

Bringing hope and healing to the missing and their families through crisis intervention, prevention, and community education.

**2025 GALA WINE COMMITTEE CORPORATE DONATION BENEFITS SUMMARY:
AN INVITATION TO MAKE A TRANSFORMATIONAL DIFFERENCE**

About Texas Center for the Missing (TCM)

MISSION: Texas Center for the Missing, Houston’s Amber Alert AND Silver Alert Provider, is dedicated to bringing hope and healing to the missing and their families through crisis intervention, prevention, and community education. **Contrary to popular misconception, the local Amber Alert and Silver Alert Systems are made possible by private donations and TCM receives ZERO government funding for these life-saving programs.**

HISTORY: Texas Center for the Missing (TCM), a 501c3 nonprofit missing persons organization formerly known as Gabriel’s Gifts, was formed in March of 2000 after the disappearance of 17-year-old Gabriel Lester who was reported missing from his high school. Gabriel’s mother, a Houston-area businesswoman, decided after his remains were located four months later to turn her tragedy into a positive effort that would have an impact on the missing and their families in Greater Houston.

Heroes Behind the Mask–25th Anniversary Masquerade Gala: #BeTheHero to #BringThemHome

- Date and Time:** March 22, 2025, 7 PM - Midnight
- Location:** Hotel ZaZa Museum District | 5701 Main St | Houston, TX 77005
- Honoring:** Suzy & Paul Thompson, *2025 Gabriel Lester Hero Award Recipients*
Deputy Denise O’Leary, Harris County Sheriff’s Office, Reserve Officer
2025 George T. Buenik Law Enforcement Excellence Award Recipient
- 2025 Gala Co-Chairs:** Trienet del Valle and Tara Tracy
- Wine Chair:** Patti Gil
- Event Goals:** 250+ Attendance, \$200,000+ raised

2025 Wine Sponsor Corporate Benefits:

<u>Donation Level</u>	<u>Benefits</u>
Wine Lover <i>(1 – 11 Bottles)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 100% Tax deductible donation • Name listing on Wine Sponsor Sign
Wine Enthusiast <i>(Case of Wine or \$900+ underwriter gift)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 100% Tax deductible donation • Invitations for 2 to the Kickoff Party • Logo placement on VIP Wine Sponsor Sign • Logo and hyperlink included on Texas Center for the Missing event webpage <i>(10,000 page views per month and 50,000 impressions per month)</i> • Recognition, logo placement, and hyperlink on Texas Center for the Missing website and across social media channels <i>(14,500+ connections)</i>

2025 GALA STEERING COMMITTEE

Sponsorship Chair

Lara Baker

Kadriye Alcorn

Ginger Arwadi

Pauline Huen

Lindsay Kirkendall

Auction Co-Chairs

Monica E. Fulton | Nadia Tajalli

Courtney Culver Baker

Denise & Thomas Daniel

Penny Njoroge

Martina & Daniel Ogbonna

Porsha Pruitt

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Wine Zealot <i>(2+ cases of wine or \$1,200+ underwriter gift)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tax deductible donation • Invitations for 2 to the Kickoff Party AND the Masquerade Gala • Premier logo placement on VIP Wine Sponsor Sign • Logo and hyperlink included on Texas Center for the Missing event webpage <i>(10,000 page views per month and 50,000 impressions per month)</i> • Recognition, logo placement, and hyperlink on Texas Center for the Missing website and across social media channels <i>(14,500+ connections)</i>