

INSIDE PANEL (3.5 in) What our fans say:

"I found myself singing along to songs I've always loved They really do inspire joy with their sounds! A perfect name for an extraordinary troupe. Hampton Roads should be proud and excited about the Sounds of Joy's emergence on our entertainment scene."

> - Meyera E. Oberndorf Former Mayor, City of Virginia Beach

"This chorus is so full of life and sings such wonderful music that our audience at the Dance for Cancer benefit was enchanted and delighted!' - Aleli Romero, M.D. Dance for Cancer/Lee's Friends

Past President, Colonial Coast Girl Scouts



"After their performance we made instant arrangements to book Sounds of Joy for next year's Jersey Shore 'Tour for the Cure' breast cancer weekend. Each member paid his/ her own travel expenses for the 8-hour bus trip up here! They generously and literally put their money where their Randy Bishop

Chamber of Commerce, Ocean Grove, NJ

'People drove from as far away as Philadephia for our fundraiser. And they told us that they enjoyed this show more than many they'd seen on New York's Broadway!"

- Marion V. Reed Secretary, Trinity Methodist Church



BACK COVER (3.5 in) 'Goosebumps & Teardrops"



That's our director Joan Kennedy's favorite description for the experience we try to evoke in our audiences.

Sounds of Joy began in early 1999, and now has nearly 50 singers, regular and guest instrumentalists, a fully volunteer staff, a trailer full of equipment, and 501(c)(3) IRS Not-for-Profit status.

From the start we reached out, especially, to nursing homes, rehabilitation and retirement centers, serving the underserved, fulfilling our mission to bring joy and inspiration – and nothing inspires the heart like music. We love to do that, and just "can't not sing!" – especially together.

Our repertory includes "classic pop," Broadway tunes, patriotic songs, Americana, folk, and inspirational music, old and new.

We perform about 12 times a year, financed through the generosity of our members, of places where we sing, and by geneorus friends and contributors.

We are available for public or private gatherings of any sort – meetings, conferences, conventions, parties, picnics, banquets, open houses, block parties, charitable or fund-raising events, retirement and rehabilitation centers, nursing homes, and whatever special event you may be planning.

For bookings and information visit our website: www.soundsofjoy.org

Specializing in the music you love!

FRONT COVER (3.5 in)

rt Direction & Design: FRANCIS SPOREF ting 123@aol.com or 757-340-1996 SAFE ZONE —



**Me let our hearts Unit mission is to bring joy to our audiences. We let our hearts shine and our voices ring to uplift and inspire all with hear us.

We serve the Hampton Roads communities → all beyond — at public and private venues. We are especially committed to entertain shut-ins and to help with benefits for service -drien ed charitable organizations and churches. We bring you our Sounds of Joy!!

Chesapeake Public Library's Civil War Days



Joan Kennedy

Joan has studied piano and voice for many years, has starred on the musical stage, sung with many local churches as a soloist, and with internationally acclaimed choral conductors. She is a well-known teacher of voice and piano, is Director of the Westminster Canterbury Chapel Choir and Choral Director at Unity of Tidewater in Virginia Beach.





Greg also performs with the Virginia Beach



John Afarling
John holds a piano performance
degree from Oberlin College.
He is Music Director at Unity of
Tidewater in Virginia Beach.

Pam Suino



Also an SOJ singer, Pam has an extensive background. including with

I'd like to help!

Your tax-deductible contributions help us serve the greater Hampton Roads area – and beyond – by supporting our ongoing operating expenses, such as music and equipment purchases, maintenance, and myriad other costs. A receipt will be sent to you.

Ves! I want to give my financial support to the Sounds of Joy so you may continue inspiring people's hearts with your wonderful music.

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