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10-Year-Old Oliver Richman Releases 'Abracadabra' Cover

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How does a 10-year-old vocal phenom follow up two hugely successful videos, a performance with legendary icon, [Stevie Wonder](#), and being the featured story of Byron Allen's "The Young Icons"?

Ask Oliver Richman (www.oliverrichman.com), who is working a little magic into the mix with a brand new recording and video of "Abracadabra," his high-powered, explosive remake of the [Steve Miller](#) Band's iconic 1982 hit.

His highly acclaimed 2010 debut video of "Defying Gravity" -- a song from the hit musical "Wicked," originally performed on Broadway by [Idina Menzel](#) and [Kristin Chenoweth](#) -- has garnered an impressive 56,000 views on YouTube.

The buzz of his second release, a remake of the [Stevie Wonder](#) classic, "One Little Christmas Tree," penned by Oliver's grandfather, the late legendary Motown songwriter [Ron Miller](#) ("For Once In My Life"), caught the attention of [Stevie Wonder](#) himself, who invited the 10-year-old to sing at the 15th Annual House Full of Toys Benefit Concert, held in December at the Nokia Theatre in L.A., where Oliver received a standing ovation from a crowd of over 7,500 people. Oliver was also recently featured on "The Young Icons," a nationally syndicated television program about young people changing the world, produced by Byron Allen's Entertainment Studios. Richman's collection of YouTube videos has exceeded a whopping 75,000 views to date.

With his powerhouse voice, cool style and amazing ability to interpret a lyric at such a young age, the young crooner is thrilled to introduce great classics to a new generation. Produced by Lisa Dawn

Miller, **Mark Matson** and Sandy Hackett, the new video also includes cameo appearances by headlining Las Vegas magicians Mac King and **Rick Thomas**.

Coincidentally, the original version of "Abracadabra" topped the charts in 1982, along with "I've Never Been To Me," another hit penned by Oliver's grandfather, **Ron Miller**.

Oliver's mom and stepfather, Lisa Dawn Miller and Sandy Hackett (Hackett Miller Company, Inc.), produce and star in "Sandy Hackett's Rat Pack Show," at the RivieraHotel & Casino in Las Vegas and in theaters around the country. The company is getting ready to launch its 2011-2012 theater tour beginning this fall.



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