



## *Taste of Triumph Wine and Beer Tasting* **Thursday, November 10, 2016**

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**WHAT:** Taste of Triumph, a fundraiser featuring wine and beer tasting hosted by Triumph Services, a nonprofit providing services for adults with developmental disabilities

**HIGHLIGHTS:** Wine and beer from International Wines; live music provided by Jimmy and Laine; live and silent auction; heavy hors d'oeuvres

**WHEN:** Thursday, November 10, 2016

**WHERE:** Iron City, 513 22<sup>nd</sup> Street South, Birmingham, AL 35233

**TICKETS:** Taste of Triumph tickets are \$60 for an individual and \$100 per couple. Tickets may be purchased in advance at [www.triumphservices.org](http://www.triumphservices.org) or by calling the office at 205-581-1000. On the day of the event, tickets will also be available at the door.

### **GET TO KNOW TRIUMPH SERVICES**

- Triumph, a nonprofit 501(C)3 organization, provides community-based support to individuals with developmental disabilities who are trying to live independently. We strive to help participants *grow in independence, assume greater personal responsibility, and increase community involvement.*
- Triumph works with individuals who have a variety of disabilities. Some individuals may struggle with a learning disability; others may have a rare genetic condition that affects their cognitive abilities. Though demographics may differ, the challenges tend to be the same- the need for independence, for a meaningful job, and for friends.
- Services are centered on three aspects of existence- living, working, and playing. Triumph offers life coaching (live), supported employment (work), and social activity coordination (play).
- Historically an underserved group, adults with developmental disabilities typically do not qualify for funding from the Department of Mental Health or the Medicaid Waiver. In fact, 40,000 individuals who are struggling with autism in the state of Alabama, 60 percent of them do not qualify for state funded mental health services.
- Triumph relies on tax-deductible donations to fund its scholarship program for participants who need financial assistance.

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