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by **Carole R.**

Posted: **Tue Aug 17, 2010 2:40 pm**

Yea... Sounds abit twee doesn't it?

But I was thinking that apart from her singing voice and her look, theres something about Dusty which appeals to us all..

I assume that some of our thoughts on this will differ, some will be the same.

I'm wonderin whether you can pick out specific 'moments' when you've thought.. "Aww! THAT was cute"..

Get my drift?

If you do... What are your thoughts on this?

CR xx

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **allherfaces**

Posted: **Tue Aug 17, 2010 2:43 pm**

Moment of cuteness 1:

when Dusty pops out between the other two Springfields and says "And I'm Dusty" 🤪

2. How bout when she's pretending to walk away when she's being filmed with Mary?

But then again, you English may have a different definition of cute.

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **Carole R.**

Posted: **Tue Aug 17, 2010 2:44 pm**

I always find Dusty's dancing, cute...Cos, to be honest I' don't think she ever truly mastered it. 🤪

I think the reason for this was her poor eyesight, she could hardly see more than three steps in front of her.

Consequently the arms/hands. were used much more than the legs and feet!.. 🤪❤

Agree?....Just a li'l bit??? 🤪

CR xx

Nancy I agree with **your** moments of cuteness, totally!.. 🤪 In fact you did a better job of it than me, cos I **did** ask for **specific** moments.. where I was abit more general. 🤪

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **allherfaces**

Posted: **Tue Aug 17, 2010 3:10 pm**

Oh yes her dancing is adorably cute !! 🤪

How about the whole performance of It Ain't All Honey?

How about the Shirley Temple shtick?

Dusty was too cute for words, let's face it. 🥰

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by karen

Posted: Tue Aug 17, 2010 3:42 pm

One of the many interviews I love, something about her....vulnerability . definite cuteness ❤️ [forget the interviewer] [youtube]<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1BzDO9q3jDc>[/youtube]

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by Corinna

Posted: Tue Aug 17, 2010 3:46 pm

The daisies behind her ears.... CUTE! 😊

How she rolls her eyes on Bring him back ... CUTE! 😊

[youtube]<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ySl2J6pqHtc>[/youtube]

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by Clive

Posted: Tue Aug 17, 2010 5:01 pm

Love all these examples.

Another one I think is where Dusty is about to sing *Twenty Four Hours From Tulsa* and she says "I hope you remember it , I hope I do too!"

Also when she says she hasn't had any "naughty letters" complaining about her Portuguese accent.

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by mnmcv1

Posted: Tue Aug 17, 2010 5:14 pm

from 2:05-2:30 in this clip...Dusty is incredibly cute.



[youtube]<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ql-4-yktcgY>[/youtube]

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by allherfaces

Posted: Tue Aug 17, 2010 5:30 pm

And 2:08-2:11 in this clip...Kiss stealing son of a preacher man and the twinkle in her eye....

[youtube]<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hthiLHVAMho>[/youtube]

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by daydreamer

Posted: Tue Aug 17, 2010 5:44 pm

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[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fUzpQ0eYAE[/youtube]

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **Starlight**

Posted: **Tue Aug 17, 2010 5:57 pm**

Thank you I haven't seen the first one 🤔 , wonder why thats not on the dvd?

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **Chris80**

Posted: **Tue Aug 17, 2010 7:49 pm**

I also love her in the sketch with Garnett. 😊

Here's another example => please note 00:22 to 00:28 in the clip:

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Eimn-jjx8W8[/youtube]

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **Carole R.**

Posted: **Tue Aug 17, 2010 9:35 pm**

ALL great examples!!! 🤔❤️

Hows about the 'fake' American Country accent..?

"But my dreams came tumberlin dow-hown".. 🤔🤔

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0j-lJyHBomA[/youtube]

CR xx

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **SweMaria**

Posted: **Tue Aug 17, 2010 9:45 pm**

I think I love all your clips! 🤔 It's NOT difficult to find an example of Dustys "cuteness"



Here are some from me...

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ehy6VjLU8DY[/youtube]

Love her speaking voice at the beginning and look at 1:44-1:50

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SM1Hmngqi6U[/youtube]

0:21-0:24

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eJ1PUYbG_uU[/youtube]

She's so cute when she's dancing here. The way she moves 1:14-1:16. 🤔

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **mnmcv1**

Posted: **Wed Aug 18, 2010 12:46 am**

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Carole, the 20 second snippet in my clip was actually *Maracabamba*. I didnt know it was on youtube...lol

she's so unbelievably cute in that clip. 😊


I was just watching the video for "Ain't No Sun Since You've Been Gone"...but i think that falls more in the "sexy" category than cute... 😏

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **Cardiff Bluesgirl**

Posted: **Wed Aug 18, 2010 10:14 am**

in her early years she was so cute and I think thats what appealed to me without realising it. I loved her goonish humour and all her dancing about and quips. I also love the Nancy fav where she pops in announcing the Springfields and ends with "and I'm Dusty" as if we didnt know 🤪

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Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **lsparks18**

Posted: **Wed Aug 18, 2010 12:09 pm**

I was getting ready to post "Peel Me A Grape" thing, but see it was picked. I think that is about as cute as it gets. Obviously, Dusty played well off of other people as some of her other really cute moments are with other people.

I think most of her early years there are so many cute moments from her shows. Those were great years for Dusty.

Linda

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **allherfaces**

Posted: **Wed Aug 18, 2010 1:48 pm**

I seriously need to get a witness here!

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Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **mnmcv1**

Posted: **Thu Aug 19, 2010 3:42 am**

Bosseh- yes, you can! 😊

she's adorable dressed as Shirley Temple. So precious. 😊

i also think she's cute doing her Ruby Keeler takeoff with Jonathan Winters and Engelbert Fingerdinkie (as my friend insists on calling him)...

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AD3IpaO3L2I[/youtube]

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **Corinna**

Posted: **Thu Aug 19, 2010 10:45 am**

I believe someone's just having a "cute Dusty moment"!

Shirley & Engelbert sketch --> absolutely 'cuteiful'! 🍷

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **karen**

Posted: **Thu Aug 19, 2010 10:48 am**

Definitely a "Dusty cute moment" and" it had nothing to do with the wine " 🍷 😊 did it girls

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **Corinna**

Posted: **Thu Aug 19, 2010 12:45 pm**

Absolutely nothing Karen! LOL

"You called me up and asked me would I like to go with you and see a movie" - such simple gestures, and so very effective in illustrating the song!

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Fola80rQop4[/youtube]

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **allherfaces**

Posted: **Thu Aug 19, 2010 3:41 pm**

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LOL, Cor. 🤔 But with that look on my face, it was Dusty sublimeness not cuteness--could only have been IDWTGOWY.

Dusty in Lassie sketch with Phyllis Diller and Liberace = CUTE.

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **trek007**

Posted: **Thu Aug 19, 2010 6:50 pm**

Standing on those telephone directories all those years ago.

Interacting with the backing girls when singing higher and higher, lower and lower!

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **allherfaces**

Posted: **Thu Aug 19, 2010 9:49 pm**

Good ones, Trek!

All photos of Dusty with animals = CUTE.

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **jeffery**

Posted: **Fri Aug 20, 2010 3:22 am**

🤔 Nope !

I think cute is first grade children, and month old puppies.

I think of Dusty more like charming, feminine, adorable, ornery, fun loving.

I can see where you gals might find her cute, but even in her youth I thought she was mature, adult, professional.

Camp-yes, cute-no. 🤔

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **daydreamer**

Posted: **Fri Aug 20, 2010 8:21 am**

I know what you're saying Jeffery, maybe it's just a different way of expressing what we see in Dusty. I think cute in this case is really meaning her fun side. The childlike way she could sometimes put herself across, funny voices, a roll of the eyes, playful actions. You often hear people say things like "that was cute" when referring to all sorts of grown up actions. She is all the other things you say as well.

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **jeffery**

Posted: **Fri Aug 20, 2010 11:58 am**

🤔 CHILDLIKE ! 🤔

Yes, that's it Nancy. She always had the heart of a child. 😊

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **Tommy Stevens**

Posted: **Fri Aug 20, 2010 8:51 pm**

Carole R. wrote:

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"But my dreams came tumberlin dow-hown".. 🤔🤔

You know that British accent Dick Van Dyke did in Mary Poppins?

We're even.

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **mssdusty**

Posted: **Sat Aug 21, 2010 4:05 am**

DUSTY HAD ME LAUGHING THAT WAS CUTE TO ME 😄 🤔🤔 🌹

MARY 🌹

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **jeffery**

Posted: **Sat Aug 21, 2010 4:14 am**

😞 I wish I knew how to share these things from youtube. Oh well, I'll learn in time. That Dusty interview Karen posted August 17 led me to another on the Mike Walsh show from Sydney, Aus.

If you think Dusty's "cute" find it - you'll love it. I was floored when she announced her wedding. 🤩 OMG!

Worth the hunt just for that segment. You must hear what she had to say.

Then that led me to her doing *Second Time Around* on Liberace's show. (ITC Library)



Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **karen**

Posted: **Sat Aug 21, 2010 7:11 am**

For JEFFERY.... 😄 [youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RGpFVySCJlc[/youtube]

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **SweMaria**

Posted: **Sat Aug 21, 2010 5:10 pm**

Here I am again with an example of Dustys cuteenes 🤔🤔

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EqiOAZzcC1Q[/youtube]

2:19-2:24

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **jeffery**

Posted: **Sun Aug 22, 2010 3:23 am**

😄 Good one SweMaria. 🤔 Haven't seen that one before. She was really getting into the hand clapping, and had that little blonde girl up front all fired up. It must have been just wonderful to be in the crowd at those RSG shows. 🤔

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **InaDustytrance**

Posted: **Sun Aug 22, 2010 4:56 am**

The expression on her face, holding that "high voltage" sign is precious. It's a B&W still.

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **Starlight**

Posted: **Sun Aug 22, 2010 7:27 am**

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Thought I'd put it on for you 🙄

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **Cardiff Bluesgirl**

Posted: **Sun Aug 22, 2010 7:58 pm**

love the animal ones too and so as I miss my lovely cat Sophie so much I thought I would put this one back on this thread because its so lovely. 🙄

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Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **allherfaces**

Posted: **Mon Aug 23, 2010 12:55 am**

Starlight wrote:

InaDustytrance wrote:

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nice one, Helen. That's not the usual one we see, but HIGH voltage nonetheless. 🙄

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **Starlight**

Posted: **Mon Aug 23, 2010 8:09 pm**

Oooh thats the only one I have seen 🙄

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by Sue

Posted: **Wed Sep 01, 2010 8:54 pm**

Love that one of Dusty and kitten, Liz 🥰

There's a photo of her - on the forum somewhere i believe - she's wearing a blue skirt and white blouse and throwing her arms open wide. It's the combination of slightly crumpled clothes and a crooked grin that just makes her all the more adorable.

Also, there's this clip.....not entirely sure what it is exactly, maybe a slight change in her make-up, the long fringe and the sparkling dress right down to ankles - but definitely cute. 😊

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7nnE8OxuDr0[/youtube]

Sue xx

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by mnmcv1

Posted: **Wed Sep 01, 2010 9:20 pm**

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now THAT was funny.

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by Corinna

Posted: **Mon Sep 20, 2010 12:06 pm**

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Very cute photo this one.

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by Cardiff Bluesgirl

Posted: **Mon Sep 20, 2010 1:44 pm**

thats a nice pic and what a lucky pussycat. 😊

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **allherfaces**

Posted: **Mon Sep 20, 2010 2:41 pm**

Unusual look on both their faces. 😊

Re: Dustys 'cuteness'.

by **Carole R.**

Posted: **Sat Sep 25, 2010 8:42 am**

The ""weeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeee" 🗣️ during 'Lets Get Away From It All
-Meltorme duet. 😊

CRxx