

THE DINNER PARTY

November 1, 2023

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Dear Friends,

The table is set! We would like to invite you to join us on Saturday, January 27, 2024 for *The Dinner Party*. This one-of-a-kind fundraising event will benefit Catholic Literary Arts, a fearless leader of the Catholic Renaissance in creative writing and crucial mentor of our community's young scholars of sacred writing.

The Dinner Party will take place at 6 o' clock in the evening at Cathedral High School's Banquet Hall, located at 7726 Westview Drive, Houston, TX 77055. We will revel in the words of Louis Markos, Ph.D., the Scholar in Residence and Robert H. Ray Chair in Humanities at Houston Christian University. An intimate cocktail hour and book signing will begin at 5 o' clock in the evening.

Often featured in the pages of *The Imaginative Conservative*, *Christianity Today*, *Touchstone*, and *American Arts Quarterly*, Dr. Markos is the author of twenty-five books. He travels the globe giving presentations on classical education, and is famous for his classes on Dante, Tolkien, and C.S. Lewis, among others. Dr. Markos will share his thoughts on how to create a Culture of Beauty anchored by the Christian virtues whose foremost goal is reaching God.

With your participation, *The Dinner Party* will enable Catholic Literary Arts, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, to continue teaching creative writing to children, teens, and adults within a Christ-centered worldview. Your generosity will ensure that our deserving youth will be taught the skills of written self-expression through poetry, fiction, personal essay, and sacred story.

Would you prayerfully consider becoming a table sponsor for this unique event? Please find enclosed a sponsorship form with a return envelope for your convenience. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Larry W. Massey, Jr. at massey@scanlanfoundation.org or (713) 783-3169.

We look forward to welcoming you to *The Dinner Party*. Bon appetit!

Warm regards,

Sarah Cortez
President & Founder

Larry W. Massey, Jr.
Chairman



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JANUARY 27, 2024

CATHEDRAL HIGH SCHOOL - BANQUET HALL - HOUSTON, TEXAS

Featuring Louis Markos, Ph.D.

Sponsorships

❖ \$25,000 - ST. AUGUSTINE TABLE

Prestigious table for up to 10 with Dr. Markos at the event, special recognition in all event publicity. Signed copy of a book by Dr. Markos for all table guests. One lifetime membership to CLA and one 5-year subscription to the international arts and literature magazine, *St. Austin Review*.

❖ \$10,000 - G.K. CHESTERTON TABLE

Prestigious table of up to 10 at the event, special recognition in all event publicity. Signed copy of a book by Dr. Markos for all table guests. One lifetime membership to CLA and one 3-year subscription to the international arts and literature magazine, *St. Austin Review*.

❖ \$5,000 - SHAKESPEARE TABLE

Prestigious table of up to 10 at the event, special recognition in all event publicity. Signed copy of a book by Dr. Markos for all table guests. One lifetime membership to CLA and one 1-year subscription to the international arts and literature magazine, *St. Austin Review*.

❖ \$2,500 - TOLKIEN TABLE

Premium table of up to 10 at the event, special recognition in all event publicity. Signed copy of a book by Dr. Markos for all table guests. Lifetime membership to CLA.

❖ \$1,500 - C. S. LEWIS TABLE

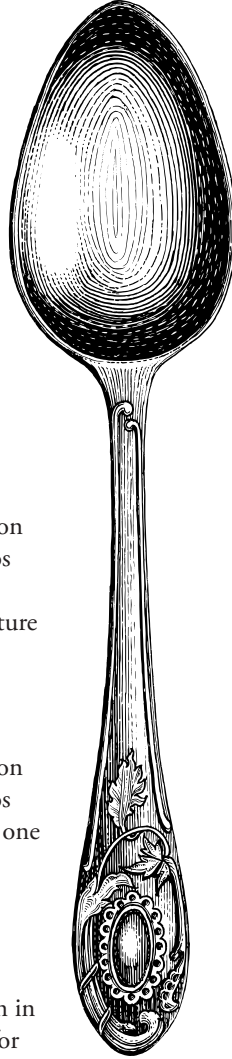
Premier table of up to 10 at the event. Special recognition in all event publicity.

❖ \$500 - V.I.P. COUPLE

Two tickets to the event. Recognition in all event publicity.

❖ \$150 - INDIVIDUAL TICKET(S)

Quantity: _____



Underwriting

These opportunities will be recognized in all event publicity.

❖ \$1,500 - WINE

❖ \$1,200 - PRINTING

❖ \$1,000 - FLORAL DECORATIONS

❖ \$1,000 - VALET

❖ \$750 - POSTAGE

❖ \$500 - BOOKS

❖ \$150 - CLERGY SPONSOR

❖ \$150 - SEMINARIAN SPONSOR

❖ \$150 - RELIGIOUS SISTER SPONSOR

❖ DONATION of \$ _____

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THE PUBLISHING DEADLINE for the program is Monday, January 1, 2024. Sponsorships received after this date will not be recognized in the program. Thank you for your understanding.



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