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Raven Events – The 3rd Annual Red Light District Costume Party

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If you still have a lot of party in you but don't want to hang out with 21-year-old kids dressed like slobs who enjoy passing out in public bathrooms, then you need to devote a lot of your spare time to anything Raven Valdes produces and promotes.

Raven is the namesake and wildly successful promoter of Raven Events a Scottsdale, Arizona based event and promotional company that throws some of the most amazing parties in town for young professionals and at the same time, organizes events to benefit some of the Valley's most important and sometimes overlooked charities.

How a woman who is juggling 11 major events at once can find time to do everything right is amazing in and of itself but Raven Events is known for its professionalism, attention to detail and above all, delivering on what they promise

This May 16th from 8pm-2am, is perhaps what could be the most exciting party since George Washington smoked weed with Ben Franklin, Raven Events brings you The 3rd Annual Red Light District Costume Ball. From the hallowed grounds of the Wrigley Mansion adjacent to the stately Biltmore Hotel, comes debauchery and entertainment in amounts to enormous to swallow. Yes, the 3rd annual ball is back in all its glory and infamy. Think Saints and Sinners mixed with a little Pimps n Ho's combined with all the dark side the Fetish Ball can give you and you have the Red Light District.

With thousands expected to attend again in crazy and sexy costumes, you need to plan ahead, purchase tickets online (and in advance) and be prepared for anything that can and will happen.

With many vendors in attendance, Charity Benefits Unlimited will be conducting a silent auction in the Living Room of The Mansion, which will be loaded with rare and valuable sports memorabilia and celebrity items all available for your purchase. This year's auction will benefit local charities providing shelter for displaced families.

"This year's vendors are so perfect for the party," Raven said as she read me the list. "We have Jacquie O Trends Clothing and Lingerie, Cookie Lee Jewelry, Pure Romance by Melina, Canoa Natural Brazilian Jewelry, Silpada Jewelry, Eclectic Earth Gifts, Spine Crank Extreme Clothing, Dre's Hair Salon and more just to name a few."

With a costume contest for best male and female costumes as well as best drag queen the fun just never stops. Live entertainment from Nineball and a celebrity hostess, TV Star Amber M from the Bad Girls Club on the Oxygen Network. And if that isn't enough, Nyal Farraz of Pussycats Pole Dance Company will be set up to teach all those who desire a career in stripping (or just turning on their man) on how to pole dance.

Because the turnout is expected to be so large, Raven Events has thought of every detail. While valet parking is available, those that wish to self-park will be provided a complimentary shuttle service by The Scene Limousine Company. In addition, special room rates have been negotiated with The Biltmore Hotel next door at \$199 for the night and at The Embassy Suites Biltmore for \$149 per night.

Admission is \$25 per person in advance online payment only. (www.redlightparty.com)
\$35 per person at the door

Of course, no event, no matter how well planned by Raven Events or any party planner needs sponsors and this year Raven had a large group to select from who all wanted to be part of The Red Light District.

Thus, she wishes to thank (as do we) The Beat Radio 92.7 and 99.3, Core Management Consulting Group, Pussycats Pole Dance Company, Leg Avenue Costumes, Cheetah's Gentlemen's Club, Fascinations Sensual Boutiques, Aaron Seaford Events and Playtime Publishing, publishers of Playtime and Impulse Magazines.

For one night, you can make your significant other be the whore or gigolo you always wanted.

See all of you at The Red Light District 3rd Annual costume Party.

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