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KYLE RASER:

- 1. Can you share a bit about your childhood and early life experiences?
 - a. Grew up in the Poconos of Pennsylvania, in the small town of Milford, PA. This is where I held my first job working at the local ice cream store and development my talent for making the perfect cone.
- 2. What are some of your favorite hobbies or interests?
 - a. I have several: Traveling, Playing Piano, Broadway, Reading,
- 3. Are there any books, movies, or music genres that you are particularly fond of?
 - a. Going back to previous question. MUSIC: Broadway Musicals, Singer-Song writers (Sarah Bareilles) MOVIES: all genres but love a Disney Animation, have AMC Alist and see all the Oscar nominated films.
- 4. Do you enjoy traveling, and if so, what has been your favorite destination so far?
 - a. Traveling is a true passion, been to all of the Disney parks around the globle and lucky to have a career that allows me to travel to some pretty exotic locations, Egypt and India for example.
- 5. What is your favorite city or country?
 - a. My favorite city is NYC, we visit several times a year.
- 6. What are some of your favorite foods/dishes?
 - a. Cheese, I love almost every kind of cheese except blue cheese and with that my favorite dish is pizza.
- 7. Are there any specific relationships or individuals who have had a profound influence on you?
 - a. My mother, she is the sweetest and nicest person I know, but also the strongest, overcoming several major challenges in her life. Talk with her everyday.
- 8. Can you share a personal achievement or moment in your life that you're particularly proud of?
 - a. Being one of the first to receive a peer lifetime achievement award.
- 9. Do you have any creative outlets, such as art, writing, or music, that you enjoy expressing yourself through?

- a. Like one of my hobbies, playing the piano is truly relaxing and an escape for me.
- 10. What brings you the most joy and fulfillment in life?
 - a. Time with friends, family and our dog Edison, life is short and we try to make the most of every minute.