



Dear Friend of GrapeFest,

The 24th annual *GrapeFest – Super Times. Super Wines.* is just around the corner. Mark your calendar for September 11 - 19, 2010. That's right, an entire week of festivities! And for the third year, the annual Vintners' Auction Classic, Saturday, September 11th, will be the official kick-off event!

The Vintners' Auction Classic has been consistently successful over the years drawing hundreds of Grapevine's most influential leaders, dedicated volunteers and residents. Grapevine and surrounding communities are among the most affluent in the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex. This event attracts high-end consumers who could turn into repeat customers.

In addition to the Vintners' Auction Classic, the Texas Wine Tribute is a celebrated black-tie gala and silent auction. This renowned event will take place on Saturday, September 18th. The Texas Wine Tribute is the ultimate salute to medal-winning Texas wines and wineries!

Both of these events benefit the Grapevine Heritage Foundation and the Texas Wine and Grape Growers Foundation, two essential institutions supporting historic Grapevine and the Texas wine industry.

Your help is needed more than ever this year. In order to provide a wide variety of spectacular auction items for both events, we are soliciting donations from our loyal supporters and associates. Your donation will be showcased during one of the events and your establishment will be proudly recognized. Additionally, you will be recognized as a valued partner in our efforts to support the important work of both organizations. Show the best of your creations and services to the devoted and passionate champions of historic preservation and Texas wines. Your donation is the perfect opportunity to promote your business.

We have included a donation form for your convenience.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "LuAnn Chapman Gatts".

LuAnn Chapman Gatts
GrapeFest Chair



AUCTION DONATION FORM

(Please print or type exactly as you wish it to appear in all publications.)

Contact Name: _____

Business Name: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

Business Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Description of donated item/package (to be printed in auction program. 60 words or less)

Value of item(s)/package: \$ _____

For vacation packages or certificates, please note any disclaimers, blackout dates, expiration dates, or other restrictions. (Items will be auctioned September 11 & 18, 2010)

Please remember to remit this form to:

Grapevine Convention & Visitors Bureau

Vintners' Auction Classic - Attn: Laura Simmons

One Liberty Park Plaza, Grapevine, Texas 76051

or fax to 817.410.3552