

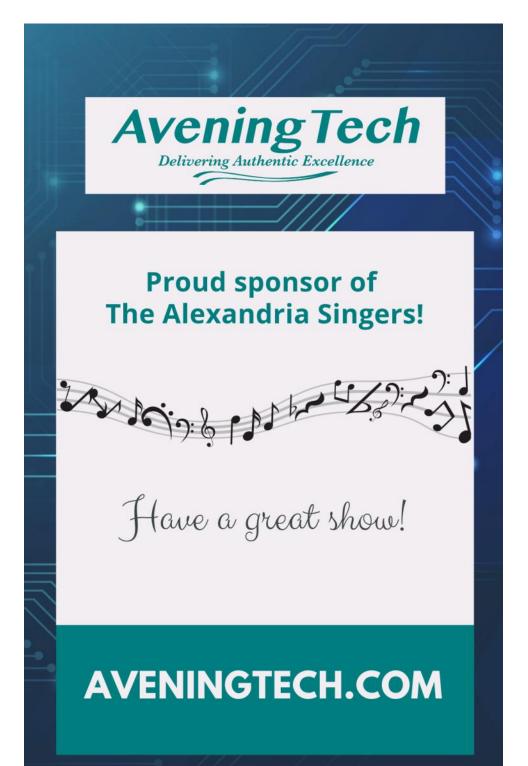
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From the Director

Dear Friends,

Plato: "Music...is the essence of order and leads to all that is good, true and beautiful."

Throughout months of challenge and change, people all over the world have embraced the importance of music so beautifully stated by Plato. While the prudent cancellation of live music performances for the safety of performers and the public has been necessary, our deep-seated need for music to entertain and enrich us has motivated artists and audiences to turn to virtual, online alternatives to live performance.

Having discontinued in-person rehearsals in mid-March of this year, and with the likelihood of virtual activity for the remainder of 2020, at least, The Alexandria Singers committed to developing and executing a comprehensive strategy to continue to pursue our Mission of "Artistry, Education and Service." In addition to weekly "virtual rehearsals" on Zoom—which include music learning, educational enrichment, vocal development, and social fun—The Singers have made plans for online entertainment and educational offerings for our valued community, leveraging today's technology platforms like Zoom, YouTube, Facebook, and others.

Has the "Singers Spirit" waned during these unique times? I can say with confidence, *"absolutely NOT!"* To the contrary, our innovative online "Virtual Guest Nights and Open Auditions" in September garnered a significant number of *new* members and members from the past. Singers alumni have even rejoined to participate in our virtual activities!

We hold dear our commitment to providing each other and YOU, our faithful fans and sponsors, events celebrating the joy of music. This "Virtual Cabaret" is a great example of fulfilling that commitment! For over a decade, The Singers have featured solo and small group performances presented by our talented Singers ensemble members in our very popular Cabaret offerings. I am delighted to host this *new*, online Cabaret in the hope that it will bring you the same joy it has brought to our Singers as they've prepared their special performances, safely created in their own homes.

As you can imagine, The Singers, as a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, rely heavily on revenue from live performances to sustain and grow our valuable efforts to entertain, educate, and provide outreach to the Alexandria community. During these challenging times and in lieu of ticket purchases for this event, I ask that you consider a donation to us online by visiting https://alexandriasingers.com/Individual_Giving and giving what you can. If you are a business entity and are interested in helping us, please contact Development@ alexandriasingers.com and our Development Team will be happy to discuss support options with you. If you are already a donor or sponsor, please accept my sincere thanks for your patronage!

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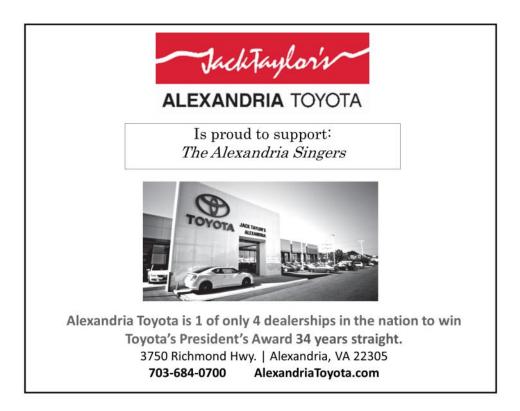


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The Alexandria Singers

Virtual Cabaret Featured Performers

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"Perfidia" "Give Me the Simple Life" "Feed the Birds" "San Francisco Bay Blues" "Hold On" "The Way I Am" "Valerie" "Happiness" "El Bateo" "Mary, Did You Know?" "Unusual Way" "A Timely Tribute to Laurie Anderson" "Astonishing"

"Cuando Voy Al Trabajo" "Fine, Fine Line" "Make You Feel My Love" "Send in the Clowns" "Tchaikowsky (and Other Russians)"

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Sana Khan April Carter Taleen Ghazarian Annabel Waggoner Julia Quintana Ali Schroer Sonya Sconiers Melissa Sheinman Danielle Snyder "Rang" (Sufi devotional; Translated, "Color") "I. Can See Clearly New"

"I Can See Clearly Now"

"Blue Skies"

"Grateful"

"Gimme Gimme"

"Dancing on My Own"

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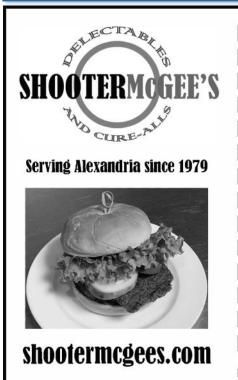
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