



### **Todd Callewaert, CEO, The Island House**

Todd Callewaert serves as the CEO of the family business. His lifetime of experience in the service industry started from humble beginnings as a dishwasher and working his way up to busser, then server, later continuing the Ryba family tradition as a master fudge maker at Ryba's Fudge Shops and eventually joining his father, Victor in managing the Island House Hotel.

As a proud alumnus of Central Michigan University, Todd has held influential positions with esteemed organizations such as the Michigan Restaurant & Lodging Association, Mackinac Island Tourism Bureau, Mackinac Associates, and Little Stone Church. His contributions have been instrumental in the historic preservation and tourism promotion of Mackinac Island.

During the bustling May to October season, Todd is actively engaged in the day-to-day operations of the Island House Hotel, one of the crown jewels in the family's portfolio. His visible presence and hands-on approach create a positive and motivating environment for employees and guests.

Todd finds joy working alongside his wife, Jennifer, and their two sons, William and Andrew, as they build upon the family's legacy. Together, they infuse their shared values and commitment to service into every aspect of the Callewaert family business to ensure a bright and prosperous future.