

## Luke Bryan puts on 'Farm Tour' show as tight as his pants

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Luke Bryan performed to a large crowd at Ingram Farms Thursday night



Luke Bryan fed the massive crowd a good ole' dose of country butt-kickin' on Thursday night at Ingram Farms in Opelika as part of his 2014 "Farm Tour." The country star did what professionals do, and he left his pint of sweat on the stage by night's end.

Billboard's 2014 "Top Country Artist" began the show at 9 p.m. with his 2013 single, "That's My Kind of Night." The crowd, which looked to be a giant, blonde piece of plaid fabric in cowboy boots, began to swell and scream as soon as the Georgia-native took to the stage. As he continued to sing, the audience continued to drink, and one-by-one the fans hit the dirt with a "sploot!" The mass was too large, though, and for every country fan down, another one miraculously took its place. The crowd, itself, became a giant, self-healing, country-loving organism.

After blazing through a few singles, like "Rain is a Good Thing", "All My Friends Say" and "Country Man," the father of two put the music on hold. "How about some War Damn Eagle," he said, the crowd eating it up like candy, "y'all want to sing a farm song tonight?" From there, he moved into the romantic piano number about a man and his tractor, "Shut It Down."

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About midway through the show, fellow country star Cole Swindell took the stage with Bryan to perform the Florida Georgia Line song, "This Is How We Roll," as well as "Beer in the Headlights." The following song found Bryan alone again and wielding multiple beers on stage in an enthusiastic performance of "Suntan City."

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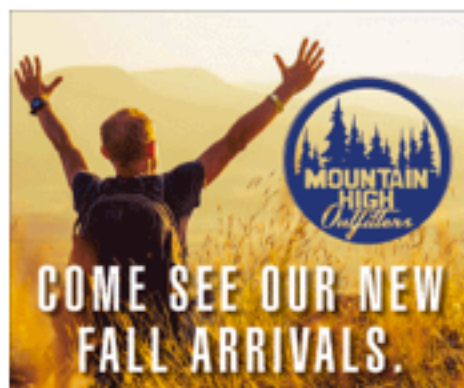


As the night came to a close, the crowd let out premature chants for an encore, and Bryan introduced the last song with a yelp: "Where are my country girls?!" One thing led to another, and the singer was giving Shakira's truthful hips a run for their money in a booty-shakin' performance of his hit, "Country Girl (Shake It for Me)." The night was over at 10:30 p.m., with Bryan having given the audience everything they could have asked for short of his soul.

The "Farm Tour" ends on Oct. 11, with upcoming shows being played in various cities in Florida, Georgia and South Carolina. Following the "Farm Tour," Bryan will begin his "That's My Kind of Night Tour" on Oct. 16, with various performances in California and Arizona. For additional information and tour dates, you can visit his website at [www.lukebryan.com](http://www.lukebryan.com).

#### Audience Reactions:

"The performance was pretty awesome. I'm definitely going to come back!" -Taylor Kelly



"You can tell that he's comfortable, and it makes the crowd comfortable and more able to enjoy the show." -Hope Howard

"You know a concert is going to be good when he starts off with a 'WDE!'" -Merry Morgan Woods and Mackenzie Lintz



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