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# **New Irish TV documentary**

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### **New Irish TV documentary**

■ by <u>Clive</u> » Thu Oct 03, 2013 10:08 pm

new Dusty documentary on Irish TV, hope it is viewable worldwide

http://nasc.tg4.tv/1a3HWbn



Can I get a witness \*\*\*\*

Posts: 3399

Joined: Thu Dec 17, 2009 8:45 am

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>dusty nut</u> » Fri Oct 04, 2013 6:20 am

Hi Clive. Thanks for the link, it's coming up unavailable at present. I will keep trying.



Nothing turns the day on, when the world is yawning







dusty nut

Someone who cares \*\*\*\*

**Posts:** 5618

**Joined:** Thu Apr 04, 2013 12:17 pm

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

by **Zoey** » Fri Oct 04, 2013 6:23 am

Same for me, I'll try again later. Thanks Clive!







Wasn't born to follow \*\*\*

**Posts:** 2312

**Joined:** Mon Jul 08, 2013 1:07 pm

Location: Essex, UK

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# Re: New Irish TV documentary

by daydreamer » Fri Oct 04, 2013 7:00 am

I'm presuming it's the one that was talked about on here a couple of years back. I had a few emails with Aoife Scott, (who had a zillion questions), hopefully we can somehow get to see it.

viewtopic.php?f=7&t=3154 There's a part of you, that's a part of me...

# Carole x



daydreamer

Moderator

**Posts: 3667** 

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

**by pat.dunham** » Fri Oct 04, 2013 7:29 am

Maybe a prob if commentary is in Gaelic - but never the less interesting. I'd rather see the world the way it used to be.......
..I'm goin' back.

### Pat x



pat.dunham

Can I get a witness

Posts: 4601

**Joined:** Wed Jun 06, 2012 6:41 pm **Location:** Hertfordshire UK

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

by daydreamer » Mon Nov 04, 2013 9:58 am

Simon posted this on Facebook. The subtitles are in Gaelic rather than English, which seems a bit pointless (!) but you can still get the gist of it.

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cWsdBc8b ... ture=share There's a part of you, that's a part of me...

#### Carole x



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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>pat.dunham</u> » Mon Nov 04, 2013 11:11 am

Thanks Carole a nice brief history of Dusty. I think the subs may have been in Gaelic because a lot of people can read the language but not speak it. I knew a lass who spoke it and she explained that the written word is not spoken as it appears. Hope you get my meaning it's difficult to explain. I'd rather see the world the way it used to be.......

"I'm goin' back."

## Pat x



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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

by donellac » Mon Nov 04, 2013 1:53 pm

Well I had a look at this documentary. I have to say nothing new here!

I was so so disappointed at the usual focus on Dusty's gay anguish, her drink problems and her self harming. I would have thought, in a 12 minute programme, the time would be better spent talking about her accomplishments! Yes and maybe a bit more about her Irish roots.

I understood that they intended to make this a celebration of her life and her achievements. Instead anyone coming to Dusty for the first time has been left with the impression that she was a poor tragic figure. Only at the last she was a survivor as she had beaten her 'demons'! Donella x

Yesterday when I was young the taste of life was sweet as rain upon my tongue!



Where am I going? \*\*\*

**Posts:** 704

Joined: Tue Feb 26, 2013 10:58 am

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

by <u>darren2722</u> » Mon Nov 04, 2013 2:46 pm

Thanks Carole.



Some nice music & clips amongst the short Film.



Agree with Donella's previous comment (Re: The Living Famously Documentary) about biographer Lucy O'Brien: After for so long being a champion of Dusty, why does Lucy (Like Vicki) seem to take every opportunity to take pot shots at Dusty? I Couldn't Ask For More



darren2722

Someone who cares \*\*\*\*

**Posts:** 7909

Joined: Sat Jun 16, 2012 6:12 pm Location: Sittingbourne Kent

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### Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>daydreamer</u> » Mon Nov 04, 2013 3:07 pm

I agree, I get sick of it and I also felt more would be about Dusty's Irish connection, I thought that was the point. Lucy O'Brien always states her "facts" as if she personally knew Dusty and was there, her smirk annoys me! I met her once and she was quite pleasant but I never like to see her pop up on documentaries, there are far more worthy people.

There's a part of you, that's a part of me

Carole x



daydreamer

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

by donellac » Mon Nov 04, 2013 3:07 pm

darren2722 wrote: (Re: The Living Famously Documentary) about biographer Lucy O'Brien: After for so long being a champion of Dusty, why does Lucy (Like Vicki) seem to take every opportunity to take pot shots at Dusty?

Agree with this. Lucy O'Brien's comments about Dusty were all about her problems!



There your post was at the same time as mine Carole.

I am glad to know you agree! Donella x





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### Re: New Irish TV documentary

by donellac » Wed Nov 06, 2013 7:35 pm

Well, what can I say? Other than I am very sorry about the comments I posted earlier regarding this Irish TV Documentary on Dusty!

The YouTube clip is only part of the programme! My comments were based on this short and somewhat skewed excerpt from the documentary.

I have just clicked on the original link posted by Clive and watched the entire 40+ minute documentary. This piece is extremely well put together and produced. It does do justice to Dusty and talks a great deal about her Irish connections. It is great to see contributions from some people we haven't heard from before. What Lucy O'Brien has to say is positive and balanced. And whilst there is, inevitably, some talk of Dusty's lost times, it does not overwhelm the

programme. Also the subtitles are in English so we can understand all that is said!



I do feel that this documentary presents Dusty as the great star that she was!

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>pat.dunham</u> » Wed Nov 06, 2013 9:23 pm

Having just watched the whole programme, it had a deal of sensitivity which was nice. OK nothing new but I found no fault or errors which made a nice change. Because of the sincere way it was presented it became quite moving and I was a bit teary at the end. Overall I think the Irish are proud of Mary O'Brien. Thanks TG4 and to Clive.

The 12min trailer goes to show how things taken out of context give you the wrong impression.

I'd rather see the world the way it used to be......

..I'm goin' back.

Pat x



pat.dunham

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>darren2722</u> » Thu Nov 07, 2013 9:27 am



Yes, a very well put together Documentary, some nice interviews with Simon & Mike Hurst, and many others 😇



darren2722 wrote: Thanks Carole. Lucy O'Brien: After for so long being a champion of Dusty, why does Lucy (Like Vicki) seem to take every opportunity to take pot shots at Dusty?

I'm Sticking by what I said above, 🙂 : After writing a perfectly respectable (Some might say too respectable) Biography & updated Biography of Dusty, Lucy In Subsequent Interviews since Dusty was published seems to have read Dancing With Demons to help her answer the interviewers questions regarding

Dusty Springfield. I Couldn't Ask For More



darren2722

Someone who cares \*\*\*\* **Posts:** 7909

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### Re: New Irish TV documentary

by daydreamer » Thu Nov 07, 2013 11:42 am

That's much better! I hadn't realised that the link now worked and hadn't thought to check back. This was much more rounded, Simon spoke well and I was particularly drawn to the last 10 minutes or so, some new faces. It was nice to see Anne Marie again, as I met her in 2000 and she's a lovely lady. Dusty did sign her visitor's book a second time as "Dusty", as I took a photo, she obviously just couldn't find it. Nice also to hear the tale from the taxi driver about the history of the O'Brien family. I haven't changed my view on Lucy O'Brien, she's an excellent music journalist but I don't like watching her talk about Dusty. It was very well put together, especially with Dusty's Irish songs, but they did something I hate, and that's include those clips of a face and figure pretending to be Dusty when it clearly isn't! It's been done before in Dusty documentaries and I never understand why, it cheapens them (IMO of course!)

There's a part of you, that's a part of me...

#### Carole x



<u>daydreamer</u> <u>Moderator</u>

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

by <u>daydreamer</u> » Fri Nov 08, 2013 10:36 pm

Has anyone outside of the UK tried watching this? I'm presuming it's available but the only people who have commented seem to be this side of the water. Just curious.

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#### Carole x



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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>Zoey</u> » Sat Nov 09, 2013 6:13 pm

Oh, that's annoying! I was going to watch it today, but it seems I can't.





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# Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>donellac</u> » Sat Nov 09, 2013 6:16 pm

Zoey, why not give it a try? Donella x

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

by **Zoey** » Sat Nov 09, 2013 6:18 pm

Oh sorry, I meant it won't work! I had a look on the site a little while ago, but now it won't play, it doesn't have a duration time or description. I'll have a look on youtube now.





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Location: Essex, UK

## Re: New Irish TV documentary

**by <u>donellac</u>** » Sat Nov 09, 2013 6:32 pm



The YouTube clip does not give a proper impression of the documentary.





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### Re: New Irish TV documentary

**by <u>Zoev</u>** » Sat Nov 09, 2013 6:40 pm

🤷 No doubt the whole thing will pop up one day. 🙂 I'd rather not hear a few minutes of negativity.





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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>Dotty86</u> » Sun Nov 10, 2013 12:06 am

Oh no I watched it two nights ago through Clive's link (thanks Clive I). No idea why its not working now I enjoyed watching it and found it quite moving towards the end. Nicely done I think. Hopefully it will be available to watch again soon.



I've got a good thing \*\*\*

Posts: 1344

Joined: Sat Jan 05, 2013 9:08 pm

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>donellac</u> » Sun Nov 10, 2013 11:17 am

Maybe we could contact the Irish production company to let them know about the community of Dusty fans who are desperate to see this programme!



We could ask if they can make the it available for us to see? Donella  $\boldsymbol{x}$ 

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donellac

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Location: Glasgow, UK

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

by **Zoev** » Sun Nov 10, 2013 2:32 pm

Perhaps the programmes expire like on iPlayer.





Zoey

Wasn't born to follow

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Location: Essex, UK

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# Re: New Irish TV documentary

by PeelMeAGrape » Mon Nov 11, 2013 3:15 am

daydreamer wrote: Has anyone outside of the UK tried watching this? I'm presuming it's available but the only people who have commented seem to be this side of the water. Just curious.

I tried watching from the US several times and only a black screen appeared. Same for all the other clips on the website.



**PeelMeAGrape** 

Little by little



Posts: 48

Joined: Thu Apr 12, 2012 8:16 pm

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

by **IWannaBeABluesSinger** » Tue Nov 12, 2013 12:30 am

I connected my UK VPN and watched it last week. It works fine with this:

http://www.bestukvpn.com/

there is a tutorial on YouTube about the settings:

 $\underline{http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z\_G5xkRoSfI}$ 

Maggie



IWannaBeABluesSinger
I've got a good thing

**Posts:** 1681

Joined: Sun Apr 24, 2011 3:54 am

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

by daydreamer » Fri Nov 15, 2013 4:24 pm

An article that has just appeared in the Irish Times.

http://www.irishtimes.com/culture/music ... -1.1594893

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Carole x



daydreamer

Moderator

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

by **Zoey** » Fri Nov 15, 2013 4:53 pm

I'm not keen on the part about the musical and that they will show the 'whole picture'. I think somethings are best left untouched, I don't think Dusty would be best pleased about this if she were with us.

I'm also surprised they haven't dropped the Adele rumours yet.





Zoev

Wasn't born to follow

★★★★

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Location: Essex, UK

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>pat.dunham</u> » Fri Nov 15, 2013 5:22 pm

An interesting article in the Irish Times (thanks Carole). Some scepticism I feel, hoping that no-one will mess it up. Are we in for overkill, I hope not. I'd rather see the world the way it used to be.......
..I'm goin' back.

#### Pat x



pat.dunham

Can I get a witness

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# Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by **Rob** » Thu Mar 27, 2014 7:50 am

donellac wrote: Maybe we could contact the Irish production company to let them know about the community of Dusty fans who are desperate to see this programme!



We could ask if they can make the it available for us to see?

Thanks to Donella, LTD is able to provide members with a copy of this on dvd, usual £8 for LTDs Royal Marsden charity.





Rob

Moderator

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Posts: 2821

Joined: Thu Dec 17, 2009 8:17 am

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# Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>darren2722</u> » Thu Mar 27, 2014 3:03 pm



Thanks Donella & Rob, Would love to order a copy when this is available. I Couldn't Ask For More



darren2722

Someone who cares

**Posts:** 7909

Joined: Sat Jun 16, 2012 6:12 pm Location: Sittingbourne Kent

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# Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by **Rob** » Thu Mar 27, 2014 5:32 pm

It's available now Darren, can do you a copy in the next day or so if you wish.





Rob

Moderator 👆

Posts: 2821

Joined: Thu Dec 17, 2009 8:17 am

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>darren2722</u> » Thu Mar 27, 2014 7:33 pm

Cheers Rob. Paypal on its way.



darren2722

Someone who cares

**Posts:** 7909

Joined: Sat Jun 16, 2012 6:12 pm

## Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>Rob</u> » Thu Mar 27, 2014 8:51 pm

Thanks Darren, dvd on its way on Saturday





Rob

Moderator  $\star$ 

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Joined: Thu Dec 17, 2009 8:17 am

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# Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>darren2722</u> » Thu Mar 27, 2014 8:53 pm





Someone who cares \*\*\*\*\*

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>seamist1</u> » Thu Mar 27, 2014 9:58 pm

Would love to have a copy also Rob. What do I do



seamist1

I'll try anything

Posts: 481

Joined: Fri Jan 10, 2014 1:29 am

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# Re: New Irish TV documentary

**B** by **Rob** » Fri Mar 28, 2014 7:53 am

Hi Seamist

just send me a pm or e-mail with your address and paypal £8 as donation to LTDs Royal Marsden charity to robwilkins 99@yahoo.com





Moderator



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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

by <u>seamist1</u> » Fri Mar 28, 2014 8:59 pm

Thanks Rob, PayPal on its way.



seamist1

I'll try anything



Posts: 481

Joined: Fri Jan 10, 2014 1:29 am

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## Re: New Irish TV documentary

**B** by **Rob** » Sat Mar 29, 2014 8:13 am

Thanks, safely received and dvd done, ready to post.





Rob

Moderator

Posts: 2821

Joined: Thu Dec 17, 2009 8:17 am

# Re: New Irish TV documentary

■ by <u>darren2722</u> » Tue Apr 01, 2014 3:49 pm

Safely Received today, All the subtitles are in the right place. Many Thanks Rob. And Thanks again Clive & Donella. I Couldn't Ask For More



darren2722

Someone who cares \*\*\*\*

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