



FootNotes



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Directors Notes

We had a good rehearsal last week, BUT, (where did that come from?) I can't emphasize enough the importance of quickly and thoroughly learning our current Inspirational repertoire so that we can soon add the "How Sweet the Sound Medley" and polish the songs we haven't performed recently.

I want to introduce our new Christmas music and new 2008 show songs soon as well, so there's no time to rest on your laurels. Summer may slow some things down, but while you're relaxing by the pool in the AC on a hot afternoon, play your learning tape three times on each song every day and see what a difference it makes in your confidence level when it comes time to sing it on the risers.

On a sad note, many of you will remember **Brad Parker**, a 27 year member of our Society, and long time friend of The Chorus of the Keys. Unbeknownst to us, Brad had been suffering with cancer, a heart attack, and finally succumbed to pneumonia while in the hospital in Venice last week. His son is holding a Memorial Service in New Jersey for all of their family and friends back home, but Irene and their local family and friends had a memorial gathering in Brad's memory this afternoon. Special thanks to **Gary Raulerson** who was kind enough to join **My Three Sons** so that we could give Irene the love and support from our chapter. Brad kept up with our activities even though he hadn't been able to be personally involved for the last few years. He even sent a telegram to the Chorus in Salt Lake City, congratulating us on making it to International for the first time. He was truly proud of our accomplishments.

Onward and Upward,

Stephen

Calendar

Jun. 14: Lunch Bunch at Linger Lodge.

Jun. 15: Sizzle at UCF, Orlando.

Jul. 1 thru 8: 2007 International, Denver, Colorado.

Jul. 29: Harmony University, St. Jo. MO

Aug. 10: Inspirational Concert at Church of the Palms, Bee Ridge, Sarasota. 7:00 PM

Aug. 11: Inspirational Concert at Church of the Palms, Bee Ridge, Sarasota. 2:00 PM

Aug. 31: Labor Day Jamboree, Orlando

Oct. 5: Fall Convention

Inspiration Concert – August 12, 2007

Repeat options:

You'll Never Walk Alone
How Great Thou Art
Great is Thy Faithfulness
I Believe
The Lord's Prayer
God Bless America

New Songs—

and songs we haven't done recently—

I'll Fly Away
When There's Love at Home
Turn Your Radio On
Irish Blessing
Hallelujah Chorus
How Sweet the Sound Medley

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Member

6-8 Harold Ullring

6-10 Ray Wild

And Spouse

None this week

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

6-6 Gene & Clarice Gnuse

6-6 Leo & Ann Mailhotte

6-6 Al & Helen Piltz

6-6 Bob & Carolyn Reidenbach

6-8 Howard & Lore Gollnick

6-9 Richard & Phyllis Allen

6-11 Don & Mary Ann Scholten

CARE OF THE NEW UNIFORMS

The new tux jackets should **always** be dry cleaned—**never washed**. The new formal trousers may be washed, but **should** really be dry cleaned. It is urged that they be dry cleaned only. The vest should **never** be washed: **must** be dry cleaned when soiled. **ALL PIECES, AFTER EACH SHOW.**

In case you haven't noticed, there is an extra button on the inside pocket of the tux jacket. It is suggested that it be removed to a safe storage place. **Please remember where you store it!!!!**

Each vest has an extra button sewed to the inside lining, It will probably be safer if you remove it & put it with the jacket button.

Thank you for your cooperation, Jack Webber

MEETING NIGHT AFTERGLOW

Everyone is Welcome..... to attend our weekly "Afterglow" immediately following the meeting on Tuesday nights. You're invited to wet your whistle, sing songs with the guys, chat with our Director and get a bite to eat in the mall alcove at Applebee's Restaurant on Main Street just a few blocks east of our meeting hall on the corner of the movie theater parking garage. Park along Main Street or pull into the parking garage (it's free at that time of night) and come and ring some chords from 9:45 pm until.....? See you there!

Sunshine News

Wilma Love, Sam: still doing chemo & x-rays, tired of it.

Jim Styer: may be able to return to us in a couple weeks.

Charlie Lenny: back home and feeling better now.

Bob Ellems: is at Bella Vita assisted living, doing OK.
1420 Venice Ave, Venice. 34292
Ph. 941-483-4374

Charlie Becker: is still hanging in there.

Frank Astorino: doing OK, Rose will keep us advised.

Milt Smith: no new news here either.

Cards, calls & prayers to our friends are always welcome.

SunShine Chair—Ed Manville **941-346-8219** or
<hiedm3@comcast.net>

FRIENDS WHO WILL BE MISSED

Brad Parker has joined the Chorus in the Sky. On June 1st. At 1:00 am he succumbed to pneumonia. Cards can be sent to—

Irene Parker.
447 Longwood Dr.
Venice, Fl 34292-3621

John Canfield passed away on May 25, 2007. Jeanne's address is- 3999 Woodbridge Rd. Upper Arlington, Oh 43220

FALL CRUISE

Pick up your cruise information at sign-in table. Join us aboard the "Sovereign of the Seas" for a 3 night cruise. Oct. 26—29, 2007

DON'T MISS THE BOAT

Make your cruise reservations on-line today. Pick up your cruise flyer & additional info at rear table. Bob Hagen, 923-3843

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