



# WOMEN'S MUSIC NEWS

Midwest Women's  
Music Distributors, Inc.

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NOVEMBER 1983

## MARGIE ADAM & KATE CLINTON

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1983

8:30 p.m.

PEOPLE'S CHURCH  
941 West Lawrence  
Chicago

EXUBERANT! WITTY! INTIMATE! and ELEGANT!

Margie Adam, songwriter and pianist, will perform at People's Church in Chicago on Friday, December 9, 1983 at 8:30 p.m.

Margie will be celebrating the release of her newest album Here Is A Love Song. This sparkling collection of love songs is as diverse in style as it is beautiful. Full instrumentation by well-known women musicians provides the background for ballads, blues, and a little "classic-Margie" funk.

The opening act will be Kate Clinton, a comedian with a fast-growing audience. Kate calls herself a fumerist - that's feminist and humorist. While women fall off their chairs in laughter, Kate reminds us all that the women's movement is supposed to have a sense of humor.

Both women, Kate Clinton and Margie Adam, are strong feminists with material that supports our lives and our loves in a personal yet communal way. Both artists have performed at women's music festivals, women's studies conferences, gay and lesbian events, and clubs and concert halls across the country.

And, by the way, this will be Margie's last Chicago appearance for at least a year and a half while she takes time to for writing and relaxation. DON'T MISS HER!!!



**DECEMBER 9**  
8:30

**PEOPLES CHURCH**

Tickets—Adv/Res  
\$12, \$10

**MARGIE ADAM**  
with Kate Clinton

Ticketmaster  
Booklovers  
Jane Addams  
Women & Children First

### Tickets available at:

Booklovers  
8 West Burlington  
Westmont

Jane Addams Bookstore  
410 S. Michigan Room 207  
Chicago

Women and Children First  
922 West Armitage  
Chicago

Ticketmaster Outlets:  
Rose Records, Sportmarts, some  
Baskin and Carson, Pirie, Scott  
stores & Tribune Tower

### Mail Order:

Send a self-addressed, stamped  
envelope to:

Midwest Women's Music Distributors  
207 E. Buffalo Street Suite 545  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202

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# MIDWEST WOMEN'S MUSIC DISTRIBUTORS INC.

Midwest Women's Music Distributors Inc. is a women-owned business committed to promoting "women's music," music by and about women, and other independent and alternative artists. Our primary business is wholesale distribution of records and tapes to retail outlets: record stores, women's bookstores and other alternative businesses. We also handle some promotion to media, offer educational programs and "listening parties," provide information and sales at concerts, festivals and conferences and work with other businesses and organizations.

Midwest Women's Music Distributors Inc. is always looking for new ideas, suggestions and assistance. Call or write to us:

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Milwaukee, WI 53202  
(414) 278-0066

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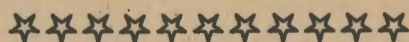
## Let Us Hear From You!

This issue of Women's Music News cost almost \$3,000.00 to produce and mail, not including the time and energy of many volunteers including the editor, layout person, typist, staplers and label-stickers.

If everyone on our mailing list contributed \$2.00, this would cover the direct costs for one year's cycle of newsletters (two in Spring, two in Fall).

Because this newsletter is a large expense to our very small business, we would appreciate hearing from you. Do you want to continue receiving this newsletter? Please send a note and let us know! If you do enjoy the newsletter, please consider sending \$2.00 or more to help pay our costs.

The cost of producing this newsletter, Women's Music News, may soon prevent us from continuing without your help.



## Does Your Address Label Say "NWML" ?

If "NWML" appears in the upper right hand corner of your address label on this newsletter, this is probably your first mailing from Midwest Women's Music.

We received your name from the National Women's Mailing List because you indicated an interest in "women's music."

Please let us know if you want to continue receiving this newsletter.

# Getting the Music

If the area you live in is sorely lacking in places to buy women's music . . . LET US KNOW!! We are Midwest Women's Music Distributors and are responsible for getting women's music into your community.

You can help out by telling us of places you think might carry it. Is there a record store nearby? . . . How 'bout a book-store or food co-op? (There are even restaurants and a hardware store that carry our stuff, so don't limit your options!)

Next . . . Let that place know you'd like them to carry women's music. . . that there is a large market for it. Or, have lots of friends go in and ask for an album or for Women's Music.

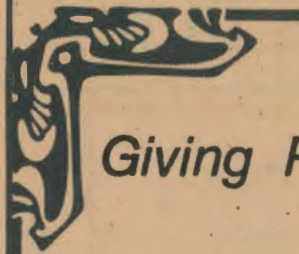
Then . . . Send us their name and address and any people you've talked with who may be helpful, and we'll follow up on your hard work.

THE RESULT . . . Cris Williamson, Margie Adam, Holly Near and friends at your neighborhood co-op, record store or . . .

It's worked this way in many other communities in our territory. Even some of the smallest towns now have Women's Music available. Give it a try!

If you have any questions or want some ideas, just call us at (414)278-0066 or write:

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Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202



## Giving Peace a Chance!

A gathering of 50,000 peace lovers is being planned in Iowa for the weekend of May 19 - 20, 1984!!! The weekend would include speakers, dancers, theatre, discussions and exhibits on achieving peace and preserving the environment. To date, Pete Seeger, Holly Near, and Inti-Illimani have agreed to participate and enthusiastically support the event.

The steering committee sees this gathering as a recreational, cultural, and educational event for whole families - nuclear and extended, of course - to enjoy and remember.

For more information, to volunteer, to send a tax-deductible donation or to get on the mailing list, write to:

IOWA PEACE CHATAUQUA  
4211 E. Grand Avenue  
Des Moines, Iowa 50312  
(515) 274-4851



# 1984 N.W.M.F.

Save these dates: MAY 24-27, 1984! The dates for next year's National Women's Music Festival in Bloomington, Indiana!

The best organized indoor conference and festival in women's music!

The Women in the Arts/NWMF, Inc. board of Directors is looking for a mainstage producer. This is a paid position, responsible for booking performers and signers, arranging technical support and providing coordination with other festival activities.

For more information, write to:

WIA/NWMF  
P.O. 5217  
Bloomington, Indiana 47402



# CONCERT CALENDAR

Nov 9 Teresa Trull and Barbara Higbie  
Madison, WI  
Club de Wash 636 W Washington  
TIX: \$6. at Club or Room Of One's Own

Nov 10 Teresa Trull and Barbara Higbie  
Stevens Point, WI  
Univeristy of Wisconsin - S.P.  
(715) 345-0093

Nov 11 Kay Gardner  
Milwaukee, WI  
Unitarian Church 1009 E Ogden Ave.  
Show starts at 8:00 p.m.  
Hurricane Productions  
3536 W. Cherry Milwaukee, WI 53208  
TIX: Hurricane, Beer Garden, West  
Bank Cafe, Interlude, People's  
Books, Gordon Park Food Co-op  
\$5. advance; \$6. at door

Nov 13 Teresa Trull and Barbara Higbie  
Carbondale, IL  
Mainstreet East 213 E. Main  
Show starts at 9:00 p.m.  
AIDS Benefit  
(618) 549-5223

Nov 19 Cris Williamson and Band  
Chicago, IL  
Park West 322 W. Armitage  
shows at 7:30 p.m. and 11:00 p.m.  
TIX: Park West, Ticketmaster outlets  
(312) 559-1212 charge by phone

Nov 19 Kay Gardner  
Madison, WI  
Wilmar Community Center  
Shows at 5:00 p.m. & 8:00 p.m.  
Fallen Woman Productions  
(608) 249-7872  
TIX: Room Of One's Own  
tix scale: \$7, \$9, & \$12  
EVENING WORKSHOPS - NOV. 14 - 18  
"Music, Color and Healing"  
Call or write for more info:  
Fallen Woman Productions  
401 Elmside Madison, WI 53704

Dec 2 Women's Winter Arts and Crafts Fair  
Milwaukee, WI  
Downtown YWCA 610 N Jackson  
11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.  
Admission Free

Dec 9 Margie Adam with Kate Clinton  
Chicago, IL  
People's Church 941 W Lawrence  
show starts at 8:30 p.m.  
KeepHers Productions and Midwest  
Women's Music Distributors  
Reserved seats: \$12. and \$10.  
TIX: Booklovers, Jane Addams Booksto  
Women and Children First  
For mail order, send self-  
addressed, stamped envelope to:  
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Jan 28 Cathy Fink  
Madison, WI  
Fallen Woman Productions

Feb 25 Claudia Schmidt  
Madison, WI  
Fallen Woman Productions



IN CONCERT

# CRIS WILLIAMSON & TRET FURE

Saturday, Nov. 19

Cam Davis

Novi

Carrie Barton

Special Guest:

Alexander & Noelle



Rock Miller Network

PRESENTS AT THE

# PARK WEST

322 W. Armitage, Chicago

FOR INFORMATION CALL: 929-5959

Tickets at Park West Box Office, all



Ticket Centers including all Sportmarts, all Rose Records, 8 selected Baskin Clothing Stores, 12 participating Carson, Pine, Scott & Co. Locations & the Tribune Tower.

FOR TIKS BY PHONE: 559-1212 with Visa or MasterCard

NO ONE ADMITTED UNDER 21 A JAM PRODUCTION

# A Letter To You From LINDA TILLERY

My Friends:

I love to sing for people more than anything in the world--it makes me happy and it makes them happy. The one problem with singing at concerts, though, is that we can't take the music home with us. A record can do that.

I want to produce my own album, to record my music the way I hear it, with the finest musicians I know, putting out an album rich in my musical roots, without compromise.

In order for that to happen, I must raise \$20,000. Your donations of any size are welcome. I know that there are many of you who want to see this happen. I am ready; and if you are ready, we can make an album that we will love to listen to, and be proud to say we helped make happen.



Please send contributions,  
along with your name  
and address to:

Linda Tillery  
1515 Lakeside Dr. #609  
Oakland, California 94612  
(415) 658-6474

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## Were You at Michigan?

Attendance at the 8th Michigan Womyn's Music Festival was down and the organizers of the festival are in debt \$125,000, including the \$78,000 land payment.

If everyone who didn't attend, because of job commitments, festival burnout, or not hearing about the improved shuttle would send the price of her ticket (about \$50), the festival would meet this year's debt.

The festival land and the festival business are owned by a Michigan partnership, and the partnership is owned by Lisa and Kristie Vogel, the original and continuing organizers of the festival.

Another method of contributing to the Land Fund is to become a Lifetime Ticketholder for \$1,000. In whatever way you can, we'd greatly appreciate your help.

For more information call Therese Edell at (513)542-5151 or call or write:

We Want the Music Cooperative, 1501 Lyons Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858 (517)772-0588

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**FERRON**

Ferron and her manager, Gayle Scott, are planning a beautiful new studio album to be released in the spring of '84.

They will be recording the album on their own label, with Terry Garthwaite as musical producer.

In order for this album to happen, Ferron needs to raise a great deal of money.

Anyone interested in investing Big Bucks (\$1,000 or more) please contact:

Ferron, Box 67, Saturna Island, B.C.  
Canada VON 2Y0.

# Support Your Local Distributor

A national network of women's music distributors "get the music out." Through retail outlets, at concerts, conferences and festivals and through the mail. All women's music distribution companies are owned by women and are locally managed.

Without distributors, albums would be available only by mail order from each individual artist or record company.

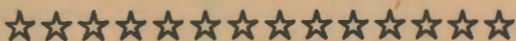
How can you support your local distributor? Buy albums and cassettes through their retail outlets or directly from them. While mail orders directly from the record company or another distributor do support their businesses, those purchases do not encourage local availability of women's music.

When you buy your albums at a retail outlet, you are encouraging that store to continue carrying this alternative music which in turn makes it available to more and more people. Retail stores buy their albums from the distributor, so your purchase also supports the distributor, the record company and the artist.

When you can't get an album you want through a retail outlet and you order it from your local distributor, your purchase supports the local distributor and the record company/artist.

Look for the label!!! Most albums sold by Midwest Women's Music have a sticker identifying our women-owned business.

THANKS FOR SUPPORTING US!



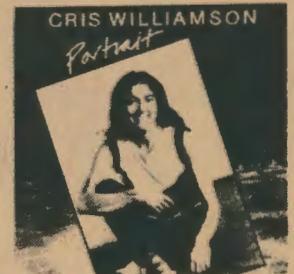
# Newest Releases

HERE IS A LOVE SONG by Margie Adam  
- love songs by Margie and nine musicians



GIVE YOURSELF TO LOVE by Kate Wolf  
- live double album by well-known California folk artist

UNEXPECTED by Teresa Trull and Barbara Higbie  
- exciting fusion of rock, pop, jazz, country and classical



PORTRAIT by Cris Williamson  
- Cris' favorites from her first 7 albums

NEW GOODBYES, OLD HELLOS by Claudia Schmidt  
- talented musician/songwriter/singer of traditional and contemporary folk music

TINDER by Marsha Taylor  
- debut solo album by member of Bright Morning Star

JANE SAPP by Jane Sapp  
- exciting gospel/jazz performer



JOURNEYS by Holly Near  
- collection of favorites with new photos and historical information on Redwood

# Give a gift that means something! Give WOMEN'S MUSIC!

Giving Women's Music is like putting a little bit of yourself in the box!

It's a gift that is both personal and political! Women's Music sings of our lives... our struggles... our joys. It can move you to tears, to action and to uncontrollable laughter.

There is something for everyone! Styles range from rock to reggae... from folk to jazz. AND... you'll be making a political choice too — A purchase of Women's Music supports women-owned businesses and furthers the political work of the artists represented... work important to all of us!



# The Perfect Holiday Gifts!

FOR THE WOMEN'S MUSIC ENTHUSIASTS IN YOUR LIFE:

*For the Record, Photographs by Irene Young.*

A sixty-page book of portraits of women's music artists: Holly Near, Cris Williamson, Linda Tillery, Teresa Trull, Margie Adam, Meg Christian, Mary Watkins and many others! Compiled to complement Irene Young's now-famous black-and-white elegant photos. Perfect for fine art lovers and autograph collectors.  
(12.95 list) SPECIAL -- \$10.00!



FOR THE OPERA LOVERS IN YOUR LIFE:

*A Christmas Carol - Thea Musgrave.*

A live taping of the world premiere of an opera Newsweek said may "one day rival the 'Nutcracker' as a favorite." By a composer known for her *Mary, Queen of Scots* opera. A deluxe three-record set with 24-page full-color book/libretto.  
(24.98 list) \$24.00 - albums only.



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FOR THE CHILDREN IN YOUR LIFE:

*Songs for the Holiday Season - Nancy Raven.*

A collection of lovely, simple and lesser-known carols and holiday songs from around the world. Includes songs of Chanukah, Christmas and others. Lyrics and notes appear in the double jacket or in a booklet with the cassette.  
(8.98 list) \$8.00 album or cassette



A gift of Women's Music is also quick and easy to give!! Just send us the completed order form with your check and a personalized card or message for each gift . . . AND WE'LL DO THE REST!

We'll wrap your albums with attractive non-denominational gift wrap and send them off, with your personal message enclosed, to anywhere in the Continental U.S. in time for the Holidays.

If it's Hanukkah you'd like to celebrate we need your order by Nov. 19th; for Solstice, by Dec. 11th and for Christmas, by Dec. 15th.

Orders received after the deadline dates specified will still be shipped, but we cannot guarantee arrival in time for each specific holiday.

So . . . avoid the holiday rush, save time and still give a gift that is both personal and purposeful . . . Give Women's Music.

# SPECIALS!

Share part of yourself this holiday season by giving the gift of music. Because there is such a variety of musical styles and because it can be given to all kinds of people, we are offering this special:

Any three \$8.00 albums or cassettes for only \$22.00. Save \$2.00 off the regular price (which is already lower than list price!).

## 3 for \$22.00!

These albums are conveniently grouped in three-record sets (most \$22.00) according to some generalized categories - perhaps the perfect combination for a favorite person or couple or household in your life. Of course, you may order any album singly or in any combination. BE CREATIVE!!!

### "CLASSIC CRIS" SET

Changer and the Changed (1975) by Cris Williamson  
Strange Paradise (1979) by Cris Williamson  
Blue Rider (1982) by Cris Williamson

### YOUNG CHILD'S SET

Bellybuttons by Heather Bishop  
Hop, Skip and Sing by Nancy Raven  
You'll Sing A Song; I'll Sing A Song by Ella Jenkins

### NEW AGE SET

Moods and Rituals by Kay Gardner  
Honor The Earth by Molly Scott and Sumitra  
Aeolus by Barrett/Smith

### REGGAE SET

Black Woman by Judy Mowatt  
Only A Woman by Judy Mowatt  
Who Feels It Knows It by Rita Marley

### MIDWEST ARTISTS SET

Just One Time by Diana Laffey/Kathy O'Hara (Chicago)  
New Goodbyes, Old Hellos by Claudia Schmidt (Milwaukee)  
Circle of Friends by Haresuite (Columbus)

### Carpediem by Ann Reed (Minneapolis)

Strong Again by Kris Gannon (Iowa)  
Jasmine by Jasmine (St. Louis)

### FEMINIST SET

We Shall Go Forth by Margie Adam  
We Will Never Give Up by Kristin Lems  
I Can't Believe That Was Me by Judy Eron

### LIBERATED COUPLE SET (or need-to-be-liberated!)

Finally Letting It Go by Geof Morgan  
We Shall Go Forth by Margie Adam  
Lifeline by Holly Near and Ronnie Gilbert

### BLUEGRASS SET

Green Sneakers by Robin Flower  
Long Way to Harlan by Reel World String Band  
West Virginia Woman by Karen Mackay



### DANCE SET

Let It Be Known by Teresa Trull  
Woody Simmons by Woody Simmons  
Heartsong by June Millington

### ANTI-NUCLEAR SET

Bright Morning Star 'Arisin' by Bright Morning Star  
Speed of Light by Holly Near  
Love's gonna Carry Us by Fred Small

### CLASSICAL SET

Women's Orchestral Works by New England Women's Symphony  
Works for Piano and Orchestra with Rosario Marciano  
Classical Guitar Works Vol. I by Sharon Isbin

### "HOTTEST SELLERS" SET

Unexpected by Teresa Trull and Barbara Higbie  
Here Is A Love Song by Margie Adam  
Lifeline by Holly Near and Ronnie Gilbert

### OLDER CHILD'S SET

Songs For the Holiday Season by Nancy Raven  
I'm A Delightful Child by Janet Smith  
Lumiere by Cris Williamson

### GAY MAN SET

Catch the Fire by Charlie Murphy  
All-American Boy by Tom Wilson Weinberg  
Finally by Blackberri and Friends

### CANADIAN ARTISTS SET

Testimony by Ferron  
One Of These Days by Connie Kaldor  
I Love Women Who Laugh by Heather Bishop

### WOMEN'S HISTORY SET (\$45.00)

Side by Side (two-record anthology)  
What If I Am A Woman Vol. 1  
What If I Am A Woman Vol. 2  
But The Women Rose Vol. 1  
But the Women Rose Vol. 2  
Songs Of The Suffragettes

# WOMEN'S MUSIC CATALOG

Below is a list of many of the albums we carry - but not all. If you want an album which is not on the list, order it ... if it's not available, we will refund your money! Most albums are \$8.00 unless noted OR ordered in groups of three before December 31, 1983. An asterisk (\*) means that it is also available on cassette.

\*Margie Adam SONGWRITER  
Margie's ever-popular first album includes "The Unicorn Song"

\*Margie Adam NAKED KEYS  
beautiful collection of relaxing solo piano performances

\*Margie Adam WE SHALL GO FORTH  
political and social issues recorded live

\*Margie Adam HERE IS A LOVE SONG  
fully orchestrated album of mushy love songs Great!

\*Alive! ALIVE!  
first album by this jazz group; includes "Spirit Healer"

\*Alive! CALL IT JAZZ  
live recording captures hot rhythms of Alive!

Linda Allen MAMA WANTED TO BE A RAINBOW DANCER  
soft feminist ballads and folk tunes on debut album

Siran Avedis TATTOOS  
mellow rock feminist album by former Chicagoan

Baba Yaga ON THE EDGE  
jazz-flavored pop album by women's band

Be Be K'Roche BE BE K'ROCHE  
"R & B" band; includes "Kahlua Mama"

Berkeley Women's Music Collective BERKELEY WOMEN'S MUSIC  
pleasant blend of various country, blues and Latin jazz

Berkeley Women's Music Collective TRYIN' TO SURVIVE  
second album by group of individually talented artists

Heather Bishop GRANDMOTHER'S SONG  
mellow folk with strong blues influence

Heather Bishop CELEBRATION  
original and previously-recorded work by Canadian performer

Heather Bishop I LOVE WOMEN WHO LAUGH  
blues and rock with strong instrumentation & feminist lyrics

Cheap Cologne CHEAP COLOGNE  
exciting feminist jazz by group of women and men

\*Meg Christian I KNOW YOU KNOW  
first Olivia album! includes "Ode To A Gym Teacher"

\*Meg Christian FACE THE MUSIC  
personal and political songs for feminists

\*Meg Christian TURNING IT OVER  
reflective, feminist themes with polished, warm vocals

\*Meg Christian/Williamson LIVE AT CARNEGIE HALL  
double album celebrating 10 years of Olivia Records (\$13.00)

\*Ginni Clemmens WILD WOMEN DON'T GET THE BLUES  
Blues-style album by a "long-time friend"

Kate Clinton MAKING LIGHT  
comic monologues by the newest lesbian feminist comedian

Casse Culver THREE GYPSIES  
country-style ballads; includes "Good Old Dora"

Hunter Davis GIRL'S BEST FRIEND  
strong husky energetic voice singing original material

\*Alix Dobkin LAVENDAR JANE LOVES WOMEN  
first lesbian-identified LP in Women's Music

Alix Dobkin LIVING WITH LESBIANS  
serious and humorous tunes on lesbian life

\*Alix Dobkin XX ALIX  
third album of personal yet universal themes

Therese Edell FROM WOMEN'S FACES  
soothing vocals on important social issues

Judy Eron I CAN'T BELIEVE THAT WAS ME  
powerful feminist lyrics by experienced folk artist

Carole Etzler SOMETIMES I WISH  
solo folk album of feminist songs

Carole Etzler WOMANRIVER FLOWING ON  
songs of freedom and women's unity by folk artist

Maxine Feldman CLOSET SALE  
comedy album by a founding mother of lesbian feminist culture

\*Ferron TESTIMONY  
statements on life and love by a magnetic performer GREY!

\*Debbie Fier IN YOUR HANDS  
dynamic jazz album by new-comer; exceptional back-up work

Robin Flower MORE THAN FRIENDS  
traditional and original bluegrass

Robin Flower GREEN SNEAKERS  
hot feminist bluegrass!

Kris Gannon STRONG AGAIN  
strong powerful lyrics and vocals by Midwestern artist

\*Kay Gardner MOONCIRCLES  
beautiful meditative pieces on flute and classical guitar

\*Kay Gardner EMERGING  
contemporary, experimental New Age sounds

\*Kay Gardner MOODS AND RITUALS  
relaxing, healing music by Kay; very popular album.

Judy Gorman-Jacobs RIGHT BEHIND YOU  
deep husky voice on feminist and progressive concerns.

Häresuite CIRCLE OF FRIENDS  
new soft rock feminist band from Columbus, Ohio.  
Izquierda QUIET THUNDER  
3rd World, feminist perspectives; enchanting vocals.

Jasmine JASMINE  
hot St. Louis jazz duo with growing audience.

Jeritree HOUSE OF MANY COLORS

Connie Kaldor ONE OF THESE DAYS  
exceptional voice and feminist material from Canada

Laffey/O'Hara JUST ONE TIME

\*Kristin Lems OH, MAMA!  
feminist songs by co-founder of Nat'l Women's Music Fest.

\*Kristin Lems IN THE OUT DOOR  
second album by leading midwest feminist.

\*Kristin Lems WE WILL NEVER GIVE UP  
produced in response to defeat of the ERA.

Lilith BOSTON RIDE  
unusually "fun" early rock/funk LP from Boston.

\*Gayle Marie NIGHT RAINBOW  
first solo album by one of the freshest voices in music.

Karen Mackay WEST VIRGINIA WOMAN  
strong vocals and energy by a talented musician; debut.

Ila Meyer THE WOMAN THAT I AM  
original feminist material by northwest folk singer.

\*June Millington HEARTSONG  
soulful rock by former member of "Fanny."

Holly Near HANG IN THERE  
Holly's first album of anti-war songs of the early 70's.

\*Holly Near LIVE ALBUM  
Live recording capturing warmth and strength of feminism.

\*Holly Near YOU CAN KNOW ALL I AM  
beautiful, powerful songs about women's lives.

\*Holly Near IMAGINE MY SURPRISE  
strongly feminist, inspirational material; exciting vocals.

\*Holly Near FIRE IN THE RAIN  
polished pop style album on personal & political themes.

\*Holly Near SPEED OF LIGHT  
political material in rock style; touch of reggae.

\*Holly Near/Ronnie Gilbert LIFELINE  
progressive songs done in the tradition of the Weavers.

\*Holly Near JOURNEYS  
Holly's favorites from her first six albums.

Ova OUT OF BOUNDS  
interesting harmonies on women's themes by British duo.

Parker/Grahn WHERE WOULD I BE WITHOUT YOU?  
poetry on feminist/lesbian themes; well-done.

Judy Reagan OLD FRIENDS  
folk-style lesbian-feminist material on a new release.

Ann Reed CARPEDIUM  
rich pleasant voice on debut album of original songs.

Reel World String Band REEL WORLD STRING BAND  
5-woman bluegrass group of traditional & original tunes.

Reel World String Band LONG WAY TO HARLAN  
2nd album by band with banjo, fiddle and more!

Malvina Reynolds MALVINA  
famous folksinger's most popular songs.

Malvina Reynolds HELD OVER  
more political feminist work by special woman.

Malvina Reynolds MAMA LION  
latest progressive material by Malvina.

Sharon Riddell MY ILLUSTRIOUS CAREER  
country music with feminist words.

River UNDERCURRENTS  
mellow pop with country flavor by 4-woman band.

Rosy's Bar and Grill ROSY'S BAR AND GRILL  
country/bluegrass/folk by popular midwest trio.

Linda Shear LINDA SHEAR  
all original lesbian music; available to lesbians only.

Woody Simmons OREGON MOUNTAINS  
bluegrass-style album with two banjo instrumentals.

\*Woody Simmons WOODY SIMMONS  
pop/bluegrass style of danceable material; fun!  
Sweet Honey in the Rock SWEET HONEY IN THE ROCK  
Acappella gospel group on variety of social themes.  
Sweet Honey in the Rock BELIEVE I'LL RUN ON  
songs about Black women's lives and other feminist issues.

Sweet Honey in the Rock GOOD NEWS  
live & best recording of superb material.

Marcia Taylor TINDER  
remarkable, first solo album.

Linda Tillery LINDA TILLERY  
powerful soulful vocals.

Teresa Trull THE WAYS A WOMAN CAN BE  
Teresa's debut album of folk, country and pop.

\*Teresa Trull LET IT BE KNOWN  
great blend of gospel, funk & pop.

\*Teresa Trull/Barbara Higbie UNEXPECTED  
a fusion of rock, pop and jazz.

Twin Tide STEREOTYPES  
clear, haunting harmonies of woman-identified sisters.

Robin Tyler ALWAYS A BRIDESMAID  
satiric comedy lp on sexism, racism and other issues.

Willie Tyson WILLIE TYSON  
satirical feminist material by talented performer.

Willie Tyson FULL COUNT  
pop/blues lp of satirical and serious themes.

Mary Watkins SOMETHING MOVING  
first jazz-fusion album in women's music.

Mary Watkins WINDS OF CHANGE  
jazz piano with full orchestration.

\*Cris Williamson CHANGER AND THE CHANGED  
best selling album in women's music history; beautiful!

Cris Williamson LIVE DREAM  
live recording of new material with June Millington.

\*Cris Williamson STRANGE PARADISE  
artistic journey into rock 'n roll by Cris & friends.

\*Cris Williamson CRIS WILLIAMSON  
re-issue of Cris' first studio album.

\*Cris Williamson LUMIERE  
science-fantasy story & songs for children of all ages.

\*Cris Williamson BLUE RIDER  
moving ballads & uptempo arrangements w/Bonnie Raitt.

\*Cris Williamson PORTRAIT  
Cris' favorite songs from her first six albums.

C. Winter/B. Rose SWEET SORCERY  
feminist lyrics with striking, strong harmonies.

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Allegra Broughton SONGS FOR THE HEART  
eclectic musical style of original songs with warm vocals

Joanna Cazden LIVE & WELL  
original folk songs by long-time feminist singer

Casse Culver LIVE IN CONCERT  
one of the first "Women's Music" works

Casse Culver SONGS AND OTHER DREAMS  
studio cassette of previously-unrecorded songs

Judy Fjell SWEET CLOVER HONEY  
original folk songs on feminism and life

Maggie and Jude WE DENY NONE OF OUR CHANGES  
feminist folk-style material on extra-long cassette

Ova OVA  
London duo sings strong lesbian-feminist songs

B. Rose/ C. Winter LIVE  
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B. Rose/ C. Winter STRONG SINGERS  
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exciting progressive material by New England group.

\*The Weavers TOGETHER AGAIN  
live recording of Weavers' 1980 reunion in Carnegie Hall.

#### ANTHOLOGIES

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interesting liner notes accompany all Rosetta releases

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old blues singers accompany themselves on piano.

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re-recording of original version of title cut & others

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BUT THE WOMEN ROSE VOL II  
additional narrations of more feminists past & present

WHAT IF I AM A WOMAN? VOL I  
narration of works of 4 famous Black women.

WHAT IF I AM A WOMAN? VOL II  
more works by present-day Black women leaders.

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*fun album of fiddle, banjo and pleasing vocals*
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*jazz, folk and poetry by three solo performers*

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Priscilla Herdman SEASONS OF CHANGE  
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Betsy Kaske LAST NIGHT IN TOWN  
*rock sound from a Midwestern woman*

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Rita Marley WHO FEELS IT KNOWS IT  
*first solo album of original material*

Mary McCaslin WAY OUT WEST  
*precise and clear guitar and voice throughout*

Mary McCaslin PRAIRIE IN THE SKY  
*second "Western-style" album of original songs and other*

Mary McCaslin OLD FRIENDS  
*interesting arrangements on previously-recorded works*

Judy Mowatt BLACK WOMAN  
*pro-feminist lyrics with reggae spirituality and politics*

Judy Mowatt ONLY A WOMAN  
*one of first woman reggae performer and songwriters*

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*Scottish ballads by well-known traditional artist*

Jean Redpath LOWLANDS  
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*debut album by talented songwriter/singer and musician*

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*eclectic style with strong instrumentation*

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*new arrangements of material on first album*

Laurie Spiegel THE EXPANDING UNIVERSE  
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*third album by California folk artist*

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*pretty album of soft tunes*

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Olivia Records will be releasing a solo album by Tret Fure in spring of 1984.

Holly Near and Trapezoid will be recording a studio album to be released in spring of 1984 on Redwood Records.

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