

Julio Iglesias takes center stage

by Aleta Walther

Julio Iglesias' international popularity was evident during the crooner's three-night show at the Las Vegas Hilton, June 10-12. During his Thursday performance, the Grammy winning Spanish superstar asked the eclectic crowd where they were from: "Brazil", "California", "Lebanon", "Italy," "Ohio", "Toronto", "Nevada", "Puerto Rico"...

His 25-song repertoire was heavily skewed toward his Spanish heritage, with

only four songs performed in English. The tango-laced mix suited the crowd, however, as many applauded his every song.

Tanned and dashing in his black satin, double-breasted suit, and clearly enjoying himself, Iglesias serenaded the crowd in a way that only he can: with lots of "amor". "Un Canto", "A Galicia", "Divorcio" and "Caruso" were well-received while "To All The Girls I've



Loved Before", "Crazy" and "Can't Help Falling in Love" prompted many in the audience to sing along.

While his female backup singers were pleasing to the eyes and ears, his backup band often overpowered Iglesias' tenor voice, making it difficult to understand the lyrics. Also, had the performance been rated, it would have been rated "M" for mature audiences as the Madrid native sprinkled his performance with sexual innuendoes, but then he is famous for

his love songs. "I want you all to go home and make love tonight," the 65-year-old Iglesia told the audience.

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