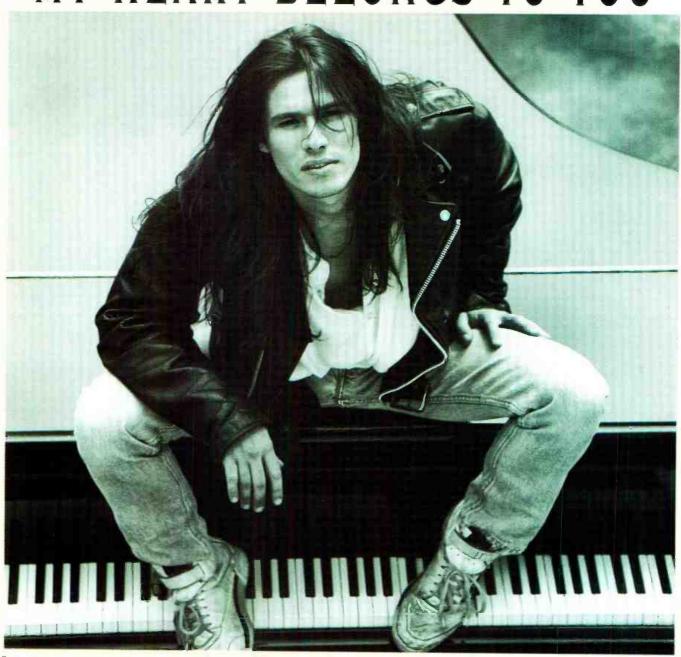


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BAD ENGLISH

Straight To Your Heart (Epic)

STEVIE NICKS

Sometimes (It's A Bitch) (Modern/Atlantic)

CURTIS STIGERS

I Wonder Why (Arista)

RECORD TO WATCH

METALLICA

Enter Sandman (Elektra)



MARIAH CAREY Emotions (Columbia)



MOST ADDED

GLADYS KNIGHT featuring DIONNE WARWICK

& PATTI LaBELLE

Superwoman (MCA)

*STEVIE WONDER

Fun Day (Motown)

*DAMIAN DAME

Right Down To It (LaFace/Arista)

*JOHNNY GILL

I'm Still Waiting (Giant/Reprise)

RECORD TO WATCH

SHABBA RANKS featuring MAXI PRIEST

Housecall (Epic)



MARIAH CAREY Emotions (Columbia)



MOST ADDED

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Klientele (PWL/Mercury)
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Where'd You Get That Funk From (Capitol Street)

BIG DADDY KANE

Ooh, Aah, Nah-Nah-Nah (Cold Chillin'/Reprise)



QUEEN LATIFAH Fly Girl (Tommy Boy)

RADIO



Alwayz Into Somethin (Priority)



MOST ADDED

NEIL DIAMOND

If There Were No Dreams (Columbia)

MARIAH CAREY

Emotions (Columbia)

MICHAEL W. SMITH

For You (Reunion/Geffen)

RECORD TO WATCH

BODEANS

Paradise (Slash/Reprise)



BOB SEGER AND THE SILVER BULLET BAND The Real Love (Capitol)



MOST ADDED

TRAVIS TRITT

Anymore (Warner Bros.)

PATTY LOVELESS

Hurt Me Bad (In A Real Good Way) (MCA) THE JUDDS

John Deere Tractor (Curb/RCA)

RECORD TO WATCH

SUZY BOGGUSS

Someday Soon (Capitol Nashville)



ALAN JACKSON Someday (Arista)



MOST ADDED

HERB ELLIS

Roll Call (Justice)

THE MANHATTAN TRANSFER

The Offbeat Of Avenues (Columbia)

TONY CAMPISE

Once In A Blue Moon (Heart Music)

RECORD TO WATCH

TONY CAMPISE

Once In A Blue Moon (Heart Music)



WYNTON MARSALIS Vol. 1 Thick In The South (Columbia)



MOST ADDED

THE MANHATTAN TRANSFER

The Offbeat Of Avenues (Columbia)

NESTOR TORRES Dance Of The Phoenix (Verve Forecast/PolyGram)

> WIND MACHINE Voices In The Wind (Silver Wave)

RECORD TO WATCH

NESTOR TORRES

Dance Of The Phoenix (Verve Forecast/PolyGram)



MOST ADDED

DIRE STRAITS

"Calling Elvis" (Warner Bros.) RUSH

"Dreamline" (Atlantic)

TESLA

"Edison Medicine" (Geffen)

RECORD TO WATCH

TESLA

Edison Medicine" (Geffen)





MOST ADDED

BILLY BRAGG

"Sexuality" (Elektra) **SMITHEREENS**

"Top Of The Pops" (Capitol)

*HOUSE OF FREAKS

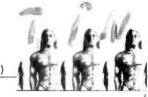
Cakewalk (Giant/Reprise)

*LLOYD COLE "She's A Girl And I'm A Man" (Capitol)

RECORD TO WATCH

AMERICAN MUSIC CLUB Everclear (Alias)





OREN HARARI IN HOTEL HELL

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WHAT DO ERIC NORBERG AND **KEVIN COSTNER HAVE IN COMMON?**

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LOGAN FINDS AN OASIS

WNUA Assistant Program Director Lamonica Logan took a step up and a step south this week as she accepted the PD slot at Gannett-owned Adult Alternative station Oasis (KOAI) in Dallas

Accustomed to breaking barriers, Logan smashes another one by becoming the the first female program director in the Dallas/ Ft. Worth market. She's been consulting the station for the past few months.

"Lamonica's knowledge of the

music and implementation of the new adult contemporary format is in a class by itself," said station President/General Manager Brenda Adriance. "Her wealth of experience at several of the most respected stations in the largest radio markets ensures the continued success of the Oasis. We're very proud to have her on our team."

Those well known stations Logan has worked at are household words in the Adult Alternative arena. She was music direc-



tor/announcer at KBLX-Berkeley/San Francisco, music director at KTWV (The Wave)-Los Angeles, and, as mentioned above, Assistant Program Director/Music Director at WNUA.

"There are a lot of people who have really been supportive of me, first and foremost my husband Junius Thomas," Logan told the Gavin Report. "I'm really pumped up. I'm going to miss everyone here at WNUA, but I feel good because I've built up another level of friends. I've wanted to be a program director for a long time, and I'm happy to have the opportunity to work with Brenda Adriance.

Logan's start date in Dallas is Wednesday, September 4.

Lewinter Up To Vice Chairman

Twenty-one year Atlantic Records executive Melvyn R. Lewinter has been promoted to Vice Chairman of The Atlantic Group. He'll retain his Chief Financial Officer title.

"Mel has played an invaluable part in Atlantic's tremendous growth over the past two decades," said company Co-Chairman/Co-CEO Ahmet M. Ertegun. Mel boasts a rare combination of business savvy and musical sensibility, making him a great asset to our executive continued next page

Simply (COMING IN



Ryan's a hit at WXRT. Future Hall Of Famer, and quite possibly the greatest pitcher of all time, Texas Rangers hurler Nolan Ryan stopped in at WXRT in Chicago before befuddling White Sox batters at Comiskey Park. Left to right: station GM Harvey Wells; Ryan; station PD Norm Winer and MD Paul

NEWS - Beverly Mire

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team."

In 1970, Lewinter began working at the label as Comptroller. In succeeding years he's served as Vice President/Comptroller, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer/Senior Vice President. His new position calls for him to continue overseeing Atlantic's financial areas while working with creative parts of all of the Atlantic Group divisions.

Said company Co-Chairman/Co-CEO Doug Morris. "Mel occupies a pivotal role in setting the course of The Atlantic Group in the nineties and beyond. Equally comfortable in financial circles and artistic circles, he is uniquely qualified to take on this key position. I am proud to consider him my right hand man, and to recognize his accomplishments and talents with this new post."

RADI-O-RAMA

The Gavin Report will be holding open house on Wednesday, September 11 from 4-6PM for everyone in town for the NAB Convention. Stop by and say hi!...Morning men Don Geronimo and Mike O'Meara and WAVA/FM-Washington, DC have filed for divorce. Both sides say it's "mutual"...Z104-Madison PD Matt Hudson has informed his bosses that he wants to move on. Meanwhile, station management has offered to let him stay on until he finds something, or until they can convince him to stay...More fireworks in Green Bay. Following former WIXX PD Wayne Coy out the door this week was Coy's morning partner Max McCartney, who quit on the air. Moving into the morning seat is Jim Murphy ("Murphy in the Morning") from Magic 102-New Orleans. Former APD/MD/PM Driver Joe Crain

Waldron Out

KISN-Salt Lake City program director/operations manager Gary Waldron has exited the station after seven years.

"Management's reasoning was that the ratings were disappointing," said Waldron frankly, "although we still are the leading Top 40 station in the market."

Waldron indicated he already has "something ready to pop."

New PD at KISN is Randy Rose.

has been moved to overnights and has decided, in his words, "strike out in the search of new programming opportunities." He can be reached at (414) 339-0398 or (618) 734-2013, and says "I'm available in your market now." Meanwhile, back at WMGV-Oshkosh/ Appleton, which is a) in the Green Bay listening area and b) current WIXX PD Dan Stone's former station, were treated to a reunion of WayneCoy & Company...Another one bites the dust: WVVY-New Bern, NC has dumped Top 40 for Classic Rock. Some staffers will remain, but not PD Alan Hoover, who left 8/30. Call him at (919) 636-2339...Ten-year KISS 108 (WXKS)-Boston part time personality Tad Bonvie moves up to Music Coordinator...KOCD-Joplin, MO APD Mark "Mojo" Wilson has been upped to PD. Ann Harlo adds APD to her MD title...Alex Tear exits WLYY/Y102-Lansing, MI where he was APD/ MD to do nights at YES FM (WYSS)-Sault Ste. Marie, MI...Phayne Sherwood has landed at KFOG-San Francisco as Promotion Director. She held a similar position at crosstown MAGIC 61 (KFRC/AM) until Bedford Broadcasting bought the former RKO outlet...After seven years at KTMT-Medford, OR, station MD Grant Tressel has decided to pursue a record industry position. Call him at (503) 855-7809...KAYL-Storm Lake, IA welcomes midday personality/sports

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WHXT Dumps Top 40

WHXT/FM-Allentown, Pennsylvania stopped playing the Top 40 last week, and has begun simulcasting oldies with its AM sister station. According to general manager Mike Marder, this is the first time his listening area will have an oldies outlet on FM.

"We've lost a few people as a

result of the change," said Marder. "When Frank Cerami (former program director) came in a few months ago, we discussed this possibility. I'm sure he'll be picked up quickly."

Consulting the station is Pete Salant.



Music Works For PolyGram. PolyGram's special projects division this week announced that they have retained the services of the music consultation and supervision company Music Works. Headed up by Gaylon Horton and Suzan Mann, the company will promote PolyGram catalogue material to television, film and advertisers in the Los Angeles area. Shown after signing the agreement l-r: London Records President Peter Koepke; Mercury Records Co-President Mike Bone; Smash Records President Marvin Gleicher; PLG Vice President of Marketing Jeff Jones; PolyGram Senior Vice President Special Markets Mark Fine; Suzan Mann; PLG President and CEO Rick Dobbis; Gaylon Horton; London Records Managing Director Roger Ames; Polydor Records President Davitt Sigerson.



Elektra Entertainment recording artist David Sanborn, who just happens to grace the cover of the Gavin Report this week, recently celebrated his birthday by performing for an SRO crowd at the Wiltern Theatre in Los Angeles. Surrounding Sanborn (c) with wishes for many happy returns are (l-r): Elektra's Rob Sides, Suzanne Berg, Jon McHugh and Gary Spivak.

MOST ADDED

OP 40

BAD ENGLISH (77) (Epic)

STEVIE NICKS (71) (Modern/Atlantic)

CURTIS STIGERS (51) (Arista)

RYTHM SYNDICATE (45) (Impact)

> **JESUS JONES (44)** (SBK)

CERTIFIED

MARIAH CAREY

Emotions (Columbia)

BAD COMPANY

Walk Through Fire (Atco)

TOP

BIG AUDIO DYNAMITE II

Rush (Columbia)

B.A.D. sparks B.I.G. airplay, giving it a strong chance for future H.I.T. status.



METALLICA

Enter Sandman (Elektra)

Always a mega sales monster, this hard rockin' foursome is on the way to gaining their first foothold at Top 40.

Editor: Dave Shalin Accor Editor: Annatta M. Lai

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3	2	2	PAULA ABDUL - The Promise Of A New Day (Captive/Virgin)
4	3	3	MICHAEL BOLTON - Time, Love And Tenderness (Columbia)
6	4	4	ROD STEWART - The Motown Song (Warner Bros.)
9	8	5	CATHY DENNIS - Too Many Walls (PLG)
14		6	R.E.M Shiny Happy People (Warner Bros.)
13	9	7	C + C MUSIC FACTORY - Things That Make You Go (Columbia)
	14		COLOR ME BADD - I Adore Mi Amor (Giant/Reprise)
2	5	9	AMY GRANT - Every Heartbeat (A&M)
	7		SEAL - Crazy (Sire/Warner Bros.)
15	12	11	FIREHOUSE - Love Of A Lifetime (Epic)
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WHITNEY HOUSTON - My Name Is Not Susan (Arista) 21 19 19

NATALIE COLE with NAT "KING" COLE - Unforgettable (Elektra) 18 16 20

AARON NEVILLE - Everybody Plays The Fool (A&M) 24 21 27

22 MARIAH CAREY - Emotions (Columbia)

30 27 23 MARKY MARK/ FUNKY BUNCH - Good Vibrations (Interscope/EWA)

MARTIKA - Love... Thy Will Be Done (Columbia) 29 24 31

BOYZ II MEN - Motownphilly (Motown) 33 28 25

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6 27 ROXETTE - Fading Like A Flower (Every Time You Leave) (EMI)

8 17 28 LENNY KRAVITZ - It Ain't Over 'Til It's Over (Virgin) 32 30 29 38 SPECIAL - The Sound Of Your Voice (Charisma)

37 30 BOB SEGER AND THE SILVER BULLET BAND - The Real Love (Capitol)

35 34 31 HENRY LEE SUMMER - Till Somebody Loves You (Epic Associated)

36 33 32 TAMI SHOW - The Truth (RCA)

40 35 33 HEAVY D. & THE BOYZ - Now That We Found Love (MCA)

34 **BAD COMPANY** - Walk Through Fire (Atco)

39 35 **BILLY FALCON** - Power Windows (Jambco/Mercury)

36 JESUS JONES - Real, Real, Real (Food/SBK)

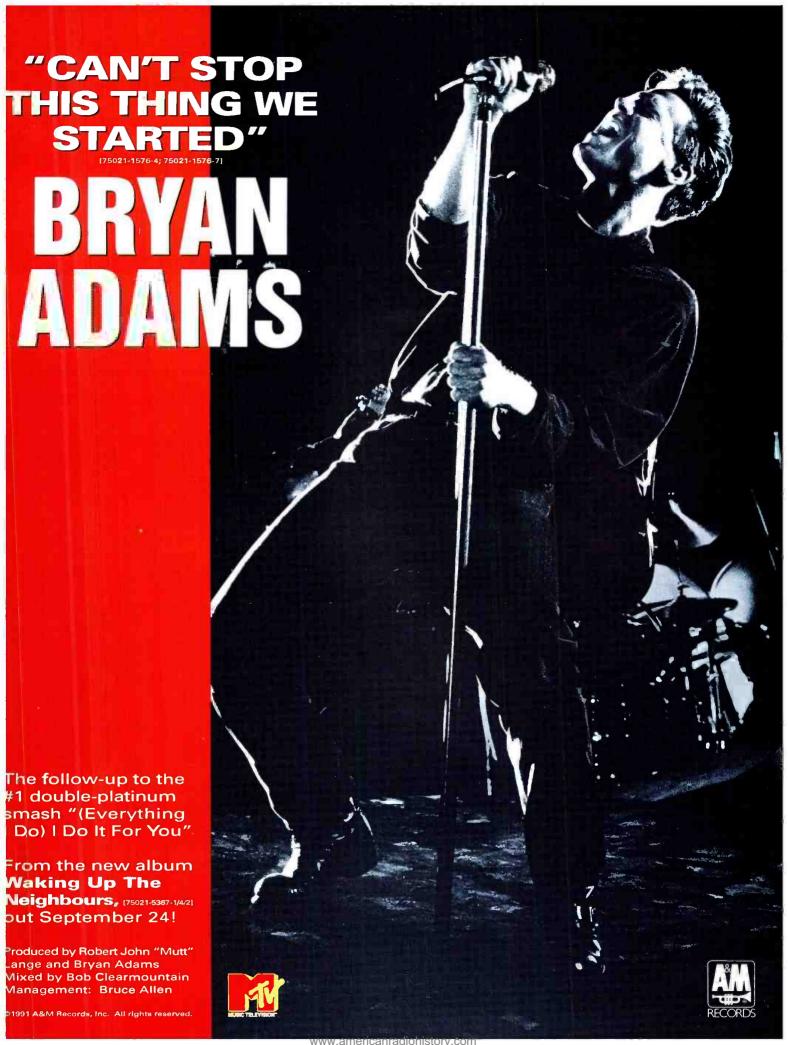
25 25 37 ROBBIE NEVIL - Just Like You (EMI)

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RTZ - Face The Music (Giant/Reprise) **—** 40

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ARTIST TITLE LABEL	*Debuts in Chartbound	Reports	Adds	On	Chart	
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Hit Factor is a percentage of stations playing a record which also have it Top 20. ie: 100 stations playing the record- 60 stations have it in their Top 20- Hit Factor = 60%

ARTIST TITLE LABEL	Reports	Adds	1-5	6-10	11-20	21-30	Uncharte	d Factor	Weeks
BRYAN ADAMS - (Everything I Do) I Do It For You (A&M/Morgan Creek) PAULA ABDUL - The Promise Of A New Day (Captive/Virgin) MICHAEL BOLTON - Time, Love And Tenderness (Columbia) ROD STEWART - The Motown Song (Warner Bros.) CATHY DENNIS - Too Many Walls (PLG)	238 238 233 205 211	_ _ 1 2	205 152 129 103 44	33 58 74 68 82	28 26 26 26 65	— 3 5 14	124	100% 100% 98% 96% 90%	8 9 10
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FIREHOUSE - Love Of A Lifetime (Epic) HUEY LEWIS AND THE NEWS - It Hit Me Like A Hammer (EMI) EXTREME - Hole Hearted (A&M) BONNIE RAITT - Something To Talk About (Capitol) SCORPIONS - Wind Of Change (Mercury)	194 207 220 195 151	3 - 3 13 3	56 15 6 22 62	56 55 24 32 46	49 97 99 69 28	25 35 76 49 9	5 5 12 10 3	82% 80% 58% 63% 90%	8 6 9
HI-FIVE - I Can't Wait Another Minute (Jive/RCA) KARYN WHITE - Romantic (Warner Bros.) THE KLF - 3 A.M. Eternal (Arista) WHITNEY HOUSTON - My Name Is Not Susan (Arista) NATALIE COLE with NAT "KING" COLE - Unforgettable (Elektra)	164 217 143 183 159	4 3 1 1	26 — 19 4 20	35 21 24 29	68 43 59 99 68	27 125 36 43 26	4 46 7 12 16	78% 19% 69% 69% 73%	4 11 7
AARON NEVILLE - Everybody Plays The Fool (A&M) MARIAH CAREY - Emotions (Columbia) MARKY MARK AND THE FUNKY BUNCH - Good Vibrations (Interscope/EWA MARTIKA - LoveThy Will Be Done (Columbia) BOYZ II MEN - Motownphilly (Motown)	191 253 (1) 148 199 141	8 26 8 6 9	3 1 15 — 28	14 2 23 2 18	56 30 48 43 37	84 99 42 104 31	26 95 12 44 18	38% 13% 58% 22% 58%	2 8 5
NATURAL SELECTION featuring NIKI HARIS - Do Anything (E. W. America) 38 SPECIAL - The Sound Of Your Voice (Charisma) BOB SEGER AND THE SILVER BULLET BAND - The Real Love (Capitol) HENRY LEE SUMMER - Till Somebody Loves You (Epic Associated) TAMI SHOW - The Truth (RCA)	184 150 180 181 139	15 2 16 4 8	4 12 — 7	9 25 — 4 7	37 48 14 27 40	83 51 54 76 48	36 12 96 70 29	27% 56% 7% 17% 38%	9 3 5
HEAVY D. & THE BOYZ - Now That We Found Love (MCA) BAD COMPANY - Walk Through Fire (Atco) BILLY FALCON - Power Windows (Jambco/Mercury) JESUS JONES - Real, Real, Real (Food/SBK) ROBBIE NEVIL - Just Like You (EMI)	102 176 136 159 107	9 26 8 44 —	7 — — 5	9 3 1 21	32 6 25 — 54	18 36 46 27 23	27 108 54 87 4	47% 3% 20% — 74%	3 6 3
CHESNEY HAWKES - The One And Only (Chrysalis) RTZ - Face The Music (Giant/Reprise) BAD ENGLISH - Straight To Your Heart (Epic) LUTHER VANDROSS - Don't Want To Be A Fool (Epic) MARC COHN - Silver Thunderbird (Atlantic)	123 125 135 117 107	9 26 77 26 4	_	- 1 1 1	24 7 — 12 15	35 27 15 34 37	55 64 43 44 50	19% 6% — 11% 14%	8 4 2 6 6
STEELHEART - She's Gone (Lady) (MCA) BIG AUDIO DYNAMITE II - Rush (Columbia) STING - Mad About You (A&M) OR-N-MORE - Everyotherday (EMI) STEVIE NICKS - Sometimes (It's A Bitch) (Modern/Atlantic)	106 92 87 83 71	21 26 — 42 71		-	3 - 1 -	14 7 23 3	68 59 63 38	2% - 1% - -	3 4 2 1
KINGOFTHEHILL - If I Say (SBK) LISA FISCHER - Save Me (Elektra)	64 58	<u> </u>		2	3	20 8	39 41	7% —	7 3

SONG PRODUCTION Artistry



INSIDE TOP 40 by Dave Sholin

Last week we tracked the rapid rise of POWER 99 (WAPW) Atlanta MD Lee Chesnut, who went from waiting tables in a hotel restaurant to becoming one of the country's most respected music directors. Lee agrees that all too often the MD position is paired with some other job at the station as a way of cutting overhead. Equally disturbing to him are the number of music directors who are "just climbing the ladder to PD, GM or god knows what else, and they don't even know that much about music. I think that's part of what's wrong with a lot of the business to-day."

As to the root of the problem, he singles out as the biggest reason—lack of passion." That desire, love and passion for music is a prerequisite for any MD according to Lee, who proudly adds that "music is my life." However, being realistic, he doesn't foresee a new era where the qualifications for the job include a caring, intense attitude about music. "I don't see it changing, I haven't seen any signs that anything is changing."

There may be few more off-air MD positions popping up here and there, but Lee acknowledges that's the exception rather than the rule. He agrees that there is an industry perception that music directors wield little influence at many stations and talking directly to the PD is all that really matters. "It's unfortunate and it really does need to change, especially since the music director is the one who sees all of the record people, handles all the new music that comes into the station and probably I would hope, listens to the music more than anyone else."

At a time when product flow is increasing dramatically with more and more labels, Lee feels management "should really want someone responsible and into the music" to be handed the title of music director. He suggests those who want the job be persistent and let programming personnel know about their goals. "When I was a waiter I always made sure I went up to Leslie (Fram) to tell her about some song that was going to be a hit. After awhile, she figured out I definitely had an ear for music and gave me her number at the station for a job in research. I called her once or twice a week for close to a year before anything opened up."

That dogged determination, knowing what you want and staying focused on it, is Lee's advice to those who want to occupy the MD chair. Though he says some may consider him lucky, he doesn't really see it that way. "I see somebody who knows what he's always wanted and worked really hard to make it happen."

In a world heavily saturated with all kinds of

entertainment choices and no shortage of releases targeting specific audiences, it's rare when a song can maintain #1 for more than three or four weeks at the most. Congratulations to BRYAN ADAMS, who hits the street



running with a new album, new single and holds onto #1 with "(Everything I Do) I Do It For You" for a mind-boggling seventh week! A lot of stations had one thing in common this week—their highest debut, which in most cases turned out to be MARIAH CAREY. That was the story at WQGN Groton, CT, where PD Chuck Davis charts it at #26 and reports "top five requests the first week out." A big ten-point jump at POWER 99 26-16, with other top twenty stats at Y100, WIOQ/FM, WKSM, POWER 99.9KHI, KHHT, WVIC, Q95FM, KC101, KPAT, KKCK, KS104, MIX 96.5, KISN, 104 KRBE, KXXR, KRSB, Q96, KMEL, KGGI, SLY96, KIIS and Q106.

Charting at #40, RTZ goes top thirty 34-27 at WIFC Wausau, WI with PD Duff Damos reporting top ten requests from adults. New on: KHTR, KGOT, WBIZ, KSYZ/FM, B98, KGWY, WSPT, WLVY, KDLK, WZST, WQPW, WIQQ, KWYR, etc.

Bill Edwards, OM at KFMC Fairmont, MN notes he was getting calls for STEELHEART's

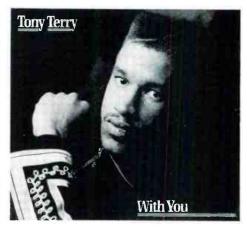


"She's Gone (Lady)" before he began playing it and moves it 40-34. Taking off quickly at WCGQ 36-30, KKXL 28-19, WKXA 23-21, K96 30-18 "top five phones leaning female 16-21," KGGG 29-25, KJLS 36-28, KYYA 25-23, etc. ADDs include: WAAL, WDEK, HOT 95.9, KMOK, KPXR, KJBR, WNSL, 93QID, WHTK, G105, WHDQ, WSTO, KLZ and B98. Strong sales and adult female requests for LUTHER VANDROSS at WCGQ Columbus, GA, where it enters the top twenty going

22-19. HIT FACTOR climbs to 11% on the strength of gains at WHYT Detroit 21-17, KKFR Phoenix 22-17, KSNN Merced, CA 13-11, MIX 107.5 Denver 17-12, KWIN Stockton, CA 23-19, WNVZ Norfolk 21-20 and KMEL San Francisco 22-18.

Just a handful of reports away from triple-digits, BIG AUDIO DYNAMITE II explodes top twenty-five at WKSM Pensacola, FL. ADDed at: WGOR Lansing, KC101 New Haven, HOT 94.7 Chicago, ZFUN Moscow, ID, KFMI Arcata, CA, WBBQ Augusta, WTNY/FM Watertown, NY, WJLQ/FM Pensacola, KSKU Hutchinson, KS and WVAQ/FM Morgantown, WV.

TONY TERRY's "With You" spends a second

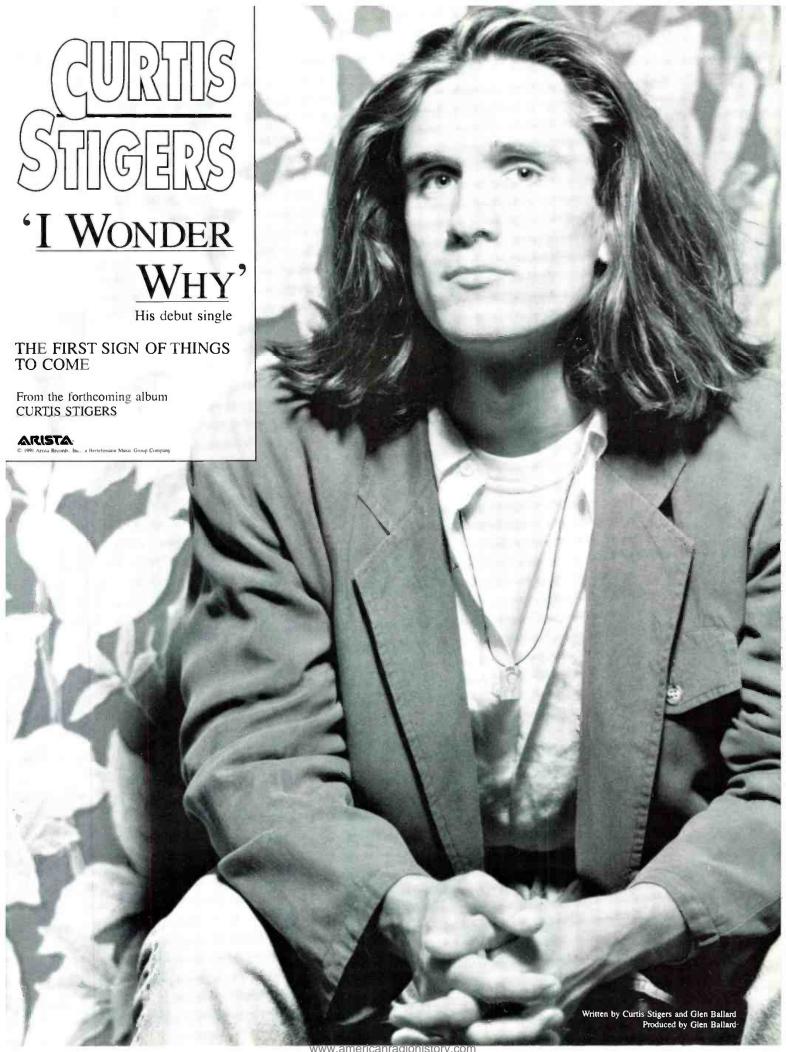


week at #1 at KMEL. It's also Top Ten at WBSS, KKFR, KGGI, POWER 102 and KSNN. ADDs include: WHYT Detroit, POWER 99 Atlanta, KWIN Stockton and 104 KRBE Houston.

HIT FACTOR jumps for SIOUXSIE & THE BANSHEES 10% to 18%. High debut of the week for WCIL Carbondale, IL's Tony Waitekus at #27 and a hot move into the top twenty at WLVY Elmira, NY 29-20, WGOR 22-19, WPST Trenton, NJ 21-15, WHYT 22-18, etc. New on: WZPL, KZZO/FM, KOYE, WBXX, WCGQ, WAVT and FUN 107.

Not exactly a Top 40 staple, but one of the hottest selling acts around, METALLICA is developing a chart and airplay story too strong to ignore. Number one requests immediately for 106RTB Vincennes, IN where MD Mark Wine debuts it at #35. Gaining at WDEK 23-18 and KZMC 36-29 "after only one week." ADDed at: WAPE, WLVY, KZZT, Z104.5, KZRT, WHDQ, KPAT, KSKU, ZFUN, KYYZ/FM, KOYE and WCIL.

COME PARTY! If you're coming to San Francisco for the NAB's "Radio 1991," you are cordially invited to The Gavin Report's "Open House" on Wednesday, September 11th from 4 to 6 P.M. Stop by and say "hello," we'd love to see you!



MOST ADDED

COUNTRY

Reports accepted Monday & Tuesday 8AM-4PM Station Reporting Phone: (415) 495-1990 Gavin Fax: (415) 495-2580

TRAVIS TRITT (75) (Warner Bros.)

PATTY LOVELESS (72) (MCA)

> THE JUDDS (68) (Curb/RCA)

KEITH WHITLEY & EARL THOMAS CONLEY (60) (RCA)

THE KENTUCKY HEADHUNTERS (57) (Mercury/PolyGram)

TOP REQUESTS

GARTH BROOKS

BROOKS & DUNN

MARY CHAPIN CARPENTER

CLINT BLACK

RONNIE MILSAP

2W LW TW

- 5 3 1 MARY-CHAPIN CARPENTER Down At The Twist And Shout (Columbia)
- 9 4 2 RONNIE MILSAP Since I Don't Have You (RCA)
- 17 8 3 CLINT BLACK Where Are You Now (RCA)
- 8 6 4 LIONEL CARTWRIGHT Leap Of Faith (MCA)
- 12 5 5 MARK CHESNUTT Your Love Is A Miracle (MCA)
- 16 7 6 <u>DOUG STONE</u> I Thought It Was You (Epic)
 3 1 7 BROOKS AND DUNN Brand New Man (Arista)
- 15 9 8 DIAMOND RIO Mirror Mirror (Arista)
- 24 14 9 GARTH BROOKS Rodeo (Capitol Nashville)
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 - **40 GEORGE JONES** You Couldn't Get The Picture (MCA)

RECORD TO WATCH



SUZY BOGGUSS

Someday Soon
(Capitol Nashville)
Suzy really shines on this beautiful song. 55 adds this week including WHYL, WPOC, WDXX, KVET, KOUL, KMPS, WDLS, WEPM, etc.

Editor: Lisa Smith Assoc. Editor: Cyndi Hoelzle

	CHARTBOUND CHARTBOUND							
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K.T. OSLIN- Cornell Crawford (FEDDIE RABBITT - Hang Up The HANK WILLIAMS JR Angels A*PATTY LOVELESS - Hurt Me Back	Phone (Capitol Nashville) re Hard To Find (Warner Bros./Curb)	122 114 102 92	14 15 5 72	<u>-</u>	33 31 38 9	75 68 58 11	27% 27% 38% 9%	3 5 5 1

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WGTC, DOUG MONTGOMERY

"Don't tell my consultant I added it anyway. It wasn't called the new traditionalist movement until Ricky invented it."

WKKW, MARK ROGERS

"Don't miss the honest message in this great up-tempo single. It's something we all have to deal with at one time or another."

WDXX, GEORGE HENRY

"The hottest pickin' Skaggs music since 'Country Boy!'

It's a Skaggs original. Jump on it NOW!!!"

WCHA, KEVIN KASEY

"Ricky Skaggs and mandolin Jazz."

KVBD, TOM ALDRICH

"Probably the most versatile talent in country music or any other kind of music. Typical Ricky Skaggs and that's a compliment!"

KMIT, RODNEY JAY

"Ricky Skaggs takes his unmistakable sound to a new height.

If you're not on this one ... DO IT NOW!"

WAAG, BRIAN HAMLYNN

"Skaggs is burning up the summer with 'Life's Too Long!' Don't miss it! WKOR, MICHAEL MOTT

"This is a great mixture of old Ricky and new Ricky that offers a great tempo mix for the summer! Jump on this one now!"

WZLI, JIM CASEY

"This Skaggs single is like an old friend comin' back."

KTJJ, JACK SADLER

"It's good to hear another great, up-tempo, hard drivin' tune from Ricky Skaggs! We're already medium on this one!"

WPCM, JIM HOWIE

"Its a fun, country cooker! We're already in a medium rotation."

WRGA, DON BRISCAR

"Ricky will fight the traffic of the crowded charts and pick his way to the top!" KWKH, DANNY FOX

"A song that everyone can relate to - the rush hour traffic and the rush hour life!"

KXIA, MAX COLLINS

"A perfect song for DRIVE TIME on any winning station.

This is Ricky at his best."

WCHK, KHRIS TRAVIS

"A positive, up-tempo, traditional Ricky Skaggs single! Life's too short not to play a great hit like this!"

WYTE, ED PAULSON

"This is the kind of music I love to play on the radio. It's not only kick ass country but it's instantly identifiable. Ricky Skaggs music. I added it out-of-the-box."

WJAT, CHARLIE FRI

"Kick-butt Country."

WOWQ, GARY STORMER

"Skaggs fans have been waiting for this. Another #1 on it's way."

WDSD, RICK BRYAN

"Life's too long to live without Ricky Skaggs!"

K92FM, SKIP DAVIS

"The most infectious single that I've heard in a long time. CLASSIC RICKY SKAGGS! Definitely close to heavy at this station!"

KGCH, DAVE FICK

"Every listener can relate to Ricky's message about the boss being on their back all day. Life's too long to live like this!"

WCLT, MICHAEL JAYE

"Finest Ricky Skaggs single in years!"

WCMR, DIANE McCLAIN

"From the time we started playing this record we knew it was a hit.

The phones have generated a lot of excitement here at the station.

Not to mention...the tempo is perfect!"

WCUB, BOB IRISH

"Welcome back Ricky. It's a winner!"

KGKL, EDDY SMITH

"It sure is great to see you back and better than ever! Thanks Ricky!"

KLIK, JAY WALKER

"From start to finish, I think this record COOKS!"

KRJC, KURT KELLEY

"This is the same up-tempo Skaggs that brought him to the forefront of the New Traditionalist movement."

K-FOX, CHRIS MAXWELL

"Killer intro! Makes Drive Time worth driving in on."

KLEE, MARK DENNEY

Good to have Skaggs back in Iowa. We always look

forward to his great music!"

KOWF, DAVE ÖAME

'This is great for Drive Time. It really gets my listeners pumped for work!"

KGRT, PAUL KELLEY

"This is Ricky Skaggs at his best. No frills music...

just straight forward pickin.

WFPR, AMY COSTANZA

"Gives Country radio the spice Louisiana needs, with just a touch of Bluegrass."

KZPR, TROY NELSON

"Simply, the HOTTEST thing since 'Uncle Pen!"

UP & COMING

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NEW RELEASES

by Lisa Smith & Cyndi Hoelzle

TRISHA YEARWOOD - Like We Never

Go on and add this to your list of the year's best. This beautiful song, which features great harmonies between Trisha and Garth Brooks, could be one of the most obvious hits we've ever heard.

DEAN DILLON - Don't You Even (Think About Leavin') (Atlantic)

we remembered from the album.

KEITH PALMER - Don't Throw Me In

A zip-a-dee-doo-dah debut. The humor-

Beers Ago (Arista)

Sure to score with the Monday Night crowd, but even us non-believers can relate. Seems Rav Benson has forgone the accompaniment of his usual compadres Asleep At The Wheel for this group of rowdies-your favorite Arista promo guys and gals. Now we know what Allen Butler and Steve Williams do with their spare time.

PROGRAMMERS PICK

BILLY DEAN - You Don't Count The Cost (Capitol Nashville/SBK)

If you're looking for a great record to add Cardarelli, PD/MD, WSLR-Akron, OH.

Had A Broken Heart (MCA)

Or Don't Be Sayin' (You Won't Be Playin'). What a great song-it's even better than

ROB CROSBY - Still Burnin' For You

"Still Burnin" is instantly familar, and deftly combines Crosby's sensitive voice with a lovely melody.

The Briarpatch (Epic)

ous lyrics make this song memorable.

RAY BENSON - Four Scores And Seven

to your playlist, go to file "D" for Dean. Once your listeners hear the lyrics added to Billy's feelings and emotions, I'm sure they'll want to hear it again and again. "You Don't Count The Cost" is a song that has the potential to become a memorable song in years to come. -Rick

ALBUM CUTS

TRAVIS TRITT - Homesick CLINT BLACK - This Night Life TRISHA YEARWOOD - That's What I Like About You

Adds Weeks ARTIST TITLE LABEL Reports 89 14 3 NEAL McCOY - This Time I Hurt Her More Than She Loves Me (Atlantic) 2 85 55 SUZY BOGGUSS - Someday Soon (Capitol Nashville) 3 82 23 TIM RYAN - Seventh Direction (Epic) 68 1 77 * JUDDS - John Deere Tractor (Curb/RCA) 74 14 3 LINDA DAVIS - Three Way Tie (Capitol Nashville) 74 57 * KENTUCKY HEADHUNTERS - It's Chitlin' Time (Mercury) 65 3 17 LITTLE TEXAS - Some Guys Have All The Love (Warner Bros.) 63 54 1 * GREAT PLAINS - A Picture Of You (Columbia) 62 54 1 * HIGHWAY 101 - The Blame (Warner Bros.) 1 60 51 * ROB CROSBY - Still Burnin' For You (Arista) 51 47 1 * JOHN ANDERSON - Who Got Our Love (BNA Entertainment) 39 41 1 * JERRY LANSDOWNE - I Give You What You Need (Step One) 36 3 BILL YOUNG - Beyond Tonight (Mercury) 7 2 36 MARTY BROWN - High And Dry (MCA) 3 3 SKIP EWING - The Yodelin' Blues (Capitol Nashville) 33 1 32 13 * STATLER BROTHERS - There's Still Times (Mercury) 30 5 DEBRA DUDLEY - Can't You Just Stay Gone (Concorde International) 26 5 1 * BILL MEDLEY - Don't Let Go (Curb) 25 25 * BILLY DEAN - You Don't Count The Cost (Cap.Nashville/SBK)

Dropped: #21-Greenwood/Boggus, #23-Dolly, #29-T. Wopat, #31-C. Gregory, #32-H. Ketchum, #33-C. Raye, #36-Reba, #37-M. Delray, #40-V. Gill, Normaltown Flyers, Ray Kennedy.

INSIDE COUNTRY

#1 ONE YEAR AGO TODAY LEE GREENWOOD - Holdin' A Good Hand

#1 FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY **REBA McENTIRE - Little Rock**

#1 TEN YEARS AGO TODAY RONNIE MILSAP - No Gettin' Over Me

CHART HAPPENINGS...Congratulations to Mary-Chapin Carpenter and all the folks at Columbia on Mary-Chapin's first number one record. We're sure it's just the first of many...lt was a very active chart this week, with nine (count 'em, nine) debuts, the highest of which was Alan Jackson at an impressive #27...There were also quite a few records with big jumps this week, including Marty Stuart (35-25) and Vern Gosdin (39-29)...It was also a great week for last week's Record To Watch, Travis Tritt. He comes in as our Most Added record with 75 adds and debuts on the chart in only his second week at #35...This week's Record To Watch, Suzy Bogguss lovely "Someday Soon," is off to a great start with 55 more adds taking her up to 85 reports.

STATION HAPPENINGS...Please note: KTRW-Spokane is no longer a Gavin reporting station...Dick Riley leaves KIKF/FM-

Anaheim to join the air staff at KFMS/FM-Las Vegas...Dan Dunn at WSCP-Pulaski tells us that at the State Fair in Syracuse, NY, the Country acts are outdrawing all the other acts...Congratulations to Lee DeCastro and the gang at WQSI-Frederick who went from a 3.6 to an 8.6 12+ in the latest Arbitron...We've got four new Music Directors this week. David Fick's the new MD at KGCH-Sidney, J.Scott takes over the position at KRMS-Osage Beach, Andy Graham's the new MD at WNCQ-Watertown and Sally Rae takes over as MD at KWYZ-Everett/Seattle, where Athan James is promoted to PD...Scott Winston at KVOX-Fargo tells us that Marty Brown packed 'em in at a local nightclub this past week and the crowd loved him...WYTE-Stevens Point's Ed Paulson is getting tons of calls on the new George Jones record and has already moved it into a medium rotation.

HAPPENINGS...Robert INDUSTRY Bradley's management company, Bradley Artists, previously based in Los Angeles, has relocated to Nashville. Their new address is 1922 Broadway, 2nd Floor, Nashville, TN 37203 and the phone number is 615-329-9074...Steve Miller has been named to the newly-created position of National Director of Sales and Marketing for Mercury/Nashville.

Talk with you next week. The Gavin Country Crew



Programmers Pick

"Songs that I think are hits usually give me goosebumps, but this one darn near stood my hair on end. Quite possibly the best release yet by Travis Tritt, with a very intense and moving video to go with it. This song should leave peel-out marks as it so earns up the chart."

Lee DeCastro, WQSI

The Gavin Report

BREAKER THIS WEEK 28 Radio & Records

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Total Reports This Week 213 Last Week 214

	Reports	Adds	Heavy	Medium	Light	Hit Factor	Weeks
MARY-CHAPIN CARPENTER - Down At The Twist And Shout (Columbia)	211	_	196	13	2	99%	15
RONNIE MILSAP - Since I Don't Have You (RCA)	212	_	189	19	4	98%	10
CLINT BLACK - Where Are You Now (RCA)	213		180	32	1	99%	7
LIONEL CARTWRIGHT - Leap Of Faith (MCA)	212	_	181	29	2	99%	11
MARK CHESNUTT - Your Love Is A Miracle (MCA)	211	_	178	32	1	99%	9
DOUG STONE - I Thought It Was You (Epic)	213	_	161	50	2	99%	10
BROOKS AND DUNN - Brand New Man (Arista)	206	_	181	20	5	97%	13
DIAMOND RIO - Mirror Mirror (Arista)	212	1	153	57	1	99%	9
GARTH BROOKS - Rodeo (Capitol Nashville)	213	_	131	76	6	97%	4
SAWYER BROWN - The Walk (Curb/Capitol)	212	_	122	86	4	98%	9
PAUL OVERSTREET - Ball & Chain (RCA)	213	i —	111	92	10	95%	9
JOE DIFFIE - New Way (To Light Up an Old Flame) (Epic)	211		80	120	11	94%	6
MIKE REID - As Simple As That (Columbia)	208	1 1	68	119	20	89%	10
MARK COLLIE - Calloused Hands (MCA)	196	1	68	110	17	90%	12
RICKY VAN SHELTON - Keep It Between The Lines (Columbia)	212	5	27	148	32	82%	5
LORRIE MORGAN - A Picture Of Me (Without You) (RCA)	207	6	32	142	27	84%	6
PIRATES OF THE MISSISSIPPI - Speak Of The Devil (Capitol Nashville)	194	2	42	125	25	86%	10
TANYA TUCKER - Down To My Last Teardrop (Capitol Nashville)	159	—	113	36	10	93%	13
PAM TILLIS - Put Yourself In My Place (Arista)	204	11	10	143	40	75%	5
DWIGHT YOAKAM - Nothing's Changed Here (Reprise)	194	9	10	138	37	76%	6
EARL THOMAS CONLEY - Shadow Of A Doubt (RCA)	156	—	94	46	16	89%	16
CARLENE CARTER - One Love (Reprise)	185	1	16	119	49	72%	8
McBRIDE & THE RIDE - Same Old Star (MCA)	188	9	7	121	51	68%	7
B.B. WATSON - Light At The End Of The Tunnel (BNA Entertainment)	184	3	3	129	49	71%	7
MARTY STUART - Tempted (MCA)	183	16	4	119	44	67%	5
SHELBY LYNNE & LES TAYLOR - The Very First Lasting Love (Epic)	149	3	13	98	35	74%	9
ALAN JACKSON - Someday (Arista)	196	51	4	86	55	45%	2
KATHY MATTEA - Whole Lotta Holes (Mercury)	131	1	42	70	18	85%	11
VERN GOSDIN - The Garden (Columbia)	153	10	5	94	44	64%	5
SWEETHEARTS OF THE RODEO - Hard Headed Man (Columbia)	149	4	6	93	46	66%	8
AARON TIPPIN - She Made A Memory Out Of Me (RCA)	156	9	9	80	58	57%	5
CONWAY TWITTY - She's Got A Man On Her Mind (MCA)	165	27	2	74	62	46%	4
RICKY SKAGGS - Life's Too Long To Live Like This (Epic)	141	17	4	70	50	52%	5
DAVIS DANIEL - For Crying Out Loud (Mercury)	160	30	1	58	71	36%	3
TRAVIS TRITT - Anymore (Warner Bros.)	184	75	1	58	50	32%	2
EXILE - Even Now (Arista)	112	_	39	54	19	83%	16
SHENANDOAH - When You Were Mine (Columbia)	142	18	_	56	68	39%	3
KEITH WHITLEY & EARL THOMAS CONLEY - Brotherly Love (RCA)	171	60	2	44	65	26%	2
TAMMY WYNETTE & RANDY TRAVIS - We're Strangers Again (Epic)	123	16		48	59	39%	4
GEORGE JONES - You Couldn't Get The Picture (MCA)	153	52	1	32	68	21%	2

TOP SELLING ALBUMS

- 1. GARTH BROOKS No Fences (Capitol Nashville)
- 2. ALAN JACKSON Don't Rock The Jukebox (Arista)
- 3. TRISHA YEARWOOD Trisha Yearwood (MCA)
- 4. TRAVIS TRITT It's All About To Change (Warner Bros.)
- 5. RICKY VAN SHELTON Backroads (Columbia)
- 6.CLINT BLACK Put Yourself In My Shoes (RCA)
- 7. THE KENTUCKY HEADHUNTERS Electric Barnyard (Merc./PolyGram)
- 8. GARTH BROOKS Garth Brooks (Capitol Nashville)
- 9. DIAMOND RIO Diamond Rio (Arista)
- 10. MARY-CHAPIN CARPENTER Shooting Straight In The Dark (Col.)

Based on carrespondents' research

TOP TEN VIDEOS

- 1. COLLIN RAYE All I Can Be (Is A Sweet Memory) (Epic)
- 2.LORRIE MORGAN A Picture Of Me (Without You) (RCA)
- 3. SAWYER BROWN The Walk (Curb/Capitol)
- 4. MARTIN DELRAY Lillie's White Lies (Atlantic)
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GLADYS KNIGHT featuring DIONNE WARWICK and PATTI LABELLE (MCA)

STEVIE WONDER (Motown)

JOHNNY GILL (Giant/Reprise)

DAMIAN DAME (LaFace/Arista)

TOP TIP

RUDE BOYS

Are You Lonely For Me (Atlantic)

This ballad's beautiful harmonies show us the Rude Boys' sensitive side.

RECORD TO WATCH



SHABBA RANKS featuring MAXI PRIEST Housecall

(Epic) This unique rap/reggae is smooth and already boasts a 30% Hit Factor.

Editor: Betty Hollars Assoc. Editor: John Martinucci 2 **LUTHER VANDROSS** - Don't Want To Be A Fool (Epic)

1 1 VESTA - Special (A&M)

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6 **PHYLLIS HYMAN** - Don't Want To Change The World (Zoo) 10

LISA LISA AND CULT JAM - Let The Beat Hit 'Em (Columbia) 3

3 5 BE BE & CE CE WINANS - Addictive Love (Capitol) 4

9 **COLOR ME BADD** - I Adore Mi Amor (Giant/Reprise) 18

8 WHITNEY HOUSTON - My Name Is Not Susan (Arista) 7 17

16 12 **EX-GIRLFRIEND** - Why Can't You Come Home (Forceful/Reprise) 5

KEITH WASHINGTON - Are You Still In Love With Me (Qwest/W. Bros.) 7 9

23 15 VANESSA WILLIAMS - Running Back To You (Wing/Mercury)

B. ANGIE B. - So Much Love (Bust It/Capitol) 15 11

8 10 12 THE BRAND NEW HEAVIES - Never Stop (Delicious Vinyl/Island)

13 TEVIN CAMPBELL - Just Ask Me To (Qwest/Warner Bros.) 11 13

26 16 **LENNY KRAVITZ** - It Ain't Over 'Til It's Over (Virgin)

27 15 THE O'JAYS - Keep On Lovin' Me (EMI) 18

24 19 J.T. TAYLOR - Long, Hot Summer Night (MCA)

24 **KARYN WHITE** - Romantic (Warner Bros.) 35 17

NATALIE COLE with NAT "KING" COLE - Unforgettable (Elektra) 20 17

34 27 **JENNIFER HOLLIDAY** - I'm On Your Side (Arista)

BOYZ II MEN - It's So Hard To Say Goodbye To Yesterday (Motown) 39 29 20

28 22 21 PRINCE AND THE N.P.G. - Gett Off (Warner Bros.)

5 22 GLADYS KNIGHT - Men (MCA) 2

34 23 LISA FISCHER - Save Me (Elektra)

37 33 24 **ANOTHER BAD CREATION** - Jealous Girl (Motown)

31 30 25 **TONY TERRY** - That Kind Of Guy (Epic)

30 | **25** | **26** OAKTOWN'S 3-5-7 - Turn It Up (Bust It/Capitol)

33 28 27 **PRETTY IN PINK** - All About You (Motown)

32 32 28 WILL DOWNING - I Go Crazy (Island/PLG)

14 14 29 PEBBLES - Always (MCA)

YOUNG MC - That's The Way Love Goes (Capitol) 36 31 30

BELL BIV DeVOE - Word To The Mutha (MCA) 35 31

38 32 **TRACIE SPENCER** - Tender Kisses (Capitol)

19 20 33 RIFF - If You're Serious (SBK)

9 23 HEAVY D. & THE BOYZ - Now That We Found Love (MCA)

MARIAH CAREY - Emotions (Columbia)

NAUGHTY BY NATURE - O.P.P. (Tommy Bov) 36

40 37 37 **GEORGIO** - Rollin' (RCA)

39 38 **GUY** - D-O-G Me Out (MCA)

40 39 JODECI - Forever My Lady (MCA)

STEVIE WONDER - Fun Day (Motown) 40

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S.O.S. BAND- Sometimes I Won DAMIAN DAME - Right Down To JOHNNY GILL - I'm Still Waiting GENE RICE - You're A Victim (RC	It (LaFace/Arista) (Giant/Reprise)	46 46 41 41	7 13 12 6	- 1 -	7 8 6 6	32 25 22 29	15% 15% 17% 14%	3 2 2 2

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39	11	RUDE BOYS - Are You Lonely For Me (Atlantic)
39	7	DONNA SUMMER - When Love Cries (Atlantic)
37	4	SURFACE featuring BERNARD JACKSON - You're The One (Columbia)
37	3	SMALL CHANGE - Teardrops (Mercury)
35	4	NEWKIRK - Small Thing (Def Jam/RAL/Columbia)
33	4 6 3	SHABBA RANKS - Housecall (Epic)
33	3	MARC NELSON - Want You (Capitol)
30	4	YO-YO - Ain't Nobody Better (East West America)
27	1	RANCE ALLEN - Miracle Worker (Bellmark)
27	2	MILES JAYE - Strong For You (Island/PLG)
26	6	QUEEN LATIFAH - Fly Girl (Tommy Boy)
26	-	DEE HARVEY - Leave Well Enough Alone (Motown)
24	4	DE LA SOUL - A Roller Skating Jam Named "Saturdays" (Tommy Boy)
20	20	*GLAOYS KNIGHT w/ DIONNE WARWICK & PATTI LABELLE - Superwoman (MCA)

DROPPED: #21-Peabo Bryson, #26-Shirley Murdock, #36-D.J. Quick, Chris Pittman, Ralph Tresvant, Alexander O'Neal, Jiggie Gee, James Brown, Souled Out International

INSIDE URBAN



SHOW ME THE VIDEO

It's the Atlantic Records crew enjoying a moment during the video shoot of Chris Pittman's "Show Me." Shown (1-r) are Atlantic A&R Director Kevin Woodley; Chris Pittman; Producer/writer/ arranger Maurice Starr; Producer Michelle Webb; Atlantic VP Black Music, Richard Nash.

LUTHER VANDROSS' "Don't Want To Be A Fool" becomes the new number one, beating out all the female artists who've been monopolizing the charts lately. SHABBA RANKS featuring MAXI PRIEST's "Housecall" is our Record To Watch, logging in adds from KGRM, WABD, WBLS, WBLX, WDXZ, WFXA. It's already in heavy rotation at WDKX and WVBR—showing up in eight medium rotations—for a total of 33/6 and a 30% Hit Factor. Don "Early" Allen, WJIZ-Albany, makes GLADYS KNIGHT's "Superwoman" his RTW, saying, "We've been playing it for a week or so and it's a very hot item on the request lines with women 18 to 34." Gregg Diggs, WKYS/FM-Washington,

across-the-board smash!" Paul Strong, WLOU-Louisville, chooses NEWKIRK's "Small Thing," because, "It relates to what's going on right now-I like it a lot." Rick Stevens, WCKX-Columbus, is getting major requests for MARIAH CAREY's "Emotions," saying, "Our listening audience couldn't wait to hear from her again." Stan Boston, WNHC-New Haven, agrees, saying, "Mariah Carey has a 'Goldilocks' type record—not too hard, not too soft-this one's just right." Brian Holladay, KMZX-Little Rock, likes GENE RICE's "You're A Victim," and he says, "He's showing his versatility—it's more uptempo than his last one—shows he can do it all." Earl Boston, WUJM-Charleston, picks KID-N-PLAY's "Ain't Gonna Hurt Nobody," and he says, "The amazing thing about good rap songs is their ability to close the generation gap. This one will do just that-all demos." Greg Samson, WQMG-Greensboro, likes LONNIE GORDON's "Gonna Catch You." because, "It's burning up the dance floorand you will be caught. Good phone demos." George Martinez, KDKO-Denver, makes VANESSA WILLIAMS' "Running Back To You" his RTW because, "The song really keeps our phones busy, all demos." Hollywood Higgins, KRUS-Ruston, likes PEABO BRYSON's "Closer Than Close" and he says, "Wonderful song-we've been playing the album cut for awhile and it's a top five contender." Edward Sargent, WICB-Ithaca, likes JOMANDA's "Gotta Love For You," saying, "It's about time Jomanda got recognition." Ciao for now, Betty.

D.C., agrees, saying, "I predict that will be an

by John Martinucci

TONY! TONI! TONE! - House Party II (I Don't Know What You Came To Do) (MCA) Uh, oh! Looks like it's back to school. This is the title track from the soundtrack to "House Party II." All it takes is one listen and you'll agree that Tony! Toni! Tone! are still enjoying the "Revival" sound that's given them so much success.

GARY TAYLOR - Take Control (Valley Vue) The man who seems to write hits for everyone else (Anita Baker, The Whispers, Jennifer Holliday and Lalah Hathaway) is ready for his just desserts. This is romantically tender ballad that captures the heart. The album this comes from was big last year in the U.K. and now is available domestically.

MARGARET BELL - Over And Over (Reprise)

Looking for a sweet, smooth voice to fill your listener's heart with good inspirational music? Try Margaret Bell, sister of Vanessa Bell Armstrong, who draws her musical style from friends and family. Margaret will start touring in September with BeBe & CeCe Winans—BeBe produces this track and others on her album. Don't miss it!

CHRIS WALKER - Giving You All My Love (Pendulum/Elektra)

Well, here's the first R&B artist to debut on Pendulum. In his early twenties, Chris Walker is a talented gentleman who's played bass for Ornette Coleman and more recently was Regina Belle's musical director. Chris shows off a vocal style that's a blend Jeffrey Osborne, Peabo Bryson, and Johnny Gill.

TIM OWENS - I'm Hooked (Atlantic)

A debut for this young vocalist who belts out a midtempo ballad with a good "hook" that will bring favorable listener response. The first release from Tim's "I Just Wanna Love You" album.

IOHN PAYNE - Gotta Live Together (M.A.N. Network)

Check out another talent from the Oaktown city limits. John Payne's high school years found him playing in a band with Raphael Wiggins, Carl Wheeler, and Timothy Christian (Tony! Toni! Tone!). Today, at 22, John is a multi-talented artist who produces and plays all the instruments on his solo record. Payne's debut is an updated version of a '70s song injected with his own Funk/New Jack style.

HEAVY D & THE BOYZ - Is It Good To You RANCE ALLEN GROUP - I Appreciate You PEABO BRYSON - Shower You With Love KEITH WASHINGTON - Make Time For Love/Ready, Willing & Able GENE RICE - Love Is Calling You

HIT FACTOR Urban Research
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Total Reports This Week <u>83</u> Last Week <u>85</u>

	Reports	Adds	Heavy	Medium	Light 1	Hit Factor	Weeks
LUTHER VANDROSS - Don't Want To Be A Fool (Epic)	73	1	60	11	1	97%	10
VESTA - Special (A&M)	68	_	64	4		100%	13
PHYLLIS HYMAN - Don't Want To Change The World (Zoo)	71	2	52	11	6	88%	10
LISA LISA AND CULT JAM - Let The Beat Hit 'Em (Columbia)	66	_	60	3	3	95%	12
BE BE & CE CE WINANS - Addictive Love (Capitol)	65	_	61	2	2	96%	13
COLOR ME BADD - I Adore Mi Amor (Giant/Reprise)	72	3	38	27	4	90%	7
WHITNEY HOUSTON - My Name Is Not Susan (Arista)	69	_	37	31	1	98%	7
EX-GIRLFRIEND - Why Can't You Come Home (Forceful/Reprise)	66	2	42	20	2	93%	10
KEITH WASHINGTON - Are You Still In Love With Me (Qwest/Warner Bros.)	63		42	21		100%	10
VANESSA WILLIAMS - Running Back To You (Wing/Mercury)	70	2	23	41	4	91%	6
B. ANGIE B So Much Love (Bust It/Capitol)	62		43	15	4	93%	11
THE BRAND NEW HEAVIES - Never Stop (Delicious Vinyl/Island)	65		44	17	4	93%	11
TEVIN CAMPBELL - Just Ask Me To (Qwest/Warner Bros.)	64		41	19	4	93%	10
LENNY KRAVITZ - It Ain't Over 'Til It's Over (Virgin)	60	1	28	26	5	90%	13
THE O'JAYS - Keep On Lovin' Me (EMI)	66	2	10	45	9	83%	6
J.T. TAYLOR - Long, Hot Summer Night (MCA)	65	3	12	41	9	81%	8
KARYN WHITE - Romantic (Warner Bros.)	66	1	6	40	19	69%	4
NATALIE COLE with NAT "KING" COLE - Unforgettable (Elektra)	50		27	16	7	86%	11
JENNIFER HOLLIDAY - I'm On Your Side (Arista)	62	3	3	39	17	67%	6
BOYZ II MEN - It's So Hard To Say Goodbye To Yesterday (Motown)	61	5	10	27	19	60%	4
PRINCE AND THE N.P.G Gett Off (Warner Bros.)	51		16	25	10	80%	8
GLADYS KNIGHT - Men (MCA)	46		29	12	5	89%	14
LISA FISCHER - Save Me (Elektra)	56	2	1	27	26	50%	5
ANOTHER BAD CREATION - Jealous Girl (Motown)	50	2	4	29	15	66%	5
TONY TERRY - That Kind Of Guy (Epic)	48		4	35	9	81%	7
OAKTOWN'S 3-5-7 - Turn It Up (Bust It/Capitol)	46		10	24	12	73%	9
PRETTY IN PINK - All About You (Motown)	48	1	7	25	15	66%	8
WILL DOWNING - I Go Crazy (Island/PLG)	45		8	26	11	75%	8
PEBBLES - Always (MCA)	41	—	24	12	5	87%	11
YOUNG MC - That's The Way Love Goes (Capitol)	48	_	3	28	17	64%	6
BELL BIV DeVOE - Word To The Mutha (MCA)	51	3	4	21	23	49%	4
TRACIE SPENCER - Tender Kisses (Capitol)	47	4	4	26	13	63%	5
RIFF - If You're Serious (SBK)	38	_	20	12	6	84%	15
HEAVY D. & THE BOYZ - Now That We Found Love (MCA)	36	10	22	12	2 36	94%	13
MARIAH CAREY - Emotions (Columbia)	62	10	1 8	15 17	30 13	25% 64%	2 4
NAUGHTY BY NATURE - O.P.P. (Tommy Boy)	39	1					7
GEORGIO - Rollin' (RCA)	40	1 1	3 2	25 18	11 19	70% 46%	4
GUY - D-O-G Me Out (MCA)	43 46	4	2	17	19 23	40%	9
JODECI - Forever My Lady (MCA)	40 52	13	1	8	23 30	17%	2
STEVIE WONDER - Fun Day (Motown)	JZ	13		0	30	1170	

CROSSOVER CHART

LW	TW		LW	TW	
1	1	HI-FIVE - I Can't Wait Another Minute (Jive/RCA)	17	16	LUTHER VANDROSS - Don't Want To Be A Fool (Epic)
3	2	COLOR ME BADD - I Adore Mi Amor (Giant/Reprise)	23	17	JASMINE GUY - Just Want To Hold You (Warner Bros.)
2	3	MARKY MARK/FUNKY BUNCH - Good (Interscope/EWA)	25	18	TONY TERRY - With You (Epic)
4	4	PAULA ABDUL - The Promise Of A New Day (Captive/Virgin)	11	19	D.J. JAZZY JEFF Summertime (Jive/RCA)
6	5	BRYAN ADAMS - I Do It For You (A&M/Morgan Creek)	_	20	MARIAH CAREY - Emotions (Columbia)
7	6	BOYZ II MEN - Motownphilly (Motown)	21	21	MICHAEL BOLTON - Time, Love And Tenderness (Columbia)
8	7	HEAVY D. & THE BOYZ - Now That We Found Love (MCA)	16	22	WHITNEY HOUSTON - My Name Is Not Susan (Arista)
10	8	KARYN WHITE - Romantic (Warner Bros.)	26	23	AARON NEVILLE - Everybody Plays The Fool (A&M)
5	9	C + C MUSIC FACTORY - Things That Make (Columbia)	30	24	LATIN ALLIANCE/WAR - Lowrider (On The Boulevard) (Virgin)
14	10	NATURAL SELECTION /N. HARIS - Do (East West America)	29	25	TKA - Louder Than Love (Tommy Boy)
20	11	CATHY DENNIS - Too Many Walls (PLG)	24	26	3RD BASS - Pop Goes The Weasel (Def Jam/RAL/Columbia)
19	12	THE KLF - 3 A.M. Eternal (Arista)	18	27	LENNY KRAVITZ - It Ain't Over 'Til It's Over (Virgin)
13	13	VANESSA WILLIAMS - Running Back To You (Wing/Mercury)	28	28	DONNA SUMMER - When Love Cries (Atlantic)
12	14	SEAL - Crazy (Sire/Warner Bros.)	_	29	EX-GIRLFRIEND - Why Can't You Co (Forceful/Reprise)
9	15	NATALIE COLE w/ NAT "KING" COLE - Unforgettable (Elektra)	_	30	LONNIE GORDON - Gonna Catch You (SBK)

NEIL DIAMOND (60) (Columbia)

MARIAH CAREY (59) (Columbia)

MICHAEL W. SMITH (45) (Reunion/Geffen)

BOB SEGER AND THE SILVER BULLET BAND (35) (Capitol)

RICK ASTLEY (35) (RCA)

TOP TIP

NEIL DIAMOND If There Were No Dreams (Columbia)

First "official" week wins MOST ADDED for the Diamond man.

RECORD TO WATCH



BODEANS Paradise (Slash/Reprise) Paradise maybe a place with a single-digit ranking

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ADULT CONTEMPORARY

2W LW TW

- 2 2 **ROD STEWART** - The Motown Song (Warner Bros.)
- 1 1 BRYAN ADAMS - (Everything I Do) I Do It For You (A&M/Morgan Creek) 5
- 3 MICHAEL BOLTON - Time, Love And Tenderness (Columbia) 8
 - 6 **HUEY LEWIS AND THE NEWS** - It Hit Me Like A Hammer (EMI)
- 7 5 5 **AARON NEVILLE** - Everybody Plays The Fool (A&M)
- 11 10 **CHICAGO** - You Come To My Senses (Reprise)
- 9 7 10 ROXETTE - Fading Like A Flower (Every Time You Leave) (EMI)
- 3 4 BONNIE RAITT - Something To Talk About (Capitol)
- 4 7 9 AMY GRANT - Every Heartbeat (A&M)
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- 9 12 16 CHER - Love And Understanding (Geffen)
- 31 17 BOB SEGER AND THE SILVER BULLET BAND - The Real Love (Capitol)
- 30 21 18 **BETTE MIDLER** - The Gift Of Love (Atlantic)
- 27 20 19 AMERICA - Nothing's So Far Away (Rhino)
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- 35 28 21 BILLY DEAN - Somewhere In My Broken Heart (SBK)
- 26 22 22 **KENNY G** - Theme From Dying Young (Arista)
- 13 16 23 NATALIE COLE with NAT "KING" COLE - Unforgettable (Elektra)
- 34 30 24 PAULA ABDUL - The Promise Of A New Day (Captive/Virgin)
- 29 23 25 TOM PETTY AND THE HEARTBREAKERS - Learning To Fly (MCA)
- 18 19 26 PEABO BRYSON - Can You Stop The Rain (Columbia)
- 31 27 27 AIR SUPPLY - Without You (Giant/Warner Bros.)
 - 36 28 MARC COHN - Silver Thunderbird (Atlantic)
 - 29 34 PIERCE PETTIS - You Need A Love (High Street)
- 37 37 30 **COLOR ME BADD** - I Adore Mi Amor (Giant/Reprise)
 - 31 MARIAH CAREY - Emotions (Columbia)
- 39 35 32 **R.E.M.** - Shiny Happy People (Warner Bros.)
- 33 MARTIKA - Love...Thy Will Be Done (Columbia)
- 34 QUEEN - These Are The Days Of Our Lives (Hollywood)
- 20 29 35 GLORIA ESTEFAN - Can't Forget You (Epic)
 - 36 **LUTHER VANDROSS** - Don't Want To Be A Fool (Epic)
- 19 25 37 ROBERT PALMER - I'll Be Your Baby Tonight (EMI)
- 16 26 38 MOODY BLUES - Say It With Love (Polydor/PLG) 25 24 39 JACKSON BROWNE/JENNIFER WARNES - Golden Slumbers (Hollywood)
- 32 40 WILSON PHILLIPS - The Dream Is Still Alive (SBK) 24

CHARTBOUND								
ARTIST TITLE LABEL	*Debuts in Chartbound	Reports	Adds	Heavy	Medium	Light	Hit Factor	Weeks
RICK ASTLEY - Wonderful You MICHAEL W. SMITH - For You *NEIL DIAMOND - If There Were THE KNACK - One Day At A Tim	(Reunion/Geffen) No Dreams (Columbia)	83 77 75 62	35 45 60 9	- - 1	12 7 6 23	36 25 9 29	14% 9% 8% 38%	2 2 1 4

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Reports	Adds	ARTIST TITLE LABEL
55	5	SCORPIONS - Wind Of Change (Mercury)
55	16	SURFACE featuring BERNARD JACKSON - A World Of Our Own (Col.)
53	26	FRANCESCA BEGHE - Something About Your Touch (SBK)
48	6	SUBDUDES - Tired Of Being Alone (East West America)
46	19	ERIN CRUISE - Cold Shower (Purple Heart)
35	2	HI-FIVE - I Can't Wait Another Minute (Jive/RCA)
32	17	* BODEANS - Paradise (Slash/Reprise)
30	4	STING - Mad About You (A&M)
29	7	DAVID HALLYDAY - Tears Of The Earth (Scotti Brothers)
25	25	* DAVE KOZ - Endless Summer Nights (Capitol)
25	25	* CROWDED HOUSE - Fall At Your Feet (Capitol)
24	5	JASMINE GUY - Just Want To Hold You (Warner Bros.)
22	4	FOREIGNER - I'll Fight For You (Atlantic)
20	7	* DEACON BLUE - Your Swaying Arms (Columbia)

Dropped: Whitney Houston, Mark Edwards, Jack Mack, Bobby Caldwell, Paulinho DaCosta, The Fixx, Shelby Lynne + Les Taylor.

INSIDE A/C

by Diane Rufer and Ron Fell

ROD STEWART's "The Motown Song" finally knocks BRYAN ADAMS from the top spot. ROD actually does it with a lesser profile of rotations than he had last week. CHICAGO's "You Come To My Senses" is approaching top five territory after a #10 to #6 jump. Nearly two-thirds of its play is in HEAVY rotation now, and its HIT FAC-TOR is well over the 90% mark from among its 201 players.

BOB SEGER's "The Real Love" continues its spectaular growth pattern. It's the format's HOTTEST track, moving #31 to #17 this week alone. Its 26% increase in HIT FACTOR is second best behind MARIAH CAREY's opening 33%. SEGER's newest players include WMYX, WLYY/FM, WELI, KKLD, KSBL and WOBM/FM.

A 65% HIT FACTOR and 14 more ADDs take BILLY DEAN up from #28 to the threshold of the top twenty. New for KTDY/FM, KLSQ/FM, KDAO, WELI, KSBL and WOBM/FM.

PIERCE PETTIS is now comfortably top thirty with his "You Need A Love." Ninetytwo A/Cs are playing it and 64 have it in quality rotation including KBMG, KMCQ, KORT, KSSY, KWGG, Q92/FM, WGCD, WJJY/FM, WNNC and WPHM all in HEAVY.

Former RECORD TO WATCH, "I Adore Mi Amor" by COLOR ME BADD moves #37 to #30 with 20 more ADDs including

WBMX/FM, KZMG, WSUL, WJON, KLCY, KYMG/FM, KCRE and WCPZ.

MARIAH CAREY's "Emotions" is the format's highest chart debut at #31. It was almost the #1 MOST ADDED again this week, losing to labelmate NEIL DIA-MOND by a margin of one. Her ADDs include WZNY, KSSK, KRNO/FM, KTHT, WABJ, WJCL/FM and JOY99.

Number one MOST ADDED is NEIL DIAMOND's "If There Were No Dreams." It's early play is coming from K103, KESZ, KOST, KBIG, WEBE/FM, KBLQ, KBOI, WFRO, WMT/FM, WFFX/FM, WQLH/ FM and WOLR.

Last issue's RECORD TO WATCH, "A World Of Our Own" by SURFACE featuring BERNARD JACKSON, gathered 16 new stations with WNYR, WMXK, KFMO, KSCB, KXLK, WLKI/FM, KBOL, KJTT among the ADDs. This single featured in the movie "Return To The Blue Lagoon" is currently rotating in MEDIUM at WEIM, WOHS, WXVL, KTWA, WFRO, WQLR and K103 already.

Qualifing for RECORD TO WATCH this issue BODEANS' "Paradise" which debuts in UP AND COMING with a 32 station count. Included in the ADDs are WEIM, WSUL, WNMB, KWGG, KBLQ, KWXX, Q92/FM, KSSY and WMTZ/FM. Already on WGBE, WKYE, WCKQ, KSCB, WDND, KMCO and WHAI.



BEE GEES

Happy Ever After (Warner Bros.)

The vocal harmonies and swaying rhythm are irresistable, as are the Brothers Gibb. Their second release from the current "High Civilization" album is rich and thick, without being dense.

CROWDED HOUSE

Fall At Your Feet (Capitol)

The song of a man in love who's full of doubt about whether it matters to the object of his affection. A great Neil Finn compositon and one of the highlights from the group's current "Woodface" album.

RUSS IRWIN

My Heart Belongs To You (SBK)

Testing a vocal altitude where the likes of Art Garfunkel are comfortable, Russ Irwin launches his highly anticipated career with a classic lyric and melody.

ANIMAL LOGIC

Rose Colored Glasses (IRS)

Singer Deborah Holland is a standout on this cool track supported by journeymen Stewart Copeland and Stanley Clarke. Deserves to be heard!!

DAVID FOSTER

You're The Inspiration (Atlantic)

An instrumental version of the number one Chicago single (produced and cowritten by David Foster back in '85). It's the only fresh instrumental out there, and about as strong and sweet a melody as there is in the format.

HIT FACTOR A/C Research: Diane Rufer/Ron Fell

Total Reports This Week 244 Last Week 247

	Reports	Adds	Heavy	Medium	Liaht	Hit Factor	Weeks
ROD STEWART - The Motown Song (Warner Bros.)	222	1	200	17	4	97%	10
BRYAN ADAMS - (Everything I Do) I Do It For You (A&M/Morgan Creek)	216		198	13	5	97%	11
MICHAEL BOLTON - Time, Love And Tenderness (Columbia)	214	3	176	31	4	96%	9
HUEY LEWIS AND THE NEWS - It Hit Me Like A Hammer (EMI)	216	2	158	46	10	94%	8
AARON NEVILLE - Everybody Plays The Fool (A&M)	224	5	149	53	17	90%	10
CHICAGO - You Come To My Senses (Reprise)	201	3	130	55	13	92%	9
ROXETTE - Fading Like A Flower (Every Time You Leave) (EMI)	197	—	131	55	11	94%	13
BONNIE RAITT - Something To Talk About (Capitol)	198	3	140	47	8	94%	12
AMY GRANT - Every Heartbeat (A&M)	188	2	132	41	13	92%	13
LENNY KRAVITZ - It Ain't Over 'Til It's Over (Virgin)	192	3	110	63	16	90%	11
CATHY DENNIS - Too Many Walls (PLG)	182	7	95	69	11	90%	10
BETH NIELSEN CHAPMAN - All I Have (Reprise)	174	9	83	68	14	86%	7
CELINE DION - The Last To Know (Epic)	159	2	58	87	12	91%	10
THE TRIPLETS - Sunrise (Mercury)	143	6	50	73	14	86%	8
RONNIE MILSAP - Since I Don't Have You (RCA)	142	7	40	74	21	80%	6
CHER - Love And Understanding (Geffen)	146	-	62	58	26	82%	12
BOB SEGER AND THE SILVER BULLET BAND - The Real Love (Capitol)	178	35	20	84	39	58%	3
BETTE MIDLER - The Gift Of Love (Atlantic)	158	13	17	97	31	72%	5
AMERICA - Nothing's So Far Away (Rhino)	137	10	41	69	17	80%	7
DAVID A. STEWART Intro. CANDY DULFER - Lily Was Here (Arista)	138	3	48	63	24	80%	15
BILLY DEAN - Somewhere In My Broken Heart (SBK)	134	14	16	72	32	65%	5
KENNY G - Theme From Dying Young (Arista)	121	7	15	75	24	74%	8
NATALIE COLE with NAT "KING" COLE - Unforgettable (Elektra)	125	_	29	62	34	72%	13
PAULA ABDUL - The Promise Of A New Day (Captive/Virgin)	105	7	24	58	16	78%	6
TOM PETTY AND THE HEARTBREAKERS - Learning To Fly (MCA)	109	8	19	66	16	77%	9
PEABO BRYSON - Can You Stop The Rain (Columbia)	111	1 1	32	49	29	72%	14
AIR SUPPLY - Without You (Giant/Warner Bros.)	102	6	14	60	22	72%	6
MARC COHN - Silver Thunderbird (Atlantic)	97	10	10	51	26	62%	5
PIERCE PETTIS - You Need A Love (High Street)	92	3 20	10	54	25 35	69%	8
COLOR ME BADD - I Adore Mi Amor (Giant/Reprise)	103 137	20 59	7 5	41 41	32	46%	4 2
MARIAH CAREY - Emotions (Columbia)	82	ี่ 29 4	າ 12	43	23	33% 67%	7
R.E.M Shiny Happy People (Warner Bros.) MARTIKA - LoveThy Will Be Done (Columbia)	97	15	1	45	36	47%	3
QUEEN - These Are The Days Of Our Lives (Hollywood)	94	19	2	43	31	46%	4
GLORIA ESTEFAN - Can't Forget You (Epic)	86		15	34	37	56%	16
LUTHER VANDROSS - Don't Want To Be A Fool (Epic)	84	14	3	42	25	53%	5
ROBERT PALMER - I'll Be Your Baby Tonight (EMI)	77	-	15	37	25	67%	9
MOODY BLUES - Say It With Love (Polydor/PLG)	73	_	16	34	23	68%	12
JACKSON BROWNE AND JENNIFER WARNES - Golden Slumbers (Hollywood)	73 71	1	12	35	23	66%	8
WILSON PHILLIPS - The Dream Is Still Alive (SBK)	64		13	30	21	67%	15

PLUS FACTOR

Recards which received the greatest increase in HIT FACTOR

	LW	TW	Increase
MARIAH CAREY - Emotions (Columbia) BOB SEGER AND THE SILVER BULLET BAND - The Real Love (Capitol) QUEEN - These Are The Days Of Our Lives (Hollywood) MARTIKA - LoveThy Will Be Done (Columbia) ERIN CRUISE - Cold Shower (Purple Heart) COLOR ME BADD - I Adore Mi Amor (Giant/Reprise) BILLY DEAN - Somewhere In My Broken Heart (SBK) LUTHER VANDROSS - Don't Want To Be A Fool (Epic) RICK ASTLEY - Wonderful You (RCA) BETTE MIDLER - The Gift Of Love (Atlantic) MARC COHN - Silver Thunderbird (Atlantic) PAULA ABDUL - The Promise Of A New Day (Captive/Virgin)	32 22 28 — 29 50 39 — 59 49 66	33 58 46 47 19 46 65 53 14 72 62 78	33% 26% 24% 19% 19% 17% 15% 14% 14% 13% 13%

Sanborn Sanborn

of a conversation with David Sanborn about his new album, another Hand, I let it slip.

"Groovy? Boy, I haven't heard that one in a while. I'm the only other guy that uses that word! Tell you what. Let's bring back the word groovy, but no bellbottoms!"

Having played in the Paul Butterfield Blues Band in1967 ("Those were interesting times"), David Sanborn truly remembers when things were "groovy." Not that's he's on a downturn now. Dave Sanborn notched quite a few accomplishments, most notably television history with his outstanding Night Music series, a late night television oasis known for its unique blend of artists. By alchemically combining guests of different genre and color, for a while there, Sanborn and Hal Wilner had revived the spirit of underground radio. Wilner, in addition to working on Saturday Night Live, has also produced records by

Marianne Faithful as well as famous compilations honoring Kurt Weill, Walt Disney and Charles Mingus.

"The television show came about almost selfishly," Sanborn explains, "Wouldn't it be great to see Sonny Rollins on television? Wouldn't to be great to see Sonny Rollins and Leonard Cohen on television or Al Green on television again in a different context. Al and Sun Ra or else David Newman or Hank Crawford or Little Milton Campbell and Fontella Bass, Eric Clapton and Robert Cray. James Taylor and Milton Nascimento.

"Sometimes we'd do a show and I'd ask myself, 'Did we really get away with that? Did they really let us put the Residents on television?"

Sanborn, a selfcritical sort, still seems genuinely surprised that he and Wilner had tricked the corporate beast in a creative shell game.

"I was surprised we got

Notes From The Underground

by Kent Zimmerman

that far. I didn't think we would last more than six shows. But we actually ended up doing two years."

Then the conversation took a turn toward radio. Usually the subject comes up dutifully, and it's hardly ever brought up by the artist. However this album deliberately preys on the art of radio programming—a reflection of the experiences Sanborn had both as a radio listener and broadcast host.

"This record has a lot to do with the older forms of radio. For instance, go back to the sixties in San Francisco. 1966 or '67. KMPX and KSAN. I remember getting stoned and listening to the radio late at night with all the lights out. This deejay would come on and play Howling Wolf, John Coltrane, Creedence Clearwater. You went



entirely on his trip. There was this thread that ran through the music that was the deejay's personality, his point of view of the world. Records would follow each other or else contrast. It was a statement.

"That kind of programming maintained my interest, so in a sense, we programmed this record. If there is any kind of overview to this record, it's that feeling of laying in bed late at night listening to the radio, hearing these songs coming at you. Personal songs. Interior songs."

In addition to recreating the underground radio flow, another Hand is an awakening of sorts, in which Sanborn regains a physical touch with his saxophone, the soft and reedy portion rather than its loud and brassy components. Playing in various dynamics, particularly softer tones, was something he missed doing.

"The problem with playing R&B and funk music is that you tend to operate at a high intensity level. You eliminate some of the more important, subtle nuances of your playing. The part of the saxophone that makes it a woodwind, the piano (as in soft) to mezzopiano range of the instrument gets eliminated. And there's a lot of character that exists in that range. By only playing loud and fast, you eliminate a large part of your vocabulary. Wanting to explore those ranges was also what I had in mind."

What better place to start than with the sweeping majesty of Charlie Haden's "First Song," the album's opening track? Performing the song alongside its Composer turned out to be a very disciplined adventure.

"'First Song' is like a

classical tune. To play that melody and stay in character, you have play it very delicately. It's very triadic, with the diminished chords and the way the suspension chords fall. The way the chords resolve themselves in that song is very classical. Hence you can't throw in a lot of substitute changes without seriously effecting the personality of the composition. Not with Charlie standing there, anyway." Sanborn laughs.

After Wilner and Sanborn charted the material route the album would take, the next process was finding the right players.

"Out of the late night radio thing and exploring the softer range of the instrument, we started to find material that reflected those two points of view. We needed the right players who would fit both concepts. A lot of them happened to be Jazz players, though not all of them."

One player did toe the line of both rock n roll and Jazz, namely NRBQ keyboardist Terry Adams.

"What a revelation it was working with Terry Adams! We'd known each other in passing. Hal knew about the 'whole other side' to Terry's playing. I had only heard him with NRBQ. So we got together and he played me all these tunes he'd written. He struck me as a player who could combine Monk with Jerry Lee Lewis, Cecil Taylor and Allen Toussaint. Weird articulation and smash bang."

The deeper you delve into another Hand, the more you tend to appreciate some of the seemingly bizarre Sanborn/Wilner experiments. A saxophonist covering Lou Reed and the Velvet Underground's junkie prayer, "Jesus"? A

medley of vintage television and movie themes from the sixties?

"I'm a child of television," Sanborn admits, "And there's a lot of good music that's been written for films and TV, especially in the fifties and sixties. A lot of the music for Twilight Zone and One Step Beyond was written by Bernard Hermann, Jerry Goldsmith—people who were great writers. I always thought the theme from 'One Step Beyond' was a real pretty song. The medley was Hal's idea, a combination of pieces that

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he felt would work as a unit. Hal is a buff. He collects this stuff, plus he has access to the whole NBC music library because he works on Saturday Night Live."

As a noted seventies rock sessionist and fusion pioneer who laid a lot of today's Jazz groundwork, Sanborn is modest about his contributions to the current boom and interest in instrumental music. He shovels a lot of the credit to others, including the growing stable of young traditionalists.

"There is a resurgence of instrumental music, isn't there? Maybe that's because the record business is so big that it's able to encompass instrumental as well as popular music. Generally, I think Jazz is healthier than it's ever been largely

because of people like
Wynton Marsalis, who is
not only a great talent, but
an articulate spokesman
and a tireless educator. He
puts his talent where his
mouth is by actively going
around to schools and
community centers,
encouraging young
musicians to get in touch
with their traditions by
doing their homework."

For instance?

"Roy Hargrove is an amazing trumpet player. There's also Steve Coleman, Greg Osby, Antonio Hart and on and on. It will be interesting to see how, down the line, these players further explore the idiom. After all, Jazz by its very nature is a changing art form. You have to adapt.

"I'll bet a lot of these players will break out of the traditional mold and create new and vital music that is different than anything that's happened before. It's inevitable, just like Steve Coleman and Greg Osby are doing with M Base. That's new music that synthesizes a lot of music outside of the mainstream. It's clearly Jazz, although it's heavily influenced by Rap, Hip Hop, Funk and James Brown. It's very complicated, challenging, demanding music."

Some may argue, though, that a large percentage of the new players are merely reinventing music from another era. Still, Sanborn rises to the defense of the younger players.

"You have to realize that these players are young and they are learning. They are students with a lot of information to absorb. I like to give people the benefit of the doubt as they make great music while they're learning. Then we'll see how far this goes, how it

progresses. Otherwise all you're doing is creating a hip version of Dixieland at the Red Garter. That's the only fear, even though such a fear at this time is premature. These guys are still learning."

Learning, yes, but aren't some of the young players prey to the politically correct views of the nightclub thought police? Finally we push a button and Sanborn answers in one of those "don't get me started" tones

"There's bound to be antagonism between the moderns and the purists. That strain has always existed inside the Jazz community by people who set themselves up as arbiters of what is and isn't Jazz,"

Sanborn catches himself and backs off naming names.

"We all know who those people are, the ones who write for those tightassed New York papers. Be-bop police. Not even. Swing police."

So, will radio ever catch up or reach back to the days of free spirited ecclectism, the same progressive spirit that influenced both Night Music and another Hand? Will we ever evolve to a day when you don't have to punch buttons and change stations in order to crosspollinate?

"Boy, that would sure be great. I'd like to think that's possible. Underground radio didn't last that long. It wasn't like there was this long golden age. It was only a few years. These days I guess it depends on how desperate radio is for the bucks. If business is bad, that's not a good sign. Then the music gets more reactionary. Still, there's NPR and college radio."

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NEW HIP HOP RELEASES by Brian A. Samson

NAUGHTY BY NATURE - Self Titled LP (Tommy Boy)

Already number one on both radio and retail single charts with their single "O.P.P.," Naughty By Nature's self-titled and self-produced album can be added to my hit list as one the dopest albums of the year. NBN is comprised of Treach (Anthony Criss), Vinnie (Vincent Brown) and deejay KG (Kier Gist) who are the latest artists to record for The Flavor Unit, a hip-hop community made up of artists such as Queen Latifah, Lakim Shabazz, DJ Mark the 45 King, and others. Tracks to look out for include YOKE THE JOKER, 1,2,3, GHETTO BASTARD, WICKEDEST MAN ALIVE, STRIKE A NERVE, RHYME'LL SHINE ON and of course, O.P.P.. Most of NBN's lyrics are about living in the streets of New Jersey. The tracks contain few positive messages, but then the flavor wasn't intended to be. Treach says, "Positive ain't where we live." If you're not down with "O.P.P.," then you can't be with Naughty By Nature. Give Albee a shout at (212) 722-2211 for your taste of the "Naughty" flava. Ern Llamado

M.C. LYTE - Act Like You Know LP (First Priority Music/Atlantic Street)
After a two year absence, M.C. Lyte is back

and stronger than ever. The upcoming release, "Act Like You Know," is a diverse, intelligent, '90s Lyte. "When In Love" is the first single produced by B.B.D's Wolf and Epic. "Eyes are the Sort" is the likely follow-up, with a smooth groove and hard commentary on drug addiction, AIDS, and other problems of modern society. It's a "who's who" on the production end, with help from Pal Joey, D.J. Doe, Master Tee, Audio Two, King of Chill, and D.J. Mark the 45 King. Contact Eric Skinner for the "LYTEr" side of things at (212) 484-7620. Brett Durand Atwood

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PROFESSOR GRIFF - Jail Sale (Luke Records/Atlantic)

The former Minister of Information for Public Enemy drops a well-produced mixshow track that flows in the manner of the Bomb Squad. With the first release from the "KAO's II Wiz *7* Dome" album, P.G. raps an uplifting story about the plight of Black men who are caught in the web of the so-called society of equal justice. I recommend College and mixshow jocks peep out the various mixes, as the Soul Society production team injects a "pump your fist in the air" feel. Contact Debbie Bennet at (305) 757-1969, or Eric "Skin Master" Skinner at (212) 484-7322. Brian Alan Samson



SKATING DE LA SOUL STYLE: De La Soul meet up with YO! MTV Rap hosts Dr. Dre and Ed Lover for the premiere of their video, "A Roller Skating Jam Named 'Saturdays'." Pictured front 1 to r: comedian/actor Steve White and De La Soul's Trugoy. Back row 1 to r: veejay Dr. Dre; De La Soul's Baby Huey Maseo and Posduos; veejay Ed Lover.

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it was for me to listen to?" Julie Amacher, KUNC-Greelev

If it ain't broke, don't fix it! It seems like a lot of stations think that they need to continually experiment with the flow of music that's already working for them. I'm not suggesting you never evaluate your flow, but keep in mind where your audience is coming from. Michael Moryc, Matrix Promotions

Make darn sure you know your stuff! The Jazz audience is, by and large, an educated audience. They want to know what major sidemen are playing on each album and they'll know when you mispronounce a name. Don't insult their intelligence.

Jett Cheek/Kevin McNerney/ Dave Fender, KNTU-Denton,

The rule is the song. Each programming choice has to be based on a quality song first, quality performance second. Ricky Schultz, Warner Bros. Records

...to keep the music melodic and to program well crafted songs that evoke an emotional response.

Joe Cohn, KPLU-Seattle

The three "C-s." Don't get too Clever, Complicated or Cloying. Baba O'Lear, KUNR-Reno

The key is integrity. If the music is contrived, the listener will know. Production values must be a high priority. The consumer has a very acute ear. Randall Hage Jamail, Justice Records

QUESTION #2

World Music. Vital trend? Fad? The Future? Already over? **Essential all**dayparts programming? Saleable block programming? My views on World Music are:

We are the world! The Adult Alternative format was created to include diverse music styles. World Music (not to be confused with "world beat") is the kev ingredient for the future success of our format. While we're at it, let's change the name to Diverse Adult Radio. Jack Kolkmeyer, KIOT- Santa Fe

So called "World Music" is not new to me. It has been around as long as I can remember. under different names. It's never had anything but a bright future because one cannot silence a country's musical heritage. That is impossible.

Duke DuBois, GRP Records

I support World Music 100%. We started a World Beat show in 1990, yet it's so vast that it fits any daypart by being a little different, quite danceable, keeping a format from going stale. It's needed in our current multi-cultural society. Alphie J. Williams, WEAA-**Baltimore**

This music represents the continued globalization of the music industry. It will find a niche for special programs and can be assimilated into formats as long as it's not too busy sounding.

Tom The Jazzman, WTEB-Greenville

WM is a phase in the evolution of what has been previously called "New Age." Since the late seventies, it has always been there, so it cannot be a fad. It is a vein that will be further mined.

Russ Davis, WQCD-New York/ lazz Flavours

It's acceptable for spice tracks, but as a major programming element for a commercial station, no.

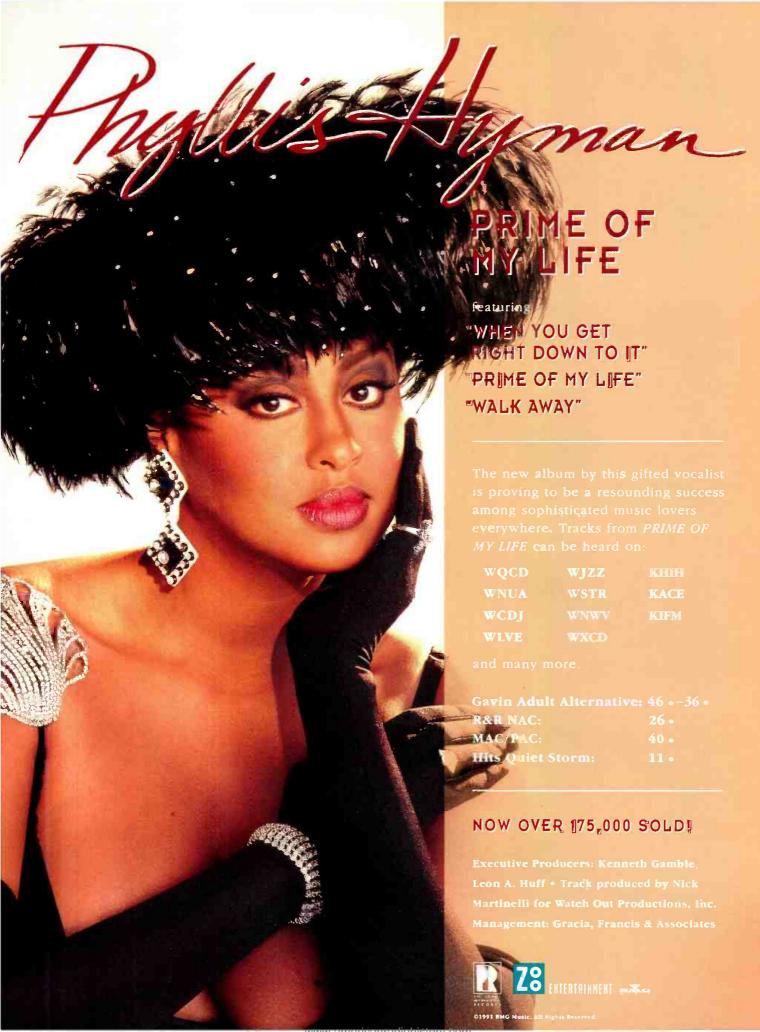
Chad Gilley, WCLZ-Portland, ME

Let's face it! Contemporary instrumental music has become mundane and boring. The exceptions are the bands who incorporate flavors from different corners of the world into their music. David Byrne and Paul Simon have proven that World Music is commercially viable. The real shame is that most of this music goes virtually ignored because it is not American enough. Our World Music titles are by far our biggest sellers.

Jeff Lunt, Mesa/Bluemoon

It is vital as long as it's melodic and not too "pure." World Music needs to meet Western sensibilities, at least partially, a la Johnny Clegg, Gipsy Kings, Sipho Mabuse, et al. Steve Feinstein, KKSF-San Francisco

I conducted my own listener survey and found the overwhelming majority in search of



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a wider musical palette, encompassing rhythms and musical textures from all over the world. They know that the borders don't stop at Brazil! Tom Mongelli, Jazz 'N More/ WDHA-Dover,NJ

It ain't no fad, it's here to stay. As rock further stagnates (especially Alternative) and radio stiffens further, ears of both the public and of programmers are suddenly finding WM stimulating, satisfying and easier to absorb in all dayparts.

Tom Terrell, Antilles Records

Is WM the new description or catch-all phrase for what we used to call "New Age?" Good melodic music with a strong hook will always have a place, no matter how we try to categorize it.

Blake Lawrence, WCDJ-Boston

Caribbean sounds with steel drums will work every time in Florida. I see Gregorian Jazz coming soon.

Todd Kennedy, WFIT-Melbourne, FL

We've all heard some great tracks played during the Juke Box Jury at the past Gavin Conventions. However, despite the jurists' personal enthusiasm for the tracks, we don't see the overall support when it comes to addressing real airplay. I believe that some of the songs can work in all dayparts. World Music, like New Age in many ways, can be a spice that keeps AA sounding different...not like one long sax solo.

Kevin Gore, Columbia Records

Play it! Talk about it! Seek out independents and the majors for this music. Create a slot and

watch the response.

Randall Kennedy, Warner Bros. Records

To be honest, I'm too busy keeping up on the thriving Jazz scene to listen to much World Music. What I've heard hasn't done much for me.

Bob Hammond, KANU-Lawrence

WM is a fad that has merit while 'spicing' up sets of Jazz. It can cleanse the palate or in some cases, turn off the listener.

Michael Camillo, WYBC-New Haven

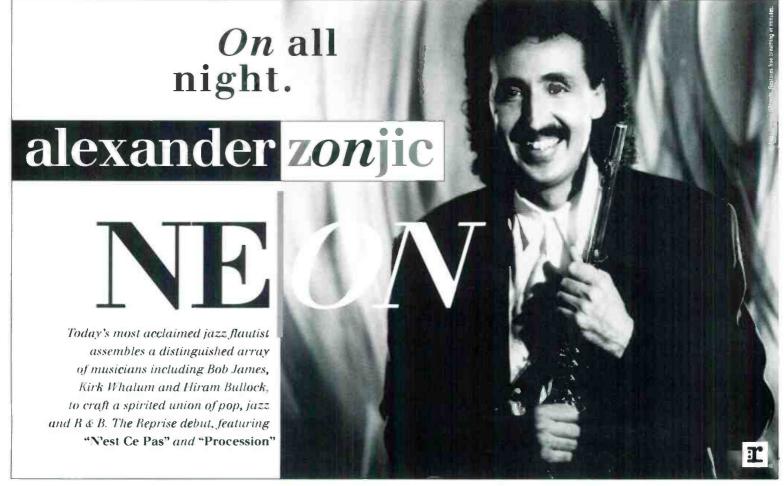
Be selective! Vital trend? Sure! The future? You bet! Brad Hockmeyer, KTAO-Taos

As long as World Music doesn't become a trendy catch-all phrase for anything non-





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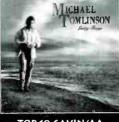
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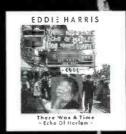
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domestic, it can be used in context with the original ethnic sources, not just diluted byproducts. All around us, the demand and acceptance for ethnic music of all types is increasing.

Ross Harper, Nova Records

World Music is the natural evolution of peoples being able to communicate with one another from all cultures on the planet. The evolution will continue.

Tim Hodges, KJAZ-San Francisco

While World Music is very much a part of Adult Alternative programming, it is not the definitive feature of that format. AA programmers should not rely on World Music to define their format's sound. World Music should be a consistent part of the programming along with Jazz, Blues, Folk and more. Phil Matlock, BSU Radio Network

A very broad term. Cuban Jazz or South African Township Jive? There is literally a world of music out there. Our job is to find the best and then find the best way to present it to our

public.

Brad Paul, Rounder Records

...simply promoting it in all dayparts signals to the listener that you are at least trying to do something different.

Art Good, Jazz Trax

New sounds and new instruments are part of the fun of being a child again, exploring new worlds. Every day our "Western" music is showing influences from Africa, South America, Eastern Europe and Asia. The public seems more willing to accept new, strange and different sounds from all over.

Kristin Pearson/Jeff Wallace, Hotline Promotions

World Music is essential for the "coastal markets" of the East, West and South.

Michael Carlson, MC Promotion

World Music is a fad. It will not get the worldwide exposure fast enough that is required for its growth.

Ken Webb, Jazz From The City

When I first started working with "World" product, I was

lucky enough to represent the Gipsy Kings. Obviously people are attracted to them since they flock to their live shows and buy their music at a considerable rate. World Music is a way of escaping from the ubiquitous "saxophone" and to experience different sounds.

Marla Roseman, Promark Radio and Retail Promotions

World Music's success or failure as a programming tool is steered by the same set of guidelines that hold for all programming—it depends on what comes before and what comes after. While blocks by nature often induce listener fatigue, WM transcends boundaries and can work around Jazz, folk, and other pop genres. More traditional WM like Missa Luba can even work in a classical format. Keith Weston, WUNC-Chapel Hill

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Chris Jonz, Warner Bros. Records

The influence of WM on pop music (i.e. Paul Simon) shows

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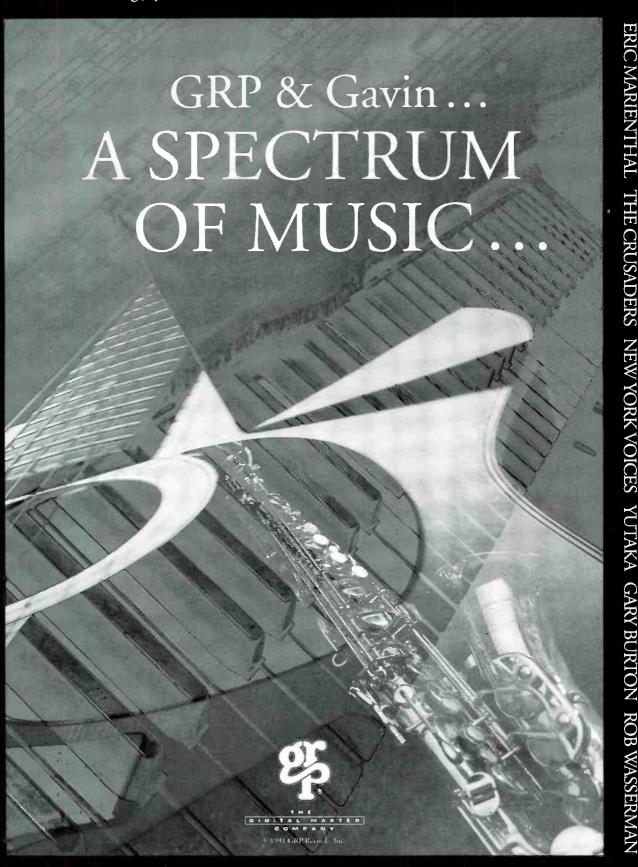
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that WM is here to stay. It can't be ignored as a programming asset.

Steve Williams, WAMX-Ann Arbor

A few WM CDs and a fair amount of salsa are blended into our Jazz mix on KXJZ, including artists like Jean Luc Ponty, Zakir Hussain, Daniel Ponce and Eddie Palmieri. We also block WM programming on "Global Beat," Fridays and Saturdays, 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Gary Vercelli, KXJZ-Sacramento

With the whole 'New World Order' philosophy, music from other cultures is indeed making its mark in the States.

Dr. Jazz, Dr. Jazz Operations

World Music is becoming less of a culture-specific genre and more universally accessible and accepted.

Sarah Greenwood, Justice Records

WM is far from a fad. World Music is here and here to stay. Radio needs to give WM artists more opportunity by giving their listeners more credit!

James Lewis, James Lewis

Marketing

World Music has been a growing trend for more than thirty years, thanks to artists like Dave Brubeck. Brubeck was first able to turn the American audience on to the unusual rhythms and time signatures associated with African music back in 1958 when he released "Time Out."

Julie Amacher, KUNC-Greeley

This is a natural evolution that began with Reggae music back around 1970—actually earlier with Harry Belafonte and Johnny Nash. As adults become more and more bored with what passes as American pop, this trend will continue to prosper. Baba O'Lear, KUNR-Reno

QUESTION #3

Is Jazz and Adult Alternative music and radio on separate stylistic courses? Yes or no? Good or bad?

Adult Alternative music is to Jazz music what basic Arithmetic is to Trigonometry.

Tim Hodge, KJAZ-San Francisco

Jazz is based on improvisation and technical prowess. AA is essentially instrumental pop music with an emphasis on hooks that isn't of concern to Jazz.

Steve Feinstein, KKSF-San Francisco

I see Adult Alternative becoming more of a vocally-oriented





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format, while Jazz-oriented formats will stay rooted in mainly instrumental programming. The AA format is continuing to sharpen its focus and I see it possibly losing some audience. Those that will remain will be active and loyal. Jazz, on the other hand, will continue to gain audience for several reasons. It's an acknowledged art form with history. It is also fashionable to write about. Look for print press and electronic coverage to continue to grow. Overall I see the two formats settling into a situation of being separate but equal.

Russ Davis, WQCD-New York/ **Jazz Flavours**

The two formats are becoming more and more segregated. The specificity of each format (Jazz vs. AA) will help a station keep dedicated listeners, allowing at least twice the opportunity for artists to create. You should consider some separate events at Gavin Seminar '92. (Ed. Note: We have and it will happen.) Neil Gorov, Groov Marketing and Consulting

We are on separate courses, but sometimes we meet. Jazz covers a wider territory from Bebop to Fusion. I think it's a good idea because it gives listeners a choice of alternatives.

Rod Flores, KCSM-San Mateo

Jazz is about pure improvisation—the player is King. Adult Alternative is about songs. The writing is first and foremost. This distinction is becoming more emphasized this year. Kristin Leonhard, Positive Music, Inc.

Maybe AA needs to diversify, lest it becomes a watered-down generic form of Fuzak Wallpaper. Jazz needs to balance the trad and contemp strains of the genre.

Richard Morton, Indie

Jazz radio seems to be healthier than ever, but I must say I'm a bit concerned about the future of the AA format. I'm a fan and quite frankly I'm bored. If I want formula, I've got a case of Similac at home!

Jeff Lunt, Mesa/Bluemoon

Jazz is Jazz and AA is anything it wants to be. AA will (and can) play Jazz while Jazz doesn't usually touch AA music. AA is meant to be a broader format. In that sense, Jazz is a part of AA. Jack Kolkmeyer, KIOT-Santa Fe

Jazz radio seems to be getting back to its roots, and even artists who normally play contemporary Jazz are putting out albums with a definite mainstream bent. Adult Alternative radio seems to be tightening up its belt and mixing more mellow instrumental music with easily recognizable melodies and less "outside" improvisation while adding more contemporary vocalists to the mix. Recent successes on the AA charts include Ioni Mitchell and Bonnie Raitt. Kristin Pearson/Jeff Wallace. Hotline Promotions, Inc.

Adult Alternative has been sounding too homogeneous. The A&R departments need to search for artists that are more progressive in their song forms. harmonies and "sound" usage. In effect, try selling the music, not the package. I feel that soon there will be a lot of re-discovered Jazz talent coming on board. As we delve into the '90s, the pre-yuppie Jazz players that are somewhere between Weather Report and Stan Getz will arrive.

Jennifer Phelps, Denon Records

While some artists from AA work well when judiciously programmed in a lazz format (i.e. Jon Lucien, Joe Sample, Jude Swift), I'd generally say that Jazz and AA are on different courses. Much AA is heavily reliant upon cliched phrases and formula rhythms which are contrary to the improvisational nature of Jazz at its best.

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The trouble with radio is that some Jazz radio stations are straying into more and more Adult Alternative for one reason or another.

Renee Beam, KUOP-Stockton

This is unfortunate. Be true to your

format.

Jazz has a long history with decades of evolution. In Jazz radio (read: Mainstream Jazz radio) there is a commitment to the music's heritage, performers and traditions. Part of that tradition is improvisation, which is still very important to Jazz today. Adult Alternative, on the other hand, is only a few years old. The AA music seeks what is new and unique and sees itself as a contemporary format. There is less improvisation on AA radio and more of a focus on selections that have strong hooks. I think both formats can come together on the issue of melody. A strong melodic line is vital in song selection for everyone

Joe Cohn, KPLU-Seattle

Each format will develop it's own identity. Jazz radio will be real Jazz and blues-based and AA will be more vocal-oriented. It it much harder now to get an

artist into the Top 5 on both charts. Simultaneously, AA is playing less Jazz, while Jazz is looking for more real Jazz. Cliff Gorov/Tim/Rebecca/Ynes/Cindy, All That Jazz Consulting & Marketing

Adult Alternative should be called Adult "Alternating" because it involves several different styles, from Jazz to A/C to Album Radio.

Jaime Kartak, KJZS-Houston

Basically, this fragmentation among the charts is very confusing. Separate courses have been taken and seem to be defined by levels of accessibility.

David A. Thompson, Justice Records

Separate courses? Absolutely and it's good. Why? Adult Alternative music has become a format that more or less has to follow certain parameters in order to gain airplay. Whereas Jazz, from day one, was built on improvisation and really is not restricted in any way by the airplay it has gathered. Jazz has its die-hard listeners and that core will not change. AA is now being heard by a very large audience nationwide. Only good results can come from this. **Duke DuBois, GRP Records**

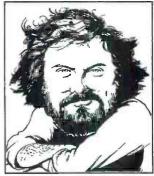
Jazz purists often fail to appreciate AA music. It takes a keen ear to mix the two, though it is possible. One can keep the other from becoming boring. Alphie J. Williams, WEAA-Baltimore

Most straight ahead Jazz will never appeal to any major section of the public. Only those with a pre-developed appreciation will enjoy and listen. AA ought to be new music radio for the 25-54 set.









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"David is one of my favorite artists, he is a fine storyteller who paints pictures with his lyrics. Besides that, he's a helluva nice guy."
-Emily Saliers, Indigo Girls

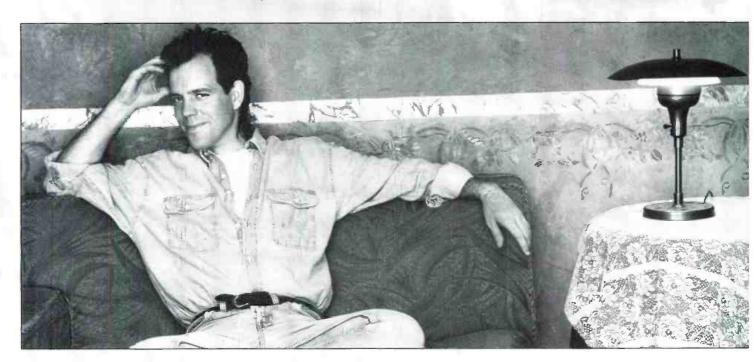
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Commercial AA stations should play music that's well executed and enjoyable, but still commercial. Folk, pop and progressive genres need to be a part of AA. We have to avoid becoming the beautiful music of the '90s.

Chad Gilley, WCLZ-Portland

With more "bridge" artists appearing—Will Downing, Daniel Ponce, Dianne Reeves, Enya, Salif Keita, Ivan Lins, Tuck & Patti, Geri Allen, etc.—the gap will close, lines will blur and narrow attitudes will fade away.

Tom Terrell, Antilles Records

Jazz has been and remains the most alternative format. Hey adults, stretch out! Your audience is all grown up and ready for a change. Randall Kennedy, Warner Bros. Records

They are stylistically different. Jazz is far advanced, melodically, harmonically and—especially—rhythmically. Adult Alternative may draw here and there from Jazz, but it lacks in so many ways the sophistication and emotion of Jazz.

Bob Hammond, KANU-Lawrence

AA is for people who have outgrown rock, Country, etc. and are looking for a familiar music that appeals to their stations in life. You can listen to AA and put it in the foreground or the background and it will still be musically appealing. Jazz is for people who are looking to be musically

challenged. If you put it in the background, the structure of the music keeps pushing you to put it in the foreground. It's music that taunts you to listen closely. Marla Roseman, Promark Radio and Retail Promotions

The gap between the two formats is widening. We're seeing fewer artists that are embraced simultaneously by both formats. The increasing abundance of new mainstream product has supported a shift to straight-ahead dominated playlists.

Ross Harper, Nova Records

The various musics embraced by each are distinct. Contemporary "Pop/Jazz" is the shared middle ground. Jazz is about Jazz and Blues, which deserves more attention. AA is still a fusion of progressive and hip MOR.

Ricky Schultz, Warner Bros. Records

From what I've heard, both are totally separate. It's bad in that both need to be lots wider. People get bored easily with one sound. Most radio people are lazy and afraid.

Paul Metters, KGNU-Boulder

Just as the artists are opening themselves to a wider spectrum of styles, radio and the listeners will move along. If artists like Grover Washington, Lee Ritenour and David Sanborn are recording more mainstreamoriented albums, it opens doors to new fans. These albums tend to be exceptionally successful. Karl Kessler, WRTI-Philadelphia

Jazz is attending to the past. AA is starting to acknowledge the past in terms of lyric direction and grittier edges of the music itself.

Michael Carlson, MC Promotion

In comparing the "Jazz" and "Adult Alternative" charts in Gavin dated 8/9/91, there are only eight artists that are on both charts. They are Ottmar Liebert, Jean Luc Ponty, Natalie Cole, Gary Burton, Bela Fleck, David Sanborn, Dori Caymmi and Tuck & Patti. That's sixteen percent crossover. The 84% of the chart is as different as the Harper Brothers are to Acoustic Alchemy. Good or bad? Viva la difference!

Deborah Lewow, GRP Records

AND THE ARTISTS RESPOND...

Either from the bandstand or personal contact, I notice that my audience is comprised of...

Human beings—mostly. **Bob Berg, Denon**

A surprisingly wide variety of people—old and young, from doctors to steam fitters.

Peter Buffett, Narada

More men than women, but all people who listen well and seem to know and enjoy Jazz. I would assume that fifty percent of them are guitar players.

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Audiences are different all over the world.

John Scofield, Blue Note

My audience is comprised of people from all walks of life. lust when I think I know the limits of my audience, I find new elements I never knew existed. People keep telling me that Brazilian music is mostly for those Brazilians who left our country and missed the music, or for those few that have traveled to Brazil. But now, I find so many fans of the music who have never been to Brazil and, in many cases, don't really know much about the great history of the music. I'm now playing to young and old, expert and non-expert listeners, I sometimes make them crv. When I do, I wonder what is touching them.

Dori Caymmi, Owest/Warner Bros.

A wide range of age and a more international influx than during the seventies.

Al DiMeola, Tomato/Mesa/ Bluemoon

Europeans, Asians and white Americans. Unfortunately not enough Blacks are supporting their cultural heritage (Jazz and Blues), especially our youth.

Renee Manning, Ken Music

A wide range of people both in age and ethnic origin. A lot of people say, "I never liked Jazz before, but I like you guys." Dotsero, Nova

My audience is comprised of Japanese tourists, social wretches and seekers of musics' tomorrow.

Greg Osby, Blue Note

Jazz fans! Mixed racial and age groups. I especially love seeing vounger kids.

Mel Martin/BeBop & Beyond, Bluemoon

We've been around long enough so that our fans are at least in their late twenties. topping out at about the fifties. Good racial and ethnic mix and probably insulated from the current recession!

Don Grusin, GRP

People who look amazingly like me—thirties, middle class, balding (except the women) who all know how to clap on two and four and who drink Diet Coke with lemon

Mark Winkler, CMG

Mostly 30-54 year olds, but I do see a lot of college kids. Love the different ethnic groups like Oriental and Persian.

Ardeshir Farah/Strunz & Farah, Mesa/Bluemoon

People from all walks of life. which is why we as musicians should never underestimate the sensitivities of our present or potential audiences.

Benny Green, Blue Note

Seventy-five percent of the people are over 30 years old and are lazz fans who are familiar with and enjoy the music. The other 25% are young people who seem to have an appreciation for the music as well.

Mark Whitfield, Warner Bros.

Mostly women, couples,

professionals, seventy percent black depending on the market.

George Howard, **GRP**

It seems to depend on where we play. Since the release of my album, there are more young people attending our shows. I assume it's because of the radio play we receive!

Kevyn Lettau, Nova

Mixed ages, knowledgeable Jazz listeners. Nice people.

Gary Burton, GRP





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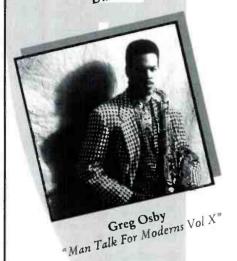
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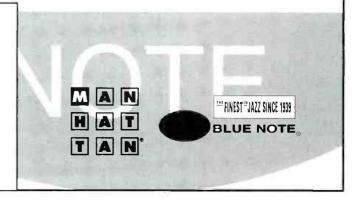
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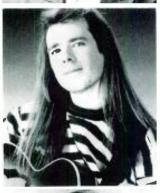
Stanley Jordan
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Photos, top to bottom: Blake Lawrence, Tom Borton, David Becker, Michael Tomlinson

My audience is split between musicians and people who hear my music on the radio. **Brian Bromberg, Nova**

A very broad audience from eighteen to mid-fifties. All races. **Dianne Reeves. Blue Note**

A lot of college kids, many yuppies and their kids.

Sara K., Mesa/Bluemoon

Quite an array of different folks, which really inspires me. Mostly adults, but lately some younger people and especially (while on tour with Phil Perry) an even cultural mix.

Dave Koz, Capitol

Young adults, 25-45, mostly professionals and very passionate about their music.

Richard Elliot, Manhattan

Respectful/good-willed group of people that seem to have something special in common.

Michael Tomlinson, Mesa/
Bluemoon

White upper middle class 25year-olds and older.

Charnett Moffett, Blue Note

Mainly humans, but there's always a few at the back we're not sure of.

Nick Webb/Greg Carmichael-Acoustic Alchemy, GRP

Being a musician would be a heck of a lot easier if:

...if I had a "Star Trek Transporter" so I can play a gig in Boston and go home the same night.

Grant Geissman, Mesa/ Bluemoon

...personally, there wasn't a monopoly on TV and radio of

commercial music. There is a narrow-minded perception of what types of music are represented (i.e. rap, pop).

Al Di Meola, Tomato/Mesa/ Bluemoon

...you didn't have to contend with the business side of music. David Becker, Mesa/Bluemoon

...there were more musicians interested in "quality" of their work and art regardless of "category."

Bob Belden, Blue Note

...air fares were lower, nobody smoked cigarettes and traveling was not ALWAYS a necessity. More ART less GREED. John Scofield, Blue Note

...if there were more than 24 hours in the day and if we could break the typical stereotypes of musicians as second class citizens—sleeping, drinking bums without a respectable job. **Dotsero, Nova**

...people weren't so bent on categorization.

George Howard, GRP

...proprietors of music establishments were more sensitive to the development of a total *creative* music agenda. Not just "lazz."

Greg Osby, Blue Note

...there was more security and less traveling.

Jorge Strunz/Strunz & Farah, Mesa/Bluemoon

...all hotels were five-star. **Bob Berg, Denon**

...you could stop in a hotel just long enough to get your laundry done.

Nick Webb/Greg Carmichael, Acoustic Alchemy-GRP

...there wasn't so many preconceived notions about the music we make. Being an instrumentalist is tough. People tend to compartmentalize us so easily. It would be wonderful if the industry as a whole had a bit more freedom of thought about instrumental music. My goal is to open up people's minds. Dave Koz, Capitol

...you could choose to have or not have an A&R man. **Dianne Reeves, Blue Note**

...there weren't so many other musicians practicing while I'm sleeping.

Peter Buffett, Narada

...imitation wasn't heard as an end in itself, but as a first step of the creative process with innovation as the ultimate goal.

Conrad Herwig, Ken Music

...I could work at my craft and get paid enough to afford bills, health insurance and maybe a

Gust Tsilis, Ken Music

...there was more support in being a musician, recognized as a legitimate career.

Gerald O'Brien/Exchange, Mesa/Bluemoon

...critics and media (newspaper, TV, etc.) would know more about music. A lot of times their opinions and comments totally contradict the natural laws of music.

Rick Margitza, Blue Note

...guitars didn't have to be tuned.

Phil Sheeran, Sonic Edge

...there were more quality pianos at clubs and other venues.

Phil Markowitz, Ken Music



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SINGLES by Dave Sholin

BRYAN ADAMS - Can't Stop This Thing We Started (A&M)

Occupying #1 for more than half of the summer of '91, Bryan's song "(Everything I Do) I Do It For You," was powerful enough to justify airplay on Dance/Urban-leaning Top 40s. It was available only on the "Robin Hood: Prince Of Thieves" soundtrack and it had curious fans and radio folk anxiously awaiting the release of Bryan's own album, Waking Up The Neighbours. The first glimpse into the album is a sensational upbeat Pop rocker penned and produced by Adams and R.J. "Mutt" Lange. Best summed up in one word—unstoppable!

RUSS IRWIN - My Heart Belongs To You (SBK)
Demonstrating his commitment to and belief in this brilliant singer/songwriter, SBK Chairman/CEO Charles Koppelman traveled the country with the label's Executive VP/GM



Daniel Glass to personally introduce Russ's music to radio, retail and press. It's impossible to musically pigeonhole this twenty-three-year-old Long Island native whose background

In Classical, Jazz and Rock is clearly felt in the varied styles on his debut album produced by one of the master of the trade, Phil Ramone. Expect this tender ballad to become a staple at A/C and Top 40 during the fall season.

EDDIE MONEY - Heaven In The Back Seat (Columbia)

A longtime favorite of programmers and the public, when Eddie gets hold of a song like this hook-laden Rock entry—watch out. Tailored to his trademark sound, it's also the second pick of the week co-written by "Mutt" Lange who will no doubt make every PD's day with the line "television off, radio on." Bolstered by a strong melody line, it's easy to know the radio will not only be on, but the volume will be all the way up whenever this hits the airwaves.

ALBUMS by Ron Fell

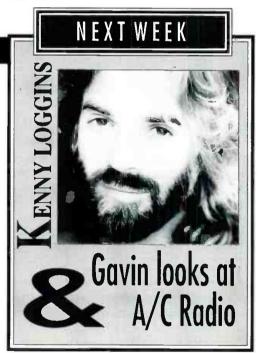


BOB SEGER & THE SILVER BULLET BAND

- The Fire Inside (Capitol)

A five year wait for this? There's no discounting the guy's passion, but this set comes up short on complete, classically structured rock and roll songs. The tunes retain his working-

class angst with grade school lyric and garage band arrangements where themes are sometimes beaten senseless with strident percussion and amateurish lyrical composition. Moments of true salvation are few, if not far between. The current single, THE REAL LOVE, is the album's heart and REAL AT THE TIME is probably its soul. The title track, THE FIRE INSIDE, is reminiscent of Seger's rumbling rockers of earlier days and would likely be a crowd-pleaser in a live forum. But beyond the aforementioned, this volume is weakly inspirational and hardly a connected lot. Seger weaves between two Tom Waits tracks; a bluesy canvas called NEW COAT OF PAINT and a Motor City Hillbilly track called BLIND LOVE, which is embarrassingly unbelievable. The whole project lacks continuity and suffers from too many cooks and bottlewashers in the kitchen.



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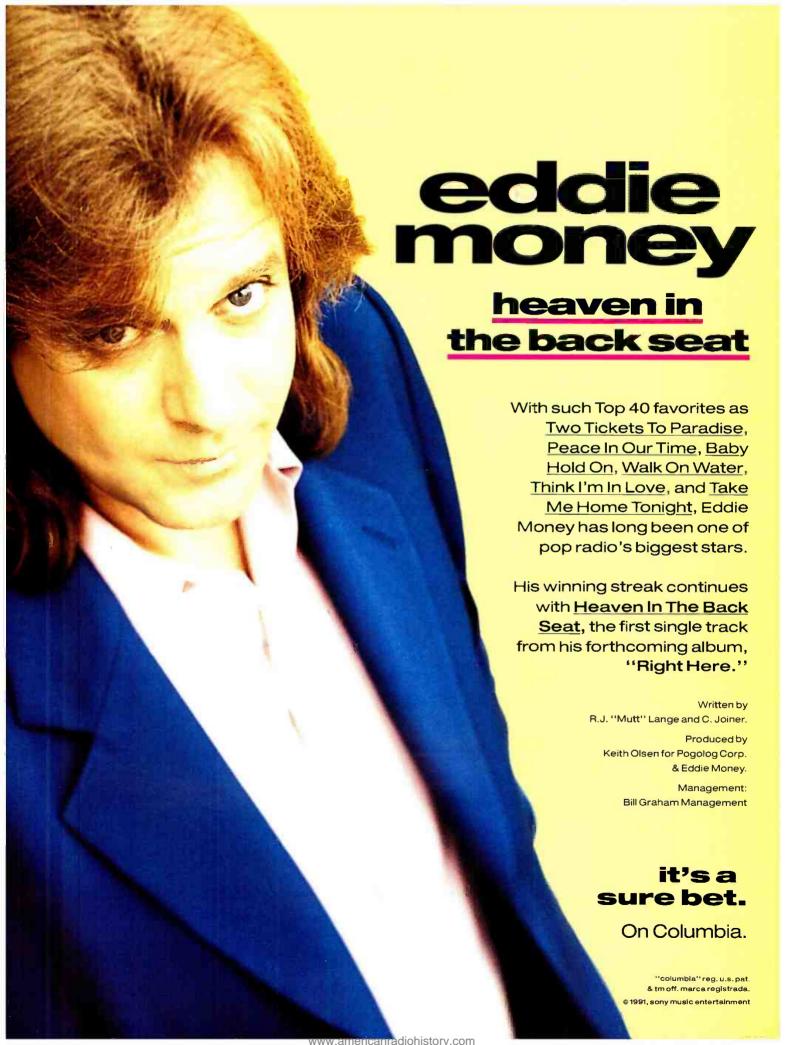
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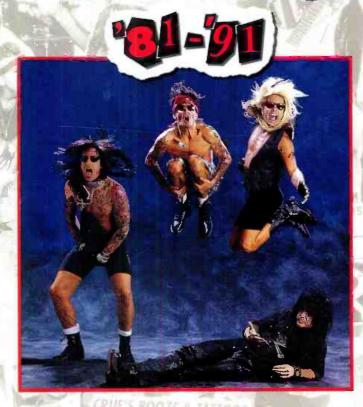
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