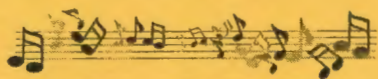


Chattanooga Choo-Choo
Barbershop Chorus
Presents

Salute to America

2000



August 19, 2000



Wanted!!

MEN WHO LIKE TO SING!



for the

Chattanooga Choo Choo Chorus

Visit us and you will discover there is nothing like an evening of barbershop harmony to chase away the cares of the day and put a smile on your face.

WHY NOT GIVE IT A TRY?

We meet every Monday evening at 7:00 PM
All Saints Academy
310 East Eighth Street

For more information please call
Shannon McConnell, Membership Vice-President

706-638-8828

Best Wishes from
Cleveland Highland Harmony Chorus

An Evening of Harmony
Featuring **PLATINUM & Four Voices**
October 14, 7:00PM
Lee University Conn Center

**CHATTANOOGA
ARMATURE WORKS**



"Service Is Our Business"
Sales • Repairing • Rebuilding
Electric Motors/Related Equipment
New & Reconditioned

1209 East 23rd Street
Phone 423-267-7665

Chattanooga, TN 37408
FAX 423-756-4404



Sweet Adelines

The Scenic City Chorus of Chattanooga, meets at East Brainerd Church of Christ at 7745 E. Brainerd Road every Tuesday night at 7:00 PM. Come join us!

Welcome

What a Country! What a Chorus! Welcome to our "Salute to America", tracing our musical heritage from its origins in the Revolution to our present day in the New Millennium. In comparison to other countries, America is very young, but we are the envy of the world in our lifestyle and economic opportunities. Thus, the members of the Chattanooga Choo Choo Chorus proudly present our musical salute to this great country and our national achievements.

The Chattanooga Choo Choo Chorus is a chapter of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quartet Singing in America (SPEBSQSA). The members are amateur musicians who share a common joy in singing in the uniquely American style of barbershop harmony. By raising funds through shows and public performances, we are generous contributors to several charitable organizations. Your attendance here helps us in raising funds, and we sincerely thank you for coming. We would also ask that you review the ads in this program and support the advertisers.

So, sit back and enjoy the show. If any listener wants to find out more about barbershop style music and joining our organization, please contact any chorus member after the show. We practice on Monday nights at 7:00 in Chattanooga at All Saints Academy 310 E. Eighth Street.

William P. Slack, President
Chattanooga Choo Choo Chorus

About the Chattanooga Chapter

by David Reynolds
Chapter Secretary

The Chattanooga Chapter was chartered as a chapter of the Barbershop Quartet Society in May of 1962. Since then, this determined group of barbershoppers with fun, fellowship, and singing in mind have met weekly. The chapter's Choo-Choo Chorus and quartets have regularly competed in Dixie District Contests. In addition, the Choo-Choo Chorus has presented at least two shows every year for the past several years, one in the Spring and one at Christmas time. The chapter has adopted the "Singing Valentines" program as a chapter project, sending many quartets throughout the greater Chattanooga area delivering over one hundred twenty Singing Valentines.

The singing quality of the Choo-Choo Chorus was recognized locally several years ago. The Chattanooga Symphony Orchestra invited the chorus to join them in their Independence Day celebration, "Pops in the Park".

The chorus continues to be honored with invitations to participate in this event. The Chattanooga barbershoppers work hard to present good barbershop harmony to their audiences, and they have fun just enjoying "barbershopping," the greatest hobby in the world!!!

The men of the
Chattanooga Choo Choo Chorus wish to express their
sincere appreciation to the
Choo Choo Belles (Ladies Auxiliary)
for their continued
assistance and support.

Best Wishes

To
The Chattanooga
Choo Choo
Chorus
and the
Chattanooga
Barbershoppers

*from one of your most
enthusiastic supporters*

Keep up the great singing!

Just What Is Barbershop Music?

On Saturday night, April 11, 1938, twenty-five men gathered at a hotel in Tulsa, Oklahoma, at the invitation of two of them to sing in barbershop quartets. As more and more singers appeared in the next few months, Owen C. Cash and Rupert T. Hall founded the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America, Inc., abbreviated as SPEBSQSA, a playful poke at the government agencies whose initials and regulations still plague us.

The style of "barbershop", now written as one word, began around 1900. It is not really four-part harmony but, rather, three parts harmonizing to a known melody, unaccompanied by instruments. The lead sings the melody and is joined by the bass, the lowest part, and the tenor, who sings consistently above the lead. The baritone, ranging above and below the melody, puts in the last note. There is usually one harmonizing chord on each melody note, although sometimes one or more voices add more notes. Often musical rules of time, expression, and word theme are sacrificed to create variety and pleasurable tension in order to delay the reaching of the expected chords.

With headquarters now in Kenosha, the "Society," as Barbershoppers refer to it, has grown into a pastime for almost 35,000 men in the U.S. and Canada, as well as for recently affiliated groups in Great Britain, Australia, New Zealand, Sweden, and other countries. A few hundred choruses and over 2,000 quartets perform regularly in and near their communities and often compete against each other, beginning in small geographic areas, with the high scorers moving up to district levels and the best each July to final contests.

Classic Harmony



Barry Owens, Dave Abercrombie, Clarence Wall, Chuck Wilson

A Barbershop Quartet

Available for

conventions, meetings, parties, banquets, attitude adjustment periods and some occasions we haven't thought of yet!

**For a fun evening
contact**

Dave Abercrombie
(423) 855-0522 Work
(423) 886-1588 Home

In Recognition

Show Chairman	Tom Keegan
Ticket Chairman	Lamar Owens
Ad Sales Chairman	David Collins
Publicity Chairman	W.C. Strickland
Program	Barry Owens
House & Afterglow	Choo Choo Belles
Stage Manager	Don Hausmann
Script Editor	David Reynolds
Ushers	Choo-Choo Belles
Sound Effects & Props	Bill McKeehan
.....	Niles Fowler

Best Wishes

From

Stokely E. Doster Jr., DDS, T.C.

"A Friend of the Society"

Parkway Baptist Temple

65 Stuart Drive
Ft. Oglethorpe, Georgia 30742

Sunday School

Nursing Home
service.

Welcome to Parkway Baptist Temple

65 Stuart Road
Ft. Oglethorpe, GA 30742
(706-) 866-0325

Senior Pastor: J. Ron Tankersley
Associate Pastor: David Sampson
Youth Director: Ernie Ellis, Jr.

Kids' Choir

Preschool Church
Elementary Children's Church
Golden Agers meet



Midweek "Power" Service 7:00 PM,

9:45 AM Sunday School
10:45 AM Morning Worship and Children's Churches
6:00 PM Evening Worship



INSURANCE FOR THE UNEXPECTED.
INVESTMENTS FOR THE OPPORTUNITIES*

John Hancock.

G. David Abercrombie

5726 Marlin Road, Suite 511
Chattanooga, TN 37411

Phone (423) 855-0522
Fax (423) 855-0525

Best Wishes
From
Jerry & Norma Lambert
"Friends of the Society"



Hamilton Place
1502 Gunbarrel Road
Chattanooga, TN 37421

423.485.9496
423.892.8208 fax
423.550.5446 pager

M227@atriacom.com

Chattanooga Choo Choo Chorus

Chattanooga Chapter
SPEBSQSA, Inc.
Paul Blazek, Director

Basses

Hiram Altman
Paul Blazek
Forrest Bugher
David Collins
Edgar Dawson
Bob Dunkin
Erby Erwin
Lloyd Gimber
Lamar Green
Dick Hagar
Don Hausmann
Pete Jones
Scott McKenzie
Wayne Pruett
Lonnie Satterfield
Bob Stansbury
W.C. Strickland
Clarence Wall

Baritones

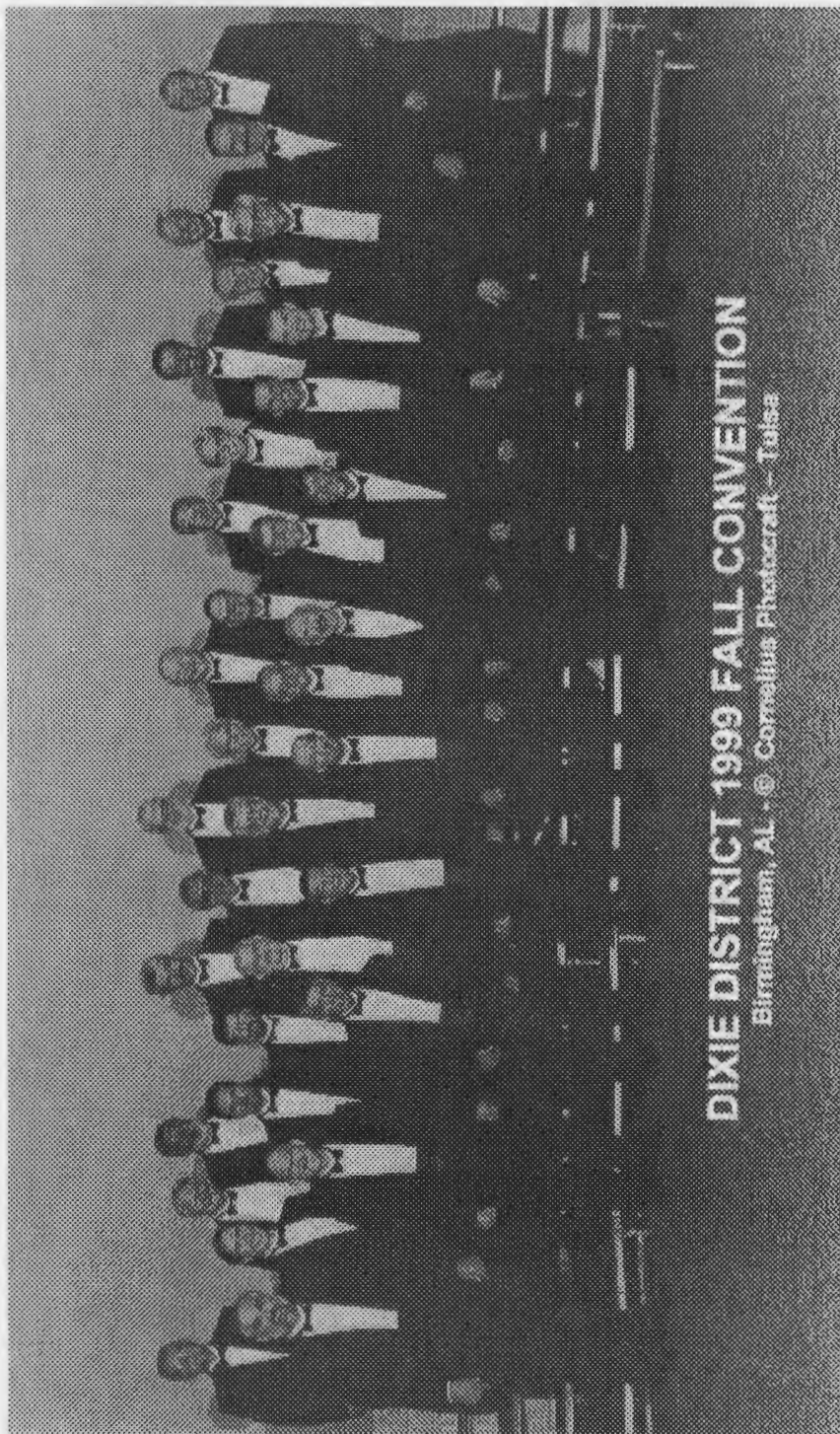
Brooks Gist
Rick Kulp
Tony Fowler
Johnny Jackson
John Johnston
John Kirk
Benny Malone
Bill McKeegan
Bud Moore
David Reynolds
Chuck Wilson

Leads

David Abercrombie
Matt Blazek
Pat Crowe
Tony Duke
Earle Fraser
Steve Grubb
Gregg Harris
Sam Jones
Tom Keegan
J. W. Kirk
Shannon McConnell
Lamar Owens
Bernard Peek
Richard Poole
Bill Slack
Lamar Smith
Hobby Thomas
Ron Weaver

Tenors

Dan Bruns
Niles Fowler
Albert Green
Fred Jesse
Barry Owens
Ronnie Satterfield
Scott Walker



Send us a singer, We'll send you a free ticket!

As a faithful supporter of the Choo-Choo Chorus you know how much fun we have singing together and entertaining our audiences.

Picture your friend, husband, dad or brother decked out in our dazzling costume, singing his heart out for you. Gives you chills, doesn't it?

What Luck! We're looking for singers!
And we're willing to pay you for one.

Here's the deal: give us the names of men who like to sing. If someone you refer becomes a member, we'll give you a **Free Ticket** to our next show, so you can see and hear your friend on stage.

For more information, call the Choo-Choo Chorus
at
706-638-8828 and talk with Shannon McConnell

Patrons of our chorus

Mrs. Melvin D. Grubb
New York Life Insurance Company
Rita's Hair Place

Quartets

4 Guys #1

Dan Bruns	Tenor	Barry Owens	Tenor
Ron Weaver	Lead	Dave Abercrombie	Lead
John Johnston	Bari	Chuck Wilson	Bari
Paul Blazek	Bass	Clarence Wall	Bass

Classic Harmony

Rock City 4

Fred Jesse	Tenor	Claude Walker	Tenor
Bill Slack	Lead	Tom Keegan	Lead
John Johnston	Bari	David Reynolds	Bari
David Collins	Bass	Dick Hagar	Bass

Harrison Bay Harmonizers

4 Guys #2

Dan Bruns	Tenor
Ron Weaver	Lead
David Reynolds	Bari
Paul Blazek	Bass

VLQ

(Very Large Quartet)

Dave Collins, Director
Ron Weaver, Assistant Director

Pat Crowe	Lead	Brooks Gist	Bari
Sam Jones	Lead	Bill McKeehan	Bari
J. W. Kirk	Lead		
Rick Poole	Lead	Hiram Altman	Bass
Lamar Smith	Lead	Bob Dunkin	Bass
Ron Weaver	Lead	Pete Jones	Bass
		David Collins	Bass
Niles Fowler	Tenor		
A. J. Green	Tenor		

"Where Cleaning is an Art"

Whiteway Cleaners

400 Spring Street
Rossville, GA 30741
(706) 866-8629
BARBARA & DELL SCHRIMSHER

S & M Cleaners

K-Mart Plaza
Ft. Oglethorpe, GA 30742
(706) 861-1203
PAT HAMIL

Mary E. Yeager - President

(706) 866-5208

Very Large Quartet V. L. Q.

A small part of the Choo-Choo Chorus, these guys are available during the day or evening to sing for your senior's group, retirement home program, etc.

For appointment, call Sam Jones at 375-5431.



Salute to America 2000

Emcee	Rich Randall, KZ 106
<i>What A Country</i>	Chorus
<i>Early American Medley</i>	Chorus, VLQ, Soloist: Dan Bruns
<i>American Revolution Medley</i>	Chorus, Classic Harmony
<i>Minstrel Montage</i>	Chorus, Chord Encounters
<i>Civil War Medley</i>	Chorus, Harrison Bay Harmonizers, Solists: Dave Abercrombie & Steve Grubb
<i>Geroge M. Cohan Medley</i>	Rock City 4
<i>Give Me Your Tired, Your Poor</i>	Four Guys #1
<i>There's a Long, Long Trail</i>	Chorus
<i>Till We Meet Again</i>	Chorus, Chord Encounters
<i>Yes Sir, That's My Baby</i>	Harrison Bay Harmonizers
<i>God Bless America</i>	Chorus, Rock City Four
<i>My Missouri Home</i>	Four Guys #2
<i>Chattanooga Choo-Choo</i>	Classic Harmony
<i>Nearer My God To Thee</i>	VLQ, Soloist: Brooks Gist
<i>What A Country (Reprise)</i>	Chorus

15 Minute Intermission

Special Guest

Overture

<i>Star Spangled Banner</i>	Chorus
<i>This Is My Country</i>	Chorus

Overture

Overture was formed in the fall of 1999 with the dual goals of competing and entertaining audiences throughout the southeast. In their first contest they qualified for the International contest in Kansas City. In Kansas City they finished 33rd best in the world. While the quartet itself is relatively young, the members of the quartet have much experience in the barber-shop genre.

Tenor Jack Donaldson is in the operations department for the utility company in Knoxville. He and his wife, Sharlene, and two children live in Corryton, TN. Jack is currently on the Dixie District Board of Directors, managing the conventions and meetings for the district. He has been in several district finalist quartets, and prior to Kansas City made one International appearance with Road Show in 1998. When not barbershopping, Jack likes to get involved in sports, and is a UT alum and sports fan.

Tom Crook (Lead) and his wife, Malia, live in Hendersonville, NC. Tom is a Board Certified Medical Technologist, currently serving as Operations Manager for a private laboratory in Asheville. He has been in a couple of different district finalist quartets, and made his first International appearance this year. During his off hours, Tom enjoys SCUBA diving, tennis, painting or planting "something" around the house, and of course, barber-shop singing.

Baritone Mike Tipton is a manufacturing facilitator for an orthopedics products company based in Powell, TN. He and his wife, Ann, live in Corryton, TN. Mike has been a district finalist several times, and in 1990 his quartet, Sound Standard, won the district championship. They went on to appear at International five times, culminating with a top 20 finish in 1995 in Miami. Mike also sang at International in 1998 with Road Show. Aside from barbershopping Mike is involved in many different types of music, and is the music director at his church. In his spare time Mike enjoys fishing and piano tuning.

Bob Eubanks (bass) and his wife, Pam, live in Knoxville. Bob is a web developer for a consulting firm in Knoxville. He served on the District Board of Directors for three years as Vice President for Chapter Support and Leadership Training. Bob has also been in several district finalist quartets, and he holds the distinction of being one of a handful of men to have won the district championship twice; with the Gents in 1979, and with Sound Standard in 1990. Prior to Kansas City, Bob appeared at International with Sound Standard twice, once with Match Point, and once with Road Show. Away from barbershopping he is a church music director, and enjoys running, racketball, and ballroom dancing. The orange hair that you see is because Bob is also a UT alum and an avid fan.



"Your Favorite Hometown Jeweler"

Phone: (706) 866-3522

Fax: (706) 861-4224

501-B Alamar St.

Fort Oglethorpe, GA 30742

12 months to 11 years



Debbie Gilbert

Director

Amber Long

Owner

Joyland Christian Day Care, Inc.

Kids Kastle School Age Program

(706) 866-7313 or

(706) 866-1926

1301 Cross Street

Fort Oglethorpe, GA 30742

CDS 

Chickamauga Drug Store

Phil Talley, R.Ph.

Post Office Box 250
Chickamauga, Georgia 30707
(706) 375-2611
(706) 375-7445
(706) 375-6219 (Fax)



Member Million
Dollar Club

JANICE OWENS

Affiliate Broker

Licensed in TN and GA

7522 E. Brainerd Rd.
Chattanooga, TN 37421
OFFICE: (423) 899-5943
RES: (423) 894-9980
PAGER: 514-3631
VOICE MAIL: 899-5944 EXT. 165

RealtyCenter  **Better
Homes
and Gardens®**
OF CHATTANOOGA, INC.
"Each Firm Independently Owned and Operated"

CHATTANOOGA ■ IMAGING

E A S T

1755 Gunbarrel Road • Suite 201

Chattanooga, Tennessee 37421

(423) 778-8488

Providing High Quality
Outpatient Imaging Services

Radiology • Fluoroscopy • Computed Tomography
Diagnostic Ultrasound • Bone Mineral Density
Magnetic Resonance Imaging • Screening
Mammography • Diagnostic Mammography
Breast Ultrasound • Nuclear Radiology •
Nuclear Cardiology

Benny

Dave

Congratulations!

From the
**Harrison Bay
Harmonizers**

P.S. Want some harmony for your
group meeting or party?

Call - 756-5660

Dick

Tom



Park Place Restaurant

2891 Lafayette Road
Fort Oglethorpe GA 30742

Phone: 861-5368

Menu Line: 861-4368

Smoke-Free
Family Atmosphere

Monday thru Saturday
10:45 A. M. till 8:00 P. M.

Jack & Karen Goodlett



PATTI CONNOR
GENERAL MANAGER

5771 BRAINERD RD
CHATTANOOGA, TN 37411
423.490.0573
423.855.6819

Est. 1983

Martha's Fine Arts & Gallery INC. Quality Custom & Conservation Framing

110 West Forrest Road • Ft. Oglethorpe, GA
706-861-2213 • FAX 706-861-2275

President
Joseph Oliver Jr.

Limited Editions
By Various Artists

Highland Plaza Exxon

877-4800

4004 Hixon Pike

Chattanooga, Tennessee

Jim Forester, owner

"Dedicated to the advancement of
Tennessee's historical education"

Blue & Grey Tennessee Historical Society



Representing Marshall's Battery, CSA
26th Pennsylvania Battery, USA
79th Indiana, USA
38th Tennessee Infantry, CSA
& Civilians
P.O. Box 91415
Chattanooga, TN 37412
(423) 629-8780 (423) 843-3553 sbrogdon@olanmills.com



- Organized in 1996
- Largest artillery re-enacting unit within 150 mile radius
- 40 + members
- Three full-scale Civil War Cannons
- Traveling forge (blacksmith shop)
- Varied personnel background: engineers, truck drivers, doctors, police officers, lawyer, etc.
- Educational programs for schools and businesses
- Full-scale "Living History Portrayals with soldiers, medical and civilians

"We Rent for Less"

899-5621



*** Service**

Always

DONNA'S Rent-A-Car & Sales

1419 S. Moore Rd.
Chattanooga, TN 37412

Donna Slater
President



**"Cookie the Cop" protects
your health and property.**

629-2563

COOK'S PEST CONTROL, Inc.

2000 Amnicola Highway
Chattanooga, Tennessee

The Paper Touch

FOR QUALITY PAPERHANGING
SINCE 1984

JUDY JESSE
(706) 375-5935

123 THREE NOTCH RD.
RINGGOLD, GEORGIA 30736

Mon. - Fri. 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Saturday: 9:00 AM - NOON



2A PAINT & BODY SHOP

Expert Paint & Body Work
All Types Framework

Sid Lewis - Owner
Phone - 861-3168
Fax - 858-8248
Pager - 819-4778

207 Alamar Street
Ft. Oglethorpe, GA 30742



Graphics Hair Design, Inc.

861-6500

138 BATTLEWOOD DRIVE
FORT OGLETHORPE, GA 30742

Brenda Satterfield - owner/stylist
Rhonda Harris - salon manager/stylist
Phyllis Haggard - salon co-ordinator/receptionist

Stylists

Diane Bradley
Carrie Brogdon
Monica Carroll
Gale Ellis
Thomas Keith
Kristi Saylors
Angie Templeton
Katie Womach

Technicians

Erin Callahan
LaTisha Morgan

Best Wishes for a Great Show!

Rock City 4



Benny, Fred, David, Bill



706/861-1814
Fax: 706/861-1815

uniforms unlimited, inc.

1026 Battlefield Parkway
Fort Oglethorpe, GA 30742

BARBARA GLADDEN

Your Bank of Choice

for Checking Accounts
VISA Check Cards • Credit Cards
Mortgages • Loans • IRAs
and much more ... 1-888-695-9431



COHUTTA BANKING COMPANY

Congratulations!

David Collins

*Chattanooga Chapter's
1999 Barbershopper of the Year*

We appreciate your dedication and hard work

Four Guys

One of Dixie's top ten quartets



John

Paul

Ron

Dan

David Emery, General Manager
Bob Brozman, Manager
Jamey Mays, Manager



5637 Brainerd Road
Chattanooga, TN 37411
(423) 855-0376
Fax (423) 855-9705

DALTONIAN

CARPET AND CUSHION, INC.

Thomas Keegan
Vice President Sales

205 Keen Dr.
Dalton, Georgia 30720

Phone 706-275-9794
Fax 706-226-9896
WATS 1-800-788-1408

AMERICA'S BEST TOURS

MOTOR COACH

AIR

First Quality tours at an Affordable Cost.



Customized tours

CRUISES

Barbara

Harry D. Moore

"Dedicated to providing miles of pleasure"

(423) 629-4245
1-800-797-4245
(423) 629-4294 fax

AMERICAS BEST TOURS
4143 Ringgold, Road Suite D
Chattanooga, Tennessee 37412



316 Chickamauga Avenue
2821 Chattanooga Valley Road • 4914 Battlefield Parkway

EQUAL HOUSING LENDER

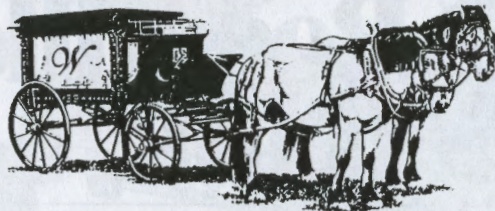
866-7932

Member FDIC

Best Wishes to the "Barbershoppers"

We have enjoyed the trips with you and appreciate the wonderful job you do to enrich the lives of others.

W. L. WILSON & SONS FUNERAL HOME



FORT OGLETHORPE, GA 30742
"We Care"

(706) 866-5555

ISIAH 40:31

But they that wait upon
the Lord shall renew
their strength; they
shall mount up with
wings as eagles...

- Locally family-owned and operated since 1976
- Pre-Arrangements are on of your greatest investments
- We sell caskets



Fred Astaire Mystery Night

August 26, 2000 7:00 PM
Chattanooga State C. C. Bond Auditorium

Ballroom Dance Performance by
Students and Staff of Fred Astaire Dance Studio
5766 Brainerd Road, Chattanooga, TN 37411

Choreographer: Bruno Collins, FADS National Dance Director

Advanced Tickets: \$10 At the door \$12
Children 12 and under \$6

Call 892-5861 for more information



THE PET PALACE

Grooming • Boarding • Supplies
Call Today For An Appointment

1391 N. Main St.
LaFayette, GA 30728
(706) 638-1550

Lori Avans
Pet Stylist

Just a Reminder...

Because of copyright laws, audio and video taping in this production is prohibited. Also, the chorus and quartets and members of the audience would appreciate no flash pictures during the program.