

WSM'S GRAND OLE OPRY

PRINCE ALBERT SHOW

SEPTEMBER 24, 1949

8:30 - 9:00 P.M.

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GRANT: ⁸³⁰ ~~33~~ CAVALIER ET
IT'S GRAND OLE OPRY TIME! -- ANOTHER BIG PRINCE ALBERT
SHOW! -- STARRING RED FOLEY!

MUSIC: ⁸³⁰ ~~119~~
APPLAUSE AND CHEERS WITH SONG INTRO..HOLD TILL RED SINGS:
"TENNESSEE POLKA"...RED FOLEY

FOLEY: ⁸³² ~~48~~
APPLAUSE
WELL THANKS! AND A GREAT BIG HOWDY TO ALL MY GOOD FRIENDS
AND NEIGHBORS OF PRINCE ALBERT SMOKING TOBACCO'S GRAND
OLE OPRY!

GRANT: ⁸³³ ~~01~~
YOU SURE HAVE GOT YOURSELF LOTS OF FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS,
RED! AND THEY'RE ALL HERE TO GREET YOU, ALONG WITH ~~ROD~~
~~BRASFIELD~~, MINNIE PEARL, CLAUDE SHARPE'S OLD HICKORY
SINGERS, WALLY FOWLER AND THE OAK RIDGE QUARTETTE, AND THE
ENTIRE PRINCE ALBERT GANG!

FOLEY: ⁸³³ ~~12~~
WELL, I'M PROUD TO HAVE SUCH A GATHERIN' HERE AT THE OPRY
HOUSE TONIGHT, GRANT-- ESPECIALLY BECAUSE WE GOT US A
TOP-NOTCH GUEST AGAIN.. SHE'S PRETTY, SHE'S COME A LONG
WAYS TO BE WITH US HERE, AND SHE'S TOPS IN HER FOLK-
SINGIN' FIELD...ROSALIE ALLEN! (APPLAUSE)

GRANT: ⁸³³ ~~13~~ *We're sorry Rod Brasfield can't be with us tonight.*
~~WHO WAS THAT FELLA WE MENTIONED FIRST, RED?~~
He's suffering from a case of laryngitis, but he'll
FOLEY: ⁸³³ ~~14~~ ~~DON'T TELL ME YOU'VE FORGOTTEN ALREADY, GRANT-- WHY, IT'S~~
be back next week.
~~THE SHORT GAL'S GREGORY PECK-- ROD BRASFIELD!~~

APPLAUSE AND PLAYON

(~~ROD~~ OVER)

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PRINCE ALBERT...2

ROD: MR. FOLEY, WHAT DO YOU THINK OF MY NEW FALL SUIT?

FOLEY: WELL -- THE VEST AND THE COAT LOOK NEAT AND NICE, BUT WHY IS IT THAT YOUR PANTS LOOK SO AWFUL?

ROD: FLITTER, MR. FOLEY-- DID YOU EVER TRY TO GET A PAIR OF PANTS IN A RESTAURANT?

FOLEY: WELL, NO -- BUT WELL, THEY'RE SO BIG IN THE BACK, ROD...

ROD: I RECKON THEY ARE A LITTLE BIG BACK THERE, MR. FOLEY.... THEY SORTA DROOP WHEN I DON'T EVEN STOOP, DON'T THEY... BUT YOU GOTTA ADMIT I'M DIFFERENT. BY NED, I'M THE ONLY FELLER IN TOWN THAT CAN WALK INTO A ROOM SETTIN' DOWN!

(LAUGHS)

HI-DY, FRIENDS.....(WEATHER)

THE REASON I'M SO DRESSED UP IS BECAUSE IT'S THE THIRD DAY OF THE NEW FALL SEASON DOWN THERE IN HOHENWALD, AND EVERYBODY'S GOT A NEW OUTFIT. MY GAL SUZY GOT ONE O' THEM NEW EVENIN' GOWNS -- AND I'M TELLIN' YOU, IT WAS NOT ONLY BACKLESS AND STRAPLESS, IT WAS BURNED NEAR DRESS-LESS!

WELL, SUZY CAME OVER TO OUR HOUSE TO SHOW OFF THE DRESS AND UNCLE CYPE WAS THERE AND FIRST THING SUZY SAYS WAS.. "DON'T YOU THINK THIS DRESS BRINGS OUT MY EYES?"...AND UNCLE CYPE SAYS "YEP, AND IT BRINGS OUT MINE, TOO!"

'COURSE, I DIDN'T WANT SUZY TO TAKE OFFENSE, SO I SAID "IT'S A RIGHT SMART STYLISH DRESS, SUZY, BUT DON'T YOU THINK YOU OUGHTA SHOW A LITTLE MORE DISCRETION?" UNCLE CYPE SAYS "BY NED, IF SHE DOES, SHE'LL BE ARRESTED!"

(ROD CONT'D OVER)

ROD: 8

WELL, THAT DID IT. SUZY DRAWEH HERSELF UP AND SHE SAYS..
 "I'LL HAVE YOU KNOW I'M THE BEST DRESSED WOMAN IN HOHEN-
 WALD. EVERY CENT I MAKE I PUT ON MY BACK". SO UNCLE
 CYPE SAYS "SUZY, ALL I CAN SAY IS THAT YOU SURE MUST
 HAVE BEEN OUTA WORK A LONG TIME!"(LAUGHS)

APPLAUSE AND PLAYOFF

FOLEY: 836 01 HEY...HEY, GRANT! COME HERE! YOU'RE ON!

GRANT: 836 02 JUST A SECOND, RED.

FOLEY: 836 04 WHAT'S UP?

GRANT: 836 07 I WAS THINKING IF YOU SPELLED PRINCE ALBERT BACKWARDS,
 YOU'D GET SOMETHING. BUT IT COMES OUT JIBBERISH!

FOLEY: 836 12 SO WHAT, GRANT! SPELLED BACKWARDS OR FORWARDS, PRINCE
 ALBERT STILL MEANS EXTRA SMOKING ENJOYMENT! BECAUSE RICH,
 FULL-FLAVORED PRINCE ALBERT IS SPECIALLY MADE FOR SMOKING
 PLEASURE.

GRANT: 836 21 YOU CAN SAY THAT! AGAIN, RED! PRINCE ALBERT'S CHOICE
 TOBACCO IS SPECIALLY TREATED TO INSURE AGAINST TONGUE BITE.
 AND PRINCE ALBERT'S CRIMP CUT, TOO..TO BURN SLOW AND EVEN,
 AND SMOKE COOL!

FOLEY: 836 38 THE LARGEST-SELLING SMOKING TOBACCO IN AMERICA..THAT'S
 PRINCE ALBERT! SO...ASK FOR PRINCE ALBERT..THE NATIONAL
 JOY SMOKE. BUY YOUR! PRINCE ALBERT, FOR CONVENIENCE, IN
 THE HANDY POCKET TIN WITH THE HUMIDOR TOP. FOR ECONOMY,
 ASK FOR PRINCE ALBERT IN THE BIG POUND-SIZE!

(CHORUS OVER)

CHORUS: ^{837 02} SO FILL YOUR PIPE UP WITH P.A.
AND TAKE A PUFF OR TWO.
YOU'LL GET THAT EXTRA SMOKING JOY
PRINCE ALBERT BRINGS TO YOU.

FOLEY: ^{837 30} WHEN TONIGHT'S GUEST ACCEPTED OUR INVITATION TO BE WITH
US HERE THIS EVENIN' ON PRINCE ALBERT'S OPRY, WE TOSSED
OUR HATS IN THE AIR. THEN WE PICKED 'EM UP AND HAD 'EM
ALL CLEANED AND BLOCKED SO'S WE'D LOOK OUR SATURDAY BEST
WHEN WE GREETED ONE O' THE PRETTIEST GALS WE EVER MET---
THE CHAMPION GIRL YODELLER----ROSALIE ALLEN!

APPLAUSE

FOLEY: ^{837 63} ROSALIE, GLAD TO HAVE YOU DOWN HERE FOR A VISIT. HOW'S
THAT LITTLE 15-MONTH OLD GAL OF YOURS?

ROSALIE: ^{838 01} SHE'S FINE, RED...AND SHE'S LISTENING...

FOLEY: ^{838 08} AND I'LL BET, EVEN THAT LITTLE, THAT SHE'S MIGHTY PROUD O'
HER PRETTY MOM.....ROSALIE, WE BEEN LISTENIN' TO THE
FINE RECORDS YOU MADE WITH ELTON BRITT-- NOW TELL US,
WHAT'VE YOU GOT TO SOLO FOR US TONIGHT?

ROSALIE: ^{838 20} (GIVES NAME OF TUNE)

FOLEY: ^{838 22} THAT'S THE ONE WE WERE HOPIN' FOR!

MUSIC: ^{838 24} "DING DONG POLKA".....ROSALIE ALLEN

APPLAUSE

(FOLEY OVER)

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 FOLEY: ROSALIE, THAT WAS GREAT-- AND IT MADE ME FEEL THE WAY A
 FELLOW FEELS WHEN HE'S SMOKIN' PRINCE ALBERT-- HAPPY,
 CONTENTED, AND RELAXED!

ROD: SHE SHORE CAN YIDDLE A FINE YODEL, THAT GAL! SHE COME TO
 THE MASQUERADE PARTY WE HAD THE OTHER NIGHT IN HONOR OF
 FALL COMIN, MR. FOLEY...

FOLEY: YOU HAD A MASQUERADE, RADE--I MEAN, ROD?

ROD: YUP, AND THAT GRANT TURNER WAS A ONE! THEY WAS A GAL THERE
 DRESSED UP LIKE MOTHER EVE...SHE HAD ON A COSTUME MADE
 OUT OF ARTIFICIAL FIG LEAVES. WELL SIR, THAT THERE GRANT
 TURNER JUST WOULDN'T STOP FOLLERIN' HER AROUND. SO I
 SAYS "MR. TURNER, WHY HAVE YOU BEEN HANGIN' AROUND THIS
 GAL DRESSED AS EVE ALL NIGHT?" AND HE SAID "BY NED, ROD--
 IT'S FALL! -- AND I'M WAITIN' FER THE LEAVES TO WITHER
 AND FLY AWAY!" (LAUGHS)

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 FOLEY: ~~WELL, JUST SEE TO IT THAT YOU DON'T WITHER AND FLY AWAY~~
~~TILL YOU'VE HAD A CHANCE TO HEAR WALLY FOWLER AND THE OAK~~
 RIDGE QUARTETTE SING THE ~~"HALLELUJAH SONG"~~!

MUSIC: *Moses Smote the Water*
~~"HALLELUJAH SONG" FOWLER QUARTETTE~~

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APPLAUSE

SEGUE TO ACCORDIAN B.G...DOWN ON CUE FOR:

(FOLEY OVER)

FOLEY: ^{840 42} WAS THE SEPTEMBER SUN OUT UP YOUR WAY THIS MORNIN'? WELL IT WAS WHERE YWE LIVE...AND YOU COULD ALMOST SEE IT TURNIN' THE LEAVES BROWN AND GOLD AND AS PRETTY AS A PANFUL O' FRESH-MADE CORNBREAD...WHEN YOU SEE A SIGHT OF NATURE AS PRETTY AS THAT, YOU JUST KNOW THERE'S SOMEBODY MIGHTY BIG AND UNDERSTANDIN' BEHIND IT ALL. AND YOU KINDA WANT TO SING A SONG IN HIS PRAISE.....

MUSIC: ^{841 12} "LAY DOWN YOUR SOUL".....FOLEY

APPLAUSE

FOLEY: ^{842 33} GOLLY, GRANT, I'M MUCH OBLIGED THAT YOU AND THE FOLKS LIKED TONIGHT'S PRINCE ALBERT HYMN..BUT MAN, YOU PRETTY NEAR KNOCKED OVER THE MICROPHONE, OLE BUDDY.

GRANT: ^{843 01} LOOK WHO'S TALKING! YOU'RE PRETTY CLUMSY YOURSELF SOMETIMES, CLYDE....

FOLEY: ^{843 08} (LAUGHING) I SURE AM....BUT I'LL TELL YOU ONE THING I'M NOT CLUMSY AT! ROLLIN' A "MAKIN'S" CIGARETTE! I DO THAT LIKE A FLASH...ROLL GOOD FIRM SMOOTH ONES, TOO!

GRANT: ^{843 18} WHAT'S SO WONDERFUL ABOUT THAT? YOU ROLL 'EM WITH PRINCE ALBERT, I HAPPEN TO KNOW. AND PRINCE ALBERT'S CHOICE TOBACCO IS CRIMP CUT. SO IT CLINGS TO THE PAPER. DOESN'T DRIBBLE OUT THE ENDS. ANYONE CAN ROLL A GOOD MAKIN'S CIGARETTE.....FAST.....WITH PRINCE ALBERT....AND WHAT A WONDERFUL SMOKE!

CHORUS: ^{843 42} SO ROLL YOUR OWN WITH GOOD P.A.
AND TAKE A PUFF OR TWO.
YOU'LL GET THAT EXTRA SMOKING JOY
PRINCE ALBERT BRINGS TO YOU!

(FOLEY OVER)

FOLEY: ^{844 25} LOOKS LIKE THE FOLKS HERE ARE KINDA ANXIOUS TO SING, DON'T IT? WELL THEN, LET'S HAVE CLAUDE SHARPE AND HIS BOYS SHOW US THE WAY THROUGH A VERSE AND CHORUS OF "MEET ME TONIGHT IN DREAMLAND". THEN WHEN THE MAGIC LANTERN THROWS THE WORDS ON THE SCREEN, FOR THE SECOND CHORUS, EVERYBODY SING! ALL RIGHT, CLAUDE, YOU AND THE OLD HICKORY SINGERS GO FIRST!

MUSID: ^{844 30} "MEET ME TONIGHT IN DREAMLAND"...HICKORY SINGERS

APPLAUSE

RED ASKS AUDIENCE TO PARTICIPATE..AUDIENCE SINGS 2ND CHO.

APPLAUSE

FOLEY: ^{847 15} IF YOU FOLKS WANT A STEADY JOB SINGIN' EVERY WEEK HERE AT THE PRINCE ALBERT OPRY, IT'S YOURS!

GRANT: ^{847 25} RED, THERE'S SOMEBODY AT THE SIDE DOOR ALREADY, READY TO TAKE YOU UP!

FOLEY: ^{847 30} SURE ENOUGH THERE IS! SHE'S COME ALL THE WAY FROM GRINDER'S SWITCH, AND IT'S ---

TOGETHER: ^{847 33} COUSIN MINNIE PEARL!

APPLAUSE AND PLAYON....

MINNIE: ^{847 43} HOW-DEE! I'M JES' SO PROUD T'BE HERE!
WELL SIR, I DIDN'T WANT TO BE OUT'DO-ED BY RODLEY, SO I WENT TO BUY ME SOME FALL FINERY ALSO. THEY SHOWED ME A SUITE MADE OUT'N BLUE SERGE. BUT I TOLD 'EM I WANTED A SUIT WITH LESS SERGE AND MORE URGE! (MINNIE CONT'D OVER)

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MINNIE: Y'SEE, THEY KEEP TELLIN' US THAT A GAL HAS TO KEEP A
FELLER GUESSIN'. BUT WITH THE SCANTY DRESSES SOME O' TH'
GALS WORE THIS PAST SUMMER, WEEL...A FELLER WOULD HAVE TO
BE A MIGHTY POOR GUESSER!

~~I GUESS THE MAIN IDEA O' THEM BARE MIDRIFF THINGS WAS SO
A GAL COULD DIVIDE AND CONQUER!~~

~~FLOSSIE FRITTLEBUSTLE TRIED THAT DIVIDE AND CONQUER STUFF.
SHE BOUGHT A DRESS THAT WAS DIVIDED AND HER PAPPY CONKED
HER!~~

WHILST TRYIN ON NEW CLOTHES I REALIZED THAT I'D HAVE TO
WATCH MY FIGGER. GOSH KNOWS I CAN'T GET ANYBODY ELSE TO
WATCH IT!

~~'COURSE, I DON'T HAVE TO WORRY AS LONG AS I'VE GOT MY
HEZZY....(BIZ)....HEZZY IS A LOVER OF THE OLD SCHOOL..AND
THAT BOY STILL LOVES TO DO HIS HOMEWORK!~~

I SAYS TO 'IM THE OTHER NIGHT, I SAYS "HEZZY, DO YOU THINK
FELLERS CAN BE TRUE TO GALS FOR YEARS AND YEARS?" AND HE
SAYS "WHY SURE, MINNIE..FELLERS CAN BE TRUE TO GALS FER
YEARS AND YEARS. OF COURSE, IT MAKES IT A LOT TOUGHER IF
HE HAS TO BE TRUE TO THE SAME GAL!"

(MINNIE CONT'D OVER)

MINNIE: WELL, WE HAD US OUR YEARLY AND ANNUAL FALL FAIR AT GRINDER'S SWITCH LAST WEEK. EVERYBODY COME FER MILES AROUND WITH THEIR BEST CROPS AND STOCK. SNODGRASS TINKUM COME WITH HIS PRIZE MULES. FLUDGE SMEED WAS THERE WITH HIS PRIZE COWS. JEB SNORKUM COME WITH HIS PRIZE HOGS...AND BLUBBER BASCOMB COME TWITH HIS WIFE AND MOTHER-IN-LAW...

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BROTHER WAS THERE, TOO-- AND RIGHT AWAY THAT BOY FOUND A WAY TO MAKE PIN MONEY, JUST BY USIN' HIS HEAD. HE STUCK HIS HEAD THROUGH AHHOLE IN SOME L CANVAS AND PEOPLE THREW BALLS AT IT!

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Minniel finished

UNCLE NABOB WAS THERE, AND HE ENTERED THE "KETCHIN' THE GREASED PIG" CONTEST AND HE WON IT....

ROD: BY NED, MINNIE, I WAS THERE AND I DIDN'T SEE UNCLE NABOB CATCH NO GREASED PIG. HOW DID HE EVER MANAGE TO DO IT?

MINNIE: WHY HE GOT A GOOD GRIP ON THAT PIG'S LEG WITH HIS TEETH.

ROD: YOU MEAN UNCLE NABOB BIT THE PIG?

MINNIE: WELL, NOT EXACTLY. HE HAD HIS TEETH IN HIS HAND!

ROD: GOSH, I SURE WISH SUZY WOULD'A WENT TO THE FAIR WITH ME. BUT SHE'S BEEN ACTIN' KINDA COOL SINCE I TOOK HER HORSE-BACK RIDIN' THE OTHER DAY.

MINNIE: MAYBE SHE'S SCRE ABOUT SOMETHIN'.

(ROD OVER)

ROD: I DON'T KNOW, MINNIE...I THOUGHT MAYBE SHE WAS TWO-TIMIN' ME, SO I WENT AROUND TO HER HOUSE AND STOOD OUTSIDE THE PARLOR WINDER.

MINNIE: RODLEY! TO THINK YOU'D STOOP TO SPY ON SUZY!

ROD: I DIDN'T STOOP, MINNIE...I HAD TO CLIMB ONTO A BOX. ..
(LAUGHS)

MINNIE: WHY, THAT'S PERFECTLY SCANDALOUS, RODLEY! THE IDEE! ACTUALLY SPYIN' ON A GAL! WHY, I NEVER!.....
.....WHAT'D YOU SEE?

ROD: WELL, SHE WAS IN THE PARLOR THERE, SETTIN' ON THE SETTEE WITH THIS FELLER AND HE GIVE HER A KISS YOU COULDA HEARD IN TULLAHOMA.

MINNIE: HE ACTUALLY KISSED SUSIE?

ROD: YEAH...BUT IT WAS ALLRIGHT. HE WAS A RELATIVE O' HERN'.

MINNIE: HOW DO YOU KNOW HE WAS A RELATIVE.....?

ROD: AFTER HE KISSED HER SHE SAID "OHNNHHH, BROTHER"!...(LAUGHS)
....(THEN)...NOW WHAT IN THE CAT-HAIR AM I LAUGHIN' AT!

MINNIE: WELL, RODLEY, YOU SHOULDA SEEN ME AT THE FAIR. I HAD ME A TIME. I WAS THE ONLY GAL THERE WITH NERVE ENOUGH TO RASSLE WITH A TRAINED BEAR.

ROD: YOU RASSED WITH A TRAINED BEAR? GALLOPIN' GOOSEPIMPLES: WARNT YOU SCARED?

(MINNIE OVER)

MINNIE: SHUCKS NO! T'WARN'T NO DIFFERENT THAN GOIN' OUT FER A
RIDE WITH HEZZY WHEN HE'S GOT HIS FUR COAT ON!

WELL, I'D LIKE TO KEEP GABBIN' WITH YOU HERE, RODLEY--
BUT I GOTTA BE GOIN'. HEZZY WANTS TO TAKE ME TO A DANCE
TONIGHT, BUT I DON'T WANNA GO.

ROD: GOSH, MIN, DON'T YOU LIKE DANCIN'?

MINNIE: NOPE. THE DANCES THEY DO NOWADAYS ARE NOTHIN' MORE THAN
HUGGIN' SET TO MUSIC.

ROD: WELL, FLITTER, WHAT IS IT ABOUT THAT YOU DON'T LIKE?

MINNIE: THE MUSIC!

WELL, G'BYE NOW...SEE YOU NEXT WEEK!

Minnie Pearl Song

APPLAUSE AND PLAYOFF

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(FOLEY OVER)

FOLEY: ^{851 42} I'M JIGGERED IF WE'RE GONNA HAVE ROSALIE ALLEN COME ALL THE WAY HERE FROM NEW YORK STATE WITHOUT GIVIN' US ANOTHER OF HER FINE YODELS! COME ON OUT HEIRE, ROSALIE!

APPLAUSE

MUSIC: ^{852 10} *She Taught Me How to Yodel*
"YODELLING BIRD".....ROSALIE ALLEN..

APPLAUSE

SOUND: ^{854 31} METALLIC THUMP

GRANT: ^{854 32} HEY, RED-- IN THE EXCITEMENT YOU DROPPED SOMETHING!

FOLEY: ^{854 32} I'LL SAY I DID. MY PRINCE ALBERT TIN...COULDN'T MAKE THE KIND OF "MAKIN'S " CIGARETTES I LIKE WITHOUT PRINCE ALBERT. RICH...FULL-FLAVORED...MILD AND COOL. PRINCE ALBERT...YOU'RE FOR ME!

ROSALIE: ^{854 32} KNOW WHAT'S FOR ME, RED?

FOLEY: ^{854 32} WHAT, MISS ROSALIE?

ROSALIE: ^{854 32} ONE OF THOSE TYPICAL RED FOLEY BALLADS..SUNG AS ONLY YOU CAN...

GRANT: ^{854 39} COME ON, RED. SING FOR YOUR SUPPER--OR SING FOR YOUR PRINCE ALBERT, I SHOULD SAY-- AND THAT'S WORTH SINGING FOR BELIEVE YOU ME.

FOLEY: ^{855 08} WELL, ROSALIE AND GRANT, HERE'S ONE I'VE BEEN SAVIN' UP TO SING SPECIALLY TONIGHT..."A PETAL FROM A FADED ROSE"..

MUSIC: ^{855 12} "PETAL FROM A FADED ROSE"....FOLEY

APPLAUSE...INTO SQUARE DANCE..FADE ON CUE FOR: (FOLEY)

858 ⁴⁰ Square Dance

PRINCE ALBERT....13

FOLEY:

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WELL, IT'S GETTIN' A LITTLE LATE...AND I NOTICE SOME O' THE YOUNGSTERS ARE GETTIN' A LITTLE SLEEPY-EYED, SO WE'D BETTER HITCH UP AND HEAD FOR HOME. WE'LL COME CALLIN' FOR YOU NEXT WEEK IN THE BUCKBOARD, SAME AS EVER, NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT AT THE SAME TIME...AND WITH US WE'RE BRINGIN' George Morgan AS WELL AS MINNIE AND ROD AND THE ENTIRE PRINCE ALBERT GANG. DON'T FORGET NOW...IF YOU CAN'T COME, WRITE-- AND THIS IS RED FOLEY SAYIN' THANKS FOR EVERYTHING...I'LL BE SEEIN' YOU ONE WEEK FROM TONIGHT AT PRINCE ALBERT'S GRAND OLE OPRY!

ANNCR:

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