

Billboard Soul LP's

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1	1	7	LET'S GET IT ON Marvin Gaye, Tamla 329 (Motown)	31	27	16	FACTS OF LIFE Bobby Womack, United Artists LA 043 F
★	4	9	DELIVER THE WORD War, United Artists US LA128 F	32	30	4	ECSTASY Ohio Players, Westbound WB 2021
3	2	11	INNERVISIONS Stevie Wonder, Tamla T 326 L (Motown)	33	25	17	TAYLORED IN SILK Johnny Taylor, Stax STC 3014 (Columbia)
4	3	8	3 + 3 Isley Brothers, T-Neck KZ 32453 (Columbia)	34	38	3	WILD & PEACEFUL Kool & The Gang, Delite 2013
5	6	15	POINTER SISTERS Blue Thumb 48 (Famous)	35	33	13	DOIN' IT TO DEATH J.B.'s, People PE 5603 (Polydor)
6	8	21	HEAD TO THE SKY Earth, Wind & Fire, Columbia KC 32194	36	34	15	COSMIC SLOP Funkadelic, Westbound WB 2022 (Chess/Janus)
7	5	9	KILLING ME SOFTLY Roberta Flack, Atlantic SD 7271	37	37	6	MIZ LENA'S BOY Wilson Pickett, RCA APL 1-0312
★	11	8	AN ANTHOLOGY Temptations, Motown G 782 L (Motown)	★	46	3	JUST OUTSIDE OF TOWN Mandrill, Polydor PD 5059
9	7	24	CALL ME Al Green, Hi XSHL 32077 (London)	39	40	13	THERE'S NO ME WITHOUT YOU Manhattans, Columbia KC 32444
10	13	8	CHI-LITES Brunswick BL 754197	40	36	10	BE WHAT YOU ARE Staple Singers, Stax STS 3015 (Columbia)
★	21	5	GET IT TOGETHER Jackson 5, Motown M 783VI	41	43	3	LIVE AT CARNEGIE Shirley Bassey, U.A. UA LA 111 H2
12	9	19	EDDIE KENDRICKS Tamla T 327 L	42	42	3	SOUL CLASSICS, Vol. II James Brown, Polydor SC 5402
13	14	7	TO KNOW YOU IS TO LOVE YOU B.B. King, ABC ABCX 794	43	39	53	I'M STILL IN LOVE WITH YOU Al Green, Hi XSHL 32074 (London)
14	10	18	FRESH Sly & The Family Stone, Epic KE 32134 (Columbia)	44	41	15	SLAUGHTER'S BIG RIP-OFF James Brown/Soundtrack, Polydor PD 6015
★	19	6	MAIN STREET PEOPLE Four Tops, ABC ABCX 50144	45	45	2	YEARS GONE BYE Albert King, Stax STS-2010
16	18	7	2 Deodato, CTI 6029	46	44	23	LIVE AT THE SAHARA TAHOE Isaac Hayes, Enterprise ENS 2-5005 (Columbia)
17	17	14	SMOKEY Smokey Robinson, Tamla T 328 L (Motown)	★	-	1	A DRAMATIC EXPERIENCE Dramatics, Volt VDS 6019 (Stax)
18	15	16	TOUCH ME IN THE MORNING Diana Ross, Motown M 722 L	48	48	2	PLANETS OF LIFE Whispers, Janus JLS 3055
19	20	26	NATURAL HIGH Bloodstone, London XPS 620	49	-	1	SOULFUL SOUNDS Cecil Holmes, Buddah BDS 5139
20	12	16	HEY NOW HEY (The Other Side of the Sky) Aretha Franklin, Atlantic SD 7265	50	49	15	EXTENSION OF MAN Donny Hathaway, Atco SD 7029
21	16	12	CLEOPATRA JONES Joe Simon/Soundtrack, Warner Brothers BS 2718	51	52	15	SOUL BOX Grover Washington, Jr., Kudu KU 1213 (CTI)
22	22	27	I'VE GOT SO MUCH TO GIVE Barry White, 20th Century T 407	52	47	4	WORLD OF Ike & Tina Turner, United Artists UA LA 064 G2
★	29	5	IT HURTS SO GOOD Millie Jackson, Spring SPR 5706 (Polydor)	53	53	2	GIMME SOMETHING REAL Ashford & Simpson, Warner Bros. BS 2739
24	26	17	ALL I NEED IS TIME Gladys Knight & The Pips, Soul S 739 L (Motown)	54	-	1	EVERYBODY LIKES SOME KIND OF MUSIC Billy Preston, A&M SP 3526
25	23	19	MA Rare Earth, Rare Earth R 546 L (Motown)	55	56	2	GREATEST HITS Main Ingredient, RCA APL 1-0314
★	32	9	UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF Love Unlimited, 20th Century T 414	56	-	1	SEX AND SOUL Roy C., Mercury SRM 1-678
★	35	4	FULLY EXPOSED Willie Hutch, Motown M 748 VI	57	-	1	GOLDEN HITS FROM Ramsey Lewis, Columbia KC 32490
28	28	26	BLACK BYRD Donald Byrd, Blue Note BN LA 047 F (United Artists)	58	58	2	THE SOUL YEARS Atlantic SD2-504
29	31	20	YOU'VE GOT IT BAD GIRL Quincy Jones, A&M SP 3041	59	60	2	IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME New Birth, RCA APL 1-0285
30	24	21	BACK TO THE WORLD Curtis Mayfield, Curtom CRS 8015 (Buddah)	60	-	1	AT THEIR BEST Cruaders, Motown M 796V1

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Washington, D.C., Nov. 2-8; Apollo Theatre, N.Y. (9-15); Civic Center, Baltimore, Md. (18).

★ **SAM RIVERS** (ABC): Symphony Hall, Boston, Nov. 9; Yale Univ. New Haven, Conn. (10); Amherst College, Mass. (11); J.F.K. Center, Washington, D.C. (16).

ROSS RYAN (Capitol): Bitter End, N.Y. Oct. 24-29.

BOBBY RYDELL (Perception): Newport Hotel, Miami Beach, Fla. Nov. 6-12.

EARL SCRUGGS REVUE (Columbia): Ebbets Field, Denver, Colo. Nov. 20-24.

★ **SKYLARK** (Capitol): Marshall College, Huntington, W. Va. Oct. 25.

SAMMI SMITH (Mega): Arlington Moose Lodge, Va., Nov. 17.

SONNY & CHER (MCA): Sahara Hotel, Las Vegas, Nov. 13-26.

★ **SONS OF CHAMPLIN** (Columbia): Univ. of Calif. Riverside, Oct. 26; J.J.'s, San Diego, Calif. (27).

RED SOVINE (Chart): Tomball, Texas, Nov. 3.

BILLIE JO SPEARS (Capitol): Montrose, Colo., Nov. 3.

★ **BRUCE SPRINGSTEIN** (Columbia): Hobart College, Geneva, N.Y. Oct. 26.

EDWIN STARR (Motown): Whiskey A Go Go, Los Angeles, Nov. 1-4; Sugar Shack, Boston (26-Dec. 2).

★ **RONI STONEMAN** (Dot): High School, Cumberland, Wisc., Nov. 10.

STRAWBS (A&M): Agora, Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 22; Agora, Toledo, Ohio (23).

SUPREMES (Motown): Arizona State Fair, Phoenix, Oct. 31; Cincinnati Gardens, Ohio Nov. 2.

THE SYLVERS (MCA): Municipal Auditorium, Columbus, Ga. Nov. 10; Municipal Auditorium, Birmingham, Ala. (11); Dorton Arena, Raleigh, N.C. (16); County Hall, Charleston, S.C. (17); Coliseum, Charlotte, N.C. (18).

JACK TRAYLOR & STEELWIND (Grunt): Great American Music Hall, San Francisco, Oct. 26-27.

★ **TURNER & KIRWAN OF WEXFORD** (Thimble): Allegheny College, Meadville, Pa., Nov. 1-3; Slipperyrock State College, Pa. (5-7); Penn State Univ., Erie, Pa. (12-14); Univ. of Pittsburgh, Bradford, Pa. (15-17).

★ **IKE & TINA TURNER REVUE** (United Artist): Murray State College, Ky., Oct. 26; State Univ. of N.Y., Brockport, N.Y., (27); Union College, Schenectady, N.Y. (28); Jacksonville State Univ., Ala., Nov. 1; Jonesboro State College, Ark. (2); Tour of Europe (4-24); Fresno College, Calif. (30).

UNDISPUTED TRUTH (Motown): Scope, Norfolk, Va., Oct. 26.

★ **UPRISING** (Rainbow): Mercy High School, Farmington, Mich. Oct. 26.

TOWNES VAN ZANT (United Artist): Louisville, Ky. Nov. 21.

★ **THE WAILERS** (Capitol): Ice Palace, Las Vegas, Oct. 21; Coliseum, Denver, Colo. (22); Philharmonic Hall, N.Y. (23); Univ. of Calif., Santa Barbara (25); The Palladium, Hollywood, Calif. (26-27); Coliseum, San Diego, Calif. (28); Coliseum, Richmond, Va. (31); Georgia Tech., Atlanta, Ga. Nov. 1; Cornell Univ., Ithaca, N.Y. (3); Orpheum Theatre, Boston (4); Spectrum Philadelphia (5).

DEDE WARWICKE (Mercury): Tour of Europe, Nov. 9-29.

DOC WATSON (Poppy): Ebbets Field, Denver, Colo. Nov. 28-Dec. 2.

★ **WEATHER REPORT** (Columbia): Constitution Hall, Washington, D.C. Oct. 24; Univ. of S.W. La., Lafayette, La. (31).

KITTY WELLS/JOHNNY WRIGHT FAMILY SHOW (MCA): Newburgh, N.Y. Nov. 17; Vineland, N.J. (18).

THE WHO (MCA): Cow Palace, San Francisco, Nov. 19-20; The Forum, Los Angeles (22-23); Convention Center, Dallas, Texas (25); Omni, Atlanta, Ga. (27); St. Louis Arena, Mo. (28); Amphitheatre, Chicago (29); Cobo Hall Detroit (30).

JOE WILLIAMS (Fantasy): Tropicana, Las Vegas, Nov. 16-Jan. 3.

MAC WISEMAN (RCA): Ramada Inn Campground, Bluegrass Festival, Cocoa, Fla. Nov. 3-4; Reed Stereo Equipment Grand Opening, Springfield, Mo. (9); Coliseum, Bluegrass Festival, Myrtle Beach, S.C. (23-24).

STOMU YAMASHITA (Capitol): Mexico City, Nov. 20-Dec. 9.

Billboard Top 50

Easy Listening

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These are best selling middle-of-the-road singles compiled from national retail sales and radio station air play listed in rank order.

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1	1	6	ALL I KNOW Garfunkel, Columbia 4-45926 (Canopy, ASCAP)
2	2	7	PAPER ROSES Marie Osmond, MGM 14609 (Lewis, ASCAP)
3	3	6	JESSE Roberta Flack, Atlantic 45-2982 (Frank, ASCAP)
4	10	5	WE MAY NEVER PASS THIS WAY (Again) Seals & Crofts, Warner Brothers 7740 (Dawnbreaker, BMI)
5	5	8	KNOCKING ON HEAVEN'S DOOR Bob Dylan, Columbia 4-45913 (Ram's Horn, ASCAP)
6	11	5	THE MOST BEAUTIFUL GIRL Charlie Rich, Epic 5-11040 (Columbia) (Gallico/Algee, BMI)
7	4	7	LET ME IN Osmonds, MGM/Kolob 14617 (Kolob, BMI)
8	13	4	TOP OF THE WORLD Carpenters, A&M 1468 (Almo/Hammers & Nails, ASCAP)
9	8	12	HALF-BREED Cher, MCA 40102 (Blue Monday, BMI)
10	6	13	LOVES ME LIKE A ROCK Paul Simon, Columbia 4-45907 (Charing Cross, BMI)
11	7	10	I'M COMING HOME Johnny Mathis, Columbia 4-45908 (Mighty Three, BMI)
12	14	5	FRIENDS Bette Midler, Atlantic 2980 (Klingman/Piggy/Kama Sutra, BMI)
13	12	6	RAMBLIN' MAN Allman Brothers, Capricorn 0027 (Warner Brothers) (No Exit, BMI)
14	16	5	I GOT A NAME Jim Croce, ABC 11389 (Fox/Fanfare, BMI)
15	9	13	MY MARIA B.W. Stevenson, RCA 0030 (ABC/Dunhill/Speed/Prophecy, ASCAP)
16	20	3	PHOTOGRAPH Ringo Starr, Apple 1865 (Richoroony, BMI)
17	23	4	JUST YOU & ME Chicago, Columbia 4-45933 (Big Elk, ASCAP)
18	18	6	SISTER JAMES Nino Tempo & the 5th Avenue Sax, A&M 1461 (Broadside, BMI/ Leigh, ASCAP)
19	15	12	IN THE MIDNIGHT HOUR Cross Country, Atco 45-6934 (Cotillion/East/Memphis, BMI)
20	19	7	MIDNIGHT TRAIN TO GEORGIA Gladys Knight & The Pips, Buddah 383 (Keca, ASCAP)
21	26	4	I WON'T LAST A DAY WITHOUT YOU Maureen McGovern, 20th Century 2051 (Almo, ASCAP)
22	17	13	ASHES TO ASHES The Fifth Dimension, Bell 1766 (ABC/Dunhill/Soldier, BMI)
23	21	14	LOVING ARMS Dobie Gray, MCA 40100 (Almo, ASCAP)
24	22	18	JIMMY LOVES MARY-ANNE Looking Glass, Epic 5-11001 (Spruce Run/Evie/Chappell, ASCAP)
25	29	4	LOVE DON'T CARE Perry Como, RCA 0096 (Milena, BMI)
26	28	5	POUR A LITTLE MORE WINE Wayne Newton, Chelsea 0091 (RCA) (Trousdale, BMI)
27	25	7	VADO VIA Drupi, A&M 1460 (ATV, BMI)
28	31	5	RAISED ON ROCK Elvis Presley, RCA 0088 (Screen Gems-Columbia, BMI)
29	37	3	LET ME BE THERE Olivia Newton-John, MCA 40101 (Gallico, BMI)
30	27	7	SUMMER (The First Time) Bobby Goldsboro, United Artists 251 (Unart/Pen In Hand, BMI)
31	32	11	WELCOME HOME Peters & Lee, Philips 40729 (Phonogram) (Bello, ASCAP)
32	35	4	SOLITAIRE Andy Williams, Columbia 4-45936 (Don Kirshner/Kec, ASCAP)
33	38	2	CORAZON Carole King, Ode 66039 (A&M) (Colgem, ASCAP)
34	36	4	SPACE RACE Billy Preston, A&M 1463 (W.E.P., BMI)
35	33	7	LOVE IS ALL Engelbert Humperdinck, Parrot 45-40076 (London) (Felsted, BMI)
36	42	2	SAIL AROUND THE WORLD David Gates, Elektra 45868 (Kipahulu, ASCAP)
37	41	3	OOH BABY Gilbert O'Sullivan, MAM 3633 (London) (Management Agency & Music Publishing, BMI)
38	40	5	OOH WHAT A FEELING Johnny Nash, Epic 5-11034 (Columbia) (Johnny Nash, ASCAP)
39	45	3	VENUS Christopher Paul, MGM South 7026 (Kec, Welbeck, ASCAP)
40	39	4	ANGIE Rolling Stones, Rolling Stones 19105 (Atlantic) (Promopub, ASCAP)
41	44	3	COUNTRY SUNSHINE Dottie West, RCA 0072 (Shada, ASCAP/Tree, BMI)
42	-	1	CRUNCHY GRANOLA SUITE Percy Faith, Columbia 45945 (Prophet, ASCAP)
43	49	2	THE WAY WE WERE Barbra Streisand, Columbia 4-45944 (Colgems, ASCAP)
44	-	1	BE Neil Diamond, Columbia 4-45942 (Stonebridge, ASCAP)
45	48	2	YOU'RE A SPECIAL PART OF ME Diana Ross & Marvin Gaye, Motown 1280 (Stein & Van Stock, ASCAP)
46	43	4	LITTLE GIRL GONE Donna Fargo, Dot 17476 (Famous) (Prima Donna, BMI)
47	50	2	TOGETHER The Mission, Paramount 0213 (Contemporary Mission, BMI)
48	46	3	THE END Steve Lawrence, MGM 14631 (Criterion, ASCAP)
49	-	1	WALKING IN THE GEORGIA RAIN Sonny Geraci and Climax Rocky Road 30074, (Bell) (Valendo, ASCAP)
50	-	1	COME LIVE WITH ME Ray Charles, Crossover 973 (House of Bryant, BMI)