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describing how beautiful Dusty was...

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Mary
I start counting

Posted - 12/02/2007 : 03:20:46

...to a man who was blind.

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Had the most interesting conversation with a woman who used to work in a record store. We were talking about our favorite artists and just then a Dusty song floated out of the stereo. I said that Dusty was my very favorite and she closed her eyes and nodded her head in agreement. "Mmm-hmmm," she said, "she was a great artist. Very unique voice; I've never really heard anyone quite like her."

She said that during her tenure as a clerk in a record store she used to play Dusty's music frequently and had a poster of her up on the wall behind the register. One day a customer came in who was blind. She happened to have some Dusty music on right then. He was immediately taken with what he heard. He went right up to her and asked her who was that singer and they talked Dusty for a bit.

Then he asked her if she could describe Dusty to him, and "so I tried very hard to describe just how, you know, how beautiful" -- and here she waved both her hands over her head in the shape of a Dusty beehive -- "she was and I found myself kind of stuck for words. I'd been used to looking at the poster, you see, and most customers who came in could see what she looked like from that poster, but he was just so taken with her voice that he said she must have been very pretty," which we both agreed was very true.

If someone who senses the world as opposed to seeing it, can actually *feel* the woman in the song, then it is to me just more proof of how much she inhabited a song and made it her own. She emotionally touched that man in a way that went beyond mere lyrics. There was a quality in her voice that cut to the core and he picked up on it right away.

Just thought I'd share that tidbit with you. 😊

And btw I happen to think Dusty is truly one of the most beautiful women I have ever seen!

pianoman27
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Posted - 12/02/2007 : 04:44:15

What a privledge it is to experience Dusty.

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allherfaces
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Posted - 12/02/2007 : 05:12:13

How true, pianoman.



Mary, your story is lovely. Mind if I pop it up on the website?

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Posted - 12/02/2007 : 05:21:39

OMG that is exactly what we all think about Dusty!! Like her voice goes beyond anything else...?



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mssdusty

I've got a good thing



Posted - 12/02/2007 : 06:52:28

SO TRUE.....
MARY 😊



I only think of the day I Met Dusty and MY pains go away.IT's Great!



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dusty_freak

I've got a good thing



Posted - 12/02/2007 : 12:46:41

That's interesting Mary because my Dad is deaf and often asks me what DUSTY's voice is like. I think it's easier to describe her look to a blind person rather than her sound to a deaf person. I can't ever give him a reply because its too hard! I just tell him to imagine her voice which i guess is a bit hard if he's never heard before. All i can say is that it doesn't sound like anyone else's voice.



Clare xoxo

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"I'm not Mama's little baby no more..."



Mary

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Posted - 12/02/2007 : 16:30:40

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Mary, your story is lovely. Mind if I pop it up on the website?

Be my guest! Always happy to share a good Dusty moment.

Mary



Mary

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Posted - 12/02/2007 : 16:31:49

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Count me in.

Mary



Mary
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Posted - 12/02/2007 : 16:37:11

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Clare xoxo

"I'm not Mama's little baby no more..."

I'm stuck for words, too.

I like a lot of artists. Some I like enough to have the complete collection of their work (Sting, George Michael, Janis Joplin, et al). If I were rich my music collection would be in the tens of thousands, instead of in the tens.

But Dusty is kind of the pinnacle for me. And she's the one who is hardest to explain! Like Elvis Costello said, she makes the song her own. She makes me feel the music in a way others, even ones I admire greatly and enjoy listening to very much, do not.

Stuck for words.

Mary



Mary
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Posted - 12/02/2007 : 16:39:21

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Clare xoxo

Yes, where do you start when you try to describe? None of the nouns or adjectives that come to mind feel anywhere on target.

Mary



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Posted - 12/02/2007 : 17:19:39



How did Pat Rhodes put it?...."always the hint of mystery"

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Posted - 12/02/2007 : 17:23:45



That was a lovely story Mary. I've never thought of trying to describe Dusty's looks before, perhaps it's because I doubt I've ever spoken to anyone about her that doesn't already know what she looks like. She was



very beautiful and although she was dismissive of her looks and full of self doubt, there are times when you look at her on the screen and you know, that she knows, she looks just fabulous!

Carole x

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Posted - 12/02/2007 : 17:28:59



Carole, do you subscribe to the Dusty/Mary duality theory then? Dusty herself put it forth at times.

Since you met her so many times, maybe you can share something about her beautiful looks with the rest of us...anything you remember that you haven't told us?

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I believe that, like a lot of big stars, she put on her showgirl face for the public. I couldn't presume to know whether the Dusty/Mary was fact or fiction really. If she felt it, then it must have been very real to her. Remember, I was so, so shy whenever I saw her and FAR too polite to stare, but I'll always remember her skin as being like porcelain (but occasionally freckly) and the smile, just perfect to a young girl with not very straight teeth 😊 And there was always an expensive powdery scent around her. That's my memory and I'm sticking to it!

Carole x

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Posted - 12/02/2007 : 21:35:08



Love the details...thank you, Carole.

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Posted - 12/02/2007 : 22:38:38



That's a very nice story, Mary...thanks. mmmm Dusty had an expensive powdery scent...I have an overwhelming sense of smell...my strongest sense...if I may be so bold as to say...I would have loved to smell Dusty 😊

paula x

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Posted - 06/03/2007 : 15:03:21



found this THAT'S THE DUSTY I MET ON HOLLYWOOD BLVD. THAT DAY.YES INDEED VERY LIGHT FRECKLES.AND LONG FINGERS.AS RON SAYS TOO VERY NICE LEGS. MARY

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