities (John Purdy-OK95) Cougar, Nicks, Joel, Cara, D.Harry.

Anchorage (Kay Taylor-KGOT) Pretenders, B.Joel, Dylan, E.King, Nicks, Cross, Doors, KC, DeBarres.

Honolulu (Kong/Shishido-KIKI) Streisand, McCartney, Ingram, Fixx, Cara, Machinations, Oingo

Boingo, Cougar, Summer, T.Basil, KC, M.Stanley.

Vancouver (Rick Shannon-LG73) N.Heyward, Pretenders, Real Life.

LATE REPORTS

Waynesville (Mike Cogell-KFBD) Cougar, Big Country, Kool/Gang, Nena, J.Holliday.

Corvallis (Mike Shannon-KFLY) McCartney, Jackson, Parton, Pretenders, Kool/Gang, C.Lauper.

Coos Bay (J.J.Jensen-KHSN) Pretenders, Joel, T.Heads, Motels, Gazebo.

Alexandria (Jim Steele-KQID/FM) Pretenders, Nicks, Madonna, Dylan, Ingram, McCartney, Cougar.

Kingstree (Patti Wrenn-WKSPD) George Kranz, J.Cougar Mellencamp, Pretenders, S.Nicks, R.Plant.

Looking at Top Forty

THE RIGHT STUFF

If 1983 has a "lead" story, it has to be the renaissance of Top Forty Radio. I prefer the term "renaissance" to "comeback", because Top 40 never went away. Many in management who deserted for quick fix solutions like ... "going A/C" or "going Country" had to reassess those drastic changes. Programmers who understood the basics of the Top 40 format and refused to water it down by softening or hardening the sound, proved its viability. It's ironic that Album Radio, Top 40's key competitor for the 12-24 demographic during the 70's, should find itself in the same identity crisis today that many Top 40 stations experienced. Jocks being allowed to inject their personality into the overall sound, along with fun contests and promotions presented in an upbeat style, were back in vogue. If it sounds like the 50's and 60's...that's because it is. Certainly, today's Top 40 radio station has smoothed a lot of rough edges, tightened the production and up-dated itself to be relevant and relateable to today's audience; but the bottom-line basics are still the same. Station owners and managers who understood why the format worked and allowed program directors the freedom to do their job unhampered, have, for the most part, remained on top in their markets. Top Forty Radio's phenomenal success during 1983 disproved the belief that narrowcasting is the only way to win against a growing number of highly specialized formats. It is no coincidence that the outstanding quality of the music helped secure Top 40's position as the overwhelming favorite format in a large number of cities. The exciting new bands like Culture Club, Men At Work, Duran Duran, Kajagoogoo, Men Without Hats, Eurythmics and others were making pure pop records for the masses, not elitist cults. Black artists regained their rightful place on Top Forty Radio, instead of being shelved under an "Urban only" banner. Many programmers were surprised to find their audiences reacting positively to Prince, DeBarge, and Rick James, in addition to Michael Jackson and Lionel Richie. It broadened the appeal of the format and added an ingredient in the music mix that's been noticeably missed since the disastrous disco fiasco of 1979.

A lot of hard lessons had to be learned, but in the process, Top Forty Radio and those who program it have hopefully become stronger through the experience of witnessing what works and what doesn't. Fewer are concerned with being "hip" and impressing their friends, and more are interested in pleasing the audience and satisfying their expectations. If the events of the past 12 months can be summed up by one thought, it's that the philosophy of "all hits all the time" still works.

UNFORGETTABLES

ABC recently aired an excellent 20/20 special devoting the entire hour to "Music In America". Lionel Richie offered this brilliant assessment on the program: "There are great tune writers and great song writers. Tunes are here today and gone tomorrow, but a song is forever".

Not in recent memory can I recall a year with as many good songs as 1983. Michael Jackson and Prince walked away with the honors as the most influential artists of the year. These two get the credit for breaking down the nonsensical and damaging musical color barrier. Statistically, Jackson was involved with seven top ten records on our Top 40 chart during the past twelve months. Here's his hit list in order:

The Girl Is Mine (peaked #5), Billie Jean (#1), Beat It (#1), Wanna Be Startin' Somethin' (#2), Human Nature (#3), P.Y.T. (Pretty Young Thing) (#6), Say Say Say (#1).

A mind-boggling six hit singles...the first non-soundtrack album to accomplish that feat in addition to being the biggest-selling album in CBS Records' history. Of all the songs from "Thriller", "Beat It" remains my favorite (can't believe it hasn't burned out for me yet).

It was a struggle from the start, but true talent won out, and Prince finally got the recognition as writer, producer and performer that he so rightly deserves. "Little Red Corvette" cleared the way, but it's still "1999" that rates as one of my personal best for '83. The production and lyric broke new ground for pop music.

The following rounds out my list of "Unforgettables" for this year...The Police "Every Breath You Take" (another one that's impossible to burn out on), Culture Club's "Karma Chameleon" (the best band of the 80's to date), David Bowie's "Let's Dance", Spandau Ballet's "True", "Sweet Dreams" from the Eurythmics, "Owner Of A Lonely Heart" from Yes, and the perfect combination of Kenny Rogers and Dolly Parton on "Islands In The Stream".

No one knows which songs will become the "Unforgettables" of 1984. It's exactly those unknown future hits that make music so special and wonderfully unpredictable. That next hit may come from a TV soap opera or the kid down the street. You never know if one of those unknowns sandwiched in the middle of that weekly pile of releases will become one of those songs Lionel Richie is talking about....Happy Listening!

Dave Sholin

A/C Top 100

(Editor, Ron Fell)

1. ALL NIGHT LONG-Lionel Richie (Motown)
2. YOU ARE-Lionel Richie (Motown)
3. NEVER GONNA LET YOU GO-S. Mendes (A&M)
4. ISLANDS...STREAM-Rogers & Parton (RCA)
5. MAKE LOVE STAY-D. Fogelberg(F.Moon/Epic)
6. FLASHDANCE-Irene Cara (Casa./PolyGram)
7. ONE ON ONE-Hall & Oates (RCA)
8. UPTOWN GIRL-Billy Joel (Columbia)
9. IT MIGHT BE YOU-Stephen Bishop (W.B.)
10. WE'VE GOT TONIGHT-Rogers & Easton (Lib.)
11. MY LOVE-Lionel Richie (Motown)
12. EVERY BREATH YOU TAKE-The Police (A&M)
13. HOLD ME 'TIL...-Paul Anka (Columbia)
14. MORNIN'-Al Jarreau (Warner Bros.)
15. SAY SAY SAY-McCartney & Jackson (Col.)
16. HUMAN NATURE-Michael Jackson (Epic)
17. TRUE-Spandau Ballet (Chrysalis)
18. TELL HER ABOUT IT-Billy Joel (Columbia)
19. I WON'T HOLD YOU BACK-Toto (Columbia)
20. HOW AM I SUPPOSED...-Laura Branigan(Atl)
21. ALL THIS LOVE-DeBarge (Gordy)
22. ALL RIGHT-Christopher Cross (W.B.)
- *23. HEART TO HEART-Kenny Loggins (Columbia)
24. ALL TIME HIGH-Rita Coolidge (A&M)
25. SHAME ON THE MOON-Bob Seger (Capitol)
- *26. BABY COME TO ME-Patti Austin (Qwest)
27. YOU CAN'T RUN...-Eddie Rabbitt (W.B.)
28. THAT'S LOVE-Jim Capaldi (Atlantic)
29. TAKE THE SHORT WAY...-D. Warwick (Ari.)
30. MAKING LOVE...-Air Supply (Arista)
31. THE WAY HE MAKES...-B. Streisand (Col.)
32. SPICE OF LIFE-Manhattan Transfer (Atl.)
33. TIME (CLOCK...HEART)-Culture Club(Vir.)
34. HOW DO YOU KEEP...-Ingram & A. (Qwest)
35. ALL MY LIFE-Kenny Rogers (Liberty)
36. SOME KIND OF FRIEND-Barry Manilow(Ari.)
37. I.O.U.-Lee Greenwood (MCA)
38. ONLY YOU-Commodores (Motown)
39. LADY LOVE ME-George Benson (W.B.)
40. TONIGHT I CELEBRATE...-Flack & B. (Cap.)
41. HEART OF THE NIGHT-Juice Newton (Cap.)
42. BABY I LIED-Deborah Allen (RCA)
43. DO YOU REALLY WANT...-Culture Club(Epic)
44. EASY FOR YOU TO SAY-L. Ronstadt (Asylum)
45. OVERKILL-Men at Work (Columbia)
46. BLAME IT ON LOVE-S. Robinson (Tamla)
47. ROCK 'N' ROLL HEART-E.Clapton (Duck/WB)
48. SAY IT ISN'T SO-Hall & Oates (RCA)
49. BREAK MY STRIDE-Matthew Wilder (Pri.I)
50. I'M ALIVE-Neil Diamond (Columbia)
- *51. THE OTHER GUY-Little River Band (Capitol)
52. MIDNIGHT BLUE-Louise Tucker (Arista)
53. RAINBOW'S END-Sergio Mendes (A&M)
54. TOTAL ECLIPSE OF THE HEART-B. Tyler (Col.)
55. MINIMUM LOVE-Mac McAnally (Geffen)
56. BILLIE JEAN-Michael Jackson (Epic)
- *57. AFRICA-Toto (Columbia)
58. THE BORDER-America (Capitol)
59. NIGHTS ARE FOREVER-Jennifer Warnes (W.B.)
60. STOP IN THE NAME OF LOVE-Hollies (Atl.)
61. NO TIME FOR TALK-Christopher Cross (WB)
62. LOVE IN STORE-Fleetwood Mac (Warner Bros.)
63. HOW MANY TIMES...-Warwick & Vandross (Ari.)
64. BREAKING US IN TWO-Joe Jackson (A&M)
65. TELEPHONE-Sheena Easton (EMI)
66. FRONT PAGE STORY-Neil Diamond (Columbia)
67. IT'S A MISTAKE-Men at Work (Columbia)
68. READ 'EM AND WEEP-Barry Manilow (Arista)
69. TRY AGAIN-Champaign (Columbia)
70. WE TWO-Little River Band (Capitol)
- *71. DOWN UNDER-Men at Work (Columbia)
72. TROUBLE IN PARADISE-Al Jarreau (W.B.)
- *73. YOU CAN'T HURRY LOVE-Phil Collins (Atlantic)
74. THE CLOSER YOU GET-Alabama (RCA)
75. TIME WILL REVEAL-DeBarge (Gordy)
76. I GUESS...BLUES-Eiton John (Geffen)
77. STRANGER IN MY HOUSE-R. Milsap (RCA)
- *78. IT'S RAINING AGAIN-Supertramp (A&M)
79. A LITTLE GOOD NEWS-Anne Murray (Capitol)
80. BABY WHAT ABOUT YOU-Crystal Gayle (W.B.)
- *81. THE GIRL IS MINE-Jackson & McCartney (Epic)
82. PUTTIN' ON THE RITZ-Taco (RCA)
83. TWO LESS LONELY PEOPLE-Air Supply (Arista)
84. WHAT'S NEW-Linda Ronstadt (Asylum)
- *85. MEMORY-Barry Manilow (Arista)
86. YOU PUT THE BEAT...-Barry Manilow (Arista)
87. GARDEN PARTY-Herb Alpert (A&M)
88. WIND BENEATH MY WINGS-Lou Rawls (Epic)
89. DON'T LET IT END-Styx (A&M)
90. MAKE BELIEVE IT'S...-Carpenters (A&M)
- *91. YOU AND I-E. Rabbitt & C. Gayle (Elektra)
92. SHOOT FOR THE MOON-Poco (Atlantic)
93. EENIE MEENIE-Jeffrey Osborne (A&M)
94. DON'T YOU KNOW HOW MUCH...-R. Milsap (RCA)
95. SO CLOSE-Diana Ross (RCA)
96. OLD AND WISE-Alan Parsons Pjt. (Arista)
97. DO IT FOR LOVE-Marty Balin (EMI)
98. RIGHT BEFORE YOUR EYES-America (Capitol)
99. SOMEBODY'S GONNA LOVE YOU-Lee Greenwood(MCA)
100. THE SOUND OF GOODYBE-Crystal Gayle (W.B.)

*Carry over from 1982

Underlined sides are strong at the end of 1983

Adult Contemporary Programming

(Editor, Ron Fell)

Most Active

KARMA CHAMELEON-Culture Club (Virgin/Epic)
Good karma!

Worth Watching

SAVE THE LAST DANCE FOR ME-Dolly Parton (RCA)
When this was a hit for the Drifters in 1960, Dolly was wearing undershirts.

Top Thirty

LW	TW		LW	TW	
<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	SAY SAY SAY-McCartney & Jackson	<u>17</u>	<u>16</u>	JOANNA-Kool & Gang
2	2	THE WAY...FEEL-Barbra Streisand	19	17	RUNNING WITH THE NIGHT-Lionel Richie
4	3	I GUESS...BLUES-Elton John	20	18	I STILL CAN'T GET...-Ray Parker, Jr.
6	4	READ 'EM AND WEEP-Barry Manilow	14	19	I NEED YOU-Pointer Sisters
3	5	SAY IT ISN'T SO-Hall & Oates	7	20	UPTOWN GIRL-Billy Joel
5	6	BREAK MY STRIDE-Matthew Wilder	24	21	GOLD-Spandau Ballet
16	7	TAKE A CHANCE-Olivia & Travolta	26	22	ALMOST OVER YOU-Sheena Easton
22	8	KARMA CHAMELEON-Culture Club	9	23	BABY, I LIED-Deborah Allen
10	9	WHAT'S NEW-Linda Ronstadt	--	24	THINK OF LAURA-Christopher Cross
12	10	MAKE BELIEVE IT'S...-Carpenters	27	25	YOUR PRECIOUS LOVE-N. & D. Sedaka
8	11	ALL NIGHT LONG-Lionel Richie	--	26	WHISTLE DOWN THE WIND-Nick Heyward
11	12	TIME WILL REVEAL-DeBarge	28	27	STRANGER-Electric Light Orch.
13	13	THE SOUND OF GOODBYE-Crystal Gayle	--	28	SHOW HER-Ronnie Milsap
15	14	I JUST CAN'T WALK AWAY-4 Tops	30	29	IN YOUR EYES-George Benson
18	15	ALL THE RIGHT MOVES-Warner & T.	--	30	INNOCENT MAN-Billy Joel

Action Sides

I WON'T STAND IN YOUR WAY-Stray Cats
HERO-Gladys Knight & The Pips
ONE PARTICULAR HARBOR-Jimmy Buffett
CURLY SHUFFLE-Jump 'N' The Saddle
SAVE THE LAST DANCE FOR ME-Dolly Parton
THAT'S ALL-Genesis
I'M NEVER GONNA...UP-Stallone & Rhodes
WHEN YOU FALL IN LOVE-Bertie Higgins
DON'T PLAY ANOTHER LOVE SONG-S. Robinson

Airplay

YAH MO BE THERE-J. Ingram & M. McDonald
NOTHING LIKE FALLING IN LOVE-Eddie Rabbitt
BLUE WORLD-Moody Blues
CRYING IN THE RAIN-Carole King

Correspondents' Preferred Picks

SO BAD-Paul McCartney (Columbia)
NIGHTBIRD-Stevie Nicks (Modern)
EBONY EYES-Rick James & Smokey Robinson (Motown)
YOU'RE LOOKING LIKE LOVE TO ME-Peabo Bryson/Roberta Flack (Capitol)
THIS SIDE OF FOREVER (From "Sudden Impact")-Roberta Flack (Viva)
WHEN THE LIGHTS GO OUT-Naked Eyes (EMI)

Analysis

The consensus of A/C programmers is that the top six are clearly the high rotation records for the holidays. By New Year's Eve Olivia & Travolta and Culture Club will join the consensus. The turn around with The Carpenters(11-12-12-10) shows how soft that area of the chart has been this month. Most of the underlines are in the back half of the chart. Many of those records could well be in the better part of the chart when we get back to it in early January.

Dropped: Warwick & Vandross, Commodores, Paul Simon, Journey.

Note: Please file your next report the week of January 3rd, 1984!!

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!!

A - C Correspondents' Reports

NORTHEAST

Lewiston (Chris Layne-WLAM) Lionel Richie/Culture Club/Jump 'N' Saddle.
 Keene (Howard Corday-WKNE) Maxine Watta/B. Joel/Stevie Nicks/Manhattan Transfer.
 Boston (WROR) No adds.
 Haverhill (Gary Williams-WLYT) Nick Heyward/Kool & Gang.
 Hartford (Tom Barsanti-WTIC) Christopher Cross.
 New Haven (Jay McCormick-WELI) Paul McCartney/Dolly Parton.
 New London (Danny O'Brien-WNLC) Al Jarreau/Spandau Ballet/Ray Parker, Jr.
 Poughkeepsie (Rick McCaffrey-WEOK) Paul McCartney/N. Heyward/Sedakas.
 Albany (Chris Holmberg-WWOM) Billy Joel/S. Easton/C. Cross/Spandau Ballet.
 Kingston (Thom Williams-WGHQ) Dolly Parton/McCartney/Ingram/Irene Cara/Jump 'N' Saddle.
 Buffalo (Joe Galuski-WGR) Olivia & Travolta/Kool & Gang. Gains: C. Gayle/L. Richie.
 - - - (Roger Christian-WBEN) Dolly Parton. Gains: Billy Joel/Sedakas.
 Wilmington (Mike Daley-WDEL) Electric Light Orch./Sheena Easton.
 Dover (Rick Kimball-WDOV) S. Nicks/Lattisaw/Motels. Gains: Culture Club.
 Scranton (Burke Trama-WBQW) Journey/Ray Parker, Jr. Gains: Elton John.
 New Castle (Frank Squillo-WKST) Spandau Ballet. Gains: Christopher Cross.
 Pittsburgh (Don Berns-WTAE) C. Cross/Nick Heyward/Kool & Gang/Buffett. Gains: Culture Club.
 - - - (Weitzel/Crowe-WWSW) Christopher Cross/Ray Parker, Jr.
 - - - (Mike Perkins-WKPA) Billy Joel/C. Cross. Gains: Deborah Allen.
 Sharon (Jeff Tobin-WPIC) Lionel Richie. Gains: Elton John.
 Meadville (Tod Raymond-WMGW) Jump 'N' Saddle/Sedakas/S. Nicks/C. Club/Milsap/G. Knight.
 Weirton (Dave Anthony-WEIR) Jump 'N' Saddle/Ingram/Stallone & Rhodes.
 Williamson (Jim Boggs-WBTH) C. Gayle/B. Joel/C. Cross/R. Flack/Jump 'N' Saddle.
 Beckely (Kimberly Shea-WWNR) DeBarge/Joel/Cross/Ingram/C. King/Naked Eyes.

SOUTH

Washington (Phil Simon-WEZR) Lionel Richie/Paul McCartney.
 Norfolk (Nick O'Neil-WLTY) Culture Club/Kool & Gang/Spandau Ballet. Gains: Elton John.
 Richmond (J.T. Stevens-WEZS) Culture Club. Gains: Billy Joel.
 - - - (Lou Dean-WRVA) Jump 'N' Saddle/Dolly Parton/B. Joel/Stallone & Rhodes.
 Winchester (Frank Mitchell-WINC) Culture Club/Ray, Jr./Moody Blues/Richie/Manilow/Yes.
 Charlottesville (Ken Medick-WCHV) Manhattan Transfer/Genesis.
 Charlotte (Dave Bishop-WBT) Jump 'N' Saddle/Stallone & Rhodes.
 - - - (Ralph Rhodes-WEZC) James Ingram/Stray Cats.
 Ashville (Don Brookshire-WSKY) Romantics/Genesis/Bob Dylan/McCartney/S. & Rhodes/King.
 Jacksonville (Craig Thomas-WJNC) Nick Heyward/ELO/Jimmy Buffett/Genesis.
 Havelock (Suzy Q-WMSQ) Higgins/N. Eyes/S. Nicks/S. Cats/Ingram/Jump 'N' Saddle/Greenwood.
 Dallas (J.D. Cox-WAAK) Rufus & Chaka Khan/Genesis. Gains: Olivia & Travolta.
 Charleston (Ron O'Brien-WCSC) Billy Joel/Bryson & Flack/C. Cross/McCartney.
 Atlanta (Greg Picciano-WSB) G. Knight & Pips/Paul McCartney/Ronnie Milsap.
 - - - (Donna Brake-WSB/FM) B. Joel/Knight/S. Easton/Dolly Parton/ELO.
 Thomson (Jim Gordon-WTWA) Culture Club/Lionel Richie/Christopher Cross/Ray Parker, Jr.
 Bremen (Bob Stone-WSLE) E. Rabbitt/Culture Club/ELO/Dolly/Stray Cats/Rick James.
 Daytona Beach (Dave Laing-WNDB) C. Cross/B. Joel/McCartney/4 Tops/Al Jarreau.
 Ft. Lauderdale (Shaw/Lee-WAXY) Culture Club/Shalamar. Gains: Wilder/Elton/Cross.
 St. Croix (Tom Plant-WIVI) Dolly Parton/McCartney/Kool & Gang/Jump 'N' Saddle.
 Tallahassee (Brock/Norris-FM99) Sheena Easton/Flack & Bryson/Jump 'N' Saddle.
 Panama City (Preston Young-WDLP) Sedakas/ELO/Easton/George Benson.
 Huntsville (Pat Bosley-WAHR) Jump 'N' Saddle/J. Ingram/Paul McCartney/A. Parsons Pjt.
 Anniston (Lee Patrick-WDNG) Dolly Parton. Gains: Heyward/Ray, Jr./B. Manilow.
 Selma (Bob Payton-WTUN) B. Joel/Rick James/Kool & Gang/McCartney.
 Talladega (Chuck Woodard-WHTB) G. Shorrock/McCartney/Jump 'N' Saddle/Olivia & J.T./Rabbitt.
 Guntersville (Greg Bell-WGSV) James Ingram/Jump 'N' Saddle.
 Montgomery (Tim Stout-WBAM/FM) Billy Joel/Sheena Easton/Christopher Cross.
 Bay Minette (Mike Snowden-WBCA) Lionel Richie/Ray Parker, Jr./Culture Club/Spandau Ballet.
 Baton Rouge (Rick Daniels-WAFB/FM) Sheena Easton/Billy Joel/Dolly Parton.
 Chattanooga (Dale Deason-WGOW) S. Easton/Gladys Knight/Nick Heyward.
 Nashville (Bill Burkett-Y107) Olivia/Pat Benatar/Cross/Sedakas/Jump 'N' Saddle.
 Murfreesboro (Walker/Hayes-WGNS) Dolly/Warnes & T./Ingram/I. Cara/Manhattan Trsf.
 Clarksville (David Mize-WJZM) Jump 'N' Saddle/Dolly Parton/Culture Club/McCartney.
 Louisville (Larry Pohl-WHAS) DeBarge/Barry Manilow.
 - - - (Jeff Crawford-WRKA) Billy Joel/Nick Heyward/M. Jackson (THRILLER).
 Lexington (Tom Richards-WVLK) Christopher Cross/Billy Joel/Jump 'N' Saddle.
 Paducah (Matthews/Carvell-WKYX) C. Cross/Joel/McCartney/Warnes & T./Genesis/Ingram.
 Campbellsville (Jackson/Royce-WCKQ) McCartney/Cross/D. Ross/Jump 'N' Saddle/Dolly.

Springfield (Dale Grimm-WIZE) Culture Club/Sheena Easton/Spandau Ballet.

CENTRAL

- Marion (Jim Howell-WMRN) Paul McCartney/Billy Joel/Ronnie Milsap.
 - - - (Terry Lynn-WDIF) Culture Club/Sedakas/Rick James/James Ingram.
 Sandusky (Bill Zimmerman-WLEC) Dolly Parton.
 Gallipolis (Lynn Smith-WJEH) C. Cross/Gladys Knight & Pips/Ray Parker, Jr.
 Dover (Steve Kelly-WJER) Nick Heyward/Billy Joel/Bertie Higgins.
 Logan (Chuck Anthony-WLGN) Rick James/Dolly Parton.
 Zanesville (Pete Petoniak-WHIZ) Sheena Easton/Dolly Parton/Gladys Knight & Pips.
 Newark (Greg Moebius-WNKO) Ray Parker, Jr./ELO/Billy Joel/Genesis.
 Toledo (Kevin Scollin-3WM) Ronnie Milsap/Jump 'N' Saddle.
 - - - (Rick Belcher-WSPD) Kool & Gang/Ronnie Milsap.
 Dayton (Scott McKenzie-WYMJ/FM) Crystal Gayle/Warnes & Thompson.
 Cleveland (Dunphy/Georgeson-WZZP) Culture Club/Spandau Ballet/Ray Parker, Jr./B. Joel.
 Terre Haute (Kevin Young-WBOW) McCartney/Dave Mason/Jump 'N' Saddle/Rabbitt/R. James.
 Kokomo (Mike Reinhardt-WIOU) C. Cross/McCartney/Willie Nelson/B. Joel/Jump 'N' Saddle.
 So. Bend (Cindy Hartman-WXMG) ELO/Kool & Gang. Gains: Warnes & Thompson.
 Lafayette (Mike Johnson-WASK) C. Cross/Dolly/G. Shorrock/Motels/Jump 'N' Saddle.
 Rushville (Kevin Stone-WRCR) Culture Club/Sheena Easton/Ronnie Milsap.
 Lowell (Jim Holly-WZVN) Paul McCartney/Billy Joel.
 Freeport (Kevin Kenney-WFPS) James Ingram/Dolly Parton/Billy Joel.
 Springfield (Dave Benson-WCVS) S. Easton/ELO/C. Cross/B. Joel/Lee Greenwood.
 Decatur (Jim Gifford-WDZ) Jump 'N' The Saddle/Crystal Gayle. Gains: Matthew Wilder.
 Wilmington (Wayne Perrott-WDND) Kool & The Gang/Culture Club/Spandau Ballet.
 Chicago (John Wetherbee-WFYR) Linda Ronstadt/Billy Joel/Dolly Parton.
 - - - (Gary Price-WCLR) Sheena Easton/Christopher Cross.
 Peoria (Jay Livengood-WIRL) Ray Parker, Jr./Warnes & Thompson.
 - - - (Alan Hart-WKQA) Genesis.
 - - - (Leo Martin-WMBD) Sheena Easton. Gains: Carpenters/Elton John.
 Flint (Terry Wright-WTRX) B. Joel/Flack/Rabbitt/Stallone & Rhodes/C. Cross.
 Kalamazoo (Ken Lanphear-WKMI) Spandau Ballet/G. Knight/Sedakas/ELO/Ingram.
 Saginaw (Terry Lenz-WSGQ) Elton John/Dolly Parton/Nick Heyward.
 Lansing (Jack Robbins-WJIM) C. Cross/McCartney/Dolly Parton/Eddie Rabbitt.
 Grayling (Bob Greenwood-WQON) Billy Joel/Dolly Parton.
 Milwaukee (Elliott/Tietz-WTMJ) No adds.
 - - - (Beth Fast-WMYX) Billy Joel/ELO.
 Madison (Jim Reed-WISM) C. Cross/Paul McCartney/Stevie Nicks.
 Eau Claire (Rick Roberts-WIAL) Dolly Parton/Billy Joel/Sheena Easton/Yes.
 Appleton (Rob Shannon-WHBY) P. McCartney/Milsap/Stallone & Rhodes/R. James/C. Cross.
 Menomonie (Alison Girard-WMEQ) No adds. Gains: Culture Club/Richie/Kool & Gang/Ray, Jr.
 Marshfield (Sherry Ann Taylor-WDLB) Stray Cats/Olivia & J.T.
 Reedsburg (E.C. Stuen-WRDB) Billy Joel/4 Tops/Warnes & Thompson.
 Beaver Dam (Steve Sabatke-WBEV) Willie Nelson/McCartney/S. Easton/B. Joel.
 Manitowoc (Lee Douglas-WOMT) B. Joel/C. King/Benson/C. Cross/Willie/J. Buffett/S. Easton.

MIDWEST

- St. Cloud (Tom Scott-WJON) C. Cross/Rabbitt/Heyward/Joel/Dolly/Jump 'N' S./S.&Rhodes/McC.
 Rochester (Karen Lewis-KROC) P. McCartney/Joel/Sedakas/ELO/R. Milsap/G. Knight & Pips.
 Mankato (Sue LaFond-KEEZ) Roberta Flack/Paul McCartney/Jump 'N' Saddle.
 Luverne (Keith Main-KQAD) Manilow/Olivia & J.T./Ray, Jr./C. Club/Milsap/Higgins/G. Knight.
 Austin (John Daniels-KQAQ) Dolly Parton/Diana Ross/Naked Eyes.
 Forest Lake (Steve Olson-WLKK) Kool & Gang/C. Cross/R. Milsap/B. Joel/Paul McCartney.
 Northfield (Paul Hoffer-KYMN) Dolly Parton/Big Ric/Nick Heyward.
 Albert Lea (Kevin Flynn-KCPI) Billy Joel/Eddie Rabbitt/Christopher Cross.
 Fargo (Jim Christie-KVOX) James Ingram/Stallone & Rhodes/Eddie Rabbitt.
 Jamestown (Tony Jon-KQDJ) Jump 'N' Saddle/Olivia & J.T./S. Easton/C. Gayle/E. Rabbitt.
 Redfield (Jim David-KQKD) H. Near/McCartney/S. Cats/Woods/Ingram/Joel/Dylan/Milsap/Cross.
 Yankton (Gregg Klein-KQHU) Jump 'N' Saddle/J. Holiday/L. Richie/Sedakas.
 Sioux City (Sherry Kennedy-KGLI) S. Easton/Knight/Cross/McCartney/Motels/Cougar/Real Life/
 Dubuque (Shawn Barry-KFMD) N. Heyward/Joel/Sedakas/Cross/Smokey/M. Johnson.
 Des Moines (Steve Gibbons-KRNT) Dolly Parton/Eddie Rabbitt.
 - - - (Mike Judge-KIOA) Billy Joel/Dolly Parton/Christopher Cross.
 Mason City (Jeff Gill-KLSS) James Ingram/Paul McCartney/Nick Heyward.
 - - - (Steve Locker-KGLO) B. Joel/Easton/Sedakas/McCartney (SAY)/Dolly/McCartney/Cross.
 Cedar Rapids (Carl Mann-KCRG) Nick Heyward/Christopher Cross/Billy Joel.
 Waterloo (Roger Davis-KWLO) Paul McCartney/Dolly Parton/Christopher Cross.
 Omaha (Swanda/Mikkelsen-KGOR) Romantics/Culture Club/Ray Parker, Jr./Kool & Gang.
 - - - (Steve Lundy-KOIL) Billy Joel/Ingram/Jump 'N' Saddle.

Joplin (Don Carpenter-KFSB) Dolly Parton/Rick James.
 St. Joseph (Bill O'Brien-KKJO) Paul McCartney/Dolly Parton/Rick James.
 Columbia (Dana Jung-KFRU) Dolly Parton/Matthew Wilder.
 Cape Girardeau (Chuck Martin-KGIR) Paul McCartney/Dolly Parton/Eddie Rabbitt.
 Flat River (Doug Barry-KFMO) Ingram/Dolly Parton/Eddie Rabbitt/Sheena Easton.
 Topeka (Rose Rues-KMAJ) McCartney & M. Jackson (MAN)/Paul McCartney.
 Lyons (Rob Booth-KLFQ) No adds.
 Parsons (Alan Pritchett-KLKC) Stevie Nicks/Paul McCartney/Sedakas.
 Tulsa (Don Bishop-KRMG) No adds.
 Ardmore (Michael Stevens-KVSO) C. Cross/Ray Parker, Jr./McCartney/Eddie Rabbitt.
 Pine Bluff (Michael Morgan-KOTN) Christopher Cross/James Ingram/Bonnie Tyler.

SOUTHWEST

Pampa (Mike Kneisl-KGRO) McCartney/Dolly Parton/Lionel Richie/Barry Manilow.
 San Angelo (Renee Michaels-KGKL) Ingram/Dolly Parton/Rick James.
 Tyler (Joel Davis-KTYL) I. Cara/Nicks/Jump 'N' Saddle/Milsap/Moody Blues/Dolly/Rick James.
 Corpus Christi (Mike Laurel-KEYS) Lionel Richie/Kool & Gang/Culture Club.
 Abilene (Pat Whitehead-Q100) Paul McCartney/Naked Eyes/James Ingram.
 McAllen/Brownsville (Scott McCarthy-KRIO) J. Osborne/Olivia & J.T./Sedakas.
 Del Rio (Dave Rodriguez-KDLK) J. Cliff/Ingram/B. Joel/Dylan/Nicks/Taylor/McCartney/Celestium.
 Midland (Chuck Wolfe-KCRS) Dolly Parton/ELO/Paul McCartney.
 El Paso (Johnny Thompson-KFIM) John Cougar Mellencamp/Paul McCartney.
 Clovis (Marc Anthony-KCLV) S.O.S. Bd./B. Joel/S. Nicks/Dylan/C. Cross/Eddie Rabbitt.
 Albuquerque (Steven Hatley-KOB/FM) Billy Joel. Gains: Schilling/C. Club/Olivia/Ray, Jr.
 Roswell (Carol Amodeo-KBCQ) Dolly Parton/Joel/S. Nicks/Celestium/Carly Simon.
 Phoenix (Anita Turek-KKLT) Nick Heyward/Billy Joel. Gains: Barry Manilow.
 Sedona (Mahannah/Kessel-KAZM) Jump 'N' Saddle/Olivia & J.T./Heyward/Sedakas/Kool & Gang.
 Tucson (Bill Mortimer-KCEE) Sheena Easton.
 Lake Havasu (John Ford-KFWJ) S. Nicks/B. Joel/Jump 'N' Saddle/Olivia & J.T./Ray, Jr./Nena.
 Denver (John Walker-KPPL) No adds.
 Jackson Hole (Mike Buechler-KSGT) Sissy Spacek/Stevie Nicks/Billy Joel/Sam Neely.
 Rock Springs (Brian Maloney-KQSW) Bob Dylan/S. Nicks/E. Rabbitt/Ingram/P. McCartney.
 Salt Lake City (Dan Jessop-KISN) Culture Club/Kool & Gang/R. Milsap/McCartney.
 - - (George Lemisch-KSL) Oak Ridge Boys/Spandau Ballet.
 San Diego (Billy Paul-KYXY) S. Nicks/Warnes & T./Joel/Dylan/Sedakas/Dolly/C. Gayle/Jarreau.
 - - (Mark Larson-KFMB) C. Cross/Billy Joel/Jimmy Buffett/Lionel Richie.
 Carlsbad (Clark Novak-KKOS) B. Joel/Ingram/Motels/S. Nicks/C. Simon/D. Ross/D. Harry.
 Palm Springs (Ty Stevens-KDES) Billy Joel/4 Tops/Ray Parker, Jr./Kool & Gang.
 Los Angeles (Steve LaBeau-KFI) Madonna.
 - - (Jan Marie-KOST) Kool & Gang/J. Holliday/Nick Heyward/Lionel Richie (HELLO).
 Oxnard (Mark Fleming-KACY) Billy Joel. Gains: Spandau Ballet/DeBarge/Richie/Jump 'N' Saddle.
 Monterey (Michael Reading-KWAV) Genesis/Stallone & Rhodes.
 - - (Shelley Adams-KNRY) Olivia & J.T./Ray Parker, Jr./Spandau Ballet/ELO/Al Jarreau.
 San Jose (Bill Weaver-KLOK) Crystal Gayle/Paul McCartney & M.J.
 Livermore (Rick Strauss-KKIQ) Sheena Easton/Sedakas/ELO/George Benson.
 Santa Rosa (Mike Alexander-KSRO) C. Cross/G. Knight/Joel/Dolly/R. James/Ingram/J.'N'Saddle.
 Ukiah (Mike Taylor-KUKI) George Benson/ELO/Carly Simon.
 Vacaville (Rick Batiste-KUIC) B. Joel/Nicks/Dolly/McCartney/Schilling/Jump 'N' Saddle.
 Sacramento (Paul Mitchehl-K108) Al Jarreau.
 Lake Tahoe (Gary Page-KTHO) Jump 'N' Saddle/Dolly Parton/Willie Nelson.
 Carson City (Greg Pellant-KPTL) S. Easton/Sedakas/C. Cross/Spandau Ballet.
 Reno (Larry Irons-KRNO) McCartney/Genesis/R. James/Flack/Cara/Stallone & Rhodes.
 Grass Valley (Dick Erickson-KNCO) Kool & The Gang/Stallone & Rhodes/Tavares. Gains: 4 Tops.
 Oroville (Lisa Smith-KORV) L. Ronstadt/Rufus/Rabbitt/C. Gayle/Big Ric/Pickard.
 Chico (Andy Manuel-KPAY) Kool & The Gang/Sedakas/S. Easton/Richie/Spandau Ballet/C. Club.
 Arcata (Marcus/Gessner-KATA) C. Cross/ELO/Sedakas/McCartney. Gains: Ronstadt.

NORTHWEST

Roseburg (Worden/Hills-KRSB) McCartney/Genesis/R. James/S.O.S. Band/Lee Greenwood.
 Grants Pass (Charlie Kirk-KFMJ) Celestium/Rabbitt/McCartney/Dolly/Motels/S. Nicks.
 - - (Phil Watkins-KAGI) Gazebo/Willie Nelson.
 Medford (Mike Metzger-KTNT) Culture Club/B. Joel. Gains: 4 Tops/Sedakas.
 Bend (Chip Lewis-KBND) James Ingram/Dolly Parton.
 Eugene (Lee Chabre-KPNW) DeBarge/Ray Parker, Jr.
 Lincoln City (Jordan Musaeus-KBCH) No adds.
 Lebanon (Ken Moultrie-KIQY) Sheena Easton/Ray Parker, Jr.
 Corvallis (Bob Johnson-KLOO) Eddie Rabbitt/Paul McCartney. Gains: C. Gayle.
 Portland (Mike Dirks-KGW) Jump 'N' Saddle/S. Easton/Billy Joel/James Ingram.
 - - (Bob Swanson-KEX) Jump 'N' Saddle.
 Olympia (Dick Pust-KGY) 4 Tops/Billy Joel/James Ingram/Gazebo/Bob Dylan

Tacoma (Paul Thompson-KTAC) G. Knight & Pips/McCartney/Bryson & Flack/S. Easton.
 Seattle (Terry Draper-KSPL) Stallone & R./Dolly Parton/S. Ballet/Stray Cats/B. Joel.
 Mt. Vernon (Mark Leader-KBRC) No adds. Gains: Lionel Richie.
 Aberdeen (Paul Lankow-KXRO) S. Woods/Manhattan Trsf./S. Cats/Rabbitt/Sedakas/J. 'N' Saddle.
 Moses Lake (Steve Williams-KSEM) Dolly Parton/James Ingram/J. Osborne.
 Yakima (Frank Taylor-KMWX) Dolly Parton/Christopher Cross/N. & D. Sedaka.
 Tri Cities (Mike Purdy-KALE) Jump 'N' Saddle/B. Joel/McCartney/Spandau Ballet.
 Pocatello (Tom Johnson-KSEI) Motels/Alan Parsons Project.
 Boise (Drew Harold-KBOI) Christopher Cross/Billy Joel.
 Grangeville (Jim Cross-KORT) E. Rabbit/R. Milsap/Jump 'N' Saddle/Paul McCartney.
 Blackfoot (Mark Roman-KBLI) C. Gayle/Olivia/Richie/Easton/R. James/Joel/Cross/J. 'N' Saddle
 Orofino (Keith Hanlon-KLER) Stevie Nicks/Dolly Parton/Bob Dylan/Ronnie Milsap.
 Billings (Arroe Collins-KOOK) B. Joel/McCartney/G. Knight. Gains: Culture Club.
 Great Falls (Steve Keller-KAAK) C. Cross/Dolly/Jump 'N' Saddle/Eddie Rabbitt/Stevie Nicks.
 - - - (Rick Alden-KQDI) Dolly Parton/Paul McCartney.
 Polson (Marsh Johnson-KQRR) Billy Joel/Smokey Robinson/B. Tyler. Gains: 4 Tops/Manilow.
 Chinook (Ross Strauser-KRYK) C. Cross/G. Knight/James Ingram/Electric Light Orch.
 Anchorage (Mark Lewis-KFQD) Kool & Gang/B. & Flack/Joel/R. James/Dolly/McCartney/S. & Rhod
 - - - (Noble/Owens-KKLV) No adds.

- - - Late Report - - -

Columbia City/Ft. Wayne (Gail McKnight-WKSY) Culture Club/Lionel Richie/Carpenters.

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Service

<u>STATION</u>	<u>REQUEST</u>	<u>FROM</u>
KQAD-Luverne, Mn.	N. & D. Sedaka single	MCA
WWMR-Rumford, Me.	John Cougar Mellencamp single	Riva/PolyGram
KQDJ-Jamestown, N.D.	Kool & Gang/N.& D. Sedaka singles	DeLite/Curb & MCA
KOLL-Gillette, Wy.	Romantics/M. Wilder/Naked Eyes singles	Nemperor/Private I/EMI
KQKD-Redfield, S.D.	Singles	Motown
WBCA-Bay Minette, Ala.	Singles	Arista
KTUF-Kirksville, Mo.	Singles	Arista
WAAK-Dallas/Gastonia, N.C.	Singles	RCA
KIOC-Beaumont, Tx.	Singles	Arista/PolyGram
WDND-Wilmington, Ill.	Singles	Motown/Warner Bros.
KDLK-Del Rio, Tx.	Singles	Capitol/Motown/PolyGram
KFWJ-Lake Havasu, Az.	Singles	Motown/RCA/MCA/W.B.
WINC-Winchester, Va.	Singles	A&M/MCA/Arista/PolyG./G
KOTN-Pine Bluff, Ar.	Singles	All Sources
WDOV-Dover, Del.	Singles	All Sources
KRYK-Chinook, Mt.	Singles & LP's	PolyGram/MCA
KQRR-Polson, Mt.	Singles & LP's	All Sources

Available

<u>NAME</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TELEPHONE</u>	<u>POSITION</u>
Chris James	WSGN-Birmingham, AL	205-362-8626	AT/Production
Chuck Edwards	KZYM-Cape Girardeau, MO	314-334-1220	AT/Production
John Catchings	KROR-Myrtle Creek, OR	415-332-9205	AT/Production
Debbie Alexander	KGMO-Cape Girardeau, MO	314-334-8484	AT/Production
Al Douglas	KZYM-Cape Girardeau, MO	314-335-2983	AT/Production/M
Terry McDonald	KXLF-Butte, MT	406-782-5041	AT/PD/MD
Mike Edmonds	KAVV & KCEE	202-396-8022	AT/PD/MD/News
Jeff Scott	KSTN-Stockton, CA	209-463-6028	AT/MD/Prod./Spo
Doug Barry	KFMO-Flat River	314-358-2427	AT/MD/Prod./Spo

Bio-Feedback

LIONEL RICHIE

The guitar soloist on Lionel's current single, RUNNING WITH THE NIGHT, is Steve Lukather from Toto.

BOY GEORGE

He's writing the soundtrack for a Steve Baron movie, "The Electric Dream", being filmed in San Francisco. It's a plot involving the love affair between a boy, a girl, and a computer.

DEBBIE HARRY

Her new movie "Videodrome", has been described as tasteless and violent by some British press. So much so, that the BBC wouldn't even interview Harry about the film.

BARRY MANILOW

Nearly twenty years ago, Barry was studying music at Julliard and making ends meet as a mailboy with CBS in New York.

DAVID BYRNE AND PHILIP GLASS

As part of the Olympic Arts Festival in Los Angeles next year, this pair of composers are working on an opera "The Civil Wars: A Tree is Best Measured When It's Down." At one time, David Bowie was to have played Abraham Lincoln in the epic, but he's since cancelled.

OLIVIA NEWTON-JOHN

In her early teens, she performed in Melbourne, Australia coffeehouses as part of a singing quartet. At 15, she won a television talent contest with its prize, a free trip to England.

MENUDO

Along the lines of the Bee Gees' specialty store in the late-seventies, comes a Menudo store. Located in New York at 14th St. and 2nd Ave., the outlet is called Menuditis and offers Menudo products and promotional items like t-shirts, watches, etc.

TOM JOHNSTON

Former lead singer with the Doobie Brothers has formed a new band called Border Patrol.

ADAM ANT

The Antman has been recording since the summer of '78, when he reached the Top 40 in England with his first release YOUNG PARISIANS.

PRINCE

The script for Prince's movie "Purple Rain" will be written by William Blinn, who wrote the script for "Brian's Song" and is Executive Producer for the "Fame" TV series.

BOB DYLAN

He told the L.A. Times recently: "America is a divided nation now. It doesn't know whether to follow the President or the Green Bay Packers."

RAY CHARLES & EMMYLOU HARRIS

Both entertainers have had hits with "Crying Time" and "Together Again". Both songs were written by Buck Owens.

DON FELDER

As a teenager in Gainesville, Florida, he taught guitar to the likes of Tom Petty and Stephen Stills.

JENNIFER HOLLIDAY

She won a Tony award for her performance as Effie White in "Dreamgirls".

THE BEE GEES

Twins Maurice and Robin will be 34 on Thursday, December 22nd.

JOHN LENNON & YOKO ONO

PolyGram will release their "Milk and Honey" LP in January. The album will feature John on six tracks and Yoko on six. The first single, NOBODY TOLD ME, is scheduled for early January.

ROLLING STONES

The word is already out about a possible summer '84 Rolling Stones tour with a special date co-inciding next July with the Los Angeles Olympics.

FOREIGNER

After much success reviving a reformed Yes, producer Trevon Horn gets the nod for Foreigner's fifth LP.

KISS

Gene Simmons will produce former Plasmatic's singer Wendy Williams' solo debut LP.

PEABO BRYSON

After seven LP's in seven years for Capitol, Peabo has signed with Elektra Records.

Album Radio Programming

(Kent Zimmerman, Editor)

Power Play

"MIDDLE OF THE ROAD"-Pretenders (Sire-12")

Chrissie and the new LP should be one of '84's real mothers.

Hot Trax

"FLY BY NIGHT"-Ian Anderson (Chry.)
A traditional and familar voice with computer-ized instrumentation.

"FRIDAY NIGHT"-Vandenberg (Atco)
Finishing off Album Radio's '83 metal fixation.

Prominent Adds

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

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2W	LW	TW	
3.	3.	T.	Yes (Atco) "Owner" "Happens" "Changes"
1.	1.	2.	Rolling Stones (Rolling Stones) "Hot" "Under" "Tough" "Down"
2.	2.	3.	Genesis (Atlantic) "Job" "That's" "Better" "Alien"
4.	4.	4.	38 Special (A&M) "One" "Belong" "Fox" "Time"
6.	5.	5.	John Cougar Mellencamp (Riva/PolyGram) "Pink" "Crumblin'" "Authority"
12.	9.	6.	BILLY IDOL (Chrysalis) "Rebel" "Blue" "Flesh"
7.	7.	7.	Duran Duran (Capitol) "Union" "Crime" "Reflex"
5.	6.	8.	Huey & The News (Chrysalis) "Drug" "Heart" "Soul"
13.	11.	9.	U2 (Island) "Gloria" "Tick" "Follow"
8.	8.	10.	Big Country (PolyGram) "Big" "Fields"
26.	14.	11.	TOAK Soundtrack (MCA) "Journey"
--	17.	12.	PRETENDERS (Sire-12") "Road"
10.	12.	13.	Romantics (Nemperor) "Rock" "Sleep"
9.	10.	14.	Bob Dylan (Columbia) "Bully" "Sweetheart"
11.	13.	15.	Eddie Money (Columbia) "Crash" "Michelle" "Bad"
27.	22.	16.	OZZY OSBOURNE (CBS) "Bark" "Rebel"
16.	16.	17.	Culture Club (Virgin/Epic) "Karma" "Church"
14.	18.	18.	Pat Benatar (Chrysalis) "Battlefield" "Lipstick"
15.	19.	19.	Paul Rodgers (Atlantic) "Cut" "Fragile"
20.	20.	20.	Night Ranger (Camel/MCA) "America" "Rumors"
18.	21.	21.	Alan Parsons Project (Arista-12") "Believe"
24.	23.	22.	Manfred Mann (Arista) "Demolition"
22.	24.	23.	Hall & Oates (RCA) "Adult" "Say"
28.	27.	24.	Streets (Atlantic) "Goes"
23.	25.	25.	Aldo Nova (Portrait) "Monkey" "Hold"
19.	26.	26.	Motels (Capitol) "Robbers" "Summer" "Heartland"
--	--	27.	SIMON TOWNSHEND (21/PolyGram) "Answer"
29.	30.	28.	ZZ Top (Warner Bros.) "TV Dinners"
--	--	29.	REFLEX (Capitol) "Politics"
32.	29.	30.	Saga (Portrait) "Flyer" "Catwalk"
25.	28.	31.	Police (A&M) "Finger" "Pain" "Sy"
30.	32.	32.	Doors (Elektra) "Gloria"
--	--	33.	Don Felder (Asylum) "Winners" "Bad"

1/3 Single Of The Week

"Rock 'N' Roll Christmas"-GEORGE THOROGOOD & DESTROYERS (EMI)

Gaining Ground

IAN ANDERSON (Chrysalis) "Fly" "Light"
VANDENBERG (Atco) "Friday"
PAUL McCARTNEY (Columbia) "Average"
HEADPINS (Solid Gold) "Just"
MOTLEY CRUE (Elektra) "Shout"

Note: Please file your next report the week of January 3rd 1984!!!

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Significant Airplay

ABC (Mercury) "Persuasion"
ALCATRAZZ (Rocshire) "Island"
*REAL LIFE (Virgin/MCA) "Send"
NICK HEYWARD (Arista) "Sunday"
FIXX (MCA) "Sign"
JUMP 'N' THE SADDLE (Atlantic) "Curly"
STEVIE NICKS (Modern) "Nightbird"
DOKKEN (Elektra) "Chains"
ROBERT PLANT (Atlantic) "Mood"
*CYNDI LAUPER (Portrait) "Fun"
LIONEL RICHIE (Motown) "Night"
SURVIVOR (Scotti) "Don't Go"

Alternative Action

(Associate Editor, Peter Standish)

Hot UNDER A BLOOD RED SKY-U2 (Island)

The definitive alternative band success story.

LW	TW	Artist	LW	TW	Artist
2.	1.	X (Elektra) "True #2" "Drunk"	19.	14.	Suburbs (PolyGram) "Law" "Bones"
3.	2.	3 O'Clock(Frontier)"Jet""Einstein"	18.	15.	Rumblefish (A&M) "Box"
4.	3.	Echo/Bunnymen(Sire)"Clean""Never"	21.	16.	Re-Flex (Capitol) "Politics"
1.	4.	Let's Active (IRS) "Room""Between"	14.	17.	Lords Of New Church (IRS)"Crime""Tales"
8.	5.	U2 (Island) "Party" "Tick"	20.	18.	Siouxsie/Banshees (P'dor) "Israel"
6.	6.	Midnight Oil (Col.) "Read" "U.S."	--.	19.	Pretenders (Sire) "Middle"
7.	7.	The Cure (Sire) "Cats"	25.	20.	Nick Heyward (Arista) "Sunday"
5.	8.	Bob Dylan (Col.)"Bully" "Joker"	15.	21.	Green On Red (Slash)"Abigail" "Narc."
11.	9.	ABC (PolyGram)"Citizen" "Unzip"	10.	22.	Gang Of Four (WB) "Silver"
9.	10.	Big Country(PolyGram) "Inwards"	--.	23.	China Crisis (WB) "Steel"
12.	11.	UB40 (A&M) "Red" "Bad"	22.	24.	Billy Idol (Chrysalis)"Shadow""Rebel"
13.	12.	JoBoxers (RCA) "Friendly"	--.	25.	XTC (Virgin-imp.) "Wages"
16.	13.	Rain Parade (Enigma) "Hour" "Look"			

Adds

SSQ (Enigma)
VISAGE (PolyGram)

KRAFTWERK (W.B.)

Comment by Kent Zimmerman

This year, I feel, was the best Album Radio/Alternative Radio year for The Gavin Report. That was due in a very large part to the hardcore participation of our sacred family of Album and Alternative reporters. Many thanks to all of you who so faithfully contributed information both statistically and musically to our charts. In this special year-end issue, rather than review the year of music in repetitive prose, included are a set of special music awards for 1983. So, here they are:

THE 1st ANNUAL RECEIPIENTS OF THE GAVIN DUBIOUS ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

ARTIST OF THE YEAR-Michael Jackson/Police	PRODUCERS OF THE YEAR-Phil Collins/Lillywhite Trevor Horn
SHINING STARS AWARD- U2/Big Country	DID ANYONE MISS?-Billy Squier
UNDERDOG ACHIEVEMENT-Quiet Riot	GENIUS WEARING THIN-Prince
UNSUNG HEROES-T.Bone Burnett/Graham Parker	SALTPETER,PLEASE-Rick Springfield
BABY I'M BACK-Dylan/Pretenders/Yes	DITDIT AWARD-Thompson Twins
BEST RECEDING HAIRLINE-Sting	BEST MODERN LP-New Order
GREAT AMERICAN HOPE-REM/X/Let's Active	DANCIN' MY MYSELF-Stevie Nicks
WET FISH AWARD-The Clash/Aldo Nova	INDEPENDENT AMERICAN ACTS-Violent Femmes/ 3 O'Clock/Long Ryders
MISUNDERSTOOD LP-Album-Joan Jett	BEST NEW NEW JERSEY BAND-Bongos
BEST NEW SINGER-Paul Young	HARDWORKING AND INDUSTRIOUS-Taxxi
HEART AND SOUL-Stevie R. Vaughan/Huey&News	BEST TWELVE INCH-"Fields Of Fire"
BEST KISS-B-52's	MOST UNIQUE BAND-Hunters & Collectors
CAN'T WAIT TO SEE LIVE-Was(Not Was)/M'night Oil	QUICK, NAME TWO MEMBERS-The Fixx
NEW WAVE RELICS-Ramones	CONSISTENCY IN '83-'88 Special/Genesis
BEST SONG BY DEAD MAN-Gloria-Jim Morrison	SWEET DREAMS IN '84-Eurythmics
SUCCESSFUL FOLLOW-UPS-R. Plant/Def Lep/Fixx/ J.C.Mellencamp/Men At Work	BEST USE OF ELECTRONICS-Herbie Hancock
DUDS-Cheap Trick/R. Stewart/P.Floyd/Flock of S.	SCIENTIST OF THE YEAR-Thomas Dolby
TEENY. NOT MEANY-Duran Duran/Adam Ant/Spandau B.	BEST SONG-Wherever I Lay My Hat-Paul Young
RILLY BIG LIVE SHEW-Talking Heads	WORST SONG-Lick It Up-Kiss
UP & COMIN METAL-Alcatraz/Dio/Queensryche	SWINGIN' A's OF'84-Alarm/Aztec Camera/Alcatraz
CORPORATE ROCK ACHIEVEMENTS-Loverboy/Bryan Adams	INTEGRITY AWARD-Eric Clapton/Neil Young
TOP FORTY LOOKOUT!-Billy Idol	INTO THE MAINSTREAM-Tubes/Motels
RIGHT ON, DADDY -John C. Mellencamp	BEST FEMALE VOCAL LP-Nona Hendryx
SHADDUP & PLAY-Kevin Rowlands of Dexys	BEST LP-Proof Through The Night-T.Bone Burnett
MIA-Springsteen/Dire Straits/Beck	NO THANKS, YOU NAME IT-Joe Walsh
NO VACATION AWARD-Phil Collins	MOST INNOVATIVE PRODUCERS-Material
BEST SOUNDTRACK-Mark Knopfler/Local Hero	ROCK N ROLL RELICS-Moody Blues
MILLIONAIRES CLUB-Journey/David Bowie	RIP-Bauhaus/English Beat/Yaz
WHISPERS& THIGHS-Berlin	BURYING THE HATCHET-Elvis Costello
ONE HIT WONDERS,SO FAR-ATF/Men without Hats	MOST NEUROTIC PERFORMER-David Byrne
BETTER LIVING THROUGH COSMETICS-Boy George	GRIEST LP-Undercover-Rolling Stones
WORSE LIVING WITHOUT COSMETICS-Kiss	

Album Radio Top 100

(Editor, Kent Zimmerman)

1. SYNCHRONICITY-The Police (A&M)
2. PYROMANIA-Def Leppard (PolyGram)
3. LET'S DANCE-David Bowie (EMI)
4. THE PRINCIPLE OF MOMENTS-R.Plant(S.Song)
5. THE WILD HEART-Stevie Nicks (Modern)
6. FRONTIER-Journey (Columbia)
7. CARGO-Men At Work (Columbia)
8. REACH THE BEACH-The Fixx (MCA)
9. GENESIS-Genesis (Atlantic)
- * 10. WAR-U2 (Chrysalis)
11. THE DISTANCE-Bob Seger (Capitol)
12. CUTS LIKE A KNIFE-Bryan Adams (A&M)
13. METAL HEALTH-Quiet Riot (Pasha)
14. LAWYERS IN LOVE-Jackson Browne (Asylum)
15. ELIMINATOR-ZZ Top (Warner Bros.)
16. ALPHA-Asia (Geffen)
17. SPORTS-Huey Lewis & News (Chrysalis)
18. KEEP IT UP-Loverboy (Columbia)
19. OUTSIDE INSIDE-The Tubes (Capitol)
20. THE CROSSING-Big Country (PolyGram)
21. LITTLE ROBBERS-The Motels (Capitol)
22. KIHNSPIRACY-Greg Kihn Band (Beserkley)
23. UH-HUH-John Cougar Mellancamp (Riva)
24. RIO-Duran Duran (Capitol)
25. LONG AFTER DARK-Tom Petty (Backstreet)
26. BUSINESS AS USUAL-Men At Work (Columbia)
27. PRETENDERS 2-The Pretenders (Sire)
28. LIVE FROM EARTH-Pat Benatar (Chrysa)
29. THE PRESENT-Moody Blues (Threshold)
30. UNDERCOVER-Rolling Stones (Rolling St.)
31. SHABOOH SHOObAH-INXS (Atco)
32. PASSIONWORKS-Heart (Epic)
33. THREE LOCK BOX-Sammy Hagar (Geffen)
34. SPEAKING IN TONGUES-Talking Heads(Sire)
35. STATE OF CONFUSION-The Kinks (Arista)
36. 90125-Yes (Atco)
37. BEATITUDE-Ric Ocasek (Geffen)
38. THE FINAL CUT-Pink Floyd (Columbia)
39. RANT 'N' RAVE-Stray Cats (EMI)
40. TAKE ANOTHER PICTURE-Quarterflash(Geff.)
41. KILROY WAS HERE-Styx (A&M)
42. MONEY & CIGARETTES-Eric Clapton(Duck/WB)
43. HELLO, I MUST BE GOING-Phil Collins(Atl.)
44. LIVING IN OZ-Rick Springfield (RCA)
45. TOUR DE FORCE-38 Special (A&M)
46. TRANS-Neil Young (Geffen)
47. BENT OUT OF SHAPE-Rainbow (PolyGram)
48. DURAN DURAN 1st LP-Duran Duran (Capitol)
49. SEVEN & RAGGED TIGER-Duran Duran (Cap.)
50. WIRELESS-Thomas Dolby (Harvest)
51. KILLER ON THE RAMPAGE-Eddy Grant (Ice)
52. WHERE'S THE PARTY-Eddie Money (Columbia)
53. CUT-Golden Earring (21/PolyGram)
54. PLANET P-Planet P (Geffen)
55. NEVER SURRENDER-Triumph (RCA)
56. ZEBRA-Zebra (Atlantic)
57. ALBUM-Joan Jett & Blackhearts (MCA)
58. LISTEN-Flock Of Seagulls (Jive/Arista)
59. GET NERVOUS-Pat Benatar (Chrysalis)
60. DRASTIC MEASURES-Kansas (CBS)
61. IN HEAT-Romantics (Nemperor)
62. ONE NIGHT WITH A STRANGER-Martin Briley(Poly)
63. ...FAMOUS LAST WORDS...-Supertramp (A&M)
64. AN INNOCENT MAN-Billy Joel (Columbia)
65. INFIDELS-Bob Dylan (Columbia)
66. NEVADA-Red Rider (Capitol)
67. INFORMATION-Dave Edmunds (Columbia)
68. ARCADE-Patrick Simmons (Elektra)
69. SUBJECT-Aldo Nova (Portrait)
70. PUNCH THE CLOCK-Elvis Costello (Col.)
- * 71. CODA-Led Zeppelin (Swan Song)
72. ERROR IN THE SYSTEM-Peter Schilling(Elek)
73. REBEL YELL-Billy Idol (Chrysalis)
74. SECRET MESSAGES-Electric Light Orch. (Jet)
75. FLICK OF THE SWITCH-AC/DC (Atlantic)
76. ALLIES-Crosby, Stills & Nash (Atlantic)
77. DAWN PATROL-Night Ranger (Boardwalk)
78. IUGHT IT...NAME IT-Joe Walsh (WB)
79. RHYTHM OF YOUTH-Men Without Hats (MCA)
80. ATF-After The Fire (Epic)
81. WORLDS APART-Saga (Portrait)
82. UNDER A BLOOD RED SKY-U2 (Island)
83. TEXAS FLOOD-Stevie Ray Vaughn (Epic)
84. GOOD AS GOLD-Red Rockers (415)
85. VANDENBERG-Vandenberg (Atco)
- * 86. AFTER THE SNOW-Modern English (Sire)
87. SOMETHING GOING ON-Frida (Atlantic)
88. COLOUR BY NUMBERS-Culture Club (Virgin)
89. TOO-RYE-AY-Dexy's Midnight Runners(Poly.)
90. MADNESS-Madness (Geffen)
91. THE REVOLUTION BY NIGHT-Blue Oyster Cult(Col)
92. CAUGHT IN THE GAME-Survivor (Scotti Bros.)
93. YOU CAN'T FIGHT FASHION-M.Stanley (EMI)
94. MODERN ROMANS-The Call (PolyGram)
- * 95. SHUTTERED ROOM-The Fixx (MCA)
96. SHOWTIME-J.Geils Band (EMI)
97. TOO LOW FOR ZERO-Eiton John (Geffen)
98. BILLY IDOL-Billy Idol (Chrysalis)
99. SWEET DREAMS-Eurythmics (RCA)
100. I WON'T BE HOME TONIGHT-Tony Carey (Rocshire)

*Carry over from 1982.

Underlined sides are strong at the end of 1983.

Alternative Action Top 50

(Editor, Kent Zimmerman)
(Assistant, Peter Standish)

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| 1. SPEAKING IN TONGUES-Talking Heads (Sire) | * 26. SPECIAL BEAT SERVICE-English Beat (IRS) |
| 2. MURMUR-REM (IRS) | 27. <u>HARD</u> -Gang Of Four (Warner Bros.) |
| 3. WAR-U2 (Island) | 28. NO TIME LIKE NOW-Translator (415/Columbia) |
| 4. POWER CORRUPTION & LIES-New Order(Factory) | 29. RHYTHM OF YOUTH-Men W/O Hats (Backstreet) |
| 5. MORE FUN IN THE NEW WORLD-X (Elektra) | 30. <u>SIXTEEN TAMBOURINES</u> -3 O'Clock (Frontier) |
| 6. <u>NUMBERS WITH WINGS</u> -Bongos (RCA) | 31. <u>LABOUR OF LOVE</u> -UB40 (A&M) |
| 7. <u>PUNCH THE CLOCK</u> -Elvis Costello (Col.) | 32. XL1-Pete Shelley (Arista) |
| 8. <u>THE CROSSING</u> -Big Country (PolyGram) | 33. FELINE-Stranglers (Epic) |
| 9. LET'S DANCE-David Bowie (EMI) | * 34. SUNDOWN-Rank & File (Slash) |
| 10. PORCUPINE-Echo & Bunnymen (Sire) | 35. BANGLES EP-Bangles (Faulty) |
| 11. SYNCHRONICITY-Police (A&M) | 36. THE HURTING-Tears For Fears (PolyGram) |
| 12. SUBTERRANEAN JUNGLE-Ramones (Sire) | 37. GOOD AS GOLD-Red Rockers (415/Columbia) |
| 13. CARE-Shreikback (Sire) | * 38. AFTER THE SNOW-Modern English (Sire) |
| 14. <u>AFOOT</u> -Let's Active (IRS) | 39. THE REAL MACAW-Graham Parker (Arista) |
| 15. NEW GOLD DREAM-Simple Minds (A&M) | 40. SECURITY-Peter Gabriel (Geffen) |
| 16. VIOLENT FEMMES-Violent Femmes (Slash) | * 41. FOREVER NOW-Psychedelic Furs (Columbia) |
| 17. WHAMMY!-B-52's (Warner Bros.) | 42. GOLDEN AGE OF WIRELESS-Thomas Dolby (Cap.) |
| 18. MODERN ROMANS -The Call (PolyGram) | 43. 99 LUFTBALOONS-Nena (Epic) |
| 19. THE YOUTH OF TODAY-Musical Youth (MCA) | 44. JERKY VERSIONS..DREAM-Howard DeVoto (IRS) |
| 20. <u>IS NOTHING SACRED</u> -Lords/New Church (IRS) | 45. INFIDELS-Bob Dylan (Columbia) |
| 21. WHEN THE GOING GETS...-Bow Wow Wow (RCA) | 46. <u>NUTS AND BOLTS</u> -Barone/Mastro (PVC) |
| 22. THE ALARM-The Alarm (IRS) | 47. <u>EP</u> -Echo & Bunnymen (Sire) |
| 23. QUARTET-Ultravox (Chrysalis) | 48. <u>DAYS OF WINE & ROSES</u> -Dream Syndicate (Ruby) |
| 24. TOO-RYE-AY-Dexy's M.Runners (PolyGram) | 49. TWANG BAR KING-Adrian Belew (Island) |
| * 25. BITTEREST PILL/LIVE-The Jam (PolyGram) | 50. THE WALK EP-The Cure (Sire) |

Looking at Album Radio

A friend of mine, making a living (a good one, I might add) selling and recording radical heavy metal, called last week in a tizzy. "Will this metal rage last or what?", was his question. Not being on the emotional edge this time (unlike when "new" music was the "trend"), I was able to rationally calm him by assuring him that when the smoke clears, generic heavy metal will be incorporated - not formatized - into Album Radio's bloodstream.

So as the year ends, there's a sizeable contingent of observers who are ready to bury Album Radio or leave it by the wayside in favor of some paranoid vision of ratings paradise inside some Top Forty fools' paradise pipe dream.

Don't believe it. And don't enlist into a battle you're ill equipped to win.

I honestly can't picture the total decay of Album Radio as a format. The fact that Album Radio targets to 12-24 males almost exclusively, at least leaves them with some kind of listening core. However, that's not much of a concession in terms of building a growing and expanding demographic. In fact, it's the one ominous shadow shading a more prosperous future. Put it this way: You can't raise that rate card unless you deliver more thousands of listeners, no matter how you juggle the cunes and quarter hours.

Most of those running scared are, ironically, the same villains who imposed most of the stylistic restrictions that have crippled Album Radio's creativity. They are the same people that instilled the fear of experimentation that has steered the format towards a potential swamp of stagnation.

I'll admit, as a utopian and a dreamer, I've lost quite a bit of idealistic faith. Yet most of my music gets played and championed by college radio. Their existence and enthusiasm allows a lot of us to sleep at night, knowing our music is safe from the homogenizing clutches of the masses. A little selfish? Surely.

Every print or media reporter that calls The Gavin Report wanting a comment about the state of radio in general and Album Radio in particular first gets the standard lecture. It's a business, I tell them. The audience of the eighties is fragmented. Album Radio has found its niche with young white males. Thus the music is bound to reflect their tastes in music. I'm not happy or proud of that fact, but that's the reality now - at least until some all encompassing multi-demographic phenomenon blows it all to bits forcing a mad scramble of redefinition. Mark Twain's words still apply to Album Radio, "The reports of my death are greatly exaggerated".

Kent Zimmerman.

Breakdown

- NEW YORK, NY** (Buzz Brindle-MTV) New: Police, Lionel, End Games, Girlschool, Firefall, Let's Active, Costello, Carly S., J. Cliff, Headpins, Denny Johnson, Hyts, Jimmy The Hoover, B. Wyman, Hilary, Bluebells, Kraut, Europeans, Thompson Twins, Sparks. Max: Doors, Cougar, Genesis, Plant, H&O, Yes, Huey, Aldo, R. Stones, Journey, Lionel, Police, S. Cats, C. Club, RUMBLEFISH, S. Nicks, 38 Spec., Asia, Big Country, Heaven, ZZ Top. Mod: Lords of NC, Alcatrazz, X, BOC, U2, Felder, Survivor, ABC.
- ALBANY, NY** (Mike Greenfield-WCDB) New: SSQ, Raybeat, Visage, R. Taylor, Art Of Noise, Urban Blight. Max: Midnight Oil, Rain Parade, Green On Red, X, Echo & B., ABC, 3 O'Clock, Grandmaster Flash, Pretenders, ReFlex, The Dark. Mod: C. Club, JoBoxers, Nov. Group, Siouxsie, K. Joke, Lauper, H. Jones.
- ANCHORAGE, AK** (Carter B.-KWHL) New: S. Nicks (sgl), Survivor (sgl), Helix (re-add). Max: Genesis, TOAK/Journey, 38 Spec., Cougar, Eddie \$, Yes, P. Rodgers, Huey, R. Stones, Romantics. Mod: Idol, Saga, N. Ranger, Parsons, Pretenders, Streets, Plant, Schilling, BOC, Mann, Felder, Dylan, Crue, Vand.
- ANN ARBOR, MI** (Regina Myer-WCBN) New: NRBQ, Los Angelinos, Barrington Levi, Mink DeVille, ABC, Robert Ashley, M. Youth. Max: Echo & B., Jump Children, Burning Spear, Liquid L., Proletariat, 10,000 Maniacs, Riders In The Sky, Regressive Aid, Rain Parade. Mod: U2, Sisters of M., UB40.
- APPLETON, WI** (Mark Coulter-WAPL) New: Headpins, Heaven. Max: R. Stones, Yes, Ozzy, Idol, Cougar, 38 Spec., Genesis, TOAK/Journey, N. Ranger, U2, Duran, Eddie \$, Pretenders, Dylan. Mod: Huey, BOC, P. Rodgers, Romantics, Streets, Manfred Mann, Felder, M. Crue, Big Country, Ian A., ABC, Alcatrazz.
- ARCATA, CA** (Len Jarvela-KXGO/FM) New: Real Life, Eurythmics, William Ackerman, L. Ritenour. Max: Dylan, R. Stones, Genesis, Yes, Huey, Duran, PM/MJ, Lionel, P. Simon, Cougar, 38 Spec., Eddie \$, U2, DiMeola, Robert Cray, N. Ranger, Pretenders, Emmylou, BOC, C. Club. Mod: Aldo Nova, Doors, H&O, Holdsworth, ZZ Top, Motels, ABC, Mink DeVille, Romantics, Alcatrazz, S. Townshend, TOAK, XTC (imp).
- ATHENS, GA** (Craig Williams-WUOG/FM) New: Siouxsie & B., ACR, Eng. Beat, Simple Minds (imp-12"), Raybeats. Max: Let's Active, 3 O'Clock, Rain Parade, UB40, Echo & B., Dylan, U2, Suburbs, ABC, U2, X, Mid. Oil, Cure, Lords of NC, Big Country, Was (Not Was), Kid Creole, XTC, Siouxsie & B., Glove, RUMBLEFISH. Mod: Hiatt, Cramps, Yello, Simple Minds, Payolas, PIL, C. Crisis, Bongos, N. Hagen.
- BOULDER, CO** (Ginger Havlat-KADE) New: Eng. Beat, N. Heyward, C. Lauper, McCartney (sgl), P. Simon, S. Townshend. Max: H&O, Duran, Yes, Police, R. Stones, Romantics, Schilling, Elton, Genesis, Plant, 38 Spec., Cougar, Lionel, C. Club, Motels, Dylan. Mod: Parsons, Fixx, Real Life, ReFlex, T. Heads, Nena.
- CHAMPAIGN, IL** (Marty Jencius-WPGU) New: Howard Jones, SSQ, Echo & B., Real Life, Girlschool. Max: Yes, U2, R. Stones, Idol, ABC, Big Country, Nena, Genesis, Derringer, Mid. Oil, Dylan, C. Audio, X, Crenshaw, T. Heads, Heart, Elvis Bros., S. Townshend, Costello, Belew, Police. Mod: New Order, Beat, Bluebells, Sons of Heroes, Real Life, Rubinoos, Foxtan, Heyward, Icehouse, Eng. Beat, Skafish.
- CHAPEL HILL, NC** (Ken Friedman-WXYC) New: The Point, Eng. Beat, Danny Amos, Wallets, China Crisis, Wednesday Week. Max: Let's Active, Rain Parade, RUMBLEFISH, XTC, Ackerman, P. Simon, Accelerators, U2, John Hammond, ABC, Blitz, James B. Ulmer. Mod: Isham, NRBQ, Pretenders, Brian Eno, Cramps.
- CORVALLIS, OR** (Brandon Lieberman-KBVR) New: Nina Hagen, Rebel Kind, Thorogood, Kraftwerk. Max: X, B. Sensations, Katrina & Waves, Oingo, 3 O'Clock, Pretenders, Eng. Beat, M. Oil, Let's Active, Pinhead, Lords of NC, Echo & B., Din, Clock DVA, Scrooge Bros., Passion Puppets, RUMBLEFISH.
- DULUTH, MN** (Brian Taylor-KQDS) New: Let's Active, Baxter Robertson. Max: R. Stones, Dylan, Cougar, Yes, Genesis, Duran, 38 Spec., Idol, N. Ranger, C. Club, TOAK/Journey, BOC, Ozzy, Benatar, H&O. Mod: ZZ Top, M. Crue, Streets, Huey, Aldo, Parsons, Eddie \$, P. Rodgers, U2, Pretenders, Motels, Big C.
- FARGO, ND** (Jon Erdahl-KQWB/FM) New: R. Plant, S. Nicks, B. Joel (sgls). Max: Rainbow, Schilling, Duran, Romantics, Yes, Genesis, 38 Spec., Cougar, TOAK/Journey, Huey, Pretenders. Mod: Big Country, R. Stones, Elton, Eddie \$, Genesis, Parsons, Motels, P. Rodgers, Plant, Nicks, Joel, N. Ranger, Payolas.
- FRESNO, CA** (Jeff Riedel-KKDJ) New: Real Life, Payolas, Girlschool. Max: Yes, R. Stones, Duran, 38, Genesis, Ozzy, Eddie \$, Romantics, Huey, BOC, Idol, H&O, U2, TOAK/Journey, Motels, ABC, Pretenders, Dylan, ReFlex. Mod: M. Crue, Parsons, Rainbow, N. Ranger, Alcatrazz, Big Country, Doors, Headpins, Real Life, C. Club, Streets, Y&T, Taxi, Kiss, Fixx, Saga, Aldo Nova, P. Rodgers, Police, Tutone.
- GREENVILLE/SPARTANBURG, SC** (Steve Chris-WCKN) New: Vandenberg, Headpins, ReFlex, 38 Spec., Yes, T. Heads. Max: Cougar, Yes, H&O, Genesis, Huey, R. Spring, Elton, Duran, 38 Spec. Mod: Romantics, R. Stones, TOAK/Journey, Schilling, Fixx, ZZ Top, C. Club, Police, Idol, Pretenders, PM/MJ, Motels, BOC.
- HAINES, AK** (Bob Schwalbach-KHNS) New: Gang of 4, ABC, Was (Nct Was), Cougar, Pretenders. Max: H&O, Dylan, Local Boys, Cougar, Trio, C. Club, Police, JoBoxers, TOAK/Journey, McCartney. Mod: Was (NW), H. Brian, ABC, Juluka, Pretenders, Pablo Moses, Gang Of 4, T. Heads, Real Life, Motels, Let's Active.
- HANOVER, NH** (Rob Cutler-WFRD) New: None. Max: Agnetha, Benatar, Big Country, Duran, Genesis, Huey, JoBoxers, Cougar, Rainbow, R. Stones, Romantics, Schilling, Yes. Mod: Parsons, Aldo, Asia, Elvis C., C. Club, Genesis, Loverboy, MSB, Eddie \$, Moodies, N. Ranger, Police, R. Stones, Saga, Survivor, 38.
- IOWA CITY, IA** (Doug Breyer-KKRQ) New: M. Crue, Real Life. Max: R. Stones, Genesis, Yes, Cougar, Ozzy, Dylan, C. Club, Duran, Schilling, Romantics, 38 Spec. Mod: Huey, BOC, Eddie \$, Idol, TOAK/Journey, N. Ranger, Streets, H&O, Motels, Kiss, Mann, Heaven, R. Spring., S. Ballet, ReFlex, Fixx, Vandenberg, Headpins, Pretenders, Bonnie Tyler.
- IRVINE, CA** (John Talley-KUCI) New: Kraftwerk, Nina Hagen, Rockin' Rebels, Yello. Max: Social Dist., Eng. Beat, X, PIL, Minor Threat, UB40, Rainy Day, 3 O'Clock, Eng. As A 2nd Lang., GBH, Jam, JoBoxers, Hunters & C., Tom Waits. Mod: D.I., Cramps, Lords of NC, Sex Gang Children, ABC, Minutemen, Cure.
- LAS VEGAS, NV** (Ken Jordan-KUNV) New: Kraftwerk, Simple Minds (imp 12"), B. Foxtan (imp 12"), Dead Or Alive. Max: X, Gang of 4, ABC, Cure, UB40, Eng. Beat, Le Jump, Duran, Echo & B., New Order, Style Council, 3 O'Clock, Alarm, ReFlex, Let's Active. Mod: U2, Pretenders, SSQ, China Crisis, JoBoxers.

Breakdown

- LEWISTON, ID** (John Napier-KMOK) New: Waterboys, Vandenberg, Highway Chile. Max: Yes, R. Stones, BOC, Pretenders, Idol, Genesis, Cougar, Aldo, Grand Prix, World, 38 Spec., U2, Doors. Mod: Huey, Headpins, Felder, Mann, P. Rodgers, C. Clemons, TOAK, Ozzy, Toronto, Paul Young, Parsons, Duran, Eddie \$, ReFlex, W. Ash, Velveten, Dylan, Ian A., Saga, Firefall, Kantner, B. May, Boys Brigade, Waterboys, C. Club, Vand.
- LONG BEACH, CA** (Mary Jo-KNAC) New: Trio, Howard Jones, Kraftwerk. Max: Pretenders, C. Club, Cure, U2, Idol, X, Echo, D. Harry, UB40, Adam Ant, Heyward, 3 O'Clock, James Harmon, Style C., Duran, D. Mode, Lords JoBoxers, Cee Farrow, M. Oil, Was (Not Was), Alarm, Eng. Beat. Mod: Hiatt, Dangerfield, Real Life, Mink DeVille, Rain Parade, Los Lobos, New Marines, Payolas, Parachute Club, Skafish, SSQ, Comateens.
- LUFKIN, TX** (Naumann/Yates-KDEY/FM) New: 38 Spec., Ritenour, MSB, Ian Anderson. Max: Yes, R. Stones, Genesis, P. Rodgers, BOC, 38 Spec., U2, Genesis, Aldo Nova. Mod: Duran, Police, Asia, Headpins, Eddie \$.
- MONTEREY, CA** (Janice Taylor-KMBY/FM) New: Echo & B., Ozzy, B. Squier (Xmas), Thorogood (Xmas). Max: R. Stones, Yes, Genesis, JC Mell, Huey, 38 Spec., Romantics, Eddie \$, Duran, U2, Motels, BOC, JoBoxers, TOAK, Pretenders, Simon T., Dylan, Idol, Big Country, Was (Not Was) Eng. Beat. Mod: Rainbow, ABC, MSB.
- MOSCOW, ID** (Dave Hanson-KUOI/FM) New: Visage, Don Carlos & Gold, Breakouts, Paul Roesler, N. Hagen, Mighty Diamonds, Wednesday Week, Flesh For Lulu, Sex Gang Children, Minx. Max: Echo, Bongos, ABC, Trio, Lords, X, Adam, Cure, Real Life, Kate Bush, Siouxsie, New Marines, Gang of 4, Ballistic Kisses.
- MOUNT CARMEL, IL** (Drexel DeFord-WYER/FM) New: H&O, Debbie Harry, Baxter Robertson, Preview, Real Life. Max: Motley Crue, Ozzy, Cougar, Yes, N. Ranger, Genesis, 38 Spec., R. Stones, BOC, Headpins, Huey, TOAK/Journey, Streets, Romantics. Mod: Doors, Alcatraz, Ian A., Q. Riot, Kiss, Aldo, Dylan, Eng. Beat.
- ODESSA, TX** (Steve Driscoll-KUFO/FM) New: Highway Chile. Max: Genesis, Yes, Rodgers, U2, Duran, Idol, Huey, Dylan, BOC, Romantics, Streets, Cougar, Ozzy, TOAK/Journey, Headpins, 38 Spec., Heaven, Eddie \$, Pretenders. Mod: Survivor, Felder, ReFlex, Vandenberg, RUMBLEFISH, ABC, Mann, Alcatraz, Crue, Ian A.
- PAONIA, CO** (Patrick Webb-KVNF/FM) New: James Blood Ulmer, Vandenberg, Sweet Honey In The Rock. Max: R. Stones, Mink DeVille, Emmylou, Sanborn, J. Cliff, Police, Big Country, C. Club, Huey. Mod: Genesis, Eng. Beat, Style C., N. Ranger, Mann, Survivor, J. J. Cale, U2, Cougar, Benatar, Robillard, Yes, Ian A.
- PHILADELPHIA, PA** (Erin Riley-WMMR) New: Thorogood, ABC, ReFlex. Max: Yes, Genesis, R. Stones, Cougar, Big Country, Duran, H&O, Schilling, Pretenders, TOAK/Journey, 38 Spec., Romantics. Mod: Eddie \$, Doors, Idol, U2, Streets, Ozzy, Police, Dylan, Lauper, Parsons, Huey, Q. Riot, Hooters, Simon T., Jump/S.
- REGINA, SASK** (Ed Walker-Z99/CIZL) New: P. Schilling, B. Adams (Heaven Sndtrck). Max: ZZ Top, Jack Green, Big Country, Police, Cougar, Toronto, Payolas, Aldo, Headpins, Genesis, Doors, H&O, R. Stones, Yes, Dylan, Idol, Chilliwack, Duran, Elton, Streethart. Mod: S. Cats, Huey, Bowie, Joel, Plant, Platinum Blonde, U2, BOC, Ozzy, C. Club, Romantics, Saga, J. Browne, Def Lep, Parsons, 38 Spec., Benatar, B. Adams.
- RUSTON, LA** (Rick McKinnon-KLPI/FM) New: B. Sensations, Language, Ian Anderson, Gray Star, Strangers. Max: Yes, Big Country, Romantics, Huey, R. Stones, Fixx, Motels, Duran, McCartney, Idol, Survivor, P. Simon, Schilling, Adam Ant, Plant. Mod: X, Genesis, Zebra, Lauper, U2, C. Club, Heart, Producers, Echo.
- SAN FRANCISCO, CA** (Gene Mitchell-KMEL) New: G. Thorogood. Max: Eddie \$, Huey, R. Stones, Duran, 38, Genesis, Yes, Romantics, Cougar, Parsons, Rodgers, Mann, Dylan, H&O, TOAK/Journey. Mod: Motels, BOC, Benatar, Big Country, Saga, Schilling, U2, Tutone, C. Clemons, Simon Townshend, Felder, MSB, Loverboy, ZZ Top, Moodies, J. Browne, Kantner, Survivor, N. Ranger, Spanos, Axe, Streets, Idol, Heart.
- SAN FRANCISCO, CA** (Burruss/Lionetti-KUSF) New: Bill Nelson (imp). Max: Siouxsie, Let's Active, 3 O'Clock, XTC, Echo & B., Rain Parade, Sister of Mercy, X, Death Cutt, Cramps, Social Distortion, Play Dead, New Breed, Laurie Anderson, Glove. Mod: Long Ryders, Green On Red, Breakouts, Wire Train.
- SAN JOSE, CA** (Scott Elliott-KOME) New: George Thorogood, JC Mellencamp, Vandenberg, Romantics, MSB. Max: Rainbow, Yes, N. Ranger, Genesis, Eddie \$, Aldo Nova, TOAK/Journey, BOC, 38 Spec., MSB, Ratt. Mod: Genesis, P. Rodgers, Ozzy, Y&T, M. Crue, Kiss, Rolling Stones, Riot, Axe, Heaven, Girlschool, Pretenders, Idol, Romantics, Vandenberg, Felder, JC Mellencamp, Alcatraz, G. Thorogood.
- SAN LUIS OBISPO, CA** (Steve Theroux-KCPR/FM) New: Debbie Harry, Cutting Edge, Crown of Thorns, Waterboys, M. Youth. Max: Style C., Machinations, M. Oil, Let's Active, Echo & B., Payolas, R. Stones, Suburbs, Bluebells, Duran. Mod: Hunters & Collectors, Europeans, UB40, Heyward, RUMBLEFISH, Hiatt.
- SANTA ROSA, CA** (Cindy Paulos-KVRE) New: Joan Armatrading, Visage, Baxter Robertson, Scrooge Bros., Max: R. Stones, Yes, Dylan, Genesis, Mann, Police, Cougar, T. Heads, Big Country, P. Simon, Hiatt, Beat, Jump/Saddle, Mental As A, U2, Juluka, X, Paul Young, Mink DeVille, Duran. Mod: Was (Not Was), McCartney, 38 Spec., Heyward, T. Bone, Doors, Translator, JoBoxers, Los Lobos, Alarm, Ian A., M. Youth, Eddie \$.
- SEATTLE, WA** (Van Johnson-KYYX) New: INXS (imp), Fixx, S. Ballet, Asia, R. Spring, S. Cats, Plant, Madonna, D. Harry, M. Jackson, Pretenders. Max: Duran, R. Stones, C. Club, Adam, M. Oil, Motels, Pat Wilson, UB40, Echo, Bongos, X, Godwin, Cougar, Yes, Pretenders, Icicle Works, RUMBLEFISH, Huey, ABC, Lords, Benatar, Lauper, ReFlex, Genesis, Romantics, Blue Zoo, China Crisis, Cure, Eurythmics, Siouxsie, Madness.
- SEATTLE, WA** (Peyton Mays-KEZX/FM) New: Stevie Nicks (sgl), Pretenders (2000 Miles). Max: Dylan McCartney, Billy Joel, Jimmy Buffett. Mod: C. Schmidt, Reynolds/Stewart, D. Mason, Donovan, Capaldi.
- SWAN QUARTER, NC** (Gary Strobel-WHYC/FM) New: ReFlex, Adam Ant. Max: Big Country, Huey, R. Stones, 38 Spec., BOC, Duran, Dylan, Genesis, Cougar, Romantics, Yes, Eddie \$, Idol, U2, C. Club, TOAK/Journey. Mod: Parsons, S. Ballet, N. Ranger, Was (Not Was), Doors, Motels, Rainbow, Q. Riot, Aldo N., P. Rodgers, ZZ Top, Saga, McCartney, H&O, Schilling, Ozzy, Streets, Benatar, Police, Felder, Mann, T. Heads, Pretenders.
- TRAVERSE CITY, MI** (Mark DeMers-WKLT) New: Real Life, ABC, Dokken, G. Thorogood, S. Nicks, Kiss, Headpins, Vandenberg, Pretenders, Jump/Saddle. Max: Yes, Duran, R. Stones, 38 Spec., Genesis, Huey, TOAK/Journey, Cougar, Motels. Mod: Pretenders, BOC, Parsons, Idol, Romantics, Dylan, ABC, Ian A., Rainbow, Ozzy.

Country Music Top 100

(Editor, Elma Greer)

1. ISLANDS IN THE STREAM-Kenny & Dolly(RCA)
2. DIXIELAND DELIGHT-Alabama (RCA)
3. LADY DOWN ON LOVE-Alabama (RCA)
4. HOLDING HER & LOVING YOU-E.T.Conley(RCA)
5. PONCHO & LEFTY-Haggard & Nelson(Epic)
6. A LITTLE GOOD NEWS-Anne Murray(Capitol)
7. SWINGIN'-John Anderson (WB)
8. YOU CAN'T RUN FROM LOVE-E.Rabbitt(WB)
9. AMERICAN MADE-Oak Ridge Boys (MCA)
10. JOSE CUERVO-Shelly West (Viva/WB)
11. DON'T YOU KNOW HOW MUCH...-R.Milsap(RCA)
12. THE CLOSER YOU GET-Alabama (RCA)
13. I'M ONLY IN IT FOR THE LOVE-J.Conlee(MCA)
14. HE'S A HEARTACHE-Janie Fricke (Col.)
15. COMMON MAN-John Conlee (MCA)
16. BLACK SHEEP-John Anderson (WB)
17. OUR LOVE IS ON THE FAULTLINE-C.Gayle(WB)
18. 'TIL I GAIN CONTROL AGAIN-C.Gayle(Elek)
19. ...PAIR OF FOOLS-Barbara Mandrell (MCA)
20. PARADISE TONIGHT-McClain & Gilley(Epic)
21. BABY,WHAT ABOUT YOU-Crystal Gayle(WB)
22. HOLLYWOOD DON'T NEED YOU-D.Williams(MCA)
23. I WOULDN'T CHANGE YOU...-R.Skaggs (Epic)
24. HEY BARTENDER-Johnny Lee (Full Moon/As.)
25. NOBODY BUT YOU-Don Williams (MCA)
26. HIGHWAY 40 BLUES-Ricky Skaggs (Epic)
27. LOVE SONG-Oak Ridge Boys (MCA)
28. YOU'VE GOT A LOVER-Ricky Skaggs(Epic)
29. WHEN I'M AWAY FROM YOU-Bellamys(Curb)
30. FAKING LOVE-Sheppard & Brooks (WB)
31. INSIDE-Ronnie Milsap (RCA)
32. A FIRE I CAN'T PUT OUT-G.Strait (MCA)
33. WE'VE GOT TONIGHT-Rogers & Easton(Lib.)
34. SOMEBODY'S GONNA LOVE YOU-Greenwood(MCA)
35. LOVE IS ON A ROLL-Don Williams (MCA)
36. THE ROSE-Conway Twitty (Elektra)
37. HOUSTON(MEANS I'M ONE DAY...)-Gatlins(Col)
38. LUCILLE-Waylon Jennings (RCA)
39. IN TIMES LIKE THESE-Barbara Mandrell(MCA)
40. TELL ME A LIE-Janie Fricke (Columbia)
41. TENNESSEE WHISKEY-George Jones (Epic)
42. FLIGHT 309 TO TENNESSEE-Shelly West(Viva)
43. LOST IN THE FEELING-Conway Twitty (WB)
44. YOUR LOVE IS ON THE LINE-E.T.Conley(RCA)
45. ...RUIN MY BAD REPUTATION-R.McDowell(Ep)
46. I ALWAYS GET LUCKY-George Jones (Epic)
47. SNAPSHOT-Sylvia (RCA)
48. YOU TAKE ME FOR GRANTED-M.Haggard(Epic)
49. NIGHT GAMES-Charley Pride (RCA)
50. FOOL FOR YOUR LOVE-Mickey Gilley(Epic)
51. I HAVE LOVED YOU,GIRL-E.T.Conley (RCA)
52. SCARLET FEVER-Kenny Rogers (Liberty)
53. NEW LOOKS FROM AN OLD LOVER-B.J.Thomas(Col.,
54. STILL TAKING CHANCES-Michael Murphey(Lib.)
55. YOU LOOK SO GOOD IN LOVE-G.Strait (MCA)
56. GONNA GO HUNTIN' TONIGHT-Hank Jr.(Elek)
57. WHY BABY WHY-Charley Pride (RCA)
- *58. LIKE NOTHING EVER HAPPENED-Sylvia (RCA)
59. THE LOVE SHE FOUND IN ME-G.Morris (WB)
60. SHINE ON-George Jones (Epic)
61. WHATEVER HAPPENED TO...-B.J.Thomas (Col.)
62. SOUNDS LIKE LOVE-Johnny Lee (Full Moon/Asy.)
63. YOU'RE OUT DOING WHAT...-G.Watson (Cap.)
64. WHY DO I HAVE TO CHOOSE-Willie (Col.)
65. YOU DON'T KNOW LOVE-Janie Fricke (Col.)
66. TALK TO ME-Mickey Gilley (Epic)
67. QUEEN OF MY HEART-Hank Williams Jr. (Elek)
68. YOU'RE THE FIRST TIME...-Reba McEntire(Mer.)
69. AMARILLO BY MORNING-George Strait (MCA)
70. BABY I LIED-Deborah Allen (RCA)
71. YOU PUT THE BEAT IN MY HEART-E.Rabbitt(WB)
72. SLOW BURN-T.G.Sheppard (Curb/WB)
73. I.O.U.-Lee Greenwood (MCA)
74. SAVE ME-Louise Mandrell (RCA)
75. WHAT AM I GONNA DO-Merle Haggard (Epic)
76. YOUR LOVE SHINES THROUGH-Mickey Gilley(Ep.)
77. I LOVE HER MIND-Bellamy Brothers (Curb)
78. WHY DO WE WANT WHAT WE...-R.McEntire (Mer.)
79. IT HASN'T HAPPENED YET-Rosanne Cash (Col.)
80. THE RIDE-David Allen Coe (Columbia)
81. LEAVE THEM BOYS ALONE-Hank Jr. (Elektra)
82. MIDNIGHT FIRE-Steve Wariner (RCA)
- *83. GOING WHERE THE LONELY GO-M.Haggard (Epic)
84. STRANGER IN MY HOUSE-Ronnie Milsap (RCA)
85. EVERYTHING'S BEAUTIFUL-Willie & Dolly(Monu.)
86. HEARTACHE TONIGHT-Conway Twitty (WB)
87. MY FIRST TASTE OF TEXAS-Ed Bruce (MCA)
88. WITH YOU-Charly McClain (Epic)
89. IN MY EYES-John Conlee (MCA)
90. GOIN' DOWN HILL-John Anderson (WB)
91. THE SOUND OF GOODBYE-Crystal Gayle (WB)
92. OH BABY MINE-Statler Bros. (Mercury)
93. THE WIND BENEATH MY WINGS-G.Morris(WB)
94. HANGIN' AROUND-The Whites (Elektra)
95. C.C.WATERBACK-Haggard & Jones (Epic)
96. EVERY HEART SHOULD HAVE ONE-C.Pride (RCA)
97. (LOST HIS LOVE)ON OUR...-Emmylou (WB)
98. WAY DOWN DEEP-Vern Gosdin (Compleat)
99. ALL MY LIFE-Kenny Rogers (Liberty)
100. IN THE MIDDLE OF THE NIGHT-M.Tillis (MCA)

*Carry over from 1982.

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Country Music

(Editor, Elma Greer)

Prime Mover

YOU WERE A GOOD FRIEND-Kenny Rogers (Liberty)

Top Add

YOU'VE REALLY GOT A HOLD ON ME-Mickey Gilley (Epic)

Top Country Hits

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3.	1.	YOU LOOK SO GOOD IN LOVE-G.Strait	19.	16.	ANOTHER MOTEL MEMORY-Shelly West
1.	2.	HOUSTON (MEANS I'M ONE DAY.)-Gatlins	6.	17.	A LITTLE GOOD NEWS-Anne Murray
4.	3.	SLOW BURN-T.G.Sheppard	13.	18.	I WONDER WHERE WE'D BE...-V.Gosdin
5.	4.	QUEEN OF MY HEART-Hank Williams Jr.	24.	19.	AFTER ALL-Ed Bruce
9.	5.	EVERY HEART SHOULD HAVE ONE-C.Pride	23.	20.	RUNAWAY HEART-Louise Mandrell
7.	6.	IN MY EYES-John Conlee	27.	21.	I CALL IT LOVE-Mel McDaniel
8.	7.	THE SOUND OF GOODBYE-Crystal Gayle	30.	22.	YOU WERE A GOOD FRIEND-Kenny Rogers
10.	8.	OZARK MOUNTAIN JUBILEE-Oak Ridge Boys	20.	23.	THE CONVERSATION-Waylon & Hank Jr.
2.	9.	BLACK SHEEP-John Anderson	11.	24.	TELL ME A LIE-Janie Fricke.
12.	10.	SHOW HER-Ronnie Milsap	--.	25.	STAY YOUNG-Don Williams
15.	11.	YOU MADE A WANTED MAN...-R.McDowell	29.	26.	DRIVING WHEEL-Emmylou Harris
18.	12.	DOUBLE SHOT-Joe Stampley	28.	27.	WOUNDED HEARTS-Mark Gray
16.	13.	SENTIMENTAL OL' YOU-Charly McClain	17.	28.	TAKE IT TO THE LIMIT-Willie & Waylon
14.	14.	YOU'RE A HARD DOG-Gail Davies	--.	29.	WHY LADY WHY-Gary Morris
21.	15.	THAT'S THE WAY LOVE GOES-M.Haggard	--.	30.	DON'T CHEAT IN OUR HOMETOWN-R.Skaggs

Action Sides

YOU'RE GONNA LOSE HER...-Moe Bandy (Col)
 TWO CAR GARAGE-B.J.Thomas (Clev.Int./Col.)
 STREET TALK-Kathy Mattea (Mercury)
 DRINKIN' MY WAY BACK HOME-Gene Watson (Cap)
 I NEVER QUITE GOT BACK-Sylvia (RCA)
 ELIZABETH-Statler Brothers (Mercury)
 MISS UNDERSTANDING-David Willis (RCA)
 LONELY WOMEN MAKE GOOD LOVERS-S.Wariner(RCA)
 LONESOME 7-7203-Darrell Clanton (Audiograph)
 THERE AIN'T NO FUTURE-R.McEntire (Mercury)

Gaining in Several Markets

GOING, GOING, GONE-Lee Greenwood (MCA)
 BACK ON HER MIND AGAIN-J.Rodriguez (Epic)
 NOTHING LIKE FALLING IN LOVE-E.Rabbitt (WB)
 YOU REALLY GO FOR THE HEART-Dan Seals (Lib.)
 WOKE UP IN LOVE-Exile (Epic)
 GIVE ME BACK THAT OLD FAMILIAR...-Whites(WB)
 DOES HE EVER MENTION MY NAME-R.& J.Carnes (WB)
 WITHOUT A SONG-Willie Nelson (Columbia)
 SAVE THE LAST DANCE FOR ME-Dolly Parton (RCA)
 HAVE YOU LOVED YOUR...-C.Dillingham (MCA)

Dropped: #22-Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, #25-E.T.Conley, #26-Deborah Allen,Rex Allen Jr.

Airplay

(New listings are underlined>)

YOU'RE WELCOME TO TONIGHT-L.Anderson (Per.) TELL MAMA-Terri Gibbs (MCA)
 YOU'VE REALLY GOT A HOLD ON ME-Gilley(Ep.) THE MAN I USED TO BE-Boxcar Willie (Main St.)
 WE DIDN'T SEE A THING-Charles & Jones(Col.) BLACK AND WHITE-David Frizzell (Viva)
 THREE TIMES A LADY-Conway Twitty (WB) FALLEN ANGEL-Gus Hardin (RCA)
 HAD A DREAM-The Judds (RCA) TILL YOUR MEMORY'S GONE-Bill Medley (RCA)

Country LP Cuts

CORRESPONDENTS' PREFERRED ALBUM CUTS

Kenny Rogers-BURIED TREASURE/EVENING STAR/EYES THAT SEE IN THE DARK
 Jim Glaser-YOU'RE GETTIN' TO ME AGAIN/CLOSE FRIENDS/PRETEND/WOMAN WOMAN
 Ricky Skaggs-UNCLE PEN/I'M HEAD OVER HEELS IN LOVE/HONEY (OPENING THAT DOOR)
 Hank Williams Jr.-MAN OF STEEL/NOW I KNOW HOW GEORGE FEELS/LOVESICK BLUES
 T.G.Sheppard-BLANK CHECK/SOMEWHERE DOWN THE LINE/FIRST THINGS FIRST
 Crystal Gayle-VICTIM OR A FOOL/TURNING AWAY/COME BACK/YOU MADE A FOOL OF ME/ME AGAINST...
 Oak Ridge Boys-IN THE PINES/BREAK MY MIND/ALICE IS IN WONDERLAND/I GUESS IT NEVER HURTS...
 Steve Wariner-I CAN HEAR KENTUCKY CALLING ME/MIDNIGHT FIRE/DON'T GIVE UP ON LOVE/HONEY WHY
 Exile-TAKE ME TO THE RIVER/HERE I GO AGAIN/AFTER ALL THESE YEARS/THIS COULD BE THE START...
 Barbara Mandrell-OVERNIGHT SENSATION/YOU ARE NO ANGEL/BAD BOYS/A MAN'S NOT A MAN
 John Anderson-HAUNTED HOUSE/CALL ON ME/LET SOMEBODY ELSE DRIVE
 Gail Davies-BOYS LIKE YOU/IT'S YOU ALONE

Roundup

(Listed below in regional order are the adds reported by these correspondents.)

NORTHEAST

Portland (Hal Knight-WPOR) Clanton/Twitty/Anderson & Morris/Charles & Jones/Dolly.
Carlisle (Al Brodie-WHYL) K.Rogers/Exile/W.Nelson/S.Wariner/L.Greenwood.
Wilmington (Chris Michaels-WAMS) Greenwood/Wariner/Carnes/Statlers/Exile/McEntire.

SOUTHEAST

Baltimore (Todd Grimsted-WPOC) Add Deb-Sylvia/Steve Wariner.
Charleston (Bruce Clark-WQBE) Tony Joe White/Steve Wariner.
Shelby (Bob Davis-WOHS) Lee Greenwood/Eddie Rabbitt/Willie Nelson/R.Charles & G.Jones/
 Bill Medley/Boxcar Willie/Margo Smith.
Elberton (Ron Wetherbee-WWRK) E.Rabbitt/L.Lynn/L.Everette/B.Medley.
Soperton (Dan Stancil-WMPZ) E.Rabbitt/Charles & Jones/Willie Nelson/David A.Coe/
 Margo Smith/Bill Medley/Loretta Lynn.
Albany (Jaxson Riley-WJAZ) David Frizzell/Anderson & Morris/Reeves/T.Jones/W.Alexander/
 Winslow/Dillingham/Hardin.
Crescent City (Judie Bright-WBAS) Boxcar Willie (pk)/Skaggs (CHEAT)/Whites/Willie/
 Sylvia/Reba McEntire/Statlers.
Ft.Pierce (R.Michael Greene-WFTP) D.Clanton/S.Wariner/Whites/Rex Jr.
Panama City (Nick McKay-WWQK) K.Mattea (40)/R.& J.Carnes/Judds/T.Hensley/Boxcar Willie/
 P.Carlson/Statlers/J.& M.Younger.
St.Petersburg (Bill Pyne-WQYK/FM) L.Greenwood/Whites/Judds/Charles & Jones.
Destin (Skip Davis-WMMK) P.McCartney/Dolly Parton/Gilley/Judds/Conway Twitty/
 Whites/Rabbitt.
Pensacola (Kris O'Kelly-WOWW) Whites/Gibbs/T.J.White/Dillingham/Charles & Jones/Twitty.

SOUTH

Atmore (Roy W.Harrison-WSKR) M.Gilley/D.Parton/B.J.Thomas/C.Twitty.
Tuscaloosa (Jeff Speegle-WACT) Darrell Clanton/Dolly Parton.
Talladega (Chuck Woodard-WEYY) Twitty/Winslow/Frizzell/Reeves/Judds/Gilley.
Madison/Huntsville (Mike Seavers-WABT) D.Parton/C.Twitty/Judds.
Pascagoula (Pache-WGUD) L.Mandrell/C.Pride/Waylon & Hank Jr./D.Clanton.
Houma (Larry Hyatt-KJIN) M.Gray/J.Rodriguez/D.Wills/Statlers/L.Greenwood.
Abbeville (Anthony Keith-KASC) G.Davies/D.Williams/L.Greenwood/G.Watson.
Sulphur (Bruce Merchant-KTQQ) K.Mattea/R.Skaggs/Sylvia/B.J.Thomas/R.& J.Carnes.
Shreveport (Pete Briar-KWKH) Dolly/Hardin/Rabbitt/R.McEntire/T.Jones/Boxcar Willie/
 Big Al/Brady Clark.
Monroe (Brian Ringo-KNOE) C.Twitty/D.Parton/B.J.Spears.
Stamps (Mike Perry-KMSL/FM) G.Davies/C.McClain/E.Harris/K.Mattea/R.Skaggs.
Little Rock (Don Cook-KLRA) Gilley/Spacek/Neely/R.Smith/Waters.
Lynchburg (Mike Jaquish-WTNX) W.Nelson/E.Rabbitt/R.Charles & G.Jones/The Whites/
 Boxcar Willie/R.Whittaker/J.Rodriguez.
Nashville (Greg Lindahl-WSM) Shelly West.
Crossville (Bob Roberts-WCSV) L.Brody/C.Twitty/R.Skaggs (CHILDREN)/B.J.Thomas/S.Spacek.
Harlan (Patty Ruhl-WFSR) Russell Smith/Ian Tyson/D.Clanton/P.Issacson/W.Alexander/
 D.Blackwell & Jill Hollier/G.Hardin/Sam Neely/Gilley/Conway/David Frizzell.
Glasgow (Todd Steenbergen-WCDs) Morris/Rabbitt/Whites/Carlson/Charles & Jones/Jump-Saddle.
Paducah (Steve Bunyard-WKYQ) C.Twitty/G.Hardin/S.Wariner.
Louisville (Ed Phillips-WCII) Conway Twitty/Reba McEntire.

CENTRAL

Cincinnati (Doris Thompson-WSXF/WSAI) Add Deb-L.Greenwood/D.Parton/Sylvia.
Springfield (Scott Brody-WBLY) Charles & Jones/Anderson & Morris/Rabbitt/L.Frizzell.
Newark (Sam Wilder-WHTH) M.Gilley/C.McClain/Judds/D.Frizzell.
Akron (Rick Cardarelli-WSLR) Willie/McEntire/Medley/Statlers/Dolly.
Cleveland (Bill Stedman-WHK) Rabbitt/Greenwood/Twitty/T.Jones/Dolly/Charles & Jones.
Toledo (Gary Shores-WKLR) D.A.Coe/B.Higgins/Spacek/Robin Lee/Willie/Joe Waters/
 Hardin/Medley/Charles & Jones/Winslow.
 - - - (Bill Manders-WTOD) Eddie Rabbitt/David Frizzell/Lee Greenwood/Dolly Parton/
 Big Al Downing/Bill Medley/Exile.
Lansing (Wayne Waters-WITL) L.Greenwood/E.Rabbitt/Whites.
Saginaw (Tom Samoray-WKCC) Whites/Judds.
South Bend (J.K.Dearing-WNDU) D.Clanton/V.Gosdin/E.Rabbitt.
Elkhart (Rick Carson-WCMR) E.Harris/K.Rogers/G.Morris.
Indianapolis (J.D.Cannon-WFMS) C.Twitty/Judds/M.Gilley.
 - - - (Terry Fullen-WIRE) Skaggs/D.Seals/Johnny Rodriguez/Gene Watson/Sylvia/
 E.Harris/D.Parton.
Decatur (B.J.Thomas-WDZQ) Greenwood/Morris/Statlers/Carnes/D.Seals/Lynn.
Ann (Robert Blythe-WRAJ) Earle/M.Gilley/S.Winslow/D.Frizzell.

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Freeport (Bill Johnson-WFRL) Statler Brothers/Steve Wariner.
Dodgeville (Richard Carroll-WDMP) Shelly West/Ed Bruce/Don Williams/Boxcar Willie/M.Smith.
Milwaukee (Brian Jarrett-WBCS) McDaniel (30)/Rabbitt/Sylvia/Watson/Greenwood.
Oshkosh (John Carlson-WYTL) S.Wariner/R.McEntire/E.Rabbitt/Statlers/Exile.
Manitowoc (Jon Murray-WCUB) Whites/R. & J.Carnes/E.Rabbitt.
Stevens Point (Bouley/Polum-WXYQ) Kenny Rogers.
LaCrosse (Charlie Cassidy-WLXR) C.McClain/D.Williams/L.Mandrell.
Eau Claire (Chris Jay-WJJK) D.Seals/Younger/Boxcar Willie/Anderson & Morris/Rabbitt/Carnes.
Albert Lea (Kevin Flynn-KATE) Add Deb-Gilley (38)/Skaggs (CHILDREN-39)/D.Frizzell (40).
St.Cloud (Steve Stewart-WWJO) G.Hardin/J. & M.Younger/C.Twitty/D.A.Coe/W.Nelson.
Brainerd (Bob Randall-KQBR) Whites/Judds/Charles & Jones.
Moorhead (Brandy Lee-KVOX) Gilley/Dolly/S.Earle/R.Skaggs (CHILDREN).
Crookston (Keith Cumming-KROX) The Judds/Merle Haggard/B.J.Thomas/Ricky Skaggs/Jim Reeves/
 Boxcar Willie/Eddie Rabbitt/The Whites.
Grand Forks (Jack Lundy-KKXL) Merle Haggard/Ed Bruce.
 ----- (Al Casey-KRRK) Anderson & Morris/D.Parton/Whites/L.Greenwood/C.Twitty.
 ----- (Don Wright-KYCK) McDaniel (27)/M.Gray (28)/B.JJ.Thomas.
Minot (Jeri Gutensohn-KKOA) G.Davies/D.Parton/E.Rabbitt.
Jamestown (Marty Bea-KSJB) K.T.Good/B.J.Spears/Twitty/David Frizzell/The Whites/
 S.Spacek/T.J.White/Issacson/Rabbitt.
Fargo (Don Roberts-KFGO) M.Gilley/Winslow/E.Rabbitt/J.Grayson/Boxcar Willie/S.Neely/
 J. & M.Younger/Chantilly/D.Frizzell/Spacek/J.Cash/Kix Brooks/S.Earle/Dekly.
Wahpeton (Tim Peterson-KBMW) Lee Greenwood/Whites/Lefty Frizzell/D.A.Coe/Spears/
 Boxcar Willie/Charles & Jones.
Aberdeen (Steve Blake-KKAA) B.J.Thomas/D.Wills/K.Mattea/E.Rabbitt.
Rapid City (Lonnie Glasford-KIMM) Skaggs/Greenwood/Whites/Charles & Jones/Willie/Rabbitt.
 - - - (Tom Edwards-KTOQ) Rex Jr. (re-add)/Lee Greenwood/Gus Hardin (pk).
Huron (Roger Bierstedt-KOKK) T.Gibbs/Dillingham/Twitty/Watson/Lee Greenwood/
 G.Hardin/Gilley.
Sioux Falls (Rohrer/Linn-KIOV/KXRB) G.Hardin/M.Gilley/W.Alexander.
Spencer (Rick Friday-KICD/FM) Greenwood/Charles & Jones/L.Frizzell/Willie/Hardin/Reeves.
Sioux City (Ty Cooper-KMNS) R.Skaggs/Sylvia/B.J.Thomas/E.Rabbitt/The Judds/D.Parton/
 B.Medley/Wariner.
Ft.Dodge (Dale Eichor-KWMT) Willie/J.Cash/Judds/L.Anderson & G.Morris/Boxcar Willie/
 Gilley/Winslow/B.J.Spears/R.Charles & Jones.
Mason City (Myron Grage-KSMN) J.Cash/Judds/M.Gilley/B.J.Spears.
Cedar Falls (Kevin Kane-KCFI) L.Greenwood/S.Wariner/R.McEntire/Rex Jr./G.Watson.
Waterloo (Nick Thomas-KXEL) D.Clanton/Whites/G.Hardin/D.Seals.
Anamosa (Ken Albrecht-KLEH) Medley/Rabbitt/Whites/Anderson & Morris/Hensley/Downing.
Ankeny/Des Moines (Beverlee Bleisch-KJJY) L.Greenwood/Sylvia/C.Twitty/Younger/Dolly.
Des Moines (Frank Kennedy-KSO) Jump 'N' Saddle/Anderson & Morris/Winslow/Hardin/Dolly.

MIDWEST

St.Louis (Mike Carta-WIL) L.Greenwood/Statlers/S.Wariner/C.Dillingham/Whites.
 - - - (Nancy Crocker-KSD) Dolly/Willie/S.Wariner/C.Twitty/R.Smith.
Festus (Susie Cresswell-KJCF) Conway Twitty/Eddie Rabbitt.
Cape Girardeau (Al Douglas-KZYM) R.McEntire/S.Wariner/D.Seals/L.Greenwood.
Springfield (Jim Borrett-KWTO) Rabbitt/Dolly/D.Seals/Charles & Jones/Anderson & Morris.
Joplin (Tom Jordan-WMBH) Steve Wariner/R. & J.Carnes/Exile.
Jefferson City (Brian Miller-KLIK) K.Rogers/E.Rabbitt/D.Parton.
St.Joseph (Bob Orf-KFEQ) Mickey Gilley/Johnny Cash.
Topeka (Betty Lou Pardue-KSKX) Maines Bros./Judds/R. & J.Carnes/David Frizzell.
 - - - (Ray Marshall-WIBW) D.Parton/Whites/Boxcar Willie/C.Twitty/Jump 'N' Saddle.
Wichita (Al Jamieson-KFH) Dolly Parton/Willie Nelson/J.Waters.
Garden City (Judy Byrd-KBUF) Judds/Anderson & Morris/Willie/Rabbitt/J. & M.Younger/
 Charles & Jones/Dolly.

SOUTHWEST

Longview (Mike Messner-KEES) No adds.
Tyler (Mark Williams-KDOK) McEntire (39)/T.J.White/S.Wariner.
Bryan (Roy Gene-KORA) No adds.
College Station/Bryan (Andy Gallo-WGAW) Watson/Thomas/McDaniel/Clanton/R.Thompson/Boxcar.
Houston (Candea/Pipia-KILT) Add Deb-M.Bandy/G.Morris/K.Rogers/D.Williams.
Pt.Arthur/Beaumont (Mickey Ashworth-KYKR) Judds/Statlers/Charles & Jones.
Victoria (Marvin Paul-KNAL) K.T.Good/K.Mattea/Anderson & Morris/Younger/D.Rogers (pk).
 - - - (Chris Robbins-KCWM) L.Greenwood/D.Parton/E.Rabbitt.
Corpus Christi (Jerry Sublett-K-99) M.Haggard/G.Davies/D.Williams.
Alice (Angel Gonzalez-KOPY) Judds/Skaggs/Gilley/Neely/Twitty/D.Parton (pk).

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El Paso (Bob Young-Y96) R.McDowell/Exile/R. & J.Carnes.
Austin (Steve Gary-KVET) S.West/Greenwood/Gilley/Sparks/Exile.
 - - - (Steve Gary-KASE) M.Gilley/Judds/S.West/G.Hardin.
Elgin/Austin (Dave Granger-KELG) Whites/Charles & Jones/Dolly/T.Jones/T.J.White.
Abilene (Karen Singleton-KWKC) Milsap (22)/Louise Mandrell (26)/Dillingham.
Lubbock (Andrews/Byers-KFYO) Gilley/M.Campbell/D.Frizzell/Reeves/Big Al/Dolly/Twitty.
Amarillo (Lee/Avery-KBUY) J.Stampley/R.Skaggs (CHILDREN)/G.Morris/B.J.Thomas.
Albuquerque (Charles Moran-KRST) K.Rogers (40)/Medley/Twitty/Statlers/Willie.
Las Cruces (Colin Gromatzky-KGRT) Dolly/Twitty/Hardin.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN

Pueblo (Mike Daniels-KCCY) M.Gilley/B.J.Thomas/Gus Hardin.
Ft.Collins (Mike St.James-KIIX) Dolly/Hardin/Wickline/Judds/T.J.White /Twitty.
Grand Junction (Don Rhea-KQIL) Whites/Winslow/D.Frizzell/Twitty/Gilley.
Billings (James Louis Marable-KGHL) McDaniel/Bandy/Wariner/Statlers/Greenwood.
Wolf Point (Dean McMartin-KVCK) Rabbitt/Drennon/Twitty/Sierra/Gilley/P.Carlson/Whites/
 Winslow/S.Earle/K.Dale/David Frizzell/I.Tyson.
Polson (Greg Perkins-KERR) L.Greenwood/Anderson & Morris/Judds/Jones & Charles/Dolly.
Missoula (Mike Doty-KGVO) B.J.Thomas/Greenwood/McEntire/Wariner/Statlers.
Weiser (Doug Donoho-KWEI) Bruce/Medley/Greenwood/Rabbitt/Whites/Judds.

FAR WEST

Las Vegas (Chuck Manning-KRAM) Greenwood/Wariner/Whites/T.Bell/Jump 'N' Saddle.
 - - - (Johnny Steele-KVEG) J.& M.Younger/Mike Campbell/K.T-Good/D.A.Coe/Dolly/Boxcar Willie/
 Charles & Jones/Big Al/Willie/Robin Lee/Twitty/G.Hardin.
Victorville (R.F.Burns-KLIN) Skaggs/Sylvia/Thomas/McEntire/Exile.
Brawley (Adrienne Richardson-KROP) L.Prewitt/Wickline/Carlson/Drennon/Medley.
San Diego (Mike Brady-KSON) Judds/Rodriguez/Twitty/Anderson & Morris/L.Prewitt (local).
Orange (John Dzima-KIKF) M.Gilley/T.Bell/David Frizzell.
Los Angeles (Cathy Hahn-KLAC) Sheena Easton.
Hanford (Doug McGinnis-KNGS) Anderson & Morris/Conley/Judds/Rabbitt/Whites/Carnes/L.Frizzell.
Pacific Grove (Rory Michaels-KOCN) Dolly/D.Seals/Greenwood/Dillingham/Willie.
Modesto (Ron Stevens-KNIX) Sylvia/Anderson & Morris/Judds/Rabbitt.
San Francisco/Oakland (Laurie Sayres-KNEW) Skaggs (CHEAT)/Thomas/Exile.
 - - - (Laurie Sayres-KSAN)Wariner/Gilley/Statlers/Twitty.
Vallejo (Don DeFesi-KNBA) Gilley/Greenwood/Wariner.
Lakeport (Bill Bowker-KBLC) Rabbitt/Whites/Medley/Haggard/Greenwood.
Sacramento (Rick Stewart-KRAK) Morris/Sylvia/Wariner/Twitty.
Reno (George Sepulveda-KOLO) No adds.
Chico (Rory Miller-KHSL) Twitty/Spacek/Reeves/Winslow/M.Campbell/T-Good/Big Al.
Ashland/Medford (Ron Stevens-KCMX) Twitty/D.Frizzell/Gilley/E.T.Conley.
Eugene (Dan Williams-KEED) D.Dierks/B.Dorsey/G.Gerrior.
Redmond (Joe Boyer-KPRB) Spears/Issacson/Hardin/Rabbitt/Big Al/Whites/Neely/Willie/Dolly.
Albany (David Allen-KRKT) Winslow/David Frizzell.
Corvallis (Larry Blair-KFAT) Judds/N.Young/Whites/Gilley/S.Earle/Tyson/Twitty/Mohead.
Toledo (Rich Mack-KTDO) Gilley/D.Frizzell/C.Twitty.
Salem (Eddie Edwards-KGAY) David Frizzell/Mickey Gilley.
Astoria (Bob Loucks-KVAS) Dolly/Rabbitt/Spacek/Whites/Neely/Judds/Anderson & Morris/Boxcar.
Portland (Craig West-KRDR) Winslow/Medley/Gilley/Wickline.
Vancouver (Paul Duckworth-KVAN) Dolly/C.Twitty.
Kennewick (Ed Evens-KOTY) Gilley/Twitty/D.Frizzell/D.Rogers/J.Stampley/Sylvia.
Clarkston (Jon Noel-KCLK) Statlers/Willie/L.Anderson & G.Morris/E.Rabbitt.
Yakima (Bob Walker-KUTI) B.J.Spears/Whites/Dolly/Twitty/Rabbitt.
Seah/Yakima (Mike Pursell-KYXE) Thomas/Wariner/Wills/Rabbitt/Willie/Dolly/Dillingham/Mattea.
Kirkland (Jessica Mansell-KGAA) Twitty/Gilley/Tyson.
Everett/Seattle (Wayne Cordray-KWYZ) Gilley (38)/Mark Gray.
Vancouver (Weird Harold-CKWX) Moe Bandy/Mid.Rodeo Bd./D.Clanton (pk).
Calgary (Robin Ingram-CFAC) Skaggs/Judds/G.Gerrior/W.Alexander/Reeves/K.Rogers.

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P. D. Notebook

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YEAR-END COLUMN

Looking back over the last year in broadcasting, it strikes me that it has been the technology, rather than the programming, that has set the tone for 1983.

Computers: They've been in broadcasting for years, but primarily by the few rather than the many--and the well-heelled rather than the marginally profitable. The enormous advances in miniaturization and mass production of digital devices brought about within the space program are now reaching the street, and computerization in traffic and accounting is now becoming commonplace even in small stations, as is computer control of the music library. The new generation of transmitters have digital devices to monitor functions and permit precise control in a way not previously possible. The NAB and NRBA exhibit halls this year were ablaze with the light of CRT tubes; and the audio offshoot, digital sound, is entering the consumer marketplace in the form of the "CD," or compact disc. Radio has yet to deal with the challenge posed by the new digital audio technology, which exceeds its current ability to transmit.

AM Stereo. The question one year ago was: will one system emerge, allowing a broadcaster consensus to develop, resulting in widespread adoption of AM stereo by radio stations.... or would the battle between the four competing systems unleashed by the FCC result in the death of all of them? Now, thanks primarily to Sony, the gordian knot has been cut, a radio is in the marketplace that receives ALL the competing systems, and does so inexpensively and with high audio quality. It is now up to AM broadcasters themselves to determine whether AM stereo will live--stereo broadcasting must become widespread in order to force more manufacturers to make AM stereo receivers, and to encourage Sony to continue its bold experiment. With Sony's move, it appears at least three systems will be with us for the foreseeable future, and it no longer matters a great deal which system broadcasters choose to go with--as long as they do go with one, and do it in 1984.

As for the competing systems themselves, at year-end, Harris still has the lead in numbers of stations on-line and transmitting their system, despite a brief snafu by the FCC that for a short time shut it off the air in September. Kahn-Hazeltine seems to be in second place; Motorola made some gains during the FCC re-evaluation of Harris, and Magnavox at the moment seems to be on the air only at a small handful of stations. I was on record last year as favoring the Harris system, and I still do. When all the competing claims are set aside, the fact remains that only the Harris system is a linear system--thus being the only one allowing full stereo separation in the treble range, and the only one that can take full advantage of the important "synchronous detection" improvement in receivers.

S.C.A. These three letters were the buzzword of the NRBA convention in New Orleans this year; they stand for "subsidiary communications authority," and they represent the way in which FM stations may greatly increase their revenue by broadcasting special programming, data, paging, even slow-scan video, and undoubtedly many services not yet thought of, on inaudible high-frequency portions of their signal, with no degradation to the main audio channel. The idea is as old as FM itself, but the surge this year was due to the FCC's removing restrictions on types of services that could and could not be transmitted this way, combined with new products and equipment which eliminate any audible effect on the main channel of SCA use. In fact, the new technology has opened the way for a single station to transmit several separate SCA services simultaneously, thus multiplying the profit potential for FM broadcasters.

Programming. The two most notable events in the year in my opinion were the return to top 40 radio thanks primarily to the relentless efforts of the ageless consultant Mike Joseph, who has been proving for over two decades that basic top 40 always works, and never goes out of style...and we also saw a decline in country programming, due entirely to the departure from the format by the stations who hoped to cash in on an "urban cowboy" fad, and found the fad was dead before their bandwagon even got moving. This prompted the disgruntled departers to announce that the country audience is in a decline. Ridiculous. Established and responsive country stations are growing, if anything; country is about as eternal as top 40--if it's done right.

Predictions. More of the same, in the advance of the technology of sound and broadcasting; more computers too. In programming, I suspect that some of the "bloom" will be fading from the "rose" of the big band nostalgia format, and there may be a bit of a shakeout in satellite program services.

Black Radio Top 100

(Editor, Betty Hollars)

1. AIN'T NOBODY-Rufus & Chaka Khan (W.Bros.)
2. ALL NIGHT LONG.-Lionel Richie (Motown)
3. TIME WILL REVEAL-DeBarge (Gordy)
4. SAY SAY SAY-P.McCartney/M.Jackson (Col.)
5. I AM LOVE-Jennifer Holliday (Geffen)
6. JUICY FRUIT-Mtume (Epic)
7. SAVE THE OVERTIME...-Gladys Knight (Col.)
8. LITTLE RED CORVETTE-Prince (Warner Bros.)
9. SHE WORKS HARD...MONEY-D.Summer (Mercury)
10. BILLIE JEAN-Michael Jackson (Epic)
11. FALL IN LOVE WITH ME-E.W.& Fire (ARC/Col.)
12. COLD-BLOODED-Rick James (Gordy)
13. TOO TOUGH-Angela Bofill (Arista)
14. YOU ARE-Lionel Richie (Motown)
15. FREAK-A-ZOID-Midnight Star (Solar)
16. BOOGIE DOWN-Al Jarreau (Warner Bros.)
17. TRY AGAIN-Champaign (Columbia)
18. MORNIN'-Al Jarreau (Warner Brothers)
19. DON'T YOU GET SO MAD-J.Osborne (A&M)
20. GET IT RIGHT-Aretha Franklin (Arista)
21. STOP DOGGIN' ME AROUND-Klique (MCA)
22. INSIDE LOVE (SO PERSONAL)-G.Benson (W.B.)
23. BEST IS YET TO COME-Grover W.Jr. (Elektra)
24. FLASHDANCE (WHAT.,FEELING)-I.Cara (P'Gram)
25. LOVE IS THE KEY-Maze (Capitol)
26. YOU'RE #1 IN MY BOOK-G.Knight (Columbia)
27. I'M FREAKY-O'Bryan (Capitol)
28. DO WHAT YOU FEEL-Deniece Williams (Col.)
29. I JUST GOTTA HAVE YOU-Kashif (Arista)
30. TONIGHT-Whispers (Solar)
31. DEAD GIVEAWAY-Shalamar (Solar)
32. BEAT IT-Michael Jackson (Epic)
33. BETWEEN THE SHEETS-Isley Bros. (T-Neck)
34. I CAN MAKE YOU DANCE-Zapp (Warner Bros.)
35. STAY WITH ME TONIGHT-Jeffrey Osborne (A&M)
36. ROCK IT-Herbie Hancock (Columbia)
37. CHOOSY LOVER-Isley Bros. (T-Neck)
38. I'VE MADE LOVE TO YOU-S.Robinson (Tamla)
39. TELL ME IF YOU STILL CARE-S.O.S. (Tabu)
- *40. GOT TO BE THERE-Chaka Khan (Warner Bros.)
41. KEEP IT CONFIDENTIAL-Nona Hendryx (RCA)
42. MY LOVE-Lionel Richie (Motown)
43. I NEED YOU-Pointer Sisters (Planet)
44. DELIRIOUS/HORNY TOAD-Prince (W.Bros.)
45. PASS THE DUTCHIE-Musical Youth (MCA)
46. TOUCH A FOUR LEAF.-Atlantic Starr (A&M)
47. PARTY TRAIN-Gap Band (Total Experience)
48. WET MY WHISTLE-Midnight Star (Solar)
49. JUST BE GOOD TO ME-S.O.S.Band (Tabu)
50. CANDY GIRL-New Edition (Streetwise)
51. OUTSTANDING-Gap Band (Total Experience)
52. HOW MANY TIMES.-Dionne & Luther (Arista)
53. CRAZY-Manhattans (Columbia)
54. TONIGHT, I CELEBRATE.-Bryson/Flack (Cap.)
55. KEEP ON LOVING ME-Whispers (Solar)
56. BETCHA SHE DON'T LOVE YOU-Evelyn King (RCA)
57. YOU ARE IN MY SYSTEM-The System (Mirage)
58. KNOCKOUT-Margie Joseph (Atlantic)
59. HOW DO YOU...-Austin & Ingram (Qwest)
60. IS THIS THE END-New Edition (Streetwise)
61. JOANNA-Kool & The Gang (De-Lite)
62. UNCONDITIONAL LOVE-Donna Summer (Mercury)
63. ANGEL-Anita Baker (Beverly Glen)
64. ALL NIGHT LONG-Mary Jane Girls (Motown)
65. DO IT (LET ME SEE...)-Bar-Kays (Mercury)
- *66. THE GIRL IS MINE-McCartney & Jackson (Epic)
67. CAN'T GET OVER...-Ray Parker Jr. (Arista)
68. MIRACLES-Stacy Lattisaw (Cotillion)
69. LET'S DANCE-David Bowie (EMI)
70. BAD BOY-Ray Parker Jr. (Arista)
71. ALL THIS LOVE-DeBarge (Gordy)
72. B.Y.O.B.-Sister Sledge (Cotillion)
73. ON THE ONE-Dazz Band (Motown)
74. ARE YOU SERIOUS-Tyrone Davis (High Rize)
75. DEEPER IN LOVE-Tavares (RCA)
76. WANNA BE STARTIN' SOMETHIN'-M.Jackson (Epic)
77. I KNOW-Philip Bailey (Columbia)
78. RAID-Lakeside (Solar)
79. PILOT ERROR-Stephanie Mills (Casablanca)
80. TONIGHT I GIVE IN-Angela Bofill (Arista)
81. WOULD YOU LIKE TO...-Mtume (Epic)
82. HOLIDAY-Madonna (Sire)
83. YOU'RE A GOOD GIRL-Lillo (Epic)
84. NEVER FORGET YOUR EYES-Larry Graham (W.B.)
85. LOVE ON MY MIND-Temptations (Gordy)
86. U BRING OUT THE FREAK...-Rick James (Gordy)
87. BOTTOMS UP-Chi-Lites (LARC)
88. NIPPLE TO THE BOTTLE-Grace Jones (Island)
89. OVER & OVER-Shalamar (Solar)
90. SPICE OF LIFE-Manhattan Transfer (Atlantic)
91. EVERY GIRL WANTS MY GUY-Aretha (Arista)
92. NEVER GONNA LET YOU GO-Sergio Mendes (A&M)
93. SEXUAL HEALING-Marvin Gaye (Columbia)
- *94. TRULY-Lionel Richie (Motown)
95. ONE ON ONE-Hall & Oates (RCA)
96. STONE LOVE-Kashif (Arista)
97. PIECES OF ICE-Diana Ross (RCA)
98. NIGHT LINE-Randy Crawford (Warner Bros.)
99. ROCKIN' RADIO-Tom Browne (Arista)
100. I'M OUT TO CATCH-Leon Haywood (Casablanca)

*Carry over from 1982.

(Underlined sides are still strong at the end of 1983.)

Black Radio

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Hot Line

IF YOU ONLY KNEW-Patti LaBelle (Epic)

If there's one thing she knows, it's how to sing her way up charts.**Looking Good**

I'M ON YOUR SIDE-Angela Bofill (Arista)

This little lady has had a good year.

Top Add

EBONY EYES-Rick James & Smokey Robinson (Motown)

Correspondents' Top Thirty

LW	TW	LW	TW
1.	1.	23.	16.
4.	2.	21.	17.
2.	3.	19.	18.
5.	4.	10.	19.
9.	5.	24.	20.
3.	6.	25.	21.
11.	7.	20.	22.
12.	8.	26.	23.
7.	9.	30.	24.
16.	10.	--.	25.
17.	11.	--.	26.
18.	12.	--.	27.
13.	13.	14.	28.
8.	14.	--.	29.
6.	15.	--.	30.

Movin' On Up

LET'S TAKE TIME OUT-Howard Johnson (A&M)

FO FI FO-Pieces of a Dream (Elektra)

JAM THE MOTH-Agap Band (Total Experience)

JOYSTICK-Dazz Band (Motown)

Top Airplay

LOVE HAS A MIND OF ITS OWN-Donna Summer
 ELECTRIC KINGDOM-Twilight 22
 JEALOUS GIRL-New Edition
 HERO-Gladys Knight & Pips
 ACTION-Evelyn King
 UNISON-Junior
 MILLION DOLLAR BABE-Stacy Lattisaw
 YOU'RE THE BEST THING YET-Anita Baker
 2 WIN U BACK-Jones Girls

Correspondents Preferred Picks

*EBONY EYES-Rick James & Smokey Robinson (Motown)
 *ENCORE-Cheryl Lynn (Columbia)
 *THE DREAM-Irene Cara (Network/Geffen)
 *TAXI-Jay Blackfoot (Soundtown)
 *SHE'S TROUBLE-Musical Youth (MCA)
 *YOU'RE LOOKING LIKE LOVE TO ME-Bryson/Flack(Capitol)
 *LAGOS JUMP-Third World (Columbia)
 *LOVE SOLDIER-Lenny Williams (Rocshire)
 JUST LET ME WAIT-Jennifer Holliday (Geffen)
 DON'T GO-Dreamboy (Qwest)
 *First time listed on this page.

DROPPED

#15-Rick James (FREAK) #22-Shalamar #27-James Ingram (ANIMAL) #28-Lionel Richie
 #29-Jennifer Holliday Gloria Gaynor

Black Radio LP Cuts

Tom Browne-CRUISIN'
 Lionel Richie-LOVE WILL FIND A WAY
 Gap Band-I'M READY
 Earth, Wind & Fire-COULD IT BE RIGHT
 Dazz Band-INDISCREET STREET
 Midnight Star-SLOW JAM/ELECTRICITY
 James Ingram-THERE IS NO EASY WAY
 Teddy Pendergrass-JUST BECAUSE YOU'RE MINE
 DeeLe-VIDEO VILLIAN
 Atlantic Starr-SECOND TO NONE

PLEASE NOTE

This is our last issue of the year, 1983, which also contains our Top 100's for all formats (ours is on the next page). Please be sure to call again with your reports during the week of January 3rd, when we'll open again for the new year, 1984. Thank you for all your support this year and have a happy holiday season, wherever you are!

Regional Highlights

Austin, TX (Ken Rush-KNOW) #10-DeeLe. Gns: Madonna, GT, D Train, P.LaBelle, A.Bofill, H. Johnson, Junior, G.Knight, N.Edition. New: P.Bailey, R.James, S.Lattisaw, Jones Girls, H.Hancock. On: J.Holliday, A.Baker, E.King, Cuba Gooding, C.Lynn, Musical Youth.

Chicago, IL (Marco Spoon-WBMX/FM) Gns: DeeLe, Kliqe, O'Bryan, Gladys Knight, Twilight 22, Jenny Burton, Dazz Band. On: Ron Banks, Pieces/Dream, J.Ingram, Lenny Williams, Lillo, Slave, LTD, Fatback, Evelyn King, Bobby Nunn, Cuba Gooding, D.Summer, One Way, Indeep.

Cleveland, OH (Bobby Magic/Dean Dean-WDMT) #1-P.LaBelle, #7-Prince. Gns: Yes, Ingram, H.& Oates, Dreamboy, Malcolm X, DeeLe, E.Winter, Malcolm McClaren, D.Summer, Pieces/Dream. New: Barbara Mason, Indeep, Jenny Burton, Messenger Service, Warp 9, Freeze. On: C.Lynn.

Dallas, TX (Kenny Byrd-KNOK) Gns: Jay Blackfoot, Con Funk Shun, Rick James, DeeLe, Luther Vandross, Arnie's Love, Anita Baker, Gladys Knight, Shannon, A.Bofill, Pieces/Dream, Ingram, Rene & Angela. On: Dreamboy, R.Crawford, Ray Parker Jr., Ron Banks, P.Bailey, DTrain, Prince

Killeen, TX (St.John/Hollie-KIIZ) #1-DeeLe, #3-DeBarge, #8-G.Clinton, #10-D.Sanborn. Gns: C.Lynn, S.Mills, Kool/Gang, L.Vandross, Jay Blackfoot, Dreamboy, P.LaBelle. New: Musical Youth, E.King, J.Holliday, D.Ross, Dazz Band, P.Funk All Stars. On: D.Summer, Tavares.

Macon, GA (Charles Richardson-WDDO) #1-DeBarge, #2-McCartney/Jackson, #4-S.O.S.Band, #7-Con Funk Shun, #9-E.W.& Fire, #10-J.Osborne. Gns: L.Vandross, Ray Parker Jr., Patti Labelle, Lionel Richie. New: James Ingram/McDonald, Dazz Band, Stevie Woods.

Moss Point, MS (Etta St. James-WJKX) #1-DeBarge, #2-J.Osborne, #3-S.O.S.Band, #7-Melba Moore, #10-G.& MeTe Mel. New: The DeeLe, Ashford & Simpson, Patti LaBelle, Gladys Knight, Tavares, Ingram/McDonald. On: Hall & Oates, I.Cara, R.Dangerfield, Gift of Dreams, M.McCoo, Jump/Sdl

New Orleans, LA (Barry Richards-WAIL) Gns: Gap Band, M.Star, D Train, R.P.Jr., Dangerfield, Ingram, Osborne, Con Funk Shun, Mary Jane Girls, Melba Moore, Jay Blackfoot. On: CD3, Paula Baker, Howard Johnson, Was (Not Was), D.Summer, E.King, Elbow Bones, Indeep, Smokey Robinson.

New York, NY (Barry Mayo-WRKS) #1-New Edition, #3-Kool, #5-S.O.S., #9-D Train. Gns: Grandmixer D.St., C.Lynn, J.Burton, Freeze, R.James, P.LaBelle, B.Mason, M.McLaren. New: Fearless 4, Run DMC, Art of Noise, Lay Back. On: A.Bofill, Fatback, H.Hancock, Kashif, A.Starr, Richie.

Pittsburgh, PA (John Anthony-WAMO) #2-D Train, #6-Third World, #7-Con Funk Shun. Gns: S.Mills, Tom Tom Club, DeeLe, P.LaBelle, S.Robinson, 4 Tops, Howard Johnson. New: James Ingram, Tavares, Lionel Richie, L.Vandross, Lillo, Evelyn King, Dazz Band. On: Philippe Wynne.

Rochester, NY (Andre Marcel-WDKX) #3-McCartney/Jackson, #9-Starski. Gns: R.P.Jr., DeeLe, Lillo, I.Cara, J.Osborne, Dazz Band, Melba Moore, D Train, Pieces/Dream, Dreamboy, Tom Tom Club. New: Indeep, Run DMC, Kliqe, Lenny Williams, Grandmixer D.St., Sylvester, Output, Chic, M.Youth.

St. Matthews, SC (Andy Henderson-WQKI) #1-DeBarge, #2-S.O.S.Band, #6-DeeLe, #9-Con Funk Shun, #10-Dazz. Gns: Ashford/Simpson, G.Clinton, Gap Band, L.Richie, Pieces/Dream, L.Vandross. New: Sun, Rick James, Lenny Williams. On: Donna Summer, Irene Cara, P.Bryson/R.Flack.

San Francisco/San Mateo, CA (KSOL/FM) #2-Madonna, #4-DeBarge, #9-Ray Parker Jr. Gns: S.Mills, Shannon, L.Vandross, Musical Youth, Melba Moore, DeeLe, D.Ross, Pieces/Dream, Gap Band, Fixx. New: L.Richie, Howard Johnson, Cuba Gooding, Dazz Band, Irene Cara, Planet Patrol. On: Kliqe.

San Francisco/Oakland, CA (Harrison/Herring-KDIA) Gns: S.O.S.Band, Tierra, D.Summer, L.Richie, M.Star, M.McCoo, Madonna, P.LaBelle, D Train, Con Funk Shun, G.Clinton. On: S.Mills, Jennifer Holliday, Junior, Stacy Lattisaw, Musical Youth, Diana Ross, Spyro Gyra, Shannon, Hiroshima.

Utica, NY (Jacques Overdiep-WPNR) #2-Twilight 22, #5-West St. Mob, #9-Hawkeye. Gns: Motivation, D Train, Junior, Gap Band, Dayton, Irene Cara, A.Baker. New: Barbara Mason, Johnny Dynell & NY 88. On: 10-Speed, Who Me, Grandmixer D St., DJ Divine, Musical Youth, Will Powers.

The following stations were factored into our research as well as those listed above:

Baltimore (Jeffries/Kronthal-B104) #6-DeBarge, #10-J.Osborne. Gns: Kool, Madonna, Ray Parker, Jr., I.Cara. New: Shannon, B.Joel, C.Cross. On: KC, Rick James/S.Robinson, J.Ingram/McDonald.

Fresno (Jeff Davis-KYNO/FM) #1-McCartney/Jackson, #2-Hall & Oates, #7-Madonna, #10-Midnight Star. Gns: Kool, J.Osborne, J.Holliday, R.James, Shannon, S.O.S. New: Prince, D.Ross, Ingram.

Miami (Frank Amadeo-Y100) #1-Commodores, #2-Shannon, #6-Shalamar. Gns: Twilight 22, L.Richie, Grandmaster & M.Mel, R.Parker Jr., Kool/Gang, S.O.S.Band. New: McCartney, Ingram. On: M.Star.

New Orleans (Nick Bazoo-B97) #1-Hall & Oates, #10-I.Cara. Gns: Kool, Richie, Madonna, Osborne, Ray Parker Jr. New: J.Ingram, Shannon, P.McCartney, S.Nicks, D.Allen, 38 Special.

New York (Lisa Tonacci-WPLJ) Gns: S.O.S.Band, Midnight Star, New Edition, Skyy, J.Osborne, Ray Parker Jr., Atlantic Starr, M.Jackson (THRILLER). New: Grandmaster & M.Mel, J.Ingram.

San Francisco (Gerry Cagle-KFRC) #4-DeBarge, #7-Madonna. Gns: Shannon, E.W.& Fire, Ray Parker, Jr., Mary Jane Girls, M.Youth. New: J.Ingram, Evelyn King, Atlantic Starr. On: Prince, KC.

Stockton (John Hampton-KSTN) #1-DeBarge, #2-S.O.S.Band, #9-Kool/Gang. Gns: M.Star, L.Richie, M.Jackson (THRILLER), New Edition. New: Evelyn King, Herbie Hancock, KC, Shannon. On: R.James.

Fresno (Carey Edwards-KMGX) #2-Madonna, #6-Shannon. Gns: Kool, Ray P.Jr., S.O.S.Band, Midnight Star, J.Osborne, E.W.& Fire, R.James. New: P.McCartney, Evelyn King. On: 4 Tops, Ingram.

Looking Back—Albums of the Week

In my opinion, the following LP's were the most noteworthy in a year that saw many excellent albums of music as art, albeit pop art. (Since the Michael Jackson LP "Thriller" was released in December of 1982, it doesn't qualify for this year's analysis.)

COMEBACKS

ZZ Top, without a hit single, but considerable MTV exposure and decent Album Radio play, sold more than 2,000,000 units of "Eliminator". David Bowie leaves RCA for EMI and cashes in with the "Let's Dance" LP and three solid airplay singles. Later in the year, Yes regrouped with "90125" and in a roundabout sorta way breathed new life in their collective career.

DUDS

Three pretty well known acts tripped themselves up with suprisingly mediocre product. After lukewarm response to his live LP last year, Rod Stewart rushed in to the studio to work up original material. He came out too soon with too little. Kansas should have titled their 1983 effort, "The Grapes Of Wrath". An airplay drought haunted the LP. Le Grande Experiment of Diana Ross and producer Gary Katz only bleached the soul from the singer and found both Ross and Katz out of their elements.

CAREER BUILDERS

Released in January, Bryan Adams' "Cuts Like A Knife" LP took him from the "also rans" and made him a star. Rock radio played him all year. In March, country music's new supergroup Alabama released their "The Closer You Get" LP, which turned out to contain three of the biggest country songs of the year, DIXIELAND DELIGHT, LADY DOWN ON LOVE and THE CLOSER YOU GET. In May, a faceless but talented band called The Fixx effectively merged pop and modern with "Reach The Beach" and established a beachhead in American Radio. In September, the long awaited "Sports" LP was released by Huey Lewis and The News. Led by the track HEART AND SOUL, "Sports" is destined to win Huey and the team plenty of trophies for the mantlepiece. Look for at least two more contending singles, as pop radio is only now tiring of the first single.

ALBUMS OF THE YEAR

Among the "great" LP's of 1983 were four which I feel deserve particular attention here. Jackson Browne's "Lawyers In Love" was a passionate recital of contemporary attitude. Performed within the sufficient limits of his singing and songwriting abilities, Browne was ripped by some critics for not having "grown" or for not messing with the formula. While I wish J.B. were more prolific, I know that when he does emerge from the studio he never lets me down. On the other hand, The Police, with their "Synchronicity" LP, set new standards for both themselves and modern rock music. Led by my favorite song of the year (and rock radio's as well), EVERY BREATH YOU TAKE, "Synchronicity" rendered three hits in seven months, with probably one more to warm the Winter season. If radio were to eventually respond to the new Paul Simon LP, "Hearts And Bones", it probably would have been my Album Of The Year. Any serious audition of "Hearts And Bones" would prove it's own case. Simon writes amazing songs which are so involving they're not likely to pass the acid test of pop music sensibilities. Last but not least is my Album Of The Year - Lionel Richie's "Can't Slow Down". It may be that when we summarize the 80's, Lionel Richie will be referred to as The Sinatra of his times. The comparisons to Sinatra will come from his ability to croon with conviction and to swoon to satisfaction. Unlike Sinatra, Lionel writes songs, songs which pluck heartstrings, catch teardrops in buckets, and offer sentimentality which would shame the best of Hallmark cards.

Ron Fell

Jobs

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KKQV-Wichita Falls, Tx.	Chuck Beck (Box 4327 - 76308)	Engineer
KIXS-Killeen, Tx.	Tim Thomas (Box 880 - 76540)	Copywriter
WBNQ/FM-Bloomington, Il.	Craig Jacobus (309-829-1221)	Production Director
WNLK-Norwalk, Ct.	Drew Wilder (Box 1350 - 06852)	Talk Show Host
KSEI-Pocatello, Id.	John Scott (Box 40 - 83204)	News
WFXZ-Pinconning, Mi.	Ross Holland (Box 357 - 48650)	Air Talent/Prod.
WKAU-Appleton/Oshkosh, Wi.	Ron Ross (414-766-4663)	Air Talents (AM & PM Drive)
KNBQ-Tacoma, Wa.	Sean Lynch (Box 5200 - 98405)	Air Talent
KVOX-Fargo, N.D.	Joey Evans (Box 97 - 56560)	Air Talent (PM Drive)
KIQY-Lebanon, Or.	Ken Moultrie (743 Main St. - 97355)	Air Tal./Prod. (AM Drive)
KUBE-Seattle, Wa.	*Bob Case (110 Lakeside Ave. - 98122)	Air Talent (Part-time)
Z103-Joplin, Mo.	Tom Jordan (417-623-1450)	Air Talent/Production
KZST-Santa Rosa, CA.	Brent Farris (Box 55 - 95402)	Air Talent
WBAM/FM-Montgomery, Al.	*Neal McNeal (4740 Radio Rd. - 36198)	Air Talent (6-10PM)
WKLT/FM-Traverse City, Mi.	Chuck Poet (616-258-2800)	Air Talent

Note From Bill

The Gavin Report came of age in 1983. As we passed our quarter-century mark, we decided that it was time for the younger generation to take over the publication. For this past year, I've been an observer, rather than a participant. It's something of a novelty to see my name listed as publisher and founder "emeritus". It's also a great satisfaction to read our Report every week, and to see it continuing as sprightly and well-informed as ever. Ron Fell's album reviews - original, witty, perceptive - deserve a wider circulation. The insight and musical awareness shown by all our editors rate highest praise. From my present "emeritus" perspective, I'm more than ever aware that our people genuinely care about the music, the people who make it, and the people who broadcast it. It's because you - our readers - appreciate the quality and integrity of our Report that it can continue to operate independent of advertising revenue. For many years, I editorialized annually - "Looking Back" and "Looking Ahead". Re-reading some of my comments, I note references to many changes and trends: tight playlists, formats vs. personalities, the problems of Top 40, the growing impact of FM radio, the steady growth of country music's popular appeal, both nationally and world-wide. I wrote about the transition of rock & roll from a powerful phenomenon of adolescence to its current place in middle-age nostalgia. I wrote of computers, Arbitron, Pulse, telephone call-ins and call-outs. I wrote of radio's need for skilled research - the need to know not just "how many" but "who" are listening. In between these annual commentaries, I've enjoyed reporting the comings and goings of radio's people - their successes and disappointments, their hirings and firings, their progress through that labyrinth known as radio broadcasting. As I've said many times, I'm proud that The Gavin Report pioneered the practice of reporting the personal and humane side of radio. When Janet and I first planned meetings of radio program people, we were motivated primarily by a desire to meet as many of our radio friends as possible face to face, rather than just on the phones. These informal gatherings gradually grew into our yearly Radio Program Conferences. Now the National Association Of Broadcasters is carrying on the tradition of a nationwide dialogue among radio program people. It was a great pleasure for me to meet many of you at the Conference held in San Francisco last August. And of course I treasure the plaque they presented me, along with an honorary lifetime membership in the NAB. Last night our local public TV station, KQED, presented its fifth annual "Sing-It-Yourself Messiah". Over three thousand people - all colors and races - filled Davies Symphony Hall, singing together, letting this great music bring a warm harmony of good feeling, both to the singers and to the viewing audience. In the midst of all the world's strife and violence, this experience somehow renewed my faith that good guys can win.

Merry Christmas!

Bill Gavin

Changes

NAME	FROM	TO	POSITION
Steve Ramirez	KISW-Seattle, WA	KNBQ-Tacoma, WA	Sales
Janet Powell	KQEU-Olympia, WA	KNBQ-Tacoma, WA	Sales
Michael Donofrio	3WM/WOHO-Toledo, OH	Promoted to	Pub.Serv.Dir.
Pete Holiday	KAGE-Winona, MN	KWTO-Springfield, MO	AT (AM Dr.)
Mike Hays	KTAC-Tacoma, WA	KRKO-Everett, WA	Air Talent
Eric Worden	KRSB/KYES-Roseburg, OR	KMJK-Portland, OR	Air Talent
Ron Brüder	KNVR-Paradise, CA	KPAY-Chico, CA	Air Talent
Doug Richards	K105-Coos Bay, OR	KIQY-Lebanon, OR	Air Talent
Steve Naganuma	KMJK-Portland, OR	Promoted to	Music Dir.
Steve Morgan	KBRC-Mt. Vernon, WA	Promoted to	Music Dir.
Rip King	KIQY-Lebanon, OR	Promoted to	News Dir.
Bob Barnett	KYUU-San Francisco, CA	Promoted to	Sales Mgr.
Steve Hills	KRSB-Roseburg, OR	Promoted to	Music Dir.
Robin Kipp	KWSS-San Jose, CA	Promoted to	Music Dir.
Joel Davis	KTYL/FM-Tyler, TX	Promoted to	Music Dir.
Doug Breyer	KKRQ/FM-Iowa City, IA	Promoted to	Music Dir.
Lee Douglas	WOMT-Manitowoc, WI	Promoted to	Music Dir.
Wynn Richards	KENI-Anchorage, AK	Promoted to	Music Dir.
John Walker	KRCK-Portland, OR	KPPL-Denver, CO	Music Dir.
Pat O'Briant	KTYL/FM-Tyler, TX	KTYL/AM-Tyler, TX	Prog. Dir.
Chris Michaels	WDLB-Marshfield, WI	WFAW-Ft. Atkinson, WI	Prog. Dir.
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Jack Silver	KSHE-St.Louis, MO	KMEL-San Francisco, CA	Prog. Dir.

Publisher's Memo

1983 was, without a doubt, the biggest, most satisfying year in the 25 year history of The Gavin Report.

In February, Bill Gavin sold The Gavin Report to seven members of the staff. Also in February, we debuted BIO FEEDBACK. In August, we held a huge banquet to celebrate our 25th Anniversary. Also in August, we published a commemorative book which capsulized those first twenty+five years.

In July of 1983, we debuted Gavin Radio Services. Managed by our former intern Peter Standish, GRS has mailed more than 19,500 singles, albums and cassettes from nearly every major record company and, more importantly, from some of the newer, struggling small labels. We've decided GRS has been a success by the many supportive comments we've received from our reporting stations and from the fact that nearly every label that has used GRS once, has used it again.

Also in July, we debuted HIT FACTOR in our Top 40 research section. HIT FACTOR was, and still is, the only research statistic in any trade that can tell a programmer how well a record is doing where it's played.

During the fall of 1983, The Gavin Report reached an all-time high in both radio subscriptions and reporting stations. Our approved list of reporting stations in six formats is now nearly 1,000.

In October, The Gavin Report moved to a new suite of offices located at One Hallidie Plaza (near Powell and Market Streets) in San Francisco. In planning the move, we've made room for a sophisticated computer system, a Hewlett Packard 3000, System 39, with 200 Megabytes of memory. Hardware and software should be in place during the spring of 1984.

THE FUTURE

1984 and beyond look good for The Gavin Report. With our new offices and the forthcoming computer system, we're ready to meet the challenges of providing the research, analysis, and educated opinion that will be expected of us.

I'm proud to be associated with a staff of such dedicated people. There is a true passion among the employees of The Gavin Report to get to the facts, to give our readers the most accurate look at contemporary music. We're able to do just that because there's a strength of nearly 1,000 radio stations, taking the time to report their playlists to us each week. The Gavin Report's charts tell the real story with speed and accuracy, thanks to the conscientious efforts of our reporting stations.

The encouragement we, the new owners of The Gavin Report, have received from all corners of the business is greatly appreciated. That's about all we need to play an even bigger role in the process of hit records and winning radio stations.

The Gavin Report - The Most Trusted Name In Radio. READ IT. BELIEVE IT.

Ron Fell
Publisher

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A special thanks also to the Gavin Interns; Harry Levy, Alexis Scott, Cindy Bell, and David Melanese.

LATE MAIL

We apologize to our subscribers for the late delivery of last week's Gavin Report. Just prior to printing our December 9th issue, our printer suffered \$20,000 worth of flood damage. By the time spare parts and a pump arrived, we were 24 hours late in mailing the week's report.

Happy Holidays from The GAVIN Staff!



Clockwise from upper left: Betty Hollars, Kent Zimmerman, Lisa Smith, Dave Sholin, Elma Greer, Peter Standish, Diane Rufer, Keith Zimmerman, *Middle:* Ron Fell.