

THE *CCM* UPDATE

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Chapman Leads Dove Award Nominees... Again

Steven Curtis Chapman has done it again as he walked away from the recent Gospel Music Association press conference with seven Dove Award nominations for the second year in a row. The GMA announced the nominees for the Silver Anniversary of the Dove Awards during a press conference February 14 at the Stouffer Hotel in Nashville. Representing the GMA in making the announcements were Chapman, who was '93's Artist of the Year, reigning Female Vocalist of the Year Twila Paris and 1993's New Artist of the Year Cindy Morgan.

DC Talk, Wes King, Michael English and songwriter/producer Greg Nelson followed closely behind Chapman with six nominations each while 4HIM, Wayne Watson and songwriter/producers Don Koch and Phil Naish closed out the front-runners with five nominations apiece. DC



Pictured at a Nashville press conference to present the nominees for the 25th Annual Dove Awards are (l-r) GMA Executive Director Bruce Koblish; GMA President John Styll; Twila Paris; Steven Curtis Chapman; Cindy Morgan; Robert Gordon, Gordon Television Group; and GMA Chairman of the Board Elwyn Raymer.

photo by Paul Wharton

Talk and 4HIM (whose nominations included Group of the Year with Petra, Out of the Grey and NewSong) joined Chapman in the Artist of the Year category which was rounded out by Michael English and Michael W. Smith. One new category was introduced this year for Producer of the Year with Brown Bannister, Wayne Kirkpatrick, Paul Mills, Greg Nelson and Charlie Peacock named as the first group of nominees.

Invitations for Dove Award performers and presenters have been sent out and announcements regarding artists involved should be forthcoming. Rap Album of the Year will not be presented this year due to an insufficient number of entries.

The Dove Awards will air live from Nashville's Grand Ole Opry on The Family Channel April 28 8-10 p.m. EST following a pre-recorded one hour special on the history of gospel music. Robert Gordon of Gordon Television Group will produce the live telecast while CBN (The 700 Club) will produce the one-hour special. Amy Grant will be hosting the live telecast of the Dove Awards.

The Dove Awards are voted on by approximately 3000+ members of the GMA which is currently celebrating its 30th year of furthering the growth of gospel music. Its membership represents all facets of the industry including radio, record labels, television, promoters, talent agents and publishers. For more information on GMA membership, call 615/242-0303.

The CCM 25

"Say the Name"

Margaret Becker • Sparrow

Adult Contemporary

"I Surrender All"

Clay Crosse • Reunion

Inspirational

"A Beautiful Place"

Wayne Watson • DaySpring

Christian Hit Radio

"Marks of the Cross"

Petra • DaySpring

Rock

"The Lament of Desmond R.G.

Underwood-Fredrick IV"

Steve Taylor • Warner Alliance

The following is a complete list of all nominees:

Song of the Year

"Song title;" Writers; Publishers (Performance Rights Organization)

"Give It Away;" Michael W. Smith, Wayne Kirkpatrick, Amy Grant; O'Ryan Music, Age to Age Music, Emily Boothe Music (ASCAP), Magic Beans Music (BMI)

"Go There With You;" Steven Curtis Chapman; Careers-BMG Music, Sparrow Song, Peach Hill Songs (BMI)

"Hand on My Shoulder;" Greg Nelson, Bob Farrell; Gentle Ben Music, DaySpring Music (BMI), Summerdown Music, Steadfast Music (ASCAP)

"Hold Me, Jesus;" Rich Mullins; Edward Grant Music (ASCAP)

"Holding Out Hope to You;" Joe Beck, Brian White, David Wills; Paragon Music, Famous Music, Scardia Music (ASCAP)

"If You Could See Me Now;" Kim Noblitt; Integrity's Praise! Music, Dad & Dann Music

"In Christ Alone;" Shawn Craig, Don Koch; Paragon Music (ASCAP)

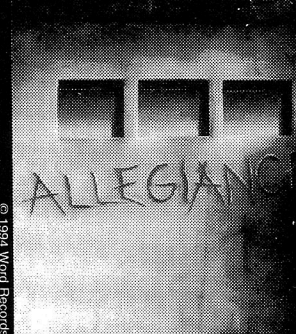
"The Basics of Life;" Mark Harris, Don Koch; Paragon Music, A-Knock-for-This-Music, Point Clear Music (ASCAP)

"The Robe;" Wes King, Phil Naish; Emily Boothe Music, Careers-BMI Music (BMI), DaVaub Music (ASCAP)

"We Believe in God;" Amy Grant, Wes King; Age to Age Music (ASCAP), Locally Owned Music (BMI)

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Out and About...

- **ASCAP President Morton Gould** announced his plans to retire from the position Feb. 16, at the society's General West Coast Membership Meeting. Gould, who has served as president for the past eight years, said he would stay on with the organization to assist in assuring a smooth transition....
- **Amy Grant's** barn loft was the site of an all-star event last week, filming a finale piece for the upcoming movie *Maverick* (co-starring James Garner and Mel Gibson), and recording the actors, along with more than 20 country music stars, singing "Amazing Grace." The song, produced by Michael Omartian, will be included on a 12-song soundtrack, with all of the artists donating their royalties to the Pediatric AIDS Foundation....

Dove Nominees

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Songwriter of the Year

Margaret Becker, Steven Curtis Chapman, Don Koch, Twila Paris, Wayne Watson

Male Vocalist of the Year

Steven Curtis Chapman, Bryan Duncan, Michael English, Larnelle Harris, Wayne Watson

Female Vocalist of the Year

Susan Ashton, Margaret Becker, Babbie Mason, Cindy Morgan, Twila Paris

Group of the Year

4HIM, DC Talk, NewSong, Out of the Grey, Petra

Artist of the Year

4HIM, Steven Curtis Chapman, DC Talk, Michael English, Michael W. Smith

New Artist of the Year

Keith Brown, Bob Carlisle, Ashley Cleveland, Susie Luchsinger, Point of Grace, Pam Thum

A tie necessitated six nominees in this category.

Producer of the Year

Brown Bannister, Wayne Kirkpatrick, Paul Mills, Greg Nelson, Charlie Peacock

Recorded Song of the Year

"Song title," Album title; Artist; Writers; Label

Rap Recorded Song of the Year

"Get Up, Get Down," No Room 2 Breathe; Dynamic Twins; Robbie Arhurton, Noel Arhurton; Brainstorm Artists

"Socially Acceptable," Free at Last; DC Talk; Toby McKeethan, Mark Heimemann; ForeFront

"Stay Together," Let's Stay Together; ETW; ETW; ForeFront

"The Hip Hop Body Slam Hard Rock Holy Spirit Jam,"

Pullin' No Punches; Disciples of Christ (D.O.C.); D.O.C., Drac, Tedd T.; Star Song

"Who's in the House," The Standard; Carman; Carman, Michael-Anthony Taylor; Sparrow

Metal Recorded Song of the Year

"Dancing on a Volcano," Tamplin; Ken Tamplin; Ken Tamplin; Benson

"Dead End Drive," Last Train; Holy Soldier; Cramer, Patrick, Robbins, Russell, Soderstrom, Zaffiro; Myrrh

"Enshrined," Mindwarp; Brainchild; Scott Albert, Doug Mann; R.E.X.

"Psychedelik Super Jesus," Snakes in the Playground; Bride; Troy Thompson, Dale Thompson, Jerry McBroom, Rik Foley; Star Song

"Testify," Tamplin; Ken Tamplin; Ken Tamplin; Benson

"You're My Lord," To the Limit- The Best of Whitecross; Whitecross; Rex Carrol, Scott Wenzel; Star Song

A tie necessitated six nominees in this category.

Rock Recorded Song of the Year

"Bannerman," Squint; Steve Taylor; Steve Taylor; Warner Alliance

"Evolution... Redefined," Evolution; Geoff Moore & The Distance; Geoff Moore, Phil Madeira; ForeFront

"Jesus is Just Alright," Free at Last; DC Talk; Arthur Reynolds; ForeFront

"Midnight Oil," Wake-Up Call; Petra; Bob Hartman; DaySpring

"The World I See in You," Soul; Margaret Becker; Margaret Becker, Charlie Peacock; Sparrow

Contemporary Recorded Song of the Year

"A Beautiful Place," A Beautiful Place; Wayne Watson; Wayne Watson; DaySpring

"Favorite Song of All," Phillips, Craig & Dean; Phillips, Craig & Dean; Dan Dean; Star Song

"Go There With You," The Great Adventure; Steven Curtis Chapman; Steven Curtis Chapman; Sparrow

"Hold Me Jesus," A Liturgy, A Legacy and a Ragamuffin Band; Rich Mullins; Rich Mullins; Reunion

"I Believe," The Robe; Wes King; Wes and Fran King; Reunion

Inspirational Recorded Song of the Year

"Hand on My Shoulder," Le Voyage; Sandi Patti; Greg Nelson, Bob Farrell; Word

"Holding Out Hope to You," Hope; Michael English; Joe Beck, Brian White, David Wills; Warner Alliance

"Serve the Lord," Absolute Best; Carman; Carman; Sparrow

"The Robe," The Robe; Wes King; Wes King, Phil Naish; Reunion

"We Believe in God," Songs From the Loft; Amy Grant; Amy Grant, Wes King; Reunion

Southern Gospel Recorded Song of the Year

"He Still Reigns," He Still Reigns; The Speer Family; Terry Harper; Homeland

"It's Not What's Over the Door," Campmeeting Live; The Cathedral Quartet; Squire Parsons; Canaan

"Satisfied," Southern Classics; The Gaiher Vocal Band; Public Domain; Benson

"We've Got to Get America Back to God," Kelly Nelon

Thompson & The Nelons; Kelly Nelon Thompson & The Nelons; Jerry Thompson; RiverSong

"What a Change," Kelly Nelon Thompson & The

Nelons; Kelly Nelon Thompson & The Nelons; Bill Henry, Rex Nelon; RiverSong

Country Recorded Song of the Year

"Answer to Prayer," Walk On; Bruce Carroll; Bruce Carroll, Paul Smith; Word

"He's Knockin'," Stranger; Andy Landis; Andy Landis, Chuck Cannon; Star Song

"I Saw Him in Your Eyes," Real Love; Susie Luchsinger; Billy Aerts, Claire Cloninger, Paul Overstreet; Integrity

"Peace of the Rock," Peace of the Rock; Gaiher Vocal Band; Bruce Carroll, Dwight Liles, Michael Puryear; Star Song

"There But for the Grace of God," Love is Strong; Paul Overstreet; Paul Overstreet, Taylor Dunn; Word

Traditional Black Gospel Recorded Song of the Year

"Clean Inside," Live in Toronto; Hezekiah Walker; Hezekiah Walker; Benson

"He's Able," Live; Richard Smallwood Singers; Richard Smallwood; Sparrow

"He's God," If You Love Me; Edwin Hawkins; Edwin Hawkins; Fixit Records

"Love Makes Me an Instrument," Sunday Drivin'; Ben Tankard; Ben Tankard, Cedric Dent, David Thomas, Alvin Chea; Tribute

"Sold Out," Start All Over; Helen Baylor; Helen Baylor, Logan Reynolds; Word

Contemporary Black Gospel Recorded Song of the Year

"In the Shelter," Live; Richard Smallwood Singers; Richard Smallwood; Sparrow

"Stand Still," Stand Still; Shirley Caesar; Shirley Caesar, John P. Kee; Word

"The Battle is the Lord's," Save the World; Yolanda Adams; Ben Tankard, Cedric Dent, David Thomas, Alvin Chea; Tribute

"Why We Sing," Kirk Franklin; Kirk Franklin; Kirk Franklin; GospoCentric

"Your Grace and Mercy," It Remains to Be Seen; Mississippi Mass Choir; Franklin Williams; Malaco

Album of the Year

Album title; Artist; Producers; Label

Metal Album of the Year

Dimensions; Believer; The Trauma Team with Ted Hermanson; R.E.X.

Fathom; Mortal; Terry Taylor; Intense

Killed by Cain; Killed by Cain; Dale Thompson; R.E.X.

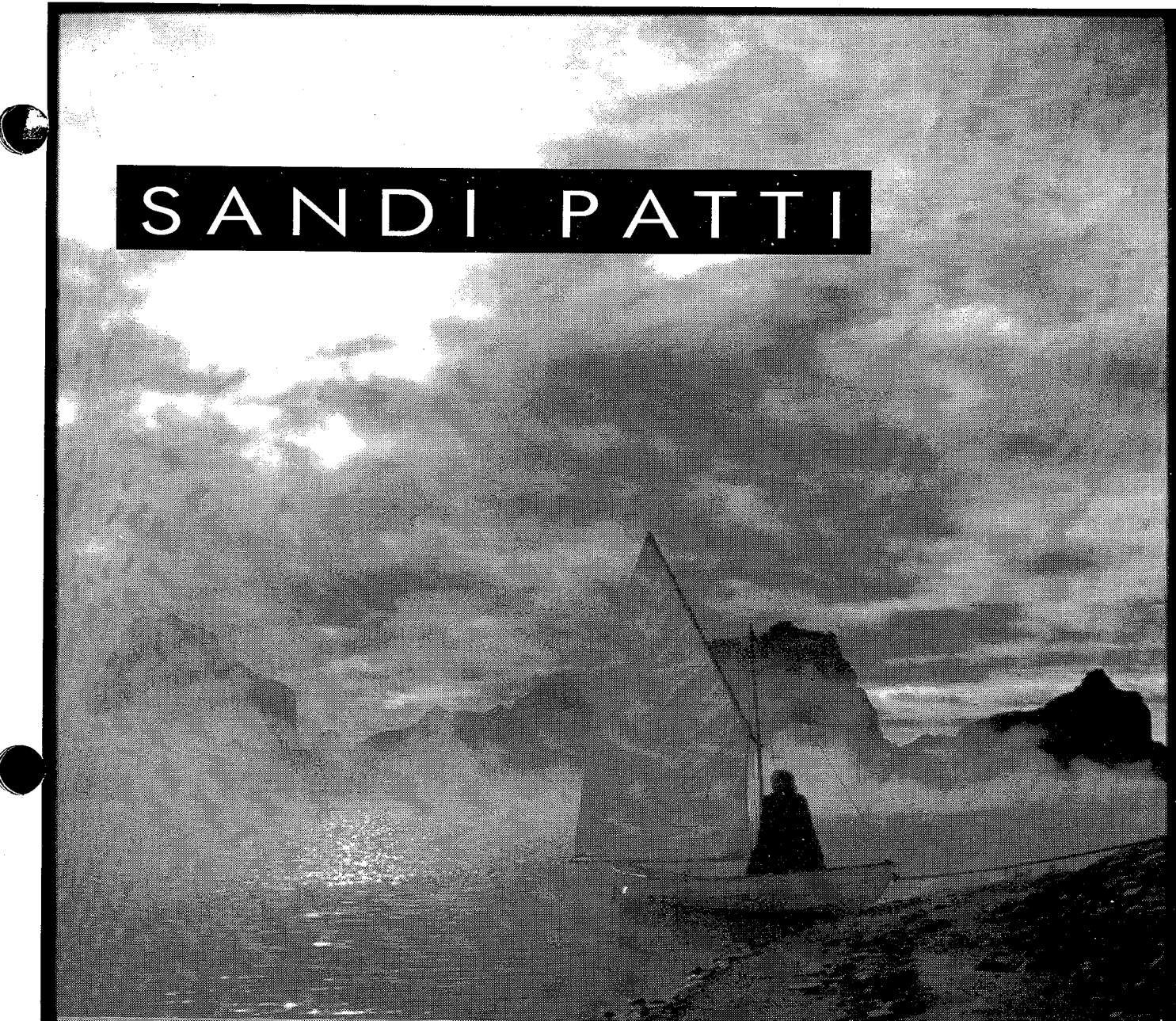
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CCM COMMUNICATIONS



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Grammy Award Nomination

Best Pop/Contemporary Gospel Album: *Le Voyage*

Dove Award Nomination

Song of the Year: "Hand On My Shoulder"

Inspirational Album of the Year: *Le Voyage*

Inspirational Recorded Song of the Year: "Hand On My Shoulder"

Short Form Music Video of the Year: "Hand On My Shoulder"

Le Voyage continues with the new singles "Home Will Find You" (duet with John Elefante) and "Little Narrow Gate."

Le Voyage produced by Greg Nelson

Video produced by Stephen Yake and Jack Clark

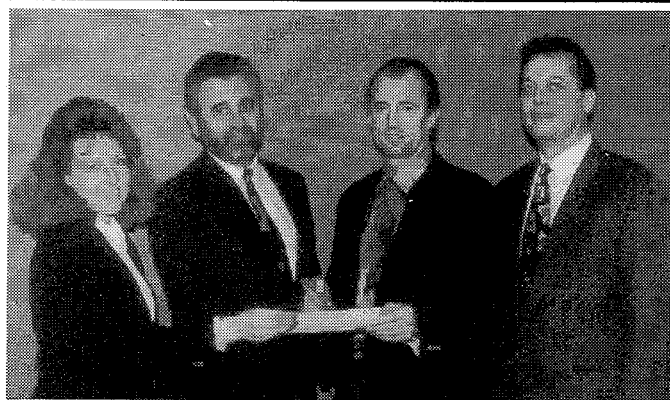
"Hand On My Shoulder" written by Greg Nelson and Bob Farrell



THE CCM UPDATE GALLERY



OF PRESIDENTS AND KINGS—The **Richard Smallwood Singers** were recently invited to perform at a reception hosted by the **President and Mrs. Clinton** at the White House in honor of **Martin Luther King Day**. Pictured (l-r) are **Richard Smallwood**, **Carolene Evans**, **Darlene Simmons**, President and Mrs. Clinton, **Lisa Allen**, **Dennis Sawyers** and **Jackie Ruffin**.



VISION FOR THE WORLD—**World Vision** recently received a donation of \$50,000 from 1993's **Young Messiah Tour**, a contribution which will provide in excess of 100,000 meals through World Vision. Pictured (l-r) are **Kris Thompson**, World Vision artist relations manager; **Marty Lonsdale**, World Vision senior director of marketing; YMT producer **Norman Miller**; and YMT promoter **Jim Holt**.



GOLDEN GAITHER—**Bill Gaither** was recently honored for his production of two Gold videos, *Homecoming* and *Reunion—A Gospel Homecoming Celebration*. Pictured (l-r) are **Stan Moser**, CEO, Star Song; **Meg Bayless**, office of the mayor; **Ed Harper**, Harper and Associates; Gaither; **Darrell Harris**, president, Star Song; **George Yowell**, Nashville Chamber of Commerce.



PEOPLE OF PRAISE—**Charlie Peacock** and company recently took the stage at **CBA Expo '94** in Nashville to share songs from the recent Sparrow project *Coram Deo II: People of Praise* and its predecessor, *Coram Deo*. Pictured (l-r) are **Peacock**, **Margaret Becker**, **Michael Card**, and Out of the Grey's **Christine** and **Scott Denté**.



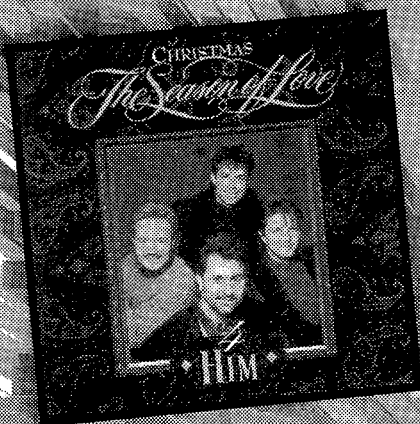
TELETHON TIME—**Andy Landis** and **Brian Barrett** recently performed at the Nashville broadcast of the **Cerebral Palsy Telethon** in a time slot sponsored by the Gospel Music Association. Pictured (l-r) are Barrett, Landis and GMA Executive Director **Bruce Koblish**.



ROCKIN' 'ROUND THE CLOCK—"CCM-TV" recently spent two days of noon to midnight shoots to produce videos in an acoustic setting for more than 30 Christian artists. Many of the videos will be broadcast on future episodes of "CCM-TV" which is televised nationally on **The Family Channel** each Saturday at midnight eastern and pacific. Pictured backstage (l-r) are **Wayne Watson**, **Geoff Moore**, "CCM-TV" producer **Steve Gilreath**, and **Bryan Duncan**.

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MUSIC GROUP

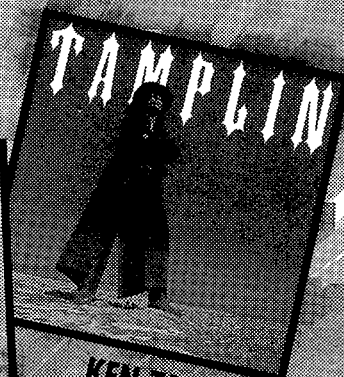
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4HIM
Artist of the Year
Group of the Year
Song of the Year
Inspirational Album
Short Form Video
Long Form Video



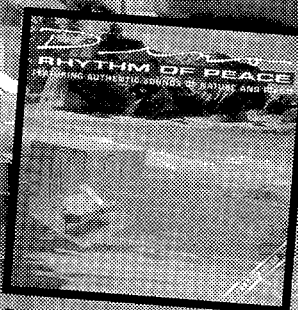
PAM THUM
New Artist of the Year



KEN TAMPLIN
Metal Album & Metal Song



LARNELLE
Male Vocalist



DINO
Instrumental Album



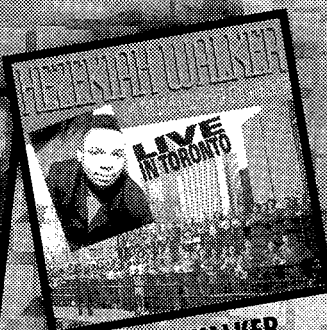
BILLY & SARAH GAINES
Contemporary Black Gospel Album



AL DENSON
Choral Collection



GAITHER VOCAL BAND
Southern Gospel Album
Southern Gospel Song



HEZEKIAH WALKER
Contemporary Black Gospel Album
Contemporary Black Gospel Recorded Song



NEWSONG
Group of the Year



KELLY NELSON THOMPSON & THE NELSONS
Southern Gospel Album
Southern Gospel Recorded Song



DAWN OF REDEEMING GRACE
Dove Clark & Russell
Hendlin, Sue Smith
Musical



MARK HARRIS & DON KOCH
Song of the Year

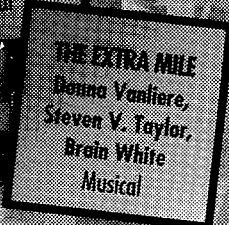


DON KOCH
Songwriter of the Year
Song of the Year

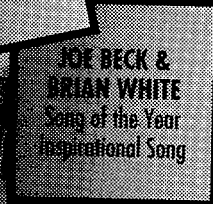
**JEFF & SHERI
EASTER**
Country Album



GOLD CITY
Southern Gospel Album



THE EXTRA MILE
Donna Vanliere,
Steven V. Taylor,
Brian White
Musical



JOE BECK & BRIAN WHITE
Song of the Year
Inspirational Song



THE CCM UPDATE ALBUM REVIEWS

Top Ten

Michael Card *Joy in the Journey/10 Years of Greatest Hits* Sparrow



Amy Grant's 1982 rendition of Card's "El Shaddai" introduced most folks to this biblical scholar and budding songwriter. But since then, this captivating storyteller has stood in no one's shadow, as evidenced by the classics amassed here, such as the title track, "Known By the Scars," "The Final Word," "That's What Faith Must Be," "Heal the Land" and the sure-to-be-hit, "Chorus of Faith." A superb overview of an artist of uncommon integrity.

Out of the Grey *Diamond Days* Sparrow



Although counting themselves a pop group, Scott & Christine Denté (and mentor Charlie Peacock) continue to sprinkle intriguing twists and turns throughout the duo's albums. Christine's voice floats over the crisp acoustic and shimmering electric guitar parts of Scott and Jerry McPherson, while the couple weaves intricate background vocals around Christine's confident lead lines. With this excellent release, the Dentés continue to redefine the standards of Christian pop.

Russ Taff *We Will Stand/Yesterday and Today* Myrrh



It's difficult to appreciate the depth and breadth of an artist's talent until you see so many terrific songs side-by-side. This 14-song collection includes two of Taff's signature songs with the Imperials ("Praise the Lord," "Trumpet of Jesus"), tracks from all but his last solo album (including "Not Gonna Bow," "Here I Am," "Walk Between the Lines" and "I Cry"), plus the previously unreleased "Your Love Stays With Me," his current single.

On the Chart

*** Eric Champion *Vertical Reality* Myrrh**

Champion has fashioned a "science fantasy" concept album, where the "Orphans of the under-grid" use their computer hacking skills to escape the grip of "Govtrol" and embark on a search for the true God. Champion's terrific songs and Tommy Sims' production make this one of the most accessible techno-based albums to date. Sales could go through the roof, with imaginative promotion, especially to the 13-30 year old crowd.

Charlie Daniels *The Door* Sparrow

Yes, it's the "Long-Haired Country Boy" himself, cutting the first gospel album of his 30-year career. But this isn't "The Old Rugged Cross;" it's, pure Southern rock, complete with slide guitar, Hammond B-3 organ, bluesy piano, and Charlie's trademark fiddle. Add to that a set of lyrics that emphasize Daniels' long-held faith, and you've got a great "debut" from one of the best "new" gospel artists of '94!

Also Received

The Crossing *Dancing at the Crossroads* Storyville/Grrr

R.E.X. distribution finally gives this Chicago-based Celtic/folk band the national stage it deserves (following two self-

produced indie cassettes). Tony Krough and Pat Peterson shine as lyricists, while the entire ensemble picks with fire and finesse on a number of traditional and original instrumentals. You don't have to be Irish (or love acoustic music, for that matter) to appreciate this finely-crafted album.

Nicholas Giaconia *Center of the Earth* Storyville/R.E.X.

You might call Nick an "alternative folk" artist; he mixes a folk storyteller's direct approach with a wry, humorous twist more indicative of modern pop. Giaconia builds his music on an acoustic base, accenting several songs with chiming Beatle/Byrds-style guitars. Though his delivery is subdued, it's no less compelling.

Jeff Johnson & Brian Dunning *Songs From Albion II* R.E.X. pop•u•li

Now receiving national distribution, this soundtrack for the second installment of Stephen Lawhead's allegorical trilogy contains a pronounced Celtic flavor; the presence of fiddle and uilleann pipes emphasize that direction. Also incorporated are progressive rock influences (Moody Blues, Jethro Tull) which help keep the album consistently gripping.

Mercy Miles *Mercy Miles Storyville/R.E.X.*

Accomplished Southern California folkies Glenda Hoffman and Brad Coleman build on their acoustic base with subtle rock and country overtones, even occasionally tossing in a slight Celtic reference. That makes very pleasant and complimentary support for Brad's literate yet transparent lyrics.

Various Artists *God's Promises*

(Scripture Memory Songs) Integrity
We all need to have our elementary lessons reinforced now and then, and this title does just that. There's a nice mix of contemporary pop, cool ballads and a twinge of country as the vocalists remind us of what God has made us and what God has given us through Christ. As always, the Scriptures within the songs and the reference card are invaluable.

VIDEOS

Top Ten

Michael Sweet *Limited Edition Collectors Video* Benson Videos



Two years after his departure from Stryper, Sweet offers revealing comments about that ground-breaking band, some insights on his new music, and two clips illustrating that music. The video lists for \$5.95, and is only \$4.00 with the purchase of Sweet's album. If customers buy the video first, it includes a coupon for \$4.00 towards the album's purchase.

On the Chart

Bryan Duncan *Mercy Alive!* Word Visual Audio

Duncan's boundless energy and crowd pleasing voice (and looks) are tailor made for a concert video. This collection captures Bryan and his band with special guests Anointed at Holland's Flevo Festival, offering several of Bryan's best tunes, including "Love Takes Time," "Mercy Me," "When It Come to Love" and the previously unreleased "Somebody Loves You." Duncan's candid off-stage comments make this package even more enjoyable.

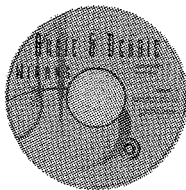
—Reviewed by Bruce A. Brown

Product reviews are intended to provide retailers with advance information about new releases. "Top 10" and "On The Chart" are albums and videos which *The CCM Update* predicts will reach those respective levels on the sales chart. *Critics Choice: Albums that, in the reviewer's estimation, are artistically exceptional and worthy of attention, irrespective of their chart potential. Send all product for review, in advance of its retail release date, to: Bruce Brown, 6829 Cottingham Lane, Centerville, VA 22020. All product should be received two weeks before issue date for editorial consideration.

THE CCM UPDATE SINGLE REVIEWS

Top Five

"Simply a Fanatic" Angie & Debbie Frontline



The title sums it up nicely. Play this one once, and your listeners will become fanatical about hearing it again and again. This is high-energy hip-hop from the youngest of the talented Winans clan and is certain to light up the phones at CHRs and even some aggressive ACs. **CHR/AC**

"Revolution" Imagine This ERG



Get to know the name, 'cause these guys are going to be a fixture on the top of the charts in the near future. Imagine This' unique brand of funk rock is not only well-executed but also a breath of fresh air for Christian rock radio. **Rock**

"I Will Be Free" Cindy Morgan Word



Cindy opens her soul in this heart-warming ballad that speaks of the freedom we experience through Christ. What can you say about this lady's voice that hasn't already been said? It's a certain heavy rotation tune for AC and INSP stations. **AC/INSP**

"Picture Me in Paradise" Cindy Morgan Word



Another funky number from one of Christian music's hottest voice. A track thick with layers of instrumentation provides a very suitable back-drop for Morgan's soaring vocals. CHR should gladly give this one a great deal of exposure. Two versions have been provided; one with an edited intro, and the original album track. **CHR**

"From This Moment On" NewSong Benson



Billy Goodwin's airy lead vocal floats effortlessly over a tender, string-laden track in the early moments of this emotive ballad from the Atlanta-based foursome. As the song builds in intensity, Eddie Middleton's powerful voice takes over and crescendos into a powerful bridge and final chorus. The song structure is typical of most power-ballads, but works very well in communicating the message of God's unending faithfulness. Look for top 10 AC peaks and a strong showing at Inspirational stations as well. **AC/INSP**

"Jesus Will Still Be There" Point of Grace Word



Take four great singers, give them great songs and what do you get? Two number one singles (so far), and a good shot at a third with this selection from their debut project. "Jesus Will Still Be There" is as radio-friendly a song as you'll find anywhere. Heavy rotation in less than four weeks, with incredible staying power. **AC/INSP**

"The One I've Been Waiting For" Out of the Grey Sparrow



Scott & Christine Dente have taken their craft to the next level with their latest, *Diamond Days*. Quite possibly their most AC-accessible cut to-date the lead single promises to find top five peaks in the near future. **AC/CHR**

On the Chart

**"America Again" Carman Sparrow

Programmers will have to resist the temptation to pigeon-hole this single as a Carman "novelty" song. While it isn't structured like most singles, there is a tremendous message contained in the words, and the delivery is quite effective. This will be a highly requested song and will probably burn more quickly than most singles, but it's a message that needs to be heard and Christian radio is its best vehicle for communication. **AC/INSP**

"Beneath the Cross Medley" Glad Benson

Ed Nalle and the boys dish out a medley of some well-known hymns; quite appropriate with the Easter season approaching. The acappella performance is quite good and will no doubt find a home on many Inspirational stations. **INSP**

**"Bright Side of the Blues" Larry Howard ForeFront

The blues never sounded so good. Howard's vocal performance spearheads an all-around top-notch recording. While it's a departure from traditional radio fare, it's well worth the trip. **AC/CHR**

"Word to the World" Imagine This ERG

Here's a new name for you to add to your playlist. While most of the project leans toward rock, this particular song can work well within the AC format. The lead vocal is a bit less polished than many, but the hook in the chorus is strong and the mix is well-rounded. More aggressive AC's will find a place for it, and it's a shoe-in for good CHR play. **CHR/AC**

"Treasure" Iona ForeFront

Our friends from the UK return to the airwaves with a real "Treasure." Lush production, unique instrumentation and an earthy lead vocal make for an immensely pleasurable listening experience. Unfortunately, it's still not quite as accessible as most stations prefer and will take PDs with vision to make it a top 10 hit at AC radio. **CHR/AC**

"Once and for All" Pam Thum Benson

Hearing this young lady sing this song, it's easy to understand why she's one of the hottest new artists in Christian music. Here's a singer that lives and breathes what she sings. The lyrical content of this tune is also quite appropriate as we move toward Easter. **INSP/AC**

"Mighty River" Jerry Williams & Harvest Benson

The tune opens with just a piano and small choir singing the chorus, and then breaks into a bright, acoustic variation of the theme. Williams lead vocal is smooth as ever and quite recognizable to anyone familiar with his work. This is a good selection for both AC and Inspirational formats. **AC/INSP**

VIDEO

"Jesus Will Still Be There" Point of Grace Word

Combine a terrific song with colorful sets and four very photogenic young ladies, and you've got a winning combination for video. No earth-shattering concept here, just good solid shooting and a great track.

—Reviewed by Todd Chatman

Reviews of promotional singles and video clips are intended to provide programmers with information about potential new material for airplay. "Top 5" and "On The Chart" are songs and video clips which *The CCM Update* predicts will reach those respective levels on their format's airplay charts. *Critics Choice: Singles that, in the reviewer's estimation, are artistically exceptional and worthy of attention, irrespective of their chart potential. Send radio singles/video clips for review to: Todd Chatman, *The CCM Update*, 107 Kenner Avenue, Nashville, TN 37205. All product should be received one week before issue date for editorial consideration.

Dove Nominees

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Learn; Deliverance; Terry Taylor; Intense

Mindwarp; Brainchild; Scott Albert and Doug Mann; R.E.X.

Tamplin; Ken Tamplin; Ken Tamplin; Benson
A tie necessitated six nominees in this category.

Rock Album of the Year

Bus Named Desire; Ashley Cleveland; Kenny Greenberg; Wally Wilson; Reunion

Crimson and Blue; Phil Keaggy; L. Arthur Nichols; Myrrh

Evolution; Geoff Moore & The Distance; Phil Naish, Joe Hogue; ForeFront

Highlands; White Heart; Billy Smiley, Mark Gersmehl; Star Song

Wake-Up Call; Petra; Brown Bannister; DaySpring

Contemporary Album of the Year

A Beautiful Place; Wayne Watson; Greg Nelson, Wayne Watson; DaySpring

Free at Last; DC Talk; Toby McKeehan, Mark Heimemann, Joe Hogue; ForeFront

Hope; Michael English; Brown Bannister; Warner Alliance

Soul; Margaret Becker; Charlie Peacock; Sparrow

The Live Adventure; Steven Curtis Chapman; Phil Naish, Steven Curtis Chapman; Sparrow

Inspirational Album of the Year

Hymns: A Portrait of Christ; Steve Green; Greg Nelson; Sparrow

Le Voyage; Sandi Patti; Greg Nelson; Word

Peace of the Rock; The Gaither Vocal Band; Cheryl Rogers; Star Song

Standing in the Gap; Babbie Mason; Cheryl Rogers; Word

Season of Love; 4HIM; Don Koch; Benson

Southern Gospel Album of the Year

Acapella Gold; Gold City; Garry Jones, RiverSong

He Still Reigns; The Speer Family; Ben Speer; Homeland

Kelly Nelson Thompson & The Nelsons; Kelly Nelson Thompson & The Nelsons; Lari Goss; RiverSong

Southern Classics; The Gaither Vocal Band; Bill Gaither, Michael Sykes, Michael English; Benson

Worship His Glory in Acapella Praise; The Cathedral Quartet; Lari Goss; Canaan

Country Album of the Year

Love Can Carry; Steve Gatlin; Steve Gatlin, Frank Breedon; Cheyenne

Real Love; Susie Luchsinger; Paul Overstreet; Integrity

Stranger; Andy Landis; Steve Buckingham; Star Song

The Gift; Jeff and Sheri Easter; Jeff and Sheri Easter, Michael English; Benson

Walk On; Bruce Carroll; Brown Bannister, Tom Hemby; Word

Contemporary Black Gospel Album of the Year

All Out; The Winans; Kelly, Levert, Nicholas, Winans, Buckingham, Herbert, Powell, Mandel; Qwest

Live; The Richard Smallwood Singers; Richard Smallwood; Sparrow

Live in Toronto; Hezekiah Walker and the Love Fellowship Crusade Choir; Dan Cleary, Hezekiah Walker; Benson

Love's the Key; Billy and Sarah Gaines; Joe Hogue, Don Koch; Benson

Start All Over; Helen Baylor; Bill Maxwell; Word

Traditional Black Gospel Album of the Year

Hold On; Greater Victory Temple Choir; Patrick Henderson; Word

If You Love Me; Edwin Hawkins; Edwin Hawkins; Fixit

Kirk Franklin & The Family; Kirk Franklin; Rodney Frazier, Arthur Dyer; GospoCentric

Lily in the Valley; John P. Kee & The New Life Community Choir; John P. Kee; Tyscot

Stand Still; Shirley Caesar, Bubba Smith, Shirley Caesar; Word

In Instrumental and Praise & Worship categories:

Album title; Artist; Producers; Label

Instrumental Album of the Year

In Excelsis Deo; Larry Dalton and The National Philharmonic Orchestra of London; Larry Dalton; Integrity

Living in the Here and Now; Brentwood Jazz Quartet; Jack Jezzro with the Brentwood Jazz Quartet; Brentwood

Psalms, Hymns, & Spiritual Songs; Kurt Kaiser; Kurt Kaiser; Sparrow

Rhythm of Peace; Dino; Randall Dennis, Dino Kartsonakis; Benson

Something to Believe; Sam Levine; Jack Jezzro; Brentwood

Praise and Worship Album of the Year

King of the Nations; Graham Kendrick; Les Moir; HeartCry

Live... We Come Rejoicing; The Brooklyn Tabernacle Choir; Neal Joseph, Carol Cymbala; Warner Alliance

Lord of All, Songs of Carman; Carman; Dan Cleary; HeartCry

Rejoice Africa; Lionel Petersen; Tom Brooks; Hosanna!

Songs From the Loft; Various (Susan Ashton, Gary Chapman, Ashley Cleveland, Amy Delaine, Amy Grant, Kim Hill, Michael James, Wes King, Donna McElroy, Michael W. Smith); Gary Chapman, Jim Dineen; Reunion

In Musical, Choral Collection and Children's Music categories:

Album title; Creators; Label

Musical Album of the Year

Dawn of Redeeming Grace; Dave Clark, Russell Maudlin, Sue C. Smith; Benson Music

For Unto Y'All; Robert Sterling; Word Music

From Heaven's Throne; David T. Clydesdale, Steve Amerson; David T. Clydesdale Music

God With Us; Don Moen, Tom Fettke, Tom Hartley, Jack Hayford, Camp Kirkland; Integrity Music

The Choice; Robert Sterling, Cindy Sterling; Word Music

The Extra Mile; Donna VanLiere, Steven V. Taylor, Brian White; Benson Music

A tie necessitated six nominees in this category.

Choral Collection Album of the Year

Al Denson Youth Chorus, Book III; Dave Spear, Al Denson; Benson

Hope of the World; Donnie Harper; Tribute

Hymns: A Portrait of Christ-The Choral Collection; Tom Hartley, Randy Smith; Sparrow

Let the People Rejoice; David T. Clydesdale; David T. Clydesdale Music

We Need Jesus; Robert Sterling; Word Music

Children's Music Album of the Year

Bless My Little Girl; Tom Brooks; Integrity Music Just-For-Kids

Come to the Cradle; Michael Card, artist; Phil Naish; Sparrow

Great Songs for God's Kids; Larry Haron, Bob Singleton; Word Music

Psalms' Fantastic Praise Party! Ernie Rettino, Debbie Kerner Rettino; Word

Kids Country Sing-a-Long; Alex McDougall; Star Song

In Recorded Music Packaging category:

Album title; Artist; Art Director; Graphic Artist; Photographer or Illustrator; Label

Recorded Music Packaging of the Year

A Liturgy, a Legacy, and a Ragamuffin Band; Rich Mullins; D. Rhodes, Buddy Jackson; Beth Lee; Michael Wilson; Reunion

Bus Named Desire; Ashley Cleveland; D. Rhodes, Buddy Jackson; Buddy Jackson; Ben Pearson; Reunion

Highlands; White Heart; Toni Thiippen; Riordon; Shin Sugino, Mark Tucker, David White; Star Song

Shawl; the Prayer Chain; D. Rhodes, Buddy Jackson; Beth Lee; Jim Herrington; Reunion

The Wonder Years 1983-1993; Michael W. Smith; D. Rhodes, Buddy Jackson; Beth Middleworth; Mark Tucker; Reunion

In Video categories:

Video title; Artist; Producer; Director; Label

Short Form Music Video of the Year

"Hand on My Shoulder;" Sandi Patti; Jack Clark, Stephen Yake; Stephen Yake; Word

"I Cannot Get You Out of My System;" Newsboys; Carrie Reeves; Jeff Phillips; Star Song

"Jesus is Just Alright;" DC Talk; Deaton, Flanigen; Deaton, Flanigen; ForeFront

"S.O.S.;" Julie Miller; Ralph Millero; Vickie Branough; Myrrh

"Voice of God;" 4HIM; Stephen Yake; Stephen Yake; Benson

Long Form Music Video of the Year

The Basics of Life, 4HIM; Stephen Yake; Stephen Yake; Benson

Change Your World Live, Michael W. Smith; Bret Wolcott, Douglas C. Forbes; Michael McNamara; Reunion

It's Time, Wayne Watson; Jack Clark, Stephen Yake; Stephen Yake; Word

The Live Adventure, Steven Curtis Chapman; Bret Wolcott, Douglas C. Forbes; Michael Solomon; Sparrow

Turn Your Radio On, Bill & Gloria Gaiher and Their Homecoming Friends; Bill Gaiher, Donald Boggs; Bill Gaiher; Star Song

ForeFront thanks GMA for our 9 Dove Award Nominations!



DC TALK

- Group of the Year
- Artist of the Year
- Rap Recorded Song of the Year
- Rock Recorded Song of the Year
- Contemporary Album of the Year
- Short Form Music Video of the Year

- Rock Recorded Song of the Year
- Rock Album of the Year



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- Rap Recorded Song of the Year

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THE CCM UPDATE RADIO ACTIVITY

Congratulations

—**KSLT-FM/Spearfish, SD** celebrated its 10th anniversary on February 17th. The stations took calls all day from listeners and former announcers who shared their favorite memories of the station's 10 year history. Phil Keaggy and Julie Miller helped usher in the next 10 years with a concert on February 19th.



RAY BOLTZ IN DODGE CITY—Word recording artist **Ray Boltz** recently made a stop in Dodge City, KS and played to a sell-out crowd of 3000. The concert was sponsored by **KJIL-FM**. Pictured along with Boltz (back row, third from left) are KJIL staffers and family members.

Opportunity Sought

—Successful major market PD now seeks new challenge. Ten+ years of Christian radio experience, including on-air, production, local and network programming. Contact Scott at 206/546-7384.

Promotions

—**WAY-FM (WAYM-FM)/Nashville, TN** will be featured as part of a special CNN report on contemporary Christian music. The report is designed to broaden the awareness of Christian contemporary music with high school and junior high school students. Look for the piece on March 26th at 8:30 a.m. (EST) and later in syndication.

Appointments

—**Luke Stephens** assumes operations manager/program director duties at **KCNW-AM/Kansas City, KS**. In related changes, **Beth Gatton** moves into the business manager post and **Darren Marlar** moves from evenings to morning drive. —**Jay Johnson**, former operations manager of Family Life Radio Network

and AM drive host for **WCIK-FM/Bath, NY**, moves to **HIS Radio Satellite Network** in Greenville, SC as evening announcer.

Condolences

—**Debi Christmas**, long-time account executive at **KCNW-AM/Kansas City, KS**, went home to be with the Lord on February 11th. Our prayers go out to her family and friends.

Employment Opportunities

—**WAY-FM/Ft. Myers, FL** has an opening for a PD/afternoon announcer. Five years experience and strong production skills a must. WAY-FM is an EOE. Women and minorities strongly encouraged to apply. WAY-FM, P.O. Box 61275, Ft. Myers, FL 33906. 813/936-1929, ask for Bill Scott. —**WVFJ-FM/Manchester (Atlanta), GA** seeks an experienced AM drive host/production director. Must be friendly, creative and able to communicate. T&R to Rod Hampton, WVFJ, P.O. Box 510, Manchester, GA 31816. No calls please. EOE.

Send all announcements, news and photos for Radio Activity to Todd Chatman, *The CCM Update*, 107 Kenner Avenue, Nashville, TN 37205. All releases should be received one week before issue date for editorial consideration.

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Appointments

—**Bruce Cain**, formerly with independent Nashville music publishers, to royalty administrator for **Sparrow**.

—**Ana Gascon Ivey**, formerly the editor of *Inside Music*, to the editorial staff (covering the music industry) of *Clarity* magazine. *Clarity*, a new magazine for women published by NavPress will debut in March. Clarity, P.O. Box 35004, Colorado Springs, CO 80935, 719/548-7454.

Promotions

—**Steve Rice**, formerly manager of A&R and publishing administration, to vice president of A&R and publishing administration for **Sparrow**.

—**Craig Dunnagan**, formerly copyright administrator, to manager of publishing administration for **Sparrow**.

Signings

—**David Baroni** to an exclusive songwriting agreement with **Integrity**

—**Daryl Coley** to artist relations director for **Gospe Centric**.

—**Jenell Coley** to booking and management for **Gospe Centric**.

—**Claude Lataillade** to finances for **Gospe Centric**.

—**Steve Taylor** to an exclusive booking agreement with **Jeff Roberts & Associates**.

—**Paul Smith** to an exclusive songwriting agreement with **Integrity**.

New Company

—**Keith Christianson**, president of **KCM Inc.** in Minneapolis, has announced the formation of **ICM Inc.**, a new music company in Nashville that will focus on interactive technology. Christianson has

appointed **Mark Williams** as head of operations. For more information, call Williams at 615/399-0330.

New Addresses

—**Rad Rockers Distribution** has moved: RRD, P.O. Box 207, Milan, MI 48160. 313/439-7029, fax 313/439-7048.

—**Jeff Roberts and Associates** has moved to 206 Blue Bird Drive, Goodlettsville, TN 37072. The main phone number (615/859-7040) and fax number (615/859-6504) remain the same as does the post office box address (P.O. Box 2437, Hendersonville, TN 37077).

Employment Opportunity

—Christian management company seeking experienced booking agent. Send resumes to: 1743 Old Natchez Trace, Franklin, TN 37064.

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DOVE AWARD NOMINEE

Group of the Year

Rock Recorded Song of the Year

"Midnight Oil"

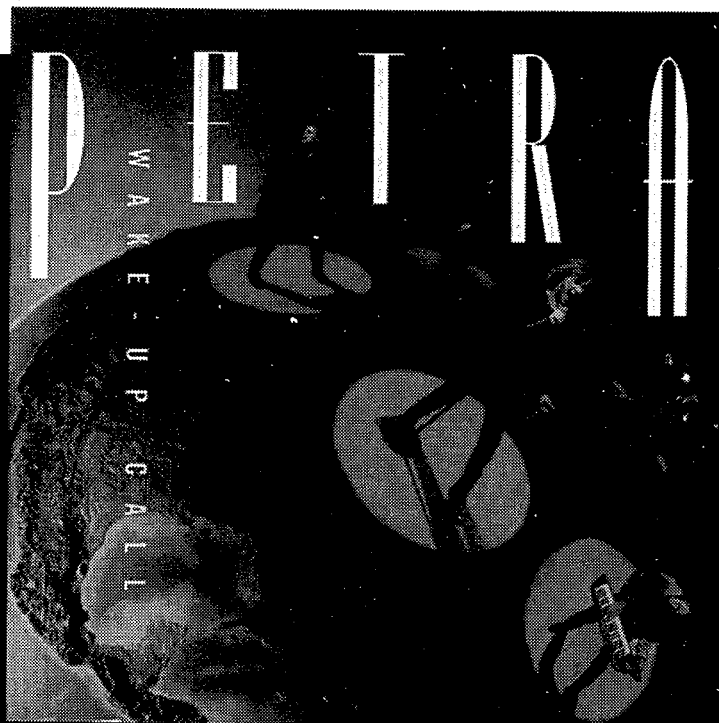
Rock Album of the Year

Wake-Up Call

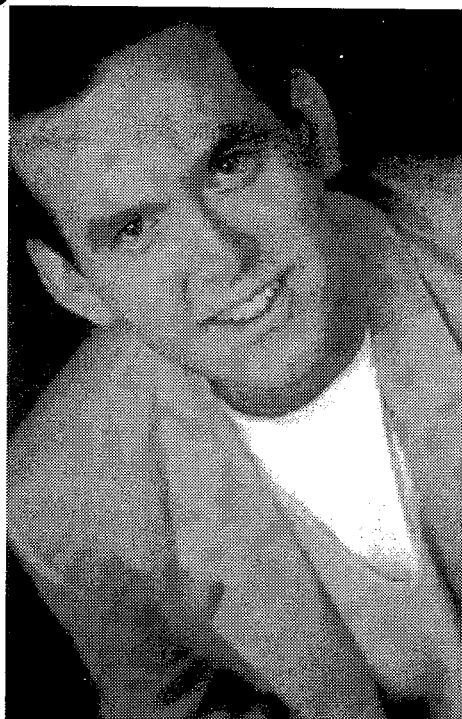
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"Marks Of The Cross"



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Songwriter of the Year

Contemporary Recorded Song of the Year

"A Beautiful Place"

Contemporary Album of the Year

A Beautiful Place

Long Form Music Video of the Year

It's Time

GRAMMY NOMINEE

Best Pop/Contemporary Gospel Album

INCLUDING THE #1 HITS

"Walk In The Dark" and "A Beautiful Place"

Booking: The William Morris Agency/Charles Dorris 615/963-3000

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WO	LW	TW	TITLE	Artist • Label	Pts	%On
7	1	1	SAY THE NAME	Margaret Becker • Sparrow	83.77	94%
7	3	2	I SURRENDER ALL	Clay Crosse • Reunion	83.02	90%
7	4	3	THAT KIND OF LOVE	PFR • Vireo	78.26	85%
7	2	4	GOD IS IN CONTROL	Twila Paris • Star Song	78.08	83%
7	5	5	LIVE TO TELL	Geoff Moore & The Distance • ForeFront	73.08	80%
6	7	6	WHERE DO I GO	Ashley Cleveland & Gary Chapman • Reunion	72.03	81%
5	10	7	REMEMBER NOT	Susan Ashton • Sparrow	69.18	78%
5	9	8	PRESS ON	Billy Sprague • Benson	67.25	71%
4	13	9	I KNOW A LOVE	Al Denson • Benson	65.73	76%
6	11	10	MARKS OF THE CROSS	Petra • DaySpring	61.52	72%
7	6	11	A BEAUTIFUL PLACE	Wayne Watson • DaySpring	57.48	65%
4	16	12	A WING AND A PRAYER	Brian Barrett • Star Song	55.36	71%
6	14	13	WELCOME TO THE NEXT LEVEL	East to West • Benson	54.13	66%
4	15	14	WRECKING BALL	4HIM • Benson	49.40	63%
2	8	15	ONE MORE BROKEN HEART	Point of Grace • Word	49.00	58%
3	19	16	GIVIN' IT UP FOR YOU	Truth • Integrity	48.78	70%
2	20	17	HERE IN AMERICA	Rich Mullins • Reunion	48.34	65%
2	24	18	GLORY TO YOU	Steve Green • Sparrow	46.45	71%
7	12	19	MIND, BODY, HEART AND SOUL	Bob Carlisle • Sparrow	46.06	57%
4	21	20	GOD KNOWS	Angelo & Veronica • Benson	41.06	53%
3	22	21	I'LL BE LOVING YOU	David & The Giants • Giant	40.76	62%
3	23	22	CLOSER TO THE FIRE	Michael James • Reunion	38.77	59%
—	—	23	CHORUS OF FAITH	Michael Card • Sparrow	38.73	62%
—	—	24	SAVIOR	Michael English • Warner Alliance	34.89	59%
9	18	25	MORE THAN A FRIEND	Helen Baylor • DaySpring	32.40	38%

THE CCM UPDATE

ROCK

WO	LW	TW	TITLE	Artist/Label • Songwriter(s)	Pts	%On
4	5	1	THE LAMENT OF DESMOND R.G. UNDERWOOD-FREDERICK IV	Steve Taylor/Warner Alliance • Steve Taylor	95.95	100.00
4	2	2	WALK AWAY FROM LOVE	PFR/Vireo • Joel Hanson	88.10	100.00
8	1	3	BLIND FAITH	Legend Seven/Word • Andy Denton, Mike Jacobs	83.81	100.00
6	9	4	NEED A LOVE	Dakota Motor Co./Myrrh • Peter King, Davia Vallesillo	74.64	95.24
4	3	5	MIDNIGHT OIL	Petra/DaySpring • Bob Hartman	74.52	85.71
6	4	6	WE'RE A BAND	Audio Adrenaline/ForeFront • Mark Stuart, Barry Blair, Will McGinnis, Bob Herdman	71.90	85.71
8	8	7	SISTER WISDOM	Guardian/Pakaderm • Tony Palacios, David Bach, Jamie Rowe	69.88	80.95
2	18	8	GOLDEN RULE	Love War/Pakaderm • Tim Bushong, Greg Purlee	60.00	80.95
6	11	9	TRUST	Ashley Cleveland/Reunion • Ashley Cleveland, Kenny Greenberg	56.19	71.43
12	7	10	LOVE FOR THE LIVING	Hoi Polloi/Reunion • J. Gullen, Hoi Polloi, M. Painter	48.57	61.90
12	10	11	ONE GOD, ONE LOVE	Scott Wenzel/WAL • Caesar Kalinowski, Keoni	45.95	61.90
2	24	12	CRUCIALITY	Poor Old Lu/Alarma • Scott Hunter, Poor Old Lu	42.14	57.14
6	13	13	TEARS FROM A BROKEN HEART	The Brave/Pakaderm • The Brave, Ian Sabretti, Brandon Starr	39.88	52.38
14	6	14	PRAY WHERE YOU ARE	Lost Dogs/WAL • Terry Taylor, Lost Dogs	38.69	47.62
2	25	15	MYSTERY TRAIN	Tamplin/Benson • Ken Tamplin, S. Van Zen	37.38	57.14
6	12	16	LOVE LIFE AND DANCE	Riki Michele/WAL • Terry Taylor	35.48	47.62
6	15	17	SATELLITE BABIES	Code of Ethics/ForeFront • Barry Blaze	34.40	42.86
—	—	18	SUICIDE SUNSHINE	Fear Not/Pakaderm • L. Worley	28.69	42.86
—	—	19	SELECTIVE AMNESIA	DeGarmo & Key/Benson • Eddie DeGarmo, Dana Key	27.02	42.86
6	19	20	DESERT IN DECEMBER	Human Condition/Broken • Gary Egger	25.83	38.10
—	—	21	STONE EYES	Phil Keaggy/Myrrh • Phil Keaggy, L. Nichols, Phil Madeira	24.17	33.33
—	—	22	DIG DUG	Prayer Chain/Reunion • Campuzano, The Prayer Chain	23.21	33.33
18	14	23	NOTHING BUT THE BEST	White Heart/Star Song • Mark Gersmehl, Billy Smiley, Brian Wooten, Anthony Sallee	21.31	28.57
8	17	24	RADIO PLAY	Acoustic Shack/Broken • M. Misiuk	20.60	28.57
—	—	25	EYES OF HEAVEN	Mad At The World/Frontline • Roger Rose	20.36	28.57

Most Adds AC

1. Glory to You, Steve Green 15
2. From This Moment On, NewSong 14
3. Savior, Michael English 12
4. Chorus of Faith, Michael Card 9
5. Givin' it Up for You, Truth 8
6. The Flame Passes On, White Heart 6
7. Power and Promise, Brett Williams & In Reach 6
8. In the Hands of God, Steve Camp 6
9. Evidence of Love, First Call 6
10. Walk into Freedom, Allison Durham 5
11. Here in America, Rich Mullins 5

The following stations did not report and their charts were frozen: KLTY, KLVY

Most Adds INSP

1. Glory to You, Steve Green 6
 2. Chorus of Faith, Michael Card 6
 3. Closer to the Fire, Michael James 6
- All stations reporting.
- ### Most Adds CHR
1. You Can Get There from Here, Brian White & Justice 6
 2. The Flame Passes On, White Heart 5
 3. Reason Enough, Keith Brown 4
- All stations reporting.

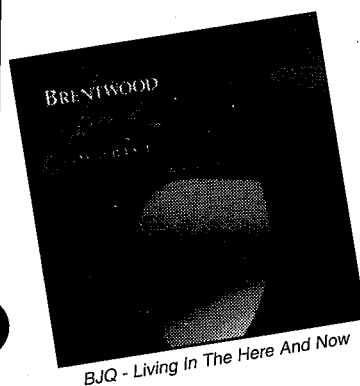
Most Adds Rock

1. Golden Rule, Love War 9
 2. Dig Dog, The Prayer Chain 7
 3. Suicide Sunshine, Fear Not 6
 4. Mystery Train, Ken Tamplin 6
 5. Sometimes Cry, Poor Old Lu 6
 6. This Love Is, Greg and Rebecca Sparks 5
 7. The Lament of Desmond R.G. Underwood - Frederick IV, Steve Taylor 5
 8. Eyes of Heaven, Mad at the World 5
- All stations reporting.

THE CCM UPDATE CHRISTIAN HIT RADIO

WO	LW	TW	TITLE Artist Label • Songwriter(s)	Pts	Chg	%On	%A	%H	%M	%L
6	1	1	MARKS OF THE CROSS Petra DaySpring • Bob Hartman, Ronny Cates	100.00	0.00	100%	13%	100%	0%	0%
7	1	2	THAT KIND OF LOVE PFR Vireo • Gordon Kennedy, Jenny Yates	95.02	-4.98	100%	13%	93%	7%	0%
7	9	• 3	WELCOME TO THE NEXT LEVEL East to West Benson • Todd Burns, Brian White	90.05	5.91	100%	20%	80%	20%	0%
7	5	4	LIVE TO TELL Geoff Moore & The Distance ForeFront • Geoff Moore, Steven Curtis Chapman	89.29	-4.63	93%	13%	87%	7%	0%
7	8	5	SAY THE NAME Margaret Becker Sparrow • Margaret Becker, Charlie Peacock	87.17	-3.24	100%	13%	67%	27%	7%
7	3	6	MY WORLD VIEW Audio Adrenaline ForeFront • Mark Stuart, Barry Blair, Will McGinnis, Bob Herdman	86.43	-11.54	93%	7%	93%	0%	0%
7	7	7	MIND, BODY, HEART AND SOUL Bob Carlisle Sparrow • Bob Carlisle, Mike Demus, Bob Farrell, Bill Deaton	83.11	-8.79	93%	7%	87%	7%	0%
4	13	• 8†	REMEMBER NOT Susan Ashton Sparrow • Phil Madeira, Jimmy Abegg HIGHEST GAINER	79.34	14.16	93%	13%	53%	40%	0%
5	4	9	WHERE DO I GO Ashley Cleveland & Gary Chapman Reunion • Amy Grant	73.60	-22.35	93%	7%	60%	27%	7%
5	11	10	ONE VOICE NOW Pam Thum Benson • Bill Cuomo, Robert White Johnson, Pam Thum	72.70	-0.56	93%	13%	40%	53%	0%
3	17	• 11	MARTIN LUTHER Wes King Reunion • Wes King, Fran King	68.17	8.54	87%	7%	40%	47%	0%
4	14	• 12	WITHOUT YOU WITH ME Ji Lim Intersound • Ji Lim, Diana Beach, Brian Smith	67.72	4.05	93%	7%	40%	53%	0%
7	6	13	YOU'LL BE BACK FOR ME Crystal Lewis Metro One • Brian Ray	67.71	-25.27	73%	7%	60%	13%	0%
5	19	• 14	I SURRENDER ALL Clay Crosse Reunion • David Moffitt, Regie Hamm	61.95	10.97	80%	20%	33%	27%	20%
5	16	15	GOD IS IN CONTROL Twila Paris Star Song • Twila Paris	58.37	-2.39	67%	13%	40%	27%	0%
5	12	16	NEVER LOOK BACK DeGarmo & Key Benson • Eddie DeGarmo, Dana Key	56.70	-9.56	73%	20%	40%	27%	7%
—	—	• 17≈	THE FLAME PASSES ON White Heart Star Song • Mark Gersmehl, Billy Smiley HIGHEST DEBUT	50.32	27.54	80%	33%	7%	53%	20%
3	20	18	WALK INTO FREEDOM Allison Durham Star Song • Geoff Thurman, Ty Lacy	46.85	-1.33	87%	7%	20%	40%	27%
7	18	19	HAVEN'T YOU HEARD Ian Eskelin WAL • Ian Eskelin	45.39	-8.15	60%	7%	27%	13%	20%
7	15	20	FREEDOM Dakoda Motor Co. Myrrh • Peter King, Davia Vallesillo	44.93	-18.58	60%	7%	20%	20%	20%
7	10	21	BE STILL Legend Seven Word • Andy Denton, Mike Jacobs, Tommy Greer	44.79	-32.01	60%	7%	33%	20%	7%
3	22	• 22	YOU CAN GET THERE FROM HERE Brian White and Justice Broken • Brian White, Shawn Craig	43.68	9.08	80%	33%	7%	40%	33%
3	21	23	DREAMS COME TRUE Jill Parr BAMI • B. Hardin, Jill Parr	42.94	-1.02	73%	13%	7%	53%	13%
—	—	• 24	WRECKING BALL 4HIM Benson • Billy Simon, Jeff Jansen	37.41	21.40	33%	13%	20%	13%	0%
—	—	• 25	PRESS ON Billy Sprague Benson • Billy Luz Sprague, Jim Weber	34.09	10.52	33%	13%	13%	20%	0%

† Last Week's Highest Gainer ‡ Last Week's Highest Debut ≈ Last Weeks Most Added
(#1 and #2 were tied for last week's #1)



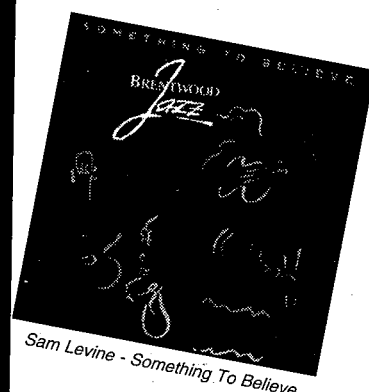
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WO	LW	TW	TITLE	Artist	Pts	Chg	%On	%A	%H	%M	%L
7	1	1	A BEAUTIFUL PLACE	Wayne Watson DaySpring • Wayne Watson	84.78	0.00	94%	0%	75%	19%	0%
7	2	• 2	SAY THE NAME	Margaret Becker Sparrow • Margaret Becker, Charlie Peacock	78.78	2.45	88%	0%	81%	6%	0%
6	3	• 3	I WANT TO KNOW CHRIST	Dick & Mel Tunney Warner Alliance • Dick Tunney, Melodie Tunney	70.89	2.45	75%	0%	69%	6%	0%
7	4	4	MORE THAN A FRIEND	Helen Baylor DaySpring • Logan Reynolds, Helen Baylor	62.33	-5.11	75%	0%	56%	19%	0%
3	14	• 5	GLORY TO YOU	Steve Green Sparrow • Jon Mohr, Phil Naish	61.09	17.26	81%	6%	31%	38%	13%
					HIGHEST GAINER						
3	18	• 6†	CLOSER TO THE FIRE	Michael James Reunion • Jeff Silvey, Chapin Hartford	57.19	17.25	81%	13%	31%	38%	13%
3	15	• 7	WE ARE WAITING	Annie Herring Sparrow • Anne Herring	54.09	11.77	81%	25%	19%	50%	13%
3	13	• 8	I KNOW A LOVE	Al Denson Benson • Joe Beck, Al Denson, Brian White	53.56	9.35	63%	6%	44%	19%	0%
2	17	• 9≈	CHORUS OF FAITH	Michael Card † Sparrow • Michael Card, Phil Naish	53.17	12.02	88%	13%	13%	50%	25%
5	10	• 10	I'LL BE LOVING YOU	David & The Giants Giant • David Huff, Twila Huff	52.31	6.66	81%	6%	31%	44%	6%
6	9	• 11	I SURRENDER ALL	Clay Crosse Reunion • David Moffitt, Regie Hamm	51.78	5.79	63%	0%	38%	25%	0%
10	6	12	IN EVERYTHING GIVE THANKS	Lenny LeBlanc Integrity • Gary Sadler	49.65	-13.66	63%	0%	38%	19%	6%
7	8	• 13	GOD IS IN CONTROL	Twila Paris Star Song • Twila Paris	48.78	1.56	50%	0%	44%	6%	0%
10	5	14	STANDING IN THE GAP	Babbie Mason Word • Babbie Mason	47.22	-19.76	56%	0%	31%	25%	0%
3	19	• 15	ONCE AND FOR ALL	Pam Thum Benson • Regie Hamm, Joel Lindsey	46.30	8.21	63%	19%	19%	25%	19%
7	7	16	ONE MORE BROKEN HEART	Point of Grace Word • Jeff Slaughter, Dwight Liles	44.44	-10.00	63%	0%	31%	31%	0%
4	20	• 17	I BOWED ON MY KNEES	Gaither Vocal Band Benson • Public Domain	42.66	5.78	56%	0%	25%	25%	6%
7	11	18	WHATEVER IT TAKES	Karen Wheaton Diadem • Dan Dean	36.67	-8.77	44%	0%	44%	0%	0%
—	—	• 19	SAVIOR	Michael English Warner Alliance • Paul Field, Nia Jones	35.97	19.33	69%	38%	13%	31%	25%
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2	23	• 20	GOD KNOWS	Angelo & Veronica Benson • Angelo Petrucci, Veronica Petrucci	33.00	1.22	31%	0%	25%	6%	0%
—	—	• 21	IN THE HANDS OF GOD	Steve Camp Warner Alliance • Steve Camp, Claire Cloninger, John G. Elliott	32.64	14.54	50%	19%	13%	25%	13%
9	22	22	MAKE YOUR PRESENCE KNOWN	Praise Band Maranathal • John Barbour	32.09	-2.99	50%	0%	25%	13%	13%
13	24	23	FACE TO FACE	Maranathal Mens Choir Maranathal • Buddy Owens, Bill Batstone	31.20	0.00	44%	0%	25%	13%	6%
—	—	• 24	HERE IN AMERICA	Rich Mullins Reunion • Rich Mullins	30.20	12.35	50%	13%	6%	31%	13%
—	—	• 25	HE IS THE ONE	Jim Cole iMPACT • Bruce Carroll, Jim Cole	29.88	19.90	44%	31%	0%	31%	13%

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WO	LW	TW	TITLE	Artist	Pts	Chg	%On	%A	%H	%M	%L
7	2	• 1	I SURRENDER ALL	Clay Crosse Label • Songwriter(s) Reunion • David Moffitt, Regie Hamm	97.79	3.38	100%	0%	95%	4%	2%
7	1	2	GOD IS IN CONTROL	Twila Paris Star Song • Twila Paris	91.93	-5.53	96%	0%	84%	11%	2%
7	5	• 3	THAT KIND OF LOVE	PFR Vireo • Gordon Kennedy, Jenny Yates	90.20	0.40	96%	2%	82%	13%	2%
7	8	• 4	PRESS ON	Billy Sprague Benson • Billy Luz Sprague, Jim Weber	89.05	5.76	95%	0%	78%	13%	4%
5	7	• 5	REMEMBER NOT	Susan Ashton Sparrow • Phil Madeira, Jimmy Abegg	88.66	5.23	96%	0%	76%	18%	2%
7	4	6	LIVE TO TELL	Geoff Moore & The Distance Forefront • Geoff Moore, Steven Curtis Chapman	87.79	-4.15	95%	0%	76%	18%	0%
7	6	• 7	WHERE DO I GO	Ashley Cleveland & Gary Chapman Reunion • Amy Grant	85.70	2.22	93%	0%	69%	16%	7%
7	3	8	SAY THE NAME	Margaret Becker Sparrow • Margaret Becker, Charlie Peacock	84.55	-9.21	95%	0%	76%	15%	4%
6	13	• 9	I KNOW A LOVE	Al Denson Benson • Joe Beck, Al Denson, Brian White	82.87	13.51	98%	4%	55%	38%	5%
5	15	• 10	A WING AND A PRAYER	Brian Barrett Star Song • Michael Gleason	73.77	13.96	93%	7%	40%	44%	9%
7	12	11	MARKS OF THE CROSS	Petra DaySpring • Bob Hartman, Ronny Cates	70.56	-2.73	82%	0%	56%	22%	4%
7	14	12	WELCOME TO THE NEXT LEVEL	East to West Benson • Todd Burns, Brian White	62.87	-0.42	76%	2%	35%	35%	7%
4	18	• 13 †	HERE IN AMERICA	Rich Mullins Reunion • Rich Mullins	62.65	14.53	84%	9%	27%	45%	11%
5	17	• 14	GIVIN' IT UP FOR YOU	Truth Integrity • John Chisum, Paul Baloché, Rita Baloché	61.90	12.95	85%	15%	24%	44%	18%
6	16	• 15	WRECKING BALL	4HIM Benson • Billy Simon, Jeff Jansen	59.65	2.02	82%	4%	44%	25%	13%
7	9	16	A BEAUTIFUL PLACE	Wayne Watson DaySpring • Wayne Watson	57.74	-23.38	69%	0%	40%	20%	9%
9	10	17	ONE MORE BROKEN HEART	Point of Grace Word • Jeff Slaughter, Dwight Liles	55.91	-19.93	67%	0%	35%	24%	9%
7	11	18	MIND, BODY, HEART AND SOUL	Bob Carlisle Sparrow • Bob Carlisle, Mike Demus, Bob Farrell, Bill Deaton	51.99	-22.10	64%	0%	35%	24%	5%
3	26	• 19	GLORY TO YOU	Steve Green Sparrow • Jon Mohr, Phil Naish	50.72	20.20	82%	27%	15%	40%	27%
6	19	• 20	GOD KNOWS	Angelo & Veronica Benson • Angelo Petrucci, Veronica Petrucci	50.68	8.60	71%	4%	35%	24%	13%
5	23	• 21	I'LL BE LOVING YOU	David & The Giants Giant • David Huff, Twila Huff	43.08	8.69	67%	7%	11%	35%	22%
2	28	• 22 †	SAVIOR	Michael English Warner Alliance • Paul Field, Nia Jones	42.66	16.87	73%	22%	9%	44%	20%
5	24	• 23	CLOSER TO THE FIRE	Michael James Reunion • Jeff Silvey, Chapin Hartford	41.97	7.69	69%	7%	5%	49%	15%
3	27	• 24	CHORUS OF FAITH	Michael Card Sparrow • Michael Card, Phil Naish	41.36	14.07	67%	16%	15%	33%	20%
4	25	• 25	WITHOUT YOU WITH ME	Ji Lim Intersound • Ji Lim, Diana Beach, Brian Smith	32.73	1.22	60%	7%	4%	33%	24%
4	29	• 26	WALK INTO FREEDOM	Allison Durham Star Song • Geoff Thurman, Ty Lacy	32.25	6.84	58%	9%	4%	42%	13%
9	21	27	MORE THAN A FRIEND	Helen Baylor DaySpring • Logan Reynolds, Helen Baylor	29.16	-10.20	36%	0%	22%	13%	2%
2	33	• 28	EVIDENCE OF LOVE	First Call Myrrh • Lowell Alexander, Bonnie Keen	27.13	6.72	53%	11%	0%	27%	25%
7	22	29	THE MOTHER AND THE BRIDE	Crystal Lewis Metro One • Crystal Lewis	25.01	-9.51	36%	0%	9%	24%	4%
—	—	• 30	FROM THIS MOMENT ON	NewSong Benson • Eddie Carswell, Leonard Ahlstrom, Mike Demus	24.91	15.37	45%	25%	0%	25%	20%
11	20	31	STANDING IN THE GAP	Babbie Mason Word • Babbie Mason	22.45	-19.62	29%	0%	11%	15%	4%
7	30	32	REST IN ME	Coram Deo II Feat. CeCe Winans Sparrow • Charlie Peacock, CeCe Winans	18.80	-2.75	27%	0%	7%	18%	2%
—	—	• 33	IN THE HANDS OF GOD	Steve Camp Warner Alliance • Steve Camp, Claire Cloninger, John G. Elliott	18.06	7.61	33%	11%	0%	15%	18%
2	39	• 34	LOVE WILL NEVER DIE	The Winans Warner Alliance • Carvin Winans	17.28	2.11	33%	4%	4%	18%	11%
4	35	35	JOHN	Wes King Reunion • Wes King	16.82	-0.97	36%	0%	7%	15%	15%
4	37	36	LOVE'S THE KEY	Billy & Sarah Gaines Benson • Billy Gaines	16.42	-0.47	22%	4%	9%	13%	0%
4	32	37	ONE VOICE NOW	Pam Thum Benson • Bill Cuomo, Robert White Johnson, Pam Thum	15.36	-5.29	33%	2%	4%	22%	7%
6	38	38	MY WORLD VIEW	Audio Adrenaline Forefront • Mark Stuart, Barry Blair, Will McGinnis, Bob Herdman	14.98	-0.65	25%	4%	7%	16%	2%
5	31	39	NEVER LOOK BACK	DeGarmo & Key Benson • Eddie DeGarmo, Dana Key	14.52	-6.59	25%	0%	9%	13%	4%
—	—	• 40	THE FLAME PASSES ON	White Heart Star Song • Mark Gersmehl, Billy Smiley	13.78	3.60	33%	11%	2%	9%	22%

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