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Yesterday When I Was Young (#p78672)

by **SweMaria** » Tue Nov 08, 2011 4:15 pm

[youtube]<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mLx8L04L8Dk>[/youtube]

I just have a little question... 🙄

The spoken intro to this song: "Somehow, it seems the love I knew was always the most desctructive kind"...

I have never heard anyone else use this spoken intro to the song ?...

Do you know if Dusty wrote these word or if they were there in the original translation?

I have tried to get some information about it on Google, etc but I didn't succeed...

I hope you don't this is a stupid or crazy question. 😬 .. I'm just curious.. 😊

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Re: Yesterday When I Was Young (#p78677)

by **karen** » Tue Nov 08, 2011 5:09 pm

I understand what you are saying here Maria , and yes she did have a troubled youth but on checking this song , here is someone that used this similar intro.... 😊

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Re: Yesterday When I Was Young (#p78754)

by **Cas19** » Wed Nov 09, 2011 8:36 am

Interesting that theres a slight variation of the words?

Casx

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Re: Yesterday When I Was Young (#p78795)

by **SweMaria** » Wed Nov 09, 2011 10:30 am

Oh, thank you very much for the link, Karen! 🙏 😊

I never saw this one on Youtube.

So I guess, these words were there from the beginning and not something Dusty had written herself..

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Re: Yesterday When I Was Young (#p78841)

by **Carole R.** » Wed Nov 09, 2011 2:02 pm

Interesting question Maria..some of us were trying to remember the exact spoken words when we were in Henley.

Dave came to the rescue as he had the song on his I-pod. 🙏

I had a look around You tube too and Roy Clark (apart from Dusty) is the only other version I found which contains the spoken pre-amble to the song. 🙄

They're not even around on Charles Aznavours original lyric.. 🙄

Do you think the 'spoken" addition is a good or bad thing?

CR xx

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Re: Yesterday When I Was Young (#p78850)

by **Cardiff Bluesgirl** » Wed Nov 09, 2011 2:45 pm

well I think we all agree that when the spoken intro is by Dusty then its "something special" ❤️ she has the best voice ,just imagine her on a satnav. we would be driving round all day just to listen to her telling us where to go 😊

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Re: Yesterday When I Was Young (#p78872)

by **SweMaria** » Wed Nov 09, 2011 4:48 pm

Carole R. wrote:

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I don't really know if I think this "spoken addition is a good or a bad thing here, Carole... 🙌

Of course her voice always sounds lovely.. 🙌

I had not heard it before by any other singer of this song(I have done that now though 😊) and I had read in Paul Howes' "Dusty Bible" that he didn't like her spoken intro.... so then I just became a little curious if it was her own words..

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Re: Yesterday When I Was Young (#p78877)

by **Corinna** » Wed Nov 09, 2011 5:01 pm

Oh I *love* the intro! It's such a DRAMATIC confession, it just makes you listen up.

Does she really sing "the most destructive kind" or rather "the **more** destructive kind"?

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Re: Yesterday When I Was Young (#p78891)

by **Corinna** » Wed Nov 09, 2011 5:58 pm

Cardiff Bluesgirl wrote:

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That could be a lot of "Where am I going?" "Well, you tell me!"

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Re: Yesterday When I Was Young (#p78894)

by **karen** » Wed Nov 09, 2011 6:10 pm

Remember Liz and I talking about having Dusty's voice on the sat nav when we were on our way to DD last year , thought we would definitely be "LOST" if you get my drift ... 😞😞😞

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Re: Yesterday When I Was Young (#p78901)

by **Rob** » Wed Nov 09, 2011 7:30 pm

I really love this song...maybe it's my age 🤔

R 😊 B

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Re: Yesterday When I Was Young (#p78902)

by **Rob** » Wed Nov 09, 2011 7:33 pm

This is quite moving, given Glen Campbells condition 🙏

[youtube]http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=og8dVo2WY1U[/youtube]

R 😊 B

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