

# Gia's Special Wish

MAKE A WISH.

I wish to go....  
to New York  
and stay at the Plaza

On Behalf of our families and most importantly, the wish children, I would like to thank you for your fundraising efforts through the "Frank Batastini Orthodontics Spaghetti and Crab Festival 2011". Your efforts have totaled \$2,675.00 and have helped adopt the wish of the following South Jersey child as part of our Adopt-A-Wish program.

*Despite her diagnosis of Myasthenia Gravis, five year old Gia loves listening to music by Beyonce and Bob Marley, the movie "Wizard of Oz", and playing Tic-Tac-Toe. When volunteers met with Gia and her family they asked her the one magical question, "If you had one wish what would it be?" She told the volunteers that she wanted to stay at the Plaza in New York like Eloise from the TV movie "Eloise at the Plaza". On the day of her wish, Gia and her family were picked up by a limo and were taken to New York, where her dream wish would become reality. After checking in at the Plaza hotel, Gia and her family enjoyed an afternoon of Eloise Tea at the Palm Court and were able to end the holiday season with tickets to the Radio City Christmas Spectacular for later that day. Also during her magical stay in New York, Gia was treated to an arranged visit and shopping spree at the American Girl Place, where she indulged in creating her very own American Girl doll, complete with a unique personality and style. Gia and her doll had the opportunity to participate in the photo studio, hair salon, and café at the American Girl Place. Gia and her family will never forget the memories they made in New York and will be forever grateful for the opportunity they were given.*

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