PALM DESERT WAS 90 degrees HOT! THE FOUR FRESHMEN WERE HOT, TOO!

by Mel Meyers, SW Reg. Dir. FFS

The guys did a great job mixing up their two sets including reworking some old "Chestnuts" that haven't been heard for a while.

Attendance closely approximated 100%. Dr. M. Colter, the Producer, added an extra 100 folding chairs to accommodate the demand.

The look changed a bit in that Curt changed his hair style a bit. Fortunately, nothing he does to his hair has impact on his fine horn work.

Overall, I again enjoyed the performances and was pleased to have Jim Bennie and his wife at my side working the "Show Table."

Bob and Mary Flanigan were again present to support performers and the rest of us. It was a good gig. Most of my time was spent in the audio booth with the media mixer, who by the way, said "Hey, these guys are really good!" Not bad opinion from a 26year-old. Regards!



Curt & Vince showing off my new Show Table Collage (Jim Bennie in background having fun.)



FABULOUS MUSIC -Four Freshmen & Singers Unlimited by Peter Smith (England)

At the end of last year I received the Capitol series Mosaic Box Set which is a MUST for all Freshmen fans and is now part of a treasured collection of Four Freshmen Vinyl/Tapes/CD's.

Two weeks back I ordered and received another fantastic Box Set, the Singers Unlimited, "Magic Voices," and that's exactly what it is - Magic! The set includes every album the group made between 1972-1982 (including the superb album with the brilliant Rob McConnell & the Boss Brass) but excludes the Christmas selection. A total of seven CD's containing eight hours plus of fabulous music and another MUST for all lovers of tight vocal harmony - Fresh members take note!

As I don't recall ever seeing it mentioned in Fresh News, I feel that it more than warrants some coverage. Buyers will not be disappointed, believe me.

Best regards!

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Vince in a creative mood! FN July-August 2002