



## **It's so Very *Tres Chic!***

South Beach Theme Event by ME Productions "Wows" the Crowd

### **May 14, 2005 – South Beach Temple House:**

ME Productions created the ultimate South Beach experience for Clayton Dubilier & Rice, Inc. with a perfect combination of the following elements. Exclusive and private location, decadent dinner, fabulous décor, and outstanding entertainment. This evening will be remembered and talk about long after it ended...

To accentuate the South Beach look and feel event planner Fe Domenech dressed the event location with beautiful specialty lighting, lush foliage for the reception deck area. Then, dinner was a decadent display as ME Productions created breathtaking tablescapes for guests to enjoy their dinner.

Evening's entertainment was a combination of classic oldies with today's chic south beach lounge music...

### **Carl Gardner & The Coasters**

The Coasters were formed in 1955 in California by lead singer Carl Gardner with the help of his writers, Mike Stoller and Jerry Lieber. Carl created the name Coasters when he decided to leave the West Coast to come to the East Coast.....and the Coasters were born. When you think of the most consistent and successful comedy novelty acts performing from the fifties through today, the name Coasters comes to mind because they have enjoyed an unbroken chain of hits and have sold over 24 million records.

### **The Flamingo's**

"Rock and Roll Hall of Fame"

Very few "solid gold" recording stars can generate the kind of strength that transforms them into living legends. Among the most revered exceptions are Terry Johnson and his Flamingos, Chicago's pioneering doo-wop aggregation, famous for their precision harmony sound and freewheeling Flamingo style, they have riveted the attention of millions with such best selling singles as "Love Walked In", "I'll Be Home", "Lovers Never Say Good-bye", "Golden Teardrops" and their number one classic "I Only Have Eyes For You".

Variety, versatility and professional behavior are all key ingredients in The Terry Johnson and his Flamingos' show, affording them the luxury and the capability of entertaining any age group. Their position as leaders in music is secured by their appearances with such giants as: Duke Ellington, Lionel Hampton, James Brown, Aretha Franklin, Dizzy Gillespie, Chuck Berry, Fats Domino, Johnny Mathis, Four Tops and Tony Bennett.

### **About Clayton Dubilier & Rice Inc**

Clayton, Dubilier & Rice, Inc. (CD&R) is a private equity investment firms founded in 1978. CD&R have invested over \$5 billion in 36 businesses representing a broad range of industries with aggregate transaction values in excess of \$20 billion and revenues of approximately \$30 billion. Headquartered at 375 Park Ave., 18th Fl., New York, NY 10152

### **About Temple House**

The Temple House, as it is now called, was originally constructed as a single family residence in 1933 with the first stone laid by world renowned architect L. Murray Dixon. Mr. Dixon designed some of the most popular hotels in Miami Beach. Famous for his contributions to



the Art Deco scene, his unique designs include The Victor Hotel (1937), The Raleigh Hotel (1940), The Marlin (1939), The Tides Hotel (1936), The Senator (1939), and The Ritz Plaza Hotel (1940). His work is best known and recognized for its striking use of circles and banding. In 1940 the building was expanded and re-zoned for The Joseph–Jacob Congregation which was subsequently renamed Temple Emanuel and moved to its new location in 1946.

In 1965, through the efforts of equally famous architect Lester Avery, the building was again expanded to a 16,350 square foot facility to accommodate the growing Kneseth Israel Congregation, a 1,000 member orthodox synagogue. Over time, through attrition members of the congregation could not support the facility. In 2003 the building was purchased by Daniel Davidson, an entrepreneur from New York City who has founded companies ranging from biotechnology to driver training to, most recently, biotechnology based non-prescription anti-aging, anti-wrinkle skin care. Over a 2-year period the building was rezoned and, working closely with City Hall, turned into Mr. Davidson's single family residence, now the largest single family residence in South Beach.

The 2-year renovation completed in January 2005 boasts a 6,000 square foot grand living room with a mezzanine, 25 foot high ceilings 5 bedrooms, 6 bathrooms, a media/editing room, a 2,700 square foot office, two large kitchens, a two limousine garage, virtually soundproof double pane hurricane impact resistant windows, external video security system, and a beautifully landscaped entry.

### **About ME Productions**

ME Productions is Florida's largest, full-service Destination Management and Event Production Company specializing in award-winning national and international corporate events, corporate theater, staging, audio-visual, music and entertainment. For further information, contact (954) 458-4000. The company web site address is <http://www.meproductions.com>