

# A Meaningful Way to Celebrate Your Happy Occasion

When Wendy and Garth James decided to tie the knot, they knew they didn't need another toaster oven to commemorate their special day. In lieu of traditional wedding gifts, the couple decided to celebrate their wedding with a gift to the children of TSRHC.

Wendy and Garth have been friends of the hospital for more than five years. Garth is Past Master of Victory Lodge No. 1351 and a 32° Scottish Rite Mason. He became involved with TSRHC through Masonry. Wendy was introduced to the hospital and had an instant connection when she learned about TSRHC's scoliosis treatment. As a young girl in Michigan, she had spinal surgery and spent nine months in a body cast.

"I have seen the amazing work they continue to do with scoliosis at the hospital," said Wendy. "TSRHC and its spine center are a beacon of hope for children."

In August 2003, instead of setting up a gift registry, the couple asked family and friends to make a donation to the hospital. Knowing the celebration of their wedding helped the hospital provide care to thousands of Texas children made their day even more special.

"The response was wonderful," said Wendy. "No amount of crystal, place settings or small appliances can make the gift of giving come to life more than a donation to a wonderful charity."

For more information about ways to give, please contact the Development department at (214) 559-7650 or (800) 421-1121, ext. 7650, or visit [www.tsrhc.org/give](http://www.tsrhc.org/give). □



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FOR CHILDREN  
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With love, Jodie & Billy

Commemorate your special occasion with a gift to the children of TSRHC:

- Wedding
- Bridal shower
- Birthday
- Bar/bat mitzvah
- Anniversary
- Graduation
- Retirement celebration