

# Berit Johnson

## Lyric Soprano with Coloratura Tendencies

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### Opera/Musical Theatre Roles

<i>Matilda The Musical</i>	Miss Honey	Lees-McRae Summer Theatre	2022
<i>The Denim King</i>	Bertha Cone	Well-Spring Theatre	2022
<i>America's Artist: The Norman Rockwell Story</i>	Mary Rockwell	Lees-McRae Summer Theatre	2021
<i>The Cunning Little Vixen</i> (Janáček)	Fox	Lyric Theatre at Illinois	2019
<i>Songs for a New World</i>	Woman 2	Lyric Theatre at Illinois	2019
<i>Crazy For You</i>	Patricia Fodor	Lyric Theatre at Illinois	2019
<i>The Rape of Lucretia</i>	Lucia	Lyric Theatre at Illinois	2019
<i>The Pirates of Penzance</i>	Isabel	Lyric Theatre at Illinois	2018
<i>Take Flight</i> (opp. Nathan Gunn)	Amelia Earhart	Lyric Theatre at Illinois	2018
<i>Iolanthe</i>	Celia	College Light Opera Company	2018
<i>The Rocky Horror Picture Show</i>	Janet Weiss	Southwest Summer Theatre	2014

### Chorus/Ensemble

<i>Sweeney Todd</i>	Ensemble	College Light Opera Company	2018
<i>La Perichole</i>	Chorus	College Light Opera Company	2018
<i>Pippin</i>	Player	College Light Opera Company	2018
<i>Wonderful Town</i>	Ensemble	College Light Opera Company	2018
<i>The Pirates of Penzance</i>	Chorus	Fargo/Moorhead Opera	2017
<i>Amahl and the Night Visitors</i>	Chorus	Fargo/Moorhead Opera	2016
<i>Les Miserables</i>	Ensemble	Concordia Theatre	2014

### Concert Work

Goodall's Eternal Light: A Requiem	Soprano Soloist	Church of the Transfiguration NYC	2023
M. Praetorius' <i>Puer Natus in Bethlehem</i>	Soprano Soloist	Church of the Transfiguration NYC	2021
J. Haydn's <i>Missa Sancti Hieronymi</i>	Soprano Soloist	Champaign/Urbana Oratorio Society	2018
Earth Tones - LPCO Spring Concert	Soprano Soloist	Long Prairie Chamber Orchestra	2017
The Concordia Choir Tours	Soprano Soloist	The Concordia Choir	2017-2018

### Choral Experience

Church of the Transfiguration NYC	Alto & Sop. Singer/Soloist	Claudia Dumschat, dir.	2021-present
Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd (Minneapolis, MN)	Frequent Soloist/Cantor	Ralph Johnson, dir.	2012-2021
First Presbyterian Church of Urbana (IL)	Sop. Section Leader	Lee Sinhaeng, dir.	2019-2020
Emmanuel Memorial Episcopalian Church (IL)	Sop. Section Leader	Geoffrey Williams, dir.	2018-2019
U of IL Chamber Singers	Soprano	Andrew McGill, dir.	2018-2019
The Concordia Choir (Moorhead, MN)	Soprano, Soloist	René Clausen, dir.	2015-2018

### Education/Training

2020	Master of Music in Vocal Performance from University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign
2018	Bachelor of Music in Vocal Performance and Theatre Art from Concordia College Moorhead, MN

### Honors and Awards

Illinois Opera Theatre Enthusiasts Award for Excellence	Illinois Opera Theatre Enthusiasts	2020
NATS Vocal Competition Semi-Finalist	National Association of Teachers of Singing	2016, 2017
Concordia Choir Scholar	Concordia College	2017
Irene Ryan Acting Competition Semi-Finalist	Kennedy Center American College Theatre Festival	2017
Village Scholars Arts Scholar	Minneapolis Foundation	2014
Concordia College Music Scholar	Concordia College	2014

### Directors

Richard Maltby, Jr.  
Dawn Harris  
Sarah Wigley  
Jacob Allen  
David Ward  
Rob Schneider

### Voice Teachers

Dawn Harris  
Sarah Wigley  
Dr. Holly Janz  
Leah Reddy  
John Lynn

### Coaches/Masterclass

Nathan Gunn  
Julie Gunn  
Jerold Siena  
Kevin Stites  
Stephen Sulich  
Franc D'Ambrosio

