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30th Age Of Excellence Awards

Thursday, August 6, 2026
Doors Open at 5:30

Gillespie Event Center
53995 State Road 933, South Bend, IN 46637

Caring Hearts, Lasting Legacies

Real Services proudly welcomes Chris Singleton - author, former South Bend Cubs player, and national voice for hope, love, and unity - as keynote speaker for the 30th Annual Age of Excellence Award Dinner.

After losing his mother in the 2015 Mother Emanuel AME Church mass shooting, Chris has dedicated his life to inspiring others through the power of kindness and forgiveness.

Join us for an unforgettable evening of inspiring stories, special awards, honored guests, and - new this year - silent auction.

Featuring Author and
Former South Bend Cub

Chris Singleton



Join Us for a Night To Remember

For three decades, the Age of Excellence Awards have celebrated those who lift others up. This year, as REAL Services marks its 60th anniversary, we invite you to be part of something truly extraordinary - the Diamond Gala and 30th Age of Excellence Awards.

Your sponsorship isn't just support - it's vital to the mission and critical to those who serve. Every dollar helps deliver Meals on Wheels to homebound seniors, create joy through senior center programs, provide comfort for families facing dementia, and extend guardianship and protection to those who have no one else. It also fuels programs and services that give struggling families a fresh start.

This is a landmark year - and your partnership ensures REAL Services can continue to say yes when people need us most.

Other sponsorship opportunities available.
Contact Monica Abair at
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Sponsorship Opportunities

Diamond \$25,000

(1 Available)

- **Premium table of 8** center stage
- **Program Cover** and **full page ad**
- **Premier logo placement** on all media
- **Award Presenter**

Platinum \$15,000

(1 Available)

- **Priority table of 8** near stage
- **Inside cover** and **half-page ad** in program
- **Prominent logo** placement and mention on all media
- **Award Presenter**

Gold \$10,000

(3 Available)

- **Preferred table for 8 guests**
- **Quarter-page ad** in program
- **Logo placement** on all event media and materials

Emerald \$5,000

(5 Available)

- **Reserved table for 8 guests**
- **Business card size ad** in program
- **Social Media Sponsorship Announcement**
- **Logo placement** on event signage and in program

Sapphire \$2,500

(8 Available)

- **Reserved table for 8 guests**
- **Social Media Sponsorship Announcement**
- **Logo listing** on event media and in program

Pearl \$1,000

(10 Available)

- **Reserved table for 8 guests**
- **Logo listing** on event media and in program

Crystal \$500

(20 Available)

- **Reserved table for 4 guests**
- **Logo listing** event media and in program