



# Character Descriptions

## BETTY JEAN

Female, Adult to play 18 and 28

Betty Jean is the self-anointed clown of the group, always vying for attention from her best friend Cindy Lou. A tomboy, she loves Johnny, her high school crush with all her soul. Cindy Lou steals Betty Jean's boyfriend away, causing a lot of the friction at the prom; she holds this grudge against Cindy Lou, until they make up at the 10-year reunion.

ALTO with strong low range. Her featured songs include: Lipstick on Your Collar, I Only Want To Be With You, It's My Party.

## CINDY LOU

Female, Adult to play 18 and 28

Cindy Lou is the "bad girl" of the group. It seems that things always go her way, making Betty Jean crazy. She makes the biggest change between Acts I and II, having learned the lessons of true love and loss. She knows she is the prettiest girl at Springfield High. She knows she will be named Prom Queen and acts out against her best friend Betty Jean when things don't go her way.

MEZZO SOPRANO with belt; sings melody line on most songs. Her featured songs include: Allegheny Moon; Son of a Preacher Man; Maybe.

## MISSY

Female, Adult to play 18 and 28

Always the over-achiever of the group, Missy is the one to cover for mistakes and is always ready to jump in and save the day. Officer in most of the school's clubs, in charge of the prom decorations and the organizer of the reunion. She's also smitten with her music teacher. She has been best friends with Suzy since elementary school.

SOPRANO – wide range, floats very high vocals and belts throughout the show. Her featured songs include: Secret Love; You Don't Own Me; Wedding Bell Blues.

## SUZY

Female, Adult to play 18 and 28

Best friends with Missy, she is the happy-go-lucky one of the group. Always smiling, giggling and chewing gum. Suzy is happy-go-lucky, a little giddy, and a little silly. NOTE: We are not looking for a stereotypical "ditz blonde." Completely surprised when named prom queen. Angry, crying, and confused in Act 2.

MEZZO ALTO with a sweet, soulful sound, and big belts. Her featured songs include: Stupid Cupid; Hold Me, Thrill Me; Rescue Me.