



The  
First  
Unitarian-  
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Church  
of  
Nashville

# Fall 2011 Auction Program

All proceeds from this auction will benefit the First Unitarian-Universalist Church of Nashville.

All dinners & events should take place *before* the end of fall 2012.

# Welcome to the First UU Auction 2011

Good evening and welcome to the annual FUUN auction! We trust you have been saving up all year just for this event. We also hope everyone has had an opportunity to preview tonight's items on the church's website and are as excited as the Auction Team is about what the evening holds for our church's future.

We've had a great response from new members and visiting friends, as far as donations go this year, so you will see some new names in the auction brochure. You'll also find many of your favorite oldies back again, as well as new ideas from long-time auction donors!

Before we get started, a refresher for everyone on how the bidding goes. Each item in the Live Auction specifies the 'Number of Lots' available for sale. Each lot equates to 'one'. So, if you are bidding on a dinner and you want your spouse or partner to accompany you, two lots must be purchased at the final selling price. Yes, sometimes the prices get quite steep, but remember it's for a very worthy cause, your Church Community! So, as auctioneer will tell you, 'Bid high, and bid often'.

Also, please remember that the church depends not only on your awesome donations, but also on your payment of items purchased. Please make sure you visit our friendly check-out folks in the new social area before leaving this evening. We take cash, checks and credit cards (MasterCard and Visa only). We can't take debit cards or American Express.

Please also remember to return to the Silent Auction area to claim and collect any items you might have won/purchased at the beginning of the evening. The check-out folks will let you know what those items are when paying.

Thank you very much for attending the auction this evening and we hope you have as much fun as we did in bringing this event to you!

## Remember, 'Bid high, and bid often'!

Allison Thompson and the Auction Committee 2011  
Co-Chair Fundraising

## Events with dates

Item	Title	Date
21	Two Lower Level Titans Tickets	Sunday, November 27, 2011 at noon
54	2 tickets to opera Pagliacci December 2	Friday, December 02, 2011
5	Hip Hip Hurray for BOLLYWOOD!	Saturday, December 10, 2011 at 6 pm
18	Vegetarian Indian Dinners for 8 (#1)	Saturday, January 14, 2012
7	Sara Plummer's Famous Chinese Supper	Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 6:30 pm
49	Cooks Gone Wild IV	Saturday, January 28, 2012
23	Pizza Party at the Pauls	Saturday, January 28, 2012
59	A Mediterranean Feast	Saturday, January 28, 2012 at 6:30 pm
25	FUUN Games and Comfort Foods	Saturday, February 11, 2012 at 4 pm
55	A French Feast	Saturday, February 18, 2012
29	Tom's Poker Party	Saturday, February 18, 2012
40	Martini Tasting and Tapas	Saturday, February 25, 2012 at 6 pm
41	Vegetarian Indian Dinner for 8 (#2)	Saturday, February 25, 2012
50	Afternoon Tea Party	Saturday, February 25, 2012 from 4-6 pm
46	MEET JOHN DOE (Spring Movie Dinner)	Saturday, March 10, 2012 at 6 pm
28	Tickets to La Belle et la Bete	Saturday, March 10, 2012 at 2 pm
53	5th Annual Word Games & Light Dinner	Saturday, March 17, 2012
58	Mad Men Mania	Friday, March 03, 2012
51	Celebrate Greek Independence Day	Saturday, March 24, 2012 at noon
11	Eva & Larry's 5th annual casino/salmon dinner	Saturday, March 24, 2012 at 5 pm
43	Walking Tour of Downtown Nashville	Thursday, April 12, 2012
2	Tennis Anyone?	Saturday, April 14, 2012 at 10 am
206	Rites of Spring Party	Saturday, April 14, 2012 at 6:30 pm
16	Alfresco Dinner in the Country	Saturday, April 21, 2012 at 4 pm
20	Thai Food with Chef Christoph	Saturday, April 21, 2012 at 6:30 pm
56	Retro Cocktail Party	Saturday, April 28, 2012 at 7 pm
44	Picnic at Arrington Vineyards	Saturday, May 12, 2012 at 6:30 pm
33	Spring Italian Dinner	Saturday, May 19, 2012 at 6:30 pm
9	12th Annual Kesterwood Tournament	Sunday, May 20, 2012 at 3 pm
3	Blue Heron Dinner Cruise	Saturday, June 02, 2012 at 6 pm
31	Karaoke Picnic	Saturday, June 09, 2012
27	Summer Solstice Salmon Feast	Saturday, June 23, 2012
47	An Affair to Dismember Mystery Dinner	Friday, August 03, 2012 at 7 pm
57	Local food gourmet dinner	Saturday, August 04, 2012
60	Summer Time and the livin' is Easy	Saturday, August 11, 2012
36	Weekend at Roan Mountain	September 1-3, 2012

### **(1) Mr. Fixit**

2 hours of home repair: plumbing, electrical, paint, carpentry, roofing, what have you.

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Donated By: Jim Seavey

Value: \$120

Number of Lots: 4

Additional Lots in Silent Auction:

### **(2) Tennis Anyone?**

Join me for a fun doubles match at a public court near my home in Hendersonville. There will be contests and prizes. Following our court escapades, I will serve a sumptuous lunch--with mimosas of course--on my deck, overlooking the woods. Does life get any better?

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Donated By: Kathy Sowell

Number of Lots: 3

Date: Saturday, April 14th at 10:00 AM

Location: Meet at my Hendersonville home.

### **(3) Blue Heron Dinner Cruise**

Wanna hang out with the cool kids?

Or would you rather go on the Blue Herron River Cruise Wine and Food extravaganza!!?

Here we offer, for the 4th time, the ever popular Blue Herron Cruise. Join us, and Captain Jim, for a luxurious foray down the Cumberland with beautiful views and fine victuals.

Always a good time... Way better than hanging with the cool kids...

Bob, Candy, Ibba, Tom, Sara, Mike, Trigg & Pat

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Donated By: Pat Lynch

Number of Lots: 8

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 4

Date: Saturday, June 2, 2012 at approximately 6pm

Location: Ashland City, TN

### **(4) Ride to the Airport**

One-way ride to or from the Nashville airport. Will pick up or deliver within a 10 mile radius of the church.

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Donated By: June Dye

Value: \$50

Number of Lots: 2

Note: *Two weeks notice requested but will accommodate last minute requests if possible.*

### **(5) Hip Hip Hurray for BOLLYWOOD!**

Join us on the red carpet as we fete the Nashville Premier of a great classic Bollywood film. After the run past the paparazzi we will feast on the delicacies of India prepared by Deborah and Evert and then enjoy the visual masterpiece in the home theatre of Pat and Trigg. Costumes are optional, clothing is not. Subtitles possible and Fun guaranteed.

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Donated By: Deborah & Evertt Wilbrink

Number of Lots: 4

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Date: Saturday, December 10, 2011 at 6pm

Location: 5002 Wyoming Ave.

### **(6) Child Care**

Khalila will provide 4 hours of babysitting in your home. She is Red Cross certified in babysitting and CPR.

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Donated By: Khalila Early-Zald

Value: \$35

Number of Lots: 1

Date: to be arranged

Note: *Two children maximum, 1 week notice, please.*

### **(7) Sara Plummer's Famous Chinese Supper**

Chinese spare ribs, pearl balls, egg rolls, hot & sour soup, golden fried rice, flank steak with snow peas, shrimp with lobster sauce, sweet and sour pork, and chicken with cashews. Come hungry!

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Donated By: Sara Plummer

Number of Lots: 6

Date: Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 6:30 pm

Location: Plummer home at 4612 Villa Green Drive, Nashville 37215

### **(8) Guest accommodations in my guest house**

No need to put your out-of-town guests in a Motel 6 or in your basement, they can stay in my guest house (2BR, 1BA) for 3 days.

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Donated By: Vicki M. Stinnett

Minimum Bid: \$180

Number of Lots: 1

Date: must make prior arrangement for availability

Location: 4 miles from downtown

Note: *No kids. Pets allowed.*

### **(9) 12th Annual Kesterwood Memorial Croquet Tournament**

Four teams of 2 play croquet in the wilds of the Surface backyard. Winning team gets to take home the coveted trophy for the year. Snacks, beverages and a light dinner served. Wear your whites!

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Donated By: Tom Surface

Number of Lots: 6

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Date: Sunday, May 20, 2012 at 3pm

Location: Ibba and Tom's backyard

Note: *NOTE: The grounds crew keep the croquet pitch in it's natural state (i.e. bumpy, overgrown and weedy)*

### **(10) Family Portrait**

Two hours of setting up and taking photos of family in their environment.

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Donated By: Beth Gwinn

Value: \$300

Minimum Bid: \$100

Number of Lots: 1

Date: Time to be decided with winner

Location: Prefer family home but I do have studio

Note: *Would like a two week notice*

**(11) Eva & Larry's 5th annual casino/salmon dinner**

Eva & Larry's 5th Annual Casino Night/Salmon Dinner is back!!! We're betting that you will want to attend and play your hearts out. We're \*doubling\* down that you will get your rocks off playing blackjack, poker, and backgammon, as well as enjoying a savory salmon dinner featuring Chef John Bash's creative culinary skills. Be sure to call the bet when this event is offered during the live auction. \*Please keep it a secret from Larry that this FUUN-filled evening \*doubles\* as Larry's \*double\*-nickel birthday celebration.\* The more 5's the better. BUT: If you are upside-down with a face card of 5 in the 21 game, best of luck! For those of you in the know: Winner, winner, chicken dinner.

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Donated By: Eva Close

Number of Lots: 8

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Date: Saturday, March 24, 2012 at 5 PM

Location: 5013 Stillwood Drive, Nashville, 37220

Note: *No child care available.*

**(12) 2 pounds of fudge**

2 pounds of Jack's chocolate fudge.

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Donated By: Jack Blik

Number of Lots: 1

**(13) Fiery Gizzard Backpacking Trip**

Go on a backpacking trip with an expert backpacker. We'll spend two days and one night out hiking a part of the Fiery Gizzard Trail near Monteagle, about two hours from Nashville. The first day we'll hike 5 miles along the rushing river, climb to the top of the canyon and set up our tents high up on the overlook of beautiful Raven Point. The next morning after coffee, bacon and eggs we'll walk back along the rim and head back home. I'll help with gear roundup and answer any questions you may have. What dates we go will be determined by the group. This is a great way to learn about backpacking. Limited to 5 people.

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Donated By: Hal Potts

Number of Lots: 5

Date: To be determined by winners

Location: Near Monteagle, TN

**(14) Let's Go to the Beach!!**

Spend a week at the beach in a two-bedroom condo in Garden City, SC. Oceanfront with pool!

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Donated By: Margy May and Tom Hagood

Minimum Bid: \$350

Number of Lots: 1

Date: One week in either May or September 2012

Location: Garden City, SC

Note: *Call Margy with your requested week.*

**(15) Sermon topic of your choice**

Work with me, challenge me, surprise me - I will give a sermon on your topic.

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Donated By: Gail seavey

Number of Lots: 1

Date: between this auction and the next.

Location: at FUUN

### **(16) Alfresco Dinner in the Country**

An al fresco dinner with flavors from both the north and south of Italy. Il primo, antipasti misti to tantalize your tastebuds and a glass of Prosecco to tickle your nose and delight your palate. Il secondo, lasagna Bolognese, a lasagna so delicious it will make you weep, or for those of you who tend vegetarian, the manicotti of your dreams. Then, insalata mista to cleanse your palate and prepare you for dessert!

Join Ginger and Dan Brown, Linda D'Errico and David Orth for a relaxing Spring late afternoon and evening of sparkling wine, luscious food and good conversation in a lovely White Bluff country setting. Top the evening off with a sunset walk after dinner across the verdant meadow, by the still ponds and in the slanting light among the trees.

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Donated By: Ginger Brown

Number of Lots: 6

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Date: April 21, 2012, 4:00 p.m.

Location: The Brown Farm, White Bluff, TN

### **(17) Basket of Home-made Jam**

4 jars of jam in each basket: peach, raspberry, muscadine, strawberry, Damsen plum, concord grape, blackberry

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Donated By: Sara Plummer

Number of Lots: 3

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

### **(18) Vegetarian Indian Dinners for 8 #1**

Delectable foods prepared especially for you, with a slant toward southern India's cuisine.

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Donated By: Susan Warner

Number of Lots: 6

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Location: 2917 22nd Ave South

Date: Saturday, January 14, 2012

Note: *let us know any food allergies, preferences*

### **(19) Photograph every month for a year**

What you get: One original photograph based on a theme of your choice every month for a year, delivered via email or regular mail. Sample themes include: animals, flowers, expressions of love, creepy crawlies, and existentialism.

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Donated By: Cindi Brown

Value: \$50

Minimum Bid: 20

Number of Lots: 3

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### **(20) Thai Food with Chef Christoph**

My favorite chef, Christoph, comes to you all the way from Seattle, to prepare delectable Thai dishes. Who knows what surprises he might have in store, for sure you will leave with a happy tummy!

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Donated By: Shari Tisch

Number of Lots: 4

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Date: April 21, 2012 at 6:30 PM

Location: Shari Tisch home

### **(21) Two Lower Level Titans Tickets**

Two great seats, 25 yard line, row 26, behind Titans bench. Titans versus Tampa Bay Buccaneers, Sunday November 27, Noon. Parking and cotton candy not included :)

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Donated By: Pate McCartney

Minimum Bid: \$100

Number of Lots: 1

Date: Sunday Nov. 27, 2011, noon

Location: LP Field, Nashville

### **(22) Cape Cod Vacation!**

Spend up to 10 days in Orleans on the elbow of Cape Cod in a beautiful restored antique home. Two bedrooms, 1.5 baths, kitchen and open living area. Wireless Internet and cable TV. Home is half mile to Pleasant Bay, 5 miles to Nauset Beach. Conveniently located for trips to beaches, Provincetown, Cape Cod national seashore dunes, and Chatham Village. Attend UU services at the Chatham Meeting House or Brewster Congregation!

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Donated By: Elisabeth Dykens

Value: \$1500

Minimum Bid: \$500

Number of Lots: 1

Date: To be arranged- anytime except winter holidays, some spring or summer dates not available.

Location: Cape Cod, Massachusetts

Note: *Travel to Cape Cod not included*

### **(23) Pizza Party at the Pauls**

Plan to join the Pauls for the 3rd annual pizza extravaganza- featuring Bill's gourmet homemade pizzas, salad, dessert and beverages.

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Donated By: Tanya Surawicz and Bill Paul

Number of Lots: 12

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 3

Date: Saturday Jan. 28th, 2012

Location: Paul residence

Note: *We have pets (dog and 2 cats)*

### **(24) Landscaping work**

4 hrs of Mike Bolds' time and use of his truck to do your landscaping work.

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Donated By: Michael Bolds

Value: \$100

Number of Lots: 1

Date: TBA

**(25) FUUN Games and Comfort Foods**

Yes, Lannae, your favorite auction item is back! Come play bridge, Scrabble, Trivial Pursuit with all your FUUN friends, followed by all your favorite comfort foods.....Mac and Cheese, Turnip Greens, Mashed Potatoes, etc. Margy May, Tom Hagood and Shari Tisch will delight you with their culinary skills

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Donated By: Margy May and Tom Hagood

Number of Lots: 10

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 4

Date:February 11, 2012 4 pm till ??

Location: 545 Harpeth Trace Drive

**(26) Babysitting by a Pro**

5 hours of babysitting from a retired special ed teacher and grandmother par excellence.

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Donated By: Carleen Dowell

Number of Lots: 1

**(27) Summer Solstice Cedar-Planked Salmon Feast**

Celebrate the Solstice by sharing in a dinner of Cedar-Planked Salmon, seasonal side dishes, and homemade ice cream and sorbet. What is Cedar-Planked Salmon? If you don't know, you'll just have to come and find out, but we can promise you that it is delicious.

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Donated By: Charlie Almquist

Number of Lots: 6

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Location: Dariel & Charlie's home

Note:*Child care not available*

**(28) Tickets to La Belle et la Bete**

Tickets to afternoon performance of La Belle et la Bete, better known as Beauty and the Beast, at Nashville Children's Theatre, starring our own Eric Pasto-Crosby as the Beast!

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Donated By: Lisa & Doug Pasto-Crosby

Number of Lots: 5

Date:March 10, 2012 at 2 pm

**(29) Tom's Poker Party**

A night of nickel-ante dealers choice poker. You'll be staked with \$5 and take home your winnings. Snacks, beer, wine and gumbo provided

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Donated By: Tom Surface

Number of Lots: 5

Date:Sat, Feb 18, 2012

Location: Tom's at 300 Harvard Ave, Smashville

**(30) Rum Cake**

Delicious rum cake to be prepared at a later date agreed to with winner.

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Donated By: Sara Plummer

Minimum Bid: \$10

Number of Lots: 2

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### **(31) Karaoke Picnic**

Ever felt like being a country singer? Come on out to Larry's place in the country (Hohenwald) and sing and feast on hamburgers, hot dogs, soy burgers and the fixin's. Come enjoy a day of "Larry-Oke"

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Donated By: Larry Bullock

Number of Lots: 15

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 5

Date: June 9, 2012 (Rain Day June 16, 2012)

Location: Larry's Home In Hohenwald

### **(32) Plumbing service call - 2 hours**

Repairs to plumbing fixtures or pipes by a licensed, insured plumber, Jon Robbin.

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Donated By: Jon Robbin

Value: \$130

Number of Lots: 1

Note: *A few days notice.*

### **(33) Spring Italian Dinner**

Spend a spring evening enjoying Italian cuisine straight from the Giles' kitchen with your hosts, Diana, Scott, Mary, and David. Pasta, insalata, antipasti, dolci...che bella sera!

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Donated By: Mary Early-Zald, David Zald, Scott and Diana Giles

Number of Lots: 6

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Date: Saturday, May 19, 6:30 p.m.

Location: Scott and Diana Giles' House, 1007 Carruthers, Nashville

### **(34) Victoria's Dessert of the Month Club**

A four-month subscription to Victoria's very own Dessert of the Month Club.

January: Bread Pudding

February: Chocolate pots de creme

March: Bundt Cake (flavor of your choice)

April: Spring Petit Fours

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Donated By: Victoria

Value: \$100

Number of Lots: 1

Location: Desserts delivered in month offered, day of your choice. Please give one week notice and weekend delivery is preferred.

### **(35) Wine Extravaganza Basket**

An Assortment of 12 bottles of wine (mostly red, a couple of white, a port, and a sparkling wine) from the caves of East Nashville's Woodland Wine Merchants.

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Donated By: FUUN Board

Number of Lots: 1

Value: \$250

Minimum Bid: \$150

### **(36) Weekend at Roan Mountain**

Come to Phil's cabin at scenic Roan Mountain in East Tennessee for Labor Day Weekend. Enjoy the vistas of the Roan Highlands and sip wine on the deck with endless mountain views. Phil will host two or three people for the weekend. Some assistance with food preparation will be needed.

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Donated By: Phil Thomason

Minimum Bid: \$200

Number of Lots: 3

Date: September 1-3, 2012

### **(37) Enjoy the Northwest Dinner**

Donated by Linda Roberson (hostess) and Steve Keil (professional chef)

For a night of fresh fare hosted and prepared by FUUN Northwest natives, come join us for Bruschetta with Walla Washington sweet Onion Jam, Roasted Peppers and Grilled Mushrooms, Crab Bisque, Cedar Smoked Salmon, and Oregon Pinot Noir. There will also be other Northwest inspired surprises that will include native foods like wild mushrooms, Marionberries, Washington apples, hazelnuts or other – you'll have to come to find out since the chef is still creating!

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Donated By: Linda Roberson

Number of Lots: 6

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Date: April 7th at 6:00 PM

Location: 4402A Hunt Place, Nashville, TN

### **(38) Dinner and Julius Caesar**

Meet for Dinner at the International Market and see the play Julius Caesar starring our own Eric Pasto-Crosby, Brian Web Russell and Eddie George.

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Donated By: Lisa & Doug Pasto-Crosby

Number of Lots: 4

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Date: Friday, 1/20/2012

Location: International Market, Trout Theatre

### **(39) Construction Consulting**

Michael Roberson will consult on your construction project or renovation, large or small. Must specify hours needed. 1 Lot equals 1 hour of service, bidders may purchase more than one lot at a time, maximum offered 20 hours.

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Donated By: Michael

Number of Lots: 20

Date: Must be done between Dec. '11 and April '12

Note: *1 month notice*

### **(40) Martini Tasting and Tapas**

Shaken or stirred? Enjoy an evening of martinis and sumptuous appetizers at the home of Richard and William that even the Rat Pack would envy.

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Donated By: Richard Bird

Number of Lots: 5

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 1

Date: Feb 25, 2012 at 6:00 pm

Location: 2006 Beechwood Ave.

#### **(41) Vegetarian Indian Dinners for 8 #2**

Delectable foods prepared especially for you, with a slant toward southern India's cuisine.

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Donated By: Susan Warner

Number of Lots: 6

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Location: 2917 22nd Ave South

Date: Saturday, February 25, 2012

Note: *let us know any food allergies, preferences*

#### **(42) The Coveted Parking Spaces**

Late for church again because you just couldn't get it together on Sunday morning, and now there's nowhere to park but in the Back 40? Well then, this is just the item you need. Buy one of the three coveted parking spaces and you'll never have to worry again.

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Donated By: FUUN Church

Minimum Bid: \$50

Number of Lots: 3

#### **(43) Walking Tour of Downtown Nashville**

Architectural and Historical Walking Tour of Downtown Nashville hosted by Phil Thomason. This two hour tour will give an overview on the city's historical growth and development and visit sites such as the Downtown Presbyterian Church, Second Avenue and the Ryman Auditorium. Following the tour the group will be treated to beverages and dessert. We will meet at 1 pm in the lobby of the Public Library

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Donated By: Phil Thomason

Minimum Bid: \$20

Number of Lots: 8

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 4

Date: April 14th, 2012 at 1 pm

#### **(44) Picnic at Arrington Vineyards**

Mickey and Vanessa will host 6 guests. Omnivore picnic food and wine, plus other beverages. Bring a blanket or some chairs and enjoy the country evening.

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Donated By: Vanessa Comerford Hall

Number of Lots: 4

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Date: May 12, 2012 at 6:30 p.m. If inclement weather strikes, May 19 will be the makeup date.

Location: Arrington Vineyards, off 840 in Triene, Williamson Co.

#### **(45) Voice Lessons**

A one-hour voice lesson from a veteran singer, performer and FUUN Choir member who has learned what works and what doesn't out there in the real world.

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Donated By: Laura Bigbee-Fott

Value: \$100

Minimum Bid: \$100

Number of Lots: 3

Date: A mutually agreed upon time.

Location: Church sanctuary, my home, or recipient's home. Wherever there is a decent piano.

Note: *Child care NOT available. Two week's notice.*

**(46) MEET JOHN DOE as Primary Winter moves on to Spring (Movie Dinner)**

So you think there hasn't been a Tea Party, Koch Brothers, or Occupy Wall Street since maybe the 60s? Well it's time you got some history and mythology about human nature and the rise of movements from that master filmmaker Frank Capra. Nobody captures characters, weaves a story, makes you laugh and makes you think about the human condition like the director of Mr. Smith Goes to Washington or It's a Wonderful Life. But Meet John Doe, though lesser known, tops his list. So come see a 1942 black and white film bring all sorts of color to your mind's eye as history repeats itself once again in 2012.

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Donated By: Jeff and Brenda Stein

Number of Lots: 6

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Date:6:00 PM, Saturday, March 10, 2012

Location: 832 Stirrup Drive, Nashville 37221

Note:*child care not available*

**(47) An Affair to Dismember Mystery Dinner**

It's Halloween in August! An engagement party at Castle Von Morgue in Transylvania is ruined by the murder of the affianced Neville Aster-Night. Have a ghoulishly good time solving the heinous crime over dinner and libations.

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Donated By: Dick and Gail Sphar

Number of Lots: 6

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Date:August 3, 2012; 7 p.m.

Location: Sphar home, Franklin

Note:*Adults only, please*

**(48) Navigate Nashville's Nile without the Crocs**

Ahoy mates. Afternoon cruise on Percy Priest Lake with Captain Pete and first mate Carol on their 22 ft. pontoon boat and enjoy world famous snappy grillers and fine beverages.

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Donated By: Carol Grant

Number of Lots: 3

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 1

Date:June 2012 TBA

Location: Nashville Shores Marina

Note:*weather dependent*

**(49) Cooks Gone Wild IV**

Strap on your seat belts, folks, because it's going to be another wild food ride with Steve Keil and Cynthia Stewart as they bring you Cooks Gone Wild IV! They love taking dishes and turning them topsy turvy, with scrumptious results. Savory cheesecake? Dessert pasta? Salmon lollipops? Who knows? Expect the deliciously unexpected at this event. We have seating for 8 in a house that is home to 4 humans, a dog and two cats.

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Donated By: Cynthia Stewart

Number of Lots: 6

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Location: Jones-Keil home

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### **(50) Afternoon Tea Party**

A traditional English tea to warm up a gray afternoon in February. Tea will be served at 4 o'clock sharp with both sweet and savory tidbits.

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Donated By: Victoria

Value: \$35

Number of Lots: 8

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Date: Saturday, February 25, 2012, 4-6PM,

Location: Raschke-Agostini home, East Nashville

Note: *Flavors and setting appropriate for older children and teens with parents. Our house is home to two cats.*

### **(51) Celebrate Greek Independence Day**

Lunch of Greek food followed by tour of The Parthenon, and optional viewing of slide show of Candy and Bob's trip to Greece.

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Donated By: Candy Toler and Bob Day

Number of Lots: 5

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 1

Date: March 24, 2012 at 12 noon

Location: 1488 Clairmont Place for lunch, then on to the Parthenon in Centennial Park

Note: *No child care*

### **(52) Gourmet Catering in your Home**

"Creative Catering" offers personal chef services by Natalie, (our Auction and Wednesday Night Dinners caterer). She will prepare a hearty family-style dinner for six in your home. Services include: shopping, setup, cooking and clean up. Food costs and gratuity NOT included. It's so good that winners always come back for more!

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Donated By: Natalie Hafner

Value: \$350

Minimum Bid: \$150

Number of Lots: 1

Date: To be arranged

Location: Winning bidder's home

Note: *Not available Nov. or Dec. Contact her by phone at least 2 weeks in advance*

### **(53) 5th Annual Word Games & Light Dinner**

Please join us for a low stress, fun evening of word games with soup, salad, & dessert at the Morse/Dickinson home.

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Donated By: Morse/Dickinson/Dowell

Value: \$40

Number of Lots: 8

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 4

Location: 4206 Kirtland Road, Nashville, TN 37215

Note: *allergy alert : 3 game playing cats in house*

**(54) 2 tickets to opera Pagliacci December 2**

2 seats front row of balcony in Polk Theatre for Nashville Opera Pagliacci

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Donated By:

Value: \$150

Date: Friday, December 2 2011

Number of Lots: 1

Location: TPAC Polk Theatre

**(55) A French Feast**

Enjoy French Chef Jacques Pepin's Beef Stew in Red Wine Sauce served with sautéed haricots vert (green beans), pommes de terre (roasted potatoes) and crusty bread, a glass of red wine and a scrumptious dessert. Hostesses Lynn Egan and Allison Thompson will serve up this feast on a cold night in February and follow it with the showing of French film (with subtitles or in English). Perfect evening for Francophiles and meat lovers.

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Donated By: Allison Thompson and Lynn Egan

Number of Lots: 6

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Location: 4425 Alcott Drive, Nashville

**(56) Retro Cocktail Party**

Cocktails Anyone? Shaken? Stirred? On the Rocks? Straight Up? Make it a Martini or Manhattan and more. With Heavy Hors d'oeuvres..what could be better?

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Donated By: Scott & Diana Giles

Number of Lots: 10

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 4

Date: Saturday April 28th at 7:00 p.m.

Location: Scott and Diana's Joint

Note: *Must be 21 or over.*

**(57) Local food gourmet dinner**

Join Tanya and Bill for a gourmet feast of local foods. Lannae Long, 2011 winner of Scene's best food blog trailblazer and husband Matt will co-host.

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Donated By: Tanya Surawicz and Bill Paul

Number of Lots: 10

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Date: Saturday, August 4th, 2012

Location: Paul residence

Note: *We have pets (dog and 2 cats)*

**(58) Mad Men Mania**

Join Beth, Michael, Tom and Margy for a 60's gathering centered around the theme of the hit series "Mad Men". Don your coolest 60's attire (optional but encouraged!) and swing on over for cool cocktails - Manhattans and Martinis - and Horsd'oeuvres and Fondue Too!

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Donated By: Margy May and Tom Hagood

Number of Lots: 6

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Date: Priceless!!

**(59) A Mediterranean Feast**

Come savor the riches of the Spice Road cuisines of the Mediterranean Rim. A chef's choice menu of heady stews, jeweled grains, and honeyed desserts prepared by Victoria.

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Donated By: Victoria

Number of Lots: 6

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2

Date: Saturday, January 28, 2012, Cocktails at 6:30PM

Location: Raschke-Agostini home, East Nashville

Note: *Adults and teens only please. Our house is home to two cats. Winners please let the chef know if you have any food allergies or sensitivities.*

**(60) Summer Time and the livin' is Easy**

Celebrate the best of the Big Easy with your favorite Cajun and Creole dishes. We will start the evening with Hurricanes, enjoy some yummy spicy dishes and finish up with Bananas Foster, Nashville style.

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Donated By: Shari Tisch

Number of Lots: 4

Additional Lots in Silent Auction: 2