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Does this sound 'French'? (#p8098)

by **Corinna** » Tue Feb 23, 2010 7:03 pm

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jEKHZ02R6eU[/youtube]

For some reason, I've always thought of this song as 'French'. Perhaps it's the waltz and the accordion. Do you think it sounds 'French'?

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Re: Does this sound 'French'? (#p8119)

by **Brian** » Tue Feb 23, 2010 8:46 pm

Yes it does. In the sixties/early seventies whenever France was featured on UK tv - you always had accordion music playing, and I suppose it gets under your skin somewhat?

Brian

Last edited by **Brian** ([./memberlist.php?mode=viewprofile&u=75](#)) on Tue Feb 23, 2010 10:55 pm, edited 1 time in total.

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Re: Does this sound 'French'? (#p8128)

by **humboldt** » Tue Feb 23, 2010 9:52 pm

I was hoping to find the Young Rascals original version to post but it's not on YT or Daily Motion! There's an accordian on it.

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Re: Does this sound 'French'? (#p8133)

by **Frans** » Tue Feb 23, 2010 10:17 pm

Found it (I think.. sounds like David Cassidy)

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5F0heFEsWVw[/youtube]

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Re: Does this sound 'French'? (#p8134)

by **Carole R.** » Tue Feb 23, 2010 10:19 pm

Oui.

Its definitely the accordion which gives it the French feel.. 🎵

Maybe it had something to do with the 'era'..

Here's Peter Sarstedt (Eden Kanes brother) with Where do you go to my lovely?

Prominent accordian at the beginning designed to create a French Riviera atmosphere, methinks.



[youtube]<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L8XQZYliNgo>[/youtube]

CR xx

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Re: Does this sound 'French'? (#p8146)

by **humboldt** » Tue Feb 23, 2010 11:07 pm

Berthavenation wrote:

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[youtube]<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5F0heFEsWVw>[/youtube]

Frans, that's not the Young Rascals version. I found that too but I have no idea who it is. 😊

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Re: Does this sound 'French'? (#p8689)

by **Tommy Stevens** » Sat Feb 27, 2010 6:30 pm

David Cassidy had a minor hit with it, so that's probably him.

This isn't the original, but it sounds pretty close to the Rascals' arrangement

[youtube]<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ibT5QwGzsCM>[/youtube] ,though the vocal isn't that great. The accordian is in the original.

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Re: Does this sound 'French'? (#p8979)

by **humboldt** » Mon Mar 01, 2010 8:30 pm

It's not David Cassidy and actually in the UK he reached #1 with it.

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Re: Does this sound 'French'? (#p9016)

by **paula** » Tue Mar 02, 2010 3:26 am

well here is David Cassidy's clip and Frans's post sounds pretty close..could be one and the same.

I can't believe there isn't a 'Rascals version on you tube..I love their version and have always been a big fan.

If anyone wants it..next chance I get, I'll post it via 'Send It'

paula x

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p1rpKz_52GE [/youtube]

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Re: Does this sound 'French'? (#p9030)

by **humboldt** » Tue Mar 02, 2010 8:17 am

It's not David, Frans posting that is, it's someone called Anderson Rolim who can't sing for toffee



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