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JAYNE NELSEN

This California native caught her first break when her husband knocked on the studio window of legendary Nashville radio station WSM, where a receptive disc jockey agreed to play one of her songs on the air. Listeners started calling, which lit a flame under Jayne's career—and she immediately moved to Nashville. Now Jayne's one-song demo has grown into her aptly titled debut CD, *No Regrets*. Produced by Mark Oliverius, who worked with Lorrie Morgan, the album is set for a June release. Her first single, "What It Really Is," goes to radio this month.

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JAYNE NELSEN BY FENNICADY; VAN PRESTON BY ROBERTO CARBAL; PHOTOGRAPHY: TONIC SOL-FA COURTESY LUCK MEDIA & MTC



(From left)
Mark, Greg,
Shaun and Jared

TONIC SOL-FA

Shaun Johnson, Mark McGowan, Greg Bannwarth and Jared Dove—known collectively as Tonic Sol-fa—have been described by *The New York Times* as "a vocal kaleidoscope of sound... unique to the human voice." Through hundreds of concerts, and without benefit of a record label, Tonic Sol-fa has carved its niche as one of the nation's top vocal groups. On the heels of a brand-new PBS special and album sales of over 1 million, and with the release of their eighth album, *Just One of Those Days*, this quartet continues to set grass-roots standards for independent music.



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"Where Does the Money Come From." For more on the quartet, log on to tonicsolfa.com.

VAN PRESTON

Arkansas-born Van first crisscrossed the Upper Midwest before taking her rootsy country south to Nashville and, eventually, overseas. Van's European credits include a pair of Top 10s and a European CMA nomination, and she's garnered another two Top 10 rankings on America's *New Music Weekly* chart. She's placed songs in the upper reaches of both U.K. and U.S. songwriting competitions and taken her music across America, Australia and Europe. In addition to headlining shows at the Disney theme park near Paris, France, Van has opened shows for stars including Kenny Chesney, Martina McBride, LeAnn Rimes and James Taylor.



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