#### **FRESH LINKS continued**

#### "Fresh Talk": http://tinyurl.com/ffsatlantayaz

You can hear the one hour 35 minute audio transcription from Saturday's "Fresh Talk" with current members and alumni from Four Freshmen by downloading this 109 MB mp3 file made available by Yas Ichiura.

### Yas Ichiura Convention Photo Album: http://tinyurl.com/ffsatlantayazphotos

See dozens of photos taken by Yas Ichiura at the Atlanta convention, displayed at this link in a grid format. Scroll to the bottom if you prefer another format. The options to choose from are slide show, mosaic, or carousel. See who you can spot.

### The Freshmen's Memorable Take on "Blue Moon": http://tinyurl.com/ffsatlantabluemoon

This 5 minute 16 second YouTube video, produced by Tom Kilbride, shows the Freshmen doing a hilarious version of "Blue Moon" on their Saturday night show; the segment that sealed this as the "Blue Moon" convention. You'll also get to see and hear all current Four Freshmen and alumni present, "Day In, Day Out," with a surprise "Blue Moon" riff. This is quickly becoming a classic.

### Bob Flanigan Birthday Tribute: http://tinyurl.com/ffsatlantabobf

This YouTube video produced by Tom Kilbride shows Bob Flanigan at the Saturday night show receiving a cake marking his 83rd birthday. 1 minute 22 seconds.

### Friday Show Snippets: http://tinyurl.com/ffsatlantafritaste

Here are some snippets offering a quick overview of Freshmen songs from the Friday concert. Produced by Tom Kilbride and available on YouTube. 2 minutes 7 seconds.

## Ross Barbour leads Wannabees: http://tinyurl.com/ffsatlantawannabees1

Original Four Freshmen member Ross Barbour leads convention attendees in this afternoon session, with all singing "The Day Isn't Long Enough" and a trombone solo by Yas Ichiura. Ross closes on the "air violin." Produced by Tom Kilbride. 3 minutes and 12 seconds.

#### Opening Day: http://tinyurl.com/ffsatlantaday1

This is the first video from the convention, with scenes from the first day of the convention, produced by Tom Kilbride. It opens with shots of the hotel where we were meeting, then visits the registration table and the "Club 113" room where the Four Freshmen Society Music Mart is set up for business, a silent auction is being held for a variety of Four Freshmen items, and other activities are underway. The concluding section shows Ross Barbour leading fans in singing a Four Freshmen arrangement, "It Happened Once Before," one of many we sang during that day's two-hour songfest. The trombone solo is by Yas Ichiura. Fans are shown reading from songbooks that were available at the convention. 3 minutes and 22 seconds.

#### Song List: http://tinyurl.com/ffsatlantasonglist

Yas Ichiura compiled and posted this song list for the Friday and Saturday Four Freshmen concerts.



#### **Email and the Four Freshmen Society Membership Department**

In the database that I maintain for the Society, there's a place to store your email address and I've been diligently putting email addresses in as I receive them. This being said, only about 25% of the membership has a good email address listed.

I'm sure that there are more members with email than I have recorded -- and I'm appealing to you to help me improve the quantity and quality of the addresses we have. Why? Because sometimes we need a quick way to get the word out on some time-sensitive events. And because email is so darn efficient!

I've put up a password-protected web page where you can go and check your email address for accuracy. There's a link there that you can click to let me know if it's wrong (or if you're not listed but you do have an email address). Would you take the two or three minutes to help me out?

Just go to www.fourfreshmensocietv.com/members/ and follow the instructions. You'll be asked for a username and password; the user name is "113" and the password is "club" (lower-case, without quotation marks). Please do NOT share the password with anyone outside the Society. Extra credit if you email me with what "113" and "club" means to the Four Freshmen!

You can email me at chaz@fourfreshmensociety.com (if you have a different email for me, that one will work, too).

Thanks so much for helping me get the record straight!

ReFRESHingly,

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# **Membership Application**

Enclosed with this copy of FreshNews you'll find a new member application for the Four Freshmen Society. Please make a few copies and use them to recruit your friends. The best way to help the performing Freshmen is to ensure the growth of the FFS so that we can continue to help them with new CDs and so forth.

Even if you don't make copies, please give this one to a friend and encourage them to join. If every member recruits just one more member, we'll double the size of the FFS (duh!).

If you need to download a copy of the current application, just go to www.fourfreshmensociety.com/application.pdf and save it to your computer; you can then print as many as you need.

C'mon, do it!

ReFRESHingly,

Four Freshmen Society Membership Director, Database Dude, Webmaster and Co-chair, FFS Convention and Reunion, 2009