

# Wendy's golden voice rapidly gaining fame

By JIM THOMAS  
**ALTONA** — Most vocalists establish singing careers after taking lessons.

Wendy Williams is different. She established herself as a vocalist first and now she's taking lessons.

Her instructor is Bill Nehr, 16th Avenue, R.R. 2, Markham.

Wendy's beautiful singing voice has thrilled audiences around the Stouffville area and beyond.

On Nov. 1 she was guest soloist at anniversary services in the Markham Missionary Church.

Wendy comes by her vocal talent honestly. Her father, Collin Williams is a Welshman, an association that speaks for itself. Wales has gained world-wide recognition for its magnificent male choirs.

Wendy remembers singing during her public school years at Glasow and Webb. She also participated in Music Festivals at Sunderland and won several awards.

While a student at Uxbridge High she gave her voice a 'rest'. Then, four years ago, she auditioned for a part with The Continental Singers, a tour group based in the United States. She was successful, embarking on four months of concert appearances across the U.S.A. and parts of South America.

This was an experience Wendy will never forget.

A graduate of U.S.S. and Scarborough Centennial College, Wendy holds a full-time position on the staff of the Mother Goose Nursery School, Tenth Line South, Stouffville.

At age 25, Wendy had a keen desire to improve on her vocal skills. One day, while driving along 16th Avenue, Markham, she spotted Bill Nehr's name on a sign outside his home. She enquired, auditioned and was accepted.

Lessons are held twice weekly.

Wendy's work is mostly solo. She uses 'live' accompaniment or tapes. On one occasion she 'teamed up' with Stouffville's Jim Rehill.

Contemporary gospel is her specialty. Barbara Streisand and Sandi Patti are favorite female singers. Chicago's her favorite group.

Wendy admits she'd some day like to make a record.

However, the cost is high.

"When I do it, I want to do it right," she says.

As for 'doing it right', audiences need no convincing. They weigh on every word; every note.

Wendy's talent is one more reason why Stouffville is 'Music Town Ontario'. She's making it so.



Wendy Williams' beautiful singing voice is rapidly gaining recognition throughout the area. Church anniversaries or weddings, Wendy's talent is appreciated wherever she goes. Her choice in music is contemporary gospel. —Jim Thomas

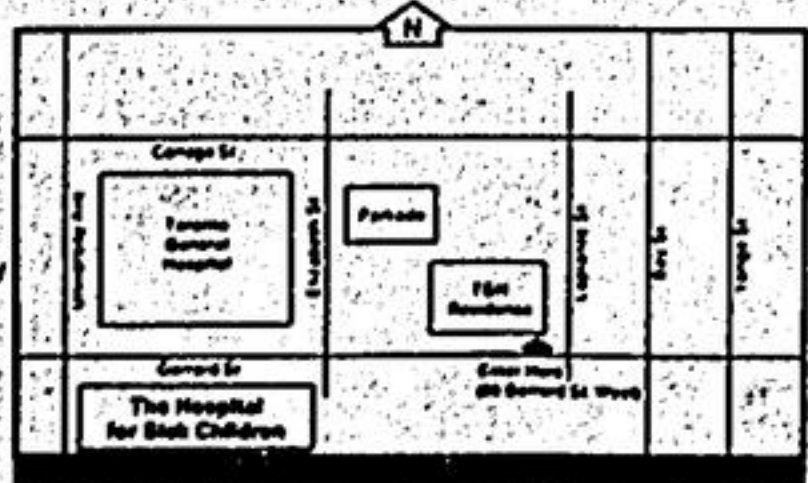
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