

Waterstone's owner receives coveted award



Melanie Hasty-Grant

Melanie Hasty-Grant, owner of Owasso-based Waterstone Private Wealth Management, recently attended the 2005 National Conference hosted by Linsco/Private Ledger, the nation's number one independent broker/dealer. Waterstone partners with LPL to offer a wide range of financial services, like retirement and estate planning, for Owasso area customers.

The conference, held in San Diego, is the largest national conference for independent investment professionals in America. At the conference, Melanie Hasty-Grant was personally recognized for providing exceptional client service as a member of LPL's Freedom Club, comprising only 11 percent of LPL's more than 6,000 nationwide investment professionals. "Serving my client's financial needs is my sole focus and priority," said Hasty-Grant. "The award reflects Waterstone's high standard of service and specialized attention we give to each one of our clients."

"It is through the trusted relationships Melanie is able to create with her local clients that LPL is able to flourish among the nation's top producing firms and generate such consistent growth," said

Mark Casady, president and CEO of LPL. "Melanie's confidence in the LPL team enables the firm to set a high standard among independent broker/dealers."

Nearly 5,000 individuals from around the country assembled for the opportunity to learn new skills, expand their knowledge in numerous financial product areas and to network with peers and industry experts. They also heard from influential speakers and authors General Colin L. Powell, USA (Ret.), Tom Morris and Rosabeth Moss Kanter.

LPL is the nation's leading independent broker/dealer based on total revenues, as reported in Financial Planning magazine, June 1996-2005. Melanie's ranking in LPL's Freedom Club is based on overall production. Waterstone Private Wealth Management and Linsco/Private Ledger are not affiliated companies.