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### 2013 True Love Video Contest Winners

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## Winners of "True Love" Video Contest Announced!

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Greetings!

After 3 weeks of voting on Facebook, the winners of the 2013 Barrytown College of UTS "True Love" Video Contest have been determined. They are:

- Aika Greenidge's "Natural Beauty" 1st Prize, \$2,000
- Gunter Herd's "A Way Through" 2nd Prize, \$1,000
- Misha Panzer and Shannon Forringer's "The First Step" 3rd Prize, \$500
- Gabriel O'Connor's "Home" Honorable Mention
- Teddy Sylte's "Journey" Honorable Mention

View the three prize winners and two honorable mentions at 2013 Barrytown College "True Love" Video Contest Winners

Voting on Facebook concluded on February 9, 2013 and was just one component of the scoring, being added to the judges' unified score for each video.

The five judges who judged the nine entries received were Dr. Stephen Murray, Dean of Barrytown College of UTS,\* Dr. Keisuke Noda, Chair of the Department of Philosophy and World Religions, Kate Tsubata, founder of Washington AIDS Intervention Team and writer/producer of LightSmith Productions, composer/ conductor David Eaton, music director of the New York City Symphony, and

Pierre Tardy, publisher of the CompletedTestamentTV youtube channel.

**Aika Greenidge**, 19, was born and raised in Los Angeles. She is currently studying cinematography at Pasadena City College. *Daejo Garratt*, 21, wrote and performed the "Natural Beauty" spoken word. *Chris Stair*, 22, filmed and edited the piece. Aika reports that "we will be investing the prize money into new camera equipment to kickstart a new photography/videography business we started called Airis Photography."

**Gunter Herd** is a 24 year-old comparative religion major at the University of Washington. He was assisted by two brothers, *Joel*, 20, and *Ejong*, 23, who also acted in the film.

**Misha Panzer**, 20, writer/director of "The First Step" is studying Architecture/Civil Engineering at Lehigh University in Bethlehem, PA.

**Shannon Forringer**, 24, cinematographer/ editor, is pursuing a degree in Illustration. *Julia Mizutani*, 19, the actor in the production, is studying International Relations at SUNY Genesco.

**Teddy Sylte**, 24, is a resident of Seattle, WA. The actors in the video are *Aiyana Adshead*, 20, and *Corin Ennis*, 22.

**Gabriel O'Connor**, 18, explains that he created "Home" to "show how some people really live after losing a loved one." The actors are his mother, Evelyne, and his father, John.

We would like to express our appreciation to all of the talented contestants and judges who made this year's video contest a great success!

**Sincerely,**

Richard

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