

# Ethan Kress

Biography

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Born and raised in Hendersonville TN, Ethan Kress displayed a love and talent for music from an early age. Even as a grade-schooler, Ethan had an uncanny knack of matching pitch as he sang along with the radio. Middle School Chorus “uncovered” his vocal gifting, allowing Ethan to shine his vocal talent as he sang many solos and was chosen every year for the Middle Tennessee Honor’s Choir.

In the summer of 2015, at a Student Leadership University event, Ethan had the realization that music was his passion. Music was what God had gifted him to do, and he wanted to pursue it full force.

To develop his vocal skills, Ethan joined the [Cedarstone School of Music](#) in 2017. Surrounded by incredibly talented teachers and mentors, Ethan continued to hone his vocals and performance skills. He auditioned and was chosen to be co-lead singer of the Tones, a group of Cedarstone students who perform pop, rock and original music.

Performing in a multitude of different events and showcases, the Tones have offered great experience, challenge and fun for Ethan. Ethan also uses his vocal gift to serve his local church and is a member of The Wave worship team that lead children, middle and high school students in worship.



Ethan joined the Next Door Boys in January of 2020 as lead singer. He is super-excited about being in this band of such talented musicians who are hungry for developing their individual talents as well as becoming a tight-knit band.

When Ethan is not making music, he enjoys playing basketball, following college and pro basketball, and spending time with family and friends.

Ethan's future goals include continuing study at [Cedarstone School of Music](#) developing his vocals and adding an instrument to his skill set. Ethan also wants to pursue and develop his song writing and production skills. But most of all, Ethan is ready to keep pressing forward in pursuit of making music performance his life's passion and work.



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Ethan is 17 years old.