LIBERTY ALL STAR GROWTH FUND INC.

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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM N-Q

QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED

MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number: 811-04537

LIBERTY ALL-STAR GROWTH FUND, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

1290 Broadway, Suite 1100, Denver, Colorado 80203

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Tané T. Tyler

ALPS Fund Services, Inc.

1290 Broadway, Suite 1100

Denver, Colorado 80203

(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (303) 623-2577

Date of fiscal year end: <u>December 31</u>

Date of reporting period: <u>July 1 September 30, 201</u>2

Item 1 Schedule of Investments.

| | SHARES | MARKET VALUE |
|--|------------------|--------------------|
| COMMON STOCKS (97.06%) | | |
| CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY (13.40%) | | |
| Auto Components (0.64%) | | |
| BorgWarner, Inc. ^(a) | 9,700 | \$ 670,367 |
| Automobiles (0.41%) | | |
| Thor Industries, Inc. | 11,788 | 428,140 |
| Distributors (1.15%) | | |
| LKQ Corp. ^(a) | 64,908 | 1,200,798 |
| Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure (2.22%) | | |
| Arcos Dorados Holdings, Inc., Class A | 50,300 | 776,129 |
| BJ s Restaurants, Iné | 13,576 | 615,672 |
| Starbucks Corp. | 18,150 | 921,112 |
| | | 2,312,913 |
| Household Durables (0.69%) | | |
| Harman International Industries, Inc. | 15,467 | 713,957 |
| Internet & Catalog Retail (2.46%) | | |
| Amazon.com, Inc.(a) | 4,665 | 1,186,403 |
| priceline.com, Inc.(a) | 1,625 | 1,005,436 |
| Shutterfly, Inc. ^(a) | 11,902 | 370,390 |
| | | 2,562,229 |
| Specialty Retail (3.60%) | 00 700 | (50.510 |
| CarMax, Inc. ^(a) | 23,700 | 670,710 |
| Dick s Sporting Goods, Inc. | 15,100 17,865 | 782,935 548,991 |
| Francesca s Holdings Cort ⁶³⁾ GNC Holdings, Inc., Class A | 3,534 | 137,720 |
| Monro Muffler Brake, Inc. | 6,155 | 216,594 |
| rue21, Inc. ^(a) | 24,984 | 778,252 |
| Teavana Holdings, Inc. ^(a) | 46,897 | 611,537 |
| | | 3,746,739 |
| Textiles, Apparel & Luxury Goods (2.23%) | | |
| Fossil, Inc.(a) | 2,300 | 194,810 |
| Gildan Activewear, Inc. | 17,500 | 554,400 |
| Michael Kors Holdings Ltd.(a) | 15,600 | 829,608 |
| Under Armour, Inc., Class A ^(a) | 13,385 | 747,285 |
| | | 2,326,103 |
| CONSUMER STAPLES (3.16%) | | |
| Beverages (0.31%) | | |
| Monster Beverage Corp.(a) | 6,000 | 324,960 |
| Food & Staples Retailing (1.82%) | | |
| Costco Wholesale Corp. | 8,550 | 856,069 |
| Γhe Fresh Market, Inc. ^(a) | 9,025 | 541,319 |
| PriceSmart, Inc. | 6,504 | 492,483 |

| | | 1,889,871 |
|-------------------------------------|--------|-----------|
| | | |
| Food Products (0.90%) | | |
| Mead Johnson Nutrition Co. | 12,800 | 937,984 |
| | | |
| Personal Products (0.13%) | | |
| Herbalife Ltd. | 2,850 | 135,090 |
| | | |
| ENERGY (8.66%) | | |
| Energy Equipment & Services (7.65%) | | |
| Core Laboratories N.V. | 15,355 | 1,865,326 |

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| COMMON STOCKS | | |
| Energy Equipment & Services (continued) Dril-Quip, Inc.(a) | 8,157 | \$ 586,325 |
| FMC Technologies, Inc. ^(a) | 17,300 | 800,990 |
| Lufkin Industries, Inc. | 12,732 | 685,236 |
| National-Oilwell Varco, Inc. | 9,100 | 729,001 |
| Oceaneering International, Inc. | 37,800 | 2,088,450 |
| Schlumberger Ltd. | 16,745 | 1,211,166 |
| | | 7,966,494 |
| Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels (1.01%) | | |
| Occidental Petroleum Corp. | 12,250 | 1,054,235 |
| FINANCIALS (9.69%) | | |
| Capital Markets (3.92%) | | |
| Affiliated Managers Group, Inc.(a) | 8,898 | 1,094,454 |
| The Charles Schwab Corp. | 45,650 | 583,863 |
| Financial Engines, Inc. ^(a) FXCM, Inc., Class A | 19,148 39,352 | 456,297 375,812 |
| Γ. Rowe Price Group, Inc. | 12,400 | 784,920 |
| Virtus Investment Partners, Inc. ^(a) | 9,211 | 792,146 |
| | | 4,087,492 |
| Commercial Banks (1.43%) | | |
| Signature Bank ^(a) | 22,196 | 1,488,908 |
| Diversified Financial Services (0.84%) | | |
| MSCI, Inc.(a) | 6,997 | 250,423 |
| Portfolio Recovery Associates, Inc. ^(a) | 5,956 | 621,985 |
| | | 872,408 |
| Insurance (2.73%) | 20.250 | 2 211 200 |
| ACE Ltd. | 29,250 25,637 | 2,211,300 634,516 |
| Greenlight Capital Re Ltd., Class A ^(a) | 23,037 | 034,310 |
| | | 2,845,816 |
| Real Estate Management & Development (0.77%) | | |
| FirstService Corp.(a) | 28,910 | 808,034 |
| HEALTH CARE (11.52%) | | |
| Biotechnology (1.95%) | | |
| BioMarin Pharmaceutical, Inc. (a) | 29,147 | 1,173,750 |
| Ironwood Pharmaceuticals, Inc.(a) | 14,300 | 182,754 |
| Vertex Pharmaceuticals, Inc.(a) | 12,000 | 671,400 |
| | | 2,027,904 |
| Health Care Equipment & Supplies (3.13%) | | |
| Accuray, Inc. (a) | 53,306 | 377,406 |
| Intuitive Surgical, Inc.(a) | 3,450 | 1,709,924 |
| Masimo Corp.(a) | 23,177 | 560,420 |

| Neogen Corp.(a) | 5,427 | 231,733 |
|--|--------|-----------|
| Volcano Corp.(a) | 13,562 | 387,466 |
| | | |
| | | 3,266,949 |
| | | |
| Health Care Providers & Services (0.32%) | | |
| PSS World Medical, Inc.(a) | 14,622 | 333,089 |
| | | |
| Health Care Technology (2.19%) | | |
| athenahealth, Inc.(a) | 11,583 | 1,062,972 |
| Cerner Corp.(a) | 15,750 | 1,219,207 |
| | | |
| | | 2,282,179 |
| | | |
| Life Sciences Tools & Services (1.65%) | | |
| Illumina, Inc.(a) | 14,600 | 703,720 |

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| COMMON STOCKS | | |
| Life Sciences Tools & Services (continued) Life Technologies Corp.(a) | 20,800 | \$ 1,016,704 |
| Life Technologies Corp. | 20,000 | \$ 1,010,704 |
| | | 1,720,424 |
| Pharmaceuticals (2.28%) | | |
| Allergan, Inc. | 13,800 | 1,263,804 |
| Mylan, Inc.(a) | 33,400 | 814,960 |
| Salix Pharmaceuticals Ltd. ^(a) | 7,000 | 296,380 |
| | | 2,375,144 |
| INDUSTRIALS (14.32%) | | |
| Aerospace & Defense (2.75%) | | |
| HEICO Corp. | 17,481 | 676,340 |
| Precision Castparts Corp. | 8,650 | 1,412,891 |
| TransDigm Group, Inc. ^(a) | 5,483 | 777,873 |
| | | 2,867,104 |
| Air Freight & Logistics (1.11%) | | |
| C.H. Robinson Worldwide, Inc. | 6,000 | 351,300 |
| Echo Global Logistics, Inc.(a) | 15,232 14,900 | 261,229 541,764 |
| Expeditors International of Washington, Inc. | 2,700 | 1,154,293 |
| Commercial Services & Supplies (1.20%) | | |
| American Reprographics Co.(a) | 62,600 | 267,302 |
| InnerWorkings, Inc.(a) | 29,747 | 387,306 |
| Waste Connections, Inc. | 19,591 | 592,628 |
| | | 1,247,236 |
| Electrical Equipment (1.43%) | | |
| II-VI, Inc. ^(a) | 21,927 | 417,051 |
| Rockwell Automation, Inc. | 8,500 | 591,175 |
| Roper Industries, Inc. | 4,400 | 483,516 |
| | | 1,491,742 |
| Machinery (1.14%) | | |
| Graco, Inc. | 11,718 | 589,181 |
| Middleby Corp.(a) | 5,189 | 600,056 |
| | | 1,189,237 |
| Professional Services (3.88%) | | |
| Huron Consulting Group, Inc.(a) | 15,173 | 528,324 |
| IHS, Inc., Class A ^(a) | 15,589 | |