



Ada Christian School Education Foundation Annual Dinner 2015 Special Guest *Mike Huckabee*

We're honored to have Mike Huckabee as our guest speaker this year. Mr. Huckabee was the 44th Governor of Arkansas from 1996 to 2007, becoming one of the longest serving governors in that state's history. He left a legacy of tax cuts, job creation, the reconstruction of his state's road system, K-16 education reform, and a nationally heralded and duplicated health initiative that focused on the less expensive approach of prevention than the costly big-government approach of intervention. His administration fought long-standing corruption in the state's political machine, resulting in numerous indictments and convictions of powerful legislators and other elected officials.

Mr. Huckabee has served as the host of the #1 rated weekend show "HUCKABEE" on the Fox News Channel. His show, "The Huckabee Report," was heard daily across the nation on almost 600 stations.

A New York Times Bestselling author of 12 books, Mr. Huckabee campaigned for the Republican nomination for President in 2008, finishing second to Sen. John McCain.

Governing magazine named him as one of its 'Public Officials of the Year' for 2005, and *Time Magazine* honored him as one of the five best governors in America. He has been honored by numerous organizations for his commitment to music education. He served as the Chairman of the prestigious *National Governors Association*, as well as the *Education Commission of the States*, the *Southern Governors Association*, and the *Interstate Oil and Gas Commission*.

Huckabee, an avid musician since age 11, is a bass guitar player. He is often featured in the musical segment of his FOX TV show. His other hobbies include hunting and fishing. He was named one of the *25 Most Influential People for Conservation* by *Outdoor Life* magazine, and was named *Man of the Year* by the *American Sportfishing Association* in 1997. The former governor and his wife, Janet, live in Florida and still spend part of their time in Arkansas. They have three grown children: John Mark, David and Sara, along with four grandchildren.

We invite you to place this event on your calendar, invite friends and family, and consider purchasing a table for what we are confident will be an informational and inspiring event.

Monday, November 23, 2015
Amway Grand Plaza Hotel, Grand Rapids
For information call 616-676-1289

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