

Jan & Dean



* Formed in 1958 Los Angeles, CA

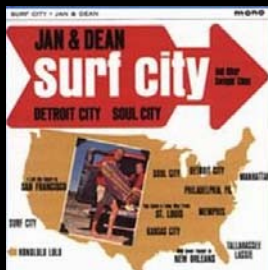
* First commercial success did not come until 1963

* They were experimenting with multiple voice parts before the Beach Boys

* 1963 *Linda*



* 1963 Jan & Dean met the Beach Boys at a performance & became friends



* Starting in 1963 Jan & Brian Wilson from the Beach Boys co-wrote a lot of the J&D's & The Beach Boys hits

* 1963 *Surf City*

* Jan & Dean's greatest success came in 1963 & 64



* Jan & Dean were part-time musicians. Jan went to USC & Dean went to UCLA

* The Beach Boys would sometimes sing back-up on some of Jan & Dean's recordings

* 1964 *Dead Man's Curve*

* 1964 *The Little Old Lady From Pasadena*





* Jan got into a very serious car accident in 1965 which resulted in sever brain injuries and partial paralysis of his right arm

* Took Jan about a year to recover from his injuries

* Jan & Dean toured and performed throughout the 70's, 80's, 90's & 2000's

* Jan Berry passed away in 2004