



Youth Artist Spotlight

Heaven Monroe

We caught up with Heaven Monroe, a student at William J. Palmer High School. She is a member of several performing groups including, William Palmer Jazz Singers, Music and Main Jazz Singers, Chamber Singers, All - State Jazz, Adams State, "Top of the Nation" Honor Choir, Western Slope Honor Choir, and Palmer Jazz Band.



How old were you when you started singing and how did you come to choose singing?

I have been singing since kindergarten or when I was five years old. I started by singing with my family in our Baptist church choir!

Who has been the most influential or inspirational in your musical training?

All of my High school directors (Mr. Peckham, Mrs. Gerace, Ms. Zarecky, Mr. Ward, Mrs. Noble, and Ms. Grimm).

How has your school helped you with your training and development?

They've given me so many opportunities to grow and better myself, and all of the staff is super supportive of my goals and dreams.

What other hobbies or interests do you have outside of music?

I love acting, crocheting, cooking and playing The Sims.

What do you see yourself doing in the future?

I want to study massage therapy and work in that field.

Do you have any favorite jazz artists or songs?

I have a wide range of music taste but I'd have to say that Hemlocke Springs and BTS are both fighting for the top place in my heart.



Catch the interview broadcast on Jazz 93.5, every Tuesday at 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.!