



**MUSIC
THEATRE
WICHITA**

BEAUTIFUL: THE CAROLE KING MUSICAL **Character Breakdown**

Rehearsals begin August 6; show runs August 21-25 at Century II Concert Hall
Director/Choreographer: Deidre Goodwin
Music Director: Jesse Warkentin

THE FOLLOWING ROLES WILL BE CAST FROM EPAs AND AGENT SUBMISSIONS OF EQUITY ACTORS:

CAROLE KING

Seeking female identifying actor to play an aspiring singer/songwriter. A unique, appealing, funny and vulnerable girl from a Jewish family in Brooklyn. Talented, good natured, unassuming, and often the peace maker in difficult situations. A reluctant star with no pretense and a passion for music.

Age: 18 to 30 (Vocal range: Eb3 to Eb5)

GERRY GOFFIN

Seeking male identifying actor to play Carole's boyfriend, songwriting partner and eventual husband. Innately sympathetic, wounded and tortured. An ambitious artist always striving for more.

Age: 18 to 30 (Vocal range: D3 to A4)

BARRY MANN

Seeking male identifying actor to play a songwriter who becomes romantically involved with Cynthia. He is good natured, appealing & neurotic. Ambitious, but likeable.

Age: 18 to 30 (Vocal range: C3 to A4)

CYNTHIA WEILL

Seeking female identifying actor to play a songwriter who becomes romantically involved with Barry. Carole's best friend. She is sophisticated, smart & chic with a quick wit. Although self-confident and sarcastic, she is also extremely likeable.

Age: 18 to 30 (Vocal range: G3 to E5)

THE FOLLOWING ROLES WILL BE CAST FROM RESIDENT ENSEMBLE / LOCAL PERFORMERS:

****DON KIRSCHNER (has been cast)**

Seeking male identifying actor to play an influential music publisher and producer. He is a fast talking, energetic force of nature. Powerful, direct & sometimes intimidating, but he has a real affinity for his writers and artists. A hit maker.

Age: 40 to 60 (Vocal range: A2 to C#4)

****GENIE KLEIN (has been cast)**

Seeking female identifying actor to play Carole's Jewish mother. Once an aspiring playwright, she has been broken down by life & her husband's infidelity. Protective of Carole and unforgiving of her husband's mistakes.

Age: 40 to 50

NEIL SEDAKA

Seeking a male identifying actor to play a singer-songwriter.

(Vocal range: A#3 to G#4)

NICK

Seeking a male identifying actor to play a musician.

JANELLE WOODS

Seeking a female identifying actor to play a singer.

(Vocal range: G#3 to D5)



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MARILYN WALD

Seeking a female identifying actor to play a singer.
(Vocal range: G3 to C5)

LOU ADLER

Seeking a male identifying actor to play a record producer and music executive.

BOBBY VEE

Seeking a male identifying actor to play a singer.
(Vocal range: C3 to C4)

LEAD DRIFTER

Seeking a male identifying actor to play a member of the doo-wop group The Drifters.
(Vocal range: B2 to Eb5)

BACK-UP DRIFTERS

Seeking a male identifying actor to play members of the doo-wop group The Drifters.
(Vocal range: B2 to C5)

LEAD SHIRELLE

Seeking a female identifying actor to play a member of the pop group The Shirelles.
(Vocal range: G3 to Db5)

BACK-UP SHIRELLES

Seeking a female identifying actor to play members of the pop group The Shirelles.
(Vocal range: G3 to D5)

ENSEMBLE

Strong singers who move to play Drifters, Shirelles, and other various parts in the show.