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Connie Kis Andersen: Artist Update

It's been just over a month since Connie Kis Andersen returned home to Perth from a six-week tour of the USA in support of her current US single; **Happy Day**. The track is currently being played on over 130 US radio stations and counting. It has also just entered the US IndieWorld charts at #25 and is rising.

Andersen toured country music radio stations and performed in the Southern States of Tennessee, Georgia, Mississippi, and Alabama at venues receptive to her unique style of country music.

Highlights included The Bluebird Café, The Limelight, The San Miguel Coffee Co, The Danish American Chamber of Commerce, both Cowboy Churches in Nashville and Pigeon Forge in the Smoky Mountains as well as at world famous Tootsies and the Tin Roof just off Music Row during the CMA Fest. She has fond memories of her experiences with fans and her performances at honky tonks such as Veets Bar and Grill in Mobile Alabama, The Bucket in Dixie Mississippi, and the Bar-B-Que Caboose in Lynchburg, Tennessee when she performed live on The Old Time Country Radio Show: WLIJ 1580 AM

During the CMA Fan Fest, Connie Kis was privileged to be included in Tootsies roster of artists at their autograph-signing booth in the Nashville Convention Center and to be invited as special guest on two local television programs, Mystery US! which aired on Nashville Channel 19 recently and The Petricio International show.

Two weeks before departing for the USA, she was busy in NSW attending APRA's Song Summit. While in Sydney and its environs, Connie Kis performed at the Horsehoe Bend Roundup, Antill Park Golf Club, Beresfield Bowling Club and Blacktown Country Music Club as well as visited Sydney radio stations playing her Australian single: **Once Again**, the title track from her award winning album of the same name.

Since her return home, Andersen has been busy co-ordinating the successful *Girls Gone Gospel* Show on behalf of WA Country Music Promotions. The show was presented recently and warmly received at the Fremantle Italian Club; so much so, it will be performed again at the York Town Hall on August 23 and again in Perth, in December.

Apart from regular home gigs, Andersen is currently preparing for the release of her next Australian single: **What People Say** out to radio early August on NfS 124, track 14.

Promoting her music from Perth, the most isolated capital city in the world isn't easy, and at times the obstacles are downright difficult.

Never-the-less Connie Kis continues to follow her true passion and is a successful, shining example to other free spirits to live and think outside the box, despite the good opinion of others. **What People Say**; the up-beat new single reflects just that.

Her current album: **ONCE AGAIN** is available through all good independent record stores and online at CD Baby, Gum Tree Music, Doubleday Book and Music Clubs, the Country Music Store (Brisbane). The album is distributed by *Kismana Music* on ph: (08) 9367 9340

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