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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [paula](#) » Wed May 11, 2011 2:56 am

all right then...shall we continue?.

next on the menu was [Kenny Lynch](#) with 'Up On the Roof...did I mention that I hardly knew any of the performers..but a few. ..this gentleman got a nice audience response so I'm guessing he is well know in the UK. I thought he was a class act and put up a really nice version of the song. Rating: A



following up was [Lucy Silvus](#)...'Quiet, Please (here's a lady on Stage)'...staying true to Dusty's arrangement, she was ok...just not Dusty 😊 Rating: B+



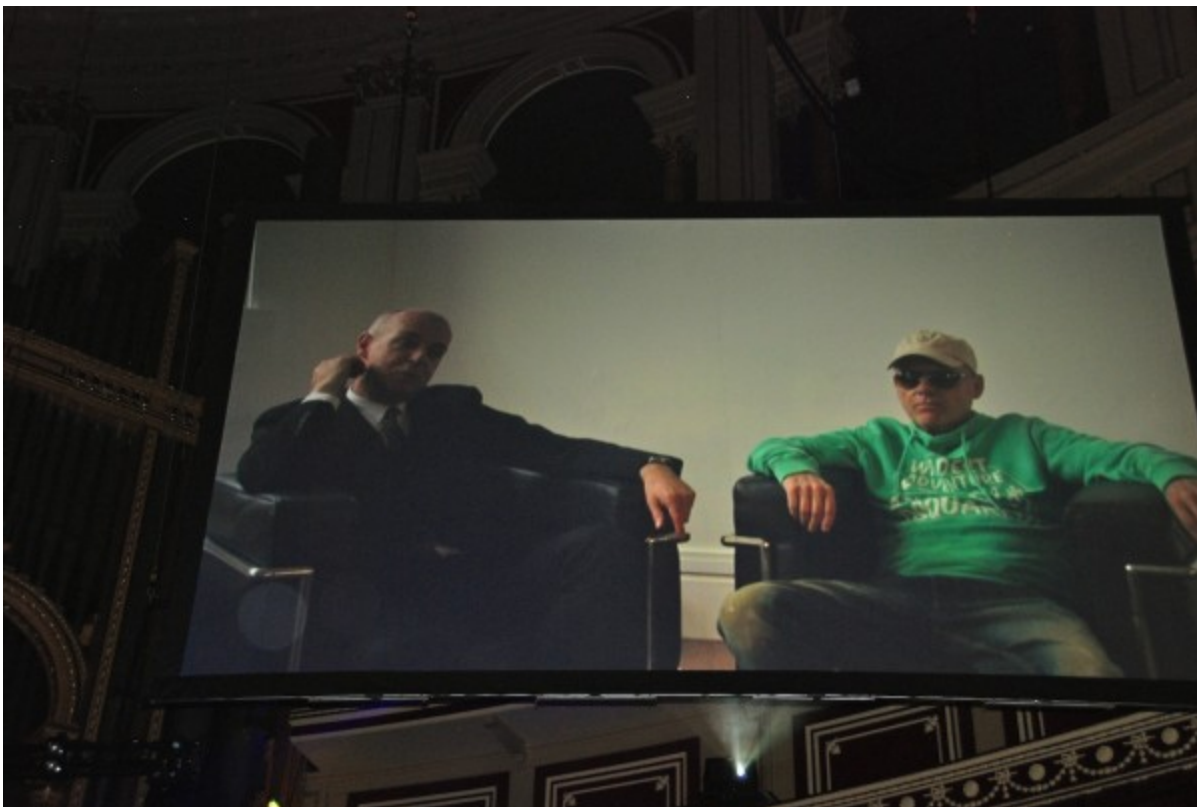
Next up ..comedian Jimmy Tarbuck...yeah the guy hanging out w/ Carole G. in the above photo 😊 I thought he was a great addition to the show...not only for his connection to Dusty but you know that Dusty would just love him w/ her sense of humour...right up her alley.He also spoke some of Dusty and remarked to the audience that we were 'Dusty's people' 😊 Rating: A+



Then on came one of the few performers that I was familiar with, Boy George taking on the difficult task of 'YDHTSYLM' Not an easy task...especially if your not up for it. Maybe once upon a time he could have come close but... Rating: B-/C+



3rd video..the video that should have been live..'the Pet Shop Boys'...they tried to make the video humorous but the boys seemed kind of....bored? Rating: B/C+



to wrap up the night ..4 Nurses...that would be four nurses from McMillian singing 'Son of A Preacher Man'....not too thrilling but all for a good cause. In the end they were joined on stage by the entire cast of characters.





On our way out it was perfect to run into and have a quick hello with Pat R & Douggie  
Was it what we initially expected when the news of the show was first advertised ? no...but in the end ...we were in London...it was Dusty Day...no, Dusty  
week ..so I can't think of a better way to complete a week filled with Dusty friends, music and adventures. xx  
paula x



[paula](#)

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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [jeffery](#) » Wed May 11, 2011 4:26 am



*FABULOUS !*



Since I couldn't attend the concert thanks for taking me via LTD.

Thou it wasn't Dusty herself it was still great. 😊

I imagine she would have thrown a fit if that sound wasn't just right. 😊

" The man with the child in his eyes ".... Jeffery



[jeffery](#)

Someone who cares



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## [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [davdreamer](#) » Wed May 11, 2011 6:40 am

Brilliant coverage Paula, you done good 🙌 It makes up for not being there, along with the video's that have appeared, I can get a real feeling. I understand what you mean about the intro making you tearful, I felt the same when the BBC did their Dusty tribute at the Mermaid Theatre a few years back. The overture did it for me. In the YouTube video of Sunudu she was wearing jeans but I like the pink dress much better, you should dress up for a concert like this. Guess the other was from a rehearsal. I'd like to have heard the "Springfields" but with the exception of Mica Paris, I don't get a feeling I missed too much with the other acts. Pat gave a good telling of Tarby's jokes over the phone 🤔 I've heard Dave Berry singing Goin' Back before, he did it at the original plaque luncheon, and I believe again at this years. Your pictures are so clear and I love the one's of the hall itself with Dusty's picture. Kenny Lynch has history with Dusty (he also had a hit with Up On the Roof in '62), he knew her well from those very early days and co-wrote "He's Got Something". They often appeared on RSG! and other TV shows together, and you're right, Julie always has lovely things to say about Dusty. Shame the recorded messages weren't up to much, I'd heard much the same from Pat. Thanks for taking the time Paula, it's much appreciated 😊

Dusty with Kenny Lynch and others....



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There's a part of you, that's a part of me...

Carole x



[daydreamer](#)

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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [karen](#) » Wed May 11, 2011 7:42 am

Thanks Paula for all this it's really appreciated and as you said it was a nice way to end your Dusty week with Dusty fans. 😊 [Sunudu , the you tube clip was a rehearsal shot , thus the jeans.]



[karen](#)

I only want to be with you



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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [Corinna](#) » Wed May 11, 2011 9:41 am

Great review, so thorough with all the photos, details and ratings! Almost like being there. Thanks for taking the time, Paula. 🌟 I'm glad you found it worthwhile in the end.

Cor xx

*Dusty Springfield, that's a pretty name*

*Pretty as a pearl*

*What a pretty girl*



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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [SweMaria](#) » Wed May 11, 2011 10:16 am



Thank you soo much for your review, Paula!! 🙌  
A fantastic coverage of the show!! 🧐  
I wish I was there! 🙌  
"I can't get you out of my heart" - Since I Fell For You



[SweMaria](#)

Can I get a witness  
★★★★★★

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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [wally](#) » Wed May 11, 2011 10:39 am

Great review Paula, thanks for taking the time.  
Wally x



[wally](#)

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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [trek007](#) » Wed May 11, 2011 2:06 pm

Thank you for the review Paula.

Seemed like a good atmosphere.

Like your marking of the acts..very teacherish!!

If it was filmed for a possible DVD..I may buy, as its a way of supporting the charity.  
[Trekx](#). Often called Carole.

Ev'rything's coming up Dusty.



[trek007](#)

Can I get a witness  
★★★★★★

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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [jeffery](#) » Wed May 11, 2011 3:14 pm

*wally wrote:* Pardon my ignorance...but who was Mike W....the third Springfield?

🤔 Yeah, Mike W. who ???  
" The man with the child in his eyes ".... Jeffery



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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [daydreamer](#) » Wed May 11, 2011 3:52 pm

I don't know who the Mike W is, his face isn't familiar, I'll ask around if no one else knows. Paula, could the video of Lulu that you saw at DD just be from one of the documentaries? Simon says he wasn't aware of a Lulu video being played and if the RAH one was a new interview, it certainly wouldn't be that. Maybe she always says similar things and they can all be interchangeable!

*There's a part of you, that's a part of me...*

Carole x



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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [mnmcv1](#) » Wed May 11, 2011 5:42 pm

@Carole- I didnt see it played at DD either, but the vid was definitely new- Lulu said something to the effect of "hope you all have a wonderful time tonight", and I believe she made comment about it being for a worthy cause. 😊  
-markus

*Everyday of my life, is fresh as morning dew...*



[mnmcv1](#)

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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [james](#) » Sun May 15, 2011 3:01 pm

thanks for the review paula,  
couldnt get to the concert but now feel like i know how t was...  
james

"since you went away, ive been hanging around..."

[james](#)

Little by little



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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [st louis blues](#) » Sun May 22, 2011 5:40 am

I don't know if this has been confirmed, but I read that there will not be a video of the concert for sale. What I read was that the RAH wanted too much money, I guess to allow the venue to be shown, so the idea was dropped. Has anyone heard anything about this? If it's true then what a shame. It would have been another way to collect money for a good cause. 😞

[st louis blues](#)

I'll try anything



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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [karen](#) » Sun May 22, 2011 7:57 am

Yes it is true too much money wanted by them to cover costs of doing this it seems. 😞



[karen](#)

I only want to be with you



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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [charlotte](#) » Sun May 22, 2011 9:25 am

Thank you Paula (and everyone else) for sharing your night at the RAH with us 🍷🍷🍷  
Peel Me a Grape .....

*I'm not short, I'm FUN sized*



[charlotte](#)

Wasn't born to follow



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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [allherfaces](#) » Sun May 22, 2011 5:07 pm

a belated but sincere thank you from me for such a comprehensive review, Paula., including your brilliant photography. So glad we got to all be there together. 🍷 Hated saying goodbye to you and Markus that night. 🍷

x  
Bossch

*There's something in my soul that will always lead me back to you.*



[allherfaces](#)

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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

by [Graham2010](#) » Mon May 30, 2011 3:40 pm

I am bit late in posting but I too attended.

As I live in Bournemouth I had to stay overnight to it proved a costly event but I enjoyed it. Thus i l could not afford DD as well.

I thought the orchestra and choir (must have been 150 or so) were excellent and bearing in mind the artist's gave their time for nothing I thought they did well.

Shame no "big" names but looking at schedules Elton in US, Petshop Boys getting ready for Takethat tour.

Paul Gambichini's narrative was annoying and at times factually incorrect.....which annoyed me!

And the videos were crap!

I just remembered seeing Dusty on that stage on Dec 3 1979 so it brought back some great memories.

[Graham2010](#)

I'll try anything



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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

■ by [wally](#) » Tue May 31, 2011 7:04 am

So who was Mike W ...the third Springfield?

Wally x



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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

■ by [memphisinlondon](#) » Wed Jun 01, 2011 11:13 pm

What a great review and what fabulous photos. thank you,Paula :-)

Memphis

Ever since we met...



[memphisinlondon](#)

I'll try anything



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### [Re: Dusty tribute concert at RAH- TICKETS ON SALE](#)

■ by [Sweetbaby](#) » Wed Jun 01, 2011 11:27 pm

wally wrote:So who was Mike W ...the third Springfield?



Seems to be a question for the ages Wally - I'm beginning to wonder if Mike W himself knows who he is!

BTW - helloooooooooo Memphisinlondon!



[Sweetbaby](#)

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