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“The Sound of Music” Film: Cast—Where are the actors today?

THEN: Angela Cartwright

Little Angela Cartwright starred as the delightfully honest Brigitta von Trapp, a.k.a. the fifth child in the family. She was just 13 when *The Sound of Music* premiered, but had already appeared in several films and television shows by the time she was cast.

NOW: Angela Cartwright

Cartwright went on to appear in numerous television shows, including *Lost In Space* during the late '60s. The sci-fi show was eventually turned into a film 30 years later, which Cartwright made a cameo in.

THEN: Debbie Turner

At 9 years old, child actress Debbie Turner played Marta, the second-youngest child in the von Trapp family.

NOW: Debbie Turner

After the film premiere in 1965, Turner opted to exit the entertainment industry and instead complete her education. She became an interior designer and, eventually, an event planner, founding her own floral and event design company. In 2010, she appeared on *The Oprah Winfrey Show* for the 45th anniversary of the movie.

THEN: Kym Karath

Gretl, the totally adorable and youngest von Trapp kid, was played by seven-year-old Kym Karath. Don't let her young age fool you – she wasn't inexperienced at the industry. At just 3, Karath started her career in *Spencer's Mountain*, starring Henry Fonda and Veronica Cartwright. Interestingly, Cartwright's young sister Angela played Brigitta von Trapp alongside Karath.

NOW: Kym Karath

Since playing young Gretl, Karath went on to appear in several big-name television series, including *The Brady Bunch*, *All My Children*, and even in an episode of *Lost In Space* – the same show castmate Angela Cartwright later starred in.