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by Sue

Posted: **Fri Dec 18, 2009 9:13 am**

There's been several moments over the years when Dusty has managed to stun me into the end of next week, despite not being a true die-hard fan until last year ! Nevertheless, looking back, there's been several of those Dusty WOW moments, one in particular i recall is when she came back with The Pet Shop Boys. The first time i heard 'What Have I Done To Deserve This' was on the radio and when the DJ announced PSB and Dusty Springfield, i listened intently thinking 'well where is she, then?', suddenly, we get to the chorus and.....oh heck, i don't know if i can describe this properly, all i can recall is those lemon drops you used to be able to get, there you are sucking away on a medium-to-nice sweet, suddenly, the middle cracks, and your mouth is filled with luscious honey.....that's what WHIDTDT reminds me of, just one of those WOW moments So, what i'm interested to hear is, what are your own Dusty WOW moments? That wonderful moment she stopped you dead in your tracks, it doesn't have to be just a music moment, any of those lovely Dusty magic moments counts, i'd love to hear all your stories.


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Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by Sue

Posted: **Wed Jan 20, 2010 12:53 am**

Now that we are on the new forum and the 'WOW' moments is looking a bit empty - and now that i have found this on Youtube.....here she is 

[youtube]<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oaOAB-HZBy4>[/youtube]

We don't really see enough of Dusty in that clip, but that for me, was the original 'WOW' moment. Here's another favourite.....




[youtube]<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k1z5DZEse3I>[/youtube]

Sue xx

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by karen

Posted: **Wed Jan 20, 2010 11:37 am**

These were great memories Sue, the In Private shot doing the recording was so natural, loved it, but then what don't we love about her ? 

Karen.

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Hampson**

Posted: **Wed Jan 20, 2010 1:25 pm**

My Dusty WOW moment was roughly the same as Sue's. I discovered You Tube and I must have put Dusty in the Search Engine and up came What Have I Done To Deserve This, then I progressed automatically as one does on You Tube to In Private and Arrested By You and Nothing Has Been Proved, it was all 20 years later mind you in 2007 but I had been switched off for 20 years by rap. So then I gave my son a bit of a rollicking for not telling me that Dusty was back, because he is much more musically attuned than me, but then I remembered he had told me, but I had forgotten and not followed it up. So it was all new to me, and sent me off on a revival journey of music, Dusty and otherwise, but Dusty mostly.

Yes what's not to love about Dusty, she was born with charm, charisma, talent and much much more.

She's always had that WOW factor.

Wend

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Hampson**

Posted: **Wed Jan 20, 2010 1:34 pm**

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-CvBqhcCP50[/youtube]

Let's have another totally WoW song by Dusty

Wend

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Carole R.**

Posted: **Wed Jan 20, 2010 8:15 pm**

Agree Wendy....Always loved the haunting quality of Arrested By You.

Totally and utterly WOW!!! 🤔❤️

CR xx

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **hedydust**

Posted: **Wed Jan 20, 2010 10:26 pm**

😬😬 This is my WOW moment when I first saw Dusty on TV. On The Ed Sullivan show.

It was 1964 we always use to see this show every Sunday ..And when she came out to sing

and sounded and looked like she did, thats when I was hooked.I copied her hair, her eyes and the way she dressed, she was always in style ... 🍷

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xkAfmmR7yDg[/youtube]



Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **ErgoFergo**

Posted: **Fri Jan 22, 2010 11:07 pm**

That's a great WOW moment, Frances. You're lucky to have had it back in 1964, right at the start. 😊

I'm glad you gave this a bump, Sue. It's a great thread. 😊

Here's another WOW moment for me. It's such an immaculate performance - and the hug with Burt at the end gets me every time.

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EF0c2so977A[/youtube]

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **paula**

Posted: **Sat Jan 23, 2010 12:43 am**

I'm with you on that one, Vicky. One of Dusty's best performances, IMO. 😊

paula x

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **daydreamer**

Posted: **Sat Jan 23, 2010 11:35 am**

I couldn't agree more, it's a sublime performance and one that I never tire of watching.

Burt's not bad either 😊

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **trek007**

Posted: **Sat Jan 23, 2010 11:39 am**

Deffo a wow moment...I could listen to HINAH all day and watch the performance too 😊

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Corinna**

Posted: **Sat Jan 23, 2010 11:41 am**

paula wrote:

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paula x

Absolutely! But it was this one that originally floored me.

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YyWeWNAr-4Q[/youtube]

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **ErgoFergo**

Posted: **Sat Jan 23, 2010 1:34 pm**

It is stunning, Cor. 😊 It's the way she engages with camera - kudos to the director for all those close-ups.

(And she couldn't have recorded AHINAM better in the studio - it's so perfect, that if I didn't know better, I'd think she was miming.)

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Corinna**

Posted: **Sun Jan 24, 2010 6:56 pm**

The close-ups were a brave choice indeed. 😊

Here's another performance where everything is just 'right', the hair, the dress, the mood, the song,, the audience... just purrrrrfect... 🍷

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Fh8xuEylWYM[/youtube]

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **karen**

Posted: **Sun Jan 24, 2010 7:11 pm**

A lot of favourites here ,but Since I Fell For You, I love it full of everything,if that makes sense. 🍷

Karenx.

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Hampson**

Posted: **Mon Jan 25, 2010 9:50 pm**

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MfFXX38tyyI[/youtube]

Not just a WOW moment, more of a KNOCK OUT moment this one for me. A knock out performance from a knock out star.

I think it was me that played the first 100 plays on You Tube, which I think Frans put on. And I'm still reeling at the perfectionism of this video, could anyone do better than that.

Wend

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **ErgoFergo**

Posted: **Mon Jan 25, 2010 10:16 pm**

Klass. With a capital K.

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Sue**

Posted: **Tue Jan 26, 2010 3:52 am**

So many great WOW moments, thanks to everyone who's posted clips - Wendy, i really love 'Arrested By You' and it's wonderful as well, to see 'All Cried Out' is finally on Youtube, amazing performance, love that clip.

Here's another we talked about on the old forum, when i first saw the title i wondered if i would like it - then it completely floored me 🍷

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SM1Hmngqi6U[/youtube]

Sue xx

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Hampson**

Posted: **Tue Jan 26, 2010 10:18 am**

Thanks Sue, yes that's another little treasure isn't it.

Wend

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Hampson**

Posted: **Tue Jan 26, 2010 10:25 am**

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gL0JynzaLdw[/youtube]

Here's another of Dusty's knock songs for me - when I first heard it, I must have played it to death on You Tube. I kept listening to those last 3 "It's Overs" and in particular, the very last "It's Over" eat yer heart out Aretha.

Klass with a capital KKK Vicky.

Wend

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **karen**

Posted: **Tue Jan 26, 2010 11:02 am**

The more I look at all your you tube fav's, the more difficult it is to choose, I love so..o.o many, and depending how I feel, certain ones just have to be played over, and over, so it probably does depend on my emotions at the time.Can't ever get enough of her can we ?

Karen.

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **neonouille**

Posted: **Tue Jan 26, 2010 1:00 pm**

Here my Dusty WOW moment, You Don't Have To Say You Love Me, between 2:17 and 4:55.

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QM8gSyDKcNA[/youtube]

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Hampson**

Posted: **Tue Jan 26, 2010 5:08 pm**

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wfBn5lJgP0o[/youtube]

And another WOW moment, with a WOW song and a WOW star - from the rousing piano intro to the "I can't believe it, but you're still here" you can hear every word crystal clear. No one else can sing that song with the same depth of feeling that Dusty does, and her version never dates.

Wend

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Cas19**

Posted: **Tue Jan 26, 2010 5:21 pm**

Have to agree with you on that last clip and song Wend, one of the very best of Dustys.

Casx

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Tommy Stevens**

Posted: **Tue Jan 26, 2010 6:04 pm**

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Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **mssdusty**

Posted: **Tue Jan 26, 2010 6:23 pm**

I HOPE IT WORKED..I HAVE THIS ONE ON MY CP ALWAYS 🙏

🌹 MARY 🌹

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **karen**

Posted: **Tue Jan 26, 2010 6:47 pm**

That's lovely Mary. 😊 🌹

Karen.

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Hampson**

Posted: **Tue Jan 26, 2010 8:47 pm**

A brilliant WOW moment Mary.

Not only brilliant but original too.

Wend

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **allherfaces**

Posted: **Tue Jan 26, 2010 9:21 pm**

I'd been a Dusty fan for some years when this was released on DVD...and, like WOW...it still gives me chills... 🍷

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8XUsBkdN7Zs[/youtube]

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **allherfaces**

Posted: **Tue Jan 26, 2010 9:24 pm**

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Indeed! Here it is.

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Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Michael Muccino**

Posted: **Wed Jan 27, 2010 2:17 pm**

Sue - Pretty nice description of the first time you heard WHIDTDT. I think that was my initial impression also!

Michael

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **mssdusty**

Posted: **Wed Jan 27, 2010 5:01 pm**

😬 THANKS WENDY

🎵 MARY 🙌 🎵

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **mnmcv1**

Posted: **Wed Jan 27, 2010 5:21 pm**

I've had so many!

I think the most recent truly WOW moment was hearing this song...this one song was the reason I jumped and bought *White Heat*. The production caught me immediately and I thought "wow, her voice (distortions and all) sounds SOOOO good in a New Wave setting. The woman really could sing anything...

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4WT4g-ni2X8[/youtube]

and then I found out it was written by Sting??? Police-era Sting??? 😊

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **jeffery**

Posted: **Wed Jan 27, 2010 11:10 pm**

🎵 🌹 🎵 I was working in a newly opened resort hotel, and going thru a country music phase when WHIDTDT came out. I had no idea who the singer was. When management put pressure on my boss and I we would sing WHIDTDT. It was in jest - comic relief ! 😊
Years later when I learned it was Dusty...THAT was a WOW! moment. 🎵 🌹 🎵

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Tommy Stevens**

Posted: **Thu Jan 28, 2010 1:58 am**

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Indeed! Here it is

That's what I meant by a typo. That's AHINAH, and it's one of my favorites, though I like the version that starts with Burt and Dusty talking about Wishing and Hoping. (None of the story is true, but they tell it so well.)

Here's AHINAM, and it sounds like something Dusty could have done a good job on.
[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FN2RK7HvIaA[/youtube]

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **ErgoFergo**

Posted: **Fri Jan 29, 2010 5:52 pm**

Sorry, Tommy! I would've loved to have made your decade - but it was a slip of the finger.

I was obviously thinking hoME and not Home. If that makes any sense. (Doesn't really, does it?)

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Tommy Stevens**

Posted: **Fri Jan 29, 2010 6:42 pm**

"A House is not a Me" isn't a bad song title. I might use that someday. As soon as I write something that can justify being linked to Bacharach/David and Arthur Lee, so I'll probably have the title sitting around for a LONG time.

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Sue**

Posted: **Wed Feb 03, 2010 10:59 pm**

Some great clips here, thanks to everyone who have posted 🙌

Nancy, i really love 'I Don't Want To Go On Without You' - good song, and Dusty looks fantastic in those close-up shots 🍷

Here's one where i think she looks totally angelic.....

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XiwSvCtKV9I[/youtube]



Sue xx

Re: Those Dusty WOW moments.

by **Sue**

Posted: **Wed Mar 10, 2010 1:16 am**

I love this clip of Dusty and Martha and The Vandellas, they seem to be having such a lot of fun..... 🥳

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



Sue xx