

## **Kathleen “Katie” Malloy of Michael Saunders & Company Recognized for Professional Excellence by Five Star Professional with the Five Star Real Estate Agent Award**

Exclusive recognition of Sarasota-area real estate agents.

**Venice, FL** – [Katie Malloy, Michael Saunders & Company](#) is featured in a special section of the April issue of *Sarasota Magazine* as a 2015 Five Star Real Estate Agent award winner.

Five Star Professional partnered with *Sarasota Magazine* to identify and showcase an exclusive group of real estate agents who have demonstrated excellence in their field. Less than 6% of agents in the Sarasota-area received this recognition.

“I’m proud to win this award because it means I exceed my customer’s expectations. I put forth my best professional effort and it succeeded in a positive outcome. I truly appreciate the trust and relationships customers and I build during the real estate process. It makes this career more meaningful as I know I get to help people,” said Katie Malloy of Michael Saunders & Company.

The 2015 Five Star Real Estate Agent award winners have been carefully selected for their commitment to professional excellence and overall client satisfaction. The award is based on rigorous research with significant focus on customer feedback and providing quality services.

“Our list of local Five Star Real Estate Agents can be an invaluable resource for anyone looking to buy or sell a home. These agents are exceptional in their field and their commitment to client satisfaction; and are right in your backyard,” stated Dan Zdon, CEO, Five Star Professional.

Katie Malloy’s Five Star award profile can be viewed [here](#).

“I’m celebrating my tenth year as a realtor all with Michael Saunders & Company, on the sun coast in beautiful Venice, Florida. Being a real estate professional in an area you truly love makes for successful selling or buying experiences for the customer. It’s about discovering their lifestyle then making it come alive,” exclaimed Malloy.

Five Star Professional has been conducting market research to define and promote professional excellence in service professionals since 2003. Its Five Star Real Estate Agent award program is the largest and most widely published real estate agent award program in North America.

Real estate agents are awarded based on an in depth research process. Thousands of consumers are contacted to rate their real estate agent on ten evaluative criteria including customer service, market knowledge, negotiation, closing preparation and overall satisfaction. Beyond a qualifying client evaluation score, real estate agents are evaluated on objective criteria such as experience, production levels and disciplinary and complaint history.

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