



Program title: SONG TO SOUL
Transmission: Every Thursday 23:00 to 23:54
Broadcaster: BS TBS - (on digital broadcast direct to home by Satellite)
Production: TBS Vision

‘Song To Soul’ is a series of unique music documentary program exquisitely dedicated to songs and its performers. In each an hour episode, we look at a song from the past of which have been a pillar to our lives. Songs we have been influenced so much. Songs we have been blessed with...

Through the retrospective view by the composers, artists and performers, through the passages we take to the places where the songs were created and given birth to (recording studios, rooms where the song was written, houses and towns where the artists lived and felt...), with the historical back drop when the songs were inspired, we carefully start to reveal the true esprit of such song to the viewers. Through these paths we take, the viewers would find why theses songs have survived and stayed with us for decades.

As an example, we have visited Hotel California when we’ve picked ‘Hotel California’ and Glen Fry had shared his memory on the song when he wrote the melody. On ‘Sound of Silence’, we’ve visited Queens, New York where the boys grew up and filmed those pavements where those boys may have sat down and plunked the guitars.. With these paths, we will also highlight the social back drop of that time to articulate the issue in creating the art.

For each episode, we carefully choose the song. In the beginning when this series started in late 2007, the selection relied on thorough market research on the targeted audiences, late 20's to late 50's. But with overwhelming popularity and their immediate response, we are now able to pick the most requested songs by the viewers from thousands of requests. We simply turned to the method of making the viewers' choices.

Song To Soul episodes include..

'A Whiter Shade of Blue'	Procolm Harum
'It's Too Late"	Carol King
'Stairway To Heaven'	Led Zeppelin
'Georgia On My Mind'	Ray Charles
'Message in a Bottle'	Police
'What's Going On'	Marvin Gay
'Hotel California'	The Eagles
'Bohemian Rhapsody'	Queen
'Yesterday Once More'	The Carpentars
'Blowin' in the Wind'	Bob Dylan
'Jumpin' Jack Flash'	The Rolling Stones
'Stand By Me'	Ben E King
'Your Song'	Elton John
'Smoke On The Water'	Deep Purple
'Will You Dance'	Janice Ian
'Good Vibration'	Beach Boys
'Just The Way You Are'	Billy Joel
'I'm Not In Love'	10CC
'Alone Again'	Gilbert O'Sullivan
'Fantasy'	Earth Wind & Fire
'Dancing Queen'	ABBA
'Killing Me Softly'	Roberta Flack



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** 'Song To Soul' has been TBS's flagship program on international music since its commencement in 2007 watched by more than 8 million viewers every week.