



# HONKY TUNK Diva

The Life of Patsy Cline

Thursday May 29<sup>th</sup>  
8:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Artfully Chocolate Kingsbury Confections  
1529C 14<sup>th</sup> Street NW  
(corner of 14<sup>th</sup> and Q)



Ellis Nassour, author of *Honky Tonk Angel, The Intimate Story of Patsy Cline*, was the very first to write about Patsy Cline and did so with the cooperation of the stars who knew and loved her – including Jimmy Dean, Jan Howard, Brenda Lee, Loretta Lynn, Roger Miller, Dottie West, and Faron Young. He was the only writer to interview Cline's mother and husbands. Nassour is a veteran of the *New York Times* and an entertainment writer who has devoted the past 15 years to promoting the legacy of Patsy Cline and has been involved in two musicals of her story. He lives in New York City.

"Ellis Nassour's biography doesn't just paint an image of the Patsy Cline I knew and loved. What really emerges is a poignant tribute to one of our greatest singing legends."

Brenda Lee

"Revealing and absorbing. . .What a dame!. . .A winner."

Liz Smith

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