



Fourth Avenue

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Nationally Acclaimed A Cappella Group Performs At (Place)

CITY, STATE (Month, Day, Year) -Take high performance energy, combine it with a dynamic contemporary a cappella sound, and you have the makings of Fourth Avenue. The nationally acclaimed a cappella group will be performing at (time) on (day, date) at (place).

Since their start in 1993, Fourth Avenue has shared the stage with such national acts as The Beach Boys, The Temptations, Styx, and Three Dog Night. The group was hailed "absolutely amazing" by Ohio's Governor after performing special music for the Jobs for Ohio's Graduates celebration at the governor's residence.

In 1996, Fourth Avenue placed first at the Chicago Regional Harmony Sweepstakes and was awarded "Audience Favorite." They went on to perform at the National Harmony Sweepstakes in San Francisco where they were named one of the top eight a cappella groups in the nation. Two of the group's songs from the competition were featured on the internationally distributed album produced by the Harmony Sweepstakes Organization.

"Fourth Avenue is a legend in the a cappella universe," says Deke Sharon, founder and president of The Contemporary A Cappella Society of America (CASA).

Fourth Avenue has released four CDs that have received critical acclaim. Their arrangement of In The Midnight Hour won a Contemporary A Cappella Recording Award for Best Doo-Wop/R&B Song of the Year.

The members of Fourth Avenue include Scott Dawson, baritone; Jim Brown, bass; Ryan Holway, tenor; and Maurice Harris, tenor and vocal percussion.

Since their Tenth Anniversary in 2003, the group continues to be acknowledged for artistic excellence and to perform nationally and internationally. The quartet was featured at Kings Island amusement park in Cincinnati, Ohio for five years and was nominated for the International Association of Amusement Parks and Attractions Variety Entertainer of the Year Award. They also performed at Holland America Cruise Line's 130th Anniversary Celebration in the Netherlands and were featured in a regional ad campaign for Safe Auto Insurance in 2003, 2004 and 2006. In 2008 and 2009, Fourth Avenue was invited to perform for Michigan's Governor. They continue to tour throughout the country with their special blend of high-energy harmony.

This event is sponsored by (sponsor). Admission is (price). Tickets are available at (location).

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