

# The Latest News From Songfacts

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If you haven't heard of Songfacts, it is the world's leading song database. Although it focuses principally on contemporary music in the English language, its 35,000+ and growing entries include songs in other languages such as **French**, **Roumanian**, **Māori** and others, and songs from other eras including from the Court, indeed from the pen, of **Henry VIII**, folk and traditional songs.

Unsurprisingly it has a presence on both **Facebook** and **YouTube**, the latter of which is really worth checking out.

Contemporary songs are not simply from mainstream artists such as **Adele** and **Muse** but lesser known ones including **Dani Clay** – world famous in Brentwood but sadly nowhere else – **White Lighting** – a great rock band from London and the Home Counties who sadly

never made it – and Glasgow rockers **Gun**, who although they enjoyed commercial success and are still touring, have never been as big as they should have been.



*Dani Clay Band*

### **Diva Dani Clay – world famous in Brentwood, and on Songfacts.**

Songfacts has too a large and growing database of songwriter interviews, and one of its latest offerings is a talk with **Paul Di'Anno**, who was an early vocalist for **Iron Maiden**, arguably the best known band from the New Wave Of British Heavy Metal, exciting times for those of us who were there!

There is a lot more to Songfacts including a **Music History Calendar** and **message boards**, the latter of which you can sign up to and join the discussion.