

## KidSingers Essay

I have been in KidSingers for seven years and it has changed my life. KidSingers has given me a reason for pursuing a college degree. KidSingers changed the ambitions and goals of my life and even helped me get through the hardest time in my senior year.

KidSingers helped me find out what I want to do after high school. If it was not for KidSingers, I would have never found out how much I love music. Every day I do something with music. I either play on my guitar, practice piano, or learn a new song to sing. KidSingers gave me new goals and ambitions, and they are all music related. I hope to return to KidSingers after this year. I hope to come back as an intern, sound guy, and possibly even a director.

After I am done with high school, I will be pursuing a Music and Business degree at the University of La Verne. My dream is to do what KidSingers did for me and that is to help people have music in their life because music can inspire people to do great things. I hope to go into a career in music therapy, music production, or music education. I really hope to get this scholarship to help me pay off my college tuition, so I can give back to my community.

Since this is my last year, I would like to give thanks to all the people here who have shaped my life and helped me through my life. Mr. Paul thanks for helping me when I wanted to challenge my abilities and try to sing more difficult songs. Thank you Mr. Richard for helping me learn to play the piano and showing me how to play songs when I am not playing them as they are written. Thank you Ms. Vickie for helping as well to learn songs and giving me a piano so I could play at home. Thank you to all the moms that are in the back helping with snack and giving us all food. Thank you Rosie for helping keep Master Class alive through this year and letting me help by playing the piano for our practices. Thank you Justin for helping me get more involved in KidSingers and letting me represent KidSingers on social media. Thank you Ms. Dalyn, without you I would have never been so involved or loved music so much. You gave me my first solo which inspired me to continue in music. Thank you everyone in the audience for supporting and encouraging me through these seven years. Thank you Dad for letting me come every week to express myself here and for understanding how important this program is to me. And, of course, thank you Mom for encouraging me to join the program. Thank you everyone.