

DISCLAIMER Single Reviews (5/18/11)

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Five newcomers, four up-and-comers and one Hall of Fame member—those are the ingredients for this edition of “Disclaimer.”

The McClymonts, Keenie Word, Justin Haigh, J.T. Hodges and Jesse Keith Whitley are the names in the first category. In photo finish, **Justin Haigh** edges out Hodges for the **DisCOVERY Award**.

Billy Currington, Thompson Square, Jerrod Niemann and The LoCash Cowboys comprise the second category. My money is on the always entertaining **Jerrod Niemann**. He has the **Disc of the Day**.

The Hall of Famer is Charley Pride, who deserves a better song.

JUSTIN HAIGH/All My Best Friends Are Behind Bars

Writer: J. Haigh; Producer: Lew Curatolo; Publisher: Apache, ASCAP; Apache Ranch (track) (www.justinhaigh.com)

—He has a really cool voice, full of drawled resonance and honky-tonk authority. The drinking song is as cool as its title implies, and the band is country, country, country. An absolute winner.