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With a cast drawn from the best of New York's Broadway community, Songfully Yours...! celebrates the incomparable Margaret Whiting and the music and lyrics she made famous across a seven-decade career of chart-topping singles, a dozen Gold Records, and world-wide television, stage, and nightclub fame. "It Might As Well Be Spring," "Moonlight in Vermont," "That Old Black Magic," "My Ideal," "Slippin' Around," "A Tree in the Meadow," and two dozen more timeless classics are interspersed with warm, witty, and insightful anecdotes delivered by daughter Debbi Whiting, the person who knew Margaret best and loved her most.

Additionally, Margaret Whiting was "Hollywood Royalty," the daughter of composer Richard Whiting, whose hits "Hooray for Hollywood," "Beyond the Blue Horizon," "On the Good Ship Lollipop," and "Ain't We Got Fun" also are included in Sonafully Yours...! Originally produced at New York's Carnegie Hall, the show brought a sell-out crowd to its feet in acclamation; it's the very best of the Twentieth Century Great Popular Songbook – from Johnny Mercer, Jerome Kern, Rodgers & Hammerstein, and Frank Loesser to Hank Williams, Peter Allen, Carole Bayer Sager, and Rupert Holmes.

Margaret Whiting (1924-2011) was still a teenager when lyricist Johnny Mercer signed her to the legendary Capitol Records. Across five hundred subsequent songs, her unique sound, emotive phrasing, and flawless intonation left an indelible, incomparable, personal impression on millions of listeners. In later years, she encouraged and embraced both contemporary musicians and singers while starring on Broadway in the Johnny Mercer retrospective, *Dream*, and on tour with Rosemary Clooney, Rose Marie, and Helen O'Connell in Four Girls Four. Her extraordinary achievements and bittersweet personal life are recounted with excitement and heart in Songfully Yours...!

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