

Thank you. Thank you very much.

Our next Ella Fitzgerald hit was one of her signature songs. It was written by George Shearing in 1952 as a tribute to the great saxophonist, Charlie "Bird" Parker who started a jazz club in New York City in 1949 called "Birdland." When Ella recorded this song in 1954, it became one of her greatest hits and actually set records in that year for time spent at the top of the charts.

Here we go with Ella's big hit - "Lullaby Of Birdland."