

## Celebrating 75 years of Sweet Adelines

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## Sweet Adelines Stories: I Got Here as Quickly as I Could!

Unlike many of you who have been a member of Sweet Adelines for 20, 30 or 50 years, I joined Sweet Adelines this past January at the age of 73. I quickly grew to love this group of singers. After just nine rehearsals and days before we were scheduled to perform at our Friends & Family Night, the pandemic hit and we've been virtual ever since.

I'd had my eye on the Allen-based Note-ably North Texas Chorus of Sweet Adelines ever since I downsized from my home late last year (and left a resident choral group that I loved) to move into a nearby active adult senior living complex in Allen, Texas (USA). I couldn't be happier with the intimacy of the small group, the talent, leadership, and friendship of Director Jamie Bearden and the prospect of a future filled with fellow singers, as I trust that soon we'll get to spread our singing wings once again.

I wasn't born into Sweet Adelines International (like so many seem to have been), but I got here as quickly as I could!

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