

# **Charlton Heston Recognition Dinner 2015 NRA Annual Meetings & Exhibits**

*Wednesday, April 8, 2015*

*6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.*

*Country Music Hall of Fame - Rotunda*

*Travel time from Convention Center: 15 minutes (7.2 miles)*

**6:00-7:00**

**COCKTAIL RECEPTION**

**7:00-7:10**

**WELCOME/IN MEMORIAM/PLEGDE (TIM FISHER)**

Good evening and welcome to the third annual Charlton Heston Dinner. My name is Tim Fisher and I am the NRA Director of Planned Giving.

The Charlton Heston Society is the highest level of recognition in the Ring of Freedom Heritage Society, recognizing documented planned gifts of \$1 million and above.

**PLEASE STAND WITH ME**

As we begin our evening I ask you to join me in celebrating the legacy and memory of Heritage Society members who have passed and left a gift for freedom. Please join me in a moment of silence in honor of their gift and memory and then remain standing for the Pledge of Allegiance.

*[Moment of Silence]*

**7:10-7:15**

**RECOGNITION OF SPECIAL GUESTS (JAMES PORTER)**

**INTRODUCE MR. PORTER (TIM FISHER)**

To kick off our evening it is my privilege to introduce NRA

President Mr. James Porter who will introduce our special guests:

- Past NRA President, David & wife Donna Keene
- Past NRA President, John & wife Ingrid Sigler
- Alan D. Cors, NRA 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President
- Rick Tedrick, CFO of the NRA Foundation

**MR. PORTER SAYS:** As this time I would like to welcome **Mr. David Keene** to the podium to introduce two special guests this evening.

**MR. DAVID KEENE INTRODUCES** and makes remarks regarding two special guests from Russia:

- Alexander Torshin, State Secretary Deputy Governor, Central Bank of the Russian Federation
- Maria Butina, Founder and President of the Russian Fourth Amendment organization- The Right to Bear Arms

Mr. Keen welcomes Alexander and Maria to the podium to speak

7:15-7:20

**TIM FISHER RETURNS TO PODIUM.** Please enjoy your dinner and we will resume our program in about 40 minutes.

**7:20-8:00 DINNER**

**TIM FISHER RETURNS TO PODIUM TO INTRODUCE NRA PRESIDENT (JAMES PORTER)**

It is my privilege to introduce you to tonight's guest speaker.

NRA President James Porter is a great American whose personal and professional commitment to the NRA inspires us all. Jim was

an early visionary in realizing the value and importance of philanthropy for securing the future of the NRA.

Jim has seen firsthand the impact that planned gifts have had, especially on The NRA Foundation. He is a champion of our cause and truly understands the value of the resources needed to ensure the future of freedom and the Second Amendment.

It is therefore fitting that he is our special speaker this evening.

Ladies and gentlemen please join me in welcoming NRA President James Porter.

*[Mr. Porter this is an outline. Please feel free to embellish with your own thoughts, comments, reflections, etc.]*

- Thank you, Tim and thank you everyone for joining us this evening
- Today we celebrate the extraordinary commitments all of you have made in ensuring the future of Freedom

- On behalf of the NRA Board of Directors, its officers and members, thank you. We are so deeply grateful for your leadership.
- It's especially inspiring for me to spend time with you all. Your generosity is what being a Heritage Society Ambassador and Charlton Heston Society member is all about. Your leadership gifts are an incredible example that gives others permission to think big and follow your lead.
- Your planned gift commitment is valued and appreciated

***[MR. PORTER REMAINS AT PODIUM WITH TIM FISHER.]***

## **RECOGNITION OF MEMBERS (TIM FISHER)**

### **Presentation of Charlton Heston Bronze**

Thank you, Mr. Porter. We will now recognize all of our Charlton new or previously unrecognized Heston Society members. As I call your name, please come forward to “receive” your bronze.

Please then move to the backdrop where we will take your picture with Mr. Porter.

*[Names are read]*

*[Photos are taken with Mr. Porter and new Charlton Heston Society members]*

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **Private Tour of the Ronald Reagan Ranch**  
Exclusively for Golden Ring of Freedom and Charlton Heston Society Members  
August 19-21, 2015  
Santa Barbara, California
- **NRA Whittington Center**  
Donor Appreciation Weekend  
Friday, September 4, 2015  
Raton, New Mexico
- **2016 NRA Annual Meetings & Exhibits**  
Ring of Freedom Heritage Society Sporting Clays Shoot  
Wednesday, May 18, 2016  
Louisville, Kentucky
- **Charlton Heston Recognition Dinner**  
Wednesday, May 18, 2016  
Louisville, Kentucky
- **Heritage Society Tour and Luncheon**  
Thursday, May 19, 2016  
Louisville, Kentucky

## **CLOSING REMARKS (TIM FISHER)**

That concludes our program. Thanks again for attending, and thank you for including so generously the NRA in your estate plans. You are ensuring that the NRA will have the means to continue protecting our right to keep and bear arms for generations to come. We are truly grateful. Please enjoy this weekend and we look forward to seeing you tomorrow for the Heritage Society Tour & Luncheon at The Fontanel Mansion.

## **TIM FISHER INTRODUCES RICHIE McDONALD**

**Lead Singer for the band Lone Star who will perform a mini-concert.**