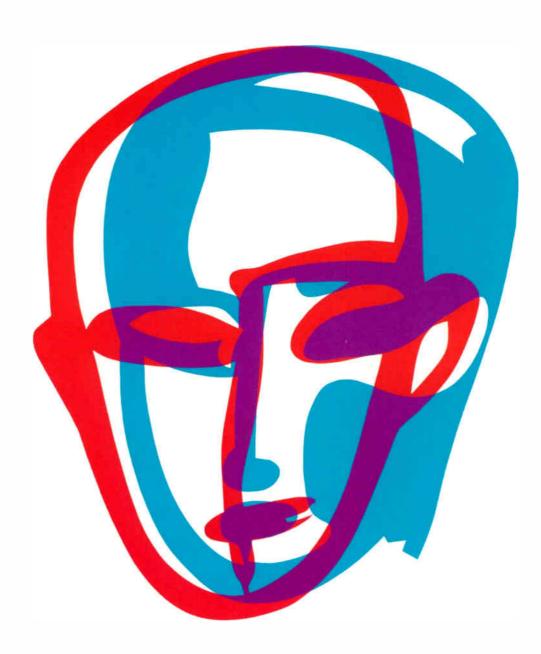


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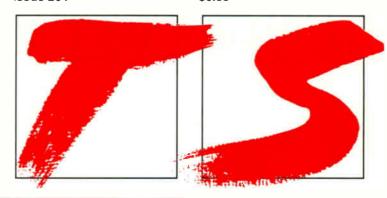
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# SINGLES

It's still Mariah holding the throne, but Karyn, 8 Natural Selection, Prince & Extreme are all gunnin' for her - and they're packin' bullets.

DIALOGUE

Rap mogul Russell Simmons is livin' large and in 38 charge, which is more than can be said for HITS' Harry "Boone's Farm Apple" Weinger, who's dyin' small and that's about all.

KWOD Sacramento PD Alex Cosper "The Friendly Ghost" gets busted by HITS' radio rookie Nick Bull "Malt Liquor."

POST MODERN

Ivana finally finds Nirvana - at the top of this 49 week's Post Modern chart.

JAMS

Atco East West's Gerald Levert hooks up his 59 "Private Line" to JAMS El Exigente "Tell A" Graham Armstrong, who's busy breathing heavily on Judge Clarence Thomas' answering machine.

ALBUMS

It's a showdown at the top for three very tough gunslingers as Guns, Garth and Public Enemy hold down the Top Three. Action to come.

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# Time For Warner



Warner Music Group Chairman Robert J. Morgado doesn't often appear in the spotlight, even though he is the power behind the scenes at one of the most successful music companies in the world. The man's cover will be blown at the AMC Cancer Research Center's 21st Annual Humanitarian Award Dinner to be held in the Winter Garden at the World Financial Center in N.Y.C. next Thursday (24). Chaired by MTV's Tom Freston and Atlantic's Doug Morris, the gala event will inaugurate the Robert J. Morgado Fund for cancer research. The man's a major league shaker and mover, which is more than can be said for the bozos aboard this bus.

# On The Cover

John Mellencamp's back with a strong new album in "Whenever We Wanted," but certainly the last thing he wanted was this HITS cover appearance.





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# ALL Heed Is You

"The record sounds great on the air! Radio needed a record like this. Not soo dance, not too rock not too alternative. It's a perfect Top 40 record."

Jamie Hyatt, PD/KOY 22-18

"Getting calls in all demos. I am very excited I'm playing 'All I Need is You.' It has legs!"

Paul "Boom Boom" Cannon. PD/PRO-FM #26

"Everytime we play it the phones smoke. 'All I Need is You' will work on both dance and rock-based CHRs."

Randy Logan, MD/KRXY #15

"Blue Train is a great up-tempe pep hit with an infectious hook. A great transition record in all day parts.

Dusty Hayes, PD/WABB 38-35

"Beginning to test well. Number 2 in callouts for 18 to 24 females after only a couple of weeks. Looking to be a big record for us."

Steve Davis, PD/WRVQ 35-32

"Blue Train covers all the bases. From dance to alternative to mainstream, it's a great transition record in all day parts."

Ralph Wimmer, PD/Z102 40-36

Blue Train is one of those rare mass appeal records that fits all Top 40 formats. Is sounds great on the air.

Larry D., MD/XL196 deb 30

\*Blue Train brings a very welcomed scund to CHR radio. Top \*0 phones From females 18-35. Santa Barbara has fumped aboard the Blue Train

Ricky Suave, MD/Y97 21-15

'Its a hit here. Too 5 phones from f≘males 25 to 34.

Charlie Michaels, PD/KQIX 20-17

"Hot phones 24 hours a day, 'All I Need Is You' is a Top 3 requested song. Kahuna PD/KBIJ #23

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**KZFM** deb **KMGZ** deb 39 **OK95** deb 40

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and more!!

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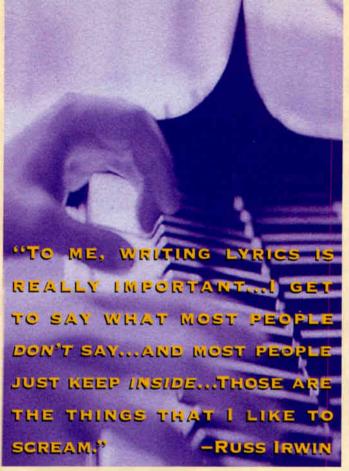
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KRBE	14-10	KWTX	26-22	KPLZ	Q106
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A S T

# HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES

Mariah Carey holds the #1 spot again this week, keeping at bay Karyn White, Natural Selection & Prince while PM Dawn is making huge jumps at radio and retail. Paula Abdul and Nia Peeples are leaping due to heavy radio play, while

Jodeci and this week's Wildcard, Shabba Ranks, debut because of heavy retail. Other debuts include PoMo faves B.A.D. II and The Farm. Kudos to Chrysalis for a job well done on Chesney Hawkes - way to stay with it.

A E E G E C K K	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS
1 1 1	MARIAH CAREY	EMOTIONS	Columbia 38T-73977	Gigantic in sales
3 2 2	KARYN WHITE	ROMANTIC	Warner Bros 19319	Smash
4 3 3	NATURAL SELECTION	DO ANYTHING	Interscope/EW 98724	Monster in sales
11 5 4	PRINCE	CREAM	P.Park/WB 19175	From #4 Lp
7 6 5	EXTREME	HOLE HEARTED	A&M 1564	Hot on MTV
2 4 6	MARKY MARK	GOOD VIBRATIONS	Inter EW 98764	Lp debuts at #46
13 9 7	BRYAN ADAMS	CAN'T STOP THIS	A&M 1576	Hot sales
9 8 8	BONNIE RAITT	SOMETHING TO TALK	Capitol 44724	Steady
5 7 9	COLOR ME BADD	I ADORE MI AMOR	Giant 4-19204	New single shipping
16 11 10	NAUGHTY BY NATURE	O.P.P.	Tommy Boy TBC-988	Smash
12 10 11	AARON NEVILLE	EVERYBODY PLAYS	A&M 1563	Nice run
8 12 12	BOYZ II MEN	MOTOWNPHILLY	Motown 2090	New single selling
17 14 13	LUTHER VANDROSS	DON'T WANT TO	Epic 73879	From platinum + Lp
19 16 14	JESUS JONES	REAL REAL REAL	SBK 05402	Building each week
20 17 15	TONY TERRY	WITH YOU	Epic 73867	Former Wildcard
32 20 16	BOYZ II MEN	IT'S SO HARD	Motown 2136	Hot seller
42 27 17	PM DAWN	SET ADRIFT ON	<b>G</b> St/lsl/PLG/422866	Smash
22 19 18	METALLICA	ENTER SANDMAN	Elektra 94-64857	Killer singles sales
25 <b>22</b> 19	GUNS N' ROSES	DON'T CRY	Geffen 19027	Dominating Lp chart
24 21 20	CHESNEY HAWKES	THE ONE AND ONLY	Chrysalis 23730	Developing
26 23 21	VANESSA WILLIAMS	RUNNING BACK TO YOU	Wing/Mercury 867-518	Crossing
28 25 22	SALT-N-PEPA	LET'S TALK ABOUT SEX	Next Plateau 50157	Steady gains
27 24 23	RYTHM SYNDICATE	HEY DONNA	Impact 54208	Former Wildcard
45 <b>32</b> 24	MICHAEL BOLTON	WHEN A MAN LOVES	Columbia 74020	Exploding
33 <b>26 25</b>	ROBERTA FLACK	SET THE NIGHT	Atlantic 87607	With Maxi Priest



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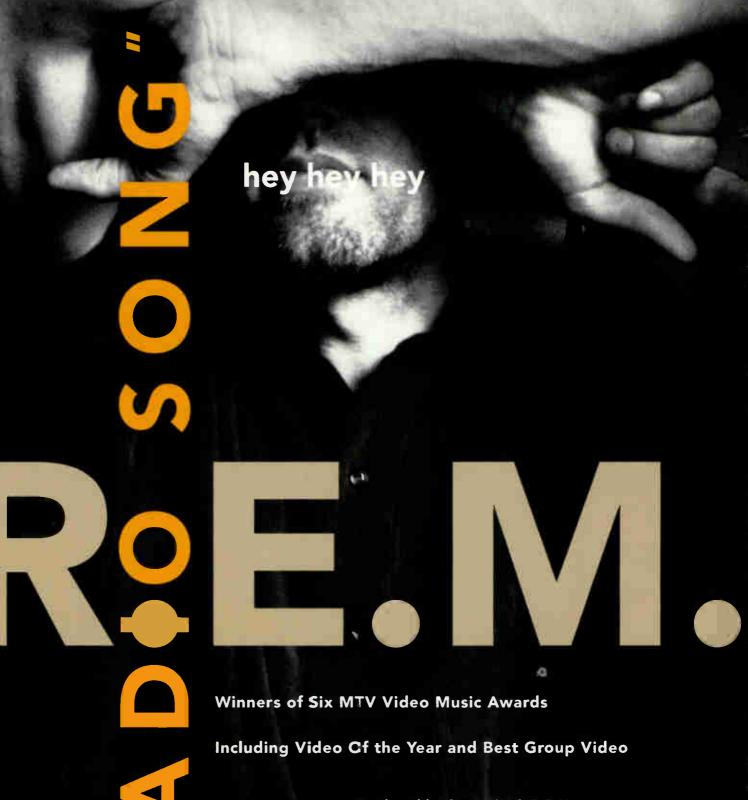
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# HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES

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A E E G E E O K K	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS
35 31 <mark>26</mark>	CURTIS STIGERS	I WONDER WHY	Arista 12331	Building at Top 40
<b>31</b> 29 <b>27</b>	JASMINE GUY	JUST WANT TO HOLD	Warner Bros 9193304	Crossing
29 28 28	SIOUXSIE	KISS THEM FOR ME	Geffen 19031	Steady
43 29	PAULA ABDUL	BLOWING KISSES IN	Captive/Vir 98683	Exploding
38 33 30	AMY GRANT	THAT'S WHAT LOVE	A&M 1566	Building fast
6 13 31	FIREHOUSE	LOVE OF A LIFETIME	Epic 73771	Peaked
46 32	NIA PEEPLES	STREET OF DREAMS	Charisma 96269	Breaking Top 40
15 15 <mark>33</mark>	MARTIKA	LOVETHY WILL	Columbia 73853	Falling now
37 34 34	PRINCE	GETT OFF	P.Park/WB 91051	Steady
10 18 35	HEAVY D & THE BOYZ	NOW THAT WE FOUND	Uptown/MCA 54088	Falling
46 39 36	JOHN MELLENCANP	GET A LEG UP	Mercury 867890	Lp debuts at #14
47 42 37	EMF	LIES	EMI 50363	Follow up to smash
14 35 38	R.E.M.	SHINY HAPPY PEOPLE	Warner Bros 19242	Peaked
48 41 39	CORINA	WHISPERS	Atco 498775	Building
<b> 47 40</b>	SIMPLY RED	SOMETHING GOT ME	Atco/EW 98711	Developing each week
18 37 41	BRYAN ADAMS	(EVERYTHING I DO)	A&M/M. Creek 1567	Over now
42	JODECI	FOREVER MY LADY	Uptown/MCA 54197	Smash
43	FARM	GROOVY TRAIN	Sire/Rep 19209	Building Top 40
44	B.A.D. II	RUSH	Columbia 73844	On MTV
45	GLORIA ESTEFAN	LIVE FOR LOVING YOU	Epic 73962	Developing each week
50 46	C C PENISTON	FINALLY	A&M 2387	Dance
47	VAN HALEN	TOP OF THE WORLD	Warner Bros 4-19151	Breaking Top 40
48	RUSS IRWIN	MY HEART BELONGS	SBK 05403	Starting to sell
<b> 49</b>	SHABBA RANKS	HOUSECALLS	Epic 73928	Hot seller
<b> 50</b>	ROD STEWART	BROKEN ARROW	Warner Bros 19274	Breaking Top 40
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**NEXT UP** 

LITA FORD (RCA)

ROXETTE (EMI)

CHER (Geffen)

TRACIE SPENCER (Capitol)

# 99/19/5/5

"No Son Of Mine"

from the forthcoming album

We Can't Dance



Produced by Genesis
and Nick Davis
Management: Tony Smith/

Hit & Run Music Ltd.

# FRONT PAGE

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**Jumps, Debuts Continue To Fuel The Top 50** 

# **ROLLIN' ALONG!**

# Island Joins PLG Mainland

Island CEO Chris Block-well announced his label will begin utilizing PLG for all promotion, marketing and sales functions, effectively eliminating 12 positions, including two senior jobs in sales and one in publicity.

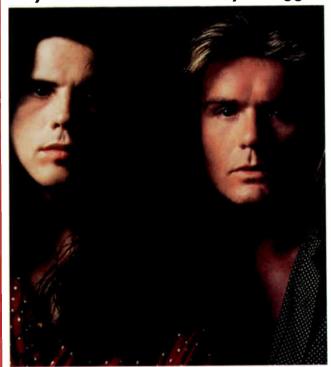
"We see this move as strategic to the success of our fourth quarter releases U2, PM Dawn and Tam Tam," said Blackwell. "These changes will allow Island to concentrate on what it does best—the acquiring and developing of cutting-edge artistic talent."

Added Sr. VP/GM Andy Allen: "This is a slimming-down designed to make us more effective as an organization." Many of the affected employees have already been offered new positions within the Poly-Gram Group of Companies.

Island will also restructure its independent distribution system, which currently handles the 4th & B'way and Mango labels, by transferring it to PolyGram.

In other PLG news, the Rev. Jimmy Swaggart has been hired to make sure no pubic hairs are found on the top of employees' sodas. Thanks, we needed that.

# They Don't Drive With Jimmy Swaggart



The Cult: Rockin' out with PoMo action and sales.

# **Idol Gossip**

by a 22-year-old woman of beating her up in the back seat of a car in which they were riding in West Hollywood last week. Amber Nevel was taken to Cedars-Sinai Medical Center for treatment of a large bruise on her face and a cut on her lip. A Sheriff's deputy said detectives would interview witnes-

ses and submit findings to the D.A.'s office for possible charges. A spokesperson for Idol issued an official "No comment." The rocker has been taking acting lessons and starting to work on his next album, which he has been insisting will be ready for release next year. "I've heard that before," said an ex-Idol employee.

Major debuts and jumps on this week's HITS Top 50 Albums chart continue to convince a skeptical retail community that it may be able to pull through the current economic climate with their shirt on their collective backs. Here's what we mean.

The Top Ten holds steady with Guns N' Roses "Illusions II" (Geffen) holding the top slot behind a surging Garth Brooks (Capitol), which jumps 5-2, upending Guns' Vol I, which heads to #5. Public Enemy (Columbia) and Prince (P.Park/WB) remain at #3 and #4 respectively.

Top debuts of the week belong to Mercury's John Mellencamp at #14, the new one from 2 Live Crew (Luke/Atlantic) at #25 as well as the new Eric Clapton Reprise set at #35. Other debuts in the Top 50 include Marky Mark (Interscope) and Soundgarden (A&M).

Major jumps of the week are recorded by DGC's Nirvana 40-30 and MCA's Jodeci 36-31, further heating up a mighty hot Uni.

According to HITS' Retail expert Mitch Perliss, "After extensive analysis, I have determined that selling records is good for the industry." That's our guy.

# IC OF THE WEEK



# Watching Russ Suck Up To Tracy

SBK wunderkind Russ Irwin gives his label executives a small break from kissing B93 Austin MD Tracy Austin's butt as he spinelessly grovels and gropes in the grand tradition of the editors of this piece of trash. Tracy loves Russ' new single and was extremely impressed by Russ as a person — despite the fact she kept calling him Curtis Stigers. Oh those nutty, nutty radio folks.

# Quick Hits

**MTV** adds this week are: Skid Row (Atlantic), Guns N' Roses (Geffen), Richard Marx (Capitol), Scorpions (Mercury), Nia Peeples (Charisma), Lita Ford (RCA), Cher (Geffen), Robbie Robertson (Geffen) and Ned's **Atomic Dustbin** (Columbia). No rotation increases were awarded and Buzz Bin remains the same.

# WILD CARD

SHABBA RANKS (Epic)

Big singles sales, major album sales, great support from MTV and a solid, growing JAMS base point to a Top 40 winner as this reggae-infused, world beat dancer is scoring adds this week at WZOU, HOT102, WTIC, WMXP and WAPE to name but a few. Already moving 28-24 KMEL, 20-16 WPGC. Shabba definitely ranks high with Programmers. Watch Polly, Barb & Co. bring this one home.

# Quick MCA Boosts Batson, Bywater

"Hey Geoff, we have to stop meeting this way," said Paula "Casey At The" Batson upon being upped to MCA Music Entertainment Group's Sr. VP Public Relations by the company's Chairman Al Teller "Is An Awfully Nice Feller." "What the heck are you doing in my promotion story anyway? Sexual harassment!!"

"Not so fast, Paula. I thought you said you were going to service these releases separately," kvetched Geoff "An Ocean That Goes Both Ways Is" Bywater after being promoted to Sr. VP Marketing, MCA Records, by the label's President Richard Palmese.

"Tough luck, homes," laughed Paula. "I'll continue to be responsible for corporate communications for the Music Entertainment Group, including all publicity for the MCA Records label. I report to Al Teller on corporate communications matters and to your boss, Richard

Palmese, regarding all label publicity."

"Not bad, but can you get me into the E.T. ride at Universal Studios?," chuckled Geoff, before adding, "I'll continue to direct the marketing team at MCA Records, coordinating the development and implementation of marketing plans for all MCA releases. If you wanna hang with Tom Petty or Bobby Brown, you gotta talk to me."

Expert witnesses were then called in for each side.



**Paula Batson:** Has Universal appeal.

Said "Fortune" Teller about Batson: "Under Paula's direction, the many varied communication needs of this company have been met with effective results and a high level of professionalism."

"Read My" Palmese testified on behalf of Bywater: "Geoff's creativity and understanding of company synergy have resulted in both effective and innovative marketing campaigns."

Hey, the only one lying is us.



Geoff Bywater: Taught Bobby Brown to dance.



# **HITS Promotes Two Losers**

"It's a recession, we couldn't afford anvone good."

And with those immortal **HITS** words. Senior Broadcast Editor Mike Murphy promotes Todd Hensley and Connie Breeze to the position of Broadcast Editors. In their new posts, Todd and Connie will continue to be as incompetent as they were in their old posts.

As Broadcast Editors. Hensley and Breeze will be charged with interacting with HITS radio reporters, accumulating and formulating playlist information as well communicating with record labels. Naturally, the duo will be unable to fulfill those responsibilities and will continue to act like a goofy redneck and ditzy blonde, respectively.

"We searched far and wide for two people who know less about radio than Murphy," said HITS Editor-In-Chief Lenny Beer. "Given that very limited field, Todd and Connie seemed like logical choices. Maybe in five or

six years when I allow them to meet me, I'll find out if I was right."

Beer's first choice for the post was former radio slime and current Epic Promo geek Shadow Steele, but Murphy vetoed the idea saving he couldn't work with someone with a drooling problem.

Hensley has been at HITS for three long, arduous and incredibly nightmarish years. where he provided a living. breathing argument for the practice of gene splicing.



Todd Hensley: Only thing well-read about him is his

Prior to that, he was PD at KFOX Abilene, where he lent credibility to the slogan, "Where men are men, and the cows run scared."

Breeze joined HITS in June 1991 from KKRZ in Portland, where she served as MD. Besides garnering awards and accolades for her work in radio, Breeze was recently named Radio Personality Of The Year by the Portland branch of the National Association Of Cosmetic Surgeons.



Connie Breeze: This Breeze is full of some incredibly hot

# MTV On ABC

Madonna has been added to the star-studded line-up for MTV's 10th Birthday special to air in November on ABC-TV. The Material One plans something "unique" for the event (Hint: It involves a several vibrator. animals and the cleft in Tom Freston's chin). The show will also include performances by Michael Jackson. George Michael, Aerosmith, Long Dong Silver and of course. the unemployed Jimmy Swaggart among others. Swaggart will be performing The Beatles' classic, "Can't Buy Me Love."

The special, produced by Joel Gallen along with Executive Producers Doug Herzog and Judy McGrath, will include celebrity interviews, cutting-edge animation, a retrospective of video music's greatest hits, a look at MTV around the world, a report on rap and a special guest appearance by Abbey trying Konowitch. transplant a pubic hair onto his head from a can of Coke.

# Gerardo And The Art Of Posing & There's Posing There's Posing



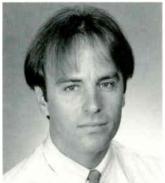
Many could argue that there's no bigger or better poser than "Mr. Rico Suave" himself, Gerardo, who has flexed his pecs at just about every function on earth. Here, the Ger-Man is flashing his beef with Atlantic Co-Chairman/Co-CEO Doug Morris.



Well lo and behold, it appears that the Latin Lunk may just have met his match in the posing department as he encounters the legendary Kiki Hall, girlfriend of less-than-legendary Interscope Promo Geek Billy Brill. Kiki's outfit was designed by Bob Mackie on some really bad acid.

# **Missing Steve**

NARAS Publications
Director **Stephen Padgett**was a gifted writer and
musician who truly worshipped music. For the last



Stephen Padgett

decade, Steve under-utilized his writing skills by covering the music industry as a reporter and Managing Editor of Cash Box, a staffer at L.A. Magazine and a freelance journalist who often contributed to HITS. Steve, his wife Charyl, and his sister-inlaw died tragically in a car accident last week while returning home from a vacation. Steve was a great friend and a valued colleague whose writing reflected a conviction, sincerity and sensitivity that we can only aspire to. To say he will be missed is a gross understatement.

# A Lot Of Love In The Room



"How many tables did YOU buy?" seems to be the pivotal question asked as industry emperor, powerbroker and master of the universe Allen Grubman (l) exchanged vows with the beautiful Deborah Haimoff (r) at a gala, massive, grandiose ceremony at the New York Public Library, which was attended by a virtual who's-who of the music and entertainment world—all of whom love and admire each other greatly. Despite the massive cost incurred for such a celebration of love, early estimates have Grubman netting a 14% profit after wedding presents. That figure could escalate as the tabulation continues. (Photo: Walter Yetnikoff)

# **James In The Pipeline**

Priority Records has just released "Rick James & Friends," a comprehensive retrospective package featuring seven of the funkster's greatest hits, as well as tracks by proteges such as Mary Jane Girls and Teena Marie.

Selections include "Super Freak," "All Night Long," "Fire and Desire," "In My House," "Give It To Me Baby" and covers of "Burning Love," "Whip It," "Tie A Yellow Ribbon" and "Please Release Me."

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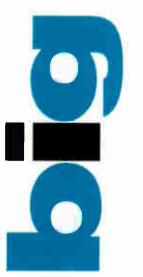
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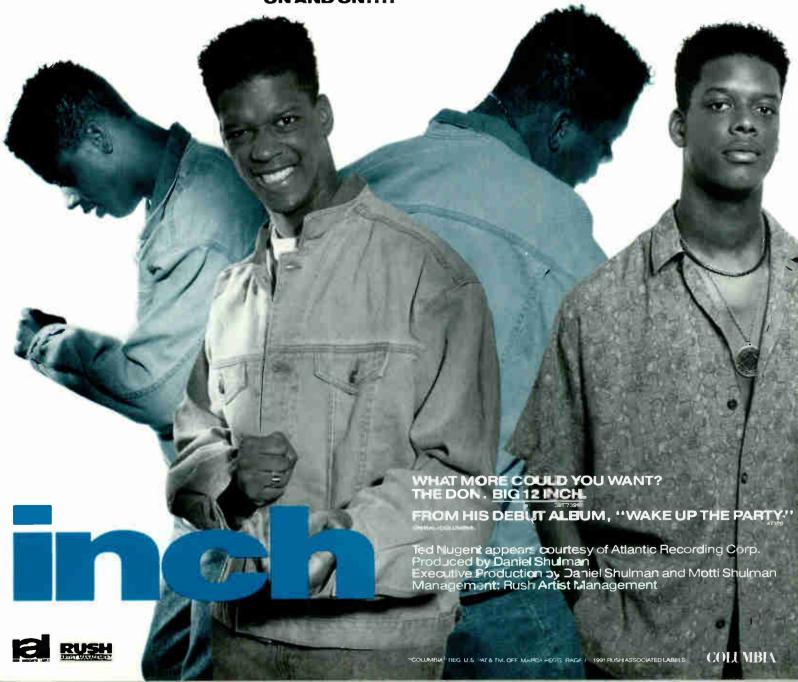
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# Longing For Dong

Collectors and curiosity seekers have been hunting for videos and magazine features on Judge Clarence Thomas' favorite porn star Long Dong Silver with no luck. Caballero Home Video says 1983's "Electric Blue With Long Dong Silver" is long out of print, while Club International magazine has no copies available of its 1982 issue featuring a photo layout of Silver. Silver starred in several videos in the late '70s and early '80s. "He was well known at the time," says Dr. Ted McIlvenna of the Institute for the Advanced Study of Human Sexuality in (where else?) San Francisco. "But then people lost interest." Until last week.



THE NEW SINGLE FROM THE DON'S DEBUT ALBUM, "WAKE UP THE PARTY," IS RAUCOUS ON THE RHYMES AND LONG ON FUN. AND, WITH SPECIAL MUSICAL GUESTS LIKE TED NUGENT, THIS "PARTY" JUST GOES ON AND ON AND ON....



# For U.S. Viewing Only Toxic Ten



Manager Rob "Worldwide" Kahane (c) is flanked by client George Michael and superstar/not-client Elton John, who duets with Michael on the first single from George's forthcoming project. This is an amazing photo, not only because it shows three heavyweights smiling, but because Rob's image completely disappears when the photo crosses U.S. borders. (Photo: Dick Leahy)

# An INXS XMAS

Just in time for the holidays, INXS will simultaneously release their first live album, "Live Baby Live," on Atlantic Records, and a companion long-form, home video on A\*Vision Entertainment November 1. The album will feature 16 songs culled from concerts recorded over the years in 15 different cities around the world, including one new studio track, "Shining Star," as the first single. The vid captures the band performing 21 songs at London's Wembley Stadium last July 13 before nearly 74,000 fans and was directed by David Mallet. Those who purchase both get a free lock hair from Michael Hutchence's armpit.

Yecchh!!! No wonder we can't breathe the air, drink the water or swim in the ocean. The Top Ten U.S. polluters according to the Environmental Protection Agency is a veritable who's who of American industry, Dupont topping the list of offenders, responsible for a whopping 6.02% of the total of 5,710,282,027 pounds of toxic waste released into the environment in 1989. Rounding out the Trashy Ten was Monsanto, **American** Cyanimid, B.P. America, Renco Holdings, 3M, Vulcan Materials, General Motors. Eastman Kodak and Phelps Dodge. Together, these ten companies were responsible for 26.74% of the total pollution in the U.S.A., with HITS magazine picking up the remaining 73.26%.

VH-1 adds only Harry Connick Jr. (Columbia) this week, which is good since we only have a small amount of space here.

# **Going To** Disneyland?



Yo, Danny Sugerman (1) you're a former groupie who once brought coffee to Jim Morrison, a marginal writer, an antagonistic rock critic and a major league scenester who would attend the opening of an envelope. And hey, Fawn Hall (r) — you're a beautiful socialite who helped undermine the Constitution of this country by assisting an illegal government action in Central America, subsequently making the A-list of every party in America. Where you guys going, Disneyland?..... Who cares! Just don't have children.

# Two Photos Of Alice Cooper We Were Pressured To Run

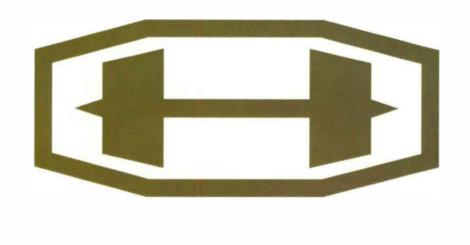


Folks, here are two photos of Alice Cooper performing live in Times Square. True, there's nothing special about these photos, nor is there any particular reason to run them both. However, because of longstanding relationships that our weasley Managing Editor has with the cool people who send this crap, and because those people are getting pressure from



other people at the label who have no concept about publicity, the end result is our weasley Managing Editor putting both these incredibly lame photos in. Billboard would never have to do this. (Ed Note: Remember folks, "It's not a picture until it's a picture in Billboard.")

# IT'S HAMMER TIME!



# CHR MOST ADDED 63 OUT OF THE BOX! 23 MAJOR MARKETS URBAN 1st WEEK BREAKER #39 66 ADDS



# HITS

# **Eeeesh -- Poor Vanessa**



Proving to lovely and talented Wing recording star Vanessa Williams that you don't need any semblance of talent or looks to have a #1 record and a winning radio station are Interscope's Marky Mark (1) and Z100 Portland PD Mark Capps during one of those functions that raises money for a worthy cause. When Marky was born, his mother held up his head and his butt and uttered the immortal statement, "Look, we've got twins." (Ed Note: Truly not the least bit intelligent or amusing, but they don't call us "The Senate Judiciary Committee Of The Industry" for nothing.)

# **Guick Hits**

The Most Added singles of the week at Top 40 are #1 Roxette (EMI), #2 Lita Ford Hammer (RCA),

(Capitol), #4 Rod Stewart (WB) and #5 Paula Abdul (Virgin).

# MOVIE SCORES

e,	TILE	WEEKEND GROSS	PER SCREEN AVERAGE	TOTAL GROSS	SOUND TRACK
1	THE FISHER KING	4.5m	2915	22.4m	MCA
2	RICOCHET	4.4m	2825	10.7m	Varese
3	FRANKIE & JOHNNY	4.3m	3709	4.3m	-
4	EARNEST SCARED STUPID	4.0m	2266	4.0m	-
5	DECEIVED	3.7m	3075	15.9m	_
6	SHATTERED	3.1m	2415	3.1m	_
7	PARADISE	2.9m	3226	7.7m	_
8	NECESSARY ROUGHNESS	2.9m	1747	16.2m	-
9	THE SUPER	2.2m	1415	6.9m	_
10	FREDDY'S DEAD	1.2m	966	31.2m	WB

a rundown of executives on the move











Hatch

Paar

"Eyes Are Smiling" Perkins has been appointed National Urban Promotion Director for A&M Records by the label's VP of Black Promotion. Music Don Eason "Down The Line." Perkins was most recently the label's Director of Black Music Marketing. In her new position, she will continue asking the question, "Graham who?"... Howard "Below" Paar has been upped to Sr. Director Publicity, Mercury Records, by the label's VP "PM" **Publicity** Dawn Bridges. In his new post, Paar will continue to pick up the check after taking losers like us out to lunch. We like Howard. He deserves better.... Hilaire "ious" Brosio has been promoted to Associate Director Rock Promotion at Arista Records by the label's Sr. Director National Rock Promotion Jay "Do You Want Mustard And" Ziskrout "On That Frank?" Brosio is known to his dyslexic friends as Erialih Oisorb... Graham "Booby" Hatch has been named Direc-National Alternative Promotion for Arista Records by the label's Sr. Director Nat'l. Rock Promotion Jay "Sauer" Ziskrout. To celebrate his hiring, Hatch borrowed Lloyd Bridges' and eyebrows furrowed them.... Mark "Why Don't

Brosio You Curb Your" Pucci has

been appointed Vice President of Publicity and Media Relations Capricorn Records by label President Phil Walden "Pond." In his new post, Pucci "Coochie Coo" will help set up the official Billy Carter beer can museum and peanut stand in Plains. Georgia... Sean "Nuf" Carasov has been pumped up to Director of West Coast A&R at Jive Records from his former gig Director of Product Development/Rap A&R at the label's East Coast offices. First order of business in his new gig is to get rid of that dumb Yankees cap and don an L.A. Raiders hat... At RCA, where things are fine and dandy with Joe and Randy, Bob "And Weave" Anderson has been promoted Sr. Director Product Development by the label's VP Sales Ron Howie "Ya Doin?" Anderson's new responsibilities will include prying Nipper from Howie's leg... Bonnie "Lies Over the Ocean" Burkert has been promoted to the position of National Singles Sales Manager at Elektra Entertainment by Kenny "Pied Piper of" Hamlin, Sr. Vice











Carasov Anderson

Burkert

President Sales for the label.

Make-up for Bonnie provided

by Giorgio of Beverly Hills.



# stress u.k.

# "beautiful people"

the new single from the album stress

On U.S. Tour with Lenny Kravitz!

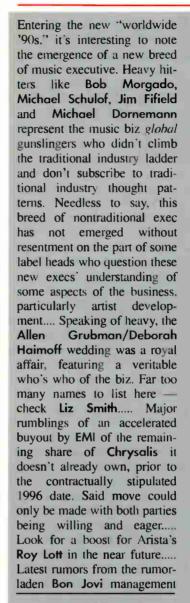






# NEAR TRUTHS

By I. B. Bad. Los Angeles



# For The Record



Michael: Shipping 4 million.

derby has personality dynamo and CAA agent Rob Light as well as Managers Roger Davies and Tim Collins emerging as the frontrunners amid chatter that the superstar is also considering two record company presidents who have dabbled in the field of management before. There's also talk that Bon Jovi may elect to rejoin longtime Manager Doc McGhee after all. Stay tuned. Interesting to note that, even if CAA's Light does get the nod, the agency could not benefit from his allegiance. Bon Jovi's contract with Premier does not expire until 1994.... Yes folks, the forthcoming Michael Jackson project on Epic will definitely break existing records as the biggest first shipment of a single album ever. Look for Sony to initially ship four million to retail. If you're looking for comparisons, the new Hommer project had an initial shipment of 2.2 million..... Chattermongers putting the tab for the new Guns N' Roses video in the \$1.5 million area.... Scorching piece on Hollywood Records in this month's Spy Magazine ..... Rumors are that John Mendelssohn's manuscript for his book on David Geffen has rejected by publisher.... Negotiations reportedly under way between Bob Cavallo, Paula Abdul and Paula Managers Lorry Frazin & Larry Tollin regarding Cavallo assuming a management role in Paula's upcoming tour.... One label who gave the recent Concrete Convention around 30K to spotlight two bands and host a lunch is reportedly feeling slightly abused and ripped-off. Look for said label to be a noshow next year.... Names in Mill: Rumor Laurie Guthrie, Frank Dileo, Allen Kovac & Arma Andon.





# "RUSH"

# **#1 POST MODERN!**

MTV BUZZ BIN (12 WKS!) DEBUT [44] HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! ON OVER 180 TOP 40s!

"B.A.D. II is already strong on the phones. The jocks love it and it sounds hip on the air. Call-out is beginning to develop." Steve Davis - PD - WRV0 25\*-20\*

"B.A.D. II pulls phones! All you have to do is play it in a good rotation. We've been on it for 5 weeks and sales exploded into the Top 10 this week."

Bruce Stevens - PD - WBBQ 29\*-16\*-13\*

Columbia

DREAMS



FROM THEIR HOLLYWOOD RECORDS

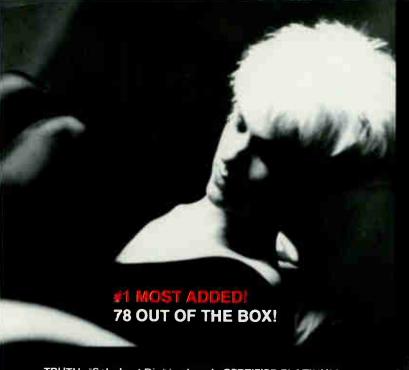
RELEASE IN THE MEANTIME, IN BETWEEN TIME

AVAILABLE ON CASSETTE AND COMPACT DISC (HR-61225-2/4).

PRODUCED BY JULIAN RAYMOND FOR A VIOLENT SOCIETY PRODUCTIONS

MANAGEMENT: DAYE KAPLAN MANAGEMENT

0 1991 HOLLYWOOD RECORDS



TRUTH "Schubert Dip" is already CERTIFIED PLATINUM and still blowing out the doors at retail everywhere!

> TRUTH Stress rotation and Top 10 on the MTV Top 20 video countdown.

The explosive new single and video. On these major Top 40 stations:

						ON AT:	
B104	add		103CIR	deb	30	WHYT	WKBQ
<b>KXXR</b>	add		<b>PWR92</b>	deb	39	<b>KRBE</b>	<b>KDWB</b>
						<b>WDFX</b>	<b>HOT102</b>
<b>HOT94.7</b>	deb	26	<b>HOT94.9</b>	19-15	5	<b>KPLZ</b>	<b>KWOD</b>
<b>KBEQ</b>	deb	30	<b>WNYP</b>	32-24	1	WEGX	KISN
WGTZ	deb	30	<b>KFBQ</b>	32-26	5	Q105	KKYK



# SPENDING MY TIME

The new single and video from the platinum plus album, JOYRIDE. On radio everywhere:

<b>KEGL</b>	add	<b>WKBQ</b>	add	<b>WBWB</b>	add	<b>WRCK</b>	add
WEGX	add	<b>KDWB</b>	add	<b>PWR92</b>	add	WRQN	add
<b>KBEQ</b>	add	STR94	add	<b>WLRW</b>	add	Z104	add
<b>B94</b>	add	<b>KRXY</b>	add	WMEE	add	<b>KAY107</b>	add
<b>WPHR</b>	add	KISN	add	WKRZ	add	WKDD	add
<b>KXXR</b>	add	WGTZ	add	WOKI	add	KJ103	add



"Robbie Nevil 'For Your Mind' is already testing well -SMASH!" Steve Davis, MD KYQQ

"Robbie Nevil 'For Your Mind' - this song will sound good on any Top 40 station. It adds flavor to the station." Scooter B. Stevens, PD KKMG

# **FOR YOUR MIND**

On these major stations:

**WJMO** add KKHT WAPE add KROC **WERZ** add KTMT **KFBQ** add OK95 **KFFM** add WLAN

add WXKS ON HOT102 ON add WZOU ON **KISN** ON ON add KPLZ **HOT94.9 ON** add Q105 ON **HOT95** ON add KKFR ON KKXX ON **KGGG** add Y97 add KOY ON WOMP ON





# **LETTERS**

# **Attitude Problem**

Dear Roy:

The justification for the continued industry support of NWA always comes under the banner of free speech. But what about Dee Barnes? When she exercises her right to free speech, are we to believe she should be subject to physical violence? Why are her rights any different than Dre's? These guys are cool?

I am deeply offended that a trade publication would print an outright physical threat to an already injured female professional. It would be offensive enough "man to man," but considering the subject matter of NWA's lyrics, this is even more outrageous.

Is "Do you guys get much white pussy?" a question appropriate for a trade publication, even HITS? And if you print this, do I then need a bodyguard for "fucking with" the rights of NWA to threaten the rest of us?

One factor in the free speech argument seldom raised when big bucks are in question is this: human rights demand human responsibilities. This is something that cannot and should not be legislated. It is a matter of personal consideration and conscience for publishers of words and music.

Nancy Jeffries Sr. VPA&R Elektra Entertainment

Roy replies: Certainly the HITS interview with NWA was no more outrageous than any number of rap records released by major labels, while the stuff about Dee Barnes was first published in Rolling Stone and repeated in several other publications as well as on TV. But you raise some very important points and we welcome further discussion of this very controversial topic.

# **Scott Shot**

Kandace & Graham:

Top Five Reasons I Read HITS: 5) The articles are well-researched. 4) They won't print Tony Q's B.S. 3) There aren't any pictures of Prince's butt 2) I'm not asked to do production when I look busy. 1) Because it works!

Scott Jantzen OC104FM Ocean City, MD

Kandace & Graham reply: Hey, Scott you forgot: 5) No words over two syllables. 4) Slick cover perfect for bottom of kitty litter box. 3) Flix of Darryl Lindsey make great dartboards. 2) Reading time equals length of good dump. 1) Find out from "Inside Dope" whether 1 still have a job this week.

# Holly Goes Lightly (NOT!)

Dear Karen:

Yesterday, we met Holly Gleason in Nashville. Boy, what a warm and sincere person she is (NOT!). The "Today" show is supposed to ride our bus with us from Bloomington to Champagne. Guess we should hide all the groupies. Wouldn't want to offend anyone in Middle America.

Bill Bonk Brothers Figaro On the Road With John Prine Somewhere in the U.S.A.

Karen replies: Thanks for the postcard below, which shows you finally found a way to get a word in edgewise with the Neobilly "Mouth of the South." Hope she caught the train.



# **FAR TRUTHS**

By Danny Fields, New York

Rush spokesbassist Geddy Lee flew his charismatic self down from Toronto for a giddy round of promo chat-'em-ups on behalf of the band's new Atlantic long-player, "Roll The Bones," and in advance of a world tour beginning this week. Breakfasts with labelubbers Perry Cooper, Patti Conte and Diane Gilmour climaxed with a power lunch at the fountain of all power lunches, the "21" Club, hosted by those twin towers of power, Doug Morris and Mel Lewinter. Partaking as well were VP Val Azzoli and mgr. Ray Daniels... Also dropping down from the Great White North (where their album is double platinum) were Arista's Crash Test Dummies, of "Superman's Song" fame, who played to a full house at the Bottom Line, Kvelling Aristacrats included Clive Davis, Roy Lott, Jack Rovner, Ken Friedman, Rick Bisceglia, Ken Levy and Melani Rogers. as well as BMG BIGS Heinz Henn, Pete Jones and Bob Venetianer... A very different Rush, Rush Communications Chairman Russell Simmons. was honored on his b-day with a dinner party at Rex on smart Sixth Ave., hosted by Uptown's Andre Herell. As the "Impressario of Rap" turned 34, such sublimities as Allen Grubman, Schindler, Jellybean Benitez, Bert Padell, Al B. Sure!, Lyor Cohen, Def Jam's Carmen Ashurst Watson, LL Cool J. Fever Records' Andy Panda, Wesley Snipes, Susan Blond, hubbie Roger Erickson, 3rd Bass, Big Daddy Kane, Q-Tips and Eddie Murphy himself dined on green salad, eggplant soup and fried chicken with wild rice... Columbia's Mason Muñoz returned from Oslo, Norway, with stories of heartthrob sensation Bendik, a 24-year-old vocalist/saxist with a passionate following, and the

premiere of his Saxophone

# Spokesbassist!!



Geddy Lee: Rushes to power lunch at 21!

Concerto with the Olso Philharmonic. A post-concert feast at Bendik's ancestral seaside mansion featured BBQ reindeer. sturgeon and schnapps, all in the glow of the midnight sun. His U.S. album, "IX," is just out... Kudos again to Sony Music Special Products for their release of eight glorious movie soundtracks, a must for all serious lovers of popular music!! Produced by Dan Rivard, engineered by Ken Robertson and Debra Parkinson, and with dazzling liner notes by Bruce Eder, the set includes Cole Porter's "The Pirate" with Gene Kelly and Judy Garland; the Rodgers and Hart biopic "Words and Music" with Judy, Lena, Mickey and Perry: the Romberg biopic "Deep In My Heart" with R. Clooney, V. Damone, H. Keel, A. Miller, J. Powell, T. Martin and H. Traubel (!); and Miklos Rosza's gonzo music for "El Cid."... The whole town's still aglow from the Scream show at Marquee and apres-party at the Billiard Club, hosted by Hollywood Records. Much radio and WEA along presence. labelotomies Peter Jim Martone, Brenda Romano, Gary Arnold, Art Phillips, Christina Anthony, John Souchak, Bob T., Bill Kennedy and Chris Lopez.



# STRESS!

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GREATEST
HITS!

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WAPE	deb	30	WBBQ	26-22
WDBR	deb	32	WLAN	31-23
WKSF	deb	35	999KHI	26-23
KTUX	deb	35	WPXR	28-24
WJMX	deb	37	KISR	27-24
KMCK	deb	38	WCGQ	30-25
KYYY	deb	38	93Q	29-25
99KG	deb	40	Y100	29-26
KF95	deb	40	KNOE	30-27
			KTMT	31-28
WRQK	19-1	3	WQUT	34-29
Y97	16-1	3	KFMW	33-29
WRVQ	20-1		WAZY	32-29
KKHT	20-1		WIKZ	33-30

WCGQ

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**WJLQ** 

**WKFR** 

WMMZ

WQGN

**WRHT** 

**WSTO** 

**WVBS** 

**Y97** 

-23	WWFX	34-31
-24	WVBS	36-32
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-25	KZZU	39-33
-26	KTRS	40-34
-27		
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-29	WZOU	STR94
-29	KUBE	WNVZ
-29	KPLZ	KISN
-30	KXXR	HOT94.9

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**KMGZ** 

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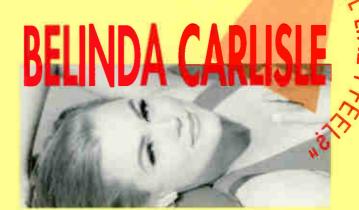
12 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS!

**OVER 750,000 ALBUMS SOLD!** 

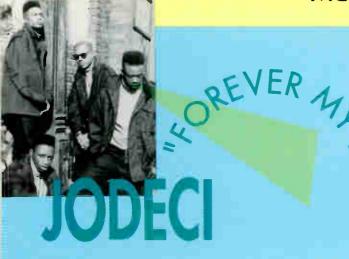
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WBBO	add		KPXR	deb 35	HOT94.9	KTXY
KYRK	add		999KHI	deb 37	K96.7	KWTX
95XXX	add		WSTW	deb 38	KJ103	KZII
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KKYK	deb	29	Z104	34-28	KMCK	
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MCA.



36-31 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS! **DEBUT 42 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! APPROACHING 500,000 UNITS!** 

KTFM	add	KBXX	4-2	BREAKING AT:
WWHT	add	WPGC	2-2	FM102
PWR102	add	KMEL	8-5	KCAQ
KZFM	add	B95	26-12	
KQMQ	add	WCKZ	32-29	

**GOING FOR ADDS THIS WEEK** 







# HITSBOUND

**PM Dawn** is making tracks with their smash, **Rod Stewart** is picking up speed with a killer ballad, **Simply Red** still gaining and **Roxette** goes right out of the box! **Hammer** is back with

the first single from his new project, Lita Ford gets Most Added honors, Gloria Estefan is gaining, and The Farm makes the big crossover with something groovy!

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	ONS	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	MTV	AVG MOVE
MARIAH CAREY  Continues to dominate Reques	EMOTIONS ts, Singles and Albums!	COL	226	0	0	10	28/125	-0.68
KARYN WHITE #2 Singles, #50 Albums, 2-1 KM	ROMANTIC (RZ, 1-1 HOT947, 2-1 KPL	WB Z.	220	0	0	22	16/124	1.42
PRINCE #4 Albums, #4 Singles, #4 Requ	CREAM uests, 11-6 WDFX, 19-9 W	PP/WB NCI, 15-10 KISN.	215	0	3	115	28/76	4.35
MICHAEL BOLTON #24 Singles, #19 Albums, deb #	WHEN A MAN 118 Requests, new at Q106	COL 5, KKFR, KS104, 1	<b>208</b> -1 KKXX.	13	43	140	0/0	6.45
NATURAL SELECTION #3 Singles, #1 Requests, big sin	DO ANYTHING angle sales, 2-1 KS104, 3-1	ATCO EW WZPL.	208	0	2	24	5/28	0.7
ROBERTA FLACK #25 Singles, new at WDFX, KR	SET THE NIGHT NQ, WPXR, jumps 24-20 V	ATL VXKS, 22-16 B97	199	5	8	84	0/0	3.62
PAULA ABDUL #29 Singles, #43 Albums, new a	BLOWING at B97, STAR94, MIX96, PI	CAPT/VIRG RO-FM.	193	43	78	78	0/0	4.55
EXTREME #5 Singles, #33 Albums, #13 Re	HOLE HEARTED equests, number one at WF	A&M PHR and WKBQ.	190	0	2	17	26/313	0.43
JESUS JONES #14 Singles, adds include KS10	REAL REAL 04, KKXX, PWR96, KKMG,	SBK jumps 6-5 WMXF	189	4	0	44	17/144	2.23
AMY GRANT #30 Singles, #36 Albums, #15 F	THAT'S WHAT Requests, close-outs: WZP	A&M L, KOY, WQXA.	189	6	7	110	0/0	4.66
NIA PEEPLES #32 Singles, more adds at MTV	STREET OF , KPLZ, MOJO, PRO-FM, 1	CHAR WDFX, B104, KD	<b>185</b> ON.	23	40	59	0/0	3.16
BRYAN ADAMS #7 Singles, #9 Albums, #14 Red	CAN'T STOP quests, add at HOT947, mo	A&M oves 9-5 KISN.	185	1	1	61	26/149	2.88
RYTHM SYNDICATE #23 Singles, new support at PV	HEY DONNA /R95, WIFC, 17-13 KKRZ,	IMPACT 7-5 WTIC.	181	2	5	49	0/1	2.79
CURTIS STIGERS #26 Singles, #16 Requests, pick	I WONDER WHY ks up KHMX, WZPL, WKZL	ARISTA ., KJ103, XL106.	167	9,	11	63	0/0	3.46
CHESNEY HAWKES #20 Singles, deb #20 Requests	THE ONE & , closing with MOJO, Q105	CHRYS HOT947, KLUC,	<b>163</b> <i>MIX96</i> .	13	7	42	5/51	2.61
LUTHER VANDROSS #13 Singles, #40 Albums, action	DON'T WANT includes 2-1 KRXY, 9-8 S	EPIC TAR94, 18-15 WA	<b>162</b> 1 <i>VA</i> .	1	2	24	0/0	1.65
GUNS N' ROSES Albums #1 & #5, #19 Singles, #	DON'T CRY 2 Requests, new at KKRZ,	GEF HOT947.	157	2	4	75	0/0	3.58
JOHN MELLENCAMP Album explodes at #14, Single is	GET A LEG #36, picks up B104, jumps a	MERC 26-22 KPLZ.	148	1	15	76	17/61	4.02
SIMPLY RED #40 Singles, picks up support a	SOMETHING KRBE, K967, WABB, KBP	ATCO EW FM, KWTX.	146	11	18	49	0/0	2.94
EMF #37 Singles, new this week at E	LIES 1104, KXXR, WABB, WBPF	EMI R, WBNQ, WKSI.	142	15	13	40	17/138	2.87

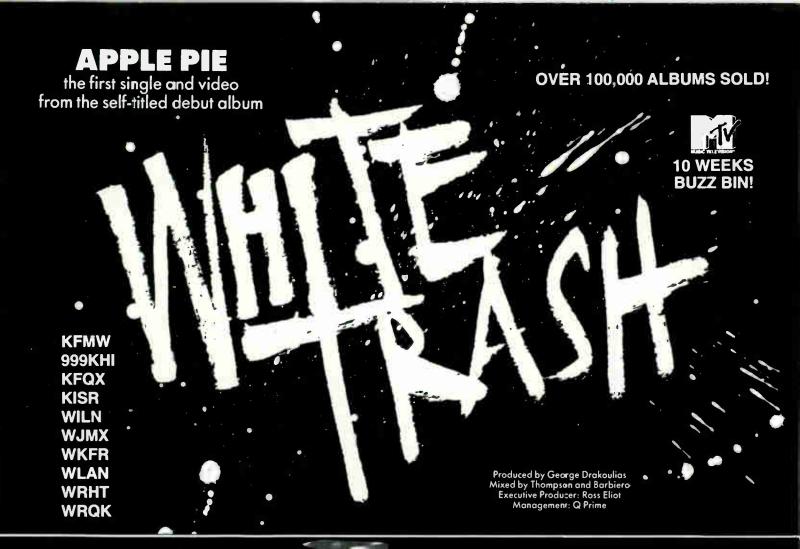
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ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	ONS	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	MTV	AVG MOVE
TONY TERRY #15 Singles, good phones,	WITH YOU closing with adds at KEGL	EPIC WJMO, WNCI, WAE	<b>139</b> B.	12	15	33	1/1	2.42
VAN HALEN #37 Albums, on at MTV, mo	TOP OF THE ore adds at WZPL, WPHR, I	WB NNNK, KRNQ, WGT	<b>134</b>	9	28	48	4/4	3.19
BOYZ II MEN #16 Singles, #18 Albums, #	SO HARD TO 10 Requests, new at Z100,	MOT WZOU, WXKS, WEO	<b>133</b> GX.	27	27	56	1/3	4.38
ROD STEWART  Deb #50 Singles, second w	BROKEN eek adds include MOJO, KE	WB EGL, B97, WKBQ, PV	<b>130</b> VR95.	52	42	26	7/7	3.25
RUSS IRWIN Deb #48 Singles, deb #17 F	MY HEART Requests, new majors: KDV	SBK VB, KXXR, 14-10 KR	<b>121</b> BE.	6	7	27	6/7	2.04
PM DAWN #17 Singles, #12 Requests,	SET ADRIFT adds include KEGL, WEG)	G ST/ISL/PLG K, Q105, B96, 13-10 I		30	23	52	17/37	4.79
B.A.D.II #44 Singles, #19 Requests,	RUSH new this week: G105, Y10	COL 2, WNYP, KBOZ, KZ	<b>107</b>	6	11	28	14/94	2.26
VANESSA WILLIAMS #21 Singles, picks up HOT9		WING/MERC 7 KIIS.	107	4	1	20	1/5	1.73
THE FARM Deb #43 Singles, new this v	GROOVY TRAIN veek at KKRZ, WRVQ, 95X.	SIR/REP XX, WERZ, WSTO.	98	14	14	26	7/129	2.49
BILLY FALCON  Adds at WFLY, KG95, move	POWER WINDOV es 9-1 WBIZ, 6-5 HOT949, s		98	2	0	17	7/42	1.6
GLORIA ESTEFAN Deb #45 Singles, Greatest H	LIVE FOR Hits VH1, new at WXKS, Z9	EPIC 0, HOT949, KTFM, V	<b>97</b> VIOQ.	23	20	16	<b>0</b> / 0	2.33
COMMITMENTS #12 Albums, VH1 Greatest	TRY A LITTLE Hits, adds at KHTK, WYKS,	MCA KFFM, KFTZ, WILN	8 <mark>6</mark>	6	12	18	14/47	2.06
NAUGHTY BY NATUR #10 Singles, #17 Albums, #		T.BOY RQ, HOT947, 1-1 Q10	<b>85</b> 06, 12-8 KTFM.	12	10	35	25/159	4.26
CHER New adds include WXKS, S	SAVE UP STAR94, KJ103, KCAQ.	GEF	84	19	32	23	0/0	2.49
JASMINE GUY #27 Singles, moves 1-1 HO	JUST WANT T977, 1-1 KDON, 1-1 KLUC	WB C, new at PWR99, W	<b>79</b> TIC.	7	4	18	0/3	1.72
DESMOND CHILD  Adds include WVSR, WCIL,	YOU'RE THE Deb 35 WZOU, 29-26 HO	ELEK 1949, 34-22 WHTO.	77	2	8	13	0/0	1.92
METALLICA Former #1 Album, Single #1	ENTER SANDMA 8, Requests #9, new at PW		77	6	5	14	32/299	1.99
ROXETTE  Goes out of the box at KEG	SPENDING L, KBEQ, B94, KISN, STAF	EMI 194, KDWB, WEGX.	77	77	0	0	0/0	0.0
CORINA #39 Singles, new at WNCI,	WHISPERS 999KHI, WFLY, CK105, 3-3	ATCO HOT97, 25-21 PWF	<b>75</b> 1106.	3	11	9	<b>0</b> / 0	1.74
LITA FORD  Most Added Top 40 including	SHOT OF POISOI g KPLZ, Q105, WPHR, HO	-	73	72	1	0	0/0	3.0
SALT-N-PEPA #22 Singles, #11 Requests,	LET'S TALK closing with adds at B94, W	N PLAT XKS, KHTK.	72	5	3	12	13/73	1.96
BELINDA CARLISLE Picks up new support this w	DO YOU FEEL eek at KCAQ, KYRK, WBB	MCA O, WBPR, WWFX.	66	11	14	11	0/0	1.65

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**WDFX** 

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**KJ103** 

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Z102

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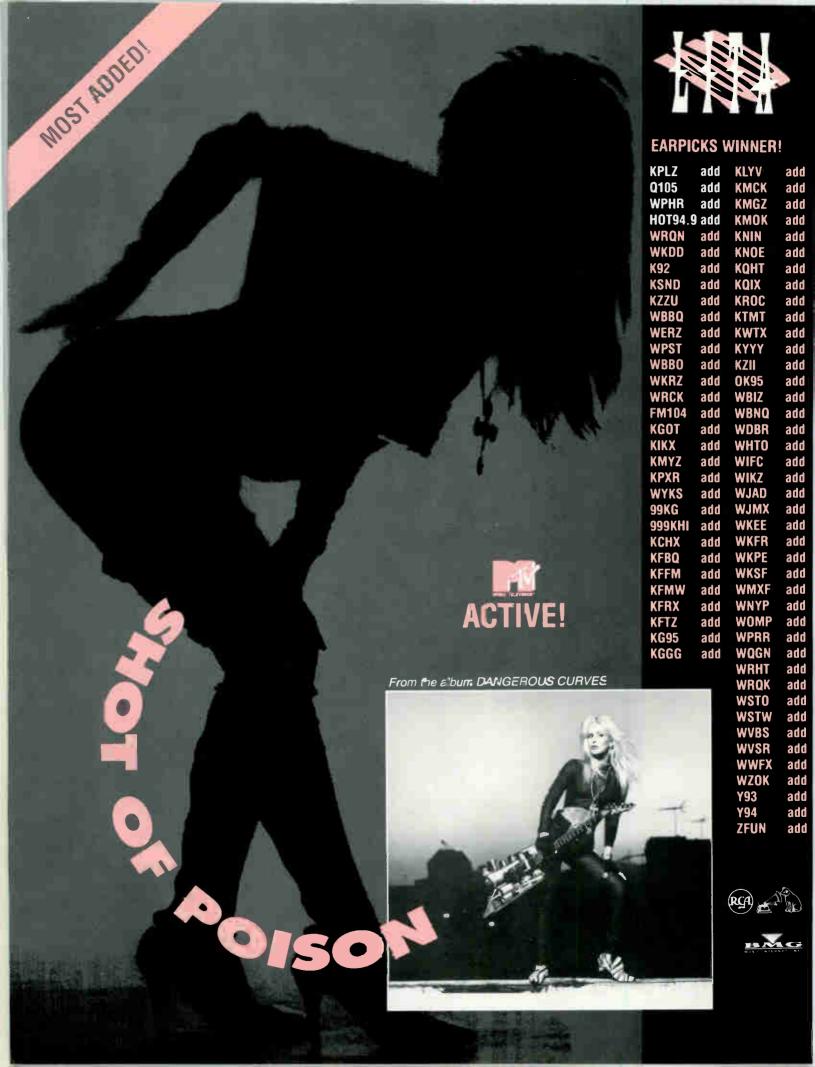
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ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	ONS	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	мту	AVG MOVE
CROWDED HOUSE  Adds this week include WSTO,	FALL AT YOUR WDJX, KC101, WIFC, KIX	CAP Y.	63	5	8	7	9/47	1.66
HAMMER  Majors out of the box include B9	2 LEGIT 2 96, KMEL, KS104, Q106, F	BUST IT/CAP M102, B94, PWR99	<b>62</b>	62	0	0	0/0	0.0
BLUE TRAIN New this week at PWR99, KISN	ALL I NEED I, jumps 22-18 KOY, 26-21	ZOO <i>K967</i> .	60	4	11	10	0/0	2.24
ROBBIE NEVIL Picks up support at WJMO, WA	FOR YOUR PE, KROC, KGGG, KKHT	EMI , Y97, WLAN.	56	12	1	8	0/0	1.16
STORM Former Journey members pick to	l'VE GOT A up adds at B104, KQIZ, KT	INTER TUX, KISR, KFQX.	55	13	14	14	0/0	2.88
MARC COHN Goes on at KHMX, WABB, WP	TRUE COMPANION PRR, WBNQ, PWR92, KRC	_	54	10	11	7	0/0	1.12
LENNY KRAVITZ  New support at WKDD, WBPR	STAND BY KIXY, WRHT, WVBS, KP	VIRG XR 30-20, WSTO 3:	<b>54</b> 9-31, HOT95	<b>5</b> 25-1	5	15	9/30	2.32
VOICE OF THE BEEHIVE They pick up PWR95, KKYK, KI		PLG DK, WLAN.	52	11	9	9	0/1	1.71
CE CE PENISTON #46 Singles, new this week at W	FINALLY VSPK, WFHT, KYRK, 22-10	A&M 8 B96, D23 KS104.	52	6	5	10	0/0	2.57
TARA KEMP  New this week at KS104, KMEL	TOO MUCH , KBFM, WHTO, KQIX, KT	GIANT <i>UX</i> :	49	7	8	5	0/0	0.95
STEVIE B Picks up new support at WJLQ,	FOREVER MORE WCKZ, KISR, Y97.	LMR RCA	48	8	4	5	0/0	1.18
KENNY LOGGINS New adds include WNCI, 999KI	CONVICTION HI, WAAL, KFTZ, KTUX, W	COL /ERZ.	48	15	10	4	0/0	1.36
VANILLA ICE New at B97, WFLY, on at HOTS	COOL AS ICE 97, HOT102, PWR96, KXX	SBK R, KPLZ, WPHR, W	<b>45</b> VXKS.	1	2	1	5/14	0.41
LISETTE MELENDEZ Picks up support at WHTO, WB	A DAY IN MY PR, 18-8 HOT97, 16-10 W	RAL/COL <i>KSE</i> .	44	2	2	11	0/0	2.63
TRACIE SPENCER Gains support at KHTK, KJ103,	TENDER KISSES B93, 22-18 KTFM, 15-9 KI	CAP MEL, 22-17 KKFR.	39	3	5	12	0/0	3.22
MARKY MARK #46 Albums. Already on 21 majo	WILDSIDE ors including PWR106, WIC	INTER/EW OQ, KGGI, WDFX, 1	<b>33</b> WMXP.	12	5	9	16/18	3.9
THE KLF Enjoying support at HOT977, BS	WHAT TIME 93, KTUX, WJMO, WRVQ.	ARISTA KQMQ.	33	8	5	5	5/9	1.46
SCORPIONS Picks up JETFM, 999KHI, WAA	SEND ME AN L, FM104, KTUX, KZZU, V	MERC VRQN.	30	27	1	2	1/3	3.67
SHABBA RANKS Wildcard! Big single sales and d	HOUSECALL deb #49 Singles, deb #48 A	EPIC Albums.	29	19	3	4	6/25	2.7
SMOKEY ROBINSON Scores support at KTUX, STAR	DOUBLE GOOD 94, KFTZ, KGOT, KMOK, I	SBK KKHT.	29	13	3	0	0/ 0	0.63
TINA TURNER  New adds include WSTW, WRV	LOVE THING /Q, KQIX, WQUT, WKRZ,	CAP <i>WWFX</i> .	29	6	10	3	0/0	1.78
ANGELICA New support at majors like KXX	ANGEL BABY R, B96, PWR106, KOY, 1-	QUAL 1 Z90, 2-2 Q106.	27	7	6	6	0/0	2.3



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ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	оиѕ	ADDS	DEBS	AGGR	MTV	AVG MOVE
ICY BLU Picks up new adds at WHYT, HO	I WANNA BE OT947, B93. Debuts 24 K	GIANT S104.	25	3	2	2	0/0	1.36
ROBYN HITCHCOCK Steadily growing with new adds a	SO YOU THINK at WRVQ, KTMT, ZFUN, V	A&M NAZY, KISR.	23	6	1	2	5/15	0.88
CRASH TEST DUMMIES Picks up new support at KGOT,	SUPERMAN'S Top Ten phones at KPLZ.	ARISTA	22	2	1	3	4/5	1.95
.38 SPECIAL Out of the box at KISN, WNCI, V	SIGNS OF WWFX, FM104, WSTW.	CHAR	22	22	0	0	0/0	0.0
KID N' PLAY They pick up new adds at WQXA	AIN'T GONNA A, WPGC, KOY, KPSI. De	SEL/ELEK bb 29 WTIC.	18	4	2	3	0/2	2.5
GRANDMASTER SLICE Picks up new adds like HOT977,	THINKING KKFR, 11-6 WHYT, deb 2	SOH 27 WPGC.	17	3	1	5	0/0	1.86
ESCAPE CLUB  New adds this week at HOT949,		ATL ZFM.	13	5	1	0	0/0	0.38
ONE NATION Picks up WWFX, WPST, KISR, &	LOVES ROCK also on at WILN, WLAN, 9	IRS 9KG.	13	3	2	0	0/0	0.3
JODECI Hot one scores with PWR102, K	FOREVER MY TFM, KZFM, WWHT, #2 \	UPT/MCA WPGC.	12	5	0	1	1/1	3.43
BONNIE RAITT Out of the box support at WRVQ,	I CAN'T MAKE , KISN KISR, KTMT, KMG	CAP GZ, WLAN KNOE.	12	12	0	0	0/0	0.0
E.L.O.  New support includes WDBR, K	FOR THE LOVE QIZ, WJMX, WLAN.	SCOTTIBR	12	4	0	0	0/0	0.0
WHITE TRASH On now at KFMW, 999KHI, WKF	APPLE PIE FR, WRHT, WJMX. Ten we	ELEK eeks MTV Buzz Bin	10	1	0	0	11/169	0.0

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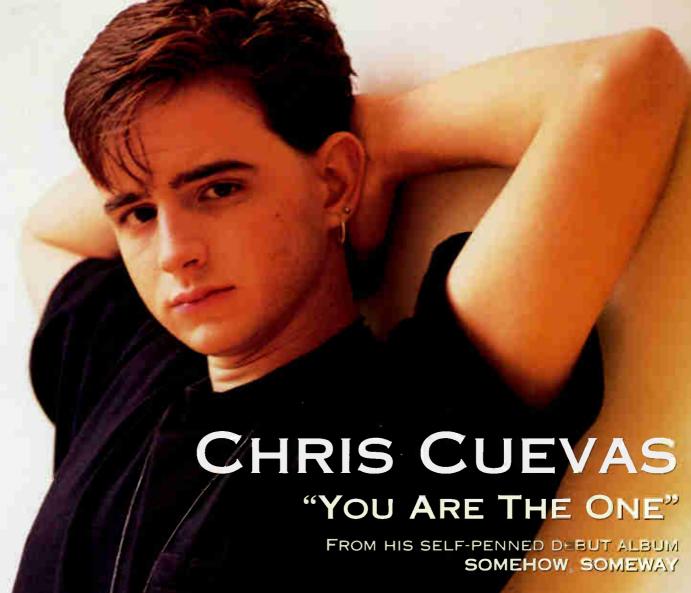
Massive calls for "Long Dong Silver".

LW	TW	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	нотѕ	INCL	UDIN	G	%
1	1	N. SELECTION	DO ANYTHING	ATCO/EW	97	Z100 B94	KIIS Q102	PWR106 KBEQ	47
3	2	GUNS N' ROSES	DON'T CRY	GEFFEN	79	B97 KDWB	WZPL WKSE	PWR99 WRVQ	38
2	3	MARKY MARK	GOOD VIBRATIONS	INTER	73	B96 KPLZ	KMEL WAVA	KXXR MOJO	35
5	4	PRINCE	CREAM	P.PARK/WB	70	KIIS KXXR	PWR99 WKSE	B97 WNVZ	34
4	5	FIREHOUSE	LOVE OF A	EPIC	61	KUBE Q105	WPHR KISN	WAVA MIX96	30
8	6	N. BY NATURE	O.P.P.	TOMMY BOY	56	Z100 Z90	B96 XL106	WJMO KC101	27
12	7	COLOR ME BADD	I ADORE MI	GIANT	55	PWR106 WPGC	HOT97 Q102	WZPL KRQ	27
7	8	MARIAH CAREY	EMOTIONS	COLUMBIA	51	Z100 WKSE	KS104 WNVZ	MOJO STAR94	25
9	9	METALLICA	ENTER SANDMAN	ELEKTRA	49	KUBE WRVQ	KBEQ WPST	KPLZ WAPE	24
15	10	BOYZ II MEN	SO HARD TO	MOTOWN	47	B97 WRVQ	PWR99 WIOQ	WAVA KLUC	23
12	11	SALT-N-PEPA	LET'S TALK	NEXT PLAT	40	PWR106 Q106	B96 KXXR	KS104 FM102	19
14	12	PM DAWN	SET ADRIFT	G ST/ISL/PLG	37	PWR106 MOJO	PWR99 KS104	Q106 XL106	18
11	13	EXTREME	HOLE HEARTED	A&M	33	Z100 KISN	Y100 Q99.5	WPHR KQKQ	16
16	14	BRYAN ADAMS	CAN'T STOP	A&M	29	PWR106 STAR94	KZZU KFTZ	WERZ KG95	14
17	15	AMY GRANT	THAT'S WHAT	A&M	21	WKBQ KNOE	OK95 WKPE	KKRD KTXY	10
20	16	CURTIS STIGERS	I WONDER WHY	ARISTA	18	Q102 KSND	Z104 WYKS	WAPE WQGN	8
-	17	RUSS IRWIN	MY HEART	SBK	17	Q99.5 G105	WYKS WIFC	WPRR KFQX	8
	18	MICHAEL BOLTON	WHEN A MAN	COLUMBIA	17	KQKQ KKRD	WAEB WKFR	WIXX KOKZ	8
19	19	B.A.D. II	RUSH	COLUMBIA	17	KUBE WWFX	KPLZ WBBQ	WPST KMGZ	8
	20	CHESNEY HAWKES	THE ONE &	CHRYSALIS	16	KUBE KISR	KXXR WNYP	WZPL KBOZ	7

Total stations reporting this week: 203

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ARTIST	AVERAGE MOVE	AGGRESSIVES (4 or more)	TOP 10	TOP 5	REQUESTS (1 to 10)	Lp SALES (1 to 10)	45 SALES (1 to 10)
MICHAEL BOLTON	6.45	140	14	8	7	9	6
PM DAWN	4.79	52	9	1	9	5	8
AMY GRANT	4.66	110	16	5	7	7	6
PAULA ABDUL	4.55	78	3	0	6	6	2
BOYZ II MEN	4.38	56	17	3	8	9	10
NAUGHTY BY NATURE	4.26	35	32	14	9	9	10
JOHN MELLENCAMP	4.02	76	1	0	2	9	5
MARKY MARK	3.90	9	1	0	6	6	2
ROBERTA FLACK	3.62	84	15	2	6	2	5
GUNS N' ROSES/1 ILLU	3.58	75	22	7	10	10	9
CURTIS STIGERS	3.46	63	13	0	7	1	6
JODECI	3.43	1	3	3	7	7	9
ROD STEWART	3.25	26	0	0	1	4	
TRACIE SPENCER	3.22	12	3	0	3	1	5_
VAN HALEN	3.19	48	3	0	7	7	2
NIA PEEPLES	3.16	59	0	0	4		2
SIMPLY RED	2.94	49	3	0	3	4	2
STORM	2.88	14	0	0	6	1	1
EMF	2.87	40	2	1	4	2	4
RYTHM SYNDICATE	2.79	49	33	5	2	1	6
SHABBA RANKS	2.70	4	0	0	2	6	7
LISETTE MELENDEZ	2.63	11	3	0	1	1	3
CHESNEY HAWKES	2.61	42	48	18	7	1	8
FARM	2.49	26	3	0	7	1	2
TONY TERRY	2.42	33	28	16	6	2	8
DJ J.JEFF & F.PRINCE	2.38	15	0	0	6	4	8
GLORIA ESTEFAN	2.33	16	2	0	2	1	1
LENNY KRAVITZ	2.32	15	0	0	3	2	1
ANGELICA	2.30	6	7	5	7	-	4
B.A.D.II	2.26	28	1	1	7	3	4
BLUE TRAIN	2.24	10	0	0	4	1	2
JESUS JONES	2.23	44	81	15	6	4	7
COMMITMENTS (ST)	2.06	18	0	0	3	9	-
RUSS IRWIN	2.04	27	3	0	7	1	5
BAD ENGLISH	2.03	20	10	1	2	1	3

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

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

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

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

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

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

# Boyz II Men

## "It's So Hard To Say Goodbye To Yesterday"



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AVERAGE MOVE	AGGRESSIVES (4 or more)	TOP 10	TOP 5	REQUESTS (1 to 10)	(1 to 10)	45 SALES (1 to 10)
4.38	56	17	3	8	9	10

20-15 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! 35\*-27\* R&R!

1-1 JAMS SINGLES!

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KMEL	2-1	HOT102	20-16
WIOQ	2-2	KHTK	23-17
KS104	3-2	WWHT	25-17
Q106	8-6	KRBE	23-19
WHYT	7-7	HOT97.7	33-19
PWR99	10-7	KIIS	27-20
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# YO! YUSSELL YADS

Rush Communications ruler Russell Simmons has never been afraid to say what's on his mind. And what he says matters not just because he's an enormous success in the music business. The man's built an empire on rap, a music ignored and deplored until its sublime rhymes and borrowed beats attracted an audience that spent close to a quarter of a billion dollars on the records last year. Simmon's posse of artists has a huge share of that market — either those managed by him, have their songs published by him, record for his Sony-distributed labels, or run their own companies with his guidance. Stars like Public Enemy, Big Daddy Kane, Run-DMC, Technotronic, DJ Jazzy Jeff & the Fresh Prince, 3rd Bass, A Tribe Called Quest, Eric B. & Rakim, De La Soul and newcomer Sandee are just a few of those who work with the man.

Russell Simmons has been a tough competitor since starting out in the late '70s as a party organizer and informal artist manager. His first big break came in the early '80s with the unprecedented success of clients Kurtis Blow and Run-DMC. With Rush Artist Management, his labels Def Jam and RAL, and his TV and film divisions, Simmons has been hip-hop's unofficial arbiter of taste and anointer of emerging stars since then. He's weathered every kind of controversy and is not afraid to tackle the social issues raised by some of his records.

With his recently created umbrella organization. Rush Communications, embracing all corners of black pop culture, Simmons refers to the company's output as "hip shit for the masses." While holding court from his home — Cher's former Manhattan triplex, which is teeming with assistants, artists and friends — Simmons moves swiftly among various crises concerning artist management, travel arrangements, film scripts, record release schedules and an impending interview with Forbes magazine, finally taking the phone off the hook when his tongue got in a good groove to give a large piece of his mind to someone who could use it — HITS' harried "Tom Dick &" Harry Weinger.



2 BLACK 2 STRONG: Rush Communications' majordomo Russell Simmons and L.L. Cool J are filthy, stinking rich.

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# Twelve years ago you were organizing parties while still at CCNY. When did the party turn into a business?

Rush Communications is a complete entertainment company. At least we want to be. We've done films and we've done TV, but we're a management company first. We created our companies because the artists weren't being promoted or worked properly by the labels. That's the main reason we made our first movie, "Krush Groove" — because no one else wanted to. And that's the reason we did our first TV show, "The New Music Report" — because we felt there was a void. That's why we're doing all that we're doing.

# You've established an umbrella network of artist-run companies in Rush Associated Labels.

RAL is all of the Rush Associated Labels started by artists whom we represent. We have a history of representing artists who started their own companies, like Cold Chillin' Records. We made the deal for them at Warner Bros. and Warner's made millions off them. We made a deal similar to that for S.O.U.L. with MCA Records. It was clear we were representing these companies because we really believed in them.

Take the case of Fever Records, which had the Cover Girls. It was a company that had been around for many years and we knew they were on the verge of becoming successful. They just hadn't had the right support, the right team. I tried to make a deal for them and people didn't understand what they could be. I didn't want to just commission the company — I wanted to be a part of it. I knew it was going to make someone millions of dollars one day. The pop Latin influence over culture is going to be even greater over the next several years, so we went into a joint venture with them.

# "I really like things that are edgy — records that stand their own ground."

We're also representing JMJ, a label run by [Run-DMC's] Jason Mizell. From them, we got the Afros, the Famlee and five other acts. We also convinced Prince Paul to have his own label, Dew Doo Man Records, because he works the whole spectrum. Then there's Chuck D's P.R.O. Division. The man's a marketing and production genius. He has very special ideas for all of his projects. The Terminator X album's been a real success. I see RAL more as a pop label. We have Nice 'n Smooth — which will explode — and EPMD, which we acquired in a deal with Sleeping Bag Records, and The Don. And



then there's No Face, a guy with an idea and a vision in Mark Sexx.

That's what I do as a manager. I don't do anything artistic — I use my experience to help artists know where they are in the marketplace so they can focus themselves. Each of these companies early on are financed by us and, of course, if they lose a lot of money, we eat that money. If they're successful and keep focused, then they start to recoup — that's how Def Jam worked for many years. That's also how Uptown Enterprises works [a thriving custom label and production house run by former rap star Andre Harrell, who was both a client and partner to Simmons I. When you're successful, no one asks any questions, because whatever they do is theirs. That's what we're trying to do — put these companies in that position. At the early stages, we're involved in A&R, artist development and the whole package.

Fever Records is already in the black just based on singles they've had out, and now the albums are about to be released. JMJ is already successful due to the Afros and I believe the Famlee will hit next. The idea is they all could become the next Def Jam or the next Uptown.

#### Is rap now pop music?

Pop music is something that sounds good, feels good and is accessible. I really like things that are edgy — records that stand

their own ground. Much as I like it to be good and special musically, I like to have it really mean something, too. I don't think pop music is intended to always do that or be that. Pop music is only meant to be successful, something people can digest. The Don is one of our first artists like that. I thought he was corny at first, then I realized he was like everyone else in the world. His video, "My Big 12-inch Record." is with Ted Nugent. The original track had a riff from AC/DC's "Highway To Hell," but Angus Young made us take it off. Fuck him, by the way. A real jerk, though it is his music, so I guess he can do what he wants.

Basically, the whole pop business is the way it is. They still treat us as niggers. That's the way I feel sometimes. I know one thing — for most of our artists, when they have a new record, even if they've been on MTV, they're gonna have to fight to get back on there. MTV says Public Enemy's not mainstream — even if it charts #1. I'm just frustrated with the pop world.

#### Fear of a black planet?

MTV should be programming for the people who watch the channel, not based on some kind of research. They've got research that tells them not to play rap, but three or four of the top five requests are invariably rap. If there were more white rappers, there'd be less fear — and

then I'd be less successful in terms of energy and market share. I don't worry about that, though. I like seeing three out of four rap records on the charts that are mine, but if there are 35 records and they all sell a lot and I got the last five, then that's OK, too.



Let's discuss censorship. You've encountered that with No Face and BWP, who are both pretty explicit.

I'm not a politician. My experience tells me something like No Face is sort of fun. They're very sexist. They really are fucked-up kids. I recognize that. But I think they're funny anyway — I like their

#### "No Face... are fucked-up kids... but I think they're funny anyway."

records. I don't think they're doing anything to hurt anybody. That's where people draw the line — but I don't know if they even know where that line is. I don't know if I'd put out the Geto Boys because I don't know if I like it enough to support it, althought I heard some of their records lately that made me laugh. I like things that are shocking, like horror movies, and some of their records are like horror movies. They're less damaging than some No Face records, because the guys in No Face really mean it. Some of the Geto Boys mean it, too, but no one else cares that they mean it. I'm not giving you an excuse, I'm just saying people can do whatever the fuck they want musically, as long as they're not physically hurting anybody.

Take Ice Cube. He matters. I like Ice Cube more than I like N.W.A. His "Amerikkka's Most Wanted" is probably my favorite rap album of all time. And he's not even my artist, but he gives a lot of insight. These are the only people who are going to tell you what happened in Compton in the 1990s, 'cause sure as hell in 20 years you won't know unless you have a rap record. It's very, very important that they make their records. It's good that people know what their life was like. Like Chuck D said, a rap record is a ghetto kid's CNN. That's their network — it tells them what happened this week. These records are a true expression, and if you don't have 'em, you're a dick. Thank God John Singleton could make a movie like "Boyz N the Hood." Shit is just like that.

# Do you ever think white kids are buying these records because they reinforce negative attitudes towards blacks?

White kids ain't stupid. It's the white adults. Kids are buying it and saying, "Oh shit, it's fucked up in Compton." Don't you think these kids know what's serious and real and what's supposed to be funny? And that they gain some insight into what it's like in the ghetto?

## How about BWP? Some are titillated, some are shocked.

I like them bitches. They have many sides and it's all real. The side I'm working on trying to sell — 'cause even with all that press we only sold 200,000 records, and next time we'll make a better album musically — is that they are about real serious women's issues that women don't want to deal with. People tell me that it's fucked up what they do for a living and how offensive they are. But it's the same things they're reading about in the women's magazines and talking about all the time, and don't tell me they aren't. They deal with date rape in "No Means No." And I have to defend them when people get upset at them for saying things like, "Go change your Kotex." That's just funny! And "Two Minute Brother" is some serious shit. They haven't said anything to hurt anybody.

#### What's next for Run-DMC?

They're making an album with the Bomb Squad. It's been nine years now and Run has produced every record himself. They've made good records, but now they need a great one in order to sell. And Joey's got to lose another 20 pounds. With that and a great record, they'll really stand out. They're out on the road, working constantly, doing their stage show, even if it's a 500-seat room or a 2000-seat venue. Being on-stage every night makes a big difference in terms of songwriting abilities, knowing each other and working together like they did years ago. All three of them are creative and make their unique contributions. Joey is a great songwriter, Jason's a great producer and D gets it from both ends. With the Bomb Squad, Run-DMC can make a groundbreaking album. I'd like to see it happen.

## How would you describe your management style?

I try to let things be. I used to produce, but not anymore. Artists have all these different sides to their character they try to sell at the same time. I try to figure out which one makes the most sense to sell, period, and let the other ones sit. If you're a gay b-boy and one day you wear a dress, I say the next day, "I don't think you can wear a dress today. I don't think the public is ready to accept you in a dress — yet." That's what I do. All the time.

#### Tell us about your other ventures.

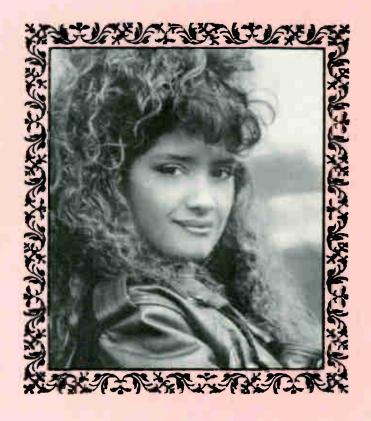
We're doing a series of comedy shows for HBO with Bernie Brillstein as my partner. "Russell Simmons Presents the Def Comedy Jam." We're also developing several films. On "Money Dog," which is about two kids in Harlem with a pit bull, we're working with Quincy Jones. We're doing a film with Suzanne DePasse called "Sleepwalker" and another, "Kiss The Sky." It's just that it takes so long for everything to come together. That's what's hard about the film business. But I'm intriqued by it. And there's a better grade of pussy. It's a sleazy business and you make the least money but it's the best pussy. Television is second, the record business is third, but you can make the most money, if you really, really hit. So I can sell 50 million albums, but I still get the lowest grade of pussy.

# "Like Chuck D said, a rap record is a ghetto kid's CNN."

We did two small films, but both "Krush Groove" and "Tougher Than Leather" were really successful for what they cost. Both turned a profit. I really want to do some more. All of my films will be hiphop, and I mean culturally. I grew up in the ghetto, so I know black people and black taste. I recognize what it is. That's the difference between my company and a lot of other black companies. I sell black culture to the masses. I sell black first and they say, if you do a good job selling to black people first, then it will go to the rest of the world. I don't necessarily believe that's the case. Public Enemy is like a white rock & roll band. The consumers of black culture are obviously not necessarily all black people, but why would a white person turn on a black movie unless it's hip? It's like back in the days when the Temptations sold "Soul Train" to the masses. That was hip. Movies like "Boyz N the Hood" and "New Jack City" are driven by their energy to appeal across-theboard. Our films are driven by more than the overall black-people-on-the-screen thing. It's a hip-hop attitude — and a great soundtrack — that allows you to cross over.

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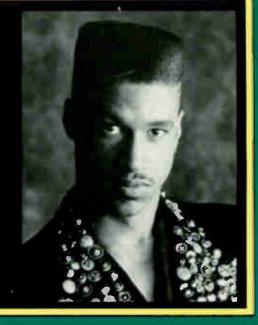
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**B97** deb 26 **HOT97 HOT97.7** PWR106 deb 33 Z100 STR94 Y100 7-6 **WXKS** KISN KRXY WEGX WWHT 11-7 KHMX

17-14 **KXXR** ...PLUS MANY MORE!

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**KMEL** 10-10 15-10 **WNVZ** 10-10 PWR106 15-12 **WTIC** 16-13 WAVA 18-15 **WEGX** 21-17 **WKSE** 27-21

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12-10

HOT97.7 26-22 ...PLUS MANY MORE!







Produced by Luther Vandross and Marcus Miller. Management: Alive Enterprises. Inc.



# ARPICKS

Current favorites as chosen by members of all segments of the music industry

The third single from Roxette takes the section this week and goes on the radio everywhere while the lead track from U2 picks up strong mentions at retail though not officially worked at Top 40 radio. Hammer is back with lots of talk at radio and retail while retail loves the new Bonnie Raitt single. Lita Ford is back and hot out of the box. Watch Shabba Ranks and Tevin Campbell — exploding and ready to explode, respectively.

#### **WINNERS**

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- **ROXETTE**
- U2
- **HAMMER**
- **BONNIE RAITT** 4
- 5 **LITA FORD**
- SPENDING MY...

I CAN'T MAKE...

SHOT OF POISON (RCA)

THE FLY

2 LEGIT 2 QUIT

(EMI)

(Capitol)

- (IsI/PLG) (Bust It/Cap)
- PM DAWN 8 **SCORPIONS**

SHABBA RANKS

- **ERASURE**
- 10 T. CAMPBELL
- HOUSECALL (Epic)
- SET ADRIFT ON... (GSt/s/PLG) (Mercury)
- SEND ME AN... **CHORUS** (Sire/Rep)
- TELL ME WHAT... (QwestWB)

- DOMINICA /WSSX/CHARLESTON T Turner/Roxette
- LIZ ADAMS/KQKQ/OMAHA R Stewart/C Peniston/Roxette
- ROGER ALLEN/K96.7/AUSTIN. TX T Twins/Erasure/RS Fred/Cher
- DAVE ALLEN/WJMX/FLORENCE, SC Roxette/L Ford/.38 Special
- K ALTOMARE/RHINO RECORDS/LA M DeCerbo/Nirvana/Prince/VOT Beehive
- JEFF ANCELL/KZII/LUBBOCK Schascle/O Nation
- JON ANTHONY/KBEQ/KANSAS CITY .38 Special/A Schmidt/Farm/Roxette
- DAVE ARTHUR/KF95/BOISE Hammer/J Lennon/B Raitt/Roxette
- M ASCH/JEK ENT/BALTIMORE Hammer/S Ranks/U2/B Raitt
- LINDA AUSTIN/KRNO/DES MOINES J Lennon/BAD II/E Club
- G BAIN/Q RECORDS & VID/MIAMI U2/Hammer/S Ranks/Scorpions
- JEFF BALLENTINE/92Q/BALTIMORE G Slice/Heavy D
- M BASHKIN/BAKER & TAYLOR/CHIC U2/Hammer/B Raitt/Erasure

- L BATCHECK/REC & TAPE/COLUM B Raitt/U2/S Ranks/Erasure
- S BEAN/HARMONY HOUSE/DETROIT J Mellencamp/U2/B Raitt/Hammer
- RON BROOKS/Z104/MADISON Scorpions/Roxette
- JOE BRYANT/JUSTIN/ATLANTA PM Dawn/N Peeples/Roger/Entouch
- LORI CAMPBELL/B94/PITTSBURGH Roxette/B II Men/M Mark
- BILL CATCHER/WBBO/GREENVILLE S Ranks/Roxette
- JOHNNA CECCOLI/Y 100/MIAMI Cher/J Lennon
- JIM CERONE/WBWB/BLOOMINGTON Roxette/B Raitt/Hi-Five
- I CHAFFERDET/UNIQUE/NEW YORK V Halen/SEAL/J Jackson/3rd Bass
- MIKE CHASE/KMCK/FAYETTEVILLE S Ranks/R-)xette/NB Nature
- LEE CHESNUT/PWR99/ATLANTA L Stansfield/J Lennon/K Sims
- DAVE CHRISTOPHER/KWTX/WACO Hammer/Roxette/L Ford
- J COHEN/STRAWBERRIES/BOSTON D Underground/UD Squad/Erasure/U2

- T COLEMAN/TOWER/LAS VEGAS U2/S Ranks/Erasure/B Raitt
- DAVE COOPER/WWFX/BANGOR L Ford/B Raitt/B Carlisle
- PETE COSENZA/WAEB/ALLENTOWN PM Dawn/NB Nature/Farm/C Peniston
- ALEX COSPER/KWOD/SACRAMENTO J Lennon/Erasure
- SHADOW B CRUZ/HOT95/JACKSON V Halen/E Club/Cher/Stevie B
- ALBIE D/WPGC/WASH DC D Underground/T Campbell/K Sims
- D DALE/KZFM/CORPUS CHRISTI T Campbell/Jodeci/BK Starr/Hammer
- WES DAVIS/KZMG/BOISE Scorpions/Firehouse/R Hitchcock/Hammer
- RICK DEAM/HEGEWISCH/CHICAGO V Halen/G Estefan/DJ Jazzy/N Peeples
- GLEN DILLON/WKFR/KALAMAZOO Roxette/L Kravitz/VOT Beehive/T Turner
- M DIX/MICHELLE'S REC & VID/WV N Peeples/M Bolton/Heart/B White
- T DOWNING/SCOTT'S/INDIANAPOLIS SEAL/Shamen/V Halen/Cher

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J FARKAS/TAPE WORLD/CLEVE PM Dawn/Roxette/AB Creation/Storm



# **EARPICKS**

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B FENTY/ASSOCIATED/PHOENIX Hammer/S Plunkett/U2/B Raitt

C FIELD/FM102/SACRAMENTO Honeys/M Carey/B II Men

JOEL FOLGER/KEGL/DALLAS PM Dawn/Erasure/G Brooks/R Marx

JIM FOX/WYKS/GAINESVILLE R Hitchcock/PM Dawn/Stevie B

CHARLIE FOX/Y93/BILLINGS L Ford

S FREEMAN/CML/ST. LOUIS Hammer/U2/S Ranks/Erasure

TOM GJERDRUM/WZOK/ROCKFORD Cher/M Cohn/R Stewart/P Abdul

ROB HALLOWAY/KDON/SALINAS CM Badd/T Campbell/D Dames/T Spencer

KATHY HART/G105/DURHAM, NC B Raitt/T Campbell/BAD II

KIM HAYES/STREETSIDE/ST. LOUIS U2/Nirvana/Soundgarden/Pixies

STEVE HELLER/ZFUN/MOSCOW L Ford/Roxette/R Hitchcock

R HEWSON/REC & TAPE TRADER/MD U2/S Ranks/Scorpions/Hammer

D HOUGHTON/UNIVERSAL/PHILA B Dean/N Griffith/Nirvana/TC Quest

STEVE JACKSON/Y93/BILLINGS W Trash/Roxette/B II Men/Firehouse

E JERDE/TOWER/SHERMAN OAKS Nirvana/G Of Wrath/Freewheelers/RHCP

J JOHNSON/BUZZ'S NEST/COLUM U2/Hammer/B Raitt/Scorpions

P JOHNSON/PRO ONE-STOP/TEMPE H Connick Jr/Nirvana/Pixies

LIZ JORDAN/WQGN/NEW LONDON L Stansfield/S Johnny/C Steele/PM Dawn

JOHN KELLY/KYYY/BISMARCK Hammer/L Ford/K Loggins/U2

**S TOM KELLY**/WBPR/MYRTLE BEACH Cher/L Ford/Genesis/L Kravitz

RUSTY KEYS/99KG/SALINA. KS Roxette/L Ford/R Stewart

KANDY KLUTCH/KHTK/ST LOUIS M Mark/CM Badd/B II Men/T Terry

ROSS KNIGHT/KTFM/SAN ANTONIO Jodeci/T Campbell/D Underground

K KNIGHT/KTXY/JEFFERSON CITY L Ford

KEVIN KOLLINS/KG95/SIOUX CITY L Ford/M Cohn/Storm

KURT KRUZER/KBOZ/BOZEMAN Roxette/B Carlisle

P.J LACEY/WDBR/SPRINGFIELD CM Badd/REM/Firehouse

JIM LASPESA/TOWER SUNSET/LA Ratcat/P Enemy/J Mellencamp/B Wilson

**DAVE MACK/WRHT/GREENVILLE** B Raitt

STEVE MANN/WQUT/JOHNSON CITY .38 Special/Roxette/T Turner/Scorpions

BILL MCCOWN/WMMZ/GAINESVILLE Hammer/J Lennon/Roxette

J MCFADDEN/WKEE/HUNTINGTON CM Badd/PM Dawn

LISA MCKAY/WRVQ/RICHMOND Scorpions/B Raitt/R Hitchcock

WES MCSHAY/WFHN/NEW BEDFORD Scorpions/L Stansfield

W MERRITT/SEA PORT/PORTLAND 3rd Bass/SEAL/L Melendez/B Angie B

G MICHAELS/KISN/SALT LAKE CITY Roxette/B Raitt/S Robinson/L Ford

K MILLER/NORTH LIGHTS/ST PAUL DC Dance/P Scream/RHCP/B Bragg

MICHAEL MORGAN/WFLY/ALBANY Hammer/B Raitt/Cuevas

ROB MORRIS/WWHT/COLUMBUS S Ranks

MARK MURPHY/KGOT/ANCHORAGE P Abdul/M Bolton/CT Dummies TONY NOVIA/STAR94/ATLANTA K Loggins/Roxette/S Red

**BILL O'BRIEN**/WWKX/PROVIDENCE S Earle/Hammer/Voyceboxing

V OLVEIRA/SEA-PORT/PORTLAND U2/B Raitt/Erasure/S Ranks

R PASOWICZ/ROSE/DES PLAINES Storm/RL Jones/J Mellencamp

K PETERSON/XL93/GRAND FORKS S Ranks/PM Dawn

M PFAFFL/MAINSTREAM/MILWAUK U2/Hammer/S Ranks/B Raitt

RON PHILLIPS/SPECS/MIAMI 2 Rooms/J Taylor/S Red

MIKE PICHIK/RTI ONE-STOP/OMAHA J Mellencamp/Soundgarden/Millions/Texas

J PRIMERANO/TRANSCONT/BUFF PAbdul/R Hitchcock/T Twins/T Turner

S ROBBINS/WBNQ/BLOOMINGTON O Nation/B Raitt/.38 Special/R Hitchcock

M ROBERTSON/PEPPERLAND/ID P Abdul/T Turner/Cher/SEAL

J ROSE/WEST MERCH/AMARILLO B Raitt/U2/Hammer/S Ranks

T ROSS/CENTRAL SO/NASHVILLE Hammer/B Raitt/U2/Scorpions

J RUMSEY/REC TOWN/BEACHWOOD PM Dawn/R Robertson/LL Cool J

ANNIE SAGE/KCAQ/OXNARD Q Latifah/M Mark/Angelica

SOUPY SALES/KFRX/LINCOLN K Loggins/NB Nature

BOB SAY/MOBY DISC/LOS ANGELES U2/L Cole/Nirvana/Curve

T SBRIGLIA/TRANSCONT/BUFFALO T Turner/Cher/Stress/W Trash

**S SCHANTZ**/WSPK/POUGHKEEPSIE Roxette/T Campbell

M SCHNEIDER/APPLE TREE/ILLINOIS E Clapton/R Robertson/L Feat



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## ALBUM SALES APPROACHING 700,000!

"`Standy By My Woman' pulls immediate **adult** female phones. Lenny is great image. If you're not on it, get with it. It works!"

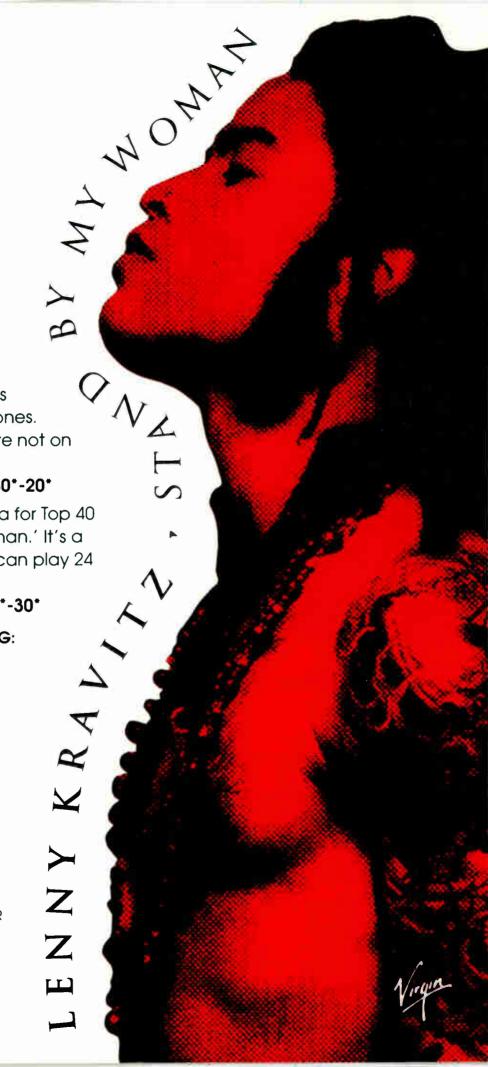
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— Paul Walker, PD/OK95 35\*-30\*

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KIXY	add	OK95	35-30
<b>WBPR</b>	add	WCIL	34-30
WRHT	add	WSTO	39-31
<b>WVBS</b>	add	KISR	35-31
		KMGZ	38-33
K92	deb 26	WWFX	38-35
KTUX	deb 28		
WZOU	deb 32	BREAKIN	IG AT:
KNIN	deb 33	HOT94.7	KNOE
KJ103	deb 34	WTIC	KQIZ
		WNVZ	KSMB
HOT95	25-19	KHTK	KTRS
Z102	22-19	KSND	KZII
KPXR	30-20	WAPE	Q101
<b>KQIX</b>	25-21	<b>WBBQ</b>	103CIR
WIXX	27-22	KZZB	WFHN
KKHT	25-22	<b>WBBO</b>	WFHT
999KHI	32-25	Z104	WHTO
WIFC	34-27	KGOT	WILN
<b>WTBX</b>	34-28	KIKX	MJLØ
WCGQ	32-28	KYRK	WRQK
WAGN	32-29	KFQX	Y97



# **EARPICKS**

ROGER SCOTT/KRO/TUCSON T Campbell/S Ranks/L Stansfield

J SHAHINIAN/RECORD EXCH/CLEVE B White/P LaBelle/U2/D Underground

JAY SHANNON/KFQX/ABILENE Scorpions/Roxette/Storm/G Brooks

K SHEDD/D IN THE VALLEY/MPLS J Mellencamp/S Johnny/E Clapton

J SHELLEY/SOUND SHOP/MEMPHIS N Selection/G Boys/Hi-Five/Martika

TOM SHERMAN/WNYP/ITHACA S Ranks/C Skins/Roxette/Scorpions

SANDY SKETTER/CEMA/BURBANK L Ford/J Lennon/U2/Erasure

TIM SMITH/KMYZ/TULSA L Ford

JIM STACEY/WAZY/LAFAYETTE PM Dawn/R Stewart/L Ford/.38 Special

SCOTT STALKER/KMGZ/LAWTON Hammer/B Raitt/L Ford/.38 Special

K STAMM/SOUNDS & VID/MILWAUK Erasure/Hammer/Roxette/U2

MICHAEL STEELE/KGGG/RAPID CITY L Ford/T Page/Hammer/M Cohn

JAY STEVENS/KFTZ/IDAHO FALLS .38 Special/L Ford/Roxette

BRUCE STEVENS/WBBQ/AUGUSTA Roxette/L Ford/S Ranks

MICHELLE STEVENS/WPST/TRENTON PM Dawn/B II Men/S Johnny

TIM STOBIE/TOWER/FRESNO PM Dawn/L Kravitz/B Adams

RANDY STREET/KCHX/MIDLAND CM Badd/REM/Roxette

M STROHLEIN/TOWER/SAN DEIGO PM Dawn/DJ Jazzy/AB Creation/S N'Pepa

ERIC STRYKER/WPXR/QUAD CITY CM Badd/Hammer/Firehouse

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DEBBIE VINCENT/WRQK/CANTON U2/Firehouse/.38 Special/J Jones

T WAITEKUS/WCIL/CARBONDALE C Skins/Roxette/R Marx

KEN WALL/KTUX/SHREVEPORT O Nation/B Raitt/L Ford

L WEBB/MUSIC CITY/NASHVILLE U2/L Ford/Hammer/B Raitt

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PHIL WEST/KEWB/REDDING

J WHEELER/WHEREHOUSE/FRESNO KMC Kru/PM Dawn/Angelica/B Train

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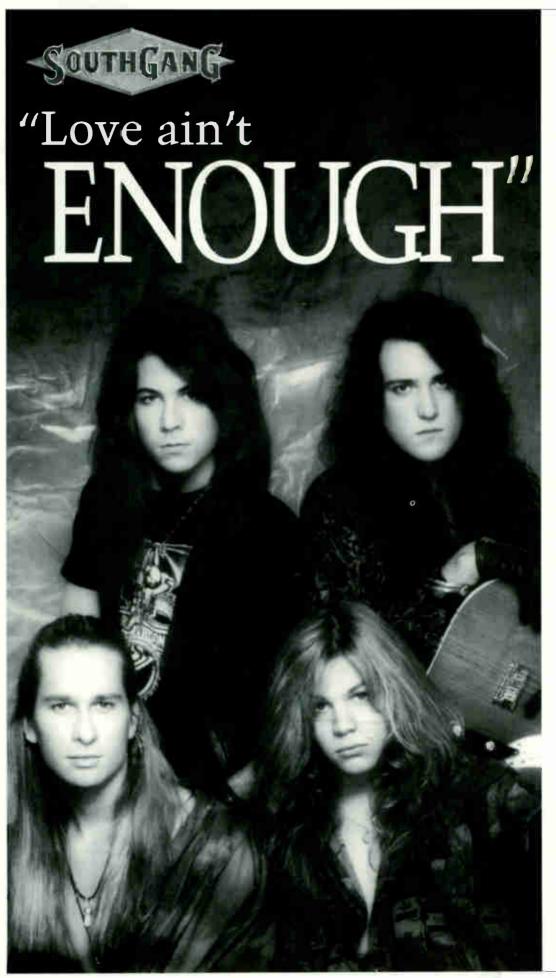
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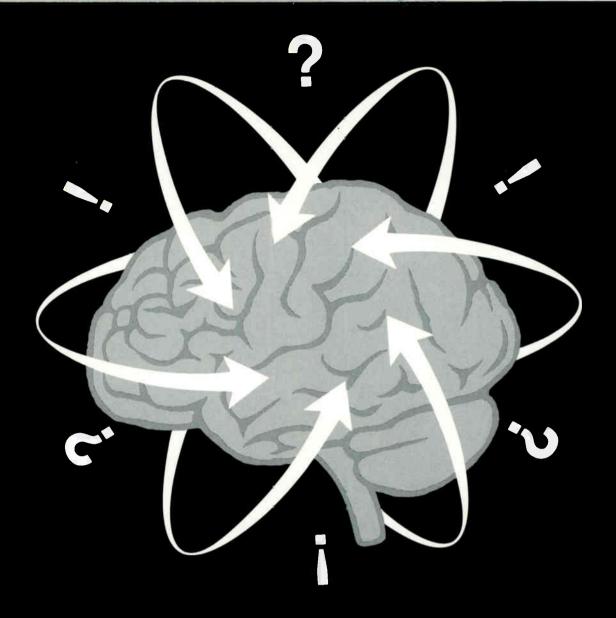
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# POSTIVIODEN

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LW	TW	ARTIST-LABEL	COMMENTS
2	1	NIRVANA - DGC Smells Like Teen	MTV BUZZ BIN!
1	2	RED HOT CHILI PEPPER - WB Give It Away	MTV BUZZ BIN!
3	3	THE CULT - Sire/Reprise Wild Hearted Son	Ready for Top40
4	4	BILLY BRAGG - Go!/Elektra Sexuality	England swings!
5	5	B.A.D. II - Columbia Rush/Globe	MTV BUZZ BIN!
	6	PIXIES - 4AD/Elektra Letter To Memphis	Got a Box Top?
7	7	LLOYD COLE - Capitol She's A Girl	He's A Babe!
6	8	ROBYN HITCHCOCK - A&M So You Think	"Oceanside" next!
10	9	PUBLIC ENEMY - Def Jam/Col Can't Truss It	Should be Judges
9	10	BLUR - Food/SBK There's No Other Way	Is Totally Mega
111	11	FUGAZI - Dischord Various	A MAJOR Threat!
	12	SOUNDGARDEN - A&M Jesuschristpose	Larger Than Loud
13	13	SMITHEREENS - Capitol Top Of The Pops	Sales to the top
	14	PRIMAL SCREAM - Sire Movin' On Up	Multi-genre hits!
12	15	NED'S ATOMIC Columbia Grey Cell Green	Keeps hoovering!
14	16	SIOUXSIE & BANSHEES - Geffen Shadowtime	When's Seattle?
18	17	VOICE OF BEEHIVE - London/PLG Monsters/I Think	Sales increase!
17	18	SMASHING PUMPKINS - Caroline Rhinoceros	RHCP's Tour!
15	19	OCEAN BLUE - Sire/Reprise Cerulean	Tour w/P.Furs!!
16	20	TIN MACHINE - Victory/PLG Various	Welcome Ostrow!
8	21	MUDHONEY - Sub Pop Various	Honey lingers
	22	ROBBIE ROBERTSON - Geffen Various	HOTS Winner!
25	23	AMERICAN MUSIC CLUB - Alias Rise	WXRT ADD!
-	24	SHAMEN - Epic Move Any Mountain	ENORMOUS!
	25	HOUSE OF FREAKS - Giant	House > Senate

## B. Adored

HAVE A COKE AND A SMILE (NOT!): It's too bad that Clarence Thomas has a life-time job; he could be the next high profile spokesman for Pepsi: "Who has put pubic hair in my Coke?" What a travesty. Want to really be harassed? Stay in the music industry.....Speaking of travesties, what about the "Stepford Wives" staff of Clarence Thomas! So Anita Hill wasn't a "team player!" Who really is? You? Moi? Dig up those Bertrand Russell

essays on altruism, or bet-

ter yet, read "Generation X: Tales For An Ac-Culture"

Douglas Coupland, which defines such 90's phrases as successophobia: The fear that if one is successful, then one's personal needs will be forgotten and one will no longer have one's childish needs attended to. (I work here, success is the least of my worries)....I'm overwhelmed and overjoyed that so many, many way-awesome

celerated

What Does "Executive Production" Mean?:



No conflict of interest here!

records are on the chart. To wit: House of Freaks, Pixies, Soundgarden, Primal Scream, Robbie Robertson and the Shamen are new (and very welcome) entries this week.....U2 was "most added" this week. Surprise, surprise. Just in time for Glenn Booth to get his pink slip at Island. Call him at (212)-777-7520 and hire this man. He rules....Howie's safe; he'll be reporting to Steve Leeds, who tells great bedtime stories about Brian Boyd. Hey Brian, do you want my job? It's yours, babe. Just don't get weird on me, as our pal Lloyd would say....Speaking of Lloyd, his close personal friend (and mine) Matthew Sweet had a swell first week with "Divine Intervention." He'll be in L.A. next week, and I'll be happy.....Speaking of happy, I'll be in an animated state of bliss if you add the Chris Stamey record next week. Even Jeff Clark at WRAS, who hates everything, added it early. Whatta guy! Hey kid, wanna be a Justice?....People infinitely more qualified to be a Supreme Court Judge than Clarence Thomas: Kurt Cobain from Nirvana (currently at #1! YAY!), Isquith (Happy 30th!), Chuck D., Kim White, the combined team of the Voice of the Beehive (we think we love them, in a non-harassing way), Mark Eitzel, and Jill Glass from A&M. Of course, that is all but moot, but one can dream, or will that be as illegal as a woman's right to choose? (Let's see Ivana get political while Lenny's away!)....Will I be at CMJ? The answer lies in the balance.....If any of you quality stations get thrown off the R&R New Rock panel, I'll up your weight on this chart!

Rocking Chair

# POSTIVIOUENN



- 1. NIRVANA (DGC)
- PIXIES (4AD/Elektra)
- 3. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS (WB)
- 4. U2 (Island/PLG)
- 4. ROBBIE ROBERTSON (Geffen)
- 6. LLOYD COLE (Capitol)

- 1. U2 (Single) (Island/PLG)
- 2. MATTHEW SWEET (LP) (Zoo)
- 3. SCHOOL OF FISH (EP) (Capitol)
- 3. CURVE (EP) (Charisma)
- 3. SMASHING PUMPKINS (mini-LP) (A&M)
- 6. CARTER USM (Single) (Chrysalis)

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

#### WHFS / BOB WAUGH / AN-**NAPOLIS**

#### B.A.D. II

#### Blur

Billy Bragg

Lloyd Cole

#### PLASTIC FANTASTIC / DAVID CASTLEMAN / ARDMORE, PA.

#### Red Hot Chili Peppers

#### Pixies

Billy Bragg

Lloyd Cole

Nirvana

#### WUOG / TERI DONNELLY /

#### ATHENS

Public Enemy

Soundgarden

MC 900 Ft Jesus Cypress Hill

Tribe Called Quest

#### SUPER CLUB MUSIC / THOM

#### DRAM / ATLANTA

Cult

Lloyd Cole Nirvana

Blur

**Pixies** 

#### RECORD & TAPE TRADER /

#### ROSS HEWSON / BALTIMORE

Red Hot Chili Peppers

**Pixies** Nirvana

American Music Club

Soundgarden

#### CD ONE STOP / DAVE CARROLL

#### / BETHEL

Erasure

Dramarama

Urban Dance Squad

Digital Underground

Voivod

#### NEWBURY COMIX / NATALIE WERLIN / BOSTON

Dead Can Dance

Swervedriver

Primal Scream

Lloyd Cole

Soundgarden

#### WBCN / OEDIPUS / STEVEN

#### STRICK/ BOSTON

Tribe

U2

Golden Palominos

Wendy's

**Pixies** 

#### WFNX / KURT ST.THOMAS /

#### **BOSTON**

Billy Bragg

Red Hot Chili Peppers

Nirvana

Smashing Pumpkins

Tribe

#### KBCO / DOUG CLIFTON /

#### BOULDER

Dire Straits

Robbie Robertson

**Bob Seger** 

Crowded House

Little Feat

#### WBNY / MIKE PARRISH / BUF-

#### FALO

Nirvana

Goo Goo Dolls

Ocean Blue

Billy Bragg

Golden Palominos

#### WSBF / SCOTT PONDER / CLEM-

#### SON,S.C.

MC 900 Ft Jesus

Roosevelt

Swervedriver King Kon

Robbie Robertson

#### RECORD REVOLUTION / BOB

#### FULLER / CLEVELAND

Dead Can Dance

Nirvana

Red Hot Chili Peppers

Primal Scream

#### CD101 / KELLI GATES /

#### **COLUMBUS**

Red Hot Chili Peppers

**Pixies** 

Blur

Wolfgang Press

#### MAGNOLIA THUNDERPUSSY / BRIAN LOVELY / COLUMBUS

Dead Can Dance

Robbie Robertson

Godflesh Orb

#### WXCI / KATIE LYNN / DANBURY

Red Hot Chili Peppers

Pixies

Fugazi

MC 900 Ft Jesus

#### WUXTRY / MARK METHE /

#### DECATUR,GA

**Pixies** 

Soundgarden

Jonathan Richman

John Prine Robbie Robertson

#### KBLE / RON SORENSON / DES

#### MOINES

Dire Straits

Robbie Robertson Everything But The.

Eric Clapton

Lloyd Cole

#### CIMX / GREG ST. JAMES /

DETROIT

Nirvana Cult

Red Hot Chili Peppers

Public Enemy

Nitzer Ebb

#### WDET / ANNE DELISI / DETROIT

House Of Freaks

Alison Moyet

American Music Club Red Hot Chili Peppers

#### MIDDLE EARTH / TIM CARTER /

#### DOWNEY, CA

Blue Aeroplanes

Blur Soundgarden

Chapterhouse

Primus

#### KTCL / JOHN HAYES / FT. COL-

#### LINS

Robyn Hitchcock

B.A.D. II

Lloyd Cole

#### Red Hot Chili Peppers

#### SOUND FUTURE / DAVID KEN-

NER / FT. WORTH Kirsty MacColl

Everything But The ..

Apollo Smile ABC

#### Northside

#### WRSI / JIM OLSEN /

**GREENFIELD** 

Billy Bragg Robbie Robertson

Smithereens

**Dire Straits** Prince

#### HYDE PARK CORNER / AARON

#### ABLER / IRVINE

**Public Enemy** 

Swervedriver

Nirvana Pixies

#### PM Dawn

#### VINYL VENDORS / VALERIE EL-LIOT / KALAMAZOO, MI

Nirvana

Robbie Robertson

Lloyd Cole Tribe Called Quest

#### Swervedriver **BENWAY BOP/RON & KELLY**

JACKSON / LAS VEGAS

Nirvana Urban Dance Squad

Violent Femmes

MC 900 Ft Jesus Morrissey

#### KJHK / DONOVAN FINN /

LAWRENCE, KS Public Enemy

Fugazi

Bullet Lavolta God's Little Monkeys

Bevis Frond



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**CANDYLAND** 

"Fountain O' Youth"



# JSI JUJUERI



#### **BRUCE McDONALD** LINK RECORDS, NYC

It's been too long, but the man with the distinguished laugh has resurfaced as label manager at the esteemed Link Records. Bruce should fit in fabulously with the label whose motto is: "We can piss farther than you can broadcast." After all, Bruce did begin his illustrious career at WMLN, in all of its 10 watt glory, before becoming MD at WFNX. Welcome back, Bruce, and send us that Godfathers broadcast, ok?

#### KCRW / CHRIS /JASON / LOS

ANGELES

Prince

MC 900 Ft Jesus

Pixies

Robbie Robertson

Rhythm Safari Artist

#### KROQ / LEWIS LARGENT / LOS ANGELES

112

Morrissey

B.A.D. II

Shamen

Cult

#### OPEN BOOKS & RECORDS /

LESLIE WIMMER / MIAMI, FL

Die Warzau

Notes From The South

Swervedriver

Massive Attack Dave Alvin

#### SOUNDS & VIDEO INC. / KATHY

STAMM / MILWAUKEE

**Pixies** 

MC 900 Ft Jesus

Red Hot Chili Peppers

Robbie Robertson

Nirvana

#### KJJO / LORI KELLY / MIN-

**NEAPOLIS** 

Nirvana

B.A.D. II

Red Hot Chili Peppers

Cult

Blur

#### WNHU / JOHN PERRONNE / NEW

HAVEN, CT

Murphy's Law Nirvana

Primal Scream

Red Hot Chili Peppers

Pearl Jam

#### WDRE / TOM CALDERONE / NEW YORK CITY

112

Blur

Red Hot Chili Peppers

Morrissey

Ned's Atomic Dustbin

#### ATLANTA CD (NORCROSS) /

HUGO KIRK / NORCROSS

Public Enemy

Pixies

Nirvana Insane Jane

Billy Bragg

#### MUSIC DROME / JIM VINING /

NORCROSS

Nirvana Pixies

Fugazi

Follow For Now

Smithereens

#### KRCK / TONY SOMETHING /

OMAHA, NE

Nirvana

Red Hot Chili Peppers

Public Enemy

**Pixies** 

Tin Machine

#### MURMUR / DON GILLIAND /

**ORLANDO** 

Public Enemy

PM Dawn

Prince

Die Warzau

**Pixies** 

WOXY / PHIL MANNING / OX-FORD, OH

Fugazi

Nirvana

Mudhoney

Wolfgang Press

**Smashing Pumpkins** 

#### PENNYLANE / TOM MOORE /

PASADENA, CA

Nirvana

Red Hot Chili Peppers

**Pixies** 

Primal Scream

Soundgarden

#### KUKO / JONATHAN L. / PHOENIX

Red Hot Chili Peppers

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Orb

Dramarama

#### X15 / ALEX LINDSAY / PIT-

**TSBURGH** 

Northside

Five Thirty

This Picture

Dramarama

#### GO BOY / ALLEN OSTROFF /

REDONDO BEACH, CA

Toad The Wet ...

Northside

Swervedriver

Pixies Primal Scream

#### SALEM RECORD EXCHANGE / JACK JACKIMOWICZ / SALEM,

MA

Ocean Blue

**Pixies** 

Die Warzau

Primal Scream

#### KJQ / MIKE SUMMERS / SALT LAKE CITY

U2

Nirvana

Red Hot Chili Peppers

Candy Skins

#### 91X / MIKE HALLORAN / SAN

DIEGO

Psychedelic Furs

Guns N' Roses

Golden Palominos Tom Petty

#### KITS / STEVE MASTERS / SAN

**FRANCISCO** 

B.A.D. II Voice Of The Beehive

Robyn Hitchcock

Shamen U2

#### K-OTTER / DREW ROSS / SAN

**LUIS OBISPO** Peter Himmelman

> Stephen Stills Widespread Panic

Robbie Robertson Dire Straits

#### KCPR / SCOTT CARTER / SAN LUIS OBISPO

Rabbit Choir Fatima Mansions

Pearl Jam

Miranda Warning

Nitzer Ebb

KNDD / MARCO COLLINS /

**SEATTLE** Nirvana

Robyn Hitchcock

Lloyd Cole Billy Bragg

#### Morrissey

WEST END WAX / DEBBIE MIK-LES / ST. LOUIS

Erasure

Soundgarden

Pixies

Trip Shakespere Lloyd Cole

#### THE ALTERNATIVE RECORD

STORE / PETE BARLAS / TAMPA

Pixies

Action Swingers

Helment

Nirvana

#### Soundgarden

CFNY / EARL JIVE / TORONTO Barenaked Ladies

Ned's Atomic Dustbin

Red Hot Chili Peppers

Robyn Hitchcock Metallica

#### PENNYLANE / JORDAN ZEVON / WESTWOOD

Nirvana

Pixies

**Smashing Pumpkins** 

Tribe Called Quest

#### Red Hot Chili Peppers WDST / JEANNE ATWOOD /

WOODSTOCK

U2 Robbie Robertson

Van Morrison

Simply Red

Nathalie Archangel

# POSTIVIODERIV

# POMO PICKS Edited by Karen Glauber



Matthew Sweet, "Girlfriend" (Zoo): Since we received our CDs in the mail, we've talked of little else; we of enormous faith, who've anxiously awaited the release of this masterpiece. Time to junk our fourth generation tapes, get on our soapboxes and preach the genius that is within this album. From the

swirling, neo-psychedelic, guitar driven first single, "Divine Intervention," to the Gram Parsons-esque timeless beauty of "You Don't Love Me" and "Your Sweet Voice," Matthew and his crack band, including Lloyd Cole, Richard Lloyd,

(Matthew Sweet, continued...): Robert Quine and Fred Maher, has made an album which embodies all that is *right* with pop music. We who know (and adore) Matthew, know that, like most great artists, the recent emotional mayhem of his life has dominated him, which is why "Girlfriend" has a tougher



musical and lyrical bite than his two prior solo albums. We who were privy to continual setbacks and insecurities applaud Matthew's blinding accomplishment. His pain is our catharsis, but wait, soon we'll all be smiling at his success (finally).



The Fatima Mansions, "Viva Dead Ponies" (Radioactive/MCA): From the ashes of Microdisney, an obscure, yet much-beloved Irish outfit, comes the Fatima Mansions, showcasing the melange of talents of singer/composer Cathal Coughlan. He confronts the truth head-on with songs such as "Blues For

Ceausescu," delivered in his intimidating (and seductive) Nick Cave-ish tone. Stylistically, the Mansions have attempted everything on this LP, but with uncompromising finesse. It's an "Angel's Delight!" Above all, don't miss them on tour!

Urban Dance Squad, "Life 'N Perspectives Of A Genuine Crossover" (Arista): We know that it isn't the water in Amsterdam that keeps the beats comin' from "Mental Floss.." to their latest. When I first heard the big beat banjo bangin' "Bureaucrat Of Flaccostreet," I bugged so hard that I started



speakin' in Dutch. Yeah, it's that good. Don't even need my usual dose of Bart Simpson blotter to dig these fast and furious grooves. The guitars are hittin' harder than the first time around, and the storytellin' rhymes are as witty as ever. I may be goin' out on a limb (NOT!), but it's a fucking smash!(MF)

## POMO MUGS



AN IDEAL CONDITION OF REST, HARMONY, STABILITY OR JOY: We can't say enough about Nirvana! Tota godhead is a disserace! Here the terrific trio grin and bear it with WFNX PD "Mad Max" and MD Kurt St. Thomas, two men who will bear witness to a secret and sacred redding of minds, hearts and bodies in Beantown this weekena. A union of two Powe legends that everyone in this community will throw their hands up in joy about We can't tell you who they are, but it's not Wade Boggs and Margo Adams.



THEY'RE CREEPY AND THEY'RE KOOKY, MYSTERIOUS AND SPOOKY: When KUKQ PD Jonathan L. shows a party, people for miles around come running! Among the assembled buninaries this time around were the lovely and talented Crowded House, rusmanazer Gary Stamler, Capitol's PoMo geek Brian McDonald and the legendary Sean Renet, pictured trying to cop a cheap feel off of our cwn PoMic princess Ivana, who wonders whether the promise of voluminous advertising is worth being handled by a man whose idea of nirvana it a six-pack, a couple of stroke flics, a wetsuit, and an economy size jar of Vaseline.



NONE OF THESE MEN HAVE EVER BEEN CALLED LONG DONG: When the Milltown Brothers had dreams of standard in their youth, they most certainly didn't invowe A&M's Jeff Suey or KROQ stud and human surfboard Louis Largent Ivana taught Jeff everything he knows about this business, which explains why he's such an inclustry tian, adored by millions and instantly respected by everyone he comes in contact wen. NOT.

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## TIME FOR A CUP OF JOE AND A DOUGHNUT WITH PEARL JAM BY SHARON LIVETEN

Remember the days when Seattle was best known as the setting for the TV show, "Here Comes The Brides?" Well, the brides and star Bobby Sherman would be a-cringing if they knew what the town is known for now. Sludge rock. Grunge metal. Thrash pop. The latest — and dare we say best — entry from the region is Pearl Jam. This is a band with an impeccable pedigree — guitarist Stone Gossard and bassist Jeff This is a band with an impeccable pedigree — guitarist Stone Gossard and bassist Jeff Ament were founding members of the legendary Green River, and more recently, the dearly departed Mother Love Bone.

That mythic band lost lead singer Andrew Wood to an OD just as its fabulous debut, "Apple," was being released, throwing remaining members Gossard and Ament into a "Apple," was being released, throwing remaining members Gossard and Ament into a "Apple," was being released, throwing remaining members Gossard and Ament into a certain to the complete to the complete

Are you totally sick of being "the guys from Mother Love Bone?" Jeff Ament: It's alright to an extent, but after the first tour and interviews, we want to be known as Pearl Jam. When we were in Mother Love Bone, we were known as the guys from Green River. And nobody ever saw Green River. About halfway through our one and only Mother Love Bone tour, our drummer had had it with the Green River questions and just lost it. Stone Gossard: He wasn't a man to argue with, so people sort of stepped back and it was like, "Well OK, next question." I guess you can always fall back on that as an option.

Stone: We already know that we're a lot better band than Mother Love Bone ever was. So when promoters put "formerly of Mother Love Bone" on the posters, we aren't really worried. But we are trying to separate the two things. Musically, this is pretty different. Stone: You switch your sound a little bit whenever you play with

little bit whenever you play with someone different. With Mike and Eddie, well, things naturally went through their own transformation. There are elements in all of our bands that are similar — the riffs and stuff, but the dynamics are always changing

always changing.

Jeff: Also, while in all three

Jeff: Also, while in all three bands, the music that I listen to changed. Now, I mostly listen to ambient stuff... Volcano, Michael Diamond — things with a lot of oboes and woodwinds and unique angles on classical stuff. Most contemporary classical music is just ripping off Mozart and Bach. I hate that.

I hate that.

Why was the

Why was the band originally called Mookie Blaylock?

Jeff: I don't know how we arrived at that. We landed this Alice in Chains tour, right after we put the band together, and we needed a name. We were too busy trying to get our shit together as a band to worry about what we were going to be called. So we did the tour as Mookie Blaylock and figured out the name aspect later. The important issue to us was whether the band was good live. All the great bands have really dumb names anyway -- look at Aerosmith. Eddie is the only guy in the band not from Seattle. Where

did he come from?

Jeff: We found him through Jack
Irons, who is in a terrific band
called 11. We were originally talking about him being our drummer,
but he was really committed to 11.

Anyhow, he told us about Eddie,
who was living down in San

# PEARL'S WISDOM

Diego. We sent Eddie a demo with about three or four songs, and he just recorded over the demos on a little four-track, then kind of synched the two together. It was amazing. He started coming up to Seattle and it just worked out. He sounds like a lot of people, but not anybody that is

us, but it works. It's so brilliant you just wouldn't understand. Now for the personal part of the interview. What are your favorite white lies?

Jeff: I love you. The check's in the mail. I really love you. Before you released the record, you sent out a three-song EP

## "All the great bands have really dumb names anyway — look at Aerosmith."

really typical of rock.

Mike, what beach did you wash ashore on?

Mike McCready: I've known Stone for about six years, when I played in a local band around that time. We lost track of each other for awhile and went our separate ways

Stone: After Mother Love Bone broke up, we talked about getting together and playing, so we did, and it was great. We have really complementary styles, as far as that goes. They are totally different. Mike: That's the only way having two guitar players works — when one guy has a completely different sound, it can be like two different instruments. There's a lot of two-guitar bands where the guitar players are doing exactly the same thing, just echoing each other.

Stone: It's totally opposite with

with a cover of John Lennon's "I've Got A Feeling."

Stone: "I've Got A Feeling" was like the fifth song we ever played together. I've thought about the implications of it being a John Lennon song more since we've started doing interviews than ever before, because everyone keeps asking about it.

Jeff: That was a song which just came up whenever we were jamming. It's a song I'd wanted to play for a long time. I even talked about covering it for Mother Love Bone. "Let It Be" was the very first Beatles' record I bought when it came out. And whether or not the Beatles were having a good time when they made it, it seemed like such a fun record. And it's really fun to play. We just jammed and recorded it and it worked.



# WHILE WE'RE LAMBASTING THE "SENATE OF FREAKS"

OTHERS ARE RAVING ABOUT THE

# HÔUSE of FREªKS

## ROCKING CHAIR

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-- TOM CALDERONE, PD WDRE, LONG ISLAND

"WHOEVER'S UNDER THE IMPRESSION THAT QUALITY MUSIC CAN'T WORK ON RADIO, OBVIOUSLY HASN'T TRIED PLAYING THE HOUSE OF FREAKS."

--LORI KELLY, MG, (MUSICAL GURU), KJJO, MINNEAPOLIS



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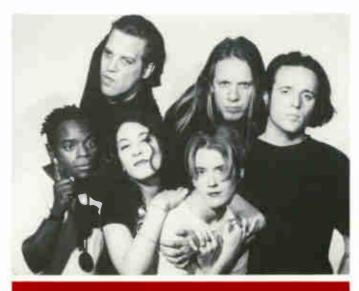
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## TIME FOR A CUP OF JOE AND A DOUGHNUT WITH MARY'S DANISH BY SEAN O'NEILL

Picture, if you will... an L.A.based band that is resolutely nontrendy, that cherishes the traditions of funk, rock, PoMo and punk music without succumbing to the purist dogma that all too often surrounds those genres. A band formed in the age of video that puts integrity before image. An act that relentlessly pursues a wide variety of styles while living in a city where pigeonholing is an art form. Dr better vet, don't imagine - simply give a listen to "Circa," the new Morgan Creek album by Mary's Danish, which includes lead singers/instrumentalists Julie Ritter and Gretchen Seager, quitarists Louis Gutierrez and David King, bassist Chris Wagner and drummer extraordinaire James Bradley, Jr.



# GREAT DANES

After establishing their presence with the promising debut, "There Goes the Wondertruck," and its alternative hit, "Don't Crash The Car Tonight," Mary's Danish found their intitial impetus halted by the tedious legal process of changing labels. But while a two-year hiatus would have splintered lesser bands, Mary's Danish proved Nietzsche's famed maxim — whatever didn't kill them only made them stronger. Blond vocalist Seager, the mother of much Mary's Danish material, had been witness to many freaky scenes in her days as a Smogville native, but even she was taken aback by the sight of HITS' hubris-crazed guttersnipe angel, the Westside love man known simply as Sean "No Means No" D'Neill.



## Was "Wonderstruck" really just a collection of demos?

Yes. For all intents and purposes, "Circa" is our first real record. I think it's gonna sound a lot different to some people. Many of the elements from the first record are still there, but this is the first time that we were able to start from the ground up and really create the songs.

## There are 17 cuts on the record — that's a lot.

Well, it's been two years since the first record, and we literally had 40 songs in the can. And then we had to cut it down to 17. We all got

## "Being strictly alternative is like reverse racism."

together for lunch one day and said, "OK... this is where the battle begins." Everybody had to fight for their songs. More than anything, we just want to put out a great deal of music. Morgan Creek was initially a little wary, saying, "Well, the publisher is only gonna pay you for 10 songs." But we didn't care. For the next one, we're thinking of putting out a double record, just because we have so much material already.

# The harmonies between you and Julie Ritter have frequently been compared to X.

People have compared us to X, the B-52's, even Voice of the Beehive, but I don't really see it. The only person I've ever sung with is Julie, and neither of us really knew how to sing when we first started. On the first record, our voices sound very similar to each other, but that's because we didn't know what we were doing, so

we felt safe in mimicking each other, and in working within the confines of what the other person was doing. By now, we've had the time to develop our own styles. I think Julie has more of a country twang to her voice, and I have more of a straightforward gruff rock voice.

# While most label you an "alternative" band, the record includes a wide variety of styles, some even mainstream. So many PoMo types are snotty about anything that's popular.

I agree. I used to be like that, actually. But it all has to do with your own insecurity. It's a safety net of saying, "Well, if I don't make it, that's gonna be my excuse. Anybody big must have sold out." The bottom line is, you have to be accepting of everything. Being strictly alternative is like reverse racism. It seems so counterproductive. Music is supposed to be about expanding. Listening to jazz, rap, classical, R&B or whatever, it can only enhance your own musical sensibilities.

# Someone once described Mary's Danish as having X vocals, a Jimi Hendrix guitarist, a punk-funk bass player and a black, prog-rock drummer. It's almost as if you're four or five different bands on-stage.

If there's a problem with this band, it's a good one, in that each band member came from a different musical background. And because everybody in this band writes, you're gonna have a huge cross section of songs. We're not afraid of that. To me, that's what makes Mary's

Danish interesting, deep and continually challenging for the listener. We're not gonna spoonfeed anybody what they think they're gonna hear. We're gonna do whatever we wanna do. If I'm listening to Harry James and I wanna try doing a big band song, you can be damn sure that Mary's Danish is gonna do it. That's the spirit of this band.

## Tell me about the song "AxI Rose Is Love."

To me, Axl Rose is the Andrew Dice Clay of rock music. I used to criticize and criticize Dice, but the bottom line is, he's selling out every

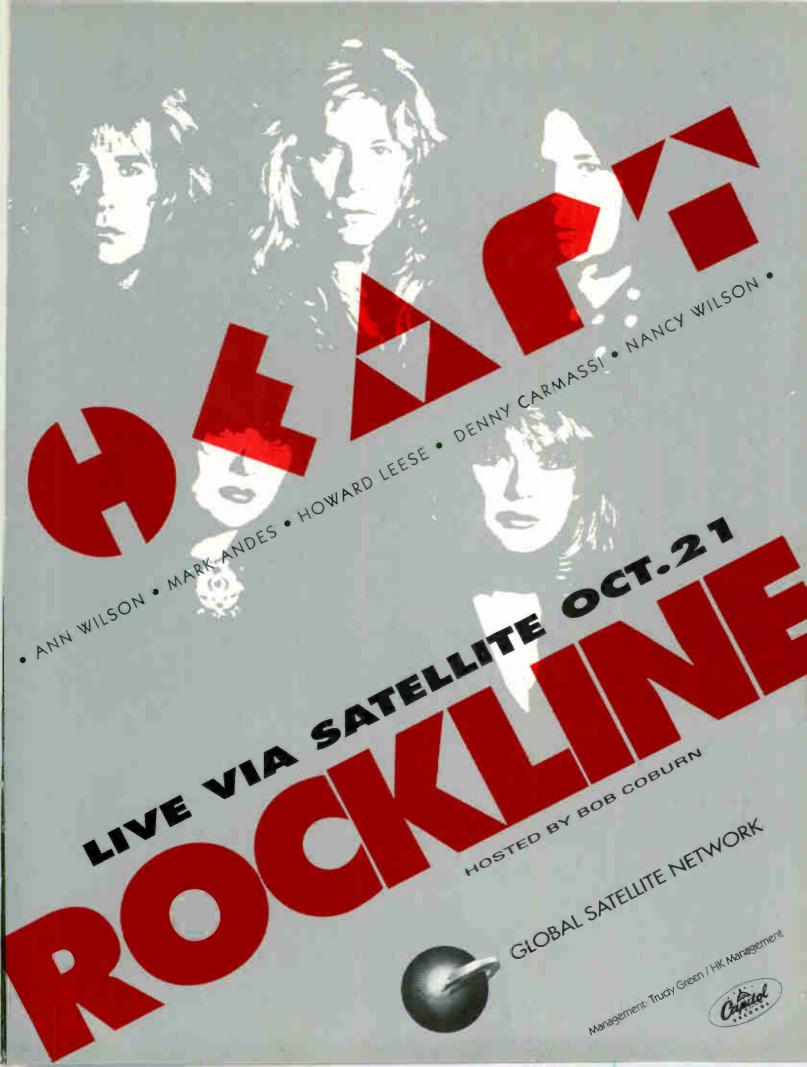
"Axl Rose is the Andrew Dice Clay of rock music."

night, so he must be doing something that people are identifying with.

# Clay definitely ventilates adolescent male sexual frustration.

Yeah, but there are a great many women who go to his shows, too. I think they're used to being treated like that. They think these gross, disgusting, beer-drinking, fat, domineering men are the norm. These girls probably grew up in dysfunctional families, and they think they deserve to be treated badly.

As far as Axl Rose goes, it just seems really ignorant of him to blame the problems of society on "niggers" or "faggots." It's just like Hitler trying to find a scapegoat for Germany and saying, "It's the Jews who are creating all of our problems." It's the same thing, and I think it's really sad.



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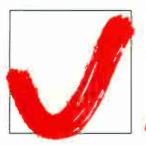
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Silver! Long Dong Away!!!

Now that we've gotten that out of our systems, let's run down the hot 'n heavy on Gerald Levert, who's makin' crazy noise with his breezy "Private new JAMMIE, Lines."

**WCKX** Columbus PD Rick Stevens is confused. "Private Lines?' Huh? It's more like public lines straight from the listeners' homes to the radio station. This record is pullin' in monster requests!"

WCKX aren't the only ones on this dope wax. Atco East West ruler Sylvia Rhone predicts, "It will be the one of the most played and biggest selling singles of the quarter," and she ain't just fantasizin'. It's scorin' monster moves on a galaxy of powerhouses, including WRKS, WBLS, WKYS, WUSL, KMJQ, KKDA, WVEE, WJLB, KMJM, WGCI, KKBT and WUFO, where PD David Michael Wilson raves, "the record's raw soul in smooth fashion has Gerald rollin'. His daddy should and would be proud!"

Sylvia has the last word. "The single is just the beginning! Wait until you hear the album - it's all that!" (Editor's note: For all who aren't down enough to understand, we must point out that "all that" means "fantastic" in street slang. Next week we'll explain the meaning of "fiznuck." Audi 5000.)

# BLACK SINGLES

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3 1 1	BOYZ II MEN It's So Hard	Motown	23 19 16	S.O.S. BAND Sometimes I Wonder	Tabu/A&M
5 3 2	MARIAH CAREY Emotions	Columbia	18 17 17	BELL BIV DEVOE  Word To The Mutha	MCA
9 5 3	JODECI Forever My Lady	Uptown/MCA	22 20 18	GETO BOYS  Mind Playing	Rap-A-Lot/Priority
6 4 4	O'JAYS  Keep On Lovin'	EMI	26 24 19	RUDE BOYS  Are You Lonely	Atlantic
10 6 5	SHABBA RANKS Housecalls	Epic	<b>–</b> 26 20	BARRY WHITE  Put Me In Your Mix	A&M
1 2 6	KARYN WHITE Romantic	WB	11 11 21	JENNIFER HOLLIDAY I'm On Your Side	Arista
15 13 7	TRACIE SPENCER Tender Kisses	Capitol	_ 22 22	GENE RICE You're A Victim	RCA
7 7 8	PRINCE  Gett Off	Paisley Park/WB	_ 23 23	GLADYS KNIGHT Superwoman	MCA
8 8 9	NAUGHTY BY NATURE O.P.P.	Tommy Boy	_ 27 24	SOUNDS OF BLACKNESS The Pressure	Perspective/A&M
19 16 10	DAMIAN DAME  Right Down To It	La Face/Arista	25	CHRIS WALKER Giving You All	Pendulum/Elektra
2 9 11	VANESSA WILLIAMS Running Back To	Wing/Mercury	26	MARC NELSON I Want You	Capitol
29 21 12	BE BE & CE CE WINANS I'll Take You There	Capitol	27	PEABO BRYSON  Closer Than Close	Columbia
17 15 13	STEVIE WONDER Fun Day	Motown	<b>-</b> 29 28	QUEEN LATIFAH Fly Girl	Tommy Boy
16 14 14	GUY  D.O.G. Me Out	Uptown/MCA	29	ZIGGY MARLEY  Good Times	Virgin
24 18 15	PATTI LABELLE Feels Like	MCA on a combination of ra	30	GERALD LEVERT Private Line	EW

ONE MO' HAMMER TIME: If I had a Hammer. I'd hammer in the morning.... oops, that's another song. (Sheer brilliance - Ed.) America's favorite rapper is back with a vengeance, professing that he's "2 Legit 2 Quit." You can be sure that the folks at Capitol are going to do everything in their power to see that Hammer's claim is realized!... Motown's first PGD-distributed single. Shanice's "I Love Your Smile," bursts out of the chute and is off-and-running, grabbing the second slot on the Most Added list .... TOO HOT!: Tevin Campbell, Roger, Brand New Heavies, Jermaine Jackson, Digital Underground, Smokey Robinson, PM Dawn and the mighty Public **Enemy** are all blowin' up huge at radio and retail. with much more action to come next week!...

TEVIN CAMPBELL Qwest/WB

ROGER Reprise

HAMMER Bust It/Capitol

SHANICE WILSON Motown



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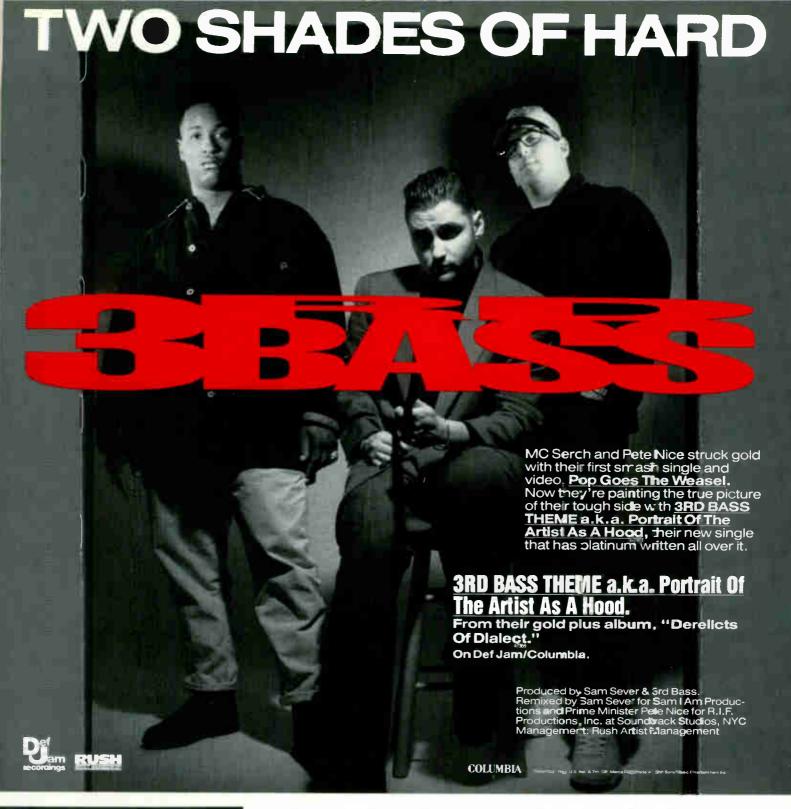
BEST BETS: The Prince LP, "Diamonds And Pearls," has passed the million mark, and is currently still rolling out the doors at the rate of 60,000 units a week.... If you haven't listened to the new Chris Walker album, "First Time," then you owe yourself a favor. This record is SLAM-MIN' from start to finish, with no letup in between. If this amazing neophyte effort foreshadows what we can expect in the future, it can only be incredible.... SA-A-A-LUTE!: Hats off to Al Luv and the members of the Y.B.P.C., who have initiated a tribute to the Godfather Of Soul, James Brown. They're requesting that all of Black Radio unite and play James' "It's Time To Love," which is on his current LP, at 11AM on Sat. 10/19. Get on it! Later.

B. NEW HEAVIES D. Vinyl

J. JACKSON LaFace/Arista

D. UNDERGROUND T. Boy

SMOKEY ROBINSON SBK





## **PUBLIC ENEMY'S**

**APOCALYPSE** '91 is the first album in the history of **JAMS** to debut at #1 on the Black Album Chart. Features the hit single "Can't Truss It".

Radio is down wit' P.E. at:

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# **ALBUMS**

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7 3 3	MARIAH CAREY  Emotions	Columbia	<b>–</b> 16 18	SHABBA RANKS As Raw As Ever	Epic
2 4 4	NAUGHTY BY NATURE  Naughty By Nature	Tommy Boy	13 18 19	HEAVY D & THE BOYZ Peaceful Journey	Uptown/MCA
3 5 5	BOYZ II MEN  Cooleyhighharmony	Motown	_ 24 20	PM DAWN Of The Heart,	Island
1 6 6	COLOR ME BADD C.M.B.	Giant/Reprise	17 19 21	BE BE & CE CE WINANS  Different Lifestyles	Capitol
7	2 LIVE CREW Sports Weekend	Luke/Atlantic	22	BARRY WHITE Put Me In Your Mix	A&M
5 8 8	GETO BOYS  We Can't Be Stopped	Rap-A-Lot/Priority	11 20 23	BOYZ N' THE HOOD Soundtrack	Qwest/WB
4 7 9	BELL BIV DEVOE/REMIX WBBD-Booty City	MCA	26 21 24	FOUR PLAY Four Play	WB
15 11 10	JODECI Forever My Lady	Uptown/MCA	25	ANOTHER BAD CREATION  Coolin' At The	Motown
6 10 11	C&C MUSIC FACTORY  Gonna Make You Swe	Columbia eat	<b>-</b> 28 26	PEABO BRYSON  Can You Stop	Columbia
24 9 12	A TRIBE CALLED QUEST The Low End	Jive	_ 23 27	DANGEROUS DAME  I Got What You	Atlantic
10 12 13	LUTHER VANDROSS  Power Of Love	Epic	<u></u> [] 28	ROBERTA FLACK Set The Night	Atlantic
8 13 14	KARYN WHITE Ritual Of Love	WB	29	NEW EDITION  Greatest Hits Vol.II	MCA
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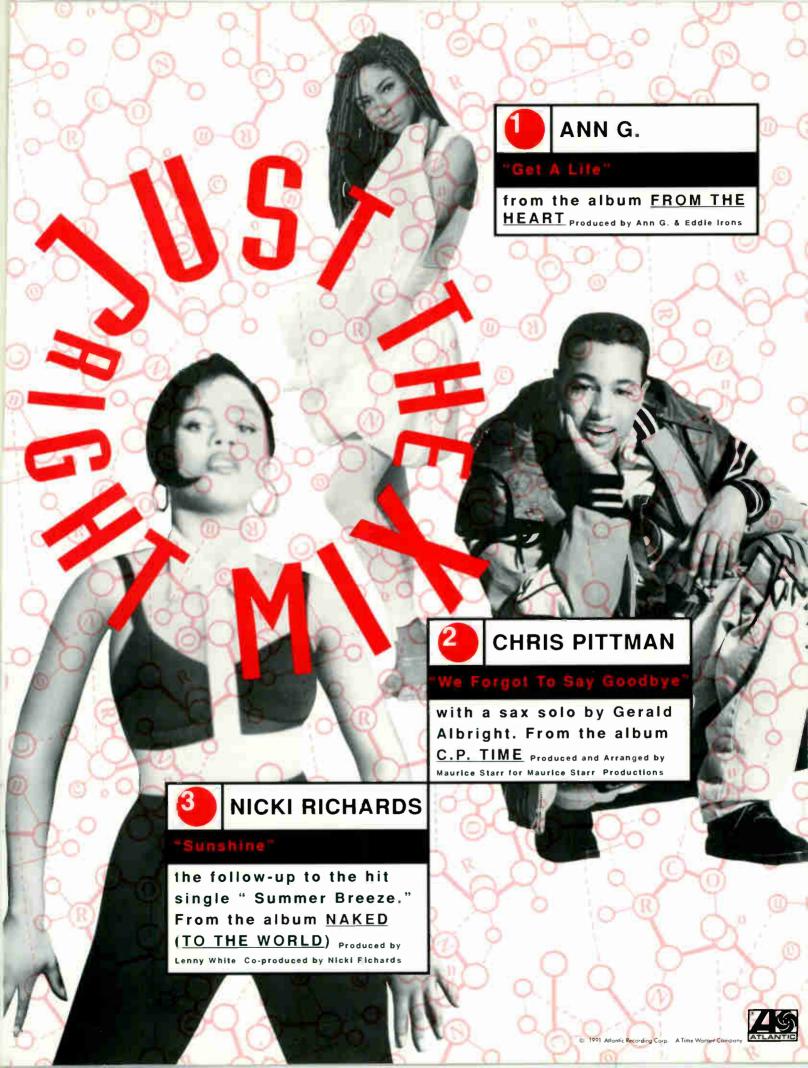
IN LIKE CLARENCE: Former Tommy Boy and Chrysalis Marketing and Promotion kingpin Ed Strickland is livin' large, considering a marketing offer from an East Coast Powerhouse, heavy overtures from a West Coast New Jack eager to add a knowledgeable

veteran to their Black Music department and a European Player looking to fill a newly-opened hole. Action to come!... Former Elektra promo ruler Primus Robinson will chill in the creative VP slot at Alpha International.... BUSTIN' A MOVE: We ran it down to you months ago, but now it's official. Howard Geiger has left Capitol to grab the Promo VP slot at Bust It!. In other Tower news, West Coast Regional Carin Thomas has exited, and will be replaced by street demon Lionel Ridenour.... Poly's Maurice Watkins has been clockin' the serious frequent flyers to hold the label's power structure together in the absence of Ron Ellison.... Former KQXL Baton Rouge PD Chris Clay will be chillin' on the



other end of the phone in Dallas as Regional Promo Director for Reprise. Congratulations to his former MD Lou Bennett, who has grabbed the programming throne and will be looking to train a new MD.... Kudos to indie promoter Pam Hall, who grabs the MD chair at D.C.

powerhouse WHUR.... Movin' to the global village of Little Rock, we find Ben Holiday exiting as PD of KMZX. Former KIPR staffer Ray Davis will grab the reins.... Congrats to WJTT Chattanooga, who scored the monster summer book!... Will WUFO Buffalo PD David Michael Wilson be packin' summer clothes for an extended vacation in Florida?... Speaking of extended vacations, WJIZ PD Don "Early" Allen has still not returned from his, and MD Derrick Johnson has assumed PD duties until he returns, if at all. Vicki Cannon will be the interim MD.... Finally, our sincerest condolences go out to the friends and family of WZAZ veteran Otis Campbell, who passed away this past week.



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# QUIET STORM

#### **ALBUMS**

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2 1 1	BOYZ II MEN	Motown
1 2 2	Cooleyhighharmony COLOR ME BADD C.M.B.	Giant/Reprise
4 4 3	PHYLLIS HYMAN	PIR/Zoo
5 5 4	Prime Of My Life O'JAYS Emotionally Yours	ЕМІ
6 6 5	BOYZ N' THE HOOD  Soundtrack	Qwest/WB
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15 11 10	KARYN WHITE  Ritual Of Love	WB
7 8 11	LUTHER VANDROSS  Power Of Love	Epic
12	JODECI Forever My Lady	Uptown/MCA
<b>-</b> 14 13	VANESSA WILLIAMS The Comfort Zone	Wing/Mercury
14	PEABO BRYSON  Can You Stop The	Columbia
8 13 15	VESTA	A&M

Special
(Based on retail sales)

#### SOFT & WARM



**STORM WATCH**: This week we're gonna save you from our usual hilarity, and pass the mic to **WAAA** MD **Jae Jackson**, who runs down the state of Quiet Storm as he sees it. "It seems there is a lack of creativity in Quiet Storm today. Many programmers are reporting the same basic

list, which reads like the station's regular list with the uptempo songs taken out. We need to use *imagination*, and we have to dive deep into LPs to select music that creates a *sep*arate and unique format. When I read the trades, it seems like everyone is either lazy or not listening to their albums. They're copycatting, and I choose not to be a copycat. I want to give the audience something they're not aware of, mix in lovely instrumentals and break artists that might not have a chance of getting regular rotation." 'Nuff said.

#### **RADIO AIRPLAY**

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1 2 1	O'JAYS Keep On Lovin' Me	EMI
5 3 2	JODECI	Uptown/MCA
3 1 3	Forever My Lady BOYZ II MEN	Motown
6 4 4	It's So Hard TRACIE SPENCER Tender Kisses	Capitol
4 5 5	JENNIFER HOLLIDAY  I'm On Your Side	Arista
7 7 6	TONY TONI TONE  Me And You	Qwest/WB
2 6 7	COLOR ME BADD  I Adore Mi Amor	Giant/Reprise
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10 11 10	RUDE BOYS  Are You Lonely	Atlantic
9 9 11	GLADYS KNIGHT Superwoman	MCA
8 8 12	JOHNNY GILL I'm Still Waiting	Giant/Reprise
20 15 13	ANOTHER BAD CREATION  Jealous Girl	Motown
15 14 14	BARRY WHITE  Put Me In Your Mix	A&M
- 18 15	ERIC GABLE  Can't Wait To	Orpheus/Epic
<b>-</b> 25 16	PHYLLIS HYMAN Living In Confusion	PIR/Zoo
25 24 17	BOYZ II MEN  Uhh Ahh	Motown
18	READY FOR THE WORLD  Can He Do It Like	MCA
- 19 19	PHIL PERRY Forever	Capitol
20	SURFACE You're The One	Columbia
21	MARC NELSON I Want You	Motown
18 22 22	STEVIE WONDER These Three Words	Motown
23 20 23	GENE RICE You're A Victim	RCA
11 17 24	B ANGIE B So Much Love	Bust It/Capitol
12 12 25	LUTHER VANDROSS	Epic

(Based on radio airplay)

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ALL THE WAY LIVE: It's been a while since we ran our last round of shots from the hip 'n happenin' Smogtown soul joint R&B Live, home of some of the finest sounds this city has to offer. Not much has changed since we last checked in. The music is still rockin' (here the legendary Ohio Players kick it out kinda' lovely), the patrons still dress to thrill and kill, and Graham Armstrong still puts together some high quality JAMs before he gets drunk and starts propositioning inanimate objects and the wives of high-level execs. And you still wonder why we don't get any advertising?



BEAUTY, CLASS & STYLE: These are three words never heard when describing this magazine, but they fit Be Be & Ce Ce Winans perfectly. These two soul legends tore the roof off of R&B Live, oblivious to the fact that our own Graham Armstrong was in a corner doing his Pee-wee Herman impression.



WE'LL LEAVE THE LYTE ON FOR YOU: Yes folks, we're truly the Motel 6 of trade mags. Generic and unimaginative, but unfortunately not as much of a bargain. Do you realize that for less than what it costs for a month's worth of this mag, you could grab your favorite co-worker, hop in the car, drive on over to one of America's finest motels, pop a quarter in the vibrating bed and have the time of your life? Kind of puts things in perspective, doesn't it? Like all of you, MC Lyte, Right On Executive Editor Cynthia Horner, First Priority's Nat Robinson, and Atco/East West rulers Merlin Bobb and Sylvia Rhone have absolutely no idea what we're talking about, but are really glad that we could find someone who could spell their names correctly.



IT AIN'T OVER 'TIL IT'S OVER: It was a true meeting of the minds when our own lovable R&B ruler Graham Armstrong got together with hippie-dippie love man Lenny Kravitz after his stellar perfermance at R&B Live. Lenny taught the G-man the pleasures of wearing six-inch heels and catwoman glasses and writing 16-minute long love epics, while the former WGCI PD gave Lenny valuable lessons in radio station etiquette, thrilling audiences without personality and the pleasures of narcolepsy.



A BEAUTIFUL PAIR: What is the first thing that comes to your mind when you see this lovely snapshot of Brand New Heavies chanteuse N'Dea Davenport and the multi-talented Shanice Wilson? The desire for a double cheeseburger with a side of fries? Joy that the warm weather in La La Land makes it unneccessary for such trivial items as traditional clothing? Or the realization that we need to spend less time sitting in dark rooms throwing out juvenile double entendres, wishing that we'd actually get invited to some swingin' functions so that we didn't have to take out our sexual frustrations on all of you?

# RAP

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8 5 4	POOR RIGHTEOUS  Pure Poverty (Profile)	Inching foward	9 13 19	BIZ MARKIE  I Need A Haircut (C. Chill	<i>Next single up</i> lin'/WB)
6 6 5	GETO BOYS *  Mind Playing (Rap-A-	Busting at retail Lot/Priority)	24 21 20	2 LIVE CREW Pop That Coochie (Luke	Crazy vid play (Atlantic)
29 11 6	A TRIBE CALLED QUEST The Low End Theory (		11 16 21	SLICK RICK The Ruler's Back (Def Ja	Single @ college .m/Columbia)
5 4 7	QUEEN LATIFAH  Nature Of A Sista (Torr	Nu single out nmy Boy)	<b></b> 28 22	PUBLIC ENEMY * You Can't Truss It (Def J.	<i>Lp #1</i> am/Columbia)
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BABYLON BY SUBWAY: The recent staff cuts at Island have gone to the core of the company, with legendary hip-hop press manipulator Bill Adler gettin' the gas line and the indie-distributed 4th & Broadway going through some crazy changes. The powers-that-be are con-

sidering making Pat Monaco's house a marketing arm for all of PLG's street acts, though they'll have to do it without National Marketing And Promotion Director Tanya Cepeda, who has waved hasta la vista to the company's downtown digs, and looks set to make the uptown swing to the burgeoning empire at Weasel Marketing.... S.O.U.L. SHAKERS: Tanya isn't the only one joining the Weasel hut, as former S.O.U.L. man Adario Strange will also be chillin' at the cribthat-Bill Stephney-built. Adario has just recently left the home of former Stephney partner Hank Shocklee's MCA-distributed funk factory, as did staffer Phil Nelson, who joins Bobby Bonilla on the elite free agent market. Call him at (212) 903-

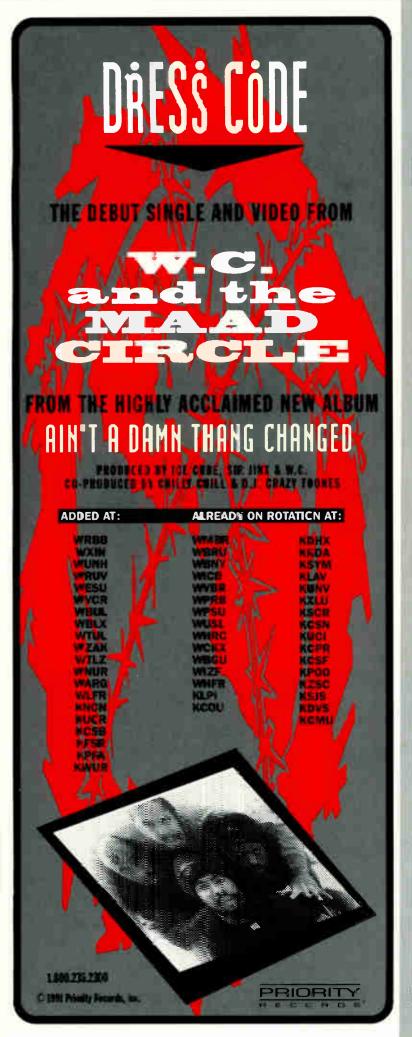


4466 if you've got the bank necessary to attain his fat brain.... Former WEDR ruler Mario De-Jesus has joined the money-makin' mafia at Luke's Records, and will be comin' correct as National Marketing Director.... BROTHERS ARE DOIN' IT FOR THEMSELVES: Smogtown

beat rider Rodney O will be droppin' all his future wax on his own Psychotic Records label. The first release is Rodney's "Get Down With The Miracle Strangler" b/w "How You Gonna Reason With A Psychotic?"... Former WCDX mix show wizard Lorenzo "Ice T" Thomas has teamed up with El Bravador and Chris B to form B-Side, a new video show which is hittin' kinda' stupid on the streets of Richmond.... The long-awaited debut from X-Clan posse poetess Queen Mother Rage, which was delayed because of the departure of the Brooklyn rhymers from the Island stable, has finally surfaced on Virgin's independently-distributed Cardiac imprint. The Professor X-produced jams are perfect jeep beats. Peace.

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# RAP

#### **TOP TWENTY VIDEO**

	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	WKLY PLAYS
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		When In Love		54
4	N.W.A.	Always Into Something	Ruthless/Pr	1ο <b>π</b> τy <b>50</b>
5	CHUBB ROC	K Just The 2 Of Us	Select/Elek	tra <b>46</b>
6	SHABBA RA	NKS House Calls	Epic	46
7	NAUGHTY B		Tommy Boy	y
8	QUEEN LATI	<i>O.P.P.</i> <b>FAH</b>	Tommy Bo	<b>44</b>
9	KOOL MOE	Fly Girl	Jive	41
		Death Blow	JIVE	40
10	NICE & SMO	<b>OTH</b> Hip Hop Junkies	R.A.L./Col	40
11	HEAVY D & 1	THE BOYZ Is It Good	Uptown/MC	39
12	ANTTEX	Understand Me	Tuff City	37
13	A TRIBE CAL	LED QUEST	Jive	
14	COOKIE CRE	Check The Rhyme  W	PLG	37
15	RAW FUSION	Secret Success	Hollywood	36 Basic
		Throw Your Hands	1 tollywood	33
16	D-NICE	25 Ta Life	Jive	32
17	BLACK SHE	EP Flavor Of The Month	Mercury	28
18	H.E.A.L.	Heal Yourself	Edutainer/E	Elektra 28
19	KID N' PLAY		Select/Elek	tra
20	GANG STAR	Ain't Gonna Hurt  R	Chrysalis	28
		Step Into The Arena	,	27

The **Top 20 Video** chart is a weekly tabulation of the number of plays a clip receives on a sample of video outlets nationwide.

This week's reporters include:

Music Inner City, Jazz Video Mix, Video Music Box, Video Soul, Street Traxx, Reel Tyme, Funke V's, Hot Trax, Bring The Noise, Wolfram, T.V. 23 and R&B Showcase.

(Based on total nat'l & regional rotations)

STORE

REPORTER

ARTIST

TITLE

Soul Disco

**PUBLIC ENEMY** 

Bobby G.

Can't Truss It

George's Music Room

YOMO & MAULKIE

Curtis Jackson

Mama Don't

Music Menu

WC & THE M.A.A.D. CIRCLE

Mike Clark

Dress Code

**Taking Home The Hits** 

**2 LIVE CREW** 

Tommy Hammond

Pop That Coochie

The Joy Of Music

**PUBLIC ENEMY** 

Beverly Taylor

Can't Truss It

**Audio Vibe** 

**SCARFACE** 

Larry Myles

Mr. Scartace Is Back

**Dolls Rapid Creation** 

**PUBLIC ENEMY** 

Kermit Henderson

Can't Truss It

#### RADIO STREET

STATION

D.J.

ARTIST

TITLE

KUNV

**MAIN SOURCE** Warren Peace

Peace Is Not The ...

**KCMU** 

Kiss You Back

Choice Is Yours

Nasty Ness

**3RD BASS** 

Portrait Of An Artist

**WJMH** 

DJ K-Nyce

Larry McKay

**MAIN SOURCE** Peace Is Not The ...

**DIGITAL UNDERGROUND** 

**WDAS** 

EC LaRock

WHFR Shawn P. BOX Lowdown

**WBRU** 

**BLACK SHEEP** 

**KBXX** 

**GETO BOYS** 

Jammin' Jimmy Olsen

Chuckie

#### RADIO MOST ADDED

ARTIST

TITLE

LABEL

**DIGITAL UNDERGROUND** 

Tommy Boy

**PM DAWN** 

Set Adrift...

Kiss You Back

Gee St/Island

Def Jam/Columbia

**PUBLIC ENEMY** 

Can't Truss It

**POOR RIGHTEOUS TEACHERS** Shakiyla

Profile

M.C. LYTE

First Priority/Atlantic

When In Love

(Based on radio reports)



# WHEELS & DEALS

#### BY NEIL HARRIS

TOO MUCH HAIRSPRAY AND SILICONE?: Lots of folks are chattering that attending this year's Concrete Convention was about as much fun as reading this column while having a colonic. Look for at least two majors, as well as a number of independents, to boycott the proceedings next year.... M.I.C.: Speaking of Concrete, more than a few attendees' jaws hit the floor when a Foot-In-Mouth-Prone New Jack Prezzie admitted that his label was "neither hip nor cool" and that he "didn't like any of the acts on my label."... K.E.Y.: If you thought this piece of caca is mean, check out the full-on assault of Hollywood in this month's Spy magazine. Kindler, gentler is definitely not the

#### One Big Party!



Peter Paterno: No Spy freebies at Disneyland!

word.... Will the Bunny be hoppin' a little differently in the future?... FEEDING THE DOG: Look for former Atco creative queen Karen Du-Mont to consult an East Coast major until she moves into a new fulltime gig.... Look for the battle for the Thrill Kill Kult to sort itself out in the next seven, with Charisma. Def American and Sire all looking like they're going the to wire.... WHERE'S HE GONNA DO IT?: The Big Apple grapevine is buzzing over the future of Atlantic junior creative terror Billy Deutch, who's living

large with Natural Selection sitting pretty in the Top 5. Will the vultures be getting their claws out?... Will the new Twin Peaks movie soundtrack, which is a follow-up to the double platinum performing TV score, land at Warner? It seems to be the logical place for it considering that the label holds the key to involvement by Julee Cruise and Chris Isaak, but will the grass be greener on the other side of the hill?... AT LEAST IT'S BETTER THAN A PUBIC HAIR IN YOUR COKE: Our favorite story this week involves the behavior of an up-and-coming rapper who, at Vigin Music's annual party (which they had the sense not to invite me to), grabbed a big slice of duck paté, promptly spit it out, and blurted, "Man, that's the weirdest tasting meatloaf I've ever had!"... Will Atlantic be hooking up with Chitown sensations Venus De Milo?... Lots of talk in the publishing world over possible changes at a West Coast company who've taken a few full-scale monetary hits in the past 18 months. Action before 1992?... Geffen's Mio Vukovic has picked up the North American rights to One Little Indian critics' darlings Airstream.... Those interested in scorin' the demo tape from former Only Ones frontman Peter Perrett, who's supposedly overcome his personal problems and is riding the straight and narrow, can contact Adrian Maddox at 011-4471-837-9322.... La La Land's Painting Over Picasso, who possess an awesome secret weapon in backup singer/percussionist Kim Strand, have been making label noise with their eclectic rock mix.... No Doubt have inked with Interscope.... Who will acquire the rights to the John Branca-repped and SBK-managed hard rockers Flesh?.... THE BUZZ IS ON: Howard Thompson, Young Turks & the Mudheads.

# **NEW ARTISTS**



#### Blur

Title
"Leisure"

Label SBK

Latest Post-PoMo rave from the U.K., Blur was formed by lead singer and chief writer Damon Albarn, son of onetime Soft Machine manager Keith Albarn, which meant he exposed to such psychedelic '60s influences as the Beatles, Pink Floyd and Wvatt. Robert Adding guitarist/vocalist Graham Coxon, bassist Alex James and drummer Dave Rowntree, the group established a rep with a series of smoking gigs in London. The first single, the double-sided "She's So High"/"I Know" on the Food label, topped the British indie charts and started an avalanche of kudos from the U.K. press. The group's wall of guitar sound has been dubbed "Blurfect," and has been compared to the likes of the Stone Roses.

#### **Suggested Cuts**

"There's No Other Way" is already Top Ten PoMo on its way to duplicating its U.K. success stateside.

#### Comments:

Guest analyst is Judiciary Committee Chairman **Joe Biden**, who said, "Bigger than **Clarence Thomas'** penis."



#### Sabrina Johnston

Title "Sabrina Johnston"

## Label Atco EastWest

This East Orange, N.J., native is not just another faceless dance diva. She writes, arranges and produces with the help her husband. Ken Johnston. Beginning her career as a session singer, Johnston auditioned for the "Steel Rolling Stones Wheels" tour. The first single. "Peace (In The Valley)," is already #1 on the U.K. dance charts and just beginning to make its crossover move. Over here, the record is hot in the clubs and gearing up for Top 40 action. An exotic, scintillating beauty who is making her mark as an all-around entertainer, Sabrina's album debut is not slated to be released until January, but the first single is making its mark. The record should be a good watermark for the newly consolidated Atco EastWest label.

#### **Suggested Cuts**

The first single, "Peace (In The Valley)," is Top Ten on both the U.K. dance and pop charts and is made to order for urban-oriented Top 40s.

#### Comments:

Commented Senator Biden: "More fun than having sex with farm animals."



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"Finally"

50-46 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! 2\*-1\* BB DANCE SINGLES! 10\*-6\* BB DANCE SALES!

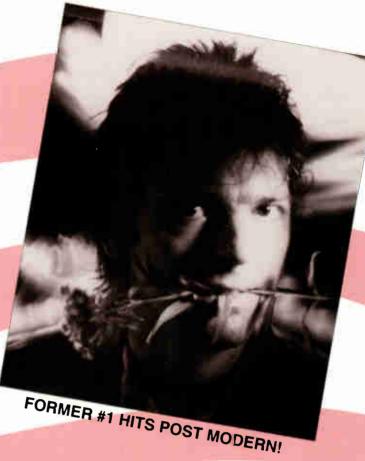


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> Produced by Felipe Delgado Co-Producer: R.K. Jackson

Executive Producers: Manny Lehman and Mark Mazzetti Remix and additional production by David Morales

for Def Mix Productions



## **Robyn Hitchcock** and The Egyptians

## "So You Think You're in Love"

WRVQ	add	ALSO O	N AT:
KISR	add	WGTZ	WBIZ
KQIX	add	WBBQ	WCIL
KTMT	add	WPST	WIFC
WAZY	add	99KG	WJMX
ZFUN	add	KLYV	WRHT
		KNIN	WVBS
KWOD	30-24	KROC	
KFMW	40-33		

#### JUST ADDED



From the new album Perspex Island [75021 5368 1/4/2] Produced by Paul Fox Management: Danny Goldberg and Michael Krumper for Gold Mountain Entertainment



# MINI MUGS



WHAT DID JOE DO TO DESERVE THIS?: How did washed-up, pumped-up comic and beer spokesman Joe Piscopo (second from 1) land a beauty like Kimberly Driscoll (r)? Hey, ours is not to reason why, it's just to caption these lame celebrity photos, as nimrods like Paul Shaffer and certified legend Phoebe Snow hang at the Hard Rock Cafe glomming ribs and posing for photos to benefit Big Brothers and Sisters of America, after a set by Killer Joe, the new band formed by E-Street drummer Max Weinberg.



QUALITY PHOTO: Not particularly, but it's as good a way as any to announce the signing for veteran rocker and former Autograph frontman Steve Plunkett (c) to President Russ Regan's (l) label. Along with his music publisher Billy Meshel (r) of All Nations Music, the trio came up with the absolutely brilliant idea of launching the Plunk-man's solo bow by recording the 1.259,876th version of "Louie Louie." Somewhere, the song's writer, Richard Berry, would be smiling — if he hadn't sold half the publishing long ago.



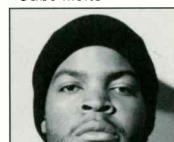
GRATEFUL TO BE ALIVE: Members of the Grateful Dead are presented with tie-dyed director's chairs, gold and platinum tickets, customized tour jackets and hits of LSD to mark their record-breaking 40th appearance at Madison Square Garden after nine SRO performances in eleven nights recently. Seen shortly before the acid kicked in and guitarist Jerry Garcia floated to the top of the arena along with Xavier McDaniel are band members (I-r): Vince Welnik; Bill Kreutzman, Mickey Hart, Bob Weir and Bruce Hornsby.

# BEAT'S ME

GLEANING THE CUBE: Anti-semitism is a hot topic these days, what with the Crown Heights riots, George Bush waffling on aid for Israel, and movies like the Coen Brothers' "Barton Fink" and David Mamet's "Homicide." Add rapper Ice Cube's name to the B'nai Brith Anti-Defamation list. Seems Cube's joined Louis Farrakhan's controversial Nation of Islam, known for its anti-Zionist beliefs. On his new album, "Death Certificate," to be released on Halloween, the song "No Vaseline" disses old pals N.W.A., "You can't be a nigga for life/With a white Jew telling you what to do," a reference to the group's mgr. Jerry Heller. In Ice's defense, the cut's more anti-N.W.A. than

anti-Semitic, but still... The record's divided into two sides, "Death" and "Life," the latter offering Cube's agenda to save the black race from self-destruction. Sample titles: "The Wrong Nigga 2 Fuck With," "Doing Dumb Shit" and a hilarious take-off on a rappin' Robin Leach, "Robin Lench."

L. A. WEAKLY: Seems outgoing music editor R.J. Smith wants out because he doesn't love L.A. — apparently the guy still can't get used to driving. Still, that's no excuse for the shoddy reporting in his recent Guns N' Roses cover



**Cube Melts** 

Mason.

Ice Cube: He's no Jackie

story. The piece begins with R.J. visiting the Hollywood Tower Records the night the GN'R came out and asking the clerk if he had the "new" Richard Marx album, only to be told he couldn't buy anything accept "Illusion(s)." Only trouble is, there is no "new" Richard Marx album out until November 5. This from the guy who instituted "The Hilburn Watch." Hey guys, when you're hiring a new music editor, how about some homegrown talent this time?... What local music scribe landed on his butt at an Oakland rap panel when forced to sit in for the absent moderator? If the guy had no idea what "dis" meant before, he sure must have by the time he left... What rock magazine publisher has fallen on such hard times he's been forced to call publicists begging to be taken out for lunch?... Chameleon Records about to hire an East Coast publicity dept., which should prompt another round of musical flacks... Restless Records is looking for someone to head their PR department. Send resumes to Rich Schmidt at 1616 Vista Del Mar, Hollywood, CA 90028... Mea culpa. The correct number for ex-Atco publicist **Lisa Vega** is (818) 917-1603.

THE NEXT BIG THING: Would you believe "Babalu Music?" That's the name of the home video "Weird Al" Yankovic has compiled which includes original musical material from "I Love Lucy," including such classics as "Cuban Pete," "We're Having A Baby" and, of course, "Babalu." The vid, a production of CBS Video distributed by Fox, includes a great Al-produced and color-enhanced medley clip designed to make "Babalu" the new dance craze. If you liked Al's parody of Toni Basil's "Mickey," "Ricky," you'll love this... L-o-o-o-cy!!!!

(The HITS management wants you to know that Roy Trakin's column is Roy Trakin's column and does not necessarily reflect the opinion of HITS.)

## WHY ASK WHY?

## TRACIE SPENCER "TENDER KISSES"

KKFR #1 18-24 FEMALES
NEW: B93, KHTK, KJ103, KHTT,
KBXX 10-8 HOT, KMEL 15-9, WPGC 11-9 HOT,
URBAN #6

PRODUCED BY MATT SHERROD & PAUL SHERROD, CO-PRODUCED BY SIR SPENCE, MANAGEMENT; STAN PLESSER PRODUCTIONS,

## CROWDED HOUSE "FALL AT YOUR FEET"

MTV 5 TIMES A DAY 64 CHR BELIEVERS Q102 30-23 PASSIVE RESEARCH

PRODUCED BY MITCHELL FROOM, MANAGEMENT: GARY STAMLER MANAGEMENT /GRANT THOMAS MANAGEMENT.

## BONNIE RAITT "I CAN'T MAKE YOU LOVE ME"

KISN, Q102 33, WRVQ, KHMX 25 AND 9 MORE
IF THIS SONG DOESN'T GIVE YOU GOOSEBUMPS, YOU'RE DEAD.

PRODUCED BY DON WAS AND BONNIE RAITT
MANAGEMENT: DANNY GOLDBERG, RON S'ONE AND JEFFREY HERSH FOR GOLD MONTAIN ENTERTAINMENT

## TINA TURNER "LOVE THING"

OVER 29 REPORTERS
SUPERSTAR TINA HAS DELIVERED A ROCKIN' SMASH

PRODUCED BY CHRIS LORD-ALGE, TINA TURNER AND ROGER DAVIES, MANAGEMENT: ROGER DAVIES FOR ROGER DAVIES MANAGEMENT, INC.





### RERAP

By Mitch Perliss

Lots o' positive feedback from last week's NARM One-Stop meetings in Newport Beach. NARM brought in a consultant to help organize the One-Stops in attendance. During the confab. attendees were made to focus on why they joined a trade org. and what they expected out of NARM as well as the manufacturers. Members were then broken up into five groups and asked to form a consensus on the three biggest issues facing One-Stops today. The main topic revolved around how One-Stops must be better marketers and help independent stores to stop worrying about "what chain stores get that they don't" and start focusing on new and developing artists and how they can work with the record labels in exposing them. Independents must concentrate on their strengths. including the fact that most of them are owner-operated stores who know their customers and are able to respond faster than chains. It was felt most chains, with the exception of Tower, don't stock new artists until they receive radio airplay or have proven grass-roots sales... Another topic of discussion was the return charge on cassette singles. While many One-Stops pass their discount

#### Hammer Time



Hammer: He can't get it for you wholesale.

on to their accounts, which allows indies to buy product at around \$2, they also pass on the distributors' 20% return charge. As one One-Stop owner commented, "It's impossible to get a small store to spend \$10 to buy five cassette singles of a new artist when they know that if they don't sell any, they only get an \$8 credit upon return." The proposed solution is for an exclusion to the rule on "work" singles... Another major issue revolved around freight charges on major new releases. An upcoming example is the new Michael Jackson LP. where Sony will be shipping direct (in box quantities) to every Musicland store at the same price that they will ship the product to the One-Stops. One-Stops will then have to spend money and manpower to receive the product and ship it to their accounts, many of whom will meet or exceed the distributor's minimum direct shipping quantities. In cases like these, some One-Stops are requesting that distributors ship directly to the account and bill the One-Stop. This will save time and money for the One-Stops as well as the accounts. who often pay the freight. The result? In one meeting, two distributors agreed in principle while the others promised to take it under advisement. Other issues included CD packaging, record clubs and the lack of discounts on major releases like Guns N' Roses and the upcoming Hammer... Speaking of GN'R. one major distribution maven wonders why retailers, knowing the initial demand, felt like they had to give the product away as cheaply as \$7.99/\$11.99 with no discount or advertising. He thought it was the perfect opportunity for retailers to make some margin on a guaranteed sale. And he's right!!

### MINI MUGS



FAMILY JULES: No, this is not a Led Zeppelin reunion, but the announcement of the signing of critically acclaimed singer/songwriter Jules Shear (second from 1) to the Polydor/PLG label, with the release of his new album. "The Great Puzzle," slated for January '92. Seen trying to guess how much weight President Davitt Sigerson (1) has gained from expense account lunches since assuming his post are (1-r): Sigerson. Shear and Mike's Artist Management members Mike Lembo and Jill Christensen.



BOOK STING: Sting (c) and his evil twin guard the door at B. Dalton's in N.Y.C., where they catch some poor soul trying to shoplift their new book, "Sting. The Illustrated Lyrics," published by I.R.S. Books, which means 50% of every sale goes toward Chairman Miles Copeland's alimoney payments. Ace publicist Kathy Schenker (rear) makes sure there are no rock critic ringers in the crowd, ready to sell der Stingle's signature on the black market. The book's drawings were done by Roberto Gligorov (1), who was chosen for his remarkable resemblance to the Stingeroo, and the fact he was willing to work cheap.



MIX & MATCH: Def America's Seattle jam master Sir Mix-A-Lot (r) gets down with the PolyGramlIsland Music Group as he inks a publishing deal and spirits a few dead prezzies from the wallet of the pubbery's President Lionel Conway (c) as the following try to figure out what their 10% amounts to (1-r): mgr. Ricardo Fraser, VP Administration Jeff Brabec. Conway, Sr. VP Danny Holloway and Mix-A-Lot.

Thursday, October 24, 1991, 7:00 P.M.

The Winter Garden at the World Financial Center



Join us as AMC Cancer Research Center honors its newest friend, Robert J. Morgado, Chairman, Warner Music Group Inc., at the 21st Annual Humanitarian Award Dinner, in the stunningly dramatic setting of the Winter Garden at the World Financial Center in New York City.

This campaign will inaugurate the Robert J. Morgado Fund at AMC Cancer Research Center, making possible a broad array of research programs for the prevention of cancer. AMC develops ways to ensure that cancer prevention and control strategies reach everyone, including those in disadvantaged communities.

The entertainment industry has traditionally taken the lead in supporting causes that improve the lives of others. AMC's endeavor is heroic and our support can make its goals attainable.

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Sincerely,



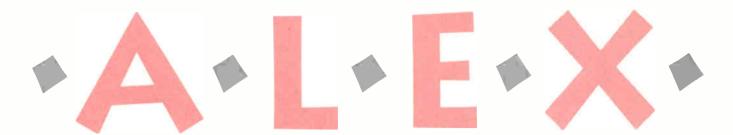
Tom Freston Chairman and CEO MTV Networks



Douglas P. Morris Co-Chairman and Co-CEO Atlantic Recording Corporation

1991 Dinner Co-Chairs

For ticket information call the Campaign Office of the AMC Cancer Research Center at (212) 735-0749.



The San Francisco/Sacramento metropolitan area has always been perceived as a black-/dance market. Where did the idea come from for an alternative format?

We had experimented with alternative music within a contemporary hits format throughout the '80s and it seemed to work pretty well. Earlier this year, Gerry Cagle decided since dance and rap weren't working for KWOD, mainly because FM102 had that market locked up - to do something experimental with the Top 40 format. And since Top 40 has been having trouble all over the country, we had nothing to lose. The public had been pressuring Sacramento radio stations to go alternative, but because there weren't enough listeners devoted to the format, he came up with a compromise, turning KWOD into an alternative-leaning Top 40 or, as we call it, "Altergressive." What separates us from LIVE 105 is that they're artist-oriented and we're song-oriented. They concentrate on album cuts while we play strictly singles. We play the cream of the crop.

Are you influenced at all by LIVE105?
Minimally. We're more concerned with which records are being worked Top 40.

What's the club scene like in Sacramento? Since we've been doing this format, several clubs have sprung up all over town. Last year, there were practically no progressive clubs — now there's eleven, with more coming out of the woodwork.

How did you get the name KWOD?
The owner, Ed Stolz, put this on as a jazz sta-

tion in Quadraphonic stereo.

Are the girls in Northern California really warmer?

I don't have anything to compare them with, but I do enjoy the women here.

While attending Cal State Sacramento, Cosper began interning at local station KWOD under MD Ed Lambert, who let him get involved with programming. By 1988, Alex was Music Director and worked the 10 p.m.- 2 a.m. air shift under PD Jeff Hunter. When Gerry Cagle came aboard a year later, he split to work at KHTT in Santa Rosa, KROY in Sacramento and KLCQ in Davis, California. He was brought back to KWOD by Cagle in July and named PD last month for what they call their "Altergressive" format, a Post-Modern Top 40. In fact, everything was going just swimmingly until that fateful moment when his assistant told him HITS' resident stud Nick "That's No" Bull was on the line. Naturally, everything went downhill for poor Alex from there on in.



"Music isn't just for dancing, it's a chance for musicians to express universal thoughts."

#### Tell us a bit about the station.

What we're doing here is offering a new choice, not just to Sacramento, but possibly the nation. If other stations want to look at us, we're really happy about that. We feel this is going to be a successful new form of Top 40 because it takes the cream of the crop of the alternative format and mixes it in with non-rap dance hits. It fills a void. Radio listeners who are bored with Top 40 the way it is now are turning to us.

How do you decide what music to play? Gerry and I have meetings every week. Basically, the songs that fit what we're doing are the ones that get played.

What's your favorite song out now?
"Superman's Song," by Crash Test Dummies.
When I first heard it, I thought it was something that no one could play. But then we did some research on it and found it would be viable to test out on the air, and it's subsequently become our most requested record. A record like that can add variety to any format.

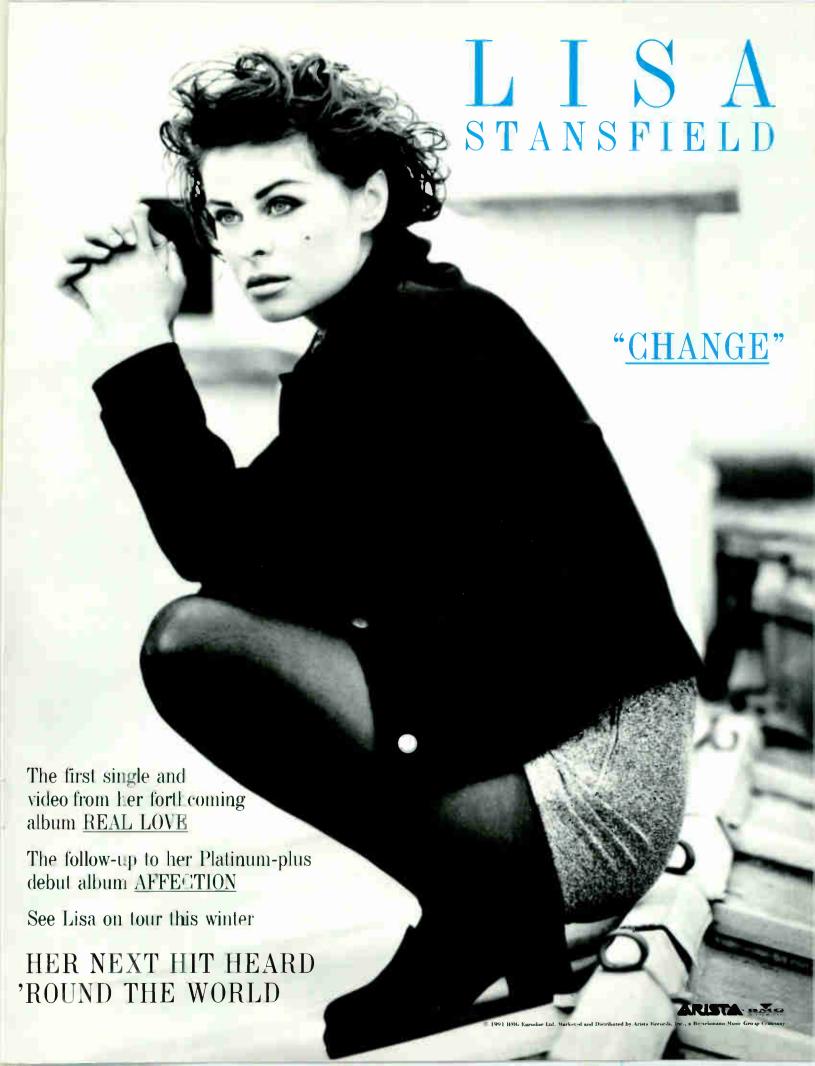
Are there any records you feel radio has let

slip away that could have done better?
I can't believe that Electronic's "Get the Message" was not a Top 40 hit. It has a nice pop sound, it's innovative and it fits in with dance music.

How are the Raiders going to do this year? The L.A. Raiders? I want them to win, but if they keep losing to teams like the Chargers, they won't go very for.

Anything else you want to say?
I wish that record labels would put out more innovative pop music, because that's the void in music that everyone is waiting for to be filled. We have to show the public that music isn't just for dancing, it's a chance for musicians to express universal thoughts.

# IN WONDERLAND



### **DEBUT 50 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!**

ON AT 138 TOP 40s INCLUDING:



WZOU KRBE PWR95 KEGL KPLZ B97	add add add add add	KDWB HOT94.9 WRVQ WDJX G105 K92 KQKQ WERZ	add add add add add add	WZKS KKYK WRCK WRQN KAY107 WYKS	add add add add add add
WKBQ	add	WERZ	add	93Q	add

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FM104	deb	21
Y160	deb	25
<b>KBEQ</b>	deb	26
KISN	deb	28
Z100	deb	29
Q101	deb	29
PRO-FM	deb	33
KISR	deb	35
KIXY	deb	37
KXXR	deb	38
Z102	deb	38
PWR92	deb	40

98FXY	23-13
WKZL	29-23
WBBQ	37-27
KGOT	35-27
KFFM	38-30
KFTZ	38-32

#### from the album VAGABOND HEART



Written by Robbie Roberston Produced by Patrick Leonard Co-produced by Lenny Waronker

#### **DEBUT** HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!

add	FM104	deb	26	KEGL	9-7
add	<b>KSND</b>	deb	30	<b>KKRD</b>	20-16
add	<b>WBBQ</b>	deb	31	195	25-16
add	WAZY	deb	35	OK95	27-18
add	<b>WHTO</b>	deb	35	WCGQ	28-20
add	WILN	deb	36	KBEQ	24-21
add	PWR92	deb	37	WKBQ	25-21
	WOMP	deb	39	WQUT	30-22
	add add add add add add	add WMEE add FM100 add KSND add WBBQ add WAZY add WHTO add WILN add PWR92	add WMEE deb add FM100 deb add KSND deb add WBBQ deb add WAZY deb add WHTO deb add WILN deb add PWR92 deb	add WMEE deb 28 add FM100 deb 30 add KSND deb 30 add WBBQ deb 31 add WAZY deb 35 add WHTO deb 35 add WILN deb 36 add PWR92 deb 37	add FM104 deb 26 KEGL add WMEE deb 28 JET-FM add FM100 deb 30 WAPE add KSND deb 30 KKRD add WBBQ deb 31 I95 add WAZY deb 35 OK95 add WHTO deb 35 WCGQ add WILN deb 36 KBEQ add PWR92 deb 37 WKBQ WOMP deb 39 WQUT

AVERAGE	AGGRESSIVES
MOVE	(4 or more)
3.25	26

WLAN	33-24
PWR95	29-25
KPLZ	30-25
<b>KMGZ</b>	33-26
99 <b>9KHI</b>	38-27
KTMT	32-27
PRO-FM	33-29
Z102	37-29
WFLY	34-29
99KG	38-30
KYYY	39-31

from the album FOR UNLAWFUL CARNAL KNOWLEDGE



Produced by Andy Johns, Ted Templeman and Van Halen. Personal Management: Ed Leffier E.L. Management Inc

### **VAN HALEN**

WORLD"

#### **EXCLUSIVE!!**

29.27	HITS T	ГОР І	FIFTY SING	GLES!	KOY	7-5
					KCAQ	13-6
					KRQ	12-6
<b>PWR99</b>	add		<b>HOT97.7</b>	1-1	FM102	7-7
WTIC	add		<b>KDON</b>	1-1	<b>HOT94.9</b>	9-8
<b>WBBQ</b>	add		KLUC	1-1	WJMO	10-9
999KHI	add		<b>Z90</b>	2-2	Q106	9-9
KNOE	add		KKXX	3-2	KKSS	10-10
<b>WPRR</b>	add		KGGI	2-2	KWIN	10-10
WRHT	add		<b>KPRR</b>	3-3	KKMG	11-10
			KQMQ	6-3	KTRS	17-11
KISN	deb	27	KYRK	4-3	<b>WWKX</b>	19-16
KIIS	deb	28	KBXX	6-4	<b>KBFM</b>	24-16

#### **WZOU** 23-18 25-19 **B93** HOT94.7 26-21 **KKRZ** 24-21 **KKRD** 26-21 **KXXR** 30-26

HO19/	<b>30-2/</b>
<b>KMGZ</b>	35-29
BREAKIN	G AT:
WXKS	WNCI
WHYT	
<b>KBXX</b>	
WIOQ	
Y100	
FM102	
Q106	
HOT97.7	
	KKXX

HOT102 KLUC

#### from the album JASMINE GUY



Produced by Rex Salas for Racer-Ex Productions







## TOP TENS

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



#### WINNERS

- **PUBLIC ENEMY**
- **GUNS N' ROSES II** 2.
- 3. **PRINCE**

#### MOST TOP 5's

- GUNS N' ROSES II
- **PUBLIC ENEMY** 2.
- PRINCE

#### MOST TOP 10's

- 1. GUNS N' ROSES II
- 2. **PRINCE**
- **PUBLIC ENEMY**



BETH STEWART 402 Retail Stores (Atlanta)

#### SUPER CLUB MUSIC

- 1. GUNS N' ROSES II
- 2. PRINCE
- 3. GUNS N' ROSES I
- 4. GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'
  5. MOTLEY CRUE
- 6. PUBLIC ENEMY
- **MARIAH CAREY**
- 8. BRYAN ADAMS
- 9. BOYZ II MEN
- 10. NAUGHTY BY NATURE



DOUG SMITH 115 Retail Stores (Pittsburgh)

#### NAT'L RECORD MART

- 1. GUNS N' ROSES II
- 2. PUBLIC ENEMY
- 3. PRINCE
- 4. GUNS N' ROSES I 5. MOTLEY CRUE
- 6. METALLICA
- 7. JOHN MELLENCAMP
- 8. BRYAN ADAMS
- 9. MARIAH CAREY
- 10. NATALIE COLE

#### **WallaWall** SOUND & VIDEOR

STEVE CHALFANT 87 Retail Stores (Philadelphia)

#### WALL TO WALL

- 1. PUBLIC ENEMY
- 2. MOTLEY CRUE
- 3. GUNS N' ROSES II
- 4. PRINCE
- 5. GUNS N' ROSES I
- 6. BRYAN ADAMS
- 7. METALLICA
- 8. OZZY OSBOURNE
- 9. MARIAH CAREY
- 10. NATALIE COLE

#### WHEREIGH

CHUCK LEE 290 Retail Stores (Los Angeles)

#### WHEREHOUSE

- 1. GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'
- 2. PRINCE
- 3. PUBLIC ENEMY
- 4. GUNS N' ROSES II 5. MARIAH CAREY
- 6. METALLICA
- COMMITMENTS (ST)
- 8. MOTLEY CRUE 9. GUNS N' ROSES I
- 10. BRYAN ADAMS



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

#### KEMP MILL

- 1. PUBLIC ENEMY
- 2. PRINCE
- 3. COMMITMENTS (ST)
- 4. MOTLEY CRUE
- 5. PATTI LABELLE 6. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
- MARIAH CAREY
- GUNS N' ROSES II GUNS N' ROSES I
- 10. TRIBE CALLED QUEST



JIM PRIMERANO 18 Retail Stores

#### RECORD THEATER

- 1. PUBLIC ENEMY
- 2. PRINCE

- 3. NATALIE COLE 4. GUNS N' ROSES II 5. TRIBE CALLED QUEST
- **JODECI**
- **MARIAH CAREY**
- 8. COMMITMENTS (ST)
- RUSH
- 10. GUNS N' ROSES I



DON JENSEN 98 Rack Accounts (Seattle)

#### ROUND UP

- GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'
- 2. GUNS N' ROSES II 3. MOTLEY CRUE
- **BRYAN ADAMS**
- GUNS N' ROSES I G.BROOKS/NO FENCES 6.
- **METALLICA**
- 8. BONNIE RAITT
- 9. REBA MCENTIRE
- 10. MARIAH CAREY



JEFF COHEN 145 Retail Stores (Boston/Wash D.C.)

#### STRAWBERRIES/WAXIE MAXIE'S

- **PUBLIC ENEMY**
- GUNS N' ROSES II MOTLEY CRUE
- MARIAH CAREY GUNS N' ROSES I
- 5.
- PRINCE 6.
- ERIC CLAPTON BONNIE RAITT 8.
- 9. JOHN MELLENCAMP
- 10. BRYAN ADAMS



122 Retail Stores (Amarillo)

#### **HASTINGS**

- 1. GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'
- 2. GUNS N' ROSES II 3. MOTLEY CRUE

- **GUNS N' ROSES I**
- 5. **REBA MCENTIRE** 6. PRINCE
- **BRYAN ADAMS**
- **G.BROOKS/NO FENCES**
- 9. MARIAH CAREY
- 10. METALLICA

## TOP TENS

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



TOM TUOMELA 200 Accounts

#### NAVARRE

- 1. GUNS N' ROSES II 2. GUNS N' ROSES I
- 3. PUBLIC ENEMY
- 4. METALLICA
- 5. PRINCE
- R.E.M.
- 7. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
- 8. MOTLEY CRUE
- 9. TESLA
- 10. MICHAEL BOLTON

#### Harmony House records and tapes

SANDY BEAN 33 Retail Stores (Detroit)

#### HARMONY HOUSE

- PRINCE
- 2. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
- 3. PUBLIC ENEMY 4. GUNS N' ROSES II 5. GUNS N' ROSES I
- **COMMITMENTS (ST)**
- **NIRVANA**
- 8. BOB SEGER
- 9. JOHN MELLENCAMP
- 10. NATALIE COLE



JOHN GRANDONI 19 Retail Stores (Buffalo)

#### CAVAGES

- 1. GUNS N' ROSES II 2. GUNS N' ROSES I
- 3. PUBLIC ENEMY 4. BRYAN ADAMS
- 5. RUSH
- 6. METALLICA
- 7. R.E.M.
- 8. VAN HALEN
- 9. MARIAH CAREY
- 10. NATALIE COLE



LYNN BATCHECK 36 Retail Stores (Columbus)

#### RECORD & TAPE OUTLET

- 1. PRINCE
- 2. PUBLIC ENEMY
- 3. JOHN MELLENCAMP
- 4. MOTLEY CRUE 5. GUNS N' ROSES II
- **NAUGHTY BY NATURE**
- **JODECI**
- 8. BOYZ II MEN 9. OZZY OSBOURNE
- 10. MARIAH CAREY



MIKE PICHIK 1800 Accounts (Omaha)

#### RTI ONE STOP

- **PUBLIC ENEMY**
- 2. MOTLEY CRUE
- 3. 2 LIVE CREW 4. JOHN MELLENCAMP
- 5. PRINCE
- **PIXIES** 6.
- SOUNDGARDEN
- 8. GUNS N' ROSES II
- 9. OZZY OSBOURNE
- 10. METALLICA



ARROW DISTRIBUTING CO.

TONY BRENNER 500 Accounts (Cleveland)

#### ARROW DISTRIBUTERS

- GUNS N' ROSES II GUNS N' ROSES I
- **GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'**
- 4. **METALLICA**
- MARIAH CAREY 5.
- BRYAN ADAMS OZZY OSBOURNE
- 8.
- MICHAEL BOLTON
  C&C MUSIC FACTORY
- 10. NATALIE COLE

Richman Bros. Records. Inc. TIM COMERFORD

1600 Accounts (New Jersey)

#### RICHMAN BROS

- **PUBLIC ENEMY**
- MARIAH CAREY
- **OZZY OSBOURNE**
- **MOTLEY CRUE**
- **ERIC CLAPTON** 5.
- **GUNS N' ROSES II** 6.
- **NIRVANA**
- **GUNS N' ROSES I** 8.
- **DIRE STRAITS**
- 10. NATALIE COLE



ANDREW KLEIN 1000 Accounts (New York)

#### WIN RECORDS INC.

- 1. GUNS N' ROSES I 2. GUNS N' ROSES II
- **PUBLIC ENEMY**
- MARIAH CAREY NAUGHTY BY NATURE 5.
- **VAN HALEN**
- PAULA ABDUL
- **BRYAN ADAMS** 8.
- 9. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
- 10. RUSH

### WhereHouse FRANK JENKS 8 Retail stores (Lansing)

#### MICHIGAN WHEREHOUSE

- 1. PUBLIC ENEMY
- 2. 2 LIVE CREW
- **GUNS N' ROSES II**
- SCARFACE
- PRINCE
- 6.
- MOTLEY CRUE SOUNDGARDEN
- 8. JOHN MELLENCAMP
- 9. GUNS N' ROSES I
- 10. NIRVANA



BRAD SINGER 4 Retail Stores & 150 One-Stop Accts

(Phoenix)

- IMPACT
  - NIRVANA
  - 2. MOTLEY CRUE 3. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
  - **METALLICA**
  - 5. GUNS N' ROSES II
  - OZZY OSBOURNE 6.
  - PRINCE
  - 8. PUBLIC ENEMY
  - CULT
  - 10. GUNS N' ROSES I



TED SINGER 5 Stores (Minneapolis)

#### TITLE WAVE

- PRINCE
- 2. MOTLEY CRUE
- PUBLIC ENEMY JOHN MELLENCAMP
- 5. COMMITMENTS (ST)
- GUNS N' ROSES II GARTH BROOKS/ROPIN'
- 8. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
- 9. HARRY CONNICK JR MARIAH CAREY



JAMIE BROWN 3 Retail Stores

#### PEACHES/SEATTLE

- 1. NIRVANA
- 2. SOUNDGARDEN
- 3. PIXIES
- **BONNIE RAITT**
- 5. RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS
- PRINCE
- **METALLICA**
- 8. GUNS N' ROSES II 9. JOHN MELLENCAMP
- 10. JOHN LEE HOOKER

## Scorpions

### "SEND ME AN ANGEL"



From the	album	AN ANI CRAZY W	/ORLD		0U)	NOS A
KZZU JET-FM KTUX WRQN FM104	add add add add	KFOX KNIN KNOE KOHT KSMB	add add add add add	OK95 WAAL WCGG WJMX WLAN	add add add add	
KIKX 999KHI KFMW	add add add	KTMT KWNZ KZII	udd add add	WQUT WRHT WRQK	edd add	





### A LEG UP"

WHENEVER WE WANTED

#### **BREAKOUTS WINNER!**

**DEBUT 14 HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS!** 39 36 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES! 34\*-30\* R&R!

51% OF STATIONS MOVE 4 PLUS! AVG.MOVE: 4.01!

B104 WRQK WSSX 103CIR WQUT JET-FM	add 12-8 15-11 16-12 20-13 16-13	98PXY KDWB KFMW WBNQ WRHT FM104	18-15 21-16 25-16 22-16 21-16 26-16	Y94 WDBR 999KHI WGTZ WKZL KNIN
WLAN	28-15	WCGQ	21-17	KMCK

### GREATEST HITS!

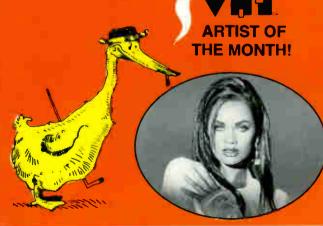
KUBE 23-20 PRO-FM 23-20 WIFC 30-20 **KROC** 27-20 29-18 **WBIZ** 24-20 24-20 **WWFX** 25-20 24-19 WOKI **WSTO** 33-21 **WKFR** 29-21 28-19 **KG95** 28-21



John Mellencamp

### Vanessa Williams

#### 23-21 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!



HOT94.7 WZKS WMMZ WTHT	7 add add add add
KIIS	deb 27
KQMQ	1-1

3-3

4-3

4-4

8-4

**WZOU** 

**KKXX** 

**KWIN** 

**KDON** 

**Z90** 

PWh IUZ	7-4	M V 22	9-7	XL 1U0	19-11
KZFM	6-4	<b>HOT94.9</b>	7-7	HOT97.7	17-13
194	5-4	WTIC	<del>9</del> -8	KKRD	18-15
<b>WJMO</b>	6-5	Y97	13-8	WAAL	18-15
<b>WWKX</b>	5-5	WFLY	11-8	KFFM	21-16
WDJX	12-5	<b>PWR106</b>	11-9	KCAQ	19-16
<b>PRO-FM</b>	13-6	WMXP	11-9	WSPK	21-17
Y107	6-6	WNOK	12-9	WILN	20-17
<b>HOT95</b>	9-6	WFHT	10-9	KXXR	21-18
WCKZ	8-6	WFMF	13-10	103CIR	21-18
WXKS	10-7	<b>HOT102</b>	14-11	PWR99	25-20
KOY	9-7	KPSI	15-11	WGRD	25-20



## BREAKOUTS

Hot new or resurging albums as reported by the nation's leading record merchandisers

The hot releases just keep on coming, this week lead by the big-selling new John Mellencamp album. 2 Live Crew is back, distributed by Atlantic, and selling like crazy. Watch out for Soundgarden — they have built a Metallica-like base and are ready to explode. Eric Clapton's live package and the Post Modern sensations, the Pixies, also look strong. The hot new rap item of the week is **Mr. Scarface** on Priority.

#### **WINNERS**

- J. MELLENCAMP
- **2 LIVE CREW**
- SOUNDGARDEN
- **ERIC CLAPTON**
- **PIXIES**
- (Merc 314 510 151)
- (Luke/Atl 91720)
- (A&M 5374)
- (Rep 26420)
- (Elek 61118)
- 72% 56%

52%

50%

37%

- **NIRVANA** 
  - 7 **PUBLIC ENEMY**
  - 8 **MR. SCARFACE** 9 **PATTI LABELLE**
  - 10 **PM DAWN**
- (DGC 24425)
- 30% 24%
- (D Jam/Col 47374)
- (Priority 57167) 19%
- (MCA 10439) 15% (IsI/G St 314 510 276) 13%

#### ANGOTT ONE-STOP / FRANK

#### DAVIS / DETROIT

- ? Live Crew
- Mr. Scarface Jodeci
- Boyz II Men
- Marvin Sease
- Barry White

#### APPLE TREE / MIKE

#### SCHNEIDER / ILLINOIS

- Pixies
- John Mellencamp
- Soundgarden
- Eric Clapton

#### ASSOCIATED ONE-STOP / AN-

#### GELA SINGER / PHOENIX

- 2 Live Crew
- John Mellencamp
- Digital Underground
- 2nd To None

#### BAKER & TAYLOR / MIKE **BASHKIN / CHICAGO**

#### John Mellencamp

- Nirvana
- 2 Live Crew
- **Pixies**
- George Winston
- Jodeci
- Soundgarden

#### BELIEVE IN MUSIC / PAULA

#### TANIS / GRAND RAPIDS

- Eric Clapton
- John Mellencamp
- Soundgarden
- Patti LaBelle

#### BEST BUY / JEFF ABRAMS /

#### MPLS

- Marky Mark
- Seal
- Reba McEntire
- Commitments (ST)
- Karyn White

#### **BUZZARD'S NEST/JIM** JOHNSON / COLUMBUS

- Eric Clapton
  - John Mellencamp Soundgarden
  - Pivies
  - Nirvana

#### CAMELOT/LEW GARRET/

#### **CANTON**

- John Mellencamp
- 2 Live Crew Soundgarden
- Jodeci
- Mr. Scarface
- Barry Manilow

#### CD ONE-STOP / DAVE CARROLL

- John Mellencamp
- Soundgarden
- 2 Live Crew
- Eric Clapton

#### CENTRAL SOUTH / TONY ROSS

#### / NASHVILLE

- Public Enemy
- 2 Live Crew
- Patti LaBelle
- New Edition
- Cult

#### CML ONE-STOP / SCOTT

#### FREEMAN / ST. LOUIS

- 2 Live Crew
- John Mellencamp
- Soundgarden
- James Taylor
- V Of The Beehive
- Eric Clapton
- Jodeci

#### DOWN IN THE VALLEY /

#### KATHY SHEDD / MPLS

- E But The Girl
- Eric Clapton
- John Mellencamp
- Rasia Nanci Griffith

#### FACE THE MUSIC / KEN

- MACIVER / ROCHESTER, MN John Mellencamp
  - Soundgarden

  - Public Enemy
- Motley Crue
- Nirvana

#### HARMONY HOUSE / SANDY

#### BEAN / DETROIT

- John Mellencamp
- 2 Live Crew
- Eric Clapton
- Patti LaBelle
- Pixies

#### JEK ENTERPRISE / MITCHEL

#### ASCH / BALTIMORE

- Patti LaBelle
- **New Edition**
- 2 Live Crew
- John Mellencamp

#### MAINSTREAM / MIKE PFAFFL /

- MILWAUKEE
  - John Mellencamp Nitzer Ebb

  - 2 Live Crew MC 900 Ft Jesus
  - PM Dawn

#### MOBY DISC / BOB SAY / LOS

- **ANGELES** 
  - **Pixies**
  - John Mellencamp Soundgarden
  - Public Enemy
  - Robbie Robertson Infectious Groove
  - Eric Clapton

#### MUSIC CITY RECORD DIST / LARRY WEBB / NASHVILLE

- John Mellencamp
  - Eric Clapton
  - 2 Live Crew
  - P Of The Mississippi Alabama (G-Hits)
  - Soundearden

#### Pixies

#### MUSIC PEOPLE / GREGG SHAVER / OAKLAND

- Cathy Dennis
- Soundearden
- 2nd To None
- 2 Live Crew
- John Mellencamp

#### Charlie Mussselwhite NATIONAL RECORD MART /

- DOUG SMITH / PITTSBURGH
  - John Mellencamp
  - 2 Live Crew
  - Eric Clapton
  - Pixies
  - Soundgarden Nine Inch Nails

#### PM Dawn NAVARRE / ERIC VINCENT /

- **MINNEAPOLIS** 
  - Public Enemy
  - Cult 2 Live Crew
  - John Mellencamp George Winston Robbie Robertson

#### Nanci Griffith NORTHEAST ONE-STOP /

- GEORGE SMITH / ALBANY
  - John Mellencamp
  - Eric Clapton
  - 2 Live Crew Pixies
  - Soundgarden
  - Nirvana A Tribe Called Ouest

#### "GROOVY TRAIN"

the single from SPARTACUS

ON TOUR NOW!



DEBUT 43 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLE
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WKFR

deb

40

WST0

add

DEBUT	1 43 HI	ITS TOP I	FIFTY	SING	LES!		WPST	28-22	WILN	33-28	BREAKING AT:
KKRZ	add	WRQK	deb	22	KLUC	10-7	KTUX	26-22	KFFM	35-29	WHYT
WRVQ	add	KUBE	deb	28	KWOD	10-8	KZZU	26-23	99KG	33-29	PWR95
<b>WDJX</b>	add	Y94	deb	29	KTMT	13-9	KTRS	27-24	WSPK	33-29	KEGL
WERZ	add	WNNK	deb	29	HOT94.7	17-12	K96.7	31-25	WBPR	33-30	KPLZ
<b>WYKS</b>	add	<b>KDWB</b>	deb	30	WDFX	17-14	WHT0	29-25	KPXR	34-31	PWR99
95XIL	add	WAEB	deb	30	OK95	20-16	WOKI	30-25	KMCK	35-32	Q105
95XXX	add	WZOK	deb	32	XL106	21-16	<b>KFMW</b>	29-26	WWFX	37-34	B94
KKSS	add	WNVZ	deb	33	KRBE	20-17	<b>WJMX</b>	29-26	KYYY	40-35	KXXR
KTXY	add	WIFC	deb	34	HOT94.9	22-18	195	29-26	PWR92	39-35	H0T102
WAZY	add	KNIN	deb	35	WPXR	23-18	WBB0	34-26	CK105	40-36	KTFM
WCGQ	add	KFBQ	deb	39	KF95	24-19	WNYP	31-27			KS104
WIKZ	add	KCAQ	deb	39	WSTW	25-21	KISR	30-27			Y107
WKSF	add	WKRZ	deb	39	G105	24-21	KMGZ	36-28			

26-22

KQIX

999KHI

33-28





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#### "Chorus (Fishes In The Sea)"

**EARPICKS WINNER!** OVER 100,000 12" SALES!

BREAKING AT: KEGL **B96** 19-16 **CK105** add PWR99 20-17 WMXP

From the album Chorus Produced by Martyn Phillips U.S. Representation - Second Vision © 1991 Sire Records Company

- "Here are facts without the hype:
- \* 15 weeks of strong, mass appeal success
- \* As strong (or stronger) with non-alternative fens than alternative fens.
- All demos, sexes, and sexual preferences.
- Averaged #7 cell-out... regularly best scores of national Top 5 hits.
- \* Regularly Top 5 requests 18-24.
- Top 5 cassette single/12" sales.
- \* Forget about categorizing this one... Unless It's a 'power'!"

Steve Wynostok, KRBE/Houston

## BREAKOUTS

Hot new or resurging albums as reported by the nation's leading record merchandisers

NORTHERN LIGHTS / KIRK

MILLER / ST PAUL

Pixies

Primal Scream

Swervedriver

Soundgarden

Mr. Scarface

Public Enemy

NOVA / JOHN UNDERWOOD /

ATLANTA

Public Enemy

Prince

2 Live Crew

Motley Crue

John Mellencamp

Patti LaBelle

Reba McEntire

PLASTIC FANTASTIC / DAVID CASTLEMAN / PHILA

R Hot Chili Peppers

Pixies

Billy Bragg

Lloyd Cole

Nirvana

PRO ONE-STOP / PAUL

JOHNSON / TEMPE

Ozzy Osbourne

Harry Connick Jr

Nirvana

Pixies

Naughty By Nature

O RECORDS & VIDEO /

GERALD BAIN / MIAMI

John Mellencamp

2 Live Crew

Nirvana

Storm

Eric Clapton

RECORD & TAPE OUTLET /

LYNN BATCHECK / COLUMBUS

John Mell-neamp

PM Dawn

Barry White

Nirvana Party

RECORD & TAPE TRADER /

ROSS HEWSON / BALTIMORE

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Public Enemy

Robbie Robertson

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Prong

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John Mellencamp

Eric Clapton

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John Mellencamp

2 Live Crew

Prince

Soundgarden

George Winston

Eric Clapton

Mr. Scarface

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DOWNING / INDIANAPOLIS

John Mellencamp

Soundgarden

Eric Clapton

Mr. Scarface

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2 Live Crew

John Mellencamp

**Pixies** 

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Motley Crue Eric Clapton

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SOUNDS & VIDEO / KATHY

STAMM / MILWAUKEE

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Soundgarden Pixies

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**BOSTON** 

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John Mellencamp

Soundgarden Barry White

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Nirvana UNIQUE RECORD DIS-

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Soundgarden 2 Live Crew

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John Mellencamp

Public Enemy Motley Crue

A Tribe Called Quest

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Nirvana John Mellencamp

Harry Connick Jr

2 Live Crew Danger Danger Public Enemy

Patti LaBelle

WHEREHOUSE / BOB BELL / LA

2 Live Crew

John Mellencamp

Eric Clapton PM Dawn

Soundgarden **Pixies** 

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NORDEN / LOS ANGELES Nirvana

**Smashing Pumpkins** 

PM Dawn Robbie Robertson Simply Red

Rickie Lee Jones

WHEREHOUSE / MIKE NOLD / WESTWOOD

Naughty By Nature

A Tribe Called Quest

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John Mellencamp 2 Live Crew

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George Winston **Pixies** 

Soundgarden

"MONSTERS & ANGELS"

From the Album "HONEY LINGERS"

PWR95	add		KLYV	deb	39
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9 <b>99KHI</b>	add		WJMX	deb	39
<b>KIFBQ</b>	add		KFTZ	deb	40
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"Voice Of The Beehive is a perfect pop record. Top 20 requests after only 2 weeks! Huge response with 18-24 females!" — Jeff McCartney, WAPE

Produced by Alan Tarney



Electric Fetus/Mpls Let It Be/Mpls Northern Lights/Mpls Applause/Mpls Road Runners/Mpls Garage Door/Mpls Record Bar-Lenox Sq/Atlanta Tower-Lenox/Atlanta

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## DAWN

#### Set Adrift On Memory Bliss

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**BREAKING AT:** 

39-34

39-36

From their debut album "Of The Heart, Of The Soul And Of The Cross: The Utopian Experience"



#### **EARPICKS WINNER!** 27-17 HITS TOP FIFTY SINGLES!

<b>B</b> 96	ado	d	Q106	10-8	KC101	22-19
KEGL	ado	d	HOT97.7	9-8	WFHT	31-20
WEGX	ade		WHYT	15-9	KCAQ	30-20
			B95	10-9	KXXR	33-22
Q105	ado		KS104	13-10	<b>WJMO</b>	25-22
KKRZ	ado	d	WIOQ	16-12	<b>B</b> 97	26-23
WKSE	ado	d	WCKZ	15-12	MOJO	28-24
			KIIS	16-13	<b>KBFM</b>	39-25
KKSS	deb	18	KOY	18-13	XL106	30-25
KQHT	deb	25	B93	16-13	<b>Z100</b>	30-26
KPLZ	deb	26	<b>PWR102</b>	20-13	KLUC	29-26
<b>HOT95</b>	deb	26	<b>PWR106</b>	22-14	KRQ	30-26
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AVERAGE | AGGRESSIVES | REQUESTS | 45 SALES (1 to 10) (1 to 10) (4 or more)





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## HITS TOP FIFTY ALBUMS

Guns N' Roses hang in at #1, followed closely by Garth Brooks (Ropin' The Wind) and Public Enemy holding the #2 and #3 positions respectively. Huge first-week sales make John Mellencamp the highest debut at #14. Those nasty

rappers from Miami, 2 Live Crew debut at #25, as Nirvana jumps to #30. Eric Clapton comes in at #35, and closing out the debuts are Marky Mark at #46, Shabba Ranks #48, and Soundgarden #49.

W E ABTIOT			LADEL	COMMENTO
ARTIST		rle 	LABEL	COMMENTS
1 GUNS N' R	OSES USE	YOUR ILL, II	Geffen 24420	Maintains top slot
GARTH BROOKS	ROF	PIN' THE WIND	Capitol 96330	Barreling through
PUBLIC ENEMY	APC	OCALYPSE '91	Def Jam/Col 47374	Smokin'
PRINCE	DIA	MONDS AND PEARLS	P. Park/W Bros 25379	Contains multiple smashes
GUNS N' ROSES	USE	YOUR ILL, I	Geffen 24415	Contains Top 20 single
MOTLEY CRUE	DEC	CADE OF DECADENCE	Elektra 61204	Contains 4 new tracks
MARIAH CAREY	EMO	SNOITC	Columbia 47980	A million and a half
METALLICA	MET	TALLICA	Elektra 61113	Contains Top 20 single
BRYAN ADAMS	WAI	KING UP THE	A&M 5367	Second 45 Top 10
0 NATALIE COLE	UNF	FORGETTABLE	Elektra 61049	Holding solid Top 10
BONNIE RAITT	LUC	CK OF THE DRAW	Capitol 96111	Closing in on 2 million
THE COMMITME	NTS SOL	JNDTRACK	MCA 10286	Close to 700,000
RED HOT CHILI	. BLC	OOD, SUGAR, SEX	W.B. 26681	Buzz Bin
JOHN MELLENC	<b>AMP</b> WH	ENEVER WE WANTED	Mercury 314510	Killer first week
5 OZZY OSBOURN	IE NO	MORE TEARS	Epic 46795	Solid rock sales
6 DIRE STRAITS	ON	EVERY STREET	Warner Bros 26680	Solid sales
7 NAUGHTY BY NA	ATURE NAL	JGHTY BY NATURE	Tommy Bo <b>y 1</b> 044	Top 10 single leads
8 BOYZ II MEN	COC	OLEYHIGHHARMONY	Motown 6320	New single Top 20
9 MICHAEL BOLTO	ON TIM	E, LOVE AND	Columbia 46774	
IIIIOIIAEE BOET		E, EO VE / (( VD.).	Columbia 46771	New single exploding
		FENCES	Capitol 93866	New single exploding  Gaining
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GARTH BROOKS	NO C.M	FENCES	Capitol 93866	Gaining
GARTH BROOKS	NO C.M	FENCES .B.	Capitol 93866 Giant 24429	Gaining New single shipping
GARTH BROOKS COLOR ME BAD HARRY CONNIC	D C.M K JR. BLU THE	FENCES  .B.  JE LIGHT, RED  FIRE INSIDE	Capitol 93866 Giant 24429 Columbia 4868 5	Gaining  New single shipping  Big adult sales

the new single

from C.M.B.

The No.1, certified platinum album

Things are Badd all over: topping all the urban charts, topping all the pop charts. It's not a question of which came first; we're talking immaculate conception. From the No.1 double-platinum single, "I WANNA SEX YOU UP," to the numero uno fast approaching-platinum "I ADORE MI AMOR" (listen for the all-Spanish version), and now, "ALL 4 LOVE."

Produced by Howie Tee

Masagement: Adil Bayyan, Myles Sanders/Good Management, Inc. in association with Ron Sweeney & Clarence Avant





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MCA 10345

Rap/Priority 57161

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DGC 24425

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TITLE

LOW END THEORY

NEVER MIND FOREVER MY LADY

CEREMONY

**PORNOGRAFFITTI II** FOR MY BROKEN HEART

GONNA MAKE YOU...

POWER OF LOVE

INTO THE GREAT...

**SPELLBOUND** 

**GARTH BROOKS** 

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BAD MOTORFINGER

STORYVILLE

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MUSIC FOR THE PEOPLE

Reprise 26420

A&M 5313

MCA 40400

A&M 5321 Warner Bros 26594

Columbia 46038

Columbia 47093

Epic 46789

MCA 10317

Geffen 24424

Capt/Virgin 9611 Warner Bros 26589

Capitol 90897

Interscope 91737

Geffen 24303

Epic 47310

A&M 5374 Warner Bros 26320 Re-Mix Lp

Hot RAP album

COMMENTS

Rock sales

Steady sales

Smash

Album rock and MTV

PoMo smash crossing

Top 5 single leads Solid country sales

Live Package

Contains multiple smashes 45 breaking Top 40 & MTV

Action from Pop adult Ready for new single

Top 15 single leads

On tour

Falling this week New single breaking

Contains country smash

**Awards** 

Added MTV

New single starting

Single crossing Top 40

Hot rock

Smash single leads

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

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The new single

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## WAVELENGTH



by Lenny Beer & Mike Murphy

If this column was any less exciting this week, we'd be the U.S. Senate Judiciary Committee.... After much rumormongering (and quite frankly, we did our share of it). Elvis Duran segues from afternoons at Z100 to the PD throne at B93 Austin. Look for Adam Curry and his hair to handle afternoons for Mr. Kingston for at least a couple of months..... One of the names blowin' in the wind for the Z100 afternooner was Q106 San Diego's Jo Jo Kincaid, who chose to hang in sunny climes and re-upped with the House That Kevin Rules last week.... Amid the exodus from the Top 40 format, Charlotte's WGKL gives up the Gold and is now spinning the hits as 95 Double Q. WAQQ. Don't look for a PD to be named until mid

November... On the other side of the coin, another Top 40 bites the dust as KZOZ San Luis Obispo joins the necrophiliacs of Classic Rock.... What's up with the sale of Edens' Richmond and Norfolk properties to Force Two?.... In the wake of Island's integration into PLG. Dave Darus exits to join Interscope.... KC101 New Haven MD Tom Poleman makes the move to KRBE Houston to handle MD duties for Wyro..... And, is yet another major market programmer about to make the move into the label fold?..... Huge sales for Uptown/MCA's Jodeci as it heads for its first week at Top 40.... John Dimick heads from KBER Salt Lake to grab the PD chair at WGRD Grand Rapids,... Richard Spires exits the PD

post at KZZB Beaumont..... Anyone check out the great early moves for the new Lenny Kravitz cut? Despite Plen, this one looks like a go.... Former KKSS MD Mad Maxx segs to WAEB Allentown for nights ..... Mike Parsons is the new MD at KFTZ Idaho Falls.... Alan Hoover grabs the MD office at WVBS Wilmington.... Wonder how many folks are playing "Mustang Sally" by the Commitments? Just asking..... KAKS Amarillo MD Sandy Scott exits.... More Summer ARB action: In Miami, Power96 goes 5.2-5.1, Y100 down 3.3-2.9. In Seattle, KPLZ slips 6.7-6.4, **KUBE** goes 5.1-4.7. Portland's KKRZ goes 9.2-8.9 and KXYQ up 2.9-3.5. In Sacramento. FM102 slips 6.7-6.3 and KWOD gains 3.3-4.5.....

Blowin' In The Wind: Jeff Wyatt, Chuck Beck, Mike Easterlin, Tom Kelly and Jeff Pollack.... and here's Elvis, sucking down a few chili cheeseburgers in beautiful downtown Austin:



### THE CRUE'S GOT A NEW 'HOME'



## HOME SWEET HOME

(1991 VERSION)

THE RENEWED SINGLE FROM



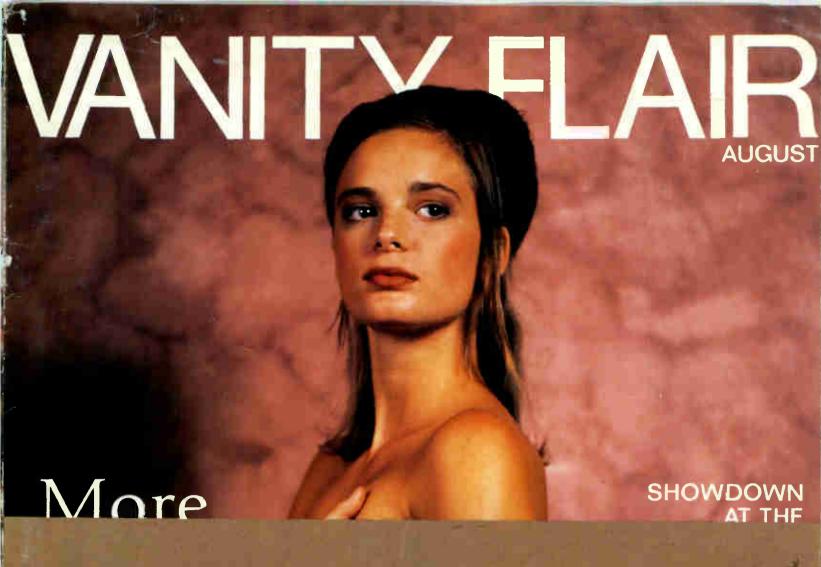


- ALBUM SHIPPED PLATINUM & DEBUTED #2 ON BILLBOARD'S SOUNDSCAN ALBUM CHART
  - THE ORIGINAL "HOME SWEET HOME" VIDEO IS ONE OF MTV'S MOST REQUESTED CLIPS OF ALL TIME
    - 1991 VERSION OF "HOME SWEET HOME" IS ALREADY
      IN TOP 5 REQUESTS AT Z100

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