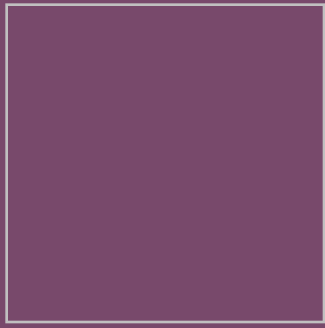




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BARBERSHOP NEWS

Barbershop looks like The Sopranotes



As the Barbershop Harmony Society becomes more expansive in its demographic range — in age, gender, and heritage — a quartet like **The Sopranotes** looks like, well, Barbershoppers. But as the rest of the world comes to us with traditional expectations, it's still pretty fresh.

That's why we love [this story](#) from the *Los Altos Town Crier*, which praises the young quartet for having "broken boundaries within the barbershop quartet community, performing a style of music that's not known to be popular among people their age."

"Along with being involved in a musical genre that's primarily performed by adult males, the teens are all girls of color. 'It felt really good, breaking into this new demographic,' Kaela Nguyen said. 'This is so different, because it's reaching out to this entirely different age group, and it really changes perspective and gets you out of your bubble.'"

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“Do you know any Clever Girl songs?”



What happens when a traditional barbershop quartet walks into a room full of superheroes, stormtroopers, and anime characters? If you're [The Sea Breeze Singers](#), the answer is simple: you sing your hearts out—and leave with nearly 50 new contacts eager to learn more about barbershop harmony. The quartet recently showcased barbershop at Corpus Christi Comic Con, where they also sat on the bridge of the Enterprise, and were clearly the best cosplayers within a light year.

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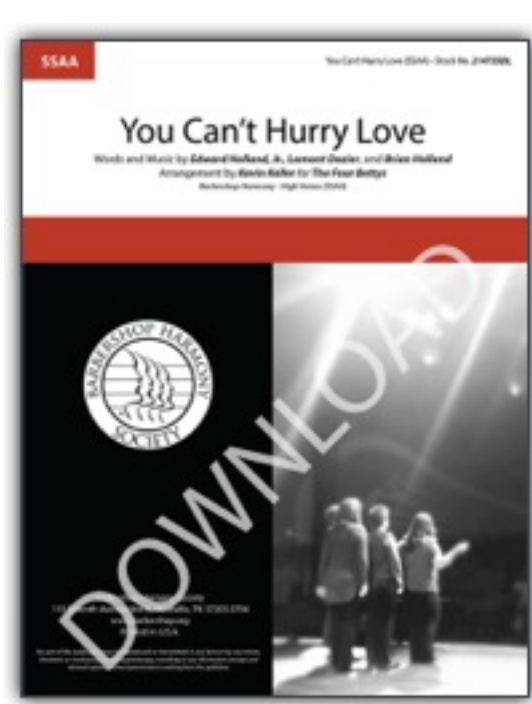
You become what you aim to become, whether it's in recruiting, chapter financial health, or expanding audiences. [Grab fresh inspiration](#) in these three key areas in the [latest Harmonizer](#), in mailboxes now and [always online](#).

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SONG OF THE WEEK

[You Can't Hurry Love](#) arr. Kevin Keller

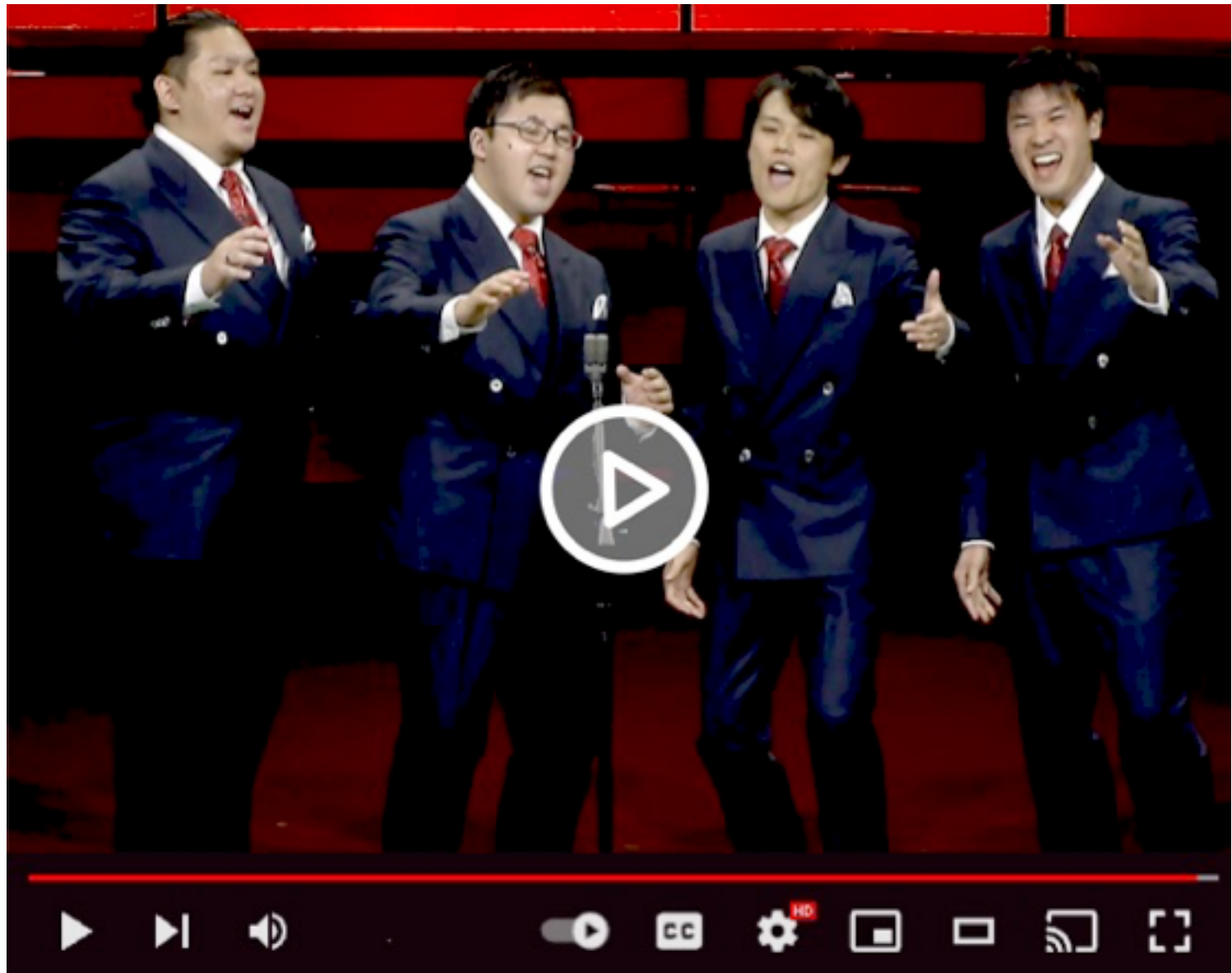
The Motown hitmaking team of Holland-Dozier-Holland cranked out hit after hit for The Supremes, including this multiplatinum winner from 1966. [Billboard](#) named the song number 19 on its list of 100 Greatest Girl Group Songs of All Time. Your audiences will love this one and want to sing along!



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