

AJ Harbison Biography

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AJ Harbison (born 1985) is a composer and singer/songwriter based in Kansas City. His music lives at the intersection of concert music and vernacular music, each bringing unique vitality to the other in a language both adventurous and accessible. His work has been performed by ensembles including the Kansas City Symphony, The Singers (Saint Paul, MN), newEar Contemporary Chamber Ensemble and Harmony Project KC. Harbison has studied with Leonard Rhodes, Pamela Madsen, Lloyd Rodgers, Ken Walicki, Chen Yi and James Mobberley, and holds degrees in composition from California State University, Fullerton and the University of Missouri-Kansas City.

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