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THE MANHATTANS & THE EMOTIONS - PLATINUM ARTISTS. These two Columbia super-groups are more than happy to smile for the camera. The Manahattans smile because their single "Kiss And Say Goodbye", was certified platinum -- the second certified platinum single in the history of the RIAA! The Emotions are smiling because the single "Best Of My Love", from their gold Beiolog album was certified gold and is now platinum Looks as if they've from their gold Rejoice album, was certified gold and is now platinum. Looks as if they've joined the platinum league!



The Dramatics, whose flashing choreography makes every appearance a delight, appear on Soul Train this weekend with female vocalist, Tata Vega. Representative of the new Detroit Sound,

The Dramatics combine vitality and finesse in their renditions of "Come Inside," "I Like (Making You So Happy)" and "Shake It Well."

It well." Although the group has been together since the early 60's when they were still teenagers, it wasn't until they recorded their first albuna, Whatcha See Is Whatcha Get, that they drew national attention. Bothe the title track and "In the Rain" earned single gold status and an invitation to join James Brown on an eight-month tour to every major city in the country.

in the country. Tata Vega, a petite young woman with a powerful voice, reveals her wide ranging

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musical talents on "Come In Heaven" and Earca Is Calling.

Prior to performing solo, she appeared in the Los Angeles production of the musical, Hair, and sang with a cult band, Pollution. Soul Train is produced by Don Cornelius and sponsored by Johnson Products Co. of Chicago manufacturers of bair careproducts Chicago, manufacturers of hair care products and cosmetics.

