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#1 **From:** *(Sender unknown)*
Date: Mon Mar 25, 2013 8:11 pm
Subject: *(No subject)*

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#2 **From:** vectorlime
Date: Sun May 27, 2001 1:58 pm
Subject: [Welcome Bea-dazzled fans!](#)

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I wasn't going to start this club at first, because sometimes it's not good to have too many clubs, for one subject. However, I thought it would be cool to have a club dedicated to Bea's show/tour specifically. Where we can all talk about our own personal experiences of seeing her show. In addition, provide information to other people wanting to see her show! Let's spread the word to everyone! This is a must see show!
Bea has done so much for us, let's pay her back by raving about her performance!
Don't forget to visit the news section at [www.lgt2.com/bea](#) for more up-to-date news of Ms. Arthur's tour!
kev!

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#3 **From:** andybudgell
Date: Sun May 27, 2001 2:41 pm
Subject: [Golden References in . . And Theres Bea](#)

andybudgell
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I haven't seen the show yet, because it hasn't come to Canada. Can anyone tell me if there are any references to The Golden Girls in the show?

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#4 **From:** chcgomatt
Date: Sun May 27, 2001 2:48 pm
Subject: [Re: Golden References in . . And Theres](#)

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benefits.

Yes, Bea does make a couple of references to GG. She makes mention of Estelle and Rue but no mention of Betty. The show was great. I went opening night here in Chicago and then went back the following Thursday night. I also am going back on closing night. I was also able to meet Bea the night before the show opened here when she made a surprise appearance at a bar here in Chicago that I had been tipped off about. She is a very nice person.

Matt

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#5 **From:** vectorlime
Date: Sun May 27, 2001 2:54 pm
Subject: [Tour Schedule](#)

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Just in case you missed it... here is Bea's official tour schedule:

April 24-29, 2001 - Minneapolis, MN - Guthrie Theatre
May 8-13, 2001 - Melbourne, FL - King Center
May 20, 2001 - Fort Myers, FL - Barbara B. Mann
May 22-31, 2001 - Chicago, IL - Park West
June 2-3, 2001 - Savannah, GA - Lucas Theatre
June 12-17, 2001 - Louisville, KY - Brown
June 19-14, 2001 - Austin, TX - Paramount Theatre
July 3-8, 2001 - Columbus, OH - Captiol Theater
July 10-15, 2001 - Cincinnati, OH - Kaplan
July 24-29, 2001 - Nyack, NY - Helen Hayes Theatre
July 31-August 5, 2001 - Raleigh, NC - Fletcher Opera House
August 7-19 - Ft. Lauderdale, FL - Amaturio Theatre
August 21-26, 2001 - San Francisco, FL - Alcazar Theater
September 4-9, 2001 - Indianapolis, IN - Egyptian Ballroom
September 18-22, 2001 - St. Louis, MO - Pageant Theater
October 2-7, 2001 - Washington, DC - Warner
October 23-28, 2001 - Tampa, FL - Playhouse
November 8, 2001 - Lakeland, FL - Polk Theatre
November 10, 2001 - Galveston, TX - Opera House
December 11-23, 2001 - West Palm - Royal Poinciana
December 26-30, 2001 - Thousand Oaks, CA - Scherr Forum Theatre
January 2-6, 2002 - Phoenix, AZ - Orpheum Theater
Spring 2002 - New York City, New York

Hope that helps some of you! Get your tickets now :)

kev!

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#6 **From:** andybudgell
Date: Sun May 27, 2001 3:20 pm
Subject: [Re: Tour Schedule](#)

andybudgell
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SIGH No Canadian cities listed. Oh well, I can still goto New York to see it!

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#7 **From:** vectorlime
Date: Sun May 27, 2001 4:02 pm
Subject: [Re: Tour Schedule](#)


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Well the New York shows will be the best, I'm sure. She'll have her show tweaked to perfection by then (though it is already perfect). Also, she'll be there for a while. I believe she is still deciding to take it to Broadway or not, by then. I definitely plan to fly to New York next spring to see her again. So start saving... it will be a worth the trip!

kev!

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#8 **From:** tommyboyin_2000
Date: Sun May 27, 2001 10:53 pm
Subject: [Sunday Night Show](#)

tommyboyin_2000
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Hey guys...I JUST got home from Chicago to see the show. My friend that was going to go with me backed out at the last minute, so I went by myself. I almost decided not to even go. But I am SO SO SO glad that I did!!!! I loved it! I actually started to cry at the end. She always has those memorable endings...just like in Golden Girls. I'm actually disappointed that she didn't talk about Golden Girls much, and

especially not even mentioning Betty White.

I'm was very surprised to see an invite to the club when I got home...Thanks Kevin!!!! :)

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#9 **From:** martycartwright martycartwright
[Send Email](#)
Date: Mon May 28, 2001 9:20 am
Subject: [Re: Sunday Night Show](#)

I saw the show Friday and loved it. Pirate Jenny, It Never Was You and 50% are all favorites of mine and I was thrilled when she sang them! I thought she looked great! Loved the "oh fuck it" moment after she couldn't remember the words to Summertime! I love that way she has of waving her hand and shaking her head to say, "That's it, I've had it!".

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#10 **From:** vectorlime vectorlime
[Send Email](#)
Date: Mon May 28, 2001 11:41 am
Subject: [Pirate Jenny](#)

I agree... Bea's version of Pirate Jenny was definitely that climatic point of the show for me. The way she presented herself along with the stage lighting, you couldn't hear a pin drop when she was finished. Absolutely Fabulous!

Glad you got to see the show!

kev!
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#11 **From:** edithbunker500 edithbunker500
[Send Email](#)
Date: Mon May 28, 2001 12:29 pm
Subject: [New member!](#)

Hey Guys,
 I thought I would drop a note saying that I am a new member, and a big Bea fan.

 Unfortunately, I wont BEA able to see the show. I really want to see it, It sounds like me and Bea have a lot in common. Just the way she talks and what not. I would go see it in when she's in California, but since I'm going down in July to meet Betty White, I just cant go back to see her! Waaaaaaa!

Anyways, I'm ready for a great chat! Thanks Kev for the invite!

Lauren

PS- Come chat about all Bea things at my club http://clubs.yahoo.com/clubs/theamazingbearthur
After all, It's the place to BEA!

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#12 **From:** vectorlime vectorlime
[Send Email](#)
Date: Mon May 28, 2001 1:13 pm
Subject: [Song list from show](#)

Here it is, just in case you missed it. All the songs that Ms. Arthur covered in her show. I took notes during the second show, but lifetimetv.com already had them listed out!

"Fun to Be Fooled"
Harold Arlen, Ira Gershwin, Yip Harburg

"What Can You Get a Nudist for Her Birthday?"
A. Leclercq

"Isn't He Adorable"
Cy Coleman, James Lipton

"It Amazes Me"
Cy Coleman, Carolyn Leigh

"Bosom Buddies"
Jerry Herman

"Let's Face the Music and Dance"
Irving Berlin

"Pirate Jenny"
Kurt Weill, Bertolt Brecht, Marc Blitzstein

"It Never Was You"
Kurt Weill, Maxwell Anderson

"Some People"
Stephen Sondheim, Jule Styne

"The Times, They Are a Changin'"
Bob Dylan

"Where Do You Start"
Marilyn and Alan Bergman, Johnny Mandel

"If I Can't Sell It, I'll Keep Sittin' on It"
Recorded by Ruth Brown

"Who Cares"
George and Ira Gershwin

"Fifty Percent"
Marilyn and Alan Bergman, Billy Goldenberg

"You're Gonna Hear From Me"
André and Dory Previn

"The Chance to Sing"
Tom Jones, Billy Goldenberg

"I'll See You Again"
Noel Coward

don't forget the online chat with Bea is tonight on

lifetimetv.com

hopefully that goes good. the transcripts will be posted here as well!!

kev!
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#13 **From:** edithbunker500 edithbunker500
[Send Email](#)
Date: Mon May 28, 2001 5:25 pm
Subject: [Bea's chat @ lifetime](#)

Hey Guys,
 Just to let you know, tomorrow (Tuesday) at 3pm Eastern time Bea will be chatting online at http://www.lifetimetv.com I hope to see you all there! It's will be the place to BEA!

Lauren

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#14 **From:** vectorlime vectorlime
[Send Email](#)
Date: Mon May 28, 2001 6:09 pm
Subject: [Re: Bea's chat @ lifetime](#)

Thanks for the info Lauren, but according to lifetimetv.com the chat is scheduled for 6pm Eastern and 3pm Pacific. Just to clear that up so nobody misses it!

Thanks!
kev!
lgt2.com

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#15 **From:** vectorlime vectorlime
[Send Email](#)
Date: Mon May 28, 2001 6:13 pm
Subject: [Bea Arthur in the Lime Light](#)

Now also available at:

http://www.beatricearthur.com

How can you forget that? :)

kev!

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#16 **From:** edithbunker500 edithbunker500
[Send Email](#)
Date: Mon May 28, 2001 11:37 pm
Subject: [Re: Bea's chat @ lifetime](#)

Sorry about that mix up. It was probably set on pacific time, because I live on the pacific coast. Anyways, I hope to see you all there- I will be a little late though!

Lauren

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#17 **From:** pussycat00002001 pussycat00002001
[Send Email](#)
Date: Tue May 29, 2001 2:08 am
Subject: [Re: Bea's chat @ lifetime](#)

First, hi everyone!!!! I just joined so this is new to me. But like everyone here, I absolutely LOVE Bea Arthur. I saw her glorious one woman show this past Tuesday and am going back to see her again Thursday the 31st. YAY!!!!!!

And how exciting that Bea will be chatting with Lifetime!

-Jessica

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#18 **From:** map_06516 map_06516
[Send Email](#)
Date: Tue May 29, 2001 6:28 pm
Subject: [Bea Arthur Influence](#)

Saw her in CT last year when she premiered the show - am driving to NY in July to see her again -the characters she has created have influenced me over the years - especially Maude - both characters have taught me not to be afraid of who I am and to know that as I woman I can accomplish anything. Maude is the inspiration for me - I was an early teen when it was on TV and I still watch it and tape it everynight (before the Golden Girls). After meeting Ms. Arthur I also think that she is a warm, caring and down to earth

person which shone through in the few minutes I spent with her.

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#19 **From:** sophia505us sophia505us
✉ [Send Email](#)
Date: Tue May 29, 2001 8:47 pm
Subject: [new member](#)

Hi, Everyone

I am a new member to this club but I am also a big fan of beatrice Arthur and I love to watch on the Golden Girls . in july I will have the chance to go to her one women show , So I can't wait because bea is a wonderful actress I know her show will be as wonderful

 take care

Sophia505us @Yahoo.com

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#20 **From:** jellen92 jellen92
✉ [Send Email](#)
Date: Wed May 30, 2001 9:08 am
Subject: [Re: new member](#)

I just saw Bea last Wednesday night here in Chicago - it was a wonderful show, she is so wonderful in person - you will love the show!! She is very charming in person too, much more so than I expected. :-)

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#21 **From:** pussycat00002001 pussycat00002001
✉ [Send Email](#)
Date: Wed May 30, 2001 3:52 pm
Subject: [Re: new member](#)

Did you actually meet her in person or just see her show?

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#22 **From:** tommyboyin_2000 tommyboyin_2000
✉ [Send Email](#)
Date: Thu May 31, 2001 12:51 am
Subject: [I just saw her AGAIN!](#)

I live about 3 and a half hours away from Chicago, but I went anyways on Sunday. Then, unexpectedly, a friend of mine offered to buy tickets for the 2 of us and take me again since I liked it so much the first time. So we went tonight!

It was even better the second time. She is just simply amazing and a really beautiful human being.

I do have to admit...the last song made me cry.
:(

I can't wait until she comes to Indy!

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#23 **From:** jellen92 jellen92
✉ [Send Email](#)
Date: Thu May 31, 2001 10:04 am
Subject: [Re: new member](#)

No - I didn't get to meet her face to face, but her performance in person was fabulous. I love her whole philosophy of who she is, what she believes in.. especially when she says she's a "bubble pricker".. she doesn't like anything phony. She is truly genuine.

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#24 **From:** map_06516 map_06516
✉ [Send Email](#)
Date: Thu May 31, 2001 9:21 pm
Subject: [Re: new member](#)

I met her in person last year in Connecticut when she premiered her one woman show and she is truly genuine and down to earth - I overheard her talking to some people and she is very caring and compassionate - there is nothing phony about her. I can't wait till

July - am driving to NY to see her two days in a row!!

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#25 **From:** pussycat00002001
Date: Fri Jun 1, 2001 10:52 pm
Subject: I spoke to Bea Arthur

pussycat00002001
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Last night was a glorious night. It was my second time seeing her wonderful show in Chicago and this time I was so hoping I could meet her and well, I basically did. After the show was over, several people and I hung out at her trailer waiting for her. Well, when she finally opened the door she was really touched that we were there waiting to see her in the lousy weather. We even serenaded her with The Golden Girls theme!!! Until now, I had never seen her in person up close like that but I'd heard how sweet and wonderful she is and I could not agree more. She was so charming and so lovely...I was just in awe.
Anyway, after she signed a program for me I told her that I loved her and she said thank you to me. What an awesome experience. She IS truly genuine- an absolutely beautiful person.
Long live Bea Arthur!

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#26 **From:** vectorlime
Date: Sat Jun 2, 2001 2:16 pm
Subject: 3 is a charm!

vectorlime
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3 is a charm! Last night was Bea's last night in Chicago. It was also the 3rd time that I saw her show here... and I still haven't had enough! I felt it was the best show out of the three that I saw. The audience was extremely receptive. After the show, a few of us ran to the side of the building where Ms. Arthur's dressing trailer was. Everyone start singing the theme to Golden Girls. She opened the door and stuck her head out and thanked everyone for coming. Then she asked that everyone sing it again, which she loved. She then signed peoples show brochures and was very pleasant.


I then got a tip from a friend earlier that day that she was making another unannounced appearance at a local gay cabaret bar called Voltaire here in Chicago. So, after seeing Bea at her trailer, we hopped into a cab and bolted down to the bar. Sure enough, she came in. Though she was very tired she sat with everyone else and watched the cabaret show. After a few drinks her and Billy got up and sang one song to everyone. She sung 'Some People' that she also covers in her show. It was wonderful... absolutely wonderful. You can see all the pictures that I took at
<http://www.zing.com/members/vectorlime>
target=new><http://www.zing.com/members/vectorlime> under 'Me and Bea Arthur'.

Today I'm sad to know that Bea is no longer in Chicago. It was a wonderful 10 days. I collected many pictures and articles from the newspapers and anything else that I could find. I can't wait to see Bea and Billy soon... possibly in New York next spring, or some other city that she is touring sooner! We love you
Bea...

kev!
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#27 **From:** goldengirlfan2001
Date: Tue Jun 5, 2001 6:13 pm
Subject: Re: I spoke to Bea Arthur

goldengirlfan2001
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Hi I was just wondering excately what Bea does in the show, I'm going to see her in Nyack, NY in July, I can't wait, THANKS!!!

Erika

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#28 **From:** vectorlime
Date: Tue Jun 5, 2001 8:57 pm
Subject: Re: I spoke to Bea Arthur

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Hi Erika... well I won't tell exactly what she

does in her show, because I don't want to spoil it for anyone. But, in general she tells stories about the people, places, and performances that are dear to her. She also does quite a bit of wonderful singing. She really makes you feel like she is a guest in your house... that won't shut up! (as she says in her show!)


Its a great show... very funny, educational, and just plain enjoyable! I went 3 times and can't wait to go see her again later this year possibly!

let me know if you want to know anything else... again, i don't want to spoil it for anyone!

kev!
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#29 **From:** edithbunker500
Date: Tue Jun 5, 2001 10:37 pm
Subject: [Articals](#)

edithbunker500
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Hi Kevin,
 You said on your site, that over the week that Bea was in Chicago, you collected a lot of articals and what not about Bea and her show. I would love to see them and read them. Are you planning on scanning them?

Lauren

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#30 **From:** pussycat00002001
Date: Wed Jun 6, 2001 2:49 am
Subject: [Re: Articals](#)

pussycat00002001
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Thanks so much for bringing that up Lauren!
I was wondering that very same thing!!
Let us know Kevin...

Jessica

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