## Earth Angel

The Penguins

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Earth angel, Earth angel, oh one I adore, Love you forever, and ever more. I'm just a fool, a fool in love with you.

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"Earth Angel," by American doo-wop group the Penguins, was an enduring hit for much of the 1950s and is now considered to be one of the definitive doo-wop songs. The Penguins formed at Fremont High School in Los Angeles in 1953. "Earth Angel" was recorded as a literal garage demo—it was recorded in the garage of a relative's home in Los Angeles. The original demo version became an unexpected hit, growing out of Southern California and spreading across the United States over the winter of 1954–55.

The Penguins' only hit, it eventually sold in excess of 10 million copies.