

THE GAVIN REPORT #1188  
WEEKLY SUMMARY  
(Editor, Gary Taylor)

Smash of the Week: PEG-Steely Dan (ABC) Our strongest chart jumper of the week has 101 top twenty listings, and that figure will grow.

Sleeper of the Week: RUNNING ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne (Asylum) Initial activity includes: KBEQ (20), KASH (20), 96X (25), 99X (26), KNDE (28), KSLY (29) and B100 (29).

Hot: NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees (RSO) A more obvious choice would be difficult to find.

Top Tip: DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas (Kirshner) The jumps in Atlanta, Stockton, Columbus, Philadelphia, Rochester and Salt Lake City coupled with strong airplay reports seem to indicate that tasteful acoustical music has its place.

Record to Watch: OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole (Capitol) Looking good in secondary and major markets (see page seven).

Recommended Playlist

The listings below indicate our own estimate of these records' relative programming value and are not intended to represent comparative national sales. Underlined sides show biggest potential for continued growth.

LW	TW	Top Twenty	Gaining in Several Markets
1.	1.	STAYIN' ALIVE-Bee Gees	HAPPY ANNIVERSARY-Little River Band
4.	2.	SOMETIMES WHEN WE TOUCH-Dan Hill	NAME OF THE GAME-Abba
3.	3.	JUST THE WAY YOU ARE-Billy Joel	STREET CORNER SERENADE-Wet Willie
2.	4.	...CHAMPIONS/ROCK YOU-Queen	• I GO CRAZY-Paul Davis
5.	5.	EMOTION-Samantha Sang	NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees
7.	6.	...THICKER THAN WATER-Andy Gibb	ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave
6.	7.	YOU'RE IN MY HEART-Rod Stewart	DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas
8.	8.	SHORT PEOPLE-Randy Newman	POOR POOR PITIFUL ME-Linda Ronstadt
15.	9.	PEG-Steely Dan	SERPENTINE FIRE-Earth, Wind & Fire
11.	10.	DESIREE-Neil Diamond	CURIOUS MIND-Johnny Rivers
13.	11.	DANCE, DANCE, DANCE-Chic	NATIVE NEW YORKER-Odyssey
9.	12.	BABY COME BACK-Player	• GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates
16.	13.	CLOSE ENCOUNTERS THEME-John Williams	• FALLING-LeBlanc & Carr
18.	14.	LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton	THEME FROM CLOSE ENCOUNTERS-Meco
14.	15.	WHAT'S YOUR NAME-Lynyrd Skynyrd	Gaining
10.	16.	TURN TO STONE-Electric Light Orch.	BREAKDOWN-Tom Petty
--	17.	THUNDER ISLAND-Jay Ferguson	F-FUN-Con Funk Shun
--	18.	WONDERFUL WORLD-Art Garfunkel	LONG, LONG WAY FROM HOME-Foreigner
--	19.	...THE THINGS YOU DO-Rita Coolidge	IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman
12.	20.	SLIP SLIDIN' AWAY-Paul Simon	LOVELY DAY-Bill Withers

Top Prospects

• JACK & JILL-Raydio (Arista) \* CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow (Arista)

Regional Sales and/or Requests

- OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole (Capitol)
- LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls (Phil. Int'l.)
- RUNNIN' ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne (Asylum)
- HOLLYWOOD-Boz Scaggs (Columbia)
- BEFORE MY HEART...-Gene Cotton (Ariola)
- EASY TO LOVE-Leo Sayer (Warner Bros.)
- THEME: WHICH WAY IS UP-Stargard (MCA)
- EBONY EYES-Bob Welch (Capitol)
- SILVER DREAMS-The Babys (Chrysalis)
- YOU REALLY GOT ME-Van Halen (Warner Bros.)
- BABY HOLD ON-Eddie Money (Columbia)
- EVERYBODY LOVES A RAIN SONG-B.J.Thomas (MCA)
- I CAN'T HOLD ON-Karla Bonoff (Columbia)
- GALAXY-War (MCA)
- IF IT DON'T FIT...-Kellee Patterson (Shadybrook)

Picks & Plays

- HOT LEGS-Rod Stewart (Warner Bros.)
- THE CIRCLE IS SMALL-Gordon Lightfoot (Warner Bros.)
- LITTLE ONE-Chicago (Columbia)
- THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND-Andrew Gold (Asylum)
- I'M GONNA TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING-Rubicon (20th)
- CALIFORNIA-Debby Boone (Warner Bros.)
- STARLIGHT-Cory Wells (A&M)
- TOO HOT TA TROT-Commodores (Motown)
- SWEET, SWEET SMILE-Carpenters (A&M)
- FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione (A&M)
- MAMAS, DON'T LET...-Waylon & Willie (RCA)
- DOWN THE ROAD-Doucette (Mushroom)
- ON THE STRIP-Paul Nicholas (RSO)
- READY FOR THE TIMES TO GET BETTER-Crystal Gayle(UA)
- TAKE ME TO THE KAPTIN-Prism (Ariola)
- SO LONG-Firefall (Atlantic)
- DISCO INFERNO-The Trammps (Atlantic)

## Correspondents' Corner\*\*

Chart and listings on page one are derived from information supplied by the radio reporters listed below. \*Indicates requests. Sales action is underlined. Others indicate airplay.

Bangor, Mark Laurence-WGUY- Raydio  
 Bath, Jack O'Brien-WIGY- Andrew Gold  
 Lewiston, Mark Ericson-WLAM- Earth, Wind & Fire  
 Manchester, Rick Ryder-WFEA- Paul Nicholas  
 Dover, Jim Sebastian-WTSN- Rod Stewart  
 Hyannis, Rick Stuart-WCOD- The Babys  
 Boston, Harry Nelson-WRKO- #13-L.Skynyrd  
 Natick, Wendy Furiga-WGTR- Gordon Lightfoot  
 New Haven, Curt Hansen-WAVZ- #6-Natalie Cole  
 Bridgeport, Gregg Loehr-WICC- Gordon Lightfoot  
 Hartford, Rick Donahue-WTIC- Stargard  
 Rochester, Ryder/Nast-WBBF- #4-Bill Withers  
 Utica, Jim Reitz-WTLB- Van Halen  
 New York, Roz Frank-WNBC- #15-Billy Joel(MOVIN)  
 Babylon, Bernie Bernard-WBAB- Gordon Lightfoot  
 Reading, Mike Shannon-WRAW- Boz Scaggs  
 Trenton, Tom Taylor-WPST- Jackson Browne  
 Wilmington, Tom Sommers-WAMS- Wet Willie  
 Frederick, G.T.Stone-14ZYQ- #9-Little River Bd.  
 Richmond, Gary Robins-WLEE- Brooklyn Dreams  
 Lynchburg, Tony Love-WLL- Yvonne Elliman  
 Winston-Salem, Jay McDaniel-WAIR- Carpenters  
 Asheboro, Bill Cox-WZOO- #10-Bill Withers  
 Charlotte, Roy Rosen-WAYS- Rod Stewart  
 Shelby, Jeffrey Owens-WOHS- Chicago  
 Asheville, Ray Williams-WISE- Stargard  
 New Bern, Richard Taylor-WSFL/FM- Lou Rawls  
 Wilmington, Robbie Vogt-WGNI- #1-Heatwave  
 Columbia, Dan Vallie-WCOS- #9-Eric Clapton  
 Anderson, Bill McCown-WANS- Andrea True  
 Greenville, Bill Love-WFBC- Carpenters  
 Kingtree, Jerry Smith-WKSP- Ronnie Milsap  
 Augusta, Steve York-WAUG/FM- #5-Raydio  
 Savannah, Brady McGraw-WSGA- #6-Chic  
 - - - Jerry Katz-WSGF- Tramps  
 Athens, Jeff Michaels-WAGQ- #3-Eric Clapton  
 - - - Kelly McCoy-WRFC- Stargard  
 Gainesville, Tom Harris-WDUN- Cory Wells  
 - - - Sam Church-WFOX- Ted Nugent  
 Atlanta, Don Benson-94Q- #2-David Gates  
 Carrollton, Scott Evans-WPPI- Sam the Sham  
 Columbus, Chuck Bear-WCGQ- Tom Petty  
 Carrollton, Andrea Cordell-WBTR- Waylon & Willie  
 Orlando, Chris O'Neal-WLOF- Gordon Lightfoot  
 W.Palm Beach, Allan Edwards-WIRK- Lou Rawls  
 Miami, Joel Denver-96X- Tavares/BG's (WOMAN)  
 Ft.Myers, Webster James-WMYR- Little River Bd.  
 Tampa, Ron Parker-WLCY- Tramps  
 Ocala, Bill Early-WWKE- Gordon Lightfoot  
 Tallahassee, Michael O'Malley-WONS- Natalie Cole  
 Ft.Walton Beach, Bob Kitzmiller-WNUE- Carpenters  
 Pensacola, Dan Ingram-WBSR- LTD  
 Huntsville, Tony Taylor-WAAY- Bill Withers  
 Muscle Shoals, Rick Shayne-WBCF- Yvonne Elliman  
 - - - J.Michael Pruett-Q107- #5-Garfunkel  
 Guntersville, Kerry Jackson-WGSV- #11-D.Gates  
 Cullman, Rich McCarthy-WKLN/FM- Cory Wells  
 Birmingham, Steve Davis-WKXX- Andrew Gold  
 Montgomery, Lanny West-WHHY- #7-Bill Withers  
 Starkville, Glen James-WKOR- #3-Steely Dan  
 Greenville, Mark Jones-WDDT- Tom Petty  
 Natchez, Haynes Ford-WQNZ- LeBlanc & Carr  
 Jackson, Mickey Coulter-Y16- #6-Kellee Patterson  
 Pascagoula, Norm Boswell-WKKY- Karla Bonoff  
 Biloxi, Bob Lima-WQID- Kellee Patterson  
 Lafayette, Mike Lee-KVOL- Cory Wells  
 Lake Charles, Kim Canard-KLOU- The Babys  
 - - - Robert Penny-KAOK- Waylon & Willie  
 Shreveport, K.C.Daniels-KEEL- P.J.& Bobby  
 - - - Shepherd/Green-KROK- \*Eruption  
 Abbeville, Michael Adams-KROF- Carpenters  
 New Iberia, Ken Romero-KANE- Waylon & Willie  
 Memphis, John Long-WHBQ- Barry Manilow  
 Knoxville, Bob Kaghan-WRJZ- Bob Welch  
 Louisville, Coyote Calhoun-WAKY- Jay Ferguson  
 Bowling Green, Doug Kirsh-WBGN- Natalie Cole  
 Paducah, Bryan Sargent-WKYX- Bill Withers  
 Lexington, Jim Jordan-WVLK- Yvonne Elliman  
 South Bend, Jason Foxx-WRBR- Bob Welch  
 Anderson, Dan Scott-WHUT- #11-Earth, Wind & Fire  
 Indianapolis, Jeff Lucifer-WNDE- Garfunkel  
 Evansville, Buddy Scott-WGBF- Chic  
 Cincinnati, C.C.Matthews-WSAI- #15-David Gates  
 Hamilton, Joe London-WMOH- David Gates  
 Columbus, Dave Bishop-WCOL- Gene Cotton  
 Alliance, Bill Brophy-WFAH- Wild Cherry  
 Canton, Ron Foster-WQIO- Tavares  
 - - - Keith London-WINW- Van Halen  
 Wheeling, Jim Roberts-WKWK- David Gates  
 Parkersburg, Jack Fitzgerald-WXIL- Wild Cherry  
 Beckley, Dwayne Bonds-WCIR- #12-Yvonne Elliman  
 Altoona, Tony Booth-WFBG- Cazz  
 - - - John Harrison-WVAM- Stargard  
 Youngstown, Jack Taylor-Y103- Steely Dan  
 Pittsburgh, Cynthia Rogoff-WPEZ- Bette Midler  
 Johnstown, Douglas Kaye-WCRO- Rubicon  
 Muskegon, Jon London-WTRU- War  
 Lansing, Tim Kelly-WILS- Commodores  
 Saginaw, Roger Sinclair-WSAM- Stargard  
 Carbondale, Rick Zurick-WCIL/FM- Rubicon  
 Chicago, Jim Smith-WLS- John Williams  
 - - - Dave Morgan-WMET- #4-Andy Gibb  
 Rockford, John Arthur-WROK- Steely Dan  
 Freeport, Kevin Kenney-WACI- Herman's Hermits  
 Madison, Jonathan Little-WISM- Doucette  
 Milwaukee, Pat McKay-WOKY- Carpenters  
 Two Rivers, John Barber-15Q- Crystal Gayle  
 Green Bay, Gregg Albert-WDUZ- Crystal Gayle  
 Appleton, Jason Page-WNAM- Heatwave  
 Stevens Point, Pat Martin-WSPT- Bob Welch  
 LaCrosse, Pat Smith-WLCX- Yvonne Elliman  
 Eau Claire, Sean McCartney-WEAQ- Kansas  
 Duluth, Beau Elliot-WEBC- #7-Abba  
 Rochester, Danny Foster-KWEB- Bob Welch  
 St. Cloud, Tom Kay-WJON- Kenny Rogers  
 Thief River Falls, Daryl Tumberg-KTRF- #7-S.Dan  
 Grand Forks, Bob Hooper-KKXL- #8-LeBlanc & Carr  
 Fargo, Mark Renier-KVOX- Odyssey  
 Aberdeen, Gary Dixon-KSDN- War  
 Huron, L.A.Timms-KOKK- Cory Wells  
 Sioux Falls, Tom Evans-KISD- Rubicon  
 Sioux City, Bill Bodie-KWSL- Paul Nicholas  
 Dubuque, Steve Sesterhenn-KFMD- Foreigner  
 Ottumwa, Dave Carlson-KLEE- Paul Nicholas  
 Des Moines, Gary Stevens-KIOA- #14-L.R.Band  
 - - - Michael Stone-KMGK- Dr.Hook  
 Mason City, Bob Scott-KRIB- Debby Boone  
 Cedar Rapids, Carl Mann-KCRG- Jay Ferguson  
 Davenport, Rick Fields-KSTT- Herman's Hermits  
 St. Louis, Todd Martin-KIRL- #10-Paul Davis  
 Jackson, Kent Nelson-KJAS- Rubicon  
 Kansas, Kim Welsh-KBEQ- LeBlanc & Carr  
 Pine Bluff, Paul Sims-KOTN- Stargard  
 Little Rock, Randy Rice-Z98- \*David Gates  
 Lawrence, Mike Schmidt-KLWN/FM- Crystal Gayle  
 Topeka, J.R.Greeley-KEWI- #9-Kansas  
 Junction City, Beau James-KJCK/FM- Tom Petty  
 Wichita, Bob Lawrence-KLEO- Paul Davis  
 - - - Barry Casey-KEYN- Katy Moffatt  
 Oklahoma City, Chuck Morgan-KOFM- Commodores  
 - - - Sandy Jones-WKY- Bob Welch  
 Wichita Falls, King Wiggins-KTRN- John Denver  
 Marshall, Jerry Rome-KMHT- Stonebolt  
 Tyler, Robert Adams-KDOK- Wet Willie  
 Dallas/Ft.Worth, Gary Mack-Z97- #12-E.W.& Fire  
 Waco, Mike Lucas-KRZI- Jay Ferguson  
 Temple, Lou Saint-KTEM- Waylon & Willie  
 Killeen, Stan Castles-KIXS- #9-Jay Ferguson  
 Austin, Bill Mayne-KNOW- Stargard  
 Houston, Clay Gish-KRBE- Natalie Cole  
 Galveston, Dave Collins-KILE- Andrea True  
 Beaumont, Paul King-KAYC- Barbara Mandrell  
 - - - J.J.Stone-KWIC- Enchantment  
 Victoria, Gary Steele-KVIC- Jay Ferguson  
 San Antonio, Ron Dennington-KZ100- Commodores  
 Corpus Christi, Welch/Daniels-KRYS- #10-J.Williams

\*\*Correspondents not listed above will be found on page 8....



Adult Contemporary Programming  
(Associate Editor, Ron Fell)

Most Active: WONDERFUL WORLD-Art Garfunkel and Company (Columbia) A healthy move of 24-12 with high rotation at WFYR, WIMJ, KNX/FM, KLIN, KSFO, KSL, and many more.

Worth Watching: CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow (Arista)  
READY FOR THE TIMES TO GET BETTER-Crystal Gayle (United Artists)

The Manilow formula works once again with impressive adds for the second week in a row. Ms. Gayle, for the first time, is starting off just as well A/C as she is country.

Top Thirty

Note: The lines in the top thirty below indicate sharp separations in our research totals - much more of a division than can be represented by two consecutive numbers.

LW	TW		LW	TW	
1.	1.	JUST THE WAY YOU ARE-Billy Joel	10.	16.	HERE YOU COME AGAIN-Dolly Parton
3.	2.	SOMETIMES WHEN WE TOUCH-Dan Hill	21.	17.	...THE THINGS YOU DO-Rita Coolidge
2.	3.	DESIREE-Neil Diamond	23.	18.	BEFORE MY HEART FINDS OUT-Gene Cotton
4.	4.	EMOTION-Samantha Sang	18.	19.	WHAT A DIFFERENCE YOU'VE MADE-R. Milsap
7.	5.	LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls	22.	20.	PEG-Steely Dan
8.	6.	GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates	27.	21.	IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman
9.	7.	STAYIN' ALIVE-Bee Gees	25.	22.	EVERYBODY LOVES A RAIN SONG-B.J. Thomas
5.	8.	YOU'RE IN MY HEART-Rod Stewart	19.	23.	NATIVE NEW YORKER-Odyssey
12.	9.	CLOSE ENCOUNTERS THEME-John Williams	16.	24.	SLIP SLIDIN' AWAY-Paul Simon
11.	10.	CURIOUS MINDS-Johnny Rivers	17.	25.	SHORT PEOPLE-Randy Newman
13.	11.	THE NAME OF THE GAME-Abba	28.	26.	LOVELY DAY-Bill Withers
24.	12.	WONDERFUL WORLD-Art Garfunkel	--.	27.	SWEET, SWEET SMILE-Carpenters
6.	13.	HOW CAN I LEAVE YOU-John Denver	26.	28.	CANDLE ON THE WATER-Helen Reddy
15.	14.	(LOVE IS) THICKER THAN WATER-Andy Gibb	--.	29.	WALK RIGHT BACK-Anne Murray
14.	15.	BABY COME BACK-Player	--.	30.	I GO CRAZY-Paul Davis

Action Sides

FALLING-LeBlanc & Carr  
LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton  
CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow  
DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas  
MY REASON TO BE IS YOU-McCoo & Davis  
CLOSE ENCOUNTERS THEME-Meco  
FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione  
POOR POOR PITIFUL ME-Linda Ronstadt

Correspondents' Preferred Picks

READY FOR THE TIMES...-Crystal Gayle (U.A.)  
THE CLOSER I GET-Flack & Hathaway (Atlantic)  
IT AMAZES ME-John Denver (RCA)  
MAMA DON'T LET YOUR BABIES...-Waylon & Willie(RCA)  
EBONY EYES-Bob Welch (Capitol)

Sales and/or Requests

NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees  
SILVER DREAMS-The Babys  
EASY TO LOVE-Leo Sayer  
DAYBREAK-Bette Midler  
I CAN'T HOLD ON-Karla Bonoff  
ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave  
DANCE, DANCE, DANCE-Chic  
UNTIL NOW-Bobby Arvon

Airplay

CALIFORNIA-Debby Boone  
LITTLE ONE-Chicago  
THE CIRCLE IS SMALL-Gordon Lightfoot  
ROCKIN' IN THE CRADLE-Rocky & Chyann  
HOLLYWOOD-Boz Scaggs  
MR. WRONG-Starland Vocal Band  
IS IT REALLY LOVE AT ALL-Jeicho Harp  
TAKE MY HAND-Randy Edelman

A - C Correspondents' Reports

Anna, Ill. (Jane Michel-WRAJ) Manilow/Wings/Welch/Waylon & Willie/Ronstadt. Calls: Kansas.  
Asheville (Bob Rymell-WRAQ) Clapton/Garfunkel. Gains: Hill/Steely Dan/Withers/Abba/J. Rivers.  
Astoria (Doug McDowell-KAST) J. Harp/Boz Scaggs/Manilow/Murray/Kansas/Odyssey. Gains: Cotton/Abba.  
Athens (Rohn Steelman-WATH) Manilow/Boone/C. Gayle/Roy Head/Warwick. Calls: B.J. Thomas/Arvon.  
Austin (Bob Joseph-KCSW) Carpenters/Mary Travers/Murray/Blood, Sweat & Tears/Benson. Gains: Rawls.  
Baltimore (Dexter Beane-WCEM) L. Ronstadt/David Gates/Kansas.  
Bend (Bill Jay-KBND) Lightfoot/Flack/Montana/Chic/Chicago. Gains: J. Harp/LeBlanc & Carr/J. Wms.  
Bismarck (Tom Bitz-KBOM) Boz Scaggs/Rocky & Chyann/Boone/Edelman/Chicago/Clapton.  
Bluefield (John Hoffman-WHIS) Mason/Ronstadt/Kansas/Welch/Elliman. Gains: Withers/Commodores.  
Boise (Lee Chabre-KBOI) Elliman/C. Gayle/Garfunkel/D. Boone. Calls: J. Wms./Meco/Dan Hill.  
Boston (Jim Spellmeyer-WEEI/FM) Rubicon/LeBlanc & Carr/Gayle/Travers/Gold/Sunshine/Melanie.  
Brookhaven (Randall Smith-WJMB) Manilow/Mangione/Heatwave/Cisyk/Gayle. Gains: Sang/Bee Gees (FEVER).  
Burlington (Gary Wheelock-WVMT) Kansas/LeBlanc & Carr. Gains: Mangione/Elliman/Garfunkel/Hill.  
Butte (Bob Roberts-KXLF) Chicago/Manilow/Boz Scaggs. Gains: Chic/D. Hill/Gibb.  
Canton (Rick Jacobs-WHBC) Elliman/Murray/Chicago/Chic. Gains: Abba/J. Wms./Bee Gees (ALIVE).  
Cedar Rapids (Rick Sellers-WMT) J. Denver/C. Mangione/M. Webber. Gains: Elliman/Rita C./D. Boone.  
Charlottesville (Jim Racey-WCHV) LeBlanc & Carr/Manilow/Kansas. Gains: Rita C./Rivers/Steely Dan.  
Chicago (Dave Martin-WFYR) P. Davis/Steely Dan/Kansas/Ronstadt. Gains: Chic/Rawls/Manilow/Abba.  
- - - (Rob Reynolds-WYEN) Carpenters/B.J. Thomas/Lightfoot/Edelman. Gains: Manilow/Gibb/Abba.  
Chillicothe (Rhea Weatherford-WCLL) Manilow/Rita C./Chicago. Gains: Garfunkel/Cotton/Edelman.  
Cincinnati (Susan Howe-WLW) Manilow/B.J. Thomas. Gains: Hill/Bee Gees (ALIVE)/Newman.  
Coffeyville (J. Foster Padgett-KGGF) H. Reddy. Calls: Murray/Mangione. Gains: Cotton.  
Colorado Springs (Dan Shanahan-KIIQ) Elliman/B.J. Thomas/Garfunkel/Rita C./B. Withers.  
Columbia (Mike Collins-WIS) Murray/Lightfoot/Heatwave. Calls: Arvon. Gains: J. Wms./Odyssey.  
Corona (Rick Painter-KWRM) Hermans Hermits/Mangione/J. Harp/Mason/Carpenters. Calls: Garfunkel.  
Corvallis (Weldon Greig-KLOO) Buzz Cason/Odyssey/N. Shanx/Don Brown/J. Denver. Gains: Rawls/Sang.  
Denver (Harry Smith-KHOW) Gayle/Denver/Bing Crosby.  
- - - (Hal Widsten-KLZ) Elliman/LeBlanc & Carr/Lightfoot.  
Detroit (Bob Chenault-WOMC) Flack & Hathaway/Denver/Boone/L. Garrett. Calls: Cisyk/Kansas.  
Dubuque (Steve Sesterhenn-KDTH) LeBlanc & Carr/Waylon & Willie/Boone/Crosby/Meco/Rocky & Chyann.

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Black Radio  
(Associate Editor, Betty Hollars)

Hot Line: FLASHLIGHT-Parliament (Casablanca) The latest from these Casablanca headliners displays a strong, steady gain in the major market arena.

Looking Good: SHOUT IT OUT-B.T.Express (Roadshow) Rapid gains wherever played indicates another success for the consistently strong "Express" sound.

Most Added: BOOTZILLA-Bootsy' Rubber Band (Warner Bros.) This Bootsy production receives "instant add" reaction, in spite of its 4:21 length.

Correspondents' Top Thirty

The following list is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

<u>LW</u>	<u>TW</u>	<u>LW</u>	<u>TW</u>
2.	1. JACK & JILL-Raydio	23.	16. FLASHLIGHT-Parliament
4.	2. TOO HOT TA TROT-Commodores	21.	17. PLAYING YOUR GAME BABY-Barry White
1.	3. ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave	10.	18. WITH PEN IN HAND-Dorothy Moore
5.	4. AIN'T GONNA' HURT NOBODY-Brick	24.	19. DON'T COST YOU NOTHIN'-Ashford & Simpson
6.	5. LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls	11.	20. REACH FOR IT-George Duke
3.	6. OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole	12.	21. OOH BOY-Rose Royce
14.	7. THEME: WHICH WAY IS UP-Stargard	18.	22. COME GO WITH ME-Pockets
9.	8. BABY..LOVE'S ALL FOR YOU-D.Williams	20.	23. BELLE-Al Green
16.	9. LOVE ME RIGHT-Denise LaSalle	--.	24. SHOUT IT OUT-B.T. Express
7.	10. GALAXY-War	--.	25. AM I LOSING YOU-Manhattans
8.	11. DANCE, DANCE, DANCE-Chic	--.	26. L-O-V-E-U-Brass Construction
13.	12. LOVELY DAY-Bill Withers	--.	27. BABY COME BACK-Player
15.	13. SOFT & EASY-Blackbyrds	22.	28. CHOOSING YOU-Lenny Williams
17.	14. LE SPANK-Le Pamplemuse	25.	29. F-FUN-Con Funk Shun
19.	15. IT'S YOU THAT I NEED-Enchantment	26.	30. SERPENTINE FIRE-Earth, Wind & Fire

Movin' On Up

FOR YOUR LOVE, LOVE, LOVE-Joe Simon (Spring) STAYIN' ALIVE-Bee Gees (RSO)

Top Airplay

BOOTZILLA-Bootsy's Rubber Band  
CLOSE ENCOUNTERS-Gene Page/Meco  
REACHING FOR THE SKY-Peabo Bryson  
OUT OF THE GHETTO-Isaac Hayes  
LOVE SHOCK/CALL MY JOB-Albert King  
LET'S HAVE SOME FUN-Barkays  
WORKING TOGETHER-Maze  
PRIVATE PROPERTY-Dells  
YOU ARE MY FRIEND-Patti Labelle  
LET ME PARTY WITH YOU-Bunny Sigler  
YOU & I-Living Proof  
LOVE THAT WILL NOT DIE-Johnny Guitar Watson  
RUB DOWN-Joe Tex  
NEW HORIZON-Sylvers  
CAN YOU GET IT-Mandrill

Correspondents' Preferred Picks

WISHING ON A STAR-Rose Royce (Whitfield)  
THE CLOSER I GET TO YOU-R.Flack w/D.Hathaway (Atl)  
THE GHOST OF LOVE-Tavares (Capitol)  
THE PARTY SONG-Slave (Cotillion)  
EASY COME, EASY GO-Spinners (Atlantic)  
THAT'S ALL RIGHT TOO-Brian & Brenda (Rocket)  
HEAVEN IS A STEP AWAY-Controllers (Juana)  
THERE'S NO OTHER LIKE YOU-Archie Bell (Phil. Int.)  
MAXIMUM STIMULATION-Jimmy Castor Bunch (Atlantic)  
INTIMATE FRIENDS-Eddie Kendricks (Tamla)  
WE FELL IN LOVE WHILE DANCING-Bill Brandon (Prelude)  
FIND ME A GIRL-Jacksons (Epic)  
LARRY, MOVE YOUR HAND-Penguin Feet (H.D.M./Amherst)  
PRECIOUS, PRECIOUS-O.V.Wright (Hi Cream)  
RUMOR HAS IT-Donna Summer (Casablanca)

Regional Highlights

Albany (Doc Suttles-WJIZ) #4-Chic. Gns: Blackbyrds, Mandrill, Maze, Sylvers, J.Castor, E.Kendricks  
Le Pamplemuse, Al Green, War. New: Joe Simon, Joe Tex, Albert King, Gene Page, Manhattans.  
Chicago (Radio WVON) #5-Stargard, #6-Player. Gns: Gene Page, Controllers, ADC Band, Enchantment,  
M.Mitchell, Peter Brown. New: Barkays, Eddie Kendricks, Donna Summer, Peabo Bryson, Slave.  
Chicago (Richard Steele-WJPC) #3-Raydio, #5-D.LaSalle. Gns: War, J.Brown, R.Royce, L.Proof, D.  
Summer, G.Page, J.Simon, Staples. New: Player, Impact, Dells, L.Rawls, Commodores, Bee Gees.  
Chicago (Earnest James-WBMX/FM) #2-Raydio, #4-Stargard, #7-Player. Gns: Enchantment, War, S.Sang.  
New: Harold Melvin, Barbara Mandrell, Brass Construction. LP's: Bootsy's Rubber Band, Rufus.  
Cleveland (Mike Payne-WABQ) #1-Flashlight, #2-Stargard, #6-Blackbyrds, #9-Raydio, #10-Barkays.  
New: Donna Summer, Wild Cherry, Bill Brandon, Milt Matthews. LP's: War, Bob James, Grover W.Jr.  
Galveston (Randy Sterling-KGBC) #2-Raydio, #5-Chic, #7-Peabo Bryson. New: Bill Brandon, Tavares,  
Ted Taylor. Rq: Spinners, J.G.Watson, O.V.Wright, Parliament, Sylvers, George McCrae.  
Henderson (J.T.-KGRI/FM) #1-Raydio. Gns: Joe Tex, Ashford & S., D.LaSalle, J.G.Watson, Dells, Man-  
hattans, Delfonics. New: Spyder Turner, Eruption, Rhythm H., LTD, High Inergy, Dramatics, Slave.  
Natchez (Haynes Ford-WNAT) #2-Chic, #10-Brass C. Gns: Enchantment, J.Simon, Penguin Feet, L.Wms.,  
BT Express, Bootsy, Stargard, I.Hayes, Slave. New: Bee Gees, Player, Flack/Hathaway, Parliament.  
New York (Sonny Taylor-WWRL) #1-Stargard, #2-Meco, #4-Player. Gns: Joe Simon, Living Proof. New:  
Parliament, Brick, Michael Zager Band, Manhattans, Denise LaSalle, Spinners. LP's: Rufus, Benson.  
St.Louis (Chico Brown-KATZ) #1-Natalie Cole, #4-Stargard, #5-Rose Royce, #6-Al Green, #7-Brick,  
#8-Pockets, #10-Raydio. New: Barry White, Gene Page, T-Connection. On: Parliament, B.T.Express.  
St.Matthews (Andy Henderson-WQKI) #4-Raydio. Gns: Stargard, Brass C., Enchantment, B.White, B.T.  
Express. New: Flack/Hathaway, Peabo Bryson, Bootsy, Bee Gees, Denise LaSalle. On: Maze,  
San Francisco/Oakland (Johnny Morris-KDIA) #1-Natalie Cole, #3-War, #5-Parliament, #7-Raydio, #9-  
Bunny Sigler, #10-George Benson. Gns: B.T.Express, Ohio Players. New LP's: Rufus, Grover W.Jr.  
Stockton (Charles Richardson-KUOP/FM) Chart: Ashford & Simpson, Bunny Sigler, Parliament, Flack/  
Hathaway. Gns: Bee Gees, R.Charles, BT Express. New: Isaac Hayes, Peabo Bryson, J.G.Watson, Maze.  
Berkeley (Rob Singleton-KRE) New: Taj Mahal, Lalomie Washburn, Perfect Circle (local), Rose Royce.  
LTD, Flack/Hathaway. Hot LP's: Grover Washington, Jr., George Benson.

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Country Music  
(Associate Editor, Elma Greer)

Record of the Week: SHAKE ME I RATTLE-Cristy Lane (LS/GRT) Our December 9th Record to Watch is rapidly climbing this week.

Next In Line: IT STARTED ALL OVER AGAIN-Vern Gosdin (Elektra) Adds and requests to this version, already charted in several areas by David Houston, warrants it as a chart contender.

Record to Watch: SWEET, SWEET SMILE-Carpenters (A&M) Sufficient adds show confidence in the record.

Top Country Hits

The following list of country hits is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

LW	TW		LW	TW	
4.	1.	YOU'RE THE ONE-Oak Ridge Boys	16.	16.	MAY THE FORCE...-Tom T. Hall
1.	2.	OUT OF MY HEAD...-Loretta Lynn	21.	17.	I LOVE YOU...-Ronnie McDowell
5.	3.	I JUST WISH YOU WERE...-Larry Gatlin	13.	18.	LONELY STREET-Rex Allen Jr.
3.	4.	TO DADDY-Emmylou Harris	26.	19.	GOD MADE LOVE-Mel McDaniel
6.	5.	DON'T BREAK THE HEART...-Margo Smith	--.	20.	SHAKE ME I RATTLE-Cristy Lane
8.	6.	WOMAN TO WOMAN-Barbara Mandrell	30.	21.	BARTENDERS BLUE-George Jones
12.	7.	WHAT DID I PROMISE HER...-Mel Tillis	16.	22.	STANDARD LIE NUMBER ONE-Stella Parton
2.	8.	WHAT A DIFFERENCE...-Ronnie Milsap	17.	23.	HERE YOU COME AGAIN-Dolly Parton
7.	9.	SOMETHING TO BRAG ABOUT-Mary Kay Place	28.	24.	YOU KNOW WHAT-Jerry Reed & Seidina
14.	10.	DO I LOVE YOU-Donna Fargo	22.	25.	SOME I WROTE-Statler Bros.
20.	11.	MAMAS, DON'T LET...-Waylon & Willie	27.	26.	I PROMISED HER...-Bobby Borchers
18.	12.	I DON'T NEED A THING...-Gene Watson	--.	27.	TWO DOORS DOWN-Zella Lehr
10.	13.	TAKE THIS JOB...-Johnny Paycheck	--.	28.	SHINE ON ME-John Wesley Ryles
9.	14.	MIDDLE AGE CRAZY-Jerry Lee Lewis	--.	29.	WALK RIGHT BACK-Anne Murray
11.	15.	MY WAY-Elvis Presley	--.	30.	ANGEL OF THE MORNING-Melba Montgomery

Other Gains, Sales and/or Requests

IF I HAD A CHEATING HEART-Mel Street  
 RUNNIN' KIND-Merle Haggard  
 BEDROOM EYES-Don Drumm  
 YES MA'AM-Tommy Overstreet  
 I'VE CRIED THE BLUES...-Crystal Gayle  
 LONELY HEARTS CLUB-Billie Jo Spears  
 RETURN TO ME-Marty Robbins  
 IT STARTED ALL OVER AGAIN-Vern Gosdin  
 HOLD TIGHT-Kenny Starr  
 SOFT LIGHTS & HARD COUNTRY MUSIC-Moe Bandy

Action Sides

IT DOESN'T MATTER ANYMORE-R.C. Bannon  
 A LOVERS QUESTION-Jacky Ward  
 RED HOT MEMORY-Kenny Dale  
 THE LONGEST WALK-Mary Kay Miller  
 IT DON'T FEEL LIKE SINNIN'...-Kendalls  
 READY FOR THE TIMES...-Crystal Gayle  
 BUCKET TO THE SOUTH-Ava Barber  
 DOWN THE ROADS...-Darrell McCall  
 I'VE BEEN LOVED-Cates Sisters  
 FEELIN' BETTER-Hank Williams Jr.

Airplay: (New listings are underlined>)

Charley Pride (33); Billy "Crash" Craddock (Cap.) (27); Bill Anderson and Mary Lou Turner (26); Don Williams (26); Jim Reeves (23); Dickie Lee (23); Conway Twitty (23); Johnny Cash (22); Eddie Rabbitt (21); B.J. Thomas (19); Ed Bruce (17); Don King (17); Con Hunley (17); Dottie (16); Kenny Rogers and Dottie West (15); Don Gibson (13); Roy Clark (12); Tom Bresh (10); Porter Wagoner (10).

New Releases That Merit Airplay

WE BELIEVE IN HAPPY ENDINGS-Johnny Rodriguez (Mercury) I'M JUST A FARMER-Cal Smith (MCA)

Roundup

Akron (Don Dempsey-WSLR) Gns-G.Watson (15-9). Deb-B.J.Thomas (36), J.Ward (37), B.C.Craddock (38)  
Albany, Ore. (Larry Blair-KRKT) Deb-D.Fargo (21), J.W.Ryles (22), H.Williams Jr. (23), M.McDaniels.  
Ann Arbor (Mark Thomas-WNRS) Gns-M.Montgomery (33-25), Z.Lehr (38-31). Pl-D.Dudley, J.Pruett.  
Ashland, Ky. (Cris Robins-WTCR) Deb-Cristy Lane (30). Pl-M.McDaniel, Z.Lehr, M.Montgomery.  
Ashland, Ore. (Christopher Stoney-KCMX) Gns-D.McCall (24-18), D.Drumm (28-20). Pl-Dottie, C.Pride.  
Austin (Jerry K.Green-KVET) Pl-D.Lee, B.Luman, C.Gayle, Kendalls, J.Cash, J.Naylor, B.C.Craddock.  
Battle Creek (Jim Clark-WWKQ) Deb-M.Street (26), Hank Jr. (27). Pl-C.Smith, J.Paycheck (KOOL-AID)..  
Biloxi (Lance Carson-WVMI) Pl-R.McDowell, J.W.Ryles, Z.Lehr, R.C.Bannon, L.Ronstadt. Rq-J.Ward.  
Bismarck (Marv Allen-KBMR) Pl-B.C.Craddock, D.Lee, J.Cash, L.Williams, D.Dudley. Rq-Anne Murray.  
Boise (Paul Rider-KGEM) Pl-A.Murray, M.Robbins, Moe Bandy, R.C.Bannon. Rq-G.Lightfoot, A.Barber.  
Bryan (Warren Davis-KORA/FM) Gns-D.Rogers (19-7). Deb-B.J.Spears (33), Waylon & W. (34). Rq-K.Dale.  
Cape Girardeau (David Holt-KZYM) Deb-G.Jones (24), T.Overstreet (25). Pl-Waylon & W., M.Street.  
Carrollton (Ray Hammons-WLBB) Pl-J.Denver, G.Lightfoot, K.Rogers & D.West, E.Rabbitt, D.Boone.  
Charlotte (Larry James-WBT) Deb-C.Pride (38), B.C.Craddock (39, Cap.), C.Gayle (40, U.A.).  
Chicago (Bill Hart-WJJD) Pl-Kendalls, R.C.Bannon, C.Pride, J.Ward, B.Borchers, Cristy Lane.  
 - - - (Joanne Calloway-WMAQ) Pl-B.Mandrell, Mel Tillis, Cristy Lane. Rq-Mel McDaniel, Zella Lehr.  
Columbia (Ken Martin-WCOS/FM) Gns-A.Murray (37-28). Pl-Kendalls, D.Williams, J.Ward, C.Twitty.  
Cypress Gardens (Terry Slane-WGTO) Pl-C.Gayle (UA), C.Pride, Hank Jr., Don Drumm, B.C.Craddock (Cap.)  
Denver (Jon Lawrence-KERE) Gns-M.McDaniel (15-6). Pl-F.Hart, Bill & Marylou, E.Rabbitt, D.Williams.  
 - - - (Bill Ashford-KLAK) Pl-T.Glaser, B.Luman, E.Rabbitt, D.Williams, Dickie Lee.  
Des Moines (Johnny Dolan-KSO) Pl-F.Hart, D.McCall, Bill & Marylou, P.Rakes, V.Gosdin, C.Gayle.  
Detroit (Cindy-WDEE) Pl-M.Bandy, V.Gosdin, K.Dale, Bill & Marylou, J.Ward, D.King.  
Eau Claire (Ken Loomis-WAXX/FM) Pl-Kendalls, B.K.Perry, B.Luman, F.Hart, J.Cash. Rq-B.J.Thomas.  
El Paso (Ray Potter-KHEY) Pl-Z.Lehr, D.Williams, B.K.Perry, B.C.Craddock, Carpenters, P.Rakes.  
Eugene (John Etheredge-KATR) Pl-Ava Barber, C.Pride, Anne Murray, G.Lightfoot, T.Glaser, J.Cash.  
 - - - (Bob Wise-KEED) Pl-C.Twitty, B.Luman, B.K.Perry, J.Pruett, E.Rabbitt, D.Williams, D.Drumm.  
Everett/Seattle (Lee Wade-KWYZ) Gns-M.Montgomery (30-24). Pl-T.Glaser, B.C.Craddock (Cap.) .  
Fargo (Donnie Roberts-KFGO) Gns-L.Dresser (25-18), A.Barber (28-21). Pl-C.Pride, Kendalls, J.Cash.  
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Ft. Dodge (Dale Eichor-KWMT) Deb-K.Dale (38), D.King (40). Pl-J.Ward, C.Pride, D.Williams.  
Ft. Worth (Tom Wayne-KXOL) Pl-M.Boyd, K.Price, Dickey Lee, B.Luman, Kendalls. Rq-Billy Walker.  
Gilroy (Laura-KFAT) LP-E.Harris (LEAVIN' LOUISIANA), Waylon & W. (FIDDLE), T.T.Hall (COME ON...).  
Harlan (Rob Roberts-WFSR) Deb-Waylon & W. (45), F.Hart (57), D.Lee (58), R.McDowell (64).  
Houma (Les Domangue-KCIL) Pl-J.Pruett, Waylon & W., E.Bruce, C.Gayle, D.Lee, J.Ward.  
Houston (Dr. Bruce Nelson-KENR) Deb-C.Gayle (32) (UA), D. King (36). Pl-D.Williams, D.West-Rogers.  
 - - - (Joe Ladd-KIKK) Gns-A.Murray (28-15), B.J.Thomas (37-25). Pl-K.Rogers & D.West, D.Williams.  
Huntsville (Rick Warren-WBHP) Gns-B.Stapler (38-31). Deb-J.Ward (30). Pl-J.Steele, Johnny Cash.  
Indianapolis (Herb Allen-WFMS) Gns-Z.Lehr (17-7). Pl-M.Robbins, Moe Bandy, M.Street, R.McDowell.  
 - - - (Bill Robinson-WIRE) Pk-D.Williams. Pl-M.Bandy, V.Gosdin, B.Luman, C.Pride, E.Rabbitt.  
Jacksonville (J.St.John-WQIK) Gns-V.Gosdin (34-18). Pl-R.C.Bannon, L.Ronstadt, M.Robbins, E.Bruce.  
Jamestown (Ole Olson-KSJB) Pl-C.Gayle, J.Cash, Kendalls, J.Naylor, D.Williams. Rq-B.Parker.  
Kansas City (Don Rhea-KCKN) Gns-C.Lane (19-10), D.Drumm (23-11). Pl-E.Rabbitt, B.J.Thomas, Dotsy.  
 - - - (Ted Cramer-WDAF) Deb-D.Fargo (17), C.Lane (20), M.Street (29). Pl-C.Twitty, B.C.Craddock  
Kennewick (Doug Allen-KOTY) Gns-D.Rogers (24-19). Pl-E.Bruce, B.Rice, D.Williams, J.Cash. // (Cap.)  
Kingsville (Gordon K.Marcy-KINE) Deb-D.Fargo (17), M.Haggard (25). Pl-T.Overstreet, A.Murray.  
Knoxville (Dave Young-WIVK) Gns-J.Chesnut (28-20). Deb-C.Hunley (30). Pl-E.Rabbitt, C.Gayle (UA).  
Lansing (Wayne Waters-WITL) Pl-C.Pride, J.Ward, Dotsy, K.Rogers/D.West, C.Twitty. Rq-J.Cash.  
Las Vegas (Mike Farrell-KRAM) Gns-B.J.Spears (17-9), A.Barber (34-18). Pl-K.Rogers/West, J.Cash.  
Lockhart (John Hood-KCLT) Deb-J.Reed (16). Pl-L.Dresser, J.Cash, K.Palmer, D.Lee, B.C.Craddock.  
Los Angeles (Cathy Hahn-KLAC) Deb-V.Gosdin (54), K.Dale (55), J.Ward (56), K.Rogers & D.West (57).  
Lynchburg (Ed Michaels-WBRG) Pl-Bellamy Bros., B.J.Thomas, G.Cotton, D.Drumm, Mel Street. Rq-Boz.  
Manitowoc (Bob Irish-WCUB) Deb-Anderson/Turner (27), K.Dale (29). Pl-D.Lee, J.Cash, Dave Dudley.  
Medford (Nick Jaggstone-KSHA) Pl-D.Lee, E.Bruce, K.Dale, J.J.Walker, T.Glaser. Rq-E.Middleton.  
Memphis (Hal Jay-WMC) Pl-Carpenters, D.Lee, Dotsy, K.Rogers/West. Deb-Z.Lehr (25), M.Street (28).  
Miami (Ron Tatar-WWOK) Deb-C.Gayle (25) (UA), M.Street (27), Z.Lehr (30). Pl-B.J.Spears, C.Twitty.  
Missoula (Jack Lundy-KGRZ) Deb-R.McDowell (29), M.Haggard (30). Pl-Anderson/Turner, M.Montgomery.  
Mobile (Bill Robbins-WKSJ) Gns-B.Borchers (33-13), C.Lane (41-16), M.McDaniel (40-17). Pl-J.Ward.  
Modesto (Kenny Roberts-KTRB) Pl-J.W.Ryles, Mel Street, Tommy Overstreet, Anne Murray. Rq-D.Fargo.  
Monroe (Rob Williams-KNOE) Deb-M.Robbins (44), M.Haggard (45), K.Dale (46), F.Hart (47).  
Montgomery (Diane Brennan-WBAM) Pl-E.Rabbitt, B.Rice, C.Twitty, J.Cash, K.Rogers. Rq-Con Hunley.  
Nashville (Mary Catherine-WSM) Deb-B.C.Craddock (29) (Cap.), V.Gosdin (30), B.J.Thomas (36).  
Natchez (Bob Cupit-WNAT) Pl-C.Pride, Waylon & W., H.Snow, B.Thundercloud, E.Rabbitt, D.Williams.  
New Bern (Don Harrison-WBIC) Pl-C.Hunley, J.Cash, Don Gibson, B.C.Craddock. Rq-J. Sealy, F.Hart.  
New York (Ed Salamon-WHN) Gns-Waylon & W. (17-4). Pl-M.McDaniel, M.Street, C.Lane, George Jones.  
Oakland (Bobby Guerra-KNEW) Pl-Conway Twitty, Carpenters, Don Williams, Eddie Rabbitt.  
Orlando (Mike Burger-WHOO) Rq-Bellamy Bros., E.Bruce. Pl-K.Rogers/West, M.Mitchell, D.Williams.  
Oshkosh (Charlie Hart-WYTL) Pl-B.C.Craddock, P.Rakes, C.Hunley, J.Ward, J.Reeves, D.Lee, Kendalls.  
Phoenix (Terry Black-KJJJ) Pl-J.Naylor, Carpenters, B.Rice, M.Mitchell, D.Williams. Rq-F.Hart.  
 - - - (John D.Buchanan-KNIX) Pl-K.Rogers/West, J.Wallace, C.Twitty, E.Rabbitt, D.Williams.  
Polson (Bob Borino-KERR) Pl-Gordon Lightfoot, J.Reeves, Jacky Ward. Rq-Anne Murray, B.Mandrell.  
Portland (Don Lane-KRDR) Gns-M.Robbins (40-20). Pl-J.Tubb, J.Cash, E.Bruce, W.Kemp, H.Snow.  
Rochester (Pat O'Neill-KKEE) Pl-R.Clark, J.Paycheck (KOOL-AID), Carpenters, D.Williams, D.King.  
Rockford (Curtis King-WKKN) Pl-Dotsy, D.Gibson, B.C.Craddock, D.Williams, C.Gayle, C.Pride.  
Saginaw (Tommy Samoray-WKCC) Pl-C.Twitty, J.Reeves, C.Gayle (UA), D.Lee, Johnny Cash.  
St.Cloud (D.Allen-WWJO) Gns-Rex Allen Jr. (10-2), B.J.Spears (35-30). Pl-Anne Murray, Zella Lehr.  
St.Joseph (Bob Orf-KFEQ) Gns-Z.Lehr (30-19). Pl-C.Gayle, Kendalls, Bill & Mary Lou, F.Hart.  
St.Louis (Walt Turner-WIL) Gns-Z.Lehr (30-20). Pl-Johnny Cash, M.Bandy, B.J.Thomas, Pal Rakes.  
St.Petersburg (Joe Patrick-WQYX/FM) Pl-J.W.Ryles, M.Street, T.Overstreet, M.Robbins, Moe Bandy.  
Salem (Jeff Williams-KGAY) Pl-Conway Twitty, K.Rogers/West, B.Luman, E.Rabbitt, D.Williams.  
San Bernardino (Bob Mitchell-KCKC) Deb-Waylon & W. (25) (fl.), B.C.Craddock (35) (ABC).  
San Diego (Ed Chandler-KSON) Pl-K.Rogers/West, C.Lane, Kendalls, Johnny Cash.  
San Jose (Don West-KEEN) Gns-J.Russell (38-28). Pl-Anderson/Turner, D.Williams, J.Denver.  
Seattle (Peyton/Olson-KAYO) Pl-Sharp County Band, C.Lane, J.Cash, Dotsy, M.Mitchell, K.Dale.  
Shreveport (Ron Scott-KRMD) Pl-J.Reeves, T.Overstreet, F.Hart, J.Naylor. Rq-D.Drumm, M.McDaniel.  
 - - - (Jim Hawthorne -KWKH) Deb-Z.Lehr (20), K.Dale (28). Pl-J.Wallace, J.Ward, Kendalls, Dotsy.  
South Bend (Tom Sidwell-WJVA) Gns-D.Drumm (15-9). Pl-B.Borchers, P.Rakes, Anderson/Turner, Clapton.  
Stevens Point (Pat Martin-WXXQ) Deb-D.Drumm (24). Pl-B.J.Thomas, C.Gayle, J.Reed/Seidina.  
Tacoma (Russ Riley-KMO) Pl-B.J.Thomas, R.Clark, Kendalls, Dotsy, E.Bruce. Rq-A.Barber, J.Cash.  
Thibodaux (Rick Luquette-KTIB) Pk-J.Cash, B.C.Craddock (Cap.), C.Pride. Pl-R.C.Bannon, L.Parker.  
Toledo (Bob Pepas-WTOD) Pl-Kendalls, J.Cash, D.Gibson, D.Drumm, M.K.Miller. Rq-A.Murray.  
Toronto (Joe LeFresne-CFGM) Pl-C.Pride, C.Smith, G.Jones, B.Mandrell, A.Murray. Pk-C.Gayle.  
Tulsa (Billy Parker-KVOO) Gns-D.Houston (41-21). Pl-Pal Rakes, J.Naylor, Mike Boyd, J.Reeves.  
Tucson (Tim Tyler-KIKX) Pl-J.Ward, J.Reeves, P.Rakes, B.Luman, B.J.Thomas, T.Bresh.  
Twin Falls (Carl R.Raida-KLIX) Pl-D.Owens, B.D.Burns, J.Naylor, G.Lightfoot, Dotsy. Rq-M.Street.  
Victoria (Marvin Paul-KNAL) Pl-D.Lee, R.Sovine, B.K.Perry, L.Barnhill, White/Dillon. Rq-S.Foreman.  
Waco (Ray Welch-KKIK) Pl-F.Hart, C.Peterson, V.Gosdin, Moe Bandy, Waylon & W. Rq-L.Ronstadt.  
Washington, D.C. (Chris Gullett-WPIX) Deb-B.C.Craddock (34) (Cap.), K.Rogers/West, Kendalls.  
Wenatchee (Tim Scott-KUEN) Pl-C.Corresion, M.Haggard, N.Felts, J.W.Ryles, J.Reed. Rq-P.Wagoner.  
W.Palm Beach (Jim Howie-WIRK/FM) Gns-D.Drumm (23-11), T.Overstreet (22-12). Pl-C.Twitty, C.Gayle.  
Wheeling (Bob Berry-WWVA) Pl-D.Williams, M.Haggard, C.Gayle, E.Rabbitt, C.Pride, B.C.Craddock.  
Wichita (Don Walton-KFDI) Pk-D.Williams. Pl-J.Wallace, F.Weller, J.Tubb, M.Mitchell, B.Rice.  
Wolf Point (Jerry Gerke-KVCK) Gns-T.Overstreet (40-23). Deb-D.Lee (39). Pl-C.Twitty, E.Bruce,  
Yakima (Jerry Wilson-KUTI) Pl-D.Williams P.Wagoner, V.Gosdin, J.Ward, D.Lee, B.C.Craddock.  
Yankton (Jefferson Red-WNAX) Deb-M.Robbins (35), M.Bandy (36), K.Dale (44), B.Anderson/Turner (47).



Top 40 Station Reports - January 23 thru Wed. February 1

(Total Reports this week 212 - last week 227)

Research Assistant - Kent Zimmerman

- IF IT DON'T FIT, DON'T FORCE IT-Kellee Patterson- 8 reports. WNOE (13 to 7). Also: WKKY (5), WWUN (19 to 6), WONS (7), WKLN (25 to 20), KMHT (26). On: KROF, WQID.
- GALAXY-War- 15 reports. On: WNOE. Also: KROK (2), WRFC (4), WBTR/FM (20 to 15), KYNO (23 to 15), WAVZ (21), WSAM (30 to 25), KJOY (30). On: WTRU, KEEL, KTRN, KSTT, KRIG, KMHT. Rq: WOHS. Off: WAUG/FM.
- I CAN'T HOLD ON-Karla Bonoff- 19 reports (20 last week). KJR (15), KGW (28). On: WNOE, KJRB, KTAC. Also: WFOX/FM (9 to 4), KRLC (17), KBDF (20), KPAM (21), WDUN (23), KBOZ (23), KRIZ (27), KYJC (27). On: WKKY, KC148, KDOK, KGKL, KQOT, KPUG.
- EASY TO LOVE-Leo Sayer- 35 reports (45 last week). 96X (5), Y100 (5), WOKY (17), KRSP (18). On: WAYS. Also: KFXM (5), WFAH (10), KC148 (10), WABB (17 to 11), WTSN (11), KIST (21 to 16), WTMA (22 to 17), KAKC (27 to 19), WBGW (19), WHEB (19), WFLB (22), KWEB (22), KOTN (22), WACI (30 to 25), WWKE (25), WRFC (25), KZUE (26), KLBK (26), KROK (26), etc. Off: KFMD.
- EVERYBODY LOVES A RAIN SONG-B.J. Thomas- 37 reports. 94Q (22), WBBQ (30). On: WNOE, WQXI. Also: WFLB (16), WCIR (19), WGSV (27 to 22), KC148 (24), WBTR/FM (30 to 25), WZOO (25), KEWI (25), KKOA (25), KGKL (27), Q107 (28), KROF (29), KPUG (30), WRFC (30). On: WAIR, WCGQ, WDLF, WFAH, WHEB, WIGY, WISE, 3WD, WRJZ, WPPI, WOHS, WLOF, WKSP, WKLN, KBOZ, KKIQ, KKLS, etc.
- OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole- 40 reports. WBBQ (5), WQXI (17 to 10), WZZP (22 to 12), KILT (19), Z93 (28 to 21), 96X (23), WBBQ (28), Y100 (28). Also: WKKY (7 to 1), WAVZ (6), WAGQ (23 to 16), WSGA (17), WGCL (23 to 18), WBTR/FM (24 to 19), KNDE (22), KOBO (25), WFLB (26), WBSR (26), WAUG/FM (28), WHHY (28), KTEM (29), WCRO (29), WGNI (30), WIGY (30). On: WABB, KALE, KEIN, etc.
- LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls- 41 reports (33 last week). WFIL (16), WAYS (27). Also: WHHY (10 to 3), WKKY (7), WDLF (8), KTEM (18 to 10), KLBK (16 to 11), KDON (15), WSAM (16), WGSV (23 to 17), KYNO (25 to 19), WQIO (19), WCIR (21), KRHC (22), WCRO (27 to 22), WYRE (23), WOHS (24), KROF (30 to 25), WABB (26), KBOZ (26), WRFC (27), WAUG/FM (29), WGOW (29). On: KLOG, KJOY, etc.
- LOVELY DAY-Bill Withers- 44 reports (38 last week). WBBF (4), WKXX (7), KLIF (24). On: WZZP, 99X. Also: KC148 (5), WCRO (6), WCIR (7), WHHY (16 to 7), WZOO (18 to 10), WFLB (10), WPPI (11), KOTN (13), WDLF (21 to 15), WKKY (21 to 15), KCBN (15), WGCL (16), WRFC (21 to 16), KEEL (17), KIST (25 to 17), WTMA (23 to 18), WHEB (27 to 22), KKIQ (22), WAIR (24), WLEE (25), etc. Off: WANS
- LONG, LONG WAY FROM HOME-Foreigner- 46 reports (56 reports). WKXX (13), WIFI (14), 13Q (24), WNOE (25). On: KING. Also: KISD (6), WIGY (7), KREM (9), WBTR/FM (17 to 12), KAAV (12), KATA (13), KBEQ (14), WFOX/FM (23 to 14), KGKL (15), KWEB (23 to 17), WIRL (22 to 17), WCIL/FM (28 to 18), WMET (24 to 18), KRIZ (24 to 19), WRBR (20), KEWI (20), etc. Off: KAOK.
- IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman- 49 reports (44 last week). KRTH (18), KJRB (23 to 18). On: WBBQ. Also: KOZE (6), KC148 (13 to 7), KREM (8), WIGY (21 to 12), WCIR (12), KOOK (29 to 12), WCIL/FM (19 to 14), WDLF (24 to 17), KIIS/FM (19), KTEM (26 to 21), WCGQ (22), WGOW (23), WHHY (23), WONS (29 to 24), KYLT (26), WPST (27), WKLN (27), KPUG (29), KYJC (29), etc.
- F-FUN-Con Funk Shun- 50 reports (50 last week). WBBQ (8), KILT (9), KLIV (18 to 11), WBBQ (21), 99X (28 to 22), WAKY (28). On: WZZP, KLIF. Also: WGOW (6), WRFC (6), WONS (9), WANS (9), WCIR (10), KOBO (15 to 10), KROK (13), WTMA (13), WAUG/FM (14), KAOK (14), WCRO (15), WAIR (22 to 16), KOTN (21 to 16), KYA (17), KBEQ (29 to 17), WOHS (22 to 17), WABB (18), etc.
- BEFORE MY HEART....-Gene Cotton- 53 reports (38 last week). KRTH (21), WCOL (30). On: WBBQ, KLIF. Also: KC148 (20), WBTR/FM (25 to 20), WGSV (20), WKLN (21), KVSL (23), KEEL (23), WHHY (25), WSPT (25), WGNI (26), WIGY (26), 3WD (27), WISE (28), WCGQ (28), KALE (29), KYLT (29), KLBK (30), KOZE (30), WKKY (30). On: WBSR, WCRO, WDLF, WDUZ, WFLB, WRFC, WYRE, WZOO, KROF, etc.
- BREAKDOWN-Tom Petty & The Heartbreakers-54 reports (52 last week). KLIV (6), KFRC (11), WBBQ (24 to 16), KING (21), KILT (24), KGW (24), WRKO (25), WZZD (29). On: 99X, KJRB, KRSP. Also: KDON (4), KSLY (5), KFIV (6), KOBO (7), KYLT (7), KPAM (10), KYA (10), KEZY (10), KATA (11), KBOZ (14), KYNO (16), KJOY (16), KOOK (24 to 17), KCBN (23 to 18), KKLS (22), etc.
- SERPENTINE FIRE-Earth, Wind & Fire- 61 reports (68 last week). KJR (6), KJRB (6), KRSP (17 to 11), KFRC (13), WCOL (15), WAKY (25 to 18), WRKO (18), WPEZ (26), WNOE (29). Also: KROK (1), WCGQ (3), KEEL (5), WAIR (6), KREM (6), KIST (7), WBTR/FM (7), KSLY (13 to 8), KOTN (9), KKIQ (9), KCRS (16 to 9), WBSR (15 to 10), WQIO (10), KEWI (11), KCBQ (11), WHUT (11), etc.
- JACK & JILL-Raydio- 62 reports (49 last week). KILT (5), WBBQ (17 to 10), 96X (16), Y100 (20), WNOE (24), 99X (27), WZZD (28). On: WPEZ, WQXI, 10Q. Also: WANS (3), WCGQ (14 to 4), WAUG/FM (20 to 5), WISE (8), WGNI (13), Q107 (30 to 14), WRFC (23 to 15), KROF (23 to 17), KVIC (23 to 18), KNDE (29 to 20), WONS (26 to 20), WHS (21), WAIR (22), KZUE (23), etc.
- THEME FROM CLOSE ENCOUNTERS-Meco- 62 reports (71 last week). WNBC (6), WQXI (13 to 8), WCOL (9), 99X (9), 96X (9), KGW (22 to 12), WZZP (14), WPEZ (27 to 18), WAYS (19), KTAC (25 to 19), WIFI (28). On: WBBQ, KING, KJR. Also: WBTR/FM (3), WIRK (3), KTRN (11 to 4), WKKY (6), WAGQ (7), WGOW (7), WLEE (7), KSTT (15 to 8), WHHY (8), WAVZ (9), KIST (19 to 9), etc.
- GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates- 65 reports (60 last week). 94Q (2), WQXI (9), WSAI (20 to 15), KILT (23 to 17), WKXX (20), 13Q (30). On: WBBQ, KING, KSLY. Also: WFOX/FM (14 to 6), WGNI (7), WZOO (7), WKLN (7), WRJZ (9), WIGY (9), Q107 (10), WGSV (11), WAIR (23 to 12), WDLF (17 to 12), KOBO (22 to 12), KLMS (13), KAKC (13), KKIQ (15), WISE (17), KGKL (17), KKLS (17), etc.
- NATIVE NEW YORKER-Odyssey- 71 reports (76 last week). 96X (3), WFIL (7), KRTH (8), Y100 (8), WIFI (9), WBBF (12), 13Q (28 to 20), KFRC (24), WAYS (26), WQXI (30). On: WPEZ, KLIV. Also: CKIOI (15 to 5), KMHT (11 to 6), WDLF (7), WHEB (7), KTRN (9), KILE (15 to 9), WZOO (16 to 9), WGUY (9), WYRE (10), KYNO (20 to 11), KDON (18 to 11), KROK (12), etc. Off: WNAM.
- I GO CRAZY-Paul Davis- 72 reports (64 last week). B100 (5), KGW (5), KJRB (8), KLIV (14 to 9), KRTH (9), KFRC (10), 10Q (21 to 11), KING (20 to 12), KFI (13), KIOA (23 to 18), KJR (18), WSAI (24 to 19), WCOL (25 to 20), KRSP (21), WBBQ (23), WNBC (30 to 23), 13Q (23), WIFI (26), WRKO (26). On: WFIL, WZZP, KTAC. Also: KGKL (2), KYJC (4), WKKY (4), KOBO (4), etc. Off: WFAH.
- FALLING-LeBlanc & Carr- 77 reports (54 last week). 94Q (7), WBBQ (8), WKXX (15), WPEZ (21), Z93 (30 to 22), KGW (23), KRSP (26), KLIF (26), KJRB (26), KHJ (29). On: WAYS, KFI, KILT, KING. Also: KXKL (13 to 8), WCRO (10), WAUG/FM (21 to 10), WDUN (15), WPST (22 to 16), KIIS/FM (17), KILE (18), KC148 (21), WBTR/FM (27 to 22), WEAQ (22), KYLT (22), WFBC (23), etc.
- CURIOUS MIND-Johnny Rivers- 80 reports (88 last week). KRTH (16), WZZD (17), WOKY (21), KRSP (27). On: WPEZ, KGW. Also: WDUZ (6), KC148 (6), KCRS (7), WBTR/FM (13 to 8), KTRN (8), KLBK (13 to 8), KLOG (9), KEEL (17 to 10), WGNI (11), WSPT (14), WGSV (14), KPAM (20 to 15), KRLC (15), WFAH (16), KKIQ (17), KFJR (17), WTSN (17), KROF (18), WKLN (18), WDLF (18), etc. Off: KFRC, KLIF

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**STREET CORNER SERENADE-Wet Willie-** 80 reports (89 last week). 94Q (4), WQXI (7), Z93 (7), KGW (11) KING (19), WBBQ (22), WPEZ (22), KLIF (23), KTAC (24), 99X (25), KLIV (28). On: WAYS.  
Also: KOKK (1), KRLC (3), CKIOI (10 to 3), WABB (6), KQOT (7), WCRO (8), WDUN (8), WPPI (8), KLEO (8), WBTR/FM (14 to 9), WRFC (15 to 9), KGKL (9), KYLT (9), KPUG (10), KREM (17 to 10), etc

**ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave-** 87 reports (71 last week). WAKY (18 to 11), WQXI (21 to 12), KRTH (21 to 13), WBBQ (22 to 13), WZZP (15), 13Q (20 to 15), WHBQ (26 to 17), WPEZ (19), KJRB (25), 96X (26), WIFI (27), Z93 (29), Y100 (29). On: WAYS, KJR, KTAC. Also: WGNI (1), WFLB (2), WAVZ (2), WANS (4), WCOS (5), WSGA (5), WZYQ (8), WCIR (18 to 9), WAIR (14 to 9), etc.

**NAME OF THE GAME-Abba-** 98 reports (73 last week). 13Q (18 to 7), WAYS (14), WRKO (22 to 15), KJRB (15), KGW (25 to 18), KRSP (19), WOKY (22), 99X (30 to 23), KIOA (24), WBBQ (24), WZZP (29). On: WBBF, WNOE, WPEZ, WQXI, KLIF. Also: WEBC (14 to 7), KLOG (16 to 8), WISE (9), WILS (13), 3WD (18 to 13), WVAM (22 to 15), KOOK (21 to 16), KYLT (16), KFXD (16), etc.

**POOR POOR PITIFUL ME-Linda Ronstadt-** 112 reports. 99X (12), WQXI (22 to 13), 94Q (20 to 14), 13Q (24 to 18), KRTH (24 to 19), KLIV (19), KFRC (19), KJR (21), KRSP (23), B100 (24), KJRB (24), WNOE (27), WAYS (28), WRKO (29), WCOL (29). On: WBBQ, WPEZ, KFI, KING, KLIF. Also: WGNI (15), WRJZ (15), WHHY (23 to 17), KRIZ (18), WSGA (19), KRKE (22), WLEE (23), etc.

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY-Little River Band-** 116 reports (104 last week). KRSP (13), KIOA (24 to 14), 13Q (19), KJR (20), KLIF (29 to 21), KJRB (22), KHJ (29 to 24), KTAC (25), 10Q (27), WBBQ (27). On: WAYS, WQXI, KING, KLIV. Also: KYLT (6), WAGQ (8), WZYQ (16 to 9), WHHY (9), CKIOI (16 to 10), KBEQ (11), KALE (12), KKLS (12), KKXL (12), KEIN (13), 3WD (28 to 14), WCGQ (21 to 15), etc

**NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees-** 129 reports. Z93 (29 to 10), Y100 (20 to 10), WNOE (23 to 16), WBBQ (27 to 17), KRTH (25 to 20), WNBC (20), 96X (22), 10Q (22), KFI (23), KHJ (23), KING (23), KJR (24), WQXI (24), WIFI (25), WSAI (30 to 25), KRSP (25), 94Q (27), WRKO (28), WOKY (28), WCOL (28). On: WAKY, WAYS, WFIL, WPEZ, 13Q, 99X, KFRC, KILT, KJRB, KSLQ. Also: KVIC (1), 3WD (5), etc.

**DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas-** 132 reports (103 last week). 94Q (17 to 12), WZUU (16), KRSP (23 to 17), WKXX (22 to 17), WIFI (28 to 20), WBBF (30 to 22), 13Q (30 to 25), WCOL (30 to 25), WZZD (26), B100 (26), KFI (27), WOKY (27), Z93 (28), WSAI (29), WAKY (29). On: WAYS, WNOE, WPEZ, WQXI, 99X, 96X, KFRC, KGW, KJR, KJRB. Also: KRLC (5), KEWI (9), WDUZ (10), WPST (13), KATA (17), etc.

- - -Debuts- - -

**THUNDER ISLAND-Jay Ferguson-** 132 reports (109 last week). KRSP (8), 13Q (17 to 8), WBBQ (21 to 15) WRKO (25 to 20), WZUU (20), WIFI (29 to 21), KSLQ (23), Y100 (23), WPEZ (25), WAKY (26), WNBC (27), WQXI (28), WOKY (29), Z93 (30), 99X (30), WSAI (30), WNOE (30). On: KLIF. Also: WCRO (3), KRLC (4), WSPT (5), WACI (10 to 5), KISD (11 to 5), KSLY (6), KLWN/FM (15 to 7), etc.

**THE WAY YOU DO THE THINGS YOU DO-Rita Coolidge-** 149 reports (143 last week). WKXX (9), KJR (16 to 11), Z93 (18 to 11), KRSP (18 to 12), KFI (16), WAYS (16), WQXI (23 to 17), WBBQ (18), WZUU (19), KJRB (21), WFIL (21), WAKY (22), KRTH (22), 94Q (23), WRKO (23), WIFI (23), WCOL (29 to 24), KING (25), KTAC (26), KLIF (28), KGW (29), Y100 (30). On: KLIV, etc.

**WONDERFUL WORLD-Art Garfunkel-** 156 reports (136 last week). 94Q (14 to 9), KGW (18 to 13), KRTH (15), WBBF (24 to 16), WZUU (17), Y100 (19), WOKY (19), WKXX (24 to 19), WIFI (19), WZZP (26 to 20), KLIF (20), KFI (21), WZZD (21), WQXI (22), KHJ (22), KRSP (27 to 22), KILT (28 to 23), WRKO (29 to 24), KLIV (24), WBBQ (25), KFRC (25), Z93 (27), 99X (28), etc.

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San Angelo, Curt Lancaster-KGKL- Cory Wells	Stockton, Dave Morgan-KSTN- Raydio
Midland, Dick Baze-KCRS- Carpenters	- - - David Kraham-KJOY- ELO
Lubbock, Mark Conway-KLBK- #8-Johnny Rivers	Davis, Karl Reinking-KDVS- Waylon & Willie
El Paso, Rish Wood-KINT- Jay Ferguson	Sacramento, Mark Driscoll-KNDE- Jackson Browne
Phoenix, Anna Reyes-KRIZ- Barry Manilow	Yuba City, Ross Forbes-KOBO- Stargard
- - - Richard Ruiz-KRUX- Earth, Wind & Fire	Medford, R.E.Lucas-KYJC- Cory Wells
Show Low, Chip Stanley-KVSL- #10-Chic	Eugene, Bill Dudley-KASH- The Babys
Pueblo, Rip Avina-KDZA- #9-Steely Dan	Corvallis, Art Quine-KFLY- Eruption
Denver, Ed Greene-KIMN- Bob Welch	Salem, Tim Patterson-KBZY- #7-Robin Trower (LP cut)
Colorado Springs, Mark McCoy-KYSN- E.W.& Fire	Portland, Karen Knight-KYTE- Odyssey
Salt Lake City, Lorraine Winegar-KRSP- A.Gold	- - - Terry Danner-KGW- #5-Paul Davis
Las Vegas, Dave Van Stone-KLUC- Billy Joel	Hoquiam, Steve Larsen-KGHO- Yvonne Elliman
San Diego, Michelle Pettis-KMJC- Debby Boone	Kelso, Jay McCrae-KLOG- Debby Boone
- - - Judy Rich-B100- #5-Paul Davis	Tacoma, Bruce Cannon-KTAC- Bob Welch
Los Angeles, Mark Taylor-KFI- #13-Paul Davis	Seattle, Tracy Mitchell-KJR- #10-Eric Clapton
- - - Bob Hamilton-KRTH/FM- Debby Boone	- - - Robin Mitchell-KYYX- Little River Band
- - - John Sebastian-KHJ- Barry Manilow	- - - Frank Colbourn-FM/KVI-*Karla Bonoff
- - - Sherman Cohen-KIIS/FM- #13-Steely Dan	Bellingham, Jonathan Walker-KPUG- #11-Paul Davis
- - - John Driscoll-10Q- Raydio	Yakima, Brady Layman-KQOT- #7-Wet Willie
Whittier, Jay Loughrin-KRHC- Rita Coolidge	Spokane, Jim Hill-KREM- Paul Nicholas
San Bernardino, Jeff Salgo-KFXM- Paul Davis	Boise, Charlie Foxx-KFXD- #7-Lynyrd Skynyrd
Santa Barbara, Dick Williams-KIST- #8-Bee Gees	Lewiston, Wes McShay-KOZE- Jackson Browne
Santa Maria, Johnny Dixon-KC148- Crystal Gayle	Moscow, Gary Cummings-KRPL- Paul Nicholas
San Luis Obispo, John Tobin-KSLY- Chicago	Missoula, Vern Argo-KYLT- #7-Tom Petty
Bakersfield, Pete Shannon-KERN- Odyssey	Helena, Randall Rocks-KCAP- David Gates
Fresno, John Berry-KYNO- #3-Chic	Bozeman, Paul Ehlis-KBOZ- Gene Cotton
Modesto, Ralph Chavez-KFIV- Bob Welch	Great Falls, Don Nordine-KQDI- Gene Cotton
Salinas, A.J.Roberts-KDON- Andrew Gold	Billings, Allen Moos-KOOK- *Van Halen
San Jose, Paul Wells-KSJO-*Jay Ferguson	- - - John Albright-KOYN/FM- Carpenters
San Francisco, Steve Jordan-KYA- Bob Welch	Vancouver, Paul McKnight-CKLG- Gordon Lightfoot
Livermore, Steve O'Neal-KKIQ- Gordon Lightfoot	- - - Joyce Falkowski-CFUN- Rod Stewart
	Thunder Bay, B.M.Dean-CKPR- #9-Odyssey



New Adds

Depth reports on newer airplay, derived from a selected section of top 40 correspondents are listed below in regional order. Stations included may vary from week to week. Listing of any station has no relationship to its audience rating in its market.

Portsmouth, Mike O'Neal-WHEB- Kansas, E.Clapton, Raydio, B.J.Thomas, Heatwave, G.Cotton, The Babys.  
 Schnectady, Jim Walsh-3WD- Gordon Lightfoot, Stargard, Firefall, Leif Garrett.  
 New York, Jay Thomas-99X- Bee Gees (FEVER), Bill Withers, Eric Clapton, Kansas, Van Halen.  
 Philadelphia, Mark Serpas-WZZD- Tom Petty (re-added). Deb: Bee Gees, Kansas, Raydio.  
 - - - Jeff Robins-WIFI- Heatwave, Meco, Barry Manilow. Deb: Bee Gees, Paul Davis (re-added).  
 - - - Ron O'Brien-WFIL- Garfunkel, Carpenters, Bee Gees, Billy Joel, Neil Diamond.  
 Annapolis, Steve Kingston-WYRE- Boz Scaggs, Bee Gees, Kansas, Emmylou Harris.  
 Fayetteville, Stanley B.Stewart-WFLB- LeBlanc & Carr, G.Lightfoot, Rubicon, Cazz, R.Flack, A.Gold.  
 Charleston, Bob McLain-WTMA- Stargard, Natalie Cole, Raydio, Cory Wells.  
 Augusta, Bruce Stevens-WBBQ- R.Stewart, D.Gates, L.Ronstadt, Y.Elliman, Stargard, Parliament.  
 Atlanta, Rhett Walker-WQXI- Andrew Gold, Abba, Lou Rawls, Little River Band, Raydio.  
 - - - Dale O'Brian-Z93- Kansas, Heatwave, Jay Ferguson, Steely Dan, Chuck Mangione, Andrew Gold.  
 Cocoa Beach, Jonathan Doll-CK101- Van Halen, Lou Rawls, Bob Welch, Yvonne Elliman, Boz Scaggs.  
 Miami, Colleen Cassidy-Y100- Natalie Cole, Heatwave, Rita Coolidge.  
 Panama City, Jim King-WDLP- Trammops, Tom Petty, Con Funk Shun, Bob Welch.  
 Mobile, Scott Griffith-WABB- Linda Ronstadt, Raydio, Natalie Cole, Little River Band.  
 Jackson, Tom Daniels-WJDX- Samantha Sang, Eric Clapton, Raydio. Deb: Abba, Steely Dan, D.Moore.  
 New Orleans, Marc Sommers-WNOE- Eric Clapton, War, Stargard. Deb: Kansas, B.J.Thomas.  
 Chattanooga, David Carroll-WGOW- Bee Gees, Natalie Cole, Abba, Gene Cotton, Art Garfunkel.  
 Nashville, Bruce Sherman-92Q- Yvonne Elliman, Kansas, Chuck Mangione. Deb: S.Sang, Garfunkel.  
 Cleveland, Beau Raines-WZZP- Bill Withers, Con Funk Shun, Boz Scaggs, Bette Midler.  
 - - - Karen Touchton-WGCL- Linda Ronstadt, The Babys, Bob Welch, Johnny Rivers, David Gates.  
 Pittsburgh, Patti Sullivan-13Q- Barry Manilow, David Gates, Bee Gees. Deb: Eddie Money, B.Welch.  
 Peoria, Lee Malcolm-WIRL- E.W. & Fire, Abba, Chicago, Bee Gees, Odyssey.  
 Milwaukee, Chris Curtis-WZUU- Andrew Gold, Styx, Gordon Lightfoot. Deb: Kansas, Garfunkel.  
 Bismarck, Dan Brannan-KFYR- Tom Petty, Kansas, Carpenters, Barry Manilow. Deb: J.Williams, Abba.  
 Minot, Doug Corbett-KKOA- Barry Manilow, Rubicon, Waylon & Willie. Deb: Kansas, Bee Gees.  
 Rapid City, Mick Kjar-KKLS- Gordon Lightfoot, Garfunkel, Linda Ronstadt, Bee Gees.  
 St. Louis, Sherry Toennies-KSLQ- Rita Coolidge, David Gates, Styx, Bee Gees. Deb: Jackson Browne.  
 Tulsa, Doctor Don-KAKC- Barry Manilow, Abba, Gene Cotton, ELO, Elvin Bishop.  
 Oklahoma City, Barry Shannon-KZUE- Bee Gees, Debby Boone, David Gates, Van Halen, E.Clapton, L.R.B.  
 Dallas, Charlie Van Dyke-KLIF- Rita Coolidge, Barry Manilow, Con Funk Shun, Abba.  
 Houston, Bill Young-KILT- Bee Gees, Rita Coolidge, LeBlanc & Carr. Deb: Eric Clapton.  
 Odessa, Rick Youngblood-KRIG- Linda Ronstadt, Kansas, Heatwave, Meco, B.J.Thomas, Abba.  
 El Paso, Tim Page-KELP- Paul Davis, David Gates, Barry Manilow, Jay Ferguson, Kansas, Abba, L.R.B.  
 Albuquerque, Debi Hines-KRKE- Bob Welch, Odyssey, Rod Stewart, Boz Scaggs, B.J. Thomas.  
 Denver, Dave Kirby-96KX- Bee Gees, Eric Clapton, Bob Welch, Little River Band.  
 Reno, Red Mountain-KCBN- Y.Elliman, Crystal Gayle, A.Gold, G.Lightfoot, B.Manilow, D.Ross, Boz S.  
 San Diego, Nina-KCBQ- Con Funk Shun, Heatwave, Eric Clapton, Abba.  
 Anaheim, Rick Carroll-KEZY- Rita Coolidge, Garfunkel, Van Halen. Deb: P.Davis, Rod Stewart.  
 Los Angeles, Denise Gorman-K100- Bee Gees, The Babys, Chicago, Eric Clapton, Barry Manilow.  
 San Jose, Ralph Koal-KLIV- Rod Stewart, Odyssey, Rita Coolidge, Little River Band.  
 San Francisco, Dave Sholin-KFRC- Bee Gees, Barry Manilow, Kansas, Eddie Money.  
 Arcata, Len Jarvela-KATA- E.Winter, C.Wells, J.Denver, Grinderswitch, B.LaBounty, T.Mahal, A.Gold.  
 Eugene, Richard Harker-KBDF- Foreigner, LeBlanc & Carr, Kansas, Yvonne Elliman.  
 Portland, Michael O'Brian-KPAM- Heatwave, Odyssey, Natalie Cole, Barry Manilow, The Trammops.  
 Seattle, Rick Scott-KING- Rod Stewart, David Gates, Barry Manilow, Linda Ronstadt, Andrew Gold.  
 Tri-Cities, Tom Mann-KALE- Bee Gees, Barry Manilow, Tom Petty, Natalie Cole, Jackson Browne.  
 Spokane, Tom Hutylar-KJRB- L.Skynyrd, B.Manilow, Bob Welch, Karla Bonoff, Paul Nicholas.  
 Lewiston, Steve MacKelvie-KRLC- LTD, Crystal Gayle, Barry Manilow, Paul Nicholas, Jackson Browne.  
 Great Falls, John Walton-KEIN- Jay Ferguson, Bob Welch, Linda Ronstadt, Frankie Valli, Heatwave.

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Russ Allen	KXLF-Butte	406-723-8124	Air Talent
Cindy Taylor	WZZP-Cleveland	216-351-6656	Air Talent
Don Berns	KFMB-San Diego	714-571-1512	Air Talent
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Brian Adams	KYA/FM-San Francisco	415-454-2416	Air Talent/Prod.
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Rick Hogan	KWAL-Osburn, Idaho	208-753-0933	Air Talent/1st
Roy Rosen	WAYS-Charlotte	704-568-1882	Air Talent/Mus.Rch.
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Ron Kay	KFXM-San Bernardino	714-796-3348	A.T./M.D./P.D./1st
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Eugene (Vicky Larson-KUGN) D. Boone/Lightfoot/Don Brown. Calls: Hill/Mendes/M. Scott/Reddy.  
 - - - (Lee Gordon-KPNW) Elliman/C. Gayle/D. Boone/Edelman.  
 Everett (Robert O'Brien-4RKO) Rubicon/Santa Esmeralda/LeBlanc & Carr/Manilow/Cole/Steely Dan.  
 Fitchburg (Chuck Morgan-WEIM) Boone/Chicago/Gayle/Carpenters/Valli. Calls: Bee Gees (FEVER).  
 Ft. Lauderdale (Mike Harvey-WFTL) Rocky & Chyann/J. Harp/Crystal Gayle.  
 Grand Rapids (Gino Aanenson-KNOX) Boone/Sang/Crosby/Odyssey. Calls: Comacho/Cotton.  
 Green Bay (Jim Trotter-WNFL) A. Murray/Elliman/Mangione. Gains: Martino/Hill/Sang.  
 Helena (Harley Dee-KBLL) Flack/Chicago/Flower/K. Cisyk/Aki Hara. Calls: Mangione/Abba/Rita C.  
 Honolulu (Bernie Armstrong-KGU) Clapton/Manilow/A. Murray/Little River Band/N. Shanx.  
 Hopewell (John Harper-WHAP) Manilow/Ronstadt. Calls: LeBlanc & Carr/Garfunkel.  
 Houston (Chuck Buell-KULF) Ronstadt/Manilow/Rivers. Gains: David Gates.  
 Jefferson City (Mike Schaefer-KJMO) Heatwave/B.J. Thomas/LeBlanc & Carr/Cotton/Doucette/Boz Scaggs.  
 Keene (Sandy Ellsworth-WKNE) Kansas/B.J. Thomas/Manilow/Heatwave/A. Murray. Gains: Gates/Rivers.  
 Klamath Falls (Pat Flynn-KAGO) Rocky & Cyann/Mangione/Odyssey/W. & Willie/Chic/McCoo & D./Murray.  
 Lincoln (Ron Dean-KLIN) Bee Gees (FEVER)/P. Davis/Waylon & W./Boz Scaggs/Chicago/Boone/Gayle.  
 - - - (Cathy Blythe-KFOR) Flower/Splinter/S. Stevens/West & Rogers/Gayle/Cisyk/Boz Scaggs.  
 Los Angeles (Tess Russell & Jane Hassler-KMPC) Steely Dan/Garfunkel.  
 - - - (Michael Sheehy-KNX/FM) Bee Gees (FEVER)/Chicago/C. Gayle/G. Lightfoot.  
 Louisville (Jerry Melloy-WHAS) Clapton/Manilow/Cotton/Ronstadt/Garfunkel/Gayle/Waylon & Willie.  
 Macon (Steve Murphy-WMAZ) Carpenters/Welch/Lightfoot/Heatwave/The Babys. Gains: McDowell/Abba.  
 Marion (Jim Roberts-WDIF) Chicago/Manilow/Welch/Mark James/The Babys. Gains: Cotton/Abba/Chic.  
 Memphis (Kevin Murphy-WMPS) Manilow. Gains: N. Cole/Ronstadt/J. Williams/Bee Gees (ALIVE).  
 Miami (Al Anderson-WIOD) Abba/Manilow/Denver/K. Cisyk.  
 - - - (Rick Peters-WWWL) Kansas/Lou Rawls/Kenny Rogers/Gene Cotton. Calls: Sayer.  
 Midland (Kirk Hughes-WMPX) D. Boone/Chicago/Lightfoot/Raydio/M. Travers.  
 Milwaukee (Mike Elliott-WTMJ) D. Boone/Flack & Hathaway/Manilow. Gains: LeBlanc & Carr/Gates.  
 Missoula (John Van Wagoner-KGVO) Chicago/Murray/Flack & Hathaway/Rocky & C./J. Harp/Kansas/Bonoff.  
 Mobile (Dick Hylton-WMOB) C. Gayle/J. Denver. Gains: Midler/LeBlanc & Carr/McCoo & Davis/Bonoff.  
 Monterey (Melinda Roberts-KWAV) D. Boone/Lightfoot/Randy Richards. Gains: Starland Vocal Bd.  
 - - - (Scott O'Brien-KMBY) Manilow/Chic/Chicago. Calls: LeBlanc & Carr.  
 Nashville (Mary Catherine-WSM) Odyssey/Clapton/Waylon & Willie/Mangione. Gains: Cotton/Gates.  
 Newport (Denny Pace-KNPT) Cotton/Bee Gees/Travers/Lightfoot/Elliman. Gains: Gibb/Ross/Carpenters.  
 Northfield (Mike Wrubel-KYMN) Carpenters/Valli/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Flo Lacey/Boone. Calls: Clapton.  
 Odessa (Dave Prescott-KQIP/FM) Bee Gees (FEVER)/Meco/Carpenters/Flack & Hathaway. Calls: Joel.  
 Olympia (Dick Pust-KGY) Bill Withers/Rocky & Chyann/Carpenters/Steely Dan. Gains: Sang/P. Davis.  
 Osburn (Dave Nesbitt-KWAL) P. Davis/Ronstadt/Manilow/Boone/Rocky & Chyann. Calls: B.J. Thomas.  
 Ottumwa (Art Morris-KBIZ) Bee Gees (ALIVE)/G. Cotton/D. Loggins/McCoo & Davis/Elliman/Valli.  
 Paducah (J. Erick Foreman-WDXR) Boone/Garfunkel/McCoo & Davis/Carpenters/Aki Hara/Mangione.  
 Pendleton (Bob Walker-KTIX) Kansas/Boone/Clapton/Bee Gees (FEVER)/A. Price/Gayle/Little River Bd.  
 Philadelphia (Jim Lloyd-WIP) Clapton/Kansas/Elliman/Raydio. Gains: Rita C./Bee Gees (FEVER)/Davis.  
 Phoenix (Dan Armstrong-KOY) Manilow/P. Davis/J. Harp. Gains: K. Rogers/A. Murray.  
 - - - (Phil Baykian-KQXE) Earth, Wind & Fire/Abba/Manilow. Gains: John Wms./Steely Dan.  
 Portland, Me. (Marji Cyr-Adams-WGAN) Garfunkel. Gains: Odyssey/Midler/Rawls/Rita C.  
 Portland, Ore. (Bob Swanson-KEX) B.J. Thomas/Tom Miles/J. Wms./Manilow/Odyssey/D. Summer (old).  
 Providence (Joe Thomas-WJAR) Elliman/Lightfoot/Mangione/El Coco.  
 Pueblo (Jay Ricci-KCSJ) Manilow/Gayle/Lightfoot/Flower/Boone.  
 Quad Cities (Jim Mahanay-WQUA) Garfunkel/Odyssey/Ferguson/Abba.  
 Racine (Bob Cook-WRJN) Clapton/Gayle/Manilow/Arvon. Gains: B.J. Thomas/Murray/Carpenters.  
 Reno (Michael Hagerty-KOLO) Welch/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Clapton/Manilow/Allens. Gains: Cotton/Rivers.  
 Rochester (Kim David-KROC) Rita C./Clapton/Sayer/Lobo/Carpenters. Gains: Sang/Gates/Rivers.  
 - - - (Doug James-WMJQ) Boone/Lightfoot. Gains: Clapton/Kansas/Rita C./Garfunkel/P. Davis.  
 Rumford (Mike Breton-WRUM) Garfunkel/D. Summer (old)/Carpenters/Abba/Rocky & Chyann.  
 Sacramento (D. Darin & L. Kirk-KCRA) Carpenters/P. Davis/Manilow/Withers. Gains: Rivers/Abba/Hill.  
 St. Louis (Ed Scarborough-KSD) Garfunkel/Rawls/Gates. Gains: Simon/John Wms./LeBlanc & Carr.  
 Salt Lake City (Flo Wineriter-KSL) Manilow/LeBlanc & Carr/Boone.  
 San Francisco (LaVerne Drake-KIOI) Gayle/Wright/Con Funk Shun/Little River Bd./Welch/Ronstadt.  
 - - - (Don Hofmann-KSFO) Clapton/Cotton/Odyssey.  
 - - - (Steve Walker-KCBS/FM) M. Travers/Boone/Boz Scaggs/MacNeal/C. Gayle/Bee Gees (FEVER).  
 - - - (Ron Reynolds-KNBR) Elliman/Kansas/M. Travers. Gains: Rita C./Garfunkel.  
 Santa Maria (Denny Luell-KUHL) Bee Gees (FEVER)/Gayle/Denver/Chicago. Calls: Abba/Manilow/J. Wms.  
 Santa Rosa (Jerry Johnson-KSRO) McCoo & Davis/Manilow/Kansas. Gains: Bee Gees (ALIVE)/Rivers.  
 Schenectady (Lee Fowler-WGY) MacNeal/Chicago/C. Gayle/B.J. Thomas. Calls: Wings/Garfunkel.  
 Scranton (Chris Norton-WEJL) Carpenters. Gains: Hill/Rawls/Gates/J. Wms./Rita C./Withers.  
 Seattle (Carol Stripling-KVI) Elliman/Kansas/Odyssey/Denver.  
 Sharon (Jack Taylor-WPIC) Rita C. Gains: Rivers/J. Wms./Garfunkel/Murray/Elliman.  
 Shreveport (Randy Davis-KBCL) Manilow/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Boz Scaggs. Calls: Heatwave. Gains: Gates.  
 Spokane (Gary Giorgi-KHQ) R. Richards/Withers/Browne/Bonoff/Ronstadt. Gains: Clapton/Garfunkel.  
 - - - (Chuck Harmon-KXLY) Denver/Flower. Calls: Gene Page/Lightfoot/Garfunkel.  
 Tulare (Paul Fredricks-KCOK) Rita C./B.J. Thomas. Calls: Carpenters/Garfunkel. Gains: Mangione.  
 Tulsa (Don Bishop-KRMG) Cotton/Elliman. Gains: Rivers/Milsap/Rita C./Gibb/Rawls.  
 - - - (Kenny King-KRAV) LeBlanc & Carr/Odyssey/Garfunkel. Calls: Gates/Summer.  
 Tyler (Brad Houston-KTBB) Murray/LeBlanc & Carr/Lightfoot/Flack & Hathaway. Calls: J. Wms./Milsap.  
 Vacaville (Fred Levy-KUIC) Ronstadt/Flack & Hathaway/Boone/Manilow/Lightfoot/Gold/Splinter.  
 Warwick (Dick Wells-WTBQ) Firefall/Manilow/R. Richards/Mangione/LeBlanc & Carr/Rubicon/Gibb.  
 Washington, D.C. (Bob Duckman-WASH) Gayle/Cotton/Heatwave/Gold. Gains: Withers/Clapton.  
 Waterloo (Jay Douglas-KXEL/FM) The Babys/G. Cotton/Heatwave. Calls: Garfunkel/Abba/Earth,W.&Fire.  
 Wausau (Chuck Williams-WSAU) K. Cisyk/A. Price. Gains: Abba/J. Wms./Rawls/Murray/Garfunkel.  
 West Palm Beach (Russ Morley-WJNO) A. Murray/Denver/Gayle/Rocky & Chyann. Gains: Addrissi Bros.  
 Yakima (Frank Taylor-KMWX) Chicago/Gayle/Midler. Calls: Paul Davis.



<u>Station</u>	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Requirements</u>
WMFQ-Ocala, Fla.	Dan Smith (Box 1314-33821)	Engr./Automation
Midwest Radio	Larry Lahoduk (Box 2983-Fargo-58102)	Chief Engineer
WAUG/FM-Augusta	Beau Hunter (404-722-1302)	Chief Engineer
KVOX-Fargo	Mark Renier (Box 97-Moorhead-56560)	Chief Engineer
KEWI-Topeka	J.R.Greeley (913-272-2122)	Production Director
WAMS-Wilmington	Matt Likovich (302-658-2500)	News (Part-time)
WSPT-Stevens Point	Gary Wescott (715-341-1300)	Play-by-play/news
KCRS-Midland, Tx.	Dick Baze (Box 4607-79701)	Newsperson
KBCL-Shreveport	Scott Hodges (318-227-1220)	Newspersons (E.O.E.)
KXLY-Spokane	Chuck Harmon (W.500 Boone-99201)	Newspersons (E.O.E.-M/F)
KUHL-Santa Maria	Steve Stagnaro (805-922-7727)	Air Talent (weekend, E.O.E.-M/F)
WAMS-Wilmington	Matt Likovich (302-658-2500)	Air Talent (weekend, E.O.E.)
WIFI-Philadelphia	Steve Rivers (215-839-0900)	Air Talent (weekend)
KSTN-Stockton	Dave Morgan (209-948-5786)	Air Talent/1st (E.O.E.-M/F)
KTSA-San Antonio	Scott Christenson (Box 18128-78218)	Air Talents/1st (E.O.E.-M/F)
WATH-Athens, Oh.	Ted Jacobson (Box C-45701)	Air Talent/Prod.
Q97/FM-Tacoma	*Mike Russell (Box 5200-98405)	Air Talent/Prod. (E.O.E.-M/F)
WFLB-Fayetteville	Larry Cannon (Box 530-28302)	Air Talent (future)
WCOL-Columbus	*Dave Bishop (22 S.Young St.-43215)	Air Talent (future, E.O.E.-M/F)
KBLL-Helena	Al Johnson (406-442-6620)	Air Talent (future, A-C)
KILE-Galveston	Dave Collins (Box 1441-77553)	Air Talent (A-C, E.O.E.-M/F)
WBRG-Lynchburg, Va.	Ed Michaels (Box 1079-24505)	Air Talent (Country/A-C, E.O.E.)
14ZYQ-Frederick	Joe Johnson (Rt. 12-Box 311-21701)	Air Talent (E.O.E.)
KTRN-Wichita Falls, Tx.	King Wiggins (Box 5005-76307)	Air Talent (E.O.E.)
KRYS-Corpus Christi	Dan Daniels (512-882-8481)	Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
KXLY-Spokane	Chuck Harmon (W. 500 Boone-99201)	Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
Z98-Little Rock	Randy Rice (2309 Durwood-72207)	Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
KOOK-Billings	Steve Blodgett (Box 1276-59103)	Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
WGAD-Gadsden, Al.	Ed Carrell (Box 1350-35902)	Air Talent
KBIZ-Ottumwa, Ia.	John Reardon (515-682-4535)	Air Talent
KAIN-Nampa, Idaho	Jack Bolton (Box 1340-83651)	Air Talent
KCRS-Midland	Dick Baze (Box 4607-79701)	Air Talent
KFLY-Corvallis, Ore.	Ken Paul (Box K-97330)	Air Talent
KLUC-Las Vegas	Dave Anthony (Box 14805-89114)	Air Talent
10Q-Los Angeles	*John Driscoll (338 S.Western-90020)	Air Talent
KKLS-Rapid City	C.J.Stone (605-343-6161)	Air Talent
WIGY-Bath	Jack O'Brien (207-443-5542)	Air Talent
KASH-Eugene	Bill Dudley (503-686-9123)	Air Talents
KQIZ/FM-Amarillo	W.J.Fairchild (Box 7488-79109)	Air Talents
WBRG-Lynchburg, Va.	Ed Michaels (Box 1079-24505)	Music Director (E.O.E.-M/F)
WWWV-Charlottesville, Va.	Ed Owens (Box 5387-22903)	Air Talent/Program Director
KBIZ-Ottumwa	John Reardon (515-682-4535)	Program Director
KORD-Tri Cities	R. Kevin Craine (Box 2485-99302)	Program Dir./Operations Mgr.

\*No Calls Please

<u>KOFM-Oklahoma City</u>	<u>KIRL-St.Louis</u>	<u>WDXR-Paducah, Ky.</u>	<u>WSPT-Stevens Point</u>
Mike Miller	Martin In the Morning	Jim (Jy) Youngblood	Dave Marx
Doug Roberts	Alan Jeffries	Dave Steele	Chris Shebel
Pat Murphy	Mark Rivers	Big Ron O'Brien	Tom Carr, Jr.
Les Michaels	John Landers	"Charlie"	Dallas Cole
Chuck Morgan	Mark Rawlings	J.Erick Foreman	Terry Gibson
Jerry McCall		Rick Sloan	Maureen Mecozzi (wknds.)
Gary Matthews (wknd.)		Jeff Howard	
		Weeks Smith	

Music Calls

Jay McCrae, KLOG-Longview, Wn., Monday and Tuesday, 10 - 1 PM.  
 Richard Taylor, WSFL/FM-New Bern, N.C., Monday and Tuesday, 10 - 1 PM.  
 Jim Roberts, WKWK-Wheeling, Monday through Thursday, 12:30 - 4 PM.  
 Michael Adams, KROF-Abbeville, Tuesday through Friday, 10 - 2 PM.  
 Tom Bitz, KBOM-Bismarck, 701-663-6411, 10 - 2 PM.  
 Ken Romero, KANE-New Iberia, Tuesday and Thursday  
 Wes McShay, KOZE-Lewiston, Monday through Wednesday, 2 - 4 PM.  
 Randy Robbins, KANC-Anchorage, Tuesday and Wednesday, 11 - 1:30, 902-243-1300.  
 Roger Carpenter, WHSB-Alpena, Mich., Monday through Friday, 1 - 3 PM, 517-354-4611.  
 KPOD-Crescent City, Monday through Friday, 1 - 4 PM, 707-464-3183.  
 Chuck Morgan, KOFM-Oklahoma City, Monday through Friday, 1 - 3:30 PM.  
 Dave Masters, KQDI-Great Falls, Monday through Wednesday, 11:30 AM - 2 PM.  
 Bob Lawrence, KLEO-Wichita, Wednesday and Thursday, 2 - 5 PM.  
 Gary Dixon, KSDN-Aberdeen, Monday and Wednesday, Noon - 3 PM.  
 KIRL-St. Louis, Tuesday and Thursday, 10 - 2 PM.  
 Gino Aanenson, KNOX-Grand Forks, Tuesday through Friday, 9 AM - 12 Noon.



Country Club

Jobs: KSO-Des Moines has two air talent positions open. Tapes and resumes to J.P. Andrews, 3900 N.E. Broadway, Zip 50317. Please, no calls.

KEED-Eugene is looking for an A.Tal./production director with at least two years experience. E.O.E. Tapes and resumes to Tom Edwards, 1245 Charnelton, Zip 97401.

Service: WWKQ-Battle Creek has not received the new Anne Murray single.

KFEQ-St. Joseph, Mo., needs re-service on singles from RCA.

KLIX-Twin Falls does not have the new George Jones, Marty Robbins, Moe Bandy, Darrell McCall or Anderson/Turner singles.

WNAX-Yankton, S.D., would appreciate record service from all sources for their night truckers show. Mail to Jay Jackson, Box 1295, Sioux Falls, S.D.

WQCK-Warner Robbins, Ga., needs service from all sources.

KUEN-Wenatchee, Wa., has not received the latest Conway Twitty album.

KTIB-Thibodaux, La., celebrates their 25th anniversary this year. Rick Luquette would like to hear from artists and representatives of record companies.

KCLT-Lockhart, Tx., needs albums from all sources.

KKEE/KWWK-Rochester, N.Y., desperately needs instrumental albums.

Changes: John Etheredge is once again music director at KATR-Eugene. He will continue to host "The Son of Saturday Gold" on KZEL-FM.

Jim Dunagan, KFLI-Mt. Home has joined KBMY-Billings, midnight to 6 AM.

Mid-America Broadcasting Corporation has purchased WJVA-South Bend. There will be no programming or personnel changes.

Music Calls: Chris Gullett, WPIX/WXRA-Washington, D.C., Tuesday only, 11 AM-1 PM.

Tim Tyler, KIKX-Tucson, Tuesday and Wednesday, 11 AM-3 PM.

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Last weekend, the Great Lakes States were blasted by a storm that brought winds up to 55 m.p.h. and 20 inches of snow, drifting to 26 feet. Many people were stranded and the Mayor of Indianapolis proclaimed the city a State of Emergency, calling in the National Guard. Bill Robinson at WIRE, although stranded in Terre Haute 70 miles away, reported WIRE's amazing response to the situation. Don Nelson, General Manager, and a handful of others who stayed at the station for over 72 hours, organized a Control Center for emergency communications. While television stations in the area "showed pictures of the disaster" and the newspaper left 1500 copies outside their downtown office Friday morning, WIRE brought people in to help handle the "literally thousands of calls." A transportation system that included loans of brand-new four wheel drives from local auto dealers was set up. There was on-going delivery of insulin and other medicines, groceries, bedding and other emergency supplies, throughout the duration of the storm. "Not too many records were played" Bill said, but "it was radio's finest hour." He added that Don Nelson gave those who stayed around the clock a bonus, as well as wages for all those hours.

KTRB-Modesto is running a Valentine's Day promotion that inspires listeners to create Valentines for their favorite KTRB personality. Each jock will choose his favorite one and winners will receive a six pack of albums and a dozen red roses. The best entry wins the Grand Prize which includes his and her watches and a pair of tickets to the Johnny Cash show at the Circle Star Theater in San Carlos. Since the distance from Modesto to San Carlos is over 100 miles, a chauffeur driven Rolls Royce will provide transportation for Grand Prize recipients.

To celebrate their first birthday as Country, WDAF-Kansas City will broadcast live from the Kemper Arena, a concert featuring Sonny James, Conway Twitty and Billy "Crash" Craddock. The four winners of WCOS-Columbia, S.D.'s, second Superstar contest got to meet Charley Pride and Dave & Sugar backstage at the Carolina Coliseum on January 29th. Ken Martin, P.D., provided them escort.

KERE-Denver's benefit for the Country Music Foundation of Colorado brought fantastic results. They helped raise \$7500 for the Hall of Fame.

We are looking forward to working with Al Malmberg of WXCE-Amery, Wisc. The station went on the air January 23rd.

KWKH-Shreveport will hold their First Annual Audience Appreciation concert on February 10th at the Hirsch Coliseum. The free concert will feature Jerry Reed and Johnny Rodriguez.

Gavin's Gab

Ed Michaels, P.D. at WBRG-Lynchburg, Va., notified us that M.D. Mark Carter, who developed spinal meningitis following a case of flue in December and January, died on January 19th. Mark was 28. Ed writes, "The shock of his death has not worn off yet and things are very unstable at this time..." Our sympathy to Mark's family and friends.

KGU-Honolulu programs a jazz show weeknights from 7 - midnight that according to Bernie Armstrong is "The hottest show in town." While the station ranks third in Men 18+ and fifth in Women 18+ out of 22 stations 6 AM - midnight Monday through Sunday, during the Jazz Block it ranks #1 in Men 18+ and #2 in Women 18+. "The show doesn't sound like what people think 'jazz' is. It's a very contemporary sounding show and is a total environmental blend with this market at night." Bernie recalls he was criticized by his peers for blocking a jazz show at night.

Congratulations to Harley Flathers, morning man at KROC-Rochester, Minn., who received the Rochester Jaycees' Outstanding Citizen Award.

WMT-Cedar Rapids, Iowa, known as "some kinda' radio" around town, raised almost \$4000 for Camp Courage for the mentally and physically retarded by selling "some kinda' radios." Over nineteen stores donated "point of purchase" displays, enabling WMT to sell 1500 of the radios.

KBDF-Eugene raised \$10,000 for Easter Seals last weekend with a 24-hour disco dancethon.

WKYX-Paducah ran a "Great Kicks Snow Job" promotion between January 12th and 19th, when Paducah area listeners were smothered by a record 20 inches of snow. Bryan Sargent says that the most creative snowman ("or whatever") won \$50.

WLLL-Lynchburg, Va., added a twist to their "Close Encounters (of the 93rd Kind)" promotion.

According to Tony Love, the station's own alien "the 93-LLLien" appeared at the debut of the movie on February 3rd "in full cape and strange headpiece."

Address Change: WRBR-South Bend's new address is Professional Building, 1000 Center, Mishawaka, Indiana, 46544.

Call Letter Change: KBUL/AM is now KEYN/AM and will be simulcasting certain dayparts with KEYN/FM. Both stations are Top 40 (rock).



Albums

Recommended from the following LP's:

- "Pastiche"-The Manhattan Transfer (Atlantic) A GAL IN CALICO/WALK IN LOVE/WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHY/IT'S NOT THE SPOTLIGHT
- "All This And Heaven Too"-Andrew Gold (Asylum) HOW CAN THIS BE LOVE/NEVER LET HER SLIP AWAY/THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND
- "Hold-On"-Noel Pointer (United Artists) SUPERWOMAN (WHERE WERE YOU WHEN I NEEDED YOU)/STAYING WITH YOU/MOVIN' IN
- "The House Of The Rising Sun"-Santa Esmeralda 2 (Casablanca) NOTHING ELSE MATTERS/THE HOUSE OF THE RISING SUN/DANCE YOU DOWN TONIGHT
- "Nancy Shanx"-Nancy Shanx (United Artists) WHERE DID YOU COME FROM?/READY TO FALL IN LOVE AGAIN/LOVE'S IN NEED OF LOVE TODAY
- "Darts"-Darts (United Artists) DADDY COOL-THE GIRL CAN'T HELP IT (medley)/COME BACK MY LOVE/I'M MAD-FANCY MAN-FRAMED-RIOT IN CELL BLOCK NO.9 -TROUBLE (medley)
- "Lavender Hill Mob"-Lavender Hill Mob (United Artists) DREAM AWAY/THE BALLAD OF MOLLY McGUIRE/GOOD LOVIN'
- "Billy Falcon's Burning Rose"-Billy Falcon's Burning Rose (Manhattan Island)SAILOR BOY/FRIDAY NITE
- "The Daisy Dillman Band"-The Daisy Dillman Band (United Artists) HOEDOWN/FLYIN' SOLO/IT DOESN'T MATTER ANY MORE
- "Good To See You"-Walter Jackson (United Artists) IF I HAD MY WAY/IF I COULD SEE MYSELF

Our correspondents recommend the following LP cuts: (Most frequently mentioned are underlined>)

Adult Contemporary

- Jackson Browne-LOVE NEEDS A HEART
- Katy Moffatt-UP ON THE ROOF
- Art Garfunkel-MR. SHUCK & JIVE
- Gordon Lightfoot-DREAMLAND/ENDLESS WIRE
- Roberta Flack-AFTER YOU
- George Benson-IT'S ALL IN THE GAME
- Neil Diamond-LET ME TAKE YOU IN MY ARMS
- Abba-ONE MAN/MOVE ON
- Johnny Rivers-OUTSIDE HELP
- Chicago-TAKE ME BACK TO CHICAGO
- Paul Simon-STRANDED IN A LIMOUSINE
- Emmylou Harris-DEFYING GRAVITY

Country Music

- Waylon & Willie-I CAN GET OFF ON YOU/GOLD
- DUST WOMAN/DON'T CUSS THE FIDDLE
- Steve Young-DON'T THINK TWICE/I CAN'T SLEEP/MONTGOMERY IN THE RAIN
- Barbara Mandrell-HOW LONG/HIGHER & HIGHER/LET THE RAIN OUT
- Conway Twitty-HONKY TONK SONG/YOURS TO HURT TOMORROW
- Emmylou Harris-EASY FROM NOW ON/TWO MORE BOTTLES OF WINE/DEFYING GRAVITY
- Tom T.Hall-COME ON BACK/NO ONE FEELS MY HURT
- Billy Joe Shaver-YOU ASKED ME TO/BILLY B DAMNED

Rock

- Steely Dan-JOSIE/DEACON BLUES/BLACK COW
- Chicago-TAKE ME BACK TO CHICAGO
- ELO-SWEET TALKIN' WOMAN
- Boz Scaggs-STILL FALLING FOR YOU
- Randy Newman-RIDERS IN THE RAIN
- F.Mac-2ND HAND NEWS/THE CHAIN/I DON'T WANNA KNOW
- Sanford & Townsend-PARADISE
- Bee Gees-MORE THAN A WOMAN
- Jackson Browne-THUNDER
- Dolly Parton-TWO DOORS DOWN
- Neil Diamond-LET ME TAKE YOU IN MY ARMS
- Billy Joel-MOVIN' OUT

Black Radio

- Pockets-NOTHING IS STRONGER
- Grover Washington, Jr.-SUMMER SONG
- Spinners-I'M GONNA GET YOU
- E.W.& F.-LOVE'S HOLIDAY/JUPITER
- Temptations-CAN WE COME & SHARE IN LOVE
- Chuck Mangione-FEELS SO GOOD
- Peter Brown-DANCE WITH ME
- Isaac Hayes-DON'T TAKE YOUR LOVE AWAY
- Lonnie Smith-WHEN THE NIGHT IS RIGHT
- Bootsy's Rubber Band-HOLLYWOOD SQUARES
- Rufus-BEST OF YOUR LOVE
- George Benson-LADY BLUE/ON BROADWAY

Changes

<u>Name</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
Brian Roc	KREM-Spokane	promoted to	Production Director
Steve O'Shea	KEX-Portland	promoted to	Air Talent (full-time)
Brother Mike Anthony	KEWI-Topeka	promoted to	Air Talent
Damon Lord	returns to	KALE-Tri-Cities	Air Talent
John Boy Isley	returns to	WRJZ-Knoxville	Air Talent
Gerry Marshall	WVAB-Virginia Beach	WRFC-Athens	Air Talent
Charlie	WCBL-Benton	WDXR-Paducah	Air Talent
Dennis St. John	KJMO-Jefferson City, Mo.	KTGR-Columbia, Mo.	Air Talent
Bob Case	KTAC-Tacoma	KREM-Spokane	Air Talent
Sam Castle	KALE-Tri Cities	KREM-Spokane	Air Talent
Lou Jones	WEED-Rocky Mt.	WRAQ-Asheville	Air Talent
Joey Griffin	KATY-San Luis Obispo	KEWI-Topeka	Air Talent
Bobby Malik	KYA-San Francisco	KMJC-San Diego	Air Talent
Dave Hull	ex-KRLA-Los Angeles	KMPC-Los Angeles	Air Talent
B.J. Green	KDON-Salinas	KYNO-Fresno	Air Talent
Diane Cartwright	KCRA-Sacramento	KYA-San Francisco	Air Talent
David Freedmann	KEZE/FM-Spokane	KALE-Tri Cities	Air Talent
Bill McAdams	KTRN-Wichita Falls	KGKL-San Angelo	Air Talent
Tim Donahue	WGAN-Portland, Me.	WGUY-Bangor	Air Talent
Bruce Richards	KCIL-Houma	KROF-Abbeville	Air Talent
Jonathan Walker	KPUG-Bellingham	KYYX-Seattle	Air Talent/M.D.
Frank Shires	KPUG-Bellingham	promoted to	Music Director
Kris Copeland	WFLI-Chattanooga	resigned as	Music Director
Beau Raines	WPEZ-Pittsburgh	WZZP-Cleveland	Program Director
Bob Clarke	KEX-Portland	KSTO-Agana, Guam	Program Director
Dave Steele	WDXR-Paducah	promoted to	Program Director
Ron O'Brien	WDXR-Paducah	promoted to	Operations Director
J.Michael Pruett	Q107-Muscle Shoals	promoted to	Operations Manager
Joe Parish	WLS-Chicago	KHOW-Denver	General Manager
John Stewart	WDXR-Paducah	promoted to	General Manager



Gary Taylor's Personal Picks

SITTING IN LIMBO-Don Brown (First American) In many instances it's the little things that matter most. In this left field choice, it's the subtle "schticks" in the arrangement that form a nice atmosphere for the Jimmy Cliff tune.

MY WORLD IS EMPTY WITHOUT YOU-Bob McBride (MCA) This great Supremes' sixties hit has been updated with powerful piano and guitar work. Some may comment on the vocal similarity to a "cookin" Tom Jones, and there's nothing wrong with that.

Also Possible

DRAGGIN' THE LINE-Denny Paul (Millinnium)	LET'S LIVE TOGETHER-Cazz (Number 1)
LADIES ON STAGE-Millington (United Artists)	RUMOUR HAS IT-Donna Summer (Casablanca)
LEON-Roger Daltrey (MCA)	THERE'S ALWAYS A GOODBYE-Randy Richards (A&M)

On The Record

We're told that a Congressional Committee Plans an investigation of the radio audience measurement services. It's about time. Complaints of inaccuracies and ethnic biases continue to come in. Probably it's only human for broadcasters whose stations fare poorly in the ratings to find fault with the system, but the current dissatisfaction seems more broadly based than that.

Just what Congress can do about it is not at all clear. There are those who urge that radio audience measurement should properly be a function of the federal government, along the lines of Canada's Board of Broadcast Measurement. This isn't apt to occur in the U.S., unless the committee hearings disclose gross injustices in the present systems. But even if no Congressional legislation results from the committee's probe, the hearings should furnish an admirable sounding board for broadcasters with plausible complaints. It would be, in effect, placing the rating services on public trial, with the opportunity to defend their systems against their detractor's.

This recent Congressional interest in the rating services underlines the critical significance that they have attained in the economy of broadcasting. "You live or die by those numbers", has been truly spoken by more than one broadcaster. Bitter competition for favorable "numbers" has produced the conviction of a Memphis broadcaster and has resulted in a grand jury investigation in Denver. These cases have to do with fraudulently obtaining and filling out Arbitron diaries. It's entirely possible that similar frauds have been going on undetected elsewhere. It is highly unlikely, however, that the recent unhappy disclosures represent the proverbial tip of the iceberg. The devotion with which owners safeguard their licenses almost automatically assures ethical behavior in this area.

In spite of occasional discrepancies, we must conclude that the audience research results are reasonably accurate. Depth studies of Arbitron diaries, for instance, have given rise to certain refinements in programming techniques, and these have generally proved effective rating builders. Unfortunately, however, there seems to be a growing tendency to program for the computer rather than for the audience. Audience research data reveals various hot spots and cold spots, shows demographic distribution almost minute by minute, and thus provides a detailed blueprint of listening patterns. Such blueprints can dictate the nature of program content according to the clock, replacing the necessity for the programmer to use his (or her) good judgement.

The use of such blueprints as program guides is not in itself a bad thing; it's always handy to have a map. The danger in computer oriented programming lies in forgetting that listeners are people - individuals - not just numbers in a book. One of radio's greatest assets is its ability to relate to people's feelings, hopes and needs. Losing the human equation would make radio cold and sterile - "a vast wasteland". Program directors who are using computerized audience data as programming blueprints would be well advised to keep this fact quietly in their offices; it would be fatal if the air staff started talking to a machine rather than to people.

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Service

<u>Station</u>	<u>Requests</u>	<u>From</u>
WHIS-Bluefield	B.J.Thomas single	MCA
KCl48-Santa Maria	Sunshine singles	Roulette
KTBB-Tyler, Tx.	B.Withers/B.Manilow singles	Columbia/Arista
WKLN/FM-Cullman	T.Petty/B.Manilow/Raydio singles	Shelter/Arista
WDXR-Paducah	Parton/Odyssey/Stewart singles	RCA/Warner Bros.
WJNO-W.Palm Beach	Singles	Capitol
KCSJ-Pueblo	Singles	Capitol
WDXR-Paducah	High Energy album	Grdy
KOFO-Ottawa, Ks.	Albums	All sources
KCAP-Helena	Singles and albums	Warner Bros.
KTBB-Tyler	Singles and albums	RSO/MCA/Bang
KPOD-Crescent City	Singles and albums	All sources
WPON-Pontiac	Singles and albums	All sources
KKBJ-Bemidji, Mn.(56601)	Singles and albums (A-C)	All sources
KAIN-Nampa, Id.(Box 1340)	Singles and albums	All sources
KWZ-Boise	Disco	All sources
WDDT-Greenville, Miss.	Oldies	All sources
KLOG-Kelso	Oldies	All sources
KBOM-Bismarck	Oldies	All sources

---STAY WELL---



THE GAVIN REPORT #1189  
WEEKLY SUMMARY  
(Editor, Gary Taylor)

Smash of the Week: LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton (RSO) One of the most programmable records available.

Sleeper of the Week: THEME SONG FROM WHICH WAY IS UP-Stargard (MCA) The impressive jumps at WHBQ (8 from 14), WFLB (12 from 21), and KILT (18 from 28), plus the activity in Charleston, Miami, Austin, Augusta, and Atlanta point toward a possible crossover. Ranked number six on our Black Radio chart.

Hot: CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow (Arista) The third week of airplay shows 140 reports which include significant major market moves (see page 8.)

Top Tips: GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates (Elektra) FALLING-LeBlanc & Carr (Big Tree)  
Two hits are better than one.

Record to Watch: EBONY EYES-Bob Welch (Capitol) Tested well as an album cut, testing even better as a single at B100, KING, 94Q, KRTH/FM, KRKE, KJR, KKLS, KDZA and so on.

Recommended Playlist

The listings below indicate our own estimate of these records' relative programming value and are not intended to represent comparative national sales. Underlined sides show biggest potential for continued growth.

LW	TW	Top Twenty	Gaining in Several Markets
1.	1.	STAYIN' ALIVE-Bee Gees	DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas
5.	2.	EMOTION-Samantha Sang	HAPPY ANNIVERSARY-Little River Band
2.	3.	SOMETIMES WHEN WE TOUCH-Dan Hill	POOR POOR PITIFUL ME-Linda Ronstadt
3.	4.	JUST THE WAY YOU ARE-Billy Joel	NAME OF THE GAME-Abba
6.	5.	...THICKER THAN WATER-Andy Gibb	I GO CRAZY-Paul Davis
4.	6.	...CHAMPIONS/ROCK YOU-Queen	CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow
14.	7.	LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton	GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates
11.	8.	DANCE, DANCE, DANCE-Chic	*JACK & JILL-Raydio
9.	9.	PEG-Steely Dan	FALLING-LeBlanc & Carr
13.	10.	CLOSE ENCOUNTERS THEME-John Williams	NATIVE NEW YORKER-Odyssey
8.	11.	SHORT PEOPLE-Randy Newman	STREET CORNER SERENADE-Wet Willie
19.	12.	...THE THINGS YOU DO-Rita Coolidge	CURIOUS MIND-Johnny Rivers
18.	13.	WONDERFUL WORLD-Art Garfunkel	THEME FROM CLOSE ENCOUNTERS-Meco
--	14.	NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees	OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole
7.	15.	YOU'RE IN MY HEART-Rod Stewart	IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman
17.	16.	THUNDER ISLAND-Jay Ferguson	Gaining
10.	17.	DESIREE-Neil Diamond	EBONY EYES-Bob Welch
12.	18.	BABY COME BACK-Player	BREAKDOWN-Tom Petty
15.	19.	WHAT'S YOUR NAME-Lynryd Skynyrd	LONG, LONG WAY FROM HOME-Foreigner
--	20.	ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave	LOVELY DAY-Bill Withers

Top Prospect

\* THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND-Andrew Gold (Asylum)

Regional Sales and/or Requests

- BEFORE MY HEART...-Gene Cotton (Ariola)
- LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls (Phil. Int'l.)
- HOLLYWOOD-Boz Scaggs (Columbia)
- \* RUNNIN' ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne (Asylum)
- LITTLE ONE-Chicago (Columbia)
- EVERYBODY LOVES A RAIN SONG-B.J.Thomas (MCA)
- YOU REALLY GOT ME-Van Halen (Warner Bros.)
- SILVER DREAMS-The Babys (Chrysalis)
- SWEET, SWEET SMILE-Carpenters (A&M)
- BABY HOLD ON-Eddie Money (Columbia)
- I CAN'T HOLD ON-Karla Bonoff (Columbia)
- EASY TO LOVE-Leo Sayer (Warner Bros.)

Picks & Plays

- HOT LEGS-Rod Stewart (Warner Bros.)
- SWEET TALKIN' WOMAN-Electric Light Orch. (Jet/UA)
- \* I'M GONNA TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING-Rubicon (20th)
- THE CIRCLE IS SMALL-Gordon Lightfoot (W.Bros.)
- MAMAS, DON'T LET...-Waylon & Willie (RCA)
- CALIFORNIA-Debby Boone (Warner Bros.)
- STARLIGHT-Cory Wells (A&M)
- FOOLING YOURSELF-Styx (A&M)
- ON THE STRIP-Paul Nicholas (RSO)
- DISCO INFERNO-The Trammps (Atlantic)
- TOO HOT TA TROT-Commodores (Motown)
- BOOGIE SHOES-K.C. & The Sunshine Band (T.K.)
- FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione (A&M)
- LET IT GO, LET IT FLOW-Dave Mason (Columbia)
- QUEEN OF THE NIGHT-Stonebolt (Parachute)
- IT'S YOU THAT I NEED-Enchantment (Roadshow/UA)
- READY FOR THE TIMES TO GET BETTER-Crystal Gayle(UA)
- HONEY DON'T LEAVE L.A.-James Taylor (Columbia)



Correspondents' Corner\*\*

Chart and listings on page one are derived from information supplied by the radio reporters listed below. \*Indicates requests. Sales action is underlined. Others indicate airplay.

Bangor, Mark Laurence-WGUY- Gordon Lightfoot  
 Bath, Jack O'Brien-WIGY- #7-Yvonne Elliman  
 Lewiston, Mark Ericson-WLAM- Rita Coolidge  
 Portsmouth, Mike O'Neil-WHEB- Brooklyn Dreams  
 Manchester, Rick Ryder-WFEA- Debby Boone  
 Dover, Jim Sebastian-WTSN- Gordon Lightfoot  
 Providence, Gary Berkowitz-WPRO/FM- Geils  
 New Haven, Curt Hansen-WVZ- Flack/Hathaway  
 Hartford, Rick Donahue-WTIC/FM- The Babys  
 Rochester, Jeff Ryder-WBBF- Starz  
 Utica, Jim Reitz-WTLB- Eddie Money  
 Schenectady, Jim Walsh-3WD- Dolly Parton  
 New York, Barbara Brozdowski-WOBS/FM- Lou Rawls  
 - - - Jay Thomas-99X- Tom Petty  
 Reading, Shannon/Newman-WRAW- E.W. & Fire  
 Atlantic City, Gary Lane-WMID- Dave Mason  
 Trenton, Tom Taylor-WPST- ELO  
 Frederick, G.T.Stone-14ZYQ- Bob Welch  
 Richmond, Gary Robins-WLEE- Abba  
 Winston-Salem, Jay McDaniels-WAIR- Moonlighters  
 Reidsville, Vic Pierson-WFRC- #11-Natalie Cole  
 Asheboro, Bill Cox-WZOO- Yvonne Elliman  
 Charlotte, Roy Rosen-WAYS- Gordon Lightfoot  
 Shelby, Jeffrey Owens-WOHS- Barbara Mandrell  
 Asheville, Ray Williams-WISE- #8-Raydio  
 Fayetteville, Larry Cannon-WFLB- Paul Nicholas  
 Columbia, Dan Valli-WCOS- #4-Heatwave  
 Kingstree, Jerry Smith-WKSP- Ronnie Milsap  
 Charleston, Bob McLain-WTMA- Sweet  
 Augusta, Steve York-WAUG- Chuck Mangione  
 Savannah, Brady McGraw-WSGA- #9-Natalie Cole  
 - - - Jerry Katz-WSGV/FM- Gene Cotton  
 Athens, Kelly McCoy-WRFC- Chuck Mangione  
 Gainesville, Tom Harris-WDUN- Anne Murray  
 - - - Sam Church-WFOX/FM- Rubicon  
 Atlanta, Rhett Walker-WQXI- #7-Wet Willie  
 - - - Don Benson-94Q- #13-Chuck Mangione  
 Columbus, Chuck Bear-WCGQ- #9-Little River Bd.  
 Albany, Kris Van Dyke-WALG- Stonebolt  
 Carrollton, Andrea Cordell-WBTR- Atlanta R.S.  
 - - - Scott Evans-WPPI- Cory Wells  
 Orlando, O'Neil/Blackwell-WLOF- Carpenters  
 Cocoa Beach, Jonathan Doll-CKL01- The Babys  
 W.Palm Beach, Alan Edwards-WIRK- Tom Petty  
 Miami, Joel Denver-96X- Kansas  
 - - - Colleen Cassidy-Y100- Jackson Browne  
 Ft. Myers, Webster James-WMYR- #11-Paul Davis  
 Tampa, Ron Parker-WLCY- Eric Clapton  
 Ocala, Bill Early-WWKE- #10-Chic  
 Tallahassee, Danny Harmon-WGLF- Gino Vannelli  
 Panama City, Jim King-WDLP- #9-Bill Withers  
 Ft. Walton, Bob Kitzmiller-WNUE- #9-Wet Willie  
 Muscle Shoals, Jan Michael Pruett-Q107-B.Midler  
 - - - Rick Shayne-WBCF- Crystal Gayle  
 Huntsville, Tony Taylor-WAAY- Rick Nelson  
 Guntersville, Kerry Jackson-WGSV- Stargard  
 Cullman, Rick McCarthy-WKLN/FM- Bill LaBounty  
 Gadsden, Dale McKee-WQEN- Hotel  
 Birmingham, Steve Davis-WKXX- Sanford/Townsend  
 Montgomery, Lanny West-WHHY- Carpenters  
 Enterprise, Mark Thompson-WKMX- 5th Dimension  
 Starkville, Glen James-WKOR- B.J.Thomas  
 Greenville, Mark James-WDDT- Raydio  
 Natchez, Haynes Ford-WQNZ- The Babys  
 Jackson, Tom Daniels-WJDX- Con Funk Shun  
 - - - Mickey Coulter-WWUN- Bee Gees (WOMAN)  
 Pascagoula, Norm Boswell-WKKY- \*Yvonne Elliman  
 Biloxi, Bob Lima-WQID- Bob Welch  
 Hattiesburg, Craig St.John-WXXX- Karla Bonoff  
 Lafayette, Michael Lee-KVOL- Donna Summer  
 Lake Charles, Bob Penny-KAOK- The Babys  
 - - - Kim Canard-KLOU- Rubicon  
 Shreveport, K.C.Daniels-KEEL- War  
 - - - Shepherd/Green-KROK- Andrew Gold  
 Chattanooga, David Carroll-WGOW- Donna Fargo  
 Knoxville, Bob Kaghan-WRJZ- #8-David Gates  
 Nashville, Bruce Sherman-92Q- B.J.Thomas  
 Louisville, Coyote Calhoun-WAKY- Gene Cotton  
 Bowling Green, Doug Kirsch-WBGN- Commodores  
 Paducah, Bryan Sargent-WKYX- Lou Rawls

South Bend, Jason Fox-WRRR- Tom Petty  
 Anderson, Dan Scott-WHUT- \*Wet Willie  
 Lafayette, Jeffrey Jay Weber-WAZY- #8-Jay Ferguson  
 Cincinnati, C.C.Matthews-WSAI- Rod Stewart  
 Hamilton, Joe London-WMOH- Heatwave  
 Columbus, Bryan McIntyre-WCOL- #12-E.W.& F.  
 - - - Chris Edmundson-WNCI- Rita Coolidge  
 Alliance, Bill Brophy-WFAH- Cory Wells  
 Canton, Keith London-WINW- Wild Cherry  
 Cleveland, Bob Travis-WGCL- Parliament  
 Wheeling, Jim Roberts-WKWK- The Babys  
 Parkersburg, Jack Fitzgerald-WXIL- Eddie Money  
 Beckley, Dwayne Bonds-WCIR- #10-Con Funk Shun  
 Altoona, John Harrison-WVAM- Enchantment  
 - - - Tony Booth-WFBG- Cazz  
 Youngstown, Jack Taylor-Y103- Lynyrd Skynyrd  
 Pittsburgh, Bob Savage-13Q- Yvonne Elliman  
 Johnstown, Douglas Kaye-WCRO- #7-LeBlanc & Carr  
 Grand Rapids, Jim Jackson-Z96- B.J.Thomas  
 Jackson, Garry Osborn-WIBM- Dave Mason  
 Muskegon, Jon London-WTRU- Natalie Cole  
 Peoria, Lee Malcolm-WIRL- Little River Band  
 Springfield, Greg Thomas-WCVS- #13-Jay Ferguson  
 Carbondale, Ric Zurick-WCIL/FM- Paul Nicholas  
 Chicago, Dave Morgan-WMET- #11-Chic  
 Rockford, Bob Goode-WROK- Bee Gees  
 Freeport, Kevin Kenney-WACI- Rubicon  
 Milwaukee, Pat McKay-WOKY- Carpenters  
 Two Rivers, John Barber-15Q- Andrew Gold  
 Green Bay, Gregg Albert-WDUZ- Carpenters  
 Appleton, Jason Page-WNAM- Lou Rawls  
 Stevens Point, Pat Martin-WSPT- Atlanta R.Section  
 LaCrosse, Pat Smith-WLCX- Heatwave  
 Eau Claire, Sean McCartney-WEAQ- Jay Ferguson  
 Duluth, Beau Elliot-WEBC- #8-Garfunkel  
 Rochester, Denny Foster-KWEB- Paul Nicholas  
 St. Cloud, Tom Kay-WJON- Lou Rawls  
 Thief River Falls, Daryl Tumberg-KTRF-\*Karla Bonoff  
 Grand Forks, Bob Hooper-KKXL- Garfunkel  
 Fargo, Mark Ranier-KVOX- Bob Welch  
 - - - Bob Denver-KQWB- Tom Petty  
 Bismarck, Dan Brannan-KFYR- Kansas  
 Minot, Doug Corbett-KKOA- Gordon Lightfoot  
 Aberdeen, Gary Dixon-KSDN- Crystal Gayle  
 Huron, L.A.Timms-KOKK- #9-Brooklyn Dreams  
 Rapid City, Mick Kjar-KKLS- Earth, Wind & Fire  
 Sioux Falls, Tom Evans-KISD- #7-Steely Dan  
 Sioux City, Bill Bodie-KWSL- The Babys  
 Dubuque, Chuck Bailey-WDBQ- Yvonne Elliman  
 Ottumwa, Dave Carlson-KLEE- Raydio  
 Des Moines, Chris Collins-KIOA- Carpenters  
 - - - Christee-KGGO- Tom Petty  
 Mason City, Bob Scott-KRIB- Cory Wells  
 Cedar Rapids, Ron Thompson-KLWW- Bob Welch  
 - - - Carl Mann-KCRG- Raydio  
 Waterloo, Bob Beck-KWWL- Barbara Mandrell  
 Lincoln, Gary Collins-KLMS- Rubicon  
 St. Louis, Todd Martin-KIRL- \*Raydio  
 - - - Sherry Toennies-KSLQ- Little River Band  
 Kansas City, Kim Welsh-KBEQ- Styx  
 Joplin, John David-KFSB- Leif Garrett  
 Pine Bluff, Paul Sims-KOTN- Brick  
 Little Rock, C.David Hamilton-KAAY- Barry Manilow  
 Lawrence, Mike Schmidt-KLWN/FM- Karle Bonoff  
 Topeka, John Greeley-KEWI- Waylon & Willie  
 Manhattan, Ed Klimke-KMKF- John Denver  
 Wichita, Barry Casey-KEYN/FM- Hot  
 - - - Bob Laurence-KLEO- Kansas  
 Tulsa, Dr. Don-KAKC- The Babys  
 Oklahoma City, Sandy Jones-WKY- \*Wet Willie  
 - - - Chuck Morgan-KOFM- Eric Clapton  
 Wichita Falls, King Wiggins-KTRN- Enchantment  
 Amarillo, Mark Shannon-KPUR- Van Halen  
 Marshall, Jerry Rome-KMHT- Enchantment  
 Tyler, Robert Adams-KDOK- Waylon & Willie  
 Dallas, Gary Mack-Z97- Little River Band  
 Temple, Lou Van Tuyl-KTEM- The Babys  
 Bryan, Richard Moore-KTAM- The Babys  
 Nacogdoches, Kirk Williams-KEEE- Lou Rawls  
 Corpus Christi, Robert Welch-KEYS- Barry Manilow

\*\*Correspondents not listed above will be found on page 8....



Adult Contemporary Programming  
(Associate Editor, Ron Fell)

Most Active: CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow (Arista) The new album and upcoming TV special will further enhance the progress of this single, which has reached #22 in the three weeks since its release.

Worth Watching: THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND-Andrew Gold (Asylum) This could do as well as, if not better than, LONELY BOY. KNX/FM and KEX aren't waiting to find out.

Top Thirty

Note: The lines in the top thirty below indicate sharp separations in our research totals - much more of a division than can be represented by two consecutive numbers.

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

Action Sides

FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione  
POOR, POOR PITIFUL ME-Linda Ronstadt  
THE CIRCLE IS SMALL-Gordon Lightfoot  
READY FOR THE TIMES TO GET BETTER-Crystal Gayle  
MY REASON TO BE IS YOU-McCoo & Davis  
CLOSE ENCOUNTERS THEME-Meco  
NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees  
CALIFORNIA-Debby Boone

Correspondents' Preferred Picks

THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND-Andrew Gold (Asylum)  
HONEY DON'T LEAVE L.A.-James Taylor (Columbia)

Sales and/or Requests

SILVER DREAMS-The Babys  
LITTLE ONE-Chicago  
DANCE, DANCE, DANCE-Chic  
EBONY EYES-Bob Welch  
EASY TO LOVE-Leo Sayer  
ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave  
MAMA DON'T LET YOUR BABIES...-Waylon & Willie

Airplay

IT AMAZES ME-John Denver  
THE CLOSER I GET TO YOU-Flack & Hathaway  
DAYBREAK-Bette Midler  
ROCKIN' IN THE CRADLE-Rocky & Chyann  
HOLLYWOOD-Boz Scaggs  
IS IT REALLY LOVE AT ALL-Jericho Harp

A - C Correspondents' Reports

Akron (Russ Knight-WAKR) Elliman/Chic/C. Gayle. Gains: Garfunkel/Manilow/Murray/B.J. Thomas/Rita C Anna, Ill. (Jane Michel-WRAJ) Boone/Gold/Browne/J. Taylor/Lightfoot/Rocky & Chyann/Flack.  
Asheville (Bob Rymell-WRAQ) Chic/Manilow/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Kansas/Ronstadt. Gains: Clapton.  
Astoria (Doug McDowell-KAST) Flack/Boone/Lightfoot/Chicago. Gains: Cotton/Gibb/McCoo & Davis.  
Athens (Ty Richards-WATH) Lightfoot/Ronstadt/Rita C. Gains: Gibb/B. Arvon.  
Austin (Bob Joseph-KCSW) Melanie/Manilow/Denver/Valli/Hammond. Gains: J. Williams/Newman.  
Bend (Bill Jay-KBND) C. Gayle/Waylon & Willie/Welch/Ronstadt/B. Paul/D. Ross. Gains: Mangione.  
- - - (Ric Marshall-KBOM) P. Davis/Kansas/Ronstadt/Murray/M. Montgomery. Gains: Rivers/Williams.  
Bismarck (Tom Bitz-KBOM) Manilow/Gayle/Clapton. Gains: Gibb/Player.  
Bluefield (John Hoffman-WHIS) Bee Gees (FEVER)/Manilow/Cotton/Rocky & Chyann/Lightfoot.  
Brookhaven (Randall Smith-WJMB) Boone/Waylon & Willie/D. Ross/Hermans Hermits. Gains: Rita C.  
Buffalo (Roger Christian-WBEN) Manilow/Cotton/Boone. Gains: Abba/Rita C./Garfunkel/Clapton/J. Wms.  
Butte (Bob Roberts-KKLF) Waylon & Willie/Gayle/D. Brown. Calls: P. Davis/Bee Gees (FEVER).  
Canton (Rick Jacobs-WHBC) P. Davis/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Gayle/J. Harp/Denver. Gains: Garfunkel/Rita C.  
Carson City (George Sepulveda-KPTL) Odyssey/Garfunkel/Lightfoot/Boone/Rocky & Chyann. Gains: Rawls.  
Cedar Rapids (Rick Sellers-WMT) Manilow/Cisayk/Mandrell/McDowell. Gains: Cotton/Carpenters/J. Harp.  
Charlottesville (Jim Racey-WCHV) Welch/Browne/J. Taylor/Ferguson. Gains: Rita C./Rivers/Odyssey.  
Chicago (Dave Martin-WFYR) Carpenters/Gates/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Manilow/Elliman.  
- - - (Rob Reynolds-WYEN) Steely Dan/Flack & Hathaway. Calls: Barry Manilow.  
Chico (Jan Claire-KPAY) C. Gayle/D. Boone/B.J. Thomas. Calls: Milsap/Joel/Hill.  
Chillicothe (Rhea Weatherford-WCLL) Gayle/Waylon & Willie/Ronstadt. Calls: Cotton/Garfunkel.  
Cincinnati (Susan Howe-WLW) Elliman/Ronstadt/Bee Gees (FEVER)/McCoo & Davis. Gains: Sang/Hill.  
Clovis (Charlie Russell-KKQQ) Kansas/Edelman/Steely Dan/Waylon & Willie/Denver. Gains: Rita C.  
Coffeyville (J. Foster Padgett-KGGF) Calls: Ronstadt/Cotton. Gains: Garfunkel/Rivers/Rawls/Gates.  
Colorado Springs (Dan Shanahan-KIIQ) A. Murray. Calls: Bee Gees/Garfunkel/Carpenters.  
Columbia (Mike Collins-WIS) Denver/Kansas/Gayle/A. Gold/Mangione. Gains: Rita C./Carpenters/Cotton  
Columbus (Dave Parr-WTVN) Chic/LeBlanc & Carr/Rocky & Chyann. Gains: Gibb/Rivers/Gates/J. Wms.  
Corvallis (Weldon Greig-KLOO) Gayle/Flower/T.G. Shepherd/Boone. Gains: Rivers/Diamond.  
Crescent City (Sue Williams-KPOD) Clapton/Kansas/A. Price/Carpenters. Calls: Bee Gees (FEVER).  
Corona (Rick Painter-KWRM) Manilow/Kansas/B.J. Thomas. Calls: Odyssey/Steely Dan/Y. Elliman.  
Denver (Harry Smith-KHOW) McCoo & Davis/P. Davis/Rocky & Chyann/Gibb/LeBlanc & Carr/Elliman.  
Des Moines (Del Hull-KRNT) Mandrell/J. Harp/Travers/Rocky & Chyann/Gayle.  
Detroit (Bob Chenault-WOMC) B. Paul/J. DeShannon/Rocky & Chyann/J. Ward. Calls: Flack/Chicago.

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**Black Radio**  
(Associate Editor, Betty Hollars)

**Hot Line:** STAYIN' ALIVE-Bee Gees (RSO) Unusual that this Top 40 and A-C hit now crosses over to Black Radio, but the sound explains it all!

**Hottest LP Cut:** ON BROADWAY-George Benson (Warner Bros.) This 9:55 cut (soon to be edited to 5:14 and released as the first single from "Weekend In L.A." LP) has not been overlooked by any of our correspondent stations.

Correspondents' Top Thirty

The following list is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

LW	TW		LW	TW	
1.	1.	JACK & JILL-Raydio	17.	16.	PLAYING YOUR GAME BABY-Barry White
2.	2.	TOO HOT TA TROT-Commodores	24.	17.	SHOUT IT OUT-B.T.Express
6.	3.	OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole	25.	18.	AM I LOSING YOU-Manhattans
4.	4.	AIN'T GONNA'HURT NOBODY-Brick	26.	19.	L-O-V-E-U-Brass Construction
5.	5.	LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls	27.	20.	BABY COME BACK-Player
7.	6.	THEME: WHICH WAY IS UP-Stargard	10.	21.	GALAXY-War
3.	7.	ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave	11.	22.	DANCE, DANCE, DANCE-Chic
8.	8.	BABY...LOVE'S ALL FOR YOU-D.Williams	18.	23.	WITH PEN IN HAND-Dorothy Moore
9.	9.	LOVE ME RIGHT-Denise LaSalle	20.	24.	REACH FOR IT-George Duke
12.	10.	LOVELY DAY-Bill Withers	--.	25.	BOOTZILLA-Bootsy's Rubber Band
13.	11.	SOFT & EASY-Blackbyrds	--.	26.	STAYIN' ALIVE-Bee Gees
15.	12.	IT'S YOU THAT I NEED-Enchantment	21.	27.	OOH BOY-Rose Royce
16.	13.	FLASHLIGHT-Parliament	22.	28.	COME GO WITH ME-Pockets
14.	14.	LE SPANK-Le Pamplemouse	23.	29.	BELLE-Al Green
19.	15.	DON'T COST YOU NOTHIN'-Ashford & Simpson	29.	30.	F-FUN-Con Funk Shun

Movin' On Up

THE CLOSER I GET TO YOU-R.Flack with D.Hathaway (Atl.) FOR YOUR LOVE, LOVE, LOVE-Joe Simon(Spring)

Top Airplay

- REACHING FOR THE SKY-Peabo Bryson
- WORKING TOGETHER-Maze
- LET ME PARTY WITH YOU-Bunny Sigler
- LET'S HAVE SOME FUN-Barkays
- NEW HORIZONS-Sylvers
- CLOSE ENCOUNTERS-Gene Page/Meco
- INTIMATE FRIENDS-Eddie Kendricks
- RUMOUR HAS IT-Donna Summer
- OUT OF THE GHETTO-Isaac Hayes
- PRIVATE PROPERTY-Dells
- LOVE SHOCK/CALL MY JOB-Albert King
- YOU ARE MY FRIEND-Patti Labelle
- LOVE THAT WILL NOT DIE-Johnny Guitar Watson
- RUB DOWN-Joe Tex
- CAN YOU GET IT-Mandrill

Correspondents' Preferred Picks

- NEVER GET ENOUGH OF YOUR LOVE-LTD (A&M)
- ON BROADWAY-George Benson (Warner Bros.)
- SUPERSLICK CHICK-Kool & the Gang (DeLite)
- FANTASY-Earth,Wind & Fire (Columbia)
- GET ON UP (DISCO)-Tyrone Davis (Columbia)
- I LOVE MY MUSIC-Wild Cherry (Epic)
- WISHING ON A STAR-Rose Royce (Whitfield)
- DON'T THROW IT ALL AWAY-Delfonics (Arista)
- THE PARTY SONG-Slave (Cotillion)
- SISTER FINE-Impact
- WE FELL IN LOVE WHILE DANCING-Bill Brandon (Prelude)
- THE GHOST OF LOVE-Tavares (Capitol)
- EASY COME, EASY GO-Spinners (Atlantic)
- PRECIOUS, PRECIOUS-O.V.Wright (Hi Cream)
- LARRY, MOVE YOUR HAND-Penguin Feet (H.D.M./Amherst)

Regional Highlights

Albany (Doc Suttles-WJIZ) Gns: Mandrill, Brick, Manhattans, Bunny Sigler, Joe Tex, Maze. New: B.T. Express, Yvonne Elliman, Bill Brandon, Bootsy, Donna Summer. Req: Bee Gees, Peabo Bryson.

Berkeley (Rob Singleton-KRE) Gns: Flack & Hathaway. New: Peabo Bryson, Pockets, Tony Williams, Bros. Johnson, Billy Paul, Smokey Robinson, Stanley Turrentine, Bill Summers, Walter Jackson.

Birmingham (Shelley Pope-WBUL) #1-Brick, #4-Impact, #7-Blackbyrds, #8-Enchantment, #10-Rare Gems Odyssey. New: Milt Matthews, Kay Gees, Kool & Gang, Flack & Hathaway, Bill Brandon, Maze.

Chicago (Radio WVON) #5-Stargard, #6-Player, #8-Living Proof, #10-Gene Page/Meco. Gns: Deniece Williams, Brick, Enchantment, Donna Summer, Bee Gees. New: Bootsy, Brass Cons., Harold Melvin.

Chicago (Richard Steele-WJPC) #3-Raydio, #4-Stargard, #6-D.LaSalle, #8-Bill Withers, #9-Heatwave, #10-Player. Gains: Bee Gees, Commodores, Dells. New: Belle Epoque. LP: Raydio.

Chicago (Earnest L.James-WMBX/FM) #4-Barkays, #7-Player, #9-Enchantment, #10-Lou Rawls. Gns: Morrison Jefferson, Brick, Deniece Williams, Commodores, Ohio Players. New: Impact, LTD.

Galveston (Randy Sterling-KGBC) #2-Raydio, #5-Chic, #7-Peabo Bryson, #10-Donna Summer. Req: Ray Charles, Sylvers, Parliament, O.V.Wright, Ashford & S. On: Bootsy, Brass C., E.Kendricks, Maze.

Henderson (J.T.-KGRI/FM) #1-Raydio, #8-Ohio Pl., #9-Joe Tex, #10-Deniece Williams. Gns: Ashford & S., J.G.Watson, Dells, LTD, Penguin Feet, Spinners. New: Tyrone Davis, E.W.& F., Kool & Gang.

Miami (Ralph Featherstone-WMBM) #3-Ashford & S., #8-Miami. Gns: Manhattans, Spinners. New: Johnny Mathis with Deniece Williams, Millie Jackson, Timmy Thomas, Flack & Hathaway, R.B.Hudmon,D.Ross.

Natchez (Haynes Ford-WNAT) #9-Enchantment, #10-Joe Simon. Gns: Penguin Feet, Deniece Williams, B.T. Express, Bootsy, Player, Flack & Hathaway. New: Bobby Womack, Delfonics, Bunny Sigler.

New York (Sonny Taylor-WWRL) #1-Stargard, #2-Meco, #3-Player, #5-LePamplemouse, #10-Joe Simon. Gns: Parliament, Michael Zager Band, Eddie Kendricks, Manhattans, Ashford & S., Peter Brown, Brick.

St.Matthews (Andy Henderson-WQKI) #3-Raydio, #5-Brick, #9-Stargard, #10-Enchantment. Gns: Brass Cons., Ashford & S., Flack & H., B.T.Express, Parliament, D.LaSalle. New: Tyrone Davis, Z.Z.Hill

Stockton (Charles Richardson-KUOP/FM) Chart: Bunny Sigler, Flack & Hathaway, #3-Ashford & S., #5-Raydio, #9-Parliament. Gns: J.G.Watson, P.Bryson, I.Hayes. New: Sylvers, Bootsy. Rq: G.Benson.

St. Louis (Chico Brown-KATZ) #1-Heatwave, #3-Con Funk Shun, #4-Stargard, #5-Al Green, #6-Brick, #7-Bill Withers, #8-Raydio, #9-Chic, #10-Dorothy Moore. New: Bunny Sigler, Peabo Bryson, A.True.

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Country Music  
(Associate Editor, Elma Greer)

Prime Mover: SHINE ON ME-John Wesley Ryles (ABC) The quality of brightness surfaced this week.

Top Country Hits

The following list of country hits is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

<u>LW</u>	<u>TW</u>		<u>LW</u>	<u>TW</u>	
5.	1.	DON'T BREAK THE HEART...-Margo Smith	28.	16.	SHINE ON ME-John Wesley Ryles
3.	2.	I JUST WISH YOU WERE...-Larry Gatlin	13.	17.	TAKE THIS JOB...-Johnny Paycheck
1.	3.	YOU'RE THE ONE-Oak Ridge Boys	16.	18.	MAY THE FORCE...-Tom T. Hall
6.	4.	WOMAN TO WOMAN-Barbara Mandrell	27.	19.	TWO DOORS DOWN-Zella Lehr
2.	5.	OUT OF MY HEAD...-Loretta Lynn	--.	20.	IF I HAD A CHEATING HEART-Mel Street
7.	6.	WHAT DID I PROMISE HER...-Mel Tillis	20.	21.	SHAKE ME, I RATTLE-Cristy Lane
4.	7.	TO DADDY-Emmylou Harris	30.	22.	ANGEL OF THE MORNING-Melba Montgomery
11.	8.	MAMAS, DON'T LET YOUR...-Waylon & Willie	24.	23.	YOU KNOW WHAT-Jerry Reed & Seidina
10.	9.	DO I LOVE YOU-Donna Fargo	29.	24.	WALK RIGHT BACK-Anne Murray
12.	10.	I DON'T NEED A THING...-Gene Watson	--.	25.	RUNNIN' KIND-Merle Haggard
3.	11.	WHAT A DIFFERENCE...-Ronnie Milsap	26.	26.	I PROMISED HER...-Bobby Borchers
17.	12.	I LOVE YOU...-Ronnie McDowell	14.	27.	MIDDLE AGE CRAZY-Jerry Lee Lewis
9.	13.	SOMETHING TO BRAG ABOUT-Mary Kay Place	23.	28.	HERE YOU COME AGAIN-Dolly Parton
21.	14.	BARTENDERS BLUES-George Jones	--.	29.	BEDROOM EYES-Don Drumm
19.	15.	GOD MADE LOVE-Mel McDaniel	--.	30.	RETURN TO ME-Marty Robbins

Other Gains, Sales and/or Requests

YES MA'AM-Tommy Overstreet  
LONELY HEARTS CLUB-Billie Jo Spears  
IT STARTED ALL OVER AGAIN-Vern Gosdin  
SOFT LIGHTS & HARD COUNTRY MUSIC-Moe Bandy  
READY FOR THE TIMES TO GET BETTER-Crystal Gayle  
FEELIN' BETTER-Hank Williams Jr.  
RED HOT MEMORY-Kenny Dale  
SOMEONE LOVES YOU HONEY-Charley Pride  
A LOVER'S QUESTION-Jacky Ward  
IT DOESN'T MATTER ANYMORE-R.C.Bannon

Action Sides

IT DON'T FEEL LIKE SINNIN'...-Kendalls  
COLORADO KOOL-AID-Johnny Paycheck  
I CHEATED ON A GOOD...-Billy "Crash" Craddock  
THE LONGEST WALK-Mary Kaye Miller  
EVERYBODY LOVES A RAIN SONG-B.J. Thomas  
BUCKET TO THE SOUTH-Ava Barber  
I'VE GOT A WINNER IN YOU-Don Williams  
I'VE BEEN LOVED-Cates Sisters  
HEARTS ON FIRE-Eddie Rabbitt  
I'M WAY AHEAD OF YOU-Bill Anderson/Turner

Airplay: (New listings are underlined>)

Johnny Cash (31); Don King (22); Kenny Rogers and Dottie West (22); Jim Reeves (21); Dickey Lee (20); Dotsy (20); Con Hunley (19); Freddie Hart (19); Conway Twitty (18); Carpenters (16); Ed Bruce (14); Pal Rakes (14); Johnny Rodriguez (13); Porter Wagoner (12); T.G.Sheppard (12); Don Gibson (11); Linda Ronstadt (11).

Recommended Newer Releases

YOU ASKED ME TO-Billy Joe Shaver (Capricorn)      LOUISIANA WOMAN-Freddy Fender (ABC)  
LOVIN' YOU BABY-Connie Smith (Monument)      DON'T STOP THE MUSIC-Little David Wilkins (Playboy)

Please Note: Beginning this week, we are running a two-part series on country programming. See page 11 for Part I.

Roundup

Aberdeen (Jack McDaniel-KKAA) Deb-M.Street (22), A.Murray (25), M.Robbins (26), M.Bandy (27).  
Albany, Ore. (Larry Blair-KRKT) Gns-B.J.Spears (11-7), M.Street (21-15), Hank Jr. (19-16).  
Albany, Ga. (Scott Parker-WJAZ) Deb-M.Robbins (28), D.Drumm (29), B.J.Spears (30). Rq-A.Barber.  
Amarillo (Terry Amburn-KBUY) Pl-C. Pride, L.Griffith, Bellamy Bros., Tompall Glaser, John Denver.  
Ann Arbor (Mark Thomas-WNRS) Pl-Carpenters, D.Boone, J.Rodriguez, F.Young, LaCosta, B.Fairchild.  
Asheville (Dave Jacobs-WWNC) Gns-R.Sovine (32-21), D.King (37-24). Pl-C.Gayle, T.Glaser.  
Ashland, Ore. (Christopher Stoney-KCMX) Gns-D.McCall (18-12). Pl-E.Rabbitt, Rogers/West, T.Glaser.  
Ashland, Ky. (Dave McLain-WTCR) Pl-Conway Twitty, B.J.Spears, Mel Street, Tommy Overstreet.  
Austin (Jerry K.Green-KVET) Gns-D.Drumm (39-15). Pl-Dotsy, Carpenters, M.Boyd, M.Mitchell, 4 Lads.  
Baltimore (Danny Reese-WPOC) Gns-R.McDowell (33-22). Pl-J.W.Ryles, M.Street, Crystal Gayle.  
Battle Creek (Jim Clark-WWKQ) Gns-G.Watson (23-14). Pl-Carpenters, A.Murray, M.Haggard (Cap.).  
Billings (Mary June-KBMY) Deb-M.K.Miller (23), B.J.Spears (25). Pl-D.Williams, T.G.Sheppard.  
Biloxi (Lance Carson-WWMI) Deb-J.Ward (25). Pl-B.Borchers, J.Reed & Seidina, B.J.Thomas.  
Birmingham (Dan Brennan-WVOK) Deb-J.Ward (17). Pl-B.C.Craddock, J.Walker, Carpenters, Dickey Lee.  
Bismarck (Marv Allen-KBMR) Pl-Freddy Weller, C.Twitty, Cal Smith, B.C.Craddock, Don Gibson.  
Boise (Paul Rider-KGEM) Pl-Crystal Gayle, G.Lightfoot, Ava Barber. Rq-Carpenters, Eddie Rabbitt.  
Bryan (Warren Davis-KORA/FM) Deb-G.Jones (31), D.McCall (32), K.Dale (33), P.Wagoner (34).  
Cape Girardeau (David Holt-KZYM) Deb-M.Street (22). Pl-J.Reed & Seidina, J.Ward, M.Haggard, B.Joel.  
Carrollton (Ray Hammons-WLBB) Gns-Rita Coolidge (24-14), L.Ronstadt (30-22). Pl-P.Craft, LaCosta.  
Chicago (Bill Hart-WJJD) Gns-Z.Lehr (26-19). Pl-L.Ronstadt, J.W.Ryles, E.Rabbitt, M.Haggard.  
- - - (Joanne Calloway-WMAQ) Pl-Mel McDaniel, Crystal. Rq-Zella Lehr, Ronnie McDowell.  
Cleveland (Carolyn Carr-WHK) Pl-M.Mitchell, Carpenters, C.Hunley, B.K.Perry, D.King, D.Horn.  
Columbia (Ken Martin-WCOS) Pl-C.Gayle, E.Rabbitt, B.C.Craddock (Cap.), J.Reeves, M.Haggard.  
Cypress Gardens (Terry Slane-WGTO) Pl-Carpenters, E.Rabbitt, Jerry Wallace, C.Hunley, M.Mitchell.  
Denver (Jon Lawrence-KERE) Gns-A.Barber (28-20), B.C.Craddock (22-17) (Cap.). Pl-D.Lee, D.King.  
- - - (Bill Ashford-KLAK) Gns-D.Drumm (21-8). Pl-B.Fairchild, Bellamy Bros., E.Bruce, A.Barber.  
Des Moines (J.P.Andrews-KSO) Pl-B.C.Craddock (Cap.), B.J.Thomas, J.Reeves, C.Hunley, D.Lee.  
Detroit (Cindy-WDEE) Pl-B.C.Craddock, F.Hart, Kendalls, C.Gayle, C.Pride, B.J.Thomas, D.Lee.  
Eugene (John Etheredge-KATR) Pl-T.G.Sheppard, LaCosta, Eddie Rabbitt. Rq-Jeannie Pruett.  
- - - (Bob Wise-KEED) Pl-Carpenters, Rogers/West, D.Gibson, D.King, F.Young, J.Rodriguez, Kendalls.  
Everett/Seattle (Lee Wade-KWYZ) Pl-D.Williams, C.Twitty, J.Paycheck, D.Gibson, E.Rabbitt, C.Lane.  
Fargo (Donnie Roberts-KFGO) Pl-C.Twitty, D.McCall, T.G.Sheppard, Rogers/West, E.Rabbitt, D.Williams.  
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Fayetteville (Mike Edwards-WFAI) Pl-M.Bandy, D.McCall, D.Williams, J.Denver, G.Cotton, Rq-D.Gibson.  
Florence (Steve Casey-WXOR) Pl-D.Lee, Eddie Rabbitt, C.Hunley, B.J.Spears, L.Ronstadt, J.Cash.  
Ft. Dodge (Dale Eichor-KWMT) Pl-C.Smith, B.J.Thomas, J.Paycheck, R.Clark, J.Rodriguez, D.Gibson.  
Ft.Worth (Tom Wayne-KXOL) Pl-J.Cash, Dotts, D.Williams, J.Wallace, C.Pride, Rq-J.Reeves.  
Ft.Worth/Dallas (Art Davis-WBAP) Deb-Z.Lehr (44). Pl-Kendalls, C.Gayle, D.Williams, C.Pride.  
Gilroy (Laura Ellen-KFAT) LP-Hoyt Axton (HONKY TONK MUSIC), Lonny Donnegan (ROCK ISLAND FIRE).  
Hanford, Ca. (Dave Bazzell-KNGS) Gns-A.Murray (36-28). Pl-C.Gayle, C.Pride, Anderson/Turner.  
Harlan (Bob Baxter-WFSR) Deb-C.Gayle (41) (U.A.), J.Ward (52), T.G.Sheppard (53), P.Rakes (57).  
Houston (Joe Ladd-KIKK) Pl-Dotts, J.Lee, Johnny Rodriguez, D.Rogers, Paul Craft.  
Huntsville (Rick Warren-WBHP) Gns-C.Gayle (21-13) (MCA). Pl-J.Cash, Carpenters.  
Indianapolis (Herb Allen-WFMS) Gns-L.Gatlin (16-4), M.Haggard (27-14). Pl-K.Dale, D.King.  
 - - - (Bill Robinson-WIRE) Pk: K.Rogers & D.West. Pl-A.Barber, J.Denver, D.Lee, B.K.Perry, J.Reeves  
Jamestown (Ole Olson-KSJB) Pl-J.Rodriguez, B.C.Craddock, Charley Pride, K.Rogers/West, Rq-J.Mathis.  
Kansas City (Don Rhea-KCKN) Gns-M.McDaniel (23-9). Pl-J.Paycheck (KOOL-AID), C.Smith, Rq-M.Robbins.  
 - - - (Ted Cramer-WDAF) Gns-D.Drumm (23-10). Pl-T.Overstreet, Bill & MaryLou, Carpenters.  
Kingsville (Gordon K.Marcy-KINE) Deb-T.Overstreet (22). Pl-M.Bandy, K.Dale, Jacky Ward, E.Rabbitt.  
Knoxville (Dave Young-WIVK) Gns-C.Hunley (30-20). Pl-Kendalls, C.Gayle, B.C.Craddock (Cap.).  
Lansing (Wayne Waters-WITL) Pl-J.Rodriguez, B.Fairchild, J.Denver, Rq-Ed Bruce, Johnny Cash.  
Las Vegas (Mike Farrell-KRAM) Pl-Carpenters, T.G.Sheppard, P.Craft, J.Paycheck (KOOL-AID).  
Lockhart (John Hood-KCLT) Deb-Lee Dresser (23). Pl-E.Rabbitt, D.Williams, Kendalls, C.Pride.  
Los Angeles (Cathy Hahn-KLAC) Deb-M.Street (53), Kendalls (54), C.Gayle (55) (U.A.), J.Cash (57).  
Manitowoc (Bob Irish-WCUB) Deb-D.Dudley (29). Pl-Conway Twitty, J.Wallace, J.Ward, B.C.Craddock.  
Medford (Nick Jaggstone-KSHA) Pl-J.Denver, P.Rakes, K.Starr, J.W.Ryles, Cates, Rq-T.Glaser, Shylo.  
Memphis (Hal Jay-WMC) Deb-C.Pride (24), M.Robbins (25), D.Williams (27), J.Ward (29), Kendalls (30)  
Miami (Ron Tatar-WWOK) Deb-Kendalls (24), J.Ward (25). Pl-T.Overstreet, E.Rabbitt, Johnny Cash.  
Missoula (Jack Lundy-KGRZ) Deb-Anne Murray (31), C.Gayle (32) (U.A.). Pl-E.Rabbitt, J.Ward.  
Mobile (Bill Robbins-WKSJ) Pl-Kendalls, C.Pride, C.Gayle (U.A.), B.C.Craddock (Cap.), J.Cash.  
Modesto (Kenny Roberts-KTRB) Pl-B.J.Spears, D.Drumm, M.Robbins, M.Bandy, Vern Gosdin, Rq-A.Murray.  
Monroe (Rob Williams-KNOE) Deb-C.Gayle (30), J.Cash (31), D.Gibson (35), B.J.Spears (36).  
Montgomery (Diane Brennan-WBAM) Pl-G.Cotton, J.Wallace, T.Glaser, J.Rodriguez, La Costa.  
Nashville (Dale Turner-WKDA) Gns-C.Hunley (30-20). Pl-M.Robbins, K.Dale, F.Hart, V.Gosdin, D.Lee.  
Natchez (Bob Cupit-WNAT) Deb-J.Pruett (39), La Costa (40). Pl-J.Rodriguez, Dotts, Cal Smith.  
New Bern (Don Harrison-WBIC) Pl-J. Wallace, Pete & Anthony, R.Landers, Woody, Leona Williams.  
New York (Ed Salamon-WHN) Deb-R.McDowell (7), M.Robbins (8). Pl-T.Overstreet, J.Paycheck (KOOL-AID).  
Oakland (Bob Guerra-KNEW) Gns-Waylon & W. (17-1) (fl.). Pl-D.Drumm, Kendalls, B.C.Craddock (Cap.).  
Orlando (Mike Burger-WHOO) Pk-Carpenters. Pl-P.Craft, M.Robbins, D.Drumm, Rq-Zella Lehr.  
Oshkosh (Charlie Hart-WYTL) Pl-Carpenters, E.Rabbitt, J.Cash, D.Williams, C.Pride, C.Gayle.  
Phoenix (John Buchanan-KNLX) Pl-B.J.Thomas, P.Rakes, C.Hunley, Cal Smith, Connie Smith.  
Port Arthur (Dick Davis-KYKR) Gns-Kendalls (42-31). Pl-C.Smith, J.Rodriguez, F. Young, Rq-Sheppard.  
Portland, Me. (Hal Knight-WPOR) Pl-Kendalls, C.Pride, Dotts, J.Naylor, J.Reeves, D.Lee.  
Pueblo (Randy Lee-KPUB-AM/FM) Pl-B.J.Thomas, Kendalls, D.King, C.Hunley, F.Hart.  
Redmond (Harry Gift-KPRB) Pl-Jerry Wallace, D.Williams, Rogers/West, J.Denver, Conway Twitty.  
Rochester, Minn. (Pat O'Neill-KKEE) Deb-A.Barber (23). Pl-J.Reeves, J.Ward, C.Gayle, E.Rabbitt.  
St.Cloud (Dean Allen-WWJO) Deb-George Jones (37), John Wesley Ryles (38), Charley Pride (39).  
St.Joseph (Bob Orf-KFEQ) Pl-E.Rabbitt, C.Hunley, Rogers/West, Billy Crash Craddock (Cap.).  
St.Louis (Walt Turner-WIL) Gns-V.Gosdin (34-27). Pl-Don Williams, J.Reed, J.Ward, Eddie Rabbitt.  
St.Petersburg/Tampa (Joe Patrick-WQYX-FM) Pl-D.Drumm, C.Lane, C.Gayle, J.Ward, Rq-V.Gosdin.  
San Antonio (Max Gardner-KKYX) Pk-J.Tubb. Pl-Dave Dudley, D.Drumm, L.Ronstadt, Johnny Cash.  
San Bernardino (Bob Mitchell-KCKC) Pl-Dotts, C.Lane, C.Smith, D.Rogers, R.Coolidge, J.Rodriguez.  
San Diego (Ed Chandler-KSON) Pl-J.Rodriguez, D.Drumm, J.Naylor, B.J.Spears, M.Montgomery.  
San Jose (Don West-KEEN) Pl-K.Dale, D.Gibson, Carpenters, B.C.Craddock (Cap.), F.Hart, C.Hunley.  
Savannah (Terry Wunderlin-WQQT) Pl-C.Hunley, C.Gayle, B.K.Perry, P.Rakes, E.Rabbitt, T.G.Sheppard.  
Seattle (Peyton/Olson-KAYO) Deb-A.Murray (29), T.Overstreet (30). Pl-LaCosta, J.Rodriguez.  
Shelby (Mark Grady-WOHS/FM) Gns-Hank Jr. (16-8). Deb-K.Dale (26), E.Rabbitt (27), C.Pride (28).  
South Bend (Tom Sidwell-WJVA) Deb-E.Clapton (32), Carpenters (34), K.Starr (38). Pl-C.Lane, C.Pride  
Stevens Point (Pat Martin-WXYQ) Deb-B.J.Spears (24), B.J.Thomas (30). Pl-C.Lane, M.Montgomery.  
Tacoma (Russ Riley-KMO) Pl-K.Rogers/West, C.Smith, J.Rodriguez, J.Wallace, J.Naylor.  
Thibodaux (Rick Luquette-KTIB) Pk-B.Fairchild, T.G.Sheppard. Pl-B.C.Craddock (ABC), M.Lunsford.  
Toledo (Bob Pepas-WTOD) Gns-M.Montgomery (25-18), R.C.Bannon (35-26). Pl-J.Wallace, M.Mitchell.  
Toronto (Joe LeFresne-CFGM) Pl-K.Rogers/West, Gary Buck, C.Lane, Carroll Baker.  
Tucson (Tim Tyler-KIKX) Deb-G.Watson (19). Pl-R.Clark, J.Cash, Don Williams, Ava Barber, Kendalls.  
Tulsa (Billy Parker-KVOO) Pl-C.Gayle, Kendalls, Bellamy Bros., L.Ronstadt, C.Pride.  
Twin Falls (Carl R.Raida-KLIX) Pl-J.Wallace, M.Mitchell, Rogers/West, Anderson/Turner, B.J.Thomas.  
Victoria (Marvin Paul-KNAL) Pl-B.Mandrell, D.McCall, Dottie/K.Rogers, J.Ward, Pk-Justin Tubb.  
Washington, D.C. (Chris Gullett-WPIK/WXRA) Pl-J.Rodriguez, T.G.Sheppard, Don Gibson, Pal Rakes.  
Wenatchee (Tim Scott-KUEN) Pl-W.Kemp, D.McBride, K.Rogers/West, D.Rogers.  
W.Palm Beach (Jim Howie-WIRK/FM) Deb-D.King (29). Pl-E.Rabbitt, Mac Wiesman, Rogers/West, Dotts.  
Wheeling (Bob Berry-WVVA) Pl-Carpenters, T.G.Sheppard, J.Rodriguez, Anderson/Turner, J.Cash.  
Wichita (Don Walton-KFDI) Pk-E.Rabbitt. Pl-LaCosta, J.Lee, Faron Young, D.Rogers, Buzz Carson.  
Wolf Point (Jerry Gerke-KVCK) Deb-J.Wallace (46), D.Williams (48), L.D.Wilkins (55), B.C.Craddock.  
Yakima (Jerry Wilson-KUTI) Pl-E.Rabbitt, D.West/K.Rogers, J.Denver, D.Gibson, J.Wallace, Lightfoot.  
Yankton (Jefferson Red-WNAX) Deb-J.Ward (38), B.J.Thomas (39), J.Reeves (43), C.Hunley (44).

## Country Club

Jobs: KYKR-Port Arthur, Tx., is looking for a nine to noon air talent with production experience. Must have at least five years. Contact Dick Davis, 713-727-0771.  
 KSO-Des Moines still has two air talent positions open. Tapes and resumes to J.P. Andrews, 3900 N.E. Broadway, Zip 50317. No calls, please.  
 KSON-San Diego is looking for a female air talent with country experience. Contact Ed Chandler, College Grove Center, Highway 94 at College Avenue, Zip 92115.  
 Available: Shawn Elliott is looking for an air talent position in the Country or A-C fields. He has had nine years of experience. Phone mornings, 701-252-3570.

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## Top 40 Station Reports - February 6 thru Wed. February 8

(Total Reports this week 213 - last week 212)

Research Assistant - Kent Zimmerman

- EASY TO LOVE-Leo Sayer- 16 reports (35 last week). 96X (4), WPRO/FM (5), Y100 (5). Also: KC148 (10 to 4), KFXM (7), WTMA (16), WHEB (18), KOTN (19), WWKE (25 to 20), WACI (22), WLOF (28 to 22), WAUG/FM (23), WNUE (25). On: WCIL/FM, WCOS, KBOZ.
- BABY HOLD ON-Eddie Money- 19 reports. 13Q (26). On: KFRC. Also: KSLY (14), KATA (18), KYNO (28 to 22), KOBO (30 to 24), KKIQ (30 to 25), KJOY (27), WKKY (29). On: WCGQ, WDLF, 3WD, WONS, KIOO, KCBN, KRHC, KREM, KQOT, KPAM. Off: KOZE.
- I CAN'T HOLD ON-Karla Bonoff- 22 reports (19 last week). KJR (13), KGW (28 to 23), 94Q (25). On: KJRB, KTAC. Also: WFOX/FM (8), KRLC (12), WDUN (23 to 17), KBDF (19), KPAM (19), KYJC (27 to 20), KBOZ (21), KRIZ (24), KQOT (30). On: WXXX, KC148, KDOK, KEYN/FM, KGKL, KLWN/FM, KMKF, KREM.
- THEME: WHICH WAY IS UP-Stargard- 24 reports. WHBQ (14 to 8), KILT (28 to 18), KRBE (22), Z93 (26), Y100 (28), WBBQ (30). Also: WGNI (3), WFLB (21 to 12), KNOW (22), Q107 (30 to 24), WANS (26), WTMA (28). On: WAGQ, WAUG/FM, WGSV, 3WD, WRFC, WMFJ, WLOF, KCBN, KFSB, KFYE, KOBO, KOTN.
- SILVER DREAMS-The Babys- 30 reports. On: WIFE, WZZP. Also: WXXX (15), KSLY (17), KRLC (19), 3WD (19), KC148 (20), KVSL (24), WIGY (26), KRIZ (26), KEWI (26), KWVL (28), WKKY (30). On: WGCL, WHEB, WHUT, 15Q, WKLN, CKIOI, KAKC, KFMD, KILE, KISD, KYLT, KWIC, KTEM, KTAM, KRHC, KNDE.
- LOVELY DAY-Bill Withers- 32 reports (44 last week). WBBF (6), WMAK (8), WKXX (9). On: WZZP. Also: WHHY (3), WZOO (10 to 5), KC148 (5), WCIR (9), WDLF (15 to 9), KOTN (11), KIST (17 to 12), KCBN (13), KEEL (17), WCIL/FM (23 to 17), WHEB (22 to 17), KKIQ (19), WAIR (24 to 19), WOHS (21), WKYX (22), WONS (23), 92Q (29 to 23), WGOW (28), WDBQ (28), WGLF (29), KWEB (29), etc.
- YOU REALLY GOT ME-Van Halen- 41 reports. B100 (16). On: 99X, KING, KSLQ. Also: KYA (19), 3WD (27 to 20), KEZY (20), WSPT (26 to 21), KOBO (23), KYLT (30 to 25), KRHC (26), KCBN (28), KRIZ (29), KATA (29), WGNI (30). On: WAAY, WACI, WCRO, WFLB, WGLF, WIGY, WISM, WTSN, WTMA, WRFC, WQEN, KIOO, KDOK, KISD, KIST, KJOY, KYJC, KWVL, KTRN, KRKE, KRIB, KREM, KOZE, KOOK, etc.
- HOLLYWOOD-Boz Scaggs- 42 reports. WKXX (28). On: WHBQ, KING. Also: KNOW (10), WCOS (16), KDOK (17), WGLF (19), KJOY (21), WWKE (22), KSLY (30 to 22), KNDE (23), KISD (24), WTMA (25), KZUE (28), WGSV (28), WAUG/FM (28), WGCL (29), WHHY (29), WYRE (30). On: KOBO, KOKK, KOOK, KOZE, KREM, KRKE, KTAM, KYJC, KYLT, KKIQ, KGKL, KEMP, KIOO, Q107, WKKY, WKLN, WOHS, WONS, WZOO, WGNI, etc.
- EVERYBODY LOVES A RAIN SONG-B.J. Thomas- 42 reports (37 last week). KILT (27). On: KJRB. Also: WFLB (16 to 11), KAKC (21 to 15), WZOO (25 to 17), KC148 (24 to 18), WGNI (18), WRJZ (20), KEWI (25 to 20), KATI (28 to 21), KKOA (21), Q107 (28 to 23), WQEN (30 to 24), KGKL (25), KRLC (26), WNUE (27), WRFC (28), WCGQ (30). On: KZUE, KRIB, KRIG, KYNO, KYJC, KISD, etc. Off: KWVL
- LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls- 43 reports (41 last week). WAYS (27 to 22), WQXI (27). On: WBBQ, KING. Also: WHHY (2), WKKY (5), WDLF (6), KLBK (8), WGSV (13), KEYN/FM (21 to 16), KYNO (17), WCRO (18), WOHS (24 to 19), WYRE (19), KRHC (20), WJON (20), WRFC (27 to 21), KBOZ (22), WGOW (29 to 24), WAUG/FM (26), WZOO (26), WGNI (29), WIRK (29). On: KOOK, KOTN, WKYX, WNAM, etc.
- LONG, LONG WAY FROM HOME-Foreigner- 44 reports (46 last week). On: KING. Also: KISD (6), KREM (9), WIGY (9), KWEB (14), KGKL (14), WIRL (14), KRIZ (16), WRBR (16), WDUN (16), CKPR (25 to 18), KATI (26 to 18), KLMS (19), KEWI (19), WMYR (19), Z96 (19), WHEB (19), WBGH (25 to 20), WKLN (26 to 20), KOOK (20), KFMD (21), 15Q (22), WWKE (23), KRIB (24), etc.
- BREAKDOWN-Tom Petty & the Heartbreakers- 48 reports (54 last week). WBBQ (15), KILT (24 to 17), KRBE (17), KGW (24 to 18), KING (19), WZUU (20), KRSP (25), 99X (29). On: KJRB. Also: KOBO (7), KSLY (9), KYLT (9), KEZY (10), KATA (10), KOOK (17 to 12), KBOZ (12), WAUG/FM (27 to 15), KATI (23 to 15), KTAM (15), KCBN (16), KRIB (17), CKIOI (26 to 18), KVOX (19), etc. Off: KCRG.
- THEME FROM CLOSE ENCOUNTERS-Meco- 50 reports (62 last week). 99X (5), KGW (12 to 6), 96X (7), WCOL (8), WPRO/FM (9), WIF1 (28 to 20), 13Q (20). On: KJR. Also: KTRN (3), WXXX (3), WIRK (3), WAGQ (4), WMFJ (4), WLEE (4), KISD (5), KATI (5), WKKY (6), KEWI (7), WGOW (8), WLLI (8), KIST (9), KWIC (16 to 10), WLCY (10), WGCL (17 to 11), WIGY (11), KEYN/FM (11), KRKE (11), etc.
- OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole- 56 reports. WHBQ (1), WZZP (12 to 6), WQXI (6), KRBE (22 to 13), KILT (19 to 13), Z93 (21 to 13), 96X (19), WBBQ (28 to 23), Y100 (25), 13Q (29). On: WAYS, WBBF, KJR. Also: WKKY (3), WAVZ (6), WSGA (17 to 9), WAGQ (16 to 10), WRFC (11), KOBO (25 to 12), WGCL (18 to 12), WANS (24 to 16), KNDE (19), WHHY (28 to 20), WAUG/FM (28 to 22), WFLB (22), etc.
- CURIOUS MIND-Johnny Rivers- 58 reports (80 last week). KRSP (27 to 21). On: KGW. Also: KTRN (5), KLBK (6), KC148 (7), WGNI (9), WMFJ (9), KEEL (10), WNUE (15 to 10), WZOO (10), KRLC (11), WSPT (11), KRIB (13), KTAM (13), CKIOI (22 to 13), 15Q (13), KPAM (14), WFAH (15), KVSL (15), WFAH (15), KKIQ (16), KCBN (17), WCOS (18), WGOW (18), WNAM (23 to 18), etc. Off: KYLT, WPST.
- IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman- 60 reports (49 last week). KRTH (18 to 12), KJRB (15), WBBQ (29), WMAK (30). On: WPRO/FM, WZZP, 13Q. Also: KC148 (7 to 2), KOZE (5), KOOK (12 to 5), KREM (6), WIGY (12 to 7), WXXX (9), WDLF (17 to 12), WHHY (23 to 15), WGOW (23 to 16), WCGQ (22 to 16), KJOY (29 to 18), WONS (24 to 18), WKLN (27 to 19), KYLT (26 to 21), etc.
- STREET CORNER SERENADE-Wet Willie- 62 reports (80 last week). Z93 (6), 94Q (7), KGW (7), WQXI (7), KJR (21), WZZP (26 to 21), WAYS (26), 99X (26). On: WPRO/FM. Also: KOKK (1), KQOT (7), KPAM (8), KREM (8), CKIOI (8), WRFC (8), WDUN (8), WCRO (8), WNUE (9), 3WD (9), WFAH (10), KGKL (10), KRIZ (12), KAOK (17 to 12), WNAM (19 to 13), KISD (13), etc. Off: WAUG/FM.
- NATIVE NEW YORKER-Odyssey- 67 reports (71 last week). 96X (5), WPRO/FM (7), KRTH (8), Y100 (9), WIF1 (10), 13Q (20 to 11), WAYS (26 to 18), KFRC (22), WQXI (30 to 25), KRBE (27). On: WBBQ, KLIF. Also: CKIOI (4), WZOO (6), KYNO (11 to 6), KMHT (7), KILE (7), WTMA (7), WGUY (7), WAIR (8), KTRN (8), WOHS (9), CKPR (9), WANS (10), WCRO (16 to 10), KYLT (10), etc. Off: KLWN/FM.
- I GO CRAZY-Paul Davis- 68 reports (72 last week). KGW (3), B100 (4), KJRB (7), KFRC (8), 10Q (9), KFI (9), KING (9), KRSP (21 to 12), KJR (15), KHJ (16), WCOL (16), KLIF (21), 13Q (22), WIFE (23), WIF1 (25), KTAC (26). Also: WKKY (1), KYJC (2), KOBO (4), KGGO (4), KRHC (5), KGKL (5), KERN (5), KCBN (5), WHEB (6), WTSN (6), WWKE (11 to 6), WGLF (7), WQID (7), etc.
- BEFORE MY HEART FINDS OUT-Gene Cotton- 72 reports (53 last week). WBBQ (27), WCOL (27), B100 (28). On: WAKY, WIFE, WMAK, WQXI, WZZP, KING, KLIF, 94Q. Also: WKLN (21 to 15), WISM (21 to 16), WMFJ (23 to 17), WGSV (17), KC148 (17), WFOX/FM (26 to 18), KVSL (19), WHHY (21), 3WD (22), WGNI (23), WSPT (23), WCGQ (24), KLBK (26), KOZE (26), KYLT (26), WKKY (27), etc. Off: KAOK.

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JACK & JILL-Raydio- 78 reports (62 last week). KRBE (5), KILT (5), WBBQ (8), Y100 (20 to 12), 96X (12), WQXI (29), 10Q (29). On: WRKO, 13Q, KRSP. Also: WANS (2), WCGQ (3), WAUG/FM (4), WISE (8), WQEN (15 to 9), WRFC (15 to 9), WGNI (10), KILE (16 to 10), KZUE (23 to 10), KATI (22 to 11), KAYC (11), KLWW (17 to 12), WOHS (17), WONS (17), KOBO (17), etc.Off: KIRL.

GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates- 81 reports (65 last week). 94Q (2), WQXI (9), KRBE (14), WKXX (19), Z93 (22), WBBQ (25), 13Q (28). On: WNCI, KING. Also: WFOX/FM (2), WAIR (12 to 5), WGNI (5), WIGY (5), WXXX (5), WKLN (6), WGSV (11 to 6), KAKC (13 to 7), WRJZ (8), KQWB (9), WDLF (10), KLMS (11), KKIQ (12), WKY (12), WGLF (12), WISE (13), WANS (14), KKLS (15), WONS (15), etc.

EBONY EYES-Bob Welch- 86 reports. B100 (21 to 15), 94Q (25 to 18), KRTH (19), KING (21), KJR (22), KJRB (23), WKXX (26), 13Q (27), KHJ (30). On: WIFI, WMAK, 10Q, KFRC, KRSP, KTAC. Also: KKLS (18), KMJC (20), WLLL (20), KRKE (23), KYA (23), KDZA (24), KQWB (26), 3WD (26), KLWN/FM (27), KOZE (27), Q107 (27), WZYQ (27), WSGA (28), WSPT (28), 15Q (28), KCBN (29), etc.

FALLING LeBlanc & Carr- 88 reports (77 last week). 94Q (3), WBBQ (5), WKXX (12), Z93 (22 to 15), KGW (19), WQXI (19), KRTH (20), KJRB (26 to 21), KING (23), KRSP (23), WOKY (24), KHJ (27). On: WHBQ, WMAK, WPRO/FM, KILT, KJR. Also: WQEN (14 to 5), 15Q (6), WAUG/FM (7), WCRO (7), WNUE (8), WPST (12), KQDI (13), WDUN (13), 3WD (17), WEAQ (18), KFMD (23 to 18), KYLT (18), etc.

NAME OF THE GAME-Abba- 106 reports (98 last week). 13Q (5), KRSP (19 to 9), KJRB (13), KGW (15), WPRO/FM (18), WBBQ (20), 99X (21), WQXI (28), KFI (29), KLIF (30), WBBF (30). On: WZUU. Also: WEBC (4), KLOG (5), WISE (7), KWVL (8), WZOO (18 to 9), KVSL (10), KWEB (21 to 10), KCL48 (19 to 10), KLWW (11), KOOK (16 to 11), KRIB (11), WOHS (11), KYLT (12), KREM (13), etc.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY-Little River Band- 115 reports (116 last week). WIFE (13), 10Q (27 to 14), KJRB (22 to 17), KJR (18), KHJ (21), WBBQ (27 to 21), WMAK (29), WAKY (30). On: WAYS, WPRO/FM, WRKO, WZUU, KGW, KILT, KING, KSLQ, 94Q. Also: KYLT (4), WAGQ (5), WZYQ (6), KOKK (15 to 8), WCGQ (15 to 9), KBEQ (9), KEIN (9), KGGQ (9), KKLS (9), WMFJ (10), WFOX/FM (10), KCBN (11), etc.

POOR POOR PITIFUL ME-Linda Ronstadt- 139 reports (112 last week). Z93 (7), WQXI (10), 94Q (11), KRTH (15), KJR (21 to 16), 13Q (17), KRSP (23 to 18), WKXX (23 to 18), WIFE (19), KJRB (24 to 19), B100 (20), WMAK (29 to 22), WPRO/FM (23), KILT (29 to 23), WCOL (29 to 24), KING (25), KRBE (25), WBBQ (26), WAKY (27), WZZP (27). On: 10Q, KGW, KLIF. Also: WHHY (17 to 7), etc.

CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow- 140 reports. KRTH (11), KFI (17 to 12), WQXI (25 to 17), WAYS (24 to 17), Z93 (26 to 18), WBBQ (26 to 19), WMAK (27 to 20), KGW (21), WIFE (21), WHBQ (28 to 21), KSLQ (23), Y100 (23), 10Q (29 to 23), KJR (24), KRSP (24), 13Q (25), KJRB (26), KLIF (27), 96X (27), WIFI (28), KHJ (28), WCOL (29). On: WZZP, KFRC, KING, etc.

DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas- 141 reports (132 last week). KRSP (17 to 6), 94Q (8), WZUU (12), WKXX (13), WIFI (17), KSLQ (26 to 17), WCOL (25 to 20), WOKY (27 to 20), 13Q (21), B100 (22), Z93 (28 to 23), KFI (25), KGW (25), KJR (25), WQXI (26), WAKY (26), KFRC (28), 96X (30). On: WBBQ, WIFE, WMAK, WPRO/FM, WRKO, 99X, KILT, KING, KIOA, KJRB, KLIF, KRBE. Also: KRLC (2) etc

- - -Debuts- - -

ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave- 94 reports (87 last week). WQXI (8), KRTH (9), 13Q (15 to 9), WBBQ (9), WAKY (10), WZZP (15 to 10), WHBQ (14), WMAK (14), WIFE (17), 96X (26 to 20), Z93 (29 to 20), KJRB (22), Y100 (29 to 24), WKXX (24), WIFI (26), WAYS (28). On: WZUU, KFRC, KJR, KTAC. Also: KAYC (1), WGNI (1), WLLL (2), WANS (3), WCIR (9 to 3), WCOS (4), WSGA (4), WCRO (5), etc.

NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees- 160 reports (129 last week). Z93 (10 to 1), Y100 (10 to 4), WPRO/FM (17 to 11), WSAI (25 to 11), 10Q (22 to 12), WBBQ (17 to 12), KRTH (20 to 14), KFI (23 to 14), 13Q (14), WQXI (24 to 14), WAKY (25 to 14), 96X (22 to 15), KING (23 to 16), WZUU (19), WOKY (28 to 19), KHJ (20), KJR (20), KRSP (25 to 20), WCOL (28 to 22), WIFE (22), 99X (22), etc.

Jobs

Station	Contact	Requirements
WAUG/FM-Augusta	Beau Hunter (404-722-1302)	Chief Engineer
WFEA-Manchester, N.H.	Rich Ryder (603-625-5491)	Chief Engineer (E.O.E.-M/F)
KEWI-Topeka	John Greeley (913-272-2122)	Production Director
KATI-Casper	Fred Leemhuis (307-266-1400)	Sports Director/news
WKNE-Keene, N.H.	Don Stevens (603-352-9230)	Newsperson (E.O.E.)
KEX-Portland	Jim Howe (2130 S.W. 5th-97201)	Newsperson (E.O.E.-M/F)
KXLY-Spokane	Chuck Harmon (W.500 Boone-99201)	Newsperson (E.O.E.-M/F)
KLOK-San Jose	Ray Hasha (Box 21248-95151)	News (E.O.E.-M/F)
WKNE-Keene, N.H.	Don Stevens (603-352-9230)	News Dir. (E.O.E.)
KSO-Des Moines	J.P.Andrews (3900 N.E.Broadway-50317)	Air Talent/news
WCGQ-Columbus	Charles Rowe (Box 1537-31902)	Air Talent (weekends)
WKY-Oklahoma City	Bill Burkett (Box 14930-73114)	Air Talent (E.O.E.)
KXLY-Spokane	Chuck Harmon (W.500 Boone-99201)	Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
KOOK-Billings	Steve Blodgett (Box 1276-59103)	Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
14ZYQ-Frederick	Joe Johnson (Rt. 12-Box 311-21701)	Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
KUHL-Santa Maria	Steve Stagnaro (805-922-7727)	Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
WKTM-No. Charleston, S.C.	*Mark Alan (Box 5758-29406)	Air Talents (E.O.E.-M/F)
WDUZ-Green Bay	Bill Laird (414-435-5331)	Air Talent
KAKC-Tulsa	Mike McCarthy (Box 970-74101)	Air Talent
KEZY-Anaheim	*Ric Carroll (1190 E.Ball-92805)	Air Talent
KSDN-Aberdeen, S.D.	Gary Dixon (Box 1930-57401)	Air Talent
KLOG-Kelso, Wa.	Dan Martin (206-636-0110)	Air Talent
KATI-Casper	Fred Leemhuis (307-266-1400)	Air Talent
KROF-Abbeville, La.	Michael Adams (318-893-2531)	Air Talent
KNBR-San Francisco	Bill Dwyer, Mgr. (415-546-2200)	Program Director

\*No Calls Please

Service

Station	Requests	From
KBOM-Bismarck	Santa Esmeralda single	Casablanca
K59-Honolulu	B.J. Thomas/L.Lynn singles	MCA
WATH-Athens, Ohio	D.Hill/G.Cotton/A.Murray/LeBlanc & C.	20th/Ariola/Cap./Big Tree
WJNO-W.Palm Beach	Singles	WEA/Columbia
WIBM-Jackson	Singles and albums	Arista
WKOR-Starkville, Ms.	Singles and albums	Capitol/20th
KHAS-Hastings/Neb. (68901)	Singles and albums	RCA/Arista/ABC Dot
KPTL/KKBC-Carson City, Nev.	Chicago/Joni Mitchell albums	Columbia/Asylum
KKQQ-Clovis	Albums	All Sources
KGRL-Bend	Albums	All Sources



New Adds

Depth reports on newer airplay, derived from a selected section of top 40 correspondents are listed below in regional order. Stations included may vary from week to week. Listing of any station has no relationship to its audience rating in its market.

Boston, Harry Nelson-WRKO- Jackson Browne, Kansas, Little River Band, Raydio.  
 Philadelphia, Jeff Robins-WIFI- Lynyrd Skynyrd, Bob Welch. Debuts: Barry Manilow, Andrew Gold.  
 Annapolis, Kingston/Lewis-WYRE- David Gates, Eric Clapton, Natalie Cole, Con Funk Shun.  
 Lynchburg, Tony Love-WLLL- Kansas, Abba, Linda Ronstadt, Andrew Gold, Earth, Wind & Fire.  
 Wilmington, Robbie Vogt-WGNI- Rod Stewart, Andrew Gold, Jackson Browne, Bob Welch, Parliament, Cazz.  
 Anderson, Bill McCown-WANS- Bob Welch, Gordon Lightfoot, Yvonne Elliman, LTD, Stonebolt.  
 Augusta, Bruce Stevens-WBBQ- J. Browne, A. Gold, Mother's Finest, Odyssey, Kansas, Parliament, A.R.S.  
 Athens, Jeff Michaels-WAGQ- Bob Welch, Stargard, Hot, Debby Boone. Deb: Bee Gees.  
 Atlanta, Dale O'Brien-Z93- David Gates, Stargard, Atlanta R. Section, Styx.  
 Daytona Beach, John Scott-WMFJ- Garfunkel, Barry Manilow, Sweet, Stargard.  
 Tallahassee, Michael O'Malley-WONS- Eddie Money, Steely Dan, Jackson Browne, Gene Cotton.  
 Memphis, John Long-WHBQ- LeBlanc & Carr, Bee Gees, Spinners, Boz Scaggs.  
 Nashville, Jim Holten-WMAK- Waylon & Willie, Kansas, Bob Welch. Deb: Y. Elliman, L.R. Band, Bee Gees  
 Indianapolis, Jay Hawkins-WIFE- Bee Gees, Paul Davis, Kansas, Eric Clapton, Jay Ferguson, The Babys  
 Cleveland, Beau Raines-WZZP- Rod Stewart, Barry Manilow, Gene Cotton, Sweet, Debby Boone.  
 Madison, Jonathan Little-WISM- Jackson Browne, Bob Welch, Heatwave, Styx, Van Halen.  
 Milwaukee, Chris Curtis-WZUU- Rod Stewart, ELO, Heatwave, Little River Band, Abba.  
 Dubuque, Steve Sesterhenn-KFMD- Yvonne Elliman, Rubicon, Heatwave, Jackson Browne.  
 Oklahoma City, Barry Shannon-KZUE- Van Halen, B.J. Thomas, Little River Band, Debby Boone, E. Clapton  
 Dallas, Nick Alexander-KLIF- Odyssey, Kansas. Deb: Paul Davis (re-add), Abba.  
 Austin, Bill Mayne-KNOW- Steely Dan, Jackson Browne, Heatwave, James Taylor.  
 Houston, Clay Gish-KRBE- Stargard, Linda Ronstadt, Bee Gees, Rod Stewart, Nazareth.  
 El Paso, Tim Page-KELP- Gene Cotton, Boz Scaggs, LeBlanc & Carr, Rubicon, Stonebolt.  
 Albuquerque, Debi Hines-KRKE- Barry Manilow, Styx, Gordon Lightfoot, Andrew Gold, Van Halen, ELO.  
 Denver, Regan/Matthews-96KX- Kansas, Wet Willie, Styx. Deb: ELO.  
 Salt Lake City, Lorraine Winegar-KRSP- Carpenters, Raydio, Rod Stewart, Bob Welch.  
 San Diego, Nina Gomez-KCBQ- John Williams, Meco, Kansas, Foreigner, Raydio, ELO.  
 Los Angeles, Driscoll/Bissiri-10Q- Raydio, Linda Ronstadt, Bob Welch, R. Stewart, R. Coolidge.  
 San Francisco, Dave Sholin-KFRC- ELO, Bob Welch, Heatwave. Deb: Bee Gees, Rita Coolidge, Kansas.  
 - - - Steve Jordan-KYA- Rita Coolidge, Kansas, Jay Ferguson, Don Brown. Deb: Bob Welch.  
 Portland, Michael O'Brian-KPAM- Paul Davis, LeBlanc & Carr, Gene Cotton, Bob Welch, Dolly Parton.  
 Seattle, Tracy Mitchell-KJR- Heatwave, Andrew Gold, Natalie Cole, Jackson Browne, LeBlanc & Carr.  
 Spokane, Jim Hill-KREM- Andrew Gold, Kansas, Karla Bonoff, Barry Manilow. Deb: P. Nicholas, Styx.  
 Great Falls, Dave Masters-KQDI- Bee Gees, Rod Stewart, Natalie Cole.

Correspondents' Corner (cont'd. from pg. 2)

Houston, Bill Young-KILT- Waylon & Willie	San Jose, Paul Wells-KSJO- *Van Halen
Galveston, Dave Collins-KILE- #10-Raydio	Livermore, Steve O'Neil-KKIQ- Kacey Cisyk
Beaumont, J.J. Stone-KWIC- Enchantment	Stockton, David Kraham-KJOY- E.W. & Fire
- - - Paul King-KAYC- Lou Rawls	Sacramento, Jeff Hunter-KNDE- The Babys
Victoria, Gary Steele-KVIC- Jay Ferguson	Yuba City, Ross Forbes-KOBO- Enchantment
San Angelo, Curt Lancaster-KGKL- Waylon & W.	Redding, John Stall-KSXO- Crystal Gayle
Odessa, Rick Youngblood-KRIG- Bill Withers	Arcata, Len Jarvela-KATA- The Joy
- - - Charlie Durwood-KOZA- Eric Clapton	Medford, R.E. Simpson-KYJC- *Boz Scaggs
Lubbock, Mark Conway-KLBK- Cazz	Coos Bay, Gregg Lenny-KHSN- ELO
- - - Bill DeMore-KSEL- #4-Rita Coolidge	Eugene, Richard Harker-KBDF- Andrew Gold
El Paso, Rish Wood-KINT- Odyssey	- - - Bill Dudley-KASH- Eddie Money
Phoenix, Anna-KRIZ- ELO	Salem, Tim Patterson-KBZY- Don Brown
- - - Richard Ruiz-KRUX- Jay Ferguson	Portland, Karen Knight-KYTE- Odyssey
Show Low, Chip Stanley-KVSL- #10-Abba	- - - Terry Danner-KGW- Carpenters
Pueblo, Rip Avina-KDZA- Odyssey	Longview, Jay McCrae-KLOG- Don Brown
Denver, Ed Greene-KIMN- ELO	Hoquiam, Steve Larson-KGHO- Lou Rawls
Colorado Springs, Marc McCoy-KYSN- Bob Welch	Tacoma, Bruce Cannon-KTAC- Jay Ferguson
Casper, Doc Mueller-KATI- Yvonne Elliman	Seattle, Rick Scott-KING- Boz Scaggs
Reno, Red Mountain-KCBN- Doucette	- - - Frank Colbourn-FM/KVI- *Little River Band
Las Vegas, Dave Van Stone-KLUC- Art Garfunkel	Bellingham, Frank Shiers-KPUG- John Denver
San Diego, Michel Pettis-KMJC- Kansas	Yakima, Brady Layman-KQOT- Eddie Money
- - - Judy Rich-BLOO- Gene Cotton	Spokane, Tom Hutylar-KJRB- B.J. Thomas
Anaheim, Rick Carroll-KEZY- #10-Tom Petty	Lewiston, Steve MacKelvie-KRLC- Dolly Parton
Los Angeles, Eric Chase-KFI- Dolly Parton	- - - Wes McShay-KOZE- Paul Nicholas
- - - John Sebastian-KHJ- ELO	Moscow, Gary Cummings-KRPL- Eruption
- - - Bob Hamilton-KRTH/FM- Debby Boone	Missoula, Vern Argo-KYLT- Kacey Cisyk
- - - Denise Gorman-K100- Eddie Money	Helena, Randall Rocks-KCAP- Gene Cotton
- - - Sherman Cohen-KIIS- Eric Clapton	Bozeman, Paul Ehliis-KBOZ- James Taylor
Whittier, Jay Loughrin-KRHC- Eddie Money	Great Falls, John Walton-KEIN- Crystal Gayle
San Bernardino, Rick Kymala-KFXM- Little R.B.	Billings, John Albright-KOYN/FM- Gene Cotton
Santa Barbara, Dick Williams-KIST-W.W. Small	- - - Allen Moos-KOOK- Eruption
Santa Maria, Johnny Dixon-KC148- Roberta Flack	Anchorage, Randy Robbins-KANC- Gordon Lightfoot
San Luis Obispo, John Tobin-KSLY- ELO	Vancouver, Paul McKnight-CKLG- Eric Clapton
Bakersfield, Pete Shannon-KERN- LeBlanc & Carr	Toronto, John Terminesi-CHUM- Gordon Lightfoot
Fresno, John Berry-KYNO- #6-Odyssey	Thunder Bay, B.M. Dean-CKPR- Bill Withers
- - - Dan Spears-KFYE- Stargard	

Lineups

KEIN-Great Falls  
 Chuck & John  
 Steve Sibulsky  
 Mike Connors  
 Bob Church  
 Coyote King  
 Big "C"  
 Dave Richards

KCAP-AM/FM-Helena  
 Jeff Michaels  
 David St. James  
 Don Roland  
 Pat Richards  
 Charlie Diamond

WBOW-Terre Haute  
 Mike Raftis  
 Bryan Thomas  
 Barry Kent  
 Larry Joseph  
 Kenny Edwards

WNAM-Neenah  
 Jason Page  
 John Leigh  
 Ron Ross  
 Steve Otis  
 Jay Tyler  
 Michael J. Ryan



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Dubuque (Steve Sesterhenn-KDTH) Kansas/Gayle/Chicago/Edelman. Gains: P. Davis/LeBlanc & Carr.  
 Eugene (Vicky Larson-KUGN) Gayle/Manilow/Bee Gees (FEVER)/A. Price. Calls: M. Scott/McCoo & Davis.  
 - - - (Lee Gordon-KPNW) Denver/Mangione/Kansas/E. Klugh. Calls: Garfunkel/C. Gayle.  
 Fitchburg (Chuck Morgan-WEIM) Rita C./J. Browne. Calls: Rita C./Lightfoot/Garfunkel.  
 Flint (Ken Myers-WTRX) Garfunkel/Withers/Elliman/Lightfoot/Bee Gees (ALIVE). Gains: Hill.  
 Fresno (Linda Cerven-KLO4) N. Shanx/Summer/Rubicon/Pockets. Calls: Mangione/Kansas.  
 Grand Forks (Gino Aanenson-KNOX) Rubicon/Gayle/Manilow/Ronstadt/Chicago. Calls: Firefall.  
 Grand Rapids (Doc Donovan-WLAV) Gains: Abba/J. Wms./Garfunkel/Lightfoot/Kansas/Flack.  
 Green Bay (Jim Trotter-WNFL) Rocky & Chyann/Manilow/Boone/Kansas. Calls: Cotton.  
 Helena (Harley Dee-KBLL) Blood, Sweat & Tears/Lightfoot/Denver/Rogers/5th Dimension.  
 Honolulu (Bernie Armstrong-KGU) Ronstadt/Gayle/Lightfoot/Waylon & Willie/Travers. Gains: Hill/Rita  
 Hopewell (John Harper-WHAP) C. Gayle/Chicago/L. Rawls/J. Browne. Calls: Manilow/Boz Scaggs.  
 Houston (Chuck Buell-KULF) LeBlanc & Carr/J. Ward/Rita C. Gains: Gates/B.J. Thomas/Ronstadt.  
 Jefferson City (Mike Schaefer-KJMO) Bee Gees (FEVER)/Manilow/Raydio/Carpenters/Rod Stewart/C.Wells  
 Kansas City (Steve Bell-KMBZ) Denver/Mankilow/Robbins/Gayle/Boone/M. Smith.  
 Keene (Sandy Ellsworth-WKNE) Mangione/LeBlanc & Carr/Boz Scaggs. Gains: Rawls/Bee Gees (ALIVE).  
 Kingston (Bruce Conklin-WGHQ) Ronstadt/Cisyk/Boone/Bee Gees/DeShannon/Valli. Gains: J. Wms./Meco.  
 Klamath Falls (Pat Flynn-KAGO) Gayle/Manilow/Garrett/Lightfoot/The Babys/Denver/Boone.  
 Lakeland (Phil Adams-WONN) Bellamy Bros./Lightfoot/Chicago/Carpenters/C. Gayle.  
 Lincoln (Cathy Blythe-KFOR) DeShannon/A. Gold. Gains: Rivers/Garfunkel/Carpenters/Cotton/S. Dan.  
 Los Angeles (Michael Sheehy-KNX/FM) LeBlanc & Carr/Bonoff/Mangione. LP's: Travers/DeShannon.  
 Macon (Steve Murphy-WMAZ) Price/Elliman/Clapton/Melanie/Mandrell. Gains: LeBlanc & Carr/Manilow.  
 Marion (Jim Roberts-WDIF) E. Carmen/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Kansas.  
 Memphis (Kevin Murphy-WMPX) Gayle/Carpenters/The Babys/B. Mandrell/Clapton. Gains: Steely Dan.  
 Medford (Dave Michaels-KMED) Meco/Manilow/Rubicon/Bee Gees (FEVER/A. Gold. Gains: Boz Scaggs.  
 Miami (Al Anderson-WIOD) Lightfoot/Elliman/Randy Richards.  
 Midland (Kirk Hughes-WMPX) Bee Gees (FEVER)/Manilow/MacNeal/Ronstadt/Rubicon/Spinners.  
 Milwaukee (Mike Elliott-WTMJ) Firefall/Odyssey. Gains: Rita C./The Babys/Elliman.  
 Minneapolis (Curt Lundgren-WCCO/FM) Manilow/J. Taylor/Flack/Boone/C. Gayle/P. Simon (LIMO).  
 Monterey (Melinda Roberts-KWAV) Cisyk/J. Harp/The Babys/Flo Lacey. Gains: D. Parton/Sang/DeShannon.  
 Nashville (Gerry House-WSIX) Manilow/Flack. Gains: Cotton/Garfunkel.  
 - - - (Mary Catherine-WSM) Garrett/The Babys/Withers/Gold/Kansas.  
 Newport (Denny Pace-KNPT) Garrett/Denver/DeShannon/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Cisyk.  
 New York (Jeff Mazzei-WNEW) Madison Street/B. Carroll/C. Gayle/DeShannon.  
 Northfield (Mike Wrubel-KYMN) Rubicon/Cisyk/R. Richards/Travers/Flower. Calls: Flo Lacey.  
 Odessa (Dave Prescott-KQIP/FM) G. Cotton/D. Gates. Calls: Milsap. Gains: Garfunkel.  
 Olympia (Dick Pust-KGY) Don Brown/LeBlanc & Carr/Chic/Boone/C. Gayle. Calls: Murray/Lacey.  
 Osburn (Dave Nesbitt-KWAL) Meco/Kansas/Mangione/Lightfoot/Flack. Gains: Odyssey/Bee Gees (ALIVE).  
 Paducah (J. Erick Foreman-WDXR) Heatwave/Kansas/Ronstadt/Chicago/Boz Scaggs/N. Cole. Gains: Sang.  
 Pendleton (Bob Walker-KTIX) Ronstadt/Manilow/Lightfoot/Waylon & Willie/Browne/Heatwave/Denver.  
 Phoenix (Dan Armstrong-KOY) Rawls/McNeill/Gibb. Calls: LeBlanc & Carr.  
 Phoenix (John McRae-KQXE) Earth, Wind & Fire (old)/Ronstadt/Rita C./Garfunkel.  
 Pittsburgh (Chuck Brinkman-WTAE) LeBlanc & Carr/Raydio/J. Cash/Gates/Elliman. Gains: Manilow.  
 Portland, Me. (Marji Cyr-Adams-WGAN) Manilow/Cotton/Carpenters/B.J. Thomas. Gains: Rawls/Rivers.  
 Portland, Ore. (Bob Swanson-KEX) A. Gold/P. Davis (re-add). Calls: J. Wms./Bee Gees (ALIVE).  
 Quad Cities (Jim Mahaney-WQUA) Ronstadt/Bee Gees (FEVER). Gains: Odyssey/Rita C.  
 Reno (Michael Hagerty-KOLO) Lightfoot/E.L.O./Gold/Taylor/Odyssey.  
 Richmond (Bob Ridle-WRVA) Gayle/Lightfoot/LeBlanc & Carr/Denver/Manilow/Odyssey. Gains: Hill/Abba.  
 Rochester (Kim David-KROC) The Babys/J. Harp/Mangione/Cotton/Gayle/Manilow. Calls: Garfunkel.  
 - - - (Doug James-WMJQ) Elvis Costello/Lightfoot. Gains: Garfunkel/Bee Gees (ALIVE)/Hill.  
 Rock Springs (Rod Tucker-KRKK) Chicago/Ronstadt/Lightfoot/Murray/Waylon & Willie.  
 Roseburg (Tom Worden-KRSB) A. Gold/D. Ross/Taylor/Bellamy Bros./Welch. Gains: Chic.  
 Sacramento (D. Darin & L. Kirk-KCRA) Murray/Elliman/Clapton.  
 Saginaw (Rick Belcher-WSGW) Ronstadt/B. Midler/Boone/Cotton/Rocky & Chyann/Steely Dan/Lightfoot.  
 St. Joseph (Mark Mathew-KSFT/FM) Kansas/Clapton/Rita C. Calls: Garfunkel. Gains: Bee Gees (ALIVE).  
 St. Louis (Ed Scarborough-KSD) Manilow/B.J. Thomas/Abba. Gains: P. Simon/Rivers/Rawls.  
 Salt Lake City (Flo Wineriter-KSL) Denver/C. Gayle/P. Davis.  
 San Diego/Vista (Jack McKinney-KMLO) Ferguson/Lightfoot/Abba. Gains: Gibb/Steely Dan/Odyssey.  
 San Francisco (LaVerne Drake-KIOI) Boone/Benton/D. Brown/O.V. Wright/Denver/Manilow/Wings/Cotton.  
 - - - (Don Hofmann-KSFO) Manilow/Ronstadt/Lightfoot.  
 - - - (Ron Reynolds-KNBR) Carpenters/Waylon & Willie/Mangione. Gains: Manilow/P. Davis.  
 - - - (Steve Walker-KCBS/FM) Heatwave/Splinter/Browne/Taj Mahal/A. Gold/Rubicon/Katy Moffatt.  
 San Jose (Steve Martinez-KLOK) Rawls/Carpenters/Lightfoot/Mangione.  
 San Luis Obispo (Anna Bokma-KVEC) Chic. Calls: Manilow/Odyssey/Manhattan Transfer.  
 Santa Maria (Denny Luell-KUHL) Lightfoot/Gold/Flack/The Babys/Heatwave. Calls: Gayle/BeeGees(FEVER);  
 Santa Rosa (Jerry Johnson-KSRO) Clapton. Gains: Rita C./Garfunkel/Steely Dan/Withers/B.J. Thomas.  
 Sharon (Jack Taylor-WPIC) B. Manilow/C. Gayle/LeBlanc & Carr/Carpenters. Gains: Abba/Garfunkel.  
 Schenectady (Lee Fowler-WGY) Manilow/Carpenters/Lightfoot/Boone/Denver/Elliman. Calls: MacNeil.  
 Seattle (Carol Stripling-KVI) Steely Dan/D. Boone/Lightfoot.  
 Spokane (Chuck Harmon-KXLY) Wee Willie Small/B. Arvon/J. Ward/John Wms./E. Klugh. Calls: Manilow.  
 - - - (Gary Girogi-KHQ) J. Taylor/Rawls/J. Ward/Rick Nelson/Garrett.  
 Toledo (Leah Myers-WSPD) Lavender Hill Gang/Cotton/Melanie/R. Richards/C. Gayle/Murray.  
 Tulare (Paul Fredricks-KCOK) Flo Lacey/Elliman/Kansas.  
 Tulsa (Don Bishop-KRMG) C. Gayle/Bee Gees (FEVER)/P. Davis/Waylon & Willie. Gains: Rita C.  
 Twin Falls (Randy Elison-KEEP) Chic/Ronstadt/Rawls/Garfunkel/Odyssey. Gains: Rita C./Gates.  
 Vacaville (Fred Levy-KUIC) E.L.O./Welch/J. Taylor. Gains: Gibb/Williams/Bee Gees (ALIVE)/Abba.  
 Warwick (Dick Wells-WTBQ) Boone/Garrett/T. James/Denver. Gains: LeBlanc & Carr/Milsap/Manilow.  
 Wausau (Chuck Williams-WSAU) Manilow/Garrett/Nelson/J. Taylor/Flack.  
 West Palm Beach (Russ Morley-WJNO) Kansas/Flo Lacey/Lightfoot.  
 Wichita (Gene Rump-KAKE) Bee Gees (FEVER)/P. Davis/Carpenters. Calls: Manilow/Lighfoot/Wings.  
 Winston-Salem (Kim Jones-WSJS) B.J. Thomas/Elliman/Manilow/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Ronstadt.  
 Worcester (B.J. Dean-WORC) Steely Dan/Rita C./Raydio/Andrea True.  
 Yakima (Frank Taylor-KMWX) A. Gold/Wee Willie Small/Lightfoot/Kansas/DeShannon.

Late Report

Los Angeles (Tess Russell & Jane Hassler-KMPC) Heatwave/Bee Gees(FEVER).



Country Programming Part I

Country radio and country music have changed dramatically in the last ten years. Pop sounds and widespread crossover have spawned "Mass Appeal Country," and programmers in metropolitan markets are predicting the crossover phenomenon will continue with even greater impact.

While some feel that the push for crossover is detrimental to country's identity, most programmers see the change as healthy, and they've expanded their research to hold their increasing younger audiences while still retaining their older ones. Eight country programmers have shared their opinions with us on the status and direction of country radio, and their ideas form the basis for this series.

Ric Libby joined KENR-Houston seven years ago. He'd spent 17 years in rock and M-O-R and learned to like country music back when KENR's format was "traditional." KENR switched to "Modern Country" six years ago and according to Ric the country lyrics haven't changed. "...It's a ballad...it tells a story...it's real...listen to it and you'll realize how good you really have it." It's the production of country records, the flare for pop and the newer artists that have changed. "There's no comparison between a country record produced ten years ago and one produced now," he says. The 4-4 sound with very little percussion has given way to pedal steel guitars and drums.

Ric programs KENR on the idea that country radio has an infectious sound. "We're fun to listen to..." The station's target audience is 25-34 and a significant goal of Ric's is to solidify the station in that demographic. In the Fall book, KENR fell slightly in adults 25-49 and picked up some in 18-34s. "You can't control that crossover thing," he says. "It can jump back and bite you and we've been bitten...you can't be neither fish nor fowl...you have to be country first." But in Houston, "Country is M-O-R."

Ric researches in two ways: store reports and call-outs. He checks an average cross-section of 20 retail sales outlets as well as rack-jobbers and juke boxes each week. They play a record for three or four weeks, then they test with call-outs, an on-going 30 songs each week.

"Houston is the greatest country market in the nation...we have a dozen clubs that hold 500 people each...Gilley's seats 6,000 people. When you get into a market where no other formats are so strong, the listener can't tell the difference and it's difficult to retain the (country) identity." While he's enthusiastic about the changes in the music, Ric feels that the move to mass appeal "hinders competition."

At WMC-Memphis, P.D. Les Acree is very optimistic about changes in country and says WMC also experienced a younger shift in their demographics the last book. While the prospect of attracting younger demographics excites him, it's also unsettling. "We're going to have to face the danger of attracting some younger demographics. Not immediately, but down the road. The audience we're working with now grew up with rock and roll...rock got pretty hard, pretty far-out...they were easily attracted to country. Will the teens now be content to switchover like the older ones?" WMC switched to "Modern Country" from A/C five years ago. Les, who returned to WMC several months ago after programming WKDA-Nashville for a year, programs for a target 25-49, playing B.J. Thomas, Anne Murray, Linda Ronstadt and other crossover oldies. Acree says the future "looks good" but he wonders if country can maintain its A/C-/mass appeal direction "down the road." "Hopefully five to ten years from now country music will be compatible with Top 40 music...rock is more subdued now, but if it goes through another period (hard), then we'll get them."

Les considers research very important, and of the three forms, call-outs carry the most weight. Everyone does research but it can be carried too far, and he thinks the human element is at least equally important. WMC is personality-oriented. From Mc'ing local shows and an Anniversary Show, to softball games and picnics, WMC gets involved.

His priorities are like "those of any other aggressive Top 40 or M-O-R station." He's concerned with being the best full-service station they can be, "...without even thinking about the music." Next, "Since 85 percent of the audience is listening to music," he stresses a "bright M-O-R delivery." In country for 11 years and rock for five before that, Les likes country most and the fact that it's a lot more than "grabbing a handful of cowboy records."

Walt Turner, P.D. at WIL-AM/FM-St.Louis agrees country music "is getting better and better, with more mass appeal." The changes in country radio stem from the changes in music and he feels that's "healthy." He predicts more growth in the A/C direction. He doesn't believe the country identity is jeopardized by crossover and growing mass appeal.

Both WIL stations have been Modern Country for five years, with the AM favoring personalities and FM, more music. With this combination, WIL has held a #2 position 12+ for quite a while. Walt has been P.D. at WIL for five years, the bulk of his prior experience being in contemporary radio: WING-Dayton, WSAI-Cincinnati and KIMN-Denver. He programs 25-49 and says his FM has picked up younger demographics. He'd like more 18-34s but that's an "unstable audience." In the future he thinks country radio "may splinter." Traditional country will probably go by the wayside.

Research is very important and Walt relies 60 percent on research and 40 percent on the human element in making music decisions. "You need all the input you can get." Walt enjoys country. "It's friendlier, more human, the artists are more accessible...the listeners are more loyal... it's more stable..."

Joe Ladd, music director of KIKK-Houston, attributes the changes in country mainly to the exposure it has had on TV since 1968. He identifies the change in music as "...closer to an M-O-R pop/rock sound" and believes crossover improves country's hold on a market, but "A pop station can play a country hit more easily than a country station" can play a pop record. The songs of Waylon and Willie, Emmylou Harris, Dolly Parton and Olivia Newton John are examples. He predicts the crossover movement will continue. "People are getting educated. They think they've found something."

KIKK's target is 25-49. Joe emphasizes "staying in the middle" and not letting it "sound hard." He says KIKK has "basically a country sound." With ten years at KIKK and some experience in contemporary radio in Houston before that, Joe says, "My idea has always been, get involved with the community." If you're not, "you're dead."

Country programmers in the South are well into the mass appeal movement and optimism about country's future is universal. Younger audiences are nibbling and P.D.'s are using more complicated attitudinal forms of research in attempts to hook them, while maintaining their loyal, older audiences. Next: WHN and WIRE, KLAC and KNEW.



Country Club (cont'd. from pg. 6)

Service: The following stations would appreciate album service from all sources: KGRZ-Missoula, KERR-Polson, Mont., KRKT-Albany, Ore., WTCR-Ashland, Ky. WKQ-Battle Creek needs LAY DOWN SALLY by Eric Clapton. WOHS/FM-Shelby, N.C. is in need of service from Capitol. KATR-Eugene, Ore., can use current and older bluegrass product for their new bluegrass hour on Sundays hosted by Brian James.

KKEE-Rochester, Minn., has never received the current Ronnie McDowell single.

Changes: WEMP-Milwaukee has a new address: 118 W. Grange Ave., Hales Corners, Wisc., Zip 53130. Also, KCMX-Ashland, Ore., Box 128, Zip 97520.

Dene W. Hallan from WFEC-Harrisburg moves to WEEP-Pittsburgh as program director.

Scott Parker from Knoxville, Tx., moves to WJAZ-Albany, Ga., as music director and air talent.

WKDA-Nashville has announced the promotion of Dale Turner as program director.

Tom Allen has left his position as Program Director at KBOX-Dallas. At press time, we were unable to contact him regarding his future plans.

WKQ-Battle Creek also announced their latest lineup: Mark Sheppard (sign-on to 11 AM), Julie Starr (to 2 PM), Jim Clark (to sign-off) and Bob Sherman (news).

Music Calls: Diane Brennan, WBAM-Montgomery can not be reached through the station's switchboard. Please call 205-284-2907, Monday through Friday, 9 AM - noon and 2 - 5 PM.

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One of Canada's best known disco clubs, "Mingles", has converted to country, according to Joe LeFresne at CFGM-Toronto. Don Williams and the Oak Ridge Boys plus many other entertainers appeared opening night.

KSON-San Diego ran a live two-hour show last Saturday, featuring guest performers R.C.Bannon, Ava Barber and Marty Cooper. The show was very successful, Ed Chandler tells us.

WFMS-Indianapolis is bestowing "Good Neighbor Awards" on those who helped others during the blizzard two weeks ago. Four awards should be given to the staff members who stayed in the studio for several days.

Valentine's Day Promos and Others

KCKC-San Bernardino has taste treats for its listeners on Valentine's Day and Washington's Birthday. For Valentine's Day, they'll give away 35 heart-shaped cakes over the weekend plus Rabbitt's "Hearts on Fire" singles. For the Washington's birthday weekend, 35 listeners will win cherry pies.

KIKX-Tucson is looking for 15 female Valentines. Male listeners are sending in written explanations of why their ladies deserve to be one of the KIKX Valentines. Flowers will be delivered to the winners.

KGRZ-Missoula ran a Secret Sound Contest that lasted almost three months because the sound was "Scraping the back of a Griz (KGRZ) belt buckle with a silver dollar." The grand prize was a trip anywhere in the world. The woman from Missoula who won is having her mother-in-law in South Africa moved to the U.S., instead of taking a trip herself.

KKAA-Aberdeen is now into their "Free Ride" contest. Some lucky listener will win a brand new luxury car to use for a year.

WLBB-Carrollton, Ga., began their contest called "Insta Cash" on February 1st. It consists of announcing a series of numbers and if the numbers match the serial number on any listeners' dollar bill they can win up to \$100. New numbers and a different amount of cash are given out each hour.

WNRS-Ann Arbor is running a "Hearts & Flowers" contest, giving away Freddie Hart, Pam Rose and the C.W. McCall ROSES FOR MAMA albums.

REMINDER

The Country Radio Seminar is being held March 17-18 at the Hilton Airport in Nashville. Write the Seminar at Box 12617, Nashville, Tn., 37212 for registration forms.

Gavin's Gab

Changes

Bobby Rich has resigned from B100-San Diego to accept the position of Program Director for RKO-owned 99X-New York. We have watched with pride his progression from an outstanding air talent in Spokane in the mid-sixties to this new position.

Another significant change is that Dave Sholin, music director of KFRC, has been promoted to National Music Coordinator for the RKO chain. He will be dividing his time between RKO radio headquarters in Los Angeles and the RKO production center in San Francisco. In his new capacity Dave will report directly to Dwight Case, president of RKO Radio.

The inclement weather has created numerous difficult situations for many broadcasters across the country. Bob Goode, P.D. at WROK-Rockford, Ill., experienced several all at one time...The weather was lousy: storm warnings on top of a solid layer of fresh snow and temperatures near freezing, but Bob figured he'd drive slowly. When he slipped his 1971 vintage model sports car onto the freeway, it had only 30,000 miles on it. Minutes later, it was rear-ended and the exhaust pipe was jammed through the gas tank. He limped home and found the furnace had broken down, causing all the radiators to freeze. The water pipes in the wall had burst. The moving van was arriving the next day with the household items from Cincinnati. The loss of heat forced Bob and his wife to sleep in sleeping bags on the floor in front of the fireplace. It was so cold they could see their breath. It took four days and two tons of wood to heat the house to a temperature of 54 degrees inside, since it was -12 degrees outside. Bob said the damage was estimated at \$12-15,000 and if that wasn't enough--his cassette recorder wouldn't rewind.

Music Calls

Gary Cannon, WZOO-Asheboro, 10 AM - 2 PM, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Chris Collins, KIOA-Des Moines, 3 - 5 PM, Tuesday and Thursday.

Jim Sebastian, WTSN-Dover, N.H., 11 - 12 AM (EST) Tuesday and Thursday; 4 - 5 PM, Wednesday.

Keith Greer, KROK-Shreveport, 2 - 3 PM, Wednesday and Thursday

Larry Joseph, WBOW/WBOQ-Terre Haute, 3 - 6 PM, Monday through Friday.

Kirk Williams, KEEE-Nacogdoches, Tx., 11 - 12 PM, Monday through Friday.



Album Of The Week  
(reviewed by Ron Fell)

"Even Now"-Barry Manilow (Arista) Just another great Manilow album. The arrangements are fully orchestrated, as always. His singing is clear and strong, as always. And more than one hit will surely come from this eleven song set. COPACABANA, LEAVIN' IN THE MORNING, SOMEWHERE IN THE NIGHT, and the title track EVEN NOW could all fare well as followups to his current hit CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU, which is "even now" leaping up the charts at adult-conscious radio stations around the country.

Also recommended from the following LP's:

- "From Rats To Riches"-Good Rats (Passport) TAKING IT TO DETROIT/JUST FOUND ME A LADY/DEAR SIR/COO COO COO BLUES
- "Night Flight"-Yvonne Elliman (RSO) I'LL BE AROUND/LADY OF THE SILVER SPOON/PRINCE OF FOOLS
- "It's In Everyone Of Us"-Mary Travers (Chrysalis) SINGLE WING/THE EYE OF THE DAY/THE AIR THAT I BREATHE
- "Dragon"-Dragon (Portrait) SUNSHINE/GET THAT JIVE/NEW MACHINE
- "It Begins Again...."-Dusty Springfield (U.A.) TURN ME AROUND/I'D RATHER LEAVE WHILE I'M IN LOVE/THAT'S THE KIND OF LOVE I'VE GOT FOR YOU
- "Live"-Frank Marino & Mahogany Rush (Columbia) I'M A KING BEE/JOHNNY B. GOODE
- "There's No Good In Goodbye"-Manhattans (Columbia) THEN YOU CAN TELL ME GOODBYE/AM I LOSING YOU/HAPPINESS/MOVIN'
- "Queen Of The Night"-The Michael Wynn Band (Ariola) QUEEN OF THE NIGHT/DON'T NEED NOBODY/ROCK 'N' ROLL MUSIC (TILL THE END OF THE DAY)
- "The Spy"-Bat McGrath (Amherst) THE SPY/NAPLES/ANGEL
- "One Night Late"-Dr. John (Karate) WOMAN IS THE ROOT OF ALL EVIL/IN THE NIGHT/BALD HEADED
- "Let's Do It"-Roy Ayers (Polydor) LET'S DO IT/YOU CAME INTO MY LIFE/FREAKY DEAKY
- "Kill City"-Iggy Pop & James Williamson (Import) I GOT NOTHIN'/CONSOLATION PRIZES
- "B & G Rhythm"-B & G Rhythm (Polydor) FRIENDS YOU AND I/I KNOW YOU
- "Bob Luman"-Bob Luman (Polydor) THE PAY PHONE/I'M A HONKY-TONK WOMAN'S MAN
- "On The Line"-Companion (Sleepy Eye) MAMA WON'T YOU LAY ME DOWN/SUCH A CHILD

Our correspondents recommend the following LP cuts: (Most frequently mentioned are underlined>)

Adult Contemporary

- Art Garfunkel-MR. SHUCK & JIVE
- Abba-ONE MAN ONE WOMAN/TAKE A CHANCE
- Paul Simon-STRANDED IN A LIMOUSINE
- Neil Diamond-LET ME TAKE YOU..ARMS/..FLOWERS
- Emmylou Harris-EASY FROM NOW ON
- Gordon Lightfoot-DAYLIGHT KATY/DREAMLAND
- Boz Scaggs-STILL FALLING FOR YOU
- Albert Hammond-TANGLED UP IN TEARS
- Jackson Browne-LOVE NEEDS A HEART

Rock

- Dolly Parton-TWO DOORS DOWN
- Bee Gees-MORE THAN A WOMAN
- Chicago-TAKE ME BACK TO CHICAGO
- Boz Scaggs-STILL FALLING FOR YOU
- Sea Level-THAT'S YOUR SECRET
- Steely Dan-DEACON BLUES/JOSIE
- K.C. & Sunshine Band-BOOGIE SHOES
- Rod Stewart-I WAS ONLY JOKING
- Linda Ronstadt-TUMBLIN' DICE
- Billy Joel-MOVIN' OUT

Country

- Waylon & Willie-DON'T CUSS THE FIDDLE/GOLD-DUST WOMAN/IF YOU CAN TOUCH HER
- Emmylou Harris-TWO MORE BOTTLES OF WINE/LEAVIN' LOUISIANA/EASY FROM NOW ON
- Hoyt Axton-BLUEBIRD/HONKY TONK MUSIC/FREE SAILING
- Tom T. Hall-COME ON BACK/NO ONE FEELS MY HURT/WHISKEY
- Conway Twitty-HONKY TONK SONG/MABELLENE/YOURS TO HURT TOMORROW

Black Radio

- Emotions-BABY I'M THROUGH
- Bootsy's Rubber Band-ROTO ROOTER
- Maze-SONG FOR A MOTHER/GOLDEN TIME OF DAY
- Joe Tex-YOU CAN BE MY STAR
- Peabo Bryson-FEEL THE FIRE
- Earth, Wind & Fire-JUPITER/LOVE'S HOLIDAY
- Loleatta Holloway-HIT & RUN
- Isaac Hayes-NEW HORIZONS
- Rufus-TAKE TIME/STAY/DESTINY/TURN/BLUE LOVE
- Headhunters-MAYONNAISE/MS. YUM YUM
- Sonny Rollins-ISN'T SHE LOVELY/DOWN THE LINE

Changes

<u>Name</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
Steve Terhaar	KVOX-Fargo	Midwest Radio	Chief Engineer
John Greer	KEEE-Nacogdoches, Tx.	promoted to	News
Michael Reed	KPRC-Houston	KGKL-San Angelo	News
Rod Nevelle	KWTC/KFMH	WTRX-Flint	News
Phil Hall	KRMG-Tulsa	KFSA-Ft. Smith, Ark.	News
Melinda Coats	KEX-Portland	KSTO/FM-Guam	News Director
Jim Francis	WLAV-Grand Rapids	Davenport College	Dir. of Information
Scott Burns	KREM-Spokane	promoted to	Air Talent (full-time)
John & Juan	WLCY-Tampa	96X-Miami	Air Talent (AM Drive)
Jim McCloud	KIKI-Honolulu	KOFM-Oklahoma City	Air Talent
Robert Lopez	KTSA-San Antonio	KEYS-Corpus Christi	Air Talent
John Messinger	KVOX-Fargo	KQWB-Fargo	Air Talent
Wayne King	WKUL/WVOV	WTRX-Flint	Air Talent
Gary Cannon	WZOO-Ashboro	promoted to	Music Director
Chris Collins	KIOA-Des Moines	promoted to	Music Director
Neil Newman	WRAW-Reading	promoted to	Music Director
Nick Alexander	KLIF-Dallas	promoted to	Music Director
Robert A. Welch	KRYX-Corpus Christi	KEYS-Corpus Christi	Music Director
Lance O'Brien	WKKY-Pascagoula	promoted to	Program Director
Dick McKay	WMAX-Grand Rapids	WLAV-Grand Rapids	Program Director
Bob Denver	KVOX-Fargo	KQWB-Fargo	Program Director
Dave Kirby	96KX-Denver	WIFE-Indianapolis	Program Director
Bobby Rich	B100-San Diego	99X-New York	Program Director



Gary Taylor's Personal Picks

FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire (Columbia) Their harmonic vocals, supplemented by strings, sound like an airline commercial. Smooth, mellow, and very nice.

FOOLING YOURSELF-Styx (A&M) The group's numerous musical talents are well demonstrated in this release from "Grand Illusion". They show an innate sense of balance and proper production techniques.

EASY-Barry Kaye (MCA) I call to your attention these facts: (1) Barry, one of the best air talents in America, sings very well; (2) His program director, Clay Gish, KRBE-Houston, produced this fine country side; and (3) The song itself has been a sensation.

Also Possible

ROCKET RIDE-Kiss (Casablanca) SWEET TALKIN' WOMAN-Electric Light Orch. (Jet/UA)

GIMME A LITTLE SIGN-Rick Nelson (Epic) PUT YOUR HEAD ON MY SHOULDER-Leif Garrett (Atlantic)

MORNING MAN-The Joy (Fantasy) FLYING WITH BROKEN WINGS-Angel (Casablanca)

NIGHT MUSIC-Younger Bros. (Cream) I LOVE MY MUSIC-Wild Cherry (Epic)

HONEY DON'T LEAVE L.A.-James Taylor (Columbia)

Inside Progressive Radio  
(by George Meier, Editor of Walrus)

Established Progressive Airplay  
(In Order)

Jackson Browne-----  
Eric Clapton-----  
 Joni Mitchell  
 Steely Dan  
Sea Level-----  
 Rod Stewart  
 E.L.O.  
Elvis Costello-----  
 Billy Joel  
 Boz Scaggs  
Queen-----  
 Emmylou Harris  
 Lynyrd Skynyrd  
 Journey

Notes: Jackson Browne dominates airplay at this time. He leads in every region of the country with no current artist able to challenge him. Many of those albums which follow gain or lose advantage from one section of the country. For example, Eric Clapton does less well in the Midwest while Steely Dan thrives there. Sea Level gains vigorous support in the South while Elvis Costello does the same in the Northeast. On the negative side, Billy Joel is less strong in the West as Emmylou Harris drags in the Midwest. Entrenched regional trends are difficult to overcome.

New Progressive Airplay  
(In Order)

Bob Weir-----  
 Ronnie Montrose  
 Kayak  
 Crack the Sky  
 George Benson  
 Ted Nugent

Notes: Bob Weir's album has gotten response in relationship to its quality. He is strongest on both coasts. The Ronnie Montrose reaction is significant because he has made a radical departure in musical style. It seems to be getting acceptance. Kayak and George Benson start out impressively in the South, while Ted Nugent finds support in his traditional home, the Midwest.

Singles: Wings and Van Halen lead the pile of singles followed by a new wave single by Tom Robinson Band.

Imports: Brian Eno and Manzanera/801 lead the pack.

The following new tracks fill the air:

Garfunkel-WATERMARK/CRYING IN MY SLEEP/ SATURDAY SUIT	Sanford & Townsend-PARADISE Emmylou Harris-I AIN'T LIVING LONG LIKE THIS/EASY
Journey-ANYTIME/WHEEL IN THE SKY/LIGHTS/FEELING	FROM NOW ON/TWO MORE BOTTLES OF WINE/LEAVIN'
Ronnie Montrose-TOWN WITHOUT PITY/LEO RISING	LOUISIANA/TO DADDY/DEFYING GRAVITY
Gordon Lightfoot-ENDLESS WIRE/DREAMLAND/CIRCLE	Crack the Sky-NUCLEAR APATHY/SAFETY IN NUMBERS
Muddy Waters-I'M READY	Taj Mahal-QUEEN BEE/SING A HAPPY SONG

Available

<u>Name</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>Telephone</u>	<u>Position</u>
Cindy Davis	15Q-Two Rivers	414-794-1300	Air Talent
Barry Pope	KATZ-St.Louis	314-355-5693	Air Talent
Bill Knight	KVOL-Lafayette	318-981-0588	Air Talent
Tom Rush	WILS-Lansing	517-351-2583	Air Talent
Don Berns	KFMB/KLIF/WKBW	714-571-1512	Air Talent
Greg Michaels	KERN-Bakersfield	805-325-6464	Air Talent
John White	KGRI-Henderson, Tx.	214-657-5474	Air Talent/Prod.
Bo Jackson	KGRI/FM-Henderson, Tx.	214-657-5474	Air Talent/Prod.
Mike Parks	WRNN-Clare, Mich.	517-773-2660	Air Talent/Prod.
Chip Stanley	KVSL-Show Low, Ariz.	602-537-4050	A.T./M.D. (1st)
J.J. Jackson	WAMO-Pittsburgh	412-682-2316	A.T./M.D./P.D.
Rich Brother Robbin	10Q-Los Angeles	213-876-6000	A.T./M.D./P.D.
R.Scott Gilmore	WRNN-Clare, Mich.	517-799-2176	A.T./M.D./P.D.
John Talbert	KGRI-Henderson, Tx.	214-657-5474	M.D./P.D.
Howie Castle	WIFE/WLCY/WOLF	317-545-9671	Program Director

---STAY WELL---



THE GAVIN REPORT #1190  
WEEKLY SUMMARY  
(Editor, Gary Taylor)

Smash of the Week: NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees (RSO) The last group to show such a concurrent dominance on radio playlists was the Beatles.

Sleepers of the Week: THE CIRCLE IS SMALL-Gordon Lightfoot (Warner Bros.) The chartings, besides CHUM (18) and CKLG (18), include: KKLS (19), WRJZ (22), Z96 (25), WCRO (27), WGNI (27), WHHY (28), WGUY (29) and WAYS (30).  
FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione (A&M) Starting in Georgia: 94Q (7), WALG (9), Z93 (25), WQXI (30), WAUG (30), and St. Louis: KSLO (18).

Hot: EBONY EYES-Bob Welch (Capitol) Out of 121 correspondents' reports, 68 have it charted.

Top Tip: JACK & JILL-Raydio (Arista) Now that a solid base has been established, the cross-over will become more evident.

Records To Watch: BEFORE MY HEART FINDS OUT-Gene Cotton (Ariola)  
RUNNIN' ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne (Asylum)  
Both show an equally strong surge in airplay.

Recommended Playlist

The listings below indicate our own estimate of these records' relative programming value and are not intended to represent comparative national sales. Underlined sides show biggest potential for continued growth.

LW	TW	Top Twenty	Gaining in Several Markets
1.	1.	STAYIN' ALIVE-Bee Gees	POOR POOR PITIFUL ME-Linda Ronstadt
2.	2.	EMOTION-Samantha Sang	● GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates
5.	3.	...THICKER THAN WATER-Andy Gibb	FALLING-LeBlanc & Carr
3.	4.	SOMETIMES WHEN WE TOUCH-Dan Hill	JACK & JILL-Raydio
14.	5.	NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees	EBONY EYES-Bob Welch
7.	6.	LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton	I GO CRAZY-Paul Davis
4.	7.	JUST THE WAY YOU ARE-Billy Joel	IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman
8.	8.	DANCE, DANCE, DANCE-Chic	OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole
9.	9.	PEG-Steely Dan	BEFORE MY HEART...-Gene Cotton
6.	10.	...CHAMPIONS/ROCK YOU-Queen	RUNNIN' ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne
12.	11.	...THE THINGS YOU DO-Rita Coolidge	NATIVE NEW YORKER-Odyssey
13.	12.	WONDERFUL WORLD-Art Garfunkel	● LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls
10.	13.	CLOSE ENCOUNTERS THEME-John Williams	STREET CORNER SERENADE-Wet Willie
16.	14.	THUNDER ISLAND-Jay Ferguson	THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND-Andrew Gold
20.	15.	ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave	<u>Gaining</u>
--	16.	DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas	HOT LEGS-Rod Stewart
--	17.	CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow	THEME: WHICH WAY IS UP-Stargard
--	18.	HAPPY ANNIVERSARY-Little River Band	BREAKDOWN-Tom Petty
--	19.	NAME OF THE GAME-Abba	
11.	20.	SHORT PEOPLE-Randy Newman	

Top Prospect

• WE'LL NEVER HAVE TO SAY GOODBYE AGAIN-England Dan & John Ford Coley (Big Tree)

Regional Sales and/or Requests

YOU REALLY GOT ME-Van Halen (Warner Bros.)  
SILVER DREAMS-The Babys (Chrysalis)  
BOOGIE SHOES-K.C. & The Sunshine Band (T.K.)  
I'M GONNA TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING-Rubicon (20th)  
EVERYBODY LOVES A RAIN SONG-B.J.Thomas (MCA)  
HOLLYWOOD-Boz Scaggs (Columbia)  
BABY HOLD ON-Eddie Money (Columbia)  
SWEET TALKIN' WOMAN-Electric Light Orch.(Jet/UA)  
● SWEET, SWEET SMILE-Carpenters (A&M)  
MAMAS, DON'T LET...-Waylon & Willie (RCA)  
LITTLE ONE-Chicago (Columbia)

Picks & Plays

IMAGINARY LOVER-Atlanta Rhythm Section (Polydor)  
FOOLING YOURSELF-Styx (A&M)  
ON THE STRIP-Paul Nicholas (RSO)  
CALIFORNIA-Debby Boone (Warner Bros.)  
STARLIGHT-Cory Wells (A&M)  
• LOVE IS LIKE OXYGEN-Sweet (Capitol)  
FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire (Columbia)  
MUSIC, HARMONY & RHYTHM-Booklyn Dreams (Millenium)  
SITTING IN LIMBO-Don Brown (First American)  
DISCO INFERNO-The Trammps (Atlantic)  
HONEY, DON'T LEAVE L.A.-James Taylor (Columbia)  
LET IT GO, LET IT FLOW-Dave Mason (Columbia)  
THAT'S YOUR SECRET-Sea Level (Capricorn)  
TOO HOT TA TROT-Commodores (Motown)  
QUEEN OF THE NIGHT-Stonebolt (Parachute)

Special Notice: See page 14 for news of the 1978 Regional Meetings.



Correspondents' Corner\*\*

Chart and listings on page one are derived from information supplied by the radio reporters listed below. \*Indicates requests. Sales action is underlined.

Bath, Jack O'Brien-WIGY- #1-Eric Clapton  
 Lewiston, Mark Ericson-WLAM- Lynyrd Skynyrd  
 Portsmouth, Mike O'Neil-WHEB- Carpenters  
 Manchester, Rick Ryder-WFEA- Gene Cotton  
 Hyannis, Rick Stuart-WCOD- Commodores  
 Providence, Gary Berkowitz-WPRO/FM- Boz Scaggs  
 New Haven, Curt Hansen-WAVZ- Diana Ross  
 Brookfield, Brian St.James-WINE- #7-B.Manilow  
 Hartford, Rick Donahue-WTIC- John Travolta  
 Utica, Jim Reitz-WTLB- \*Heatwave  
 Schenectady, Jim Welch-3WD- Diana Ross  
 New York, Barbara Brozdowski-WCBS/FM- #12-Garf.  
 - - - Roz Frank-WNBC- #3-Bee Gees (FEVER)  
 Babylon, Bernie Bernard-WBAB- G.Lightfoot  
 Philadelphia, Jeff Robins-WIFI- #12-Kansas  
 Reading, Shannon/Newman-WRAW- Tramps  
 Atlantic City, Gary Lane-WMID- Dave Mason  
 Trenton, Tom Taylor-WPST- Fandango  
 Annapolis, Kingston/Lewis-WYRE- E.Dan & J.F.C.  
 Frederick, G.T.Stone-14ZYQ- Raydio  
 Lynchburg, Tony Love-WLLY- Styx  
 Roanoke, Dave MacKay-WROV- Linda Ronstadt  
 Reidsville, Lebai-WFRC- #8-Natalie Cole  
 Asheboro, Gary Cannon-WZOO- Waylon & Willie  
 Winston-Salem, Jay McDaniel-WAIR- Hotel  
 Shelby, Jeffrey Owens-WOHS- Hot  
 Asheville, Ray Williams-WISE- Rubicon  
 New Bern, Richard Taylor-WSFL/FM- Sea Level  
 Fayetteville, Stanley Stewart-WFLB- Tramps  
 Wilmington, Robbie Vogt-WGNI- #2-Stargard  
 Anderson, Bill McCown-WANS- Sea Level  
 Greenville, Bill Love-WFBC- The Babys  
 - - - Gary Jackson-WQOK- #9-L.R.Band  
 Kingstree, Jerry Smith-WKSP- Lou Rawls  
 Augusta, Steve York-WAUG- #12-Tom Petty  
 - - - Bruce Stevens-WBBQ- #7-Raydio  
 Savannah, Brady McGraw-WSGA- K.C. & Band  
 - - - Jerry Katz-WSGF- K.C. & Band  
 Athens, Kelly McCoy-WRFC- Jackson Browne  
 - - - Jeff Michaels-WAGQ- #3-Natalie Cole  
 Gainesville, Sam Church-WFOX- Warren Zevon  
 - - - Tom Harris-WDUN- \*Chuck Mangione  
 Atlanta, Joan Swartz-WQXI- Stargard  
 - - - Don Benson-94Q- #2-LeBlanc & Carr  
 Columbus, Chuck Bear-WCGQ- Atlanta R.S.  
 Albany, Kris Van Dyke-WALG- Barbara Mandrell  
 Carrollton, Andrea Cordell-WBTR/FM- Hotel  
 - - - Scott Evans-WPPI- Stonebolt  
 Daytona Beach, John Scott-WMFJ- Mesa  
 Orlando, O'Neil/Blackwell-WLOF- #5-L.R.Band  
 Cocoa Beach, Jonathan Doll-CKL01- Tramps  
 W.Palm Beach, Allan Edwards-WIRK- Rod Stewart  
 Miami, Jack Forsythe-96X- Jimmy Bo Horne  
 Ft. Myers, Webster James-WMYR- Raydio  
 Tampa, Ron Parker-WLCY- Barry Manilow  
 Ocala, Bill Early-WWKE- Tom Petty  
 Tallahassee, Danny Harmon-WGLF- Diana Ross  
 - - - Michael O'Malley-WONS- G.Lightfoot  
 Panama City, Jim King-WDLP- Chuch Mangione  
 Pensacola, Dan Ingram-WBSR- Chuck Mangione  
 Huntsville, Tony Taylor-WAAY- Boz Scaggs  
 Muscle Shoals, J.Michael Pruitt-Q107-Sweet  
 Cullman, Rick McCarthy-WKLN/FM- M.Zager Band  
 Gadsden, Dale McKee-WQEN- Brooklyn Dreams  
 Montgomery, Lanny West-WHHY- #7-Hot  
 Enterprise, Mark Thompson-WKMX- Stargard  
 Mobile, Scott Griffith-WABB- Parliament  
 Starkville, Glen James-WKOR- \*Boz Scaggs  
 Greenville, Mark Jones-WDDT- Alan Price  
 Natchez, Haynes Ford-WQNZ- #11-Tom Petty  
 Jackson, Tom Daniels-WJDX-\*Kellee Patterson  
 Pascagoula, Norm Boswell-WKKY-Atlanta R.S.  
 Biloxi, Bob Lima-WQID- Jackson. Browne  
 Hattiesburg, Don Simmons-WXXX- Waylon & Willie  
 Baton Rouge, Joe London-WIBR- Stargard  
 Lafayette, Michael Lea-KVOL- Donna Summer  
 Lake Charles, Bob Penny-KAOK- #8-Debby Boone  
 - - - Kim Canard-KLOU- Chicago  
 Shreveport, K.C.Daniels-KEEL- Waylon & Willie  
 New Iberia, Ken Romero-KANE- Diana Ross

New Iberia, Rick Broussard-KNIR- Styx  
 Knoxville, Bob Kagan-WRJZ- Gordon Lightfoot  
 Nashville, Bruce Sherman-92Q- Chuch Mangione  
 Louisville, Coyote Calhoun-WAKY- Natalie Cole  
 - - - Gary Major-WKLO- B.J.Thomas  
 Bowling Green, Doug Kirsch-WBGN- Gene Cotton  
 Paducah, Bryan Sargent-WKYY- Waylon & Willie  
 Lexington, Jim Jordan-WVLK- Little River Band  
 South Bend, Jason Fox-WRBR- #8-Heatwave  
 Lafayette, Jeffrey Weber-WAZY- #6-Rita Coolidge  
 Evansville, Buddy Scott-WGBF- Jay Ferguson  
 Hamilton, Joe London-WMOH- Rod Stewart  
 Columbus, Dave Bishop-WCOL- #10-Rita Coolidge  
 Alliance, Bill Brophy-WFAH- The Babys  
 Canton, Ron Foster-WQIO- Stargard  
 - - - Keith London-WINW- Eddie Money  
 Cleveland, Becky-WGCL- Tavares  
 Wheeling, Jim Roberts-WKWK- Andrew Gold  
 Beckley, Dwayne Bonds-WCIR- Atlanta R.Section  
 Youngstown, Jack Taylor-Y103- Jay Ferguson  
 Altoona, John Harrison-WVAM- The Babys  
 - - - Tony Booth-WFBG- Tom Petty  
 Pittsburgh, Patti Sullivan-13Q- Dan & Coley  
 Johnstown, Douglas Kaye-WCRO- Crystal Gayle  
 Jackson, Garry Osborn-WIBM- Styx  
 Muskegon, Jon London-WTRU- ELO  
 Saginaw, Roger Sinclair-WSAM- Flack & Hathaway  
 Peoria, Lee Malcolm-WIRL- #5-Jay Ferguson  
 Carbondale, Rick Zurick-WCIL/FM- The Babys  
 Chicago, Dave Morgan-WMET- Jackson Browne  
 - - - Jim Smith-WLS- Barry Manilow  
 Rockford, Bob Goode-WROK- Dan & Coley  
 Freeport, Kevin Kenney-WACI- Chuck Mangione  
 Milwaukee, Pat McKay-WOKY- #12-Kansas  
 Two Rivers, John Barber-15Q- #12-L.R.Band  
 Appleton, Jason Page-WNAM- Styx  
 Stevens Point, Pat Martin-WSPT- Rubicon  
 Eau Claire, Sean McCartney-WEAQ- Carpenters  
 La Crosse, Pat Smith-WLCX- David Gates  
 Duluth, Beau Elliot-WBEC- #7-Jay Ferguson  
 Rochester, Denny Foster-KWEB- #10-Kansas  
 Minneapolis, Dave Thompson-KDWB- Kansas  
 St. Cloud, Tom Kay-WJON- Gordon Lightfoot  
 Grand Forks, Bob Hooper-KKXL- #13-Waylon & Willie  
 Fargo, Bob Denver-KQWB- Jackson Browne  
 Bismarck, Dan Brannan-KFYR- Little River Band  
 Minot, Doug Corbett-KKOA- Carpenters  
 Aberdeen, Gary Dixon-KSDN- Paul Nicholas  
 Huron, L.A.Timms-KOKK- #7-Brooklyn Dreams  
 Rapid City, Mick Kjar-KKLS- Sea Level  
 Sioux Falls, Tom Evans-KISD- John Denver  
 Sioux City, Bill Bodie-KWSL- Carpenters  
 Dubuque, Steve Sesterhenn-KFMD- Gene Cotton  
 - - - Scott Thomas-WDBQ- \*Yvonne Elliman  
 Ottumwa, Dave Carlson-KLEE- Cory Wells  
 Des Moines, Chris Collins-KIOA- David Gates  
 - - - Michael Stone-KMGK- Carpenters  
 Mason City, Bob Scott-KRIB- #13-Wet Willie  
 Cedar Rapids, Ron Thompson-KLWW- #9-Raydio  
 - - - Carl Mann-KCRG- John Denver  
 Lincoln, Gary Collins-KLMS- #8-David Gates  
 St. Louis, Todd Martin-KIRL- Jackson Browne  
 Jackson, Kent Nelson-KJAS- Styx  
 Kansas City, Bob Laurence-KBEQ- Waylon & Willie  
 Joplin, John David-KFSB- Rubicon  
 Lawrence, Mike Schmidt-KLWN/FM- #12-Heatwave  
 Topeka, J.R.Greeley-KEWI- #13-Odyssey  
 Wichita, Barry Casey-KEYN/FM- #10-Lou Rawls  
 - - - Bob Lawrence-KLEO- Karla Bonoff  
 Tulsa, Dr. Don-KAKC- Boz Scaggs  
 Oklahoma City, Chuck Morgan-KOFM- The Short People  
 Wichita Falls, King Wiggins-KTRN/FM- Eruption  
 Longview, Gary Howell-KLUE- Gordon Lightfoot  
 Amarillo, Mark Shannon-KPUR- Jackson Browne  
 Marshall, Jerry Rome-KMHT- John Travolta  
 Tyler, Robert Adams-KDOK- #12-Con Funk Shun  
 Dallas, Gary Mack-Z97- #8-Wet Willie  
 Temple, Lou Saint-KTEM- Carpenters  
 Waco, Mike Lucas-KRZI- Abba  
 Killeen, Stan Castles-KIXS- #10-Art Garfunkel

\*\*Correspondents not listed above will be found on pages 8 & 9....



Adult Contemporary Programming  
(Associate Editor, Ron Fell)

Most Active: LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton (RSO)

DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas (Kirshner) Neither has enjoyed much success at A/C stations until these particular releases. The records' success seems to be proving that A/C programmers can evaluate current product without prejudice. By the way, LAY DOWN SALLY is not from the Saturday Night Fever soundtrack.

Worth Watching: WE'LL NEVER HAVE TO SAY GOODBYE-England Dan & J.F. Coley (Big Tree) Gonna be a big A/C record. Already added at KMOX, WTAE, WNEW, KEX, WMAL, WOMC & WTMJ among many others.

Top Thirty

Note: The lines in the top thirty below indicate sharp separations in our research totals - much more of a division than can be represented by two consecutive numbers.

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

Action Sides

POOR, POOR PITIFUL ME-Linda Ronstadt  
ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave  
CALIFORNIA-Debbie Boone  
LITTLE ONE-Chicago  
MY REASON TO BE IS YOU-McCoo & Davis  
CLOSER I GET TO YOU-Roberta Flack  
CLOSE ENCOUNTERS THEME-Meco  
IT AMAZES ME-John Denver

Correspondents' Preferred Picks

WE'LL NEVER HAVE TO SAY...-Dan & Coley (Big T.)  
GIMME A LITTLE SIGN-Rick Nelson (Epic)  
TO LOVE SOMEBODY-Jackie DeShannon (Amherst)  
HAPPY ANNIVERSARY-Little River Band (Harvest)  
OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole (Capitol)  
WHAT'S EXPECTED OF ME NOW-Flo Lacey (Krugerrand)  
YOUR LOVE IS SO GOOD-Diana Ross (Motown)  
JACK & JILL-Raydio (Arista)  
THE AIR THAT I BREATHE-Mary Travers (Chrysalis)  
FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire (Columbia)

Sales and/or Requests

DANCE, DANCE, DANCE-Chic  
SILVER DREAMS-The Babys  
MAMAS, DON'T LET YOUR BABIES-Waylon & Willie  
THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND-Andrew Gold  
EBONY EYES-Bob Welch

Airplay

HONEY DON'T LEAVE L.A.-James Taylor  
DAYBREAK-Bette Midler  
ROCKIN' IN THE CRADLE-Rocky & Chyann  
IS IT REALLY LOVE AT ALL-Jericho Harp  
HOLLYWOOD-Boyz Scaggs

A - C Correspondents' Reports

Abbeville (Michael Adams-KROF) Kansas/Ronstadt/Cole/Gold/Chicago. Gains: Raydio/Rita C./Clapton.  
Anna, Ill. (Jane Michel-WRAJ) D. Ross/Denver/Gayle/E., W. & Fire/Rick Nelson/Dan & C./Atla. R.S.  
Asheville (Bob Rymell-WRAQ) Heatwave/Raydio. Gains: Kansas/Manilow/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Chic.  
Astoria (Doug McDowell-KAST) LeBlanc & Carr/Flo Lacey/James Taylor/Denver/Welch/Chic.  
Athens (Ty Richards-WATH) Johnny Cash/Waylon & Willie/Kansas/Denver. Calls: Lightfoot/Manilow.  
Austin (Bob Joseph-KCSW) P. Winter/C. Gayle/B. Paul. Gains: Rita C./D. Hill/John Williams.  
Baltimore (Dexter Beane-WCEM) Cotton/Gold/Cole/Clapton/Raydio. Gains: Manilow/P. Davis/Meco & Wms.  
Bend (Bill Jay-KBND) J. Taylor/D. Ross/Manilow. Gains: Welch/J. Harp/Little River Bd./J. Wms./Gibb  
Bismarck (Tom Bitz-KBOM) Denver/Dan & Coley/Atlanta Rhy. Sec/J. Taylor/Lightfoot. Gains: Gates.  
Blackfoot (Jack Sunday-KBLI) Flack/R. Nelson/N. Cole/Garrett. Gains: Garfunkel/Rita C./Gates/Abba.  
Bluefield (John Hoffman-WHIS) Welch/Elliman/Carpenters/Mangione/L.T.D. Gains: Commodores/Rita C.  
Boise (Lee Chabre-KBOI) Wings/Kansas/Mangione/Manilow/Denver/Klugh. Calls: Elliman/Gayle.  
Boston (Jim Spellmeyer-WEEI/FM) Rawls/Elvis Costello/Mangione/Flack. Gains: Gayle/Doucette.  
Brookhaven (Randall Smith-WJMB) Welch/James Taylor/Lightfoot/Lacey. Gains: Rita C./Carpenters.  
Buffalo (Roger Christian-WBEN) Kansas/Lightfoot/Mangione/Midler. Gains: Rita C./Bee Gees (FEVER).  
Burlington (Gary Wheelock-WVMT) Manilow/Bee Gees (FEVER)/C. Gayle/Carpenters. Gains: Elliman.  
Butte (Bob Roberts-KKLF) Steely Dan/Atlanta Rhy. S./Kansas/Flack/D. Ross. Gains: P. Davis/Rita C.  
Canton (Rick Jacobs-WHBC) Manilow/Ronstadt/Lightfoot/M. Travers/Richard Hewson.  
Cedar Rapids (Rick Sellers-WMT) Travers/LeBlanc & Carr/Dan & Coley/M. MacGregor.  
Charlottesville (Jim Racey-WCHV) A. Gold/E.L.O. Gains: Bee Gees (FEVER)/Clapton/Abba/Garfunkel.  
Chicago (Dave Martin-WFYR) Clapton. Calls: Manilow (COPACABANA). Gains: Manilow/Rawls/Steely Dan.  
- - - (Rob Reynolds-WYEN) R. Richards/Manilow (COPACABANA).  
Chico (Jan Claire-KPAY) Manilow/Denver/Kansas. Gains: B.J. Thomas/Bellamy Bros./B. Joel.  
Cincinnati (Susan Howe-WLW) C. Gayle/Carpenters/Cotton. Gains: J. Wms./Gibb.  
Clovis (Charlie Russell-KKQQ) Earth, Wind & Fire/D. Loggins/J. Taylor/Pockets/Rick Nelson.  
Columbia (Mike Collins-WIS) Bee Gees (FEVER)/Dan & Coley/Clapton. Gains: B.J. Thomas/Murray/Manilow  
Corona (Rick Painter-KWRM) Gayle/Lightfoot/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Aki Hara/P. Austin/Ronstadt/Clapton.  
Corvallis (Weldon Greig-KLOO) DeShannon/Travers/Don Brown/Garrett. Gains: Garfunkel/Martino/Rawls.  
Crescent City (Sue Williams-KPOD) Denver/Midler/Earth, Wind & Fire/Chicago/J. Taylor. Gains: Davis  
Des Moines (Del Hull-KRNT) Boone/Denver/Cisyk/Manilow/Lightfoot. Gains: Carpenters/Rita C.  
Detroit (Bob Chenault-WOMC) Dan & Coley/MacGregor/Mathis & Williams/Benson/Love Unltd. Orch.

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Black Radio  
(Associate Editor, Betty Hollars)

Hot Line: REACHING FOR THE SKY-Peabo Bryson (Capitol) Initial top 10 notoriety paves the way for increased airplay. Top 10 at WVKO, WMBM, WABQ, KUOP/FM, KGBC.

Looking Good: LET ME PARTY WITH YOU (PARTY, PARTY, PARTY)-Bunny Sigler (Gold Mind) Early attention grabber - now building cross country momentum: Columbus, St. Louis, Albany, Natchez, San Francisco and Chicago.

Correspondents' Top Thirty

The following list is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

LW	TW	LW	TW
2.	1. TOO HOT TA TROT-Commodores	17.	16. SHOUT IT OUT-B.T. Express
3.	2. OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole	18.	17. AM I LOSING YOU-Manhattans
4.	3. AIN'T GONNA' HURT NOBODY-Brick	19.	18. L-O-V-E-U-Brass Construction
1.	4. JACK & JILL-Raydio	20.	19. BABY COME BACK-Player
6.	5. THEME: WHICH WAY IS UP-Stargard	25.	20. BOOTZILLA-Bootsy's Rubber Band
12.	6. IT'S YOU THAT I NEED-Enchantment	26.	21. STAYIN' ALIVE-Bee Gees
7.	7. ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave	--.	22. THE CLOSER I GET TO YOU-Flack & Hathaway
9.	8. LOVE ME RIGHT-Denise LaSalle	10.	23. LOVELY DAY-Bill Withers
13.	9. FLASHLIGHT-Parliament	--.	24. REACHING FOR THE SKY-Peabo Bryson
11.	10. SOFT & EASY-Blackbyrds	21.	25. GALAXY-War
5.	11. LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls	22.	26. DANCE, DANCE, DANCE-Chic
8.	12. BABY...LOVE'S ALL FOR YOU-D.Williams	23.	27. WITH PEN IN HAND-Dorothy Moore
14.	13. LE SPANK-Le Pamplemousse	24.	28. REACH FOR IT-George Duke
15.	14. DON'T COST YOU NOTHIN'-Ashford & Simpson	--.	29. LET ME PARTY WITH YOU-Bunny Sigler
16.	15. PLAYING YOUR GAME BABY-Barry White	28.	30. COME GO WITH ME-Pockets

Movin' On Up

FOR YOUR LOVE, LOVE, LOVE-Joe Simon (Spring)      WORKING TOGETHER-Maze (Capitol)

Top Airplay

INTIMATE FRIENDS-Eddie Kendricks  
CLOSE ENCOUNTERS-Gene Page/Meco  
OUT OF THE GHETTO-Isaac Hayes  
RUMOUR HAS IT-Donna Summer  
EASY COME, EASY GO-Spinners  
WE FELL IN LOVE WHILE DANCING-Bill Brandon  
NEVER GET ENOUGH OF YOUR LOVE-LTD  
THE PARTY SONG-Slave  
LET'S HAVE SOME FUN-Barksys  
RUB DOWN-Joe Tex  
NEW HORIZONS-Sylvers  
SUPERSLICK CHICK-Kool & The Gang  
I LOVE MY MUSIC-Wild Cherry  
LOVE THAT WILL NOT DIE-Johnny Guitar Watson  
YOU ARE MY FRIEND-Patti Labelle  
GOOD LUCK CHARM-Ohio Players

Correspondents' Preferred Picks

ON BROADWAY-George Benson (Warner Bros.)  
RIDING HIGH-Faze-O (She)  
DANCE WITH ME-Peter Brown (Drive)  
BABY, YOU GOT MY NOSE OPEN-Harold Melvin & B.N.(ABC)  
FIND ME A GIRL-Jacksons (Epic)  
TRUST YOUR HEART-Bobby Womack (Columbia)  
LOVE IS ALL YOU NEED-High Inergy (Gordy)  
LET'S ALL CHANT-Michael Zager Band (Private Stock)  
ALL THE WAY LOVER-Millie Jackson (Spring)  
I COULD HAVE LOVED YOU-Moments (Stang)  
FREAKY DEAKY-Roy Ayers (Polydor)  
SISTER FINE-Impact (Fantasy)  
WISHING ON A STAR-Rose Royce (Whitfield)  
FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire (Columbia)  
DON'T THROW IT ALL AWAY-Delfonics (Arista)  
TOO MUCH, TOO LITTLE, TOO LATE-Johnny Mathis/Deniece Williams (Columbia)

Regional Highlights

Birmingham (Shelley Pope-WBUL) #2-Impact, #3-Controllers, #4-Blackbyrds, #6-Enchantment, #8-Bill Summers, #9-Rare Gems Odyssey, #10-Al Green. New: Brook Benton, Tyrone Davis, Flack & Hathaway.  
Chicago (Radio WVON) #6-Gene Page, #8-Bunny Sigler. Gns: ADC Band, P.Brown, D.Summer, E.Kendricks, Slave, H.Melvin, L.Ingram. New: Parliament, Ashford & S., Flack & Hathaway, Albert King (JOB).  
Chicago (Earnest James-WMBX) #1-Parliament, #5-Player, #6-S.Sang, #7-Brick. Gns: Bootsy, Ohio Players, D.Williams, Pockets, Living Proof. New: Manhattans, Donna Summer. LP: Eddie Kendricks.  
Chicago (Richard Steele-WJPC) #2-Stargard, #6-Denise LaSalle, #9-Player, #10-Bee Gees. Gns: Living Proof. New: Parliament, Slave, Albert King (SHOCK), LTD, P.Brown, Flack & Hath., H.Melvin, Ross.  
Cleveland (Mike Payne-WABQ) #1-Parliament, #2-Enchantment, #3-Brass Cons., #4-Player, #5-Stargard, #7-Bee Gees, #8-Blackbyrds, #10-Peabo Bryson. New: High Inergy, Rose Royce, Bobby Womack.  
Columbus (Keith Willis-WVKO) #1-Parliament, #3-Enchantment, #4-Chic, #6-Le Pamplemousse, #9-Mandrill #10-Peabo Bryson. Gns: S.Sang, B.T.Express, Slave. New: B.Sigler, LTD, Faze-O, P.Brown, Walden.  
Galveston (Randy Sterling-KGBC) #1-Parliament, #3-Peabo Bryson. New: Donna Summer, Eruption, Side Effect, Ted Taylor. Rq: Enchantment, A.King, Brick, Regal Dewy, Millie Jackson. On: Maze, Aalon.  
Henderson (J.T.-KGRI/FM) #2-Raydio, #5-Joe Tex, #10-J.G.Watson. Gns: Wild Cherry, Dells, LTD, R. Heritage, Joe Tex, High Inergy, Bobby Bland. New: P.Brown, Smokey, Fant.4, Side Effect, Bros.J.  
Miami (Ralph Featherstone-WMBM) #1-BT Express, #6-Parliament, #9-Peter Brown, #10-Bootsy. Gns: J.Mathis & D.Williams, Brook Benton, M.Jackson. New: M.Zager, K.C., Claudja Barry, B.Womack.  
Natchez (Haynes Ford-WNAT) #9-Penguin Feet. Gns: Slave, Player, Flack & Hathaway, Stargard, Bobby Womack, Manhattans, R.Royce, Isaac Hayes, Parliament. New: George Benson, Black Ice, C.Douglas.  
New York (Sonny Taylor-WWRL) #1-Meco/Gene Page, #2-Player, #10-Parliament. Gns: M.Zager, Eddie Kendricks, Ashford & S., Peter Brown. New: D.Ross, E.W.& F., P.Bryson, Moments, L.Ingram.  
St.Louis (Chico Brown-KATZ) #3-Stargard, #4-Al Green, #8-D.Moore, #10-Lou Rawls. New: Peabo Bryson The Jacksons, Bee Gees. LP's: Manhattans, K.C., Fifth Dimension. On: Gene Page, Bunny Sigler.  
St.Matthews, S.C. (Andy Henderson-WQKI) #7-Stargard, #9-Brass Cons. Gns: D.LaSalle, Flack & Hath. New: Joe Simon, Faze-O, LTD, E.W.& F., Jacksons. On: Maze, Tyrone Davis, Patti Labelle.  
Stockton (Charles Richardson-KUOP/FM) Chart: Bunny Sigler, Flack & Hath., Controllers, G.Benson, Peabo Bryson. Gns: Sylvers, Isaac Hayes, Johnny Guitar Watson. New: Stargard, Wild Cherry.  
Berkeley (Rob Singleton-KRE) New: Johnny Mathis & Deniece Williams. Rq: Flack & Hathaway. New LP's David Spinozza, Dee Dee Bridgewater, Lenny White, Chick Corea. Hot LP's: P.Sanders, N.Pointer.

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Country Music  
(Associate Editor, Elma Greer)

Prime Mover: RETURN TO ME-Marty Robbins (Columbia) Marty's manner of doing the sixties hit by Dean Martin returns with much success.

Next In Line: I'VE GOT A WINNER IN YOU-Don Williams (ABC) Already a winner with programmers. Should receive broad acceptance.

Top Country Hits

The following list of country hits is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

LW	TW		LW	TW	
1.	1.	DON'T BREAK THE HEART...-Margo Smith	17.	16.	SHINE ON ME-John Wesley Ryles
6.	2.	WHAT DID I PROMISE...-Mel Tillis	20.	17.	IF I HAD...-Mel Street
8.	3.	MAMAS, DON'T LET...-Waylon & Willie	25.	18.	RUNNIN' KIND-Merle Haggard
2.	4.	I JUST WISH YOU WERE...-Larry Gatlin	23.	19.	YOU KNOW WHAT-Jerry Reed & Seidina
4.	5.	WOMAN TO WOMAN-Barbara Mandrell	11.	20.	WHAT A DIFFERENCE...-Ronnie Milsap
9.	6.	DO I LOVE YOU-Donna Fargo	29.	21.	BEDROOM EYES-Don Drumm
3.	7.	YOU'RE THE ONE-Oak Ridge Boys	30.	22.	RETURN TO ME-Marty Robbins
12.	8.	I LOVE YOU...-Ronnie McDowell	21.	23.	SHAKE ME I RATTLE-Cristy Lane
7.	9.	TO DADDY-Emmylou Harris	22.	24.	ANGEL OF THE MORNING-Melba Montgomery
10.	10.	I DON'T NEED A THING AT ALL-Gene Watson	--.	25.	YES MA'AM-Tommy Overstreet
5.	11.	OUT OF MY HEAD...-Loretta Lynn	--.	26.	READY FOR THE TIMES...-Crystal Gayle
14.	12.	BARTENDERS BLUES-George Jones	--.	27.	SOFT LIGHTS...-Moe Bandy
24.	13.	WALK RIGHT BACK-Anne Murray	--.	28.	SOMEONE LOVES YOU HONEY-Charley Pride
15.	14.	GOD MADE LOVE-Mel McDaniel	--.	29.	COLORADO COOL-AID-Johnny Paycheck
19.	15.	TWO DOORS DOWN-Zella Lehr	--.	30.	LONELY HEARTS CLUB-Billie Jo Spears

Other Gains, Sales and/or Requests

A LOVER'S QUESTION-Jacky Ward  
IT DON'T FEEL LIKE SINNIN'...-Kendalls  
EVERYTIME TWO FOOLS COLLIDE-K.Rogers & D.West  
BUCKET TO THE SOUTH-Ava Barber  
RED HOT MEMORY-Kenny Dale  
I'VE GOT A WINNER IN YOU-Don Williams  
I CHEATED...-Billy "Crash" Craddock  
IT STARTED ALL OVER AGAIN-Vern Gosdin  
HEARTS ON FIRE-Eddie Rabbitt  
EVERYBODY LOVES A RAIN SONG-B.J. Thomas

Action Sides

HERE IN LOVE-Dotsey  
MUSIC IS MY WOMAN-Don King  
CRY, CRY DARLING-Con Hunley  
I'M WAY AHEAD OF YOU-Bill Anderson & M.L.Turner  
SWEET, SWEET SMILE-Carpenters  
THE GRANDEST LADY OF THEM ALL-Conway Twitty  
I WOULD LIKE...-Johnny Cash  
SO GOOD, SO RARE, SO FINE-Freddie Hart  
POOR, POOR PITIFUL ME-Linda Ronstadt  
LOVE SOMEBODY TO DEATH-Ed Bruce

Airplay: (New listings are underlined)

Dickey Lee (22); Jim Reeves (21); Johnny Rodriguez (20); T.G. Sheppard (20); Don Gibson (19);  
Cal Smith (16); Connie Smith (13); Faron Young (12); Jerry Wallace (12); John Denver (10);  
Tompall Glaser (10); Jerry Naylor (10).

Recommended Newer Releases

THAT LUCKY OLD SUN-Nat Stuckey (MCA)      BABY IT'S YOU-Janie Fricke (Columbia)  
I'LL NEVER BE FREE-Jim Ed Brown/Helen Cornelius (RCA)      EASY-Barry Kaye (MCA)  
HANG ON FEELIN'-Red Steagall (ABC)      FINGERNAILS-Joe Ely (MCA)

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Roundup

Aberdeen (Jack McDaniel-KKAA) Deb-F.Hart (27), J.Ward (28), D.King (29), P.Rakes (30).  
Akron (Don Dempsey-WSLR) Gns-T.Overstreet (27-19). Pl-D.Williams, C.Hunley, K.Rogers & D.West.  
Amarillo (Terry Amburn-KBUY) Deb-G.Griffith (24), T.Glaser (27). Pl-J.Rodriguez, B.Rice, Joe Ely.  
Ann Arbor (Mark Thomas-WNRS) Pl-L.D.Wilkins, B.J.Shaver, J.Fricke, E.Clapton, A.Garfunkel, Fender.  
Asheville (Dave Jacobs-WWNC) Gns-J.Ward (27-8), E.Bruce (22-10). Pl-T.G.Sheppard, R.Clark.  
Ashland, Ore. (Christopher Stoney-KCMX) Pl-R.Clark, T.Overstreet, Cal Smith, F.Young. Rq-E.Rabbitt.  
Baltimore (Danny Reese-WPOC) Pl-T.Overstreet, Merle Haggard, B.J.Spears, Moe Bandy, Charley Pride.  
Battle Creek (Jim Clark-WWKQ) Pl-D.King, J.Ward, B.W.Loftis, C.Gayle, Short People (TALL PEOPLE).  
Billings (Mary June-KBMY) Deb-A.Murray (18). Pl-E.Bruce, R.Clark, Carpenters, F.Young, J.Denver.  
Biloxi (Lance Carson-WVMI) Pl-Cristy Lane, C.Pride, Mel McDaniel, C.Gayle, G.Lightfoot. Rq-J.Ward.  
Birmingham (Dan Brennan-WVOK) Deb-D.Drumm (9), E.Rabbitt (15), L.Ronstadt (18). Pl-D.Lee, K.Moffatt  
Boise (Paul Rider-KGEM) Pl-E.Rabbitt, C.Twitty, D.Williams. Rq-P.Craft, B.Rice.  
Bryan (Warren Davis-KORA/FM) Deb-M.Street (32), D.Drumm (33), M.Miller (34), Z.Lehr (35). Rq-Pride.  
Cape Girardeau (David Holt-KZYM) Deb-B.J.Thomas (25). Pl-C.Gayle, Kendalls, Moe Bandy, Zella Lehr.  
Carrollton (Ray Hammons-WLBB) Pl-J.DeShannon, Connie Smith, Carpenters, M.Ball, B.J.Spears.  
Charlotte (Larry James-WBT) Pl-B.Lumas, Marty Mitchell, J.Naylor. Rq-K.Rogers and D.West.  
Chicago (Bill Hart-WJJD) Deb-C.Gayle (27), C.Pride (29), D.Williams (30). Pl-T.Overstreet.  
- - - (Joanne Calloway-WMAQ) Pl-Ronnie Milsap, B.J.Thomas, Anne Murray. Rq-V.Gosdin, B.J.Spears.  
Chillicothe, Ill. (Rhea Ann Weatherford-WCLL) Pl-Cal Smith, Merle Haggard. Rq-Eric Carmen, A.Murray  
Columbia (Ken Martin-WCOS) Pl-D.King, Don Drumm, Johnny Cash, K.Rogers and D.West.  
Corpus Christi (Ed Sharpe-KOUL) Pl-Bellamy Bros., T.G.Sheppard, J.Wallace, Carpenters, Rogers/West.  
Cypress Gardens (Terry Slane-WGTO) Pl-K.Rogers/West, J.Naylor, D.Gibson, K.Dale, F.Hart, V.Gosdin.  
Denver (Bill Ashford-KLAK) Gns-C.Hunley (31-13). Pl-S.Allanson, J.Wallace, J.Peters, L.D.Wilkins.  
Des Moines (J.P.Andrews-KSO) Deb-D.Williams (51), A.Barber (54), J.Naylor (56), Dotsey (57).  
Detroit (Cindy-WDEE) Pl-D.Williams, J.Reeves, J.Cash, B.K.Perry, C.Hunley, E.Rabbitt, Rogers/West.  
Eugene (Bob Wise-KEED) Pl-J.Paycheck (COOL-AID), Connie Smith, J.Wallace, S.Allanson.  
Everett/Seattle (Lee Wade-KWYZ) Pl-A.Barber, Ed Bruce, Con Hunley, J.Ward, Rogers/West. Rq-T.Glaser  
Fayetteville (Mike Edwards-WFAI) Gns-G.Watson (28-17). Pl-Johnny Lee, L.D.Wilkins, Craddock (ABC).  
Florence (Steve Casey-WXOR) Pl-B.K.Perry, C.Twitty, K.Bonoff, T.G.Sheppard, E.Bruce, G.Lightfoot.  
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Ft. Dodge (Dale Eichor-KWMT) Pl-Rogers/West, J.Reeves, Dotts, C.Hunley, Carpenters. Rq-Cal Smith.  
Ft.Worth/Dallas (Art Davis-WBAP) Deb-Ernest Tubb (46). Pl-Rogers/West, Freddie Hart, K.Dale.  
Hanford (Dave Bazzell-KNGS) Deb-E.Rabbitt (31), J.Ward (35). Pl-K.Dale, Kendalls, F.Hart.  
Harlan (Rob Baxter-WFSR) Deb-M.Robbins (50), B.C.Craddock (Cap.) (54), D.Gibson (57).  
Houma (Les Domangue-KCIL) #1-D.Fargo. Gns-C.Pride (40-12), Carpenters (45-14). Pk-Johnny Lee.  
Houston (Bruce Nelson-KENR) Gns-K.Dale (22-14). Pl-J.Ely, D.Drumm, Dotts, Brown/Cornelius.  
 - - - (Joe Ladd-KIKK) Pl-D.Drumm, B.J.Spears, J.E.Brown/Cornelius, J.Ely, Red Steagall.  
Huntsville (Rick Warren-WBHP) Pl-J.Rodriguez, K.Rogers/West, Kendalls, Bill Rice. Rq-Van Trevor.  
Indianapolis (Bill Robinson-WIRE) Gns-D.Drumm (35-27). Pl-E.Bruce, Carpenters, Dotts, C.Hunley.  
Jacksonville (J.St.John-WQIK) Pl-E.Clapton, Rogers/West, F.Hart, Kendalls, C.Twitty.  
Jamestown (Ole Olson-KSJB) Pl-Carpenters, Ronstadt, Cal Smith, Connie Smith, David Rogers.  
Kansas City (Don Rhea-KCKN) Deb-B.J.Thomas (23), Cal Smith (29), D.Lee (30). Pl-C.Pride, J.Cash.  
 - - - (Ted Cramer-WDAF) Gns-M.Bandy (26-13). Deb-Anderson/Turner (30). Pl-A.Murray, C.Gayle.  
Kennewick (Doug Allen-KOTY) Pl-E.Rabbitt, Rogers/West, G.Lightfoot. Rq-Kendalls, C.Gayle (U.A.).  
Kingsville (Gordon C.Marcy-KINE) Deb-E.Rabbitt (22). Pl-B.J.Spears, Kendalls, B.J.Thomas, C.Gayle.  
Knoxville (Dave Young-WIVK) Pl-K.Rogers/D.West, Jimmy Peters, Carpenters. Rq-B.J.Thomas, Garfunkel.  
Lansing (Wayne Waters-WITL) Pl-Connie Smith. Rq-C.Pride, Rogers/West, D.Williams, L.Ronstadt.  
Las Vegas (Johnny Steele-KRAM) Pl-J.Wallace, J.Rodriguez, M.Bandy, P.Craft, T.G.Sheppard.  
Lockhart (John Hood-KCLT) Deb-C.Gayle (22) (U.A.). Pl-La Costa, P.Craft, J.Cash, D.King.  
Los Angeles (Cathy Hahn-KLAC) Gns-M.Robbins (31-21). Pl-A.Barber, Dotts, D.Gibson, J.Wallace.  
Manitowoc (Bob Irish-WCUB) Deb-J.Ward (22), Dotts (27), D. Williams (21). Pl-E.Rabbitt, Kendalls.  
Medford (Nick Jaggestone-KSHA) Pl-Moonliters, Ed Bruce, John Denver, B.D.Burns, Daisy Dillman Bd.  
Memphis (Hal Jay-WMC) Gns-B.J.Thomas (15-7). Pl-M.Haggard, T.G.Sheppard, Johnny Rodriguez.  
Miami (Ron Tatar-WWOK) Pl-M.Haggard, B.C.Craddock (Cap.), M.Robbins, D.Gibson. Deb-P.Wagoner (30).  
Missoula (Jack Lundy-KGRZ) Deb-Carpenters (31), Rogers/West (32). Pl-J.Rodriguez, V.Gosdin.  
Mobile (Bill Robbins-WKSJ) Deb-M.Street (16). Pl-D.Williams, E.Rabbitt, C.Pride, C.Twitty.  
Modesto (Kenny Roberts-KTRB) Pl-C.Gayle (U.A.), K.Dale, J.Ward. Rq-D.Drumm, M.Bandy.  
Monroe (Gary McKenney-KNOE) Deb-C.Twitty (33), Rogers/West (35), Carpenters (38), T.G.Sheppard (42).  
Montgomery (Diane Brennan-WBAM) Pl-D.Rogers, Connie Smith, Cal Smith, F.Young, David Wilkens.  
Nashville (Dale Turner-WKDA) Pl-J.Fricke, B.Kaye, J.Rodriguez, A.Barber, Ed Bruce, L.D.Wilkens.  
 - - - (Mary Catherine-WSM) Pl-B.Kaye, F.Hart, C.Smith, Ava Barber. Deb-B.Luman (35).  
Natchez (Bob Cupit-WNAT) Pl-D.Williams, B.Thundercloud, Connie Smith, D.Drumm, K.Rogers/West.  
Oakland (Bob Guerra-KNEW) Pl-K.Dale, F.Hart, J.Cash, D.Gibson, Rogers/West, D.Lee.  
Orlando (Mike Burger-WHOO) Pl-S.Allanson, Brown/Cornelius, M.McDaniel, J.Foster, J.Rodriguez.  
Oshkosh (Charlie Hart-WYTL) Pl-R.Clark, E.Bruce, F.Young, C.Twitty, K.Rogers/West. Rq-D.Lee.  
Panama City (John Dunaway-WPAP) Pl-A.Barber, C.Twitty, E.Rabbitt, Carpenters, Dotts, F.Hart.  
Pascagoula (Larry Hester-WGUD) Pl-C.Hunley, E.Clapton, Eddie Rabbitt, A.Barber. Rq-J.Ward, J.Peters.  
Phoenix (Terry Black-KJJJ) Pl-B.J.Shaver, M.Mitchell, M.K.Miller, S.Allanson, C.Potter. Rq-W.Kemp.  
 - - - (John Buchanan-KNIX) Deb-J.Reeves (33). Pl-J.Paycheck (COOL), Don Drumm, T.G.Sheppard.  
Pt.Arthur (Dick Davis-KYKR) Pk-J.Rodgers. Pl-B.C.Craddock (ABC), Peggy Sue, Carpenters.  
Portland (Don Lane-KRDR) Gns-B.J.Spears (32-17). Pl-M.Weisman, Connie Smith, J.Foster, M.Mitchell.  
Pueblo (Randy Lee-KPUB) Pl-C.Pride, D.Williams, B.C.Craddock, C.Gayle, J.Cash, Jim Reeves.  
Redmond (Harry Gift-KPRB) Pl-T.G.Sheppard, Cal Smith, D.Sherrill, Dotts, Con Hunley.  
Rochester (Pat O'Neill-KKEE) Deb-D.King (26). Pl-R.Sovine, Kendalls, C.Twitty, Linda Ronstadt.  
Rockford (Curtis King-WKKN) Gns-M.McDaniel (31-10). Pl-J.Reeves, A.Barber, J.Lee, S.Allanson.  
Saginaw (Tommy Samoray-WKCC) Pl-J.Rodriguez, E.Rabbitt, C.Pride. Rq-M.McDaniel, Jim Reeves.  
St. Cloud (Dean Allen-WWJO) Deb-M.Haggard (36), Reed & Seidina (37), M.Street (38), Kendalls (39).  
St. Joseph (Bob Orf-KFEQ) Pl-T.G.Sheppard, R.Clark, J.Ward, Bill Rice, J.Cash. Rq-Kendalls.  
Salem (Jeff Williams-KGAY) Pl-Dolly Parton (2 DOORS DOWN), D.King, B.Kaye, Joe Ely.  
San Bernardino (Bob Mitchell-KCKC) Deb-L.Ronstadt (35). Pl-D.Gibson, J.Fricke, B.K.Perry.  
San Diego (Ed Chandler-KSON) Pl-S.Allanson, Linda Ronstadt, Kenny Dale, Marty Robbins.  
San Jose (Don West-KEEN) Gns-C.Gayle (33-17). Pl-M.Mitchell, B.J.Shaver, Bellamy Bros., Sheppard.  
Savannah (Terry Wunderlin-WQQT) Pl-J.Denver, D.Gibson, G.Lightfoot, J.Naylor, J.Rodriguez, F.Young.  
Shreveport (Jim Hawthorne-KWKH) Deb-C.Pride (16), J.Ward (19). Pl-Carpenters, T.G.Sheppard.  
South Bend (Tom Sidwell-WJVA) Gns-E.Clapton (32-18), M.Haggard (28-19). Pl-Z.Lehr, B.J.Thomas.  
Stevens Point (Pat Martin-WXYQ) Pl-P.Wagoner, A.Barber, Z.Lehr, J.W.Ryles, Rogers/West, D.Williams.  
Tacoma (Russ Riley-KMO) Pl-F.Young, B.J.Shaver, J.Lee, B.Fairchild, J.Denver.  
Tampa (Joe Patrick-WQYX/FM) Pl-D.Williams, Don Gibson, E.Rabbitt, Don King, George Jones.  
Thibodaux (Rick Luquette-KTIB) Pk-J.Denver, J.Rodriguez, K.Rogers/West, Cal Smith. Pl-F.Young.  
Toledo (Bob Pepas-WTOD) Pl-J.Rodriguez, F.Young, E.Rabbitt, Don Williams, T.G.Sheppard.  
Toronto (Joe LeFresne-CFGM) Pl-B.Borchers, R.McDowell, G.Lightfoot. Pk-D.Fargo.  
Tucson (Tim Tyler-KIKX) Pl-F.Young, C.Twitty, Carpenters, Rogers/West, J.Wallace, Vern Gosdin.  
Tulsa (Billy Parker-KVOO) Pl-M.Robbins, Cal Smith, J.Rodriguez, J.Paycheck, B.C.Craddock.  
Twin Falls (Carl R.Raida-KLIX) Pl-P.Sue, Kendalls, Cal Smith, C.Twitty, T.G.Sheppard. Rq-A.Barber.  
Victoria (Marvin Paul-KNAL) Pl-C.Pride, D.Gibson, Eddie Rabbitt, Kendalls, J.Rodriguez.  
W.Palm Beach (Jim Howie-WIRK/FM) Gns-Z.Lehr (24-14), C.Lane (28-27). Deb-M.Montgomery (21).  
Wichita (Don Walton-KFDI) Pk-P.Craft. Pl-J.Foster, S.Allanson, C.Louvin, L.D.Wilkens, J.Fricke.  
Wheeling (Bob Berry-WWVA) Pl-G.Jones, K.Dale, L.Ronstadt, M.McDaniel, D.Gibson, S.Allanson.  
Wolf Point (Jerry Gerke-KVCK) Pl-Kendalls, M.Bandy, P.Sue, B.J.Shaver, Taylor/Stone, Connie Smith.  
Yakima (Jerry Wilson-KUTI) Pl-J.Rodriguez, J.Paycheck, B.Luman, B.K.Perry, T.G.Sheppard.  
Yankton (Jefferson Red-WNAX) Deb-C.Gayle (31), B.C.Craddock (Cap.) (32), B.K.Perry (38).

Country Radio Seminar

The Country Radio Seminar, on March 17-18, in Nashville promises to be an informative and very discussion-oriented one, according to Terry Wood of WONE-Dayton, the Agenda Committee Chairman. The theme, "The Future of Country," will include such topics as:

- New Engineering Advances, not only this year but five to six years from now.
- Audience Research and Methodology, with Bill Engle of ARB, Peter Roslow of Pulse and Bill Moyes of Audience Research.
- Sales and Promotions, with Rik Rogers of WPLO-Atlanta and Don Boyes of WSUN-Tampa.
- Setting up a Programming Department, with John Chaffey of Malrite Broadcasting and Al Greenfield of KIKK-Houston.



Top 40 Station Reports - February 13 thru Wed. February 15

(Total Reports this week 225 - last week 213)

Research Assistant - Kent Zimmerman

- LITTLE ONE-Chicago- 21 reports. WKXX (22). Also: WIRL (14), KGKL (22 to 16), WGNI (24 to 18), KSLY (23), WONS (28), KDON (28), KBOZ (30). On: WBTR/FM, WCGQ, WFRC, WGCL, WOHS, KIOO, KFLY, KTEM, KQOT, KOBO, KNDE, KMHT.
- BABY HOLD ON-Eddie Money- 27 reports (19 last week). 13Q (25), KFRC (26). On: KSLQ. Also: KDON (12 to 6), KFIV (8), KSLY (12), KATA (18 to 13), KOBO (24 to 18), KSTN (25 to 19), KYNO (19), KKIQ (21), KFLY (22), WKKY (29 to 24), KJOY (25), 3WD (27), WAVZ (28), WABB (30). On: WCGQ, WDLF, WONS, KGAL, KIOO, KPAM, KQOT, KRHC, KTEM. Rq: KRLC.
- SWEET, SWEET SMILE-Carpenters- 29 reports. WOKY (28 to 22). On: WBBQ. Also: WNUE (24 to 15), WACI (26), KRLC (27), WDLF (27), WEAQ (30). On: WBGW, WBSR, WDUN, WFLB, WHEB, WHHY, WIGY, Z96, WOHS, WLOF, CKIOI, KBOZ, KFYE, KGKL, KISD, KKOAA, KLBK, KMHT, KOBO, KTEM. Rq: KOKK, KGAL.
- STREET CORNER SERENADE-Wet Willie- 39 reports (62 last week). Z93 (8), 99X (26 to 15), KTAC (18), KLIF (20), WAYS (23), WPRO/FM (30 to 24). Also: WBTR/FM (4), KQOT (5), WILS (10 to 5), KPAM (6), WDUN (7), WNUE (7), 3WD (9), KRLC (10), KEIN (10), WQEN (10), CKPR (19 to 11), WKSP (17 to 12), KRIB (13), KYJC (14), WAAY (14), KZUE (21 to 16), KKLS (17), etc. Off: KLOG.
- EVERYBODY LOVES A RAIN SONG-B.J. Thomas- 41 reports (42 last week). KJRB (27). On: WNOE. Also: WZOO (17 to 7), WFLB (10), WBTR/FM (19 to 14), KCRS (21 to 15), WKKY (22 to 16), KKOAA (18), KEWI (18), KATI (19), Q107 (20), WFAH (30 to 20), KGKL (22), WCRO (28 to 23), KRLC (23), KKXL (24), WRFC (25), WCGQ (26), WSPT (27), WLOF (28), WGOW (28), etc. Off: WANS.
- BREAKDOWN-Tom Petty & the Heartbreakers- 41 reports (48 last week). WBBQ (12), KING (18), WZUU (19), WRKO (22), KRSP (23), WZZD (28). On: KJR, KJRB. Also: KFIV (6), KATA (8), KDON (8), KATI (15 to 8), KYLT (10), WDUN (23 to 11), KBOZ (11), KOOK (11), WAUG/FM (12), KISD (15), KQOT (22 to 17), KFYR (17), KKLS (18), KQWB (20), KGGG (21), WPST (23), WBTR/FM (29 to 24), etc.
- SILVER DREAMS-The Babys- 43 reports (30 last week). WQXI (23), WNOE (29). Also: WXXX (12), KRLC (15), KSLY (15), 3WD (16), KOKK (24 to 18), KVSL (21), WCIR (21), WIGY (23), KTEM (24), KRIZ (24), KEWI (25), WKKY (30 to 25), KAYC (26), KRHC (29), KTAM (30). On: WACI, KZUE, KMHT, KYLT, KKIQ, KISD, KGKL, KFMD, KFLY, KAKC, CKIOI, WKSP, WKWK, WKLN, WVAM, WWKE, WICC, etc.
- YOU REALLY GOT ME-Van Halen- 44 reports (41 last week). B100 (15). On: 99X, KING. Also: 3WD (17), KEZY (17), KYA (18), WSPT (19), KYLT (23), KRHC (23), KJOY (26), KATA (26), WGNI (26), KROK (27), WCRO (28), WIGY (29), WACI (30), WISM (30), KSTN (30). On: KNDE, KOOK, KRKE, KTAM, KYJC, KISD, KFXD, KFLY, KDOK, KALE, CKIOI, KIOO, WKSP, WKWK, WNUE, WRBR, WRFC, WVAM, WIRK, etc.
- THEME: WHICH WAY IS UP-Stargard- 47 reports (24 last week). WHBQ (7), KSLQ (16), Z93 (23), WBBQ (28), 96X (29). On: WAYS, WNOE, WQXI. Also: WGNI (2), Q107 (24 to 6), WFRC (10), WFLB (11), KAYC (18), WAGQ (20), WISE (20), WANS (26 to 21), WBSR (28 to 22), KJAS (23), WAVZ (25), WTMA (25), WRFC (28), WAUG/FM (29). On: KOBO, KROK, KTAM, KYLT, KKIQ, KJOY, etc.
- NATIVE NEW YORKER-Odyssey- 52 reports (67 last week). WFIL (5), 13Q (10), KFRC (19), KLIF (19), WBBQ (29). Also: KDON (8 to 3), KYNO (4), WGUY (6), KMHT (6), WABB (7), WAIR (7), WCRO (7), WOHS (7), WKWK (9), WFBC (15 to 9), WANS (10), CKIOI (10), KELP (16 to 10), KJAS (10), KKIQ (15 to 10), WJON (11), WGOW (11), KSTN (13), KEWI (13), KLMS (14), KRKE (22 to 14), etc.
- LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls- 54 reports (43 last week). WFIL (14), WAYS (22 to 17), WQXI (23). On: KING, WNOE. Also: WHHY (2), WKKY (3), WDLF (4), KTEM (11 to 5), KLBK (6), KDON (9), WSAM (10), KEYN/FM (16 to 10), WGSV (11), WJON (20 to 14), KYNO (16), WOHS (16), WRFC (21 to 16), WYRE (17), WABB (18), WGOW (24 to 18), KRHC (19), WBSR (26 to 20), KBOZ (20), KAYC (21), etc.
- HOLLYWOOD-Boz Scaggs- 57 reports (42 last week). WKXX (25), WPRO/FM (28), WHBQ (29). On: KING. Also: WCOS (14), KDOK (15), WWKE (22 to 15), WGLF (18), KJOY (18), KSLY (19), KNDE (20), KISD (20), KZUE (24), KDON (24), KYJC (25), WAUG/FM (26), WGSV (26), WGCL (28), KOBO (28), KTAM (29), WYRE (29). On: KOKK, KOOK, KRKE, KSTN, KWEB, KWIC, KYLT, KKIQ, KGKL, WZOO, WTMA, etc.
- I GO CRAZY-Paul Davis- 70 reports (68 last week). B100 (3), KIOA (11 to 4), KRSP (12 to 7), KFI (8), 10Q (9), KHJ (16 to 9), KJRB (9), KJR (15 to 10), KLIF (21 to 11), WCOL (13), WZUU (20), 13Q (21), WNBC (22), Y100 (29). On: WFIL. Also: WKKY (1), KGGG (3), KRHC (4), WWKE (5), KFIV (5), WZYQ (11 to 6), WQID (6), KELP (13 to 6), KERN (6), KFXD (6), KIRL (7), etc.
- OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole- 72 reports (56 last week). WHBQ (2), WQXI (4), KILT (13 to 7), Z93 (13 to 7), 96X (19 to 7), Y100 (25 to 19), WBBQ (20), WBBF (22), KRTH (25), 13Q (27), WAYS (29). On: WAKY, KING, KJR, KJRB, KLIF. Also: WAVZ (2), WACI (10 to 3), WKKY (4), WSGA (6), WFRC (8), KEEL (9), WANS (16 to 9), WBTR/FM (10), WHHY (20 to 10), WGCL (11), etc.
- THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND-Andrew Gold- 73 reports. 94Q (20 to 15), KRSP (22 to 16), KFI (16), Z93 (30 to 21), WQXI (30 to 24), WSAI (26), WIFI (27), WKXX (27). On: WBBF, WBBQ, KILT, KING, KJR, KJRB. Also: WHHY (28 to 17), KSLY (28 to 21), WNUE (22), KKIQ (26), WIGY (26), KDON (27), KJOY (27), KNDE (27), WGSV (28), WGUY (28), WSPT (28), WABB (29), WANS (29), WRFC (29), etc.
- BEFORE MY HEART FINDS OUT-Gene Cotton- 90 reports (72 last week). B100 (24), WBBQ (25), WAKY (29), WMAK (29). On: WKXX, WQXI, KING, KLIF, KSLQ. Also: WBTR/FM (11), WGSV (14), WISM (14), WKLN (14), KVSL (15), WMFJ (15), WHHY (21 to 15), 3WD (18), WGNI (19), WSPT (20), WCGQ (21), WKKY (27 to 22), KLBK (23), KSTN (23), KTEM (23), KELP (23), KALE (28 to 23), WRFC (24), etc.
- RUNNIN' ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne- 91 reports. WKXX (12), KRTH (18), 99X (19), 96X (20), B100 (21), Y100 (24), WQXI (24), WBBQ (26), Z93 (28), WRKO (28), WOKY (28). On: KING, KJR, KJRB. Also: KBEQ (14), KSLY (21 to 16), KYXX/FM (24 to 16), KIIS/FM (16), WKLN (20), KNDE (21), KJOY (29 to 21), WIGY (24), KNOW (25), KSEL (25), KJAS (25), KLWN/FM (26), KRLC (26), etc.
- IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman-94 reports (60 last week). KJRB (14), WPRO/FM (27 to 21), WMAK (30 to 24), WBBQ (27), WIFI (30), 13Q (30). On: 94Q, KLIF, KFRC, KFI, Z93, WZZD, WRKO, WQXI, WNOE, WFIL. Also: KSTN (3), WIGY (3), KOOK (5), KTEM (22 to 8), WXXX (8), WHHY (15 to 8), WCIR (9), KJOY (18 to 10), WDLF (10), WGOW (12), KLOG (12), WCGQ (14), WAUG/FM (24 to 15), etc.
- JACK & JILL-Raydio- 105 reports (78 last week). KILT (6), Y100 (12 to 7), WBBQ (7), 96X (10), WHBQ (18), WNOE (20), 99X (22), 10Q (29 to 22), KRSP (24), KRTH (24), WZZD (27), WQXI (27), B100 (29), 13Q (29). On: WAYS, WRKO, KFRC, KSLQ. Also: Q107 (15 to 1), WANS (2), WCGQ (2), WRFC (9 to 4), KILE (10 to 5), WQEN (6), KZUE (7), WGNI (8), KOBO (17 to 9), KLWW (9), etc.
- FALLING-LeBlanc & Carr- 111 reports (88 last week). 94Q (2), WBBQ (5), WKXX (8), Z93 (12), WSAI (13), WQXI (15), KSLQ (15), KJRB (21 to 16), KRSP (23 to 17), KRTH (17), KING (21), WPRO/FM (29 to 23), WMAK (26), 10Q (28), B100 (28), KFI (30). On: WAYS, WFIL, KILT, KJR. Also: WQEN (4), KKXL (4), WCRO (5), WNUE (6), WAUG/FM (7), KQDI (9), KILE (14 to 9), etc.

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GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates- 114 reports (81 last week). 94Q (4), KILT (15 to 10), WQXI (10), WSAI (11), WKXX (17), Z93 (19), WBBQ (23), KRTH (23), KSLQ (26), WAKY (30). On: WFIL, WZZD, KING, KIOA, KJR, KRSP. Also: KQWB (9 to 3), WAIR (3), WXXX (3), WGSV (4), WIGY (5), KSLY (16 to 6), WGNI (7), WKLN (7), KKTQ (12 to 7), KLMS (8), WDLF (8), WAGQ (16 to 8), etc.

EBONY EYES-Bob Welch- 121 reports (86 last week). B100 (15 to 7), WZUU (12), 94Q (14), KING (21 to 16), KJRB (23 to 18), KJR (19), WKXX (23), KHJ (30 to 23), WAYS (25), KRSP (26), 13Q (26), WIFI (26), WMAK (27), KTAC (27), Z93 (29), 10Q (30), WPRO/FM (30). On: WBBQ, WNOE, WRKO, KFI, KLIF. Also: KWEB (15), KKLS (15), WLLL (20 to 15), KMJC (18), WZYQ (27 to 18), KRIZ (19), etc.

POOR, POOR PITIFUL ME-Linda Ronstadt- 136 reports (139 last week). Z93 (6), 94Q (9), 99X (10), KRSP (18 to 12), 13Q (13), WKXX (18 to 13), KJR (14), KJRB (15), B100 (18), KFRC (18), WPRO/FM (19), WMAK (27 to 19), KING (25 to 20), 10Q (23), WRKO (29 to 23), WNOE (23), WBBQ (24), KFI (25), WAKY (25), 96X (30). On: WLS, KLIF. Also: WHHY (4), WZOO (18 to 8), etc.

- - -DEBUTS- - -

NAME OF THE GAME-Abba- 112 reports (106 last week). KRSP (9 to 4), 13Q (5), KJRB (11), WRKO (13), WPRO/FM (14), WZUU (18), 99X (18), WBBQ (19), WOKY (21), KFI (29 to 23), WBBF (30 to 25), WQXI (26), KLIF (28). On: WAKY, WFIL, WNOE, KILT, KJR, KTAC. Also: WBGD (1), KLOG (4), WISE (6), KOOK (7), KTRN (13 to 7), KFXD (7), WILS (7), WEBC (8), KCRG (17 to 8), KYLT (8), etc.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY-Little River Band- 118 reports (115 last week). KRSP (10), KDWB (11), KJRB (13), KLIF (20 to 14), KIOA (21 to 14), KJR (16), WZUU (17), WBBQ (18), 13Q (18), KHJ (20), KTAC (20), WMAK (29 to 22), WPRO/FM (28 to 22), WAKY (27), WAYS (28), WRKO (30). On: 99X, KILT, KING, 94Q. Also: WZYQ (3), KYLT (3), KOKK (5), KEIN (5), WLOF (16 to 5), etc.

CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow- 159 reports (140 last week). KFI (9), WQXI (17 to 9), WAYS (17 to 10), WFIL (17 to 11), KSLQ (23 to 12), WIFI (28 to 15), Z93 (16), WNOE (23 to 16), WNBC (24 to 16), WBBQ (17), KRSP (24 to 18), 10Q (20), WBBQ (20), WRKO (27 to 21), 96X (27 to 21), KLIF (27 to 21), KJR (22), 13Q (23), KDWB (23), KJRB (24), WCOL (25), KHJ (25), etc.

DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas- 167 reports (141 last week). KRSP (2), 94Q (5), WZUU (12 to 5), WKXX (9), KSLQ (17 to 10), WBBF (18 to 11), WOKY (20 to 12), WIFI (17 to 12), WSAI (23 to 14), WCOL (20 to 15), B100 (22 to 16), 13Q (17), KIOA (25 to 17), Z93 (23 to 18), WPRO/FM (26 to 20), KFI (21), WQXI (22), WAKY (22), KING (23), KJR (23), WMAK (25), WZZD (25), KJRB (26), etc.

Correspondents' Corner (cont'd. from pg. 9)

Yakima, Brady Layman-KQOT- Eddie Money	Great Falls, Don Nordine-KQDI- #9-LeBlanc & Carr
Tri-Cities, Tom Mann-KALE- #6-Heatwave	Billings, Allen Moos-KOOK-#9-David Gates
Spokane, Jim Hill-KREM- Boz Scaggs	- - - John Albright-KOYN- Andrew Gold
Boise, Charlie Fox-KFXD- Rod Stewart	Anchorage, Randy Robbins-KANC- Chuck Mangione
Lewiston, Steve MacKelvie-KRLC- Bros.Johnson	Vancouver, Joyce Falkowski-CFUN- Bob Welch
Moscow, Gary Cummings-KRPL- Styx	- - - Paul McKnight-CKLG- Gordon Lightfoot
Helena, Randall Rocks-KCAP- Bill LaBounty	Toronto, John Termenesi-CHUM- Jackson Browne
Missoula, Vern Argo-KYLT- James Taylor	Thunder Bay, B.M.Dean-CKPR- Boz Scaggs
Bozeman, Paul Ehlis-KBOZ- Brooklyn Dreams	

Station	Contact	Jobs	Requirements
KSTN-Stockton	Knox LaRue (2171 Ralph - 95206)		Chief Engineer
WAVZ-New Haven	Paul Douglas (152 Temple - 06510)		News
KXEL/FM-Waterloo	Jay Douglas (Box 2395 - 50705)		News
WAPE-Jacksonville	Doug Weedman (904-724-7878)		News
KLO2/FM-Modesto	Ryn Stephens (209-527-6100)		News (E.O.E.)
KRYS-Corpus Christi	Joe Hill ( Box 9698 - 78408)		Newsperson (E.O.E.-M/F)
KJRB-Spokane	John Sherman (Box 8007 - 99203)		Production Dir. (E.O.E.-M/F)
WGBF-Evansville	Buddy Scott (3809 Washington - 47715)		Air Talent/Prod. Dir.
WATH-Athens, Oh.	Ted Jacobson (Box C - 45701)		Air Talent/Prod.
KJMO-Jefferson City	Mike Schaefer (3103 S. Ten Mile - 65101)		Air Talent/Prod.
WGLF-Tallahassee	Casey McCarthy (Box 1815 - 32304)		Air Talent/Prod. (E.O.E.-M/F)
KSTN-Stockton	Dave Morgan (2171 Ralph - 95206)		Air Talent/AM Dr. (E.O.E.-M/F)
KULF-Houston	Steve Roddy (2100 Travis - 77090)		Air Talent/AM Dr. (E.O.E.-M/F)
WEBC-Dubuth	Jay Scott (218-728-4484)		Air Talent/AM Dr.
WKBN-Youngstown	*Don Guthrie (3930 Sunset - 44501)		Air Talent/AM Dr.
KEIN-Great Falls	John Walton (Box 1239 - 59403)		Air Talent/PM Dr.
WCOL-Columbus	*Dave Bishop (22 S. Young - 43215)		Air Talent/PM Dr.
WVAM-Altoona, Pa.	*John Harrison (2727 W. Albert - 16602)		Air Talent/PM Dr./Prod.
WCHV-Charlotte	Tom Evans (Box 538 - 22903)		Air Talent/1st
Monroe Brdcst. Spokane	Mike Monroe (So. 6228 Regal - 99203)		Air Talent (E.O.E.)
WPTR-Albany	Brian Scott (4243 Albany - 12205)		Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
WAAY-Huntsville	Jerry Dean (205-533-9190)		Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
KHOM/FM-Thibodaux, La.	Roy Vicknair (504-876-5466)		Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F-A/C)
KFSB-Joplin	John David (Box 1395 - 64801)		Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
KOOK-Billings	Steve Blodgett (Box 1276 - 59103)		Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
KRYS-Corpus Christi	Dan Daniels (Box 9698 - 78408)		Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
KOZA-Odesa	*Charlie Durwood (Box 351 - 79760)		Air Talents (E.O.E.-M/F)
KSDN-Aberdeen	Gary Dixon (Box 1930 - 57401)		Air Talent
WMAK-Nashville	*Mike St. John (1810 Division - 37203)		Air Talent
KROF-Abbeville, La.	Michael G. Adams (318-893-2531)		Air Talent
KMOX-St. Louis	Bob Osborne (314-621-2345)		Air Talent
KRIG-Odesa	*Ron Harper (Box 4312 - 79760)		Air Talents
KBIZ-Ottumwa	John Reardon (515-632-4535)		Air Talent/Program Director
	*No Calls Please		

Music Calls

Tim Patterson, KBZY-Salem, Monday and Tuesday, 3 - 5 PM.  
 WCIL/FM-Carbondale, Monday through Friday, 3 - 6 PM.  
 Dwayne Bonds, WCIR-Beckley, W. Va., Monday and Tuesday after 12 PM, 304-252-6452.  
 Mark (Todd) Shannon, KPUR-Amarillo, Tuesday and Wednesday, Noon - 3 PM, Monday - all day.



New Adds

Depth reports on newer airplay, derived from a selected section of top 40 correspondents are listed below in regional order. Stations included may vary from week to week. Listing of any station has no relationship to its audience rating in its market.

Bangor, Mark Lawrence-WGUY- Natalie Cole, Jackson Browne, Gene Cotton. Deb: Rubicon.  
 Boston, Harry Nelson-WRKO- ELO, Bob Welch, Yvonne Elliman. Deb: Rod Stewart, J.Browne, Kansas.  
 Bridgeport, Greg Loehr-WICC- N.Cole, The Babys, LeBlanc & C., Stargard, Dan & Coley, A.Gold,Raydio.  
 Rochester, Tom Nast-WBBF- Dan & Coley, Bob Welch, Andrew Gold, Bee Gees.  
 New York, Jay Thomas-99X- Rod Stewart, Barry Manilow, ELO, Kiss, Dan & Coley, L.R.Band.  
 Philadelphia, Mark Serpas-WZZD- David Gates, Barry Manilow, Yvonne Elliman, Dan & Coley.  
 - - - Ron O'Brian-WFIL- David Gates, Y.Elliman, LeBlanc & Carr, Abba, Kansas, Heatwave.  
 Charlotte, Roy Rosen-WAYS- Raydio, Sea Level, Stargard. Deb: Bob Welch, Rod Stewart, L.R.Band.  
 Columbia, Dan Vallie-WCOS- Barbara Mandrell, Sea Level, Atlanta Rhythm Section, John Denver.  
 Charleston, Bob McLane-WTMA- Yvonne Elliman, Rod Stewart, Styx, Chuck Mangione, Rick Nelson.  
 Atlanta, Dale O'Brien-Z93- Yvonne Elliman, Rod Stewart, ELO. Deb: Jackson Browne, Bob Welch, Styx.  
 Miami, Colleen Cassidy-Y100- Trampps, Kansas, Paul Davis, Jimmy Bo Horne.  
 Ft. Walton, Bob Kitzmiller-WNUE- Rick Nelson, Paul Nicholas, Van Halen, ELO.  
 Guntersville, Kerry Jackson-WGSV- ELO, Earth, Wind & Fire, Rick Nelson, Atlanta Rhythm Section.  
 Birmingham, Steve Davis-WKXX- ELO, Styx, Chuck Mangione, Gene Cotton. Deb: Andrew Gold, R.Stewart.  
 New Orleans, Mark Sommers-WNOE- Bee Gees (WOMAN), Cazz, Trampps, Leif Garrett, Y.Elliman, L.Rawls.  
 Shreveport, Shepherd/Greer-KROK- Dave Mason, LTD, Styx, ELO, Kansas, Stargard. Deb: D.Gates.  
 Memphis, John Long-WHBQ- Raydio, K.C. & Sunshine Band. Deb: Rod Stewart, Boz Scaggs, Trampps.  
 Chattanooga, David Carroll-WGOW- LeBlanc & Carr, Wild Cherry, Donna Fargo, Raydio, Andrew Gold.  
 Nashville, Jim Holton-WMAK- Rod Stewart, Dan & Coley, Chuck Mangione. Deb: Gene Cotton, Bob Welch.  
 Cincinnati, C.C.Matthews-WSAI- Dan & Coley, Barry Manilow, Eric Clapton, ELO, Andrew Gold.  
 Cleveland, Beau Raines-WZZP- Stargard, ELO, Rubicon, Van Halen, Dan & Coley, Jackson Browne.  
 Grand Rapids, Jim Jackson-Z96- Gene Cotton, Jackson Browne, ELO, Carpenters.  
 Lansing, Tim Kelly-WILS- ELO, Raydio, Heatwave, Gordon Lightfoot, Bob Welch.  
 Madison, Jonathan Little-WISM- Andrew Gold, Stargard, Raydio, ELO. Deb: Van Halen, Linda Ronstadt.  
 Milwaukee, Chris Curtis-WZUU- Dan & Coley, Chuck Mangione, Sweet, Alan Parsons.  
 Des Moines, Christee-KGGO- Chic, Bob Welch, David Gates, Yvonne Elliman, ELO.  
 St. Louis, Sherry Toennies-KSLQ- Art Garfunkle, ELO, Eddie Money, Raydio, Gene Cotton.  
 Oklahoma City, Barry Shannon-KZUE- Gene Cotton, Bill Withers, Lou Rawls, Heatwave, The Babys.  
 Dallas, Charlie Van Dyke-KLIF- Heatwave, Bob Welch, Dan & Coley. Deb: Kansas, John Williams.  
 Austin, Bill Mayne-KNOW- Andrew Gold, Natalie Cole, David Gates, Bill LaBounty.  
 Houston, Bill Young-KILT- Jackie Ward, Abba, Andrew Gold. Deb: Kansas.  
 San Angelo, Curt Lancaster-KGKL- J.Taylor, J.Browne, L.R.Band, Stargard, Natalie Cole, Heatwave.  
 Phoenix, Anna Reyes-KRIZ- Bob Welch, Kansas, John Denver, Styx.  
 Salt Lake City, Lorraine Winegar-KRSP- ELO, David Gates. Deb: Rod Stewart, Bob Welch, Carpenters.  
 San Diego, Judy Rich-B100- ELO, LeBlanc & Carr, Raydio.  
 Los Angeles, Eric Chase-KFI- ELO, Dan & Coley, Yvonne Elliman, Bob Welch.  
 - - - Bob Hamilton-KRTH/FM- J.Browne, E.W. & F., D.Gates, Raydio, N.Cole, Dan & Coley, P.Nicholas.  
 Fresno, Dan Spears-KFYE- Yvonne Elliman, Earth, Wind & Fire, Carpenters, Gordon Lightfoot.  
 Modesto, Ralph Chavez-KFIV- ELO, E.W. & F., Trampps, Journey, P.Nicholas, Wild Cherry, Raydio.  
 San Francisco, Dave Sholin-KFRC- Earth, Wind & Fire, Raydio, Yvonne Elliman.  
 Stockton, David Kraham-KJOY- Stargard, Journey, Natalie Cole, Franklin Micare, George Benson.  
 Portland, Michael O'Brien-KPAM- Raydio, Andrew Gold, Jackson Browne, Don Brown.  
 Seattle, Tracy Mitchell-KJR- Natalie Cole, LeBlanc & Carr, Abba, David Gates. Deb: Heatwave.  
 Spokane, Tom Hutylar-KJRB- Andrew Gold, Natalie Cole, ELO, Gordon Lightfoot, K.C. & Band.  
 Great Falls, John Walton-KEIN- Chicago, ELO, Waylon & Willie. Deb: Heatwave, LeBlanc & Carr.

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Bryan, Richard Moore-KTAM- Stargard	Los Angeles, John Sebastian-KHJ- Dan & Coley
Nacogdoches, Curt Williams-KEEE- Stonebolt	Whittier, Jay Loughrin-KRHC- Lou Rawls
Houston, Clay Gish-KRBE- Santa Esmeralda	San Bernardino, Rick Kymala-KFXM- Bob Welch
Galveston, Dave Collins-KILE- Waylon & Willie	Santa Barbara, Dick Williams-KIST- Debby Boone
Beaumont, J.J.Stone-KWIC/FM- Boz Scaggs	Santa Maria, Johnny Dixon-KC148- John Denver
- - - Paul King-KAYC- Parliament	San Luis Obispo, John Tobin-KSLY- #12-Eddie Money
Victoria, Gary Steele-KVIC- #10-Raydio	Bakersfield, Pete Shannon-KERN- Raydio
Corpus Christi, Robert Welch-KEYS- B.Manilow	Fresno, John Barry-KYNO- #16-Lou Rawls
- - - KRYS Radio- #2-John Williams	Salinas, A.J.Roberts-KDON- K.C. & Band
Laredo, Joe Ruiz-KLAR- James Taylor	San Francisco, Steve Jordan-KYA- Gene Cotton
Odessa, Ron Harper-KRIG- Natalie Cole	Livermore, Steve O'Neil-KKIQ- Stargard
- - - Charlie Durwood-KOZA- Brooklyn Dreams	Stockton, Dave Morgan-KSTN- Karen Nelson
Midland, Dick Baze-KCRS- #5-L.R.Band	Davis, Karl Reinking-KDVS- Earth, Wind & Fire
Lubbock, Mark Conway-KLBK- Hot	Sacramento, Jeff Hunter-KNDE- A.R. Section
- - - Bill DeMore-KSEL- Andrew Gold	Yuba City, Jason Fine-KOBO- Diana Ross
El Paso, Tim Page-KELP- Enchantment	Redding, John Stall-KSXO- James Taylor
Albuquerque, Debbie Hines-KRKE- #10-L.Ronstadt	Arcata, Len Jarvela-KATA- Dave Loggins
Phoenix, Richard Ruiz-KRUX- Jay Ferguson	Medford, R.E.Lucas-KYJC- Don Brown
Show Low, Chip Stanley-KVSL- ELO	Coos Bay, Gregg Lenny-KHSN- Rocky & Chyann
Pueblo, Rip Avina-KDZA- David Gates	Eugene, Bill Dudley-KASH- *Striker
Denver, Ed Green-KIMN- Gene Cotton	Lebanon, Bob Bonovan-KGAL- Trampps
Colorado Springs, Marc McCoy-KYSN- Jackson B.	Corvallis, Art Quine-KFLY- Atlanta R.Section
Casper, Doc Mueller-KATI- #10-Raydio	Salem, Tim Patterson-KBZY- Sea Level
Las Vegas, Dave Van Stone-KLUC- Bee Gees	Portland, Terry Danner-KGW- Don Brown
San Diego, Michele Pettis-KMJC- Debby Boone	Hoquiam, Steve Lawrence-KGHO- Heatwave
- - - Jimi Fox-KCBQ- Bob Welch	Longview, Jay McCrae-KLOG- ELO
Anaheim, Rick Carroll-KEZY- #9-Paul Davis	Tacoma, Bruce Cannon-KTAC- Abba
Los Angeles, Sherman Cohen-KIIS/FM-#10-R.Stewart	Seattle, Jonathan Walker-KYYY- Don Brown
- - - Driscoll/Brissiri-10Q- K.C. & Band	- - - Rick Scott-KING- Styx
- - - Denise Gorman-K100- Earth, Wind & Fire	- - - Frank Colbourn-FM/KVI- Earth, Wind & Fire

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Dubuque (Steve Sesterhenn-KDTH) McCoo & Davis/Mangione/Denver/Tuxedo Junction. Gains: Davis.  
 Eugene (Vicky Larson-KUGN) R. Flack/Chicago/K. Rogers & D. West. Calls: Garfunkel/Carpenters.  
 - - - (Lee Gordon-KPNW) Wings/Manilow/Lightfoot. Calls: B.J. Thomas/Rita Coolidge.  
 Everett (Robert O'Brien-14RKO) Lightfoot/Heatwave. Gains: Cotton/Steely Dan/LeBlanc & Carr.  
 Fargo (Mark Renier-KVOX) Bee Gees (FEVER)/Ronstadt/E.L.O./Manilow. Gains: Sang/Little River Bd.  
 Fitchburg (Chuck Morgan-WEIM) D. Ross/Gold/LTD/Manilow/Crosby. Calls: Boone/Ronstadt/Rita C.  
 Flint (Ken Myers-WTRX) Steely Dan/Gayle/Manilow. Gains: Garfunkel/Withers/Carpenters/Hill.  
 Ft. Lauderdale (Mike Harvey-WFTL) The Babys/K. Rogers & D. West/Manilow.  
 Fresno (Linda Cerven-KLO4) Don Brown/Manilow/Waylon & Willie/Brainstorm/B. Welch/Sea Level.  
 Grand Forks (Gino Aanenson-KVOX) Ronstadt/LeBlanc & Carr/Gayle/Clapton/DeShannon/Midler.  
 Green Bay (Jim Trotter-WNFL) Bee Gees (FEVER)/Denver/Gayle/M. Travers. Gains: Gates.  
 Helena (Harley Dee-KBILL) D. Loggins/S. DeSykes/DeShannon. Calls: Carpenters/Manilow/Lightfoot.  
 Houston (Chuck Buell-KULF) Waylon & Willie/Carpenters/Rita C. Gains: Clapton/Rawls/Kansas.  
 Jefferson City (Mike Schaefer-KJMO) Clapton/Waylon & Willie/Chicago/Gold/Brooklyn Dreams/Chic.  
 Kansas City (Steve Bell-KMBZ) Garrett/Rick Nelson/Mathis & Williams/K. Moffatt/Bee Gees (ALIVE).  
 Keene (Sandy Ellsworth-WKNE) A. Gold/Atlanta Rhy. Sec./Dan & Coley/Flo Lacey.  
 Klamath Falls (Pat Flynn-KAGO) D. Ross/Chicago. Gains: Ronstadt/Milsap/Rita C./B.J. Thomas.  
 Los Angeles (Tess Russell & Jane Hassler-KMPC) Barry Manilow/Rita Coolidge.  
 - - - (Iona-KNX/FM) Flack/Dan & Coley. LP's: S. Stevens/Gallagher & Lyle/Rupert Holmes.  
 Louisville (Jerry Melloy-WHAS) LeBlanc & Carr/Carpenters/Diamond/Lightfoot/Mangione. Gains: Abba.  
 Macon (Steve Murphy-WMAZ) Clapton/E.L.O./Lightfoot/Gayle/K. Cisyk/Atlanta Rhy. Sec. Gains: Abba.  
 Medford (Dave Michaels-KMED) Earth, Wind & Fire/Nelson/DeShannon/Lightfoot/Denver/Edwards & Ralph.  
 Memphis (Kevin Murphy-WMPX) Waylon & W./Denver/Browne/T.G. Sheppard. Gains: LeBlanc & Carr.  
 Miami (Al Anderson-WIOD) Flack/Gold/Flo Lacey.  
 - - - (Rick Peters-WWWL) Abba/The Babys/N. Cole/Denver/Manilow. Gains: Cotton/LeBlanc & Carr.  
 Midland (Kirk Hughes-WMPX) Denver/Gayle/Travolta/Mandrell/Welch/D. Ross.  
 Milwaukee (Mike Elliott-WTMJ) Dan & Coley/Midler/A. Gold.  
 Missoula (John Van Wagoner-KGVO) Earth, Wind & Fire/M. Travers/Denver/J. Taylor. Calls: Kansas.  
 Mobile (Dick Hylton-WMOB) Travers/Manilow/Lightfoot/Blood, Sweat & Tears.  
 Monterey (Melinda Roberts-KWAV) Gates/DeShannon/D. Loggins. Gains: Hill/Parton/Sang.  
 - - - (Scott O'Brien-KMBY) Kansas/Gayle/Lightfoot/Bee Gees (FEVER)/E.L.O./The Babys/Denver.  
 Nashville (Gerry House-WSIX) Carpenters/Denver/Gayle/Flo Lacey/LeBlanc & Carr. Gains: Manilow.  
 - - - (Mary Cathrine-WSM) Rogers & West/Margo Smith/Parton.  
 Newport (Denny Pace-KNPT) B. LaBounty/Taylor/Starland Vocal Bd./Blood, Sweat & Tears.  
 New York (Jeff Mazzei-WNEW) R. Nelson/Mathis & Wms./Dan & Coley/Cisyk. Gains: Cotton/Davis.  
 Northfield (Mike Wrubel-KYMN) DeShannon/Earth, Wind & Fire/Brown/Omartian/R. Nelson.  
 Odessa (Dave Prescott-KQIP/FM) Denver/Waylon & Willie/Sayer. Gains: Abba/Rivers.  
 Olympia (Dick Pust-KGY) Waylon & Willie/Flack/Heatwave/Garfunkel/Denver. Calls: Murray/Gayle.  
 Osburn (Dave Nesbitt-KWAL) Chicago/Waylon & Willie/J.Harp/Rogers & West. Calls: Flack.  
 Ottumwa (Art Morris-KBIZ) Boone/Lightfoot/Travers/Gayle/Manilow/Flower/Crosby/Flo Lacey.  
 Pendleton (Bob Walker-KTIX) Chicago/Flack/Nicholas/DeShannon/Withers. Gains: Rivers/Cotton.  
 Pittsburgh (Chuck Brinkman-WTAE) Dan & Coley/A. Gold. Gains: Heatwave/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Manilow.  
 Portland, Me. (Marji Cyr-Adams-WGAN) Lightfoot/Denver/Ronstadt/LeBlanc & Carr.  
 Portland, Ore. (Bob Swanson-KEX) Elliman/Little River Band/Dan & Coley/Abba (TAKE A CHANCE).  
 Quad Cities (Jim Mahanay-WQUA) LeBlanc & Carr. Gains: Ronstadt/Odyssey/Garfunkel.  
 Racine (Bob Cook-WRJR) Denver/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Welch/Kansas/Chicago/Boone/Lightfoot.  
 Regina (Royal Watson-CKCK) Murray/Carpenters/Shaw/Orleans/Raydio/Sylvers/A. True/Clapton.  
 Richmond (Bob Riddle-WRVA) Steely Dan/Elliman/Clapton/Murray. Gains: Abba/Meco.  
 Rochester (Kim David-KROC) McCoo & Davis/Kansas/Lightfoot/Flack.  
 Rock Springs (Rod Tucker-KRKK) Bee Gees (FEVER)/J. Harp/Taylor/R. Richards/Denver. Calls: Kansas.  
 Roseburg (Tom Worden-KRSB) McCoo & Davis/Murray/J. Harp/Milsap. Calls: Welch/Midler.  
 Rumford (Mike Breton-WRUM) Manilow/Murray/Milsap. Calls: D. Summer.  
 Sacramento (D. Darin & L. Kirk-KCRA) Lightfoot. Gains: Rawls/Gates/Clapton/Manilow/Garfunkel.  
 Saginaw (Rick Belcher-WSGW) Manilow/M. Travers/Kansas. Gains: Garfunkel/Meco/Davis.  
 St. Joseph (Mark Mathew-KSFT/FM) Chicago/Manilow/Boone/Ronstadt. Gains: Garfunkel/Firefall.  
 St. Louis (Bob Osborne-KMOX) Dan & Coley/MacGregor/DeShannon/LeBlanc & Carr/Armatrading.  
 - - - (Ed Scarborough-KSD) Carpenters/D. Boone. Gains: LeBlanc & Carr/Abba/Gates/Manilow/Rawls.  
 Salem (Jim Bolen-KETU) Boone/Chicago/The Babys/Mangione/Murray. Gains: B.J. Thomas/B. Kaye.  
 Salt Lake City (Flo Wineriter-KSL) Gates/Margo Smith/K. Cisyk. Gains: Boone/Rivers/Garfunkel.  
 San Francisco (Don Hofmann-KSFO) Mangione/Carpenters/Gold.  
 - - - (Steve Walker-KCBS/FM) J. Taylor/Don Brown/Mesa/Little River Band/LaBounty/Sunshine/Pockets.  
 San Luis Obispo (Anna Bokma-KVEC) Boz Scaggs/Armatrading/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Denver/Lightfoot/Manilow  
 Santa Maria (Denny Luell-KUHL) Taylor/Welch/Atlanta Rhy. Sec. Gains: Rita C./Odyssey.  
 Santa Rosa (Jerry Johnson-KSRO) Lightfoot/Gold/Bonoff/Waylon & Willie/Gayle/Mangione/E.L.O.  
 Schenectady (Lee Fowler-WGY) Kansas/The Babys/DeShannon. Calls: Lightfoot/Boone.  
 Scranton (Chris Norton-WEJL) LeBlanc & Carr/Kansas/Lightfoot/Elliman.  
 Seattle (Carol Stripling-KVI) P. Davis/LeBlanc & Carr/A. Gold.  
 Sharon (Jack Taylor-WPIC) P. Davis/Kansas/Boone. Calls: C. Mangione.  
 Shreveport (Randy Davis-KBCL) Midler/Enchantment/Gayle. Gains: Odyssey/Heatwave/A. Gibb.  
 Spokane (Gary Giorgi-KHQ) Earth, Wind & Fire/Elliman/Cotton/Don Brown. Gains: Bee Gees (FEVER).  
 - - - (Chuck Harmon-KXLY) Carpenters/D. David & Brass/J. Strunk. Calls: Manilow/Madison St.  
 Toledo (Leah Myers-WSPD) DeSykes/Flo Lacey/McCoo & Davis/Boone/Newman/Atlanta Rhy. Sec.  
 Tulsa (Kenny King-KRAV) B.J. Thomas/Elliman. Calls: Heatwave/Odyssey.  
 - - - (Don Bishop-KRMG) LeBlanc & Carr/Carpenters. Calls: Gayle/Davis/Manilow/Elliman.  
 Twin Falls (Randy Elison-KEEP) J. Wms./Kansas/Manilow/Mangione. Gains: Carpenters/Little River Bd.  
 Tyler (Brad Houston-KTBB) Denver/Ronstadt/Mangione. Gains: Cotton/Rita C./Garfunkel/Hill.  
 Vacaville (Fred Levy-KUIC) Bros. Johnson/Brooklyn Dreams/J. Mitchell. Calls: A. Price/Splinter.  
 Warwick (Dick Wells-WTBQ) P. Como/Warwick/Nelson/Ronstadt. Gains: Murray/Garfunkel/Abba/Kansas.  
 Washington, D.C. (Bonnie Smith-WMAL) Denver/Flack/Gayle/Clapton/Gold/Dan & Coley/Lightfoot.  
 Waterloo (Jay Douglas-KXEL/FM) Tom Petty/Manilow/Raydio.  
 Wausau (Chuck Williams-WSAU) Lightfoot/Carmen. Gains: N. Shanx/Elliman/Murray.  
 Wichita (Gene Rump-KAKE) Elliman. Calls: Bee Gees (FEVER)/Lightfoot/Ronstadt. Gains: Rita C.  
 Winston-Salem (Kim Jones-WSJS) Carpenters/Gayle/Murray. Gains: Rita C./J. Wms./P. Davis.  
 Worcester (B.J. Dean-WORC) Clapton/Flack. Gains: Meco/Stargard/Gates.  
 Yakima (Frank Taylor-KMWX) Bee Gees (FEVER)/LeBlanc & Carr/Manilow/Dan & Coley/Mangione.



Country Programming Part II

Last week we featured comments from Ric Idby, Les Acree, Walt Turner and Joe Ladd on changes in country music and radio, and how the changes have affected country's direction. This week, four more programmers offer their opinions.

Ed Salamon at WHN-New York calls himself "a researcher who learned programming." With over eight years in country radio and experience at KDKA-Pittsburgh as Director of Marketing, he places greatest importance on call-out research. Ed has a full-time research staff of three who, in addition to call-outs, tabulate "over 1000" requests daily. There's very little reliability in country music sales, he says, therefore sales research is the least important. He relies heavily on research to decide his record rotation, adds, jumps and so on, but he also watches what other programmers are doing. New York doesn't have a "built-in country audience, but I'd research if I were hired in Dallas tomorrow, even though I'd have more of a built-in audience." Programmed for a 25-49 target and maintaining a #2 or #3 position in the ratings behind WABC-New York, Ed calls his format "country," explaining that "Modern Country" sounds too much like a segment of country, which is a segment in itself. "We strive for the most mass appeal audience we can get. We're not playing the top 30 most popular records in the country. Country music is not by definition popular music. Country is a segment so you've got to keep the listeners you've attracted."

Ed maintains that the pop-oriented crossover movement has actually been happening for a long time. "It's iconoclastic to play the non-Nashville type sound...but Nashville still tends to be a great influence."

Lee Shannon, M.D. at WIRE-Indianapolis says change has "probably helped country radio" but he would favor "not going much further." "Somehow the listeners can't tell the difference between pop and country as well now. The danger in the trend toward mass appeal is that country is losing its identity...some of the producers are trying too hard to get a crossover, a pop hit. In the process, stations are losing a segment of the country audience."

On the air with a "country" format since 1967, P.D. Bill Robinson and Lee program for 18-49 with sales emphasis on 25-44, according to G.M. Don Nelson. The station is consistently top three. Lee says he's noticing an increase in younger demographics. With the changes in country music, "We've got to try to appeal to as broad an audience as we can. It's a little harder (programming) because of that. We can't play a record just because it's country...we're interested in playing hits."

WIRE is personality-oriented and involved in the community. They attempt to maintain a "friendly approach...a one to one. A lightheartedness but also a seriousness so people will believe you."

Cathy Hahn, M.D. at KLAC-Los Angeles assists P.D. Don Langford in programming an "M-O-R flavored" country format. "We're kind of a unique entity in that we're the main country outlet here. We pretty much have the market in our pocket...beautiful music stations are our main competition, also the all-talk, all-news stations."

She agrees the music coming out of Nashville is very different today. "Radio dictates what Nashville releases and that's the way it should be." As more record companies move to the West coast it becomes less Nashville-oriented. A/C stations are changing and people who grew up with Top 40 are growing out of it. "We're filling that gap." The music is "so mass appeal," she says. The personality approach is disappearing but KLAC, with personalities, attracts and keeps its listeners.

The programming staff at KLAC does some research, calling a 17-store chain weekly for a piece count on singles, but they rely more on gut feelings.

Cathy believes the future of country radio "is confusing at this point...there aren't that many crossovers." Los Angeles is different from country radio in Dallas and in comparison to the East..."They don't sell records in New York...so the concerns and future are different in each market."

Cliff Haynes, P.D. at KNEW-Oakland, KLAC's sister station, concentrates on the "friends and neighbors in KNEW country..." He doesn't feel it's important to build a reputation on "breaking records" or "playing the hits." While he does some sales research, he pays greater attention to "feelings" about a record and he trusts his M.D., Bob Guerra's, sensitivity regarding new records. He watches how other programmers treat a new release..."stations that are gutsy, WIRE for example."

In country for five years, the last three at KNEW, Cliff believes the Nashville-produced music is creating the crossover and he predicts next year will be "the crossover year." The move toward mass appeal is eroding the old stigma against country and listeners are taking a higher profile. The KNEW staff feels positive about the sounds of country today. "We have to stay up to date." They call their format "country" because that's accepted. He wishes they "didn't have to call it anything...people listen to country because they like it."

Country radio has progressed to keep up with the evolution of country music. As the eight country programmers featured in this series attest, country is big competition. More stations are switching to country. While the format is intersecting with pop, it's still country. "You have to be country first." As long as the music continues to improve, country radio will improve.

Available

<u>Name</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>Telephone</u>	<u>Position</u>
Mike Roson	Las Vegas	702-734-0864	Air Talent/Prod.
Mike Parks	WRNN-Clare, Mich.	517-773-2660	Air Talent/Prod.
Juan Blanco	KGRI/FM-Henderson, Tx.	214-657-5474	Air Talent/Prod.
Brian Adams	KYA/FM-San Francisco	415-454-2416	Air Talent/Prod.
Chuck Jackson	WVOV-Huntsville	205-534-9892	A.T./Prod./1st
Steven B. Oliver	WCOL-Columbus	614-476-3988	Air Talent
Alan Harrison	WAOK-Atlanta	404-349-2630	Air Talent
Paul Resnik	Q105-Tampa	813-961-4897	Air Talent
Barry Pope	KATZ-St. Louis	314-355-5693	Air Talent
J.T.	KGRI/FM-Henderson, Tx.	214-657-5474	Air Talent/M.D.
Mike Shannon	KGAL-Lebanon, Ore.	503-928-9927	A.T./M.D./P.D./1st
Bob James	KBDF-Eugene	503-747-1738	A.T./M.D./P.D.
Chuck Morgan	Z96/CHUM/KKDJ	616-942-8314	A.T./M.D./P.D.
Tom Rush	WILS/WMET/WAYS	517-351-2583	A.T./M.D./P.D.
Bob Rymell	WRAQ-Asheville	704-252-6703	A.T./M.D./P.D.
J.J. Jackson	WAMO-Pittsburgh	412-682-2316	A.T./M.D./P.D.
R. Scott Gilmore	WRNN-Clare	517-799-2176	M.D./P.D.
Jim Davidson	KLAV-Las Vegas	702-734-0864	A.T./P.D.



Country Club

Jobs: WBCS-Milwaukee, Wisc. has a copywriter/production manager position open. Contact Bill Conway at 414-453-4130.  
 KCMX-Ashland, Ore. is accepting air talent tapes and resumes for future openings. Send to Christopher Stoney, Box 128, Zip 97520.  
 KTIB-Thibodaux, La. is looking for air talent, E.O.E.-M/F. Contact Roy Pugh, Box 682, Zip 70301 or call 504-447-9006.  
 WCOS/FM-Columbia, S.C. has a news position open. E.O.E. Tapes and resumes to Ken Martin or H. Herring, Box 748, Zip 29202. No calls, please.  
Changes: Linda Kay from WSBT-TV to news department at WJVA-South Bend.  
 Steve Golden and Jay Michaels from KWIC to WBCS-Milwaukee. Also, Marc Franklin from KOLE is now with WBCS.  
 John Dunaway, WBAP-Panama City promoted to Program Director, will continue to take music calls on Tuesday, 10 AM to 1 PM.  
 The KKA-Aberdeen lineup: Ray G. Smith (farm director), Merle Fristad (P.D.), Stella, Jack McDaniel (Music) and Chuck Timames (News).  
Service: KFEQ-St. Joseph celebrated their 55th anniversary on February 16th. Now into their 56th year they would appreciate calls from artists and record representatives for on the air use concerning the anniversary.  
 KPUB/FM-Pueblo will change to an adult contemporary format and are interested in buying an A/C library. KPUB/AM will remain country.  
 Russ Riley, KMO-Tacoma would appreciate artist bios, dates of concerts and where, etc., for his weekly newspaper column.  
 KCMX-Ashland, Ore. needs albums from all sources. Please send to Box 128, Zip 97520.  
 KOTY-Kennewick would like better service on albums from all sources. Also need reserve on the Carpenters single.  
 KSHA-Medford needs album service from all sources.  
 KTRB-Modesto does not have the new Charley Pride single.  
Music Calls: Pat O'Neill, KKEE-Rochester, Minn., Thursday, 4-5 PM. 507-288-1971.

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KEED-Eugene is giving away cash, T-shirts and albums through July, to listeners with KEED bumper stickers on their cars. When the "KEED Blazer" spots their stickers, those in the car are told on the air to pull over. If they respond, they win.  
 WCOS-Columbia is playing "Pieces of Eight" games. The listeners pick an "eight" number from eight to 98 (frequency) and if that's the correct number they receive the same amount in groceries. Consolation prize is "a headache powder."  
 WKWH-Shreveport's "Listener's Appreciation" concert with Jerry Reed & Johnny Rodriguez drew 8400 people. The largest crowd for a country concert in Shreveport--ever.  
 During a blizzard near Aberdeen one night, a man driving a pick-up was stranded in the snow. He was tempted to leave the truck and walk home but while sitting there, he listened to KKA and found out that rescuers in snowmobiles were not only aware he was stuck but they were on their way to help.  
 Ken Martin at WCOS-Columbia and his wife Janet, announced the birth of their son Glen Eric.

Inside Progressive Radio  
 (by George Meier, Editor of Walrus)

Even with the new wave roaring in, the singer/songwriter genre is not dying so fast. A heap of new, good, singer/songwriter LP's are led by the Bob Weir release. A member of the rejuvenated Grateful Dead, Weir and his songs are produced by the same Keith Olsen responsible for the Dead rebirth. Another top notch LP came from Warren Zevon who is a masterful writer, if not a masterful singer.  
 John Hall (formerly of Orleans) and Andrew Gold (associated with Linda Ronstadt) also issued notable LP's. Hall's boasts a great feel and a few super songs while Gold's album is good but feels studied. He seems to be pressing, trying hard to make the perfect record. So it came out a little stiff.  
 Then there are the country stars with true rock & roll hearts - Waylon & Willie. They deliver characteristically marvelous songs in a fine duet album.  
 A few live albums are always being released. This time Ted Nugent crashes through and George Benson shows his true roots with the help of fine studio players. Without the confines of the production format they loosen up and stretch out. A look at the real George Benson results.  
 Two interesting new wave records include Blondie and The Vibrators. Blondie represents the American brand which tends to be more musical while it retreats to a basic rock & roll. The Vibrators, on the other hand, represent the harsher British form. Still, they come up with a song like "Baby, Baby" which sounds like a classic rock song.  
 Finally, an arty LP is issued by Richard Greene. His album on little Rounder Records is called DUETS. His bowing runs the gamut from hot fiddle to sentimental violin with a variety of co-conspirators to help spice the music. Good show.

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Changes

<u>Name</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
Jim Brown	ex-WOKY-Milwaukee	ABC Records	Chicago Promotion
Ken Donovan	KQDY-Bismarck	KBMW-Wahepton	Music Director
Mark (Todd) Shannon	KWSL-Sioux City	KPUR-Amarillo	Music Director
Don Simmons	WXXX-Hattiesburg	promoted to	Music Director
Dan Lynch	WKKY-Pascagoula	promoted to	Music Director
Sue Williams	KPOD-Crescent City	promoted to	Music Director
Gary Shannon	KROF-Abbeville, La.	promoted to	Asst. Program Director
Lance O'Brien	WKKY-Pascagoula	promoted to	Program Director
Chuck Dean	KRIZ-Phoenix	promoted to	Program Director
Gary Major	WKLO-Louisville	promoted to	Program Director
Bob McKay	KQEO-Albuquerque	promoted to	Program Director
Bob Travis	WGCL-Cleveland	promoted to	Program Director
Michael Adams	KROF-Abbeville, La.	promoted to	Program Director
Charlie Durwood	KIRL-St. Louis	KOZA-Odessa	Program Director
Thom Welby	WEJL-Scranton	WEZX/FM-Scranton	Program Director
J. Michael Pruett	Q107/WXOR-Muscle Shoals	promoted to	Operations Manager
Lee Gray	WKLO-Louisville	WOAI-San Antonio	General Manager Training



Albums of the Week  
(reviewed by Ron Fell)

"Watch"-Manfred Mann's Earth Band (Warner Bros.) Manfred's keyboards and Chris Hamlet Thompson's vocals distinguish this most consistent effort by the band to date. Only 7 cuts (two of which are live) make the album, but the ambience that came from the last album "The Roaring Silence" is still present. Cover versions of MARTHA'S MADMAN (Serfs/Jerry Hahn Brotherhood), DAVY'S ON THE ROAD AGAIN (John Simon) and a remake of QUINN THE ESKIMO (Bob Dylan), stand out, along with CIRCLES and CALIFORNIA.

"Honky Tonk Masquerade"-Joe Ely (MCA) Ely's last album was a pretty solid performance from side to side but on the new one, "Honky Tonk Masquerade", Ely has outdone himself. He's been patiently waiting his turn in the limelite of country music and with new cuts like CORNBREAD MOON, BOX CARS, BECAUSE OF THE WIND, I'LL BE YOUR FOOL, FINGERNAILS, and HONKY TONK MASQUERADE he's destined for stardom. The arrangements run from swing to folk/rock to Texas Blues/shuffle to Cajun to Honky Tonk, and that's a lota country to cover.

Also recommended from the following LP's:

"All Kidding Aside"-Hoodoo Rhythm Devils (Fantasy) WORKIN' IN A COAL MINE/ALL NIGHT/SWEET CITY STREET/CROSS ROADS  
 "Showdown"-Gallagher & Lyle (A&M) HURTS TO LEARN/IT'S OVER/HEARTBREAKER/THROW-AWAY HEART/NEXT TO U  
 "Stargard"-Stargard (MCA) SMILE/LOVE IS SO EASY/THE FORCE  
 "Out There Tonight"-Garfield (Capricorn) OUT THERE TONIGHT/ALL ALONE AGAIN/IT'S NOT THAT BAD  
 "It Happened One Bite"-Dan Hicks (Warner Bros.) GARDEN IN THE RAIN/CLOUD MY SUNNY MOOD/VINNIE'S...  
 "Van Halen"-Van Halen (Warner Bros.) YOU REALLY GOT ME/RUNNIN' WITH THE DEVIL/ICE CREAM MAN  
 "No Dice"-No Dice (Capitol) SILLY GIRL/HAPPY IN THE SKOOLYARD/SOMEONE ELSE'S GOLD  
 "Head East"-Head East (A&M) OPEN UP THE DOOR/NOTHING TO LOSE/GET UP & ENJOY YOURSELF  
 "Innocent Victim"-Uriah Heep (Warner Bros.) KEEP ON RIDIN'/ILLUSION/CHEAT 'N' LIE  
 "Pursuit of Happiness"-Rupert Holmes (Private Stock) LESS IS MORE/CRADLE ME/LET'S GET CRAZY TONITE  
 "Street Action"-B.T.O. (Mercury) I'M IN LOVE/TAKES A LOT OF PEOPLE/FOR LOVE/MADISON AVENUE  
 "Elevator"-Russell DaShiell (Epic) TOP OF THE WORLD/DIRECTION/OH MY WILD LOVE  
 "Striker"-Striker (Arista) WISH/ON MY WAY/BY YOUR SIDE  
 "Trying To Get To You"-Eugene Record (W.B.) TRYING TO GET TO YOU/COME TO MY PARTY/I WANT TO BE...  
 "Dam It"-Beaverteeth (RCA) MYSTIC NOTIONS AND MAGIC POTIONS/SEE THE MONKEY/MOURNING IN DIXIE  
 "Roy Ayers Presents Ubiquity/Starbooty" (Elektra) STARBOOTY/MIDNIGHT AFTER DARK  
 "Nothin's Got Me"-Dutch Robinson (U.A.) CAN'T GET ALONG WITHOUT YOU/ALL I NEED IS YOU/CLOSE TO YOU  
 "Just For The Record"-John Durrill (U.A.) OKLAHOMA CITY LIGHTS/CARNIVAL/CHANGIN'  
 "Closer To The Source"-Leroy Hutson (Curtom) WHERE DID LOVE GO/GET TO THIS/E'BODY'S A MASTERPIECE  
 "Vintage 78"-Eddie Kendricks (Arista) AIN'T NO SMOKE WITHOUT FIRE/THE BEST OF STRANGERS NOW

Our correspondents recommend the following LP cuts: (Most frequently mentioned are underlined)

Adult Contemporary

Paul Simon-STRANDED IN A LIMOUSINE  
 Abba-TAKE A CHANCE/ONE  
 Barry Manilow-SOMEWHERE IN THE NIGHT/LEAVIN' IN THE MORNING/EVEN NOW/COPACABANA  
 Boz Scaggs-STILL FALLING FOR YOU  
 Chicago-TAKE ME BACK TO CHICAGO  
 Emmylou Harris-EASY FROM NOW ON/DEFYING GRAVITY  
 George Benson-IT'S ALL IN THE GAME/LADY BLUE  
 Gordon Lightfoot-DREAMLAND/DAYLIGHT KATY/ENDLESS WIRE  
 Yvonne Elliman-SALLY GO ROUND THE ROSES  
 Jackson Browne-LOVE NEEDS A HEART  
 Neil Diamond-I'M GLAD.../FLOWERS/LET ME  
 Billy Joel-SHE'S ALWAYS A WOMAN

Country

Waylon & Willie-GOLD DUST WOMAN/DON'T CUSS THE FIDDLE/I CAN GET OFF ON YOU  
 Tom T.Hall-NO ONE KNOWS THE HURT/I'M ONLY DREAMIN'/COME ON BACK  
 Emmylou Harris-TWO BOTTLES OF WINE/LEAVIN' LOUISIANA/I AIN'T LEAVIN' LIKE THIS  
 Conway Twitty-YOURS TO HURT TOMORROW/HONKY TONK SONG/MABELLENE  
 Anne Murray-TENNESSEE WALTZ/LET'S KEEP IT THAT WAY  
 Barbara Mandrell-HOW LONG

Rock

Bee Gees-MORE THAN A WOMAN  
 Chicago-TAKE ME BACK TO CHICAGO  
 Rod Stewart-I WAS ONLY JOKING  
 Boz Scaggs-STILL FALLING FOR YOU  
 Dolly Parton-TWO DOORS DOWN  
 Billy Joel-MOVIN' OUT  
 Steely Dan-JOSIE/DEACON BLUES/AJA  
 Jackson Browne-STAY  
 Journey-WHEEL IN THE SKY  
 Sanford & Townsend-PARADISE  
 Eric Clapton-THE CORE

Black Radio

Greg Perry-COME FLY WITH ME  
 Emotions-PUT A LITTLE LOVE AWAY  
 Rufus & Chaka Khan-STAY/TAKE TIME  
 Ray Barretto-NUMERO UNO  
 Manhattans-THERE'S NO GOOD IN GOODBYE  
 K.C. & Sunshine Band-BOOGIE SHOES  
 Fifth Dimension-YOU ARE THE REASON  
 Bootsy's R.B.-ROTO ROOTER/HOLLYWOOD SQUARES  
 Black Ice-BLIND OVER YOU  
 Love Unlimited Orch.-WHISPER SOFTLY  
 Harvey Mason-PACK UP YOUR BAGS  
 Raydio-IS THIS A LOVE THING  
 Bunny Sigler-I'VE GOT WHAT YOU NEED  
 Peabo Bryson-FEEL THE FIRE/HOLD ON TO THE WORLD

Service

<u>Station</u>	<u>Requests</u>	<u>From</u>
KLEE-Ottumwa	LeBlanc & Carr/Stargard singles	Big Tree/MCA
WATH-Athens, Ohio	Cotton/Murray/Hill singles	Ariola/Capitol/20th
KAGO-Klamath Falls, Ore.	Andrew Gold single and album	Asylum
KQOT-Yakima	Albums	W.E.A.
KUOP/FM-Stockton	Singles and albums	Casablanca
WLAM-Lewiston	Singles and albums	Bang/RSO
KHAS-Hastings, Neb. (68901)	Singles and albums	RCA/Arista/ABC Dot
WCLL-Chillicothe, Ill.	Singles and albums	All Sources
KKOQ-Clovis, N.M.	Singles and albums	All Sources
92KF/M-El Paso (5411 Mesa)	Singles and albums	All Sources
WATH-Athens, Oh. (Box C)	Disco	All Sources
KLEE-Ottumwa	Oldies	All Sources
KLOG-Kelso (Box 90)	Oldies	All Sources



Gary Taylor's Personal Picks

WE'LL NEVER HAVE TO SAY GOODBYE AGAIN-England Dan & John Ford Coley (Big Tree) Seldom do so many commit so soon to a brand new release, especially among the major markets. But these two seem to have the ability to come up with mass appeal records.

THE HOUSE OF THE RISING SUN-Santa Esmeralda (Casablanca) Certain songs reach a "classic" status so that any re-make is less than satisfying. However, considering current music tastes, this version is really very good and should find acceptance with programmers.

DAY AFTER DAY (THE SHOW MUST GO ON)-The Alan Parsons Project (Arista) Alan Parsons is well established as an artist whose music is more than adequately orchestrated and masterfully produced. His many talents are clearly evident in this relaxed, lyrically poignant, release.

Also Possible

ON BROADWAY-George Benson (Warner Bros.)	LOVE IS-The Brothers Johnson (A&M)
ONE WAY TICKET TO PARADISE-Dave Loggins (Epic)	TURN UP THE MUSIC-Sammy Hagar (Capitol)
SOMEBODY CALLING-Robin Trower (Chrysalis)	IMAGINARY LOVER-Atlanta Rhythm Section (Polydor)
LOVE IS LIKE OXYGEN-Sweet (Capitol)	JERICHO-Joni Mitchell (Asylum)
YOU'LL LOVE AGAIN-Hotel (Mercury)	TOO MUCH, TOO LITTLE, TOO LATE-Johnny Mathis & Deniece Williams (Columbia)
THAT'S YOUR SECRET-Sea Level (Capricorn)	

Regional Radio Meetings

The plans for our 1978 series of meetings are in the final stages. Once the hotel arrangements have been confirmed we'll announce the dates and the names of our moderators and guest speakers. This year we will meet in the following cities:

SEATTLE HOUSTON BOSTON COLUMBUS, OHIO ST. LOUIS MONTEREY, CA. and ATLANTA

In order to have a accurate luncheon and room count for the hotels, we are setting up a pre-registration. The fees are as follows:

Pre-registration	\$30.00 per person
4 or more from a station	\$25.00 per person
Late registration (at the door)	\$35.00 per person

The meetings the past two years were informative and exciting. We look forward to the same high standards in 1978, and we happily anticipate the opportunity to meet many of our correspondents personally.

Gavin's Gab

Dinner With Fidel

Paul Drew's consultancy is providing him with the opportunity to travel outside the normal routes of program directors. He recently returned from the Orient and is now planning a trip to Cuba on February 27th. He and Anne will attend a formal dinner party hosted by Premier Fidel Castro who supposedly will shed his khakis and be seen in suit and tie. Paul will be in Cuba on film business and will also have an opportunity to hear Cuban radio.

Format Changes

Barry Kent, operations manager at WBOW/WBOQ-Terre Haute, informed us of format changes that took place there last month. FM-WBOQ is now know as Q108 and is into Drake-Chenault's automated album rock format. WBOW, on the air since 1927, has dropped its old style "Q" approach in favor of a modern, adult contemporary format.

KLZ-Denver is switching to a country format and personel changes are currently taking place.

WCLL/FM-Chillicothe, Ill., switched from A/C to Contemporary Country February 13th. The new format will consist of basic country music with a major mix of country crossover artists, writes Rhea Ann Weatherford, M.D.

KMBQ/FM-Shreveport, La., will change from beautiful music to album rock March 1st. Billed as 93Q, the 100,000 watt FM will be the only album rock station within a 200 mile radius of Shreveport. Steve Kelly, formerly P.D. at KEEL, will program 93Q while Howard Clark will take over the programming of KEEL.

Promos and Benefits

A delightful little Valentine's Day promotion took place at KASH-Eugene during the lunch hour February 14th. Couples were invited to participate in the KASH "French Kiss Marathon Derby," and according to Bill Dudley, every production room and even the studio were filled with couples vying for the prize: a weekend trip to Ashland, Ore., to see the French play, "Tartouffe," a copy of the French Kiss album and a bottle of mouth wash. Bill said the unabashed winners "slobbered in the control room for 31 minutes."

The WTMA-Charleston programming staff got some spicy reading out of a promotion they ran for Valentine's Day which tied in the movie, "World's Greatest Lover," according to Bob McLain. Listeners had to write a description of how their lovers are the World's Greatest Lovers. Entries were judged by their "originality, content and humor." The winning couple, a nurse and her husband, a medical student, won the week-long, air-sea cruise to Fort Lauderdale by way of Nassau.

The response to KLWN/FM-Lawrence, Ks.', "106 Escape to the Sun" promotion was phenomenal. Out of the 52,000 people in Lawrence, 32,000 entered the drawing for an eight-day trip to Hawaii. Mike Schmidt said a foot of snow on the ground had something to do with it.

Captain Buffoon at KSLY-San Luis Obispo can now claim a world record. He lived in a glass elevator for eight days and two hours. While the elevator moved up and down in a Santa Maria shopping mall, Buffoon did his morning show and spent his nights in a sleeping bag, clearly beating the previous record of six days.

KING-Seattle donated all profits from spots run on Valentine's Day to the Seattle Children's Home for special children. The "Day of Love" raised over \$9000 for the Home.

KMPC-Los Angeles' fifth annual 24-hour radiothon for St. Jude Children's Hospital in Memphis cleared \$91,000 in pledges February 14 and 15.

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Our dear friend LaVerne Drake (music director of K101-San Francisco) suffered a mild heart attack Friday, February 10th and is at Mary's Help Hospital in Daly City, California for observation and a "good rest."

Her many friends in the business are urged not to send flowers or plants but to drop her a card or letter. The address is 1900 Sullivan - Zip 94015.



THE GAVIN REPORT #1191  
WEEKLY SUMMARY  
(Editor, Gary Taylor)

Smash of the Week: DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas (Kirshner) This January 20 "Top Prospect" was earmarked for success from the start.

Sleeper of the Week: FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire (Columbia) Speaking of starting, it's charting in Colorado Springs (KYSN), New Haven (WAVZ), Los Angeles (KRTH/FM), Peoria (WIRL), Tallahassee (WGLF), San Francisco (KFRC), and Lawrence, Kansas (KLWN/FM).

Hot: WE'LL NEVER HAVE TO SAY GOODBYE AGAIN-England Dan & John Ford Coley (Big Tree) Barely two weeks old and already number 13 in our airplay research.

Top Tip: IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman (RSO) Perhaps not as explosive as others from "Saturday Night Fever", but certainly consistent in its growth.

\* Record to Watch: FOOLING YOURSELF-Styx (A&M) WNOE (17), KREM (21), WZUU (23), KBEQ (25), 96KX (26), Z93 (27), KFXD (28), WISM (30), etc.

Recommended Playlist

The listings below indicate our own estimate of these records' relative programming value and are not intended to represent comparative national sales. Underlined sides show biggest potential for continued growth.

LW	TW	Top Twenty	Gaining in Several Markets
1.	1.	STAYIN' ALIVE-Bee Gees	POOR POOR PITIFUL ME-Linda Ronstadt
2.	2.	EMOTION-Samantha Sang	EBONY EYES-Bob Welch
5.	3.	NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees	FALLING-LeBlanc & Carr
3.	4.	...THICKER THAN WATER-Andy Gibb	JACK & JILL-Raydio
6.	5.	LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton	IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman
4.	6.	SOMETIMES WHEN WE TOUCH-Dan Hill	OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole
11.	7.	..THE THINGS YOU DO-Rita Coolidge	BEFORE MY HEART FINDS OUT-Gene Cotton
7.	8.	JUST THE WAY YOU ARE-Billy Joel	RUNNIN' ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne
9.	9.	PEG-Steely Dan	*HOT LEGS-Rod Stewart
16.	10.	DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas	THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND-Andrew Gold
12.	11.	WONDERFUL WORLD-Art Garfunkel	I GO CRAZY-Paul Davis
17.	12.	CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow	LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls
15.	13.	ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave	*...GOODBYE AGAIN-England Dan & J.F.Coley
14.	14.	THUNDER ISLAND-Jay Ferguson	*THEME: WHICH WAY IS UP-Stargard
8.	15.	DANCE, DANCE, DANCE-Chic	Gaining
10.	16.	..CHAMPIONS/ROCK YOU-Queen	THE CIRCLE IS SMALL-Gordon Lightfoot
18.	17.	HAPPY ANNIVERSARY-Little River Bd.	YOU REALLY GOT ME-Van Halen
19.	18.	NAME OF THE GAME-Abba	BREAKDOWN-Tom Petty
--	19.	GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates	BOOGIE SHOES-K.C. & the Sunshine Band
13.	20.	CLOSE ENCOUNTERS THEME-John Williams	

Top Prospect

\* SWEET TALKIN' WOMAN-Electric Light Orchestra (Jet/U.A.)

Regional Sales and/or Requests

- \* SILVER DREAMS-The Babys (Chrysalis)
- FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione (A&M)
- \* I'M GONNA TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING-Rubicon (20th)
- HOLLYWOOD-Boz Scaggs (Columbia)
- EVERYBODY LOVES A RAIN SONG-B.J.Thomas (MCA)
- ON THE STRIP-Paul Nicholas (RSO)
- SWEET, SWEET SMILE-Carpenters (A&M)
- FLASHLIGHT-Parliament (Casablanca)
- BABY HOLD ON-Eddie Money (Columbia)
- MAMAS, DON'T LET...-Waylon & Willie (RCA)
- DISCO INFERNO-The Trammps (Atlantic)
- LITTLE ONE-Chicago (Columbia)
- MORE THAN A WOMAN-Bee Gees (RSO-LP cut)

Picks & Plays

- IMAGINARY LOVER-Atlanta Rhythm Section (Polydor)
- CALIFORNIA-Debby Boone (Warner Bros.)
- STARLIGHT-Cory Wells (A&M)
- THAT'S YOUR SECRET-Sea Level (Capricorn)
- IT AMAZES ME-John Denver (RCA)
- LOVE IS LIKE OXYGEN-Sweet (Capitol)
- THIS TIME I'M IN IT FOR LOVE-Player (RSO)
- LET'S ALL CHANT-Michael Zager Band (Private St.)
- HONEY, DON'T LEAVE L.A.-James Taylor (Columbia)
- SITTING IN LIMBO-Don Brown (First American)
- YOU'LL LOVE AGAIN-Hotel (Mercury)
- READY FOR THE TIMES...-Crystal Gayle (U.A.)
- MUSIC, HARMONY & RHYTHM-Brooklyn Dreams (Miller.)
- QUEEN OF THE NIGHT-Stonebolt (Parachute)
- TOO HOT TA TROT-Commodores (Motown)

Comment: We have been asked to explain the concept behind "Gaining" once again. It is as follows: Those records showing favorable indications in some areas, yet not qualifying for "Gaining In Several Markets" are listed as simply "Gaining". This indicates they have progressed beyond the "Regional" category, but are not yet well enough established for the "Several Markets" listing. There will not be any underlines in the "Gaining" category.



## Correspondents' Corner\*\*

Chart and listings on page one are derived from information supplied by the radio reporters listed below. \*Indicates requests. Sales action is underlined.

Bangor, Mark Lawrence-WGUY- #9-David Gates  
 Lewiston, Mark Ericson-WLAM- Jay Ferguson  
 Portsmouth, Mike O'Neal-WHEB- Brooklyn Dreams  
 Manchester, Rick Ryder-WFEA- #7-Yvonne Elliman  
 Hyannis, Rick Stuart-WCOD/FM- Bert Sommer  
 New Haven, Curt Hansen-WAVZ- Parliament  
 Danbury, Brian St.James-WINE- Gordon Lightfoot  
 Hartford, Rick Donahue-WTIC/FM- #9-Styx  
 Rochester, Tom Nast-WBBF- #8-Natalie Cole  
 Utica, Jim Reitz-WTLB- Kiss  
 New York, Rich/Myzal-99X- Elvis Costello  
 Babylon, Bernie Bernard-WBAB- \*Styx  
 Philadelphia, Jeff Robins-WIFI- LeBlanc & Carr  
 - - - Ron O'Brien-WFIL- #5-Barry Manilow  
 Wilmington, Bill O'Brian-WAMS- Bee Gees (WOMAN)  
 Annapolis, Kingston/Lewis-WYRE- John Denver  
 Frederick, G.T.Stone-14ZYQ- Stargard  
 Richmond, Ken Curtis-WLEE- David Gates  
 Lynchburg, Tony Love-WLLL- Bee Gees (WOMAN)  
 Asheboro, Gary Canada-WZOO- John Denver  
 Shelby, Jeffrey Owens-WOHS- Paul Nicholas  
 Asheville, Ray Williams-WISE- Stargard  
 Fayetteville, Stanley B.Stewart-WFLB-A.Gold  
 Wilmington, Robbie Vogt-WGNI- #1-Stargard  
 Columbia, Dan Vallie-WCOS- \*Sweet  
 Greenville, Gary Jackson-WQOK- Stargard  
 - - - Roy Rogers-WFBC- Bette Midler  
 Augusta, Steve York-WAUG/FM- Michael Zager Bd.  
 Savannah, Jerry Katz-WSGF- Chuck Mangione  
 Athens, Kelly McCoy-WRFC- Parliament  
 - - - Jeff Michaels-WAGQ- #10-Stargard  
 Gainesville, Sam Church-WFOX- Network  
 - - - Tom Harris-WDUN- #10-Tom Petty  
 Atlanta, Don Benson-94Q- #1-Chuck Mangione  
 - - - Rhett Walker-WQXI- Stargard  
 Columbus, Jeff Blake-WCGQ- Michael Zager Bd.  
 Albany, Kris Van Dyke-WALG- Mathis/Williams  
 Carrollton, Andrea Cordell-WBTR/FM- Eddie Money  
 - - - Scott Evans-WPPI- Hot  
 Daytona Beach, John Scott-WMFJ- LTD  
 Orlando, Chris O'Neal-WLOF- Lou Rawls  
 W.Palm Beach, Jim Howie-WIRK- Barbara Mandrell  
 Miami, Jack Forsythe-96X- #6-Heatwave  
 - - - Colleen Cassidy-Y100- #8-Tavares  
 Ft.Myers, Webster James-WMYR- Raydio  
 Tampa, Ron Parker-WLCY- #6-K.C. & Band  
 Ocala, Bill Early-WWKE- #11-Boz Scaggs  
 Tallahassee, Michael O'Malley-WONS- Parliament  
 - - - Danny Harmon-WGLF- Hot  
 Panama City, Jim King-WDLP- MFSB  
 Ft.Walton B., Bob Kitzmiller-WNUE-#6-LeB. & Carr  
 Pensacola, Dan Ingram-WBSR- Eddie Money  
 Huntsville, Tony Taylor-WAAY- Stargard  
 Muscle Shoals, Jay M.Pruett-Q107- Dave Loggins  
 Gunter'sville, Kerry Jackson-WGSV- Grinderswitch  
 Cullman, Rich McCarthy-WKLN/FM- Alan Parsons  
 Enterprise, Mark Thompson-WKMX- Chuck Mangione  
 Mobile, Scott Griffith-WABB- Ashford & Simpson  
 Greenville, Mark Jones-WDDT- \*Cory Wells  
 Jackson, Tom Daniels-WJDX- Debby Boone  
 Pascagoula, Dan Lynch-WKKY- Michael Zager Band  
 Starkville, Glen James-WKOR- John Denver  
 Natchez, Haynes Ford-WQNZ- Stargard  
 Biloxi, Bob Lima-WQID- Karla Bonoff  
 Hattiesburg, Don Simmons-WXXX- Kasey Cisyk  
 Baton Rouge, Joe London-WIBR- Flack/Hathaway  
 Lake Charles, Robert Penny-KAOK- Mary MacGregor  
 - - - Kim Canard-KLOU- James Taylor  
 Shreveport, Shepherd/Greer-KROK- Barkays  
 - - - K.C.Daniels-KEEL- Rubicon  
 Abbeville, Michael Adams-KROF- Cory Wells  
 New Iberia, Rick Broussard-KNIR-HooDoo R.Devils  
 Chattanooga, David Carroll-WGOW- Wild Cherry  
 Knoxville, Bob Kaghan-WRJZ- ELO  
 Nashville, Bruce Sherman-92Q- Sanford/Townsend  
 Louisville, Coyote Calhoun-WAKY- Abba  
 Bowling Green, Doug Kirsch-WBGN- The Babys  
 Lexington, Jim Jordan-WVLK- Dan & Coley  
 South Bend, Jason Foxx-WRBR-#8-Bee Gees (WOMAN)  
 Anderson, Dan Scott-WHUT- #8-Rod Stewart  
 \*Correspondents not listed above will be found on pages 8 & 9.....

Indianapolis, Kirby/Steele-WIFE- David Gates  
 Lafayette, Pat Leahy-WAZY- Natalie Cole  
 Hamilton, Joe London-WMOH- #8-David Gates  
 Columbus, Dave Bishop-WCOL- Dan & Coley  
 Alliance, Bill Brophy-WFAH- Debby Boone  
 Canton, Keith London-WINW- \*Wild Cherry  
 Wheeling, Jim Roberts-WKWK- Styx  
 Beckley, Dwayne Bonds-WCIR- Sweet  
 Altoona, John Harrison-WVAM- Yvonne Elliman  
 - - - Tony Booth-WFEG- Styx  
 Youngstown, Jack Taylor-Y103- \*Jay Ferguson  
 Johnstown, Douglas Kaye-WCRO- Sweet  
 Detroit, Cheryl Phillips-WDRQ- #8-Flack/Hathaway  
 Muskegon, Jon London-WTRU- Jackson Browne  
 Peoria, Lee Malcolm-WIRL- #4-Steely Dan  
 Springfield, Greg Thomas-WCVS- #9-Jay Ferguson  
 Carbondale, Rick Zurick-WCIL/FM- Styx  
 Chicago, Jim Smith-WLS- Natalie Cole  
 Freeport, Kevin Kennedy-WACI- Diana Ross  
 Milwaukee, Pat McKay-WOKY- Carpenters  
 Two Rivers, John Barber-15Q- Stargard  
 Neenah, Jason Page-WNAM- Stargard  
 Eau Claire, Sean McCartney-WEAQ- #4-LeBlanc & C.  
 LaCrosse, Pat Smith-WLCX- Raydio  
 Rochester, Denny Foster-KWEB- James Taylor  
 Mpls/St.Paul, Dave Thompson-KDWB- Dan & Coley  
 St. Cloud, Tom Kay-WJON- Chuck Mangione  
 Thief River Falls, Daryl Tumberg-KTRF- Rubicon  
 Grand Forks, Bob Hooper-KKXL- Johnny Holmes Band  
 Fargo, Mark Renier-KVOX- Atlanta Rhythm Section  
 Bismarck, Dan Brannan-KFYR- #8-Kansas  
 Minot, Doug Corbett-KKOA- ELO  
 Aberdeen, Gary Dixon-KSDN- Kiss  
 Huron, L.A.Timms-KOKK- Player  
 Rapid City, Mick Kjar-KKLS- John Denver  
 Sioux Falls, Tom Evans-KISD- #11-Tom Petty  
 Dubuque, Steve Sesterhenn-KFMD- John Denver  
 Ottumwa, Dave Carlson-KLEE- James Taylor  
 Des Moines, Chris Collins-KIOA- Gene Cotton  
 - - - Michael Stone-KMGK- Carpenters  
 Mason City, Bob Scott-KRIB- \*Debby Boone  
 Waterloo, Bob Beck-KWWL- Robin Trower  
 St. Louis, Todd Martin-KIRL- K.C. & Sunshine Band  
 - - - Sherry Toennies-KSLQ- #14-Chuck Mangione  
 Jackson, Kent Nelson-KJAS- Sea Level  
 Kansas City, Kim Welsh-KBEQ- Stargard  
 Joplin, John David-KFSB- Tramps  
 Pine Bluff, Paul Sims-KOTN- The Babys  
 Little Rock, C.David Hamilton-KAAY- Hotel  
 Lawrence, Mike Schmidt-KLWN/FM- \*Chuck Mangione  
 Topeka, J.R.Greeley-KEWI- Waylon & Willie  
 Manhattans, Ed Klimek-KMKF- Atlanta R.Section  
 Junction City, KJCK/FM- Sea Level  
 Wichita, Bob Lawrence-KLEO- Lou Rawls  
 - - - Barry Casey-KEYN- Diana Ross  
 Oklahoma City, Barry Shannon-KZUE- #9-Waylon & W.  
 - - - Sandy Jones-WKY- Abba  
 Amarillo, Mark Shannon-KPUR- Boz Scaggs  
 Tyler, Robert Adams-KDOK- #8-Raydio  
 Dallas, Gary Mack-Z97- #1-Steely Dan  
 Temple, Lou Saint-KTEM- Jackie DeShannon  
 Bryan, Richard Moore-KTAM- Enchantment  
 Nacogdoches, Kirk Williams-KEEE- Gene Cotton  
 Galveston, Dave Collins-KILE- Ashford & Simpson  
 Beaumont, Paul King-KAYC- Parliament  
 Victoria, Gary Steele-KVIC- #11-Commodores  
 Corpus Christi, Robert Welch-KEYS- Eric Clapton  
 Laredo, Joe Ruiz-KLAR- Chicago  
 San Angelo, Curt Lancaster-KGKL- John Denver  
 Odessa, Ron Harper-KRIG- Gene Cotton  
 Midland, Darrell Ward-KCRS- #3-Little River Band  
 Lubbock, Mark Conway-KLBK- Enchantment  
 El Paso, Tim Page-KELP- Stonebolt  
 - - - Rish Wood-KINT- ELO  
 Show Low, Chip Stanley-KVSL- ELO  
 Denver, Ed Greene-KIMN- Styx  
 Colorado Springs, Marc McCoy-KYSN- Andrew Gold  
 Casper, Doc Mueller-KATI- Van Halen  
 Reno, Red Mountain-KCBN- #9-Little River Band  
 San Diego, Judy Rich-B100- #4-Bob Welch



Adult Contemporary Programming  
(Associate Editor, Ron Fell)

Most Active: NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees (RSO) From some movie called "Saturday Night Fever".

Worth Watching: OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole (Capitol) The record is peaking at Black Radio and ascending steadily on the Rock and A/C charts.

Top Thirty

Note: The lines in the top thirty below indicate sharp separations in our research totals - much more of a division than can be represented by two consecutive numbers.

<u>LW</u>	<u>TW</u>		<u>LW</u>	<u>TW</u>	
2.	1.	SOMETIMES WHEN WE TOUCH-Dan Hill	20.	16.	LAY DOWN SALLY-Eric Clapton
1.	2.	JUST THE WAY YOU ARE-Billy Joel	17.	17.	SWEET, SWEET SMILE-Carpenters
3.	3.	EMOTION-Samatha Sang	14.	18.	(LOVE IS) THICKER THAN WATER-Andy Gibb
4.	4.	GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates	18.	19.	PEG-Steely Dan
7.	5.	WONDERFUL WORLD-Art Garfunkel	21.	20.	FALLING-LeBlanc & Carr
5.	6.	CLOSE ENCOUNTERS THEME-John Williams	22.	21.	DUST IN THE WIND-Kansas
6.	7.	STAYIN' ALIVE-Bee Gees	11.	22.	DESIREE-Neil Diamond
9.	8.	THE NAME OF THE GAME-Abba	23.	23.	I GO CRAZY-Paul Davis
8.	9.	LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls	10.	24.	CURIOUS MIND-Johnny Rivers
13.	10.	BEFORE MY HEART FINDS OUT-Gene Cotton	29.	25.	THE CIRCLE IS SMALL-Gordon Lightfoot
12.	11.	THE WAY YOU DO THE....-Rita Coolidge	30.	26.	READY FOR THE TIMES...-Crystal Gayle
19.	12.	CAN'T SMILE WITHOUT YOU-Barry Manilow	27.	27.	FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione
25.	13.	NIGHT FEVER-Bee Gees	24.	28.	WALK RIGHT BACK-Anne Murray
15.	14.	EVERYBODY LOVES A RAIN SONG-B.J. Thomas	--.	29.	POOR, POOR PITIFUL ME-Linda Ronstadt
16.	15.	IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman	28.	30.	WHAT A DIFFERENCE...-Ronnie Milsap

Action Sides

WE'LL NEVER HAVE TO SAY...-Eng. Dan & J.F. Coley  
IT AMAZES ME-John Denver  
THE CLOSER I GET TO YOU-R. Flack & D. Hathaway  
ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave  
OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole  
CALIFORNIA-Debby Boone  
LITTLE ONE-Chicago  
THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND-Andrew Gold

Correspondents' Preferred Picks

TOO MUCH TOO LITTLE...-Mathis & Williams (Col.)  
IMAGINARY LOVER-Atlanta Rhythm Sec. (Polydor)  
NEVER BEEN TO ME-Mary MacGregor (Ariola)

Sales and/or Requests

JACK & JILL-Raydio  
EBONY EYES-Bob Welch  
DANCE, DANCE, DANCE-Chic  
HAPPY ANIVERSARY-Little River Band  
CLOSE ENCOUNTERS THEME-Meco  
DAYBREAK-Bette Midler  
MAMAS, DON'T....-Waylon & Willie  
SILVER DREAMS-The Babys

Airplay

IS IT REALLY LOVE AT ALL-Jericho Harp  
ROCKIN' IN THE CRADLE...-Rocky & Chyann  
TO LOVE SOMEBODY-Jackie DeShannon  
YOUR LOVE IS SO GOOD-Diana Ross  
THE AIR THAT I BREATHE-Mary Travers  
HONEY, DON'T LEAVE L.A.-James Taylor  
FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire  
GIMME A LITTLE SIGN-Rick Nelson  
WHAT'S EXPECTED OF ME NOW-Flo Lacey

A - C Correspondents' Reports

Akron (Russ Knight-WAKR) Kansas. Gains: Manilow/B.J. Thomas/LeBlanc & Carr/Gene Cotton.  
Anna, Ill. (Jane Michel-WRAJ) Bros. Johnson/Armatrading/J. Mitchell/Garrett/J. Harp/McGovern.  
Appleton (Dan Davis-WYNE) Dan & Coley/Steely Dan (JOSIE)/Abba (TAKE A CHANCE...)/Garf.(WATERMARK).  
Astoria (Doug McDowell-KAST) Dan & Coley/R. Nelson/DeShannon/Ross/Travers. Gains: Bonoff/Babys.  
Athens (Ty Richards-WATH) Dan & Coley/N. Cole. Calls: Kansas/Cash/Manilow.  
Austin (Bob Joseph-KCSW) S.Sang/Dan & Coley/Moffatt/J. Spain/Lightfoot. Gains: Gates.  
Bend (Bill Jay-KBND) T.G. Sheppard/Stafford/DeShannon/Raydio/Travers/MacGregor/Nelson.  
- - - (Ric Marshall-KGRL) Dan & Coley/Heatwave/Manilow/Little River Bd./A. Gold. Gains: P. Davis.  
Bismarck (Tom Bitz-KBOM) Browne/Ronstadt/Gates/Waylon & Willie.  
Blackfoot (Jack Sunday-KBLI) Mathis & Williams/D. Brown/Ronstadt (LAGO)/Joy/Flower/D. Ross.  
Bluefield (John Hoffman-WHIS) Ronstadt/B.J. Thomas/Enchantment/Gold/Dan & Coley/Flack/K.C. & S.Bd.  
Boise (Lee Chabre-KBOI) Bee Gees (FEVER)/J. Harp/Dan & Coley/Lightfoot/Flack/Garrett.  
Boston (Jim Spellmeyer-WEEI/FM) Gentry/Warwick/Spinners/Loggins/Rose Royce/Mathis & Wms./Fricke.  
Brookhaven (Randall Smith-WJMB) Summer/Gentry/Benson/McGovern/Parsons/Travers.  
Buffalo (Roger Christian-WBEN) Gains: Kansas/P. Davis/Garfunkel/Manilow/Bee Gees (FEVER).  
Burlington (Gary Wheelock-WVMT) J. Taylor/R. Flack/Rita Coolidge. Gains: Lightfoot/LeBlanc & Carr.  
Butte (Bob Roberts-KXLF) J. Browne/Summer/Earth, Wind & Fire/Dan & Coley/Bros. Johnson.  
Canton (Rick Jacobs-WHBC) Dan & Coley/Tuxedo Junction/Welch. Gains: Manilow/Kansas/Garfunkel.  
Carson City (George Sepulvida-KPTL) Denver/Manilow/Waylon & Willie/Kansas/DeShannon. Gains: Rawls.  
Cedar Rapids (Rick Sellers-WMT) Lightfoot/Charley Pride/Garrett. Gains: LeBlanc & Carr/Dan & Coley.  
Charlotte (Andy Bickel-WBT) Davis/Cotton/Welch/Lightfoot/Steely Dan/Heatwave.  
Chicago (Rob Reynolds-WYEN) Dan & Coley/Raydio. Calls: Steely Dan/Manilow (COPACABANA).  
Cincinnati (Susan Howe-WLW) Heatwave/D. Boone/Gold/LeBlanc & Carr. Gains: Abba/Bee Gees (FEVER).  
Clovis (Charlie Russell-KKQQ) LeBlanc & Carr/Dan & Coley/Travers/DeShannon/Ross/Raydio/Cole.  
Coffeyville (J. F. Padgets-KGGF) Welch/Chicago/McCoo & Davis/Short People/B. Paul. Gains: Denver.  
Columbia (Mike Collins-WIS) N. Cole/Player. Calls: Boone/Mangione.  
Columbus (Dave Parr-WTVN) Kansas/Boz Scaggs/Chicago/Denver/Gayle. Calls: P. Winter/Mangione.  
Corona (Rick Painter-KWRM) N. Cole/Heatwave/Raydio/D. Boone/Gold. Calls: Clapton/Kansas.  
Corvallis (Weldon Greig-KLOO) R. Richards/Dan & Coley/Stafford/Madison St./Manilow. Gains: Gates.  
Crescent City (Sue Williams-KPOD) Lightfoot/Nelson/Harp/Loggins/Bros. Johnson. Calls: Gold/Boone.  
Des Moines (Del Hull-KRNT) Dan & Coley/Kansas/DeShannon/Waylon & Willie/Crosby. Gains: Kansas.  
Dubuque (Steve Sesterhenn-KDTH) Dan & Coley/MacGregor/Fricke/Lightfoot/Mandrell/LaBounty.

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Black Radio  
(Associate Editor, Betty Hollars)

Hot Line: DANCE WITH ME-Peter Brown (Drive) After a slow start, it's gaining momentum and topping charts in Chicago and Miami.

Looking Good: THE PARTY SONG-Slave (Cotillion) Building strength after early successes in Natchez and Albany.

Correspondents' Top Thirty

The following list is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

<u>LW</u>	<u>TW</u>		<u>LW</u>	<u>TW</u>	
2.	1.	OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole	18.	16.	L-O-V-E-U-Brass Construction
5.	2.	THEME: WHICH WAY IS UP-Stargard	19.	17.	BABY COME BACK-Player
9.	3.	FLASHLIGHT-Parliament	21.	18.	STAYIN' ALIVE-Bee Gees
6.	4.	IT'S YOU THAT I NEED-Enchantment	24.	19.	REACHING FOR THE SKY-Peabo Bryson
7.	5.	ALWAYS & FOREVER-Heatwave	29.	20.	LET ME PARTY WITH YOU-Bunny Sigler
8.	6.	LOVE ME RIGHT-Denise LaSalle	13.	21.	LE SPANK-Le Pamplemousse
3.	7.	AIN'T GONNA' HURT NOBODY-Brick	11.	22.	LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls
1.	8.	TOO HOT TA TROT-Commodores	15.	23.	PLAYING YOUR GAME BABY-Barry White
10.	9.	SOFT & EASY-Blackbyrds	12.	24.	...LOVE'S ALL FOR YOU-Deniece Williams
20.	10.	BOOTZILLA-Bootsy's Rubber Band	23.	25.	LOVELY DAY-Bill Withers
22.	11.	THE CLOSER I GET TO YOU-Flack/Hathaway	--.	26.	DANCE WITH ME-Peter Brown
4.	12.	JACK & JILL-Raydio	--.	27.	THE PARTY SONG-Slave
16.	13.	SHOUT IT OUT-B.T. Express	25.	28.	GALAXY-War
14.	14.	DON'T COST YOU NOTHIN'-Ashford & Simpson	26.	29.	DANCE, DANCE, DANCE-Chic
17.	15.	AM I LOSING YOU-Manhattans	30.	30.	COME GO WITH ME-Pockets

Movin' On Up

NEVER GET ENOUGH OF YOUR LOVE-LTD (A&M)

WORKING TOGETHER-Maze (Capitol)

Top Airplay

TOO MUCH, TOO LITTLE, TOO LATE-Mathis & Williams  
 I COULD HAVE LOVED YOU-Moments  
 FIND ME A GIRL-Jacksons  
 FANTASY-Earth, Wind & Fire  
 FOR YOUR LOVE, LOVE, LOVE-Joe Simon  
 INTIMATE FRIENDS-Eddie Kendricks  
 OUT OF THE GHETTO-Isaac Hayes  
 YOU & I-Living Proof  
 RUMOUR HAS IT-Donna Summer  
 CLOSE ENCOUNTERS-Gene Page/Meco  
 LET'S HAVE SOME FUN-Barkays  
 GOOD LUCK CHARM-Ohio Players  
 LOVE THAT WILL NOT DIE-Johnny Guitar Watson  
 I LOVE MY MUSIC-Wild Cherry  
 NEW HORIZONS-Sylvers  
 RUB DOWN-Joe Tex

Correspondents' Preferred Picks

GET ON UP (DISCO)-Tyrone Davis (Columbia)  
 WHERE DID LOVE GO-Leroy Hutson (Curtom)  
 IF I HAD MY WAY-Walter Jackson (Chi-Sound)  
 MAKING LOVE IS GOOD FOR YOU-Brook Benton(Old W.)  
 DO YOU LOVE SOMEBODY-Luther Ingram (Koko)  
 YOUR LOVE IS SO GOOD-Diana Ross (Motown)  
 HEAVEN IS ONLY A STEP AWAY-Controllers (Juana)  
 EMOTION-Samantha Sang (Private Stock)  
 LET'S ALL CHANT-Michael Zager Band (Private St.)  
 ON BROADWAY-George Benson (Warner Bros.)  
 RIDING HIGH-Faze-O (She)  
 BABY, YOU GOT MY NOSE OPEN-Harold Melvin (ABC)  
 TRUST YOUR HEART-Bobby Womack (Columbia)  
 LOVE IS ALL YOU NEED-High Energy (Gordy)  
 WISHING ON A STAR-Rose Royce (Whitfield)  
 ALL THE WAY LOVER-Millie Jackson (Spring)

Regional Highlights

Albany (Doc Suttles-WJIZ) #9-Mother's Finest. Gns: Bee Gees, Y.Elliman, Bootsy's Rubber Band, Ashford & S., Flack/Hathaway, Brass C., Slave, I.Hayes, Parliament. New: T.Davis, Kool & Gang.  
Birmingham (Shelley Pope-WBUL) #1-Impact, #2-Blackbyrds, #3-Bill Summers, #4-Controllers, #6-Rare Gems Odyssey, #7-Al Green, #8-Parliament, #9-O.V.Wright. New: Eruption, N.Cole, L.Ingram.  
Chicago (Earnest James-WBMX/FM) #1-Stargard, #6-Peter Brown. Gns: Barkays, Heatwave, Living Proof, Denise LaSalle. New: Milt Matthews, Moments. Rq: Natalie Cole. On: Donna Summer, Manhattans.  
Columbus (Keith Willis-WVKO) #1-Parliament, #2-Isaac Hayes, #6-Samantha Sang, #7-Ashford & S., #10-BT Express. Gns: Flack/Hathaway, Millie Jackson, Bunny Sigler, Peter Brown. New: Bill Brandon, Billy Preston, 5th Dimension, Earth, Wind & Fire, Tyrone Davis. On: Kool & Gang.  
Galveston (Randy Sterling-KGBC) #1-Parliament, #3-Peabo Bryson, #7-Ray Charles, #9-Sylvers. New: High Energy, Walter Jackson, Leroy Hutson. Rq: Bootsy, Brass C., Heatwave, Brick, Stargard, M. Jackson. On: Eruption, L.Ingram, J.G.Watson, Living Proof, Brian & Brenda, Joe Tex, Mathis & W.  
Henderson (J.T.-KGRI/FM) #1-Joe Tex, #8-Wild Cherry, #10-Dells. Gns: Manhattans, LTD, Delfonics, Bootsy. New: Mathis/Williams, Johnny Bristol, Eugene Record, Dan & Coley, Cazz, MFSB.  
Natchez (Haynes Ford-WNAT) #3-Phoebe Snow, #5-Bootsy, #9-Penguin Feet. Gns: Slave, Player, Barkays Flack/Hathaway, Parliament, Manhattans, Carol Douglas, Black Ice, G.Benson. New: Earth, W.& F.  
New York (Sonny Taylor-WWRL) #1-Meco/Gene Page, #2-Player, #3-Enchantment, #4-Parliament, #6-Joe Simon, #8-Michael Zager Band, #9-Bee Gees, #11-Peter Brown. Gns: LTD, Bootsy's Rubber Band, Flack & Hathaway. New: 5th Dimension, Controllers. On: Maze. LP: Chic.  
St. Louis (Chico Brown-KATZ) #2-Stargard, #3-Brick, #4-Raydio, #6-Le Pamplemousse, #7-Lou Rawls, #8-Parliament, #10-B.T.Express. New: Bootsy's Rubber Band, Moments, Manhattans, Brass Cons.  
St.Matthews (Andy Henderson-WQKI) #4-Enchantment, #7-Flack/Hathaway, #8-Brass C., #10-Parliament. Gns: BT Express, Bootsy, Peabo Bryson, Bee Gees, Maze, Tyrone Davis. New: George Benson, Walter Jackson, Bee Gees (NIGHT FEVER). On: Joe Simon, LTD, Faze-O, E.W.& Fire, Jacksons. LP: Raydio.  
Stockton (Charles Richardson-KUOP/FM) Chart: Bunny Sigler, Flack/Hathaway, Peabo Bryson, Control-lers, George Benson. Gns: Stargard, Isaac Hayes, Faze-O, Maze. New: Slave.  
Berkeley (Rob Singleton-KRE) New: Earth, W.& F., Joan Armatrading, George Benson. Rq: David Oliver Flack/Hathaway. New LP's: Chick Corea, Jean Terrell. Hot LP's: Pharoah Sanders, Jan Akkerman, Ralph MacDonald, Rufus, George Benson, Grover Washington, Jr.  
San Francisco (Johnny Morris-KDIA) Chart: Parliament, George Benson, Flack/Hathaway, Bunny Sigler. Bee Gees, Grover Washington, Jr. Gns: Bootsy, Rufus. On: Syl Johnson, Eruntion, Moments. New LP's: Eddie Kendricks, Patti Austin, Roy Ayers, Faze-O, Dells, Leon Haywood, Harvey Mason.

Black Radio Correspondents' LP cuts are on page 13.....



Country Music  
(Associate Editor, Elma Greer)

Prime Mover: IT DON'T FEEL LIKE SINNIN' TO ME-Kendalls (Ovation) Listener's response to the Kendalls' distinctive manner of expression persists.

Worth Watching: THE CIRCLE IS SMALL-Gordon Lightfoot (Warner Bros.) The consciousness of the subject matter combined with his voice and music is making for quick acceptance in several areas.

Top Country Hits

The following list of country hits is a composite of sales and requests reported by our correspondents, whose names appear below.

<u>LW</u>	<u>TW</u>		<u>LW</u>	<u>TW</u>	
1.	1.	DON'T BREAK THE HEART...-Margo Smith	16.	16.	SHINE ON ME-John Wesley Ryles
3.	2.	MAMAS, DON'T LET...-Waylon & Willie	26.	17.	READY FOR THE TIMES...-Crystal Gayle
2.	3.	WHAT DID I PROMISE HER...-Mel Tillis	27.	18.	SOFT LIGHTS...-Moe Bandy
6.	4.	DO I LOVE YOU-Donna Fargo	25.	19.	YES MA'AM-Tommy Overstreet
5.	5.	WOMAN TO WOMAN-Barbara Mandrell	21.	20.	BEDROOM EYES-Don Drumm
8.	6.	I LOVE YOU...-Ronnie McDowell	22.	21.	RETURN TO ME-Marty Robbins
4.	7.	I JUST WISH YOU WERE...-Larry Gatlin	11.	22.	OUT OF MY HEAD...-Loretta Lynn
10.	8.	I DON'T NEED A THING...-Gene Watson	28.	23.	SOMEONE LOVES YOU...-Charley Pride
15.	9.	TWO DOORS DOWN-Zella Lehr	--.	24.	IT DON'T FEEL LIKE...-Kendalls
12.	10.	BARTENDERS BLUES-George Jones	19.	25.	YOU KNOW WHAT-Jerry Reed & Seidina
17.	11.	IF I HAD A CHEATING HEART-Mel Street	--.	26.	A LOVER'S QUESTION-Jacky Ward
14.	12.	GOD MADE LOVE-Mel McDaniel	30.	27.	LONELY HEARTS CLUB-Billie Jo Spears
13.	13.	WALK RIGHT BACK-Anne Murray	29.	28.	COLORADO COOL AID-Johnny Paycheck
7.	14.	YOU'RE THE ONE-Oak Ridge Boys	9.	29.	TO DADDY-Emmylou Harris
18.	15.	RUNNIN' KIND-Merle Haggard	--.	30.	RED HOT MEMORY-Kenny Dale

Other Gains, Sales and/or Requests

I CHEATED ON A GOOD...-Billy "Crash" Craddock  
I'M WAY AHEAD OF YOU-Bill Anderson & M.L. Turner  
I'VE GOT A WINNER IN YOU-Don Williams  
SO GOOD, SO RARE, SO FINE-Freddie Hart  
IT STARTED ALL OVER AGAIN-Vern Gosdin  
EVERYTIME TWO FOOLS COLLIDE-Kenny Rogers & D. West  
BUCKET TO THE SOUTH-Ava Barber  
HEARTS ON FIRE-Eddie Rabbitt  
EVERYBODY LOVES A RAIN SONG-B.J. Thomas  
POOR, POOR PITIFUL ME-Linda Ronstadt

Action Sides

HERE IN LOVE-Dotsey  
MUSIC IS MY WOMAN-Don King  
SWEET, SWEET SMILE-Carpenters  
I WOULD LIKE TO SEE YOU AGAIN-Johnny Cash  
THE GRANDEST LADY OF THEM ALL-Conway Twitty  
CRY, CRY DARLING-Con Hunley  
LOVE SOMEBODY TO DEATH-Ed Bruce  
YOU'RE THE ONLY GOOD THING-Jim Reeves  
DON'T EVER SAY GOOD-BYE-T.G. Sheppard  
LOVE IS A WORD-Dickey Lee

Airplay: (New listings are underlined)

Johnny Rodriguez (35); Don Gibson (30); Cal Smith (24); Connie Smith (21); Gordon Lightfoot (17);  
Bob Luman (15); Janie Fricke (15); Johnny Lee (15); Faron Young (13); Little David Wilkins (12);  
David Rogers (11); John Denver (11); Jerry Wallace (10); Jerry Naylor (10).

Recommended Newer Releases

I'M ALWAYS ON A MOUNTAIN WHEN I FALL-Merle Haggard (MCA) COME ON IN-Jerry Lee Lewis (Mercury)  
SHE CAN PUT HER SHOES UNDER MY BED-Johnny Duncan (Columbia) WHISKEY TRIP-Gary Stewart (RCA)

New Releases That Merit Airplay

LAY DOWN SALLY-Red Sovine (Gusto) OLD GLORY-C.W. McCall (Polydor)

Roundup

Albany, Ga. (Scott Parker-WJAZ) Pl-L.D. Wilkins, F. Weller, Connie Smith, L. Ronstadt, Cal Smith.  
Ann Arbor (Mark Thomas-WNRS) Pl-L. Dresser, C.W. McCall, N. Stuckey, Rayburn, Anthony, J. Duncan.  
Asheville (Dave Jacobs-WWNC) Gns-M. Bandy (21-6). Pl-Barry Kaye, B.W. Loftis. Rq-Freddie Weller.  
Ashland, Ore. (Christopher Stoney-KCMX) Deb-Carpenters (30). Pl-Connie Smith, B.J. Shaver.  
Atlanta (Jim Clemens-WPLO) #1-R. McDowell. Gns-Kendalls (29-17). Pl-J. Fricke, Linda Ronstadt.  
Austin (Jerry K. Green-KVET) Deb-E. Rabbitt (29). Pk-Cal Smith. Pl-M.K. Miller, S. Allanson, M. Ball.  
Battle Creek (Jim Clark-WWQK) Pl-B.W. Loftis, Kendalls, T.G. Sheppard, P. Rakes, B. Arbor, D. Drumm.  
Billings (Mary June-KBMY) Pl-J. Rodriguez, J. Peters, Woody, M. Boyd, Jerry Naylor.  
Biloxi (Lance Carson-WVMI) Deb-M. McDaniel (20), L. Ronstadt (24). Pl-M. Street, M. Robbins, M. Haggard.  
Birmingham (Dan Brennan-WVOK) Deb-M. Mitchell (19). Pl-L.D. Wilkins, S. Allanson, J. Rodriguez.  
Boise (Paul Rider-KGEM) Pl-M. Haggard, K. Dale, Kendalls, D. Drumm, Billy "Crash" Craddock (Cap.).  
Bismarck (Marv Allen-KBMR) Pl-Eddie Rabbitt, L.D. Wilkins, J. Fricke, Kendalls, Peggy Sue.  
Bryan (Warren Davis-KORA/FM) Deb-C. Pride (30), M. Bandy (31), J. Ward (33), F. Hart (34).  
Cape Girardeau (David Holt-KZYM) Deb-M. Bandy (21). Pl-C. Pride, Billy "Crash" Craddock, E. Rabbit.  
Charlotte (Larry James-WBT) Deb-Rogers/West (36), A. Barber (39). Pl-Jim Ed & Helen. Rq-E. Clapton.  
Chicago (Bill Hart-WJJD) Deb-J. Ward (29), Kendalls (30). Pl-B.J. Thomas, K. Dale, B.K. Perry.  
- - - (Joanne Calloway-WMAQ) Pl-Zella Lehr, J.W. Ryles, Mel Street, Charley Pride, Carpenters.  
Chillicothe, Ill. (Rhea Ann Weatherford-WCLL) Deb-Connie Smith (27). Pl-D. Williams, J.W. Ryles.  
Cleveland (Terry Stevens-WHK) Pl-T.G. Sheppard, C. Twitty, A. Barber, G. Lightfoot, J. Cash, Garfunkel.  
Columbia (Ken Martin-WCOS/FM) Pl-Moe Bandy, Vern Gosdin, Dickey Lee, Kenny Dale.  
Cypress Gardens (Terry Slane-WGTO) Gns-Don Gibson (49-39). Pl-T.G. Sheppard, Connie Smith, J. Lee.  
Denver (Jon Lawrence-KERE) Pl-C. Hunley, B.J. Thomas, Carpenters, D. Gibson, M. Mitchell, Bill/Mary Lou.  
- - - (Bill Ashford-KLAK) Pl-R. Clark, J. Fricke, D. Rogers, Cates, J.L. Lewis, B. Kaye, G. Stewart.  
Des Moines (John Charleston-KSO) Pl-Carpenters, J. Wallace, J. Paycheck, Cal Smith, J. Rodriguez.  
Detroit (Cindy-WDEE) Pl-Ava Barber, Dotsey, Carpenters, J. Naylor, Don Gibson.  
Eau Claire (Ken Loomis-WAXX/FM) Pl-Jack Paris, S. Allanson, J. Wallace, L.D. Wilkins, Janie Fricke.  
Eugene (John Etheredge-KATR) Deb-J. Ward (21). Pl-D. King, F. Fender, C.W. McCall, C. Hunley, D. Lee.  
- - - (Bob Wise-KEED) Pl-J.L. Lewis, G. Stewart, J. Fricke, Paul Halpern, B. Kaye.  
Everett/Seattle (Lee Wade-KWYZ) Pl-Carpenters, Don King, Dotsey, J. Rodriguez. Rq-T. Glaser.  
Fargo (Donnie Roberts-KFGO) Pl-D. Drumm, D. Lee, B. Luman, F. Young, Carpenters.  
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## Roundup (cont'd. from pg. 5)

Fayetteville (Mike Edwards-WFAI) Deb-E.Rabbitt (39), J.Naylor (42). Pl-B.Kaye, J.Fricke.  
 Florence (Steve Casey-WXOR) Deb-E.Rabbitt (16). Pl-J.Denver, T.Glaser, J.Peters, J.Rodriguez.  
 Ft. Dodge (Dale Eichor-KWMT) Pl-B.Luman, J.Denver, LaCosta, T.G.Sheppard. Rq-Cal Smith.  
 Ft. Worth (Tom Wayne-KXOL) Pl-D.Wilkins, T.G.Sheppard, Connie Smith. Rq-Jim Reeves, La Costa.  
 Ft.Worth/Dallas (Art Davis-WBAP) Gns-J.Reeves (32-22). Pl-Carpenters, Ava Barber, Craddock (Cap.).  
 Hanford, Ca. (Dave Bazzell-KNGS) Pl-D.Williams, A.Barber, Rogers/West, Don King, Dotsy, C.Twitty.  
 Harlan (Rob Baxter-WFSR) Deb-Kendalls (46), D.Williams (57), C.Twitty (62), A.Murray (64).  
 Houma (Les Domangue-KCIL) Gns-D.Lee (29-18), D.King (36-19), J.Lee (45-20). Pk-Connie Smith.  
 Houston (Dr.Bruce Nelson-KENR) Pl-J.Reeves, G.Hamilton IV, J.Duncan, G.Stewart, Dolly Parton.  
 - - - (Joe Ladd-KIKK) Pl-J.L.Lewis, J.Duncan, G.Stewart, G.Hamilton IV, David Allen Coe.  
 Indianapolis (Herb Allen-WFMS) Pl-Con Hunley, T.G.Sheppard, Dickey Lee, Ava Barber, Rogers/West.  
 - - - (Bill Robinson-WIRE) Pk-Jim Ed & Helen. Pl-J.Duncan, F.Fender, L.Ronstadt, T.G.Sheppard.  
 Jacksonville (J.St.John-WQIK) Deb-E.Clapton (33). Pl-D.Williams, J.Fricke, G.Stewart, D.Gibson.  
 Jamestown (Ole Olson-KSJB) Pl-Nat Stuckey, L.D.Wilkins, J.Fricke, B.J.Shaver, Faron Young.  
 Kansas City (Don Rhea-KCKN) Deb-C.Pride (21), C.Twitty (27), J.Cash (30). Pl-J.Rodriguez.  
 - - - (Ted Cramer-WDAF) Deb-Kendalls (21), J.Paycheck (23), C.Pride (26), C.Twitty (28).  
 Kennewick (Doug Allen-KOTY) Pl-L.D.Wilkins, P.Craft, J.Pruett, Johnny Lee, La Costa.  
 Kingsville (Gordon C.Marcy-KINE) Deb-B.J.Spears (24), Kendalls (28). Pl-Carpenters, D.Williams.  
 Knoxville (Dave Young-WIVK) Pl-D.Gibson, J.Rodriguez. Rq-A.Barber, B.J.Thomas, J.Peters.  
 Las Vegas (Johnny Steele-KRAM) Deb-D.Lee (35), Bellamy Bros. (36), D.Fargo (37), E.Rabbitt (38).  
 Lockhart (John Hood-KCLT) Deb-K.Palmer (23). Pl-Carpenters, L.Ronstadt, J.Duncan, J.Fricke.  
 Los Angeles (Cathy Hahn-KLAC) Pl-F.Hart, B.J.Thomas, D.Lee, C.Twitty, J.Rodriguez.  
 Lynchburg (Ed Michaels-WBRG) Pl-J.DeShannon, R.Nelson, L.D.Wilkins, D.King, C.W.McCall.  
 Manitowoc (Bob Irish-WCUB) Gns-Don Williams (21-10). Pl-B.D.Burns, Connie Smith, Rogers/West.  
 Medford (Nick Jaggstone-KSHA) Pl-B.J.Shaver, L.Ronstadt, J.Paycheck, D.Dillman, T.Glaser.  
 Memphis (Hal Jay-WMC) Deb-C.Hunley (28). Pl-F.Weller, E.Clapton, S.Allanson, J.Duncan.  
 Miami (Ron Tatar-WWOK) Gns-P.Wagoner (30-23). Pl-Rogers/West, D.Williams, T.G.Sheppard, C.Hunley.  
 Missoula (Jack Lundy-KGRZ) Gns-M.McDaniel (16-9). Pl-F.Fender, F.Hart, K.Dale, Connie Smith.  
 Modesto (Kenny Roberts-KTRB) Gns-G.Jones (19-7). Pl-A.Barber, E.Rabbitt, F.Hart, B.J.Thomas.  
 Monroe (Rob Williams-KNOE) Deb-J.Rodriguez (27), Dotsy (34), A.Barber (39), J.Reeves (44).  
 Montgomery (Diane Brennan-WBAM) Pl-S.Allanson, M.K.Miller, J.Fricke, B.Kaye, K.Edward IV.  
 Nashville (Dale Turner-WKDA) Pl-Dotsy, L.Ronstadt, D.A.Coe, D.Rogers/West, F.Fender, J.Ely.  
 - - - (Mary Catherine-WSM) Pl-J.Fricke, J.Duncan, Jim Ed & Helen, Dotsy, Ed Bruce.  
 New York (Ed Salamon-WHN) Pl-Mo Bandy, Eddie Rabbitt. Gns-G.Jones (18-11), G.Watson (16-12).  
 Oakland (Bob Guerra-KNEW) Pl-Vern Gosdin, B.J.Thomas, Johnny Rodriguez, Dotsy.  
 Orlando (Mike Burger-WHOO) Pl-J.L.Lewis, J.Paycheck, J.Fricke, R.Steagall, F.Young, N.Stuckey.  
 Panama City (John Dunaway-WFAP) Pl-B.Kaye, R.Clark, LaCosta, Mel Street, J.Denver, F.Fender.  
 Pascagoula (Larry Hester-WGUD) #1-Mel Tillis. Deb-E.Clapton (15). Pl-C.W.McCall, C.Hunley, Rabbitt.  
 Phoenix (John D.Buchanan-KNIX) Pl-R.Steagall, J.L.Lewis, D.McBride, A.Barber, Jim Ed & Helen.  
 Polson (Bob Borino-KERR) Gns-C.Pride (20-8). Pl-Connie Smith. Rq-Roy Clark (40 MILES).  
 Port Arthur (Dick Davis-KYKR) Gns-E.Rabbitt (38-30). Pk-J.Fricke. Pl-A.Wayne, R.Sovine, J.Denver.  
 Portland (Don Lane-KRDR) Gns-J.Cash (47-36). Pl-M.Mitchell, J.Foster, J.Paycheck, J.Strunk.  
 Provo (Chris McGuire-KFTN) Pl-J.Ley, J.Fricke, David Rogers, Connie Smith. Rq-Carpenters.  
 Redmond (Harry Gift-KPRB) Pl-G.Harding, L.D.Wilkins, Connie Smith, B.J.Shaver, G.Lightfoot.  
 Rochester (Pat O'Neill-KKEE) Gns-A.Barber (19-13). Pl-D.Lee, T.G.Sheppard, J.Rodriguez, Conway.  
 Rockford (Curtis King-WKKN) Pl-G.Stewart, L.D.Wilkins, Billy Stack, C.Hunley, J.Denver, J.Cash.  
 St. Cloud (Dean Allen-WWJO) Gns-C.Lane (28-18). Pl-D.Williams, C.Gayle, M.Bandy, E.Rabbitt.  
 St. Joseph (Bob Orf-KFEQ) Deb-D.Williams (23), E.Rabbitt (25). Pl-A.Barber, J.Wallace, Cal Smith.  
 St. Louis (Walt Turner-WIL) Pl-Rogers/West, Dotsy, F.Hart, Johnny Paycheck, Anderson/Turner.  
 St.Petersburg (Joe Patrick-WQYK/FM) Gns-C.Lane (25-17). Pl-B.K.Perry, Rogers/West, B.J.Thomas.  
 Salem (Jeff Williams-KGAY) Pl-Carpenters, Jim Ed & Helen, Gary Stewart, Sandy Posey, J.Fricke.  
 San Antonio (Max Gardner-KKYX) Pl-G.Morgan, J.Fricke, C.Potter, L.D.Wilkins, M.K.Miller.  
 San Bernardino (Bob Mitchell-KCKC) Gns-D.Williams (18-6), J.Rodriguez (17-12). Pl-G.Lightfoot.  
 San Diego (Ed Chandler-KSON) Pl-Carpenters, J.Fricke, B.C.Craddock (Cap.), B.Kaye, R.Sovine.  
 San Jose (Don West-KEEN) Pl-J.Paycheck, J.L.Lewis, L.Ronstadt, M.Bandy, Cal Smith.  
 Savannah (Terry Wunderlin-WQQT) Deb-B.J.Thomas (27), J.Paycheck (28). Pl-S.Allanson, M.Mitchell.  
 Shelby (Mark Grady-WOHS/FM) Deb-F.Hart (26), Dotsy (28), F.Young (35). Pl-D.King, R.McDowell.  
 Shreveport (Ron Scott-KRMD) Pl-K.Rogers/D.West, F.Young, Johnny Cash, T.G.Sheppard. Rq-J.Ward.  
 South Bend (Tom Sidwell-WJVA) Deb-B.J.Thomas (38). Pl-C.Gayle, M.Street, Kendalls, B.J.Spears.  
 Stevens Point (Pat Martin-WXYQ) Pl-Barry Kaye, T.Overstreet, Carpenters, C.Pride.  
 Tacoma (Russ Riley-KMO) Pl-Patsy Cline, C.W. McCall, Connie Smith, J.Peters, G.Morgan. Rq-E.Rabbitt  
 Thibodaux (Rick Luquette-KTIB) Pk-J.Fricke, C.W.McCall (both). Pl-F.Fender, K.Edward IV, J.Strunk.  
 Toledo (Bob Pepas-WTOD) Pl-L.Lynn, K.Rogers/D.West, LaCosta, S.Allanson, J.Paycheck. Rq-E.Rabbitt.  
 Toronto (Joe LeFresne-CFGM) Pk-C.Pride. Pl-Kendalls, M.Robbins, D.Williams, Conway Twitty.  
 Tucson (Tim Tyler-KIKX) Pl-M.Mitchell, Eddie Rabbitt, Connie Smith, Cal Smith. Rq-Vern Gosdin.  
 Tulsa (Billy Parker-KVOO) Gns-Don King (30-23). Pl-B.C.Craddock, Arch Yancey, Connie Smith.  
 Twin Falls (Carl R. Raida-KLIX) Pl-C.Hunley, E.Bruce, Brown/Cornelius, J.Rodriguez, R.Sovine.  
 Victoria (Marvin Paul-KNAL) Pl-D.King, J.Cash, A.Barber, J.Tubb, Carpenters. Rq-G.Morgan.  
 Waco (Ray Welch-KKIK) Pl-J.Ward, B.Luman, C.Twitty, T.G.Sheppard, J.Peters. Rq-M.Mitchell.  
 Washington, D.C. (Chris Gullett-WPIK/WXRA) Deb-M.Mitchell (44), Connie Smith (47), F.Fender (49).  
 Wenatchee (Tim Scott-KUEN) Pl-C.Twitty, F.Hart, John Denver, E.Rabbitt, B.C.Craddock.  
 W. Palm Beach (Jim Howle-WIRK/FM) Pl-Red Sovine, G.Stewart, Cates, White/Dillon, A.Bolt.  
 Wolf Point (Jerry Gerke-KVCK) Gns-J.Ward (31-16). Pl-D.Chastain, Con Hunley, B.Kaye, L.L.Wren.  
 Yakima (Jerry Wilson-KUTI) Pl-L.Ronstadt, R.Clark, J.Naylor, J.Fricke, Connie Smith, B.J.Shaver.  
 Yankton (Jefferson Red-WNAX) Deb-E.Rabbitt (37), C.Twitty (43), Ed Bruce (44), Bob Luman (45).

## Country Club

Jobs: KCMX-Ashland, Ore., is looking for tapes and resumes for future air talent openings.  
 Send to Box 128, Zip 97520.  
 WJAZ-Albany, Ga., would also like to have tapes and resumes for future air talent positions.  
 Contact Roy Dowdy, Box 505, Zip 31702.  
 WCOS/FM-Columbia, S.C., is accepting tapes and resumes for possible future air talent spot also.  
 Contact Ken Martin, Box 748, Zip 29202.

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Top 40 Station Reports - February 20 thru Wed. February 22  
(Total Reports this week 201 - last week 225)  
Research Assistant - Kent Zimmerman

LITTLE ONE-Chicago- 19 reports (21 last week). WIRL (12), KGKL (13), WONS (25), WFBC (26), KBOZ (29), KROF (30), 15Q (30). On: WCIL/FM, WGCL, WHEB, WIGY, CKPR, WQOK, KIOO, KC148, KWEB, KQOT, KOBO, KNDE. Off: WKLN, KSLY.

MAMAS, DON'T LET YOUR BABIES...-Waylon & Willie- 24 reports. WMAK (23 to 17). On: KLIF. Also: KRLC (12 to 7), KZUE (9), KEEL (14 to 9), KATA (16 to 10), KKXL (11), KMHT (27 to 21), KBEQ (30 to 24), KOZE (25), KGKL (25), KEWI (27). On: WDUN, WFOX/FM, WZOO, WQOK, KDOK, KELP, KERN, KILE, KJCK/FM, KWEB, KROF.

BABY HOLD ON-Eddie Money- 25 reports (27 last week). KFRC (26 to 20), 13Q (23). On: WNOE, KING. Also: KFIV (8), KSLY (11), KOBO (12), KSTN (19 to 12), KYNO (16), KFLY (22 to 17), KKIQ (19), WKKY (20), KJOY (24), WGCL (25), WAVZ (25), KRLC (28), KQOT (30). On: KRHC, KROF, KCBN, KIOO, WONS, WDLP, WBSR, WABB.

FEELS SO GOOD-Chuck Mangione- 29 reports. 94Q (1), KSLQ (14), WQXI (30 to 20), Z93 (22), WMAK (27), KLIF (30). On: WAYS, WBBQ, KJR. Also: WFOX/FM (25 to 17), 92Q (27 to 21), WAUG/FM (28), KLWN/FM (28), WCRO (29), WGSV (30), KATA (30). On: WABB, WANS, WBSR, WDLP, WISM, WJON, WSPT, KAKC, KGKL, KKIQ, KTAM, KRLC. Rq: WDUN, WSPT.

EVERYBODY LOVES A RAIN SONG-B.J. Thomas- 29 reports (41 last week). On: WNOE. Also: KAKC (7), WFLB (9), KC148 (15 to 10), WNUE (24 to 11), KKOA (15), KEWI (17), KGKL (18), KATI (18), Q107 (18), KRLC (21), WCRO (22), WLOF (24), WGOW (25), WHEB (30 to 25), 15Q (30 to 25), WSPT (25), WQOK (25), KKIQ (28). On: KOKK, KOOK, KSTN, KBOZ, KAYC, WKLN, WTLB, WVAM, WISM, etc.

BREAKDOWN-Tom Petty & the Heartbreakers- 29 reports (41 last week). WZUU (18), KRSP (20), WZZD (27). On: KJR, KJRB. Also: KFIV (7), KATI (9), KQWB (20 to 10), KISD (11), KOOK (11), KTAM (12), WTSN (14), KQOT (14), KGHO (20 to 15), KFLY (20), KILE (26 to 20), KKIQ (21), KDOK (21), KALE (26 to 21), WDLP (22), WFOX/FM (29 to 23), KOTN (23). On: KMKF, KOKK, etc.

SWEET, SWEET SMILE-Carpenters- 33 reports (29 last week). KIOA (10), WOKY (19), KRSP (21), KGW (30). On: WFIL. Also: KC148 (18), KWVL (20), KROF (22), WACI (22), KCRS (29 to 23), KRLC (24), WDLP (25), WEAQ (30 to 25), KOKK (26), KOZE (26), WHHY (26), KMHT (27), WIGY (29), KLBK (30). On: WBGW, WBSR, WHEB, WQOK, KBOZ, KFYZ, KGKL, KILE, KISD, KWEB, KPAM, KOOK, etc.

I'M GONNA TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING-Rubicon- 38 reports. 94Q (27). Also: KISD (13), KAOK (25 to 16), KROF (19), KELP (21), KJAS (22), WTSN (22), WCRO (24), WFOX/FM (30 to 25), WGSV (26), KIRL (28), WSPT (28), WGUY (28), WANS (29), WGNI (29), KOKK (30), WRFC (30). On: KWVL, KSTN, KOBO, KMKF, KC148, KCBN, KEEL, KFMD, KILE, KJCK/FM, 15Q, WNAM, WIGY, WIBR, WHUT, WDUN, etc.

YOU REALLY GOT ME-Van Halen- 40 reports (44 last week). 99X (29). Also: KYA (14), KEZY (14), WSPT (17), KRHC (20), WISM (30 to 21), WSGA (30 to 21), KCBN (21), KYLT (21), WGNI (22), KOBO (23), KROK (23), KJOY (23), KOOK (25), KIST (25), KATA (25), KISD (26), KNDE (27), WZYQ (27), WCRO (27), WACI (28), KSTN (29), WFLB (30), KOZE (30). On: KOTN, KDOK, KATI, etc.

BOOGIE SHOES-K.C. & the Sunshine Band- 42 reports. Y100 (3), WNOE (6), KFRC (12), 10Q (30). On: WBBQ, WHBQ, KJRB. Also: KJOY (4), WLCY (6), KFIV (13), Q107 (15), WGNI (16), KSTN (18), KYA (19), WAVZ (29 to 20), KOBO (21), WJDX (21), WGOW (30 to 22), KVIC (23), KAOK (25), WLL (25), WAGQ (29). On: KMHT, KOOK, KREM, KJAS, KIRL, KFMD, KFLY, KCBN, WQOK, WRBR, etc.

HOLLYWOOD-Boz Scaggs- 45 reports (57 last week). WPRO/FM (26), KGW (28). On: KING. Also: WWKE (11), WCOS (12), WGLF (14), KJOY (16), KISD (16), KSLY (17), KZUE (24 to 18), KOBO (28 to 18), KNDE (19), WQOK (19), WAUG/FM (24), WDLP (27), WGCL (27), KGHO (28), WYRE (28), WFLB (29), WZOO (29), KKIQ (29), KATA (29), KJCK/FM (30), Q107 (30), WANS (30). On: KOKK, KOOK, KSTN, etc.

SILVER DREAMS-The Babys- 46 reports (43 last week). WNOE (29 to 20). Also: KOZE (9), KRLC (12), KSLY (13), KC148 (13), WCIR (21 to 15), KOKK (15), KAOK (26 to 17), KWVL (25 to 18), WKKY (25 to 19), KVSL (19), KLWN/FM (19), KROF (27 to 21), KEWI (23), 15Q (24), CKIOI (24), KJAS (25), WHEB (26), KTAM (27), KNDE (28), KRHC (28), KFLY (28), KOTN (30). On: KJOY, etc.

LADY LOVE-Lou Rawls- 50 reports (54 last week). WFIL (10), WAYS (17 to 11), WQXI (23 to 17). On: WMAK. Also: WKKY (2), WDLP (3), KLBK (5), KTEM (5), WGSV (10), KFSB (10), WCRO (11), WRFC (16 to 11), KYNO (13), WABB (14), KROF (14), WYRE (15), KBOZ (16), KAYC (21 to 16), KRHC (18), WMFJ (21), WGNI (21), KSLY (28 to 22), WQOK (22), KWVL (24), WANS (30 to 24), etc.

THE CIRCLE IS SMALL-Gordon Lightfoot- 56 reports. KGW (29), WBBQ (30). On: KING, KJRB. Also: CHUM (14), WRJZ (21), KOZE (22), WCRO (23), WFLB (28 to 23), WGNI (23), WGSV (23), KKOA (23), Q107 (30 to 24), WWKE (24), KWEB (25), WGUY (26), WLOF (28), WLL (28), 96KX (29), WGLF (29), WAUG/FM (29), WAAY (30), KKIQ (30), KSLY (30), KNDE (30). On: WANS, WBGW, KFSB, KGKL, etc.

THEME: WHICH WAY IS UP-Stargard- 56 reports (47 last week). WHBQ (5), KSLQ (12), 96X (29 to 20), Z93 (20), Y100 (25 to 20), WQXI (27). On: WAYS, WNOE. Also: WGNI (1), Q107 (4), WKKY (10), WAGQ (20 to 10), KAYC (14), WISE (16), WBSR (22 to 16), WANS (21 to 16), WAVZ (25 to 17), KJAS (23 to 18), KILE (21), WRFC (28 to 22), WZYQ (22), KEEL (25), WAUG/FM (27), KOTN (28), etc.

I GO CRAZY-Paul Davis- 59 reports (70 last week). KGW (2), B100 (3), KRSP (4), KFRC (6), KHJ (7), KIOA (7), 10Q (8), KJR (8), KFI (9), WCOL (11), KTAC (23 to 18), WZUU (19), 13Q (20), WZZD (20), WHBQ (20), WPRO/FM (25), Y100 (27). On: WFIL, WOKY. Also: KFMD (7 to 1), WWKE (2), KRHC (3), KELP (3), WKKY (3), WQID (3), WZYQ (4), KFIV (4), KIRL (5), WTSN (5), etc. Off: WIBR.

OUR LOVE-Natalie Cole- 83 reports (72 last week). WHBQ (2), WQXI (4), 96X (4), KILT (4), Z93 (6), WDRQ (12 to 7), WBBF (22 to 8), WBBQ (16), Y100 (16), WAKY (26 to 20), KRTH (22), KJR (23), WAYS (29 to 23), 13Q (24), KJRB (27), WIFI (29). On: KTAC, KING, KFRC, KFI, WPRO/FM. Also: WAGQ (2), WAVZ (2), KOBO (3), WSGA (4), WGOW (15 to 4), WANS (9 to 4), etc.

HOT LEGS-Rod Stewart- 85 reports. B100 (8), KING (17), WBBQ (19), WDRQ (21), KFRC (21), WRKO (23), WAYS (24), KRSP (24), KSLQ (24), 99X (25), WIFI (25), WHBQ (27), WMAK (28), 10Q (28), 96X (30), WPRO/FM (30). On: Z93, KJR, KJRB, KTAC. Also: KIIS/FM (8), WHUT (14 to 8), WCIR (17 to 11), KEZY (11), WGNI (18), WZYQ (26 to 18), KYA (24 to 18), WMOH (29 to 19), WPST (24 to 19), etc.

BEFORE MY HEART FINDS OUT-Gene Cotton- 91 reports (90 last week). KRTH (19), WCOL (20), WBBQ (21), B100 (21), KIOA (25), WMAK (26), WAKY (26), KLIF (27). On: WBBF, WNOE, WZUU, KING, KRSP. Also: WFOX/FM (14 to 8), KC148 (8), WKLN (11), CKIOI (26 to 12), WMFJ (12), WISM (12), WGSV (12), KVSL (13), WGNI (15), WKKY (22 to 17), KOZE (18), KALE (23 to 18), WZOO (18), etc.

JACK & JILL-Raydio- 100 reports (105 last week). Y100 (4), WBBQ (6), 96X (8), KILT (9), WHBQ (14), WNOE (18), KRSP (24 to 19), KRTH (21), 99X (22), B100 (29 to 23), WQXI (24), KFRC (26), 13Q (26), WZZD (26), WRKO (29). On: WAYS, Z93, KTAC. Also: WRFC (1), WANS (2), KOBO (9 to 2), WAUG/FM (4), WCGQ (4), WGNI (4), KZUE (5), KROF (6), KILE (6), WCOS (7), WAGQ (15 to 8), etc.

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THANK YOU FOR BEING A FRIEND-Andrew Gold- 101 reports (73 last week). 94Q (15 to 9), KRSP (16 to 11), KFI (13), Z93 (21 to 14), WQXI (24 to 19), KING (24), WZUU (24), WIFI (24), KJR (25), KJRB (26), WBBF (26), KFRC (30). On: WBBQ, WMAK, WRKO, 13Q, KILT, KSLQ. Also: WFOX/FM (16 to 9), WHHY (17 to 11), KREM (21 to 14), KSLY (21 to 15), WNUE (18), etc.

SWEET TALKIN' WOMAN-Electric Light Orch.- 105 reports. KRTH (22 to 17), B100 (24), 94Q (29 to 24), KFI (25), KJRB (25), KRSP (26), KHJ (26), WDRQ (27), WZZD (28), Z93 (29), KFRC (29), 99X (30), 13Q (30), WRKO (30). On: WAYS, WBBQ, WQXI, 10Q, KILT, KING, KJR. Also: KEZY (21), KYA (23), WRJZ (23), WFLB (24), KSLY (25), WNUE (25), WCRO (26), WGLF (26), KIMN (26), K100 (27), etc.

RUNNIN' ON EMPTY-Jackson Browne- 106 reports (91 last week). KRTH (16), B100 (21 to 16), 96X (17), KING (19), KSLQ (19), 94Q (24 to 19), Z93 (28 to 23), WOKY (25), WRKO (26), WQXI (28), WDRQ (30). On: 10Q, KLIF, KJRB, KJR, KILT, WNOE, WBBF. Also: KSLY (16 to 9), KBEQ (12), WGCL (29 to 13), KNOW (25 to 14), WKLN (20 to 15), KJOY (17), WIGY (24 to 17), CHUM (18), etc.

IF I CAN'T HAVE YOU-Yvonne Elliman- 117 reports (94 last week). KRTH (11), WPRO/FM (21 to 12), KJRB (13), WMAK (22), WBBQ (25), WDRQ (25), WRKO (25), 94Q (26), Y100 (26), WQXI (26), WIFI (26), Z93 (28), 13Q (28), WZZD (30). On: WBBF, WFIL, WNOE, KFI, KFRC, KRSP. Also: KOZE (3), KREM (3), WHHY (8 to 3), WIGY (3), KOOK (5), WCIR (8), WDLP (8), WFLB (23 to 8), WKLN (9), etc.

FALLING-LeBlanc & Carr- 120 reports (111 last week). 94Q (2), WBBQ (4), WQXI (15 to 8), Z93 (9), KGW (15 to 10), KSLQ (11), KJRB (12), KRSP (17 to 12), KRTH (13), WAKY (19), KHJ (26 to 20), KING (20), KLIF (21), KJR (21), WMAK (26 to 21), WPRO/FM (21), WZUU (22), WOKY (23), K10A (24), 10Q (24), B100 (25), KFI (26), WAYS (29), WDRQ (29), WIFI (30). On: WFIL, WBBQ, WNOE, WRKO, etc.

POOR, POOR PITIFUL ME-Linda Ronstadt- 123 reports (136 last week). Z93 (5), 94Q (7), KRSP (8), 99X (9), KJRB (11), KJR (12), WCOL (16), WMAK (16), WPRO/FM (18), KING (18), KFI (25 to 20), WAKY (21), WNOE (21), WRKO (21), WZUU (21), KGW (22), WZZD (25), WDRQ (26), 96X (27). On: KTAC. Also: WHHY (4), WZOO (5), WGNI (6), WSGA (8), WCRO (15 to 8), WSPT (14 to 9), etc.

WE'LL NEVER HAVE TO SAY GOODBYE AGAIN-England Dan & J.F. Coley- 128 reports. KRTH (23), WZZD (24), B100 (27), KHJ (28), KLIF (28), 10Q (29), KDWB (29), 13Q (29), WAKY (30), WBBF (30), WCOL (30), WMAK (30), 94Q (30). On: WAYS, WBBQ, WBBQ, WPRO/FM, WRKO, 99X, Z93, KFI, KGW, KILT, KING, KJR, KJRB, KRSP. Also: KELP (23), WLLL (24), KQWB (25), WAGQ (27), KING (27), KNDE (29), etc.

EBONY EYES-Bob Welch- 143 reports (121 last week). B100 (4), WZUU (8), KING (16 to 10), 94Q (10), KJRB (14), KJR (19 to 14), KHJ (22), KRSP (22), WIFI (23), WOKY (24), KLIF (25), Z93 (25), 13Q (25), WMAK (25), 10Q (27), KDWB (27), WPRO/FM (27), WRKO (28), WBBF (29), WCOL (29). On: WBBQ, WDRQ, WNOE, WQXI, KFI, KFRC, KGW, KSLQ. Also: WLLL (11), KOZE (19 to 13), etc.

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GOODBYE GIRL-David Gates- 117 reports (114 last week). 94Q (6), WQXI (10), K10A (24 to 16), Z93 (18), KRTH (23 to 18), WBBQ (20), KING (22), KRSP (23), KJR (24), 13Q (27), WAKY (27), WZZD (29). On: WFIL, WIFE, WMAK, KJRB, KLIF. Also: WFOX/FM (1), WAIR (2), WGSV (3), KOB0 (4), KOOK (9 to 4), WKKY (9 to 4), WAGQ (5), KAKC (5), KKIQ (5), KSLY (5), WAGQ (5), etc.

Correspondents' Corner  
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San Diego, Michele Pettis-KMJC-#5-R.Coolidge	Lebanon, Bob Donovan-KGAL- *Trammps
Anaheim, Larry Groves-KEZY- #11-Rod Stewart	Corvallis, Art Quine-KFLY- #6-Abba
Los Angeles, Denise Gorman-K100- David Gates	Salem, Tim Patterson-KBZY- Mary MacGregor
- - - Mark Taylor-KFI- Little River Band	Portland, Karen Knight-KYTE- ELO
- - - Bob Hamilton-KRTH/FM- Bee Gees (WOMAN)	- - - Terry Dammer-KGW- #10-LeBlanc & Carr
- - - Sherman/Cohen-KIIS/FM- #8-Rod Stewart	Hoquiam, Steve Larson-KGHO- Gene Cotton
- - - John Sebastian-KHJ- #7-Paul Davis	Longview, Jay McCrae-KLOG- Debby Boone
Whittier, Jay Loughrin-KRHC- Hotel	Tacoma, Bruce Cannon-KTAC- Raydio
San Bernardino, Rick Kymala-KFXM- #12-B.Manilow	Seattle, Rob Conrad-KING- Steely Dan (JOSIE)
Santa Barbara, Dick Williams-KIST- *Debby Boone	- - - Frank Colbourn-FM/KVI- Heatwave
Santa Maria, Johnny Dixon-KC148- #8-Gene Cotton	Yakima, Brady Layman-KQOT- Don Brown
San Luis Obispo, John Tobin-KSLY- Eloise Laws	Bellingham, Frank Shiers-KPUG- Andrew Gold
Bakersfield, Pete Shannon-KERN- Waylon & Willie	Tri-Cities, Tom Mann-KALE- Alan Parsons
Fresno, John Berry-KYNO- #16-Eddie Money	Spokane, Jim Hill-KREM- K.C. & Sunshine Band
Modesto, Ralph Chavez-KFIV- Journey	- - - Tom Huttyler-KJRB- Gordon Lightfoot
San Jose, Paul Wells-KSJO- Sweet	Boise, Charlie Fox-KFXD- Styx
San Francisco, Steve Jordan-KYA- Raydio	Lewiston, Steve MacKelvie-KRLC- Bobbie Gentry
Livermore, Steve O'Neal-KKIQ- Chuck Mangione	- - - Wes McShay-KOZE- Paul Nicholas
Stockton, Dave Morgan-KSTN- Diana Ross	Moscow, Gary Cummings-KRPL- Alan Parsons
- - - David Kraham-KJOY- Sea Level	Missoula, Vern Argo-KYLT- Santa Esmeralda
Davis, Karl Reinking-KDVS- Joni Mitchell	Helena, Randall Rocks-KCAP- Stargard
Sacramento, Jeff Hunter-KNDE- John Denver	Bozeman, Paul Ehlis-KBOZ- Atlanta Rhythm Section
Yuba City, Ross Forbes-KOBO- Mary MacGregor	Great Falls, Don Nordine-KQDI- #10-Jay Ferguson
Redding, John Stall-KSXO- Sea Level	Billings, John Albright-KYYA- Crystal Gayle
Arcata, Len Jarvela-KATA- Mary MacGregor	- - - Allen Moos-KOOK- K.C. & Sunshine Band
Eugene, Richard Harker-KBDF- Lou Rawls	Toronto, John Termenesi-CHUM- Kansas
- - - Bill Dudley-KASH- Angel	Thunder Bay, B.M.Dean-CKPR- Yvonne Elliman

Changes

<u>Name</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
Jay McDaniel	WAIR-Winston Salem	Mercury Records	Promotion
Robin Cross	WMPS-Memphis	KQDY-Bismarck	Engineer
Bryan Holden	WHHL-Orlando	WONS-Tallahassee	News
Eric Eifrig	WVMO-Mt.Vernon, Oh.	WDIF-Marion	News
Jon Kent	WBAP-Huntsville	KQDY-Bismarck	News Director
Scott Allen	WEIC-Charleston, Ill.	promoted to	Sports Director
Randy Radloff	WEIC-Charleston	promoted to	Production Manager
Randy Reeves	WGST-Atlanta	Z93-Atlanta	Air Talent/Prod. Dir.
Don Lee West	WIRK-W.Palm Beach	KOZA-Odessa	Air Talent/Prod. Dir.
Mike Weber	KCRG-Cedar Rapids	WLW-Cincinnati	Air Talent
Sean O'Connor	KBEQ-Kansas City	KOZA-Odessa	Air Talent
Roger Carey	WVAM-Altoona	WFBG-Altoona	Air Talent
Ron Wood	KEYS-Corpus Christi	WNUE-Ft. Walton Bch.	Air Talent

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New Adds

Depth reports on newer airplay, derived from a selected section of top 40 correspondents are listed below in regional order. Stations included may vary from week to week. Listing of any station has no relationship to its audience rating in its market.

Bath, Jack O'Brien-WIGY- Hotel, Player, Diana Ross, Chicago. Deb: Raydio, J.Denver, Dan & Coley.  
 Dover, Jim Sebastian-WTSN- Yvonne Elliman, Atlanta Rhythm Section, Boz Scaggs, Dan & Coley.  
 Boston, Harry Nelson-WRKO- LeBlanc & Carr, Heatwave, Andrew Gold, Chicago.  
 Providence, Gary Berkowitz-WPRO/FM- Barry Manilow, Tavares, Natalie Cole, Dan & Coley, Aerosmith.  
 Schenectady, Jim Walsh-3WD- Rubicon, Parliament, Eruption, Aerosmith, Sanford & Townsend, Karla B.  
 New York, Barbara Brozdowski-WCBS/FM- Eric Clapton, LeBlanc & Carr, Abba.  
 Philadelphia, Mark Serpas-WXXD- Debs: Yvonne Elliman, David Gates, Dan & Coley, Barry Manilow.  
 Trenton, Tom Taylor-WPST- David Gates, A.Gold, G.Lightfoot, Lou Rawls, Flack/Hathaway, ELO.  
 Winston-Salem, Jay McDaniel-WAIR- Parliament, Y.Elliman, Styx, Rubicon, Michael Zager Band.  
 Charlotte, Roy Rosen-WAYS- Chuck Mangione, Dan & Coley, ELO, Bee Gees (WOMAN), E.W. & Fire.  
 Anderson, Bill McCown-WANS- ELO, Chuck Mangione, Parliament. Deb: Yvonne Elliman, Rubicon.  
 Augusta, Bruce Stevens-WBBQ- Chuck Mangione, Sea Level, Hot, Bob Weir. Deb: Kansas, G.Lightfoot.  
 Savannah, Brady McGraw-WSGA- ELO, Stargard, Jackson Browne, A.R.Section, Sea Level.  
 Atlanta, Dale O'Brian-Z93- Dan & Coley, Raydio, Flack/Hathaway. Deb: Y.Elliman, ELO, A.R. Section.  
 Cocoa Beach, Jonathan Doll-CK101- Andrew Gold, Stargard, Paul Nicholas, A.R.Section, Dan & Coley.  
 Montgomery, Lanny West-WHHY- Jackson Browne, Rod Stewart, Dan & Coley, Hotel. Deb: ELO, B.Welch.  
 New Orleans, Marc Sommers-WNOE- J.Browne, Santa Esmeralda, Heatwave, LeBlanc & Carr, E.Money.  
 Memphis, John Long-WHBQ- Parliament, Dan & Coley.  
 Nashville, Jim Holton-WMAK- Lou Rawls, David Gates, Andrew Gold. Deb: Dan & Coley, R.Stewart.  
 Canton, Ron Foster-WQIO- Parliament, LeBlanc & Carr, Dan & Coley, Jackson Browne.  
 Cleveland, Bob Travis-WGCL- B.Manilow, Dan & Coley, E.Money, E.Clapton, Y.Elliman, G.Cotton.  
 Pittsburgh, Patty Sullivan-13Q- ELO, Andrew Gold. Deb: Dan & Coley.  
 Lansing, Tim Kelly-WILS- Debby Boone, Parliament, Gene Cotton, Barry Manilow.  
 Chicago, Dave Morgan-WMET- Heatwave, Yvonne Elliman, Rod Stewart, Bob Welch.  
 Madison, Jonathan Little-WISM- Dan & Coley, Natalie Cole, C.Mangione, Rubicon, Sweet.  
 Milwaukee, Chris Curtis-WZUU- Player, James Taylor, Gene Cotton, Flack/Hathaway.  
 Stevens Point, Pat Martin-WSPT- Chuck Mangione, Gordon Lightfoot, K.C. & Band. Deb: ELO, Rubicon.  
 Fargo, Bob Denver-KQWB- ELO, Styx, Gordon Lightfoot, Atlanta Rhythm Section. Deb: B.Manilow.  
 Tulsa, Dr. Don-KAKC- A.R.Section, Lou Rawls, Linda Ronstadt, Dan & Coley.  
 Marshall, Jerry Rome-KMHT- B.Manilow, Sea Level, K.C.& Band, Stargard, A.Gold, Hot.  
 Dallas, Charlie Van Dyke-KLIF- Chuck Mangione, David Gates, Waylon & Willie, Jackson Browne.  
 Austin, Bill Mayne-KNOW- Bob Welch, Little River Band, Abba. Deb: A.Gold, D.Gates, N.Cole.  
 Houston, Bill Young-KILT- Jackson Browne, ELO, Dan & Coley. Deb: Andrew Gold, Abba.  
 - - - Clay Gish-KRBE- Yvonne Elliman. Deb: Rod Stewart, Stillwater.  
 Denver, Jack Regan-96KX- Jackson Browne, Raydio. Deb: Styx, Gordon Lightfoot.  
 Salt Lake City, Lorraine Winegar-KRSP- Gene Cotton, Y.Elliman, Debby Boone, Heatwave, Dan & Coley.  
 San Diego, Jimi Fox-KCBQ- Gene Cotton, Jay Ferguson, Earth, Wind & Fire, Barry Manilow.  
 Los Angeles, Driscoll/Bissiri-TEN-Q-Steely Dan, ELO, Kansas, Jackson Browne. Deb: Dan & Coley.  
 San Francisco, Dave Sholin-KFRC- Natalie Cole, Jay Ferguson. Deb: Raydio, E.W.& F., ELO, A.Gold.  
 Portland, Michael O'Brien-KPAM- David Gates, Carpenters, Lou Rawls. Deb: J.Browne, A.Gold.  
 Seattle, Tracy Mitchell-KJR- E.W.& F., Chuck Mangione, ELO, Styx, Dan & Coley. Deb: A.Gold.

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<u>Name</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
Paul Ross	KMND-Midland	KCRS-Midland	Air Talent
Chuck Morgan (Tom Watson)	Z96-Grand Rapids	K101-San Francisco	Air Talent
Doug Polson	KCBQ-Roswell	KXLF-Butte	Air Talent
Steve Gibbons	KFJZ-Ft. Worth	KRNT-Des Moines	Air Talent
Bob Sands	KYSS-Missoula	KQDY-Bismarck	Air Talent
Dale Kukilber	KCJB-Minot	KQDY-Bismarck	Air Talent
Ole Reb	KOYN-Billings	KQDY-Bismarck	Air Talent
Jack Douglas	KGFX-Pierre	KXLY-Spokane	Air Talent
Ken Cocker	WNDE-Indianapolis	WMET-Chicago	Air Talent
David Lourie	hibernation	KSKG-Salina	Air Talent
Dave Cooper	KDWB-Minneapolis	WIFI-Philadelphia	Air Talent/Research
Steve Harrison	WAMS-Wilmington	promoted to	Research Coordinator
Ken Bissiri	TEN-Q-Los Angeles	promoted to	Music Research Dir.
Jeff Blake	WCGQ-Columbus, Ga.	promoted to	Music Director
Roy Rogers	WFBC-Greenville	promoted to	Music Director
Mark Shannon	KPUR-Amarillo	promoted to	Music Director
Bill O'Brian	WAMS-Wilmington	promoted to	Music Director
Steve Homan	KWZ-Boise	promoted to	Music Director
Ken Donavan	KBMW-Wahepton	KQDY-Bismarck	Music Director
Bob Simon	KLIC-Monroe	KAOK-Lake Charles	Music Director
Ron (Buzz) Brindle	KDKA-Pittsburgh	WNBC-New York	Asst. Program Manager
C.C. McCartney	KTLK-Denver	B100-San Diego	Program Director
David Stone	KFRM-Salina	KSKG-Salina	Program Director
Tom Steal	WRKT-Cocoa Beach	WCLS-Columbus	Program Director
Mike Fee	WMAQ-Chicago	KIRL-St.Louis	Program Director
Dave Kirby	96KX-Denver	WIFE-Indianapolis	Program Director
Jerry Katz	WSGF-Savannah	promoted to	Program Director
Tom Sommers	WAMS-Wilmington	promoted to	Program Director
John Peters	KEZY-Anaheim	promoted to	Program Director
Billy T. Kidd	WEIC-Charleston, Ill.	promoted to	Program Director
Scott O'Brian	KMBY-Monterey	promoted to	Program Director
Ric Carroll	KEZY-Anaheim	resigned as	Program Director
Jim Phillips	KMBY-Monterey	promoted to	Operations Manager
Art Gregory	KWZ-Boise	promoted to	General Manager



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Eugene (Vicky Larson-KUGN) Denver/Rose Royce/Gold/DeShannon. Gains: Flack/Chicago/Rogers & West.  
 - - - (Lee Gordon-KPNW) Bee Gees (FEVER)/J. Harp/Dan & Coley/C. Pride. Gains: Boone/Denver/Gayle.  
 Everett (Robert O'Brien-14RKO) Denver/Dan & Coley/Gold/Gates. Gains: Garfunkel/Rivers.  
 Fitchburg (Chuck Morgan-WEIM) Melanie/Cassidy/S. & T. Band/Dan & Coley/MacGregor. Calls: Gold.  
 Fresno (Linda Cerven-KLO4) Rose Royce/LaBounty/Bros. Johnson/Mitchell/Joy/Armatrading/DeShannon.  
 Grand Rapids (Doc Donovan-WLAV) Clapton/Steely Dan/Meco/Manilow/Cole/Welch/Chicago/Little River Bd.  
 Hopewell (John Harper-WHAP) Earth, Wind & Fire/Browne/Gold/Benson/Atlanta Rhy. Sec./Dan & Coley.  
 Houston (Chuck Buell-KULF) Abba/Murray/Steely Dan/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Raydio/Cole.  
 - - - (John Jenkins-KXYZ) Abba/Waylon & Willie. Gains: Gates/Kansas/Manilow/Clapton/Bee Gees (FEVER).  
 Jefferson City (Mike Schaefer-KJMO) Lightfoot/Cole/Denver/Gayle/The Babys/Rocky & Chyann.  
 Kansas City (Steve Bell-KMBZ) Letterman/Kansas/Dan & Coley/DeShannon/Moffatt/C. Pride.  
 Keene (Sandy Ellsworth-WKNE) C. Gayle/Clapton/Denver/Player. Gains: G. Cotton.  
 Kingston (Bruce Conklin-WGHQ) Denver/Hill/Cotton/Nelson/Dan & Coley/D. Loggins. Calls: Travers.  
 Klamath Falls (Pat Flynn-KAGO) Bee Gees (FEVER)/Dan & Coley/MacGregor/Taylor/Heatwave.  
 Lincoln (Ron Dean-KLIN) Stafford/MacGregor/Mathis & Williams/DeShannon/Bros. Johnson/Lacey.  
 - - - (Cathy Blythe-KFOR) Player/Travers/Valentine/Raydio/E, W. & Fire/Dan & Coley.  
 Los Angeles (Tess Russell & Jane Hassler-KMPC) LeBlanc & Carr/Little River Bd./Clapton.  
 - - - (Iona-KNX/FM) Bill LaBounty. LP: Hotel.  
 Louisville (Jerry Melloy-WHAS) Boone/Dan & Coley/Emmylou Harris.  
 Macon (Steve Murphy-WMAZ) Waylon & Willie/Denver. Gains: Bee Gees (FEVER)/Gayle/Lightfoot.  
 Manchester (Rob Kennedy-WKBR) Dan & Coley/Lightfoot/Mangione/Bee Gees (FEVER). Calls: Kansas.  
 Marion (Jim Roberts-WDIF) Clapton/Gold/Rocky & Chyann. Gains: Gates/Gibb/Elliman/Manilow.  
 Memphis (Kevin Murphy-WMPS) Dan & Coley/Cazz. Gains: Clapton/Carpenters/Mandrell/Denver.  
 Miami (Rick Peters-WWWL) Rocky & Chyann. Gains: Cotton/Rawls/Cole.  
 - - - (Al Anderson-WIOD) N. Cole/Al Martino/J. Ward.  
 Midland (Kirk Hughes-WMPX) Atlanta Rhy. Sec./Chic/Andre Gagnon/Martino/J. Taylor.  
 Milwaukee (Mike Elliott-WTMJ) Gains: Dan & Coley/Kansas.  
 Minneapolis (Curt Lundgren-WCCO/FM) Flower/Newman (YOU CAN'T FOOL...)/Dolly Parton (TWO DOORS).  
 Missoula (John Van Wagoner-KGVO) Dan & Coley/Armatrading/DeShannon/Mathis & Williams.  
 Mobile (Dick Hylton-WMOB) Ronstadt/Steely Dan/Atlanta Rhy. Sec./Mathis/Dan & Coley/J. Harp/Kansas.  
 Montgomery (Scott O'Brien-KMBY) Dan & Coley/Flack. Gains: LeBlanc & Carr/B.J. Thomas/Rita C.  
 Monterey (Melinda Roberts-KWAV) Moffatt/Dan & Coley/Manilow/Mangione/DeSykes.  
 Nashville (Mary Catherine-WSM) Dan & Coley/J. Ward. Gains: Gayle/Clapton/Mangione/Garrett/Mandrell.  
 - - - (Jerry House-WSIX) Lightfoot/Dan & Coley. Gains: LeBlanc & Carr/Carpenters.  
 Newport (Denny Pace-KNPT) Dan & Coley/Gentry/Stafford/Rocky & Chyann/MacGregor/Brooklyn Dreams.  
 New York (Jeff Mazzei-WNEW) Flack & Hathaway/Mangione/Tuxedo Junction. Gains: Gayle.  
 Northfield (Mike Wrubel-KYMN) Atlanta Rhy. Sec./Parsons/Armatrading/D. & M. Osmond/DeSykes.  
 Odessa (Dave Prescott-KQIP) Dan & Coley/DeShannon/Manilow. Gains: Garfunkel/Milsap.  
 Olympia (Dick Pust-KGY) Lightfoot/Chicago/J. Harp/Dan & Coley/Kansas. Calls: Garfunkel/Steely Dan.  
 Ottumwa (Art Morris-KBIZ) Mathis & Williams/D. & M. Osmond/Dan & Coley/A. Gold.  
 Paducah (J. Erick Foreman-WDXR) Mathis & Williams/LaBounty/Browne/Gayle/Venice. Gains: Babys.  
 Pendleton (Bob Walker-KTIX) Mangione/Taylor/Bros. Johnson/Dan & Coley. Gains: Gates/Cotton.  
 Pittsburgh (Chuck Brinkman-WTAE) Clapton/Denver/Lightfoot.  
 Portland, Me. (Marji Cyr-Adams-WGAN) Kansas/Dan & Coley. Gains: LeBlanc & C./Lightfoot/Cotton.  
 Portland, Ore. (Bob Swanson-KEX) Heatwave/Bob Welch. Calls: Clapton.  
 Providence (Joe Thomas-WJAR) Dan & Coley/Carpenters. Gains: Sang/Diamond/Rawls.  
 Pueblo (Jay Ricci-KCSJ) Denver/J. Ward/MacGregor/C. Pride/Clapton.  
 Racine (Bob Cook-WRJN) DeSykes/Cisyk/Dan & Coley/Rogers & West. Gains: Bee Gees (FEVER)/McCoo & D.  
 Reno (Mike Hagerty-KOLO) MacGregor/K.C. & S. Band/Dan & Coley/Cole/Waylon & Willie/Heatwave.  
 Rock Springs (Rod Tucker-KRKK) Manilow/Atlanta Rhy. Sec./Dan & Coley/Rose Royce/5th Dimension.  
 Roseburg (Tom Morton-KRSB) A. Gold. Gains: Bee Gees (FEVER)/Cotton/Flack/K.C. & S. Bd/Abba.  
 Quad Cities (Jim Mahanay-WQUA) Heatwave/Dan & Coley/Browne. Gains: LeBlanc & Carr/Ronstadt.  
 Sacramento (D. Darin & L. Kirk-KCRA) Boone/Dan & Coley/Kansas/Mangione/McCoo & Davis.  
 Saginaw (Rick Belcher-WSGW) Gayle/Dan & Coley. Gains: Manilow/Rita C./Lightfoot/Travers.  
 Salt Lake City (Flo Wineriter-KSL) Kansas/Lightfoot/Dan & Coley/McDowell.  
 San Diego-Vista (Jack McKinney-KMLO) Raydio/Cotton/Welch/A. Gold. Gains: Chic/J. Williams.  
 San Francisco (Steve Walker-KCBS/FM) The Joy/Benson/E, W. & Fire/Mathis & Wms./Bonoff/Denver.  
 - - - (Don Hofmann-KSFO) Dan & Coley/C. Gayle.  
 San Luis Obispo (Anna Bokma-KVEC) Dan & Coley/Benson/Gayle/Ross/Chicago/R. Richards.  
 Santa Maria (Denny Luell-KUHL) Skyliners/Dan & Coley/Player/Rubicon. Gains: Abba/Kansas/Gates.  
 Santa Rosa (Jerry Johnson-KSRO) Denver/J. Harp. Gains: Rita C./P. Davis/Manilow/B.J. Thomas.  
 Schenectady (Lee Fowler-WGY) Bee Gees (FEVER)/Mathis/Gold/Dan & Coley/Midler/Waylon & Willie.  
 Seattle (Carol Stripling-KVI) Murray/Ronstadt/Cole.  
 Sharon (Jack Taylor-WPIC) G. Lightfoot. Gains: Murray/Manilow/P. Davis/Carpenters/Magione/Kansas.  
 Shreveport (Randy Davis-KBCL) Dan & Coley/Waylon & Willie. Gains: Rita C./Cotton/Manilow/Odyssey.  
 Spokane (Chuck Harmon-KXLY) Warwick/Cotton/Mathis & Wms./Lacey/Garrett. Gains: Gayle/Garfunkel.  
 - - - (Gary Giorgi-KHQ) Dan & Coley/Lightfoot/Rocky & Chyann/Boone/Rubicon. Gains: Kansas.  
 Toledo (Leah Myers-WSPD) Denver/Manilow/Ward/Parsons/Fricke/Mathis & Wms./Earth, Wind & Fire.  
 Twin Falls (Randy Elison-KEEP) J. Ferguson/Dan & Coley/N. Cole/J. Browne.  
 Tyler (Brad Houston-KTBB) Gold/Pam Miller/Boz Scaggs/Bill Withers. Calls: Flack & Hathaway.  
 Warwick (Dick Wells-WTBQ) Wakeman/Dan & Coley/Waylon & Willie/Lightfoot.  
 Waterloo (Jay Douglas-KXEL/FM) Rod Stewart/Kansas/Gold/Welch/Withers. Calls: Raydio/Manilow.  
 Wausau (Chuck Williams-WSAU) Dan & Coley/Player/Earth, Wind & Fire/D. Davis. Gains: Shanx/Elliman.  
 West Palm Beach (Russ Morley-WJNO) Flack/Abba/Pride/Madison St./Mathis & Wms./Dan & Coley/Hotel.  
 Wichita (Jack Oliver-MAKE) C. Gayle/Dan & Coley/John Wms. Calls: D. Boone.  
 Winston-Salem (Kim Jones-WSJS) Clapton/Kansas. Gains: Joel/Garfunkel/Bee Gees (FEVER)/Manilow.  
 Worcester (B.J. Dean-WORC) Flack & Hathaway/Dan & Coley/Clapton/Atlanta Rhythm Sec. Gains: Kansas.  
 Yakima (Frank Taylor-KMWX) Clapton/Nelson/Flack. Gains: Bee Gees (FEVER).

Late Report

Phoenix (Dan Armstrong-KOY) Dan & Coley/M. Robbins/Lightfoot. Calls: Roger Williams.



Bill's Caribbean Diary

- January 20. Dinner with granddaughters, Kirsten & Valery White, at S.F. Airport. Checked bags through to cruise ship, Nordic Prince, in Miami.
- January 21. Took off via United Airlines charter at 1:30AM. Tried to sleep. Not a chance. Arrived Miami airport 9:30AM, yawning. Buses direct to ship - still yawning. Assigned table in dining room - second seating. Found our stateroom - main deck. Two lower berths - one upper - nice large view window, no porthole. Narrow room, but I'm the only fat one, so we manage. Take off at 5PM - lotsa colored paper streamers and balloons. Ship's photographer busy. Dinner - live entertainment - dancing - getting acquainted.
- January 22. 8:45 - breakfast in dining room - too many good things. Joined by a young couple from Medford, Bobbie and Larry, and by a handsome older woman, Kathleen, from a small town in Oklahoma. Fire drill. Where's station #12? How do you put on this \*!#@ life jacket. Guess I'd drown before I got it by myself - Kirsten & Val tied me in securely. They take the drill very seriously - stand at our stations until everybody has found his proper place. Good lunch - then sunning and swimming at the pool, while ambitious ones get their exercise pacing around the promenade deck.
- January 23. Big excitement! Captain announces via P.A.: "Ship nearby in distress off coast of Hispaniola. Going to her aid to prevent her drifting ashore on rocks." Soon reached the drifter - precision navigation backed us near her bow - threw her a line - attached towing hawser - started to tow her - hawser broke - repeated earlier approach - several casts of line failed - passengers on the "Prince" all cheered when line held - towed her to Puerto Blanco, Dominican Republic, where their Coast Guard could pick her up.
- January 24. Explored old San Juan, Puerto Rico. Saw the old fort whose cannons almost ended the career of Sir Francis Drake before it got started. Afternoon - girls and I went shopping, no import duty on purchases here.
- January 25. Arrived at St. Thomas in Virgin Island. Took launch 7 miles to Caneel Bay, St. John, where instructor taught group how to snorkel. My girls took to it like mermaids. Teacher provided bread crumbs to feed little tropic fish swimming around. Heavy rain squall on return trip to St. Thomas. Afternoon - four cruise ships in harbor - thousands of frantic bargain hunters in shops - "booze is your best buy" they say. Our passenger list of 750 brought aboard 900 cases of liquor before nightfall.
- January 26. Arrived Guadeloupe. French possession. French and Creole spoken here. No racial friction among the several ethnic groups. Resentment by locals, however, against settlers from France who take jobs away from local residents. Explored rain forest - admired tropical trees and flowers. Looked at old 17th century fort - all installations and garrison underground.
- January 27. At sea, bound for Venezuela. Came down with the flu - chills, fever, aches, can't sleep, can't eat - the pits! My girls were wonderful - brought me soup, company, good cheer.
- January 28. Caracas. Still in the sack. Going nowhere.
- January 29. Aruba. Still laid low. Wrote some post cards. (They haven't been delivered yet.)
- January 30. Curacao. Went ashore to explore. Found pontoon bridge that swings at right angles to permit ship traffic. When bridge opens, free ferry boat handles pedestrian traffic. City is Dutch - beautifully clean.
- January 31. At sea, cruising to Jamaica.
- February 1. Port Antonio, Jamaica. Scheduled for afternoon raft ride down Rio Grande River. Cancelled when three morning rafts capsized in high water from recent rains. Switched to guided tour up the mountains into old caves, followed by magnificent tropic gardens. Jamaica - most beautiful of all Caribbean Islands.
- February 2. Port Au Prince, Haiti. Small boys swimming alongside our ship, diving for coins thrown by passengers. Ashore, beset by begging children, street vendors with native necklaces. Visited art gallery, where Kirsten and I each bought original paintings. Local artists are internationally famous. Visited rum factory - free samples - 16 different varieties of rum liqueur. Stopped after six. City preparing for carnival, beginning tomorrow, ending Ash Wednesday.
- February 3. At sea - headed home. Reflecting on sample radio listening in various ports. Heavy concentration of AM signals in San Juan - almost entirely Spanish - some of the music excellent quality. Last of American radio on St. Thomas. Govt. controlled French radio on Guadeloupe. Too much talk - long newscasts - some very good steel drum music. Same in Haiti.
- February 4. After breakfast they push us off the ship in a hurry. Customs inspection efficient, friendly, brief. Bus to Miami airport. Two hour wait for United Charter flight. Took off at 11:30AM. Smooth flight to San Francisco, arrived 2:30PM - Pacific Time. Our Mill Valley Bel Aire limo on hand to meet us. Dropped Kirsten and Val off in San Francisco to visit their cousins. Home at last. Fed the cat. And so to bed.

Inside Progressive Radio  
(by George Meier, Editor of Walrus)

Established Progressive Airplay  
(In Order)

- Jackson Browne
- Eric Clapton
- Sea Level
- Bob Weir-----
- Elvis Costello
- Rod Stewart
- Queen
- Journey
- Billy Joel-----
- E.L.O.
- Joni Mitchell

Notes: Each of the top 4 LP's is well established in its position. The rest of the list demonstrates surprising staying power. Journey and Bob Weir are the only post-New Year LP's to pass through regional pushes and pulls to affect the list significantly. Eric Clapton does well everywhere but in the West. The same is true for Bob Weir in the Midwest - he's a relatively new name - and for Billy Joel and E.L.O. in the West. E.L.O., Queen, and Rod Stewart sustain their positions because of the Midwest. Sea Level grows out of the South, while Elvis Costello grows out of the Northeast - both continuing patterns.

New Progressive Airplay  
(In Order)

- Andrew Gold-----
- Jan Akkerman
- Steeleye Span
- Chuck Mangione-----
- Blondie

Notes: Each one of these groups was boosted by a strong initial response in one region or another. For Andrew Gold and Steeleye Span it is the Northeast. Jan Akkerman jumps out from the South as Chuck Mangione comes out of the Midwest. Blondie, the newest name, finds some resistance in the Midwest. New records are always susceptible to regional prejudices and distribution irregularities.



Country Club (cont'd. from pg. 6)

Changes:

WJAZ-Albany, Ga., has the following changes in their staff: Bob Bowen promoted from music director to program director; Scott Parker promoted to music director; Fred Thomas has changed from mid-day talent to news director and Jerry White moved from WWGS to mid-days on WJAZ. John Charleston is now music director for KSO-Des Moines. Johnny Steele returned to KRAM-Las Vegas as music director and is on the air from 2 - 6 PM. KKIK-Waco has a new lineup: Ray Welch, M.D. (7-10 AM), John Wallis, P.D. (to 2 PM), Lee Grant from KTRM-Beaumont (to 6 PM).

Service: WBRG-Lynchburg, Va., was burglarized recently and needs desperately to replenish their album library. Re-service from MCA, RCA, Columbia, Elektra, ABC, Warner Bros. and U.A. would be greatly appreciated.

KKIK-Waco needs new albums and re-service on oldies from all sources.

KJCS-Nacogdoches needs service from all labels.

KLIX-Twin Falls has not received the Carpenters single.

KAPS-Mt.Vernon, Wa. is in need of singles and albums by Linda Ronstadt, Crystal Gayle, Hoyt Axton, Margo Smith, Cristy Lane, Kenny Rogers and Dottie West.

KTRB-Modesto, Ca., still doesn't have the Jim Reeves, Con Hunley, Bill Anderson/Marylou Turner or Brenda Kaye Perry singles.

Music Calls: Dale Eichor, KWMT-Ft. Dodge, Iowa, Wednesday and Thursday only after 2 PM.

Ray Welch, KKIK-Waco, Tx., 11 AM - 1 PM, 817-772-2101.

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The KEED-Eugene "Tailblazers" lost a close game to the Crestwell Future Farmer's Association (FFA) 20-18. It was donkey basketball and all funds raised went to FFA projects.

WXOR-Florence celebrated Washington's Birthday for a week--giving away "portraits of George." Random callers received one dollar bills while some won a family portrait sitting.

KIKX-Tucson's Tim Tyler is going to shoot hoops for the Tucson Community Food Bank and a world record. The "Tim Tyler/KIKX-Hoop-a-thon" will start at a local car dealership at 3 PM, March 3rd and dribble through Sunday--or at least past the current record held by two teams at 56 hours and one minute. Listeners are invited to join Tim but in order to play, they must bring a can of food. The cans will be distributed to needy people by the Food Bank.

WFMS-Indianapolis held a winter sportsman's rally this past weekend, with snowmobile races, cross country skiing and four wheel drive events. WFMS morning man Bill Thomas finished last in the snowmobile race, bested by afternoon man, Jerry Mason.

Country Radio Seminar

Registration for the Ninth Annual Country Radio Seminar set for March 17-18 in Nashville is running 100 percent over last year.

A new feature this year will be the scheduling of "concurrent sessions" or, two in one hour.

Panelists of these will be available for an hour the day after they speak, to answer questions. Ample hand-out material will also be available.

The theme is "The Future of Country Radio" and Ted Cramer from WDAF will be moderator of a panel on "New Engineering Advances." This will cover audio processing, use of computers in programming and new technical product available not only now, but several years from now.

Samples of new product will be on display. Other panelists include Engineering Consultant Eric Small and Director of Engineering for Taft Broadcasting, Ted Ruscitti.

Other panel-topics are "Audience Research and Methodology," "Sales and Promotions" and "Setting Up a Programming Department."

The cut-off date for registration is March 13th. Cost is \$65.

Jobs

Station	Contact	Requirements
KLO2/FM-Modesto	Ryn Stephens (209-527-6100)	Production (E.O.E.-M/F)
KEWI-Topeka	J.R. Greeley (913-272-2122)	Production Dir. (E.O.E.-M/F)
KOLO-Reno	Dave Finley (Box 821 - 89504)	Chief Engineer (E.O.E.-M/F)
WISE-Asheville	Ray Williams (704-253-5382)	News
WSPT/WXYQ-Stevens Point	Gary Wescott (Box 247 - 54481)	Newsperson
WOKY-Milwaukee	Jim Smith (3500 N.Sherman - 53216)	Newsperson
WJON-St. Cloud	*Mike Diem (Box 220 - 56301)	Newsperson (E.O.E.)
WMFJ-Daytona Beach	John Scott (904-255-1456)	Newsperson (E.O.E.-M/F)
KEWI-Topeka	Mike Manns (913-272-2122)	Newsperson (E.O.E.-M/F)
KKQQ-Clovis, N.M.	Charlie Russell (505-762-3707)	Newsperson (E.O.E.-M/F)
KOLO-Reno	Dave Finley (Box 821 - 89504)	Newsperson (E.O.E.-M/F)
KTEM-Temple, Tx.	Lou Saint (Box 1230 - 76501)	News Director
KMBY-Monterey	Jim Phillips (408-373-1234)	News Director
KREM-AM/FM-Spokane	Rob Harder (509-448-2000)	News Director
KVIC-Vacaville, Ca.	Terry Gillingham (406 Main - 95688)	Air Talent/News
KPOD-Crescent City, Ca.	Bill Stamps (707-464-3183)	Air Talent/Play-by-play
WCLS-Columbus, Ga.	Tom Steal (404-327-36480)	Air Talents/Engineer
KVIC-Vacaville, Ca.	Terry Gillingham (406 Main - 95688)	Air Talent/Prod.
WGLF-Tallahassee	Casey McCarthy (Box 1815 - 32304)	Air Talent/Prod. (E.O.E.-M/F)
WMFJ-Daytona Beach	*John Scott (Box 5606 - 32018)	Air Talent/Future (E.O.E.-M/F)
KMGK-Des Moines	Benjamin Hill (215 Keo Way -50309)	Air Talent (E.O.E.)
KINT-El Paso	Johnny Kaye (5959 Gateway W. - 79925)	Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
KEYS-Corpus Christi	Lee Randall (Box 1460 - 78403)	Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
KOOK-Billings	Steve Blodgett (Box 1276 - 59103)	Air Talent (E.O.E.-M/F)
KVOX-Fargo	Mark Renier (4000 S. A St. - 56560)	Air Talent
KLOG-Longview, Wa.	Dan Martin (Box 90 - 98626)	Air Talent
WLOF-Orlando	*Tom West (Box 15746 - 32808)	Air Talent
WIFE-Indianapolis	Dave Kirby (1440 N. Meridian - 46202)	Air Talent
KOMO-Seattle	Larry Nelson (100 4th - 98109)	Air Talent
WNOE-New Orleans	*C.C. Courtney (529 Bienville - 70130)	Air Talent
KROF-Abbeville, La.	Michael G. Adams (318-893-2531)	Air Talent
WDUN-Gainesville, Ga.	Tom Harris (404-532-9921)	Air Talent
WAIR-Winston Salem	*Steve Norris (Box 2099 - 27102)	Air Talent/Program Director
KBIZ-Ottumwa, Ia.	John Reardon (515-682-4535)	Air Talent/Program Director
Drake/Chenault-Canoga Prk.	Lee Bayley (8399 Topanga Canyon-91304)	Programmer
	*No Calls Please	



Albums of the Week  
(reviewed by Ron Fell)

"Waiting For Columbus"-Little Feat (Warner Bros.) It seems it would take a wad of financial courage to back this band's six previous albums (with no hit singles) and then release this double live set. But the ever-growing cult of Feat followers are a wise lot - knowing good musicianship when they hear it - and one listen to just the first side of this package should be enough to convince even the faint of faith.

"Fresh Fish Special"-Robert Gordon with Link Wray (Private Stock) Few artists have treated the "Happy Days" era with such reverence as have Gordon & Wray on this, their second collaboration for Private Stock. The entire album is wonderfully void of the mock and jive of groups like Sha Na Na. SEA CRUISE, THE WAY I WALK, RED CADILLAC, AND A BLACK MUSTACHE and LONESOME TRAIN (ON A LONESOME TRACK) de-Fonz the golden age of rock & roll.

Also recommended from the following LP's:

- "Divided We Stand"-King Harry (Harvest) FIGHTING TALK/YOU STAND ACCUSED/KEEPING THE PEACE/  
GRANDPA'S FARM
- "Save The Dancer"-Gene Cotton (Ariola) BEFORE MY HEART FINDS OUT/GOING THROUGH THE MOTIONS OF  
LOVE/ONLY THE LUCKY
- "Loving Is Living"-The McCrarys (Portrait) YOU/GIVIN' IT UP/TAKE ME TO YOUR LEADER
- "Drastic Plastic"-Be-Bop Deluxe (Harvest) ELECTRICAL LANGUAGE/NEW MYSTERIES/LOVE IN FLAMES/  
DANGEROUS STRANGER
- "Frontiers"-Jermaine Jackson (Motown) THE FORCE/I LOVE EVERY LITTLE THING...YOU/ISN'T SHE LOVELY
- "At Yankee Stadium"-NRBQ (Mercury) JUST AIN'T FAIR/I LOVE HER, SHE LOVES ME/THAT'S NEAT, THAT'S  
NICE/RIDIN' IN MY CAR
- "Will You Give Me Your Love"-Patsy Gallant (Attic) LOVE IS/STANDING ROOM ONLY/LISTEN TO YOUR  
D.J./STAY A WHILE WITH ME
- "Until Now"-Bobby Arvon (First Artists) UNTIL NOW/YESTERDAY'S ODDS AND ENDS/WE'RE ALL GOING  
DOWN TOGETHER/FROM NOW ON
- "Someone Loves You Honey"-Charley Pride (RCA) SOMEONE LOVES YOU HONEY/GEORGIA KEEPS PULLING  
ON MY RING/DAYS OF OUR LIVES
- "Out Of My Head And Back In My Bed"-Loretta Lynn (MCA) THREE RIDDLES/OUT OF MY HEAD AND BACK  
IN MY BED/OLD ROOSTER/BLACK-EYED PEAS AND BLUE-EYED BABIES
- "Love Breeze"-Smokey Robinson (Motown) LOVE SO FINE/MADAM X/TRYING IT AGAIN
- "Rock X-Ing"-The Other Side (DeLite) LOVE AGAIN/DAY DREAM/ROCK-X-ING
- "The 1st Cuba Gooding Album"-Cuba Gooding (Motown) MIND PLEASER/ALL I CAN GIVE YOU IS LOVE/  
WE'RE IN LOVE/AS LONG AS THERE'S YOU

Our correspondents recommend the following LP cuts: (Most frequently mentioned are underlined>)

Adult Contemporary

- Barry Manilow- COPACABANA/SOMEWHERE/EVEN NOW/  
LEAVIN' IN THE AM
- Yvonne Elliman-SALLY GO ROUND THE ROSES
- Abba-TAKE A CHANCE ON ME
- Gordon Lightfoot-ENDLESS WIRE/DAYLIGHT KATY
- Karla Bonoff-ISN'T IT ALWAYS LOVE
- Neil Diamond-LET ME TAKE YOU IN MY ARMS
- Billy Joel-SHE'S ALWAYS A WOMAN
- Art Garfunkel-SHINE IT ON/MR. SHUCK & JIVE

Rock

- Bee Gees-MORE THAN A WOMAN
- Jackson Browne-LOAD OUT/STAY/LOVE NEEDS A HEART
- Journey-WHEEL IN THE SKY
- Steely Dan-JOSIE/DEACON BLUES
- Dolly Parton-TWO DOORS DOWN
- Sanford/Townsend-PARADISE
- Boz Scaggs-STILL FALLING FOR YOU
- Eric Clapton-THE CORE
- Rod Stewart-I WAS ONLY JOKING
- Chicago-TAKE ME BACK TO CHICAGO

Country Music

- Emmylou H.-TWO BOTTLES OF WINE/LEAVIN' LOUISIANA
- Tom T. Hall-WHISKEY/COME BACK TO NASHVILLE
- Waylon & Willie-DON'T CUSS THE FIDDLE/GOLD  
DUST WOMAN/IF YOU CAN TOUCH HER AT ALL
- Anne Murray-TENN.WALTZ/LET'S KEEP IT THAT WAY
- Tom Jones-WE DON'T LIVE HERE/WHAT A NIGHT
- T.G. Sheppard-I'VE BEEN SO WRONG/LOVIN' ON
- Hoyt Axton-BLUEBIRD/FREE SAILIN/DARRELL & JUDY Rufus-TAKE TIME

Black Radio

- B.T. Express-RIDE ON B.T.
- Slave-BABY SINISTER
- Pharoah Sanders-LOVE WILL FIND A WAY
- Peabo Bryson-FEEL THE FIRE/HOLD ON TO THE WORLD
- Chic-EVERYBODY DANCE
- Lawrence Hilton Jacobs-WONDER WOMAN

Available

Name	From	Telephone	Position
Lance Renaud	KBIZ-Ottumwa, Ia.	515-684-6613	Sports Director
Doug Weedman	WAPE-Jacksonville	904-724-7878	News
Lyle Arthur	KYXI-Portland	503-640-3839	News
Jeff Michaels	KYXI-Portland	503-643-2354	News/1st
Phil Moss	WKSJ-Mobile	205-471-4857	Air Talent
B.J. Adams	KLAZ/FM-Little Rock	817-773-6128	Air Talent
Scott Klone	KWEB-Rochester	612-777-3211	Air Talent
John Kramer	WGST-Atlanta	404-231-0920	Air Talent/M.D.
Brian O'Connor	ex-WQDE-Albany, Ga.	912-776-3421	Air Talent/M.D.
Chip Douglas	KIRL/WHE/KSLQ	314-946-4419	Air Talent/M.D.
Mike Shannon	KGAL-Lebanon, Ore.	503-928-9927	A.T./M.D./1st
Bob Rymell	WRAQ-Asheville	704-253-8236	A.T./M.D./P.D./1st
Todd Martin	KIRL/14ZYQ/WNOX	314-723-5547	A.T./M.D./P.D.

Service

Station	Requests	From
WKOR-Starkville, Ms.	Crystal Gayle single	U.A.
WXYQ-Stevens Point, Wisc.	M.Haggard/M.Street singles	Capitol/Polydor
KEEE-Nacogdoches, Tx.	Singles and albums	Capitol
WHAP-Hopewell/Va.	Singles and albums	Arista
KSRO-Santa Rosa, Ca.	Singles and albums	Atlantic/Motown
KZZX-Albuquerque	Singles and albums	All Sources
KGVO-Missoula	Albums	W.E.A.
KSKG-Salina, Ks.	Albums	All Sources
KLOG-Longview, Wn.	Beatles oldies albums	Capitol



Gary Taylor's Personal Pick

YOU ARE ALL I'LL EVER NEED-Lobo (Warner Bros.) Listening to this ballad, it becomes immediately apparent that all the working parts are included; lyrics of love enclosed in a gentle arrangement of lush strings and so on. Once again the formula is being tested.

Also Possible

SHADOW IN THE STREET-Allan Clarke (Atlantic)      SATISFIED-Alan O'Day (Pacific)  
EYE OF MY STORM-Sanford & Townsend (W.B.)      LET'S PUT OUR LOVE BACK TOGETHER-Micky Denne/Ken  
TWO OUT OF THREE AIN'T BAD-Meat Loaf (Epic)      Gold (MCA)

Regional Radio Meetings

The first in our 1978 series of meetings will be held in Seattle, April 1st and 2nd, at the Olympic Hotel. Moderators for the meeting will include Steve West (KJR) and Rob Conrad (KING) with others to be announced.

This year we are adjusting our Sunday meetings to include representatives of the record industry. Several programmers have expressed the feeling that today's promotion person is more involved and anxious to understand the needs and interworkings of radio, consequently the joint session should be informative and mutually beneficial.

The Sunday session will be moderated by programming people. As always, we ask that there be no organized record promotion functions or hospitality suites Friday or Saturday evenings.

Radio pre-registration	\$30.00 per person
Four or more from a station	25.00 per person
Late registration (at the door)	35.00 per person
Record registration	25.00 per person

The radio registration fee covers Saturday lunch and cocktail reception and the three meeting sessions. Record registration covers the cocktail reception and the Sunday meeting. Registration applications should be accompanied by a check for the appropriate amount. We will have blocks of rooms reserved for our group at each hotel. Registrants requiring hotel accommodations will be mailed room reservation cards to be filled out and returned directly to the hotel. Each registrant will take care of his own hotel charges.

Once the hotel accommodations are confirmed we will announce the date of the other meetings. We can confirm that Paul Drew will address our St. Louis meeting, Michael Spears will speak in Monterey and Jack McCoy in Houston.

Gavin's GabSide-stepping the Fever

While many programmers are gritting their teeth juggling up to six Bee Gees sounding records on their charts, Y100-Miami has introduced a packaging idea that not only makes the programming of such saturations more palatable, it also pleases the audience. With Bee Gees records at numbers 1, 2, 7 and 10 on their chart and K.C. & Band, Tavares and Samantha Sang at 3, 8 and 9, they're running Bee Gees "Sweeps." Listeners are now asking for more. The "Sweep" in power rotation is receiving overwhelmingly positive call-out results in all demographics, Colleen Cassidy reports.

Noteworthyies

Drake-Chenault's new HISTORY OF ROCK & ROLL has been completed. We received a copy of their brochure as well as one of the 52-hour documentary and it's an excellent re-make of what originally debuted in 1966. Voiced by Bill Drake, it features the music of over 500 artists and covers 25 years of rock & roll history. For further information, their phone from outside California is 800-423-5084 and from inside, 213-883-7400.

WPON-Pontiac, Mich.'s response to "The Big Blizzard of '78," brought them substantial community recognition and praise. During the 36-hour storm on January 26-27, WPON "abandoned normal programming and initiated emergency weather broadcasting...with travel and road updates, used their four-wheel drive unit with broadcast capabilities, set up emergency housing and in general helped ease the tension and excitement created by the storm," Peter Dean writes. In return, the station received many letters and awards from the chamber of commerce, area business associations, Michigan Bell, churches and citizens.

We're happy to announce that LaVerne Drake, who had a minor heart attack, is now out of intensive care and hopes to move home the end of this month. She'll return to music at K101-San Francisco after approximately four weeks of convalescence. She thanks all those who sent cards.

Ric Carroll, P.D. at KEZY-Anaheim, Ca., the last two years, has announced he'll resign that position March 1st to pursue other interests in a related field. Assistant P.D., John Peters, will move to the P.D. position.

Promos and Benefits

Last week, WMAK-Nashville solicited contestants for their "Jello Jump" promotion with sounds from Donovan's MELLOW YELLOW. Last Saturday, 13 people leaped into 500 lbs. of yellow jello to search for the keys to various prizes. (The vat was four feet deep.)

For Washington's Birthday, the "hitmen" of WLOF-Orlando carried-out ten cherry pie contracts. Dressed in pin-striped suits and carrying violin cases, the WLOF jocks drove around town in the station's Rockin' Rolls (Royce), hunting for the personal choices of highest bidders. While "names were changed to protect the innocent," local television covered the event and a few messed-up faces were exposed. Proceeds went to Cerebral Palsy.

Dave Banks at WAAY-Huntsville broke the Guinness record for kissing. Dave bussed 3567 pairs of lips in six hours and raised \$900 for the Heart Fund. The previous record was 3225 in eight hours. His winning kiss went for \$150 in the bidding.

KBIZ-Ottumwa, Iowa, raised \$6000 for a local couple, heavily involved with public service projects, who suffered severe financial loss from medical bills. The money was raised with a nine-hour radiothon.

KSL-Salt Lake City did a radiothon February 13-14 for the local Children's Hospital and raised \$40,000 in pledges.

In an eight-hour disco danceathon for Easter Seals, WAIR-Winston Salem raised \$7700.

---STAY WELL---