



THE GAY MEN'S CHORUS OF SOUTH FLORIDA
UNDER THE ARTISTIC DIRECTION OF GABE SALAZAR PRESENTS



IN VINCIBLE

SEASON
16

A SEASON OF STRENGTH, SIZZLE, & SONG

OVER 180 SINGING MEMBERS





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A Message From The Artistic Director Gabe Salazar



"INVINCIBLE: A Season of Strength, Sizzle & Song" Season 16 is an invitation for all of us to step into something larger than any single stage or chorus. Under the theme *INVINCIBLE: A Season of Strength, Sizzle, & Song*, we celebrate not only the resilience of the LGBTQ+ community but also the power of music to unite, uplift, and affirm who we are together. It is this unity and connection that make our community strong and give us the ability to endure whatever challenges may come our way. Each concert becomes a shared moment where our voices reflect courage, joy, and authenticity, reminding us that strength is multiplied when we come together as one.

This season's journey is filled with experiences that mirror our collective spirit. From the sparkle and camp of the holidays to an ABBA-inspired

celebration that dares everyone to let loose, every performance is a chance to laugh, dance, and feel at home in our truth. As we close the season with a new composition honoring lives lost and hope renewed, we reaffirm the importance of remembering our past while daring to envision a brighter tomorrow. Season 16 belongs to all of us. It's a reminder that our community's story is one of triumph and joy, even in the face of hardship. Together, we prove that we are not just survivors; we are invincible.

With gratitude and anticipation,

Gabe



THE CHIC & Unique BALL

Step Into Burlesque

at Seminole Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Hollywood

Saturday, November 1, 2025

The fiercest fundraiser of the year is back—ready to slay with tease, sparkle, and heart. GMCSF invites you to *Step Into Burlesque*, a night of high glamour and cheeky surprises. This is Burlesque, darling! Make it stunning! Dress boldly! Remember, honey, high heels lead to high bids.

The Chic & Unique Ball is a night to dazzle—and be dazzled. Sponsorship opportunities for the event are now closed.

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Holiday Slay Ride at Hard Rock Live Tuesday, December 9, 2025

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Buckle up for *Holiday Slay Ride*, a glitter-studded celebration featuring classic carols, pop flair, and festive camp to bring the season to life at the home of our Amplified Season Sponsor, Seminole Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Hollywood. The Chorus debuts two campy rewrites you'll be obsessed with. Irving Berlin's classic "White Christmas" gets a fierce makeover as "Pink Christmas," and Broadway's "Hey Big Spender" transforms into "Hey Big Santa"—complete with full-on choralography. Add in a moving rendition of "The Little Drummer Boy" and Kelly Clarkson's "Underneath the Tree," and this night is festive, fabulous, and giving pure holiday joy. VIPs will enjoy a private reception in Salon West featuring bites, cocktails, and a raffle for a Hard Rock gift basket door prize, plus a ticket to Seminole Hard Rock's Holiday Extravaganza at the Guitar Pool.

Carols by Candlelight at Sunshine Cathedral Friday, December 12, 2025

GMCSF then offers *Carols by Candlelight*, your cozy, candlelit holiday moment, where community, tradition, and soaring harmonies brighten spirits. Audiences will enjoy reimagined versions of "Angels We Have Heard on High" and "Ring Those Christmas Bells," the latter enhanced with handchimes for a bright, sparkling effect, along with a fabulous collection of other spectacular songs.

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ABBA: Thank You For The Music

at The Parker in Fort Lauderdale

Friday, March 20, 2026

When life tries to dim your sparkle, we say—thank you for the music... and the platform shoes. Sequins? Check.

Bell-bottoms? Optional but encouraged. *ABBA: Thank You For The Music* takes you on a joyride through ABBA's greatest hits with a chorus full of disco dreams. It's ABBA^solutely fabulous! Get ready to dance, sing, and celebrate the queer anthems that defined a generation: "Dancing Queen," "Gimme! Gimme! Gimme! (A Man After Midnight)," and many more.

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Invincible

in the Au Rene Theatre at Broward
Center for the Performing Arts

Friday, June 19, 2026

**Special Guests: Orlando Gay Chorus, Gay Men's Chorus of Tampa Bay,
Master Chorale of South Florida, and Symphony of the Americas.**

Emerging from tragedy to triumph is a trademark of the LGBTQ+ community. In one spectacular evening, the Gay Men's Chorus of South Florida will be joined by the state's most powerful choral groups to pay tribute to the 10th anniversary of the Pulse Nightclub shootings and our community's incredible ability to push forward with courage and strength. This night of remembrance will fuel

determination and pride, while inspiring us to join together and stand proud as we face the challenges of today and the future. The world premiere of a specially commissioned work by acclaimed composer Saunders Choi anchors the evening, followed by uplifting songs that celebrate the strength of the LGBTQ+ community. Featuring over 200 voices, dance, and spoken word, this concert promises to be the most significant cultural event of the year.

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MISSION

We sing so that LGBTQ+ people can live their truth through quality music experiences that inspire audiences, open minds, change hearts, and affirm our common humanity.

VISION

A diverse world united.

SUPPORT

Like most nonprofit arts organizations, ticket sales only cover a fraction of the costs associated with our concerts, community engagement programs, and operations. Your financial support provides a solid foundation for us to serve the community.

IMPACT

With over 180 singers, GMCSF is the southeastern United States' largest Gay Men's Chorus, and one of the country's top 10 nonprofit LGBTQ+ choruses. Each year, more than 35,000 people are inspired and moved by our music and the messages of love and inclusion it conveys.

OUR STRENGTH IS YOU!

Be a part of a significant cultural force that entertains and delights, while giving voice to the LGBTQ+ community. We invite you to attend our concerts, audition to sing with us, and volunteer. Additionally, we would appreciate your financial support. Ticket sales only cover a fraction of the costs associated with our concerts, community engagement programs, and operations. Your financial support provides a solid foundation for us to serve the community.

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