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How do you picture Dusty?

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by **Brian** Posted: Sat Aug 04, 2012 4:26 pm

We all know Dusty would be 73 years old now, but when you think of her, how do you picture her? Do you think of her as a 73 year old?

I must say I never think of her as an old woman, and the picture that comes into my head is the 65/66 'version'.

Of course it may have been different if she hadn't been taken from us so early 🕝 , and if she was still with us we may relate more to her current age.

So - how do you picture Dusty?



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Re: How do you picture Dusty?

by fobakawa Posted: Sat Aug 04, 2012 5:38 pm

I have a very dear friend who is an antique dealer and will turn 86 this year. She is zany, eccentric, outspoken, funny as hell and still dyes her hair red. She wears tons of jewelry (very expensive!), beautiful vintage clothing and says exactly what she thinks. That's how I picture Dusty at 73 and I wish I knew her.

Re: How do you picture Dusty?

by Corinna Posted: Sat Aug 04, 2012 7:51 pm

Posted: Sat Aug 04, 2012 8:41 pm

Dusty didn't like ageing, as she has said several times. But if she was still with us, I imagine her to be a true British eccentric, and probably a crazy cat lady! Maybe even with purple hair!

But I'm with Brian, Dusty for me is mostly the beehive, panda makeup version. It's just so iconic!

Re: How do you picture Dusty?

by IWannaBeABluesSinger

The first images of Dusty that always come to mind are these:



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For me the older Dusty is like a second Dusty - the same, yet different.

Maggie

Re: How do you picture Dusty?

by darren2722 Posted: Sat Aug 04, 2012 10:03 pm

I'm with most of the other posters - I like remembering Dusty at her peak. Another one of my heroes Bob Dylan was born just 2 years after Dusty and Is still looking Okay at 71, but I still like to remember the Dylan of the mid 1960's when he was at his pomp.

Re: How do you picture Dusty?

Look at my avatar...That's how I picture Dusty. 🔞 🙈 🤪 🤒







Carole R xx

Re: How do you picture Dusty?

by trek007

This is how I picture Dusty...









Posted: Sat Aug 04, 2012 10:24 pm

Posted: Sat Aug 04, 2012 10:58 pm

Re: How do you picture Dusty?

by viper Posted: Sun Aug 05, 2012 9:38 am

You might not like it, but think about it, an' if if dosen't click, forgive me. I'm on the back end of a weekend of Rock 'N' Roll debauchery, an' I'm off to bed.



Re: How do you picture Dusty?

by jeffery Posted: Wed Aug 08, 2012 1:38 am

Carole R. wrote:

Look at my avatar...That's how I picture Dusty.

Carole R xx

Same here Carole. I picture Dusty with a mic in her hand. That's why it's my avatar. 🔴

Re: How do you picture Dusty?

by neonouille Posted: Wed Aug 08, 2012 11:30 pm

Me, I picture Dusty depending of my feeling of the moment. I can think of her and have in mind a picture from each decade, between 1960s and 1990s. I think sometimes at the look she would have had today and which to show she could have go.

Re: How do you picture Dusty?

by allherfaces Posted: Thu Aug 09, 2012 9:27 pm

I picture Dusty in the 60s in my mind. Like your Dusty in New York avatar, Brian, or like she looked at the airport having been kicked out of South Africa.

Re: How do you picture Dusty?

by renge36 Posted: Wed Aug 29, 2012 10:10 pm

Cor, I love the idea of Dusty having purple hair as an Old lady but hers would actually be on purpose. She Would no doubt be zany and charming and be making cracks About ageing like the late great Phyllis Dillar.

Re: How do you picture Dusty?

by Cas19 Posted: Sun Sep 02, 2012 1:40 pm

So many images come to mind when I hear Dustys name, mainly from the 60s. I haven't a clue how she would look at 73. I just wish she was still here.



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Re: How do you picture Dusty?

by charlotte Posted: Sun Sep 02, 2012 3:21 pm

I agree with Cas...

I see her from the 60's era always.

Re: How do you picture Dusty?

by jeffery Posted: Sun Sep 02, 2012 3:49 pm

charlotte wrote:

I agree with Cas...

I see her from the 60's era always.

Come to think of it....

🙈 I seem to see nearly everything in the 60's era. 🦃



🌯 Wear some flowers in your hair. 🥯 🖪

Re: How do you picture Dusty?

by daydreamer Posted: Wed Sep 05, 2012 9:39 am

After Dusty died and I was upset, to put it mildly, another fan said to me "try and imagine her as she was at 59 and not in her 20's". But every picture in my mind was of her in her "60's heyday". So....



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