

SONGS OF THE SILVER SCREEN

A film history presentation by John LeGear

➤ Opening tune: **Tammy** by **Debbie Reynolds** (1957)

1. **La La Land** (movie musical montage) accompanied by the film's opening song "**Another Day of Sun**"
2. **I'd Do Anything** from **Oliver** starring Shani Wallis and Jack Wild in 6-time Oscar-winning film set in 1830s Victorian London
3. **City Lights** (1931) starring Charlie Chaplin and Virginia Cherrill, accompanied by Art Garfunkel's **I Only Have Eyes for You**
4. **Evita** (set in 1934) starring Madonna playing the role of young Eva Peron arriving in Argentina at age 15
5. **Yankee Doodle Dandy** (1942) starring James Cagney and Joan Leslie
6. **Cabin in the Sky** (1943) starring Ethel Waters and Eddie Anderson, one of two all Black cast films released in 1943
7. **It Doesn't Cost a Dime To Dream** starring Bob Hope and Marilyn Maxwell from **The Lemon Drop Kid** (1951)
8. **Can Do** starring Johnny Silver, Stubby Kaye and Joe McTurk from **Guys and Dolls** (1955)
9. **The King and I** (1956) starring Yul Brynner and Deborah Kerr
10. **Enjoy the Ride** tribute to "Carousel" (1956) from season one of **Schmigadoon** (2021) starring Cecily Strong and Aaron Tveit
11. **Cry for Me** from **Jersey Boys** (set in 1960) playing the roles of Bob Gaudio, Frankie Valli and **The Four Seasons**
12. **Everlasting Love** (set in 1969 Northern Ireland) performed by **Love Affair** from the Kenneth Branagh film **Belfast** (2021)
13. **Everybody Needs Somebody to Love** from **The Blues Brothers** (1980) starring John Belushi and Dan Aykroyd
14. **One** from **A Chorus Line** (1985)
15. **Twist Contest** from **Pulp Fiction** (1994) featuring John Travolta & Uma Thurman dancing to Chuck Berry's **You Never Can Tell**
16. [Only You](#) (1994) starring Marisa Tomei, Robert Downey Jr. and Bonnie Hunt
17. **Think of Me** starring Emma Rossum and Patrick Wilson from **Phantom of the Opera** (2004)
18. **Hot Chocolate** from **The Polar Express** (2004) starring (animated) Tom Hanks and Nona Gaye
19. **Bewitched** by Steve Lawrence for the film **Bewitched** (2005) starring Will Ferrell & Nicole Kidman in tribute to 1960s TV series
20. [Good Vibrations](#) from **Love and Mercy** (2014), a tribute to **The Beach Boys**, starring Paul Dano as producer/singer Brian Wilson
21. [Why Did It Have to be Me](#) starring Lily James and Josh Dylan from **Mama Mia 2** (2018)
22. **I Want to Hold Your Hand** from the film **Yesterday** (2019) starring Himesh Patel and Lily James
23. **A World of Our Own** starring Timothee Chalamet and Calah Lane from the film **Wonka** (2023)

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An eclectic film history presentation

Since the mid-1990s communications counselor, history buff, and film editor John LeGear cobbled together hundreds of film compilations from outstanding movies and put them to accompanying music.

Then in 2024, LeGear scoured his collection for hidden gems, carefully manicured film compositions that have rotated in and out of his "movie music" presentations over the years. And that effort brought about "Songs of the Silver Screen," a 75-minute show that cuts a wide swath through 100 years of film, music, romance and comedy.

Please join us for this live presentation--in-person or for some, remotely via Zoom—to enjoy a lyrical tour through time as we pay tribute to some of the most memorable songs and dances of our lifetime.