

AMERICAN SKIN ASSOCIATION is a volunteer-led organization increasingly influential in the struggle against melanoma and other serious forms of skin disease. Working in collaboration with the nation's foremost scientists and physicians, our achievements include...

- Committed almost **\$6 million to advance dermatological research** – historically one of the most underfunded areas of medicine.
- Developed an **award-winning public school program** that has provided free instruction aimed at preventing skin disease to over 3.6 million children, teachers and parents at public schools in 20 states and Washington, D.C.
- Distributed **easy to understand information** on improving skin health to more than 2 million Americans – both online and in print.

Today, over 100 million Americans suffer from skin cancer, disease and disorders. Proceeds from this benefit evening will supply vitally needed funds to support American Skin Associations programs and activities on their behalf.

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# AMERICAN SKIN ASSOCIATION

## 11<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL Gala

Thursday  
October 29, 2009

### THE PLAZA

Grand Ballroom  
New York City

*Honorees*

**JAKE BURTON CARPENTER**  
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**PAUL R. GROSS, MD**  
*Dermatologist & educator*

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Cocktails at  
*6:30 PM*

Dinner at  
*7:30 PM*

*Grand Ballroom*  
**THE PLAZA**

*Fifth Avenue at  
Central Park South*  
**NEW YORK CITY**

*Dancing to the music of*  
**THE WARD MARSTON ORCHESTRA**

**BLACK TIE**