

# **LAWYERS FOR CHILDREN AMERICA, INC.**

proudly presents our

**11<sup>th</sup> annual**

**JOHN EDWARD SMITH**

**CHILD ADVOCACY AWARDS LUNCHEON**

**Hotel InterContinental- 100 Chopin Plaza - Miami, Florida 33131**

**FRIDAY MAY 7, 2010-11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.**

**LAWYERS FOR CHILDREN AMERICA (LFCA)** is a national non-profit organization that provides legal advocacy for abused and neglected children by enlisting the skills, talents and resources of the legal community. LFCA recruits, trains and supports volunteers who provide pro bono legal representation to vulnerable children and youth.

The John Edwards Smith Child Advocacy Luncheon began in 2000 as a tribute to the late John Edward Smith. John Smith's passion was helping the poor, and he lived his life serving his community. Mr. Smith was also instrumental in bringing LFCA to Miami. At this luncheon, we honor South Florida attorneys, law firms, and advocates who exemplify Mr. Smith's life mission.

Honoring

**James T. Armstrong, Esq., partner**

*and the law firm of Walton Lantaff Schroeder & Carson LLP*

**Jennifer Stearns Buttrick, Esq.**

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## CHILDREN'S CHAMPION AWARD

**The Honorable George H. Sheldon**

*Secretary, Florida Department of Children and Families*

## POLICY ADVOCATE AWARD

**Howard M. Talenfeld, Esq.**

*Partner, Colodny, Fass, Talenfeld, Karlinsky & Abate, P.A.*

## YOUTH ADVOCATE AWARD

**Kimberly Foster**

## PHILANTHROPY AWARD

***Kozyak Tropin & Throckmorton***

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