

Frank Sinatra

childhood

- ▶ Frank Sinatra was born on December 12, 1915 in Hoboken, USA. His parents from Italy emigrated to the United States when he was a young child. His father tried many professions to provide for the family. His mother was a homemaker, and when the boy grew up, she headed the local cell of the Democratic Party.



early career

- ▶ The first steps on the way to fame were determined by his work. Frank got a job as a driver for an aspiring musical group called "Three Flashes". After a while, he became a performer in this group, and it was renamed the "Four from Hoboken". Like all aspiring musicians, Sinatra's salary was small – only \$ 20 a week. Soon began touring and solo career.



the first steps on the road to fame

- ▶ The first record of the musician "Polka Dot Dress and the rays of the moon" was released in 1940. Since 1942, he has been a regular on New York City radio. The date that changed his life is considered December 30, 1942. Then the hall, still unknown singer was packed to capacity. As a result, he was offered a 10-year contract with Columbia.



shooting in the movies

- ▶ In 1941, Sinatra starred in the film "Nights of Las Vegas", and 2 years later in the film "Higher and Higher" received a dramatic role. In 1945, he was awarded an Academy Award for his role in the film "The House I Live In".



disease of the ligaments and the fall career.

In 1953, the singer's ligaments became ill, and he lost many lucrative offers. Frank was even willing to shoot for free. And for the film "As long as there are men" gets another "Oscar" for the supporting role. In total, he appeared in 58 films.

the last performance.

The hit "My Way" set a record in the UK charts, lasting 122 weeks in the lead. In 1971, the singer leaves the stage. But Frank could not live long without listeners and after 2 years goes on a world tour. The last disc of the musician "Duets" was released in 1994. In 1995, Sinatra was awarded the Grammy Award, and in 1985-the Medal of Freedom.



Death.

Frank Sinatra died on May 14, 1998 in
Los Angeles, California, USA.