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AMA with Chad and Dusty

Best seats? Best hotels? Best place to hang out and sing? What's the difference between a contest and a festival? If you've never been to a BHS International Convention before, there are plenty of things to learn — and if you have gone, there are plenty of pro tips you can share.

Join the BHS convention staff for an **Ask Me Anything** live conversation next week on Facebook Live.

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BHS announces reductions in staff

The Barbershop Harmony Society has announced a reduction in staff required to sustain the organization as it continues to rebound from pandemic-era revenue losses.

Five staff positions were eliminated, in addition to two positions previously vacated without being replaced. Out of respect for the privacy of the affected staff, their names are not disclosed at this time.

"While membership and engagement levels continue to grow, overall revenue recovery has not yet reached target levels for sustainable program growth," said CEO Marty Monson. "We honor the contributions of our dedicated colleagues, and know that our broad barbershop community will be there for them."

Staff reductions involve multiple departments and levels. Job functions and responsibilities will be realigned to continue delivering impactful programs that serve and expand the barbershop community. "Working with the Society Board of Directors, we will continue to fulfill on our strategic goals, deliver on priorities and shape the Society for success," said Monson.

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Reading Session: Ed Waesche Arrangements with David Wright

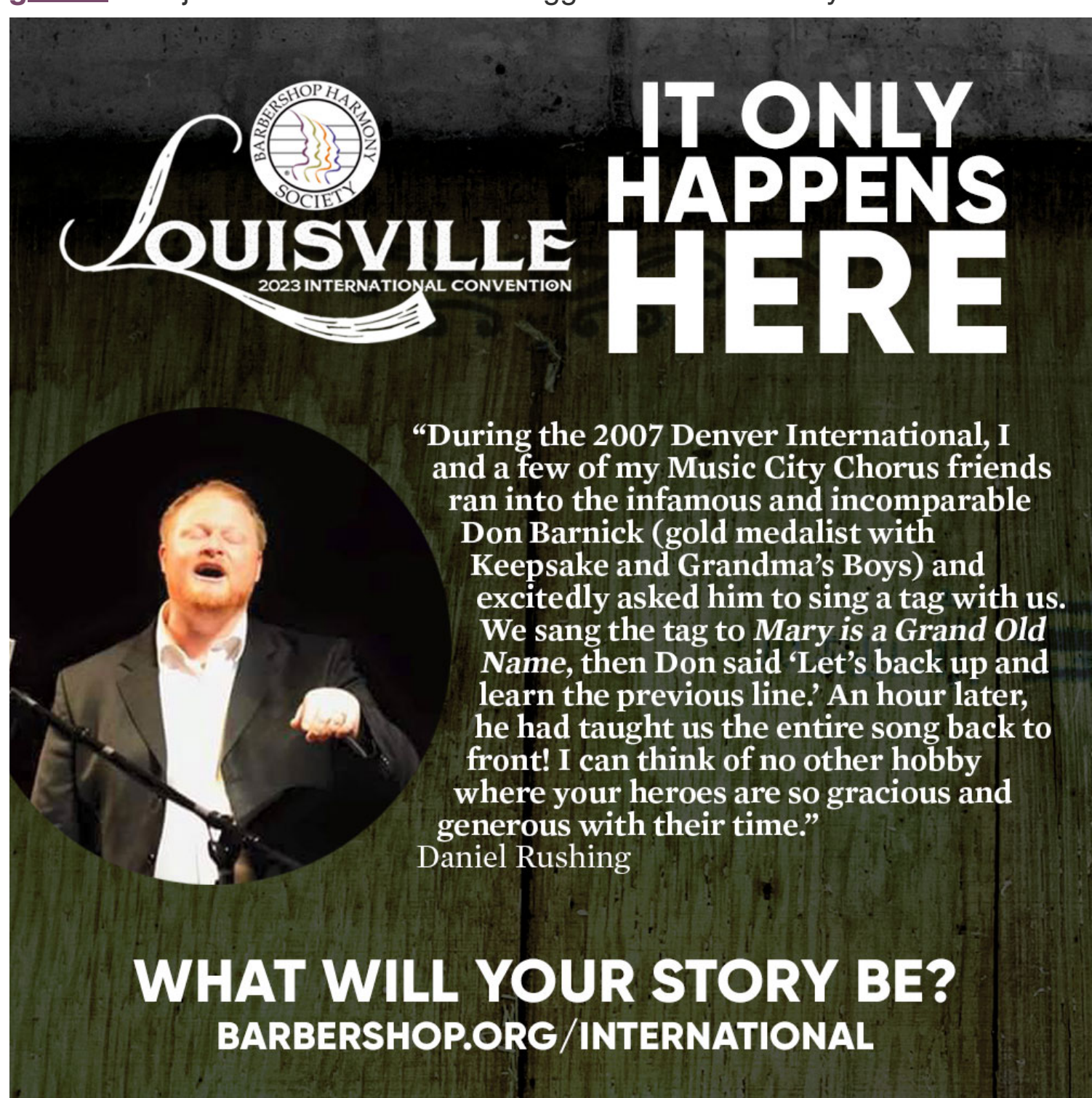


Ed Waesche was a genius arranger in the barbershop style, whose charts have been sung by barbershoppers all over the world. Historian/arranger David Wright dives deep into a few of Ed's best works and regales us with delightful Ed stories—e.g. the origins of the "Waesche 13th." [Member Center login required.](#)

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No promises, but you might meet someone extra cool at an International Convention

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Best Practices Library brings broad knowledge base to BHS singing communities

The accumulated experience of hundreds of chapters and quartets is a key asset of the Barbershop Harmony Society. No matter what the challenge — administrative, musical, leadership— someone somewhere has probably already faced it, solved it, and can help you surmount it, too.

Let's put that combined brainpower to work for the benefit of all! The new **Best Practices section** of the [Harmony University Library](#) can help elevate the art of barbershop harmony to new heights.

What do **YOU** know? We're looking for stories and great experience across all facets of barbershop.

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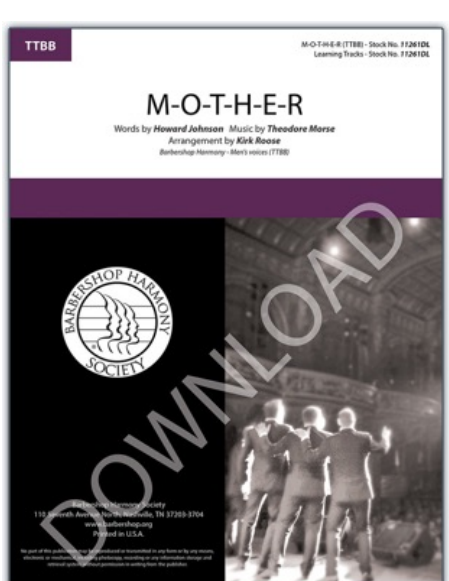
Tell "**M-O-T-H-E-R**" you love her
arr. Kirk Roose

Whether as part of a special celebration, a Mother's Day singing telegram, or a nice addition to your repertoire, this classic tribute to motherly love will earn you a badge as Mom's favorite kid. **Champ delivers:** Kohl Kitzmiller (**Instant Classic**) donated the learning tracks for FREE.

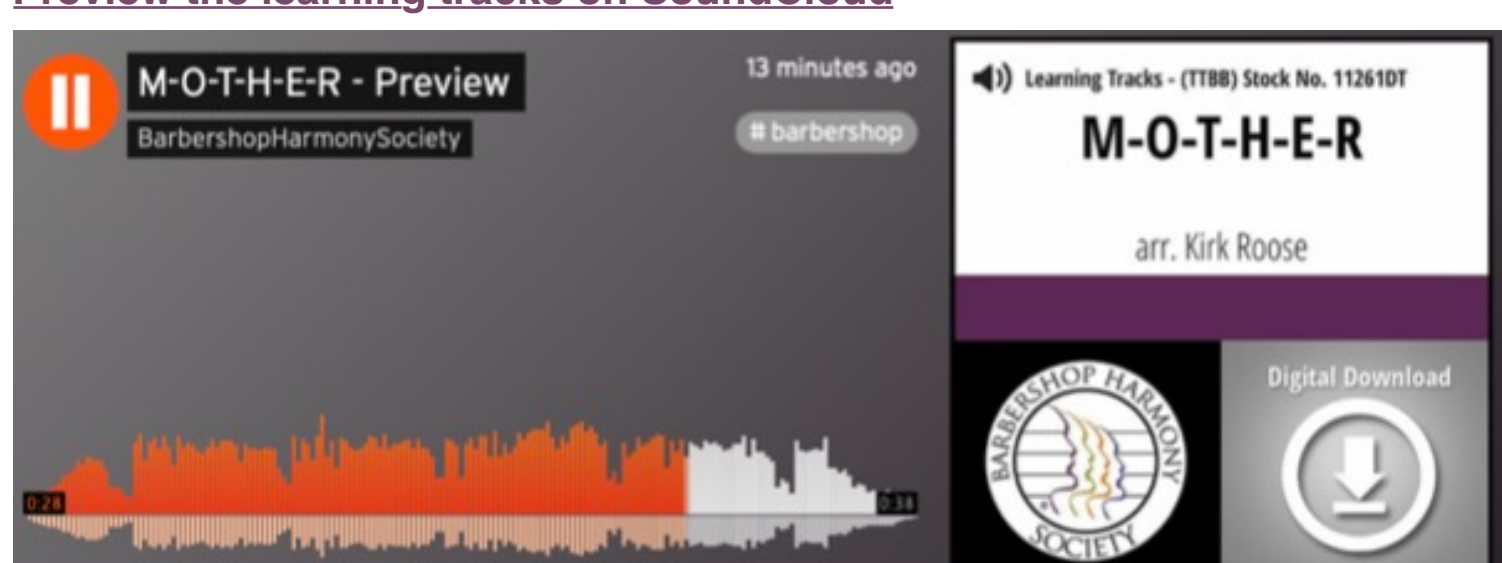
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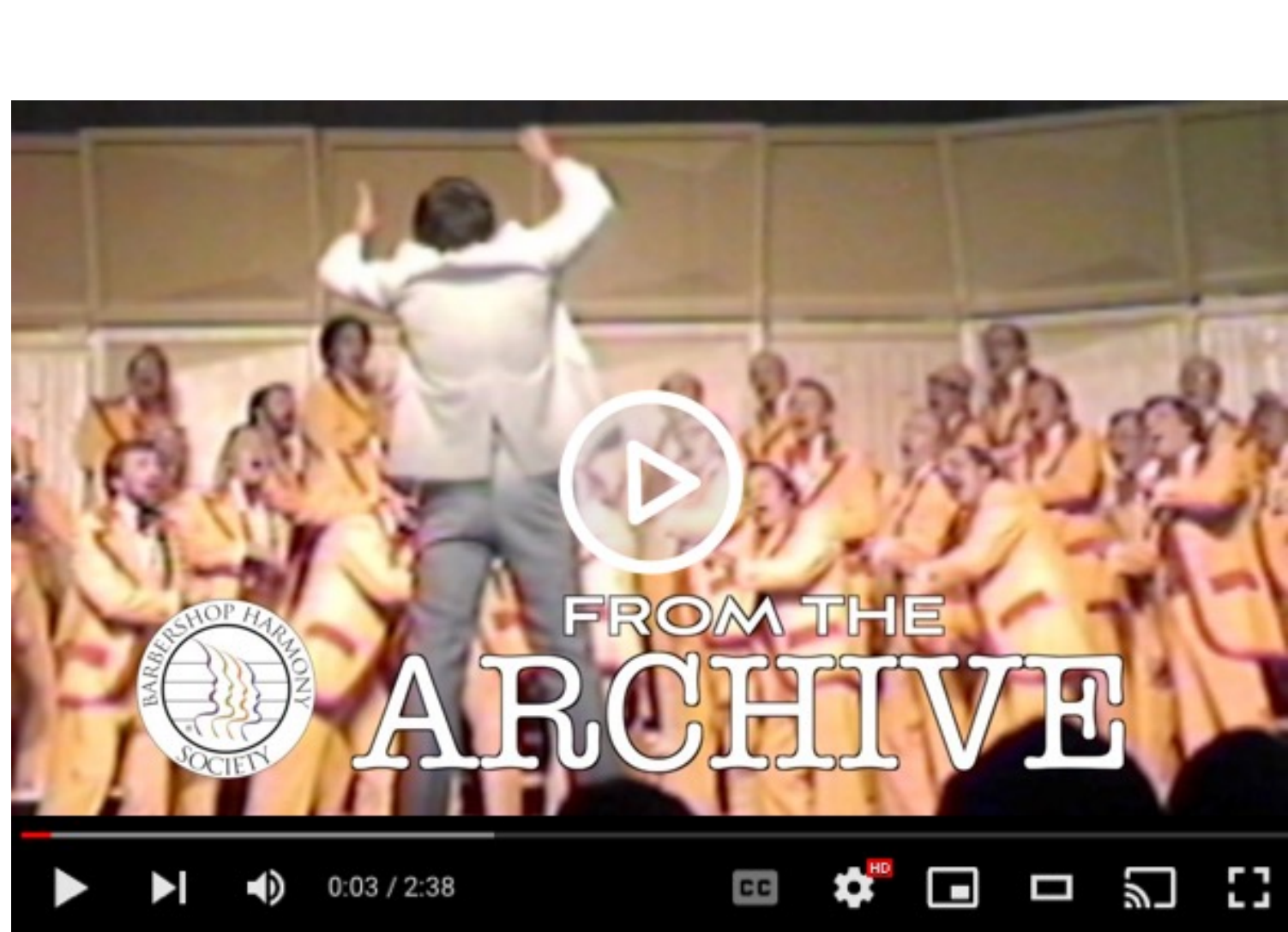


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