

“the don”

don petra
singer
extraordinaire

You will not want to miss this singer extraordinaire “The Don” Petra. You will be amazed at the versatility of his interpretations of some of the greatest songs ever written and made famous by many great and popular singers.

His style of entertainment is passionate.

The variety of songs performed will awaken your memories of the days these melodies were sung by the great singers of our time, such as: Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin, Tony Bennett, Louis Prima, Al Martino, Tom Jones, Louis Armstrong, Neil Diamond, Bobby Darin, Jerry Vale and more.

Don Petra has performed in various states in the U.S.A. and Europe. Also, he has performed on various cruise ships in the Carribean.



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Professional Experience:

Singer/Interpretation Stylist with appearances in a variety of venues ranging from variety shows to supper clubs and lounges. Singing a variety of songs made famous by many great singers sung with the original soundtracks.

Also performs for Dinner Concerts. Professional Musician with a 3 to 5 piece band.

Professional Singer since 1987, singing with 17 piece bands.

Stats:

Italian American.

5' 8", 165 lbs. Hair: black/brown, Eyes: hazel.

Musical Interpretation:

Frank Sinatra
Dean Martin
Tony Bennett
Josh Groban
Michael Buble
Andrea Bocelli
Billy Joel
Tom Jones
Louie Prima
Barry Manilow
Paul Anka
Louis Armstrong
Bobby Darin
Al Martino
Lou Rawls
Johnny Mathis
Elvis Presley
Englebert Humperdink
B.B. King
Barry White
Perry Como
Johnny Ray
Frankie Laine
Vic Damone
Nat King Cole
Neil Diamond
Joe Williams
Jerry Vale

Professional Productions:

Produced, directed and starred in the Don Petra Variety Show at the Seville Showroom, Streamwood, IL and at the Alta Villa Showroom, Addison, IL, as well as the Del Webb Concert Hall, Huntley, IL.

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Additional Productions:

Produced the Two Legends Shows “Las Vegas Style”

Produced “The 3 Paisanos” Show

Starred in three pre-New Year’s Shows

Awards & Honors:

Gold, Silver, Bronze in musical instrument performances at the Chicago School of Music

Showcase of Singers - Tampa, FL and Leesburg, FL

Appearances at the Opera House, Chicago, IL

Sang in Vegas and Italy - Cicily V Cruise Ships

Recordings:

Just for You, a CD and cassette compilation, 1999

All of Me, a CD compilation, 2003

Home For The Holidays, 2005

Swingin’ With The Don, 2007

The Don Live Concert DVD, 2007

The Don Sings Italian, coming soon in 2008

Appearances:

Extra, Rescue Squad, Los Angeles, CA

Extra, My Best Friend’s Wedding, Chicago, IL

Guest Singer, TCI Cable

WJJG, Joe Gentile Show

Modelling for One Bloomingdale Place Apartments, Bloomingdale, IL

1/26/08 - America’s Got Talent Showcase Audition

Royal Plaza Hotel, Orlando Florida

5/24/08 - U.S.A. World Showcase.com Singing Competition - Las Vegas Hilton Hotel, Las Vegas, NV

3/18/08 - Doug Miles’ Radio Talk Show WSRQ 1220 AM - Sarasota, FL

6/21/08 - Jimmy Jay’s Radio Talk Show WENG 1530 AM - Englewood, FL

References:

Available Upon Request

Call or email for promo package consisting of bio, pictures, CD’s and DVD.

Additional personal references also available upon request.



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Benefits:

Saint Jude's Save A Child Foundation
Craig Colleti Cancer Fundraiser
Villa Scalabrini Home for the Aged
Little Sisters of the Poor - Palatine, IL
St. Joseph's Home For The Elderly
St. Ignatious High School
Loyola University Roast Show, Joe Gentile
Great Lakes Naval Base Veterans Hospital
Holy Rosary Church
St. Jude Hospital - Peoria, IL
Devonshire Home For The Aged
Toys For Tots - Elks Lodge #2495, Sarasota, FL
Support Our Troops Family Day - Elks Lodge #2495, Sarasota, FL

Opening Acts For:

Dick Cortino Show, Capos Lounge, Fox Lake, IL
Chicago Rat Pack, Clemenza's Lounge, Hoffman Estates, IL
Illinois Women's Club Society, Springfield, IL
Seniors on the Go, Omni Showcase, Schererville, IN
Joe Gentile Appreciation Day with WJJG Radio, York Theater, Elmhurst IL

Performances:

Giannotti's Steakhouse, Chicago, IL
Bacci's, Bloomingdale, IL
Gabby's Restaurant & Lounge, Woodale, IL
Flannagan's, Roselle, IL
Calabresi Italian Club, Berwyn, IL
Brown Derby, Sarasota, FL
Turtles Restaurant & Lounge, Siesta Key, FL
Various Cruise Ships on the Caribbean
Intercontinental Hotel, Chicago, IL
Club Elite, Franklin Park, IL
Cafe Clemenza's, Hoffman Estates, IL
with Tony Ocean and Jack DiAmico
Sun & Fun Resort, Sarasota, FL
Nicolino's Restaurant, McHenry, IL
Burbank Show Lounge, Burbank, IL

Itasca Country Club, Itasca, IL
Joey T's on the Fox, McHenry, IL
Walt Disney Cruise Line, FL
St. Michael's Leisure Club, Wheaton, IL
Spavone's Restaurant, Roselle, IL
Women's Club of Wheaton, IL
Walleye Grill, Del Webb Sun City, Huntley, IL
Forest Pines Social Club, Sarasota, FL
Palm Aire Country Club, Sarasota, FL
Jimmy's Char House, Elgin, IL
Jimmy's Char House, Naperville, IL
Nashville North, Bensenville, IL
Sir Tino's, Addison, IL
Spazzio's, Bloomingdale, IL
Various Festivals
Tony Smith Blues Band, Addison and Roselle, IL

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Performances (Continued):

Buccaneer Club, Longboat Key, FL
Holiday Inn hotels in Rome, Italy
Harrah's and Stardust, Las Vegas, NE
Timbuk-Tu Show Lounge, Palatine, IL
Borgata's Restaurant and Show Lounge, with Dick Contino, Fox Lake, IL
The Point Restaurant, Bloomingdale, IL
Port Barrington Bar & Grill, Barrington, IL
Harbor Club, Antioch, IL
Villa Olivia Country Club, Bloomingdale, IL
Outback Steak House, Branson, MO
Huntley Sesquicentennial Anniversary, Huntley, IL
Moose Lodge 691, McHenry, IL
Moose Lodge 1329, Woodstock, IL
Women's Club of Downer's Grove, IL
St. Mary's Church, Huntley, IL
Little Italy Restaurant and Lounge, Sarasota, FL
Porretta's Rest, Chicago, IL
McMahon's Arena & Steakhouse, Glenview, IL
Chase Hotel - Rome, Italy
Al Sarago - Naples, Italy
Holiday Inn - Venice, Italy
Cefalu - Sicily, Italy
Piazza Del Popolo - Rome, Italy
Trastevere - Rome, Italy
Gilberts, IL, Village Party
Randall Oaks Country Club, Dundee, IL
Radisson Hotel, Arlington Heights, IL
Mark II Ltd. Night Club, Chicago, IL
Triton College, River Grove, IL
Wisted Food Chain, Marengo, IL
Dover Straits, Schaumburg, IL
Radisson Hotel, Sarasota, FL
Texan BBQ, Lombard, IL
Indian Lakes C.C., Bloomingdale, IL
Biltmore C.C., Barrington, IL



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Performances (Continued):

Lake Frances Estates Club House New Years Dance - Tavares, FL
New Blue Lagoon Restaurant & Lounge Dinner Show - Englewood, FL
Avizzano's Sassy Snapper Restaurant & Lounge Dinner Show - Englewood, FL
Sandos Hotel & Resort Show - Playacar del Carmen, Mexico
Del Webb Sun City Drendel Ballroom Dinner/Concert (DVD Video of Show) - Huntley, IL
U.S.A. World Showcase at Hilton Hotel - Las Vegas, NV
America's Got Talent Showcase at Royal Plaza Hotel - Orlando, FL
Polish American Club Show - Holiday, FL
Bay Indies Resort Show - Venice, FL
Italian American Club Dance - Venice, FL
Italian American Club Italian Fest - Venice, FL
The Southport Square Show - Port Charlotte, FL
Rosedale Country Club Show - Bradenton, FL
Gulf Harbor Golf & Country Club Dance - Fort Meyers, FL
American Legion Post #113 Show & Dance - Rotunda West, FL
Meadows Village Pub Show - Sarasota, FL
American Legion Auxiliary Unit #24 Show - Bradenton, FL
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Christmas Show - Venice, FL
Water Oaks Club House Dance - Lady Lake, FL
Circle Tap Sports Bar Show & Dance - Denmark, WI
Stonybrook Golf & Country Club Show - Bradenton, FL
Englewood Elk's Lodge #2378 Show - Englewood, FL
Venice/Nokemis Elk's Lodge #1854 Show - Venice, FL
Venice Isle Estates Show & Dance - Venice, FL
Pelican Cave Club House Dinner & Dance
Peridia Golf & Country Club Dinner & Dance - Bradenton, FL
Knights of Columbus #14222 Dinner & Dance, La Hacienda Recreational Center - The Villages, FL
MSC Poesia Cruise Line Show - FL

COME JOIN THE FUN AND BRING YOUR FRIENDS 2008

- 01/26/08 America's Got Talent Showcase Audition
Royal Plaza Hotel
Orlando, FL
- 02/14/08 Gulf Harbor Golf and Country Club Holiday Dance
Fort Meyers, FL
- 02/22/08 Venice Italian Fest
Venice, FL
- 02/23/08 American Legion Post #113
Rotunda West, FL
- 02/29/08 Rosedale Country Club
Bradenton, FL
- 03/01/08 Englewood Elks Lodge #2378
Englewood, FL
- 03/17/08 The Southport Square
Port Charlotte, FL
- 03/28/08 Bay Inn Resort
Venice, FL
- 03/29/08 Stoneybrook Golf & Country Club
Bradenton, FL
- 03/30/08 Public Invited - 941-749-1842
Italian-American Dance
Venice, FL
- 04/04/08 Polish American Club
Holiday, FL
- 05/24/08 U.S.A. World Showcase.com Singing Competition
Las Vegas Hilton Hotel
Las Vegas, NV
- 07/12/08 Joey T's On The Fox
1202 N. Riverside Drive
McHenry, IL
Public Invited - 7-10 PM
815-344-2445
- 07/27/08 Del Webb Sun City - Drendel Hall
12880 Del Webb Blvd.
Huntley, IL
Dinner Concert
Reservation Required
941-544-7578

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- 08/1/08 -
08/2/08 Circle Tap Sports Bar
5813 Highway NN
Denmark, WI
Show & Dancing - Open To The Public
\$30.00/Person INCLUDING OPEN BAR!!!
7-10 PM - Bar Open Til 11:30 PM
Call T.V. Tommy - 920-863-8993
- 08/12/08 Joey T's On The Fox
1202 N. Riverside Drive
McHenry, IL
Public Invited - 7-10 PM
815-344-2445
- 08/26/08 The New Blue Lagoon
Englewood, FL
\$24.95 Dinner
Show open to the public
Phone: 941-473-7796
- 09/23/08 The New Blue Lagoon
Englewood, FL
\$24.95 Dinner
Show open to the public
Phone: 941-473-7796
- 11/10/08 Water Oaks Club House
Lady Lake, FL
Private Party
941-544-7578
- Palm Aire Country Club
5601 Country Club Way
Sarasota, FL
Private Dinner Concert
941-544-7578
- 12/13/08 Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Private Christmas Party
3989 S. Moon Drive
Venice, FL
7:30-9 PM
- 12/31/08 Lake Frances Estates Club House
Tavares, FL
Private New Year's Eve Party

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1/1/09 New Year's Private Party
Lake Frances Estate's
Tavares, FL

1/14/09 New Blue Lagoon
Tuesday 2000 Oyster Creek Drive
Englewood, FL

Dinner at 6:30 PM, Show To Follow
\$24.95 Per Person, plus tax & gratuity
941-473-7796

2/20/09 Italian American Feast
Friday Venice Airport Grounds
Public Welcome
Stage Show 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM

March thru July 2009 - Traveling.

7/8/09 Sandos Hotel & Resort
Wednesday Playacar Del Carmen, Mexico
Stage Show - Public, 8:00 PM

9/11/09 - 9/12/09 Traveling - Chicago &
Wisconsin. Private Parties & Shows.

9/29/09 Avizzano's Sassy Snapper Restaurant & Lounge
Tuesday 70 N. Indiana Ave.
(Hwy. 776)
Englewood, FL

Dinner at 6:30 PM, Show to Follow
\$24.95/Person plus Tax & Gratuity

Call for reservations
941-460-1900

10/4/09 Elk's Lodge BPOE 2495
Sunday Sarasota, FL

Toys for Tots Benefit
\$10.00 Per Person Donation With Lunch
Public Invited - Noon 'til 4:00 PM
Call for Info & Directions
941-922-2221

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10/29/09
Thursday

Sandos Hotel & Resort
Playacar Del Carmen, Mexico
Stage Show - Public, 8:00 PM

11/7/09
Saturday

American Legion Auxiliary Unit 24
2000 75th Street N.W.
Bradenton, FL
Public Show - \$8 Per Person - Public Invited
Doors open 6:00 PM - Show time 7 - 9 PM
For info & tickets call 941-794-3489

11/20/09
Friday

Private Birthday Party For Marilyn Hanson
Fort Meyers, FL

December - Traveling
Shows in Chicago Thru New Year's 2010

1/26/10
Tuesday

Avizzano's Sassy Snapper Restaurant & Lounge
70 N. Indiana Ave.
(Hwy. 776)
Englewood, FL

Dinner at 6:30 PM, Show to Follow
\$24.95/Person plus Tax & Gratuity

Call for reservations
941-460-1900

1/31/10
Sunday

Support Our Troops Fund Raiser Benefit
Elk's Lodge #2495
5680 Rosin Way
Sarasota, FL
Public Invited
\$20.00 Per Person Including Food Only
From 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM
Show Times: 12:00 Noon to 2:00 PM
For Info Call: 941-922-2221 or 941-921-0545

2/19/10
Friday

Italian American Feast
Venice Airport Grounds
Public Welcome
Stage Show 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM

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2/23/10
Tuesday

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(Hwy. 776)
Englewood, FL

Dinner at 6:30 PM, Show to Follow
\$24.95/Person plus Tax & Gratuity

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3/23/10
Tuesday

Avizzano's Sassy Snapper Restaurant & Lounge
70 N. Indiana Ave.
(Hwy. 776)
Englewood, FL

Dinner at 6:30 PM, Show to Follow
\$24.95/Person plus Tax & Gratuity

Call for reservations
941-460-1900

4/10/10
Saturday

Meadows Village Pub
5013 Ringwood Meadow
Sarasota, FL

Las Vegas Cabaret Show
Show Tickets \$15.00 Per Person

Cocktails & Dinner by request at 6:00 PM
Show to follow at 7:30 - 9:30 PM

Call for reservations
941-342-9135

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Here are some songs “The Don” sings:

From the CD “Just For You” - Volume One

Cabaret
Mack The Knife
Diana
Just A Gigolo

From the CD “All of Me” - Volume Two

Almost Like Being In Love
Quando Quando Quando
Al Di La
Lady Love

From the CD “Home for the Holidays” - Volume Three

The Most Wonderful Time Of The Year
I'll Be Home For Christmas
Merry Christmas Baby
Silent Night

From the CD “Swingin’ With the “Don” - Volume Four

Come Fly With Me
Summer Wind
Blue Moon
Sweet Home Chicago

To order CD's or DVD's Call “The Don” at

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CD's are \$10, or 3 for \$25

Don Petra Live in Concert DVD for \$15



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