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BARBERSHOP NEWS

YOUTUBE PREMIERE • THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12 • 8:00PM ET

Meet the Top Ten quartets in the FREE Finals rebroadcast

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QUARTET FINALISTS
Rebroadcast



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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12
Join us September 12 at 8pm ET for a rewatch of performances from the Cleveland Quartet Finalists, streamed with the call of, PLUS interviews with the finalists (runtime ~2+ hours) All individual videos will be released the next day.
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Go behind the scenes to meet the performers who reached the Top Ten in 2024! The Barbershop Harmony Society [YouTube Channel](#) will premiere these performances, along with interviews with many of the singers, in a special live premiere next Thursday. View on any YouTube-equipped device!

Subscribe to the [BHS YouTube Channel](#) and turn on notifications to be sure you don't miss this unique experience!

WATCH MORE FREE VIDEOS

SEE THEM LIVE! FEBRUARY 1, 2025

Saturday night show to star The Vocal Majority



One of the most acclaimed choruses in barbershop history will be the star attraction on the Saturday Night Show at the [2025 Midwinter Convention](#).

With a repertoire spanning barbershop, show tunes, sacred, and patriotic music, the fabled [Vocal Majority Chorus](#) has a long reputation for musical excellence, innovation, and showmanship. And as a guest at Midwinter, you'll see the best at their best! [Your Midwinter registration includes admission to the Saturday show featuring the legendary Vocal Majority.](#)

REGISTER NOW

Use your BHS membership card to share barbershop

Next you're out singing, and someone asks, "Hey, where do you all come from?," you have a ready answer in your wallet—your BHS membership card.

Flip over your card and invite curious folks to scan the QR code with a smartphone. This opens www.barbershop.org/card where they'll find

- must-see barbershop videos
- a few easy tags to sing with strangers right away
- info on joining BHS

You'll also find info and links for you as a BHS Member, including

- [Code of Ethics](#) and [Statements of Affirmation](#)
- [Renew your membership](#)
- [Keep The Whole World Singing](#) sheet music

Scan it now to see how you can help people discover barbershop!



HARMONIZER HIGHLIGHT

Learn to write a song in only 10 steps

If Paul Olguin says you can do it, you can do it! "Can't read or write a note? Neither could Irving Berlin! Writing songs is a process—not some sort of magical gift bestowed by the gods. You can [learn to write a song](#) just like you can learn to build a bookshelf." Read more from the master craftsman in the [May/June 2011 Harmonizer](#).

See it all— The entire [Harmonizer archive](#) is online in the BHS Member Center ([login required](#).) Skim through decades of history, education, and memories, or [search the online index](#).



SONG OF THE WEEK

On the Road Again

arr. Jon Nicholas

One can hardly set out for a long driving vacation without this Willie Nelson hit in your mental playlist. A 1980 Grammy winner (Best Country Song) and Oscar-nominated for Best Original Song (from the Nelson-starring film Honeysuckle Rose,) this enduring classic rolls right along. Fun vocal instrumentation adds the flair.

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