



FootNotes



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Directors Notes

Thank you for such a wonderful turnout for Mel Stone's Memorial Service on Saturday — special thanks to everyone (singers and non-singing members as well) who took the time to come and honor Mel and bless his family and friends with our musical tribute. I was very pleased with the way we got through the Hallelujah Chorus — you did a great job! Charlotte couldn't have been more pleased or grateful — and the standing-room-only crowd was very appreciative and complimentary. Thanks, guys. You really came through.

It was exciting to hear Max Q take the gold medal at International (unquestionably the best quartet on the stage) and particularly exciting to hear the Rounders take 8th place in the finals. They've worked hard for many years, and their dedication and talent has finally paid off. Congratulations to Frank Astorino for winning 4th place in the Chapter Bulletin contest — another well-deserved tribute.

Tonight we'll be preparing for singing at First Baptist this Sunday, July 15th, as our way of thanking the church for their ongoing support in allowing us the use of the chapel every week for rehearsals, and occasional Saturdays when we're preparing for shows and contests. They've been exceptionally generous and cooperative hosts, and we owe them our best turnout and effort to show them our appreciation and bless their congregation with our singing. Please be sure and sign up tonight so that we know how many to seat in the choir loft, and on Sunday, please meet up in the choir room on the Second floor at 9:45 am to give us plenty of warm-up and run-through time before the 10:30 service.

Please continue to work on "How Sweet the Sound" with our new learning CD. And please take as much time as you need to learn your notes and words and get off paper as quickly as possible. We got off to a great start with it last week, and it's going to be a great addition to our inspirational repertoire.

Onward & Upward!
Stephen

Calendar

Jul. 15: First Baptist Church, full chorus performance at their morning service.

Jul. 16: chorus Board of Directors meeting.

Jul. 22: Church of the Palms, scheduled performance of the Chorus.

Jul. 26: Lunch Bunch @ ROTTEN RALPH'S Anna Maria Island, N. of Cortez.

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

Inspirational Concert Repertoire

(not in order)

You'll Never Walk Alone

How Great Thou Art

Great in The Faithfulness

I Believe

The Lord's Prayer

God Bless America

I'll Fly Away

When There's Love at Home

Irish Blessing

How Sweet the Sound Medley

Hallelujah Chorus

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Member

7-11 Milt Rothweiler
7-15 Fred Lathwood
7-15 Bob Reidenbach
7-16 Don Van Der Kolk

And Spouse

7-12 Eileen Lathwood, Fred
7-15 Cora Frantz, Dave

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

7-11 Dave & Cora Frantz
7-12 Don & Kathleen Loos

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!**

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY SERVICE July 15

Warm-up in 2nd floor choir room at 9:45 am.

Service starts at 10:30 am.

Wives are welcome to attend.

Song line-up **TBA** tonight.

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

Sunshine News

Russ Springstubb: has been transferred to—
Kensington Manor
3250 12th St. Rm. 110
Needs visitors from us.

Nancy Lenny, Charlie: has been moved to—
Palmer Ranch Health Care
5111 Palmer Ranch Pkwy.

Leo Mailhotte: still cannot sing but is still involved with his music by transposing 'I'll Fly Away' for Ann's Sweet Ads.

Wilma Love, Sam: still doing chemo, no new news.

Jim Styer: still doing chemo; doing OK as far as I know.

Charlie Becker: is still hanging in there. What a guy.

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

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RETURN OF OLD UNIFORM PIECES

The Board has decided to reduce inventory. All OLD tux pants and all black pants are to be turned in to the Uniform Chairman in the very near future. Instructions will be forthcoming as to the procedure involved. In the meantime, please take action to be sure all items are in clean and presentable condition. To forestall a few questions, it is noted that some of our newer members (within the last year) have not been issued the plain black pants.

Thank you for your cooperation,
Jack Webber

If anyone has a Sony cassette recorder model # TCM200DV, that cuts 'in or out' while recording or playing, I have the likely fix. Call Ray Stoll at 330-533-0904, or email at— duraystoll@earthlink.net

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