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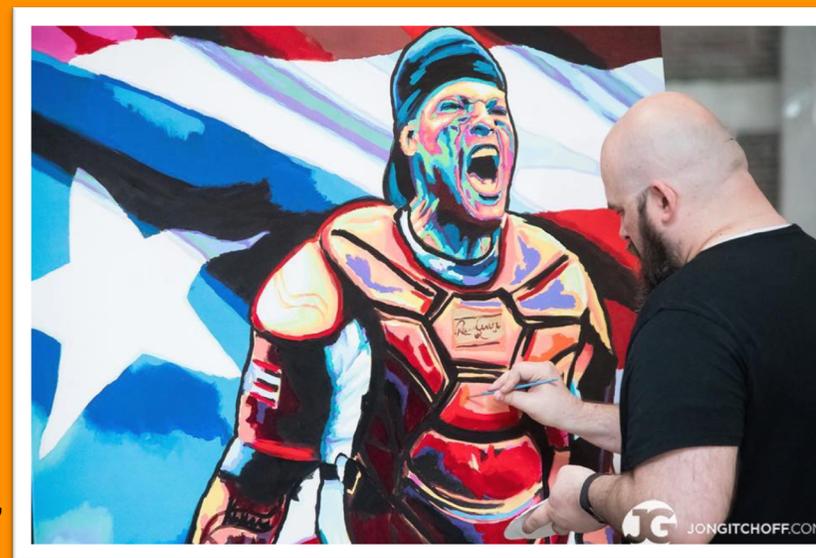
YADIER MOLINA'S
Cocktail and Dinner
In benefit of
FUNDACIÓN 4

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Yadier Molina, all-star catcher of the St. Louis Cardinals, is hosting a fun yet casual charity rum cocktail and mouthwatering buffet dinner along with a live auction in his hometown of St. Louis in benefit of his nonprofit organization Fundación 4 (Foundation 4) to continue his ongoing efforts to create happier lives and futures for underprivileged Hispanic children as well as pediatric cancer patients in St. Louis. Through special fundraising events, Fundación 4 aims with donations/sponsorships from private and public sector partners to aid children in need due to abuse, neglect, cancer, disease, poverty, education, among many other causes.

The evening's theme of the third edition of Flavors of Puerto Rico is **Chinchorreo 100 x 35**, scheduled for Thursday, August 13, 2020 at the Live! by Loews Hotel at Ballpark Village in St. Louis. This event will transport guests to enjoy one of Puerto Rico's trendiest activities that locals love to do on weekends and holidays. It's when a group of friends go on a road trip to certain gastronomic routes, making multiple stops to chinchorros (food kiosks and venues) for drinks, food and live music. There are many chinchorreo routes around the island – mountain and costal; so get ready to hop on the Yadi Chinchorreo bus to take you to various predefined chinchorros.

All proceeds will go towards Fundación 4 is a 501 (c) (3) nonprofit charity founded by Yadier and his wife Wanda Torres in 2010. The name "Fundacion 4" is in representation of Yadi's #4 uniform number.



Ariel Rodríguez

Chef Ariel Rodriguez has spent his entire life engrossed in the wonders of the kitchen. From a young age, he enjoyed cooking alongside his mom and his aunt; he always knew he wanted to be a chef.

In 1996, the same year he started college, Chef Ariel joined the staff at Augusto's, the restaurant housed in the same place that now houses the fine dining Ariel restaurant at the Courtyard San Juan Hotel in Miramar, Puerto Rico. After graduating from the University of Puerto Rico in Rio Piedras with a bachelor's degree in economics in 2000, he left to attend the Culinary Institute of America in New York. He worked for a little over a year at the XV Beacon Hotel in Boston.

In 2002, he came back to Augusto's, this time as his sous chef. It was in 2003 that Chef Ariel became a member of the Puerto Rico National Culinary Team where he also was the Captain and years later became the Manager of the team. It is important to mention that in 2003, the Puerto Rico Culinary Team won the most amount of gold medals in the history of the Taste of the Caribbean culinary competitions.

In 2005, Chef Ariel had the opportunity to take over Augusto's and he seized the moment. Chef Ariel decided to keep the restaurant's name, Augusto's, until 2017 when the restaurant was remodeled.

Chef Ariel's creativity and passion clearly knows no bounds. After more than 20 years in the kitchen, he is still constantly switching things up.



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Date: Thursday, August 13, 2020

Time: 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. (Cocktail and Meet & Greet)
7:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m. (Dinner, Auction and Dancing)

Place: Live! by Loews St. Louis, Missouri

Dress Code: Smart Casual Attire



Gold Glove Sponsor \$35,000

Includes:

Table for 10

Yadier Molina and his wife Wanda Molina will join you and your party of eight (8) for dinner at your table with premier placement.

Autographed Yadier Molina Jersey for you and your 7 guests

Guests Invited to VIP Cocktail Reception.

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\$25,000

Includes:

Table of 10

A current Cardinals player and their wife will join you and your party of eight (8) for dinner at your table with premier placement.

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\$15,000

Includes:

Table of 10

A current Cardinals player and their wife will join you and your party of eight (8) for dinner at your table.

Autographed baseball hats by Yadi for you and your 7 guests





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\$10,000

Includes:

Table of 10

A current Cardinals Player and his Guest will join your party of eight (8) for dinner. Autographed Cardinals hats for you and your 7 guests.



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