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# Morgan Juliette 'Jules' Ford



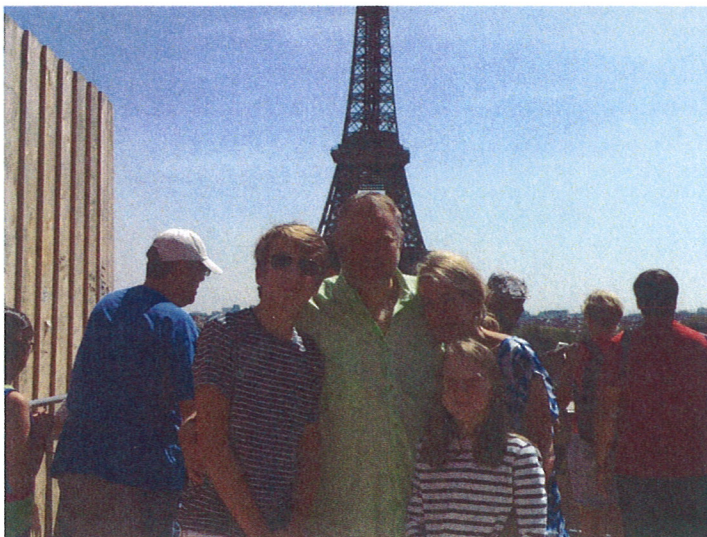
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**W**hen asked to describe herself, Morgan Juliette Ford, better known as Jules Ford, immediately identified herself as spunky. This spunky girl is twelve years old and is attending the seventh grade at The Anthony School. She has two older siblings, Yale Ford, who is fifteen, and Drew Ford, who is twenty-four. Jules is a very diverse and well rounded young lady. Her favorite subject in school is math, and she has many friends with whom she enjoys

spending time. Her favorite activities are theater, singing, acting, modeling, and dancing- all based around the arts! She is even a self taught musician; she taught herself to play the piano and is now in the process of teaching herself to read, understand, and write her own compositions. Her dream is to one day be performing on a Broadway stage in New York City, New York.

Jules has starred in The Anthony School's musical theater performances since she was only three years of age, and was recently cast as "Little Nala" in the 2015 production of Disney's *The Lion King*. She credits the outstanding theater program at The Anthony School for inspiring her love and passion for the performing arts. She characterizes the role of "Little Nala" as being her favorite role thus far in her young stage actress career.

She stated that if given the opportunity, "Little Nala" would be the role she would choose to portray on the Broadway stage. Her other dream roles include, Peter Pan because he is so adventurous and very brave, and Seussical's Sour Kangaroo, because "her personality is just so out there and anything she is thinking, she's most defi-



nately going to say.” Jules is currently exploring the possibility of auditioning to be in The Arkansas Repertory Theater which is one of the most prominent theater programs in Arkansas.

She says one of the many reasons she loves the theater is because, “on stage I can be a different person and don’t have to worry about anyone judging me” and that it has brought to light a much more confident and exciting side of herself that even she had not known was in existence. Additionally, Jules loves the family-like dynamic among the cast and crew of each production. She also enjoys getting to put on makeup and a costume to become a character and perform for her family and friends.

Jules is exceedingly talented and has been invited to theater camps and programs in New York City run by ITheatrics, a company that helps educate and advance children in the world of drama and musical theater. This summer, Jules is going back to New York to audition for Broadway, and as she added, “and to shop, obviously!” She would really like to say thank you to her mom and her older sister Drew for pushing her and helping her achieve all of her goals; they travel with her for these camps and programs and encourage her in every possible way they can. Jules Ford may only be twelve years old, but she has the determination and the drive to go as far as she can dream.



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