

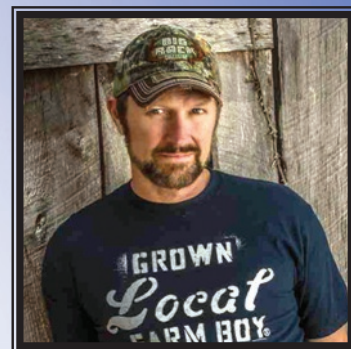
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Stephanie Rabus • Song And Dance ★★★★★★
www.stephanierabus.com

The just released Stephanie Rabus' project, Song And Dance is an incredible showcase of her talent. In a world where too often artists rely on elaborate productions and studio tricks to present their product, Stephanie does just the opposite with this acoustic album. Her vocals are pure, exquisite and full of country soul throughout - from her self-penned tunes to the Ben Peters song, "All The Love You Can Stand."



Breelan Angel • Dirty Little Secrets ★★★★★★
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Texas native, Breelan Angel's album, Dirty Little Secrets, is a look into not only her vocal talent, but her songwriting skills as well, co-writing all ten songs. Her contemporary country sound is filled with emotion, attitude and passion with songs like "Love Understands" and the title cut, "Dirty Little Secrets." This project should propel her even higher into the mainstream country music arena.



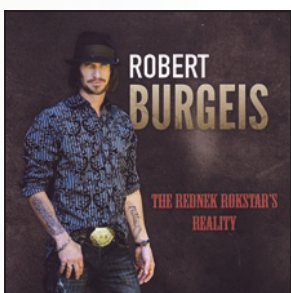
Julie Keech-Harris • Hey Cowboy ★★★★★★
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On her Hey Cowboy CD, Julie Keech-Harris lifts up her pure country voice on some classics like Loretta Lynn's "You Ain't Woman Enough" and Merle Haggard's "Today I Started Loving You Again." With her confident delivery, she adds her own touch to each song. She also co-wrote one song on the project "John A's Big Time," a song written about the legendary John A's in Nashville, which is a nice tribute.



Robert Allen • From The Heart ★★★★★★
www.robertallen.com

Robert Allen's album, From The Heart is simply a straight ahead country project. There is no pretense here, the production and Robert's smooth easy vocals deliver an entertaining album. With familiar songs like "Loving You," "Faded Love," "Does Fort Worth Ever Cross Your Mind" and "Here In The Real World," Robert conveys the essence of pure and honest country music.



Robert Burgeis • The Rednek Rokstar's Reality ★★★★★★
www.robertburgeis.com

The Robert Burgeis project, The Rednek Rokstar's Reality is appropriately titled. He is a "Rokstar" but it's obvious he has a "Rednek" heart. His song lyrics are from the heart and will touch a chord with audiences. He surrounds his words with a rock 'n roll beat and sings with passion. Of particular interest is "Before They Take It All," which should become an American anthem.

~~~ *Miss Jeanie* ~~~

Living Her Dream

by Brenda L. Madden



Over the years, the mountains of West Virginia have produced some of the most honest and sweetest sounding music ever heard. Native West Virginian, Jeanie Slusarek, better known as Miss Jeanie, continues that legacy.

Her love of music began as a child while watching her mother perform on a Clarksburg, West Virginia radio station. From that moment on, the dream of being a singer burned within her heart. Turning that dream into reality, she made her first professional appearance at the renowned Victoria Theater in

Wheeling. From then on, music was never far away, whether performing in a family band with her sons or planning to go on the road with her husband. Unfortunately, her husband was diagnosed with MS before their road adventures began, and those musical plans had to be put on hold.

Sadly those plans would never come to fruition when her husband passed away, but Miss Jeanie's love of music was still burning strong. Those heartfelt desires led her to Nashville and producer Lonnie Spiker, which resulted in the recording of her second album, *Sweet Sarcastic*. With Lonnie's assistance, she found the perfect songs for the project including a couple written by singer/songwriter Judy Rodman. In fact, the title cut, "Sweet Sarcastic" is a co-penned tune by Judy and Lonnie. Surrounding her with some of Nashville's finest musicians and Judy providing background vocals, Lonnie brought Miss Jeanie's music to new heights.



Another special gem on the album is "Summer's Gone," a song Miss Jeanie wrote several years ago. Although previously recorded, it was reborn with a Nashville sound. The album, like Miss Jeanie, is a mixture of slow and fast, some jazz and a little bit of everything. When asked what her favorite song on the project is, she comments, "World Without You," because I love to do slow, bluesy, torchy style songs. That's really my style."

Currently living in Wierton, West Virginia, Miss Jeanie spends a lot of her time performing live. Next up on her itinerary is an appearance at the Sagebrush Roundup in Fairmont, West Virginia, with more engagements following throughout the summer and fall. During the winter months, she'll again pick up her writing pen, but until then in addition to performing she'll be promoting her new single, "Fool Chain" slated for release on July 7th on Megalith Records.

With the help of her Road Manager/Guitar Player, Robert Irwin, Miss Jeanie is living her dream...and loving every minute of it!

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Mickey Gilley Scores a Hit as TV Show Host

Gilley's Place Showcases Star-Studded Lineup

Featuring Mel Tillis on July 4th



The original "Urban Cowboy" Mickey Gilley is capturing audiences across America with his new hit variety show, *Gilley's Place*, on RFD-TV. Country legend Mel Tillis is set to take the spotlight on *Gilley's Place* on Friday, July 4, 2014. Other artists slated for this season's star-studded lineup include The Oak Ridge Boys, Tony Orlando, Larry Gatlin and the Gatlin Brothers, Linda Davis, T. Graham Brown, Rhonda Vincent, and Neal McCoy.

"It's been a lot of fun getting to visit with friends on *Gilley's Place* and catch up on their lives and careers. We've filled it with interviews and music from some of the best performers in the world. I hope my fans will enjoy watching the show as much as we've enjoyed making it," says Gilley.

Gilley's Place is filmed at Gilley's Texas Cafe in Branson, Missouri, in front of a live studio audience. Each episode features celebrity appearances, live performances and "Mickey's Musical Moment" which takes viewers on a journey documenting Gilley's life and rise to fame. The program is co-hosted by Dalena

Ditto.

Award-winning Mickey Gilley has 17 Number One hits and 39 Top Ten hits, including "City Lights," "Window Up Above," "I Overlooked an Orchid," and "Don't the Girls All Get Prettier at Closing Time." The platinum-selling singer also has a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame. He operates five Gilley's Nightclubs, The Mickey Gilley Theatre, and Gilley's Texas Cafe.

Gilley's Place airs on RFD-TV on Fridays at 6:30 pm and Saturdays at 4:30 am (Eastern).

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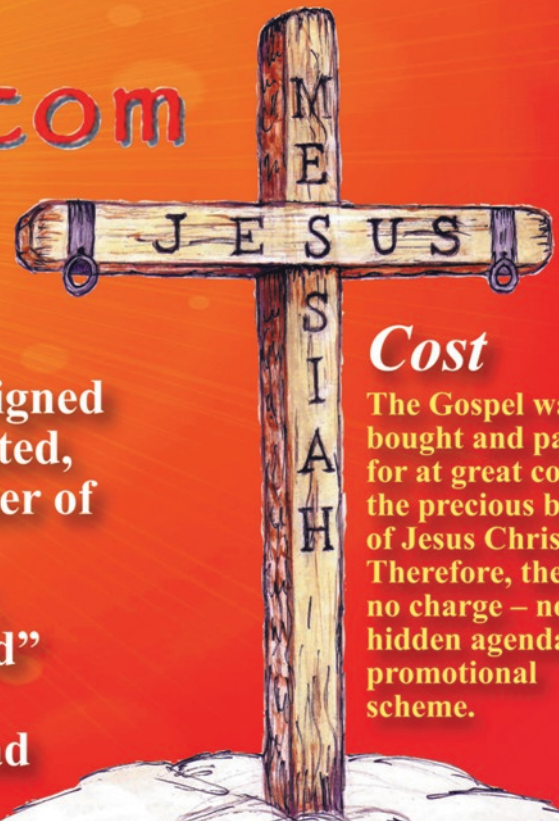
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Stringbean's Killer Request's Parole

by Marty Martel



Let me start this article by what Grand Ole Opry member Jan Howard said when she attended the parole hearing for John A. Brown, on Wed. April 23rd, 2014. I am quoting Jan who was a close friend of the Akerman's. "I don't want to see him have another breath of free air. It was not a robbery gone bad, a burglary gone bad. It was premeditated."

My comments are as follows:

Brown and his cousin are murderers in the first degree and every degree. The death penalty should have been invoked at their trial so that we would not have to be going through this time of remembering our great loss of Stringbean and his wife Estelle. Brown's cousin died in prison and that is where Brown should spend his time waiting to meet his maker for the terrible wrongs he committed. He and his cousin took from us two beautiful human beings, and did it in such a way that was devastating to their many friends, our community, our industry, and to society. To say that Brown is being described as responsible and he would have employment opportunities if released would go against everything I was ever taught in my lifetime. Let him stay in prison and spend his last years thinking about how lucky he is to be still alive for what he done. He does not deserve parole hearings, but I guess that is the way our system works, "if a killer says he has repented and is sorry for what he has done, then let's give him another chance to go back out into the free world and kill someone else.." Wrong. Let him pay for his wrongs with the sentence he was given with no chance of parole.

John A. Brown should never be able to taste the fresh air of freedom ever again, and when he takes his last breath, we will still be in mourning from the loss of Stringbean and Estelle. The murders were almost like gangland killings. Brown and his cousin were two inhuman beings, and were not going to let Stringbean and his wife live, no matter what.

Justice can not be served by freeing this murderer, but justice can be served to let him stay in prison so that he will never again enjoy freedom. Let him help others in prison if he has learned so much, but he should not ever be allowed to walk free in our society to instill in our minds that he would murder someone else again. Life is too precious to have someone be given freedom to kill when the urge hits him.

Now we have to wait approximately a week or two after other board members review the case and cast a vote. Four votes in favor of parole are needed for him to be released. This is the fifth time Brown has faced the parole board since his conviction in 1974, and his last was in 2011.

Patsy Bruce watched the hearing from the Nashville office, voted to continue the case to October pending a psychological evaluation on Brown's propensity for violence and any adjustment needs he might have before a release. John A. Brown is a murderer, and was sentenced for the crime, and I hope that our system will work to the point where he can never be allowed to the rights of freedom. **HE AND HIS COUSIN MURDERED TWO PEOPLE AND SHOULD NOT BE GIVEN ANY OPPORTUNITY, NONE, TO HURT ANYONE AGAIN.** His cousin is dead and has met his maker, and now Brown must think that 40 years of being a nice guy and learning good things is enough to be paroled and just say "I'm sorry for what I done." What else is there to do in prison but get into more trouble or learn a trade. John A. Brown will never be fit for free society again, and my vote is to let him have his cell to live and breath his last days, and may he have only freedom to think about what he done and now he must pay for the rest of his life. I truly hope that parole will never be an option for this killer.

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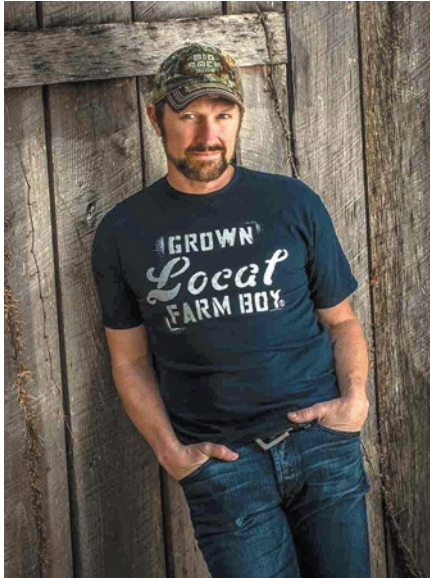
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Craig Morgan Recruits Tracy Lawrence

For 8th Annual Charity Event

Benefitting the Dickson County Craig Morgan Foundation



Country music star and award winning TV host, Craig Morgan, has invited fellow country music friend Tracy Lawrence to join him in concert July 20 for his 8th annual charity event, benefitting the Dickson County Craig Morgan Foundation. Additional performers are expected to announce in the coming weeks.

The family-friendly festivities kick off at 8 a.m. on Sunday, July 20th in Dickson. The morning will start with a hair-raising motocross exhibition from several of motocross' top celebrities and competitors, followed by a group trail ride and lunch. Motocross stars participating this year include Kevin Windham, Malcolm Stewart, Destry Abbott, Fred Andrews, Randy Hawkins, Andrew Short, and Larry Ward.

Later that night, fans can catch Craig along with Tracy Lawrence for a won't-want-to-miss outdoor concert on the Dickson War Memorial Lawn. A live and silent auction

will also take place at the concert.

Multi-platinum selling country star Tracy Lawrence is widely known for his standout hits including "Paint Me A Birmingham," "Time Marches On," "Alibis," and "Find Out Who Your Friends Are." The entertainer has enjoyed twenty-two songs on the Billboard top ten charts with eighteen number one singles, selling over thirteen million albums.

All proceeds from the celebrity off-road trail ride and concert will benefit the Dickson County Craig Morgan Foundation. The organization's primary goal is to assist foster children in Dickson County and throughout Middle Tennessee. Both events are open to the public. Event tickets are available at CraigMorgan.com and all Dickson Tri-Star Bank locations.



ABOUT CRAIG MORGAN: One of country music's best-loved artists, Craig Morgan has made a name for himself with massive radio airplay of his signature hits: "Bonfire," "Almost Home," "Redneck Yacht Club," "That's What I Love About Sunday," "International Harvester" and "This Ole Boy." He's recently released his new album *The Journey (Livin' Hits)*, featuring the soulful single "Wake Up Lovin' You," on Black River Entertainment. Craig received one of country music's highest honors when he was inducted as a member of the Grand Ole Opry in 2008.

Craig Morgan Charity Weekend
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Fred Andrews, Randy Hawkins, Andrew Short and Larry Ward

Craig Morgan and Tracy Lawrence Concert and Silent Auction
Date: July 20, 2014
Location: Dickson War Memorial Lawn 200 Center Ave. Dickson, TN 37055
Silent Auction Opens: 5:00 PM
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