

LIVE OUT LOUD

Dear Friend,

On Monday, April 30th, 2007, LIVE OUT LOUD, a non-profit organization* that promotes the empowerment of lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) youth, will be holding its 6th Annual fundraiser in New York City. The event will bring together a diverse group of 500 people at the Chelsea Art Museum for a relaxed evening of cocktails, hors d'oeuvres, and education about our important work.

I'm writing now to ask for your continued support of this worthwhile cause with a donation to this year's Silent Auction. We anticipate creating a silent auction with approximately 100 -125 lots that will be prominently showcased during the cocktail reception and throughout the evening. Already **Louis Feraud** and **Steven Meisel** have generously agreed to donate to our event, and I hope you will too. Your commitment to LIVE OUT LOUD will be appropriately acknowledged in the evening's program and you will receive tickets to the event. Additionally, the display of your promotional materials at the silent auction tables will provide your company further visibility. Please see the attached form for the full list of benefits.

For many LGBT youth, coming to terms with one's sexual orientation can be a difficult experience, wrought with confusion, fear, and often violence. LIVE OUT LOUD was created to empower youth by providing them with role models—LGBT individuals living powerful, and inspiring lives. Since its inception six years ago, LIVE OUT LOUD has held 75 events at high schools and universities throughout the metropolitan area, involving renowned speakers from every walk of life. From spiritual leaders to fashion designers to corporate powerhouse and grass-roots activists, LIVE OUT LOUD speakers have touched thousands of lives. We will also present scholarships of \$2,500.00 each to three high school seniors who are taking charge of their own lives by demonstrating leadership in the LGBT community.

I certainly appreciate your thoughtful consideration of my request and hope you will be able to assist in some way. To learn more about the important work of LIVE OUT LOUD, I invite you to visit our Web site at <http://www.liveoutloud.info>. If you have further questions, please feel free to call me at 646.366.5736

Sincerely,



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