

A Memorable Weekend

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Our granddaughters, Megan and Rachel, fell in love with The Four Freshmen when they attended their performance at the Parkersburg, Smoot Theatre, earlier this year.

They quickly accepted our invitation to attend the Freshmen Convention in Pittsburgh, and will never forget this wonderful experience.

Thanks to all who worked so hard to make the weekend so memorable.

Megan is 17 years old and Rachel 16 years old.



An Open Letter To Joel Rothman **by Chick Trafford**

My "Freshmen & Friends" radio partner, Bob Baker, really threw me a dipsy doodle during our terrific FFS Convention in Pittsburgh...and I am surely grateful to have the opportunity to serve the music we appreciate through our favorite vocal instrumental Quartet, The Four Freshmen.

It has been my honor to serve all of the great performers who have made the history of this musical treasure: The Four Freshmen. And, at the same time like-minded fans who share the love of their splendid SOUND. Every member of FFS has become part of my family.

There is one true man of the year in our society, the generous and thoughtful - Joel Rothman. His matching funds challenge was more successful than we could predict! In my eyes Joel Rothman is the BEST man of the year for FFS!

SUN CITY LINCOLN HILLS **Roger Perkins (CA)**

It was a hot evening on July 21, 2006, when the Four Freshmen performed for at least 1000 fans at the Sun City Lincoln Hills Amphitheater, Lincoln, California. My friends and I set our chairs out early in the morning and were lucky enough to be front row, center. The temperature when we arrived at 7:30 p.m. was about 104 degrees, but it didn't seem to stop anyone. The Frosh were onstage by 8:00 p.m. and in spite of the heat put on a wonderful show. They sang many of the oldies as well as several new songs from the "In Session" album. This is the third time I have seen the new group and they are without a doubt the best thing to come along in many years. They have a very tight sound and sing and play with ease. My barbershop quartet was there and after the show Vince was kind enough to sing a couple of songs with us. It was a wonderful evening, and by the time the show was over it was down to a mere 94 degrees. Let's hope they come back soon.

