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## **MEDIA ALERT**

### **GOSPEL SINGER KEITH “WONDERBOY” JOHNSON TO GRANT SPECIAL WISH**

*18-year-old Malcolm’s wish will be granted by Make-A-Wish Foundation® of Wisconsin*

**WHAT:** Eighteen-year-old Malcolm Ramsey’s wish to meet well-known Gospel singer, Keith “Wonderboy” Johnson, will be granted Wednesday, June 16 at the Hyatt Regency Milwaukee. Make-A-Wish Foundation of Wisconsin has made arrangements to fly Johnson in from New York City for a special meet-n-greet with Malcolm. Johnson will do a private concert for Malcolm and his family and then will join them for dinner.

Malcolm’s wish experience will begin the night before with a special dinner provided by The Capital Grille. Malcolm and his family will then stay at the Hyatt Regency Milwaukee for two nights.

Johnson rose to the top of the charts in 1998 with his first hit, "Hide Behind The Mountain." He won two Gospel Truth Magazine Music Awards and two American Gospel Convention Awards. He’s thrilled to come and grant Malcolm’s wish. He said, “Whatever Malcolm wants. . . I’m so happy to help make this wish come true.”

**WHO:** Wish kid Malcolm Ramsey, his mom and grandmother, Keith Johnson and Make-A-Wish® volunteers

**WHEN:** Wednesday, June 16, 2010, 6:00 p.m.

**WHERE:** Hyatt Regency Milwaukee, 333 West Kilbourn Avenue, Milwaukee

**ABOUT:** Make-A-Wish Foundation of grants the wishes of children with life-threatening medical conditions to enrich the human experience with hope, strength and joy. Wishes are a special type of medicine that give children a break from doctors’ visits, hospital stays and treatments and provide them something positive with which to look forward.

Since the Wisconsin chapter was founded in 1984, more than 3,800 families statewide can attest to the power of a wish. Last year, the chapter granted a record-breaking 289 wishes and currently more than 230 Wisconsin children are in the process of having their special wishes granted. For more information about Make-A-Wish Foundation of Wisconsin or to learn how you can make a difference, please call 800.236.WISH or visit [www.wisconsin.wish.org](http://www.wisconsin.wish.org).

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