

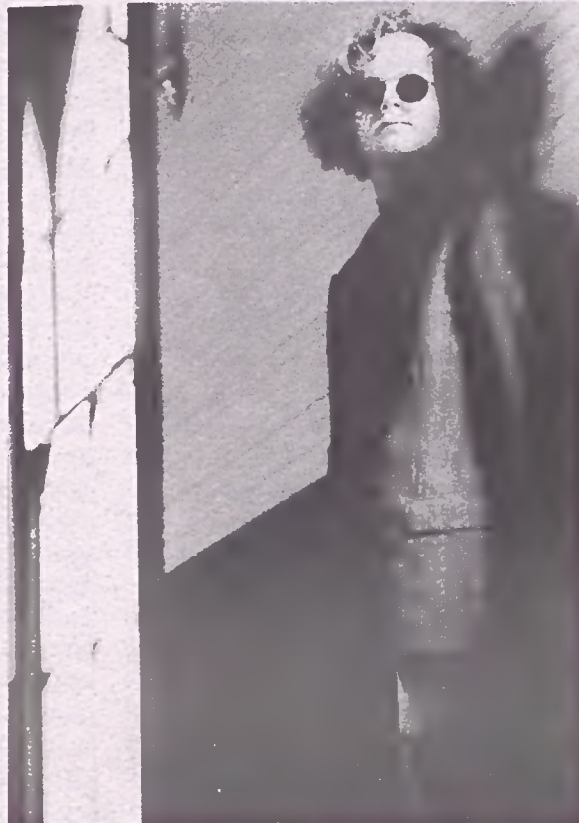
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## Charlie Peacock Comes to Montreat

Charlie Peacock doesn't speak as a sidelines critic or newcomer to music. The 33-year-old Sparrow artist is an educated observer of both the secular and Christian music worlds.

The son of a jazz musician/music instructor, Charlie launched his music career in Sacramento, CA in the mid-'70s, taking his new bride with him. He played in clubs, first as a sideman, then as a solo performer. Unfortunately, the road of a struggling young artist led him to drug and alcohol addiction. "One day I'd have some lofty reason to play music," he recalls, "and the next day I'd want to play at some bar because I knew I could drink for free."

Charlie didn't remain a prisoner of substance abuse for long. He found his way to Alcoholics Anonymous, then - with the help of a fellow musician - he became a Christian in 1982. With new purpose in his art, he signed with Exit Records and



Modern Christian Artist Charlie Peacock

crafted two records. *Lie Down In the Grass* and *Charlie Peacock*, which earned praise from the secular and Christian music communities and gained him a modest but loyal group of listeners. He fol-

lowed these projects with a three-volume, privately distributed series titled "West Coast Diaries."

Charlie's early musical influences were a diverse group of artist including Miles Davis, The Beatles and James Taylor, with an interest in R&B artist such as The Temptations and Smokey Robinson developing in his teen years.

Today, while many artist draw their inspiration from other artists, this is not the case with Charlie. "I'm not usually inspired by music," he says. "I study writers alot - R.C. Sproul, the Schaeffers, Charles Colson, and A.W. Tozer. I believe the best thing I can do for my music is to study the realm of ideas of Christian thought."

*The Charlie Peacock Trio will be in concert January 11, at 8:00 pm, in Gauthier Chapel. Students may pick up complementary tickets from Student Affairs. For non-students, the cost is \$5.*



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## SGA Changes



"Mr. Prattville High" poses with Miss Leslie Blow at the Homecoming Dance

Next semester the SGA will go through some significant changes. The major change is the absence of the now SGA President, Mr. Reid Cavnar. Reid will be leaving for Washington D.C. at the beginning of next semester to serve out an internship in the nation's capitol. He is planning to learn about integrating Christian faith into the political forum. In his absence, Mr. Matthew Haney will be taking over the reigns of the SGA Presidency. Reid is a senior here at Montreat-Anderson and in the four years he has attended he has contributed to several areas. He was R.A. of the year in Hower-ton two years in a row, President of Alpha Chi in his Junior year, member of Phi Theta Kappa, selected for Who's Who in both his Sophomore and Senior years, and recipient of five Distinguished Scholar awards among other honors.

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