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SIXTIES HITS WITH THE MIDTOWN MEN AND THE CHARLOTTE SYMPHONY NOV 1 & 2
*FOUR STARS FROM ORIGINAL CAST OF JERSEY BOYS PERFORM MUSIC FROM THE BEACH BOYS,
THE BEATLES, THE FOUR SEASONS AND MORE WITH THE ORCHESTRA*

October 17, 2013 | CHARLOTTE, NC – Hits from The Beach Boys, The Beatles, The Rascals, The Four Seasons and sixties favorites will rock the Belk Theater when The Midtown Men (original cast members of Broadway's *Jersey Boys*) perform with the Charlotte Symphony.

Formed in 2007, The Midtown Men reunites the four stars from the original cast of one of the biggest hits of all time, *Jersey Boys*—Tony Award winner Christian Hoff, Michael Longoria, Daniel Reichard and Tony Award nominee J. Robert Spencer—making them the first-ever vocal group formed by the principal cast of a high-profile Broadway show.



And they are talented entertainers in their own right.

On their first radio single “All Alone on Christmas,” the Midtown Men collaborated with rock-and-roll icon Stevie Van Zandt, featuring Van Zandt and members of Bruce Springsteen's E Street Band. The group also had the distinct honor of opening the National Tree Lighting Ceremony at the White House

Their self-titled debut album *The Midtown Men: Sixties Hits* was met with critical acclaim and garnered five-star album reviews across iTunes. The album was recorded in New York City and features the group performing such iconic '60s hits as, “Can't Buy Me Love,” “Up On The Roof,” “Time Of The Season” and “Candy Girl.”

With each tour their reach has grown. With this current run in 2012-13, their third headlining tour, they plan to perform over 140 shows in 77 cities from coast to coast. Charlotte audiences can experience their acclaimed top-shelf choreography, incredible vocal performances and legendary on-stage chemistry with the Charlotte Symphony, under the baton of conductor Albert-George Schram, at 8 pm on Friday, November 1 and Saturday, November 2 at the Belk Theater.

Tickets start at \$27.50 and are available at charlottesymphony.org or by calling the Charlotte Symphony ticket office at 704-972-2000.

About the Charlotte Symphony

Founded in 1932 and led by internationally renowned Music Director Christopher Warren-Green, the Charlotte Symphony is a non-profit organization that serves our whole community through music that

educates, entertains and enriches the human spirit. We are world-class musicians, music teachers and music lovers. We put violins in the hands of Charlotte's children and actively nurture the next generation with our programs in music education. We bring artistic excellence to Charlotte's parks and hospitals, schools and churches, stadiums and concert halls. The Charlotte Symphony is a cornerstone of our cultural community, connecting people and adding value to our lives through music.

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