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by Clive Posted: Wed Feb 01, 2012 10:23 am

Does anyone know when The Springfields went to America to record in 1962 if they did any TV shows or live dates?

Re: Springfields in USA?

by IWannaBeABluesSinger Posted: Wed Feb 01, 2012 9:39 pm

I don't know about TV but they did a short College tour.

Maggie

Re: Springfields in USA?

by jeffery Posted: Wed Feb 01, 2012 11:38 pm

Clive wrote:

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I think they went to Nashville didn't they? Search things associated with that. Grand Ole Opre, Nashville radio, and east coast colleges.

Re: Springfields in USA?

by daydreamer Posted: Thu Feb 02, 2012 11:03 am

They went to Nashville on the strength of having the hit with Silver Threads. Reading a couple of articles from that time Dusty says they stopped off in NY on the way there and went on a nationwide radio show with a DJ called Ralph Emery and talked for about 15 minutes. She seemed thrilled that people all over the States could hear them Tom talked of doing "some stage and TV shows" and Mike said they were visiting "Louisville, Pittsburgh, Columbus, Ohio, Washington, Baltimore and back to New York after meeting DJ's on a TV hour". Mike joined the group in time for this trip because one article says they were too successful and Tim couldn't take up the travelling due to his wife not being in good health.

Re: Springfields in USA?

by Clive Posted: Sat Feb 04, 2012 1:34 pm

thanks Carole, Jeffrey and Maggie.

I'd love to find something of these, would be interesting to know for sure when Dusty first appeared on American TV.

Re: Springfields in USA?

by jeffery Posted: Sat Feb 04, 2012 3:26 pm

Clive wrote:

thanks Carole, Jeffrey and Maggie.

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I spent most of last evening searching for Ralph Emery Show archives, WSM - radio archives, and the Springfield interview. I just wasn't getting anywhere.

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