

THE OFFICIAL NATIONAL TOP 100 SINGLES, TOP 75 ALBUMS AND TOP 20 COMPILATION ALBUMS, AS USED BY RADIO 1 AND 'TOP OF THE POPS'



OCTOBER 28 - NOVEMBER 3 1990

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- 1	3	2 5	UNCHAINED MELODY The Righteous Brothers ALITTLE TIME The Beautiful South	Verve ⊖Go!Discs
2	8	4	TAKEMY BREATH AWAY Berlin	OCBS
4 5	2 7	8	SHOW ME HEAVEN Maria McKee I'M YOURBABY TONIGHT Whitney Houston	Epic Arista
6	14	4	(WEWANT) THE SAME THING Belinda Carlisle	Virgin Factory
7 8	5 4	3 6	KINKY AFRO Happy Mondays THE ANNIVERSARY WALTZ—PART ONE Status Quo	Vertigo
9	_	- 1	STEPBACKIN TIME Kylie Minogue BLUE VELVET Bobby Vinton	PWLPWL64 Epic
10	12	6 5	WORKING MAN Rita MacNeil	Polydor
12	9 13	5 4	MEGAMIX Technotronic CRYING IN THE RAIN A-ha	Swanyard Warner Brothers
14	10	10	I'VE BEEN THINKING ABOUT YOU Londonbeat	Anxious
15 16		1	CLOSETO ME The Cure DON'T WORRY Kym Appleby	Fiction/Polydor FICS 36 Parlophone R 6272
17	11	7	ICAN'T STANDIT Twenty 4 Seven	BCM Warner Brothers
18 19	23	5 1	THE OBVIOUS CHILD Paul Simon I'LLBE YOURBABY TONIGHT Robert Palmer And UB40	EMIEM 167
20 21	19	. 5 : 1	GOOD MORNING BRITAIN Aztec Camera And Mick Jones FANTASY Black Box de/C	WEA Construction/RCAPB 43895
22	31	2	DRESSED FOR SUCCESS Roxette	EMI
23 24	35	2	I'M DOING FINE Jason Donovan LET'S TRY IT AGAIN/DIDN'T I BLOW YOUR New Kid	
25	1	5	HAVE YOU SEEN HERMCHammer	Capitol
26 27	32 26	2	WAITING FORTHAT DAY George Michael MOTHER UNIVERSE The Soup Dragons	Epic Raw TV
28 29	17 25	4	FROM A DISTANCE Cliff Richard LET'S PUSH IT Innocence	EMI Cooltempo
30	20	6	SPIN THAT WHEEL (TURTLES GET REAL) Hi Tek 3	
31	22	3	featuring Ya Kid K DON'T ASK MEP.I.L.	Brothers Organisation Virgin
32	18	7	IT'S A SHAME (MY SISTER) Monie Love featuring True Image	Cooltempo Factory FAC 2987
33 34	37	2	MY RISING STAR Northside LOVE WILL NEVER DO (WITHOUT YOU) Janet Jackson SOMETHING TO BELIEVE IN Poison	A&M
35 36	36 21	2	SOMETHING TO BELIEVE IN Poison SO HARD Pet Shop Boys	Enigma Parlophone
37	33	3	YOUGOTTALOVESOMEONEEltonJohn	Rocket
38 39	24	10 1	FASCINATING RHYTHM Bass-O-Matic THERE SHE GOES The La's	Guerilla Go! Discs GOLAS 5
40	_	12	LITTLE BROTHER Blue Pearl SPIT IN THE RAIN Del Amitri	Big Life BLR32 A&M AM 589
41 42	42	3	THREE BABIES Sinead O'Connor	Ensign
43 44	41	2	AFTERMATH/I'M FOR REAL Nightmares On Wax TO LOVE SOMEBODY Jimmy Somerville	Warp London LON 281
45	49	2	ANTHEMN-Joi	de/Construction
46 47	28 45	12	GROOVE IS IN THE HEART Dece-Lite FROM A DISTANCE Bette Midler	Elektra Atlantic
48 49	58 30	10	SHE'S SO HIGH Blur GROOVY TRAIN The Farm	Food Produce
50	34	4	BE TENDER WITH MEBABY Tina Turner	Capitol
51 52	27 29	4	MORE Sisters Of Mercy BIRTHDAY Paul McCartney	Merciful Release Parlophone
53		1	CAN'T DO NUTTIN' FOR YAMAN Public Enemy	Def Jam 6563857
54 55	55	2	(CAN'T LIVE WITHOUT YOUR) LOVE AND AFFECTION UNBELIEVABLEE.M.F.	Parlophone R 6273
56 57	63 54	2	TAKE YOURTIME The High UNSAFE BUILDING 1990 The Alarm	London LON 280 I.R.S.
58	40	13	THE JOKER Steve Miller Band	Capitol
59 60	65	2	CAN'TSTOP After 7 WHATEVERMAKES YOU HAPPY Ten City	Virgin America VUS 31 Atlantic
61		1	PURITY New Model Army FREQUENCY Rhythmatic	EMINMA I I Network
62 63	SU	3	WE LET THE STARS GO Prefab Sprout	Kitchenware
64 65	38 43	6 7	HEAVEN The Chimes CULT OF SNAP Snap!	CBS Arista
66	46	6	WORLD IN MY EYES Depeche Mode	Mute
67 68	64	3 4	HEART AND SOUL No Sweat	tana/Phonogram OLETA I London
69 70	52 51	3 2	ALL ALONG THE WATCHTOWER (EP) Jimi Hendrix UNTIL YOU FIND OUT Ned's Atomic Dustbin	Polydor Chapter 22
71	44	4	THATMAN (HE'S ALL MINE) Inner City SWEETNESS AND LIGHT Lush	Ten 4AD
72 73	47 74	2	GIVING YOU THE BENEFIT Pebbles	MCA
74 75	62	5 I	ELEVATION Xpansions SCOPE Paris Angels	Optimism/Arista Sheer Joy
76	_	·	FALLING Julee Čruise	Warner Brothers W 9544
77 78	_		RAINBOW LAKE Wendy & Lisa SUNSHINE ON A RAINY DAY Zöe	Virgin VS I 280 M&G/Polydor MAGS 6
79	77		KEEP OUR LOVE ALIVE Stevie Wonder	Motown A&M
	60 100		LOLA Andy Taylor DAYDREAMING Massive Attack	Wild Bunch
32 33	87 79		APPLE GREEN The Milltown Brothers THE EXORCIST The Scientist	A&M Kickin'
84			MOVE TO THE BIGBAND Ben Liebrand featuring Tony Scott	Epic
85 86	75		TYPE Living Colour DIFFERENCE Djum Djum	Epic Outer Rhythm FOOT8
97 98	68 85		MOVIES Hothouse Flowers FEELS GOOD Tony! Toné!	London Wing
39	82		TELLME WHY? Sindecut	Virgin
90 91	90		FEELLIKE MAKING LOVE Heatwave featuring J Brown MY, MY, MY Johnny Gill	Brothers Organisation Motown
92 93	86 83		SO YOU LIKE WHAT YOU SEE Samuelle SEND ME YOUR MONEY Suicidal Tendencies	Atlantic Epic
94			HERE WE GO AGAIN Paradiso	London BOI3
95 96			STEP ON Happy Mondays ENLIGHTEN ME Echo & The Bunnymen	Factory FAC 2727 Korova KOW 44
97			MYSTERY TRAIN Cactus Rain	Ten/Virgin TEN 33 I
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TOP	20 COMPILATION	ALBUMS
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1 1	MISSING YOU — AN ALBUM OF LOVE Various	EMI
2 2	THAT LOVING FEELING VOL 3 Various	Dino
3 —	SMASH HITS 1990 Various	Dover/Chrysalis ADD 18
4 3	DEEPHEAT8—THEHANDOFFATE Various	Telstar
5 17	GREATEST LOVE 4 Various	[]Telstar
6	RED, HOT AND BLUE Various	Chrysalis CHR 1799
7 7	TOP GUN (OST) Various	∴CBS
8 4 9 6	JUST THE TWO OF US Various	%% Epic
9 6	DAYS OF THUNDER (OST) Various	DEpic
10 9	THEFINAL COUNTDOWN—BEST OF SOFT METAL Various	Telstar
11 5	SOUL DECADE: THE SIXTIES Various	Motown
12	RAVE Various	Telstar STAR 2453
13 —	HAPPY DAZEVOLUME I Various	Island ILPTV I
14 8		Deutsche Grammophon
15 16	GHOST Original Soundtrack	Milan
16 —	FREEDOM 2 - THE ULTIMATE RAVE Various	Trax
17 13	PRETTY WOMAN (OST) Various	
18 15	DIRTY DANCING (OST) Various	MONANCA
19 12	SLAMMIN' Various	□A&M
20 14	MEGABASS Various	□ Telstar
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 $R \not \in R$. Tuple Platnum (900.000 sales), $R \not \cong Double Platnum (600.000 sales), <math display="inline">R$ Platnum (300.000 sales), \square Gold (100.000 sales), \bigcirc Silver (60.000 sales), Every star represents 300.000 sales.

CHARTFILE

BY ALAN JONES

▶ The Righteous Brothers

Unchained Melody' explodes to the top of the singles chart this week, but it is a record that, in reality, should have been credited to the Righteous Brother — it features only the vocals of **Bobby Hatfield** as his partner **Bill Medley** readily admitted 15 years ago.

Nevertheless, history will record it as the second Righteous Brothers' Number One, coming nearly 26 years after their irst, 'You've Lost That Lovin' Feelin". No other act has topped the chart after such 1 lengthy hiatus -- the previous record of ust over 23 years between Number One nits being established by The Hollies in n they too topped the chart with a re-issue. Only two records have eached Number One at an older age han 'Unchained Melody' — 'Reet Petite' was 29-when it topped the chart just before Christmas in 1986, and Ben E King's 'Stand By Me' was 25 when it eached the summit just a few weeks later n the early part of 1987.

'Lovin' Feelin" and 'Unchained Melody' vere The Righteous Brothers' first two nits, and the duo thus (very belatedly) oins the elite group of acts to reach Number One with their first two hits. A dozen acts have previously managed the eat: The Stargazers. Eddie Calvert, Tennessee Ernie Ford, Adam Faith, Gerry & The Pacemakers, Mungo Jerry, Rod itewart, John Travolta & Olivia Yewton-john, Art Garfunkel, Frankie Goes To Hollywood. Jeorge Michael and Jive Bunny & Γhe stermixers, though some nost notably George Michael - had earlier successes in different guises.

'Unchained Melody' was previously a Number One hit for **Jimmy Young**

(now a Radio 2 disc jockey) way back in 1955. It's the 14th song to reach Number One in two different versions, following 'Answer Me', 'Cherry Pink And Apple Blossom White', 'Singing The Blues', 'Young Love', 'Mary's Boy Child' (once as part of a medley), 'This Ole House', 'You'll Never Walk Alone', 'I Got You Babe', 'Living Doll', 'Spirit In The Sky', 'Everything I Own', 'With A Little Help From My Friends' and 'Do They Know It's Christmas?'.

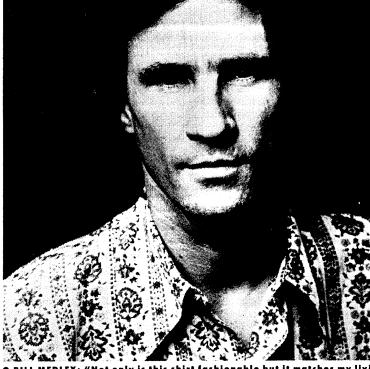
As previously noted, 'Unchained Melody' owes its current popularity to the fact that it is used in the current movie 'Ghost'. In 1955, it was also featured in a film — but that fact played no part in its success. In fact, the movie for which it was written, a prison docu-drama then called 'Unchained', was a box-office flop. It was sung in the film by the famous actor/baritone **Todd Duncan**, who was later to lend his deep, rich and resonant tones to the 1959 version of **George**

Gershwin's musical 'Porgy And Bess'.
Surprisingly, Todd's version of
'Unchained Melody' was never released as
a single; but within the space of just eight
weeks no fewer than 14 were! In addition
to Jimmy Young's chart-topping rendition,
there were Top 20 versions by Al
Hibbler, Les Baxter and
Liberace, plus less successful covers by
Ken MacKintosh, Jean Carson,

The Crew Cuts, Dick James, Fay Brown, Cliff Townsend, Leroy Holmes And His Orchestra (with a whistler replacing the vocalist), Roy

Hamilton, Don Cornell And The Kingtones.

It was also covered by **Leo Sayer**, for whom it was a minor hit in 1986, and can also be found in a bewildering array of versions by other hitmakers, including



 BILL MEDLEY: "Not only is this shirt fashionable but it matches my liv room"

Elvis Presley, Cliff Richard, Heart, Charlie Rich, Willie Nelson, US, Gene Vincent and Sonny & Cher.

The 12-inch and compact disc variants of The Righteous Brothers' version also include their aforementioned previous Number One, 'You've Lost That Lovin' Feelin'', which now has the unique distinction of appearing on the flipside of Number One singles by two different acts, having previously graced the underside of Berlin's 1986 chart-topper 'Take My Breath Away', the link being that both songs are heard in the **Tom Cruise** movie 'Top Gun'.

By coincidence, 'Take My Breath Away' is itself once again a major hit and is now challenging for the Number One position, having been re-issued a few weeks ago to tie-in with 'Top Gun''s TV premiere. This time around, there is no 12-inch version of 'Take My Breath Away'.

Meanwhile, 'Show Me Heaven', **Maria McKee**'s recent Number One hit taken from the current Tom Cruise movie 'Days Of Thunder', is immediately below 'Take

My Breath Away' at number four in the chart.

America has a new Number One thweek, as white rapper Vanilla Ice moves into pole position with 'Ice Ice Baby'.

Blondie were the first act to have rap Number One, way back in 1981 v 'Rapture', but Vanilla Ice is the first rap to top the chart (subtle distinction) bes the number two hits by **Tone-Loc** ('Wild Thing'), **Technotronic** ('Pum Up The Jam') and **Snap!** ('The Power

'Ice Ice Baby' was originally released the spring on a small independent label the flipside of Vanilla Ice's remake of W Cherry's hit 'Play That Funky Music'. A in Georgia flipped it over and started playing 'Ice Ice Baby' which was quickly picked up by the SBK label. The rest is history, and it's now sold 750,000 copic Stateside, while Vanilla Ice's debut albur 'To The Extreme' has climbed to numb two on the album chart after seven we during which it has sold more than a million copies.

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1	2	UNCHAINED MELODY The Righteous Brothers	Verve
2	1	KINKY AFRO Happy Mondays	Factory
3	4	A LITTLE TIME The Beautiful South	Go! Discs
4		CLOSE TO ME The Cure	Fiction
5	5	AFTERMATH/I'M FOR REAL Nightmares On Wax	Warp
6		FANTASY Black Box	de/Construction
7	7	I'M YOURBABY TONIGHT Whitney Houston	Arista
8	9	LET'S PUSHIT Innocence	Cooltempo
9		MY RISING STAR Northside	Factory
10	3	MEGAMIX Technotronic	Swanyard
11	16	SOMETHING TO BELIEVE IN Poison	Enigma
12	-	STEPBACK IN TIME Kylie Minogue	PWL
13	13	ANTHEM N.Joi	de/Construction
14	6	ICAN'TSTANDITTwenty 4 Seven	BCM
15	17	MOTHER UNIVERSE The Soup Dragons	Raw TV
16	12	(WEWANT) THE SAME THING Belinda Carlisle	Virgin
17		FREQUENCY Rhythmatic	Network
18		DON'T WORRY Kim Appleby	Parlophone
19	_	LOVE WILL NEVERDO (WITHOUT YOU) Janet Jackson	A&M
20	8	ANNIVERSARY WALTZ—PART I Status Quo	Vertigo

COMPACT DISC

TW	LW		
1 '	1	THERHYTHM OF THE SAINTS Paul Simon	Warner Brother
2		BEHAVIOUR Pet Shop Boys	Parlophon
3	2	ROCKING ALLOVER THE YEARS Status Quo	Vertig
4	3	REMASTERS Led Zeppelin	Atlanti
5	6	MISSING YOU AN ALBUM OF LOVE Various	EM
6	_	CORNERSTONES 1967-1970 Jimi Hendrix	Polydo
7	5	IN CONCERT Various	Decc
8	7	LISTEN WITHOUT PREJUDICE VOL I George Michael	Epi
9	_	VISION THING Sisters Of Mercy	Merciful Releas
10		EAST OF THE SUN, WEST OF THE MOON A-ha	Warner Brother
- 11	4 -	RECYCLERZZTop	Warner Brother
12	8	THAT LOVING FEELING VOL3 Various	Din
13	11	REFLECTION The Shadows	Polydo
14		RED, HOT AND BLUE Various	Chrysali
15	15	SLEEPING WITH THE PAST Elton John	Rocke
16		SMASH HITS 1990 Various	Dove
17	_	TRIP ON THIS—REMIXES Technotronic	Telsta
18	19	LLOYD WEBBERPLAYS LLOYD WEBBER Julian Lloyd Webber	Philip
19	16	DEEP HEAT8—THE HAND OF FATE Various	Telsta
20	12	SOUL PROVIDER Michael Bolton	CB: