

AUDREY HEPBURN



BIOGRAPHY

- Born on May 4, 1929.
- Hometown is Brussels, Belgium.
- Actress, Philanthropist.
- She spent most of her younger years in England at a boarding School.
- During World War II, she studied at the Arnhem Conservatory in The Netherlands.



ON BROADWAY

- She went to New York and starred on the Broadway production of *Gigi*, at the age of 22.
- Hepburn 2 years later went back to Broadway to star in *Ondine* with Mel Ferrer.
- In 1954 she won a Tony Award for Best Actress in a play.
- She ended up marrying Mel Ferrer on September 25, 1954.



BREAKFAST AT TIFFANY'S

- 1961 romantic comedy.
- Audrey portrayed of Holly Golightly.
- Movie was released by Paramount Pictures.
- The beginning of the movie the main place it takes place is at Tiffany Co. off 5th Avenue in New York City.
- Audrey's little black dress became famous and sold for over \$947,000.
- Audrey wore Ray Ban sunglasses.



AUDREY'S FAMILY

- Before having their only son, Audrey had 2 miscarriages in March 1955 & 1959.
- Their only son was named Sean Hepburn Ferrer.
- Sean was born July 17, 1960.
- Mel was very controlling towards Audrey.
- After a 14 year marriage they finally divorced December 5, 1968.
- June 2008 Mel died of heart failure at age 90.



RAISING AWARENESS

- Audrey became a goodwill ambassador for UNICEF in the late 1980s.
- She tried to raise awareness about children in need while traveling the world.
- She won a special Academy Award for her humanitarian work in 1993.
- She didn't live long enough to receive her award.
- Audrey died January 20, 1993.



DANCE

- After World War II, she continued to pursue an interest in dance.
- She studied ballet in Amsterdam and later on in London.
- In 1948 Hepburn made her stage debut as a chorus girl in the musical High Button Shoes in London.
- More small parts on the British stage followed.



FILM STAR

- Back on the big screen, Hepburn made another award worthy performance in *Sabrina* (1954).
- In the movie *Sabrina* she was a daughter of a wealthy family's driver.
- Hepburn earned her Academy Award nomination for her work on this bittersweet romantic comedy.
- Audrey co-starred in a movie with her husband Mel Ferrer.



FASHION

- Hepburn seen a fashion icon has still continued long since her death.
- Her titles: Most beautiful woman of all time.
- Givenchy gave her a look a silhouette.
- Her signature look was a little black dress with her 2 earrings.
- Even after 35 years, Audrey's measurements had never changed.

