

THE *ccm* UPDATE

CONTEMPORARY CHRISTIAN MUSIC

BEBE AND CECE WINANS LEAD GOSPEL GRAMMY NOMINATIONS

LOS ANGELES, Calif.--Nominations for the 30th Annual Grammy Awards were announced January 14 by the Recording Academy (NARAS). BeBe and CeCe Winans garnered three nominations between them in the Soul Gospel categories as individual performers and as a duo. (They were previously nominated three years ago for their album *Lord Lift Us Up* on PTL Records.) The surname "Winans" appears six times--once each for siblings BeBe, CeCe and Vickie plus another for BeBe and CeCe together and two for The Winans quartet. With the exception of BeBe's nomination in the Male Soul Gospel category, various Winans will be competing against one another. No other artist or group was nominated more than once.

Wayne Watson picked up his first nomination, as did Mylon LeFevre & Broken Heart, Debbie McClendon and Stryper. The Best Gospel Performance By a Duo, Group, Choir or Chorus category pits the Bill Gaither Trio against four rock acts--Mylon LeFevre & Broken Heart, Mr. Mister, Petra and Stryper. Two products from Christian companies will compete in the Best Recording for Children category--"Lullabye for Teddy" by Barbara Fairchild (JABA) and *Bullfrogs & Butterflies, Part 3* by Candle (Sparrow).

Word-owned labels picked up seven nominations (six of which represent Nashville-based product) while Sparrow garnered six. The Benson Company and Star Song each had three nominations and Qwest had two.

The 30th Annual Grammy Awards telecast will emanate live from New York's Radio City Music Hall on CBS-TV March 2 at 8 p.m. Eastern Time. (A complete list of nominees in the gospel categories appears on page 2.)

TOP NAMES TO ADDRESS 1988 NRB CONVENTION

MORRISTOWN, NJ--Leaders of religious radio and television will gather in Washington D.C. January 30 - February 3 for the 45th annual convention of the National Religious Broadcasters (NRB). It is the first major national gathering of religious broadcasters since the PTL scandal, the Oral Roberts debacle and other events rocked the religious media in 1987. Addresses by Pat Robertson, Billy Graham and other influential broadcasters will highlight the challenges and opportunities facing the U.S. this year. President Reagan has also been invited to address the convention.

Other key speakers include pastor Jack Hayford, Dr. E.V. Hill, Dr. James Kennedy, Chuck Swindoll and Korean pastor Paul Cho. Christian artists performing include Steve Green, Phil Driscoll, Greg Buchanan, George Beverly Shea, Wintley Phipps, Kathie Sullivan and Johnny Hall.

More than 85 workshops utilizing approximately 225 speakers will be offered registrants. Radio program producers and station operators will hear experts on satellites, computers, legal affairs, audience research, formats, engineering, sales, finances and more.

The National Christian Radio Association will host a reception during NRB at the Sheraton Washington from 6-7 p.m. on February 1. For registration information call Faye Woodward at (201) 428-5400.

FCCM SOUTHEAST REGIONAL CONFERENCE SET FOR MARCH

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS, IL--The 1988 Southeast Regional Conference of the Fellowship of Contemporary Christian Ministries (FCCM) offers one of the strongest teaching lineups in its 13-year history. With an eye toward "ministry in the '90's," the March 25-27 event at the DuBose Conference Center in Monteagle, TN provides both practical and spiritual insights for those involved in the various areas of contemporary Christian communication.

Songwriters in particular will take interest in many of the seminars. Participants in workshops and panel discussions will include Jonathan David Brown, Niles Borop, Dwight and Denise Liles, and Jim Webber.

Greg Menza (booking agent for Mylon LeFevre, Rick Cua and others), will lead two workshops on building a stable and enduring ministry. Singer/songwriter J.D. Wilson will teach a workshop entitled, "Booking Yourself... and SomeOne Else."

Cindy Morton, director of media development for the Benson Company, will provide insights on promotion and the proper use of video. Nashville radio personality Brian Mason, John Wilson of Nashville's Koinonia Coffeehouse and Bookstore, and Mikke Furchess of No Compromise Ministries will participate in workshops dealing with creative approaches to ministry in secular society.

In addition to the teaching and workshops, the weekend will feature concerts by Jonathan David Brown, Sacred Fire and David & the Giants. For more information, contact Barry DeFloren (205/983-3814) or Chuck Whiting (615/833-2019).

GRAMMY NOMINEES

BEST GOSPEL PERFORMANCE, FEMALE

Count It All Joy, **Debbie McClendon**, Star Song
"I Believe in You," Deniece Williams (track from *Water Under the Bridge*), Columbia/CBS
Images, **Kathy Troccoli**, Reunion

"The Name Above All Names," Debby Boone (track from *Friends for Life*), Lamb & Lion/Benson

Turnaround, **Teri Gibbs**, New Canaan/Word

BEST GOSPEL PERFORMANCE, MALE

Against the Wind, **Dallas Holm**, DaySpring/Word

Brand New, **Leon Patillo**, Sparrow

The Father Hath Provided, **Larnelle Harris**, Benson

Joy to the World, **Steve Green**, Sparrow

Watercolour Ponies, **Wayne Watson**, DaySpring/Word

BEST GOSPEL PERFORMANCE BY A DUO, GROUP, CHOIR OR CHORUS

Crack the Sky, **Mylon LeFevre & Broken Heart**, Myrrh/Word
"Healing Waters," Mr. Mister (track from *Go On...*), BMG Music/RCA

This Means War, **Petra**, Star Song

To Hell With the Devil, **Stryper**, Enigma

Welcome Back Home, **Bill Gaither Trio**, Star Song

BEST SOUL GOSPEL PERFORMANCE, FEMALE

Baby Sis, **Lynette Hawkins Stephens**, Birthright

Be Encouraged, **Vickie Winans**, Light

"For Always," CeCe Winans (track from *BeBe and CeCe Winans*), Sparrow

"The Lord Will Make a Way," Shirley Caesar (track from *Her Very Best*), Rejoice/Word

"You Gave Me Love," Della Reece (track from *Della Reece & Brilliance*), Atlanta International

BEST SOUL GOSPEL PERFORMANCE, MALE

All to You, **Keith Pringle**, Muscle Shoals Gospel

"Call Me," BeBe Winans (track from *BeBe and CeCe Winans*), Sparrow

"Everything's Gonna Be Alright," Al Green (track from *Soul Survivor*), A&M

The Winning Side, **Jessy Dixon**, Power Discs/Benson

Wintley Phipps, **Wintley Phipps**, Word

BEST SOUL GOSPEL PERFORMANCE BY A DUO, GROUP, CHOIR OR CHORUS

"Ain't No Need to Worry," The Winans with Anita Baker (single), Qwest

BeBe and CeCe Winans, **BeBe and CeCe Winans**, Sparrow

Decisions, **The Winans**, Qwest

Give Us Peace, **Edwina Hawkins and the Music & Arts Seminar**

Mass Choir, Birthright

Heart and Soul, **The Clark Sisters**, Rejoice/Word

ALSO NOMINATED (BEST RECORDING FOR CHILDREN):

Bullfrogs & Butterflies, Part 3, **Candle**, (Sparrow)

OUT AND ABOUT...

* **The GMA Board** met in Los Angeles January 8-9 to finalize plans for **Gospel Music '88**. One of the highlights of this year's event is sure to be the evening concerts. Various styles will be represented in various Nashville churches on opening night, April 10. A concert at Belmont Church, for example, is expected to feature **Michael W. Smith**, **Twila Paris**, the **2nd Chapter of Acts**, **Brown Bannister** and several others. Attendees will have some tough choices to make, because appearing simultaneously at another venue will be **Steve Camp**, **Kenny Marks**, **Farrell & Farrell** and others. The hottest ticket of the week? A Tuesday night session at The Cannery with **Russ Taff**, **DeGarmo & Key** and **White Heart**...

* **The Benson Company** has announced a new CD line called "Double Disc." The plan is to combine two "classic" albums that have never before been available on compact disc. Initial releases next month include sets from **Michael Card**, **Twila Paris**, **Harvest**, **Dallas Holm**, **Don Francisco** and **Truth**. The full-length CD's will carry the normal \$14.98 retail price...

* Speaking of CD's, if you're looking to order some, **Praxis Technologies** is offering 200 free units with any compact disc order placed before January 31. Orders of 5,000 or more get 500 free discs plus free mastering. If you need some CD's manufactured, contact **Sandy Richman** at 818/955-8577...

* **The Imperials** were in Los Angeles last week for some pre-production meetings for their next album. **Bill Schnee** will produce. (He also did their *Stand By the Power* album)...

* **Dino** selected the winner of the "Great Baldwin Grand Piano Giveaway" (see photo, page 5) during the taping of the Christmas Eve edition of **Crook & Chase**. The winner was **Mercile Hester**, a schoolteacher from Conway, NC. Her name was drawn from more than 15,000 entries after Dino performed on the actual piano to be given away...

* Former **Canaan Records** executive **Ken Harding** has kicked off his new company, **New Haven Records**, with an album by the **Florida Boys**...

* **RCA Records** has released an album called *Soul Desire* by the **Alter Boys**--not to be confused with **Frontline's Altar Boys**...

* Things are hopping at **Blanton/Harrell** and **Reunion Records**, so much so that they've outgrown the building they put up a couple of years ago. Well, a new one is going up right now right around the corner. *Can't Stand Too Tall*, the label debut of recent signee **Rick Cua**, is due in late March will be **Word's** Album of the Month. We heard a few tracks last week and can safely say that the album represents a positive change in direction for Koo-ah. Word on the street is that Reunion will soon ink deals with **Morgan Cryar** and **Farrell & Farrell**...

* Speaking of the Farrells and Rick Cua, they were part of a contingent that traveled to Australia last week for one of the country's first major festivals. On the same plane were **Russ Taff**, **Servant**, **DeGarmo & Key**, **Greg** and **Rebecca Sparks** and others...

* **Jessy Dixon** recently traveled to Kenya, where he sang before an audience of 80,000 at the closing of the All African Games. He was there at the personal invitation of Kenya's president, **Daniel Moi**...

* **BeBe and CeCe Winans** played a five-night stand at *Concerts-by-the-Sea* in Redondo Beach, CA in mid-December. The last night coincided with the **NAACP Image Awards**, which resulted in several guests showing up at the club after the awards presentation. Among them was **Whitney Houston**, who joined them for a few numbers, as well as **Lionel Richie**, **Natalie Cole** and others...

* **Michele Pillar**, who wed guitarist **Larry Carlton** last month, has signed with **Steve Wyer** for management...

WELCOME TO 1988... AND TO THE CCM UPDATE

As you look through this issue, you'll notice many changes--some subtle and some obvious. The most obvious, of course, is the name change from *The MusicLine Update* to *The CCM Update*. Likewise, the most obvious question is, "Why?"

First, a little history. *MusicLine* magazine was spun off from *Contemporary Christian Music (CCM)* in May 1983 as CCM prepared to become *Contemporary Christian Magazine*. However, when CCM returned to all-music coverage in 1986, the need for *MusicLine* magazine diminished. We created *The MusicLine Update* serve the market by providing more timely information more often.

In revising our name, we're attempting to overcome some of the confusion that has developed over the fact that the same charts appeared in CCM and *The MusicLine Update*. We want you to think of *The CCM Update* as an extension of CCM magazine. For the Christian music professional, it's a way to get advance charts and other important trade-oriented information.

There are many other improvements to go along with

our new name. First, you'll notice expanded news coverage. This page (3) will carry news in addition to page one. "Changes" has been moved to page four, where it is joined by two new features: "Dateline" and "Calendar." Air personalities will find "Dateline" very useful, especially as it expands as we build our information database.

On page six you'll find a comprehensive listing of album releases scheduled for the next few months. We'll be updating this list once a month. For retailers, we'll also be listing upcoming releases of accompaniment tracks monthly. "RadioActivity" will appear here too when we have room.

We have made a few improvements to the charts as well. "Rock" and "Inspirational" have been expanded to 25 titles (previously 20) and we have added a video chart which will alternate between sales and airplay. In addition, CD availability has been noted on all charts.

We have also begun reviewing albums in addition to singles, expanded "Chart Watch," added an industry photopage and expanded from 8 pages to 12--all in an attempt to even better serve our readers. Let us know what you think!
--The Staff

SPARROW/STAR SONG REVIEWS FIRST YEAR

CHATSWORTH, Calif.--New programs for Christian retailers, expanded product lines and establishment of a strong market share were key factors in the successful first year of operation of Sparrow/Star Song Distribution, according to chairman Billy Ray Hearn. The company held a national sales conference last month.

In reviewing 1987's sales and marketing programs, sales vice president Daniel McGuffey pointed out the *Premiere* program, now in use by more than 600 retail outlets. In addition to discount and marketing incentives, the program includes *Premiere* magazine and *Premiere Audio Magazine*. Special floor displays are designed to focus product attention on new and established artists.

McGuffey said that artists participating in the 1988 *Premiere* program include Geoff Moore and the Distance, Tim Miner, Don Francisco and Steven Curtis Chapman. Top new releases introduced were John Michael Talbot's *The Regathering* (March)

and Mylon LeFevre's *Face the Music* (April).

Other 1988 sales and marketing plans will introduce a "Buy Two Get Two Free" offer in which a customer who purchases any two "top 16" double-coupons gets a free Sparrow or Star Song cassette of his choice plus a free copy of *Premiere Audio Magazine*.

"Sparrow Compact Favorites" is a new compact disc midline series, which the company says is the first in the gospel music industry. "The best songs from your favorite artists at a compact price" (\$11.98) will feature Steve Camp, Sheila Walsh, Rez and A.D.

Sparrow/Star Song will also continue its emphasis on the Sparrow Home Video line, which now has more than 80 titles available. "We're servicing more and more accounts with start-ups of a rental/sales department," says McGuffey.

Artists attending the sales conference included John Michael Talbot, Geoff Moore, Mylon LeFevre and Tim Miner.

REUNION LINKS WITH RCA, WARNER BROS.

NASHVILLE, Tenn.--Usually it's a mainstream company which signs a deal to distribute Christian product, but Reunion Records has turned the tables by entering into co-distribution agreements with RCA Records and Warner Brothers Records. The agreements begin with upcoming albums by Take 6 on Warner Bros. and Gary Chapman on RCA. Both will be included in Reunion's product line, which is expected to double in 1988.

The Take 6 project is scheduled for release next month and is described by Warner Bros. executive Jim Ed Norman as "progressive, black gospel jazz." The six-member group performs a cappella.

Gary Chapman's *Everyday Man* will be simultaneously released by Reunion and RCA in late March. RCA released the single and corresponding video, "When We're Together," last month. The first single for Christian radio will be released in March. Chapman's two previous albums were released in 1981 and 1982.

DATELINE

January 25-February 7

Saturday, Feb. 2, 1985

--Amy Grant performs at the 11th Annual Volunteer Jam in Nashville. Fellow performers include Ricky Skaggs and Charlie Daniels.

Monday, Feb. 4, 1985

--Michael W. Smith and Band begin live rehearsals at Nashville's S.I.R. studios in preparation for the year's "Friends Tour."

Sunday, Jan. 26, 1986

--Canadian band Elim Hall begins recording their debut Reunion Records release, *Things Break*.

Friday, Jan. 31, 1986

--Amy Grant is nominated for a Grammy Award under the category of "Best Gospel Performance, Female" for *unguarded*.

Monday, Feb. 3, 1986

--John Potoker begins final mixes of Michael W. Smith's *The Big Picture* at New York's Power Station.

BORN:

--Gary McSpadden-Jan. 26
--Karia Worley-Jan. 28
--Leslie Phillips-Jan. 28
--Renee Garcia-Jan.-28

RELEASED:

--Michael Omartian, *Adam Again*, Myrrh-Feb. 4, 1977
--Brown Bannister, *Talk To One Another*, Reunion-Feb. 6, 1986 (re-release)

TOP AIRPLAY

1 YEAR AGO

--#1 A/C: "He Covers Me," Steve Camp (Sparrow)
--#1 Insp: "When All Is Said and Done," Evie (Word)
--#1 Rock: "Every Moment," DeGarmo & Key (Power Discs)
--#1 Contemporary Hits: "Simple Ironies," Dion (DaySpring)

5 YEARS AGO

--#1 Contemporary: "Cornerstone," Leon Patillo (Myrrh)
--#1 Inspirational: "Lord of the Harvest," Imperials (DaySpring)

CHANGES

APPOINTMENTS

--Mike Kauffman to handle promotions for *Broken Records*. Kauffman formerly headed the radio and promotions division of the Refuge Music Group, and produced and hosted the Christian rock show *The Permanent Wave*.
--Scott Coyle to Menconi Ministries as

CALENDAR

NRB 45th Annual Convention and Exposition, January 30-February 3 Washington, DC. (201) 428-5400

CBA Regional Conventions:

January 24-27: West-Anaheim, CA
January 31-February 3: Southwest-Arlington, TX
February 7-10: Southeast-Atlanta, GA
February 14-17: Northeast-Washington, DC
February 21-24: Midwest-Indianapolis, IN
For all of the above, call (800) 252-1950

8th Annual Performance Summit

Conference, February 13-15
Wyndham Paradise Valley Resort,
Scottsdale, AZ (817) 338-9444

FCCM Southeast Regional Conference

March 25-27
DuBose Conference Center, Monteagle,
TN (312) 506-9350

Jesus '88, March 30-April 2

Florida State Fairgrounds, Tampa, FL
(813) 686-1988

Gospel Music '88, April 10-14

Stouffer Hotel, Nashville, TN (615) 242-0303

Agape '88, May 7

Greenville College, Greenville, IL (618) 644-1806

Son Festival, May 19-22

Heritage USA, Charlotte, NC (704) 376-4388

Atlanta Fest '88, June 16-18

Atlanta International Raceway, Atlanta, GA
(717) 569-3342

CBA International Convention, July 16-21

Dallas Convention Center, Dallas TX
(303) 576-7880

Creation '88, June 23-25

Agape Farm, Mt. Union, PA (717) 569-3342

Sonshine '88, July 8-9

Willmar Civic Center, Willmar, MN (612) 235-4450

Fishnet, July 13-16

Front Royal, VA (703) 636-2961

Jesus PA '88, July 28-30

Agape Farm, Mt. Union, PA (814) 447-5659

scheduling coordinator of the **New Song Seminars** division. Coyle was formerly the media director for San Diego's **Youth For Christ**.

--Kathryn Darden to **Fair Warning Ministries** as booking and promotions director. Darden formerly worked radio promotion for **Nancy A. Reece Promotions** of Nashville.

--Sparrow/Star Song Distribution has announced the following appointments: **Mark Brisson**-New York/New England sales rep; **Frances Schoeny**-sales executive assistant; **Jan Jones Delia** and **Cyndi Memoli** as customer service reps.

--Kim Stevens to music buyer for **Deerfield, Ill.'s Trinity Beacon Bookstore**. Stevens was formerly music buyer for the **Moody Bookstore** in Chicago.

--Dana Whitlow to Chicago's **Moody Bookstore** as music buyer.

PROMOTIONS

--Cal Tarrant to national advertising director for the **Word Record Group/Nashville**. Tarrant, who will

handle all advertising and publicity for the office, was the former **Word/Nashville** advertising director.

--Mike Rapp to national promotions director for **Word's Nashville office**. Rapp was previously the radio promoter for **DaySpring Records**.

--Mike Atkinson to executive director of **Menconi Ministries**. Atkinson had held the position of director of operations for over four years.

--Bob Gurich to regional sales manager for **Sparrow/Star Song Distribution**. Gurich, who has been with **The Sparrow Corp.** for three years, will be responsible for nine western states.

--Mark Funderburg to regional sales manager for **Sparrow/Star Song**, to supervise the sales activity in the midwest region. Funderburg has been with **Sparrow** for three years, before

which he was buyer for the **Baker Book House** chain.

--Fred McNaughton to station manager for **WJTL-FM**, Lancaster, Pa. McNaughton was formerly PD and MD for the station. **Bill Neff** will take over the position of program director and **Rick Steimling** will assume the role of music director. Also, **John Shirk** shifts to the public service director.

SIGNINGS

--Tim Miner to a long-term world-wide recording and music publishing agreement with **Sparrow Records**. Miner's first Sparrow release is scheduled for this year's second quarter.

--David Baroni has re-signed an exclusive long-term recording agreement with **The Calvary Music Group**.

--Karen Wheaton to a multi-year exclusive recording agreement with **The Calvary Music Group**. Wheaton, who is a former member of **The Spurrllows** and **Jimmy Swaggart's** music ministry, has an album due out on **Calvary's LifeStream** label early this year.

--Rosie to an exclusive long-term booking and management agreement with **Adoration, Inc.**

MARRIAGE

--George (Ralph Henley Productions) **Searcy** and **Margie Rittenberry**, December 19.

BIRTHS

--To **Wade** and **Katie Holbrook** (Anchor Room, Inc.-Ft. Wayne, Ind.), a boy, **Joshua Wade**, December 17.

--To **Kyle** (MD/KNLR-Bend, Ore.) and **Lisa Fenton**, a boy, **Jordan Kyle**, December 26.

--To **Dennis** (The Disney Group) and **Laura Disney**, a girl, **Laura Ashley**, December 31.

GALLERY



During an album debut party at Nashville's 16th Avenue Sound, Sparrow president Billy Ray Hearn presented White Heart with a plaque for their recent #1 songs. He also presented them with a copy of *Premiere* magazine which features the band on the cover.



Sparrow has signed Geoff Moore and is preparing to release his debut album for the label in March. Shown at the contract signing are Moore (left), Moore's manager, Paul Jackson (center), and Sparrow president Billy Ray Hearn.



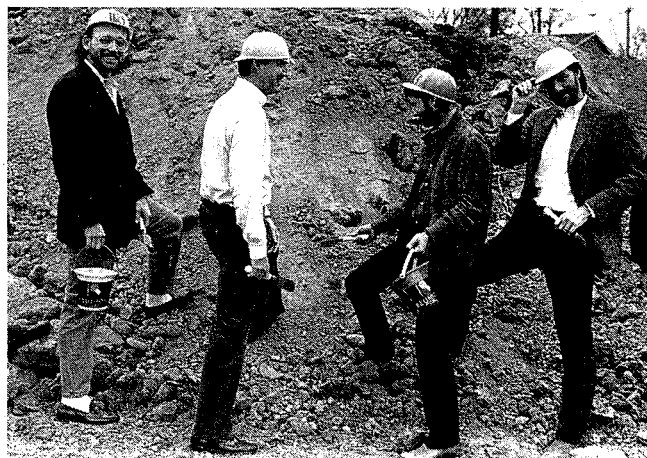
Benson recording artists Billy & Sarah Gaines recently performed five songs during a Washington Redskins chapel service. Pictured (l-r) are Sarah Gaines; Art Monk, Redskins' wide receiver; and Billy Gaines.



Naomi and Wynonna Judd received a chocolate album from the Benson Publishing Group for recording "The Sweetest Gift" (a Stamps-Baxter copyright) on their album *Heartland*. Shown presenting the sweet gift is John Barker, general manager of Benson's publishing/copyright division.



Mercile Hester was the big winner in the "Great Baldwin Grand Piano Giveaway." The drawing was held during the taping of the Christmas Eve edition of the Crook & Chase show. Pictured on the set are Dino (seated), and co-hosts Jan Snider and Charlie Chase.



Reunion Records and Blanton/Harrell executives break ground on a new office facility to house their growing operations. Shown are (l-r) Jeff Moseley, president of Reunion; Dan Harrell; Terry Hemming, vice president of Reunion; and Mike Blanton.



LifeStream artist David Baroni is shown drawing the winner of the "Baroni Bear Your Button Contest." The grand prize winner, Sandy Wimpelberg of The Sunrise Shoppe in Springfield, VA, received \$1,000 in Calvary Music Group product for her store and a compact disc player for her personal use. Shown with Baroni at the drawing are Calvary executives (l-r) Benny Williams, Dean Hammons, Glenn Wagner, Dr. Nelson Parkerson Jr., Rex Bledsoe, and Brian Smith.



More than 500 youth pastors turned out to hear Steve Taylor talk about his new album, *Predict: 1990*, at the National Youth Workers' Convention in L.A. On hand were (l-r) Tim Swift, Taylor's manager; John Huie of ICM; Allen Weed of Interl'inc; Mike Yaconelli of Youth Specialties; Jim Brady of Interl'inc; and Melissa Helm of Myrrh Records.

UPCOMING RELEASES

LPs/Cassettes/CDs

- 1/18, Various Artists, *A New Homecoming*, Brentwood
 1/20, **Ernie and Debbie Rettino:**
Baby Birdy Bomber, Maranatha!
Bloopers' Bloopers, Maranatha!
Caper at the Castle, Maranatha!
Fear-Fightin' Farley, Maranatha!
Kids Praise Parade, Maranatha!
Rough Ridin' Rodeo, Maranatha!
Sleepytime Helpers, Maranatha!
Uh-Oh Art Projects, Maranatha!
 1/22, **The Hinsons**, *Generations*, Calvary
 1/22, **Wayne Goodine and Trio**, *Perfect Praise*, Lifestream
 2/01, **Maranatha! Kids**, *Bible Song Singalong*, Maranatha!
 2/01, **Maranatha! Kids**, *Sing-Along Hymns*, Maranatha!
 2/01, **Shirley Caesar**, *Live in Chicago*, Rejoice
 2/08, **New Jersey Mass Choir**, *Hold Up the Light*, Light
 2/10, **Barren Cross**, *Atomic Arena*, Enigma, [CD]
 2/10, **Glad**, *The Acappella Project*, Benson, [CD]
 2/10, **Jon Gibson**, *Change of Heart*, Frontline, [CD]
 2/10, **Lari Goss**, *Twenty Piano Hymns*, Vol. 2, Benson
 2/12, **The Branches**, *Kids Sing Praise*, Vol. 2, Brentwood
 2/15, **Adam Again**, *10 Songs by Adam Again*, Broken, [CD]
 2/15, **Daniel Band**, *Running Out of Time*, Refuge, [CD]
 2/15, **Geoff Moore**, *A Place to Stand*, Sparrow, [CD]
 2/15, **Maranatha! Kids**, *Kids Praise Songs*, Maranatha!
 2/15, **Level Heads**, *Memento Mori*, Broken, [CD]
 2/15, **Mike Hayward**, *My Cup Is Overflowing*, I Am
 2/15, **Phil and John**, *Lonely Dancer*, DaySpring, [CD]
 2/15, **Power Praise**, *Volume 1*, Fortress
 2/15, **Rick Riso**, *The Best*, Home Sweet Home, [CD]
 2/15, **Rod McGaha**, *His Personal Touch*, I Am
 2/15, **Solvei and Judi**, *Praising You*, Fortress
 2/15, **Various Artists**, *Power Praise*, Fortress
 2/22, **Joe Minowski**, *Out of the Ivory Palaces*, Home Sweet Home, [CD]
 2/22, **Kim Boyce**, *Time Again*, Myrrh, [CD]
 2/22, **Steve Chapman**, *Genesis: The Best of the Early Years*, Home Sweet Home, [CD]
 2/22, **The Don Marsh Orchestra**, *Beside Still Waters*, Vol. 2, Brentwood
 2/23, **Carman**, *Carman, Live...Radically Saved!*, Benson, [CD]
 2/23, **Mad at the World**, *Flowers in the Rain*, Frontline, [CD]
 2/29, **Stephen Wiley**, *The Stephen Wiley Rap*, Brentwood
 3/07, **John Michael Talbot**, *The Regathering*, Sparrow, [CD]
 3/07, **Kim Hill**, *Kim Hill*, Reunion, [CD]
 3/07, **Solveig**, *First Step*, DaySpring, [CD]
 3/07, **Take Six**, *Take Six*, Reunion, [CD]
 3/14, **The Choir**, *Chase the Kangaroo*, Myrrh, [CD]
 3/15, **Voices of Light**, *All-Time Gospel Classics*, Light
 3/15, **Bride**, *Live to Die*, Pure Metal, [CD]

- 3/15, **Rosanna's Raiders**, *Calling Down Fire*, Pure Metal, [CD]
 3/15, **Saint**, *Too Late for Living*, Pure Metal, [CD]
 3/15, **Various Artists**, *Heavy Righteous Metal*, Pure Metal, [CD]
 3/21, **Bill Baumgardt**, *untitled*, Frontline, [CD]
 3/21, **Heaven Bound**, *Ministry*, RiverSong
 3/21, **Shout!**, *untitled*, Frontline, [CD]
 3/28, **Calvin Bridges**, *Awesome*, I Am
 3/28, **Alda Denise Mitchell**, *Oh Taste and See*, I Am
 3/28, **Philip Bailey**, *untitled*, Myrrh, [CD]
 3/28, **Rick Cua**, *Can't Stand Too Tall*, Reunion, [CD]
 3/28, **Sandi Patti**, *Make His Praise Glorious*, Word, [CD]
 3/31, **Don Francisco**, *High Praises*, Star Song, [CD]
 3/31, **Mylon LeFevre & Broken Heart**, *Face the Music*, Star Song, [CD]
 4/01, **Karen Wheaton**, *untitled*, Lifestream
 4/13, **Stryper**, *In God We Trust*, Enigma, [CD]

CASSETTE ONLY

- 2/01, **David and Lisa Binion**, *Takin' the City*, WordSong
 2/10, **Spin 180**, *Time to Burn Bridges*, Benson
 3/28, **Various Artists**, *All for You*, DaySpring
 4/13, **Dan Peek**, *Compilation*, Benson
 4/13, **Geoff Moore**, *All the Good Music*, Power Discs

COMPACT DISC ONLY

- 2/10, **Lari Goss**, *Forty Piano Hymns*, Benson
 2/22, **A.D.**, *Compact Favorites*, Sparrow
 2/22, **Rez**, *Compact Favorites*, Sparrow
 2/22, **Sheila Walsh**, *Compact Favorites*, Sparrow
 2/22, **Steve Camp**, *Compact Favorites*, Sparrow
 2/23, **DeGarmo & Key**, *Street Rock*, Power Discs
 3/07, **John Michael Talbot**, *Songs for Worship, Vol's I and II*, Sparrow
 3/07, **John Michael Talbot**, *Troubador of the Great King*, Birdwing
 3/21, **Dallas Holm**, *Classics/ Praise and Worship*, Benson
 3/21, **Don Francisco**, *Live (2 discs)*, Benson
 3/21, **Harvest**, *It's Alright Now/ Send Us to the World*, Benson
 3/21, **Harvest**, *Voices/ Only the Overcomers*, Benson
 3/21, **Michael Card**, *Legacy/ First Light*, Benson
 3/21, **Truth**, *Keeper of My Heart/ Still the Truth*, Benson
 3/21, **Twila Paris**, *Keepin' My Eyes on You/ The Warrior Is a Child*, Benson
 4/01, **Bryan Duncan**, *Complete (Holy Rollin', Have Yourself Committed)*, Light
 4/01, **Commissioned**, *Complete (I'm Going On/ Go Tell Somebody)*, Light
 4/01, **Commissioned**, **p+18X On the Winning Side*, Light
 4/01, **New Jersey Mass Choir**, *Hold Up the Light*, Light
 4/01, **New Jersey Mass Choir**, *Look Up and Live*, Light
 4/01, **The Winans**, *Tomorrow and More*, Light
 4/01, **Vickie Winans**, *Be Encouraged*, Light

TOP SEASONAL ALBUMS

- 1 (2) **JOY TO THE WORLD**, Steve Green/Sparrow (Sparrow/Star Song SPR-1143)
 2 (4) **The Xift Goes On**, Sandi Patti/Impact (Benson) RO-3874
 3 (5) **A Christmas Album**, Amy Grant/Myrrh (Word) MSB-6768
 4 (14) **Kids Christmas Sing-A-Long**, Maranatha! Kids/Maranatha! Music (Word) MLO-197
 5 (17) **A Wonderful Time of Year**, Dino/Benson (Benson) RO-2427
 6 (20) **An Evening in December**, Vol. 2, First Call/DaySpring (Word) 7-01-415657-8
 7 (22) **Long Play Christmas**, Various/Maranatha! Music (Word) 7-10-019584-5
 8 (26) **Kids Sing Christmas**, The Branches/Brentwood (Brentwood) C-25066
 9 (28) **Christmas Memories**, Evie/Word (Word) 7-01-905851-5
 10 (30) **An Evening in December**, First Call/DaySpring (Word) 7-01-413701-8

The "Top Seasonal Albums" chart was compiled from actual retail sales for the month of December, 1987. The figure in parenthesis represents the position the album would have held if included within the "Top Albums" chart.

TOP CHILDREN'S ALBUMS

MO	LM	TM	Title, Artist/Label (Distributor) LP Cat. No.
10	46	1	KIDS PRAISE 6 , Maranatha! Kids/Maranatha! Music (Word) 7-10-0180821-0
21	13	2	Kids Sing Praise , The Branches/Brentwood (Brentwood) R-25027
1	--	3	Shelter from the Storm , PowerSource/PowerVision (Gospel Workshop for Children) GWC 8502
2	19	4	Sunday Singalong Variety , Various/Brentwood (Brentwood) C-25059
16	23	5	The First Sunday Sing-A-Long , The Maranatha Kids/Maranatha! Music (Word) 7-10-018382-0
12	35	6	Kids Praise 3 , Maranatha! Kids/Maranatha! Music (Word) MM-0092
1	--	7	Twenty Songs for Kids, Vol.1 , Various Artists/Benson (Benson) C02403
30	*	8	Bullfrogs & Butterflies , Candle/Birdwing (Sparrow/Star Song) BWR 2010
2	*	9	Psalty's Christmas Calamity , Maranatha! Kids/Maranatha! Music (Word) MM-0093A
16	*	10	Kids Praise 5 , Maranatha! Kids/Maranatha! Music (Word) 7-10-014282-2

The CCM Update "Top Children's Albums" chart is based on reports from selected retail outlets in the U.S. The rankings are based upon total units of each title reported sold during the month of December, 1987. (* = Re-entry, -- = New Entry, "MO" = Month on Chart, "LM" = Position Last Month, "TM" = Position This Month.)

CCM TOP ALBUMS

MO LM TM Title, Artist/Label (Distributor) LP Cat. No.

- | | | | |
|----|----|----|--|
| 2 | -- | 1 | RUSS TAFF , Russ Taff/Myrrh
(Word) 7-01-684838-8 [CD] |
| 6 | 1 | 2 | This Means War! , Petra/Star Song
(Sparrow/Star Song) SSG 8084 [CD] |
| 18 | 5 | 3 | The Collection , Amy Grant/Myrrh
(Word) 7-01-684306-8 [CD] |
| 22 | 7 | 4 | Morning Like This , Sandi Patti/Word
(Word) 7-01-900310-9 [CD] |
| 26 | 9 | 5 | Hymns Just For You , Sandi Patti/Helvering
Productions (Benson) RO 4010 [CD] |
| 6 | 8 | 6 | The Live Set , Michael W. Smith/Reunion
(Word) 7-01-002652-1 [CD] |
| 2 | 2 | 7 | D&K , DeGarmo & Key/Power Discs
(Benson) PWR01092 [CD] |
| 2 | 3 | 8 | Emergency Broadcast , White Heart/
Sparrow (Sparrow/Star Song) SPR 1144 [CD] |
| 3 | 6 | 9 | Far Away Places , 2nd Chapter of Acts/
Live Oak (Word) 7-01-000921-X [CD] |
| 2 | 4 | 10 | I Predict 1990 , Steve Taylor/Myrrh
(Word) 7-01-687306-4 [CD] |
| 1 | -- | 11 | Somethin' Takes Over , First Call/
DaySpring (Word) 7-01-416157-1 [CD] |
| 17 | 11 | 12 | For God and God Alone , Steve Green
/Sparrow (Sparrow/Star Song) SPR 1120 [CD] |
| 4 | 10 | 13 | The Father Hath Provided , Larnelle Harris/
Benson (Benson) RO 3270 [CD] |
| 9 | 48 | 14 | The Final Word , Michael Card/Sparrow
(Sparrow/Star Song) SPR 1126 [CD] |
| 2 | 24 | 15 | Keith Green, The Ministry Years 1977-1979 ,
Vol. I, Keith Green/Sparrow (Sparrow/Star Song)
SPC/D 1146 [CD] |
| 2 | * | 16 | Great Moments in Gospel Music , Various
Artists/D.R.M. (Brentwood) GMLP 01-02 |
| 8 | 17 | 17 | Candle in the Rain , David Meece/Myrrh
(Word) 7-01-686406-5 [CD] |
| 6 | 12 | 18 | Praise Nine , Maranatha! Singers/Maranatha!
Music (Word) 7-10-019084-3 [CD] |
| 7 | 20 | 19 | Crack the Sky , Mylon LeFevre & Broken
Heart/Myrrh (Word) 7-01-684106-5 [CD] |
| 5 | 16 | 20 | Whistlin' in the Dark , Bryan Duncan/Modern
Art (Word) 7-01-460056-7 [CD] |
| 58 | 25 | 21 | More Than Wonderful , Sandi Patti/Impact
(Benson) RO 3818 [CD] |
| 41 | 31 | 22 | Songs from the Heart , Sandi Patti/Impact
(Benson) RO 3884 [CD] |
| 4 | 15 | 23 | After God's Own Heart , Steve Camp/Sparrow
(Sparrow/Star Song) SPR 1140 [CD] |
| 15 | 22 | 24 | Hymns, 2nd Chapter of Acts /Live Oak
(Word) 7-01-000721-7 [CD] |
| 8 | 27 | 25 | Same Girl , Twila Paris/Star Song
(Sparrow/Star Song) SSR 8078 [CD] |
| 24 | 18 | 26 | The Champion , Carman/Myrrh
(Word) 7-01-682706-2 [CD] |
| 19 | 42 | 27 | The Big Picture , Michael W. Smith/Reunion
(Word) 7-01-001012-9 [CD] |
| 1 | -- | 28 | Long Play Praise , Various Artists/
Maranatha! Music (Word) 7-10-019384-2 [CD] |
| 9 | 21 | 29 | Watercolour Ponies , Wayne Watson/DaySpring
(Word) 7-01-415501-6 [CD] |
| 19 | * | 30 | unguarded , Amy Grant/Myrrh (Word)
7-01-680606-5 [CD] |
| 8 | 33 | 31 | Friends for Life , Debby Boone/Lamb & Lion |

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| | | | (Benson) LL5739 [CD] |
| 2 | 25 | 32 | Guest of Honor , Steve & Annie Chapman/
Star Song (Sparrow/Star Song) SSR 8086 |
| 4 | 29 | 33 | Give Them Back , Harvest/Greentree
(Benson) GR 5807 [CD] |
| 15 | 47 | 34 | To Hell with the Devil , Stryper/Enigma
(Benson) RO 82339 [CD] |
| 13 | 38 | 35 | Steve Green , Steve Green/Sparrow
(Sparrow/Star Song) SPR 1084 [CD] |
| 6 | 37 | 36 | Make Us One , Phil Driscoll/Benson
(Benson) RO 2369 [CD] |
| 22 | * | 37 | He Holds the Keys , Steve Green/Sparrow
(Sparrow/Star Song) SPR 1084 [CD] |
| 5 | * | 38 | Brand New , Leon Patillo/Sparrow
(Sparrow/Star Song) SPR 1138 [CD] |
| 1 | -- | 39 | Darn Floor--Big Bite , Da/Frontline
(Benson) RO9028 [CD] |
| 1 | -- | 40 | Shoulder to Shoulder , Allies/
DaySpring (Word) 7-01-416401-5 [CD] |
| 2 | * | 41 | A Piano Portrait , Dino/Benson
(Benson) RO 2400 [CD] |
| 34 | 50 | 42 | Sunday's on the Way , Carman/Priority
(Spring Arbor) JU38713 |
| 7 | 39 | 43 | BeBe & CeCe Winans , BeBe & CeCe Winans
/Sparrow (Sparrow/Star Song) SPR 1132 [CD] |
| 2 | * | 44 | Conquerors , Acappella/Cliffy
CCRK-017 |
| 33 | * | 45 | Michael W. Smith 2 , Michael W. Smith/
Reunion (Word) 7-01-000412-9 [CD] |
| 9 | 34 | 46 | The Turning , Leslie Phillips/Myrrh
(Word) 7-01-685106-0 [CD] |
| 67 | * | 47 | Age to Age , Amy Grant/Myrrh
(Word) MBS-6697 [CD] |
| 1 | -- | 48 | Yellow , Prism/Reunion
(Word) 7-01-002312-3 |
| 2 | 45 | 49 | Living in the Vertical , Renee Garcia/
Reunion (Word) 7-01-002712-9 [CD] |
| 15 | * | 50 | Back to the Street , Petra/Star
Song (Sparrow/Star Song) 7-102-07386-0 [CD] |

Reporting retailers: Anchor Room-Fort Wayne/IN; Ark, The-Denver/CO; Bakers Book House-Grand Rapids/MI; Berean-Phoenix/AZ; Berean-Atlanta/GA; Berean Church Supplies-Canton/OH; Berean Music Center-Colton/CA; Better Book Room, Inc.-Wichita/KS; Carpenters Shop, The-Lakeland/FL; Charismatic Christian Book-El Paso/TX; Christian Center Bookstore-Allendale/NJ; Christian Supply Shoppe-Spartanburg/SC; Colorado Christian Supply-Greeley/CO; Crossroads Book & Music-Sioux Falls/SD; Eden Books-Southgate/MI; Evangel Book Center-Appleton/WI; Fellowship Bookstores-Fresno/CA; Innercourt-San Antonio/TX; Lighthouse Christian Books-Green Bay/WI; Lighthouse Music-Glendale/CA; Maranatha Village-Santa Ana/CA; Ministries for Christ, Inc.-Austin/TX; Moody Bookstore-Chicago/IL; Morning Star-Fitchburg/MA; Mustard Seed Bookstore-Columbus/GA; New Life Bookstore-Crystal Lake/IL; Provident Bookstore-Souderton/PA; Scripture Stall, The-San Antonio/TX; Sunshine Books & Gifts-Baton Rouge/LA; Theophilus-Bellaire/TX; Trinity Beacon Bookstore-Deerfield/IL; Zondervan Bookstores-Grand Rapids/MI.

The following retailers did not report: Berean Christian Store-Cincinnati/OH; The Christian Amory-Columbus/OH; Christian Book and Gift-Rochester/MN; Fountain of Truth, The-Sioux Falls/SD; High Plains Bookstore-Amarillo/TX; Lighthouse Bookstore-Wilmington/DE; Lighthouse Christian Stores-Long Beach/CA; Mardel-Oklahoma City/OK; One Way Bookstore-Mehlville/MO; Pathway Books-Tampa/FL.

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PICK OF THE WEEK:

First Call, *Somethin' Takes Over* (DaySpring)
First Call's second album sounds better than most artists fifth. Forget their reputation as a backup vocal group—they are artists in their own right. *Somethin'* is a powerful mix of jazz, '40s-era arrangements and hit ballads, concentrating more on their Manhattan Transfer similarities. First Call will please the sophisticated music lover on down.

Larry Bryant, *Silent Movies* (Word/Meadowgreen)

With a four-year span between releases and a new record company, Bryant capitalizes on the strengths of his first album for his second. His pleasing, polished pop sound and thought-provoking, at times humorous, lyrics, may interest fans of Michael W. Smith 2.

Greg Buchanan, *Peaceful Meditation* (Bread 'n Honey)

This increasingly popular harpist comes through with a lovely package of traditional hymns tenderly played on his Salvi harp.

Cynthia Clawson, *HymnSinger* (DaySpring)

This is not another hymns album created by a marketing department. Clawson's love for hymns is genuine. Her impeccable voice, a classy production, and an interesting choice of hymns make this an uncommon hymn collection. Recorded at the Windham Hill Studios, it contains three original songs, five hymns, and two hymn medleys.

Aretha Franklin, *One Lord, One Faith, One Baptism* (Arista)
The "Queen of Soul" returns to her roots in her late father's church with a combination of the spoken word and traditional gospel music. Recorded live last summer in Detroit, this double (90+ minutes) album is a must for fans of black gospel.

Luke Garrett, *Ever Constant... Ever Sure* (Home Sweet Home)
In the tradition of Green and Harris, Garrett's second album combines all the necessary ingredients: an enviable tenor voice, sensitive ballads, and big production.

Glen Allen Green, *Down This Avenue* (Home Sweet Home)
The strongest element on Green's first album was his two or three rockier songs. That strong element has fortunately become the dominant element on his second release. *Avenue* should solidify his position as a solid pop-rock. May interest *Candle in the Rain* fans.

Tonio K., *Notes From the Lost Civilization* (What?/A&M)
Tonio's first album for What? was a critical favorite, though hardly a commercial success. *Notes...*, while still lacking the direct Christian verbiage the market seems to want, may nonetheless enlarge his following. Retailers should note that the song "What Women Want" has been deleted from the Word-distributed version of the album.

Take Six, *Take Six* (Reunion)

Take Six, formerly Alliance, bring their slick, a cappella mix of jazz, R&B, do-wop and gospel to the American masses with this debut release. This album represents the first co-distribution agreement between Warner Brothers and Reunion. Blatant Christian lyrics, fun arrangements, and the novelty of an all-a cappella album should interest college students, yuppies, and the black market.

Send albums for review to: Mike Atkinson, 2139 Newcastle Ave., P.O. Box 306, Cardiff by the Sea, CA 92007-0831.

PICKS OF THE WEEK:

CeCe Winans, "For Always" (Sparrow)
CeCe takes the solo spotlight on this refreshing cut from the *BeBe & CeCe Winans* album. Fluid vocal is left unencumbered by a tempered back-track, revealing God's everlasting presence in CeCe's smooth soul.

First Call, "The Reason We Sing" (DaySpring) 3" CD
Debut release off the *Somethin' Takes Over* album makes history as Christian music's first 3" CD. The state-of-the-art fidelity shows off wonderful harmonies and a spacious arrangement, and is showcased in a voice-as-instrument bridge.

Billy Arnett, "Change Is Coming" (Psalm Records)

Mid-paced tune telling of the Lord's imminent return. Contact: Psalm Records, P.O. Box 728, London, KY 40741 (606) 864-9479.

Michael Card, "To the Mystery" (Sparrow)

Fine instrumentation and vocal delivery suffocate under overproduction and electronic percussion. Breathing room is somewhat restored in nice flute and classical guitar break.

Steven Curtis Chapman, "Run Away" (Sparrow)

Catchy third release from Chapman's debut effort, *First Hand*, should satisfy an ever growing audience. Playful soundtrack accompanies the key to righteous living theme.

Shaun Helton, "Time" (United Christian Artists)

Engaging, easy-paced debut shows modern production and a solid vocal performance. The tune was written by Mark Gersmehl, but stands on its own merits. Contact: United Christian Artists, Attn: Mktg. Dept., 656B Mercer Dr., Hermitage, TN 37076; (615) 885-6030.

Nancy Honeytree, "Every Single Day" (Milk & Honey)

Title cut from Honeytree's latest shows familiar styling and full production. Building instrumentation backs lyrics which stress the individual's need for God's daily direction.

Gordon Jensen, "Tuesdays and Thursdays" (Wordsong)

Technical vocal considerations aside, Jensen delivers warmth and humor on this title cut and second release from his latest. A mildly driven soundtrack featuring fine guitar work and sparse production.

Marvin & Gentry, "Wise Man" (Milk & Honey)

This second release from the duo's debut, *Safe Harbour*, shows a new twist on an old allegory. Exceptional harmonies nailed down by a booming acoustic guitar riff.

Takk, "Build Your Church," b/w "Do To Others" (Fortress)

Featured instrumentation is provided by some of the members of Koinonia and is clearly the stand-out attraction on both cuts.

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SELECTED PLAYLISTS

From Reporting Period Ending January 13, 1988

Adult Contemporary

KDAR/Oxnard, CA

- 1 DEEPEST LOVE/RENEE GARCIA
- 2 MARVELOUS/PHILIP BAILEY
- 3 DEVOTED TO YOU/IMPERIALS
- 4 HOW WILL THEY REMEMBER?/KIM BOYCE
- 5 COME TO THE LORD/STEVE CAMP
- 6 WATERCOLOR PONIES/WAYNE WATSON
- 7 QUESTIONS/GLAD
- 8 LOVE HAS NO COLOR/WINANS/MICHAEL McDONALD
- 9 ANGELS WITH DIRTY FACES/SHEILA WALSH
- 10 IF YOU WERE THE ONLY ONE/STEVE ARCHER

WHME/South Bend, IN

- 1 HUMBLE YOURSELF/2ND CHAP.
- 2 IN YOUR LIGHT/TATA VEGA
- 3 MONTANA SKY/WHITE HEART
- 4 DEEPEST LOVE/RENEE GARCIA
- 5 WHEN THE SON BEGINS TO REIGN/DeGARMO & KEY
- 6 WATERCOLOR PONIES/WAYNE WATSON
- 7 FAITHFUL/PAUL SMITH
- 8 DEVOTED TO YOU/IMPERIALS
- 9 I'M BRAND NEW/LEON PATILLO
- 10 WALK BETWEEN THE LINES/RUSS TAFF

KOBC/Joplin, MO

- 1 MONTANA SKY/WHITE HEART
- 2 WHEN THE SON BEGINS TO REIGN/DeGARMO & KEY
- 3 WATERCOLOR PONIES/WAYNE WATSON
- 4 DEVOTED TO YOU/IMPERIALS
- 5 I'LL BE RIDIN' WITH HIM/PHIL DRISCOLL
- 6 IF YOU WERE THE ONLY ONE/STEVE ARCHER
- 7 I'M BRAND NEW/LEON PATILLO
- 8 HUMBLE YOURSELF/2ND CHAP.
- 9 IN YOUR LIGHT/TATA VEGA
- 10 HERE AM I, SEND ME/KEITH GREEN

KUXL/Minneapolis, MN

- 1 RUN TO YOU/TERRI GIBBS
- 2 FOR THE LOVE OF YOU/MARGARET BECKER
- 3 WALK BETWEEN THE LINES/RUSS TAFF
- 4 HERE AM I, SEND ME/KEITH GREEN
- 5 WHEN THE SON BEGINS TO REIGN/DeGARMO & KEY
- 6 I'M BRAND NEW/LEON PATILLO
- 7 MONTANA SKY/WHITE HEART
- 8 BE YE GLAD/DEBBIE BOONE
- 9 HUMBLE YOURSELF/2ND CHAP.
- 10 MARVELOUS/PHILIP BAILEY

KCNW/Kansas City, KS

- 1 WHEN THE SON BEGINS TO REIGN/DeGARMO & KEY
- 2 HERE AM I, SEND ME/KEITH GREEN
- 3 MONTANA SKY/WHITE HEART
- 4 WATERCOLOR PONIES/WAYNE WATSON
- 5 DEVOTED TO YOU/IMPERIALS
- 6 HUMBLE YOURSELF/2ND CHAP.
- 7 DEEPEST LOVE/RENEE GARCIA
- 8 IF YOU WERE THE ONLY ONE/STEVE ARCHER
- 9 DEAR MR. JESUS/POWER SOURCE
- 10 IN YOUR LIGHT/TATA VEGA

WNLF/Charlotte, MI

- 1 NO ONE BUT YOU/LESJIE PHILLIPS
- 2 WATERCOLOR PONIES/WAYNE WATSON
- 3 WALK BETWEEN THE LINES/RUSS TAFF
- 4 ANGELS WITH DIRTY FACES/SHEILA WALSH
- 5 HUMBLE YOURSELF/2ND CHAP.
- 6 I'LL BE RIDIN' WITH HIM/PHIL DRISCOLL

- 7 LOVE HAS NO COLOR/WINANS/MICHAEL McDONALD
- 8 IF YOU WERE THE ONLY ONE/STEVE ARCHER
- 9 ONE STEP CLOSER/ALAN CHASE
- 10 COULD BE A CELEBRATION/RICH MULLINS

WPIT/Pittsburgh, PA

- 1 DEEPEST LOVE/RENEE GARCIA
- 2 IN YOUR LIGHT/TATA VEGA
- 3 WALK BETWEEN THE LINES/RUSS TAFF
- 4 IF YOU WERE THE ONLY ONE/STEVE ARCHER
- 5 NOTHING BUT THE BLOOD/MICHAEL W. SMITH
- 6 WATERCOLOR PONIES/WAYNE WATSON
- 7 FAITHFUL/PAUL SMITH
- 8 COME TO THE LORD/STEVE CAMP
- 9 I'M BRAND NEW/LEON PATILLO
- 10 ANGELS WITH DIRTY FACES/SHEILA WALSH

KCFA/Eagle River, AK

- 1 WATERCOLOR PONIES/WAYNE WATSON
- 2 DEEPEST LOVE/RENEE GARCIA
- 3 WHEN THE SON BEGINS TO REIGN/DeGARMO & KEY
- 4 I'LL BE RIDIN' WITH HIM/PHIL DRISCOLL
- 5 HUMBLE YOURSELF/2ND CHAP.
- 6 IF YOU WERE THE ONLY ONE/STEVE ARCHER
- 7 I AM AVAILABLE/PETRA
- 8 MONTANA SKY/WHITE HEART
- 9 IN HIS EYES/BILLY AND SARAH GAINES
- 10 HERE AM I, SEND ME/KEITH GREEN

Inspirational

WBGL/Champaign, IL

- 1 MONTANA SKY/WHITE HEART
- 2 GOD STILL MOVES/STEVE & ANNIE CHAPMAN
- 3 WATERCOLOR PONIES/WAYNE WATSON
- 4 COME TO THE LORD/STEVE CAMP
- 5 ANYWHERE WITH JESUS/PRISM
- 6 HUMBLE YOURSELF/2ND CHAP.
- 7 IF YOU WERE THE ONLY ONE/STEVE ARCHER
- 8 THE REASON WE SING/FIRST CALL
- 9 PERFECT PRAYER/SCOTT ROLEY
- 10 BONDED TOGETHER/TWILA PARIS

WRJZ/Knoxville, TN

- 1 BE YE GLAD/DEBBIE BOONE
- 2 HUMBLE YOURSELF/2ND CHAP.
- 3 MIGHTY GOD/GARY McSPADDEN
- 4 I SING BECAUSE/SQUIRE PARSONS
- 5 ARISE MY LOVE/NEW SONG
- 6 ALL THAT IS IN ME/HARVEST
- 7 WHATEVER YOU ASK/STEVE CAMP
- 8 HERE AM I, SEND ME/KEITH GREEN
- 9 IN HIS EYES/BILLY AND SARAH GAINES
- 10 WHEN I THINK OF YOU/DANIEL WINANS

KGNM/St. Joseph, MO

- 1 WATERCOLOR PONIES/WAYNE WATSON
- 2 GOD STILL MOVES/STEVE & ANNIE CHAPMAN
- 3 I'LL BE RIDING WITH HIM/PHIL DRISCOLL
- 4 I'M BRAND NEW/LEON PATILLO
- 5 MONTANA SKY/WHITE HEART
- 6 DEEPEST LOVE/RENEE GARCIA

- 7 HERE AM I, SEND ME/KEITH GREEN
- 8 YOU'LL STILL BE LORD OF ALL/TRUTH
- 9 WHEN THE SUN BEGINS TO RAIN/DeGARMO & KEY
- 10 HUMBLE YOURSELF/SECOND CHAPTER OF ACTS

KLLF/Whichita Falls, TX

- 1 HUMBLE YOURSELF/2ND CHAPT.
- 2 BE YE GLAD/DEBBIE BOONE
- 3 YOU'LL STILL BE LORD OF ALL/TRUTH
- 4 GOD STILL MOVES/STEVE & ANNIE CHAPMAN
- 5 HIGHER GROUND/STEVE GREEN
- 6 HERE AM I, SEND ME/KEITH GREEN
- 7 EVER CONSTANT, EVER SURE/LUKE GARRETT
- 8 IN HIS EYES/BILLY AND SARAH GAINES
- 9 EYE TO EYE/CRUSE
- 10 HEART DOOR/LAURIE BOONE BROWNING

KCCS/Salem, OR

- 1 HERE AM I, SEND ME/KEITH GREEN
- 2 MONTANA SKY/WHITE HEART
- 3 COUNT THE COST/DALLAS HOLM
- 4 EYE TO EYE/CRUSE
- 5 COME UNTO ME/WILL McFARLAND
- 6 ALL RISE/SCOTT WESLEY BROWN
- 7 YOU'LL STILL BE LORD OF ALL/TRUTH
- 8 WATERCOLOR PONIES/WAYNE WATSON
- 9 EVER CONSTANT, EVER SURE/LUKE GARRETT
- 10 GOD STILL MOVES/STEVE & ANNIE CHAPMAN

Contemporary Hits

WPRQ/Kingsport, TN

- 1 BRAND NEW/LEON PATILLO
- 2 MONTANA SKY/WHITE HEART
- 3 I AM AVAILABLE/PETRA
- 4 MARVELOUS/PHILIP BAILEY
- 5 NOTHING BUT THE BLOOD/MICHAEL W. SMITH
- 6 DEVOTED TO YOU/IMPERIALS
- 7 HONESTLY/STRYPER
- 8 WALK BETWEEN THE LINES/RUSS TAFF
- 9 IN YOUR LIGHT/TATA VEGA
- 10 THE DEEPEST LOVE/RENEE GARCIA

WNCM/Jacksonville, FL

- 1 HUMBLE YOURSELF/2ND CHAP.
- 2 LET ME BE THE ONE/MYLON LeFEVRE
- 3 WATERCOLOR PONIES/WAYNE WATSON
- 4 MONTANA SKY/WHITE HEART
- 5 BRAND NEW/LEON PATILLO
- 6 I BELONG/MYLON LeFEVRE
- 7 YOU'LL NEVER KNOW/CONNIE SCOTT
- 8 I AM AVAILABLE/PETRA
- 9 CROSS OR DAGGER/THAD BOSLEY
- 10 HE CAME, SAW, CONQUERED/PETRA

KPLA/Riverbank, CA

- 1 HUMBLE YOURSELF/2ND CHAP.
- 2 WHEN THE SON BEGINS TO REIGN/DeGARMO & KEY
- 3 THE DEEPEST LOVE/RENEE GARCIA
- 4 MARVELOUS/PHILIP BAILEY
- 5 HEAVEN MUST HAVE SENT YOU/RICK RISO
- 6 HELPLESS/KIM BOYCE/JON ELEFANTE
- 7 BRAND NEW/LEON PATILLO
- 8 NATION IN NEED/JON GIBSON

- 9 FALLEN/IMPERIALS
- 10 KEY TO OUR SURVIVAL/WHITE HEART

Rock

WBRH/Baton Rouge, LA (Real Life Radio)

- 1 SHAKE/RUSS TAFF
- 2 YOU'RE ALL I NEEDED/ALLIES
- 3 ANIMAL LAND/SEPTEMBER
- 4 SOMETHING BETTER/PAUL SMITH
- 5 HOLDING ON/IN 3-D
- 6 LONELY WORLD/CHOSEN STRANGER
- 7 YOU'LL NEVER KNOW/CONNIE SCOTT
- 8 REVOLUTION/DAVE PERKINS
- 9 SVENGALI/STEVE TAYLOR
- 10 B-I-B-L-E/BASH N' THE CODE

WOIV-WSIV/E. Syracuse, NY (Pressin' On)

- 1 HEARTS LOST IN NOWHERE/ALTAR BOYS
- 2 REVOLUTION/DAVE PERKINS
- 3 TURN THEM AWAY/THE AWAKENING
- 4 PEOPLE WHO/NOBODY SPECIAL
- 5 ANIMAL LAND/SEPTEMBER
- 6 SVENGALI/STEVE TAYLOR
- 7 MAD AT THE WORLD/MAD AT THE WORLD
- 8 MOSES McFLY/ISAAC AIR FREIGHT
- 9 THIS IS LIVIN'/DEBORAH PETERS
- 10 ENOUGH IS ENOUGH/WHITE CROSS

WJIS/Sarasota, FL (Light Force)

- 1 KEY TO OUR SURVIVAL/WHITE HEART
- 2 HE CAME, HE SAW, HE CONQUERED/PETRA
- 3 STANDING ON TOP OF THE WORLD/MARGARET BECKER
- 4 LET ME BE THE ONE/MYLON LeFEVRE
- 5 HELPLESS/KIM BOYCE/JON ELEFANTE
- 6 FALLEN/IMPERIALS
- 7 YOU'RE ALL I NEEDED/ALLIES
- 8 SHAKE/RUSS TAFF
- 9 BROKEN/ALTAR BOYS
- 10 NOTHING BUT THE BLOOD/MICHAEL W. SMITH

KGOT/Anchorage, AK (Crosstrax)

- 1 KEY TO OUR SURVIVAL/WHITE HEART
- 2 ANIMAL LAND/SEPTEMBER
- 3 ENOUGH IS ENOUGH/WHITE CROSS
- 4 OUT OF THE DANGER ZONE/DeGARMO & KEY
- 5 SVENGALI/STEVE TAYLOR
- 6 HE CAME, HE SAW, HE CONQUERED/PETRA
- 7 YOU'RE ALL I NEEDED/ALLIES
- 8 HOLDING ON/STRYPER
- 9 B-I-B-L-E/BASH N' THE CODE
- 10 WAITING FOR A MIRACLE/BRUCE COCKBURN

WZMM/Wheeling, WV (The Rock of Ages)

- 1 HOLDING ON/STRYPER
- 2 COME ON/BJORN STICKSEN?
- 3 LOVE GOD, HATE SIN/MYLON LeFEVRE
- 4 KEY TO OUR SURVIVAL/WHITE HEART
- 5 OUT OF THE DANGER ZONE/DeGARMO & KEY
- 6 SAFETY NET/DA
- 7 HE CAME, HE SAW, HE CONQUERED/PETRA
- 8 RIP VAN WINKLE/TRYTAN
- 9 WE ARE THE TEMPLE/PARADOX
- 10 LIFT HIM UP/DUAL EDGE

CCM ROCK

Title, Artist/Label * Songwriter (Publisher-License).

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| 12 | 1 | 1 | OUT OF THE DANGER ZONE , DeGarmo & Key/Power Discs * Eddie DeGarmo and Dana Key (DKB-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 10 | 3 | 2 | Key to Our Survival , White Heart/Sparrow * Tommy Sims, Gordon Kennedy (Birdwing/Kid And The Squid/Word-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 6 | 9 | 3 | Svengali , Steve Taylor/Myrrh * Steve Taylor (Soylent-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 14 | 2 | 4 | Enough Is Enough , White Cross/Pure Metal * Rex Carroll (Girder-BMI) [CD]. |
| -- | -- | 5 | Shake , Russ Taff/Myrrh * Dave Perkins, Tori Taff, Russ Taff (Undone/Tori Taff/Neotonic-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 6 | 11 | 6 | He Came, He Saw, He Conquered , Petra/Star Song * Bob Hartman, John Elefante (Dawn Treader/Gaither/Petsong-SESAC; Uncle Pitts-BMI) [CD]. |
| 8 | 6 | 7 | Animal Land , September/Sugar * R. Kirkland (Solid Jammin'-ASCAP). |
| 8 | 4 | 8 | Holding On , Stryper/Enigma * Michael Sweet (Sweet Family-BMI) [CD]. |
| 14 | 5 | 9 | Hearts Lost in Nowhere , Altar Boys/Frontline * Mike Stand (Broken-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 8 | 12 | 10 | Holding On , In 3-D/Refuge * James Neave, Randy Kerkman (Star Systems-SESAC) [CD]. |
| 4 | 15 | 11 | You're All I Needed , Allies/DaySpring * Randy Thomas, Bob Carlisle, Michael Cary (Carlisle & Thomasongs/Word-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 8 | 10 | 12 | Helpless , Kim Boyce and John Elefante/Myrrh * John Elefante, Dino Elefante (Uncle Pitts-BMI) [CD]. |
| -- | -- | 13 | Revolution , Dave Perkins/Myrrh * Dave Perkins (Undone-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 18 | 7 | 14 | Love God, Hate Sin , Mylon LeFevre & Broken Heart/Myrrh * Mylon LeFevre, Scott Allen, Kenneth Bentley, Ben Hewitt, Paul Joseph and Joe Hardy (Angel Band/Dayspring-BMI) [CD]. |
| -- | -- | 15 | Safety Net , Da/Frontline * Terry Taylor, Greg Flesch, Tim Chandler (Broken-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| -- | -- | 16 | B-I-B-L-E , Bash-n-the Code/Myrrh Rebecca Ed Sparks, Greg Sparks (Public Domain). |
| 6 | 16 | 17 | You'll Never Know , Connie Scott/Image VII * Donny Hackett, Roy Salmund (Ariose-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 16 | 8 | 18 | Standing on Top of the World , Margaret Becker/Sparrow * D. Perkins, R. Frazier (Undone-ASCAP; Sparrow Song-BMI) [CD]. |
| 12 | 13 | 19 | Backyard Changes , Crumbacher/Frontline * Stephen Crumbacher (Broken-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 4 | 19 | 20 | This Is Livin' , Deborah Peters/Vision * Deborah Peters, Wayne Kirkpatrick, Keith Thomas (Tourmaline/Emily Boothe/Word-ASCAP). |
| 12 | 18 | 21 | The Messiah , Bloodgood/Frontline * Les Carlsen, David Zaffiro (Broken-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 10 | 17 | 22 | Fine Line , Twenty/20/Refuge * W. Kirkpatrick (Merit-BMI). |
| 4 | 20 | 23 | People Who , Nobody Special/Frontline * Pat Nobody (Broken-ASCAP). |
| -- | -- | 24 | Turn Them Away , The Awakening/Reunion * Andrew Horrocks (Edward Grant-ASCAP). |
| 16 | 14 | 25 | Don't Turn Away , Trytan/R.E.X. * Lary Dean (Jam Box-ASCAP). |

MOST PLAYED LP'S

- 1 **WHITE CROSS**, White Cross/Pure Metal [CD]
- 2 **D&K**, DeGarmo & Key/Power Discs [CD]
- 3 **This Means War!**, Petra/Star Song [CD]
- 4 **Crack the Sky**, Mylon LeFevre & Broken Heart/Myrrh [CD]
- 5 **Russ Taff**, Russ Taff/Myrrh [CD]

Reporting stations & shows: Reality Rock, KCFV (Breakaway), KCMS (Eternal Rock), KFMT (Power Outlet), KGOT (Crosstrax), KICT (Sonlight), KMOD (Morning Sonlight), KOKF (Power Rock), KPLA (Forerunner), KRDS, KWJC, KWLD (Powerflyte), WBRH (Real Life Radio), WCIE (Living Water), WCIL (Jesus Solid Rock), WEGL (Living Proof), WFMU (David & Goliath), WGLY (Heartbeat), WGSJ (Power Supply), WJIS (Light Force), WJTL (EXIT 90), WKTX (The Alternative), WLRW (Voice in the Wind), WOIV/WSIV (Pressin' On), WPIT (Saturday Night Light), WPRQ (Powerjams), WNNW (Covenant), WXTQ (Sunday Offering), WZMM (The Rock of Ages), WZRK (New Creation).

The following station's list was frozen: WMIE (The Show Without a Name).

The following stations failed to report: KWBU (New Dimensions), WNNN (Star Rock), WVOF (New Creation).

CCM INSPIRATIONAL

Title, Artist/Label * Songwriter (Publisher-License).

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| 8 | 2 | 1 | HERE AM I, SEND ME , Keith Green/Sparrow * Keith Green, Wendell Burton (Birdwing/Ears to Hear-ASCAP; Cross Purpose-BMI) [CD]. |
| 6 | 9 | 2 | Watercolour Ponies , Wayne Watson/DaySpring * Wayne Watson, Paul Mills (Word-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 8 | 11 | 3 | God Still Moves , Steve & Annie Chapman/Star Song * Steve Chapman, Chris Machen (Dawn Treader-SESAC; Ariose-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 6 | 7 | 4 | Montana Sky , White Heart/Sparrow * B. Smiley, M. Gersmehl, G. Kennedy (Birdwing/Kid And the Squid/Word-ASCAP; Half-Clement/Yellow Jacket-BMI) [CD]. |
| -- | -- | 5 | His Love Was Reaching , David Meece/Myrrh * David Meece, Gino Vannelli (Black Keys/Meece-BMI) [CD]. |
| 12 | 3 | 6 | Be Ye Glad , Debby Boone/Lamb & Lion * Michael Kelly Blanchard (Gotz/Paragon-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 10 | 1 | 7 | You'll Still Be Lord of All , Truth/Benson * Geron Davis, Becky Davis, Tim Pedigo (Meadowgreen/Songchannel-ASCAP). |
| 4 | 18 | 8 | Ever Constant, Ever Sure , Luke Garrett/Home Sweet Home * Luke Garrett (Court & Case-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 10 | 5 | 9 | In His Eyes , Billy and Sarah Gaines/Benson * Gary Driskell, Mickey Cates (Straightway-ASCAP). |
| 8 | 10 | 10 | Our Great God and King , Karla Worley/Star Song * Sandra Maddux, David Maddux (Christian Artist-ASCAP). |
| -- | -- | 11 | I'll Be Ridin' with Him , Phil Driscoll/Mighty Horn/Benson * Shawn Craig (Dixon-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 4 | 16 | 12 | Deepest Love , Renee Garcia/Reunion * Robert Marshall (Clouseau-PRS) [CD]. |
| 4 | 15 | 13 | Higher Ground , Steve Green/Sparrow * Jon Mohr (Jonathan Mark/Birdwing-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 8 | 12 | 14 | Count the Cost , Dallas Holm/DaySpring * Geoff Thurman, Becky Thurman, Steven V. Taylor (Meadowgreen/Tree-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 14 | 4 | 15 | All That Is In Me , Harvest/Greentree * Jerry Williams (Singspiration-ASCAP) [CD,V]. |
| -- | -- | 16 | Anywhere with Jesus , Prism/Reunion * Jessie Pounds, David B. Towner (Edward Grant-ASCAP). |
| 8 | 14 | 17 | Heart Door , Laury Boone Browning/Lamb & Lion * David P. Baroni (Gary S. Paxton-BMI). |
| -- | -- | 18 | Still in Love , Chris Christian/Home Sweet Home * Chris Christian, Gary Floyd (Home Sweet Home/Court & Case-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 6 | 17 | 19 | Humble Yourself , Don Chapter of Acts/Live Oak * Annie Herring, Jim Tenneboe (Latter Rain/MIDI Mouse-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 10 | 6 | 20 | Make Me New , Nancy Honeytree/Milk & Honey * Nancy Honeytree, Kevin Salyer (Safe Harbour/Kevin Salyer-ASCAP). |
| 16 | 8 | 21 | The Father Hath Provided , Larnelle Harris/Benson * Larnelle Harris, Dave Clark, Don Koch (LifeSong-BMI; John T. Benson/Paragon-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| -- | -- | 22 | If You Were the Only One , Steve Archer/Home Sweet Home * Robert Sterling, Cindy Sterling, Gary Floyd (Court and Case-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| -- | -- | 23 | I Am Available , Petra/Star Song * Bob Hartman (Dawn Treader/Gaither/Petsong-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| -- | -- | 24 | Come Unto Me , Will McFarlane/Poplar St. * Will McFarlane (Far Lane-ASCAP). |
| 10 | 20 | 25 | Eyes of Man , Don Francisco/Star Song * Don Francisco (Ariose-ASCAP). |

MOST ACTIVE NEW PLAYS

- 1 **BONDED TOGETHER**, Twila Paris/Star Song
- 2 **Every Single Day**, Nancy Honeytree/Milk & Honey
- 3 **Angels with Dirty Faces**, Sheila Walsh/Myrrh
- 4 **Hurt by Hurt**, Bill Gaither Trio/Star Song
- 5 **The Reason We Sing**, First Call/DaySpring

Reporting Stations: KAJN, KCCS, KCOV, KGNM, KJLY, KJTY, KLLF, KLYN, KMFC, KWBI, WAME, WBGL, WCIC, WCTN, WEMI, WIBI, WJEP, WJIS, WMCU, WMHK, WRJZ, WVEV.

The following station's list was frozen: WFRN.

No stations failed to report.

CCM CONTEMPORARY HITS

Title, Artist/Label * Songwriter (Publisher-License).

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|----|----|----|---|
| -- | -- | 1 | WALK BETWEEN THE LINES , Russ Taff/Myrrh
* Dave Perkins (Undone-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 6 | 5 | 2 | I'm Brand New , Leon Patillo/Sparrow
* Leon Patillo (Birdwing/Dolella-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 8 | 3 | 3 | Montana Sky , White Heart/Sparrow * B. Smiley,
M. Gersmehl, G. Kennedy (Birdwing/Kid And The
Squid/Word-ASCAP; Hall-Clement/Yellow Jacket-BMI) [CD]. |
| -- | -- | 4 | How Much Love , Allies/DaySpring * Randy
Thomas, Bob Carlisle (Carlisle & Thomasongs/Word-ASCAP)
[CD]. |
| 10 | 2 | 5 | When the Son Begins to Reign , DeGarmo
& Key/Power Discs * Eddie DeGarmo, Dana Key (DKB-
ASCAP) [CD]. |
| -- | -- | 6 | Love Has No Color , The Winans w/Michael
McDonald/Qwest * Marvin Winans, Percy Bady, Ronald
Winans (Marvin L. Winans-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 4 | 10 | 7 | Nothin' But the Blood , Michael W. Smith/
Reunion * Michael W. Smith, Chris Harris (O'Ryan/Edward
Grant-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 4 | 11 | 8 | I Am Available , Petra/Star Song * Bob
Hartman (Dawn Treader/Gaither/Petsong-SESAC) [CD]. |
| 8 | 4 | 9 | Deepest Love , Renee Garcia/Reunion * Robert
Marshall (Clouseau-PRS) [CD]. |
| 10 | 1 | 10 | Humble Yourself , 2nd Chapter of Acts/Live Oak
* Annie Herring, Jim Tenneboe (Latter Rain/MIDI Mouse-
ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 4 | 9 | 11 | You'll Never Know , Connie Scott/Image VII
* Donny Hackett, Roy Salmond (Ariose-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| -- | -- | 12 | Faithful , Paul Smith/DaySpring * Paul
Smith, Keith Thomas (Word/Edward Grant/Yellow Elephant-
ASCAP) [CD]. |
| 4 | 12 | 13 | Watercolour Ponies , Wayne Watson/DaySpring
* Wayne Watson, Paul Mills (Word-ASCAP) [CD]. |
| -- | -- | 14 | Angels with Dirty Faces , Sheila Walsh/Myrrh
* Rod Trott, Sheila Walsh, Jon Sweet (Sweet Patch/Word-
ASCAP) [CD]. |
| -- | -- | 15 | He Says , Bash-n-the Code/Myrrh * Greg
Sparks (Word-ASCAP). |

Reporting stations: KDAZ, KJIA, KLYT, KOKF, KPLA, KTFA, KXOJ, KXKX, WAEC, WCRM, WJTL, WNCM, WNNN, WPRQ.
The following stations failed to report: KWLD, WGEV.

CCM VIDEO

Title, Artist/Label (Distributor).

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|----|----|----|--|
| -- | -- | 1 | LET THERE BE PRAISE! ,
Sandi Patti/Word. (Word). |
| -- | -- | 2 | Comin' On Strong ,
Carman/Myrrh Music Video (Word). |
| -- | -- | 3 | Find a Way ,
Amy Grant/Myrrh Music Video (Word). |
| -- | -- | 4 | For God and God Alone ,
Steve Green/Sparrow Home Video
(Sparrow/Star Song). |
| -- | -- | 5 | The Big Picture Tour ,
Michael W. Smith/Reunion (Word). |
| -- | -- | 6 | Wayne Watson in Concert ,
Wayne Watson/DaySpring (Word). |
| -- | -- | 7 | In Concert ,
Michael W. Smith/Reunion (Word). |
| -- | -- | 8 | The Party's Over ,
Kenny Marks/DaySpring (Word). |
| -- | -- | 9 | A Concert Spectacular ,
Dino/Benson (Benson). |
| -- | -- | 10 | Live in Japan ,
Stryper/Enigma (Enigma). |

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CHART WATCH

Top Albums

Russ Taff meets all expectations as one of the the year's hottest releases by debuting atop the "Top Albums" chart and upsetting the four-month reign of last year's top new release, *This Means War*. Meanwhile, Steve Taylor's *I Predict 1990* drops six positions after only its second charting month. This period's "Pick of the Week" (see page 8), First Call's *Something Takes Over*, debuts at #11, while the omission of the children product (see opposite page) causes a stir on the lower half of the chart.

Adult Contemporary

Wayne Watson's Grammy nominated *Watercolour Ponies* yields its second #1, as the self-titled third release hits the top in its eighth week. If "Material Magic" wouldn't have stalled at #2 in October, it would be three for three. Russ Taff begins the year with an outstanding #6 debut with "Walk Between The Lines," one of his four top 10 new entries of the period. Elsewhere, "Here Am I, Send Me" and "Montana Sky" tread water at #2 and #3 respectively, as Steve Archer's "If You Were the Only One" jumps eight positions to #4.

Rock

"Out of the Danger Zone" sits safe and comfortable at #1, giving DeGarmo & Key the nation's top rock cut for six straight weeks. Steve Taylor's "Svengali" jumped six positions over the holiday break while "Shake" breaks the top 5 on its first try. The extended chart allows an extended stay for a few on their way out, and early debuts for some new comers.

Inspirational

"Here Am I, Send Me" gives *The Ministry Years* a hit after its eighth week on the chart—David Meece's "His Love Was Reaching" enters the top 5 in its first. Wayne Watson's "Watercolour Ponies," and the Chapman's "God Still Moves" make significant forward progress, while Debby Boone's "Be Ye Glad" falters.

Contemporary Hits

Lots of activity on Contemporary Hits, as Russ Taff heads the pack with the #1 debut of "Walk Between the Lines." The Allies enter the chart at #4 with "How Much Love," while the Winans/Michael McDonald get together proves successful as "Love Has No Color" enters at #6. Former #1 "Humble Yourself," by 2nd Chapter takes a nine placement fall during the break.

Video

You won't find such an interesting cross-section of artists and styles on any other chart. By the same measure, you'd be hard pressed to find a listing which represents such a wide segment of the buying public. All the same, industry stalwarts find their way to the top.

Seasonal

Steve Green's *Joy To the World* finishes the season as the overall best-seller by a comfortable margin. Sandi Patti's "The Gift Goes On," and Amy Grant's "A Christmas Album" compete closely, with the former narrowly holding an edge.

CCM ADULT CONTEMPORARY

Title, Artist/Label * Songwriter (Publisher-License)			
8	8	1	WATERCOLOUR PONIES , Wayne Watson /DaySpring * Wayne Watson, Paul Mills (Word-ASCAP) [CD].
10	2	2	Here Am I, Send Me , Keith Green/Sparrow * Keith Green, Wendell Burton (Birdwing/Ears to Hear-ASCAP; Cross Purpose-BMI) [CD].
10	3	3	Montana Sky , White Heart/Sparrow * B. Smiley, M. Gersmehl, G. Kennedy (Birdwing/Kid And The Squid/Word-ASCAP; Hall-Clement/Yellow Jacket-BMI) [CD].
6	12	4	If You Were the Only One , Steve Archer/ Home Sweet Home * Robert Sterling, Cindy Sterling, Gary Floyd (Court and Case-ASCAP) [CD].
10	5	5	When the Son Begins to Reign , DeGarmo & Key/Power Discs * Eddie DeGarmo, Dana Key (DKB- ASCAP) [CD].
--	--	6	Walk Between the Lines , Russ Taff/Myrrh * Dave Perkins (Undone-ASCAP) [CD].
6	17	7	I'll Be Ridin' with Him , Phil Driscoll/ Mighty Horn/Benson * Shawn Craig (Dixon-ASCAP) [CD].
6	16	8	I Am Available , Petra/Star Song * Bob Hartman (Dawn Treader/Gaither/Petsong-SESAC) [CD].
10	4	9	Deepest Love , Renee Garcia/Reunion * Robert Marshall (Clouesau-PRS) [CD].
10	7	10	Devoted to You , Imperials/Myrrh * Ron Hemby, Stephen Bashaw (Word/Ahia/Marquis III- ASCAP) [CD].
10	1	11	Humble Yourself , 2nd Chapter of Acts/Live Oak * Annie Herring, Jim Tenneboe (Latter Rain/MIDI Mouse- ASCAP) [CD].
8	9	12	I'm Brand New , Leon Patillo/Sparrow * Leon Patillo (Birdwing/Dolella-ASCAP) [CD].
4	22	13	Angels with Dirty Faces , Sheila Walsh/Myrrh * Rod Trott, Sheila Walsh, Jon Sweet (Swot Patch/Word- ASCAP) [CD].
4	40	14	Faithful , Paul Smith/DaySpring * Paul Smith, Keith Thomas (Word/Edward Grant/Yellow Elephant-ASCAP) [CD].
4	38	15	His Love Was Reaching , David Meece/Myrrh * David Meece, Gino Vannelli (Black Keys/Meece-BMI) [CD].
4	33	16	I Belong , Mylon LeFevre/Myrrh * Scott Allen, Kenneth Bentley, Ben Hewitt, Paul Joseph, Michael Tyrell, Mylon LeFevre, Joe Hardy (Angel Band/Dayspring-BMI) [CD].
--	--	17	Come to the Lord , Steve Camp/Sparrow * Steve Camp, John Rosasco (Birdwing/Geodesic-ASCAP) [CD].
10	13	18	Marvelous , Philip Bailey/Myrrh * George Duke, Philip Bailey (Mycenae/Sir & Trini-ASCAP) [CD].
14	6	19	All That Is In Me , Harvest/Greentree * Jerry Williams (Singspiration-ASCAP) [CD].
4	30	20	Still in Love , Chris Christian/Home Sweet Home * Chris Christian, Gary Floyd (Home Sweet Home/Court & Case-ASCAP) [CD].
--	--	21	Anywhere with Jesus , Prism/Reunion * Jessie Pounds, David B. Towner (Edward Grant-ASCAP).
--	--	22	How Much Love , Allies/DaySpring * Randy Thomas, Bob Carlisle (Carlisle & Thomasongs/Word-ASCAP) [CD].
--	--	23	The Reason We Sing , First Call/DaySpring Dick Tunney, Melodie Tunney (LCS/Pamela Kay/Dick & Mel- ASCAP) [CD].
4	25	24	In Your Light , Tata Vega/Myrrh * Rick Thomson, Bill Balsone (Word/Sherea-ASCAP) [CD].
--	--	25	Love Has No Color , The Winans w/Michael McDonald/Qwest * Marvin Winans, Percy Bady, Ronald Winans (Marvin L. Winans-ASCAP) [CD].
--	--	26	Bonded Together , Twila Paris/Star Song * Twila Paris (StraightWay-ASCAP) [CD].
12	10	27	Tough Act to Follow , Crumbacher/Frontline * Stephen Crumbacher (Broken-ASCAP) [CD].
4	29	28	Nothin' But the Blood , Michael W. Smith/Reunion * Michael W. Smith, Chris Harris (O'Ryan/Edward Grant- ASCAP) [CD].
--	--	29	He Says , Bash-n-the Code/Myrrh * Greg Sparks (Word-ASCAP).
12	11	30	Be Ye Glad , Debby Boone/Lamb & Lion * Michael Kelly Blanchard (Gotz/Paragon-ASCAP) [CD].
8	26	31	How Will They Remember , Kim Boyce/Myrrh * Kim Boyce, James Hollihan (Word/Hollihan-ASCAP) [CD].
4	37	32	Run To You , Terri Gibbs/Canaan * Steve Winger (P.E. Velvet-ASCAP).
--	--	33	Dear Mr. Jesus , PowerSource/Gospel Workshop for Children * Richard Klender (Klenco-ASCAP).
8	28	34	You'll Still Be Lord of All , Truth/Benson * Geron Davis, Becky Davis, Tim Pedigo (Meadowgreen/Songchannel-ASCAP).
--	--	35	Run Away , Steven Curtis Chapman/Sparrow * Steven Curtis Chapman (New Wings/Greg Nelson/Sparrow Song-BMI) [CD].
--	--	36	Start Lovin' Each Other , Deborah Peters/ Vision * Deborah Peters (Tourmaline-BMI).
--	--	37	Higher Ground , Steve Green/Sparrow * Jon Mohr (Jonathan Mark/Birdwing-ASCAP) [CD].
--	--	38	Heaven Is My Home , Connie Scott/Image VII * Arlen Salte, Roy Salmond, J.R. Taylor (Ariose-ASCAP) [CD].
14	18	39	The Father Hath Provided , Larnelle Harris/ Benson * Larnelle Harris, Dave Clark, Don Koch (LifeSong- BMI; John T.Benson/Paragon-ASCAP) [CD].
8	32	40	When I Think of You , Daniel Winans & The Second Half/Rejoice * Daniel Winans (One Accord/Dayspring-BMI).

Reporting stations: KCFA, KCLB, KCONW, KDAR, KGFT, KXIL, KKRE, KLFJ, KLMB, KNIS, KNLE, KOBC, KPBC, KRSS, KSLT, KSOH, KJXL, WABS, WAJL, WBCM, WBFJ, WBRG, WBSN, WCBW, WCFY, WDL, WERK, WFEL, WFOM, WGGN, WGSJ, WHME, WHYD, WKTX, WLFI, WLIX, WMAX, WMER, WMUZ, WNDA, WNL, WOIV/WSIV, WPT, WQFL, WRFD, WXIR, WXLN, WYNX.

Reporting power stations: KCMS, KOJO, KSB, KYMS, WCIE, WHLO, WWCN, WWDJ, WZZD.

The following stations failed to report: WXRI, WYDE.

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