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HIStory RIAA Gold Record Award For The Sale Of 1,500,000 Copies Of The LP/Cassette/CD In USA



HIStory: Past, Present And Future, Book I RIAA Gold Record Award For The Sale Of 1,500,000 Copies Of The LP/Cassette/CD In USA. Presented to Michael Jackson.

Note:

RIAA: Record Industry Association Of America .

The RIAA® Gold® and Platinum® Awards program was launched in 1958 to honor artists and create a standard by which to measure sales of a sound recording. In the beginning, there was only a Gold® album award for the sale of 500,000 copies. As the industry grew, other awards were developed.

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