

THE *CCM* UPDATE

Dove Nominees Announced

Seven for BeBe & CeCe, Six for Twila

IN A YEAR OF crossover success for several Christian artists, no one was surprised that BeBe & CeCe Winans came out on top in the Dove nominee count. But many were surprised at the next name on the list—Twila Paris.

Paris received six nominations for Gospel Music Association honors; Artist of the Year, Female Vocalist, Praise and Worship Album for *Sanctuary*, Inspirational Recorded Song for "How

Beautiful," Songwriter (the only female), and "I See You Standing" for Song of the Year. Her name appears, as well, on an Instrumental Album category finalist by Dick Tunney entitled *Twila Paris Piano Classics*, for which she would not receive a Dove.

Another big surprise was the absence of two-time Artist of the Year winner Steven Curtis Chapman as a finalist in
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DC TALK (Kevin Smith, Toby McKeehan and Michael Tait) flanks **Steven Curtis Chapman** (second from left) at an Opryland Hotel press conference where the four announced the Gospel Music Association's **1992 Dove Awards Nominees**. The awards will be telecast live over TNN: The Nashville Network (cable) on April 9 at 9 p.m. ET, with a replay at 6 p.m. on April 11.

The Label Count

(Includes all categories except Song of the Year)

Benson

Benson	10
RiverSong	1
Yo! ForeFront	3
Maranatha!	<u>1</u>
Total	15

Sparrow

Sparrow	29
Warner Alliance	9
Integrity	<u>2</u>
Total	40

Star Song

Star Song	20
Pure Metal	2
Fixit	<u>2</u>
Total	24

Word

DaySpring	7
Everland	2
Myrrh	9
Pakaderm	1
Word/Canaan	1
Word	<u>20</u>
Sub Total	40
Homeland	4
Meadowgreen	1
Reunion	<u>10</u>
Total	55

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WE LUV RAP MUSIC

Congratulations to Our Dove Award Nominees

DC TALK

Group of the Year
Rap Song of the Year
"I Luv Rap Music"



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E.T.W.

Rap Album of the Year
"Stop! The Wild Hype"

✓ Check This!

CONGRATULATIONS to our Dove Nominees...

- ✓ **SONG OF THE YEAR: BE THE ONE**
Al Denson, Don Koch, Dave Clark, writers: Paragon, John T. Benson, First Verse, ASCAP
- ✓ **GROUP OF THE YEAR: 4 HIM, DC TALK**
- ✓ **RECORDED SONG OF THE YEAR: ADDICTED TO JESUS: CARMAN (Rap)**
Carman, Toby McKeehan, Joe Hogue, Benson Records
- ✓ **I LUV RAP MUSIC: DC TALK (Rap)**
Toby McKeehan, Jackie Gore, Yo!ForeFront
- ✓ **BE THE ONE: AL DENSON (Contemporary)**
Al Denson, Don Koch, Dave Clark, Benson Records
- ✓ **IN CHRIST ALONE: MICHAEL ENGLISH (Inspirational)**
Sbaum Craig, Don Koch, Warner Alliance, Published by Paragon Music
- ✓ **WHERE COULD I GO?: GAITHER VOCAL BAND (Southern Gospel)**
James B. Coats, Star Song Records, Published by Singpiration
- ✓ **SURELY GOODNESS & MERCY: BUDDY GREEN (Country)**
John W. Peterson, Alfred B. Smith, Word Records, Published by Stamps Baxter
- ✓ **RAP ALBUM OF THE YEAR: STOP! THE WILD HYPE: E.T.W.**
Mark McCurdy, Producer, Yo!ForeFront Records
- ✓ **INSPIRATIONAL ALBUM OF THE YEAR: LARNELLE LIVE...PSALMS, HYMNS & SPIRITUAL SONGS: LARNELLE HARRIS**
Lari Goss, Producer, Benson Records
- ✓ **SOUTHERN GOSPEL ALBUM OF THE YEAR: ANSWER THE CALL: GOLD CITY**
Garry Jones, Producer, Benson Records
- ✓ **HOME COMING: THE GAITHER VOCAL BAND**
Ken Mansfield, Gaither Vocal Band, Producers, Star Song Records
- ✓ **COUNTRY ALBUM OF THE YEAR: BEST FRIENDS: LULU ROMAN**
Michael Sykes, Producer, Benson Records
- ✓ **SHINING THROUGH: JEFF & SHERI EASTER**
Jeff and Sheri Easter, Producers, Benson Records
- ✓ **CONTEMPORARY BLACK GOSPEL ALBUM OF THE YEAR: NO ONE LOVES ME LIKE YOU: BILLY & SARAH GAINES**
Joe Hogue, Producer, Benson Records
- ✓ **INSTRUMENTAL ALBUM OF THE YEAR: MAJESTIC PEACE: DINO**
Bill George and Dino, Producers, Benson Records
- ✓ **PRAISE & WORSHIP ALBUM OF THE YEAR: SHAKIN' THE HOUSE: CARMAN, COMMISSIONED, CHRIST CHURCH CHOIR**
Dan Cleary, Producer, Benson Records
- ✓ **MUSICAL ALBUM OF THE YEAR: A BAND OF SHEPHERDS**
Creators: Katie Hill, Russell Mauldin, Arranger, Benson
- ✓ **CHILDREN'S MUSIC: ACAPPELLA KIDS: THE MARANATHA KIDS**
Creators: Clifford "Barry" Robertson, Producer and Arranger and Alex MacDougall, Executive Producer, Maranatha! Music

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Dove Nominees Announced

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that category. Chapman was not alone; last year's nominees Carman and Steve Green were also missing, all replaced by Amy Grant, Twila Paris and BeBe & CeCe Winans. Also receiving fewer nominations than they historically have were Russ Taff and Take 6 with only one apiece.

In addition to the Artist of the Year category, the Winans name appears 13 more times on the ballot in various combinations of BeBe, CeCe, Benjamin, Mom and Pop as artists, producers and songwriters. BeBe & CeCe are up for Artist of the Year, Group, Rap Recorded Song for "The Blood," two in Contemporary Black Gospel Recorded Song for "Addictive Love" and "I'll Take You There," Contemporary Album for *Different Lifestyles*, and BeBe for Male Vocalist.

Three artists share the 5-award level; Bruce Carroll, Steven Curtis Chapman and Michael English.

Carroll's *Sometimes Miracles Hide*, appears three times; the album in Country Album, the song in Song of the Year, and in Country Recorded Song along with another song from the project, "I'd Rather See a Sermon." Lastly, he is on the list for Songwriter of the Year. Incidentally, Word has all five nominations in Country Recorded Song of the Year.

Steven Curtis Chapman is in the running for Songwriter as well, along with Male Vocalist (both of which he won last year), and *For the Sake of the Call* as Contemporary Album, Song of the Year, and Contemporary Recorded Song.

Newcomer Michael English scored in back to back categories with Contemporary Recorded Song, "Solid as the Rock," and Inspirational Recorded Song, "In Christ Alone." His self-titled debut album landed in Contemporary Album and English himself in Male Vocalist and New Artist of the Year.

Gospel's most recent crossover success, Michael W. Smith, was not forgotten by the gospel field. He's a finalist for Artist of the Year and Male Vocalist, as a creator of the musical *The Big Picture*, and as co-writer of Song of the Year nominee (and last year's Contemporary Recorded Song finalist) "Place in this World." His name appears, as well, in the Choral Collection category on the project, *The Michael W. Smith Collection*, but, since he is not a creator on that project, he is not eligible for a Dove.

Sandi Patti took her almost-permanent spot among the finalists in the Female Vocalist category, as well as nominations in Artist of the Year, Inspirational Recorded Song for "For All the World," and in Children's Music Album for *Open for Business*.

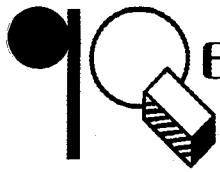
Wayne Watson received four nominations; two for "Home Free" as Song of the Year and Contemporary Recorded Song, and for Songwriter and Male Vocalist.

Amy Grant, although her album, *Heart in Motion* was ineligible because of a lack of a preponderance of gospel content, received three nominations; Artist of the Year, Female Vocalist and as co-writer of "Place in this World," a Song of the Year finalist. None of the eligible Recorded Song of the Year songs from *Heart in Motion* made it to the final ballot.

The nominees in the Long Form and Short Form Video categories, as well as Recorded Music Packaging of the Year, will be announced by GMA this week.

A chart appears on the front page which attributes all categories except Song of the Year to their representative distribution systems. Word comes out on top with 55 nominations (including 10 Reunion, two Homeland and one Meadowgreen). Sparrow follows with 40 (including nine Warner Alliance and two Integrity), then Star Song, surprisingly, comes in third with 24 (including two Fixit). Benson has 15 (including three ForeFront and one Maranatha!). ■

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Reunion ENTERTAINMENT GROUP THANKS **GMA, NARAS**, and their members for RECOGNIZING OUR ARTISTS ACCOMPLISHments with the following nominations

Michael W Smith

Artist of the YEAR • MALE VoCAList of The YEAR • SONG of tHE yEAR "PlaCe IN thIS wOrld" Amy Grant Michael W. Smith Wayne Kirkpatrick - Songwriters Age To Age Music O'Bryan Music Emily Boothe ★ **MUSICAL aLbum OF The YeAr, THE BIG PICTURE**; Michael W. Smith Andy Stanley and Robert Sterling - Creators. © **CONTEMPorary Black gosPel SoNg of THE year "I aM SuRe"** Michael W. Smith, Mike Hudson - Songwriters

Kathy Troccoli

SONG of the YEAR & CONTEMPORARY RECORDED SoNg of The Year "LoVe Was NeVer MeANT to diE" Kathy Troccoli and Jeff Franzel - Songwriters, Emily Boothe/Birdwins Publishing ▲ **CONTEMPORARY ALBUM of The YeAr "Pure ATTRACTION"** Bio Wake - Producer.

KIM hill

FEMALE VoCAList Of The YEAR ▲ GRAMMY noMINAted best Rock CONTEMPORARY gOsPeL aLbum "BrAvE HeArT" Brown Bannister and Wayne Kirkpatrick - Producers

Wayne Kirkpatrick

SongWRITer of The YeAr - song OF the Year

"PlaCe IN thIS wOrld" Amy Grant Michael W. Smith Wayne Kirkpatrick - Songwriters Age To Age Music O'Bryan Music Emily Boothe

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Rock album OF The Year "WithIN reAch" John & Dino Elefante - PRODUCERS

MIKE E

RAP ALbum Of The Year, "Mike E and the G-Rap crew" Mike-E, CeDRIC Caldwell, Jet Penix - Producers **RAP recorded sOnG of THE year "HouSin"** - Mike-E, Jet Penix - Producers

Keith Thomas

GramMY Nominated sOnG OF the YeAr "baBy baBy" Amy Grant and Keith Thomas - Songwriters, Age To Age Music, Edward Grant, Yellow Elephant Music ! **GraMMy nomiNated proDuCer OF the year**

the Archers

inSpirAtional sOnG of THE YeAr "I LOVE YOU LORD" Leahy TherMAN & GEDIF TherMAN - writers

CONGRATulations to ALL OF our DOve & GRAMMy awar-D NOMINEes!

1991 Dove Award Nominees

SONG OF THE YEAR

A Few Good Men; Barry Jennings, Suzanne Gaiher Jennings, writers: Townsend & Warbucks Music; ASCAP

Be the One; Al Denson, Don Koch, Dave Clark, writers; Paragon, John T. Benson, First Verse; ASCAP

Beyond Belief; Bob Hartman, writer; Pelsong Publishing; SESAC

For the Sake of the Call; Steven Curtis Chapman, writer; Sparrow Song, Careers-BMG Music Publishing, Greg Nelson Music; BMI

God Will Make a Way; Don Moen, writer; Integrity's Hosanna! Music; ASCAP

HomeFree; Wayne Watson, writer; Word Music, Material Music; ASCAP

I See You Standing; Twila Paris, writer; Ariose Music, Mountain Spring Music; ASCAP

Love Was Never Meant to Die; Kathy Troccoli, Jeff Franzel, writers; Emily Boothe, Inc.; BMI; BirdWing Publishing; ASCAP

Place in this World; Amy Grant, Michael W. Smith, Wayne Kirkpatrick, writers; Age To Age Music, O'Ryan Music, Emily Boothe, Inc.; ASCAP/BMI

Sometimes Miracles Hide; Bruce Carroll, C. Aaron Wilburn, writers; Word Music, Magnolia Hill Music; ASCAP

SONGWRITER OF THE YEAR

Bruce Carroll

Steven Curtis Chapman

Wayne Kirkpatrick

Twila Paris

Wayne Watson

MALE VOCALIST OF THE YEAR

Steven Curtis Chapman

Michael English

Michael W. Smith

Wayne Watson

BeBe Winans

FEMALE VOCALIST OF THE YEAR

Margaret Becker

Amy Grant

Kim Hill

Twila Paris

Sandi Patti

GROUP OF THE YEAR

BeBe & CeCe Winans

D C Talk

First Call

4 Him

Petra

White Heart

ARTIST OF THE YEAR

Amy Grant

Twila Paris

Sandi Patti

Michael W. Smith

BeBe & CeCe Winans

NEW ARTIST OF THE YEAR

Susan Ashton

Michael English

Novella

Rachel Rachel

Dick & Mel Tunney

RAP RECORDED SONG OF THE YEAR

Addicted To Jesus; Carman; Carman, Toby McKeethan, Joe Hogue; Benson Records

Housin'; Mike E; Mike-E, Jet; Reunion Records

I Luv Rap Music; D C Talk; Toby McKeethan, Jackie Gore; Yo! ForeFront

SpiritKeep Movin'; D.O.C.; Alton Hood, Rodney A. Gibson, Tedd T., Michael S. Brown; Star Song Records

The Blood; BeBe & CeCe Winans; B. Winans, Rhett Lawrence, D. Pitchford; Sparrow Records

METAL RECORDED SONG OF THE YEAR

Believe; Stryper; Michael Sweet; Hollywood Records

Everybody Knows My Name; Bride; Dale Thompson, Troy Thompson; Pure Metal Records

Never Say Goodbye; Guardian; J. Rowe, David Bach, Tony Palacios, John Elefante; Pakadern Records

No Second Chances; Whitecross; Scott Wenzel, Rex Carroll; Star Song Records

We Are Finding Who We Are; Kings X; Kings X; Megaforce/Atlantic Records

ROCK RECORDED SONG OF THE YEAR

Faded Blues; David Mullen; David Mullen, Dennis Matkasky; Myrrh Records

I Am On the Rock; Petra; Bob Hartman, John Elefante; DaySpring

Power House; White Heart; Mark Gersmehl, Billy Smiley, Mark Nemer, Anthony Sallee, Brian Wooten; Star Song Records

Simple House; Margaret Becker; Margaret Becker, Charlie Peacock; Sparrow Records

Some Kind of Wonderful; Mark Farner; J. Ellison; Frontline Records

CONTEMPORARY RECORDED SONG OF THE YEAR

Be the One; Al Denson; Al Denson, Don Koch, Dave Clark; Benson Records

For the Sake of the Call; Steven Curtis Chapman; Steven Curtis Chapman; Sparrow Records

Home Free; Wayne Watson; Wayne Watson; DaySpring Records

Love Was Never Meant to Die; Kathy Troccoli; Kathy Troccoli, Jeff Franzel; Reunion Records

Solid as the Rock; Michael English; Larry Bryant, Geoff Thurman; Warner Alliance

INSPIRATIONAL RECORDED SONG OF THE YEAR

For All the World; Sandi Patti; Greg Nelson, Bob Farrell; Word Records

How Beautiful; Twila Paris; Twila Paris; Star Song Records

I Love You, Lord; The Archers; Becky Thurman and Geoff Thurman; Reunion Records

In Christ Alone; Michael English; Shawn Craig,

Don Koch; Warner Alliance

Jesus is Alive; Ron Kenoly; Ron Kenoly; Hosanna! Music

We Believe; Steve Green; Nathan DiGesare, Dan Scott; Sparrow Records

SOUTHERN GOSPEL RECORDED SONG OF THE YEAR

Hallelujah Time; The Speers; Emma Pearl Moore; Homeland Records

He Will Come Back; Perfect Heart; Lanny Wolfe; Mark V Records

Temporary Home; The Gaiher Vocal Band; Scooter Simmons; Star Song Records

O, What a Savior; The Cathedrals; Marvin P. Dalton; Homeland Records

Where Could I Go?; Gaiher Vocal Band; James B. Coats; Star Song Records

Where Shadows Never Fall; Glen Campbell; Carl Jackson, Jim Weatherly; New Haven Records

COUNTRY RECORDED SONG OF THE YEAR

The Calm at the Center of My Storm; Paul Overstreet; Paul Overstreet, Don Schlitz; Word Records

I'd Rather See a Sermon; Bruce Carroll; Bruce Carroll, Tom Long, Dwight Liles; Word Records

Sometimes Miracles Hide; Bruce Carroll; Bruce Carroll, C. Aaron Wilburn; Word Records

Surely Goodness & Mercy; Buddy Green; John W. Peterson, Alfred B. Smith; Word Records

Tabernacle; Mid South Boys; Karla Worley, Brent Lamb; Word Records

CONTEMPORARY BLACK GOSPEL RECORDED SONG OF THE YEAR

Addictive Love; BeBe & CeCe Winans; Keith Thomas, Benjamin Winans, CeCe Winans; Sparrow Records

Any Day, Any Minute Now; Margaret Bell; Robert Sterling, Joe Hogue; Warner Alliance

I Am Sure; Deniece Williams; Michael W. Smith, Mike Hudson; Sparrow Records

I'll Take You There; BeBe & CeCe Winans; Alvertis Isbell; Sparrow Records

Mean What You Say; Witness; Michael A. Brooks; Fixit Records

TRADITIONAL BLACK GOSPEL RECORDED SONG OF THE YEAR

Golden Crown; Mom & Pop Winans; Norman Hutchins; Sparrow Records

Medley; Tramaine Hawkins; Walter Hawkins; Sparrow Records

Oh, The Blood; Christ Church Choir; Donnie Harper; Star Song Records

Testimony Medley; West Angeles C.O.G.I.C. Mass Choir & Congregation; Patrick Henderson, Bill Moss; Sparrow Records

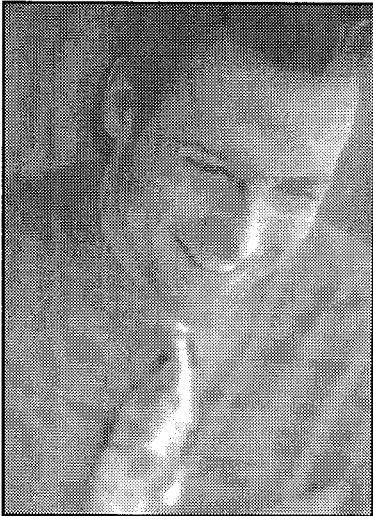
Through the Storm; Yolanda Adams; V.M. McKay; Tribute Records

Whose Report Will You Believe; West Angeles C.O.G.I.C. Mass Choir & Congregation; Becky Fender; Sparrow Records

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THANK YOU!

**Warner Alliance artists capture
9 Dove nominations!**



MICHAEL english

• **New Artist Of The Year** • **Male Vocalist Of The Year** • **Contemporary Album Of The Year** - *"Michael English"* • **Contemporary Recorded Song Of The Year** - *"Solid As The Rock"* • **Inspirational Recorded Song Of The Year** - *"In Christ Alone"*

Dick & Mel **TUNNEY**

• **New Artist Of The Year** • **Inspirational Album Of The Year** - *"Let The Dreamers Dream"*



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• **Contemporary Black Gospel Album Of The Year** - *"He Is Christmas"*



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• **Contemporary Black Gospel Recorded Song Of The Year** - *"Any Day Any Minute Now"*

Dove Award Nominees

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RAP ALBUM OF THE YEAR

Mike-E and The G-Rap Crew; Mike-E; Mike-E, Cedric Caldwell, Victor Caldwell, Producers; Reunion Records
Rhapsody; Stephen Wiley; Michael Brooks, Producer; Star Song Records
So How Ya Livin'?; D.O.C.; Tedd Tjornhom, Producer; Star Song Records
Stop! The Wild Hype; E.T.W.; Mark McCurdy, Producer; YO! Forefront Records
We R Here; True 4 U; Tim Miner, David Ebensberger, John Wirtz, Producers; Myrrh Records

METAL ALBUM OF THE YEAR

I Scream Sunday; One Bad Pig; Billy Smiley, Producer; Myrrh Records
In the Kingdom; Whitecross; Simon Hanhart, Producer; Star Song Records
Kinetic Faith; Bride; Steve Griffith, Producer; Pure Metal Records
One Big Sky; Novella; Plinky, Producer; Star Song Records
Psycho Surgery; Tourniquet; Bill Metoyer, Tourniquet, Producers; Intense Records

ROCK ALBUM OF THE YEAR

Faded Blues; David Mullen; Justin Niebank, Dennis Matkosky, David Mullen, Producers; Myrrh Records
Power House; White Heart; Bill Drescher, Producer; Star Song Records
Simple House; Margaret Becker; Charlie Peacock, Producer; Sparrow Records
Way to My Heart; Rachel Rachel; Billy Smiley, Producer; DaySpring Records
Within Reach; Rick Cua; John and Dino Elefante, Producers; Reunion Records

CONTEMPORARY ALBUM OF THE YEAR

Different Lifestyles; BeBe & CeCe Winans; Keith Thomas, Benjamin Winans, Rhett Lawrence, BeBe Winans, Producers; Sparrow Records
For the Sake of the Call; Steven Curtis Chapman; Phil Naish, Producer; Sparrow Records
Michael English; Michael English; Brown Bannister, Producer; Warner Alliance
Pure Attraction; Kathy Troccoli; Ric Wake, Producer; Reunion Records
Under Their Influence; Russ Taff; Russ Taff, James Hollihan, Jr., Producers; Myrrh Records

INSPIRATIONAL ALBUM OF THE YEAR

A World of Difference; Babbie Mason; Cheryl Rogers, Producer; Word Records
Another Child to Hold; Ray Boltz; Steve Millikan, Ray Boltz, Producers; Diadem Records
Larnelle Live... Psalms, Hymns & Spiritual Songs; Larnelle Harris; Lari Goss, Producer; Benson Records
Let the Dreamers Dream; Dick & Mel Tunney; Dick Tunney, Producer; Warner Alliance
We Believe; Steve Green; Greg Nelson, Producer; Sparrow Records

SOUTHERN GOSPEL ALBUM OF THE YEAR

A New Generation; The Nelons; Lari Goss, Producer; Word/Canaan Records
Answer the Call; Gold City; Garry Jones, Producer; RiverSong Records
Homecoming; The Gaither Vocal Band; Ken Mansfield, Gaither Vocal Band, Producers; Star Song Records
Once in a Lifetime; The Bishops; Eddie Crook, Producer; Morning Star Records
The Best of Times; The Cathedrals; Vic Clay, Producer; Homeland Records

COUNTRY ALBUM OF THE YEAR

Best Friend; Lulu Roman; Michael Sykes, Producer; Benson Records
Revival's in the Land Today; Walt Mills; Bobby All, Producer; Homeland Records
Shining Through; Jeff & Sheri Easter; Jeff and Sheri Easter, Producers; Benson Records
Shoulder to Shoulder; Mid South Boys; John Mays, Producer; Word Records
Sometimes Miracles Hide; Bruce Carroll; Brown Bannister, Tom Hemby, Producers; Word Records

CONTEMPORARY BLACK GOSPEL ALBUM OF THE YEAR

From the Beginning; Deniece Williams; Deniece Williams, Jay Gruska, Brad Westering, Steve Levine, Maurice White, Charles Stepney, Monte Moir, Thom Bell, Greg Mathieson, Producers; Sparrow Records
He Is Christmas; Take 6; Take 6, Producer; Warner Alliance
Look a Little Closer; Helen Baylor; John Bokowski, Helen Baylor, Producers; Word Records
Mean What You Say; Witness; Michael A. Brooks, Producer; Fixit Records
No One Loves Me Like You; Billy & Sarah Gaines; Joe Hogue, Producer; Benson Records

TRADITIONAL BLACK GOSPEL ALBUM OF THE YEAR

Above and Beyond; O'Landa Draper & Associates; produced by Sanchez Germain Harley, Producer; Word Records
For the Rest of My Life; Mom & Pop Winans; Patrick Henderson, Producer; Sparrow Records
Live; Dorothy Norwood and Northern California G.M.W.A. Mass Choir; Dorothy Norwood, James "Butch" Galloway, James Perry, Producers; Malaco Records
Saints in Praise Volume II; The West Angeles C.O.G.I.C. Mass Choir & Congregation; Patrick Henderson, Producer; Sparrow Records
Standing on the Promises; Candi Staton; John and Candi Sussewell, Producers; Beracah Records

INSTRUMENTAL ALBUM OF THE YEAR

Beyond Nature; Phil Keaggy; Phil Keaggy, Producer; Myrrh Records
Hope Instrumental; Various; Tom Brooks, Producer; Hosanna! Music

Love Knows; The Brentwood Jazz Quartet; Jack Jezzro, Producer; Brentwood Records
Majestic Peace; Dino; Bill George and Dino, Producers; Benson Records
Twila Paris Piano Classics; Dick Tunney; Dick Tunney, Producer; Star Song Records

PRAISE & WORSHIP ALBUM OF THE YEAR

Classic Hymns Volume II; Phil Driscoll; Phil Driscoll, Lari Goss, Producers; Word Records
Jesus Is Alive; Ron Kenoly; Tom Brooks, Producer; Hosanna! Music
Live With Friends; The Brooklyn Tabernacle Choir; Lari Goss, Producer; Word Records
Sanctuary; Twila Paris; Richard Souther, Producer; Star Song Records
Shakin' the House; Commissioned, Carman, Christ Church Choir; Dan Cleary, Producer; Benson Records

MUSICAL ALBUM OF THE YEAR

A Band of Shepherds; Creators: Russell Mauldin/Arranger and Kathie Hill; Benson
Embrace the Cross; Creators: Don Wytzen, Greg Nelson/Arrangers and Clair Cloninger; Word
The Big Picture; Creators: Robert Sterling/Arranger, Michael W. Smith and Andy Stanley; Word
The Gift; Creators: Dennis Allen/Arranger, Dave Williamson/Orchestrator and Nan Allen; Sparrow
The Song; Creators: David T. Clydesdale/Producer-Arranger and Karla Worley; Royal Tapestry

CHORAL COLLECTION ALBUM OF THE YEAR

Best of Friends; Creator: Steven V. Taylor/Producer-Arranger and Randy Cox/Creative Director; Meadowgreen
Carry the Light; The Masters Chorale; Creator: Tom Fettke; Lillenas
Revival in the Land; Creator: Mosie Lister; Lillenas
The Michael W. Smith Collection; Creator: Robert Sterling/Producer-Arranger and Dennis Worley/Executive Producer; Word
The Petra Collection; Creator: Gary Rhodes/Producer-Arranger; Word

CHILDREN'S MUSIC ALBUM OF THE YEAR

A Cappella Kids; The Maranatha! Kids; Creators: Clifford "Barney" Robertson/Producer-Arranger and Alex Mac Dougall/Executive Producer; Maranatha! Music
I'm a Helper; Creators: Don Moen/Producer and Rob Evans/Creative Consultant; Integrity Music Just for Kids
Lullabies to Dreamland; Deniece Williams; Creators: Jay Gruska, Deniece Williams/Producers and Jay Gruska/Arranger; Everland
Open for Business; Sandi Patti & The Friendship Company; Creators: Ron Krueger and Greg Nelson/Producers; Everland
Songs from the Beginner's Bible; Jodi Benson; Creators: Karyn Henley/Narration, Chris Harris, Don Wise/Producers; Sparrow

1992 HONOR ROLL

Dove Award Nominations

SONG OF THE YEAR

BEYOND BELIEF - BOB HARTMAN **HOME FREE** - WAYNE WATSON
SOMETIMES MIRACLES HIDE - BRUCE CARROLL

SONGWRITER OF THE YEAR

BRUCE CARROLL WAYNE WATSON

MALE VOCALIST OF THE YEAR

MICHAEL W. SMITH WAYNE WATSON

FEMALE VOCALIST OF THE YEAR

AMY GRANT KIM HILL SANDI PATTI

GROUP OF THE YEAR

FIRST CALL PETRA

ARTIST OF THE YEAR

AMY GRANT SANDI PATTI MICHAEL W. SMITH

NEW ARTIST OF THE YEAR

RACHEL RACHEL

RECORDED SONG OF THE YEAR

Housin - Mike E (RAP) **Never Say Goodbye** - Guardian (METAL) **Faded Blues** - David Mullen (ROCK) **I Am On the Rock** - Petra (ROCK) **Home Free** - Wayne Watson (CONTEMPORARY) **Love Was Never Meant to Die** - Kathy Troccoli (CONTEMPORARY) **For All the World** - Sandi Patti (INSPIRATIONAL) **Hallelujah Time** - The Speers (SOUTHERN GOSPEL) **Oh What a Savior** - The Cathedrals (SOUTHERN GOSPEL) **The Calm at the Center of My Storm** - Paul overstreet (COUNTRY) **I'd Rather See a Sermon** - Bruce Carroll (COUNTRY) **Sometimes Miracles Hide** - Bruce Carroll (COUNTRY) **Surely Goodness and Mercy** - Buddy Greene (COUNTRY) **Tabernacle** - Mid South (COUNTRY) **I Love You Lord** - The Archers (INSPIRATIONAL)

ALBUM OF THE YEAR

Mike-E and the G-Rap Crew - Mike -E (RAP) **We R Here** - True 4 U (RAP) **I Scream Sunday** - One Bad Pig (METAL) **Faded Blues** - David Mullen (ROCK) **Way to My Heart** - Rachel Rachel (ROCK) **Within Reach** - Rick Cua (ROCK) **Pure Attraction** - Kathy Troccoli (CONTEMPORARY) **Under Their Influence** - Russ Taff (CONTEMPORARY) **A World of Difference** - Babbie Mason (INSPIRATIONAL) **A New Generation** - The Nelons (SOUTHERN GOSPEL) **The Best of Times** - The Cathedrals (SOUTHERN GOSPEL) **Revival's in the Land Today** - Walt Mills (COUNTRY) **Shoulder to Shoulder** - Mid South (COUNTRY) **Sometimes Miracles Hide** - Bruce Carroll (COUNTRY) **Look a Little Closer** - Helen Baylor (CONTEMPORARY BLACK GOSPEL) **Above and Beyond** - O'landa Draper and Associates (TRADITIONAL BLACK GOSPEL) **Beyond Nature** - Phil Keaggy (INSTRUMENTAL) **Classic Hymns Volume II** - Phil Driscoll (PRAISE AND WORSHIP) **Live with Friends** - The Brooklyn Tabernacle Choir (PRAISE AND WORSHIP) **Embrace the Cross** - Claire Cloniger, Greg Nelson and Don Wrytzen (MUSICAL) **The Big Picture** - Michael W. Smith, Andy Stanley and Robert Sterling (MUSICAL) **The Michael W. Smith Collection** - Robert Sterling and Dennis Worley (CHORAL COLLECTION) **The Petra Collection** - Gary Rhodes (CHORAL COLLECTION) **Best of Friends** - Steven V. Taylor (CHORAL COLLECTION) **Lullabies to Dreamland** - Deniece Williams (CHILDREN'S MUSIC) **Open for Business** - Sandi Patti (CHILDREN'S MUSIC)

57 NOMINATIONS IN 28 CATAGORIES

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ADULT CONTEMPORARY

WO	LW	TW	TITLE	Artist — Label • Songwriter(s)	Pts	Chg	%On	%A	%H	%M	%L
✓ 6	2	• 1	HELP MYSELF TO YOU	Kathy Troccoli Reunion • Kathy Troccoli	84.24	8.16	92%	6%	73%	18%	0%
✓ 6	1	• 2	THE JOY OF THE LORD	Twila Paris Star Song • Twila Paris	83.16	0.46	92%	2%	73%	16%	2%
✓ 6	3	• 3	IT'S OK	BeBe & CeCe Winans Sparrow • Keith Thomas, Benjamin Winans	79.30	6.50	94%	4%	63%	22%	8%
✓ 6	5	• 4	SEED TO SOW	Michael W. Smith Reunion • Wayne Kirkpatrick, Michael W. Smith	73.44	4.01	82%	4%	61%	18%	2%
✓ 6	7	• 5	IN CHRIST ALONE	Michael English Warner Alliance • Shawn Craig, Don Koch	69.29	9.56	90%	8%	51%	24%	14%
✓ 11	4	• 6	SECRET PLACE	Mylon & Broken Heart Star Song • Scott Allen, Ben Hewitt, Mylon LeFevre	58.19	-11.57	65%	2%	45%	18%	2%
✓ 5	14	• 7	CALLING OUT YOUR NAME	Rich Mullins Reunion • Rich Mullins	57.21	8.12	80%	2%	29%	41%	10%
✓ 5	12	• 8	SATISFIED	Kim Hill Reunion • Wayne Kirkpatrick	56.18	6.95	76%	8%	37%	22%	16%
✓ 5	13	• 9	YOU REMAIN UNCHANGED	Margaret Becker Sparrow • Margaret Becker, David Martin	55.97	6.79	80%	8%	27%	41%	12%
✓ 6	17	• 10	WIPE A TEAR	O'landa Draper w/Russ Taff Word • Justin Peters, Chris Smith	54.95	6.94	71%	12%	37%	24%	10%
✓ 8	15	• 11	SAVIOUR'S DAY	Sheila Walsh Star Song • Chris Eaton	52.47	4.13	69%	8%	31%	29%	10%
✓ 11	6	• 12	WHEN HE SEES ME	Michele Pillar Urgent • J.L. Wallace	51.57	-8.93	61%	2%	39%	18%	4%
✓ 11	10	• 13	I FOUND SOMEONE	Billy & Sarah Gaines Benson • Billy Gaines, Joe Hogue	47.12	-5.25	57%	2%	41%	14%	2%
✓ 13	8	• 14	SOMETIMES MIRACLES HIDE	Bruce Carroll Word • Bruce Carroll, C. Aaron Wilburn	46.03	-13.56	57%	2%	35%	16%	6%
✓ 9	9	• 15	THE EVERLASTING	Geoff Moore & The Distance ForeFront • Geoff Moore, Phil Madeira	45.86	-6.65	61%	2%	29%	24%	8%
✓ 6	18	• 16	I NEED TO HEAR FROM YOU	Petra DaySpring • Bob Hartman	41.72	-2.47	57%	0%	27%	18%	12%
✓ 4	24	• 17	GUARD THE TRUST	Steve Camp Sparrow • Steve Camp, Rob Frazier	38.94	7.54	67%	4%	18%	24%	24%
✓ 6	20	• 18	CRISTO TE AMA	Rick Crawford Word • Rick Crawford	38.16	0.78	57%	2%	22%	20%	14%
✓ 11	11	• 19	MORNING LIGHT	Michael Omartian Myrrh • Michael Omartian, Michael Anderson	36.61	-13.89	49%	2%	22%	24%	2%
✓ 6	22	• 20	LIVING LIFE UPSIDE DOWN	Truth Benson • Gary Driskell, Karla Worley	35.99	3.40	45%	6%	20%	22%	2%
✓ 13	16	• 21	WHAT KIND OF JOY	Steven Curtis Chapman Sparrow • Steven Curtis Chapman	34.34	-13.85	43%	4%	29%	8%	6%
✓ 4	26	• 22	THRONE OF GRACE	Michael James Reunion • John Mallory	33.73	6.03	59%	14%	14%	14%	31%
✓ 4	28	• 23	ANOTHER MAN	Wes King Reunion • Wes King	31.37	6.77	59%	16%	8%	29%	22%
✓ 13	21	• 24	JUST NEVER SAY IT ENOUGH	Wayne Watson DaySpring • Wayne Watson	30.79	-5.08	35%	2%	22%	10%	2%
✓ 2	33	• 25	WEARY BY NOW	Ron David Moore Warner Alliance • Ron David Moore, Chuck E. Leonard	28.94	10.32	51%	18%	10%	18%	22%
✓ 6	25	• 26	UNTO THE LEAST OF THESE	Bob Bennett Urgent • Bob Bennett, Phillip Sandifer	25.56	-5.21	35%	2%	14%	8%	12%
✓ 6	31	• 27	A WORLD OF DIFFERENCE	Babbie Mason Word • Babbie Mason, Cheryl Rogers	25.24	2.61	37%	4%	14%	14%	8%
✓ 6	30	• 28	CREATOR	Scott Wesley Brown Word • Scott Wesley Brown, Tom Wanca, Dwight Liles	24.90	1.99	41%	2%	8%	24%	8%
✓ 15	19	• 29	I'M PRAYIN' FOR YOU	Dick & Mel Tunney Warner Alliance • Dick Tunney, Melodie Tunney	24.65	-14.47	37%	4%	16%	6%	14%
✓ 3	34	• 30	HOLDING ON TO YOU	Margaret Bell Warner Alliance • Dawn Thomas, Benjamin Winans	23.85	5.99	45%	12%	2%	20%	22%
✓ 13	23	• 31	IN AMAZING GRACE LAND	Susan Ashton Sparrow • Wayne Kirkpatrick, Phil Madeira	23.72	-8.13	31%	2%	22%	4%	4%
✓ —	—	• 32	BALL AND CHAIN	Susan Ashton Sparrow • Susan Ashton, Phil Madeira	21.24	15.55	43%	33%	0%	14%	29%
✓ —	—	• 33	CARRY YOUR HEART TO ME	The Imperials Star Song • J. Lindsey, R. Ham	19.85	10.61	39%	16%	4%	14%	20%
✓ 9	27	• 34	FEELING OF YOUR LOVE	Eric Champion Myrrh • Eric Champion	19.70	-5.53	31%	0%	12%	10%	8%
✓ —	—	• 35	CHAIN OF GRACE	Dallas Holm Benson • Jeff Silvey, Billy Simon	19.39	12.46	43%	29%	0%	16%	27%
✓ 3	35	• 36	THERE STANDS THE CROSS	Bash Star Song • John Felt, Gary Driskell	18.00	1.82	33%	6%	8%	12%	12%
✓ 9	29	• 37	REMEMBER THIS	Out of the Grey Sparrow • Scott Dente, Christine Dente, Charlie Peacock	17.68	-5.70	24%	2%	8%	14%	2%
✓ 2	37	• 38	PERSONAL REVOLUTION	Charlie Peacock Sparrow • Charlie Peacock	15.84	0.90	33%	4%	2%	14%	16%
✓ —	—	• 39	MY FREEDOM	Lisa Bevil Vireo • Mark Heimermann, Wayne Kirkpatrick	12.94	11.70	31%	27%	0%	6%	24%
✓ 13	32	• 40	BEST OF FRIENDS	Sandi Patti Everland • Dave Clark, Russell Mauldin	12.17	-10.30	24%	2%	4%	6%	14%