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Free On Saturday Night?

Brad Paisley
Has Plans
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Sip the original margarita and two-step to Tejano deep in the heart of Texas with Hal Warner.

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One of America's biggest country stars lists 23 field-tested reasons to go out on Saturday night. (Count 'em.)


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Amateur speed demon Brad Cope rebuilds a lemon to compete in America's most bizarre endurance race.

120 Meet Jackson

In the heart of the South, you'll find the city of soul. Here's a guide for working, playing, and (if you're lucky) living there.

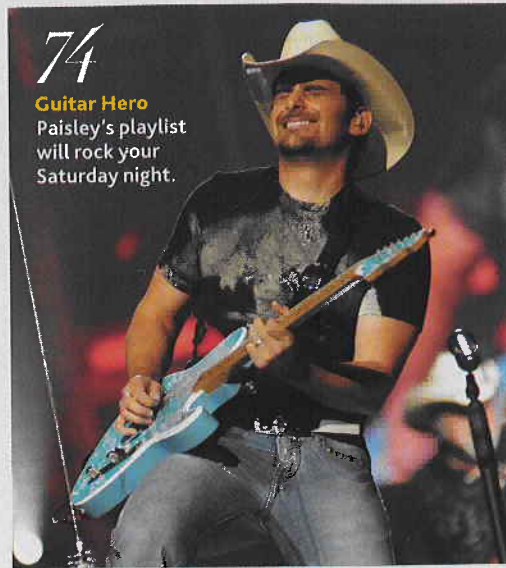
ON THE COVER Brad Paisley needs only his axe to kick off the weekend. **PHOTOGRAPHY BY MARC ROYCE**



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