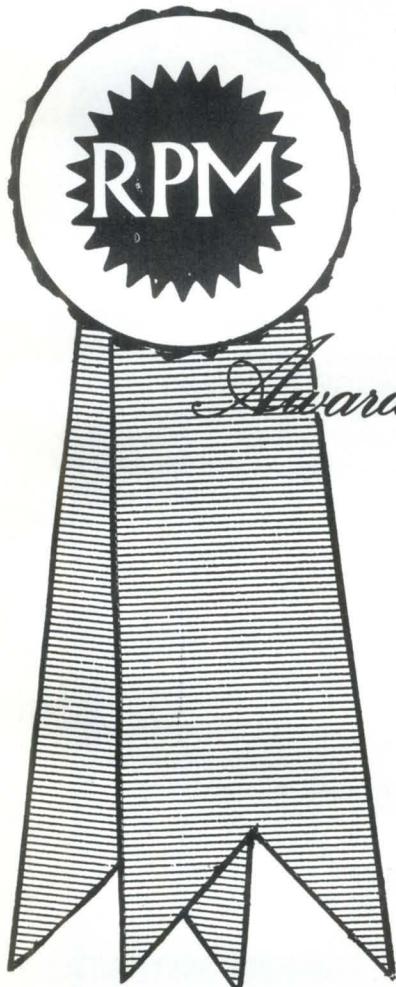


## THE ANNUAL



**HONORING  
CANADA'S  
TOP  
RECORDING  
ARTISTS  
AND  
INDUSTRY  
FIGURES**

TOP MALE VOCALIST	<b>BOBBY CURTOLA</b> — Tartan	2. David Clayton Thomas — Roman 3. Robbie Lane — Capitol
TOP FEMALE VOCALIST	<b>CATHERINE MCKINNON</b> — Arc	2. Lynda Layne — Rca 3. Dianne James — Arc
MOST PROMISING MALE VOCALIST	<b>BARRY ALLEN</b> — Capitol	2. Ernie Lyons — Capitol 3. Bobby Kris — Columbia
MOST PROMISING FEMALE VOCALIST	<b>DEBBIE LORI KAYE</b> — Columbia	2. Patrician Anne — Arc 3. Loreen Church — Quality
TOP INSTRUMENTAL GROUP	<b>WES DAKUS</b> — Capitol	2. The Bradfords — Capitol 3. Skip Evans — Quality
TOP VOCAL INSTRUMENTAL GROUP	<b>THE GUESS WHO</b> — Quality	2. Little Caesar & The Consuls — Red Leaf 3. Big Town Boys — Capitol
TOP FEMALE VOCAL GROUP	<b>THE GIRLFRIENDS</b>	2. Allan Sisters — Red Leaf 3. Hames Sisters
TOP FOLK GROUP	<b>MALKA AND JOSO</b> — Capitol	2. Courriers — Rca 3. Ian and Sylvia — Musimart
TOP FOLK SINGER	<b>GORDON LIGHTFOOT</b> — United Artists	2. Catherine McKinnon — Arc 3. Marty Shannon
BEST PRODUCED SINGLE	<b>MY GIRL SLOOPY</b> — Red Leaf Little Caesar & The Consuls	2. Shakin' All Over — Guess Who — Quality 3. It Was I — Big Town Boys — Capitol
BEST PRODUCED GMP ALBUM	<b>VOICE OF AN ANGEL</b> — Arc	2. Mostly Love Songs — Malka & Joso — Capitol 3. Vancouver Scene — Lance Harrison — Rca
TOP NATIONAL PROMOTION MAN	<b>PAUL WHITE</b> — Capitol	2. Bob Martin — Columbia 3. Lee Farley — Quality
TOP REGIONAL PROMOTION MAN	<b>CHARLIE CAMILLERI</b> — Columbia	2. Al Mair — Apex 3. Ed Lawson — Quality
TOP CANADIAN CONTENT COMPANY	<b>CAPITOL RECORDS (Canada) Ltd.</b>	2. Arc Sound Ltd. 3. Columbia Records Of Canada Ltd.
TOP RECORD COMPANY	<b>CAPITOL RECORDS (Canada) Ltd.</b>	2. Columbia Records Of Canada Ltd. 3. Quality Records Ltd.
TOP COUNTRY SINGER MALE	<b>GARY BUCK</b> — Sparton	2. Jimmy James — Arc 3. Ray Griff — Rca
TOP COUNTRY SINGER FEMALE	<b>DIANE LEIGH</b> — Capitol	2. Myrna Lorrie — Sparton 3. Pat Hervey — Red Leaf
MOST PROMISING COUNTRY SINGER MALE	<b>ANGUS WALKER</b> — Melbourne	2. Cy Anders — Quality 3. Lennie Siebert — Sparton
MOST PROMISING COUNTRY SINGER FEMALE	<b>SHARON STRONG</b> — Arc	2. Ruthie McLean — Melbourne 3. June Pasher — Arc
TOP COUNTRY INSTRUMENTAL VOCAL GROUP	<b>RHYTHM PALS</b> — Melbourne	2. Artie McLaren — Arc 3. Bobby Hill
TOP COUNTRY INSTRUMENTALIST	<b>ROY PENNEY</b> — Arc	2. Skip Evans — Quality 3. Al Cherney
TOP COUNTRY RADIO PERSONALITY	<b>AL FISHER</b> — CFGM Toronto	2. Bill Bessey — CBL Toronto 3. Dick Taylor — CHED Edmonton
TOP COUNTRY RADIO STATION	<b>CFGM</b> Toronto	2. CFOX — Montreal 3. CKXL — Calgary
TOP CANADIAN DISC JOCKEY	<b>CHUCK BENSON</b> — CKLY Peace River	2. Frank Cameron — CHNS Halifax 3. Dave Charles — CJBQ Belleville

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## Personal Note

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Message: A sincere and humble "thank you" for voting the Arc way and making it possible for our Artists to sweep many of the RPM award categories.

#1 Top Female Vocalist:	CATHERINE McKINNON
#2 Most Promising Female Vocalist:	PATRICIAN-ANNE
#1 Top Folk Singer (Female):	CATHERINE McKINNON
Best G.M.P. L.P.:	"VOICE OF AN ANGEL" Vol. 1 and 2 CATHERINE McKINNON
#2 Top Country Singer (Male):	JIMMY JAMES
#1 Most Promising Country Singer (Female):	SHARON STRONG
#3 Most Promising Country Singer (Female):	JUNE PASHER
#3 Top Female Vocalist:	DIANNE JAMES
#2 Top Country Instrumental Vocal:	ARTIE MacLAREN
#1 Top Country Instrumentalist:	ROY PENNEY
"We know he sells more records in Canada than any other Canadian Male Artist." AWARD: ?????	TERRY BLACK
#2 Top Canadian Content Company:	ARC SOUND LTD.



## Counts to Compo

Toronto: Lee Armstrong, National Sales Manager of The Apex Company, announces the signing of the popular Toronto based Counts. This group was first brought to the attention of The Compo Company by Al Mair, promotion man for Apex Records. Mair was instrumental in bringing together Armstrong and Tamarac Record Productions who produced The Counts' first session. Release is scheduled for the market the third week in January.

## Little Caesar and Consuls to Regina

Regina: Terry "D" Mulligan, popular CJME teen spinner, has completed plans for Red Leaf artists Little Caesar and The Consuls to appear in Regina May 21. Their current chart item "You Really Got A Hold On Me" is getting good exposure in Regina.

## Downbeats Ready Second Release

Regina: Mr. Earl Brown, President Calart Recording Studios, puts the final touches on the Downbeats' release of "That's The Way" and "Say Goodbye To Me". Release is set for the end of January to coincide with the group's opening of a series of one nights in Florida. Announcement of a national distributor will be made at a later date.

## Pet. Clark, Cash, and Supremes for O'Keefe

Toronto: The O'Keefe Centre moves a little closer to featuring artists of the MOT. The Johnny Cash show has been set for March 17 to 19. Petula Clark moves into the O'Keefe for a three day stay beginning March 25. The Supremes are set for a one week engagement. Dates to be announced.

## Lorne Freed Appointed Executive Producer CFTO-TV

Toronto: Baton Broadcasting Ltd. announced the appointment of Lorne Freed as Executive Producer of CFTO-TV Channel 9 Toronto. Mr. Freed, who was born in Ottawa, studied television at the school of Radio and Television Techniques, New York City. After completion of his studies he joined the staff at CKWS-TV in Kingston where he shortly became a Producer-Director. He then moved to Glasgow, Scotland, and at the age of 21 was the youngest Producer-Director in British Television. In 1958 he joined J. Arthur Rank Television and after three years with this top ranking television company, returned to Canada and joined the staff at CFTO-TV

in Toronto, six months prior to their going on the air. His most recent productions include "A Gift Of Music" and "Inside The National Ballet Of Canada".

## Country Music Jubilee Set for Ottawa

Ottawa: With country music now playing a major role in the listening needs of the nation's capital, Treble Clef Productions have set January 21 as the date to bring the Country Music Jubilee into the Coliseum. The show stars Little Jimmy Dickens, Ray Price, Red Sovine and Max Powell.

CJET in nearby Smiths Falls will be promoting this giant country show.

## Format Change For CKCY

The Soo: Radio Station CKCY will undergo a major face lifting in their music policy and format. Word has it that a substantial increase in country music will be part of the change. A Trading Post and another Open Line show will also be included in the new line-up. Al Bestall, manager of CKCY, looks after the morning Open Line show, but no definite time or host has been set for the second talk show.

# CANADA'S TOP MALE VOCALIST FOR 1965

A MILLION THANKS TO ALL OF YOU IN THE  
CANADIAN MUSIC INDUSTRY FOR PLACING ME  
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## Gary Lewis Massey Hall Date Set

Toronto: Max Zimmerman, Three Star Gem Promotions, has set Feb. 13 as the date for the Massey Hall appearance of Gary Lewis and The Playboys. It's hoped that Gary's recent bout with pneumonia, which made it necessary for him to cancel out his Vancouver appearance, won't cause him any problems here. The first half of the Toronto show will feature the most popular of local talent.

## Lightfoot To Tour

Toronto: Gordon Lightfoot, much in demand for the college circuit, makes an appearance at Hart House for the U. of T. and at the new 1,400 seat Ryerson Theatre. He is also set for a stint at The Riverboat Coffee House in Toronto Jan. 17 through 31. Lightfoot then moves into Ottawa for an At Home at Carleton University and then gets set for 11 one niters in the U.K. in the latter part of February.

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SARNIA — Frank McBride — CHOK  
PICKS

Don't Fight It — Dino Desi Billy — Reprise  
Tijuana Taxi — Tijuana Brass — Quality

REGINA — Terry Mulligan — CJME  
PICKS

A Sweet Woman Like You — Joe Tex — Dial  
Barbara Ann — Beach Boys — Capitol

EDMONTON — Harry Boon — CJCA

PICKS  
My World — Supremes — Motown  
Michelle — David & Jonathan — Capitol

THE SOO — Dick Gasparini — CKCY

PICKS  
Soldier Boy — Debbie Lori Kaye

BELLEVILLE — Dave Charles — CJHQ

PICKS  
Yesterday Man — Chris Andrews — Atco  
Jenny Take A Ride — Mitch Ryder — Barry

PEACE RIVER — Chuck Benson — CKYL

PICKS  
Michelle — Spokesmen — Decca

SUDSBURY — John Loweth — CHNO

PICKS  
Michelle — Spokesmen — Decca

SMITHS FALLS — Barry Sarazin — CJET

PICKS  
Lightnin' Strikes — Lou Christie — MGM  
Uptight — Stevie Wonder — Motown

REGINA — Bob Wood — CKCK

PICKS  
Jenny Take A Ride — Mitch Ryder — Barry  
Barbara Ann — Beachboys — Capitol

DAUPHIN — Ron Waddell — CKDM

PICKS  
It's Alright — The Ugly's — ABC  
Tell Me Why — Elvis Presley — Rca

LINDSAY — Tex Bagshaw — CKLY

PICKS  
Love Makes Me Do . —Martha/Vandellas—Gordy  
Good Time Music — Beau Brummels — Reo

NELSON — Bill James — CKLN

PICKS  
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# R.P.M. Play Sheet

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1	7	NO MATTER WHAT SHAPE	T-Bones	Qua
2	3	* WE CAN WORK IT OUT (f/s)	Beatles	Cap
3	4	x SATIN PILLOW (f/s)	Bobby Vinton	Col
4	6	* YESTERDAY MAN	Chris Andrews	Lon
5	5	* YOU DIDN'T HAVE TO BE SO NICE	Lovin' Spoonful	Qua
6	8	LIKE A DRIBBLIN' FRAM	Race Marbles	Cap
7	9	* HOOCHI COOCHI COO	Wes Dakus	Cap
8	11	A MUST TO AVOID	Herman's Hermits	Qua
9	10	x YOUNG GIRL	Noel Harrison	Lon
10	13	x THUNDER BALL	Tom Jones	Lon
11	12	* ATTACK	Toys	Qua
12	14	LIES	Knickerbockers	Com
13	16	AS TEARS GO BY	Rolling Stones	Lon
14	17	x GOOD NEWS WEEK	Hedgehoppers An.	Lon
15	15	* I'VE GOT TO BE SOMEBODY	Billy Joe Royal	Col
16	18	x SHE'S JUST MY STYLE	Gary Lewis	Lon
17	20	MY LOVE	Petula Clark	Com
18	23	UNDER YOUR SPELL AGAIN	Johnny Rivers	Lon
19	21	x JENNY TAKE A RIDE	Mitch Ryder	Qua
20	24	x BROOMSTICK COWBOY	Bobby Goldsboro	Com
21	26	* SOLDIER BOY	Debbie Lori Kaye	Col
22	new	BLUE LIPSTICK	Patrician Anne	Arc
23	27	* I AIN'T GONNA EAT OUT MY HEART	Young Rascals	Lon
24	36	* TELL ME WHY	Elvis Presley	Rca
25	35	x WALK HAND IN HAND	Gerry/Pacemakers	Cap
26	32	* I SEE THE LIGHT	Five Americans	Arc
27	29	* SNOW BELLS	Winifred Atwell	Col
28	31	* MY GENERATION	The Who	Com
29	34	x CRYIN' TIME	Ray Charles	Spa
30	39	BARBARA ANN	Beach Boys	Cap
31	40	LIGHTNIN' STRIKES	Lou Christie	Qua
32	38	LITTLE BOY	Four Seasons	Qua
33	new	* WALK ON BY	Bobby Kris	Col
34	new	x WHERE THE SUN NEVER SHONE	Jonathan King	Lon
35	new	HURTING EACH OTHER	Guess Who	Qua
37	new	x SPREAD IT ON THICK	Little Anthony	Com
36	new	x HURT	Gentrys	Qua
38	new	CRAWL OUT YOUR WINDOW	Bob Dylan	Col
39	new	BREAKIN' UP IS BREAKING . . .	Roy Orbison	Lon
40	new	AN ORDINARY GUY	Chip Young	Col

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EXTRA GET OUT OF MY LIFE  
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ANOTHER MAN — Shondels — Col

## Should!

WHO YOU GONNA HURT — Beryl Marsden — Cap

Could

## THE RIVER — Ken Dodd — Cap

Maybe ?

MARIA — P. J. Proby — Lon

## GMP Guide

1	THUNDERBALL	Tom Jones	Lon
2	MAKE THE WORLD GO AWAY	Eddy Arnold	Rca
3	HANG ON SLOOPY	Ramsey Lewis Trio	Qua
4	IT WAS A VERY GOOD YEAR	Frank Sinatra	Com
5	SECOND HAND ROSE	Barbra Streisand	Col
6	AS TEARS GO BY	Rolling Stones	Lon
7	JEALOUS HEART	Connie Francis	Qua
8	ON A CLEAR DAY	Johnny Mathis	Qua
9	MY LOVE	Petula Clark	Com
10	JOKER	Young Canadians	Cap
11	MY HEART SINGS	Mel Carter	Lon
12	TOM THUMB'S BLUES	Gordon Lightfoot	Com
13	FRECKLES FRECKLES	Skip Evans	Com
14	WALK ON BY	Bobby Kris	Col
15	ZORBA THE GREEK	Tijuana Brass	Qua
16	KISS AWAY	Ronnie Dove	Com
17	MEN IN MY LITTLE GIRL'S LIFE	Mike Douglas	Col
18	TIJUANA TAXI	Tijuana Brass	Qua
19	THEME FROM SANDPIPER	Tony Bennett	Col
20	MICHELLE	Billy Vaughn	Qua
21	SOME SUNDAY MORNING	Wayne Newton	Cap
22	THEME FROM MADAME X	Ronnie David	Col
23	MOMENT TO MOMENT	Henry Mancini	Rca
24	LARA'S THEME	MGM Strings	Qua
25	FEELING GOOD	Arena Brass	Car

## Country

1 IRON TOWN	Rhythm Pals	Melbourne
2 SHADOWS OF YOUR HEART	Diane Leigh	Capitol
3 MARJOLAINA	Jimmy James	Arc
4 GOODBYE MY FRIEND (f/s)	Bob King	Melbourne
5 FRECKLES FRECKLES	Skip Evans	Quality
6 CADILLACIN' AROUND	Angus Walker	Melbourne
7 COME HOME NEWFOUNDLANDER	Tom Jim Garth	Melbourne
8 LOST LOVE	Artie MacLaren	Arc
9 DON'T KNOCK ON MY DOOR	Canadian Sweethearts	Qua
10 ISLE OF NEWFOUNDLAND	Bert Cuff	Arc

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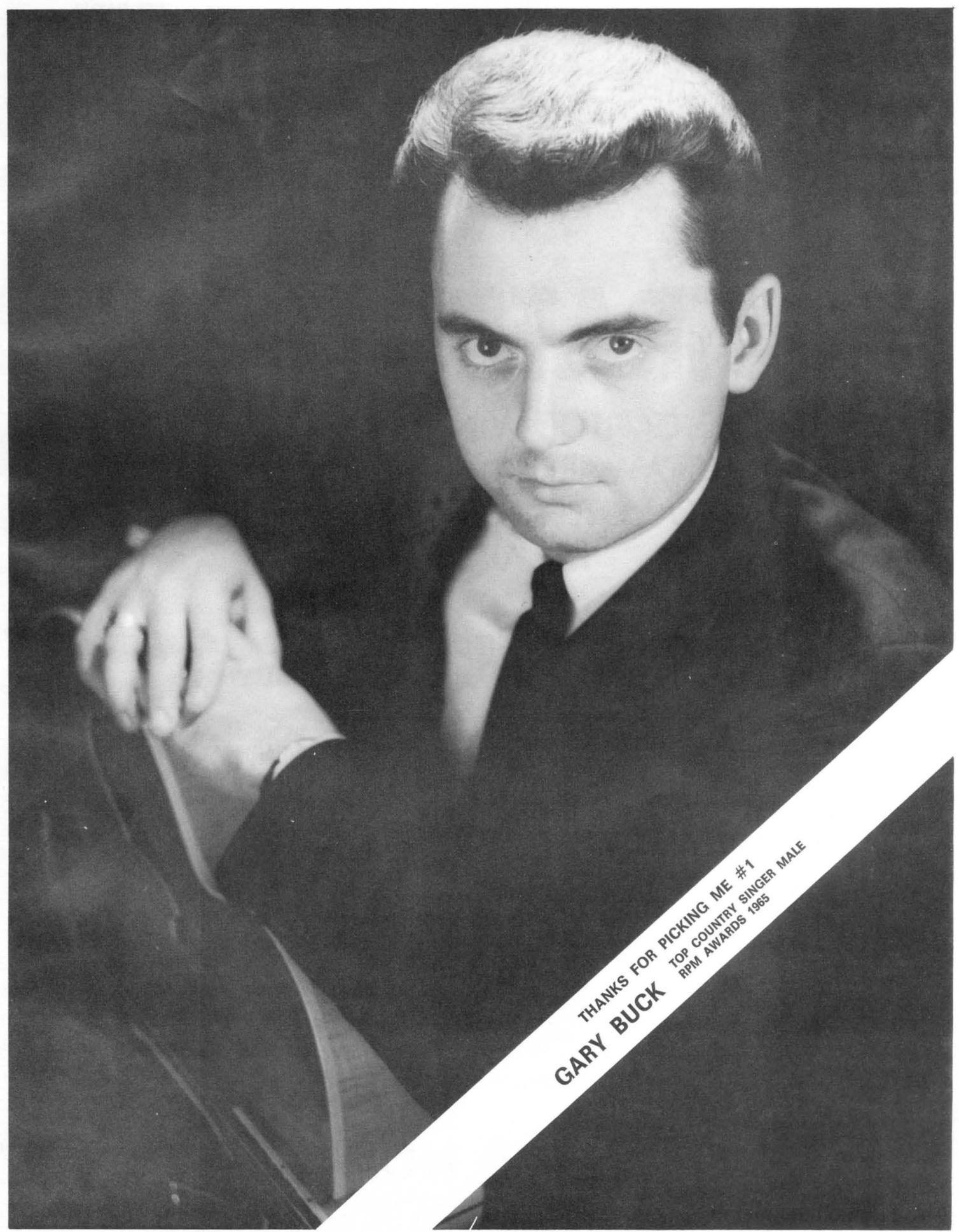
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