

A MEAL TO *Remember*



A Program of Senior Citizen Services of Metropolitan Atlanta, Inc.

WHAT

Atlanta's premier food and wine event of the year!
An elegant, black-tie reception and multi-course dinner prepared by the finest chefs from around the world. Michael Venezia of United Distributors will select premier wines to pair with each course.

A Live and Silent Auction featuring restaurant packages, wine, trips, art, accessories, and many other items will take place during the evening.

WHEN

Friday, November 7, 2008

WHERE

The Ritz-Carlton, Buckhead

WHO

Monica Hagedorn, Charlene Crusoe Ingram, Mo Akbar, Chairs

Meals On Wheels Atlanta, one of Senior Citizen Services of Metropolitan Atlanta's five programs designed to enable seniors to enjoy **a high quality of life, maintaining their independence and dignity** was created to meet the nutrition and human contact needs of homebound seniors in the metropolitan area. Last year, **more than 70,000 meals** were delivered to hundreds of homebound seniors. Recipients receive a visit with their meals by a volunteer or staff person, assuring that they receive more than just nutrition. To serve each senior better, Meals On Wheels Atlanta has entered into formal collaborations with multiple service providers across the metro area, thereby minimizing duplication and maximizing the benefit of each charitable donation.

To allocate every dollar possible to direct meal provision, organizers of the event require that every expense associated with the dinner, reception and pre-event festivities be donated or underwritten by sponsorships or silent auction proceeds. Since the first *A Meal To Remember* in 1988, over \$4 million has been raised to support Meals On Wheels Atlanta.

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