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## Heavy For The Holidays

Around the holidays, most of us take time to check out the 1964 stop-motion classic *Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer*, where narrator Burl Ives sings the chestnut "Silver and Gold." This season, we deliver some "Gold and Platinum" thanks to new releases from some hard rock heavyweights.

First up are Warner Bros. breakthrough artists **Linkin Park**, who have just hit the quintuple-Platinum mark with their debut, *Hybrid Theory*. "In the End" is the third smash from this record to



Linkin Park

catch radio's ear. Find it in Music Meeting's Alternative, Active and mainstream Rock and CHR/Pop sections.

Elektra's **Staind** have enjoyed another great year, thanks to the sophomore success of their multi-Platinum *Break the Cycle*. Lead single "It's Been Awhile" dominated the Alternative and Rock charts for months, and *Rolling Stone* magazine recently featured frontman Aaron Lewis in its People of the Year issue. Find out why when you check out their newest single, "For You," in our Alternative, Rock and Active Rock sections.

Memphis, TN rap-rockers **Saliva** broke through to mainstream success this year and earned a Gold record with their Island debut, *Every Six Seconds*. Following up on the success of "Your Disease" and "Click Click Boom," Saliva have



Saliva

hocked up another surefire hit in "After Me." Windy City rockers **Soil** also check in with "Unreal," their great followup to "Halo." This dark and seductive track recalls some of Alice In Chains' finer moments. Dig deeper into Soil and check out "Un-

real" in the "Previews" section of Alternative and Rock.

Another act set to break out in a big way is Phoenix's **Trik Turner**. Their debut single, "Friends & Family," was introduced to the radio world last summer by XM Satellite Radio's Marty Whitney (former MD of KEDJ/Phoenix) during R&R Convention 2001's Alternative Rate-a-Record panel. Featuring an Everlast-type vibe, "Friends & Family" is sure to make friends with plenty of programmers at Alternative.

Whether it's Method Man or Aaron Lewis, Limp Bizkit mastermind **Fred Durst** knows a thing or two about successful duets. This time around the red-capped rap-rocker pairs up with Goo Goo Dolls frontman **Johnny Rzeznik** for a cover of Pink Floyd's "Wish You Were Here," from *America: A Tribute to Heroes*. Find it in the Rock section.

Another Floyd cover, albeit a radically different one, can be found at Active Rock from Canadian rockers **Kittie**. The girls bare their teeth and claws with a vicious cover of "Run Like Hell." Look for a new EP in January called *Live in Hell*, featuring a new version of the cover as well as live cuts from a recent show in Detroit. Fans will be running like hell to get tickets to the group's upcoming tour in the new year with fellow rockers Ill Niño, Chi-



Kittie

maira and No One.

Hip-hop is no stranger to ferocious females. Proving she's tougher than nails by running with the Ruff Ryders, **Eve** has repeatedly delivered the hits with a take-no-crap attitude and smooth flowing rhymes. With "U, Me & She," she once again proves she's no one to trifle with — best get over to the "Going For Adds" sections of Urban and CHR/Rhythmic and check it out pronto!

## MUSIC MEETING

### GOING FOR ADDS

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Week Of 1-7-02

#### CHR/POP

**BRITNEY SPEARS** ...Not Yet A Woman (*Jive*)  
**JENNIFER LOPEZ** Ain't It Funny (*Epic*)  
**MICHELLE BRANCH** All You Wanted (*Maverick/WB*)  
**SUGAR RAY** Ours (*Lava/Atlantic*)  
**STEREOPHONICS** Have A Nice Day (*V2*)

#### CHR/RHYTHMIC

**JAY-Z** Jigga That N\*\*\*a (*Roc-A-Fella/IDJMG*)  
**JENNIFER LOPEZ** f/JA RULE Ain't It Funny (*Epic*)  
**PETEY PABLO** I (*Jive*)

#### URBAN

**ALLURE** Enjoy Yourself (*MCA*)  
**COREY** Hush Lil' Lady (*Motown*)  
**FRANK SINATRA** f/LIL KIM & BUSTA RHYMES  
 New York, New York (*Tommy Boy*)  
**JAY-Z** Jigga That Ni\*\*a (*Roc-A-Fella/IDJMG*)  
**JENNIFER LOPEZ** f/JA RULE Ain't It Funny (*Epic*)

#### URBAN AC

**FAITH EVANS** I Love You (*Bad Boy/Arista*)  
**SHARISSA** Any Other Night (*Motown*)

#### COUNTRY

**GARY ALLAN** The One (*MCA*)  
**SONNY BURGESS** It Must Have Been... (*Music City*)  
**TOBY KEITH** My List (*DreamWorks*)

#### HOT AC

**DARREN HAYES** Insatiable (*Columbia*)  
**MICHELLE BRANCH** All You Wanted (*Maverick/WB*)  
**SUGAR RAY** Ours (*Lava/Atlantic*)

#### AC

**DARREN HAYES** Insatiable (*Columbia*)  
**HEATHER NOVA** Like Lovers Do (*V2*)  
**MICHELLE BRANCH** All You Wanted (*Maverick/WB*)  
**SENSE FIELD** Save Yourself (*Nettwerk*)  
**SUGAR RAY** Ours (*Lava/Atlantic*)

#### SMOOTH JAZZ

**BLAKE AARON** Overjoyed (*Innervision*)  
**RIC MANDELL** Cat's In The Cradle (*HandGame*)

#### ROCK

**FU MANCHU** Squash That Fly (*Mammoth*)  
**INJECTED** Faithless (*Island/IDJMG*)  
**JOEY RAMONE** What A Wonderful World  
 (*Sanctuary/SRG*)  
**JUDAS PRIEST** Lost And Found (*Atlantic*)  
**SENSE FIELD** Save Yourself (*Nettwerk/America*)  
**SOIL** Unreal (*J*)  
**SPEAK NO EVIL** 15 (*Universal*)  
**SYSTEM OF A DOWN** Toxicity (*American/Columbia*)  
**TABITHA'S SECRET** Unkind (*Pyramid*)

#### ACTIVE ROCK

**FU MANCHU** Squash That Fly (*Mammoth*)  
**INJECTED** Faithless (*Island/IDJMG*)  
**JOEY RAMONE** What A Wonderful World  
 (*Sanctuary/SRG*)  
**JUDAS PRIEST** Lost And Found (*Atlantic*)  
**SENSE FIELD** Save Yourself (*Nettwerk/America*)  
**SOIL** Unreal (*J*)  
**SPEAK NO EVIL** 15 (*Universal*)  
**SYSTEM OF A DOWN** Toxicity (*American/Columbia*)  
**TABITHA'S SECRET** Unkind (*Pyramid*)

#### ALTERNATIVE

**INJECTED** Faithless (*Island/IDJMG*)  
**JOEY RAMONE** What A Wonderful World  
 (*Sanctuary/SRG*)  
**SENSE FIELD** Save Yourself (*Nettwerk*)  
**SUM 41** Motivation (*Island/IDJMG*)  
**SYSTEM OF A DOWN** Aerials (*American/Columbia*)

#### TRIPLE A

**BOB SCHNEIDER** Big Blue Sea (*Universal*)  
**CHRIS ISAAK** Let Me Down Easy (*Reprise*)  
**GRAHAM PARKER** If It Ever Stops Rainin (*Razor & Tie*)  
**GRANT-LEE PHILLIPS** We All Get A Taste  
 (*Zoe/Rounder*)  
**JOEY RAMONE** What A Wonderful World  
 (*Sanctuary/SRG*)  
**JONATHA BROOKE** Out Of Your Mind (*Bad Dog*)  
**TABITHA'S SECRET** Unkind (*Pyramid*)  
**TRAIN** She's On Fire (*Columbia*)

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Those looking for a little less sass and a little more soul should give a listen to **Joi's** "Missing You" and **Cherokee's** "I Swear" in the Urban and Urban AC sections, respectively. Another UAC track that's smooth as Courvoisier is **Regina Bell's** "Ooh Boy."

Backed by the red-hot production of The Neptunes, **Fabulous** lives up to his name with his latest, "Young'n (Holla Back)," at Urban and Rhythmic. Meanwhile, **Jaheim** brings a softer touch to Urban and Urban AC with "Anything." Find 'em both

in the "Recent Releases" sections.

Over at Country, **Kenny Chesney** taps into his inner, rebellious child with "Young." Find it in Country's "Going For Adds" section — it's the first single from his forthcoming CD, *No Shoes, No Shirt, No Problems*. With Music Meeting, there are no stacks and stacks of CDs, no waiting for the mail truck and no problems. Just log on at [www.rmusicmeeting.com](http://www.rmusicmeeting.com).

— Frank Correia