

Frankie Valli Bio 2024

The original Jersey boy, Frankie Valli, is a true American legend. His incredible career with the Four Seasons and his solo success has spawned countless hit singles. With unforgettable tunes like "Sherry," "Walk Like A Man," "Big Girls Don't Cry," "Rag Doll," "December '63 - Oh What A Night," "Can't Take My Eyes Off of You," and of course, "Grease." His songs have been omnipresent in other iconic movies such as *The Deer Hunter*, *Dirty Dancing*, *Mrs. Doubtfire*, *Conspiracy Theory*, and *The Wanderers*. Over 200 artists have done cover versions of Frankie's "Can't Take My Eyes Off You," from Nancy Wilson's jazz treatment to Lauryn Hill's hip-hop makeover.

Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons have sold over 175 million records worldwide. Valli's long-lasting career has led to the overwhelming success of the Broadway musical *JERSEY BOYS*. The musical chronicles Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons' incredible career and features all of their greatest hits.

The *JERSEY BOYS* juggernaut has now been seen by over 18 million people worldwide, won 4 Tony Awards, including Best Musical (2006), and is currently playing in New York, Las Vegas, London, in cities across the U.S. on a National Tour and The Netherlands; and will open soon in Korea. It is the 15th longest-running show in Broadway history, having played over 3,250 performances and recently passing *Fiddler on the Roof*, *Hello Dolly!*, *The Producers*, *Hairspray*, *My Fair Lady* and *Oklahoma*.

In 2014, Frankie Valli's life story was again featured in the film adaptation of *JERSEY BOYS*, directed by Academy Award-winning director Clint Eastwood. In Rob Reiner's romantic comedy, *And So It Goes*, Valli also returned to acting. The film starred Michael Douglas and Diane Keaton and was released on July 18, 2014. Frankie recently appeared in this past Hawaii 5-0 season, and his mega-hit *BIG GIRLS DON'T CRY* was just inducted into the Grammy Hall of Fame in 2015. On May 18, 2015, Dan Rather profiled the legend for his series, *The Big Interview*, and he also participated in the AMC series, *The Making of the Mob*.

In 2016, Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons appeared on Broadway in a limited engagement from October 21 through October 29 at the Lunt-Fontanne Theatre. Frankie Valli released *TIS THE SEASONS*, a holiday album released on October 14, 2016, on Rhino.

His first-ever foray into jazz, the meticulously crafted album titled 'A Touch of Jazz,' was released on June 25, 2021, marking a bold departure from his familiar pop sound. Showcasing Valli's unparalleled vocal range and emotive delivery, the album reimagines classic jazz standards with his own distinctive flair, earning widespread praise from critics and music aficionados alike. Despite this venture into uncharted territory, Valli remains as dynamic and captivating as ever, captivating audiences worldwide with his

electrifying performances as he continues to tour extensively, ensuring that his timeless music resonates across generations and borders."