

# ELVISinTROUBLE.com FAQ

## Do you have a question about booking ELVIS tribute band TROUBLE for your Wedding, Event or Venue?

See below for the most frequently asked questions. Get in touch if your question is not answered below

### **What is TROUBLE?**

*TROUBLE is an ELVIS PRESLEY tribute project that performs everything from theatre shows and dinner dances to private functions. The project can perform in the following four configurations:*

*'TROUBLE - The Ultimate Show', featuring Darren Boyce on lead vocals, the full 12 piece band with authentic musicians (including a 3 piece horn section), backing singers, great light show and nostalgic image projections.*

*'TROUBLE - The Original Show', featuring Darren Boyce on lead vocals, a great 7 piece band with authentic musicians, backing singers, great light show and nostalgic image projections.*

*'TROUBLE - The King And Us', featuring Darren Boyce on lead vocals the core 5 piece authentic TROUBLE band.*

*'TROUBLE - The King And I', a duo featuring TROUBLE lead singer Darren Boyce and Keyboardist/Musical Director Max Hunt on Keyboards.*

### **How much does it cost to book TROUBLE?**

*Our costs vary depending on the size of band and length of show. We also need to consider travel costs, so please contact us for a quote with details on band size required, venue and event details and we will get back to you.*

### **How much deposit do we require to secure the booking?**

*A deposit of £250 secures the date for TROUBLE to perform at your event.*

### **What type of music does TROUBLE perform?**

*TROUBLE performs Elvis Presley material with a highly authentic sound with the ability to go from the early Rock & Roll Years to the "68" Comeback special & the career defining Las Vegas Show years. We are also able to offer a set of other popular covers ranging from the 1960's to the modern day, if required.*

*We are happy to tailor our setlist to your event and include any specific songs from our set and given enough time, we may be able to include a favourite, if we don't already perform it.*

### **Do you perform to backing tracks?**

*No, we don't. It is our belief that the overall experience is more dynamic and engaging as a fully live band, allowing the audience to experience a much more energetic performance that can range from the duo to a 12 piece band.*

### **How long do TROUBLE perform for?**

*We generally perform 2 x 50 minute sets as our minimum, but offer the ability to do 3 full Elvis Presley sets that include all the eras with our maximum show running up to 3 hours. We can adapt this for theatre concert shows, dinner dances and parties. We are happy to perform a show length and configuration that meets your needs.*

### **Can we come and see TROUBLE before we book?**

*We play a selection of public gigs throughout the year, however our typical clients are corporate events, weddings & private clients. We have a number of videos available on our website as well as recordings and reviews from past clients. Please check our website ([www.elvisintrouble.com](http://www.elvisintrouble.com)) or email us at [tickets@elvisintrouble.com](mailto:tickets@elvisintrouble.com) requesting information on future bookings.*

### **What power supply do you need?**

*We require a safe 13 amp electrical supply to be provided. Our equipment uses back-line amplification, 1.2kw PA system, full LED lighting system and a projector, all of which will safely run from a 13 amp supply.*

### **Do TROUBLE have Public Liability Insurance?**

*Yes, we have PLI cover up to a maximum of £10 million and the relevant insurance documents can be supplied to you or your venue if requested.*

### **How long do you need to set up and pack down?**

*This depends entirely on the event you wish to put on as well as the location and access. We can work around your timings, but for a full show that requires projection, lighting and full PA we estimate a minimum of 3 hours get-in and set up and two hours to pack-down and get out of the venue. 'The King And Us' & 'The King And I' shows have less equipment and can be set-up/packed-down quicker.*

### **How much space do you require?**

*The King & I (2 Piece) 3m x 3m*

*The King & us (5 Piece) 5m x 4m (with projection 5m x 5m)*

*Original (7 Piece) 8m x 5m*

*For the 'Ultimate' show, please contact us via [info@elvisintrouble.com](mailto:info@elvisintrouble.com) for more information*

*If you are hiring in additional staging feel free to pass our details to the staging company and we can help with the space requirements.*

### **Can TROUBLE set up earlier if needed?**

*Yes we can, providing we have enough notice to allow us to make the necessary arrangements.*

### **Can you perform outside in the open?**

*Yes, we are happy to play in the open air providing there is a suitable hard surface and good protection in case of rain for the band and our equipment including the necessary power points.*

### **How long do I need to book in advance?**

*We are happy to take bookings along with a deposit 18 months in advance, but if you have a last minute booking it is worth contacting to find out, if we are available. Bookings will be confirmed by the use of a standard performance contract that is signed to both parties.*

### **Do you play music in between your sets?**

*We can provide a tailored playlist service with a list of your requested songs or we have a standard playlist that we can supply.*

### **Will the band require food & drink?**

*Our working day can be lengthy and any refreshments and food are welcome. If this is not possible, then we ask that you let us know at the time of booking so that we can arrange catering for the band and crew.*

### **What happens if I need to cancel the bands performance?**

*In the event of a cancellation the following terms apply:*

*There is no refund of the deposit in any situation.*

*Cancellation with more than 8 weeks prior to event – no additional charge.  
Cancellation within 8 weeks of the event requires you to pay 100% of the remaining fee.*

*We understand that the cancellation of your event can happen, however these conditions are strictly non-negotiable as we have to reserve the musicians who are all professional and therefore depend on the bookings for earnings.*

*If you intend to reschedule or postpone your event then please get in touch as soon as possible with us so that further arrangements can be made.*

**Do TROUBLE travel?**

*Yes, we travel all over the UK and abroad. All travel costs will be included in the quote for your event.*

**What time do TROUBLE usually start their first set?**

*It's your event and we will work around your requirements. We have performed during dining and food service, but find that people typically prefer the live music to start after they have eaten, which is usually after 8.30pm for an evening event.*

**Can TROUBLE provide a full entertainments package including Entertainment & Catering?**

*Yes, we are able to provide a full Entertainments package including catering on request and depending on the venue and licensing laws. We are able to work with you to deliver the very best packages that we can, based around your requirements.*

**Do TROUBLE perform at Festivals?**

*Yes, we do. We can vary the set length to suit the slot that you would like us to perform. Our experience is that our show often fits later timeslots, in part due to our lighting requirements and image projections (if required).*

**Do TROUBLE provide their own technicians and crew?**

*Yes, we do. For any shows larger than 'The King And I' (duo), we will always bring 1 x crew/engineer. This could rise to a crew of 3 for larger shows.*