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BARBERSHOP NEWS



JUNE 28–JULY 5

Registration now open for the BHS 2026 International Convention in St. Louis!

- Lock in best seats with Premium options
- Select your own seat throughout the auditorium
- VIP seating available

REGISTER TODAY!

RESPOND TO THE SURVEY

Who are we — and where are we going?

To keep moving forward, we want to listen closely to the voices in our community—including yours! Please take 5-10 minutes to complete our survey. Your feedback will directly guide how we introduce more people to the joy of singing in harmony. The survey will close in two weeks, so don't delay.

TAKE THE SURVEY

P.S. Maybe you'll do it for a chance at a prize!

- Registration for the 2026 Midwinter Convention in Pasadena (January 13-18)
- Registration for the 2026 International Convention in St. Louis (June 28-July 5)
- \$150.00 gift value towards barbershop apparel & gifts on [shop.barbershop.org](#) (excludes sheet music & learning tracks)
- One hour virtual coaching from Steve Scott for your quartet or chorus
- *One entry per person. No purchase necessary, and BHS membership is NOT required to win prize. Quality of Steve Scott's jokes not guaranteed.*

TAKE THE SURVEY

NEXTGEN BARBERSHOP DEADLINES

Connect, compete, and perform on the biggest stages!



BHS offers a great range of ways for singers up to age 25 to feel the crackling energy of ringing barbershop harmony for wildly excited audiences. **Apply for these upcoming contests and festivals:**

Junior Programs (age 18 and under):

- **Closing soon: 2026 Junior Quartet Contest — Pasadena, CA**
 - [Apply by October 15th](#)
- **2027 Junior Chorus Festival — Midwinter 2027 location TBA**
 - [Apply by April 15th](#)

Varsity Programs (age 18-25):

- **2026 Varsity Quartet Contest — St. Louis, MO**
 - [Apply by December 1st](#)
- **2026 Varsity Chorus Festival — St. Louis, MO**
 - [Apply by December 1st](#)

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MAIL CALL

Canadian postal strike impacts shipments

Due to a [Canadian postal strike](#), BHS has paused all Membership and Marketplace shipments to Canadian addresses. This helps protect your orders from getting lost or damaged while mail service is disrupted.

For now, we recommend choosing digital download options when ordering sheet music through the BHS Harmony Marketplace. Any physical orders placed to Canadian addresses will be securely held and shipped once the strike ends.

Membership renewals aren't affected—you'll still be able to renew online through the [BHS Member Center](#). If you typically pay by cheque, our team will gladly help you with alternate payment methods.

US Postal Service not affected by federal government shutdown

According to its [official web site](#), "U.S. Postal Service operations will not be interrupted in the event of a government shutdown, and all Post Offices will remain open for business as usual."

SONG OF THE WEEK

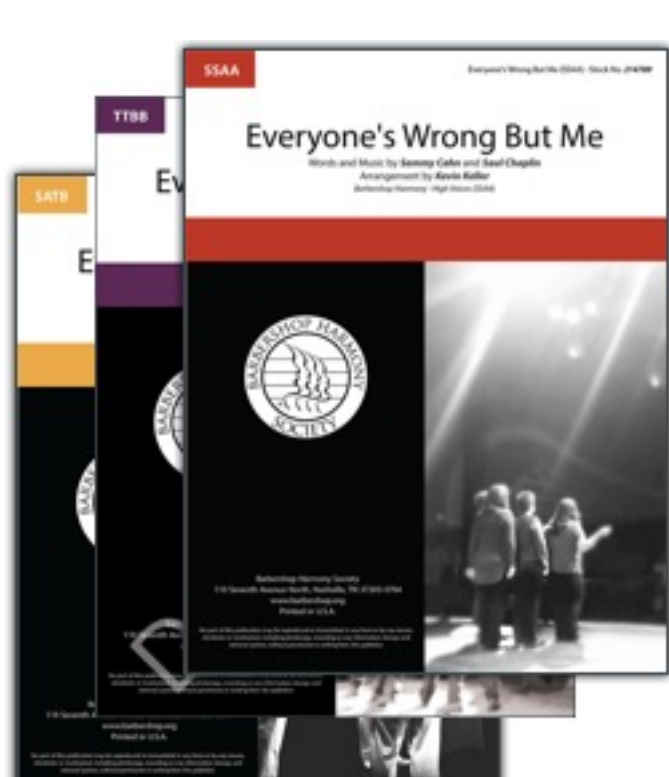
Everyone's Wrong But Me

arr. Kevin Keller

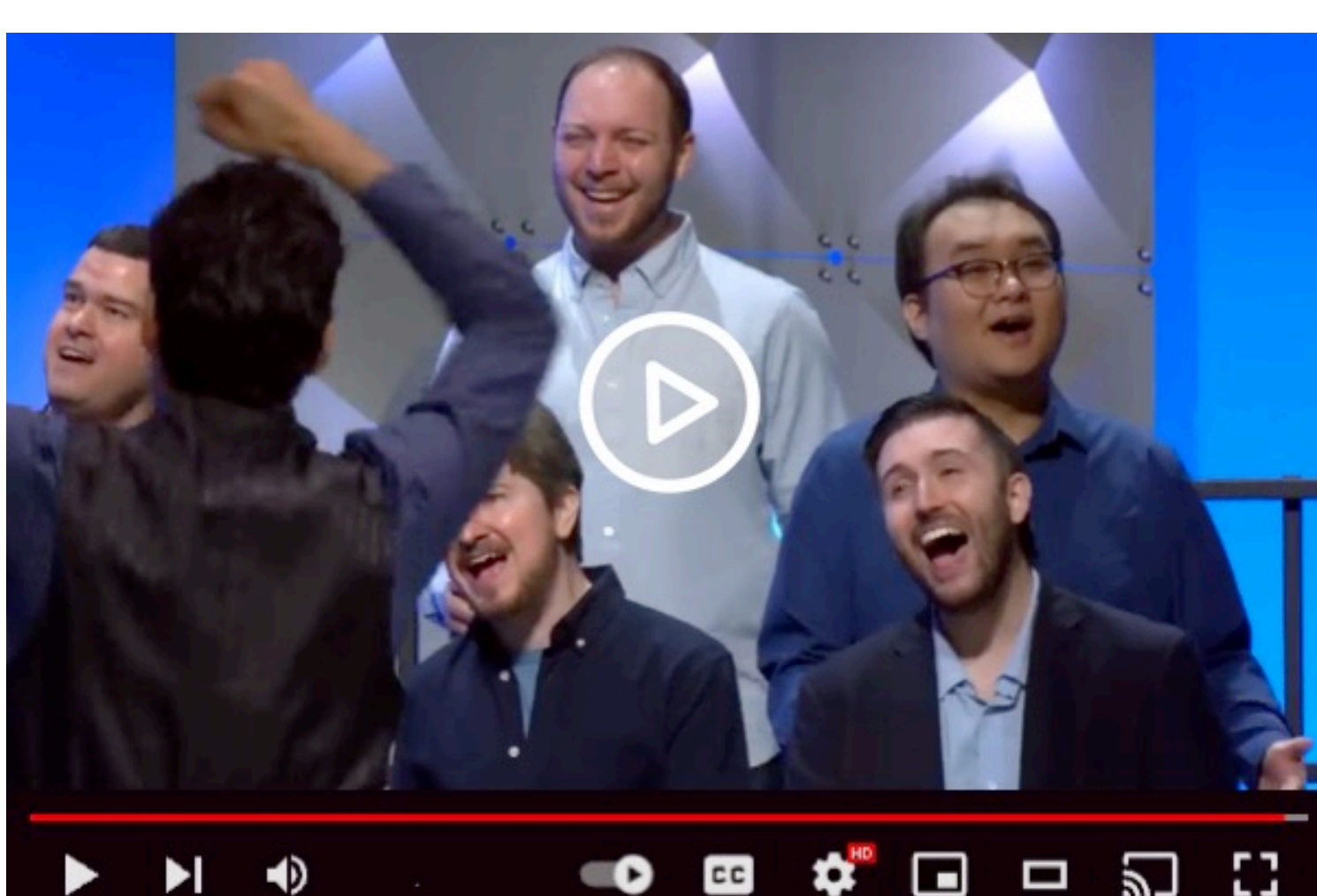
Tin Pan Alley toe-tapping goodness! Swing it, dance with it, and barbershop the heck out of this super-singable Kevin Keller chart, as [sung by Masterpiece](#). Meaty enough to sink your teeth into, accessible enough that you can master the music and explore your artistry.

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FEATURED PERFORMANCE



East Coast Sound - Love Walked In
2025 International Chorus Contest - Denver



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