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Lester H. Smith Releases
“You Gotta Dance Like No One’s Watching”
Houston oilman, cancer survivor and two-time national ballroom dance champion takes life for a spin in the pages of his first book

Proceeds support breast cancer and genomic research

HOUSTON (December 3, 2010) - Second generation Texas oilman Lester Smith knows something about overcoming challenges. While running a highly successful business, he battled two cancers over two decades, and danced his way to two national ballroom dance championships. The noted philanthropist reveals his passion for life, loving and giving in the pages of his first book, *You Gotta Dance Like No One’s Watching* (Bright Sky Press 2010).

Written with Trish Morille and published by Bright Sky Press, profits from *You Gotta Dance Like No One’s Watching* will support breast cancer and genomic research, with matching funds pledged from The Smith Foundation. Here is true inspiration about the power of giving.

The eighteen tales collected here will have readers laughing, crying and most of all wondering, “Is this another one of Lester’s fish stories?” But when it comes to living and loving and opening his heart, his home and his entire being to celebrate the dance of life, Lester’s the genuine article. A love story to his life, his wife, and his ever-expanding community, *You Gotta Dance Like No One’s Watching* shows the power of a generous spirit that cannot be contained.

Stepping on stage with Gloria Gaynor at one of his legendary galas, Lester belted out his message: *I’ve got all my life to live; I’ve got all my love to give, and I’ll survive. I will survive.* His stories are proof that if you want to make a difference—in living, in loving or in giving – you gotta dance like no one’s watching.

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