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BARBERSHOP NEWS

Seniors Chorus Championship to launch at 2024 Midwinter

Following several years of experimentation with festival formats, the Barbershop Harmony Society has announced a new International-level contest aimed at mature singers.

To be eligible for the **Seniors Chorus Championship**, a chorus must represent a registered BHS Chapter and District, and consist of singers aged 55 and older.

A three-year pilot of the new contest will be adjudicated under standard BHS contest rules, and begin with qualifying events in Fall 2023.

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BHS First Look will give you early access to the good stuff

Watch for news coming soon about a new YouTube offering from the Barbershop Harmony Society. BHS First Look subscribers will enjoy premieres of some of our best content — contests, shows, archival treasures — before it's released in public channels. Details coming soon!

NEXT GENERATION BARBERSHOP

2024 youth quartet contests now open



With students heading back to classrooms in the next few weeks, the BHS youth programs are back in full swing recruiting entries for its flagship contests.

Video entries are the path to either the [Junior Varsity Quartet Contest](#), held at the [2024 Midwinter Convention in New York City](#), or the [Varsity Quartet finals](#) at the 2024 International Convention in Cleveland, Ohio.

Renew your acquaintance with music educators and make them aware of these two great opportunities for their students!

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SONG OF THE WEEK

There Goes My Heart arr. Ed Waesche

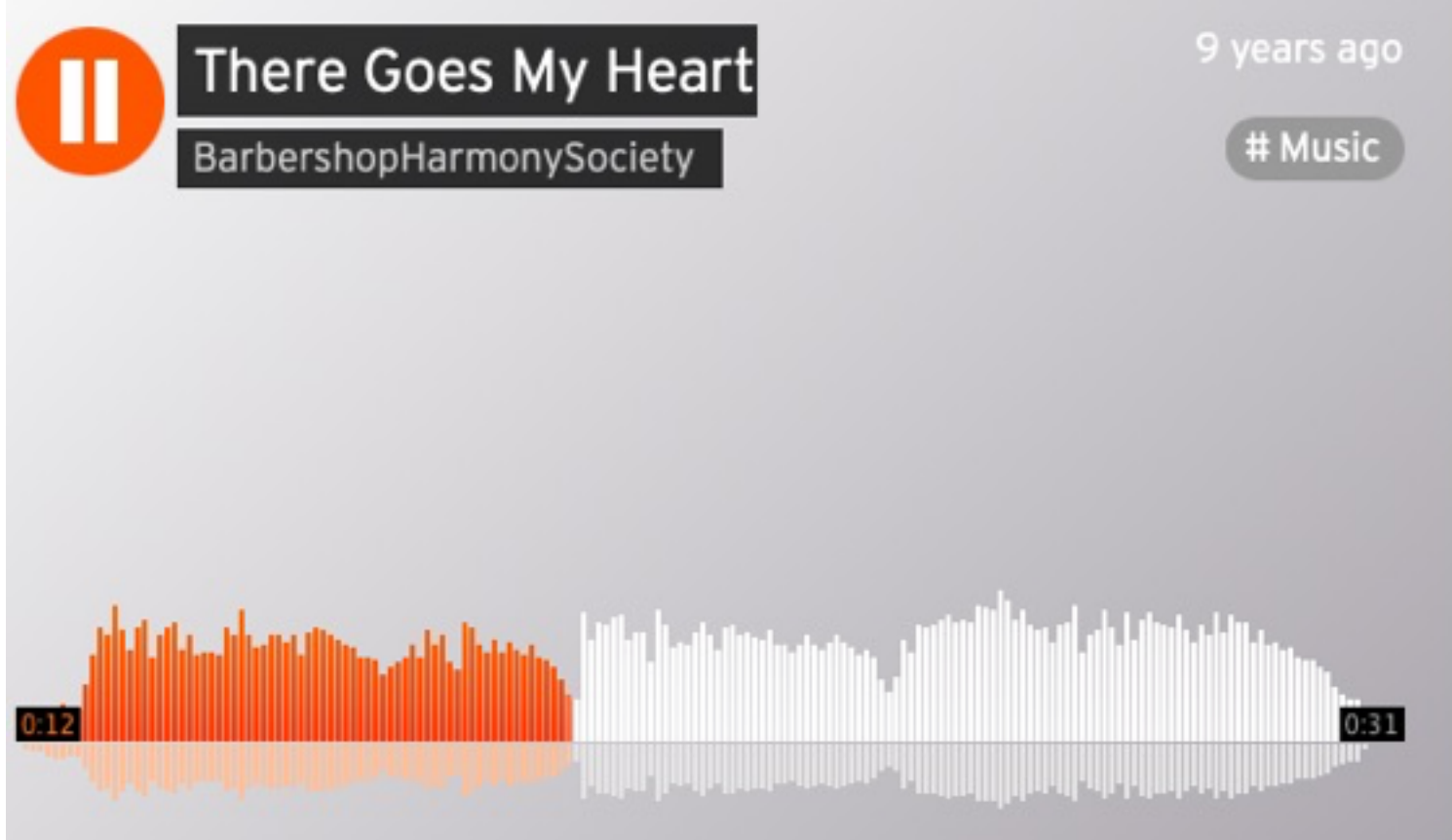
Sometimes, you just need a good, weepy, lost-love ballad. They don't make 'em any weepier or sweeter than this 1934 hit that has been covered by all the great crooners (Nat King Cole, Dinah Washington, et al.) through the decades, not to mention a hot run through barbershopdom in the 1990s-2000s. Ed Waesche's masterful arrangement is back in print; prepare for tears.

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