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7 QUESTIONS with Jason Aldean



Since the release of his debut single "Hicktown," Jason Aldean's career has been riding high. His most recent hit, "She's Country," became his highest chart debut to date. When CW caught up with the Georgia native, he revealed a side of his life that his fans may not know about.

1 What is something you never leave home without?
My sunglasses. I have to have those with me always!

2 What is the most exciting event you've witnessed?
The birth of my daughters. That's probably the coolest thing that I've seen. When you watch stuff like that, it's just something else. It's something you never forget. I didn't even know what to say. I was just thinking, "Is that for real?"

3 What is something that makes you nervous?
Every time I release a single I get nervous. As they say, you're only as popular as your last hit. That's something that's a little nerve-racking. We've been blessed as far as that's concerned.

4 Describe the one picture of yourself that you pray nobody ever sees.
There's this picture of me when I was 5 years old. These pictures were done by a professional, and I'll just say this... whoever had me posing for this picture should be shot, because it's awful! It wasn't masculine or anything. I look like a trapeze artist at the Barnum and Bailey Circus. That will give you a good visual of it, and I'm not saying anything else!

5 Who has these pictures?
It doesn't matter [laughs]. Nobody will have them as soon as I get my hands on them!

6 What are your hidden talents?
I'm still trying to find them—they're hidden! I can't draw very well, but I can play the hell out of some PlayStations! And I guess baseball is a hidden talent for me, too. I was a big baseball player in high school. I've always loved sports. Plus, I have about three or four meals that I can cook really good.

7 What freaks you out?
Snakes. Definitely! I hate the spiders, snakes—any kind of thing that bites. I'm a big sissy when it comes that kind of stuff.

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