CARSON CENTER
AUCTION PROGRAM

6:00 PM to 7:45 PM FESTIVITIES THROUGHOUT THE CARSON CENTER
7:45 PM EVERYBODY ON STAGE FOR THE LIVE AUCTION!

WINE TASTINGS
REGIONAL WINE TASTINGS
FOOD - 14 CATERERS
SILENT AUCTION (CLOSES AT 7:45)

DASANI WATER & COKE PRODUCTS IN COOLERS DOWNSTAIRS, UPSTAIRS, STAGE

7:45 PM EVERYBODY ON STAGE FOR THE LIVE AUCTION!

MC Todd Faulkner, Anchor/Reporter WPSD Local 6
Auctioneer Chris Colson of Chris Colson Auction & Realty Company

9:30 PM EVENT CONCLUDES (APPROXIMATE TIME)
Welcome to the Carson Center
Party for a Purpose!

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Thank You!

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Artisan Kitchen
The Catering Company of Paducah
Coca-Cola Paducah
Country Club of Paducah
Doe’s Eat Place
Eddy Grove Vineyard (Medicine Man Wines)
Etcetera Coffeehouse
Fancy Farm Vineyard & Winery
Fresh Foodies Gourmet Catering
Global Wine & Spirits
J.P.’s Bar & Grill
Kitchens Café at the Paducah School of Art & Design
Mellow Mushroom
Purple Toad Winery
Red Lobster
Roof Brothers Wine & Spirits
Shandies
Texas Roadhouse
The Timberdoodle Restaurant at Eddy Grove Vineyard
Tribeca Mexican Cuisine
Wagner Wine & Spirits
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Wagner Wine & Spirits
WPSD Local 6
PLEASE READ: Auction Rules

General

1. Bid card numbers are issued at registration. Each bidder is responsible for use of this number throughout the evening.
2. All sales are final. No exchanges or refunds permitted.
3. The Carson Center does not warrant the quality or value of the items or services auctioned. Everything is sold “as is.”
4. Gift certificates cannot be redeemed for cash.
5. **Be aware of any restrictions prior to bidding, as they cannot be changed.** Date, time, expiration date, and other restrictions may apply. Gratuities, fees, and tax may not be included.
6. Purchaser waives claims for liability against the Carson Center for any personal injuries or damages to property that may result from use of property or services purchased.
7. Payment must be made in full for auction items by the end of the event via cash, check, American Express, Discover, VISA, or MasterCard. After payment is made, a receipt will be issued so that purchaser can claim items. Winning bidders must pick up items by the end of the event.
8. **The winning bidder on any event, party, vacation, trip, or service must contact the donor or other designated contact within 60 days (earlier if specified) to discuss arrangements.**
9. Unless otherwise stated, such **auction items must be used within one year of auction.** Failure for any reason to make arrangements within time specified and according to stated conditions imposes no obligation on the item donor or Carson Center for refund or rescheduling. **Unless explicitly stated, NO auction items of any kind may be returned to the donor for refund or exchange.**
10. If scheduling is involved for any event, party, vacation accommodation, or service, then all dates shall be mutually agreeable to all donors involved and to the winning bidder. The winning bidder will be held responsible for any damages to property used (homes, condominiums, boats, etc.).
11. In the event of dispute, the decision of the designated auction official will be final.
12. Consult your tax advisor on deductibility of auction purchases. The Carson Center will mail letters to winning bidders documenting purchases and Carson Center status as a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization.

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Silent Auction

1. Bidding on Silent Auction items will close at 7:45 pm.
2. Each bid sheet must have your name, phone, bid card number, and bid amount printed legibly. By placing a bid, you commit to purchase the item if you are the winning bidder.
3. You may bid as often as you wish on each item.
4. If designated increase in price ($5) has not been made, previous bidder may be entitled to item.
5. An auction official may disqualify the bid of anyone blocking the bidding table within 15 minutes of Silent Auction closing.
6. The closing bid circled by an auction official will constitute the winning bid.

Live Auction

1. The auctioneer will state any openings bids.
2. To bid, the bidder raises bid card high, directing this signal to the auctioneer or bid spotter.
3. The highest bidder acknowledged by the auctioneer shall be the purchaser. In the event of a dispute, auctioneer shall have final discretion to determine the successful bidder.
4. No bid, once made, can be withdrawn.
5. A runner will come to the winning bidder to confirm bid card number and amount of bid. Winning bidder will keep bid card raised until runner has brought form and recorded bid card number. Winning bidder must sign Live Auction Sales Contract.

Please bid generously!

Proceeds bring the life-changing power of performing arts to children, youth & adults of the Four Rivers region.

When your winning bid exceeds the Fair Market Value of an item or package the difference qualifies as a tax-deductible contribution to a 501(c)(3)organization (The Carson Center) to the extent allowed by law.
Silent Auction – Closing at 7:45 pm

The dollar amount “Values” are Fair Market Values provided by donors (or research). When a winning bid exceeds Fair Market Value, the difference qualifies as a tax-deductible contribution to extent allowed by IRS. Trips/certificates/etc. expire March 30, 2018, unless designated otherwise.

Thank you for creating life-changing performing arts experiences for children, youth, and adults through your presence this evening, your enthusiastic bidding, and generous winning bids.

101 Overnight in Tuscany Suite at Blue Sky Vineyard
Southern Illinois wine country is the setting for this overnight stay in the Tuscany Romance suite at Blue Sky Vineyard on a Sunday-Thursday night. Enjoy beautiful views of Shawnee National Forest, surrounding the vineyard. Sip a Blue Sky award-winning wine while strolling through the vineyard and enjoy a European-style breakfast. Room: queen-size bed, phone, mini-fridge, TV/DVD, private balcony. Reservations required. Expiration is 2 years from issued date. www.blueskyvineyard.com
Donated by: Blue Sky Vineyard Value: $185

102 Barre Co. Gift Package with Skin-care Extras
Barre Co. has designed a hybrid fitness routine that incorporates isometric strengthening and static stretching to create a toned, lean body. Enjoy a certificate for 5 classes at Barre Co. and a pair of workout socks. Focus on toning your core, sculpting your arms, lifting your glutes, and tightening your thighs. Then take care of your skin with a set of Strivectin samples and Elizabeth Arden Visible Difference Oil-Free Lotion from Elder-Beerman. www.facebook.com/barrepaducah, www.elder-beerman.com
Donated by: Barre Co and Elder-Beerman Value: $140

103 Four Roses Gift Basket
2 bottles of Four Roses Bourbon Single Barrel. One bottle is signed by Four Roses Brand Ambassador and Kentucky Bourbon Hall of Fame 2011 inductee Al Young. (One bottle to collect and one bottle to enjoy!) Plus Four Roses merchandise: hat, book – The Return of a Whiskey Legend, bottle opener, lapel pins, and shot glasses. Four Roses was the featured bourbon at the 2015 Carson Center Distiller’s Dinner.
Donated by: Four Roses and Friends of the Carson Center Value: $150

104 Autographed Matthew West Poster
Framed Matthew West Poster, autographed by the artist. This was signed after his September 25, 2016, performance at the Carson Center. Matthew West is a multiple-ASCAP Christian Music Songwriter/Artist of the Year winner, 4-time GRAMMY® nominee, and was awarded his first American Music Award (2013) and a Billboard Music Award (2014). His discography includes acclaimed releases: Happy (2003), History (2005), Something to Say (2008), The Story of Your Life (2010) and GRAMMY®-nominated Into The Light (2012). West was nominated for a Primetime Emmy® Award for Original Music & Lyrics for “The Heart of Christmas” from the film of the same name. His songwriting credits include cuts by Rascal Flatts, Billy Ray Cyrus, Diamond Rio, and more.
Donated by: The Carson Center Value: $50
105  **Anne Klein Handbag and Bodhi Wallet**
Anne Klein black leather handbag with shoulder strap and protective storage bag with a Bodhi black leather wallet. This stunning set is perfect to keep or give as a gift. The wallet comes in a box and the purse has a storage bag. www.dwaintaylorchevrolet.com
**Value:** $863

**Donated by:** Dwain Taylor Chevrolet, Buick, GMC, and Cadillac

106  **Family Fun 6-pack**
Family fun experiences for Mom, Dad, and the kids: 6 tickets to a Carson Center US Bank Family Series show in the 2017-2018 season, 6 reusable Carson Center tumblers with 6 complimentary soft drink tickets from our concession stand, 6 tickets to Maiden Alley Cinema, 6 gift certificates for frozen yogurt from Sweet CeCe’s Frozen Yogurt & Treats, 6 tickets to the *Secret Life of Girls* at Market House Theatre, 6 tickets to a 2017 Paducah Chiefs Baseball game, 6 sandwich meal cards to Zaxby’s in Paducah (expire 12/31/17), and 6 meal vouchers to Culver’s in Paducah.
**Donated by:** The Carson Center, Maiden Alley, Sweet Cece’s Frozen Yogurt & Treats, Market House Theatre, Paducah Chiefs, Zaxby’s of Paducah, Culver’s of Paducah
**Value:** $400

107  **Clyde Lawter Painting Tablescape with Pitcher and Fruit**
11x14” framed acrylic on canvas: A tablescape in the Cezanne style depicting a pitcher, goblet, and fruit. A veteran of many solo shows, Mr. Lawter enjoys admiration of patrons worldwide. He works in his studio daily. He gains strength and satisfaction from sharing his talent and knowledge with others who will “carry the lamp” into the next generation. Mr. Lawter is one of the founders of Paducah Area Painters Alliance (PAPA).
www.facebook.com/Lawter-Studio
**Donated by:** Clyde Lawter Studios
**Value:** $325

108  **Revelry Wine Trio of Reds**
3 signed Revelry Wines: Vintner’s 2012 D11 Cabernet Sauvignon (Dark fruit, crushed violets, and bittersweet power all offset by elegant balance, flow across the palate. The texture is both silky and savory and is anchored by perfect acidity making the 2013 vintage both opulent and age worthy. This is Cabernet Sauvignon in the best sense of the variety.) Merlot Columbia Valley 2013 (Merlot is all about balance, silky smooth mouthfeel, and well-rounded flavors), and Range 2013 Grenache-Syrah (Range is the culmination of years of work refining two of Revelry’s best lots of fruit, Horse Heaven Hills Grenache and Syrah. All signed by founder and winemaker Jared Burns who represented Revelry at the 2016 Carson Center Vintner’s Dinner. http://www.revelryvintners.com/
**Donated by:** Friends of the Carson Center
**Value:** $140

109  **Michael Bolton Signed Poster**
Autographed foam board poster (24x36”) from his concert at the Carson Center on February 22, 2017. Michael Bolton, the multiple Grammy® Award-winning singer, songwriter and social activist, who has sold more than 53 million albums and singles worldwide, continues to tour the world; all while writing, recording, and taping for a wide array of projects spanning music, film, television, and theater.
**Donated by:** The Carson Center
**Value:** $75
110  **Perfect for a Kentucky Gentleman (or Lady!)**  
BBQ, bourbon, and horses! bbQ & More Champions Sauce Gift Basket with a bottle of Michter’s American Whiskey Sour Mash and certificate for 6 to enjoy an afternoon at Keeneland. Sample, savor, and enjoy these sauces from bbQ & More on Broadway in historic Downtown Paducah. The basket contains 5 bottles of barbecue sauce from Barbecue on the River championship teams and Ruth Hunt chocolate. Racing package for 6 at Keeneland includes an outdoor box for 6 people during the Spring 2017 Racing Meet. (April 7-28, 2017; excludes Saturdays; includes general admission, racing programs, and up to 3 parking passes).  
Donated by:  bbQ & More, Keeneland Association, and the Carson Center  
Value:  $225

111  **Freshwater Pearl Necklace and Earring Set by Honora**  
Woman’s pearl set from Honora, 9-11 mm necklace and earrings with white freshwater pearls and sterling silver. Simple, elegant, and essential to the Spring wardrobe.  
www.michelson-jewelers.com  
Donated by:  Michelson Jewelers  
Value:  $270

112  **12-year-old Van Winkle Bourbon Whiskey**  
1 bottle of 12-year-old Van Winkle American Bourbon Whiskey. (These bottles are hard to find at any price.) Van Winkle’s 12-year-old Special Reserve Bourbon is slightly higher in both age and proof than its 10-year-old counterpart. The extra 2 years give the wheat time to create a smoother, more balanced product. The result? An award-winning bourbon that is "a perfect combination of age and proof." Gentle flavors of sun-kissed fruits, dark spices laced with caramel and butterscotch.  
Donated by:  Mr. & Mrs. Chris Huss  
Value:  $525

113  **2 Tickets to Vintner’s or Distiller’s Dinner and 2 Nights at Fairfield Inn & Suites Paducah**  
The winner bidder may select 2 tickets to either the 2017 Carson Center Vintner’s Dinner on May 12, featuring Sean Minor Wines or the 2017 Distiller’s Dinner in October, and 2 nights in an Executive Suite at Fairfield Inn and Suites of Paducah (Choose Fri/Sat or Sat/Sun). Comes with a bottle of Concha Y Toro Frontera Night Harvested Wines 2015 After Midnight.  
Donated by:  Friends of the Carson Center, Midas Hospitality/Fairfield Inn & Suites Paducah  
Value:  $570

114  **His & Hers Jack Mason University of Louisville Watches**  
A set of University of Louisville watches (men’s and women’s) by Jack Mason. The women’s watch is set with Swarovski Crystal on the bezel with a steel band. Then men’s watch has a red, white, and blue web strap and Arabic dial markers. Both watches come with presentation cases.  
www.michelson-jewelers.com  
Donated by:  Michelson Jewelers  
Value:  $220

115  **Bulleitt Bourbons and Signed Poster**  
4 bottles of Bulleit Bourbon: 2 Barrel Strength Bulleit Bourbon & 2 Bulleit Bourbon (10 year) Plus Bulleit rocks glasses and a signed foam board poster of Tom Bulleit, who created the brand. Bulleit was the featured bourbon at the 2016 Carson Center Distiller’s Dinner.  
Donated by:  Friends of the Carson Center  
Value:  $150

116  **Men’s Fragrance Basket**  
A selection of men’s fragrances: Giorgio Armani deodorant, soothing shaving crème, Calvin Klein Aftershave Balm with a travel kit with samples, and Yves St. Laurent L’homme Parfume Intense.  
Donated by:  Elder-Beerman  
Value:  $160
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117  Autographed Foam Board Poster Lynyrd Skynyrd
Foam board poster (24x36”) autographed by the legendary Lynyrd Skynyrd from the band’s February 4, 2017, performance at the Carson Center. With a catalog of over 60 albums, sales beyond 30 million worldwide, these Rock & Roll Hall of Famers remain a cultural icon that appeals to multiple generations.
Donated by: The Carson Center
Value: $75

118  Golf Lovers’ Dream
Package includes 4 lessons, 1-hour each, at Country Club of Paducah with Chelsea Harris, former Austin Peay University golfing great and assistant coach (worked for the Ladies Professional Golf Association), 12 TaylorMade golf balls-Tour Preferred from Kevin Rhinehart, Golf Pro, 4-some entry to the Missing Bella Woof & Waggle Open Golf Scramble, putter (Taylor Made Daytona Ghost Tour Black), and balls from the Golf Complex, and BirdieBall portable golf green. (Light-weight and easy to handle, BirdieBall Greens roll up for storage and lay flat for a perfect roll, every time.) www.birdieball.com/create-my-indoor-putting-green, www.missingbella.org
Donated by: Chelsea Harris-LPGA, Kevin Rhinehart-Golf Pro, Missing Bella Rescue, The Katz Family, and the Golf Complex
Value: $890

119  Purple Toad Winery Mixed Case
Purple Toad Winery is Kentucky’s largest and most-awarded winery. Enjoy this mixed-case of Purple Toad wines: 2 each of Black & Bruised, Paducah Harbor, Black Peach, Black Strawberry, Chocolate Harbor and 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon-Bourbon Barrel Aged. Visit Purple Toad Winery and Tasting Room on Old US Hwy 45 in McCracken County. www.purpletoad.com
Donated by: Purple Toad Winery
Value: $168

120  Renew, Rejuvenate, Reward, and Relax!
Renew yourself with a certificate for an Energy Session with Susan Edwards of Wildhair Studios’ Nice Rock Shop at 311 Broadway in Paducah. Rejuvenate yourself with a manicure, pedicure, haircut, and 4-heart-gems bath soaps from with Emily Valentine of the Body and Soul Salon as well as Mobu Herbals selection of products from Polly Courter: Chocolate Cherry body butter, Slim Stick Appetite-control lip balm, A.M. Pain Herb-dicinal Lotion, and P.M. Pain Herb-dicinal Lotion. Mobu Herbals are 100% natural and mostly organic. (www.mobuherbals.com/wellness) Body and Soul Salon offers a tranquil pastoral setting and attentive service near Highway 68 in McCracken County. Reward yourself with a “Tree of Life” Pendant in sterling silver and accented with Moonstone. In addition enjoy a scented candle, bath salts and bottle of 2013 Gerard Bertrand Picpoul de Pinnet to ultimately relax. www.facebook.com/NiceRockShop,
Donated by: Susan Edwards-Wildhair Studios, Emily Valentine and Polly Courter– Body & Soul Salon, and Patti & Glen Pearson
Value: $160

121  Staycation: Dinner, Wine, PSO Concert, Hotel
Donated by: Midas Hospitality/Candlewood Suites Paducah, Paducah Symphony Orchestra, Strickland’s Seafood Restaurant Paducah, Patti & Glen Pearson
Value: $215
122  **Churn Dash Pattern Quilt**  
Beautiful queen-sized (78”x94”) quilt in the churn dash pattern, made with 1930s reproduction fabrics, many of which are no longer available. This quilt would grace any room in your home or would be a beautiful and timeless gift for someone you love. Quilt stand not included.

*Donated by: Christy and John Ransdell*  
*Value: $500*

123  **Lunch with Mayor Brandi Harless for 2**  
You and your guest can enjoy lunch with Mayor Brandi Harless (scheduling on mutually agreeable date for the Mayor and winning bidder). This auction package also includes Falcor 2008 Chardonnay, Henry Ranch Carneros Napa Valley, and 2 white wine glasses for you to take home tonight.

*Donated by: Brandi Harless, Patti & Glen Pearson*  
*Value: $90*

124  **Stylish Conceal to Carry Purse**  
Montana West concealed handgun tote/purse: features leather stitch details, accented with crystal and silver studs, flap with magnetic closure, zipper enclosure on top of the bag, inside single compartment divided by medium zippered pocket. Zippered pocket on the back for handgun (9.5 x 5.5”); and metal feet on the bottom for protection and stability. The Paisley Peacock Florist is located in Lone Oak.

*facebook.com/thepaisleypeacockflorist*  
*Donated by: The Paisley Peacock*  
*Value: $65*

125  **Michter’s Perfect Pair**  
2 bottles of Michter’s American Whiskey Sour Mash: Michter’s was featured at the 2014 Carson Center Distiller’s Dinner. Michter’s dates back to 1753 when a Pennsylvania farmer distilled his first batch of whiskey. Michter's is said to be the whiskey that warmed General Washington's troops at Valley Forge. Today, Michter's continues this grand distilling tradition in Kentucky by making very small batches in limited quantities.

*Donated by: Friends of the Carson Center*  
*Value: $120*

126  **Di Sorellas Hair and Nail Design Gift Basket**  
Di Sorellas is a beautifully modern, full-service hair and nail salon in Wheeler Wellness Center across from the old Coca-Cola plant in Paducah. Basket features a treasure-trove of products as well as gift certificates for hair-cut and style as well as nail services.  

*www.facebook.com/pg/disorellas*  
*Donated by: Di Sorellas Hair and Nail Design*  
*Value: $250*

127  **12 Riedel Crystal Glasses and 3 Bottles of Wine**  
Riedel Crystal Glass Set includes 4 red wine, 4 white wine, and 4 champagne flutes. Wines include: Revelry Riesling, Revelry Range (featured at the 2016 Carson Center Vintner’s Dinner) and Korbel Brut Champagne.

*Donated by: Milestone Financial Planning-Johanna Fox CPA, and Friends of the Carson Center*  
*Value: $200*

128  **Expectant Mother Gift Set**  
Gift items for the expectant mom: *What to Expect When You’re Expecting*, Noodle & Boo Oil/Crème, Snoogle Body Pillow, Chapstick, Lanolin Cream, Milk Storage Bags, Vitamin D, and a bottle of Mumm Napa Cuvee M Sparkling Wine. Perfect baby shower gift all tied up with a bow.

*Donated by: Dr. Van Meeks, Total Life Care*  
*Value: $120*
Welcome Baby Gift Basket
Useful items for taking care of a new bundle of joy: *Happiest Baby on the Block* DVD and *Baby 411* Book, diapers, wipes, shampoo and lotion, swaddles, sleepsack, pacifier, nasal bulb, first-aid kit. Tylenol, and a bottle of Mumm Napa Brut Prestige Sparkling Wine for the new parents. The perfect present for a baby shower, hospital visit, or to welcome baby home.
Donated by: Dr. Van Meeks, Total Life Care  Value: $160

Family Photography Session
A photography session for a family (up to 6 people) or a couple; one hour of shooting (Location should be within a 50-mile radius of Paducah), guaranteed 10 edited high resolution images delivered digitally from an online gallery.
Donated by: Rachel Jones Photography  Value: $250

Murray State University Racer Spirit Gift Bag
Show your Racer pride with MSU items inside a big, sturdy canvas tote. Our regional university donates totes to this auction every year – and it’s a favorite with bidders. Easy to see why this is so, the tote includes: MSU 60x50” plush throw, MSU stadium seat cushion, MSU umbrella, 2 MSU baseball caps, 2 MSU T-shirts, LG MSU tile coaster, Navy MSU portfolio, 2 16-oz. MSU cups, 2 MSU pens in presentation box, and the MSU cruiser tote. bookstore.murraystate.edu
Donated by: Murray State University  Value: $250

Bride-to-be Package
$200 gift certificate to Anne’s Bridal, gift certificate for shellac manicure from Angela Noel-Polish Salon, diamond filigree sterling silver locket with chain from Michelson Jewelers, bottle of St. Germaine Elderflower Liquor, bottle of 2004 Schramsberg Vineyards J.Schram Rose’ Champagne to make the perfect elderflower and champagne cocktails for the bride’s room or a bridal tea, and 4 Carson Center wine glasses. www.annesbridals.com www.michelson-jewelers.com
Donated by: Anne’s Bridal, Jean & Roger Truitt, Michelson Jewelers, Polish Salon  Value: $568

Puppy Package from Missing Bella Rescue with Gato Negro Wine
All bundled up in a soft dog bed: Pamper your dog with this selection of fun items. Includes fetch toy, treat jar, treat launcher, dog shampoo and wipes, a fun dog tie, and more. Plus indulge yourself with a bottle of Gato Negro White Wine. www.missingbella.org
Donated by: Missing Bella Rescue & Friends  Value: $135

Autographed Scotty McCreery Poster
Foam board show poster (18x27”) autographed by Scotty McCreery from his performance at the Carson Center on November 20, 2015. McCreery burst onto the national music scene in 2011 as the winner of American Idol. He quickly established himself as one of country music’s hottest new stars
Donated by: The Carson Center  Value: $50

Ramey Chardonnay Magnums
2 magnum bottles of excellent 2008 Ramey Chardonnay from Hyde Vineyard. Wine Spectator rated this wine at 90 - "Pure, ripe and vibrant, with spicy pear, melon, citrus and green apple notes that are fresh and lively, ending with zesty acidity."
Donated by: Jean & Roger Truitt  Value: $200
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136  Woman’s Pearl and Black Onyx Set by Honora
Fabulous woman’s pearl and black onyx ring and bracelet set by Honora. Stylish and bold, this set lends elegance to any outfit. www.michelson-jewelers.com
Donated by: Michelson Jewelers  Value: $495

137  Autographed Rodgers & Hammerstein's Cinderella Show Poster
Autographed foam board poster (24x36”) signed by the cast of the touring company of Rodgers & Hammerstein's Cinderella from the December 1, 2016, Carson Center performance. Be transported back to your childhood as you remember the iconic songs and the magic that is Cinderella.
Donated by: The Carson Center  Value: $75

138  Dinner and Coloring with Bill Ford for 20
Coloring for 20 with Artist and Interior Designer Bill Ford (at the Carson Center). Bill Ford will bring coloring books and pencils and will facilitate a fun evening of coloring. Great for a gal pal group, mother-daughter, teens or tweens, or all of the above. (Scheduling subject to mutually agreeable date between Bill Ford, Carson Center, and winning bidder). BBQ catering for 20 by Parker's Drive-in.
www.billforinteriors.com, www.facebook.com/Parkers-Drive-In
Donated by: Bill Ford Interiors, Parker's Drive-In Paducah, The Carson Center  Value: $750

139  Autographed Doobie Brothers Poster
Autographed Doobie Brothers foam board concert poster (18x27”) from the band's Carson Center performance on May 7, 2015. The Doobie Brothers' legacy has been built upon not just hit records, but also an unrivaled commitment to musical integrity and a steadfast allegiance to an enthusiastic fan base. The band members’ ability to evolve in a changing industry and connections to generations of listening audiences is a testament to their craft.
Donated by: The Carson Center  Value: $50

140  Woman’s Leather and Pearl Bracelet & Stiletto Pearl Earrings
Woman's brown leather bracelet with 13 mm freshwater pearl and Stiletto earrings with 6-7 mm chocolate button freshwater pearl and faceted Botswana quartz. www.michelson-jewelers.com
Donated by: Michelson Jewelers  Value: $210

141  Set the Perfect Table
Set the perfect table for any special occasion or bestow the perfect gift to someone who appreciates the finer things in life with a Bill Campbell Stellar Art, Flambeaux Pottery Vase in stunning cobalt blue, a $100 gift certificate for Rhew Hendley Florist, and a $100 gift certificate for iGourmet.com: specialty cheeses, fine food, exquisite gifts. Enjoy the vase from the gift shop at the National Quilt Museum again and again with flowers from Paducah’s Rhew Hendley Florist, which offers a wonderful selection of fresh and artificial arrangements for any occasion. Complete the tableau with gourmet fine foods from iGourmet.com www.quiltmuseum.org, http://www.fox-cpas.com, http://www.rhewhendleyflorist.com/
Donated by: The National Quilt Museum, Johanna Fox CPA, Rhew Hendley Florist  Value: $245
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142  **Freshwater Pearl Necklace and Earring Set**  
Pearl necklace with 7-8 mm freshwater black pearls and a druzy quartz enhancer, stiletto earrings with 6-7mm black button freshwater pearl and faceted black rutilated quartz.  
www.michelson-jewelers.com  
**Donated by: Michelson Jewelers**  
**Value: $410**

143  **2-night Stay at Green Turtle Bay Marina & Resort for 6**  
A 2-night stay for up to 6 people in a 3 bedroom condo at Green Turtle Bay Marina & Resort. Reservations required.  
With beautiful lakeside views and premium amenities, each condo at Green Turtle Bay Resort is tastefully decorated with fully equipped kitchens, washers and dryers, pull-out sofa, gas grill, linens, and towels.  
Reservations required and scheduling subject to availability. No holiday weekends or weekends during peak season. Expires August 1, 2017.  
http://www.greenturtlebay.com/  
**Donated by: Green Turtle Bay**  
**Value: $740**

144  **4 Tanya Gadbaw Cupcake Paintings**  
4 Tanya Gadbaw original paintings of cupcakes: 6x6" (Chocolate with Sprinkles Blue Wrapper; Chocolate with Pink Wrapper; Vanilla with Sprinkles Pink Wrapper; Vanilla with Blue Wrapper) These paintings, from her small sweet series, are beautiful and charming. Ms. Gadbaw is a painting instructor at the Paducah School of Art and Design. Her work has been part of solo and 2-person exhibitions including works by Erich Neitzke and Tanya Gadbaw at the Crousse Studio/BrokenStone Press in Paducah, In Memory, a solo exhibition at the Sauk Valley Community College Art Gallery in Dixon, Illinois, and the PBS show “Expression.”  
http://tanyagadbaw.weebly.com  
**Donated by: Tanya Gadbaw-Neitzke**  
**Value: $140**

145  **Milliner Orthodontics Gift Bag**  
Achieve a bright and shining smile with the help of Milliner Orthodontics. This gift bag includes an Oral-B 5000 Pro Electric Toothbrush, Crest 3-D Whitening Strips, and Crest 2-Step whitening system, as well as toothbrushes and toothpaste.  
www.facebook.com/Milliner-Orthodontics  
**Donated by: Milliner Orthodontics**  
**Value: $200**

146  **“Marty Pass” for 2 St. Louis Cardinals Baseball plus a 1-night stay at Hampton Inn St. Louis-Columbia, Illinois**  
“Marty Pass” voucher good for 2 reserved tickets to a St. Louis Cardinals game at Busch Stadium in St. Louis on a Monday through Thursday during 2017 season. Plus a certificate for a 1-night stay at the Hampton Inn St. Louis-Columbia.  
(Subject to availability; must be used by 12/31/17.)  
www.stlouis.cardinals.mlb.com  
**Donated by: The St. Louis Cardinals and Midas Hospitality**  
**Value: $120**

147  **Autographed KANSAS Poster**  
Autographed foamboard KANSAS concert poster (18x27”) from the band’s July 17, 2015, concert at the Carson Center. With a legendary career spanning more than 4 decades, KANSAS has firmly established itself as one of America’s iconic classic rock bands with over 30 million in album sales.  
**Donated by: The Carson Center**  
**Value: $50**
Program: Carson Center PARTY FOR A PURPOSE

148  Energy Fitness Package
3-month gym membership, Energy Fitness t-Shirt, towel, and sling bag. Energy Fitness offers a variety of exercise equipment and classes, personalized service, and early morning to night hours to help people get fit or stay fit. http://energyfitnesspaducah.com
Donated by: Energy Fitness  Value: $230

149  Father’s Day Gift
Deluxe detailing on any 1 vehicle by Ship Shape Detailing. Complete with exterior wash, paint contaminates removal, and synthetic wax application. Tires cleaned and coated, interior vacuumed, cleaned and protected. Plus for Dad to enjoy a bottle of Michter’s Sour Mash American Whiskey, a bottle of Four Roses Single Barrel Bourbon, and hand-tooled K&K Leather & More money clip with UK logo.
Donated by: Ship Shape Detailing, LLC, K&K Leather & More, Friends of the Carson Center  Value: $400

150  Bally Men’s Leather Travel Wallet
Bally men’s leather travel wallet in black leather with black and brown stripes. With a signature train spotting stripe to its exterior, this travel wallet is a smart and functional design for busy office days and travel, stowing all personal effects with ease. Crafted in black French calf leather and finished with a special wax treatment, its long-lasting surface will improve with age. www.dwaintaylorchevrolet.com
Donated by: Dwain Taylor Chevrolet, Buick, GMC, and Cadillac  Value: $425

151  Michael Kors Handbag and Wristlet-Wallet Set
Michael Kors Darien medium tote and Michael Kors Bedford wristlet in signature print dark brown/peanut. Carry essentials in style with this must-have tote, with hanging logo tag for a hint of designer flair and a front slip pocket for easy access to phone or other items, Specially treated to be water and stain resistant. www.toyotaofmurray.com
Donated by: Toyota of Murray  Value: $356

152  Fleming’s Prime Steakhouse Certificate
Dine in style in Nashville. $300 gift certificate to Fleming’s Prime Steakhouse and Wine Bar. At Fleming’s, enjoy a carefully curated wine list and expertly crafted steak made-to-order. Reservations are recommended for this special evening out. www.toyotaofmurray.com
Donated by: Toyota of Murray  Value: $300

153  UK Basketball Package
Cheer for the University of Kentucky Wildcats with 2 UK basketball tickets for a November or December Saturday or Sunday game in the 2017-2018 season. Location is in lower Rupp Arena, with exact seat location TBD. True Cat fans know that that all seats are good when the Wildcats are on the court!
Donated by: Representative Richard Heath  Value: $110

154  Chicago Cubs Basket
This package includes 2 tickets for a Chicago Cubs game at Wrigley Field in Chicago. (Game TBD) The basket includes Cubs merchandise perfect for the game! Located in Metropolis, Illinois, Misty Meadows is an attractive, comfortable senior living apartment community. www.mistymeadowsseniorliving.com
Donated by: Misty Meadows of Metropolis  Value: $250
155  Joan Dance Original Painting
Original Joan Dance painting. Size 5x8” Paducah native Joan Dance is a self-taught folk artist. Her artwork is in the permanent collection of the Kentucky Folk Art Center at Morehead State University. Her work is known for crisp lines and bold use of color. “Everyone deserves at least one dance!” is the motto of Edmonds Gallery in Paducah, where you can begin your own collection of works by this extraordinary artist.
www.edmondsgallery.com
Donated by: Edmonds Gallery  Value: $335

156  Somerset Picnic Basket Gift Set
Traditional English-basket style willow picnic basket with double-lid design and woven willow handle anchored to the basket frame with genuine leather straps, plush corduroy interior, and deluxe dining service for 2. This basket includes: 2 porcelain plates, 2 hand-blown wine glasses, 2 stainless steel place settings, 1 stainless steel cheese knife, 1 hardwood cutting board, 1 stainless steel waiter-style corkscrew, 1 set of stainless steel salt and pepper shakers, 2 napkins, 1 insulated corduroy wine duffel, 1 insulated zipper-top corduroy cooler, 2 food storage containers, 1 acrylic fleece picnic blanket, and 1 bottle of Gato Negro 2015 Sauvignon Blanc.
Donated by: Image Promotions (wine from Patti & Glen Pearson)  Value: $225

157  Brighton Purse and Bracelet
Brighton vintage bucket-bag in cream leather, crocodile embossed leather and brown leather trim. Comes with coordinating Brighton bracelet in its own decorative tin and a Brighton protective bag for the purse. It has silver plated hardware, outer pocket, magnetic snap closure, and inside zipper pocket.
Donated by: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reed  Value: $380

158  Mother’s Day Made Easy: Yeti, Wine Dinner, Michelson’s Jewelry, Etc., in Gorgeous Tote
Donated by: Michelson Jewelers, Picket Fence Unique Gifts & Monogramming, JCC Promo, Carr’s Restaurant Mayfield, K&K Leather & More, Righteous Roast Coffee  Value: $460

159  Family Fitness & Style Package
As a family, you can get fit with 2 1-Month memberships to Genesis Strength + Fitness and 2 3-month memberships to Paducah Jazzercise. Plus: certificate for Genesis Strength + Fitness, Jazzercise, and personal training session with Bulletproof Fitness Certified Personal Trainer Marty Grubbs. Also: mother and son haircut package from Dylan’s Salon and a father and daughter package from Images Salon
Donated by: Genesis Strength & Fitness, Paducah Jazzercise, Dylan’s Salon and Images Salon  Value: $400
Program: Carson Center PARTY FOR A PURPOSE

160  Large Bolga Blessing Basket and More from the Troutt General Store
Large Bolga Blessing Basket with fun items from Troutt Old Time General Store & Market. Plentiful Elephant Grass in the Bolgatanga region of Northern Ghana is used to make these incredibly useful and durable Fair Trade African baskets; colored with natural dyes, with goat skin handle. Basket is filled with General Store items such as mixes, tea, root beer, candy, and embellished with beautiful barn wood ornament. Troutt Old Time General Store is located on North 4th Street in Paducah.
www.facebook.com/pg/TrouttOldTimeGeneralStoreandMarket
Donated by: Troutt Old Time General Store and Friends of the Carson Center  Value: $100

161  Wine Rack and 6 Bottles of Wine
Wall-mount wooden wine rack, 3 bottles of red wine and 3 bottles of white wine: 2015 Bramble Bridge Winery California Cabernet Sauvignon; 2015 Scoperta di Puglia, Italy Aglianico; 2014 Knoll Haven California Cabernet Sauvignon; 2015 Bodega Mariposa Cellars Clarksburg, California Cortese; 2015 Avito Delle Venezie, Italy Pinot Grigio; 2016 Meerestein Chenin Blanc; Maximum storage in minimum space. (See table display for tasting notes.)
Donated by: Kurt & Gail Ruga  Value: $200

162  Cinco de Mayo Tequila Fun Basket
A super premium bottle of Number Juan Extra Anejo Tequila with 5 beautiful frosted cocktail glasses (and tequila cocktail recipes). Be the life of the party on Cinco de Mayo! Number Juan is crafted from 100% pure Blue Agave and aged 5 years in charred white oak retired bourbon barrel. This work of art merges smooth taste while taking every essence of its barrel.
Donated by: Friends of the Carson Center and Rick & Melinda Reigle  Value: $150

163  Framed Coloring Book Pages from Paducah Wall-to-Wall Coloring Book by Bill Ford: Colored by Robert Dafford and Herb Rowe
2 beautifully framed coloring book pages from Bill Ford’s Paducah Wall-to-Wall coloring book, colored by Robert Dafford and Herb Rowe, mural artists for Paducah’s iconic flood wall. Celebrate one of Paducah’s unique attractions and 3 amazing artists with this set. Each framed work of art comes with a copy of the coloring book to create your own masterpieces.
Donated by: Bill Ford, Bill Ford Interiors, Robert Dafford and Herb Rowe  Value: $900

164  4 Suite Tickets to University of Tennessee Football Game at Neyland Stadium in Knoxville
Enjoy the “Suite life” at a University of Tennessee Volunteers football game during the 2017-2018 football season at iconic Neyland Stadium in Knoxville. The winning bidder will enjoy 4 suite tickets at a game TBD based on availability and the winner’s preference. Lodging and transportation are not included. Package comes with an Atmos Energy Men’s XL Polo Shirt.
Donated by: Atmos Energy  Value: $390

165  4 Suite Tickets for a WKU Men’s Home Basketball Game 2017-2018 Season
Enjoy a Western Kentucky University Hilltoppers men’s basketball game from a suite @ E.A. Diddle Arena in Bowling Green during the 2017-2018 season. Enjoy fine hospitality, food & beverage, while you enjoy the game. Lodging and transportation are not included. Package comes with an Atmos Energy Men’s XL Polo Shirt.
Donated by: Atmos Energy  Value: $240
Program: Carson Center PARTY FOR A PURPOSE

166  **Ochre Gift Basket**
Items from the artists at Ochre: Sterling silver earrings by Shand Stamper, framed art by Nikki May, braided leather choker by Dweedle Beads, wine glass ceramic by Mitch Kimball, hand crafted soap by Herbane Naturals, and ceramic ornament. Ochre is located in the historic Coke Plant in Midtown Paducah. Ever since ancient man pressed an ochre handprint on a cave wall, people have expressed themselves through creative work. Ochre is a modern collective of artists engaged in the simple endeavor to leave an impression. www.facebook.com/ochrepaducah, www.ochrepaducah.com
*Donated by: Ochre Gallery, Shand Stamper, Nikki May, Dweedle Beads, Mitch Kimball, Herbane Naturals  Value: $154*

167  **Paducah Olive Oil Gift Basket**
Gift basket from Paducah's Olive Oil Company on Friendship Road in McCracken County. Made with UP Certified Extra Virgin Olive Oil, contents include Tuscan Herb and Butter olive oils and Vanilla and Black Mission Fig balsamic vinegars. The Olive Oil Company’s naturally infused balsamic is caramel color-free, free of added sugar or thickeners, and aged in the wood barrels of the traditional Solera System in Modena, Italy. Comes with oil and vinegar cruets and a bottle of VilaDellops Xarel-lo 2010 Penedes White Wine (Xarel-lo is a white grape variety of Spanish origin specially grown in Catalonia). All that is needed is a loaf of French bread and a friend for a perfect start to an evening. http://paducaholiveoil.com
*Donated by: Paducah Olive Oil Company and Patti & Glen Pearson  Value: $80*

168  **Jenny’s Day Spa of Reflexology & Massage**
Jenny’s Day Spa wants you to feel as if you are on vacation without ever leaving town. The spa specialize in massage, reflexology, aromatherapy, body wraps, and detox. Gift basket includes 2 $15 gift cards, SubZero, Young Living essential oil, exfoliating glove, eye mask, candle, and more. Located in the Roblyn Building in Lone Oak. www.facebook.com/pg/Jennys-DAY-SPA
*Donated by: Jenny’s Day Spa  Value: $69*

169  **Magnum 2006 La Sirena Syrah, Barrett Vineyard**
This fabulous wine is fully ripe and concentrated. Aromas are of ripe black cherry pie, plum, mineral, earth, smoked meat. A round mouth feel and flavors of black plum, dried herb, pomegranate, and a hint of minerality leading to a lengthy, juicy finish. The wine shows its “terroir” from a tiny 2- acre vineyard block, where the soil is quite rocky, with some steep sections that produce tiny, intensely flavorful grapes. The resulting wine shows the dense, rewarding concentration that comes from farming this delightfully scrappy little vineyard. It is a beauty from start to finish, rich and elegant with fine balance. **Hard to find. Truly a special wine.**
*Donated by: Jean & Roger Truitt  Value: $400*

170  **Rustic Barn Door Table**
Old barn door repurposed into a large table with a tempered glass top and iron base. The glass top can be moved so you can place your own conversation pieces under the glass and create a unique piece of art. Wrought iron base adds sturdiness and durability to this handcrafted piece of furniture. If you are a fan of Flea Market Flip, this is a must-have unique piece sure to wow your guests. www.facebook.com/dick.kaye
*Donated by: Dick Kaye, Rust-Dick Furniture  Value: $300*
Live Auction

Dollar amounts listed as “Value” are Fair Market Value identified by donors or research. Trips, parties, tickets, etc., expire March 30, 2018, unless stated otherwise.

501  The Need for Speed! Drive Super Cars at Racing Speeds on Real Racetracks
This package provides race car experiences for those with the Need for Speed. Drive the super car of your dreams for 3 high-speed laps on a world-class racetrack. A professional driving instructor will accompany you as a passenger. Or, ride along as the professional drives the car. Your 500+ horsepower supercar options include the McLaren 570S, Lamborghini Huracan LP610-4, Ferrari 458 Italia, Lamborghini LP560-4, Ferrari F430, Porsche 911 GT3, and Nissan GT-R. Racetracks locations include Bowling Green, St. Louis, Chicago, Atlanta, Indianapolis, and more. Your ride includes a brief instructional course and safety helmet provided for the drive. This part of this Super Car package is arranged through Xtreme Xperience, a company founded by car enthusiasts. The other part of this Super Car package focuses on the Corvette - America’s Sports Car, produced only in Bowling Green, Kentucky. Visit the Corvette Museum, with 80 Corvettes in period settings, and race over to the NCM Motorsports Park to spectate or take a lap!
This package includes: Xtreme Xperience gift card for $1,000, 2 tickets to National Corvette Museum in Bowling Green, pass for 1 person to ride-along for 2 laps at racing speed at National Corvette Museum Motorplex Park, $100 gift card for Darden Restaurants (Olive Garden, LongHorn Steakhouse, Yard House, Bahama Breeze, Seasons 52, Red Lobster), and 1-night weekend stay at a Drury Brand Hotel (excluding Drury Plaza).
NOTE: Xtreme Xperience drivers must be age 18 or older with valid driver’s license; children age 12 and older can ride-along at most tracks. Drivers or ride-along passengers: maximum height/weight: 6 ft. 5” / 350 pounds. Track insurance is required for drivers and starts at $39 per person.

Donated by: Koch Foundation, Drury Hotels, Corvette Museum & Motorsports Park

Value: $1,400

BIDDER’S CHOICE

502 A.  St. Louis Baseball for 4/Cardinals vs. Giants (Parking Pass & Hotel)
This is a wonderful weekend for couples or families: Enjoy “America's pastime” from 4 seats in the Home Field Box (Section 155, Row 14, Seats 9-12) at Busch Stadium at 8:15 p.m. Friday, May 19, 2017, Cardinals vs. Giants. Package includes stadium parking pass and 2 suites for 1 night at the Crowne Plaza St. Louis with breakfast included. www.ihg.com/crowneplaza/hotels/us/en/st-louis/stlrf/hoteldetail

Donated by: Paducah Bank/Mardie Herndon

Special Thanks to Crowne Plaza St. Louis

Value: $1,060
502 B. St. Louis Baseball for 4 / Cardinals vs. Dodgers (Hotel & Spending Money)
This also is a wonderful experience for couples or families: Enjoy “America’s pastime” from 4 seats in the Redbird Club (section 241, Row 4, seats 1-4) at Busch Stadium at May 30, 2017, at 6:05 p.m. vs Dodgers. Includes lodging: 2 rooms for 1 night at City Center St. Louis Hotel (or 1 room for 2 nights). Plus $200 in spending money. www.stlouiscitycenterhotel.com
Donated by: Heath Bowling, Financial Advisor, Edward Jones (Tickets); City Center St. Louis Hotel (lodging); David & Penny Pearson (spending money) Value: $1,080

Artist William F. Renzulli gives us an engaging perspective of the majestic Carson Center, looking up from the shore of the Ohio River. This is a 24” x 48” acrylic on gallery-wrapped canvas. Dr. Renzulli is a retired physician and self-taught artist who has successfully managed careers in medicine and art. He was one of the first artists from around the country to respond to Paducah’s Artist Relocation Program, moving from Maryland to the Lower Town neighborhood to establish a vibrant arts community. There, a restored old Victorian with a studio and gallery addition has been home for the artist; his wife, Patience, author and nurse; and their waggle of whippets for 15 years. www.renzulliart.com
Donated by: William F. (Bill) Renzulli, Gallery 5 Value: $2,500

504 Vacation at Fabulous Lake Barkley Lakefront Condo
Enjoy luxurious accommodations for 5 nights in a tranquil lakeside setting at a beautiful Marina Village penthouse condominium overlooking Lake Barkley. The 3-level, 4-bedroom, 3-bath, stylish condo has sleeping accommodations for up to 14. Bring burgers etc. for grilling and other supplies for your stay, or dine out in Grand Rivers. Non-smoking property. Scheduling can be weekends or week nights, subject to mutually agreeable date for owners and winning bidder. Excludes major holidays (Memorial Day, July 4, Labor Day, etc.). Must be used by March 30, 2018.
Donated by: Mike & Caroline Cappock Value: $1,500

505 Your Next Visit to the City that Never Sleeps!
Closing Bell Tour of New York Stock Exchange & Dinner at The Capital Grille for 2
The New York Stock Exchange no longer offers public tours. However, buy this auction package – and your New York City sightseeing starts with a private escorted tour of the Stock Exchange, including the famous Closing Bell Ceremony. Then dine in style at The Capital Grille Wall Street, enjoying selections from the Closing Bell Menu at the Captain’s Table. This special menu includes appetizers, main courses, side dishes, desserts, and wines. Olivia Marshall, Capital Grille marketing director, will welcome you for this elite dining experience. The Capital Grille is in the historic Equitable Building – built in the late 1800s as one of the 1st skyscrapers in New York City. www.thecapitalgrille.com
Your Next Visit to the City that Never Sleeps also includes: 2 VIP passes for One World Observatory at One World Trade Center at the World Trade Center site. Positioned on top of the tallest building in the Western Hemisphere, the observatory’s floor-to-ceiling windows provide panoramic views of New York City, its iconic sites, and surrounding waters. https://oneworldobservatory.com
Dinner must be used by July 10, 2017. Transportation and lodging not included.
Program: Carson Center PARTY FOR A PURPOSE

TONIGHT, the winning bidder takes home world-class Cakebread Cabernet Sauvignon Bordeaux and “The Cakebread Cellars Napa Valley Cookbook” personally autographed by Delores and Jack Cakebread. The wines are the Dancing Bear Ranch Vertical (2006, 2007, 2008 Dancing Bear Ranch, Howell Mountain)

Donated by: Historic Wallace House & The Capital Grille Wall Street  Value: $1,000

506  Faith Hill and Tim McGraw “Soul 2 Soul” World Tour Concert & Dinner in Nashville for 2
Experience a live concert by country music royalty Faith Hill and Tim McGraw – from premium seats at Bridgestone Arena in Nashville 7:30 p.m. Saturday, August 5, 2017. Great seat locations: main floor, Row 5, Seats 5 and 6. Tim McGraw and Faith Hill have dominated the music charts for 25 years. McGraw has won 3 Grammy Awards and 16 Academy of Country Music Awards. Hill has won 5 Grammy Awards and 12 Academy of Country Music Awards. Dine within walking distance from the concert venue at The Palm restaurant – owned by families that started the first Palm in 1926 in New York City. The Nashville location reflects the owners’ Italian-American heritage – from prime aged steaks and jumbo Nova Scotia lobsters to Italian classics. With a $300 gift certificate – you can enjoy the best at the best. Winning bidder must call to make reservations at The Palm. Package includes $250 gift card for hotel or other expenses.

Donated by: Mary & Dwain Taylor/Dwain Taylor Chevrolet/Buick-GMC-Cadillac  Value: $1,550
$250 gift card donated by Debbie and Scott Powell

507  Midtown Market Steaks/Seafood/Chops with Roof Brothers Wine for a Year
Enjoy dinner for 4 in the comfort of your home once a month for 12 months (April 2017 through March 2018). On the last weekend of every month pick up premium meat or seafood at Midtown Market on Broadway in Paducah and 2 bottles of fine wine at Roof Brothers Wine & Spirits on Park Avenue, which will select just the right wine pairings. Roof Brothers offers one of the best selections of wine in our region. All steaks, pork, and seafood come to Midtown Market Gourmet Grocery and Delicatessen fresh, never frozen. Midtown’s choice meat is all-natural, grass fed, and aged a minimum of 21 days. This package plans, subject to change, include 4 servings of the following: April (16-oz. New York strip steaks), May (12-oz. prime pork chops), June (8-oz. filet mignon), July (10-oz. fresh salmon), August (16-oz. rib eyes), September (16-oz. New York strips), October (12-oz. prime pork chops), November (16-oz. bone-in rib eyes), December (8-oz. filet mignon), January (10-oz. fresh salmon), February (8-oz. filet mignon), and March (16-oz. rib eyes). Midtown Market will substitute fresh shrimp (3 pounds), 2 full racks of ribs, 4 porterhouse steaks, never frozen/free range Thanksgiving turkey, or spiral-sliced Easter ham upon advanced request. http://midtownmarket.com www.roofbrothers.com

Donated by: Midtown Market and Roof Brothers Wine & Spirits  Value: $1,500
BIDDER’S CHOICE
From the Truitt Wine Cellar to Yours
This is a rare opportunity to replenish your wine cellar or wine refrigerator at home with an outstanding collection of highly rated wines from the home of Carson Center patrons Jean and Roger Truitt. Most of these wines are quite difficult to obtain. Thanks to the Truitts – you can enjoy world-class wines AND support your world-class performing arts center at the same time. Please see wine list and tasting notes at live auction display tables on stage.

508 A  5 Magnificent Magnums
- 2009 Au Sommet Atlas Peak Cabernet Sauvignon -- by “rock star winemaker” Heidi Peterson Barrett
- 2009 Pride Mountain Vineyards Merlot (serious wine enthusiasts highly regard Pride wines – which are incredible and not easy to acquire)

Donated by:  Jean & Roger Truitt   Value:  $1,400

508 B  11 Incredible Cabernets (750 ml bottles)
- Highly rated wines, excellent wineries, hard-to-get, perfectly aged, ready to drink
  2006 Ovid Experiment M9.36
  2007 Shafer Relentless
  2007 Piña Cellars Cabernet Sauvignon Mimbre
  2008 Dos Lagos Cabernet Sauvignon
  2009 Knights Bridge Cabernet Sauvignon Knights Valley
  2009 Goosecross Cellars Aeros
- Younger wines, highly rated, excellent wineries, hard-to-get, save or enjoy now
  2010 Continuum Novicium
  2010 Pride Mountain Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon Vintner Select
  2011 Arietta Red Wine H Block Hudson Vineyards
  2011 David Arthur Cabernet Sauvignon Old Vine
  2011 Gallica Cabernet Sauvignon

Donated by:  Jean & Roger Truitt   Value:  $1,300
509  **The Sky’s the Limit for Your Special Occasion – Have Helicopter, Will Travel! (for 2)**

Make your special occasion the memory of a lifetime with a helicopter as your mode of transportation—flown by your personal pilot. Professional Pilot Jamie Stevens will fly 2 passengers in his Robinson R44 Raven II helicopter to and from the desired destination in the Four Rivers region on the same day. Mr. Stevens, a professional pilot for 25 years, owns and operates Stevens Aircraft Solutions. If the winning bidder has a wedding reception at the Carson Center—the newlyweds can be the first couple ever to exit in a helicopter instead of the traditional get-away car. Or, take a scenic flight to Cache River Basin Vineyard & Winery in Southern Illinois and enjoy lunch or dinner with wine for 2 at Wineaux’s Restaurant at the winery.

Other options for your helicopter ride include: as a celebration for a birthday, anniversary, engagement; or enjoy aerial sightseeing flight over our beautiful lake areas or fall foliage. This auction package includes food and wine in conjunction with your helicopter trip, such as Wineaux’s Restaurant if you fly to Cache River Basin - or a delicious picnic-style meal, etc. Scheduling subject to mutual agreement by winning bidder and donors. Opportunity must be used in 2017 or 2018.

http://stevensaircraftsolutions.com/meet-the-pilot

Donated by: Stevens Aircraft Solutions and Mary and Brian Katz  Value: $800

510  **Elk Hunt! Tag for Hunting in Eastern Kentucky**

When Daniel Boone entered Kentucky, he saw a land teeming with elk and wildlife. Over time, elk disappeared from Kentucky. The Kentucky Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources has restored elk in Eastern Kentucky over the past 25 years. The first elk hunts in 150 years started in 2001 on a limited basis as part of wildlife management. This landowner-cooperation elk tag allows a hunter access to Boone Forestlands Wildlife Management Area in Eastern Kentucky (parts of Leslie, Knox, Clay, Bell Counties) for a bull or cow elk. This tag can be used during any scheduled weapon season (bow, rifle, firearms, crossbow, archery) in the 2017-18 season. This tag is not transferable from one person (auction winner) to another. Does not include guiding services. Winning bids on elk tags in the Carson Center live auction have ranged from $5,000 to $16,500.

Provided by: Forestland Group LLC  Value: $8,500

511  **Duck Hunters’ Dream Come True for 2**

This package includes guided duck hunts for 2 people at 4 beautiful private farms in Western Kentucky – each one a waterfowl paradise! Hunting on 3 of the properties usually is not available to the public: Crossmill Farms, Big Brushy Pond, and Mallard-X Farm. The fourth property is the Fowler Farm. Located next to Ballard County Wildlife Management Area, the Fowler Farm offers hunting in flooded cornfields and soybean fields. Also in Ballard County are Big Brushy Pond (oxbow lake) and Mallard-X Farm off Sallie Crice Road (hunting in a flooded timber hole). Crossmill Farms is in McCracken County near Mayfield Creek. All hunts will involve some of the best guides in the flyway, and lunch in heated blinds or lodges. Each hunter is responsible for personal hunting equipment, hunting license, duck stamps. Scheduling by mutual agreement between owners and winning bidders; must be used in the 2017-18 hunting season. No hunts Thanksgiving or Christmas holiday weekends.

Donated by: David & Lindsay Black, Mike Boatwright, Bill Schroeder, Higdon Outdoors  Value: $4,000
512 Dinner for 8 at the Carloss Home Catered by Sara Bradley of the Freight House

Enjoy royal treatment as dinner guests at home with Barbara Carloss and Dr. Harry Carloss in McCracken County. Co-hosts Debbie and Mike Stone will select wines to complement a fabulous multi-course dinner personally catered by Chef Sara Bradley of The Freight House, Paducah’s gourmet dining destination. This multi-course meal will be inspired by fresh farm-to-table offerings. Save room for delicious dessert prepared by Maria Luttrull Wilke. Scheduling subject to mutual agreement by winning bidder and donors. Not available on Fridays or Saturdays. Opportunity must be used by March 30, 2018.

www.freighthousefood.com

Donated by: Sara Bradley of The Freight House, Dr. Harry & Barbara Carloss, Mike & Debbie Stone, Maria Luttrull Wilke

Value: $2,500

513 Maker’s Mark Experience for 8 with Bill or Rob Samuels

Visit the historic Maker’s Mark Distillery in Loretto for a private tour with Bill or Rob Samuels – son and grandson of the founders – and enjoy cocktails, light appetizers – and sharing of family stories – at the Louisville home of Bill or Rob. At the distillery, sip bourbon underneath the dazzling glass ceiling above barrels of aging spirits. This installation was created by Dale Chihuly, internationally renowned for developing glass as a fine art. “The Spirit of the Maker” is the title of this canopy of form, color, and light with 750 hand-blown elements in blue, green, amber, and Maker’s Mark signature red hues. See every step of Maker’s unique bourbon-making process in your tour, and dip a bottle in the signature red wax. Enjoy farm-to-table lunch prepared by Distillery Chef-in-Residence Newman Miller. Scheduling subject to mutual agreement by donor and winning bidder Monday through Friday. Maker’s Mark will work with winning bidder to customize sequence and scheduling of activities. Maker’s Mark will arrange transportation between the winning bidder’s hotel in the area, Samuels’ home, and distillery via Mint Julep Tours. Does not include lodging or transportation to/from Louisville. Opportunity expires March 30, 2018.

Donated by: Maker’s Mark

Value: $1,500

514 Kentucky Dam Marina Houseboat Weekend

“The most fun you can have afloat!” Enjoy a summer or fall weekend with friends and family at Kentucky Lake. Cruise on an 80-foot Luxury Cruiser Houseboat from beautiful Kentucky Dam Marina. This spacious, luxurious houseboat has perks to please everyone aboard. Amenities include full kitchen with dishwasher, 2 full bathrooms/showers, water slide/ hot tub, satellite TV, large bar with sink, clothes dryer, vanity in all 6 bedrooms (linens included). Depart the Marina at 4 p.m. on a Friday and return by 11 a.m. Monday. Does not include gasoline, food, or beverages. Scheduling subject to mutual agreement between Kentucky Dam Marina and winning bidder. No holiday weekends. Can be scheduled June through August, or fall if preferable. Opportunity must be used by December 31, 2017.

www.kydammarina.com/houseboats.html

Donated by: Kentucky Dam Marina/Suntex Marinas

Value: $4,000
515  River Cruise from Only Operating Field Station on the Ohio River: “EduVacation” for 6
Celebrating its 50th anniversary, the Thomas More College Ohio River Biology Field Station is the only operating Field Station on the banks of the 981-mile Ohio River. Take a unique research river cruise with Professor Chris Lorentz, Ph.D., director of the college’s Environmental Science Program and the Field Station. The station is approximately a 30-minute drive from the main campus in Crestview Hills, Kentucky, in northern Kentucky. Inside the Field Station, Dr. Lorentz will provide an overview of the research, education, and STEM outreach fostering the next generation of scientists. After the cruise and tour, relax at the Field Station’s state-of-the-art Education Center and Lodge. Enjoy a gourmet dinner prepared by John Wolper, Ph.D., Associate Vice President at the college. Dr. Wolper is a trained chef and former Sheraton Hotels general manager. He was part of the team that catered the inaugural dinner for President Ronald Reagan. Estimated time for this entire experience is 3 to 5 hours. Thomas More College acquired the 25-acre site of the former Lock and Dam #35 from the federal government in 1967. Research studies for private and public corporations, institutions, and agencies are conducted at the Field Station. Students gain real-world experience in microbiology, water chemistry, fish surveys, biological assessments, and toxicology. Scheduling subject to mutual agreement between donor and winning bidder. Opportunity must be used by March 30, 2018.

Donated by: St. Thomas More College 
Value: $800

516  Dinner with Murray State President & First Lady at Oakhurst for 8
Dine with Murray State University President Dr. Robert O. (Bob) Davies and First Lady Cindy Davies at Oakhurst, home to MSU presidents. This beautiful historic home on the Murray campus is 100 years old. Dr. Rainey T. Wells, MSU’s founder and second president, and his wife built this home and named it "Edgewood." Completed in 1918, the Wells family lived at the residence until 1936 when the MSU Board of Regents purchased the home with the intent of housing the president. At this time, the home was remodeled and renamed "Oakhurst" by the Board. Scheduling of the dinner is subject to mutually agreeable date for winning bidder and donors. Opportunity expires March 31, 2018.

Donated by: Murray State University 
Value: $1,000

517  Fourth of July Party for 100 at the Carson Center
Celebrate America with the best view of the fireworks display over the Ohio River for the City of Paducah’s Independence Day Celebration. Celebrate with friends and family on Tuesday, July 4, 2017, on the Carson Center’s Williams Family Terrace overlooking the river. Stay cool in the Ingram Room and Myre River Room. David Booth’s Soul Dog band will play classic soul and classic rock music. Backwoods Bar-b-cue will cater tasty barbecue and sides. Package includes house wine and beer as well as soft drinks. Cash bar available. Tips for catering staff are customary, and are the responsibility of winning bidder(s).

Donated by: Backwoods Bar-b-cue (catering) and Dr. & Mrs. Ted Borodofsky (band underwriting) 
Value: $4,000

NOTE on auction packages 518 and 519: These beautiful Florida beachfront condos will be auctioned separately. Condos are in same complex within sight of each other. Nice potential for families/groups of friends to vacation together.
Program: Carson Center PARTY FOR A PURPOSE

518   Florida Vacation for a Week: 2- Bedroom Beachfront Condo in WaterSound
Stay for 7 nights in a 2-bedroom / 2-bath luxury condominium in the Florida coastal community of WaterSound. This peaceful, private, gated beach neighborhood is on the Gulf of Mexico – with an ocean view from your balcony. Stroll down the board walk to a private beach with chairs and umbrellas, as well as private swimming pools. Enjoy access to the exclusive WaterSound Beach Club for lunch or refreshments (food/beverages at your expense). Other attractions include walking paths, golf, fishing, dining, and shopping. Visit other communities along scenic highway 30A, such as Seaside, Panama City Beach, Destin. Scheduling subject to availability and mutually agreement for donor and winning bidders. No holidays. Trip must be used by June 1, 2018.

Donated by:   Theresa & Bill Jones               Value:  $3,500

519   Florida Vacation for a Week: 4- Bedroom Beachfront Condo in WaterSound
Stay for 7 nights in a 4-bedroom / 4-bath luxury condominium in the Florida coastal community of WaterSound. It is difficult if not impossible to find 4-bedroom condos for rent in WaterSound. This peaceful, private, gated beach neighborhood is on the Gulf of Mexico – with an ocean view from your balcony. Stroll down the board walk to a private beach with chairs and umbrellas, as well as private swimming pools. (No access to WaterSound Beach Club.) Other attractions include walking paths, golf, fishing, dining, and shopping. Visit other communities along scenic highway 30A, such as Seaside, Panama City Beach, Destin. Scheduling subject to availability and mutually agreement for donor and winning bidders. No holidays. Trip must be used by June 1, 2018.

Donated by:   Beth & Ken Hunt                Value:  $4,900

520   The Best of Both Worlds!
Valhalla Golf Club for 4 & the Preakness Belmont at Churchill Downs Turf Club for 6
This package includes a round of golf for 4 at Valhalla Golf Club – “a modern paradise for championship golf” and premium tickets for 6 to the Preakness or Belmont prestigious horse races in the world. Winning bidders will have a superb view of the horse races from a table for 6 inside the Turf Club at the Churchill Downs’ finish line. This luxurious club is accessible only to members and guests. Food and beverages may be ordered from club menu at winning bidder’s expense. Package includes racing programs and complimentary valet parking. Tips are customary; responsibility of the winning bidder. Winning bidder will choose from Saturday racing dates for the Spring Meet: May 20 (running of Preakness), June 3, or June 10, 2017 (running of the Belmont). Dress code: no jeans, shorts, or tennis shoes. Winning bidder may give the chosen race day to another person, but cannot sell the tickets.

Valhalla Golf Club
Designed by major golf champion Jack Nicklaus, Valhalla is ranked Number 1 course in Kentucky and among “America’s 100 Greatest Courses” by Golf Digest. Valhalla has hosted 3 PGA Championships, 2 Senior PGA Championships, and the 2008 Ryder Cup. Valhalla is the flagship property for the PGA of America – the only private golf club in the PGA portfolio. Includes tee times, green fees, caddie fees for 4 golfers.

Donated by:   Mr. & Mrs. C. Lee Anderson (Churchill Downs), ARGI Financial Group/Louisville, Joe Reeves (Valhalla)               Value:  $1,800
Once in a lifetime opportunity!!

Total Eclipse of the Sun Viewing Party at the Carson Center (up to 80 guests)

Once in a lifetime – the Moon, Sun, and Earth align to create a true total solar eclipse visible across the United States. The last total solar eclipse in the United States took place on June 8, 1918. It's happening again on the afternoon of August 21, 2017! NASA expects this eclipse to be the most viewed and photographed total solar eclipse in history. Experts state that the Paducah area is the best place in America to observe this eclipse because our view will be darker and longer than anywhere else. Share and celebrate this historic, unprecedented, exciting experience with friends and family (or co-workers, customers, etc.) at your own private Eclipse Viewing Party at the Carson Center.

Together you will view one of nature’s most spectacular and awesome sights, during which the moon will fully cover the sun for about 2 and ½ minutes. Daylight will turn to deep twilight with visible stars as the Sun’s corona shimmers like a halo surrounding the Moon. The Carbondale/Paducah area offers one of the best views in the world of this eclipse because we are in the narrow “path of totality” between Oregon and South Carolina. During this eclipse, the Moon's umbral shadow will fly across the United States. The entire eclipse experience is expected to last from a little before noon until almost 3 p.m. Observers (like us!) in the path of this shadow will see the Moon completely cover the Sun for a few unforgettable moments – expected to be from approximately 1:22 p.m. to 1:25 p.m. https://eclipse2017.nasa.gov

BONUS! The more you learn in advance, the more you will enjoy your Total Solar Eclipse Party. This auction package includes a presentation (about 45 minutes) for your group this spring or early summer by an expert on this eclipse: Rob Milner, director of the Golden Pond Planetarium and Observatory at Land Between the Lakes. This presentation will take place at the Carson Center, with scheduling by mutual agreement between winning bidder(s), the Carson Center, and Mr. Milner.

This Eclipse Viewing Party package includes:

- Private party with duration of up to 6 hours
- Use of the Carson Center Williams Family Terrace and inside air-conditioned inside rooms (Ingram Room, Myre River Room, CSI Lobby)
- Reserved parking at the Carson Center for you and your guests
- Hosted house wine and beer for guests 21 and up
- Cash bar
- Casual lunch catered by Artisan Kitchen: sandwich buffet, Greek pasta salad, Waldorf slaw, relish picks, dessert bars, cookies, lemonade
- Safety glasses for viewing (that meet the international standard)
- Resource person part of Friends of Land Between the Lakes' outreach programming

Donated by: Friends of the Carson Center, Special Thanks to Friends of Land Between the Lakes
Value: $3,500
Special Pricing
FOR EVERYONE AT PARTY FOR A PURPOSE!

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2017 CARSON CENTER
VINTNER’S DINNERT
FRIDAY, MAY 12, 2017

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Remarks by Larry Soble,
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