

We're pleased to present

SONGS OF THE SILVER SCREEN

An 85-minute musical showcase by John LeGear from TimComm.com

- Opening tune: **Johnny Angel** by Karen Carpenter
- 1. **They Didn't Believe Me** (set in 1914) from Jerome Kern biopic **Till the Clouds Roll By** starring Robert Walker and Dorothy Patrick
- 2. **City Lights** (1931) starring Charlie Chaplin and Virginia Cherrill, accompanied by Art Garfunkel's **I Only Have Eyes for You**
- 3. **The Remains of the Day** (set in 1930s England) starring Anthony Hopkins & Emma Thompson; **And I Love You So** by Perry Como
- 4. **Private Investigator** (set in 1930s France) from the film **Victor Victoria** starring Peter Arne and Herb Tanney
- 5. Fred Astaire and Gene Kelly dance **The Babbit and the Bromide** in **Ziegfeld Follies** (1945)
- 6. **Ray** (movie montage) starring Jamie Foxx as **Ray Charles** (beginning in 1953), co-starring Regina King and Kerry Washington
- 7. **Marge and Gower Champion** dance in **Give a Girl a Break** (1953) starring Debbie Reynolds & Bob Fosse (music by Justin Hurlitz)
- 8. **Can Do** starring Johnny Silver, Stubby Kaye and Joe McTurk from **Guys and Dolls** (1955)
- 9. **Give Me a Band and My Baby** from **My Sister Eileen** (1955) starring Betty Garrett, Janet Leigh, Tommy Rall and Bob Fosse
- 10. **I Could Write a Book** from **Pal Joey** (1957) starring Frank Sinatra, Kim Novak and Rita Hayworth
- 11. **I Should've Known Better** by **The Beatles** (1964) from their first film **A Hard Day's Night** starring Paul, George, Ringo and John
- 12. **Dance With Me Tonight** (set in 1964) from the Tom Hanks film **That Thing You Do** (1996) starring Tom Everett Scott & Liv Tyler
- 13. **Sugar Town** (song) by Nancy Sinatra for an **AI music video** cobbled together from content found on YouTube in 2025
- 14. **I'd Do Anything** from **Oliver** (1968) starring Shani Wallis and Jack Wild in 6-time Oscar-winning film set in 1830s Victorian London
- 15. **Everlasting Love** (set in 1969 Northern Ireland) performed by **Love Affair** from the Kenneth Branagh film **Belfast** (2021)
- 16. **Everybody Needs Somebody to Love** from **The Blues Brothers** (1980) starring John Belushi and Dan Aykroyd
- 17. **Twist and Shout** by **The Beatles** blended with **Ferris Buehler's Day Off** (1986) starring Matthew Broderick and Alan Ruck
- 18. **Twist Contest** from **Pulp Fiction** (1994) featuring John Travolta & Uma Thurman dancing to Chuck Berry's **You Never Can Tell**
- 19. **Memory** performed by Elaine Paige in Albert Hall (London) and in the film **Cats** (1998) by Andrew Lloyd Webber
- 20. **Why Did It Have to be Me** starring Lily James and Josh Dylan from **Mama Mia 2** (2018)
- 21. **Only You** starring Marisa Tomei, Robert Downey Jr. and Bonnie Hunt (1994)

➤ Closing tune: **They Didn't Believe Me** by Matt Belsante (composed by Jerome Kern in 1914)

A film history presentation by John LeGear from TimComm.com in suburban Chicago



Songs of the Silver Screen

For 30 years lay historian John LeGear has been cobbling together hundreds of film compilations from outstanding movies and putting them to accompanying music.

Songs of the Silver Screen came about in 2024 and thrilled audiences with carefully manicured sound and moving images, none better than Charlie Chaplin's brilliant film "City Lights" blended with Art Garfunkel's rendition of "I Only Have Eyes for You."

Join us for this lyrical tour through the decades to recall some of the most magnificent songs and dances of our lifetime. It's truly a festival of joy.