

TO: AT40 Subscribers

FROM: Tom Rounds

RE: The Holidays

December 11, 1976

Let me begin by relaying fond holiday greetings to you from the AT40 crew...Casey, Nikki, Don Bustany, Sandy Benjamin, Tom Hall, Alan Kaltman and Ann Strohecker...and the 20 other people at Watermark in North Hollywood who make it happen every week. 1976 has been a truly wonderful year for AT40 and all of us, and really, we owe it all to you.

This shipment includes: Programs 764-12 and 764-13. "12" is for the weekend of December 18-19. "13" is four hours and is for the weekend of December 25-26; it's the Top 100 of 1976, #s 100 - 51. A chronological montage of all the number ones of 1976 is featured at the end of show "13", and at the end of show "1".

And, if included in your licensing agreement or specially ordered, the following programs are also enclosed:

- a) #734-13...the All-Time Christmas Countdown (to be aired no later than December 25.)
- b) #771-1...the Top 100 of 1976, #s 50 1. (for the weekend of January 1-2)

Please check your shipment thoroughly to be sure everything is there and in good condition. As advised in a memo two weeks ago, emergency shipments are a bit hazardous at this late date, but please call Watermark Operations right away if there is any problem. (800) 423-2502 or (213) 980-9490.

The next regular shipment will be program #771-2 on Saturday, January 1. This show is scheduled to air the weekend of January 8-9.

Promos: Casey has provided three voice-only promos for "The Top 100". They are indefinite enough to be useful for any of the variety of scheduling possibilities that have occurred to us and many stations. They are included as extra cuts on program #764-12. Check your cue sheet for actual location.

American Country Countdown won this year's Billboard award for best syndicated series. On behalf of ACC producer Bob Kingsley, writer Pat Shields and host Don Bowman, thanks to the awards committee for this honor.



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CHEDULED START TIME	ACTUAL TIME	ELEMENT	RUNNING TIME
00:00		THEME & OPENING OF PART 1 THEME: "SHUCKATOOM" THEME FROM AMERICAN TOP 40 (MARKWATER MUSIC/BMI)	
7:49		#40 - BLINDED BY THE LIGHT - Manfred Mann's Earth Band (A) #39 - KEEP ME CRYIN' - Al Green (B) LOGO: CASEY'S COAST TO COAST	7:51
7:51		LOCAL INSERT: C-1	2:00
9:51 19:48	•	LOGO: AMERICAN TOP 40 #38 - WALK THIS WAY - Aerosmith (B) #37 - MADEMOISELLE - Styx (A) #36 - WHISPERING/CHERCHEZ LA FEMME/SE SI BON - Dr. Buzzard's Original Savannah Band (A & B) LOGO: HITS FROM COAST TO COAST	9:59
19:50		LOCAL INSERT: C-2	2:00
21:50		LOGO: AMERICAN TOP 40 #35 - I LIKE DREAMIN' - Kenny Nolan (B)	6:59
28:47		#34 - DON'T TAKE AWAY THE MUSIC - Tavares (A) LOGO: CASEY'S COAST TO COAST	6:39
28:49		LOCAL INSERT: C-3	2:10
30:59 41:47		LOGO: AMERICAN TOP 40 #33 - THIS SONG - George Harrison (B) EXTRA: RUDOLPH THE RED-NOSED REINDEER - Jackson Five #32 - JUST TO BE CLOSE TO YOU - Commodores (A) LOGO: HITS FROM COAST TO COAST	10:50
41:49		LOCAL INSERT: C-4	2:00
43:49		LOGO: AMERICAN TOP 40 #31 - ENJOY YOURSELF - The Jacksons (B)	
50:46		#30 - SATURDAY NIGHT - Earth, Wind & Fire (B) LOGO: CASEY'S COAST TO COAST	6:59
50:48		LOCAL INSERT: C-5	2:00
52:48 58:33		LOGO: AMERICAN TOP 40 #29 - SHAKE YOUR RUMP TO THE FUNK - Bar Kays (B) #28 - JEANS ON - David Dundas (B) THEME UP & UNDER W/TALK UNIT ENDING AT: 58:41 THEME TO: 58:50	5:45
58:50		LOCAL INSERT: STATION I.D.:	(60



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SCHEDULED START TIME	ACTUAL TIME	ELEMENT	RUNNING TIME
00:00 6:53		THEME & OPENING OF PART 11 #27 - DISCO DUCK - Rick Dees (B) #26 - LOST WITHOUT YOUR LOVE - Bread (A) LOGO: CASEY'S COAST TO COAST	6:55
6:55		LOCAL INSERT: C-1	2:00
8:55 17:06		LOGO: AMERICAN TOP 40 #25 - THE WRECK OF THE EDMUND FITZGERLAD-Gordon Lightfoot(C) #24 - HELLO OLD FRIEND - Eric Clapton (B) LOGO: HITS FROM COAST TO COAST	8:13
17:08	,	LOCAL INSERT: C-2	2:00
19:08 30:39		LOGO: AMERICAN TOP 40 #23 - BETH - Kiss (A&B) #22 - SOMEBODY TO LOVE - Queen (B) #21 - LOVE SO RIGHT - Bee Gees (B) LOGO: CASEY'S COAST TO COAST	11:33
30:41		LOCAL INSERT: C-3	2:10
32:51 39:50		LOGO: AMERICAN TOP 40 #20 - LOVE BALLAND - L.T.D. (B) #19 - LIVIN' THING - Electric Light Orchestra (B) LOGO: HITS FROM COAST TO COAST	7:01
39:52		LOCAL INSERT: C-4	2:00
41:52		LOGO: AMERICAN TOP 40 #18 - I WISH - Stevie Wonder (A)	
48:49		#17 - CAR WASH - Rose Royce (B) LOGO: CASEY'S COAST TO COAST	6:59
48:51		LOCAL INSERT: C-5	2:00
50:51 58:35		LOGO: AMERICAN TOP 40 #16 - LOVE ME - Yvonne Elliman (B) #15 - STAND TALL - Burton Cummings (B) THEME UP & UNDER W/TALK UNIT ENDING AT: 58:43	7:44
		* 4 PROMOS FOR TOP 100 OF 1976	
58:50 59:50		LOCAL INSERT: STATION I.D.: C-6	:60



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CHEDULED TART TIME	ACTUAL TIME	ELEMENT	RUNNING TIME
9:11		THEME & OPENING OF PART 111 #14 - HOT LINE - Sylvers (B) #13 - I NEVER CRY - Alice Cooper (B) #12 - DAZZ - Brick (A) LOGO: CASEY'S COAST TO COAST	9:13
9:13		LOCAL INSERT: C-1	2:00
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11:13		LOGO: AMERICAN TOP 40 #11 - AFTER THE LOVIN' - Englebert Humperdinck (B) #10 - NIGHTS ARE FOREVER WITHOUT YOU - England Dan & John LOGO: HITS FROM COAST TO COAST Ford Coley(B)	7:42
18:54		LOCAL INSERT: C-2	2:00
20:54		LOGO: AMERICAN TOP 40 #9 - YOU ARE THE WOMAN - Firefall (B) #8 - NADIA'S THEME - Barry DeVorzon & Perry Botkin, Jr. LOGO: CASEY'S COAST TO COAST	6:24
27:19		LOCAL INSERT: C-3	2:10
29:29 36:41		LOGO: AMERICAN TOP 40 #7 - SORRY SEEMS TO BE THE HARDEST WORD - Elton John (A) #6 - MORE THAN A FEELING - Boston (B) LOGO: HITS FROM COAST TO COAST	7:14
36:42		LOCAL INSERT: C-4	2:00
38:42 48:02		LOGO: AMERICAN TOP 40 #5 - YOU MAKE ME FEEL LIKE DANCING - Leo Sayer (B) #4 - MUSKRAT LOVE - Captain & Tennille (A) #3 - YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE A STAR - Marilyn McCoo & Billy LOGO: CASEY'S COAST TO COAST Davis, Jr (B	9:21
48:04		LOCAL INSERT: C-5	2:00
50:04		LOGO: AMERICAN TOP 40 #2 - THE RUBBERBAND MAN - Spinners (B) #1 - TONIGHT'S THE NIGHT - Rod Stewart (A)	8:14
58:18		THEME UP & UNDER W/TALK UNIT ENDING AT: 58:39 THEME TO: 58:50 THEME: "SHUCKATOOM" THEME FROM AMERICAN TOP FORTY (MARKWATER MUSIC/BMI)	