

# SHARE'S 55TH BOOMTOWN GALA RAISES \$1.3 MILLION

600 guests attended "Razzle Dazzle," SHARE'S 55th Anniversary Boomtown Gala at the Santa Monica Civic Auditorium and raised \$1.3 million. Huge banners with highlights from past star-studded galas transformed the walls into a memory lane. The evening featured cocktails, auctions, a sit-down dinner and entertainment by Clint Holmes (voted "best all-around entertainer in Las Vegas"), 2007 Tony-winner and ventriloquist Jay Johnson, dancers from *So You Think You Can Dance*, and the fabulous dancing SHARE Ladies. Nigel Lythgoe, executive producer of *American Idol* was honored with the "Shining Spirit" award, which was presented by Dorothy Lucey and Steve Edwards. Esther Rosenfield, recipient of "member of the year" award; Dolores Nemiro, president of SHARE; and Maxine Smith chaired the event while the latter's husband, Gary Smith, produced the fabulous show. Fritz Coleman was the emcee of the festivities. Cesar Millan (*The Dog Whisperer*) auctioned off his French poodle and his consultation services. Margie Petersen won the lucky dog and named it Ruta for her dear friend Ruta Lee. And a special thank you to Joni Berry who underwrote the dinner.

Photos by Thomas Neerken



Nigel Lythgoe



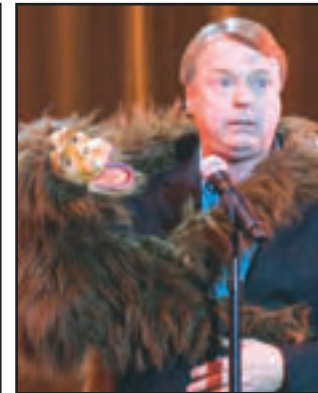
Joni Berry, Katerina Graham & Niki Dantine Kuelpman



Esther Rosenfield & Dolores Nemiro



Singer Clint Holmes



Tony Award winner Jay Johnson



Margie Petersen



Richard Troy, Jan Sarnoff, Cesar Millan & Tom Sarnoff



Dorothy Lucey



Steve Edwards



Fritz Coleman with Roberta & Carl Deutsch



Tom & Patricia Bosley



Maxine & Gary Smith



Clif & Candace Smith



Martha & A.C. Lyles



Quinton Reynolds & Loni Anderson



Roxanne Carter, Joni Berry & Jack Carter



Mitzi Gaynor



Alix & Budd Friedman



Altovise Davis



Neile Adams



Susan Blakely & Nancy Gregory



Tom & Joan Kardashian



Gary Lieberthal & Anne Marie



Joan Rush & Nancy Hutson Perlman



Ruta Lee & Webb Lowe



John & daughter Cara Dellaverson



Samatha Faulkner, Robert Culp & Corinna Fields



Dr. Ann Garber-Rimoin & Dr. David Rimoin



Joni & Larry Flax



Linda & March Schwartz