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Jason Aldean #1 With What We're All Wishing For! Radio Reacts to CMA's



Dear Readers;

"A Little More Summertime" is #1 this week as we plunge headlong toward Thanksgiving. Congrats to **Jason Aldean** and everyone at **Broken Bow Records (BBRMG)** for topping the chart this week! Kudos to **LITTLE BIG TOWN** and **Capitol Records (UMG)** for having the **Greatest Spin Gainer** and **The Most Added** single this week on "Better Man". Great week!

Also a great week when you debut or re-enter the **Top 80**! So congratulations to the following for making that happen this week...

LITTLE BIG TOWN/Better Man/Capitol Records (UMG)

DIERKS BENTLEY/Black/Capitol Records (UMG)

WHISKEY MYERS/Lightning Bugs And Rain/Wiggy Thump Records

MACY MARTIN/Heart Sleeve Soul/Go Time Records

TUCKER BEATHARD/Momma And Jesus/Big Machine Records (BMLG)

MICKY & THE MOTORCARS/Sister Lost Soul/Micky & The Motorcars Music

LOCASH/Ring On Every Finger/Reviver Records


A lot has been said this week about the **50th CMA Awards** broadcast. People seem to agree that it was one of the best shows ever, or at least in recent memory. Many have weighed in that they loved the opening tribute to the past and the focus put on the heritage artists and songs. The big sticking point is what the Dixie Chicks and Beyoncé were doing on the show. We asked a few radio dignitaries to weigh in on the matter and here is their responses.

"The 50th Annual CMA was amazing...the mix of traditional artists and the new generation was intermingled very well ! That is until the Dixie Chicks and Beyoncé took the stage...in my opinion, that segment would've been better served with additional heroes of Country Music's past..."

Ed Carter-WKSR-Pulaski, TN. /WLLX- Lawrenceburg, TN. Program/Music Director

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L W	T W	 CDX TRAction Empowering Artist Careers	Artist / Song Title / Label	Spins	+ -	Stations	Adds	Wks On Chart
2	1		JASON ALDEAN/A Little More Summertime/Broken Bow Records (BBRMG)	4323	-45	144	0	16
1	2		LUKE BRYAN/Move/Capitol Records Nashville (UMGN)	4104	-269	141	0	16
4	3		COLE SWINDELL/Middle Of A Memory/Warner Bros. Records (WMN)	4012	91	143	1	25
5	4		FLORIDA GEORGIA LINE (FT. TIM MCGRAW)/May We All/Big Machine Records (BMLG)	3983	128	143	0	14
7	5		KEITH URBAN/Blue Ain't Your Color/Capitol Records Nashville (UMGN)	3729	129	144	1	13
6	6		BRETT YOUNG/Sleep Without You/Republic Nashville (BMLG)	3708	-90	137	0	34
9	7		OLD DOMINION/Song For Another Time/RCA Nashville (SMN)	3505	156	144	0	21
8	8		TIM MCGRAW/How I'll Always Be/Big Machine Records (BMLG)	3474	-28	144	0	19
3	9		KENNY CHESNEY (FT. PINK)/Setting The World On Fire/Columbia Nashville (SMN)	3356	-689	142	0	15
12	10		BRETT ELDREDGE/Wanna Be That Song/Atlantic (WMN)	3328	122	143	1	25
13	11		CARRIE UNDERWOOD/Dirty Laundry/19 Recordings Limited/Arista Nashville	3173	-5	144	1	11
10	12		MAREN MORRIS/80's Mercedes/Columbia Nashville (SMN)	3105	-200	142	1	20
11	13		MIRANDA LAMBERT/Vice/RCA Nashville (SMN)	3041	-234	144	0	16
15	14		ERIC CHURCH/Kill A Word/EMI Records Nashville (UMGN)	2754	118	138	1	11
16	15		CHRIS STAPLETON/Parachute/Mercury Records (UMGN)	2582	14	141	0	27
17	16		DRAKE WHITE/Livin' The Dream/Dot Records (BMLG)	2534	-17	139	0	41
20	17		THOMAS RHETT/Star Of The Show/Valory Music Co. (BMLG)	2371	298	139	8	5
18	18		GRANGER SMITH/If The Boot Fits/Wheelhouse (BBRMG)	2345	35	131	1	31
19	19		CHRIS YOUNG/Sober Saturday Night/RCA Nashville (SMN)	2327	97	139	3	21
21	20		BLAKE SHELTON/A Guy With A Girl/Warner Bros. Records (WMN)	2196	334	135	11	6
25	21		BRAD PAISLEY/Today/Arista Nashville (SMN)	1930	293	130	6	4
22	22		BROTHERS OSBORNE/21 Summer/EMI Records Nashville (UMGN)	1823	94	130	1	36
24	23		DUSTIN LYNCH/Seein' Red/Broken Bow Records (BBRMG)	1776	113	120	2	19
26	24		GARTH BROOKS/Baby, Let's Lay Down And Dance/Pearl Records Inc.	1730	212	129	9	4
23	25		LAUREN ALAINA/Road Less Traveled/Mercury Records (UMGN)	1717	50	116	2	14
27	26		JERROD NIEMANN (FT. LEE BRICE)/A Little More Love/Curb Records	1526	28	111	0	27
29	27		BRANTLEY GILBERT/The Weekend/Valory Music Co. (BMLG)	1381	99	111	3	14
28	28		JOSH TURNER/Hometown Girl/MCA Records (UMGN)	1366	60	111	0	23
30	29		CHRIS JANSON/Holdin' Her/Warner Bros. Records (WMN)	1292	23	109	4	25
31	30		JON PARDI/Dirt On My Boots/Capitol Records (UMG)	1274	112	106	6	7



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L W	T W	 CDX TRAction Empowering Artist Careers	Artist / Song Title / Label	Spins	+ -	Stations	Adds	Wks On Chart
35	31	KELSEA BALLERINI/Yeah Boy/Black River Entertainment	1245	337	105	23	5	
32	32	HIGH VALLEY/Make You Mine/Atlantic (WMN)	1106	-22	104	3	37	
33	33	MICHAEL RAY/Think A Little Less/Atlantic (WMN)	953	27	91	1	29	
36	34	DARIUS RUCKER/If I Told You/Capitol Records Nashville (UMGN)	919	12	91	3	18	
34	35	TRENT HARMON/There's A Girl/Big Machine Records (BMLG)	906	-20	87	2	16	
37	36	ARTISTS OF THEN, NOW & FOREVER/Forever Country/Country Music Association, Inc	797	-96	76	2	7	
--	37	LITTLE BIG TOWN/Better Man/Capitol Records (UMG)	754	754	72	72	1	
39	38	RONNIE DUNN (WITH KIX BROOKS)/Damn Drunk/Big Machine Records (BMLG)	725	-10	66	0	12	
40	39	CRAIG CAMPBELL/Outskirts Of Heaven/Red Bow Records (BBRMG)	708	27	72	3	31	
38	40	LANCO/Long Live Tonight/Arista Nashville (SMN)	700	-127	76	0	15	
41	41	RUNAWAY JUNE/Lipstick/Wheelhouse (BBRMG)	651	30	58	0	22	
42	42	DYLAN SCOTT/My Girl/Curb Records	570	27	63	3	15	
43	43	CHRIS LANE/For Her/Big Loud Records	510	-17	52	1	10	
45	44	DAVID NAIL (FT. BROTHERS OSBORNE)/Good At Tonight/MCA Records (UMGN)	499	51	52	4	8	
47	45	RAELYNN/Love Triangle/Warner Bros. Records (WMN)	452	40	55	4	13	
53	46	TYLER FARR/Our Town/Columbia Nashville (SMN)	442	110	48	13	6	
46	47	GEORGE STRAIT/Goin' Goin' Gone/MCA Records (UMGN)	441	12	46	3	5	
51	48	LUKE COMBS/Hurricane/Thirty Tigers/River House Artists	416	70	42	4	8	
50	49	JAKE OWEN/If He Ain't Gonna Love You/RCA Nashville (SMN)	400	48	41	7	4	
49	50	CODY JINKS/I'm Not The Devil/Thirty Tigers/Cody Jinks Music	394	26	38	5	9	
76	51	DAN + SHAY/How Not To/Warner Bros. Records (WMN)	349	174	39	22	2	
67	52	JUSTIN MOORE/Somebody Else Will/Valory Music Co. (BMLG)	344	142	39	20	2	
54	53	CODY JOHNSON/With You I Am/Cojo Music LLC	332	2	34	0	19	
48	54	TOBY KEITH/A Few More Cowboys/Show Dog/Universal	330	-78	41	0	16	
52	55	VINCE GILL/Me And My Girl/MCA Records (UMGN)	316	-22	30	1	11	
57	56	SMITH & WESLEY/You're The One/Garage Door Records	288	31	31	2	10	
55	57	CHASE BRYANT/Room To Breathe/Red Bow Records (BBRMG)	279	4	36	2	8	
64	58	CASEY DONAHEW/Kiss Me/Almost Country Records	274	57	27	3	6	
58	59	LOVE AND THEFT/Candyland/Curb Records	265	10	33	6	3	
66	60	SHANE OWENS/Country Never Goes Out Of Style/AmeriMonte Records	238	32	22	0	11	

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65	61	CHASE RICE/Everybody We Know Does/Columbia Nashville (SMN)	231	19	29	1	9	
61	62	BOBBY WILLS/Down By The River/MDM	230	6	21	1	11	
60	63	ALEX SMITH/Load It Up/Lila Records	225	-16	25	1	8	
62	64	PRESLEY & TAYLOR/My Hometown/SMG Records Nashville	223	3	25	0	13	
63	65	AARON LEWIS/That Ain't Country/Dot Records (BMLG)	209	-8	28	0	12	
75	66	JENNIFER NETTLES/Hey Heartbreak/Big Machine Records (BMLG)	198	22	21	2	2	
77	67	MARK CHESNUTT/Oughta Miss Me By Now/Row Entertainment	194	26	21	0	8	
73	68	BRANDY CLARK/Love Can Go To Hell/Warner Bros. Records (WMN)	186	9	19	0	7	
71	69	JANA KRAMER/Circles/Elektra Nashville (WMN)	183	1	26	0	11	
72	70	KANE BROWN/Thunder In The Rain/RCA Nashville (SMN)	183	3	24	2	9	
68	71	THOMPSON SQUARE/You Make It Look So Good/Stoney Creek Records (BBRMG)	182	-17	21	1	20	
70	72	MORGAN WALLEN/The Way I Talk/Big Loud Records	182	-4	20	1	2	
--	73	DIERKS BENTLEY/Black/Capitol Records (UMG)	177	173	14	14	1	
78	74	JAMES DUPRE/Stoned To Death/Purfectt Pitch LLC	170	11	20	2	2	
69	75	FRANKIE BALLARD/Cigarette/Warner Bros. Records (WMN)	168	-21	24	0	12	
--	76	WHISKEY MYERS/Lightning Bugs And Rain/Wiggy Thump Records	162	10	9	0	2	
--	77	MACY MARTIN/Heart Sleeve Soul/Go Time Records	159	18	16	1	2	
--	78	TUCKER BEATHARD/Momma And Jesus/Big Machine Records (BMLG)	156	30	17	6	1	
--	79	MICKY & THE MOTORCARS/Sister Lost Soul/Micky & The Motorcars Music	149	-3	10	1	2	
--	80	LOCASH/Ring On Every Finger/Reviver Records	148	65	9	6	1	

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Strikethrough = Removed

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Most Added

Adds

LITTLE BIG TOWN/Better Man Capitol Records (UMG)	72
KELSEA BALLERINI/Yeah Boy Black River Entertainment	23
DAN + SHAY/How Not To Warner Bros. Records (WMN)	22
JUSTIN MOORE/Somebody Else Wil Valory Music Co. (BMLG)	20
DIERKS BENTLEY/Black Capitol Records (UMG)	14
TYLER FARR/Our Town Columbia Nashville (SMN)	13
BLAKE SHELTON/A Guy With A Girl Warner Bros. Records (WMN)	11
GARTH BROOKS/Baby, Let's Lay Down And Dance Pearl Records Inc.	9
THOMAS RHETT/Star Of The Show Valory Music Co. (BMLG)	8
JAKE OWEN/If He Ain't Gonna Love You RCA Nashville (SMN)	7

Greatest Spin Increase

Increase

LITTLE BIG TOWN/Better Man Capitol Records (UMG)	754
KELSEA BALLERINI/Yeah Boy Black River Entertainment	337
BLAKE SHELTON/A Guy With A Girl Warner Bros. Records (WMN)	334
THOMAS RHETT/Star Of The Show Valory Music Co. (BMLG)	298
BRAD PAISLEY/Today Arista Nashville (SMN)	293
GARTH BROOKS/Baby, Let's Lay Down And Dance Pearl Records Inc.	212
DAN + SHAY/How Not To Warner Bros. Records (WMN)	174
DIERKS BENTLEY/Black Capitol Records (UMG)	173
OLD DOMINION/Song For Another Time RCA Nashville (SMN)	156
JUSTIN MOORE/Somebody Else Will Valory Music Co. (BMLG)	142

TRACtion Power Train Top 30 Breakout Chart

1	BRETT YOUNG/Sleep Without You/Republic Nashville (BMLG)
2	DRAKE WHITE/Livin' The Dream/Dot Records (BMLG)
3	GRANGER SMITH/If The Boot Fits/Wheelhouse (BBRMG)
4	LAUREN ALAINA/Road Less Traveled/Mercury Records (UMGN)
5	HIGH VALLEY/Make You Mine/Atlantic (WMN)
6	LANCO/Long Live Tonight/Arista Nashville (SMN)
7	RUNAWAY JUNE/Lipstick/Wheelhouse (BBRMG)
8	DYLAN SCOTT/My Girl/Curb Records
9	RAELYNN/Love Triangle/Warner Bros. Records (WMN)
10	LUKE COMBS/Hurricane/Thirty Tigers/River House Artists
11	CODY JINKS/I'm Not The Devil/Thirty Tigers/Cody Jinks Music
12	CODY JOHNSON/With You I Am/Cojo Music LLC
13	VINCE GILL/Me And My Girl/MCA Records (UMGN)
14	SMITH & WESLEY/You're The One/Garage Door Records
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22	JAMES DUPRE/Stoned To Death/Purfectt Pitch LLC
23	WHISKEY MYERS/Lightning Bugs And Rain/Wiggy Thump Records
24	MACY MARTIN/Heart Sleeve Soul/Go Time Records
25	MICKY & THE MOTORCARS/Sister Lost Soul/Micky & The Motorcars Music
26	RECKLESS KELLY/How Can You Love Him You Don't Even Like Him/No Big Deal
27	CURTIS GRIMES/From Where I'm Standing/Curtis Grimes Music
28	SOUTHERN HALO/Rewind/Southern Halo Records
29	SARAH DUNN BAND/Dirty/Reznam Records LLC
30	AARON GOODVIN/Woman In Love/Warner Music Canada /AJG Music Group

The TRACtion Top 30 Breakout Chart is a breakout of the highest performing singles that have never appeared in the Mainstream Country Top 40 before the current chart week.

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WILLIAM MICHAEL MORGAN/Missing/Warner Bros Nashville
LOCASH/Ring On Every Finger/Reviver Records
NICK TYRREL/Breathe The Air Tonight/Nick Tyrrel Music
AUSTRALIA'S TORNADOES/Cowboy For A Night/Hillbilly Rick Music
BRIAN PHARAOH/Fighting Another War/Spunkem Music
BEN MCPEAK/Fix You Up/Ben McPeak Music
AMY JACK/Game ON!/Amy Jack Music
THE HAMMOND BROTHERS/Let It Rain On Me/Vonger Records
RION PAIGE/Rise/coreNashville
DYLAN JAKOBSEN/Silverado/CB Music Management
CHARLIE MCCOY AND VINCE HATFIELD/The Hatfields and McCoys/Blue Moon Records

Christmas

CYNDI LAUPER feat ALISON KRAUSS/Hard Candy Christmas/Sire Records
KACEY MUSGRAVES/Present Without A Bow/Mercury Records
JOHN OATES feat THE TIME JUMPERS/Santa Be Good To Me/Electra Nashville/PS
RAY STEVENS/Mary and Joseph and the Baby And Me/CabaRay Entertainment
CANTON JUNCTION/A Big Ole Texas Christmas/Difference Media
VINCE VANCE AND THE VALIANTS/All I Want For Christmas Is You/Waldoxy
SERENE & PEARL/Bread of Life/Welby Street Press
ROBBIE ROBINSON/Carolina Christmas/GIM Records
VINCE VANCE AND THE VALIANTS/Christmas State of Mind/Waldoxy
EMILY VANCE/Christmas Stays The Same/Emily Vance Music
COLBY DEE/Christmas Time To Me/Rock By The Sea
ALLIE LOUISE/Hometown Christmas/Sixth Beat Productions
JOSIE BRANDON/Let The Little Angels Whisper/Tiger Records USA
MARTHIA SIDES/O Holy Night/Vega Victory Records
OLIVIA LANE/Rockin' Around The Christmas Tree/Big Spark Music Group
CODY JOE HODGES/Tangled In The Christmas Lights/Tate Music Group
GREG STERLING/That Better Be Santa Claus/Greg Sterling Music
NEWSONG/The Christmas Shoes/HHM Records

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Circle 5 Records artist **SaraBeth** chats with Host **Storme Warren** before the **Nashville Universe** Awards last night at the **Wildhorse**. **SaraBeth** won the "Female Vocalist" award.

Bubbling Under	Position
HUNTER HAYES/Yesterday's Song Atlantic (WMN)	81
RECKLESS KELLY/How Can You Love Him You Don't Even Like Him No Big Deal	82
WILLIAM MICHAEL MORGAN/Missing Warner Bros. Records (WMN)	83
CURTIS GRIMES/From Where I'm Standing Curtis Grimes Music	84
SOUTHERN HALO/Rewind Southern Halo Records	85
JOE NICHOLS/Undone Broken Bow Records (BBRMG)	86
JAKE WORTHINGTON/How Do You Honky Tonk W3 Productions, LLC	87
AARON WATSON/Outta Style BIG Label Records/Thirty Tigers	88
SARAH DUNN BAND/Dirty Reznam Records LLC	89
AARON GOODVIN/Woman In Love Warner Music Canada/AJG Music Group	90

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Believe it or not, in 2016 artists that scored hit singles in the 80s and 90s are being considered 'classic country' artists. With radio stations that report to the Billboard and Country Aircheck chart playing very few artists from the 80s and 90s, The Hot Seat in association with Webster Public Relations has created a way to bring the latest news, album updates, and profile segments on those artists to country listeners. These online segments are updated frequently and featured on the stations website.

Artists from Dolly Parton, Kenny Rogers, Brenda Lee, Sylvia, Janie Fricke, Lorrie Morgan, T.G. Sheppard, among so many others are releasing new music without fans ever hearing or learning about this music. Now, that wait is over!!!

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"Personally I enjoyed the Beyoncé/Dixie Chicks performance on the 50th annual CMA's but the fact that it garnered controversy doesn't surprise me. I have heard people say that The Dixie Chicks had no place being on that show even without Beyoncé, which I completely disagree with. Even though they have walked away from our format, they were the 2000 Entertainers of the year and part of the history of that show. No one seemed upset over Olivia Newton-John presenting an award on the show. And had the Chicks not been included, then people would have called foul over that. I wasn't surprised by Beyoncé's participation, as the CMA has included a non country musician the last several years on the award show. If it hadn't been her, I'm sure it would have been another non country artist in that spot. From what I hear including a non country artist is coming from the television networks.

If this is true, I think a bigger question is why the network is controlling so much of this award show. The network has said that every time a musical performance isn't on the air they lose viewers which is why every award isn't handed out on camera anymore. My listeners are telling me they want to see the awards, and the acceptance speeches and not have artists cut off or asked to shorten one of the biggest moments of their career because the show is running long.

I found this years show to be exceptional, one of the best ever. It's funny to me that when the show was shorter (2 hours) I actually enjoyed it more. Every award was handed out on camera and the Hall of Famers had an extended segment to be acknowledged. For me that's when it was truly the CMA Awards and not just the CMA Performances. The CMA knows our audience better than a television network does, and it might be time to stand up to the network and fight more for how great our format is."

Ryan McCall-WGLR-Platteville, WI

"I have to look at the performance vs politics. On the performance side I thought it was dynamic and well done. It's a good song. However Ms. B's and the Chicks insistence on using their talents to showcase their political views has no place at any awards show and most of the post awards reactions from my listeners was to that effect. They loved the show and had no problem with Ms. B but the Dixie Chicks post show social media postings defeated any gains they may have made in 'making nice'."

Mike Thomas-KWRE/KFAV-Warrenton, MO.

Stay tuned,

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Artist / Song Title / Label							
2	1	FLATLAND CAVALRY/One I Want/Flatland Cavalry Music	659	45	34	0	18
1	2	MICKY & THE MOTORCARS/Sister Lost Soul/Micky & The Motorcars Music	595	-72	34	1	18
4	3	WHISKEY MYERS/Lightning Bugs And Rain/Wiggy Thump Records	559	27	33	0	16
6	4	CASEY DONAHEW/Kiss Me/Almost Country Records	557	58	31	1	12
3	5	RECKLESS KELLY/How Can You Love Him You Don't Even Like Him/No Big Deal	507	-54	36	0	14
5	6	ROGER CREAGER/Wanna Wanna Bar/Fun All Wrong Records	497	-5	33	0	16
8	7	JON WOLFE/Boots On A Dancefloor/Fool Hearted Productions/Tone Tree Music	476	13	32	0	15
9	8	ZANE WILLIAMS/Bringin' Country Back/Texas Like That Records	438	-16	32	0	14
10	9	CURTIS GRIMES/From Where I'm Standing/Curtis Grimes Music	438	21	28	1	9
11	10	JERRETT ZOCH (& THE OSR BAND)/Everything I Need/Jerrett Zoch and OSR Band Music	434	62	29	2	13
12	11	WILLIAM CLARK GREEN/Old Fashioned/Bill Grease Records	410	44	27	1	7
14	12	SAM RIGGS/High On A Country Song/Deep Creek Records	394	38	31	0	11
17	13	JAKE WORTHINGTON/How Do You Honky Tonk/W3 Productions, LLC	382	74	24	1	12
15	14	KEVIN FOWLER/Texas Forever/Kevin Fowler Records	374	20	25	2	8
13	15	JOSH WARD/Broken Heart/Buckshot Records	362	0	27	3	7
16	16	TROY CARTWRIGHT/Busted/Hard Luck Recording Company/Troy Cartwright Music	324	15	29	1	15
18	17	JESSE RAUB JR/She Can Forgive/Jesse Raub Jr. Music	280	23	23	0	17
21	18	BRANDON JENKINS/Shadow Of A Broken Heart/Red Dirt Legend Recordings	248	13	18	2	11
20	19	SEAN MCCONNELL/Holy Days/Rounder/Concord Music Group	243	-4	21	1	17
22	20	JAMIE RICHARDS/Second Hand Smoke/Jamie Richards Music	239	21	19	0	8
19	21	JACK INGRAM/I'm Drinking Through It/Rounder/Concord Music Group	234	-15	23	0	19
24	22	KIMBERLY DUNN/Traffic/Kimberly Dunn Music	227	19	19	1	9
23	23	MIKE RYAN/New Home Town/Rock & Soul	222	9	16	1	5
25	24	JOSH ABBOTT BAND/Live It While You Got It/Pretty Damn Tough Records	217	33	20	6	3
28	25	DERYL DODD/The Ride/Little Red Truck Music	205	39	13	1	8
29	26	TURNPIKE TROUBADOURS/Come As You Are/Motel Time Productions	203	46	16	3	6
31	27	BLUE WATER HIGHWAY BAND/Speaking Of The Devil/Blue Water Highway Band Music	171	19	15	1	7
30	28	DALTON DOMINO/July/Lightning Rod Records	167	14	12	1	6
26	29	DUSTIN SONNIER/Whiskey Makes Her Miss Me So/Songs Of Sadness To Salve The Soul	149	-26	18	1	17
33	30	TJ BROSCOFF/Should've Been Mine/TJB Records	131	0	8	0	8



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36	31	RANDALL KING (FT. CLETO CORDERO)/Hard Livin' Illene/Randall King Music	128	15	9	0	4
34	32	CASE HARDIN/Sign Of A Fool/Case Hardin Music	127	13	10	0	10
35	33	KALEB MCINTIRE/Find Another Baby/Rockin' Doc Music	125	12	12	0	11
32	34	AUSTIN MEADE/Born With A Broken Heart/Austin Meade Music	120	-17	13	0	15
--	35	AARON WATSON/Outta Style/BIG Label Records/Thirty Tigers	116	22	9	4	1
37	36	LUKE ROBINSON/She Drinks Alone/Luke Robinson Music	114	10	9	1	8
39	37	SHANE SMITH AND THE SAINTS/Runaway Train/Geronimo Records	109	17	9	1	3
38	38	JEREMY STEDING/Late Night Love Song/Jeremy Steding Music	93	-3	8	1	5
44	39	BUFFALO RUCKUS, THE/Hills And Valleys/Shiner Records	91	15	5	1	5
42	40	DIRTY RIVER BOYS/Simplified/DRB Music	90	6	8	2	2
49	41	REVEREND'S DAUGHTER/Caroline/Reverend's Daughter Music	88	21	3	0	4
40	42	MAX STALLING/A Night's Pay In My Boot/Blind Nello Records	87	-2	9	0	5
48	43	WILL CARTER/With You/Way Back Records	81	14	6	0	3
47	44	PROPHETS AND OUTLAWS/Show Me/Seven Set Jam Records	78	9	10	2	3
--	45	BART CROW/Let It Bleed/Drift Ring Music	76	26	5	1	1
--	46	CALLAHAN DIVIDE/Aliens & Ice Cream/Callahan Divide Music	75	25	5	1	1
43	47	CODY WAYNE/Take Me Drunk/Broken String	74	-4	11	0	14
45	48	GENEVIEVE ALLEN/Rob That Train/Landstar Entertainment	74	0	5	1	13
46	49	HUNTER REA BAND/Memories/Hunter Rea Band Music	68	-2	4	0	2
41	50	DREW FISH/Small Price To Pay/Drew Fish Music	67	-22	5	0	13

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Bubbling Under	Position
JOHN HORD/Blame It On The Whiskey/John Hord Music	51
TRUCK STOP GAMBLERS/Side By Side/Logan Gray	52
COREY HUNT BAND/Explain/Super Secret Independent Records	53
ZAC STOKES/Woman Like You/Zac Stokes Music	54
STEPHEN CHADWICK/She Just Might Be A Love Song/Stag Records	55
KAITLIN BUTTS/Don't Push It/Kaitlin Butts Music	56
ADRIAN JOHNSTON/Rather Have You/Adrian Johnston Music	57
JEREMY PLATO AND THE DEPARTED/(It Won't Be Long) And I'll Be Hating You/Underground Sound	58
JASON YOUNG/The Moment/Bricktown Records	59
AARON WATSON/That Look/BIG Label Records/Thirty Tigers	60

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