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It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93196)

by **Carole R.** » Mon Apr 16, 2012 7:13 am

Birthday memories of 'A Girl Called Dusty'..Thankyou for the music,and the happiness you brought to so many people. 🎵 🤗 ❤️


Carole R xx

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93198)

by **Cas19** » Mon Apr 16, 2012 7:23 am

Heres to you Dusty and all the wonderful days of the 60s.
With fond memories Carole(Cas) and Karenxxxx

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93199)

by **Rob** » Mon Apr 16, 2012 7:25 am

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93202)

by **IWannaBeABluesSinger** » Mon Apr 16, 2012 7:40 am

A most portentous day indeed. It seems all the best people were born on April 16 - or at least it happened once.

Here's Dusty's birth chart. It's surprisingly accurate, I think:

Name: Mary O'Brien

April 16 1939

12:00 PM Time Zone is BST
London, UK

Rising Sign is in 02 Degrees Leo

You love to be the center of attention and you want to appear strong, confident and dominant. You are very proud of yourself, sometimes quite vain even. When all around you are bedraggled and falling apart, you look like a million bucks! Very dignified and honorable, you enjoy the power and privilege, but not the responsibilities, that come with leadership. You are very idealistic but can also be quite stubborn. Others impress you only if they have integrity (but wealth, power and influence can also turn your head). You prefer rich, elegant surroundings and possessions, and will try to acquire them as your budget allows. Physically, you are very impressive - - at your best you have a regal, charismatic demeanor and bearing. Try not to be such a showoff!

Sun is in 25 Degrees Aries.

By nature, you are very energetic and high-spirited. You are fiercely independent -- you must be first in everything you do, and you enjoy taking risks. You are the one who will rush in where angels fear to tread. Quite brilliant at initiating new projects, you are terrible at following them through to completion. You are an enthusiastic leader but you tend to be a reluctant follower. Often you are quick to anger, but you usually recover just as fast, regretting later things you said when you were upset. One of your best traits is that you are simple and direct, blunt and honest -- just be careful you do not hurt others' feelings. Your need to be competitive at all costs may provoke resistance from others, but, as long as you maintain your usual Sunny good humor, this should not prove to be a major problem for you.

Moon is in 18 Degrees Pisces.

You have strong feelings and are extremely sensitive. It would help if you had a thicker skin -- you tend to react emotionally to every situation you come across. Kind, gentle and considerate of the feelings of others, you are good at taking care of the sick, wounded and helpless. But you tend to absorb the energy of others -- so avoid those who are always negative. You have a rich, creative and lively imagination, but you should be careful not to spend all your time daydreaming. Very intuitive, you have good ESP and may be quite clairvoyant or psychic. Remember that you too have the right to get what you want from life. If you are always defensive and kowtowing to others, people will take advantage of you and exploit you.

Mercury is in 05 Degrees Aries.

Very quick-witted, you are known for being an independent thinker. You love to debate and argue, and are excellent at repartee and battles of wits. At times, however, you act too fast on hastily formed opinions and thus waste a lot of energy defending your rash and sometimes incorrect conclusions. It is perfectly acceptable for you to defend your beliefs with your usual vigor, but try not to take the opinions of others as personal insults.

Venus is in 19 Degrees Pisces.

You have a dreamy, fanciful, romantic nature and a very creative imagination. Indeed, at times, your private fantasies are more appealing than the reality around you and it is difficult for you to leave them. You tend to be unselfish and giving in relationships and are extremely sensitive of the needs of others. Be very sure that those you help are worthy of your devotion and are not merely taking advantage of your innocence and naivete.

Mars is in 13 Degrees Capricorn.

Extremely ambitious, you are willing to work very hard to reach the goals you have set for yourself. Very practical, cautious and conservative, you demand tangible results for your efforts. You need to excel in whatever you do, and you have the required sense of responsibility, dedication and self-discipline to bring it about. Beware of your tendency to judge others only by their degree of status and prestige, or by how well they will be able to advance you in your climb to the top.

Jupiter is in 24 Degrees Pisces.

You are at your best when you give of yourself and what you have -- try to avoid being a martyr about it, though. You're a true idealist, but you must learn not to be upset when life does not cooperate with the way you think things should be. Very concerned with spiritual truth and growth, when you practice what you preach, you make an excellent role model for others. You are so devoted to altruistic ventures and concerns that you tire easily at times. It then becomes necessary for you to go off by yourself to recharge your batteries.

Saturn is in 21 Degrees Aries.

You are aloof, independent and standoffish. This is mainly due to your fear that others might inhibit or restrict you and, quite frankly, you feel that you can govern your life by your own standards. Be careful not to associate with those who are overly critical of you or you will withdraw so deeply into your shell that you will become very lonely. You have the ability to stand on your own two feet and to make up your own mind -- albeit very carefully and cautiously. But you are known for your circumspection and therefore are respected and admired.

Uranus is in 16 Degrees Taurus.

You, and your peers as well, suffer from the tension of trying to have as much freedom as you possibly can and at the same time trying to maintain your stable lifestyle. The solutions that you propose to these issues are quite unique and bizarre even, and may shock even yourself.

Neptune is in 21 Degrees Virgo.

You, and your entire generation, idealize work, duty and responsibility. You tend to be very fearful of anything that would force you out of the protective shell of your everyday routines. You place a high premium on personal pride in productivity and craftsmanship. But in your search for perfection in minor details, you sometimes lose track of the overall purpose of life.

Pluto is in 29 Degrees Cancer.

For your entire generation, this is a period of profound global changes, especially in the nature and shape of family structures. In one such period, in the Twentieth Century, major calamities such as depression and world war accelerated the replacement of the old village-oriented extended family by modern cosmopolitan living.

N. Node is in 08 Degrees Scorpio.

You have a special aptitude for working by yourself, or with a like-minded group of dedicated individuals. Once you've committed yourself to a person or group or project, your loyalty and devotion are total until the group's goals have been realized. Not at all gregarious by nature, you're uncomfortable around strangers, greatly preferring to be in known and familiar situations. Others may regard you as shy or eccentric, but those who

know you well are aware of the intense loyalty that you have to your friends.

Maggie

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93208)

by [Corinna](#) » Mon Apr 16, 2012 8:29 am

Interesting birth chart indeed. I have only skimmed through it, will need more time to read properly. Thanks for posting.

Anyway, a very happy birthday to our girl Dusty! Wish you could be here. Thanks for all the great music, and the good people you brought into my life. ❤️

As I said on another birthday thread in the Welcome Home section (I couldn't help but start a thread there as well), there will be a gathering at the marker later today, and there will be tons of pictures taken. (That's the day of the year where I have all my pictures for the year to come taken! LOL!) Updates to follow!

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93211)

by [Sara](#) » Mon Apr 16, 2012 10:56 am

Happy Birthday Dusty! 🌹

Thankyou for making me get obsessed with your music 🎧 And for the effects it's had on all our lives and the friendships made through it 📱

❤️ always

Sara x

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93218)

by [Hampson](#) » Mon Apr 16, 2012 5:56 pm

Happy Birthday Dusty

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93226)

by [paula](#) » Mon Apr 16, 2012 7:11 pm

a BIG happy birthday to you, Dusty 🌹 thank you

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93228)

by [james](#) » Mon Apr 16, 2012 7:14 pm

Happy Birthday Dusty.

Thankyou for being such a big part of my life and for giving me a soundtrack to my life...xx

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93237)

by **jeffery** » Mon Apr 16, 2012 8:32 pm

Dear Dusty, 🙌

You were born to sing, bring joy to our hearts, and move us.

Bless you, and Happy Birthday ! 🙌

🌹 From those who will always love you. 🌹

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93242)

by **charlotte** » Mon Apr 16, 2012 8:45 pm

jeffery wrote:

Dear Dusty, 🙌

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Bless you, and Happy Birthday ! 🙌

🌹 From those who will always love you. 🌹

Well said Jeffery.... and Ditto 🌹 🌹

Happy Birthday Dusty

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93253)

by **daydreamer** » Mon Apr 16, 2012 9:36 pm

Beautiful flowers for a beautiful lady. Today in Henley....



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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93259)

by **Starlight** » Mon Apr 16, 2012 11:00 pm

Had such a lovely day, happy birthday Dusty xxxx

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93261)

by **allherfaces** » Tue Apr 17, 2012 12:30 am

Great day today in Henley. Lit some candles in the church for LTDers who could not be there.

Flowers were gorgeous and we didn't get rained on.

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93265)

by **terri** » Tue Apr 17, 2012 3:16 am

Happy Birthday to the greatest diva we will ever hear!

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93271)

by **fobakawa** » Tue Apr 17, 2012 5:02 am

What absolutely breathtaking flowers! I am a passionate gardener and I was really taken by the spectacular colors. Those stargazer lillies are awesome! It's still too cold where I

love for flowers but soon.... Thanks for sharing the lovely pictures. Happy Birthday Dusty!

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93280)

by **Cas19** » Tue Apr 17, 2012 7:27 am

Thank you for the lovely photos of the flowers at the marker, just beautiful. Thank you for lighting candles from us all too.
Casxx

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93329)

by **Rob** » Tue Apr 17, 2012 5:28 pm

Rob wrote:

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Rob wrote:

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I took a couple of photos for those that didn't manage to visit the link on 16th

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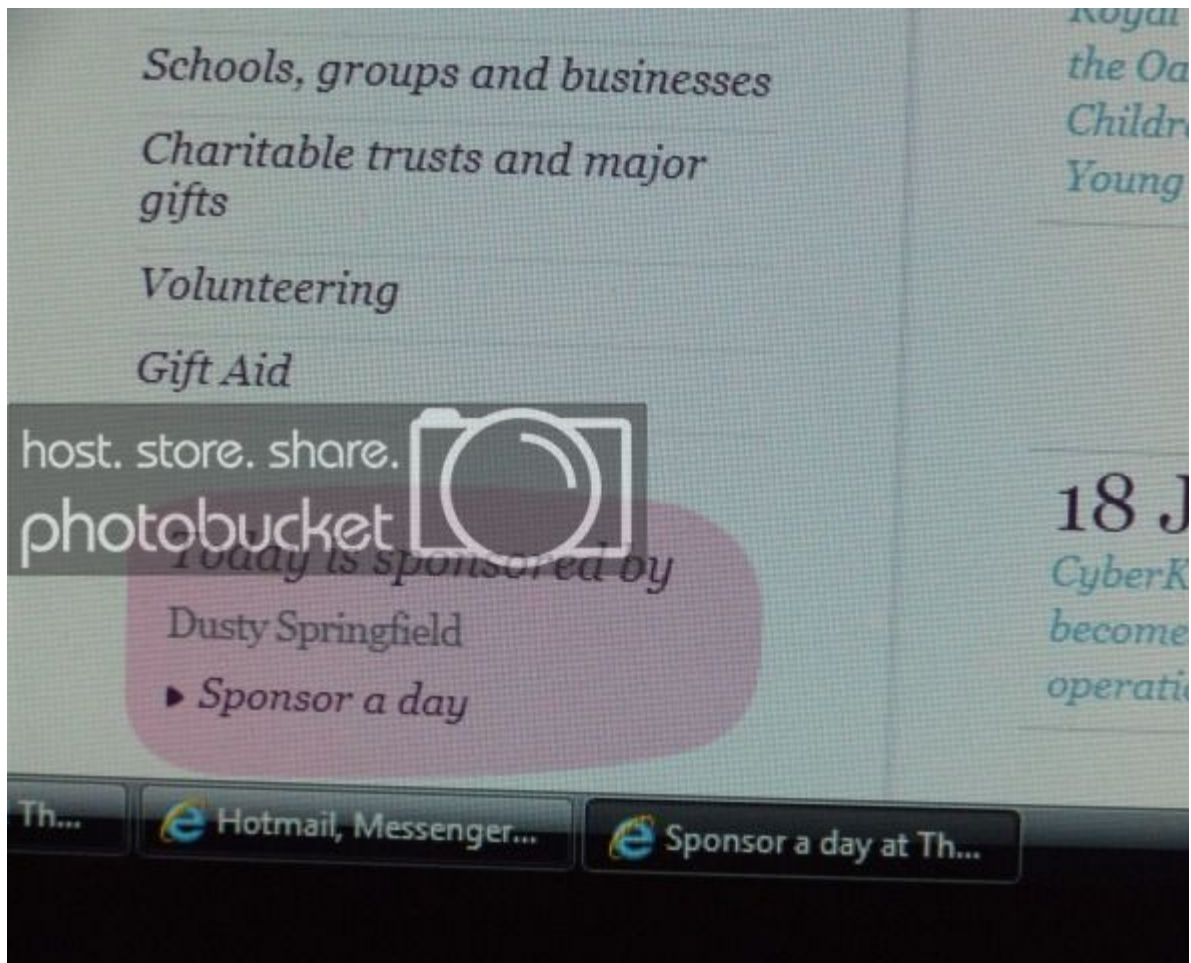
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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93374)

by **Cas19** » Wed Apr 18, 2012 7:18 am

Thank you for this Rob. I hadn't time to mess about trying to get a copy myself, so I am pleased.

Casx

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93378)

by **daydreamer** » Wed Apr 18, 2012 7:52 am

Yes, thanks for doing that Rob 😊

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93381)

by **karen** » Wed Apr 18, 2012 7:55 am

Thanks Rob.. 🙏

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93397)

by [trek007](#) » Wed Apr 18, 2012 2:09 pm

Happy birthday Dusty from Henley ... Only just managed to get a wifi link!!
Thanks for the memories and the music.
Sitting in Cafe Rouge doing this and it's pouring with rain outside,
But at least all the lovely flowers around the marker will be well watered!!

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93400)

by [hedydust](#) » Wed Apr 18, 2012 3:54 pm

😘😘 Happy Blrthday Dusty dont know where I'd be without
your music ❤️

Attachments

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Dusty in Hollywood 1967

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93537)

by [Corinna](#) » Fri Apr 20, 2012 1:31 pm

Trek, you managed to get online with the Cafe Rouge wifi link? Good for you! I never
succeeded! 😊

Some pictures from LTD'ers paying their respects on Dusty's birthday.

LTD's birthday bouquet



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(back, left to right) Nancy, Neil, Trek, Karen, Maria, Cor, Christoph
(front, left to right) Helen, Carole G



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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93538)

by [Corinna](#) » Fri Apr 20, 2012 1:33 pm

A "retro" shot



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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93558)

by [Corinna](#) » Fri Apr 20, 2012 7:25 pm

Video from Dusty's marker in Henley, April 16, 2012.

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93559)

by **Corinna** » Fri Apr 20, 2012 7:26 pm

Getting introduced to the dress! 🌟

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93565)

by Sara » Sat Apr 21, 2012 12:12 am



Aww, thanks so much for putting these videos up from Henley, it's like being there again, it looks exactly the same.

Sara x

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Re: It's Dustys Birthday! (#p93573)

by jeffery » Sat Apr 21, 2012 3:20 am



I appreciate the close-up on the dress label. I was curious if it was a Darnell design. Does anyone know much about that company "Vidrobes" ?

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