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CRB Honors Tom Rivers With Award In His Name

Country Radio Broadcasters has established the **Tom Rivers** Humanitarian Award, an annual honor recognizing Country radio professionals who have "displayed a magnanimous spirit of caring and generosity in service to their community." The first will be presented to **Mariellen Maloney Cvetic**, accepting on behalf of her late son Tom Rivers, during opening ceremonies for CRS-36 on March 3. Rivers, a Country radio executive and former CRB Board member, passed away in March last year.

Dolly's Career Honored

CRB will present its Career Achievement Award to **Dolly Parton** during the Country Music DJ and Radio Hall of Fame Dinner on March 1 in Nashville. The award was established in 1998 to honor artists who have been "major influences on the growth of Country radio." **Martina McBride** and **Catherine Britt** will perform a tribute to Parton at the event.

GAC's New Scripps

Scripps Networks has started integrating the recently acquired Great American Country video network into its portfolio of media products with the appointment of new executives at GAC. **Scott Durand** has been named VP/Operations, **Sarah**

Americana Anyone?

R&R is launching the free, weekly **Americana Update**, which will be e-mailed to anyone interested in keeping up with news, trends, Going For Adds data and chart info related to that format. Send your company, calls, address, phone and e-mail data to R&R Triple A and Americana Editor John Schoenberger, and he'll make sure you're on the distribution list. Reach him at *jschoenberger@radioandrecords.com*.

Trahern joins as VP/Programming, and **Greg Neal** will oversee creative services.

Durand has been with GAC for the past seven years and will focus on day-to-day operations while continuing to oversee marketing and public relations. Trahern comes to the network from Scripps' Shop At Home network and previously produced specials for TNN and CMT. Neal developed the on-air look for Scripps properties including HGTV, Fine Living and Shop At Home.

"One of the many benefits of being a part of Scripps Networks is the ability to draw on the assets, expertise and resources of a large, successful multimedia entity in a way that complements our existing talent and strengths," says Scripps Sr. VP **Ed Hardy**, who is overseeing the integration process.



Nashville's New Star

Universal South is the new label partner for USA Network's third season of *Nashville Star*, with this year's winner earning a recording contract with the label. **Phil Vassar** will serve as this year's celebrity judge, and country music talent manager **Anastasia Brown** will also be a judge. **LeAnn Rimes**, previously announced as show host, will be joined by **Cledus T. Judd**, who will be a correspondent and provide color commentary.

We're Still The World

"We Are The World" organizer **Ken Kragen** is putting together a 20th anniversary commemoration of the worldwide phenomenon to benefit tsunami victims and AIDS-relief efforts in Africa. A simultaneous international airing of the song is set for noon ET on Jan. 28. The broadcast will help raise awareness for a four-hour *We Are the World* DVD, proceeds from which will benefit people on the tsunami-stricken east coast of Africa, as well as those affected by the continent's burgeoning AIDS crisis.

Radio News

Syndication: Jones Radio Networks is launching its fourth 24-hour Country format on Jan. 24. True Country will combine hits from A-list artists with the most popular country songs of all time, aiming for "family-friendly programming that's familiar even to the occasional listener." Jones is making True Country available as a turnkey, satellitedelivered option or as a library with customized playlist for individual markets.

Kudos: Susquehanna/Dallas, including Country KPLX (The Wolf), is partnering with the Dallas chapter of the Red Cross to raise funds for the tsunami relief effort all day Tuesday (Jan. 11).

This Week At Callout America

Last week's issue of **R&R** (Jan. 7) brought you the Country section launch of "This Week At Callout America," an analysis of the week's Country callout research by Bullseye President **John Hart**. Here's a look at some of the biggest research stories Hart looks at in next week's issue (Jan. 14):

"Blake Shelton powers up, moving strong with 'Some Beach' to the No. 1 slot from last week's No. 7. New to this week's top five is SheDaisy with 'Come Home Soon,' up from No. 12. Brad Paisley's 'Mud on the Tires' moves strong from No. 15 last week into the top 10 at No. 7. Also new to the top 10 is Darryl Worley's 'Awful, Beautiful Life' at No. 9. Craig Morgan is well in front of his spin-chart rank, with 'That's What I Love About Sunday' at No. 6."

Look for the full analysis in the Country section of this week's **R&R**.

Four Susquehanna station will broadcast live from Red Cross facilities in Dallas beginning at 5am local time through 7pm.

Artist News

Sara Evans' current album, *Restless*, has been certified platinum by the RIAA. Evans joins **Brad Paisley** on the Muds & Suds tour, which kicks off next week. She is also slated to perform at the Black Tie & Boots Texas Presidential Inaugural Event on the eve of the presidential inauguration.

Deana Carter's next album, *The Story of My Life*, is due March 8 on Vanguard Records. The single, which should ship near the end of the month, is titled "One Day at a Time."



Terri Clark's next Mercury album will be titled *Honky Tonk Songs*. Look for it this spring.

Clay Walker has left the RCA/Nashville roster.

Industry News

Universal Music Group/Nashville has promoted Jason Owen to Sr. VP/Media, Artist Relations & Creative Services for the Mercury, MCA and DreamWorks labels. Owens will continue developing and implementing media campaigns on behalf of UMG's artists and will oversee Creative Services, which includes video and production departments.

AristoMedia Group has upped **Craig Bann** to Sr. VP/Marketing & Publicity. Bann joined the company in 1989. Concurrently, **Rick Kelly** has been elevated to VP/Radio Marketing for Aristo's Marco Promotions division. Kelly is a 12-year industry vet who joined the company in 2000. The promotions give Bann oversight of Aristo's publicity and video-marketing divisions, while Kelly heads the radio-marketing and dance-club-promotion divisions. Aristo has also hired **Danny Combs** as Publicist and **Elizabeth Hartzog** as Radio Marketing Assistant.

Bill Mayne has closed his management company, Mayne Entertainment, and has new contact info. Reach him at 615-294-7464 or *billmayne@comcast.net*.

Benefit News

Proceeds from **Marty Raybon**'s Indian Mound Bluegrass Festival, scheduled for Feb. 10-13 in Okeechobee, FL, have been pledged to tsunami relief efforts. An extra day of concerts has been added to raise additional funds. Contact *poppymtn@mis.com* for more information, including how to submit a donation if unable to attend the festival.

The Fox Rocks!

R&R/Nashville's first annual Clean Out the office auction is picking up steam, as someone finally breaks the ice with a bid on the **R&R** Fox. In the last week alone we've been bombarded with no less than four (uh, at least three...OK, two) fox inquiries, and now that the market's been set, let the hunt begin!

Remember, it all benefits St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. You can see the full list of items in the Dec. 31, 2004 issue or by e-mailing a request to *countrynews@radioandrecords.com*.

Here are the top current bids:

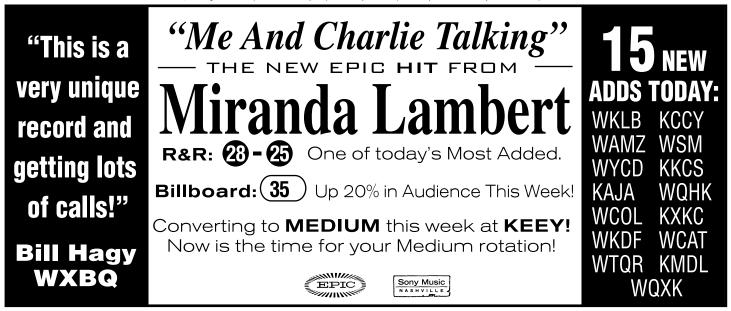
- Item No. 1: Dixie Chicks tour jacket, \$200
- Item No. 2: Legends photographs, \$500
- Item No. 3: Tony Brown's TV remote, \$20
- Item No. 4: Reba prize pack, \$100
- Item No. 6: Autographed NBA ball, \$50
- Item No. 10: John Elway bobblehead, \$50
- Item No. 14: Sammy Sosa baseball, \$30
- Item No. 15: The R&R fox, \$20

Life Notes

Chris LeDoux is feeling well as he completes treatment for cancer of the bile duct. Doctors in his home state of Wyoming are said to be happy with his progress and confident he will be rid of the cancer.

The Week In Review

Here are some of the stories first appearing in the **R&R** Country Daily. Get on the free, daily news gravy train by sending your name, company or



calls, job title, address, phone and e-mail to *subscribe@radioandrecords.com*. For more on these stories visit the Country Format Room at *www.radioandrecords.com*.

R&R Country Daily, Jan. 4: RCA Label Group/ Nashville discontinues its use of independent country record promoters. RLG Executive VP/GM **Butch Waugh** tells **R&R**: "This is something we have been talking about for a long time, and the beginning of the New Year seemed like the right time to do it. We just want to deal with radio one-on-one. This is a way to not only take advantage of the strong relationships we already enjoy with radio, but to strengthen those relationships by building stronger lines of communication by dealing directly with radio."

Former WSM-FM/Nashville PD **Lee Logan** is the new PD of fledgling Country outlet KBKO/Bakersfield. OM Steve King has been programming the station since PD/morning personality Kenn McCloud relinquished PD duties last October.

Former WTNJ/Beckley, WV afternoon driver **Darrell "Double D" Ramsey** has been named PD/ MD/afternoon driver at crosstown Country competitor and 12+ market leader WJLS (Big Dawg). He can be reached at *doubled@wjls.com* or 304-253-7311.

KFTX/Corpus Christi GM/morning jock and 2004 Country DJ Hall of Fame inductee **Dr. Bruce Nelson** was recognized by Texas Governor Rick Perry and the state legislature in a resolution presented on Dec. 18.

KLAK-AM/Denver, now KCKK, recently celebrated its 50th anniversary. KLAK shows up on the resumes of former *Denver Post* broadcasting columnist **Clark Secrest**, Charlotte personality **Rick Jackson**, Westwood One exec **Charlie Cook**, KUPL/Portland, OR morning man **Lee Rogers**, Citadel/Albuquerque OM **Art Ortega** and **R&R** Country Editor **Lon Helton**.

Eddy Arnold, The Carter Family and **Jerry Lee Lewis** are among the artists who will receive the Recording Academy's Lifetime Achievement Award during the 47th annual Grammy Awards, on Feb. 13.

R&R Country Daily, Jan. 5: Mike Hyland has reopened his Full Court Press public relations company. Initial clients include David Frizzell, IMI Music Group and the Bluebird Cafe. Phone is 615-599-9706, e-mail is *mikehyland@comcast.net*.

Buddy Jewell, Suzy Boggus and former *Nashville Star* contestant **Jamey Garner** will perform as part of the six-day World Championships of Country Dance, held at Nashville's Opryland Hotel from Jan. 11-16. A televised special will air on GAC in February.

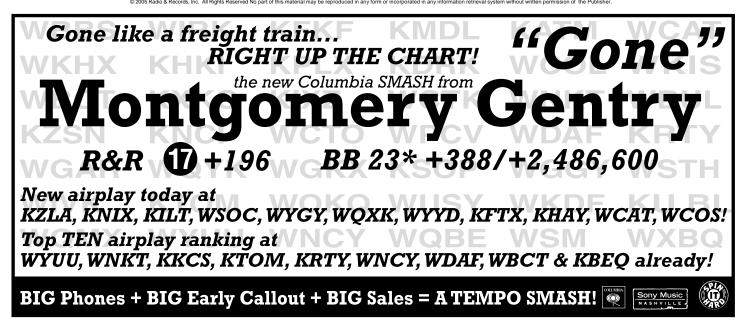
R&R Country Daily, Jan. 6: WJZV (93.1 The Wolf)/Richmond has set its air staff, including area radio vet **Mike Levay** in mornings, PD **Jeff Beck** in middays, **Johni** in afternoons, and nightclub DJ **K2** in evenings.

Clear Channel/Tallahassee OM Jeff Horn reports that Country WTNT has brought in morning team **Cash and Carrie** for AM drive.

Country album sales in 2004 totaled 77,912,000 units, up 12% over 2003 according to Nielsen SoundScan data released by CMA. This amid only a 1.6% increase in total industry sales following a four-year period of decline.

RLG/Nashville ups **Jim Catino** to Sr. Director/A&R.

Koch Records/Nashville signs country artist **Dallas Wayne** and Americana duo **Hacienda Brothers**.



Both acts will release albums on Feb. 22, ushering in the label's new focus on alternative country.

ABC Radio Group/Dallas, including Country KSCS, raises \$88,435 for tsunami relief.

R&R Country Daily, Jan. 7: Clear Channel Dir./ Oldies Programming and KQOL/Las Vegas PD **Marty Thompson** is named PD of Infinity Country WUBE(B105.1)/Cincinnati. He succeeds Tim Closson, who left the station Oct. 1. Thompson previously worked in the Queen City from 1990-98 programming Oldies WGRR, now also owned by Infinity.

Clear Channel's KBQI/Albuquerque trades Asst. PD/ MD/afternoon driver **Sammy Cruise** to KWNR/Las Vegas for MD/middayer **Jeff J**. Cruise will now be KWNR's MD/middayer, while Jeff will be Asst. PD/MD/ afternoon driver at KBQI.

Pamal Broadcasting's Smooth Jazz WZMR/Albany, NY flipped to a simulcast of Country WFFG/Glens Falls, NY. WZMR becomes the market's third Country outlet, joining WEGQ and market leader WGNA. WFFG's PD is Justin Clapp.

WGH-FM/Norfolk MD/afternoon driver **Mark McKay** has added Asst. PD duties at the Barnstable Country outlet.

The first leg of **Kenny Chesney**'s Somewhere in the Sun tour kicks off March 11 in Green Bay, WI. Uncle Kracker and Gretchen Wilson open the stretch, which runs through a May 14 date in Dallas.

Gretchen Wilson's *Here for the Party* was the bestselling debut album in any genre in 2004, according to Sony/Nashville. The disc sold 2,931,097 units from its May 11 release through the end of the year.

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Dates & Deadlines

Feb. 13: 47th annual Grammy Awards. CBS. 8pm/ET

Mar. 2-4: CRS-36. More info at *www.crb.org* or 615-327-4487

May 17: 40th annual ACM Awards. CBS. 8pm/ET

June 9-12: CMA Music Fest: FanFair 2005. More info at *www.cmafest.com* or 800-CMA-FEST

June 23-25: R&R Convention. Renaissance Cleveland Hotel. More info to come.

MUSICNOTES

Curing Sunday night's *People's Choice Awards* on CBS, **Brooks & Dunn** won in the Country Group category, **Shania Twain** was chosen for the Country Female Singer slot and **Tim McGraw** won for Country Male Singer. Nominations were determined by the editors at *Entertainment Weekly*, the People's Choice production team and a panel of pop culture fans, with winners chosen through Internet voting.

Cledus T. Judd has been tapped as Master of Ceremonies for the Montgomery Gentry and Trace Adkins Turn It Up & Bring It On tour kicking off Feb. 3 in Madison. Floor tickets for the tour are general admission.

Gretchen Wilson was on hand at the Opryland Hotel as Chevrolet presented 10 young cancer survivors with brand new Chevy Cobalts during the Fox broadcast of *America's Party With Ryan Seacrest* on New Year's Eve. The T.J. Martell Foundation worked with the Vanderbilt-Ingram Cancer Center to select the recipients, ages 19 to 30.

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American Red Cross volunteers are joining **SheDaisy** and the group's street team volunteers today to fill more than 15,000 orders for "Come Home Soon" bracelets. Proceeds from the sale of the bracelets, which are available on the group's website, will be donated to the Red Cross Armed Forces Emergency Services program, supporting active military, reserve forces and their families.

Tift Merritt, whose new Lost Highway single is being worked by DreamWorks, is featured on the March cover of *FHM*; it's the magazine's annual music issue.

Srooks & Dunn, Alan Jackson, Neal McCoy, Charlie Daniels Band, Lee Greenwood, Gretchen Wilson, Jeff Foxworthy, Big & Rich, Keith Urban, Kenny Chesney, Rascal Flatts, Pat Green, Martina McBride, Brad Paisley, Montgomery Gentry, Lynyrd Skynyrd, Clint Black and Clay Walker are among the artists slated to perform during the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, which runs March 1 to 20.

Julie Roberts returns to her alma mater, Belmont University, for a Homecoming Weekend show at the Curb Cafe on Jan. 21.

VIDEO ADDS

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AMY DALLEY I Would Cry JOE NICHOLS What's A Guy Gotta Do

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Tuesday, 1/11

BIRTHDAYS: Goldie Hill, Naomi Judd, Dewey Boynton, Dennis Edwards

On TV: CMT: Waylon Jennings, *CMT Inside Fame*. GAC: **Gretchen** Wilson, Rascal Flatts, Miranda Lambert and more, *Country Music Across America*;* Jeffrey Steele, *Celebrity Kitchen;* Jimmy Dickens, Andy Griggs, Alison Krauss and more, *Grand Ole Opry Live*.

Wednesday, 1/12

BIRTHDAYS: William Lee Golden, Ray Price, the late Tex Ritter, Ricky Van Shelton, Ron Baird, Traci Todd

On TV: CMT: **Trace Adkins**, *CMT Most Shocking: College Sports Headlines;* **Rascal Flatts**, *CMT Total Access*. GAC: **Amy Dalley**, *Celebrity Kitchen*;* **Lari White**, *GAC Classic**.

Thursday, 1/13

BIRTHDAYS: Trace Adkins, John Burns On TV: CMT: Kenny Chesney, *Stacked.* GAC: Miranda Lambert, *CRL*.*

Friday, 1/14

BIRTHDAYS: Billie Jo Spears, Billy Walker, Martin Fischer, Susan Levy, Tim Murphy, Chuck Thagard, Anne Weaver, Renee White On TV: CMT: Rascal Flatts, *CMT Total Access.* GAC: Jimmy Wayne, *Celebrity Kitchen**.

Saturday, 1/15

BIRTHDAYS: Kurt Howell, Lee Adams, Mike Borchetta, David Lynn Jones, Tracey Myers, Jay Roberts

On TV: CMT: **Big & Rich, Gretchen Wilson**, *MuzikMafia TV;* GAC: **Terri Clark, Blaine Larsen, Rhonda Vincent, Lorrie Morgan** (host), *Grand Ole Opry Live*;* **Mark Chesnutt,** *Country on the Gulf.* NBC: **Darryl Worley,** half-time performance on The U.S. Army All-American Bowl*.

Sunday, 1/16

BIRTHDAYS: Ronnie Milsap, Sandy Pinkard, Bill Macky

On TV: ESPN2: **Travis Tritt**, *The New American Sportsman**. GAC: **Jimmy Wayne**, *Celebrity Kitchen*.

Monday, 1/17

BIRTHDAYS: Steve Earle, Jon Randall, Amanda Wilkinson, Ryan Barnstead, Kim Markovchick

On TV: Food Network: **Robert Earl Keen**, *The Great Texas Mosquito Festival....* GAC: **Jett Williams**, *Celebrity Kitchen**.

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LW	TW	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Total Points	+/- Points	Total Plays	+/- Plays	Tot. Aud. (00)	+/- Aud. (00)	Wks On	Total Station
3	0	DARRYL WORLEY Awful, Beautiful Life (DreamWorks)	11875	1557	4323	+647	398848	41863	26	115/1
1	2	BLAKE SHELTON Some Beach (Warner Bros.)	11681	-222	4148	-156	411355	-11489	22	114/1
2	3	TIM MCGRAW Back When (Curb)	10833	-631	4012	-153	381434	-10400	18	114/1
4	4	GRETCHEN WILSON When I Think About Cheatin' (Epic)	10287	504	3759	+333	347158	11748	11	115/1
5	6	KEITH URBAN You're My Better Half (Capitol)	9948	1000	3592	+370	334864	35917	11	114/1
7	6	RASCAL FLATTS Bless The Broken Road (Lyric Street)	9504	828	3295	+328	335318	29660	10	115/1
6	1	BRAD PAISLEY Mud On The Tires (Arista)	9459	520	3541	+241	315253	12436	16	113/1
10	8	ALAN JACKSON Monday Morning Church (Arista)	7985	492	3042	+254	274408	12514	13	113/1
9	9	LEANN RIMES Nothin' 'Bout Love Makes Sense (Asylum/Curb)	7671	115	2840	+114	272914	3231	18	113/1
12	0	REBA MCENTIRE He Gets That From Me (MCA)	7048	410	2607	+171	238748	8632	19	113/2
13	0	JOSH GRACIN Nothin' To Lose (Lyric Street)	6616	561	2409	+212	210002	11731	17	112/2
14	12	BIG & RICH Holy Water (Warner Bros.)	5775	212	2156	+83	189462	3559	14	113/2
16	ß	LEE ANN WOMACK May Hate Myself In The Morning (MCA)	5599	315	2036	+114	178130	12548	11	110/3
15	1	BILLY DEAN Let Them Be Little (Curb)	5501	133	2165	+104	177587	8885	17	107/5
18	6	SUGARLAND Baby Girl (Mercury)	4999	357	1841	+148	163196	11821	23	108/10
22	16	CRAIG MORGAN That's What I Love About Sunday (BBR)	4448	645	1671	+233	140726	19378	10	108/3
20	Ð	MONTGOMERY GENTRY Gone (Columbia)	4406	513	1620	+196	135062	18133	7	102/7
19	18	ANDY GRIGGS If Heaven (RCA)	4269	243	1544	+124	136622	11456	11	104/9
21	19	PAT GREEN Don't Break My Heart Again (Universal/Republic/Mercury)	4090	259	1456	+117	128275	7767	20	89/2
23	20	BROOKS & DUNN It's Getting Better All The Time (Arista)	4003	382	1528	+163	140353	18329	6	98/12
24	2	JAMIE O'NEAL Trying To Find Atlantis (Capitol)	3732	228	1427	+106	114498	8344	13	102/7
25	2	TOBY KEITH f/KRYSTAL Mockingbird (DreamWorks)	3158	169	1123	+77	103211	1727	7	84/4
27	23	JOE NICHOLS What's A Guy Gotta Do (Universal South)	2652	235	993	+114	81895	8597	7	77/6
Breaker	24	BLAINE LARSEN How Do You Get That Lonely (BNA/Giantslayer)	2227	195	811	+48	66704	3211	9	75/9
28	Ø	MIRANDA LAMBERT Me And Charlie Talking (Epic)	2226	126	863	+42	54893	3606	12	87/13
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26	26	JIMMY WAYNE Paper Angels (DreamWorks)	2127	-742	810	-327	70135	-24354	8	76/1
Breaker	Ø	MARTINA MCBRIDE God's Will (RCA)	2006	191	855	+84	62082	2520	5	76/9
Breaker	28	TERRI CLARK The World Needs A Drink (Mercury)	1940	120	780	+55	56136	1105	8	74/7
Breaker	29	TRACE ADKINS Songs About Me (Capitol)	1814	299	743	+147	54968	9195	4	76/17
Breaker	30	KENNY CHESNEY Anything But Mine (BNA)	1799	642	717	+266	60459	25259	2	84/41
41	3	JO DEE MESSINA My Give A Damn's Busted (Curb)	1710	673	529	+248	57068	19165	2	61/32
36	32	PHIL VASSAR I'll Take That As A Yes (The Hot Tub Song) (Arista)	1655	269	598	+99	50438	8122	6	57/8
35	3 3	AMY DALLEY I Would Cry (Curb)	1618	180	623	+86	47754	3839	9	64/5
32	34	JEFF BATES Long, Slow Kisses (RCA)	1571	-41	639	-8	45838	187	13	64/6
37	35	MARK CHESNUTT I'm A Saint (Vivaton)	1500	147	603	+66	36952	2901	10	52/2
34	36	CHELY WRIGHT Bumper Of My S.U.V. (Dualtone/Painted Red)	1381	-59	520	+3	49147	2951	7	33/4
39	37	TRACY BYRD Revenge Of A Middle-Aged Woman (BNA)	1060	-124	466	-37	25315	-5211	12	53/2
38	38	SHELLY FAIRCHILD You Don't Lie Here Anymore (Columbia)	1029	-194	489	-55	27272	-2758	12	56/1
43	39	KEITH ANDERSON Pickin' Wildflowers (Arista)	1022	312	463	+152	25485	8714	3	46/6
42	40	BLUE COUNTY Nothin' But Cowboy Boots (Asylum/Curb)	920	98	422	+19	17103	-4565	2	51/7
44	4	SARA EVANS Tonight (RCA)	790	237	326	+54	21631	8548	3	45/8
46	42	ALISON KRAUSS & UNION STATION Restless (Rounder)	647	105	257	+46	17515	2568	3	28/2
Debut	43	LONESTAR Class Reunion (That Used To) (BNA)	612	571	220	+203	14590	13309	1	36/30
45	44	TRENT WILLMON Home Sweet Holiday Inn (Columbia)	546	1	269	+1	12413	826	5	35/4
47	4 5	RANDY TRAVIS Four Walls (Word/Curb/Warner Bros.)	515	22	256	+17	11381	288	4	31/1
50	46	RANDY ROGERS BAND Tonight's Not The Night /Smith Entertainment	t/ 435	153	102	+65	10252	924	2	1/1
48	47	PAT GREEN Somewhere Between Texas (Universal/Republic/Mercur	y/ 387	-34	54	-5	12998	-422	7	0/0
49	48	TRENT WILLMON The Good Life (Columbia)	354	38	52	+4	10796	1184	14	0/0
Debut	4 9	KENI THOMAS Not Me (Moraine)	286	43	127	+20	6120	1133	1	15/4
_	50	KEVIN FOWLER Ain't Drinkin' Anymore (Equity Music Group)	258	86	42	+13	7704	1476	8	4/0
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ARTIST Title Label(s)	Adds
KENNY CHESNEY Anything But Mine (BNA)	41
JO DEE MESSINA My Give A Damn's Busted (Curb)	32
LONESTAR Class Reunion (That Used To) (BNA)	30
TRACE ADKINS Songs About Me (Capitol)	17
SHANIA TWAIN Don't! (Mercury)	15
MIRANDA LAMBERT Me And Charlie Talking (Epic)	13
BROOKS & DUNN It's Getting Better All The Time (Arista)	12
SUGARLAND Baby Girl (Mercury)	10
MOST INCREASED POINTS	Total Pt.
ARTIST Title Label(s)	Increase
JEREMY CAMP Take You Back (BEC/Tooth & Nail)	+226
STEVEN CURTIS CHAPMAN Much Of You (Sparrow/EMI CMG)	+184
MERCYME Homesick (INO/Curb)	+159
SALVADOR Heaven (Word/Curb/Warner Bros.)	+138
MONK & NEAGLE Dancing With The Angels (Flicker)	+129
THIRD DAY You Are Mine (Essential/PLG)	+117
CASTING CROWNS Voice Of Truth (Beach Street/Reunion/PLG)	+116
PHILLIPS, CRAIG & DEAN You Are God Alone (INO)	+115
SONICFLOOD Your Love Goes On Forever (//NO)	+108
CHRIS TOMLIN Indescribable (Sixsteps/Sparrow/EMI CMG)	+100
MOST INCREASED PLAYS	Total Play
ARTIST Title Label(s)	Increase
DARRYL WORLEY Awful, Beautiful Life (DreamWorks)	+647
KEITH URBAN You're My Better Half (Capitol)	+370
GRETCHEN WILSON When I Think About Cheatin' (Epic)	+333
RASCAL FLATTS Bless The Broken Road (Lyric Street)	+328
KENNY CHESNEY Anything But Mine (BNA)	+266
ALAN JACKSON Monday Morning Church (Arista)	+254
JO DEE MESSINA My Give A Damn's Busted (Curb)	+248
BRAD PAISLEY Mud On The Tires (Arista)	+241
CRAIG MORGAN That's What I Love About Sunday (BBR)	+233
JOSH GRACIN Nothin' To Lose (Lyric Street)	+212

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	MOST ADDED	
	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Adds
	JO DEE MESSINA My Give A Damn's Busted (Curb)	39
	LONESTAR Class Reunion (That Used To) (BNA)	28
	KENNY CHESNEY Anything But Mine (BNA)	24
	TRACE ADKINS Songs About Me (Capitol)	19
	SUGARLAND Baby Girl (Mercury)	13
	SHANIA TWAIN Don't! (Mercury)	12
	ANDY GRIGGS If Heaven (RCA)	10
	MONTGOMERY GENTRY Gone (Columbia)	10
	MIRANDA LAMBERT Me And Charlie Talking (Epic)	8
8	MOST INCREASED POINTS	Total Pt.
	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Increase
	KEITH URBAN You're My Better Half (Capitol)	+576
	BRAD PAISLEY Mud On The Tires (Arista)	+537
	RASCAL FLATTS Bless The Broken Road (Lyric Street)	+495
	KENNY CHESNEY Anything But Mine (BNA)	+492
	GRETCHEN WILSON When I Think About Cheatin' (Epic)	+464
	JO DEE MESSINA My Give A Damn's Busted (Curb)	+425
	TRACE ADKINS Songs About Me (Capitol)	+367
	MONTGOMERY GENTRY Gone (Columbia)	+355
	BROOKS & DUNN It's Getting Better All The Time (Arista)	+351
	SUGARLAND Baby Girl (Mercury)	+331
	MOST INCREASED PLAYS	Total Play
	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Increase
	KEITH URBAN You're My Better Half <i>(Capitol)</i>	+433
	BRAD PAISLEY Mud On The Tires (Arista)	+401
	RASCAL FLATTS Bless The Broken Road (Lyric Street)	+396
	GRETCHEN WILSON When I Think About Cheatin' (Epic)	+389
	KENNY CHESNEY Anything But Mine (BNA)	+382
	JO DEE MESSINA My Give A Damn's Busted (Curb)	+339
	MONTGOMERY GENTRY Gone (Columbia)	+279
	SUGARLAND Baby Girl (Mercury)	+277
	TRACE ADKINS Songs About Me (Capitol)	+275
	BROOKS & DUNN It's Getting Better All The Time (Arista)	+269



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ARTIST Title Label(s)

COUNTRY INDICATOR NEW & ACTIVE

No songs qualified for New & Active this week.

COUNTRY NEW & ACTIVE

SHANIA TWAIN Don't! *(Mercury)* Total Plays: 46, Total Stations: 15, Adds: 15

MOST PLAYED RECURRENTS

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1/18

LONESTAR Class Reunion (That Used To...) (BNA)

SAWYER BROWN f/ROBERT RANDOLPH Mission Temple Fireworks Stand (Curb)

SHANIA TWAIN Don't! (Mercury)

TIFT MERRITT Good Hearted Man (Lost Highway/DreamWorks)

Total Plays 1/24

GARY ALLAN Nothing On But The Radio (MCA)	2838	BLAKE SHELTON Goodbye Time (Warner Bros.)
		JEDD HUGHES Soldier For The Lonely (MCA)
SHANIA TWAIN W/ B. CURRINGTON Party For Two (Mercury)	2/31	JESSI ALEXANDER Canyon Prayer (Columbia)
LONESTAR Mr. Mom (BNA)	2701	JULIE ROBERTS Wake Up Older (Mercury)
DIERKS BENTLEY How Am I Doin' (Capitol)	2479	REBECCA LYNN HOWARD That's Why I Hate Pontiacs (Arista)
SARA EVANS Suds In The Bucket (RCA)	2467	SHEDAISY Don't Worry 'Bout A Thing (Lyric Street)
KENNY CHESNEY The Woman With You (BNA)	2394	
TIM MCGRAW Live Like You Were Dying (Curb)	2298	1/31
		AARON LINES Waitin' On The Wonderful (BNA)
KENNY CHESNEY I Go Back <i>(BNA)</i>	1889	BUDDY JEWELL If She Were Any Other Woman (Columbia)
PHIL VASSAR In A Real Love (Arista)	1817	DIERKS BENTLEY Lot Of Leavin' Left To Do (Capitol)
KEITH URBAN Days Go By <i>(Capitol)</i>	1793	KATRINA ELAM I Want A Cowboy (Universal South)

POWEREDBY **MEDIABASE** 116 Country reporters. Songs ranked by total points for the airplay week of 1/2-1/8. Bullets appear on songs gaining points and/or plays or remaining flat from previous week. If two songs are tied in total points, the song with the larger increase in points is placed first. Songs below No. 1 and down in points and plays for three consecutive weeks are moved to recurrent. Most Added is the total number of new adds officially reported to R&R by each reporting station. Songs the greatest week-to-week increases in total points. Station Weight = AQH Persons + (Market rank X 10) divided by 4180. Total Audience equals Average Quarter Hour Persons times number of plays (times 100). Each daypart on each station is assigned an AQH number. Average Quarter Hour Persons used herein with permission from Arbitron Inc. (© 2005, Arbitron Inc.). © 2005, R&R, Inc.



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LW	TW	anuary 11, 2005 ARTIST Title Label(s)	Total Points	+/- Points	Total Plays	+/- Plays	Tot. Aud. (00)	+/- Aud. (00)	Wks On	Total Station
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3	Ð	DARRYL WORLEY Awful, Beautiful Life (DreamWorks)	5010	223	3907	+147	115331	6080	26	108/1
1	2	BLAKE SHELTON Some Beach (Warner Bros.)	4780	-339	3666	-285	111865	-6883	22	106/0
7	3	BRAD PAISLEY Mud On The Tires (Arista)	4682	537	3651	+401	107226	10741	17	107/2
6	4	GRETCHEN WILSON When I Think About Cheatin' (Epic)	4629	464	3648	+389	104920	10315	11	107/0
2	5	TIM MCGRAW Back When (Curb)	4504	-364	3473	-292	105840	-6905	16	103/0
4	6	ALAN JACKSON Monday Morning Church (Arista)	4492	21	3478	+25	101807	1265	13	108/0
9	1	KEITH URBAN You're My Better Half (Capitol)	4425	576	3406	+433	101804	11798	11	108/3
11	8	RASCAL FLATTS Bless The Broken Road (Lyric Street)	4213	495	3214	+396	96646	10793	10	107/1
12	9	LEANN RIMES Nothin' 'Bout Love Makes Sense (Asylum/Curb)	3792	227	3037	+221	86787	5925	18	105/0
5	10	SHANIA TWAIN W/ B. CURRINGTON Party For Two (Mercury)	3563	-708	2719	-578	82588	-13938	17	98/0
13	Ũ	REBA MCENTIRE He Gets That From Me (MCA)	3496	222	2745	+173	78803	4830	19	107/2
8	12	DIERKS BENTLEY How Am I Doin' (Capitol)	3255	-677	2463	-562	72822	-15167	34	91/0
14	13	BIG & RICH Holy Water (Warner Bros.)	3178	-14	2479	-24	73366	1162	15	103/1
16	14	JOSH GRACIN Nothin' To Lose (Lyric Street)	3096	275	2399	+209	71266	5751	18	99/3
18	6	LEE ANN WOMACK May Hate Myself In The Morning (MCA)	2883	273	2272	+232	66323	6053	11	99/2
17	16	BILLY DEAN Let Them Be Little (Curb)	2786	148	2119	+114	63133	3454	15	98/2
19	Ū	BROOKS & DUNN It's Getting Better All The Time (Arista)	2567	351	2002	+269	55961	7735	6	98/6
20	18	ANDY GRIGGS If Heaven (RCA)	2307	251	1751	+175	52422	4597	12	91/10
23	19	SUGARLAND Baby Girl (Mercury)	2232	331	1736	+277	49874	7490	24	86/13
22	20	JAMIE O'NEAL Trying To Find Atlantis (Capitol)	2193	244	1725	+183	48709	6184	13	94/4
21	2	PAT GREEN Don't Break My Heart Again (Universal/Republic/Mercury)	2062	40	1620	+27	45853	1187	19	84/2
25	22	MONTGOMERY GENTRY Gone (Columbia)	2050	355	1591	+279	49703	8916	7	87/10
26	23	CRAIG MORGAN That's What I Love About Sunday (BBR)	1867	255	1460	+222	43789	5729	9	86/7
27	24	TOBY KEITH f/KRYSTAL Mockingbird (DreamWorks)	1664	114	1332	+94	38634	2173	7	75/2
28	25	JOE NICHOLS What's A Guy Gotta Do (Universal South)	1549	134	1246	+113	34029	2581	8	78/7

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LW	TW	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Total Points	+/- Points	Total Plays	+/- Plays	Tot. Aud. (00)	+/- Aud. (00)	Wks On	Total Station
29	26	MARTINA MCBRIDE God's Will (RCA)	1352	271	1082	+211	29847	6309	5	70/7
33	Ð	KENNY CHESNEY Anything But Mine (BNA)	1286	492	1016	+382	28818	10860	3	77 24
24	28	JIMMY WAYNE Paper Angels (DreamWorks)	1207	-494	926	-377	27765	-11002	9	64/0
34	29	TRACE ADKINS Songs About Me (Capitol)	1140	367	895	+275	25254	8631	4	73/19
30	30	MARK CHESNUTT I'm A Saint (Vivaton)	1094	14	824	+7	22650	254	11	68/1
31	3	TERRI CLARK The World Needs A Drink (Mercury)	1073	113	868	+92	22441	2504	8	62/4
32	32	MIRANDA LAMBERT Me And Charlie Talking (Epic)	1023	93	789	+90	23528	2287	12	61/8
39	3 3	BLAINE LARSEN How Do You Get That Lonely (BNA/Giantslayer)	747	139	616	+121	17255	2801	6	53/7
38	34	PHIL VASSAR I'll Take That As A Yes (The Hot Tub Song) (Arista)	719	107	581	+92	17545	2647	7	49/5
40	35	SARA EVANS Tonight (RCA)	612	61	493	+42	13355	1360	9	40/5
37	36	CHELY WRIGHT Bumper Of My S.U.V. (Dualtone/Painted Red)	606	-17	510	-24	13714	-1016	6	38/3
41	37	AMY DALLEY Would Cry (Curb)	467	24	354	+21	10438	386	8	31/3
42	38	ALISON KRAUSS & UNION STATION Restless (Rounder)	453	37	343	+28	10333	844	5	32/3
Debut	39	JO DEE MESSINA My Give A Damn's Busted (Curb)	440	425	352	+339	10821	10642	1	44/39
44	40	BLUE COUNTY Nothin' But Cowboy Boots (Asylum/Curb)	431	118	353	+94	9850	2791	3	33/6
Debut	41	LONESTAR Class Reunion (That Used To) (BNA)	389	311	334	+261	8153	6384	1	38/28
43	42	KEITH ANDERSON Pickin' Wildflowers (Arista)	381	3	281	+13	9234	193	3	24/3
45	43	RANDY TRAVIS Four Walls (Word/Curb/Warner Bros.)	277	50	224	+22	5579	757	5	19/3
46	44	JOHN STONE Shame On Me (Tootsie's)	235	35	161	+20	3138	313	4	13/1
50	45	TRENT WILLMON Home Sweet Holiday Inn (Columbia)	164	60	167	+65	2951	933	2	16/4
49	46	KENI THOMAS Not Me (Moraine)	128	7	102	+2	2822	70	2	10/0
Debut	47	SAWYER BROWN f/R. RANDOLPH Mission Temple Fireworks (Cura	》 102	37	77	+29	2039	769	1	9/4
Debut	4 8	CARLY GOODWIN Just Another Mountain (DreamBear Music)	97	19	87	+10	1833	192	1	11/0
Debut	4 9	SHANIA TWAIN Don't! (Mercury)	95	95	80	+80	2673	2673	1	12/12
Debut>	50	BLAKE SHELTON Goodbye Time (Warner Bros.)	93	93	65	+65	2369	2369	1	4/4
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Artist Title (Label)	TW	LW	Fam.	Burn	P 25-54	W 25-54	M 25-54
BLAKE SHELTON Some Beach (Warner Bros.)	4.24	4.23	97%	27%	4.28	4.30	4.26
GARY ALLAN Nothing On But The Radio (MCA)	4.21	4.23	98%	25%	4.18	4.33	4.09
TIM MCGRAW Back When (Curb)	4.16	4.25	98%	30%	4.18	4.08	4.25
JOE NICHOLS What's A Guy Gotta Do (Universal South)	4.13	_	61%	8%	4.13	4.08	4.16
KENNY CHESNEY The Woman With You (BNA)	4.12	4.13	95%	23%	4.11	4.22	4.04
DARRYL WORLEY Awful, Beautiful Life (DreamWorks)	4.12	4.15	92 %	20 %	4.18	4.15	4.20
JOSH GRACIN Nothin' To Lose (Lyric Street)	4.11	4.04	85%	13%	4.04	4.10	4.01
DIERKS BENTLEY How Am I Doin' (Capitol)	4.10	4.07	96 %	33%	4.10	4.17	4.06
BRAD PAISLEY Mud On The Tires (Arista)	4.08	4.07	97 %	18%	4.08	3.96	4.15
KEITH URBAN You're My Better Half (Capitol)	4.06	4.15	89%	21%	4.02	4.22	3.90
SUGARLAND Baby Girl (Mercury)	4.03	3.98	77%	13%	4.04	3.99	4.06
SHEDAISY Come Home Soon (Lyric Street)	4.02	4.02	92 %	27%	4.01	4.10	3.96
CRAIG MORGAN That's What I Love About Sunday (BBR)	3.98	3.85	76%	10%	3.98	4.05	3.94
RASCAL FLATTS Bless The Broken Road (Lyric Street)	3.95	4.15	88%	21%	3.85	4.07	3.73
LEANN RIMES Nothin' 'Bout Love Makes Sense (Asylum/Curb)	3.94	3.99	92 %	17%	3.99	4.02	3.97
ALAN JACKSON Monday Morning Church (Arista)	3.93	4.03	94 %	23%	4.04	4.05	4.03
ANDY GRIGGS If Heaven (RCA)	3.93	4.01	66%	10%	3.97	4.09	3.91
GRETCHEN WILSON When I Think About Cheatin' (Epic)	3.91	4.01	96 %	29 %	3.97	4.04	3.92
LEE ANN WOMACK I May Hate Myself In The Morning (MCA)	3.90	3.90	79%	12%	3.93	4.03	3.87
BROOKS & DUNN It's Getting Better All The Time (Arista)	3.90	-	65%	9 %	3.99	4.21	3.86
REBA MCENTIRE He Gets That From Me (MCA)	3.86	4.09	97 %	31%	3.96	4.06	3.90
MONTGOMERY GENTRY Gone (Columbia)	3.85	3.84	70%	17%	3.81	3.93	3.74
JIMMY WAYNE Paper Angels (DreamWorks)	3.82	4.07	77%	17%	3.82	3.94	3.75
BLAINE LARSEN How Do You Get That Lonely (BNA/Giantslayer)	3.77	-	40 %	7%	3.76	3.84	3.71
BILLY DEAN Let Them Be Little (Curb)	3.76	4.00	83%	18%	3.88	4.06	3.77
SHANIA TWAIN W/ BILLY CURRINGTON Party For Two (Mercury)	3.74	3.60	97 %	33%	3.76	3.66	3.82
BIG & RICH Holy Water (Warner Bros.)	3.70	3.82	93%	31%	3.63	3.80	3.53
PAT GREEN Don't Break My Heart Again (Universal/Republic/Mercury)	3.69	3.73	79%	20 %	3.76	3.91	3.68
JAMIE O'NEAL Trying To Find Atlantis (Capitol)	3.69	3.78	74%	15%	3.62	3.54	3.67

Total sample size is 331 respondents. **Total average favorability** estimates are based on a scale of 1-5. (1=dislike very much, 5 = like very much). **Total familiarity** represents the percentage of respondents who recognized the song. **Total burn** represents the number of respondents who said they are tired of hearing the song. Songs must have 40% familiarity to appear on survey. Sample composition is based on persons 12+. Persons are screened via the Internet. Once passed, they can take the music test based on the format/music preference. RateTheMusic.com results are not meant to replace callout research. The results are intended to show opinions of participants on the the Internet only. RateTheMusic is a registered trademark of RateTheMusic.com. **The RTM system, is available for local radio stations by calling 818-377-5300. RateTheMusic.com data is provided by Mediabase Research, a division of Premiere Radio Networks.**

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