THE SCOTT BERRY MUSICAL PROGRAM SERIES

(\* See Memory Care note below)

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Each one hour musical program consists of performances of songs with biographical narrative and some interesting trivia about the songwriters. Usually there are about 20 or more songs per program, generally from the 20th century—mostly from the 1920s to the 1960s. **I don’t have to repeat songs from one program to another, since there’s so much material to choose from.** In other words, in 20 programs your residents will hear approximately 400 different songs.

I have created 20 programs 16 featuring well-known songwriters and singers, 4 of them for specific holiday themes: Fourth of July, Chanukah/Christmas and St. Patrick’s Day, Valentine’s Day… featuring mostly American songs and songwriters, all familiar to the senior age group.

Examples of Programs:

**PROGRAM #1**

Opening feature: **Irving Berlin** (bio with songs: about 30 minutes). Then other songwriters like Sammy Fain (*I’ll Be Seeing You, Secret Love, Love Is A Many Splendored Thing*). I also have a feature called “One Hit Wonders” (in this program it is *Blueberry Hill* ), and another feature called the “Country Corner”, in this case the song *Crazy* by Patsy Cline, written by Willie Nelson.

**PROGRAM #2**

Opening feature: **Richard Rogers** and his two best known collaborators, Lorenz Hart and Oscar Hammerstein II (about 45 minutes). Then I play them the “One Hit Wonder” *As Time Goes By* by Herman Hupfield. The “Country Corner” features the Hank Williams Sr. song *Hey, Good Lookin’*.

Other programs include such songwriters as Hoagy Carmichael, Cole Porter, George Gershwin, Johnny Mercer and profiles such singers as Frank Sinatra, Bing Crosby, Nat King Cole and others. I even include some 60s and 70s songwriters like Neil Diamond and John Denver.

**\* Memory Care Note:** I also have 6 **one-hour** Memory Care Programs (each about 30 songs per program, consisting mostly of sing-along music with very little talking). As mentioned, each program lasts about one hour but can be tailored to be shorter or longer as per your needs.

AND…I can change things up by taking requests from the audience, just to make sure everybody hears what they want.

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I am currently performing or have performed these programs at Serenades by Sonata in Longwood, Winter Garden and The Villages, at Brookdale Assisted Living Centers in Clermont, Dr. Phillips and Altamonte Springs, Superior ALF in Clermont, Golden Pond in Winter Garden, and have performed at Brookdale Ocoee, Cranes View in Clermont, Encore at Avalon and at Brookdale at Island Lakes (formerly Chambrel) in Longwood. I have also done programs at the Volusia Music Club, West Orange Seniors, The Rosen Jewish Community Centers in South Orlando and in Maitland and at Ohev Shalom Congregation in Maitland. In some locations I perform once a month and others less often, but the series continues in sequence so no one has to hear repetition of the same songs from a previous visit.

**These musical programs are designed to be fun, educational, stimulating and uplifting.**

**I look forward to working with you to keep our seniors entertained and keep their minds active.**

~ Please contact me directly for pricing and schedule. ~

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