

# KEAN QUEST

★ 2015 ★ TALENT SEARCH

## Rebecca Covert is the New Kean Quest 2015 Adult Champion

GIBSONIA, Pa. (Richland Twp.), March 27, 2015 – Kean Quest, the popular local vocal competition that boasts singing sensation Jackie Evancho and Chris Jamison, “The Voice” finalist, concluded its adult competition Friday evening. Entertainers and vocalists over 18 took to the Kean Theatre stage to compete for a chance to win \$1,000 cash; a recording package with Audible Images, a Grammy award-winning studio; professional head shots with photographer Ray Cordero of Mainline Photography; and the Kean Quest trophy.

Rebecca Covert, Pittsburgh, received the Kean Quest Champion Award and the \$1,000 cash prize. Covert performed “The Man That Got Away” by Judy Garland. Jay Goettler, Butler, received the First Runner-up Award and sang the dramatic song “Soliloquy” from the musical *Carousel*. Elena Falgione, Glenshaw, received the Second Runner-up Award and performed “I Dreamed a Dream” from the musical *Les Misérables*. J. Paul Pepper, South Park, received the Audience Choice Award. Pepper played the piano and performed his own arrangement of Leonard Cohen’s “Hallelujah.”

The 2015 Kean Quest Talent Search benefits the St. Barnabas Free Care Fund, which provides more than \$6 million to needy patients at St. Barnabas.



**Kean Quest Youth Final is slated for Friday, April 10 at 7 p.m. at the Kean Theatre.**

A limited number of Kean Quest Youth Finals tickets are available starting at \$15 and can be purchased by calling 724-625-3770.

Thirty vocal acts will compete for a chance to win a recording package with Audible Images, a Grammy award-winning studio; professional head shots with photographer Ray Cordero of Mainline Photography; one month of music or vocal lessons with In-Tune with the Arts Studio; and the Kean Quest trophy. The annual "Jackie Evancho Award," named for international singing sensation Jackie Evancho, will be presented that evening.



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**ELENA FALGIONE**

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**J. PAUL PEPPER**  
**Audience Choice**  
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Providing more than \$6 million in free care annually, St. Barnabas engages in innovative methods to raise money for its Free Care Fund such as The Jackie Evancho award in its Kean Quest Talent Search, The Kean Theatre, Rudolph Auto Repair, Beautiful Buys Thrift Shoppes and The Chocolate Shoppe.



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