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The best Dusty's book

by **neonouille**



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Posted: **Tue Mar 09, 2010 9:35 pm**

Hi everybody,

I have to buy, for my english class, an english book. It's obvious I want a Dusty's book. I don't want the first book that I find, but the best than you think.

Is it : *The Complete Dusty Springfield* by Paul Howes ?

Thank you sincerely to help me !  

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **Brian**

Posted: **Tue Mar 09, 2010 9:51 pm**

Samuel - that's the one!
The best by far.

Brian

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **daydreamer**

Posted: **Tue Mar 09, 2010 10:06 pm**

For full and complete info on all of Dusty's recordings, plus live stuff and her concert dates, TV appearances, discography and events in her life from the 60's onwards, then the Paul Howes book is an absolute must have. However, it isn't a biography or book about her career in story form if that's what you're looking for. If it is, then I would recommend Annie Randalls 'Dusty Queen of the Postmods' as an excellent study of her career and music.

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **mnmcv1**

Posted: **Tue Mar 09, 2010 11:18 pm**

Hi Samuel!

Carole's right- The Paul Howes book is an invaluable resource (I can't believe such an exhaustive chronicle of Dusty's work even exists) but it's not really a biography that can be "read" through. It's really just a song by song list of everything Dusty put down on record, performed on TV, etc...

I'm holding off on ordering Annie Randall's book because I have like 4 other books I *have* to get through first... 😊

Re: The best Dusty's book

by Sue

Posted: **Tue Mar 09, 2010 11:30 pm**

Samuel, the Paul Howes book is an absolute must for all Dusty fans, as is Annie Randall's. I quite like Lucy O'Brien's biography too 😊


Sue xx

Re: The best Dusty's book

by neonouille


Posted: **Wed Mar 10, 2010 12:28 pm**

Thanks very much at all of you for your suggestions. 🌹

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I would be tempted by The Complete Dusty Springfield but just to be sure, it's really this book ? Because I found two books with the same name 😲

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Re: The best Dusty's book

by Corinna

Posted: **Wed Mar 10, 2010 3:01 pm**

There is an older and a newer issue. The picture you posted is the new issue.

Re: The best Dusty's book

by jeffery

Posted: **Wed Mar 10, 2010 10:08 pm**

📖 Dusty/Queen of the Post-Mods, by Annie J. Randall: for the story.

📖 the CDS, by Paul Howes: for referance and details.

➔ Samuel,... if you know where to get the first edition CDS give me a link. I'd like a copy for myself. 🙏

Re: The best Dusty's book

by neonouille

Posted: **Wed Mar 10, 2010 11:15 pm**

jeffery wrote:

Samuel,... if you know where to get the first edition CDS give me a link. I'd like a copy for myself. 🙏

[http://www.amazon.ca/Complete-Dusty-Spr ... 69&sr=1-11](http://www.amazon.ca/Complete-Dusty-Spr...69&sr=1-11) 😊

Thank you again Corinna and Jeffery! I imagine that if the book contains 496 pages, there are probably texts and it's what I need for practice my english.

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **daydreamer**

Posted: **Thu Mar 11, 2010 1:00 pm**

Jeffrey, you can still get a copy of the first edition of the Complete DS by contacting Paul Howes, he had some left when he brought out the updated one.
dustybulletin@aol.com

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **Corinna**

Posted: **Thu Mar 11, 2010 3:21 pm**

The same Paul Howes that's featured in this adorable clip! 🎵

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C7FlRe_gbNA[/youtube]

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **SweMaria**

Posted: **Thu Mar 11, 2010 4:58 pm**

I haven't seen that clip before! Yes, it's really adorable ! 🎵 🎶

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **jeffery**

Posted: **Wed Mar 17, 2010 5:16 pm**

🎵 🎶 🎵 Cor, I just have to rave about this little clip you posted. What an insight ! I always wondered who is Paul Howes ? Now I know it is he who introduces Dusty & the Echos at the "65" NME poll concert. That's swell. We have so much to thank him for! 🌹 🎵 🎶

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **jeffery**

Posted: **Wed Mar 17, 2010 5:21 pm**

🎵 Hey ! 🎵 I just noticed that's post # 300 for me. 🎵 Happy St. Patty's day 🎵 🎶

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **Baby Blue**

Posted: **Wed Mar 17, 2010 5:49 pm**

Congrats on your 302 Jeffery. I just noticed I hit 100 plus! :)

I've seen different versions of the Dusty/Gene Pitney video different segments. I also noted that the girl around the 302 marker really knows the words to Losing You. Obviously a big fan. Wonder if she's still a Dusty fan, maybe even on the forum?

Marty

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **daydreamer**

Posted: **Wed Mar 17, 2010 5:50 pm**

Erm, Paul Howes is the one who won the prize Jeffery, Keith Fordyce is the guy with the microphone. Or did you know that and you were just jesting? 😊

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **jeffery**

Posted: **Wed Mar 17, 2010 9:00 pm**

Where's Paul 🤔🤔🤔 No ! Kinda mixed up now . Cor noted "the same PH featured in this clip" . Should I look closer ?
Is he hiding, or is he just a glimpse of some one in the crowd ? For that matter who is Keith Fordyce ? Can you set me straight on those things ? 🎵 🤔 🎵 Thanks

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **daydreamer**

Posted: **Wed Mar 17, 2010 9:58 pm**

The clip begins with the competition, then the winner is announced and two people win the prize, Paul and a lady. They go and collect the prize from Dusty.....and the man with the mic is Keith Fordyce the presenter of Ready, Steady Go and also a presenter at the Poll Concert. Are we watching the same clip Jeff? 🤔

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **jeffery**

Posted: **Thu Mar 18, 2010 5:24 pm**

I'm viewing a clip Cor posted March 11, 4:21 PM (Losing You /w/Dust & Gene Pitney) @ don't forget about me

??????????? Where's Paul 🤔 That guy speaking to Dust & Gene also Introduces her at the "65" NME Poll concert. 🤔 Who's he ???

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **Corinna**

Posted: **Thu Mar 18, 2010 5:37 pm**

Paul Howes is the young man who has won the competition together with a girl (at 0:40). Paul also has drawn Dusty's portrait that hangs on the wall. 😊

He is, however, NOT the guy who during the performance pinches Dusty in her behind. 😊

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **jeffery**

Posted: **Thu Mar 18, 2010 10:16 pm**

🌹 I'll have to take a closer look... I get preoccupied with Dusty, and may have missed that lil'bit. But who is Keith Fordyce?... Writer? DJ ? Promoter? Executive? I believe I've read his name briefly in a bio, but don't make a connection. 🌹 🌹

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **daydreamer**

Posted: **Thu Mar 18, 2010 10:44 pm**

He was a DJ and as I said above, the presenter of RSG! He also presented Thank You Lucky Stars, both major music shows in the early to mid sixties and as far as I know, he's still alive and working.

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **Richard**

Posted: **Sun Feb 06, 2011 5:47 pm**

Like many of you, The Compete Dusty Springfield by Paul Howe is my favourite Dusty book. I have the first edition. Is there anything in the revised edition that I have missed out on? Such as newly discovered tracks? If so, I'd love to hear about them? 😊 Rich.

Re: The best Dusty's book

by **Corinna**

Posted: **Sat Feb 12, 2011 3:04 pm**

Hi Richard,

The revised edition has been extended with chapters on the Lana Sisters' and The Springfields' recordings. There is also a brand new section which lists songs that Dusty only performed live but never recorded. It's worth buying for that section alone! And there are several great new photos (in colour!), too.

If that doesn't convince you to buy it, I don't know what will! 😊

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