

# Media Questions Of The Week

*Charlamagne started off the interview by calling out Def Jam for not sending them the album ahead of time for the interview. They sent it at 7:44 am. <https://t.co/CPRhqVd80jpic.twitter.com/tRLeyT56j6>*

– Coolness941 (@Coolness941) [April 25, 2025](#)

Is Charlamagne Tha God right to critique Coco Jones' label, Def Jam for their not sending her album to The Breakfast Club until the morning of their interview?

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## LL Cool J Goes Back & Releases New Video For Rock The Bells

LL Cool J has a new video for "Rock The Bells," forty years after its original release. The black-and-white clip, directed by Gregory Bunkalla, features a new generation of rap fans lip-syncing to the song in different spots around New York City. The video comes ahead of the reissue of his *All World: Greatest Hits* and *Phenomenon* albums back on vinyl. The albums will be available in standard black 2LP pressings and limited-edition color variant 2LP pressings. *All World* originally came out in 1996, and it was a nice overview of the best moments of his career. Classics like "Rock The Bells," "Going Back To Cali," and "I Need Love" were included among the stellar tracklisting. *Phenomenon* is his seventh studio album, and it was released in 1997. At that point in his career, critics

agreed it was his best album since *Mama Said Knock You Out*. Both reissues come out April 11th and can be [preordered](#) now. LL Cool J is offering this mini-retrospective, but the release of *The FORCE*, which is his best album in almost 20 years, proves that these reissues are not an ending but a reflection and history lesson.



### ***All World: Greatest Hits* Tracklisting**

1. I Can't Live Without My Radio
2. Rock the Bells
3. I'm Bad
4. I Need Love
5. Going Back to Cali
6. Jack the Ripper
7. Jingle Baby (Remixed But Still Jingle)
8. Big Ole Butt
9. The Boomin' System

10. Around the Way Girl
11. Mama Said Knock You Out
12. Back Seat
13. I Need a Beat
14. Doin It
15. Loungin (Who Do Ya Luv) [feat. Total]
16. Hey Lover [feat. Boyz II Men]



### ***Phenomenon* Tracklisting**

1. Phenomenon
2. Candy [Ricky Bell & Ralph Tresvant]
3. Starsky & Hitch [feat. Busta Rhymes]
4. Another Dollar
5. Nobody Can Freak You
6. Hot, Hot Hot

7. 4, 3, 2, 1 [feat. Canibus, DMX, Master P, & Method Man & Redman]
  8. Wanna Get Paid [feat. The Lost Boyz]
  9. Father
  10. Don't Be Late, Don't Come Too Soon [feat. Tamia]
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Who are the legacy artists that were signed to [Sony Music](#) before 2000 whose debt will be ignored so they can start to receive royalty payments in the music industry's attempt to be more financially transparent?

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What will Snoop Dogg bring to Def Jam Records in his new role as an executive creative and strategic consultant?

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Why didn't LL Cool J perform at the Def Jam 30th Anniversary Show?



Is the Hollywood Reporter right that Shonda Rhimes is television's savior?



Will any network pick-up Ridley Scott's proposed TV series about the Ebola virus?