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Country music, also known as country and western or simply country, is a music genre, known for its  
ballads and dance tunes, identifiable by both folk lyrics and harmonies accompanied by banjos, fiddles,  
harmonicas, and many types of guitar; either acoustic, electric, steel, or resonator guitars. Country  
music likely originated in the Southern United States, and spread throughout the Piedmont area of  
United States, from Louisiana along the Appalachian Mountains to N