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COUNTRY**breakout** Chart

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CHART ACTION

Rhett And Ballerini To Host CMA Music Festival Special On ABC



Tourmates **Thomas Rhett** and **Kelsea Ballerini** have been on the road as part of Thomas Rhett's Home Team Tour this year, but this summer, he and Ballerini will team up again, this time to host the CMA Fest 2017, a three-hour music special to be aired on ABC at a yet-to-be-announced date. The CMA Music Festival will run from June 8-11 in Nashville. More on this story here.

John Butler To Exit Curb, Join Spotify As Head Of Christian Music

After 15 years at Curb Records, VP of Promotion **John Butler** is exiting the company. He will join Spotify as Head of Christian Music, beginning April 24. In his new role, Butler will continue to be based in Nashville, overseeing Christian music globally through playlist curation, programming and editorial. Read the full story here.

New On The Chart —Debuting This Week

Artist/song/label—chart pos.

Brad Paisley/Last Time For Everything/Arista Nashville -53

Jerrod Niemann/God Made A Woman/Curb— 64

Camille Rae/I Need Me/Break The Cycle Entertainment—73

Aubrie Sellers/Liar Liar/Warner Bros-74

Jacob Davis/What I Wanna Be/Black River Entertainment—78

Jake Worthington/A Lot Of Room To Talk—79

Jamie Lee Thurston/Givin' Up Breathin'/Thurston For Entertainment— 80

Greatest Spin Increase

Artist/song/label—Spin Increase

Miranda Lambert/Tin Man/RCA Nashville— 306

Thomas Rhett w/ Maren Morris/Craving You/Valory Music Co— 231

Brad Paisley/Last Time For Everything/Arista Nashville— 223

Brett Young/In Case You Didn't Know/BMLG—212

Eric Church/Round Here Buzz/EMI Nashville—193

Most Added

Artist/song/label—No. of Adds

Jerrod Niemann/God Made A Woman/Curb—18

Brad Paisley/Last Time For Everything/Arista Nashville—16

Miranda Lambert/Tin Man/RCA Nashville— 15

On Deck—Soon To Be Charting

Artist/song/label—No. of Spins

Hillbilly Vegas/High Time For A Good Time/You Betchee— 111

Brooke Eden/Act Like You Don't/Red Bow—110

Tony McKee w/ Eric Lee Beddingfield/Problem With Me/Bar Frog Music—109

James Robert Webb/Six Strings & The Truth/Bison Creek—99

Canaan Smith/Like You That Way/Mercury Nashville—89



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ARTIST SPOTLIGHT









Cherie Brennan

Stanley Music Group

Current Single:

"Mystery"

Songwriters:

Cherie Brennan

Hometown:

lacksonville, FL

Artist Bio:

Ever feel like you are in a really dark place and wish that someone or something would turn on the light? That's where singer/songwriter Cherie Brennan finds herself in her new single, "Mystery." When you need some peace of mind, find life difficult and confusing, where do you turn for help? Sometimes friends and family just can't help you, and in that moment of despair, you turn humbly to God. "Mystery" is a game changer whose music and lyrics will pierce through that wall of despair you may be feeling and help you find that freedom that Cherie found. Cherie's beautiful voice soars through this powerful and edgy track about redemption and hope. You can find "Mystery" on Itunes, Spotify, Amazon, and other outlets. "Mystery" was written by Cherie Brennan and produced by Daryl Phenneger for Cherie Brennan Music. For more information, please contact Stanley Music Group's Darlene Fowler 615-491-2074 or Webster Public Relations, 615-777-6995.

Fun Facts about Cherie:

- 1. I'm an avid tennis player.
- 2. I love walking on the beach(Florida girl)
- 3. I love walking with my dog, Shamus, off-leash in the woods.
- 4. I'm an incurable romantic and love romantic movies and "chic flicks."
- 5. I love sitting at night in the enclosed back porch, listening to the nature sounds and having some quiet time.
- 6. Favorite food...dark chocolate anything.

Connect: www.cheriebrennan.com





Pictured (L-R): Nora Collins with *MusicRow*'s Troy Stephenson.



Pictured (L-R): WJVL/Janesville, WI's Chet Daniels with CJ Solar.



Pictured (L-R): GrassRoots/Thurston For Entertainment artist Jamie Lee Thurston, WKPE/Cape Cod's Cat Wilson and guitarist Mark Lurvey.



Pictured (L-R): KSMA/Mason City, IA's J. Brooks with Reznam Records' Sarah Dunn.



Pictured (L-R): AmeriMonte's Shane Owens with WOOZ/Cartersville, IL's Tracy McSherry.



Pictured (L-R): Rick Monroe with WQNZ/Natchez, MS's Andrew Michael.



CALENDAR

Singles

April 24

Brad Paisley/Last Time For Everything/Arista Nashville Eric Chesser/Good Times & Summer Days/BIGBIG Records Russell Dickerson/Yours/Triple Tigers Cherie Brennan/Mystery/Stanley Music Group Rick Patterson/Don't Cry For Me/Stanley Music Group Nick Brennan/Buck Naked/Stanley Music Group

May 1

Devin Dawson/All On Me/Warner Bros Jon Pardi/Heartache On The Dance Floor/Capitol Nashville Shotgun Wedding/South of Somewhere/SWAG Records Parmalee/Sunday Morning/Stoney Creek Records

May 8

Jason Aldean/They Don't Know/Broken Bow Jeremy Michael/Talk/Song Bus Records

Albums

April 21

Brad Paisley/*Love and War*/Arista Nashville **Charlie Worsham**/*Beginning of Things*/Warner Bros. **Angaleena Presley**/*Wrangled*/Mining Light Music-Thirty Tigers

April 28

Willie Nelson/God's Problem Child/Legacy Recordings
Little Big Town/The Breaker (vinyl)/Capitol Nashville
Old Crow Medicine Show/50 Years of Blonde on Blonde/Columbia
Allman Brothers Band/The Fox Box [8 CD set]/RED Distribution

May 5

Chris Stapleton/From A Room: Volume 1/Mercury Nashville

May 12

Zac Brown Band/Welcome Home/Southern Ground/Elektra Josh Turner/Deep South (vinyl)/MCA Nashville Rick Monroe/Gypsy Soul [EP]/MRG Recordings

NO. 1 SONG



Sam Hunt is back at the top of the *MusicRow* CountryBreakout chart this week with "Body Like A Backroad." It is the first single released since his August 2016 title "Make You Miss Me" reached No. 1.

"Body Like A Backroad" was written by Hunt along with Zach Crowell, Shane McAnally, and Josh Osborne.

It is also the <u>hottest-selling country track</u> this week with 61K copies sold.

The recently married Hunt will launch his headlining 15 In A 30 Tour on June 1 at Cleveland, Ohio's Blossom Music Center, and he's bringing musical friends Maren Morris, Chris Janson and Ryan Follese along for the trek.



Click <u>here</u> to view a full list of *MusicRow's* Challenge Coin recipients.

MusicRow CountryBreakout Chart Reporting Stations

WHMA Anniston AL WXFL Florence AL WTDR Talladega AL KCJC Russellville AR KCNY Conway AR KDXY Jonesboro AR **KQUS Hot Springs AR KWCK Searcy AR** KTTI Yuma AZ KRAZ Santa Barbara CA **KVAY Lamar CO** WHWY Destin FL WBYZ Baxley GA WTHO Thomson GA WUBB Savannah GA KIAI Mason City IA KSMA Mason City IA

KXIA Marshalltown IA KTHK Idaho Falls ID **KQBL** Boise ID WAAG Galesburg IL WOOZ Carterville IL WGKC Urbana IL WDZQ Decatur IL WMCI Mattoon IL WRTB Rockford IL WIFE Connersville IN WYGB Franklin IN KAIR Atchison KS KYEZ Salina KS WGGC Bowling Green KY WKDZ Cadiz KY WFGS Murray KY WBKR Owensboro KY WDHR Pikeville KY

KRRV Alexandria LA KQKI Morgan City LA WKPE Hyannis, MA WVMD Cumberland MD WATZ Alpena MI WTCM Traverse City MI KZPK St. Cloud MN KYSM Mankato MN KCLQ Lebanon MO KWWR Mexico MO KFAV Warrenton MO WQNZ Natchez MS KZZY Devils Lake ND KRVN Lexington NE KQKX Norfolk NE KRGI Grand Island NE KOBA Santa Fe NM WKPQ Hornell NY

WDNB Liberty NY **WOLF Syracuse NY** WCJW Warsaw NY WFRY Watertown NY KWHW Altus OK KITX Hugo OK KWOX Woodward OK KWEY Weatherford OK KRKT Albany OR WFGE State College PA WCFT Selinsgrove PA KIQK Rapid City, SD WDKN Dickson TN WLLX Lawrenceburg TN WUCZ Carthage TN Renegade Radio Nashville KFTX Corpus Christi TX

KGKL San Angelo TX KMKS Bay City TX KXOX Sweetwater TX KYYK Palestine TX KMRK Odessa TX WAKG Danville VA KICR Spokane WA WAXX Altoona WI WCOW La Crosse WI WGLR Platteville WI WIVL Ianesville WI WQPC Prairie du Chien WI WPCK Green Bay WI WDGG Huntington WV WKKW Morgantown WV WTNI Mount Hope WV WTCR Huntington WV



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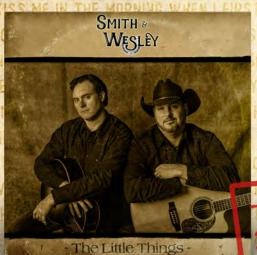




Thursday, April 20, 2017

Weeks On Chart	Last Week	This Week	Artist / Song / Label	Spins / Reports	% Spin Power	Spins +/-
11	2	1	Sam Hunt / Body Like A Backroad / MCA Nashville	2898/77	3	96
16	3	2	Brett Young / In Case You Didn't Know / BMLG Records	2830/85	8	212
13	4	3	Lady Antebellum / You Look Good / Capitol Nashville	2589/85	2	56
15	5	4	Rascal Flatts / Yours If You Want It / Big Machine	2528/84	3	78
40	6	5	Darius Rucker / If I Told You / Capitol Nashville	2420/74	1	32
11	7	6	Keith Urban w/ Carrie Underwood / The Fighter / Capitol Nashville	2360/79	2	56
15	9	7	Florida Georgia Line / God, Your Mama and Me / BMLG	2263/78	8	160
34	8	8	Trent Harmon / There's A Girl / Big Machine	2259/79	3	57
11	10	9	Blake Shelton / Every Time I Hear That Song / Warner Bros.	2160/81	7	141
24	11	10	Justin Moore / Somebody Else Will / Valory Music Co.	2056/84	3	51
27	1	11	Luke Combs / Hurricane / River House Artists-Columbia Nashville	2051/57	-28	-801
11	13	12	Zac Brown Band / My Old Man / Southern Ground/Elektra	1956/82	4	76
16	15	13	Brothers Osborne / It Ain't My Fault / EMI Records Nashville	1911/82	6	114
25	12	14	Dan + Shay / How Not To / Warner Bros.	1910/65	1	28
21	14	15	Billy Currington / Do I Make You Wanna / Mercury Nashville	1807/78	0	8
31	17	16	Chris Lane / For Her / Big Loud Records	1669/72	-1	-11
15	19	17	Cole Swindell feat. Dierks Bentley / Flatliner / Warner Bros.	1622/74	2	34
4	20	18	Tim McGraw & Faith Hill / Speak To A Girl / Arista Nashville	1520/74	6	90
9	22	19	Midland / Drinkin' Problem / Big Machine	1425/82	12	153
13	24	20	Easton Corbin / A Girl Like You / Mercury Nashville	1331/72	8	101
22	21	21	LoCASH / Ring On Every Finger / Reviver Records	1307/66	1	15
8	23	22	Brett Eldredge / Something I'm Good At / Warner Bros.	1296/69	2	24
3	27	23	Thomas Rhett w/ Maren Morris / Craving You / Valory Music Co	1294/74	22	231
6	26	24	Old Dominion / No Such Thing As A Broken Heart / RCA Nashville	1274/72	17	182
26	25	25	Morgan Wallen / The Way I Talk / Big Loud Records	1157/64	3	34
8	29	26	Kip Moore / More Girls Like You / MCA Nashville	1026/66	6	57
5	33	27	Maren Morris / I Could Use A Love Song / Columbia Nashville	998/68	15	131
18	30	28	Drake White / Makin' Me Look Good Again / BMLG	952/60	3	32
15	31	29	CJ Solar / Just Another Day In The Country / Sea Gayle	928/57	3	24
3	39	30	Miranda Lambert / Tin Man / RCA Nashville	917/62	50	306
13	34	31	Shane Owens / All The Beer In Alabama / AmeriMonte	896/57	9	72
8	35	32	Dustin Lynch / Small Town Boy / Broken Bow	881/58	10	83
14	36	33	Seth Ennis / Woke Up In Nashville / Arista Nashville	818/54	11	78
4	38	34	Little Big Town / Happy People / Capitol Nashville	805/54	27	170
5	37	35	Garth Brooks / Ask Me How I Know / Pearl Records	759/50	8	59
3	42	36	Eric Church / Round Here Buzz / EMI Nashville	740/56	35	193
10	40	37	Rachael Turner / Hurts Don't It / Rustic Records	631/45	5	29
12	41	38	Presley & Taylor / This Phone / Mercy Music City	593/41	7	39
7	43	39	Big & Rich / California / New Revolution	576/39	6	33
7	45	40	The Swon Brothers / Don't Call Me / TSB Records	523/43	5	24







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22	28	41	Keith Walker / Me Too /	519/29	-48	-479
7	47	42	Rachel Holder / You Only Call Me When You're Drunk / Curb	495/40	13	55
16	46	43	Robby Johnson / Together / Contrast Music Records	490/29	-1	-7
10	49	44	Courtney Dickinson / So Over The Rainbow /	432/33	17	63
5	50	45	A Thousand Horses / Preachin' To The Choir / Big Machine	424/37	19	68
8	52	46	Denny Strickland / We Don't Sleep / Red Star Productions	398/34	17	58
8	54	47	Kane Brown feat. Lauren Alaina / What Ifs / RCA Nashville	373/30	12	39
6	56	48	Smith & Wesley / The Little Things / Dream Walkin' Records	368/36	23	69
10	53	49	Dylan Jakobsen / Silverado / CB Music	348/25	3	10
6	55	50	LanCo / Greatest Love Story / Arista Nashville	342/28	10	32
5	51	51	Trace Adkins / Watered Down / Wheelhouse	341/30	-3	-11
8	58	52	Southern Halo / Living Like That / Southern Halo Records	317/27	15	42
1	87	53	Brad Paisley / Last Time For Everything / Arista Nashville	314/25	245	223
6	59	54	Rick Monroe / This Side Of You / MRG Recordings	309/30	13	36
12	57	55	Jagertown / She Won't Be Lonely / Break The Cycle Entertainment	308/20	3	9
4	64	56	Carly Pearce / Every Little Thing / Big Machine	306/26	35	79
5	61	57	Tony Jackson / The Grand Tour /	284/25	15	36
7	62	58	Chelsea Bain / Drinkin' Alone / Turn 3 Records	270/30	13	31
16	60	59	Tyler Hammond / Tough Girl /	257/15	1	2
2	75	60	Jake Owen / Good Company / RCA Nashville	250/22	64	98
27	63	61	RaeLynn / Love Triangle / Warner Bros.	234/15	-2	-5
5	65	62	Sarah Dunn Band / Figure It Out / Reznam Records	229/22	7	14
2	73	63	Cody Johnson / Wild as You /	222/15	40	63
1	94	64	Jerrod Niemann / God Made A Woman / Curb	213/25	188	139
5	67	65	Kat Taylor / Shame On You / Janco	202/18	6	11
3	69	66	Macy Martin / Broke Down / GTR Records	195/19	13	23
4	71	67	Reba McEntire / Back to God / Nash Icon	194/13	18	29
11	66	68	Frankie Ballard / You'll Accomp'ny Me / Warner Bros.	194/12	-3	-7
8	74	69	Gretchen Wilson / Rowdy / Redneck Records	182/10	18	28
11	70	70	Jackie Lee / Getting Over You / Broken Bow Records	181/15	8	14
3	72	71	Nick Hickman / Tipsy /	175/15	7	11
5	77	72	Jamie Stever / This Life Ain't For Everyone / Tri-Mount Entertainment	169/12	18	26
1	83	73	Camille Rae / I Need Me / Break the Cycle Entertainment	158/16	40	45
1	82	74	Aubrie Sellers / Liar Liar / Warner Bros.	154/14	35	40
2	78	75	Maddie Wilson / Love Like Theirs / Music For Good	154/12	25	31
3	76	76	Michael Tyler / They Can't See / Reviver Records	154/11	7	10
2	79	77	Adam Craig / Just A Phase / Stoney Creek	151/12	24	29
1	92	78	Jacob Davis / What I Wanna Be / Black River Entertainment	146/15	90	69
1	81	79	Jake Worthington / A Lot Of Room To Talk /	137/10	18	21
1	85	80	Jamie Lee Thurston / Givin' Up Breathin' / Thurston For Entertainment	122/12	13	14



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