

# Welcome Friends & Life Teammates!



On behalf of everyone at the Will To Live Foundation, it is our absolute pleasure to be the presenting sponsor of

## The 5th Annual Summit Gala: *Unmasking The Stigma*

**Tonight**, a community gathers for an evening that is full love and hope. As leaders of the Will To Live Foundation, and as parents in this community, we cannot think of a more important event that promotes love, hope and friendship to unmask the devastating stigma associated with mental illness.

*As Will To Live enters it's 10th year, we are so thankful to be a part of the Summit Family. Helping to fund "Summit On Site" at many schools in our area, and establishing the "Will To Live Fund," assisting those that can not afford counseling, have been key elements in how we achieve our mission of not only Raising Awareness and Increasing Education, but Delivering Hope!*

**After** the loss of our teenage son Will to depression and suicide in 2010, we knew we needed to do something positive to create an awareness that our family, and the community, never had. We wanted to do this in a way that honored Will's legacy of loving his teammates, rejoicing in their success and **being their harmony**. Thank You Summit for being our harmony through this journey filled with love, hope & the Will To Live!

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