

## The Heart of Giving: Jack Lentz and in Memory of Marty Lentz



*Jack and Marty Lentz*

LUV Gala supporters have long enjoyed the generosity of Jack and Marty Lentz. Their company, Annex Brands, has underwritten the graphic design and professional printing of invitations, event programs and other marketing pieces for the LUV Gala for nearly a decade.

In addition to taking pride in producing

professional print materials, Jack is clear on what inspires his longtime support of St. Paul's Senior Services: the people.

"I am proud to work with such quality team members," he says. "They are an outstanding group of people who come together to benefit seniors."

He'll also say that his love of "business and all things financial" keeps him interested and excited about what's next for the organization.

When Jack and his wife Marty moved from Point Loma to the Bankers Hill area more than 20 years ago, they became parishioners at St. Paul's Cathedral, where they met Cheryl Wilson, CEO of St. Paul's Senior Services.

"Cheryl has a way of fueling the work they do," said Jack, and when she asked him to share his talent for business by serving on the St. Paul's Senior Services Finance Committee, he gladly accepted, and chaired it for many years.

As Jack progressed into St. Paul's Board membership and various leadership roles, he and Marty became active members of Love Uniting Volunteers (LUV) and Marty regularly served on the LUV Gala planning committees. The couple's annual attendance at the LUV Gala lead Jack to begin noticing the "evolution of the Gala into a top fundraising event."

As he recalls, "I had been to lots of charity events over the years, and I saw that St. Paul's was gaining a certain level of

fundraising that called for professionally designed and printed materials," he said. "With my background in printing and the resources with my Annex Brands team, I knew I could help accomplish that in a meaningful way."

In addition to supporting the LUV Gala, Jack and Marty have been longtime members of St. Paul's Heritage Society. Sadly, Marty passed away in January, but her legacy lives on with the many charitable endeavors to which she was devoted throughout her life.

### **About Annex Brands**

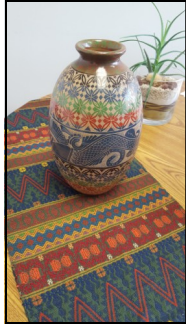
In 1985, Jack Lentz saw a need that no other mail and parcel center at the time was fulfilling—offering a complete line of small office and home-based office services under one roof. Postal Annex+, Inc. sold its first franchise in 1986 in San Diego. Since then, the company, now known as Annex Brands, has grown to nearly 820 locations around the world. Congratulations to both Marty and Jack on this amazing success!



*Marty and Jack celebrate the unveiling of the Plaza's Tree of Life donor sculpture in late 2015.*

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## A Sneak Peek at Some Amazing LUV Gala Auction Items!



### NICARAGUAN POTTERY

We'll have multiple chances to win various pottery pieces from the Guererro Family artisans of San Juan d'Oriente!

**Value:**  
Ranges \$100 - \$500

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Enjoy an overnight stay at Sycuan Resort, includes golf, and lunch or dinner for 2 at Sycuan Café & Grill!

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Enjoy a three-hour relaxing afternoon cruise on San Diego Bay with wine and snacks for your party of 15 on Joe Craver's beautiful and well appointed 48 foot Pilothouse motor yacht.

**Value: \$1,000**

### HUMPHREY'S CONCERTS BY THE BAY

Take your honey for a trip down memory lane with two concert tickets to **Air Supply!** Includes an overnight stay at a local hotel. Concert is on Friday, September 23, 2016.

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### HAPPY HOUR AT THE PUB with SUPERVISOR GREG COX and MAYOR KEVIN FAULCONER

You and 20 friends can mix and mingle with your elected officials at the Pub at St. Paul's Plaza! (Includes appetizers and drinks)

**Value: Priceless**



### Join the fun at LUV Gala's Oceans of LUV!

Triple your support for the LUV Gala this year! Every tax-deductible dollar donated will be matched with another two dollars, effectively **TRIPLING** your gift!

Event admission is \$225 per person, and all proceeds from the evening benefit St. Paul's Plaza. Purchase your seats online now!

For more information on sponsorship opportunities or to attend the LUV Gala, please contact Kathryn Courter at (619) 239-6900.