

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.

Notable Corporate Shows:

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

Past engagements include:

Bally's-Atlantic City-Summer 2012, Norwegian Cruise LinesEPIC-Oct 2012-May 2013, The Gateway Playhouse-Bellport, NY-July 2013, Foxwoods ResortHotel Casino Ledyard, Connecticut-July 23-Sept 1, 2013, Norwegian Cruise Lines-EPIC-Oct2014-May 2015, 4 Seasons-Punta Mita, Mexico, Corporate for Adobe-May 2015, FallsviewCasino-Niagara Falls, Ontario-Oct 2015, Gateway Playhouse-Bellport, NY-Nov 2015, FiresideTheatre-Ft. Atkinson, WI-Jan-Feb 2016, Pearl River Resort-Chocktaw, MS-May 2016, HondahCasino-Pinetop, AZ Aug 2016, Desertview PAC-Tucson, AZ-Jan 2017, Mesa Spirit RV ResortMesa, AZ-Jan 2017, Cottonwood CC-Sun Lakes, AZ-Jan 2017, Prescott Elks Theatre-Prescott, AZ-Jan 2017, Palmbrook CC-Sun City, AZ-Jan 2017, Sundance RV Resort-Sun Lakes, AZ-Feb2017, Viewpoint RV Resort-Mesa, AZ-Feb 2017, AZ Broadway Theatre-Peoria, AZ-Feb 2017. Ritz Carlton-Kapalua Maui, Corporate for Motorola-May 21-15, 2017, Hard Rock Resort-PuntaCana, Dominican Republic, Corporate for Scentzy-June 13, 2017, Legends in Concert TheatreMyrtle Beach, SC-May 21-Sept 1, 2018, Tour of SW Florida-Venice/Fort Myers Area-Jan 2019, Legends in Concert-Crown Entertainment Complex-Melbourne, Australia Jan 9-26, 2020, COVID-19 - ALL SHOWS CANCELLED - Feb 1-Dec 31, 2020, Legends in Concert TheatreFoley, AL-June 5-Sept 5, 2021, E. Sierra Fairgrounds-Bishop, CA-Oct 22, 2021, Arizona StateFair-Phoenix, Arizona-Oct 24, 2021, Fireside Theatre, Ft. Atkinson, WI-Jan 20-23, 2022, Arizona Tour Various Cities-Jan 31-Feb 4, 2022, The Polo Club, Indio, CA-May 27, 2022, Starbright Theatre, Las Vegas, NV-May 28, 2022, Corta Bella Country Club, Sun City West, AZ-Oct 16, 2022, Coral Lakes Theater Boynton Beach, FL 1/28/2024, Starbright Theatre Las Vegas, NV 2/7/2024, Leisure World Community Association Mesa, AZ 3/4/202, Sun Vista RV Resort Yuma, AZ 3/10/2024, Pinehurst Forum Southern Pines, NC 3/14/3024, Clermont Performing Arts Center Clermont FL 4/6/2024, Suncoast Broadway Dinner Theatre Hudson, FL 5/24-25/2024, Summer Festival Sunbury, PA 6/8/2024, Lyric Theater Blue Island, IL 6/21/2024, Lyric Theater Blue Island, IL 6/22/2024, Lyric Theater Blue Island, IL 6/23/2024, Alabama Theatre North Myrtle Beach, SC 6/28/2024, T. Furth Center Angola, IN 46703 7/12/2024, Lake Compounce Amusement Park Bristol, CT 7/27/2024, Eureka Casino Mesquite, NV 8/4/2024, Starbright Theatre Las Vegas, NV 8/31/2024, Starbright Theatre Las Vegas, NV 9/7/2024, Tesuque Casino Santa Fe, NM, 9/13-15/2024, Edge Pavilion Laughlin, NV 10/26/2024, Pinehurst Forum Pinehurst, NC 11/8/2024, Venice Theatre Venice, FL 11/11/2024, Starbright Theatre Las Vegas, NV 11/23/2024, Starbright Theatre Las Vegas, NV 1/4/2025, Clermont Performing Arts Center Clermont, FL 2/1/2025, Silverton Las Vegas, NV 2/8/2025, Riverside Sapphire Room Boise, ID 3/14-16/2025, Lyric Theater Blue Island, IL 6/21-22/2025.