



## **Dianne Fraser**

You and I

## The Words and Music of Leslie Bricusse

"Fraser sang with warmth and control; her enthusiasm for the material and her winning stage personality are among all the positives."

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- 1 At the Crossroads / After Today (3:23)
- 2 Pure Imagination (3:34)
- 3 Feeling Good (4:10)
- 4 Crazy World / If I Ruled the World (3:31)
- 5 Le Jazz Hot (2:57)
- 6 Happiness (3:08)
- 7 Look at That Face / Something in Your Smile (Featuring Damon Kirsche) (3:41)
- 8 You and I (3:14)
- **9** This is the Moment / Once in a Lifetime (3:02)
- 10 Two for the Road (2:02)

Vocals by Dianne Fraser Arranged and Produced by Todd Schroeder Blujazz presents Dianne Fraser's debut CD, You and I - The Words and Music of Leslie Bricusse. The album pays homage to a remarkable talent best known for writing songs for the movies Goodbye, Mr. Chips, Dr. Dolittle, Scrooge, Goldfinger, Superman and Willy Wonka & the Chocolate Factory. His iconic songs for the theater include What Kind of Fool Am I?, Feeling Good and Who Can I Turn To?

Dianne Fraser regularly presents and performs in live Broadway-themed musical events, including many benefit concerts for non-profit organizations, such as The Entertainment Community Fund (formerly The Actors Fund), The Help Group, Music for Autism and NAMI (National Alliance on Mental Illness.) Her long-running

line-up show, AN EVENING OF CLASSIC BROADWAY, at Rockwell Table and Stage, was nominated for a Los Angeles Regional Broadway World Award for Special Theatre Event. She performed her critically-acclaimed debut cabaret show, PART TIME DIVA, in various venues in Los Angeles, Palm Springs, and San Francisco. On stage, Dianne has performed in regional theatre productions of THE BOYS FROM SYRACUSE (BayArea Theatre Award nomination), THE MUSIC MAN, TINTYPES, SHE LOVES ME, HELLO, DOLLY!, ONCE UPON A MATTRESS, OKLAHOMA!, THE PIRATES OF PENZANCE, THE MIKADO and H.M.S. PINAFORE. She has also produced several stage productions.

Dianne is a partner in management/production company Industry Entertainment Partners where she represents film and television writers. Prior to joining Industry she was Vice President of Series Packaging and TV Literary at ICM. She joined ICM from boutique agency Major Clients Agency, which she co-owned. www.fraserentertainmentgroup.com

"I have always loved the music & lyrics of Leslie Bricusse and this collection of songs pays homage to his remarkable talent. He is best known for writings songs for the films Goodbye, Mr. Chips, Doctor Dolittle, Scrooge and Willy Wonka & the Chocolate Factory, and his songs written for the theatre, including "Feeling Good," "Who Can I https://diannefraser.com/Turn To?" and "What Kind of Fool Am I?" are iconic. His work is filled with beautiful melodies, poignant lyrics and profound emotion. In a long, illustrious career, Bricusse received two Academy Awards®, a Grammy Award® and five Tony Award® Nominations. His songs have been recorded by Frank Sinatra, Barbra Streisand and Diana Krall, to name a few. Bricusse's collaborators include Anthony Newley, Henry Mancini, John Barry, John Williams and Frank Wildhorn. Thank you to Todd Schroeder for taking this journey with me. His talent and creativity infuses every note. I hope you'll find that our takes on Leslie's music have something new to say, and that you enjoy hearing them as much as I love singing them!" *Dianne* 

