

## The Look Of Love

Burt Bacharach wrote the music for hundreds of songs which topped the music charts from the 1950s-1980s. His first main collaborator was lyricist Hal David, with whom he wrote a slew of hits for singers such as Dionne Warwick, Perry Como, Dusty Springfield, Herb Alpert, Tom Jones, and the Carpenters. After he stopped working with Hal David, Bacharach continued to co-write hits such as "Arthur's Theme (When You Get Caught Between the Moon and NYC)" and "That's What Friends Are For."

While Bacharach's songs may appear to be simple upon first listening, they are surprisingly complicated — full of unusual chords and changing time signatures. Jazz pianist Joe Reid and singer Will McMillan will share classics including "Walk On By," "I Say A Little Prayer For You," "Alfie," "The Look Of Love," "(They Long To Be) Close To You," "Wishin' and Hopin" "I'll Never Fall In Love Again" — which was written here in Boston when their musical *Promises*, *Promises* was trying out before a successful Broadway run — and the Oscar-winning "Raindrops Keep Falling On My Head."

Will has sung at venues such as Scullers Jazz Club, Sanders Theatre, Westbeth Performance Center (NYC), Spring Island (South Carolina), and Yin Par Le Garcon Chinois (Shanghai). For years McMillan hosted "Will & Company," a series in Harvard Square highlighting local performers and songwriters, which earned him an IRNE Award for Best Cabaret Show in a Small Venue. He has released four CDs, and you are welcome to visit his blog, <a href="MusicalifeOnPlanetEarth.WordPress.com">AMusicalifeOnPlanetEarth.WordPress.com</a> and/or web site, <a href="WillSings.com">WillSings.com</a>.

Joe enjoys a busy music career, playing 100+ concerts a year. He performs with a wide range of jazz and classical musicians, and has worked with theatre groups, jazz and chamber ensembles and dance troupes. Joe has also been an accompanist for the Boston Conservatory, the Longy School of Music, the New School of Music, and the Mark Morris Dance Company. Check out Joe's YouTube channel by searching YouTube under "Joe Reid Music."