

WDAM Radio's Hit Singles History Of Ricky Nelson

#	Artist	Title	Chart Position/Year	Label	Comments
001	Ricky Nelson	"I'm Walkin'"	1957		1957 singing debut on ABC-TV's <i>The Adventures Of Ozzie & Harriet</i>
001A	Ricky Nelson	"I'm Walkin'"	#4-Rock & 10-R&B-U.S. #34-Australia/1957	Verve	A-side
001B	Fats Domino	"I'm Walkin'"	#4-Rock & #1-R&B-U.S. + #10-Australia/1957	Imperial	Other hit version: Patti Page – #127/1963.
002	Ricky Nelson	"A Teenager's Romance"	#2/1957	Verve	B-side.
003	Ricky Nelson	"You're My One And Only Love"	#14/1957	Verve	
004	Ricky Nelson	"Be Bop Baby"	#3-Rock & #5-R&B-U.S. + #33-Australia/1957	Imperial	A-side.
005	Ricky Nelson	"Have I Told You Lately That I Love You"	#29/1957	Imperial	B-side.
005A	Gene Autry	"Have I Told You Lately That I Love You"	#3-C&W/1945	Columbia	Original version. Other hit versions by: Tex Ritter (#3-C&W/1946), Foy Willing & His Riders Of The Purple Sage (#4-C&W/1946), Red Foley With Roy Rose (#5-C&W/1946), Bing Crosby & The Andrews Sisters (#24-Pop/1950), and Kitty Wells & Red Foley (#74/1969).
006	Ricky Nelson	"Stood up"	#2-Rock/1957 & #8-C&W & #4-R&B-U.S. + #27-U.K. & #33-Australia/1958	Imperial	A-side.
007	Ricky Nelson	"Waitin' In School"	#18-Rock/1957 & #12-C&W & #15-R&B/1958	Imperial	B-side.
008	Ricky Nelson	"Believe What You Say"	#4-Rock & #10-C&W & #6-R&B-U.S. + #77-Australia/1958	Imperial	A-side.
009	Ricky Nelson	"My Bucket's Got A Hole In It"	#12-Rock & #10-C&W-U.S. + #79-Australia/1958	Imperial	B-side.
009A	Tom Gates	"Bucket's Got A Hole In It"	–/1925	Gennett/Challenge/Champion	Original version. Other hit versions by: Hank Williams (#2-C&W/1949), and T. Texas Tyler (#4/1949).
010	Ricky Nelson	"Someday (You'll Want Me To Want You)"	#9-U.K. & #66-Australia/1958	Imperial	
010A	Elton Britt	"Someday"	#3-C&W/1946	Bluebird	Original version. Other hit versions by: Hoosier Hot Shots & Sally Fowler

					(#3-C&W/1946), Gene Autrey (#3/1946), Vaughn Monroe (#1/1949), Mills Brothers (#5/1949), Jody Sands (#95/1958), Della Reese (#56/1960), Brook Benton (#93/1960), and Patsy Cline (#124/1964).
011	Ricky Nelson	"Poor Little Fool"	#1-Rock & #3-C&W-U.S. + #10-Australia/1958	Imperial	
012	Ricky Nelson	"Lonesome Town"	#7-Rock & #3-R&B/1958	Imperial	A-side. Baker Knight – composer.
013	Ricky Nelson	"I Got A Feeling"	#10-U.S. + #27-U.K. & #85-Australia/1958	Imperial	B-side.
014	Ricky Nelson	"Never Be Anyone Else But You"	#6-U.S. #14-U.K. & Australia/1959	Imperial	A-side.
015	Ricky Nelson	"It's Late"	#9-Rock & #30-R&B-U.S. + #3-U.K. & #28-Australia/1959	Imperial	B-side.
015A	Dorsey Burnette	"It's Late"	-/1958	Imperial	Composer. Original version.
016	Dean Martin, Ricky Nelson & Walter Brennan	"My Rifle, My Pony And Me"	1959		From the movie, <i>Rio Bravo</i> , starring John Wayne, Dean Martin, Walter Brennan, and Ricky Nelson.
017	Ricky Nelson, Dean Martin & Walter Brennan	"Cindy"	1959		From the movie, <i>Rio Bravo</i> , starring John Wayne, Dean Martin, Walter Brennan, Angie Dickinson, and Ricky Nelson.
018	Ricky Nelson	"Just A Little Too Much"	#9-U.S. #11-U.K. & Australia/1959	Imperial	A-side.
019	Ricky Nelson	"Sweeter Than You"	#9-U.S. + #19-U.K. & #83-Australia/1959	Imperial	B-side.
020	Ricky Nelson	"I Wanna Be Loved"	#20-U.S. + #30-U.K. & #35-Australia/1959	Imperial	A-side.
021	Ricky Nelson	"Mighty Good"	#38-U.S. & #35-Australia/1959	Imperial	B-side.
022	Ricky Nelson	"Young Emotions"	#12-Rock & #28-R&B-U.S. + #48-U.K. & #33-Australia/1960	Imperial	A-side.
023	Ricky Nelson	"Right By My Side"	#59-U.S. + #33-Australia/1960	Imperial	B-side.
024	Ricky Nelson	"I'm Not Afraid"	#27/1960	Imperial	A-side. Felice Bryant – composer.
025	Ricky Nelson	"Yes Sir, That's My Baby"	#34-U.S. + #36-Australia/1960	Imperial	B-side.
025A	Margaret Young	"Yes Sir, That's My Baby"	-/1925	Brunswick	Other hit versions: Gene Austin (#1/1925), Blossom Seeley (#2/1925),

					Ben Bernie (#5/1925), Ace Brigode & His 14 Virginians (#10/1925), and the Coon-Sanders Original Nighthawk Orchestra (#11/1925). Eddie Cantor recorded the most famous version in 1930, but it was not a hit. Ironically the composers – Gus Kahn & Walter Donaldson were visiting Cantor and were inspired to write the song after watching Cantor's daughter, Marjorie, playing a with toy pig that made musical notes.
026	Ricky Nelson	"You Are The Only One"	#25/1960	Imperial	A-side. Baker Knight – composer.
027	Ricky Nelson	"Milk Cow Blues"	#79/1960	Imperial	B-side.
027A	Kokomo Arnold	"Milk Cow Blues"	–/1934	Decca	Composer.
028	Ricky Nelson	"Travelin' Man"	#1-U.S. + #2-U.K. & #1-Australia/1961	Imperial	A-side. Jerry Fuller – composer. Other hit version: Jacky Ward (#32-C&W/ 1982).
029	Ricky Nelson	"Hello Mary Lou"	#9-U.S. + #2-U.K. & #1-Australia/1961 + #45-U.K./ 1991	Imperial	B-side.
029A	Gene Pitney	"Hello Mary Lou"	–/1960	Demo Recording	Composer – original version – later released on the non-charting <i>The Many Sides Of Gene Pitney</i> (1962). First commercial recording: Johnny Duncan (1960). Other hit versions: Bobby Lewis (#14-C&W/1970), Statler Brothers (#3-C&W/1986),
029B	Sparks	"Merry, Merry Lou"	–/1957	Decca	Composer – Cayet Mangiaracina. Successfully sued for copyright infringement and ultimately received co-composer credit in law suit settlement.
030	Rick Nelson	"A Wonder Like You"	#11-U.S. #14-Australia/1961	Imperial	A-side.
030A	Jerry Fuller	"A Wonder Like You"	–/1961	Challenge	Composer. Original version. Soon after Fuller recorded this for Challenge Records, he was called up for Army service and the track was shelved.
031	Rick Nelson	"Everlovin'"	#16-U.S. #23-U.K./ 1961	Imperial	B-side.
031A	Dave Burgess & The Chimes	"Everlovin'"	–/1959	Challenge	Original version.
032	Rick Nelson	"Young World"	#5-U.S. + #19-U.K. & #11-Australia/1962	Imperial	A-side. Jerry Fuller – composer.

033	Rick Nelson	"Summertime"	#89/1962	Imperial	B-side.
033A	Helen Jepson	"Summertime"	1935	Victor	Original recorded version. Jepson was a Metropolitan Opera soprano. George Gershwin – composer. From <i>Porgy & Bess</i> . Other hit versions: Sam Cooke (#81/1957), Marcells (#78/1961), Chris Columbo Quartet (#93/1963), Billy Stewart (#10-Rock & #7-R&B/1966), and Herb Alpert (#114/1971).
034	Rick Nelson	"Teenage Idol"	#5-Rock & #2-AC-U.S. + #32-Australia/1962	Imperial	A-side.
035	Rick Nelson	"I've Got My Eyes On You And I Like What I See"	#105-U.S. + #18-Australia/1962	Imperial	B-side.
036	Rick Nelson	"It's Up to You"	#6-Rock, #4-AC & #24-R&B-U.S. + #22-U.K. & #18-Australia/1962	Imperial	A-side.
037	Rick Nelson	"I Need You"	#83/1962	Imperial	B-side.
038	Rick Nelson	"That's All"	#48-U.S. + #50-Australia/1963	Imperial	A-side.
038A	Nat Cole	"That's All"	-/1953	Capital	B-side of <i>Lover Come Back To Me</i> (#16/1953).
039	Rick Nelson	"Let's Talk The Whole Thing Over"	#20-Albums/1963	Decca	From <i>For Your Sweet Love</i> . 45RPM issue seems to be a European release only?
040	Rick Nelson	"I'm In Love Again"	#67-U.S. + #50-Australia/1963	Imperial	B-side.
040A	Fats Domino	"I'm In Love Again"	#3-Rock & #1-R&B-U.S. #12-U.K./1956	Imperial	Other hit version by the Fontane Sisters (#36/1958).
041	Rick Nelson	"Old Enough to Love"	#94/1963	Imperial	A-side.
042	Rick Nelson	"If You Can't Rock Me"	#100/1963	Imperial	B-side.
042A	Strikes	"If You Can't Rock Me"	-/1956	Imperial	Original version.
043	Rick Nelson	"A Long Vacation"	#120/1963	Imperial	A-side.
044	Rick Nelson	"Mad Mad World"	#32-Australia/1963	Imperial	B-side.
045	Rick Nelson	"There's Not A Minute"	#127/1963	Imperial	
046	Rick Nelson	"Today's Teardrops"	#54-U.S. + #32-Australia/1963	Imperial	
046A	Roy Orbison	"Today's Teardrops"	-/1960	Monument	Gene Pitney – composer. Original recorded version.
047	Rick Nelson	"You Don't Love Me Anymore (And I Can Tell)"	#47/1963	Imperial	A-side.
048	Rick Nelson	"I Got A Woman"	#49-U.S. + #50-Australia/1963	Imperial	B-side.
048A	Ray Charles	"I've Got A Woman"	#1-R&B/1955	Atlantic	Other hit versions: Jimmy McGriff

					(#20-Rock & #5-R&B/1962), Freddie Scott (#48-Rock & #27-R&B/1963), Ray Charles (#79/1965-new recording as <i>I Gotta Woman</i> on ABC-Paramount), Bob Luman (#4-C&W/1971), and Adam Wakefield (#35-C&W/2016).
049	Rick Nelson	"String Along"	#25/1963	Imperial	A-side.
049A	Fabian	"String Along"	-/1960	Chancellor	Original version.
050	Rick Nelson	"Gypsy Woman"	#62-U.S. + #26-Australia/ 1963	Imperial	B-side. Dorsey Burnette & Joe Osborn – co-composers.
051	Rick Nelson	"Fools Rush In"	#12-Rock & #24-R&B/ 1963	Imperial	A-side. Johnny Mercer – co-composer.
051A	Bob Crosby & His Orchestra (Vocal-Marion Mann)	"Fools Rush In"	-/1940	Decca	Other hit versions: Glenn Miller & His Orchestra (#3/1940), Tony Martin (#16/1940), Tommy Dorsey & His Orchestra (#17/1940), Billy Eckstine (#8-R&B/1949), Brook Benton (#24-Rock & #5-R&B/1960), Etta James (#87/1962) and Joey Porrello (#108/1976).
052	Rick Nelson	"Down Home"	#126/1963	Imperial	B-side.
052A	Little Eva	"Down Home"	-/1962	Dimension	Original version. Carole King & Gerry Goffin – co-composers.
053	Rick Nelson	"For You"	#12-Rock & #1-AC-U.S. + #14-U.K. & #10-Australia/1963	Imperial	
054	Rick Nelson	"Congratulations"	#63/1964	Imperial	Jerry Fuller – composer.
055	Rick Nelson	"Lucky Star"	#127/1964	Imperial	Dave Burgess – composer.
056	Rick Nelson	"The Very Thought Of You"	#26-Rock & #11-AC-U.S. & #65-Australia/1964	Imperial	
056A	Ray Noble & His Orchestra (With Al Bowlly)	"The Very Thought Of You"	#1/1934	Victor	Original version. Other hit versions: Luis Russell (#3-R&B/1940), Vaughn Monroe (#14/1944), Arthur Prysock (#19-R&B/1960), Little Willie John (#61/1961), Albert King (#87-R&B/1979) and Natalie Cole (#34-AC/1992).
057	Rick Nelson	"There's Nothing I Can Say"	#47-Rock & #18-AC-U.S. & #90-Australia/1964	Decca	A-side.
058	Rick Nelson	"Lonely Corner"	#113/1964	Decca	B-side. Johnny Burnette – co-composer.
059	Rick Nelson	"A Happy Guy"	#82-U.S./1964	Decca	
060	Rick Nelson	"Mean Old World"	#96-U.S./1965	Decca	

061	Rick Nelson	"Come Out Dancin'"	#130-U.S./1965	Decca	A-side.
062	Rick Nelson	"Yesterday's Love"	#124-Cashbox/1965	Decca	B-side.
063	Rick Nelson	"Love And Kisses"	#135-RW-U.S. + #124-Canada/1965	Decca	Sonny Curtis – composer.
064	Rick Nelson	"Fire Breathin' Dragon"	-/1965	Decca	
065	Rick Nelson	"You Just Can't Quit"	#108-U.S. + #24- Canada/1965	Decca	Rick Nelson – composer.
066	Rick Nelson	"Alone"	-/1966	Decca	Rick Nelson – composer.
067	Rick Nelson	"They Don't Give Medals To Yesterday's Heroes"	-/1966	Decca	Burt Bacharach/Hal David – composers. From the <i>ABC-TV Stage 67 Special – On The Flip Side</i> – starring Rick Nelson as a washed-up teen idol coached back to success by a pink-haired angel played by Joanie Sommers.
068	Rick Nelson	"Take A City Bride"	#58-C&W/1967	Decca	
069	Rick Nelson	"Suzanne On A Sunday Morning"	#120-RW/1967	Decca	
070	Rick Nelson	"Dream Weaver"	-/1967	Decca	
071	Rick Nelson	"Don't Blame It On Your Wife"	-/1968	Decca	
072	Rick Nelson	"Don't Make Promises"	-/1968	Decca	
073	Rick Nelson & The Stone Canyon Band	"She Belongs To Me"	#33-Rock & #27-AC - U.S. + #33- Canada/1969	Decca	
073A	Bob Dylan	"She Belongs To Me"	#6-Albums/1965	Columbia	From <i>Bringing It All Back Home</i> .
074	Rick Nelson & The Stone Canyon Band	"Easy To Be Free"	#48-Rock & #21-AC- U.S. + #46-Canada/ 1970	Decca	Rick Nelson – composer.
075	Rick Nelson & The Stone Canyon Band	"I Shall Be Released"	#102/1970	Decca	Other hit version: Box Tops (#67/1969).
075A	The Band	"I Shall Be Released"	#30-Albums/1968	Capitol	Original version. From <i>Music From Big Pink</i> . Bob Dylan – composer
076	Rick Nelson & The Stone Canyon Band	"We Got Such A Long Way To Go"	#134-RW/1970	Decca	Rick Nelson – composer.
077	Rick Nelson & The Stone Canyon Band	"How Long"	-/1971	Decca	Rick Nelson – composer.
078	Rick Nelson & The Stone Canyon Band	"Life"	#109-Rock + #15- AC/1971	Decca	Rick Nelson – composer.
079	Rick Nelson & The Stone Canyon Band	"Thank You Lord"	#204-Albums/1971	Decca	Rick Nelson – composer. From <i>Rudy The Fifth</i> .
080	Rick Nelson & The Stone Canyon Band	"Gypsy Pilot"	#204-Albums/1971	Decca	Rick Nelson – composer. From <i>Rudy The Fifth</i> .
081	Rick Nelson & The Stone Canyon Band	"Garden Party"	#6-Rock, #1-AC & #44-C&W-U.S. + #1- Rock, #52-C&W & #13-AC-Canada,	Decca	Rick Nelson – composer. The song relates Nelson's experience at being booed at a 1972 oldies concert at Madison Square Garden in 1972.

			#41-U.K. & #6-Australia/1972		Various lyrical references to other singers: "Yoko And Her Walrus" (Yoko Ono & John Lennon) and "Mr. Hughes" (George Harrison – his alias when traveling and registering at hotels).
081A	Johnny Lee	"Country Party"	#15-C&W/1977	GRT	Answer record to <i>Garden Party</i> .
082	Rick Nelson & The Stone Canyon Band	"Palace Guard"	#65-Rock-U.S. + #80-Canada/1973	Decca	Rick Nelson – composer.
083	Rick Nelson & The Stone Canyon Band	"Lifestream"	#105-Cashbox/1973	MCA	Rick Nelson – composer.
084	Rick Nelson & The Stone Canyon Band	"Windfall"	#116-Cashbox & #46-AC-U.S. + #62-Australia/1974	MCA	Rick Nelson – co-composer.
085	Rick Nelson & The Stone Canyon Band	"One Night Stand"	#89-C&W/1974	MCA	
086	Rick Nelson & The Stone Canyon Band	"Try (Try To Fall In Love)"	-/1975	MCA	
087	Rick Nelson & The Stone Canyon Band	"Rock And Roll Lady"	-/1975	MCA	
088	Rick Nelson	"You Can't Dance"	#103-RW/1977	Epic	
089	Rick Nelson	"Gimme A Little Sign"	#128-RW/1978	Epic	
089A	Brenton Wood	"Gimme A Little Sign"	#9-Rock & #19-R&B/1967	Double Shot	
090	Rick Nelson	"Dream Lover"	#29-AC & #59-C&W-U.S. + #55-C&W-Canada/1979 & #88-C&W-U.S. + #57-C&W-Canada/1986	Epic	
090A	Bobby Darin	"Dream Lover"	#2-Rock & #4-R&B-U.S. + #1-U.K./1959	Atco	Other hit versions: Paris Sisters (#91/1964), Billy "Crash" Craddock (#5-C&W/1971) & Tanya Tucker & Glen Campbell (#59-C&W/1980).
091	Rick Nelson	"It Hasn't Happened Yet"	-/1981	Capital	
092	Rick Nelson	"Give 'Em My Number"	-/1982	Capital	
	TRIBUTE SONGS				
TR01	Barbara Evans	"Souvenirs"	-/1959	RCA Victor	
TR02	Chubby Checker	"The Class"	#38/1959	Parkway	
TR03	Clay Cole	"Teenage Heaven"	-/1961?		Rock & roll version of Tex Ritter – <i>I Dreamed Of A Hillbilly Heaven</i> (#20-Rock & #5-C&W/1961)
TR04	Four Cal-Quettes	"Movie Magazine"	-/1963	Liberty	
TR05	Kane Triplets	"Oh Ricky"	-/1961	RCA Victor	
TR06	Petite Twins	"My Singing Idol (Poor Little Fool)"	-/1962?		
TR07	Jana D'Ora	"King Bee"	-/1961	Top Rank	

TR08	Dave Harris	"Elvis And The Unmentionables (1963 Version)	-/1963	Town	
TR09	Dave Harris	"Elvis And The Unmentionables (1976 Version)	-/1976	Fun-E-Bone	
TR10	Jerry Lee Lewis	"It Won't Happen With Me" (1961 Version)	-/1961	Sun	
TR11	Jerry Lee Lewis	"It Won't Happen With Me" (1978 Version)	-Albums/1978	Sun	Jerry Lee Lewis' 1961 original overdubbed by non-credited Jimmy Ellis. From <i>Duets</i> .
TR12	Johnny Rivers	"It Wouldn't Happen With Me"	-/1964	Imperial	B-side of <i>Memphis</i> (#2/1964).
TR13	Rod Rogers & The Swinging Strings	"I Can't Decide (If It's The Beatles, Elvis, Or Rick)"		Film City	
TR14	Imus In The Morning	"The Ballad Of Rick"	-/1971	Happy Tiger	Don Imus
TR15	Ronnie Mack	"My Best Friend (Tribute To Rick Nelson)	-/1986	Lonesome Town	
TR16	Flashback	"The Man With The Leather Guitar"	-/1986		
TR17	Bill Aken	"Gentle Friend"	-/1986?		
TR18	Dave Gulick	"Goodbye Mary Lou"	-/1986?		
TR19	Carol McMillan	"Tribute To Rick"	-/1986?		
TR20	Trade Martin	"Everybody Knows Your Name"	-/1986?		
TR21	Kathy Carver	"Rick Sings In The Coulds For Us"	-/1986?		
TR22	Joey Welz	"Memories Of Rock"	-/1996		
TR23	Long Tall Ernie & Shakers	"Do You Remember?"	-/1977		
TR24	Dean Hawley	"New Fad"	-/1959		
TR25	Steve Alaimo	"Amerikan Music"	#79/1972		
TR26	Allison Durbin	"American Music"	#30-Australia/ 1972		
TR27	Bernd Goke	"This Is The Night For Rock 'N' Roll"	-/1981		
TR28	Ar & The Rockin' Ricochettes	"Rock On"	-/1982		
	RADIO COMMERCIALS				
R001	Ricky Nelson	"March Of Dimes Public Service Announcement"			
R002	Ricky Nelson	"Pan American Airlines Commercial"			
	"OZZIE & HARRIET SHOW" SNIPPETS				
TV01	Adventures Of Ozzie & Harriet	"Show Open"			Aired on ABC-TV from 1952 to 1966.
TV02	Ricky Nelson	"Whole Lotta Shakin' Goin' On"	1956		
TV03	Ricky Nelson	"Believe What You Say"	1957		
TV04	Ricky Nelson	"Tryin' To Get to You"			
TV05	Ricky Nelson	"Lonesome Town"			
TV06	Ricky Nelson	"Cindy"			
TV07	Ricky Nelson	"Never Be Anyone Else But You"			Singing to guest star, Tuesday Weld.
TV08	Ricky Nelson & Linda	"You Are The Only One"	1960		

	Bennett				
TV09	Lorrie Collins & Ricky Nelson	"Just Because"	1958		
TV10	Harpers Bizarre	"Malibu U."	-/1967		B-side of <i>Anything Goes</i> (#43/1967)
	TWIN SONS MATTHEW & GUNNAR – RECORDING AS NELSON				
N01	Nelson	"(Can't Live Without Your) Love And Affection"	#1/1990	DOC	
N02	Nelson	"After The Rain"	#6/1990	DOC	
N03	Nelson	"More Than Ever"	#14/1991	DOC	
N04	Nelson	"Only Time Will Tell"	#28/1991	DOC	
N05	Nelson	"(You Got Me) All Shook Up"	#102/1995	DOC	