

# Judd Cledus T, I Was Country When Country Wa

I remember hearin' Leeann Rimes  
When she sang &quot;Blue&quot;, it sounded like Patsy Cline  
And I love that group SheDaisy  
But don't they sound a lot like Destiny's Child  
Now Michael Bolton's on the Opry  
And they've turned me down again  
And man, that really hurts me a lot  
'Cause I was country (he was country) when country wasn't pop

I remember &quot;He Stopped Lovin' Her Today&quot;  
Back when radio would play George Jones  
You never hear &quot;Family Tradition&quot; or all those killer songs Bocephus wrote  
And I ain't heard &quot;Twin Fiddlin'&quot; since I don't know when  
Now it's more like Britney Spears than it is Loretta Lynn  
I was country (he was country) when country wasn't pop

Yeah, I was country when country wasn't pop  
Yeah, I was country way before Kid Rock  
Now every act sounds the same  
This crossing over's got to stop  
Yeah, I was country (he was country) when country wasn't pop

Well, they sound like Smashing Pumpkins  
In a pair of cowboy boots  
They just 'bout as country as Huey Lewis and the News  
I was country (he was country) when country wasn't pop  
Yeah, I was country when country wasn't pop  
I was country and I'm still proud of that a lot  
Well it's a shame Shania Twain is mixin' rock 'n' roll and funky hip hop  
Cause I was country (he was country) when country wasn't pop  
Yeah, I was country when Barbara Mandrell was really hot