

# Bea falls in love with Derek and Sam in Star Cinema's 'And I Love You So'

*Pinoy Big Brother director Laurenti Dyogi's film comeback to screen in US theaters this August*

**R**EDWOOD CITY, CA—On the occasion of TFC's 15th and Star Cinema's 16th anniversaries, ABS-CBN International's Starry Starry Store brings to the US the much awaited *And I Love You So*, a contemporary drama on love, loss and letting go.

So many exciting things are going for this film. It is the comeback movie for popular director Laurenti Dyogi, the man behind the huge success of ABS-CBN's reality shows *Pinoy Big Brother* and *Pinoy Dream Academy*. His last film was *Now That I Have You* in 2004, starring Bea Alonzo and then on-screen partner, John Lloyd Cruz. *And I Love You So* stars today's hottest and most beautiful celebrities in the Philippine movie industry in their first team-up: Sam Milby, Bea Alonzo and Derek Ramsay.

It is wholesome young actress Alonzo who underwent intense transformation for *And I Love You So*. Her role is no longer that of a sweet teenager, but of a fully grown woman—sensual and comfortable with her body and sexuality. As this role calls for seductive attires and intimate scenes with her hunky male co-stars, Alonzo underwent a physical

regimen that included bikram yoga sessions and a strict no-carb diet, losing 15 pounds and toning her body in the process.

But the tougher challenge was how to channel the emotions of her character, Lara, a woman who after losing her husband of five months on her 24th birthday thought she could not go on living, much less fall in love again. Every time Lara loses a loved one, someone had been there to cushion the blow. When her mother died when she was 14, her father consoled her. When her father passed away six years later, her family was there. But when her husband died, no one could offer any consolation—not her siblings, in-laws or friends. She had lost the love of her life and she felt very much alone as she watches her business, her life, and her world collapse before her.

With her predicament, how would Oliver (Derek Ramsay) and Chris (Sam Milby) figure in her life? Will she finally move on?

"Summer movies are usually packed with action, thrills, suspense and animation, but the reality is it is a season that has given us the best

love stories on cinema, too," said Kerwin Du, ABS-CBN North America's head of theatricals. "Call it counter-programming but *And I Love You So* fills that need for many moviegoers to think and feel. After all, many of us have had summer romances as part of our life experiences so it's something people can relate to."

The theatrical schedule of *And I Love You So* is as follows:

**SAN FRANCISCO (August 14-20)**

UA Stonestown Twin  
501 Buckingham Way  
San Francisco, CA 94132

**SAN DIEGO (August 14-20)**

UA Horton Plaza  
475 Horton Plaza  
San Diego, CA 92101

**LAS VEGAS (August 14-20)**

Regal Village Square Stadium  
9400 W Sahara Ave.,  
Las Vegas, NV 89058

**LOS ANGELES-CERRITOS (August 21-27)**

Cerritos Stadium Cinema  
12761 Towne Center Drive  
Cerritos, CA 90701

**HONOLULU (August 28-September 3)**

Regal Dole Cannery Stadium 18



735 Iwilei Road #B  
Honolulu, HI 96817  
**SEATTLE (August 28-September 3)**  
Parkway Plaza Stadium  
5910 South 180th Street  
Tukwila, WA 98188  
**CHICAGO (September 11-17)**  
The Pickwick Theater 1  
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## Finally, Martin and Gary... As One! On October 10 Martin Nievera and Gary Valenciano live!



**W**ITNESS history unfold as Concert King Martin Nievera and Mr. Pure Energy Gary Valenciano converge as one at the Nob Hill Masonic Center in a phenomenal musical event that took almost a quarter of a century to happen. Brace yourselves and expect the unexpected as these two iconic artists collide in AS1—their very first and much awaited back-to-back, full-length concert.

In the eyes of their countless fans, Martin and Gary seemed to thrive in an age-old and legendary rivalry that spans over two decades. Both Martin and Gary have inspiring and prodigious careers that encompasses the lowest of the lows and the highest of the highs.

Both struggled to gain mainstream recognition in the 80s only to emerge as two of the most influential and successful artists in the history of showbiz as a result of their steadfast dedication and love to their individual crafts as artists.

The prolific output of their impressive body of works has broken the boundaries of class, creed, and race as their music skyrocketed to the exhilarating heights of both commercial and critical prominence. Martin and Gary provided musical artistry that defined several generations.

Martin romanced and stunned the country with his stirring ballads such as *Be My Lady* and *Ikaw Ang Lahat Sa Akin*. He is rightfully dubbed as the country's "Concert King" for all the right reasons—a string of multi-platinum, full-length studio albums to his credit, top-rating TV shows with him at the very helm, and a consistent crowd-drawer in major concerts both here and abroad.

Gary on the other hand, powered the entire nation with his superb vocal prowess and unadulterated energy both on and off stage. Gary's *You Got Me Working*, *Reaching Out*, and *Move Your Body* among his countless catalogues of hits are likewise rightfully canonized in the highest echelons of original Filipino music. To this very day, Gary continues to inspire his countless fans through his music and his exemplary life.

To this very day, Martin and Gary's rivalry is red hot as ever. In AS1, fans and critics may speculate who will out-sing whom? Or who will emerge with more power on stage? On the contrary, however, Martin and Gary will transcend their rivalry to a more profound level and that is the reality that they are first and foremost friends whose relationship as brothers in the industry has surpassed the endurance of time.

AS1 is a celebration of the groundbreaking and collective artistry of Martin and Gary. In this show they put aside the myth of their rivalry as they celebrate each other's accomplishments and finally merge as one!

Who would have thought it to be possible? Who dared dreamed that these two performers would give you a night you will never forget? Get ready to be united AS1 as you fall under their spells and be enchanted by the stellar performances in store! The meter is set for a night of male power in AS1 on October 10, 2009 (Saturday), 7:30pm at the Nob Hill Masonic Center. Don't miss it!

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