



### **Kimi Samson, Strings**

**Kimi is from Montgomery, Alabama. She graduated from Booker T. Washington Magnet High where she studied violin and music theory. She is a member of the Shoals Symphony Orchestra and the University Quartet. While attending the university, she spent time studying the viola and now enjoys both instruments. She will receive her degree in Instrumental Music with a focus in violin from the University of North Alabama in December.**

**At age nine she asked her grandfather if she could get the violin out of the attic and play it. After that she began her violin career. She has played with the B.T.W. Chamber Orchestra, Montgomery Youth Orchestra, All-State Orchestra, and various String Fellow ensembles. After her graduation from UNA she plans to continue teaching violin in Florence and assist in building more string programs in the area.**

**She lives in Florence and shares a home with her cat, Franny.**