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### Clear Channel Launches New Tampa Country

Here's an update to a story reported in a Thursday-morning breaking-news bulletin to **R&R Country Daily** subscribers: Clear Channel debuted a new Tampa Country outlet at 12am Thursday (4/14). WTBT (Thunder 103.5) flipped from Classic Rock to "US103.5: Tampa Bay's Best Country" (new calls pending); it's going after Infinity Country combo WQYK & WYUU.

Clear Channel is building its new Tampa Country station in much the same way it built KUSS/San Diego for its attack on legendary KSON. The first step was signing the competitor's high-profile morning show. In San Diego, CC hired Kris Rochester and **Tony Randall**. In Tampa, CC lured away five-year WQYK morning host and three-time CMA Personality of the Year **Skip Mahaffey**, who will debut as US103.5's new morning host on Oct. 13 after sitting out a six-month noncompete. Joining US103.5 in the next few weeks to hold down the fort until Mahaffey arrives will be his former WOYK partners **Braden Gunn** (sports) and **Les McDowell** (traffic). CC RVP/ Programming and market OM Brad Hardin is running the mainstream, hits-based station until a decision can be made on a PD.

A sample hour of US 103.5 can be found later in this Hot Fax.

#### Meanwhile, Back At WQYK....

WQYK — which, by the way, is positioned as "Tampa Bay's Country Station" — ranked third (12+) in fall

#### **Panel Changes**

**R&R** is adding KJJY/Des Moines to the reporting panel, effective with the April 25 Country chart. We are also reassigning the following Indicator Reporting stations to the main **R&R** Country reporting panel. These stations were selected because they are in high Country sales-indexing markets, and more than 35% of the music they play each week is current music.

KIZN/Boise, ID KQFC/Boise, ID WIOV/Lancaster, PA WITL/Lansing, MI WSLC/Roanoke, VA KJUG/Tulare, CA

'04 and second in both the spring and summer '04 Arbitrons.

Holding down mornings is 20-year market vet and WQYK weekender/fill-in personality **Steve Austin**, who teams with longtime morning show newswoman **Rita Ciccarello**. OM **Mike Culotta** is looking for his next morning show. Rush your T&Rs to him at 5510 W. Gray St., Ste 130, Tampa, FL 33609.

#### Elliott, Hatfield Add KHKI Duties

KJJY/Des Moines PD **Andy Elliott** has added PD duties for Des Moines Citadel Country sister KHKI. He replaces KHKI PD/MD/morning personality **Jimmy Olsen** (*radioguy1290@yahoo.com*, 515-556-7197 or 515-554-6520), who has exited after almost seven years with the station. Olsen was promoted to PD in November 2003. Elliott, a Des Moines native, has been with KJJY for 12 years and was elevated to PD in December 2003. Concurrently, KJJY MD/morning personality **Eddie Hatfield** is now also doing the music for KHKI.

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#### **CRB Sets CRS-37 Agenda Committee**

Country Radio Broadcasters has appointed the CRS-37 Agenda Committee. Next year's Country Radio Seminar runs Feb. 15-17 in Nashville. WQYK/Tampa's **Mike Culotta** chairs the committee, with KFKF/Kansas City's **Renee Fonner** serving as Vice Chair.

The committee also includes: Albright & O'Malley's Jaye Albright; All Access' Jim Asker; KMPS/Seattle's Apryl Battin; Arista's Teddi Bonadies; WFMS/Indianapolis' **Tim Bums**; KYGO/Denver's **Joel Burke**; WAKG/ Danville, VA's **Sherri Crowder**; Daniels Country Radio Resources' Larry Daniels; Clear Channel's Mac Daniels; USRN's Andy Denemark; WCTO/Allentown's **Shelly Easton**; Capitol/Nashville's **Fletcher Foster**; KKCV/Waterloo, IA's Bill Hatheway; Broken Bow's Brad Howell; WTQR/Greensboro's Kevin Isaacs; Marco Promotions' Rick Kelly; Interep's Lynn Kite; Lyric Street's **Renee Leymon**; KMLE/Phoenix's **Jay McCarthy**; Warner Bros.' Gator Michaels; Outback Concerts' Darcy Miller: MCC Radio's Michael Osterhout: WFMS/ Indianapolis' Bob Richards; KMOK/Lewiston, ID's Kelly **Wayne**; What A Trip!'s **Darlene Williams**; and UMG/ Nashville's John Zarling.

#### CMHoF&M Adds To Board

The Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum named industry veteran **Jim Foglesong** Trustee Emeritus during its recent board meetings. Trustee **E. W. "Bud" Wendell** was re-elected to his fifth one-year term as chairman, and **Vince Gill** was voted president for his fourth consecutive term. Trustees re-elected to three-year terms include Wendell, **Nelson Andrews** and Equity's **Tim Wipperman**. New officers, elected for one year, include Lyric Street's **Randy Goodman**, UMG/Nashville's **Luke Lewis**, McLean & Co.'s **Robert McLean**, rpm's **Scott Siman** and **Trisha Yearwood**.

Remaining trustees emeriti include **Richard Frank**, **Emmylou Harris** and **Bruce Hinton**. Remaining trustees are **David Conrad**, **Mike Curb**, **J. William Denny**,

#### This Week At Callout America

Our weekly analysis of Country callout research is brought to you by Bullseye President **John Hart**. Here's a look at some of the biggest stories Hart looks at in next week's issue (April 22):

"Craig Morgan's 'That's What I Love About Sunday' is the No. 1 song both positive and passion at Callout America is for the 10th consecutive week. Congrats to Craig. In the top 10 for the first time in a long time is Jo Dee Messina, with 'My Give a Damn's Busted.' Tim McGraw's 'Drugs or Jesus' moves into the top 10, up from No. 13. Joe Nichols' 'What's a Guy Gotta Do' moves strong from last week's No. 7 to No. 3 this week. Lonestar move strong, with 'Class Reunion' at No. 17 for the week, up from No. 21."

Keel Hunt, Kevin Lavender, Steve Turner, Janice Wendell and Brian Williams. Officers are Ernie Williams, Connie Bradley, Paul Corbin, Dr. Robert Fisher, Dr. Pedro Garcia, Al Giombetti, John Grady, Francis Guess, Lon Helton, Donna Hilley, Henry Juszkiewicz, Donna Nicely, the Honorable Bill Purcell, Kenneth Roberts and David Ross.

#### Radio News

**Programming:** KAJA/San Antonio MD/evening voicetracker **Kactus Lou** has added APD responsibilities and has segued to afternoons. He succeeds PD **Clayton Allen**, who recently joined longtime morning co-host **Randy Carroll** in wakeups. Allen replaced **Pam Tyler**, who exited after two years. Now voicetracking evenings is **Jamie Martin**, who also does middays at CC/San Antonio CHR/Pop sister KXXM.

WWNU/Columbia. SC APD/afternoon driver **Scott Summers** has left the station. OM **Randy Chase** needs a replacement ASAP. Send your stuff to him

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# Callout America # 9 Passion Song Overall # 4 Overall with 35-44's # 8 Passion Song with Females # 7 Passion Song with Men # 8 Ranking Song with Core Females at MediaBase Major Consultant Callout Growth Too! Tim McGraw Drugs Or Jesus RR (1) BB (14)

at Columbia Radio Group, 1010 Gervais St., Ste 100, Columbia, SC 29201 or

randy chase @columbia radio group. com.

**Personalities:** WKDF/Nashville middayer **Becca** has just signed a new two-year deal. She's been on the air at WKDF since May 2000 ... WKKO/Toledo has tapped former WUSN (US99)/Chicago talent **Amy Davis** for middays. Davis spent 13 years at US99 ... KUBB/Merced, CA middayer **Toni Marie** has been hired for afternoons at KBKO/Bakersfield.

**Openings:** WYYD & WZBL(The Bull)/Roanoke, VA PD **Joel Dearing** has an opening for a midday personality. You'll also need to have the ability to do imaging, production and remotes. If you've got the goods, get your stuff to him at 3807 Brandon Ave. SW, Suite 2350, Roanoke, VA 24018. Or email MP3s to *joeldearing@clearchannel.com*.

#### **US 103.5/Tampa Sample Music Hour**

US103.5 is currently streaming its audio on the old Thunder website at <a href="http://thunder1035.com">http://thunder1035.com</a>. It's running jockless for now. Here's a music sample from 4-5pm ET on April 18:

JO DEE MESSINA Lesson In Leavin'
CRAIG MORGAN Almost Home
ALAN JACKSON Who's Cheatin' Who
SUGARLAND Baby Girl
MEL MCDANIEL Louisiana Saturday Night
ALISON KRAUSS When You Say Nothing At All
KENNY CHESNEY I Go Back
KEITH URBAN Days Go By
REBA MCENTIRE Fancy
BLAKE SHELTON Some Beach
TRAVIS TRITT Can I Trust You With My Heart
FAITH HILL Piece Of My Heart
TOBY KEITH How Do You Like Me Now
RASCAL FLATTS Bless The Broken Road
TIM MCGRAW Live Like You Were Dying

#### **R&R Convention, Country Update**

We're hosting a pair of Country panels during the **R&R** Convention in Cleveland, June 23-25. Both are on Friday, June 24. The late-morning session is called "So, You Have a Country Station — Now What?" This panel is geared to cluster GMs and OMs who have a Country station under their purview but aren't "fluent" in the format. We'll have as panelists former Pop PDs who have been successful at Country stations the last few years and former Pop PDs who have just taken Country gigs.

The afternoon panel is called "The Country Boiler Room" and is more of a town meeting than a panel. Our dais will feature top labels execs, the top Country programmers from the various radio companies, a couple of VPs/Promotion and a consultant. We'll cover a wide variety of topics—and we promise to ask and get answers to the tough questions.

On tap Friday night is **The Great Lakes Country Reunion.** Of course there's the opening-night party at the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame, the **R&R** Industry Achievement Awards, the TJ Martell Texas Hold 'Em Poker Party and lots, lots more. Go to *www.radioandrecords.com* and click on the "Conventions" box for more details and registration information.

#### **Music News**

MCA/Nashville will release **Trisha Yearwood**'s next album, *Jasper County*, on Sept. 13. Yearwood previewed the release, her eleventh, with a performance of the single "Georgia Rain" on last the April 11 *2005 CMT Music Awards*.

**The Wrights**' debut album, *Down This Road*, has been released digitally. Music sites including iTunes, Musicmatch and Napster have the album available for download. Retail will receive the disc May 3.

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#### **Stationality**

KYGO/Denver morning teamers **Kelly, Jonathan & Mudflap** ran a tax dodge last Friday. The trio offered listeners the chance to whack a Dodge Omni with a sledgehammer on tax day, with proceeds going to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Jessi Alexander, Kevin Fowler and Forty5 South are performing at a WIVK/Knoxville benefit for the family of local soldier Sgt. Paul Thomason, who was recently killed in Iraq. The show will be held April 19 in Knoxville.

#### **Industry News**

Artist manager Simon Renshaw is starting Strategic Artist Management, having left The Firm four years after its acquisition of his company. Renshaw will continue to manage The Dixie Chicks, Miranda Lambert, Anastacia and Clay Aiken. SA Management staff will include Marion Kraft, JoAnn Burnside, Kat Darnell, Yamile Fernandez and Natalie Miller. New Los Angeles digs should be finalized next week.

The Academy of Country Music will tape a 40th anniversary special on Wednesday, May 18, the night after the ACM Awards in Las Vegas. The special will air in December on CBS, with **Kenny Chesney, Reba McEntire, Montgomery Gentry** and **George Strait** scheduled to appear.

Single show tickets for Coliseum performances during the 2005 CMA Music Festival went on sale yesterday. **Diamond Rio** and **Blake Shelton** have been added to the previously announced performance lineup. Tickets are \$30, and the festival runs June 9-12. Visit www.cmafest.com for details.

This year's All About Music, TV & Film Retreat — set for June 22-24 in Nashville — will host reps from Sony Soundtracks, Lifetime, E!, NBC and more. Visit www.allaboutmusic.tv for details.

#### **Evans Once Again Subs For Rimes**

Sara Evans will fill in for LeAnn Rimes again next week as host of USA Networks' *Nashville Star*. Rimes is recuperating from a vocal cord injury. The April 19 show will feature Bret Michaels singing the Poison classic "Nothin' But a Good Time" with the contestants. He'll also introduce his new single, "Open Road." And Tim McGraw will offer career advice and wisdom to the contestants in a pre-taped segment. The winner of season three of *Nashville Star* will be crowned during the season finale on April 26.

#### **Life Notes**

Sincerest best wishes to Jones Radio Networks' host **Lia Knight** and husband Chad on the April 14 birth of their first child, Olivia Grace. You can drop Lia a note at P.O. Box 2048, Seattle, WA 98111.

This week's "get-well quick" card goes to Arista/ Nashville VP/Promotion **Bobby Kraig**, who is recovering from 6 1/2 hours of spinal cord surgery in a Miami hospital. He's expected to be out in a month or so. You can pass along any cards through **Teddi Bonadies** at 1400 18th Avenue South, Nashville, TN 37212.

#### Chronicle

Our heartfelt condolences are extended to **Aaron Tippin** and family on last Monday's (4/11) passing of his father, Willis Emory "Tip" Tippin. The elder Tippin was killed when his pickup collided with a logging truck near Greenville, NC. April 11 was also his 78th birthday. A scholarship fund has been set up for Willis Tippin's grandchildren, and donations can be made to the Willis Tippin Educational Foundation, c/o: Getsy Baker, Southern Bank, P.O. Box 388, Scotland Neck, NC 27874.

#### The Week In Review

Below are some of the major stories that first appeared in the **R&R Country Daily**. Get it by sending your name, company or call letters, job title, address, phone and fax numbers to *moreinfo@radioandrecords.com*.

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For more on these stories visit the Country Format Room at www.radioandrecords.com.

**R&R Country Daily, April 15:** WTNR (Thunder Country)/Grand Rapids, MI PD **Mark Hamlin** has left the Citadel Country station he helped launch last October. A new PD is already being hired and should be announced next week.

**RRCD April 14:** KUSS/San Diego morning teamers Tony & Kris are headed to Iraq. The two will broadcast from the Al Asad Air Base 100 miles west of Baghdad from May 2-6, where they will be embedded with the Second Marine Aircraft Wing.

Dreamcatcher Artist Management has hired **Debbie Loring** to handle day-to-day for Jo Dee Messina in conjunction with her manager Bob Burwell. Loring most recently served as Manager/Regional Sales & Marketing for Compendia Music Group.

RRCD April 13: WAIB/Tallahassee tapped Tracy Turner for mornings. Turner comes over from CHR/Pop KNOE/Monroe, LA. She'll be in place by April 25.

RRCD April 12: Warner Bros./Nashville Sr. VP/Promotion David Haley exited the label last week after almost three years at the helm of the WB promo department. He can be reached at 615-333-9482; a personal e-mail account is being set up, and we'll have it for you next week. WB/Nashville was only the second stop in Haley's 20-year record industry career. He was PD of WJQS/Jackson, MS when he joined MCA/Nashville for regional promotion in July 1984. He was elevated from Sr. Director/Midsouth-Midwest to Sr. Director/Regional Promotion-Field Specialist in July '95 and promoted to Sr. Director/National Promotion in October '95. He became VP/Promotion in March 1997 and Sr. VP in December 2000.

**Gretchen Wilson** won Breakthrough Video of the year for "Redneck Woman" and took the Female Video honor for "When I Think About Cheatin'" at last Monday night's *2005 CMT Music Awards*. **Keith Urban**'s "Days Go By" won as Video of the Year, and **Loretta Lynn** accepted the

#### **Dates & Deadlines**

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 (800-262-3378).

**June 23-25:** R&R Convention. Renaissance Hotel, Cleveland. Register now at *www.radioandrecords.com*.

**June 30:** CMA Broadcast Award entry deadline. More info at www.broadcast.cmaarwards.com.

**Oct. 16:** Nashville Songwriters Foundation Hall of Fame Dinner. Renaissance Hotel, Nashville. More info at *www.nashvillesongwriters.com*.

**Oct. 17:** ASCAP Country Awards Dinner. Opryland Hotel, Nashville. By invitation only. More info to come.

**Oct. 18:** BMI Country Awards. BMI Nashville. By invitation only. More info at *www.bmi.com*.

**Oct. 19:** SESAC Country Awards Dinner. SESAC Nashville. By invitation only. More info to come.

Johnny Cash Video Visionary Award. Visit www.cmt.com for a full list of winners.

The overnight TV ratings for the show were great. CMT top exec **Brian Philips** says the *2005 CMT Music Awards* were "far and away the highest-rated, most-watched telecast in the history of the channel." He says, "This bested the previous highest commercial telecast ever [*CMT's 2003 Flameworthy Awards*] by 35% persons 18-49 and by 49% in 18-49 impressions. The premiere was up a shocking 77% among persons 18-49 from last year's high-water mark, and the 11pm repeat was up 65% from last year. The preshow party telecast and new series premiere [*Popularity Contest*] were up 21% and an eye-popping 100%18-49 from 2004, respectively."

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#### **MUSIC NOTES**

Following an April 22 appearance on *The Tonight Show With Jay Leno*, **Alan Jackson** will travel to Las Vegas for the kickoff of his 2005 What I Do tour. Jackson will perform "The Talkin' Song Repair Blues" on Leno and depart immediately after the late-afternoon taping for the concert that evening. **Sara Evans** and **The Wrights** join him on the tour.

Travis Tritt and Keni Thomas will perform at the Eagle Claw 25th Commemorative Dinner in Ft. Walton Beach, FL on April 24. The event commemorates the aborted 1980 attempt to rescue American hostages held in Iran that left eight service members dead. That incident and the 17 orphaned children left behind led to the formation of the Special Operations Warrior Foundation, which provides scholarships to children of fallen special ops troops.

The Charlie Daniels Band has recently completed nine shows for more than 15,000 U.S. soldiers in Kyrgyzstan, Uzbekistan, Afghanistan, Kuwait, Iraq and Germany. A combined effort of the Tennessee National Guard, United States Army-Europe, U.S. Central Command in Southwest Asia and the nonprofit organization Stars for Stripes, the tour included more than 16,000 air miles and as many as three shows a day. During a stop in Germany, Daniels was presented the Commanders Award for Public Service by General B.B. Bell, Commander of the United States Army in Europe.

#### **VIDEO ADDS**

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#### Tuesday, 4/19

On TV: GAC: Steve Wariner (host), Montgomery Gentry, Jeff Bates, Julie Roberts, Grand Ole Opry Live; Tracy Lawrence, Celebrity Kitchen\*; The Grascals, and more, Country Music Across America\*. USA: Sara Evans, Nashville Star\*.

#### Wednesday, 4/20

**BIRTHDAYS: Buddy Cannon** 

On TV: CMT: George Strait, Stacked; Alabama, The Dixie Chicks, Emmylou Harris and more, CMT 20 Greatest Country Bands. GAC: Darryl Singletary, Celebrity Kitchen\*; Ray Stevens, GAC Classic\*.

#### Thursday, 4/21

On TV: ABC: Josh Gracin, Good Morning America. GAC: Josh Gracin, Celebrity Kitchen\*; Keith Anderson, CRL\*.

#### Friday, 4/22

BIRTHDAYS: Glen Campbell, Kellie Coffey, Cleve Francis, Heath Wright (Ricochet), Joe Devine

On TV: GAC: Buddy Jewell, Celebrity Kitchen\*. NBC: Kevin Sharp, The Dr. Phil Show\*.

#### Saturday, 4/23

**On TV:** GAC: **Dolly Parton** (host), **The Grascals** and more, *Grand Ole Opry Live\**.

#### **Sunday, 4/24**

BIRTHDAYS: Rebecca Lynn Howard, Richard Sterban (Oak Ridge Boys), Lori Evans, Christy McDonald, Tim McFadden

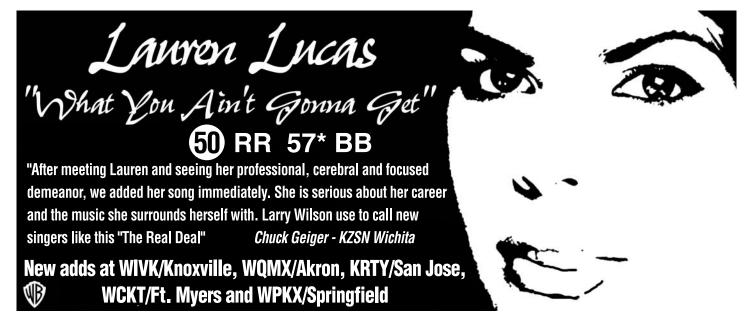
On TV: CMT: CMT 20 Greatest Country Bands; Kenny Chesney, Stacked. GAC: Paul Overstreet, GAC Classic\*. Syndicated: Buddy Jewell, Shop At Home\*.

#### **Monday**, 4/25

BIRTHDAYS: Rob Crosby, April Rider, Suzette Tucker
On TV: ABC: Kassie DePaiva, The View\*; Jessi Alexander, Jimmy
Kimmel Live\*. CMT: CMT 20 Greatest Country Bands. Fox: Travis
Tritt, Hannity & Colmes\*. GAC: Joe Diffie, Celebrity Kitchen\*.

\*premiere airing

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2	1	KENNY CHESNEY Anything But Mine (BNA)	12185	-88	4519	-2	421771	-1033	16	116/0
4	2	BROOKS & DUNN It's Getting Better All The Time (Arista)	12141	1117	4457	+371	405146	22362	20	116/0
3	3	MONTGOMERY GENTRY Gone (Columbia)	12047	949	4473	+385	392117	25767	21	116/0
1	4	CRAIG MORGAN That's What I Love About Sunday (BBR)	12031	-653	4368	-214	422429	-19349	24	116/0
5	6	JO DEE MESSINA My Give A Damn's Busted (Curb)	10249	49	3834	+60	339626	5137	16	116/0
8	6	GRETCHEN WILSON Homewrecker (Epic)	9412	935	3410	+293	309428	15376	11	116/0
7	7	ANDY GRIGGS If Heaven (RCA)	9410	767	3553	+248	308858	24450	25	116/0
9	8	TOBY KEITH Honkytonk U (DreamWorks)	8354	-54	3021	-51	280092	2193	12	116/0
10	9	JOE NICHOLS What's A Guy Gotta Do (Universal South)	8098	295	2991	+138	270384	14038	21	116/0
12	•	TRACE ADKINS Songs About Me (Capitol)	7748	496	2911	+135	252948	23970	18	113/1
11	•	TIM MCGRAW Drugs Or Jesus (Curb)	7266	-12	2664	+23	238671	1567	12	115/0
13	Ø	DIERKS BENTLEY Lot Of Leavin' Left To Do (Capitol)	6938	273	2570	+70	222785	11049	14	115/1
14	13	MARTINA MCBRIDE God's Will (RCA)	6374	-168	2451	-4	197505	-12354	19	111/0
18	<b>4</b>	KEITH URBAN Making Memories Of Us (Capitol)	6118	944	2091	+310	200858	36241	6	110/3
15	<b>(</b>	BLAINE LARSEN How Do You Get That Lonely (Giantslayer/BNA)	5807	-27	2177	+12	180603	-3411	23	110/0
17	1	LONESTAR Class Reunion (That Used To Be Us) (BNA)	5518	171	2038	+6	171977	2239	15	111/1
22	<b>O</b>	GEORGE STRAIT You'll Be There (MCA)	5086	1107	1877	+409	159708	34422	4	113/3
19	B	PHIL VASSAR I'll Take That As A Yes (The Hot Tub Song) (Arista)	5056	488	1806	+180	153733	16426	20	101/1
21	19	BIG & RICH Big Time (Warner Bros.)	4644	251	1729	+107	130133	2981	11	106/4
20	20	JEFF BATES Long, Slow Kisses (RCA)	4615	201	1807	+105	137537	1889	27	100/0
23	4	RASCAL FLATTS Fast Cars And Freedom (Lyric Street)	4560	985	1600	+335	148005	27662	5	113/8
24	22	DARRYL WORLEY If Something Should Happen (DreamWorks)	3817	295	1523	+136	109569	10798	9	101/1
25	23	KEITH ANDERSON Pickin' Wildflowers (Arista)	3529	103	1419	+19	93440	3037	17	94/1
16	24	LEE ANN WOMACK I May Hate Myself In The Morning (MCA)	3521	-2107	1323	-811	110660	-61374	25	111/0
26	<b>3</b>	BLAKE SHELTON Goodbye Time (Warner Bros.)	3506	422	1446	+128	102086	7647	12	102/3

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LW	TW	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Total Points	+/- Points	Total Plays	+/- Plays	Tot. Aud. (00)	+/- Aud. (00)	On	Total Station
28	<b>2</b> 5	BOBBY PINSON Don't Ask Me How I Know (RCA)	3287	431	1132	+139	92098	9581	11	89/2
29	<b>4</b>	SHEDAISY Don't Worry 'Bout A Thing (Lyric Street)	2806	207	1161	+60	78352	5700	13	93/1
31	<b>2</b> 3	ALAN JACKSON The Talkin' Song Repair Blues (Arista)	2519	452	944	+178	80162	13211	5	82 7
Breaker	29	PAT GREEN Baby Doll (Universal/Republic/Mercury)	2504	192	836	+57	68158	2944	8	74/5
Breaker	<b>③</b>	VAN ZANT Help Somebody (Columbia)	2119	170	790	+79	59336	3359	6	70/8
Breaker	<b>③</b>	SUGARLAND Something More (Mercury)	1943	823	630	+271	64607	29537	3	75/14
33	32	TRICK PONY It's A Heartache (Asylum/Curb)	1897	62	813	+10	53477	2620	12	77 2
Breaker	<b>33</b>	REBA MCENTIRE My Sister (MCA)	1844	266	682	+74	53743	8289	6	71/5
35	<b>34</b>	BUDDY JEWELL If She Were Any Other Woman (Columbia)	1695	93	722	+34	45661	3161	11	74/1
34	35	TRAVIS TRITT   See Me (Columbia)	1670	-75	684	-41	50839	-3803	9	59/0
38	<b>3</b>	HANNA-MCEUEN Something Like A Broken Heart (MCA)	1284	40	503	+15	27997	-1225	8	69/2
39	<b>37</b>	LEANN RIMES Probably Wouldn't Be This Way (Asylum/Curb)	1256	82	446	+20	37532	4662	4	53/7
37	38	AARON LINES Waitin' On The Wonderful (BNA)	1226	-160	521	-65	34852	-168	11	66/5
44	<b>3</b> 9	JAMIE O'NEAL Somebody's Hero (Capitol)	1107	306	346	+83	36804	11869	4	48/9
42	40	BRIAN MCCOMAS The Middle Of Nowhere (Lyric Street)	934	-98	361	-60	20176	-4031	7	55/0
40	41	RASCAL FLATTS Skin (Lyric Street)	878	-282	226	-75	32749	-9538	11	5/0
43	42	TRENT WILLMON The Good Life (Columbia)	805	-79	205	-12	26298	-880	28	9/0
47	<b>4</b> 3	HOT APPLE PIE Hillbillies (DreamWorks)	786	91	322	+39	21683	4207	3	41/4
46	4	DIAMOND RIO One Believer (Arista)	783	48	295	+4	20419	654	7	40/0
45	45	GEORGE CANYON My Name (Universal South)	731	-7	336	-14	18805	-217	7	41/0
<b>Debut</b>	<b>4</b> 6	JASON ALDEAN Hicktown (BBR)	692	284	316	+126	16557	6665	1	43/7
<b>Debut</b>	47	MIRANDA LAMBERT Bring Me Down (Epic)	640	254	241	+94	17657	5139	1	37/6
<b>Debut</b>	<b>4</b> 8	SHOOTER JENNINGS 4th Of July (Universal South)	620	467	187	+134	12171	6919	1	22/6
48	49	KENI THOMAS Not Me (Moraine)	595	13	242	+4	15228	-1343	14	29/1
_	<b>①</b>	LAUREN LUCAS What You Ain't Gonna Get (Warner Bros.)	441	-17	237	+4	10350	443	2	41/5

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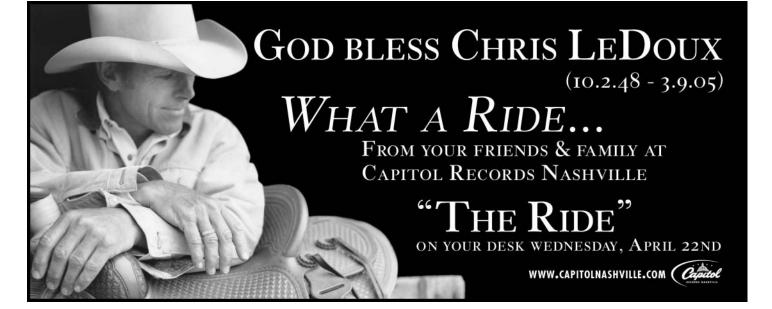
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COUNTRY		COUNTRY INDICATOR	
MOST ADDED		MOST ADDED	
ARTIST Title Label(s) LEE ANN WOMACK He Oughta Know That By Now (MCA)	Adds 15	ARTIST Title Label(s) SUGARLAND Something More (Mercury)	Adds 21
,	14	TRISHA YEARWOOD Georgia Rain (MCA)	13
SUGARLAND Something More (Mercury)		JOSH GRACIN Stay With Me (Brass Bed) (Lyric Street)	10
JOSH GRACIN Stay With Me (Brass Bed) (Lyric Street)	13	SHOOTER JENNINGS 4th Of July (Universal South)	10
STEVE AZAR Doin' It Right (Mercury)	13	SARA EVANS Real Fine Place To Start (RCA)	8
STEVE HOLY Go Home (Curb)	11	STEVE AZAR Doin' It Right (Mercury)	8
JAMIE O'NEAL Somebody's Hero (Capitol)	9	GEORGE STRAIT You'll Be There (MCA)	6
TRISHA YEARWOOD Georgia Rain (MCA)	9	RASCAL FLATTS Fast Cars And Freedom (Lyric Street)	6
RASCAL FLATTS Fast Cars And Freedom (Lyric Street)	8	ALAN JACKSON The Talkin' Song Repair Blues (Arista)	6
VAN ZANT Help Somebody (Columbia)	8	LEE ANN WOMACK He Oughta Know That By Now (MCA)	6
MOST INCREASED POINTS	Total Pt.	MOST INCREASED POINTS	Total Pt.
ARTIST Title Label(s) BROOKS & DUNN It's Getting Better All The Time (Arista)	Increase +1117	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Increase
GEORGE STRAIT You'll Be There (MCA)	+1117	GEORGE STRAIT You'll Be There (MCA)	+526
	_	GRETCHEN WILSON Homewrecker (Epic)	+445
RASCAL FLATTS Fast Cars And Freedom (Lyric Street)	+985	KEITH URBAN Making Memories Of Us (Capitol)	+432
MONTGOMERY GENTRY Gone (Columbia)	+949	SUGARLAND Something More (Mercury)	+371
KEITH URBAN Making Memories Of Us (Capitol)	+944	TRACE ADKINS Songs About Me (Capitol)	+337
GRETCHEN WILSON Homewrecker (Epic)	+935	RASCAL FLATTS Fast Cars And Freedom (Lyric Street)	+335
SUGARLAND Something More (Mercury)	+823	DIERKS BENTLEY Lot Of Leavin' Left To Do (Capitol)	+282
ANDY GRIGGS If Heaven (RCA)	+767	ALAN JACKSON The Talkin' Song Repair Blues (Arista)	+232
TRACE ADKINS Songs About Me (Capitol)	+496	VAN ZANT Help Somebody (Columbia)	+214
PHIL VASSAR I'll Take That As A Yes (The Hot Tub Song) (Aris.	ta) + <b>488</b>	BOBBY PINSON Don't Ask Me How I Know (RCA)	+202
MOST INCREASED PLAYS  ARTIST Title Label(s) GEORGE STRAIT You'll Be There (MCA)	Total Play Increase +409	MOST INCREASED PLAYS  ARTIST Title Label(s)  GEORGE STRAIT You'll Be There (MCA)	Total Play Increase +429
MONTGOMERY GENTRY Gone (Columbia)	+385	GRETCHEN WILSON Homewrecker (Epic)	+323
BROOKS & DUNN It's Getting Better All The Time (Arista)	+371	SUGARLAND Something More (Mercury)	+315
RASCAL FLATTS Fast Cars And Freedom (Lyric Street)	+335	KEITH URBAN Making Memories Of Us (Capitol)	+309
KEITH URBAN Making Memories Of Us (Capitol)	+310	RASCAL FLATTS Fast Cars And Freedom (Lyric Street)	+293
GRETCHEN WILSON Homewrecker (Epic)	+293	TRACE ADKINS Songs About Me (Capitol)	+244
SUGARLAND Something More (Mercury)	+271	ALAN JACKSON The Talkin' Song Repair Blues (Arista)	+199
ANDY GRIGGS If Heaven (RCA)	+248	DIERKS BENTLEY Lot Of Leavin' Left To Do (Capitol)	+170
PHIL VASSAR I'll Take That As A Yes (The Hot Tub Song) (Aris	ta) +180	VAN ZANT Help Somebody (Columbia)	+162
ALAN JACKSON The Talkin' Song Repair Blues (Arista)	+178	PHIL VASSAR I'll Take That As A Yes (The Hot Tub Song) (Aris	sta) + <b>147</b>



#### **COUNTRY INDICATOR NEW & ACTIVE**

AMANDA WILKINSON No More Me And You (Universal South)

Total Plays: 124, Total Stations: 13, Adds: 2

DAVID BALL Happy With The One I've Got (Wildcatter/Quarterback)

Total Plays: 106, Total Stations: 15, Adds: 1

TRISHA YEARWOOD Georgia Rain (MCA)

Total Plays: 95, Total Stations: 13, Adds: 13

MIRANDA LAMBERT Bring Me Down (Epic)
Total Plays: 91, Total Stations: 10, Adds: 3
BLUE COUNTY That Summer Song (Asylum/Curb)
Total Plays: 91, Total Stations: 10, Adds: 1

**SARA EVANS** Real Fine Place To Start *(RCA)* Total Plays: 86, Total Stations: 10, Adds: 8

TRACY BYRD Tiny Town (BNA)

Total Plays: 84, Total Stations: 11, Adds: 1

#### **COUNTRY NEW & ACTIVE**

JOSH GRACIN Stay With Me (Brass Bed) (Lyric Street)

Total Plays: 157, Total Stations: 39, Adds: 13

**LEE ANN WOMACK** He Oughta Know That By Now *(MCA)* 

Total Plays: 128, Total Stations: 34, Adds: 15 **BLUE COUNTY** That Summer Song (Asylum/Curb)
Total Plays: 122, Total Stations: 28, Adds: 6

**STEVE AZAR** Doin' It Right *(Mercury)*Total Plays: 108, Total Stations: 14, Adds: 13

REBECCA LYNN HOWARD No One Will Ever Love Me (Arista)

Total Plays: 106, Total Stations: 23, Adds: 2

TRACY BYRD Tiny Town (BNA)

Total Plays: 106, Total Stations: 16, Adds: 1

MARK CHESNUTT A Hard Secret To Keep (Vivaton)

Total Plays: 76, Total Stations: 18, Adds: 5

STEVE HOLY Go Home (Curb)

Total Plays: 75, Total Stations: 25, Adds: 11 **JULIE ROBERTS** Wake Up Older *(Mercury)* Total Plays: 57, Total Stations: 10, Adds: 1

CAROLINA RAIN Louisiana Love (Equity Music Group)

Total Plays: 55, Total Stations: 12, Adds: 2



4/25

NEAL MCCOY Billy's Got His Beer Goggles On (903)

RHONDA VINCENT I've Forgotten You (Rounder)

RYAN SHUPE & RUBBERBAND Dream Big (Capitol)

TRISHA YEARWOOD Georgia Rain (MCA)

5/2

BILLY HURST | Will Stand (Celebrity)

LITTLE BIG TOWN Boondocks (Equity Music Group)

SHANIA TWAIN I Ain't No Quitter (Mercury)

TORI BAXLEY Half A Man (DreamWorks)

5/9

**BLAINE LARSEN** The Best Man (Giantslayer/BNA)

#### **MOST PLAYED RECURRENTS** Total ARTIST Title Label(s) **Plays** 3309 **SUGARLAND** Baby Girl (Mercury) JOSH GRACIN Nothin' To Lose (Lyric Street) 2785 RASCAL FLATTS Bless The Broken Road (Lyric Street) 2625 BRAD PAISLEY Mud On The Tires (Arista) 1865 **BLAKE SHELTON** Some Beach (Warner Bros.) 1681 **DARRYL WORLEY** Awful, Beautiful Life (*DreamWorks*) 1504 GARY ALLAN Nothing On But The Radio (MCA) 1479 **BILLY DEAN** Let Them Be Little (Curb) 1427 TIM MCGRAW Live Like You Were Dying (Curb) 1367 **SARA EVANS** Suds In The Bucket (RCA) 1360



116 Country reporters. Songs ranked by total points for the airplay week of 4/10-4/16. 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 unreported as adds do not count toward overall total stations playing a song. Most Increased Points lists the songs with increases in total points Station Weight = AOH Persons + (Market rank X 10) divided by 4180. Total Audience equals

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 Radio & Records.

# Jo Dee Messina My Give A Damn's Busted

Album Arrives
This Thursday
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It's About Family!

**RR New and Active** 

# Country Indicator Top 50

Y		April 19, 2005	Total	+/-	Total	+/-	Tot. Aud.	ı/- Aud	Wke	Total
LW	TW	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Points	Points	Plays	Plays	(00)	(00)	On	Station
1	1	KENNY CHESNEY Anything But Mine (BNA)	5259	-69	4206	-42	124130	-2489	17	108/0
2	2	BROOKS & DUNN It's Getting Better All The Time (Arista)	5208	99	4167	+72	122382	2337	20	107/0
3	3	MONTGOMERY GENTRY Gone (Columbia)	4814	157	3846	+70	112907	2124	21	105/0
4	4	JO DEE MESSINA My Give A Damn's Busted (Curb)	4767	185	3820	+137	112422	3222	15	107/0
5	6	ANDY GRIGGS If Heaven (RCA)	4583	157	3635	+89	105824	2824	26	104/0
7	6	GRETCHEN WILSON Homewrecker (Epic)	4307	445	3451	+323	101736	9342	10	108/1
6	0	TOBY KEITH Honkytonk U (DreamWorks)	4050	156	3258	+102	94850	3233	12	107/0
8	8	JOE NICHOLS What's A Guy Gotta Do (Universal South)	3778	55	3016	+49	87298	700	22	107/0
10	9	TRACE ADKINS Songs About Me (Capitol)	3515	337	2816	+244	84024	7038	18	103/3
9	1	TIM MCGRAW Drugs Or Jesus (Curb)	3379	99	2687	+46	78578	1643	13	104/1
12	•	DIERKS BENTLEY Lot Of Leavin' Left To Do (Capitol)	3311	282	2666	+170	78371	5411	14	105/3
11	12	MARTINA MCBRIDE God's Will (RCA)	3032	-24	2461	-50	72796	-927	19	96/2
15	13	KEITH URBAN Making Memories Of Us (Capitol)	2912	432	2329	+309	67721	9273	6	106/4
16	4	GEORGE STRAIT You'll Be There (MCA)	2750	526	2210	+429	62173	12602	4	103/6
13	15	LONESTAR Class Reunion (That Used To Be Us) (BNA)	2676	-37	2136	-63	63706	-649	15	97/3
14	16	BLAINE LARSEN How Do You Get That Lonely (Giantslayer/BNA)	2661	141	2179	+76	63130	2671	20	92/3
19	Ø	BIG & RICH Big Time (Warner Bros.)	2270	165	1799	+131	53898	3864	11	89/1
17	18	BLAKE SHELTON Goodbye Time (Warner Bros.)	2264	72	1872	+61	53634	1912	15	99/3
20	19	DARRYL WORLEY If Something Should Happen (DreamWorks)	2255	179	1809	+117	53093	4061	10	101/2
21	20	RASCAL FLATTS Fast Cars And Freedom (Lyric Street)	2186	335	1788	+293	52008	8031	6	101/6
22	4	PHIL VASSAR I'll Take That As A Yes (The Hot Tub Song) (Arista)	2026	187	1649	+147	49218	4968	21	81/3
23	22	ALAN JACKSON The Talkin' Song Repair Blues (Arista)	1660	232	1396	+199	37414	6435	5	89/6
24	23	SHEDAISY Don't Worry 'Bout A Thing (Lyric Street)	1462	74	1147	+47	34288	1150	13	79/3
27	24	BOBBY PINSON Don't Ask Me How I Know (RCA)	1427	202	1168	+139	34039	4545	8	75/2
26	25	KEITH ANDERSON Pickin' Wildflowers (Arista)	1358	78	1034	+63	31825	1751	17	63/1
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## Miranda ROCKED CMT and The Tonight Show last week.

# Miranda "Bring Me, Lambert Down"

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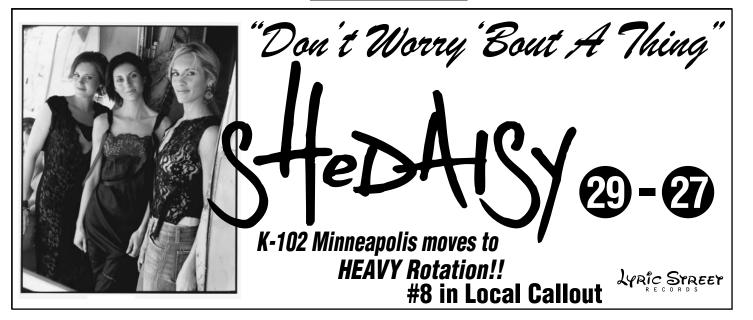
Mike Kennedy, PD, KBEQ.



# Country Indicator Top 50

	0	April 19, 2005	Total	+/-	Total	+/-	Tot. Aud.	+/- Aud.	Wks	Total
LW	TW	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Points	Points	Plays	Plays	(00)	(00)	On	Station
29	26	PAT GREEN Baby Doll (Universal/Republic/Mercury)	1109	170	928	+123	25720	3842	8	61/4
28	<b>4</b>	TRAVIS TRITT   See Me (Columbia)	975	1	852	-7	24691	334	9	63/0
31	28	REBA MCENTIRE My Sister (MCA)	951	67	792	+57	23311	1901	7	64/4
36	29	SUGARLAND Something More (Mercury)	888	371	729	+315	20609	8886	3	64/21
30	30	TRICK PONY It's A Heartache (Asylum/Curb)	884	-20	733	-9	21032	-625	10	56/2
34	3	VAN ZANT Help Somebody (Columbia)	843	214	723	+162	21307	5352	5	60/5
33	32	HANNA-MCEUEN Something Like A Broken Heart (MCA)	649	-11	540	+3	15098	-504	9	48/2
37	33	LEANN RIMES Probably Wouldn't Be This Way (Asylum/Curb)	508	-2	441	+7	11541	159	5	42/5
35	34	BRIAN MCCOMAS The Middle Of Nowhere (Lyric Street)	473	-96	357	-75	10627	-1997	8	32/0
40	35	HOT APPLE PIE Hillbillies (DreamWorks)	456	72	382	+67	10987	2090	5	39/4
38	36	GEORGE CANYON My Name (Universal South)	437	-11	401	+1	9771	-349	8	33/0
39	37	AARON LINES Waitin' On The Wonderful (BNA)	397	-22	305	-18	9496	-869	14	25/1
42	33	JAMIE O'NEAL Somebody's Hero (Capitol)	343	52	310	+55	7353	1188	3	34/4
41	39	LAUREN LUCAS What You Ain't Gonna Get (Warner Bros.)	333	29	246	+23	7573	909	4	22/1
48	40	JOSH GRACIN Stay With Me (Brass Bed) (Lyric Street)	316	149	245	+115	6354	3128	2	29/10
43	4	ZONA JONES Two Hearts (D/Quarterback)	315	43	311	+48	6424	974	9	26/2
44	42	DIAMOND RIO One Believer (Arista)	258	14	194	+13	5526	324	7	16/0
<b>Debut</b> >	<b>4</b> 3	SHOOTER JENNINGS 4th Of July (Universal South)	237	131	201	+102	5435	3211	1	20/10
49	4	JASON ALDEAN Hicktown (BBR)	207	54	186	+60	5441	1743	2	20/2
46	45	LEE ANN WOMACK He Oughta Know That By Now (MCA)	199	21	165	+28	4351	187	2	18/6
47	46	NEAL MCCOY Billy's Got His Beer Goggles On (903)	196	19	138	+17	5693	569	2	15/3
Debut	47	MARK CHESNUTT A Hard Secret To Keep (Vivaton)	188	78	152	+53	3488	1511	1	16/4
50	48	GLENN CUMMINGS Good Old Days (Gulf Coast)	168	20	173	+29	3661	684	3	20/2
45	49	AMBER DOTSON I'll Try Anything (Capitol)	166	-13	150	-33	3181	-791	4	16/0
_	<b>5</b> 0	JOHN STONE Hell And Half Of Georgia (Tootsie's)	159	19	139	+12	2921	412	2	10/0

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Music Page 7 America's Best Testing Country Songs 12 + For The Week Ending 4/22/05 April 19, 2005

Artist Title (Label)	TW	LW	Fam.	Burn	P 25-54	W 25-54	M 25-54
This till (Label)			ı am.	Bum	1 20 01	W 20 0 1	WI 20 01
CRAIG MORGAN That's What I Love About Sunday (BBR)	4.23	4.17	99%	24%	4.29	4.42	4.20
GEORGE STRAIT You'll Be There (MCA)	4.23	-	<b>59%</b>	6%	4.23	4.24	4.22
JOE NICHOLS What's A Guy Gotta Do (Universal South)	4.21	4.13	95%	18%	4.25	4.30	4.21
BLAKE SHELTON Goodbye Time (Warner Bros.)	4.21	4.13	76%	8%	4.24	4.39	4.11
SUGARLAND Baby Girl (Mercury)	4.20	4.18	98%	<b>29</b> %	4.24	4.21	4.26
BROOKS & DUNN It's Getting Better All The Time (Arista)	4.20	4.11	96%	20%	4.24	4.27	4.21
KENNY CHESNEY Anything But Mine (BNA)	4.15	4.03	96%	<b>25</b> %	4.09	4.13	4.07
ANDY GRIGGS If Heaven (RCA)	4.15	4.18	<b>95</b> %	21%	4.20	4.29	4.13
DIERKS BENTLEY Lot Of Leavin' Left To Do (Capitol)	4.15	4.21	<b>87</b> %	9%	4.15	4.18	4.13
KEITH URBAN Making Memories Of Us (Capitol)	4.14	4.19	<b>74</b> %	9%	4.12	4.25	4.00
BLAINE LARSEN How Do You Get That Lonely (Giantslayer/BNA)	4.13	4.11	91%	<b>20</b> %	4.17	4.30	4.07
JO DEE MESSINA My Give A Damn's Busted (Curb)	4.11	3.96	96%	17%	4.16	4.16	4.16
TRACE ADKINS Songs About Me (Capitol)	4.06	4.04	95%	18%	4.10	4.14	4.07
MARTINA MCBRIDE God's Will (RCA)	4.04	4.05	97%	31%	4.12	4.20	4.05
MONTGOMERY GENTRY Gone (Columbia)	4.04	4.00	96%	28%	4.06	4.17	3.99
JEFF BATES Long, Slow Kisses (RCA)	4.04	4.01	83%	14%	4.08	4.21	3.98
DARRYL WORLEY If Something Should Happen (DreamWorks)	4.01	3.91	71%	9%	4.05	4.18	3.95
GRETCHEN WILSON Homewrecker (Epic)	4.00	3.92	93%	18%	4.02	3.95	4.08
LEE ANN WOMACK I May Hate Myself In The Morning (MCA)	3.94	3.92	98%	28%	4.03	3.99	4.06
SHEDAISY Don't Worry 'Bout A Thing (Lyric Street)	3.91	3.84	<b>75</b> %	13%	3.87	3.86	3.88
BOBBY PINSON Don't Ask Me How I Know (RCA)	3.90	3.87	<b>50%</b>	<b>7</b> %	3.86	3.88	3.84
LONESTAR Class Reunion (That Used To Be Us) (BNA)	3.89	3.75	89%	19%	3.90	3.86	3.94
TOBY KEITH Honkytonk U (DreamWorks)	3.88	3.77	94%	24%	3.97	3.89	4.02
PHIL VASSAR I'll Take That As A Yes (The Hot Tub Song) (Arista)	3.88	3.88	93%	<b>25</b> %	3.84	3.89	3.81
RASCAL FLATTS Fast Cars And Freedom (Lyric Street)	3.84	3.94	<b>58%</b>	9%	3.73	3.77	3.71
TIM MCGRAW Drugs Or Jesus (Curb)	3.79	3.80	96%	<b>27</b> %	3.87	3.96	3.81
PAT GREEN Baby Doll (Universal/Republic/Mercury)	3.76	-	46%	8%	3.77	3.76	3.78
KEITH ANDERSON Pickin' Wildflowers (Arista)	3.75	3.63	71%	16%	3.69	3.72	3.66
BIG & RICH Big Time (Warner Bros.)	3.57	3.51	80%	26%	3.55	3.59	3.52

Total sample size is 574 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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3 OR MORE* APRIL 30 - JUNE 17, 2005	<b>\$450</b> EACH
SINGLE APRIL 30 - JUNE 17, 2005	<b>\$475</b> EACH
EXTRA OPENING NIGHT PARTY TICKETS	\$125 EACH
ON-SITE REGISTRATION AFTER JUNE 17, 2005	\$550 EACH

<sup>\*</sup> All 3 Attendee Names Must Be Submitted Together

CANCELLATION POLICY: All cancellations must be submitted in writing. A full refund less a \$150.00 administrative fee will be issued after the Convention if notification is received on or before May 20, 2005. No refunds will be issued for cancellations after May 20, 2005 or for no shows.

#### Name/Address:

Please print carefully or type in the form below. Full payment must accompany registration form. Please include a separate form for each registration. Photocopies are acceptable. Registrations are non-transferable.

Name			
Title			
Call Letters/Company Name			Format
Street			
City	State	Zip	
Telephone #	Fax#		
E-mail			
Payment Method:			
Amount Enclosed: \$	8		
Visa MasterCard AMEX	Check	0	
Account Number			Exp. Date
Print Cardholder's Name			

#### Questions? Please Call Our Hotline at: (310)788-1696

Cardholder's Signature

#### **HOTEL:**





TYPE OF ROOM	CONVENTION RATES
SINGLE/DOUBLE	\$155.00
SUITES	\$249.00 and up

For Hotel RESERVATIONS, please call: (216) 696-5600 or 1-800-468-3571 When Making Your Hotel Reservations... Tell them it's the Radio & Records Convention.

- To confirm your reservation, your arrival must be guaranteed by charging two nights deposit to a major credit card, or you may send payment by mail.
- Deposits will be refunded only if reservation is cancelled by June 1, 2005.
- Peservations requested after June 1, 2005 or after the room block has been filled are subject to availability and may not be available at the Convention rate.
- \* Check in time is 3:00 pm; check out time is 12 noon.

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