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NEWS

Kane Brown Earns Two RIAA Platinum Certifications



The Recording Industry Association of America recently honored **Kane Brown** with two new awards: Brown's self-titled debut album and hit single "Heaven" both have earned official Platinum certification for reaching the one million unit threshold of total physical sales, downloads and on-demand audio and/or video stream equivalents. Click [here](#) for the full article.

Keith Urban Reveals Track Listing, Release Date For 'Graffiti U'

Keith Urban will return with his new album, *Graffiti U*, on April 27. The 13-track album marks Urban's ninth studio project, which includes his current single "Coming Home," featuring **Julia Michaels**. The album also includes Urban's recent hit, "Female," which he debuted at the 2017 CMA Awards. Click [here](#) to see the track listing.



CHART ACTION

New On The Chart — Debuting This Week

song/artist/label—Chart Position

Burn Out/Midland/Big Machine Records — 77

Morgan/Julia Capogrossi/Julia Capogrossi Music — 80

Greatest Spin Increase

song/artist/label—Spin Increase

Coming Home/Keith Urban feat. Julia Michaels/Capitol — 394

I Was Jack (You Were Diane)/Jake Owen/Big Loud Records — 342

Woman, Amen/Dierks Bentley/Capitol Nashville — 211

One Number Away/Luke Combs/Columbia — 204

I Hate Love Songs/Kelsea Ballerini/Black River Entertainment — 200

Heaven/Kane Brown/RCA Nashville — 192

Break Up In The End/Cole Swindell/Warner Bros. — 181

Most Added

song/artist/label—No. of Adds

Coming Home/Keith Urban feat. Julia Michaels/Capitol — 19

There's Always Now/Wes Hayden feat. Andy Griggs/SSM Nashville — 11

I Hate Love Songs/Kelsea Ballerini/Black River Entertainment — 10

David Ashley Parker From Powder Springs/Travis Denning/Mercury Nashville — 7

Hotel Key/Old Dominion/RCA Nashville — 7

Tequila/Dan + Shay/Warner Bros. — 6

Ruined This Town/Lee Gantt/HH Entertainment LLC — 6

On Deck—Soon To Be Charting

song/artist/label—No. of Spins

What Ever Happened/The Swon Brothers/TSB Records — 154

Keep On Rollin/Keeper Of The Plains/Bar Frog Music — 148

Blue Tacoma/Russell Dickerson/Triple Tigers — 137

Hotel Key/Old Dominion/RCA Nashville — 127

More Of That/Zach Janson/Nashville Nightlife Records — 118

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Pictured (L-R): Shane Runion sits down with Fletch Brown (WXFL/Florence, AL) for a video interview. Watch the interview [here](#).



Pictured (L-R): Natalia Morris (Southern Halo), Hannah Morris (Southern Halo), Heath Shelby (KWCK/Searcy, AR) and Christina Morris (Southern Halo).



Pictured (L-R): Marty Heddin with Brandon Young (KYKX/Longview, TX).



Pictured: The Z100/Carterville, IL team recently held a radiothon and raised over \$300,000 for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.



Pictured (L-R): Stephanie Brown (Sullivan County Public Health), Paul Ciliberto (WDMB/Liberty, NY), Julia Capogrossi and Corey Gips (Partymaster).



Pictured (L-R): Seth Dugger (Dugger Band), Captain Jack (Renegade Radio/Nashville, TN) and Jordan Dugger (Dugger Band).

ARTIST SPOTLIGHT

Ricky Cook

Current Single: Thanks A Lot, Loretta

Label: Jerry Duncan/Imperator Records

Songwriters: Ricky Cook; J.P. Pennington

Hometown: Oakdale, TN

Bio:

A country music traditionalist and champion horse trainer, Ricky Cook is bringing back authentic country music with the release of his debut album, *Thanks A Lot, Loretta*. The 12-track record features the sounds, melodies, and lyrics reminiscent of true country music, all co-written by Cook, and renowned country band, Exile's J.P. Pennington, who served as co-writer and producer.

"It was my distinct privilege to have worked with J.P. Pennington. He's not only my producer and co-writer, but he has become a great friend and mentor, says Cook. "These songs can take you from having a blast to tears in three-and-a-half minutes. The musicians on the album were Nashville's A-Team. Those guys could make barbwire sound good! It was truly an amazing experience."

"His songs tell a story, and that's what brings country music to life," explains Loretta Lynn's sister, Peggy Sue Wright, who made a cameo in the single's official video.

The lead single from the album also titled "Thanks A Lot, Loretta" was originally thought as a way for Cook to express his gratitude to the "Coal Miner's Daughter," but that's not how the song came out. Instead Cook gives Loretta Lynn's pioneering lyrics a nod in a 'tongue and cheek' manner as the reason he is being told to straighten up, as his gal follows the teachings of the country legend – the original mentor for female empowerment.

The CD is a result of a confident collection that runs the gamut from the rollicking ("Honk for a Hottie") to the unapologetically bold ("If That's Just Too Country") to the poignantly romantic ("The Kissin' Tree"). Each song is a categorical journey through Ricky Cook's observations of life. Cook gives listeners a chance to hang on to a musical tradition that may be challenged by the winds of change, but in capable hands remains just as strongly and deeply rooted as that famous old holly, known as the "Kissin' Tree" still standing in Oakdale, TN.

The single can be found on Itunes, Spotify, Amazon and other outlets. The other 11 tracks on CD Baby. More information contact Absolute Publicity, 615-275-8380 or visit www.rickycookmusic.com.



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Singles

April 6

October Rose/Closer/October Rose Music

April 9

Midland/Burn Out/Big Machine

Old Dominion/Hotel Key/RCA Nashville

Craig Campbell/See You Try/Red Bow

Melissa Mickelson/Hold On/Tower Hill Entertainment

Andrea Vasquez/Sugar Coat It/Arrow Music Agency

April 16

Thomas Rhett/Life Changes/Valory

Smith & Wesley/Hook Line & Sinker/Dreamwalkin' Records

Dallas Remington/Never Turned Around/RoadWarrior

Cort Carpenter/Holy Ground/Triple C Records

Lefroy/Mexican Getaway/Stallion Records

Charles Parker/Party Girls/Charles Parker Music

Albums

April 6

Various/*Restoration* [Elton John reinterpreted]/Universal Music Group Nashville

Various/*Johnny Cash: Forever Words*/Legacy Recordings

Don Gibson/*The Best of the Hickory Records Years (1970-1978)*/Omnivore Recordings

Blackberry Smoke/*Find A Light*/Thirty Tigers

David Lee Murphy/*No Zip Code*

April 13

Jason Aldean/*Rearview Town*/Broken Bow Records

John Prine/*The Tree of Forgiveness*/Oh Boy Records

CJ Solar/*Get Away With It* [EP]/Sea Gayle Records

April 20

Brothers Osborne/*Port Saint Joe*/EMI Nashville

Ashley Monroe/*Sparrow*/Warner Music Nashville

Old Crow Medicine Show/*Volunteer*/Columbia Records Nashville

Donovan Woods/*Both Ways*/Meant Well

Joshua Hedley/*Mr. Jukebox*/Third Man Records



Dierks Bentley comes out on top on this week's *MusicRow CountryBreakout Chart* with "Woman, Amen." This is the lead single to his upcoming ninth studio album, *The Mountain* set for release this year.

Bentley co-wrote the single with **Josh Kear** and **Ross Copperman**.

In addition to his [Mountain High Tour](#) this summer, Bentley announced his [Seven Peaks Music Festival](#) taking place Aug. 31-Sept. 2 in Buena Vista, Colorado. Bentley will take the stage several times over the course of the weekend, and has invited friends and collaborators including **Miranda Lambert**, **Brothers Osborne**, **Elle King**, **LANCO**, **Del McCoury**, **Sam Bush** and **The Cadillac Three** as the first announced artists to play.



Each songwriter and artist earning No. 1 credit on the *MusicRow Chart* receives a *MusicRow Challenge Coin*. Click [here](#) to view a full list of recipients.

MusicRow CountryBreakout Chart Reporting Stations

KAIR Atchison KS	KQUS Hot Springs AR	KYYK Palestine TX	WEIO Huntingdon TN	WQNZ Natchez MS
KBOE Oskaloosa IA	KRAZ Santa Maria CA	KZPK St. Cloud MN	WFGE State College PA	WQPC Prairie du Chien WI
KCJC Russellville AR	KRGI Grand Island NE	KZZY Devils Lake ND	WFGS Murray KY	WRTB Rockford IL
KCLQ Camdenton MO	KRKT Albany OR	Renegade Radio Nashville	WFRY Watertown NY	WTCM Traverse City MI
KCNY Conway AR	KRRV Alexandria LA	WAAG Galesburg IL	WGGC Bowling Green KY	WTCR Huntington WV
KDXY Jonesboro AR	KRVN Lexington NE	WAKG Danville VA	WGLR Platteville WI	WTDR Oxford AL
KFAV Warrenton MO	KSMA Mason City IA	WATZ Alpena MI	WHMA Anniston AL	WTHO Thomson GA
KFTX Corpus Christi TX	KTHK Idaho Falls ID	WAXX Altoona WI	WIFE Connersville IN	WTNJ Beckley WV
KGKL San Angelo TX	KVAY Lamar CO	WBKR Owensboro KY	WJVL Janesville WI	WUBB Savannah GA
KIAI Mason City IA	KWCK Searcy AR	WBYZ Baxley GA	WKDZ Cadiz KY	WUCZ Carthage TN
KICR Sandpoint ID	KWEY Weatherford OK	WCFT Selinsgrove PA	WKKW Morgantown WV	WUUU Covington LA
KIQK Rapid City SD	KWHW Altus OK	WCJW Warsaw NY	WKPE Hyannis MA	WVMD Cumberland MD
KITX Hugo OK	KWOX Woodward OK	WCOW Sparta WI	WLLX Lawrenceburg TN	WXFL Florence AL
KMKS Bay City TX	KWWR Mexico MO	WDGG Huntington WV	WMC1 Mattoon IL	WYGB Franklin IN
KMRK Odessa TX	KXIA Marshalltown IA	WDHR Pikeville KY	WMEV Marion VA	
KQBA Santa Fe NM	KXOX Sweetwater TX	WDKN Dickson TN	WOLF Syracuse NY	
KQKI Morgan City LA	KYEZ Salina KS	WDNB Monticello NY	WOOZ Carterville IL	
KQKX Norfolk NE	KYSM Mankato MN	WDZQ Decatur IL	WPCK Green Bay WI	

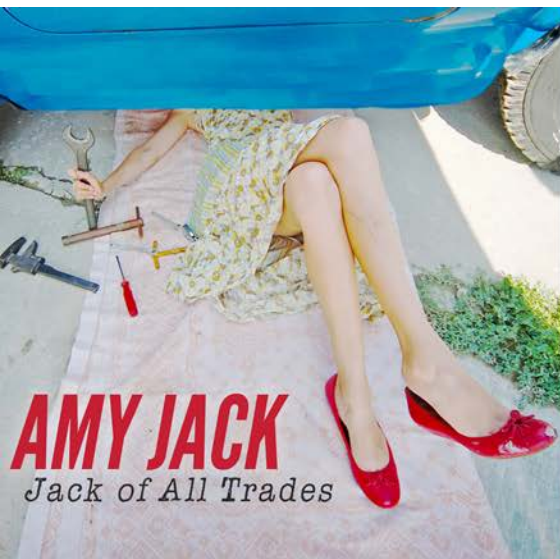
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Weeks On Chart	Last Week	This Week	Song / Artist / Label	Spins / Reports	% Spin Power	Spins +/-
11	3	1	Woman, Amen / Dierks Bentley / Capitol Nashville	2678/85	9	211
44	2	2	She's With Me / High Valley / Warner Bros.	2657/74	6	148
12	5	3	I Lived It / Blake Shelton / Warner Bros.	2578/79	6	150
17	7	4	Heaven / Kane Brown / RCA Nashville	2439/71	9	192
23	6	5	She Ain't In It / Jon Pardi / Capitol Nashville	2424/86	1	20
17	8	6	Up Down / Morgan Wallen ft. Florida Georgia Line / Big Loud Records	2308/82	4	80
40	9	7	The Ones That Like Me / Brantley Gilbert / Valory	2272/75	3	69
10	1	8	You Make It Easy / Jason Aldean / Broken Bow	2246/62	-17	-460
14	11	9	One Number Away / Luke Combs / Columbia	2191/76	10	204
27	10	10	Heart Break / Lady Antebellum / Capitol	2182/78	5	96
16	12	11	Meant To Be / BeBe Rexha feat. Florida Georgia Line / BMLG	2036/51	3	60
29	13	12	Kinda Don't Care / Justin Moore / Valory	1930/79	1	13
23	14	13	Take Back Home Girl / Chris Lane feat. Tori Kelly / Big Loud Records	1906/74	7	132
5	17	14	I Was Jack (You Were Diane) / Jake Owen / Big Loud Records	1794/80	24	342
29	15	15	Hooked / Dylan Scott / Curb	1650/71	6	87
30	18	16	Get To You / Michael Ray / Atlantic/Warner Music Nashville/WEA Radio & Streaming	1482/67	4	56
12	19	17	Shoot Me Straight / Brothers Osborne / EMI Records Nashville	1435/71	7	94
13	23	18	Criminal / Lindsay Ell / Stoney Creek Records	1260/65	4	53
25	22	19	Old Porch Swing / Tony Jackson / DDS Entertainment	1250/57	3	42
15	21	20	Hide the Wine / Carly Pearce / Big Machine	1239/69	1	11
8	27	21	Mercy / Brett Young / BMLG	1209/68	15	159
16	25	22	Last Shot / Kip Moore / MCA	1187/60	5	52
16	24	23	Airplane / CJ Solar / Sea Gayle	1181/64	2	27
6	32	24	Break Up In The End / Cole Swindell / Warner Bros.	1149/67	19	181
30	20	25	Speakers, Bleachers And Preachers / Brandon Lay / EMI Records Nashville	1098/52	-17	-231
15	28	26	Drunk Girl / Chris Janson / Warner Music Nashville	1071/63	3	27
20	26	27	Noise / Shenandoah / BMG	1060/44	-1	-13
16	29	28	Boots Off / Terry McBride / MV2 Production	1052/58	5	49
8	31	29	Run Wild Horses / Aaron Watson / Big Label Records	1034/65	5	48
20	30	30	Selfish / Stephanie Quayle / Rebel Engine	992/57	0	-1
13	34	31	The Older I Get / Alan Jackson / ACR/EMI	986/55	4	39
9	35	32	Kiss Somebody / Morgan Evans / Warner Bros./WEA	985/53	8	72
14	33	33	Still The Same / Sugarland / Big Machine	970/53	1	9
2	45	34	Coming Home / Keith Urban feat. Julia Michaels / Capitol	957/62	70	394
11	37	35	Tequila / Dan + Shay / Warner Bros.	943/55	14	118
11	36	36	Don't Get Better Than That / LOCASH / Reviver	868/52	1	5
23	38	37	A Little Dive Bar In Dahlonga / Ashley McBryde / Road Life Records	855/52	6	51
25	39	38	Three Chords And The Truth / Chase Rice / Broken Bow	802/47	6	46
9	41	39	Rich / Maren Morris / Columbia	775/49	10	71
20	40	40	I'd Be Jealous Too / Dustin Lynch / Broken Bow Records	737/42	-1	-4



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Weeks On Chart	Last Week	This Week	Song / Artist / Label	Spins / Report	% Spin Power	Spins +/-
7	42	41	Hangin' On / Chris Young / RCA Nashville	730/46	14	91
5	53	42	I Hate Love Songs / Kelsea Ballerini / Black River Entertainment	675/51	42	200
18	43	43	Heaven / Jason Pritchett / Dynamite Music Group	639/31	4	24
14	44	44	Diane / Cam / Arista Nashville/RCA	604/37	2	14
16	46	45	Buses And Trains / AC Jones / SSM Nashville	591/41	6	35
15	48	46	Yes / Eric Chesser / BIGBIG Records	565/31	11	57
17	47	47	East Tennessee Son / Dugger Band / Dugger Band Music	540/27	2	12
10	51	48	Born To Love You / LANCO / Arista Nashville	534/36	9	45
8	50	49	Rearview / Jagertown / G&N Entertainment	530/42	5	27
21	49	50	Wild West / Runaway June / Wheelhouse Records	498/32	-2	-8
15	52	51	Don't Let Her Be Gone / Jared Blake / Skiddco Records	488/34	2	8
7	58	52	Cannonball / Cash Campbell / Captain & Bear Media	463/30	12	50
11	56	53	I Got You / Tim Elliott / Boggs River Entertainment	459/35	9	38
8	55	54	Reasons / Jillian Jacqueline / Big Loud Records	455/33	6	27
12	57	55	Hey Mama / Michael Tyler / Reviver	420/28	1	6
5	61	56	Young Forever / Eric Paslay / EMI Nashville	417/31	15	55
10	60	57	Love Hurts / Sonia Langham / GTR	410/22	7	28
8	59	58	Game Changer / Marty Heddin / Nightlife Entertainment Group/Dreamlined, LLC	397/24	4	15
10	62	59	I Got This / Jerrod Niemann / Curb	365/23	6	22
6	64	60	California Dreamin / Denny Strickland / Red Star Productions	354/28	9	29
4	67	61	Power Of Garth / Lucas Hoge / Forge Entertainment	353/30	23	66
13	63	62	195 / The Band Steele / Fire River Records	340/24	2	6
4	66	63	Hurt Good / James Dupre / Purrfect Pitch Music	339/32	13	38
14	65	64	What Kinda Man / Claudia Hoyser / GFI Music	311/24	2	6
3	69	65	Worth It / Danielle Bradbery / BMLG	306/19	20	51
8	68	66	Never Give Up / Jake McVey / Purple Cow Records	289/20	5	14
4	71	67	You Got 'Em All / Trent Harmon / Big Machine	276/20	19	45
6	70	68	Tattoos / Shane Runion / Lick Records	270/21	9	22
6	72	69	Nothin' About Love / Ashla Taylor / West End Music Group/Rebel Intelligence	244/25	9	21
5	73	70	Fish / John Schneider / Maven Music	235/22	15	30
2	79	71	Anything Is Possible / Southern Halo / Southern Halo Records	225/19	45	70
3	74	72	Beautifully Broken / John Berry / JB Music LLC	216/19	17	31
2	80	73	David Ashley Parker From Powder Springs / Travis Denning / Mercury Nashville	211/20	39	59
2	77	74	Nowhere With You / Dave McElroy / Free Flow Records	198/18	19	31
3	75	75	Junkyard / Heidi Raye / Harlan Howard Records	184/16	4	7
6	76	76	Dallas Until I Die / Remington / Amy Jack Music	179/12	7	11
1	86	77	Burn Out / Midland / Big Machine Records	175/13	50	58
2	82	78	One More Song / Adam Capps /	161/11	9	13
3	78	79	All The Love You Left Me / Sara Evans / Born To Fly Records	160/10	1	2
1	83	80	Morgan / Julia Capogrossi / Julia Capogrossi Music	158/13	15	21

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