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Revolution ★★★★★

Miranda Lambert packed a mean pistol on her 2008 hit “Gunpowder & Lead.” On her third album, the country singer is back celebrating a woman’s right to bear arms on “Time to Get a Gun,” a 1998 tune by Fred Eaglesmith. Elsewhere, she pumps a bullet into her car radio on “Maintain the Pain.” While Lambert continues to wield a rebel edge on *Revolution* - another strong outing, if not quite up to 2007’s excellent *Crazy Ex-Girlfriend* - she displays a softer side on cuts like the ballad “Love Song” (one of three tracks cowritten by beau Blake Shelton).

