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Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts Las Vegas

Dear friends and supporters of the International Food & Beverage Forum and the International Food & Beverage Forum Hall of Fame Society,

It is with great pride that we present this year’s Hall of Fame Auction Catalogue.

Let me take this opportunity to thank all donors, who have collected the various auction items and made them available for the benefit of young hospitality students, for their generosity.

At the same let me thank all bidders who gave freely in order to support our cause.

May the students of Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts Las Vegas enjoy the benefits of this year’s Hall of Fame Auction.

All the very best

*Kurt H. Fischer
Founder & President, The International Food & Beverage Forum*

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Online Auction Items: *November 10th to 16th, 2010*

Auction Item # 04:

Two-Night Weekend at the Dallas-Addison Marriott Quorum Hotel

Enjoy a two-night weekend stay at the Dallas-Addison Marriott Quorum Hotel by the Galleria is centrally located in the heart of the Dallas Addison district featuring restaurants, entertainment and Galleria shopping.

This package also includes breakfast for two each morning!

Compliments of Dallas-Addison Marriott Quorum & Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 20:

Two Nights at Caesars Atlantic City, New Jersey

This package for two brings you to the Caesars Atlantic City, New Jersey, where you will be accommodated for Two Nights with a Dinner for two. Caesars Atlantic City resort is at the center of the action with its famous casino and over 1,100 luxurious hotel rooms and suites. This Atlantic City hotel is inspired by the beauty of ancient Rome and offers an indulging spa, a theater with top acts and the amazing oceanfront Pier shopping and dining complex.

Compliments of the Richard Schneider

Auction Item # 21:

Two-Night stay at the Scottsdale Marriott at McDowell Mountains

The Scottsdale Marriott at McDowell Mountains is an all-suite luxury resort situated in the McDowell Mountains, offering spectacular desert mountain views. With its Mediterranean inspired architecture, this resort is the perfect destination for weekend getaways, golf vacations, families, business and leisure.

This package includes a two-night stay with breakfast for two.

Compliments of Scottsdale Marriott & Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 24:

Two-Night Weekend at the San Francisco Airport Marriott with Breakfast

The San Francisco Airport Marriott hotel in Burlingame is just minutes from the San Francisco International Airport. Guests of the hotel can choose amongst a variety of golf courses and spas nearby.

This package includes two-night weekend accommodation and breakfast for two on both days at the Hangar Steak restaurant. Gratuities and Alcohol not included!

Compliments of San Francisco Airport Marriott & Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 27

The 2011 Niagara Wine Experience

Come to Toronto and enjoy a two-night stay in a Junior Suite on the Club Level of the InterContinental Toronto Center Hotel. This package includes Breakfast, all Club Benefits and a dinner with a bottle of wine selected by the Sommelier at the hotel's "Azure" Restaurant.

During your stay, take a day to visit the beautiful Niagara Wine Region and the Peller Estates Winery, where you will enjoy a VIP Tour and Tasting plus a Lunch at their Restaurant prepared by renowned Chef Jason Parson.

In the afternoon enjoy a VIP Tour and Tasting at the Hillenbrand Winery.

The next day visit the Henry of Pelham Winery for a VIP Tour and Tasting. There you will also get a magnum of their Cabernet-Merlot as a memento of this visit.

The entire Package is for two persons!

Compliments of Richard Willett, Renaud Payette, Andrew Peller Ltd & the Speck Brothers

Auction Item # 28:

Two-Night Stay at the Ritz-Carlton Marina del Rey

Minutes from the glamour and excitement of Santa Monica, Venice and Beverly Hills, yet steeped in its own unique setting, The Ritz-Carlton Marina del Rey is situated on one of the world's largest man-made recreational marinas. Your package includes a two-night stay in Deluxe Accommodation including Breakfast for two for one morning at Jer-ne Restaurant & Bar.

Compliments of Ritz-Carlton Marina del Rey & Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 36:

"Fiesta Ware" Dinner Place Settings

Fiesta® Dinnerware was designed by Frederick Hurten Rhead in 1936 and is now among the most collected china products in the world. As originally designed, the line featured art deco styling and bold, bright colors.

The fifteen bold colors complement one another as well as a wide range of interior palettes. This package is for a forty-five pieces set of Fiesta Dinnerware.

Compliments of Joe Wells III

Auction Item # 44:

A night at The Sherry-Netherland in New York City

Relax after a busy week at The Sherry-Netherland on Fifth Avenue where a One-Bedroom Suite is set aside for two persons. Situated on Fifth Avenue in the heart of Midtown New York City directly across from the Grand Army Plaza, Central Park's main entrance The Sherry has been an expression of privilege since 1927.

All taxes are included, but gratuities and incidentals are the responsibility of the guest.

Compliments of Theresa Nocerino & Hermann Reiner

Auction Item 52:

Play Golf on the Bahamas

The Cove Atlantis is the island's most fashionable address. This package includes a two-night stay in an Ocean Suite, with a sunken Living Room and a private Balcony that offers breathtaking panoramic Ocean Views! Travel like a celebrity with complimentary VIP Limousine transfer to and from the Resort, and Champagne Amenities. You are also invited to play 18 holes on the world renowned One & Only Golf Course designed by Tom Weiskopf.

This package is for two persons and includes blackout dates.

Compliments of Kapil Sharma

Auction Item # 53:

Weekend at the Westin Cincinnati with Dinner

A two-night stay for two in a deluxe accommodation at the Westin Cincinnati! Overlooking historic Fountain Square, The Westin Cincinnati boasts a central downtown location, a leisurely stroll away from the Aronoff Center for the Performing Arts and the Contemporary Arts Center.

Package includes a US \$ 25.00 gift card to be used at the Hotel's "Ingredients" Restaurant!

Compliments of Wayne Bodington, & Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 55:

One Night at Trump International Hotel & Tower in New York City

Enjoy a night in an Executive City View Suite at the Trump International Hotel & Tower just off Central Park, right at the juncture of Columbus Circle and Broadway.

The spacious one bedroom suites are 700 square feet featuring a living room, a dining area with a full European-style kitchen.

Floor-to-ceiling windows displaying spectacular view of the City are the focus of the Executive City View New York hotel Suites.

Compliments of Suzie Mills & Hermann Reiner

Auction Item # 57:

Discover Japan's History

Start your tour at the Grand Hyatt Tokyo with a two-night stay in a Grand Club Room with Grand Club access and a Dinner certificate for two. Grand Hyatt Tokyo is located in the heart of Roppongi—a stimulating center for business, culture, fashion and leisure.

The next stop is Kyoto, where you can enjoy three nights accommodation at the Hyatt Regency Kyoto, located in the Higashiyama Shichijo - the traditional and cultural district. Your package includes daily breakfast and a dinner at either "Touzan", the Japanese Restaurant or at "The Grill".

The last stop is Osaka, the gateway to Japanese culture and history. There a two-night stay in a Sky View Superior Room at the Ritz-Carlton Osaka, located in the prestigious business and shopping district of Nishi-Umeda, with daily breakfast is waiting for you.

The entire package is for two persons.

Compliments of Andreas Stalder, Christophe Lorvo, Ken Yokoyama & Bernard Viola

Auction Item # 58:

Three Nights At Dreams Tulum Resort & Spa

Enjoy a three-night stay for two persons at the Dreams Tulum Resort & Spa, Mexico. Dreams Tulum Resort & Spa is a luxurious vacation sanctuary for families, couples and friends offering the privileges of Unlimited-Luxury®—where everything is included. Located along the famed Riviera Maya, the glorious colors of our classic colonial hacienda and contemporary architecture are set against a brilliant white beach, deeply azure sea and multihued greens of tall palms.

Compliments of Alex Andrade

Auction Item # 59:

Experience Cairo and relax at Egypt's Coasts

Start your vacation at the Carols Beau Rivage Resort in Marsa Matrouh at Egypt's Mediterranean Coast, where you will be accommodated for seven nights on a Bed & Breakfast basis. Marsa Matrouh is located 120 miles west of Alexandria and close Cleopatra's Beaches.

Then travel south to the Red Sea and enjoy four nights, on half board basis, at the Mövenpick Resort El Quseir. This resort located 100 miles south of Hurghada is a paradise for scuba diving, snorkeling or a perfect beach holiday.

After eleven days at the Beach it is time to experience the ultimate weekend in Cairo.

There you will enjoy a two-night stay in the exclusive Presidential Suite of the Semiramis InterContinental, located in the heart of the City Center, facing the River Nile, the hotel is close to the Egyptian Museum, the Cairo Opera House and the Cairo Tower. You will also have access to the Club Lounge, breakfast and a dinner at the Grill.

The entire package is for two persons.

Compliments of the Semiramis InterContinental Cairo, Klaus Graesslin, Werner Gessner & Mounir Doss

Auction Item # 74

2003 Screaming Eagle Cabernet Sauvignon

Become the proud collector of a bottle of 2003 Screaming Eagle Cabernet Sauvignon!

The 2003 has been in bottle for over two years and continues to be a beautiful wine, dense ruby/purple in color with wonderful purity of creme de cassis. It is that black currant liqueur purity, richness, and depth that is one of the shining characteristics of this wine. Extraordinarily pure, the wine is full-bodied, opulent, and concentrated, but still young and primary. There is plenty of tannin underlying the wealth of fruit and, if anything, the wine seems to have firmed up since I had it last year.

Robert D. Parker: 95 points

Compliments of Wendy & Randy Ogryzek

Auction Item # 75

Harlan Estate Napa Valley 1995

Become the proud collector of a bottle of Harlan Estate Napa Valley 1995, a California "First Growth" from the hills of Oakville. "These wines possess all the elements of greatness - individuality, power combined with elegance, extraordinary complexity, remarkable aging potential, and compelling richness without ponderousness." Robert M. Parker – 99 Points

Compliments of Dr. Mel & Leena Sturman

Auction Item # 89:

A Short Break in Boston

Visit Boston and stay two nights in Deluxe Accommodation at the InterContinental Boston. Located on Boston's historic Waterfront - surrounded by the Fort Point Channel and the new Rose Kennedy Greenway - InterContinental Boston is steps away from exciting Boston attractions, including Faneuil Hall/Quincy Market, Boston Convention & Exhibition Center, North End, Chinatown, Beacon Hill and a plethora of historical attractions such as the Boston Tea Party Museum and Freedom Trail. One evening you can enjoy a dinner for two at "Bistro du Midi". Experience modern Provençal Cuisine at its best.

Compliments of Tim Kirwan & Patrick Willis

Auction Item # 94:

One Night at the Wyndham Garden Times Square South in New York City

The Wyndham Garden Midtown New York City Time Square Hotel is just a short walk from the Jacob Javits Center if you're attending a convention, the theater district if you're in town to see a show, Times Square, or Madison Square Garden when you're here to catch a game.

So when you are ready to wind down, enjoy a one-night stay at the Wyndham Garden Hotel, which opened in November 2008.

Compliments of the Wyndham Garden Hotel & Fernando Salazar

Auction Item # 95:

One Night at the Seaview Dolce Resort in Galloway, New Jersey

This package for two brings you to the Seaview, A Dolce Resort, in Galloway, New Jersey, where you will be accommodated for one night and enjoy Dinner in their Dining Room.

Situated in a charming seaside town of Galloway, Historic Seaview is the only golf and spa resort on the New Jersey Shore. Just minutes from Atlantic City International Airport, and 8 miles from Atlantic City itself, Seaview offers guests an idyllic resort vacation, world class golf and a luxurious spa experience!

Compliments of the Seaview Dolce Resort & Fernando Salazar

Auction Item # 96:

One Night at the Paramount Hotel, Times Square in New York City

One of the most fashionable Midtown Manhattan hotels is The Paramount Hotel in New York, centrally located in the heart of bustling Times Square. Completely renovated in 2009, The Paramount remains the modern Times Square New York hotel, with easy access to the Broadway Theater District. So when you are ready to wind down, enjoy a one-night stay at the Paramount Hotel, Times Square with breakfast for two in their Mezzanine Restaurant!

Compliments of the Paramount Hotel & Fernando Salazar

Auction Item # 98:

Indian Dinner for Four at Chutney Mary, London

Enjoy dining with four persons at the "Chutney Mary" Restaurant. Transformed Chutney Mary presents refined Indian food of today from diverse regions, created by a galaxy of master chefs, displayed with verve and style. The menu remains true to classic Indian recipes, but now also reflects the food trends in today's India. This Package includes wine, valued at US \$ 60.00

Compliments of Camellia Panjabi

Auction Item # 99:

Three great Dinners for two in London, England

The first dinner will take you to The Greenhouse on Hay's Mew. There you will be treated to a Tasting Menu with matching wines specially selected by the head-sommelier.

The next two dinners take you to the Mandarin Oriental Hyde Park for two new fantastic dining experiences:

One evening stop at the Bar Boulud, brought to London by internationally acclaimed Chef Daniel Boulud. This dinner will include the sommelier's choice of wine!

After January 2011 you will be able to enjoy dinner in Chef Heston Blumenthal's first Restaurant in London, designed by Adam D. Tihany. This dinner also includes the sommelier's choice of wine!

All three dinners are for two persons, gratuities are not included!

Compliments of Christophe Mares & Patrick Willis



Thursday, November 18, 2010

Auction Item # 02:

Three-Night Stay at the New Orleans Marriott with breakfast

Experience the rich history, abundant romance, unique sights, musical sounds and delectable flavors of the Crescent City from the comfort of the Gold Key Hall of Fame New Orleans Marriott Hotel.

This package includes three nights' accommodation in a Deluxe Corner Suite with wrap-around windows overlooking the Mississippi River and the historic French Quarter and breakfast for two in the 5Fifty5 Restaurant and complimentary Parking. Certain black-out dates apply!

Compliments of New Orleans Marriott & Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 06:

Enjoy a Week in the Caribbean

The first stop is the Caribe Hilton where you will be accommodated for two nights.

The second stop is at the Rio Mar Beach Resort and Spa, a Wyndham Grand Resort, nestled in a lush hideaway on the "Isle of Enchantment". This package includes a dinner, alcohol not included.

The third stop is the Hilton Trinidad & Conference Center where two-weekend nights' accommodation including breakfast awaits you.

The entire package is for two persons.

Compliments of José Campo, Fernando Salazar & Ali Khan

Auction Item # 07:

Broadbent Auction Reserve Port

Become the proud collector of Magnum bottle of Broadbent Auction Reserve Port autographed by the producer Bartholomew Broadbent!

This port is not filtered and is a multi-vintage blend of vintage ports. This Reserve wine averages about 3 1/2 years of blended wine age.

Another point of difference for the Broadbent, is that unlike other large production blends of Vintage Character, or Reserve Port this juice has been 100% foot trodden in laager and is then aged in mellowed old oak

Compliments of Bartholomew Broadbent

Auction Item # 09:

Two-Night Stay at the Grand Hyatt Seoul

Enjoy a two-night stay for two in a Grand Club Room at the Grand Hyatt Seoul.

Grand Hyatt Seoul is located in the heart of South Korea's capital city, in the Yongsan district.

Set on the historic Mount Namsan amid 18 acres of waterfalls and landscaped gardens, our Seoul hotel offers grand luxury combined with the relaxing comforts of home.

This package also includes breakfast, access to the Grand Club Lounge.

Compliments of Peter Walshaw & Andreas Stalder

Auction Item # 10:

Two-Night Weekend at the Four Seasons Hotel Atlanta

A premier king bedded room for a Friday and Saturday night at the Four Seasons Hotel Atlanta!

With business, shopping and the arts at your door and service that lends new distinction to Southern hospitality, Four Seasons is Atlanta's most dynamic premier hotel address – offering Midtown views, ultra-spacious rooms and peerless dining.

Your package includes American breakfast for two each morning and complimentary valet parking!

Compliments of Four Seasons Hotel Atlanta & Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 18:

Three Nights at the InterContinental Chicago

Often regarded as Chicago's answer to the Champs-Élysées, the "Magnificent Mile" is a broad boulevard lined with exclusive shops, museums, and trendy restaurants. Experience this lively scene in all its brilliance from the InterContinental Chicago - the only downtown Chicago hotel with a front entrance on this world-famous thoroughfare. Immerse yourself in the enchanting atmosphere of the Windy City.

This package includes a three-night stay for two in a suite located in the hotel's historic tower.

Every morning you can choose to have breakfast through Room Service or at the Zest Restaurant.

One evening you can dine at the Zest Restaurant and you will also enjoy a \$ 100 credit to be used at "ENO", the latest hit in Chicago's Restaurant scene

Compliments of Edward Andrews III

Auction Item # 19:

Antic Wine Chest with Six Wines

Become the proud owner of an Antic Wine Chest filled with a bottle each of:

Caymus Cabernet Sauvignon 2007; Hall Cabernet Sauvignon 2006; Meiomi Pinot Noir – Belle Glos 2008; Conundrum 2008; Domaine de Ferrand - Châteauneuf du Pape 2004 & Mer Soleil Chardonnay 2006

Compliments of John Poland

Auction Item # 23:

Two-Night Weekend in Minneapolis

Discover the centrally located downtown Minneapolis Marriott City Center ideally situated in the heart of downtown, connected to City Center Mall and 62 blocks via the skyway system and near many area attractions .

Enjoy a Friday and Saturday stay in a King Bed Suite with breakfast for two in the Northern Shores Grille or through Room Service.

Compliments of Minneapolis Marriott City Center & Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 25:

Two-Night Stay at the Ritz-Carlton Buckhead

The Ritz-Carlton, Buckhead, ideally situated at the pinnacle of shopping, dining and entertainment in Atlanta.

Your package includes a two-night stay in Deluxe Accommodation with Club Access, including Room & Tax and Daily American Breakfast for two at the Ritz-Carlton Buckhead, Georgia.

You will have effortless access to all the notable nightlife, culture and commerce of this celebrated neighborhood.

Subject to availability!

Compliments of Ritz Carlton Buckhead & Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 65:

Hand-Embroidered Black Evening Bag

Become the proud owner of a beautiful hand-embroidered black evening bag!

Or surprise a loved one for the upcoming holidays!

Compliments of Camellia Panjabi

Auction Item # 66:

Hand-Embroidered Gold Evening Bag

Become the proud owner of a beautiful hand-embroidered gold evening bag!

Or surprise a loved one for the upcoming holidays!

Compliments of Camellia Panjabi

Auction Item # 67:

Hand-Embroidered, Gold-Colored Evening Bag

Become the proud owner of a beautiful hand-embroidered, gold-colored evening bag!

Or surprise a loved one for the upcoming holidays!

Compliments of Camellia Panjabi

Auction Item # 68:

Hand-Embroidered Black Evening Bag

Become the proud owner of a beautiful hand-embroidered black evening bag!

Or surprise a loved one for the upcoming holidays!

Compliments of Camellia Panjabi

Auction Item # 69:

Hand-Embroidered Red Evening Bag

Become the proud owner of a beautiful hand-embroidered red evening bag!

Or surprise a loved one for the upcoming holidays!

Compliments of Camellia Panjabi

Auction Item # 70:

Hand-Embroidered Silver-Colored Evening Bag

Become the proud owner of a beautiful hand-embroidered silver-colored evening bag!

Or surprise a loved one for the upcoming holidays!

Compliments of Camellia Panjabi

Auction Item # 76:

Harlan Estate Napa Valley 1996

Harlan's boldly flavored, multilayered and expensive red wine, from a choice hillside estate above Oakville, didn't come by chance. This is the product of a dream team consisting of perfectionist proprietor Bill Harlan, winemaker Bob Levy and French consultant Michel Rolland. Harlan Estate's flagship wine is one of the bluest of California's blue-chip collectibles.

Compliments of Dr. Mel & Leena Sturman

Auction Item # 77:

Magnum of 1992 Spottswoode Estate Grown Cabernet Sauvignon, Napa Valley

Become the proud collector of a Magnum bottle of 1992 Spottswoode Estate Grown Cabernet Sauvignon, Napa Valley. A firmly structured Cabernet Sauvignons with excellent balance and restraint, offering characteristic notes of boysenberry, cassis, violet and dark chocolate. Indeed, Spottswood has been one of the most consistent Cabernet producers of California over the past two decades, with a track record for graceful bottle aging.

Compliments of Dr. Mel & Leena Sturman

Auction Item # 78:

Magnum of 1990 La Jota Vineyard Company Cabernet Sauvignon, Howell Mountain, Napa Valley

Become the proud collector of a Magnum bottle of 1990 La Jota Vineyard Company Cabernet Sauvignon, Howell Mountain, Napa Valley. This expression of cool Howell Mountain terroir comes from a selection of softer-textured Cabernet Sauvignon fruit. A small percentage of Merlot imparts plushness and broader tannins, while a dash of Petit Verdot from a small block near the winery adds intriguing spice character.

Compliments of Dr. Mel & Leena Sturman

Auction Item # 79:

Magnum of 1992 La Jota Vineyard Company Cabernet Sauvignon, Howell Mountain, Napa Valley

11th Anniversary Release!

Become the proud collector of a Magnum bottle of 1992 La Jota Vineyard Company 11th Anniversary Cabernet Sauvignon, Howell Mountain, Napa Valley. Wrapped in silky tannins, this deep ruby colored wine is laced with decadent aromas of cocoa powder, toasty French oak and dried cherries. The balanced, rich palate is tempting to consume now, but further cellaring should reward by integrating the velvety tannins with the fines herbes, toasted nut and ripe berry flavors. A special occasion whenever enjoyed, share with friends or hoard for yourself!

Compliments of Dr. Mel & Leena Sturman

Auction Item # 80:

Magnum of 1993 La Jota Vineyard Company Cabernet Sauvignon, Howell Mountain, Napa Valley

12th Anniversary Release!

Become the proud collector of a Magnum bottle of 1993 La Jota Vineyard Company 12th Anniversary Cabernet Sauvignon, Howell Mountain, Napa Valley. La Jota's 1993s are among the greatest successes of this vintage. The 1993 Cabernet Sauvignon 12th Anniversary Release is nearly as profound as the 1992. A compelling wine, it possesses an opaque black color, and a fabulous nose of chocolate, smoke, and cassis. Extremely full-bodied, with sweet tannin, low acidity, and fantastic concentration, this is a spectacular Cabernet Sauvignon for drinking now and over the next 25 years

Compliments of Dr. Mel & Leena Sturman

Auction Item # 81:

Magnum of 1981 Dunn Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon, Howell Mountain, Napa Valley 1st Release!

Become the proud collector of a Magnum of 1981 Dunn Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon, Howell Mountain, Napa Valley. This was the 1st Release of this wine! Randy Dunn has been crafting chewy, tannic, uncompromising Cabernet Sauvignons of outstanding depth for a quarter of a century. His property on Howell Mountain is dotted with vineyards in the midst of beautiful forested hillsides. *Robert Parker – 92 Points*

Compliments of Dr. Mel & Leena Sturman

Auction Item # 82:

Magnum of 1983 Chateau Gruaud Larose, Saint Julien

Become the proud collector of a Magnum of 1983 Chateau Gruaud Larose, Saint Julien - Médoc, a Grand Cru Classé!

This dark garnet-colored, unctuous, rather viscous, deep wine has reached full maturity. The 1983 Gruaud-Larose exhibits a provocative nose of roasted herbs, animal fat, jammy blackberries, licorice, and cedar. It is a big, fat, juicy, and succulent wine, with sweet tannin in the finish. *Robert Parker – 90 Points*

Compliments of Dr. Mel & Leena Sturman

Auction Item # 83:

Magnum of 1989 Chateau Lynch Bages, Pauillac

Become the proud collector of a Magnum of 1989 Chateau Lynch Bages, Pauillac, a Grand Cru Classé! Perhaps the greatest Lynch-Bages ever produced. Dark-ruby in color, offering plenty of blackberry, mint and spice aromas and flavors. Full-bodied, with masses of velvety tannins and a super long, fruity finish. Yet it's only giving half of what it's got! *Wine Spectator – 98 Points*

Compliments of Dr. Mel & Leena Sturman

Auction Item # 84:

Magnum of 1988 Chateau Mouton Rothschild, Pauillac

Become the proud collector of a Magnum of 1988 Chateau Mouton Rothschild, Pauillac, a Grand Cru Classé!

Very pretty aromas of vanilla, tobacco, berry and chocolate. Medium- to full-bodied, with soft tannins and a berry, chocolate finish. Not very dense. This pales compared with the other top Pauillacs. I never thought this was a perfect wine, but it gives great pleasure! *Wine Spectator – 92 Points*

Compliments of Dr. Mel & Leena Sturman

Auction Item # 85:

Visit exciting Brazil!

The first stop in Brazil is the Novotel São Paulo Morumbi where you will be accommodated for three weekend nights with breakfast and one dinner at their 365 Bar & restaurant. Alcoholic Drinks are not included!

The Next stop is the famous Hotel das Cataratas located next to the spectacular Iguassu Falls. There your package includes three nights' accommodation in a superior room with breakfast.

The third stop in Brazil is the Novotel Jaraguá São Paulo where you will be accommodated for three weekend nights with breakfast and a dinner at their 365 Bar & restaurant. Alcoholic Drinks are not included!

The entire package is for two persons!

Compliments of Carlos Bernardo, Nicole Bumagny, Hotel das Cataratas, Christophe Marziale & Gerfried Schipper

Auction Item # 86:

Double Magnum of Bogle Vineyards 2007 Phantom

Become the proud collector of a double Magnum bottle of Bogle Phantom 2007. The Bogle Phantom is a blend of Petite Syrah, Zinfandel and Mourvèdre. Vivid essence of black pepper, dark fruit and juniper haunts the nose, while brighter flavors of blackberries and blueberries glance off the palate. From the shadows, toasty cinnamon and nutmeg emerge, subtly embracing the deeply luscious and succulent fruit to create a full-bodied, ruby rich wine.

Compliments of Gena Paez, The Mark Wine group & Fernando Salazar

Auction Item # 87:

Dinner for two at Gustav's "Spiedini Ristorante" & a night at the JWMarriott Las Vegas Resort & Spa

Experience the sophisticated atmosphere of the JWMarriott Las Vegas Resort & Spa at Summerlin.

In the evening you will be treated to a great dinner, including fine wines at Gustav's Spiedini Italian Ristorante

Then spend the night in a deluxe room. This package is for two persons!

Compliments of Gustav Mauler & JWMarriott Las Vegas Resort & Spa

Auction Item # 88:

Become a member of The Citation Society

This package entitles you to a one time Citation Society Wine Club delivery and Club benefits, plus a private tour, a Picnic and a tasting for six persons at the Firesteed Cellars in Rickreall, Oregon.

Firesteed now has a real winery in Oregon! Yes, we have transformed from a "Virtual Winery" to a "Traditional Winery" in Oregon. During the summer of 2003, Firesteed purchased Flynn Vineyards, Inc!

Legal age and shipping restrictions apply!

Compliments of the Howard Rossbach

Auction Item # 90:

Vertical in Magnums of Swanson Vineyards "Alexis 2002, 2003 & 2004"

Become the proud collector of a vertical in Magnum bottles of Swanson Vineyards "Alexis 2002, 2003 and 2004"!

This unconventional blend of Cabernet, Syrah and Merlot is a classic Napa red, soft and luxurious and decadent, yet with a firm structure. It's enormously flavorful in sweet cassis and chocolate, with a firm, dry finish.

Compliments of Swanson Vineyards

Auction Item # 91:

Three Limited Edition Magnums of Cabernet Sauvignon

Become the proud collector of three Limited Edition Magnums of Cabernet Sauvignon!

The first is a Magnum of Sequoia Grove Rutherford 2003 Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon! *Wine Enthusiast: 93 points*

The second Magnum is a 2006 Stonestreet Cabernet Sauvignon Alexander Valley. *Wine Enthusiast: 92 points*

The third Magnum is a Kendall-Jackson Grand Reserve 2006 Cabernet Sauvignon. *Wine Enthusiast: 91 points*

Compliments of Jane McGrath, Kobrand Corporation & Majestic Fine Wines

Auction Item # 92:

Rodney Strong Symmetry Meritage 2006

Become the proud collector of an etched double Magnum bottle of Rodney Strong Symmetry Meritage 2006, Alexander Valley.

The 2005 Symmetry greets you with a generous bouquet of blackberries, ripe dark plums, sweet spices, and a hint of chocolate. It opens boldly on the palate with layers of blackberry, cassis, smoky dark chocolate and brown spice. This mouth-filling wine is rich, silky in texture, expansive, and quite long on the finish, and manages to be at once harmonious, powerful, and elegant.

Wine Enthusiast: 94 Points

Compliments of Rodney Strong Vineyards

Auction Item # 100:

One Limited Edition Magnum of Zuccardi Zeta 2006, Argentina!

Become the proud collector of a Limited Edition Magnum of Zuccardi Zeta 2006!

64 % Malbec – 36% Tempranillo

Deep and lively violet color. Attractive and intense in the nose, with spicy and dark fruits aromas. Notes of plums, strawberries, blueberries, and guava with distinct hints of black pepper, tobacco, baked red peppers, chocolate, truffles, and mulberry giving a great complexity.

Compliments of Familia Zuccardi Winery



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IF&BF Hall of Fame Society Induction Dinner

Friday, November 19, 2010

Auction Item # 01:

Two-Night Weekend at the Marriott Suites Atlanta Midtown

Enjoy a two-night weekend in one of the spacious suites of the Marriott Suites Atlanta Midtown, located in the heart of Atlanta with easy access to Woodruff Arts center and other popular venues.

This package also includes breakfast for two in Allie's American Grille and complimentary parking.

Compliments of Marriott Suites Atlanta Midtown and Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 11:

Two Nights at the Fairmont Vier Jahreszeiten Hamburg

Enjoy a two-night stay for two in a deluxe room overlooking the lake at the historic Fairmont Vier Jahreszeiten in Hamburg, Germany.

Located in the heart of Hamburg you are close to museums, or you can take a cruise on the Alster.

Package includes the sumptuous "Vier Jahreszeiten" breakfast.

Compliments of Ingo Peters

Auction Item # 12:

Two Nights at the Historic Hotel Galvez with Dinner

This package includes two night accommodation at the Historic Hotel Galvez and dinner for two at "Bernardo's"!

Since 1911, gracious hospitality, comfort and old world charm have been the standard at the grand dame of all Island hotels.

Located on the Gulf of Mexico and a stretch from all of Galveston's year-round attractions, Hotel Galvez has hosted generations of families from around the world. Feel the historic ambiance from the moment you arrive via the newly completed grand circular drive.

Compliments of the Hotel Galvez & Fernando Salazar

Auction Item # 14:

Two-Night Stay at the Ritz-Carlton Buckhead with Dinner

The Ritz-Carlton, Buckhead, ideally situated at the pinnacle of shopping, dining and entertainment in Atlanta.

Your package includes a two-night stay in an Executive Suite with Club Access and a dinner for two in the Café Restaurant at the Ritz-Carlton Buckhead, Georgia.

You will have effortless access to all the notable nightlife, culture and commerce of this celebrated neighborhood.

Subject to availability!

Compliments of Ritz Carlton Buckhead & Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 29:

Two-Night Weekend in Atlanta

Enjoy a two-night weekend-stay for two in a deluxe accommodation at the Grand Hyatt Atlanta in Buckhead.

Located in the heart of Buckhead, Atlanta's most prestigious and fashionable neighborhood, this luxury hotel offers access to the city's most renowned dining and entertainment venues.

This package includes breakfast at the hotel.

The package excludes alcohol and gratuities!

Compliments of Grand Hyatt Atlanta and Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 31:

Two-Night Getaway at Four Seasons Hotel

Westlake Village, California

Pamper yourselves at the finest luxury hotel in the Conejo Valley.

This package for two persons entitles you to:

- two-night Deluxe View accommodation
- two Spa unity packages per person
- Sunday Brunch in Hampton's
- Dinner in Hampton's or Onyx

Compliments of Thomas Gurtner

Auction Item # 33:

Weekend at Shangri-La's Far Eastern Plaza in Taipei

Enjoy a two-night weekend in a Plaza Suite at Shangri-La's Far Eastern Plaza Hotel in Taipei.

This luxury Taipei hotel, in the heart of Taiwan's metropolis, soars 43 stories above Taipei's premier business and shopping districts, provides guests with unparalleled service, fabulous views and exquisite décor showcasing a perfect blend of the east and west.

This package includes breakfast and a dinner for two at the Shanghai Pavilion Restaurant.

Compliments of Ulf Bremer & Hermann Reiner

Auction Item # 35:

Weekend at the Waldorf Towers in New York

After a busy week or just to see a play, enjoy a two-night weekend stay in a Grand Suite at "The Waldorf Towers" on Park Avenue. The Waldorf Towers is our boutique hotel, home to celebrities, corporate executives, royalty and every American president since Herbert Hoover. Richly decorated guest rooms, oversized marble bathrooms, and gracious touches such as fine antiques and individual décor create an inviting residential appeal

One evening you can dine at "A Voce" at Columbus circle, one of Marlon Abela's Michelin Star rated Restaurants.

This package is for two persons.

Compliments of James W. Blauvelt, Patrick Willis & Hermann Reiner

Auction Item # 40:

A short vacation in Thailand

First enjoy a three-night stay in a Grand Club Room at the Grand Hyatt Erawan, Bangkok with all the Grand Club privileges, including continental breakfast, afternoon tea & evening canapés at the Grand Club Lounge, plus a dinner for two at the Erawan Tea Room.

Next, experience a three-night stay in a Regency Club Garden Room at the Hyatt Regency Hua Hin with all the Regency Club privileges, including continental breakfast, afternoon tea & evening canapés at the Grand Club Lounge, plus a Thai dinner for two on your outdoor patio by the beach.

This package also includes a 60 minute spa treatment for two the award winning "The Barai" Spa.

Compliments of Richard Greaves, Mikael Svensson & Andreas Stalder

Auction Item # 49:

Five Course Gourmet Dinner Party for 10 persons with wine pairing at Café Bleu

You invite your guests and the Chefs and students of Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts in Las Vegas will do the rest.

The evening will start off with cold hors d'oeuvres followed by a five course dinner. Each course will be paired with the appropriate wine!

Compliments of Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts in Las Vegas

Auction Item # 50:

Cocktail Party for 20 persons with Cooking Demonstration at Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts in Las Vegas

You invite your guests and the Chefs and students of Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts in Las Vegas will do the rest.

You will enjoy a special Cocktail Party at Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts in Las Vegas which includes a Cooking Demonstration and tasting of award winning wines made by students and faculty members.

Compliments of Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts in Las Vegas

Auction Item # 56:

Two-Night Weekend Stay At the Conrad Miami

Enjoy a two-night weekend stay in a King Deluxe City View Room at the Conrad Miami.

This package for two persons includes Continental Breakfast on both days at the Atrio restaurant. Overlooking Biscayne Bay in Downtown Miami, our exquisite accommodations are just footsteps from the area's most coveted destinations, including Mary Brickell Village, American Airlines Arena, and the Adrienne Arsht Center for the Performing Arts

Compliments of Martin Wormull & Hermann Reiner

Auction Item # 73:

A Two-Lake Vacation in Switzerland

Start your vacation in Geneva at the Hotel des Horlogers where you will be accommodated for four nights with breakfast. The hotel is also a "Watch Maker Museum" and less than 3 minutes away from most of Switzerland's leading watch manufacturers.

The next stop is the Hotel Les Nations and situated within walking distance from the famous Lake of Geneva where accommodation for four nights is provided. The you are off to Luzern, another historic city on the shore of the "Vierwaldstätter See". There you will be welcomed at the famous Luzern Palace Hotel for two nights in a Junior Suite, breakfast included.

This entire package is for two persons!

Compliments of Philippe Guénat & Hans Koch

Auction Item # 97

Indian Dinner for Four at Veeraswamy, London

Enjoy dining with four persons at the "Veeraswamy" Restaurant, which is the oldest surviving Indian restaurant in the U.K, and possibly the world. This Package includes a bottle of wine, valued at US \$ 60.00

Compliments of Camellia Panjabi



THE INTERNATIONAL FOOD & BEVERAGE FORUM

Hall of Fame Society

IF&B Forum Hall of Fame Gala Dinner presented by RAK Porcelain Europe SA

Saturday, November 20, 2010

Auction Item # 03:

Weekend at Memphis Marriott Downtown

With 600 deluxe-appointed guest rooms, the Memphis Marriott Downtown is the largest hotel in Memphis and features fabulous views of the city skyline. Since we are right on the Memphis Trolley line, we're close to shopping, museums, the world-renowned entertainment and exciting nightlife of Beale Street.

This package also includes two-night weekend accommodation, breakfast for two.

Compliments of Memphis Marriott & Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 05:

Explore Melbourne and the Hunter Valley

Spend two nights in a deluxe room at the Crown, a world of entertainment!

This package includes valet parking and breakfast for two persons, a bottle of sparkling wine as well as a meal voucher to be used in any of their award-winning restaurants! Next you are off to Carrington in the Hunter valley where you are treated to a Two-Night weekend at Carrington Place Guest House.

There your package for two includes breakfast, dinner and a winery tour in the Hunter Valley.

Compliments of Walter Wagner & Scott Webster

Auction Item # 08:

Enjoy true Taipei Hospitality

Enjoy a three-night stay for two in a Grand Club Room at the Grand Hyatt Taipei.

Grand Hyatt Taipei hotel anchors the city's most vibrant commercial center in the Xinyi district and is adjacent to Taipei 101 Financial Center and the World Trade Centre complex.

This package also includes breakfast, access to the Grand Club Lounge and a dinner with a set menu for two at the Pearl Liang Restaurant.

Compliments of David Pacey & Andreas Stalder

Auction Item # 13

Explore Japan

Start with a two-night stay in a twin room including breakfast at the Kyoto Royal Hotel, located just two blocks away from numerous subway stops which provide access to the Golden Temple, Kiyomizu Temple, Nijoh Castle and the Imperial Palace.

The next stop is the famous Conrad Tokyo located in the heart of Tokyo, 37 floors over Tokyo Shiodome, the hotel offers panoramic views of the extensive Hamarikyū Gardens, a former feudal Lord's residence. The Conrad Tokyo lies within walking distance to Ginza.

Your package includes two-night's accommodation in a Bay-view King Room including breakfast.

The third stop is the Grand Park Otaru Hotel located on Ishikari Bay in the picturesque sea-trading port of Otaru, just 20 miles away from Sapporo, in Japan's Hokkaido prefecture.

Your package for two includes one night in an Ocean View Room including breakfast and a Japanese Dinner.

The entire Package is for two persons!

Compliments of Michael Nigitsch, Gregor Andréewitch, Terry Hamada & Michel Geday

Auction Item # 15:

Two-Night stay at the Santa Clara Marriott

The Santa Clara Marriott luxury hotel is located in the heart of Silicon Valley, near the Santa Clara Convention Center and just minutes from the San Jose International Airport.

Guest can also enjoy all the rides and thrills of California's Great America, which is located adjacent to our hotel

This package also includes two-night stay on Thursday, Friday or Saturday and breakfast for two on both days.

Compliments of Santa Clara Marriott & Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 17:

Discover the Mystery of China

Travel to Beijing and stay for three nights in the Presidential Suite at the Westin Beijing, located in the financial district. This package includes breakfast and a buffet dinner for two at "Senses" Restaurant.

Then it is time to relax for three nights at the Hyatt Regency Hangzhou.

This package includes accommodation in a Regency Club Lakeview Room with breakfast, afternoon tea and evening Cocktails plus a buffet dinner at the café.

Compliments of Charlie Dang, David Ying & Andreas Stalder

Auction Item # 22:

Two-Night Weekend at the Marriott Kansas City Airport

Among Kansas City hotels, few offer the outstanding amenities and convenient access of the Kansas City Airport Marriott. The Hotel is overlooking a pristine lake on the grounds of the Kansas City International Airport. This package includes a two-night weekend with breakfast for two.
Compliments of Marriott Kansas City Airport & Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 26:

Two-Night Weekend at the San Ramon Marriott

The San Ramon Marriott hotel is the idyllic setting for business meetings, weddings or retreats. Between San Francisco and Silicon Valley, this contemporary hotel is minutes away from the Livermore Wineries and numerous entertainment and dining options in Walnut Creek, Pleasanton, Danville and Alamo. This package also includes two-night weekend accommodation and breakfast for two in the Stixx & Steaks Lounge. Tax, Gratuities and Alcohol not included!
Compliments of San Ramon Marriott & Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 30:

Visit San Francisco, Napa Valley & Sonoma County

Start with two one-night stays for two at the Parc 55 Wyndham Hotel, located just a block from Union Square! First you should visit The Far Niente and Nickel & Nickel Wineries, where four persons will get a VIP Tour and Tastings. As a momentum of your visit you will get: A Double Magnum of 2008 Far Niente Estate Bottled Chardonnay; A Double Magnum of 2007 Far Niente Estate Bottled Cabernet Sauvignon; A Double Magnum of Nickel & Nickel Sullenger Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon & A Magnum of 1999 Dolce
Then travel to the historic Sutter Home Winery Victorian Vintage Inn for a two-night stay including a Wine Country Breakfast for two persons every morning. During the day, take a VIP Tour with Tasting at the Trinchero Family Estate Winery. There you will get a Double Magnum of 2007 Ménage á Trois Chardonnay!
Next you are off to Sonoma County to visit the DeLoach Vineyards in the heart of Russian River Valley. There you will spend one night at their guesthouse after taking a VIP tour with Tasting for two persons. Before leaving the Bay you can relax during a two-night weekend stay at the Hyatt Regency San Francisco Airport, Sunday Brunch for two at the Swift Water Cafe included!
Compliments of Wyndham Hotels, Fernando Salazar, Larry Maguire, Bill Barry, Trinchero Family Estate, DeLoach Vineyards, Hyatt Regency San Francisco Airport & Charles Satkewich

Auction Item # 32:

The Ultimate Weekend in London

Spent a two-night weekend at the famous Park Lane Hotel, in the heart of London, including English breakfast for two! For Friday invite two friends and enjoy modern Indian Food Lunch for four at the "Amaya" restaurant. That evening, enjoy a Dinner for two at "Mosimann's" London's most exclusive private Dining Club. The dinner consists of a five-course Mosimann Menu with Wines, Champagne, Canapés, Coffee and Petites Fours. Saturday evening you can enjoy a special Kaiseki or Special Sushi Kaiseki Dinner for two, matched with Sake or Wine at the one- Star Michelin Japanese Restaurant "UMU".
Compliments of Colin Bennett, Anton Mosimann, Patrick Willis, Camellia Panjabi & Michiel Bakker

Auction Item #38:

Four Nights at the Rembrandt Hotel & Tower in Bangkok

Enjoy a four-night stay in a Luxury Executive Floor Room at the Rembrandt Hotel & Tower. The Rembrandt Hotel & Tower Bangkok is conveniently located in Bangkok's Sukhumvit district - near the central business area as well as shopping attractions, city landmarks and vibrant nightlife. This package also includes breakfast and all facilities at the Executive lounge plus a dinner for two at one of the Hotel restaurants.
Compliments of Eric Hallin

Auction Item # 39:

Two Nights at the Conrad Bangkok

Enjoy a two-night stay in a Deluxe Corner Room at the Conrad Bangkok. One of the world's most exciting and innovative luxury hotels, the Conrad Bangkok is located within the stylish All Seasons Place in the heart of Bangkok. This hotel in Bangkok is close to the city's major commercial centers and shopping malls. This package also includes breakfast for two at "Café@2".
Compliments of Manfred Pieper & Hermann Reiner

Auction Item # 41

The International Food & Beverage Forum "Classic Dinner Service for Eight Persons"

For the first time three benefactors of the IF&B Forum donate a dinner service for eight persons! First you will enjoy the very elegant Lyra collection from RAK Porcelain Europe SA, designed by highly renowned Mikaela Dörfel, with the contrast of a deepened middle, an even surface and a higher curved line that accurately surrounds it. The collection contains 48 pieces, which are not available in retail! Next to the porcelain you will place some of the 112 pieces of Gebrüder Hepp's "Baguette" line, an elegant, classic shaped highly polished stainless steel cutlery. To complete the setting you will receive 24 glasses from the very elegant "Classic" Line of crystal glasses produced in Austria by Stölzle, an Anchor Hocking partner.
Compliments of Claude Peiffer, Horst Lichter, Bert Filice & Kurt H. Fischer

Auction Item # 42:

Iresistible Istanbul

Enjoy a three-night stay in a Park Deluxe room at the Park Hyatt Istanbul including breakfast at the Club lounge and a dinner for two at their “The Prime” Restaurant with a bottle of local wine.

Ideally located in the fashionable Nisantasi residential and shopping quarter, Park Hyatt Istanbul - Maçka Palas uniquely combines the historic architecture of an Art Deco building with innovative interior design. The hotel is situated in the Sisli district, at the exit of the Bosphorus Bridge linking Asia to Europe, making it a convenient stay for both business and leisure travellers.

Compliments of Harun Dursun & Max Burkhalter

Auction Item # 43:

Vacation in Lausanne & Morges, Switzerland

Start your vacation in Lausanne, where you will be accommodated for four nights at the Hotel du Boulevard in Lausanne, right in the center of town.

Next, you can travel to close-by Morges, Switzerland where you are accommodated for four nights including breakfast for two at the Hotel de la Nouvelle Couronne, located in the historic center of town.

Then you return to Lausanne, where you will be accommodated for four nights at the “AlaGare” Hotel, located at the heart of Lausanne a stone’s throw from the station, among the city’s famous antique shops.

Compliments of Philippe Guénat

Auction Item # 45:

Visit the South of China

Start your tour at the Grand Hyatt Hong Kong with a one-night stay in a Grand Harbor View Room with Grand Club access and a HK \$ 1,200 Food & Beverage Coupon.

Then take the Ferry, in Super Class, to Macau and enjoy three nights in a Grand Executive Suite at the Grand Hyatt Macau. Your package also includes round trip transfers from the Macau Ferry Terminal and the hotel, plus a dinner at Mezza9 Macau Restaurant.

After returning by Ferry to the Hong Kong Shun Tak Ferry Terminal you need to drive over one of the most spectacular bridges to Shenzhen, where you will enjoy two nights in a Grand Suite at the Grand Hyatt Shenzhen. Your Package also includes daily breakfast at the “Show Kitchen” Restaurant, a Chinese Dinner at “1881” and a 60 minutes Spa Treatment. The entire package is for two persons.

Compliments of Andreas Stalder, Gordon Fuller, Paul Kwok & Peter Chau

Auction Item # 46

World Gourmet Summit Las Vegas 2011

A complete package for two persons for the World Gourmet Summit Las Vegas 2011!

The event will be held from November 16 – 19, 2011 at Gustav’s Spiedini Restaurant at JW Marriott Las Vegas Resort & Spa at Summerlin, and the Cordon Bleu Culinary College Las Vegas, NV.

This package includes: A four-night stay in Junior Suite; Two Culinary Master Classes & Wine Pairing Sessions; One Wine Tasting Session; The IF&BF Master Chefs’ Dinner; The Grand Gourmet Safari; The IF&BF Hall of Fame Society Induction Gala Dinner & The IF&BF Hall of Fame Gala Dinner.

Compliments of the International Food & Beverage Forum

Auction Item # 47:

The International Food & Beverage Forum “Modern Dinner Service for Eight Persons”

For the first time the International Food & Beverage Forum encouraged three benefactors to donate a dinner service for eight persons with some items not available in retail in North America!

First you will enjoy the very modern Nordic collection from RAK Porcelain Europe SA, designed by world-famous Dominique & Alain Vavro. The fluid and compact lines of this line are mostly inspired by the Scandinavian design of the ‘60s. The collection contains 48 pieces.

Next to the porcelain you will place some of the 112 pieces of Gebrüder Hepp’s “Profile” line, a striking and strictly geometric shaped stainless steel cutlery.

To complete the setting you will receive 24 glasses from the very elegant “Exquisite”

Line of crystal glasses produced in Austria by Stölzle, an Anchor Hocking partner.

Compliments of Claude Peiffer, Horst Lichter, Bert Filice & Kurt H. Fischer

Auction Item # 48

Romantic Break at the Plaza Athénée in Paris

A two-night stay for two persons in a deluxe double room at the world-renowned Plaza Athénée in Paris. Located on Paris’ “Fashion Avenue” L’Avenue Montaigne.

The Plaza Athénée was voted as the best leisure hotel in France.

This package includes full American breakfast for each day and a dinner for two including wine selected by the sommelier at the restaurant “Le Relais” operated by Alain Ducasse

Compliments of François Delahaye

Auction Item # 51

A Gourmet break at the MGM Grand, Las Vegas

Experience the luxury of a MGM Grand Hollywood suite for three nights with breakfast and experience three great gastronomic dinners.

Start with a Dinner at “Joel Robuchon” and receive his signed cook book.

Then dine at the Nobhill Tavern and receive Michael Mina’s signed latest cookbook.

Next, dine at Craft Steak and receive Tom Colicchio’s signed Cookbook!

This package is for two persons!

Compliments of Gamal Aziz

Auction Item #60:

"La Boule" by Villeroy & Boch

Created in 1971 by Helen von Boch, “La Boule” is a complete dinner service of 19 pieces for 4 persons, whereby all pieces are designed to fit into each other and to form this famous ball.

This unique set of Chinaware was not only a challenge for the designers but also required extreme precision in the production process.

In 1998, on the occasion of Villeroy & Boch’s 250th anniversary only 250 pieces, decorated by Alain Vavro, were produced!

Compliments of Burkhard Schmidt

Auction Item # 61:

Collotype on Paper of Norman Rockwell's "Freedom of Religion"

This artist proved collotype on paper print of Norman Rockwell’s “Freedom of Religion” is signed by the artist. The size of the print is 35x29”.

Norman Percevel Rockwell (Feb. 3, 1894 – Nov. 8, 1978) was a 20th-century American painter and illustrator

Compliments of John & Faye Poland

Auction Item # 62:

Collotype on Paper Print of Norman Rockwell's "Moving Day"

This Collotype on paper print of Norman Rockwell’s “Moving Day” is signed by the artist.

The size of the print is 14.5x23”.

Norman Percevel Rockwell (Feb. 3, 1894 – Nov. 8, 1978) was a 20th-century American painter and illustrator

Compliments of John & Faye Poland

Auction Item #71:

Four Nights at The Claridges Hotels in India

Start off with a two-night stay in a Deluxe room at the historic boutique hotel The Claridges, New Delhi, set amid the verdant center of the city in close proximity of the business district, shopping and historical landmarks, recreates the magic of old-world charm coupled with gracious Indian hospitality.

Then travel to The Claridges, Surajkund, Delhi, for a two-night stay in Deluxe Claridges Courtyard Room. Upgrade to a deluxe Terrace Suite is depending on availability.

The Claridges Surajkund is nestled in a forested neighborhood, making it a perfect place for repose, overlooking the 10th century heritage Surajkund Lake complex.

Breakfast and airport transportations for two persons are included in this entire package.

Compliments of Peter Leitgeb & Hermann Reiner

Auction Item #72:

The Great South African Adventure

Start with a two-night stay in a Deluxe Suite at the Westcliff Hotel in Johannesburg. Set on a cliff side in a garden estate, The Westcliff has an almost rural air despite being in the city center.

Then travel to the Fairmont Zimbali Resort, Set along South Africa’s sublime east coast, nestled between a forest reserve and a shimmering sea, the resort’s exquisite natural beauty is enhanced by the rich Zulu heritage of the KwaZulu-Natal province!

Two-night Accommodation, Golf and Dinner at the “Coral Tree” Restaurant are included.

Next you are off to Cape Town to stay for four nights in a luxury Suite at the famous Mount Nelson Hotel, situated close by Table Mountain and Cape Town’s spectacular beaches, it offers easy access to all that’s happening in this vibrant city, while its gardens and spa are an oasis of calm!

Breakfasts for two are included in the entire package.

One day you will have to visit the wine country and take a VIP Tour with Tasting and Lunch at Vilafonte Vineyards, Located in the Paarl-Simonsberg region on the northern side of the Simonsberg Mountains.

Compliments of Serge Simard, Sandro Fabris & Zelma Long

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After Auction Sales
December 2010

Auction Item # A:

Experience the charm of St. Petersburg, Russia

The two of you will experience the luxury of a Historic Suite at the Grand Hotel Europe in St. Petersburg, Russia for three nights.

The Grand Hotel Europe is located on the main avenue of St Petersburg in close proximity to the main churches, department stores, museums and other cultural icons of the city.

One evening you will have the opportunity to attend the Mariinsky Theatre in the hotel's box.

This package for two includes daily buffet breakfast and a round-trip airport Transfer.

Compliments of Ian Jones, Grand Hotel Europe, St. Petersburg

Auction Item B

The Ultimate Visit of Singapore & Kuala Lumpur

First visit Singapore and enjoy a two-night weekend in a Premier Deluxe Room and a dinner for two at the Plaza Market Café at the Fairmont Singapore Hotel. Singapore is not only the economic and trade hub of Southeast Asia, but also a cosmopolitan, vibrant mix of contrasts—where history and modernity coincide comfortably, and East meets West to create an astonishing melting pot of cultures

The next stop is Kuala Lumpur. Start with a two-night stay in a Luxury Suite including breakfast at The Club at The Saujana, Kuala Lumpur, located just 30 minutes from the city center near many of Malaysia's popular attractions and landmarks.

Your package also included a Spa treatment at The Spa and Med Beauty at The Club at the Saujana!

Next, enjoy a one-night Stay including Breakfast, Afternoon Tea and Butler Services at the Carcosa Seri Negara, Kuala Lumpur. This carefully restored residence is set on four acres of lush gardens and just minutes away from central Kuala Lumpur.

To end this break, you can enjoy a one-night stay in a Club Suite with full Club Benefits at the Mandarin Oriental Kuala Lumpur, located between the Petronas Twin Towers and Kuala Lumpur City Centre Park.

Then return to Singapore and enjoy a three-night weekend in an Executive Suite at the Conrad Centennial in Singapore.

This package for two persons includes daily Executive Floor Breakfast and all Executive Floor Privileges. The Conrad Centennial Singapore is strategically located within the liveliest and largest business, historical, cultural and shopping districts of Marina Bay. The hotel offers a choice of award-winning restaurants and a sophisticated lounge to satisfy even the most discerning of palates.

Compliments of Otto Weibel, Franz Zeller, Pierre Barthes & Heinrich Grafe

Notes:

- One „Boule“ from Villeroy & Boch was found broken and could not be sold!
- The paintings, items # 63 & # 64 were not sold either

All auction items were displayed with the appropriate photographs on the following websites:

- www.biddingforgood.com/auction/AuctionHome.action?vhost=ifbfhofauction2010
- www.worldgourmetsummitlasvegas.com/auctions.asp