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### Quotes:

"I am honored to have been selected to chair the Triangle Heart Gala auction," said Wallace. "This is a great non-profit that focuses on building healthier lives, it is extremely organized and really makes the volunteer experience fantastic."

## About Rocky Top Hospitality:

Rocky Top Hospitality has been devoted to improving Raleigh, North Carolina's local dining scene since 1998, when their first restaurant opened. Michael Dean's Wood Oven and Seafood Grill was the culmination of years of planning by owner, Dean Ogan. Six other restaurants have now opened under the Rocky Top Hospitality name. New restaurants are always built from the menu-out, so the emphasis is always on the food and how to create an experience you can't find anywhere else. For more information visit their Web site at www.rockytophospitality.com.

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