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PRINCE ALBERT GRAND OLE OPRY #1021

8:30-9:00 PM

SATURDAY, MAY 2, 1959

GRANT: From the Ryman Auditorium in Nashville, Tennessee...the country music capitol of the world...here's the one thousand and twenty first broadcast of...The...GRAND...OLE...OPRY... TONIGHT...starring...MARTY ROBBINS!

APPLAUSE

MUSIC: "HANGING TREE".....MARTY ROBBINS

APPLAUSE

GRANT: Marty Robbins...and "The Hanging Tree"...from the picture by the same name. Thank you, Marty...and welcome...to The Grand Ole Opry.

MARTY: Thank YOU, Grant...and may I say...'welcome to the Grand Ole Opry'....to all those nice people who have joined us this evening?

GRANT: You most certainly may, Marty. But we can't stand here "yackin'" all night. Let's tell the folks about the show.

MARTY: By all means, Grant.

GRANT: Well,first off...we've got Cousin Minnie Pearl with us.

MARTY: Yes...and The Jordanaires...The Glazer Brothers...my good friend, Chester Atkins...

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GRANT: Stringbean...Tommy Jackson... Ben Smathers and The Stony Mountain Cloggers.....

MARTY:and our very special guest.....CARL BUTLER!!

APPLAUSE

MARTY: We'll be havin' one of those great songs from Carl in a few minutes. Right now it's time we heard from that great spiritual singin' quartet...The Jordanaires as they sing "Ezekiel Saw The Wheel".

APPLAUSE

MUSIC: 'EZEKIEL SAW THE WHEEL'.....JORDANAIRES

APPLAUSE

MARTY: Thank you, Jordanaires. That happens to be one of the twelve great tunes in the boys new Capitol Album... "Glory Land". But now it's time we got on to our guest for the evening. He's a boy who needs no introduction to ANYBODY here at the Grand Ole Opry because he's made a great many friends in the short while he's been here. Let's make him welcome....CARL BUTLER.

APPLAUSE

MARTY: Carl...welcome to The Grand Ole Opry. It's a pleasure to have you with us.

(CARL OVER)

CARL: It's a pleasure to be here, Marty.

MARTY: They tell me you've been travelin' around the country a lot lately...singin' that new song of yours.

CARL: That's just about the way it's been, Marty. Only it isn't a NEW song.

MARTY: No?

CARL: I just recorded it for the Columbia folks a little while ago. Pete Castle wrote it a number of years back.

MARTY: Then it's bound to be good. Here he is Neighbors....Carl Butler with his new recording... "Oh How I Miss You".

APPLAUSE

MUSIC: "OH HOW I MISS YOU".....CARL BUTLER

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APPLAUSE

MARTY: ^{say now} Carl...before you get away, ^{I want you to} answer a ^{little} question for me. ^{you know} I notice you're smokin' a pipe. That's something new for you, isn't it?

CARL: ^{Yes} Just started, Marty...and ^{+ believe you me} ~~let me tell you somethin'~~. I've just begun to know what real smokin' staisfaction is.

(MARTY OVER)

MARTY: What you loaded up with, Carl? Prince Albert.... I'll bet my bottom dollar.

CARL: You ^{pure} win, ^{than Cuddy} Marty.

MARTY: Of course, I do. You see, Carl... it's what you've got IN that pipe that accounts for all that smokin' pleasure and comfort you're gettin'. † When it comes to smokin' pleasure and COMFORT you just can't BEAT Prince Albert. It's always fresh. It's crimp cut... ~~and~~ the natural flavor and taste of the fine tobacco is locked IN by that special Prince Albert process.

† Makin' men like P.A. too... because in OCB Paper, it rolls easy... smokes so mild and tasty. So makin' man or pipe smoker.... beginner or old timer... if you light up with Prince Albert you'll just naturally get the tops in tasty... satisfyin'... COMFORTABLE smokin'... every time. You'll see for yourself why Prince Albert is America's LARGEST selling smoking tobacco.

MUSIC: "DEVILS DREAM"... T. JACKSON..... FADE UNDER AS BG FOR:

(MARTY OVER)

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MARTY: Now it's square dance time...so here's Tommy Jackson... along with Ben Smathers and all The Stony Mountain Cloggers to cut a few fancy capers to the tune of....."Devils Dream",

MUSIC: "DEVILS DREAM".....T.JACKSON & DANCERS

APPLAUSE

MARTY: Thank you...thanks a lot, Tommy Jackson...and thanks to all the square dancers. That was mighty fancy. But Grant Turner...I didn't see YOU dancin'?

GRANT: No, Marty...I was just sort of takin' it easy. Waitin' for that special song from you?

MARTY: What song is that, Grant?

GRANT: Why...you know it's "hymn time" on the show, Marty.

MUSIC CUE: SNEAK IN UNDERSCORE...SOFTLY...UNOBTRUSIVELY...
AS GRANT SAYS.....

GRANT: ...And I know the one you've selected. It's always been a favorite of mine...and the way you sing it is something really special.

(MARTY OVER)

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MARTY: Well thanks, very much, Grant. I hope I can live up to your praise. Anyway... here's the hymn... "Have Thine Own Way".

MUSIC: "HAVE THINE OWN WAY".....MARTY ROBBINS

APPLAUSE

MARTY: Thank you... thank you. Thanks so very much. Now... it's time we heard from a truly great artist. One of the best guitar pickers in the world... Mister Chester Atkins... with.... "That Certain Party."

APPLAUSE

MUSIC: "THAT CERTAIN PARTY"....CHESTER ATKINS

APPLAUSE

MARTY: Thank you, Chester... thanks just a whole lot. When I hear you play... I want to take this old gourd of mine and bust it But NOT over the head of our next entertainer... because I wouldn't want to hurt HER for anything. Here she is... so you can see how sweet she isCousin Minnie Pearl!!

APPLAUSE & PLAY ON

MINNIE'S ROUTINE

APPLAUSE

(MARTY OVER)

MARTY: ^{He} Minnie... ^{I got} here's a letter from a ^{little} girl who wants ^{some} advice. ^{how} She writes... "My boyfriend keeps kissin' and kissin' me. How can I make him stop?"

MINNIE: She don't need advice... she needs her head examined.

MARTY: ^{well now} Maybe if she offered him some Prince Albert Smokin' Tobacco for his pipe, he'd quit?

MINNIE: Welllllll, now... I don't... ^{know}

MARTY: ^{well now} P.A. is always so fresh. And it's crimp cut. Always suits a smokin' man's taste because that special Prince Albert process locks IN the natural flavor of the fine tobacco.

MINNIE: What if he don't smoke a pipe? Suppose he's a "makin'" man?

MARTY: ^{well now} He'll still go for P.A.! It rolls so easy... smokes so mild and tasty. So pipe smoker OR makin' man... when you want a cool... COMFORTABLE smoke... try Prince Albert... America's LARGEST selling smoking tobacco.

MUSIC: TAG WITH JINGLE

MARTY: Now it's greatest time once more... so here he is... Carl Butlerwith another of his great songs... "The Blues Come Around".

APPLAUSE

(MUSIC OVER)

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MUSIC: "THE BLUES COME AROUND".....CARL BUTLER

APPLAUSE

MARTY: "The Blues Come Around,....When The Sun Goes Down",
Carl Butler! Thank you, Carl....and thanks for bein' here
tonight,

CARL: It was my pleasure, Marty. My pleasure..

MARTY: Now it's MY pleasure to introduce one of our regular Opry
featured performers...that tall...good lookin' boy from the
state to the north of us.....The Kentucky Wonder....
STRINGBEAN.

APPLAUSE

MUSIC: "HEY, MR. BANJO".....STRINGBEAN

APPLAUSE

MARTY: Stringbean...and..."Hey, Mr. Banjo". Thank you, Stringbean.

GRANT: Marty.....I hate to interupt...but our time is slippin' away and
you promised me to sing your new Columbia recording for us.

MARTY: Well, Grant.....I'm ready.

GRANT: And so is everybody else. Here he is, Neighbors...Marty
Robbins and his latest Columbia record...."I Can't Quit!"

APPLAUSE

(MUSIC OVER)

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MUSIC: "I CAN'T QUIT".....MARTY ROBBINS

APPLAUSE

MUSIC: "HERE AND THERE"...T.JACKSON...FADE UNDER AS BG FOR:

MARTY: Neighbors...that's the signal for us to be gettin' on. It sure was nice for all of you to join us here at The Grand Ole Opry Listen NEXT week Ferlin' Huskey will be runnin' the show and will have Lonzo & Oscar along as guests. Now....this is Marty Robbins saying... 'Thanks'...and we'll be seein' you NEXT week atTHE.....GRAND.....OLE.....OPRY!!

APPLAUSE & MUSIC

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