

Listening Guide- Dolly Parton
“The Ultimate Local Color Songwriter!”

1. Well in a general sense, the Local Color Movement is a _____ movement from the end of the 19th century.
2. Dolly Parton comes from Appalachia or the Smoky _____ region.
3. Dolly’s writing is characterized in large part by her _____.
4. Parton has written over _____ songs.
5. The Tennessee state flag has _____ stars on it.
6. The Great Smoky Mountain Park is the _____ visited national park in the country.
7. The Appalachian Region to the day is noted for its incredible _____.
8. “They portray mountain people like we are all these dumb barefoot _____.
I think country people are the smartest people in the world, and I’ve been everywhere.”
9. She was the _____ out of twelve children, by the way.
10. Her grandfather was a _____, and she has a moral and ethical center that’s guided her all her life.
11. On her first day in Nashville, a man by the name of _____ Dean drove by in a white pickup truck. _____
12. “Just because I’m _____
Don't think I'm dumb
Cause this dumb blonde ain't nobody's fool”
13. Dolly Parton and _____ Wagoner become one of the most popular country music duos in the country.
14. But during her time on the Porter Show, Dolly recorded _____ original songs.
15. “She made my _____ of many colors that I was so proud of.”
16. Rhyme occurs when words are close enough to each other so that your _____ hears the connection, and it links these two like sounding words together.
17. We can _____ in any situation and _____ will lift us out of the greatest of cruelties.

18. She often writes in the _____ because that's her time with God.
19. For _____ in that region, producing songs and stories is really part of your identity as a person.
20. "I will _____ love you."
21. You know it's really not a love song; it's a _____ song.
22. Repetition and rhetoric is always a way to create _____ - to show importance.
23. But according to Forbes, Parton earned _____ off of Whitney Houston's rendition.
24. "I'm going to be like a _____, I decided. Spread my wings and fly."
25. "And she's a sparrow when she's broken, but she's an _____ when she flies."
26. But after she got to Nashville, she quickly figured out she could use her _____ to become iconic.
27. Over her entire career, she's been asked over and over again if she's a _____, and every time she rejects the label.
28. "It costs a lot of money to look this _____."
29. "I think of myself as a woman in business, I love _____."
30. For example, in 1995 she launched _____ Library, and it was inspired by her daddy.



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