

**VOCAL MUSIC**  
**All Groups (2 or more)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Church-School \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Selection \_\_\_\_\_

- Category:     Junior                       Junior High                       Senior High  
                    Duet                                       Trio                                       Quartet                       Ensemble  
                    Male                                       Female                                       Mixed

AREAS OF EVALUATION	POSSIBLE POINTS	POINTS AWARDED
<b>1. Appearance and Stage Department</b> (18 points total)		
A. Approach – with confidence yet with grace and humility	3	_____
B. Posture – upright look, not slumped	3	_____
C. Eye contact – scan the audience, not stare	3	_____
D. Poise – in full control	3	_____
E. Clothing – color coordinated, neat, sharp, beautiful	3	_____
F. Departure – with confidence	3	_____
(Total points for section 1)		=====
<b>2. Interpretation</b> (32 points total)		
A. Mood – prayerful, enthusiastic, peaceful	4	_____
B. Intensity – is it weak, strong, not enough power, etc.	4	_____
C. Style – does the presentation match the printed intention	4	_____
D. Tempo – flowing, not too fast or too slow	4	_____
E. Phrasing – the feeling of motion or rest	4	_____
F. Climax – was it handled well	4	_____
G. Dynamics – do the volumes change correctly	4	_____
H. Word Emphasis-each word needs to be handled with the right emphasis	4	_____
(Total points for section 2)		=====
<b>3. Musicianship</b> (45 points total)		
A. Memory	5	_____
B. Projection – can each part of the music be heard	5	_____
C. Proper Diction – correctly pronounced, articulated, enunciated	5	_____
D. Tone Quality – the full rich sound - blending of parts	5	_____
E. Correct Rhythm – is it performed like the printed page	5	_____
F. Proper Breathing – breathing at the right places, the right way	5	_____
G. Intonation (Parts clearly distinguished and accurate)	10	_____
H. Balance and integration of accompaniment – does the accompaniment add to the beauty or override	5	_____
(Total points for section 3)		=====
<b>4. Appropriateness of Selection</b> (5 points possible for section 4) 5		
i. Fits guidelines / suitable to contestants ability		_____
<b>TOTAL POSSIBLE POINTS</b>	<b>100</b>	=====

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Time limit \_\_\_\_\_ Actual time \_\_\_\_\_

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(Judge's Signature)