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Joshua Brown Foundation's 4th Annual Cartersville Banquet
Helping to install "21st Century Driver's Education" in Georgia's high schools

KENNESAW – The Joshua Brown Foundation is holding its 4th annual banquet on Friday, February 15th, 2008 at the Anheuser-Busch Brewery in Cartersville, Georgia. The event will kick off at 6:00PM with a reception of guests, dinner at 7:00PM, auction at 8:00PM, and a performance by award winning county artist T. Graham Brown at 8:30PM.

The foundation is holding this banquet to continue the important mission of improving driver's education and saving the lives of Georgia's teens. Furthermore, the proceeds will help the foundation with its ultimate goal, which is to see the implementation "21st Century Driver's Education" in Georgia's public high schools.

Fatalities of teen drivers were down 5% in 2006, according to the Governor's Office of Highway Safety. "We attribute this decline due to our efforts, Joshua's Law, and the awareness that Joshua's Law has created for driver's education", says Alan Brown, chairman of the Joshua Brown Foundation. He goes on to say that "in order to ensure that teen fatalities continue to decrease, we must keep our foundation strong and healthy."

The foundation was named after Joshua Brown, a teenager who was killed in a car crash in 2003. Determined to not let the same tragedy hurt other families, Alan and LuGina Brown created the Joshua Brown Foundation that initiated Joshua's Law to save the lives of other Georgia teens. Alan and Senator Preston Smith (R-Rome) authored and passed the legislation in 2005.

The cost of the banquet is \$150 per seat and \$1500 per table. Tickets can be purchased at the door or by contacting Brad Klaus (contact information below). The banquet will also feature live and silent auctions, including items such as tickets to sporting events, international trips, and historic sports memorabilia. The Joshua Brown Foundation is 501(c)(3) non-profit organization and all contributions are tax deductible.

The banquet will feature a performance by T. Graham Brown, one of the most enduringly popular singers performing today. He has penned several hit country songs and has garnered twelve Top-Ten hits, a CMA Award and a long list of national radio and television jingles.

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