

BARRIE CUNNINGHAM - bio

BARRIE CUNNINGHAM IS A PRODUCER, ENTERTAINER, SINGER AND MUSICIAN. He has spent most of his life entertaining in clubs, lounges, showrooms, concert halls and on cruise ships around the world. He performs as a solo act or with full accompaniment. He began performing in coffeehouses singing folk music when he was 15 in California, Maryland, Florida and New York. He later made his mark in Southern California with the popular rock-a-billy group Black Slacks. He has received many awards including Entertainer of the Year in San Diego, California and was a principal act in a show voted Show of the Year in Reno, NV for 3 years. In 2008, he performed a concert for the opening of the new American Embassy at the historic Brandenburg Gate-Berlin, Germany. He has also performed for The National Governor's Convention in Biloxi, MS and for many large corporate events.

Since 1990, Barrie performed about 300 dates per year, 2 shows per day, and entertained more than 3 million show-goers. His shows perform in theaters and main casino showrooms and at major corporate events. He is a popular guest on TV talk shows and receives a great deal of news press in the cities where he performs. Although best known for his live performances, he is also a recording artist with several releases. Barrie performs original material as well as songs composed by other artists. Barrie also has extensive experience in entertainment booking, production and showroom/theater operations.

Barrie is probably best known for his incredible tributes to the legendary Neil Diamond and Jimmy Buffett. Barrie performs these tributes in main showrooms and theaters around the world including Japan, Russia, Hawaii, Canada, Australia and Europe. He has been the main Diamond and only Buffett tribute artist for Legends in Concert, American Superstars, Superstars Live in Concert and Stars in Concert (Europe) since 1991. He produces and stars in his own productions Hot August Nights-the Ultimate Tribute to Neil Diamond and Adventures in Parrotdise-the Ultimate Tribute to Jimmy Buffett. His tributes to Diamond and Buffett were the first tributes to play an indefinite engagement in a main showroom in a major Las Vegas Casino.

In addition to the above productions, Barrie produces other shows such as Superstars of Country, "with love, E"-the Elvis show, IDOLIZED, which features former finalists from American Idol and several others.

From 2010-2012, Barrie produced shows at Superstars Live Theatre and The ICON Theatre-Branson which featured Superstars of Country, The Rat Pack, The World Famous Platters, Chubby Checker, Jukebox Journey, Liverpool Legends, The Lennon Morning Show and a rotating cast of music Icons from the 60's and more.

In addition to producing his own shows, Barrie also works with Legends in Concert, American Superstars, Superstars Live in Concert & Stars in Concert-Europe.

Some past engagements include: The Alabama Theatre-N. Myrtle Beach, SC, The Lyric Theater-Blue Island, IL, Suncoast Broadway Dinner Theaatre-Hudson, FL, Clermont PAC-Clermont, FL, Bally's-Atlantic City, Norwegian Cruise Lines-EPIC, The Gateway Playhouse-Bellport, Foxwoods Resort Hotel Casino Ledyard, 4 Seasons-Punta Mita, Mexico, Corporate for Adobe, Fallsview Casino-Niagara Falls, Ontario, Fireside Theatre-Ft. Atkinson, WI, Pearl River Resort-Chocktaw, MS, Hondah Casino-Pinetop, AZ, Desertview PAC-Tucson, AZ, Mesa Spirit RV Resort-Mesa, AZ, Cottonwood CC-Sun Lakes, AZ, Prescott Elks Theatre-Prescott, Palmbrook CC-Sun City, AZ, Sundance RV Resort-Sun Lakes, AZ, Viewpoint RV Resort-Mesa, AZ, AZ Broadway TheatrePeoria, AZ, Ritz Carlton-Kapalua Maui, Corporate for Motorola, Hard Rock Resort-Punta Cana, Dominican Republic, Corporate for Scentzy, Legends in Concert Theatre-Myrtle Beach, SC, Tour of SW Florida-Venice/Fort Myers Area-, Legends in Concert-Crown Entertainment Complex-Melbourne, Australia, Legends in Concert Theatre-Foley, AL, E. Sierra Fairgrounds-Bishop, Arizona State Fair-Phoenix, Arizona, Fireside Theatre, Ft. Atkinson, WI, Arizona Tour Various Cities, The Polo Club, Indio, CA, Starbright Theatre, Las Vegas, NV, and more...Contact for most recent shows or visit www.superstartributes.com

In addition to appearing in full production shows, Barrie also performs SOLO shows.

Notable Corporate Shows:

ADOBE – 4 Seasons Punta Mita, Mexico MOTOROLA – Ritz Carlton Kapalua Maui, Hawaii SCENTZY – Hard Rock Resort Punta Cana, Dominican Republic