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Clive
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Posted - 24/07/2008 : 19:13:59

Interesting Dusty interview transcript from 1989 on this Pet Shop Boys site
http://www.petshopboys.net/html/literallys/literally_02/literally_02_page_1.shtml



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Posted - 25/07/2008 : 00:08:47

Thanks Clive - never seen that before. I can hear Dusty's unique musical speaking voice when I read her words.



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Posted - 25/07/2008 : 00:33:11

Thanks Clive,
That was great and I liked the reference to one my favourite pop groups 'Sing Out Sister'!
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Posted - 25/07/2008 : 13:28:53

yes Swing Out Sister were good, and Dusty fans I think. Didn't they later do a version of *Am The Same Girl*?



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A couple of interesting things in the article:

"When I arrive Dusty is in a small room upstairs playing Neil and Chris a tape of a song a famous songwriter has written as a possible track for her LP; though everyone nods politely, they eventually agree it's nothing special. "

I guess this might have been Diane Warren's *Any Other Fool* which eventually turned up on *Reputation and Rarities*

"Phil Collins is hopefully doing one. He wrote this thing which he hasn't got a title for - it's up on his board as "New Slow Song" because it's his new slow song. But he's busy with his stuff and we're trying to work out the timing ,frankly I'm willing to wait for Phil Collins. His music is so sound and very beautiful. "

I wonder what ever happened to the Phil Collins song

Edited by - Clive on 25/07/2008 13:33:25



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Posted - 29/07/2008 : 05:00:25



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Clive,

I was pointing out the spelling mistake but yes 'Swing Out Sister' (SOS) covered 'Am I The Same Girl'. It was one of the few SOS singles I bought. SOS have their roots in Laura Nyro, 5th Dimension type harmonies dashed with Dusty, smooth soul, movie soundtracks and '60s Latin and Brit pop. Plus Emma Peel, Audrey Hepburn, Breakfast at Tiffany's and the The Umbrellas of Cherbourg. I love them to bits. They are Dusty's eclectic children in a limited way.

Here's a video of the SOS version of *Am I the Same Girl*. It looks live but its very, very close to the recorded version:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=82MICD1gsdM&feature=related>

and here's a short excerpt from '*The Umbrellas of Cherbourg*'. I just know Dusty saw this film in 1964 and thought Catherine Deneuve was just great and maybe her hairstyles were worth thinking about:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Up7DgD0cgPg>

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Clive

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thanks Memphis I enjoyed these.
Umbrellas of Cherbourg is a beautiful film.



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