



FootNotes



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Directors Notes

Thanks for a good turnout and a great performance at Church of the Palms on Sunday. I appreciate the extra time and effort from everyone in getting there early and staying for both services. You did a great job! (Special thanks to **Dick Bechtel** for the refreshments between services.)

It's now time to focus entirely for the next two weeks on our preparations for the Inspirational Concerts on August 10th & 11th. We need to concentrate on the **How Sweet the Sound Medley** this week and bring it up to performance standards, so please spend whatever time you need on it to be personally off paper and ready to polish it next week.

In preparation for our annual show, please continue working on the following songs that are already in our past repertoire. Be sure you've reviewed and refreshed your memory on:

- With a Song in My Heart**
- Irish Lullaby**
- The Way You Look Tonight**
- New York, New York**

We'll run through these songs again tonight, and aim for having them ready to perform within 3 — 4 weeks. That represents about 30% of our annual show repertoire, which gives us a really good head start. The rest of our '08 show music will be here soon.

Christmas music will be coming right after the Inspirational Concert. There will be some repeats, including **The Hallelujah Chorus**, but we'll also have some new repertoire, so there's lots to do.

Onward & Upward!

Stephan

Calendar

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

Dec. 11: Ditchfield Family Christmas Show at Van Wezel, 2:30 & 7:30 shows.
We will be participating.

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

7-24 Rod Sexauer
7-25 Jerry Lunkes
7-26 Merrill Brown
7-26 John Dawson
7-26 Phil Mazzola

And Spouse

7-28 Patricia Edmonds, George

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

7-25 Erd & Ann Dahl
7-28 Jerry & Mary Lunkes

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!**

TURN-IN OF UNIFORMS

You are reminded to turn in your **OLD** tux pants and black pants as soon as possible. The only time I will not be here to receive is Tuesday July 31. If you have not picked up turn-in procedures, they are available on the table. Please put a tag with your name and sizes on it with your uniform items.

Thanks for your cooperation.
Jack Webber

Sunshine News

I guess no new news is good 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.

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

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

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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