



# Midnight Country

with Woody Adkins



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## Woody's Weekly Wonderings

March 22, 2006

I tell ya what I am excited about something I just found out on Monday afternoon. Sit down if you are standing, lie down if you are sitting and pull over if you are driving (you shouldn't be reading your mail or surfing the web while driving anyway ☺). Here's what has me so worked up, we are going to be doing a one time only Daylight Edition of Midnight Country. It will be on Tuesday April 18 from 3:00-5:00 PM. Mark your calendars, call in sick, cancel your doctor appointments, fly in all your Country Music lovin' family and friends from out-of-state. You won't want to miss this Special Edition of MC! How will it be any different than any other Edition of Midnight Country? Well it won't be any different, EXCEPT for it will be on during the day! Now all those people who you have told about the show, but who have always said "I'm never up that late" will no longer have an excuse. If they still ain't up by 3:00 PM then I'd say they either have a sleep disorder or have been tellin' a fib when they say they would like to listen to the show. Also this is our one chance to catch the ear of people who do not normally hear the show. This includes people who really aren't able to stay up until after Midnight, those who don't even know the show exists AND those at KOPN who have no idea how many people love Midnight Country! So please, please, please tell everyone you know about this one time only Daylight Edition of Midnight Country. Ask those you tell to call and let me know they are listening. Also don't forget to call me as well, after all you will be home sick that day with your Country Music lovin' family and friends, remember? ☺ If the phones are jam-packed with calls for the entire two hours the staff in the office are going to think "Dang, Woody really isn't just imagining all those people listen to his show!" I'm not saying this will necessarily lead to an earlier time slot for the show, but it sure can't hurt. I will, as always, be playing your requests during the show. I would love to be able to send out a bunch of requests to you the faithful listeners. If I get backed up I may only be able to play one of your requests, so please don't hold that against me. If you can't afford to fly in your Country Music lovin' family and friends there are at least five hundred buses being chartered to bus people in from outside the KOPN listening area so they can hear the show. There might be a few seats still available, if not Anna Rose has offered to run a shuttle service from Macon and Rolla. Dang it, ya ain't gonna believe a word I said above if I start exaggerating now, just disregard the part about the chartered buses and Anna Rose's shuttle service. Everything else is true or may the Good Lord take me on home. Wait a second disregard that too, I'd make up a story to be able to go see Bronco. Anyway...just tune in on the April 18<sup>th</sup> and you'll see I ain't lying. ☺

Boy was this snowstorm a dud? At least on my street it was! I wish they would have been that far off the weekend of the tornadoes. As I read the forecast throughout the show they kept lowering the amounts of expected accumulations and I figured it would end up being a lot less than they were saying. I guess I don't dread big snows too much, having a four-wheel drive pickup helps of course. I figure if it is too bad you can always stay home in the safety of your house, but with tornadoes unless you've got a basement staying home may not be the safest place to be. I saw on the news where there have been people looting areas hit by the tornadoes. Boy think about that for a minute and you'll get your blood ta boilin', huh? Crazy I'd say.

The phones were hopping this week. I like it when a bunch of you all call me. It makes me feel all-warm inside, at least I think it is your calls, it could be the Taco Bell I sometimes eat before the show. ☺ Man a bunch of you are going through difficult times right now. I sure hope the show is a comfort to you during as you deal with all the "stuff" life throws at you. As always I will be happy to share your concerns with the rest of the MC Family on the air, on the web site and in the printed



Don't Miss the 2nd Annual  
 Midnight Country  
 Easter Special!

April 17<sup>th</sup>, 2006

All Country Gospel, All Night!

Ain't nothing fancy,  
 just Good Ol' Gospel  
 Music the way Hank  
 would have done it!



### Prayer Requests Corner

(Never hesitate to send in your prayer requests)

### Things to Pray About

Kevin Burns' brother **Kent** has been very ill, but has greatly improved. Yet he is still in need of your continued prayers. June's sister-in-law (Charles' sister) **Carol** needs your prayers as she continues to deal with problems with her leg. Kelly's dad **Marv** will be having open-heart surgery Thursday. All those devastated affected by the storms. Kevin Burns coworker "**Oscar**" **David Meyer** passed away. Remember Oscar's family and friends at this time of loss. **Anna Rose** as she recovers from her broken elbow. Safety and **health** of all the **MC Family**.

### Things to be Thankful For

A chance to play/hear real Country Music. A very successful **Membership Drive** in January

### Spotlight Artist on the Mar. 27th Edition of MC



Eddy Arnold

Edition of WWWs. Some might think it strange that I share prayer requests on a Country show, but if you know anything about KOPN you'd know we ain't afraid to go against the norm. Now I have no plans of turning MC into a religious show, but I sure as heaven ain't goin' to be afraid to share the concerns of a MC Family member with their fellow Family members. I ain't saying the Good Lord would stop a single raindrop as a result of my prayers, but there are MC Family members whose prayers make a big difference and can bring peace to those going through tough times.

We made it through the show this week with only one real bad computer glitch. The transmitter stayed on all night so that was nice. I sure enjoyed Harold's selections from 3:00 to 4:00. I was telling Harold that when I first dreamed up the idea of letting you all program a part of the show I was a little nervous. I was afraid that some Big & Rich or Shania Twain fan would pledge and then want me to play a bunch of Pop as my way of thanking them for supporting the show. I should have known better, there are probably few Pop fans listening to MC let alone wanting to support the show. I tell ya what not one of you who has been in the Supporter Spotlight have picked any songs that don't fit on Midnight Country. Good job! I am a little nervous that Anna Rose will someday decide to cash in all her hours and only have three songs listed for me to play throughout the entire night. They would of course be "Cajun Moon" by Ricky and "Mississippi Cotton Picking Delta Town" and "Church In the Wildwood" by Charley. I would be in a real pickle, I mean candied apple, how could I refuse my supplier's requests. ☺ I ain't too worried about it, Anna Rose could come up with a great list of requests if she'd set her mind to it. She could always tap into her sister's wealth of Country Music knowledge. Anna Rose may know her way around them there candy apples, but Loretta sure knows her Country & Bluegrass. I hear tell she was buddies with Ron and Mary, so I'd bet she learned a lot from the Master DJ.

I want to say a BIG Hello to everyone who reads WWWs, but are outside the KOPN listening area. My buddy George reads WWWs up in Kirksville. He claims he gets a kick out of reading it. I hope that really is the case and that he isn't just stockpiling them to use in case he runs out of toilet paper. ☺ George and I go way back. You might have heard of him, he and his wife Martha helped start this here Country, oh wait, wrong George. ☺ Also believe it or not WWWs travels all the way to Florida via the Pony Express. Charles and June's daughter Teresa gets a kick out of reading Woody's Wacky Writings. Dang, perhaps I should change the name, always something to wonder then worry about. So HOWDY George and Teresa, howdy also to all those of you who run across WWWs on the web site, in the landfill or wherever. ☺

Have a great week, tune in Monday morning as we get the fields ready for spring with *The Tennessee Plowboy* Mister Eddy Arnold, Woody

P.S. Did I mention we're gonna be on during the day come April 18<sup>th</sup>. Ah wait a second I think I already told ya. ☺ Don't forget now! I'm so excited I almost green beaned my pants! Anyhow...just so I told ya.

### The Ol' Midnight Country Depot



(Information provided by MC Family member **Conductor Chip**)

### Arrivals:

Mar. 16, 1942: **Jerry Jeff Walker** in Oneonta, NY  
Mar. 18, 1938: **Charley Pride** in Sledge, MS  
Mar. 20, 1937: **Jerry Reed** in Atlanta, GA

### Departures:

Mar. 21, 1997: **Fred Spielman** (wrote "It Only Hurts for a Little While" recorded by the Statlers, Bobby Bare; wrote "Paper Roses" recorded by Marie Osmond) [Arrival: in Vienna, Austria]  
Mar. 21, 1991: **Leo Fender** (creator and inventor of the world famous "Fender Guitar") [Arrival: Aug. 10, 1909 in Anaheim, CA]

### Past Week's Spotlight Artist A & D:

Arrival: Apr 1, 1955: **Keith Whitley** in Sandy Hook, KY [Departure: May 9, 1989 in Nashville, TN]

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**Bronco would have been 8 years old on March 16<sup>th</sup>.**

**Happy Birthday Son! Kelly, her kids, your sisters & I sure miss you! See you soon! Love Dad!**



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### \*A Glimpse Into the Life of a MC Listener

Burt caught a cold and will return next week!  
(\*Burt Jackson is not a real person and is not meant to represent anyone living or deceased. He is a figment of Woody's imagination as he tries his hand at story tellin'.)