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Auction for Cure Starts Now

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The Cure Starts Now Foundation is holding a "Once in a Lifetime Auction & Gala" March 28 at Music Hall.

The event features a monthlong auction, available online through March 28. The gala includes a sit-down dinner and program beginning at 6 p.m.

Tickets are \$100 each or five for \$400.

The Cure Starts Now Foundation is a nonprofit organization founded by Wyoming residents Keith and Brook Desserich, the parents of 6-year-old Elena, who died in 2007 from a brainstem glioma, a rare form of pediatric brain cancer. The foundation's goal is to fund research to cure pediatric cancer. Auction items, inspired by Elena, include a chance to create your own Graeter's Ice Cream flavor, a VIP tour of the Cincinnati Zoo, and trip to a four-star resort in Arizona for four nights. "Elena taught us that something as simple as reading a book to our daughters was to be celebrated," said Keith Desserich.

For tickets, to visit the online auction or more information, visit www.thecurestartsnow.org.

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