

Always for the Children – Community Service Awards

“An Evening of Magic”

Beta Foster Care’s 8th Annual Fundraising Event

Fairmont Hotel

4500 MacArthur Blvd.

Newport Beach, CA 92660

Saturday, May 31, 2008 6:00-11:00 pm

Spectacular Magic Presented by:

“The Great Tomsoni & Co.”

Currently appearing at the Monte Carlo in Las Vegas

Liberace Protégé Steve Garey

Performs at the St. Regis Resort

2008 Honorees are:

Gene Howard

A long time advocate for children, Gene Howard was the Chief Executive Officer of the Orangewood Children’s Foundation from 1995 to 2007. Under his direction the Foundation developed a number of highly successful and nationally recognized programs such as the Guardian Scholar Program, the Independent Living Program, the M-Power and Bridges to Higher Education Mentoring Programs and the Rising Tide Transitional Housing Program. Currently, he is heading the Orangewood Children’s Academy, which will one day provide college preparatory high school education for foster children. Over the years, Beta Foster Care has placed over 800 children in foster homes, the majority of them having come from Orangewood

Robert Ming

Vice President and Assistant General Counsel at Jefferies & Company, Inc., an international brokerage and investment banking firm. Robert has been a strong and active supporter of Best Foster Care for many years, and has been instrumental in the success of its fundraising endeavors. Robert is also Mayor Pro Tem of Laguna Niguel, CA and is currently President of Rotary Club of Laguna Niguel, and serves on the Board of Stoneybrooke Christian Schools.

Father Fred K. Bailey

Father Fred Bailey is the founding pastor of Corpus Christi Church in Aliso Viejo. Beta is honoring Father Fred and his congregation, for their outstanding support. Through the parish outreach program, 5 families from Corpus Christi made the commitment to become foster parents and are currently going through their training program with Beta Foster Care.

For tickets and information: Contact Valerie Brooks, Event Consultant at 949.939.7044