



YOUR  
**PROMISE.**

YOUR  
**STORY.**

YOUR  
**LEGACY.**



JEWISH COMMUNITY  
**FOUNDATION**  
ORANGE COUNTY

**LIFE & LEGACY**

דור  
לדור  
ישבח  
מעשיך

**EACH GENERATION WILL PRAISE YOUR DEEDS TO THE NEXT...**

**PSALM 145**

# OUR LIFE & LEGACY STORY

In 2013, the JEWISH COMMUNITY FOUNDATION ORANGE COUNTY, in partnership with the Harold Grinspoon Foundation, introduced the **LIFE & LEGACY** initiative. We brought together 7 Orange County Jewish organizations to collaborate toward the common goal of establishing endowments for the long-term sustainability of our local Jewish community. Now, in our 11th year of the program, we are proud to partner with 14 OC organizations. Through the dedicated efforts of professionals and lay leaders, LIFE & LEGACY encourages and facilitates the establishment of planned gifts.

LIFE & LEGACY does much more than support and encourage legacy giving. It is a community-building enterprise that emphasizes collaboration. The national LIFE & LEGACY program through the Harold Grinspoon Foundation includes 63 communities with 680 participating organizations. From Chicago to Charleston and Omaha to San Diego, more than 17,000 individuals have answered the call with nearly 28,000 legacy commitments to support the Jewish organizations they care about. In total, there is **\$1.04 BILLION** in committed future Jewish legacy gifts throughout the country.

This program has significantly enhanced the culture of giving here in Orange County, creating endowment funds to support the continued success of essential programs, services, and institutions.

An endowment fund is no longer a luxury. It can provide long-term financial stability for the nonprofit organizations that serve a vital role in the fabric of our Jewish community. With an endowment in place, organizations receive a steady stream of cash flow into the future, putting less stress on annual operating budgets.

When individuals and/or families commit to a legacy gift of any amount to one or more Jewish organizations, they are invited to provide a personal statement to be included in the JEWISH COMMUNITY FOUNDATION ORANGE COUNTY'S Endowment Book of Life. Each year, we gather to honor LIFE & LEGACY donors and Book of Life signers at our Endowment Book of Life Celebration.

Join the over 970 people who have created legacy commitments for our community. Let us honor **YOU** at our next Endowment Book of Life Celebration!



# ORANGE COUNTY LIFE & LEGACY PROGRAM



**14** participating organizations



**971**  
legacy commitments



**353**

signatures and stories in the Endowment Book of Life

Numbers current as of January 1, 2024



**\$32.7 Million**

already given to endowments and will grow over time

Looking forward, this totals over

Estimated value of the commitments made through LIFE & LEGACY



**\$57.1 Million**

for the Jewish future in Orange County!

## WHAT IS AN ENDOWMENT?

An endowment fund is a perpetual fund that is invested for growth and provides a source of ongoing annual support to address charitable causes. Consistent annual distributions, through up and down markets, create a mechanism for this forever fund.

Organizations that establish endowment funds are demonstrating the commitment that they will be fulfilling their mission for decades to come. An endowment can also provide financial security to those organizations taking on new challenges or seizing new opportunities as they arise.

Individuals can establish named endowment funds at the JEWISH COMMUNITY FOUNDATION ORANGE COUNTY to support their favorite organizations on an annual basis or as a legacy for their children to distribute.



## HONORING OUR LIFE & LEGACY SOCIETY MEMBERS

Alisa Abecassis  
Susan & Melvyn Abramovitch 🌱  
Steven Littman & Phyllis Abrams 🌱  
Carol Young Adams 🌱  
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Annee Della Donna 🌱  
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Rochelle Ambersound 🌱  
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Gregg & Tami Applefield 🌱  
Lance & Wendy Arenson 🌱  
Leona Aronoff-Sadacca 🌱  
Elaine Asa 🌱  
Brian Asher  
Bart & Elizabeth Asner 🌱  
Nadine Asner 🌱  
Eleanor & Sidney Austin 🌱  
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Tobi Balma  
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Kenneth Bloomfield 🌱  
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Shani Boone  
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Cantor Ruti Braier & Rabbi Arnold Rachlis 🌱  
Cher Bransky 🌱



## YOUR COMMITMENT TO THE FUTURE STARTS HERE.

By making a commitment to include a Jewish organization in your after-lifetime planning, you are following in the spirit of our Jewish people by planting the seed to share your blessings with others.

Create your lasting legacy within our Jewish community for generations by becoming a part of the **LIFE & LEGACY** program.

Alit & Scott Braswell  
Sidney & Barbara Braverman  
Mark Bregman & Susan Keller  
Jane & Matthew Brenner  
Sarah & Matthew Brenner  
Marian & Gerald Bretts  
Yana Bridle  
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Shirley Brodsky <sup>z"l</sup>  
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Kathy Brook-Wong  
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Judy & Howard Brostoff  
Martin & Tamar Brower  
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Barbara Brumbelow  
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Irving & Eleanor Burg <sup>z"l</sup>  
Sandy Bursten <sup>z"l</sup>  
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Matt Cabrera & Brooke Hargrove  
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Ryan & Brooke Chase  
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Stephen Chase  
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Firuzeh & Jeff Claar  
Eileen & Henry Cohen  
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Aaron & Monica Faygenov and Family 🌱  
Alexander Fecher 🌱  
Robert & Pamela Fecher 🌱  
Jon & Peggy Feder <sup>z"l</sup> 🌱  
Michael Feinberg  
Jason & Samantha Feld 🌱  
Sandra & Victor Feld <sup>z"l</sup> 🌱  
Julian & Rita Feldman  
Michael Feldman & Hung Fan, PhD 🌱  
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Roberta Feuerstein 🌱  
Ruth & Arnold Feuerstein Family  
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Sybil Flom 🌱  
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Aviva & Fred Forster 🌱  
David Franks 🌱  
Allan P. Freedman, MD 🌱  
Sharon & Elliot Freedman 🌱  
Chelle Friedman <sup>z"l</sup> 🌱

**YOUR LEGACY GIFT**  
ENSURES THE CONTINUITY  
OF THE JEWISH  
ORGANIZATION(S) YOU  
CARE ABOUT MOST.

A LEGACY GIFT OF ANY SIZE  
**MAKES A DIFFERENCE!**

Stuart Friedman 🌱  
Richard & Susan Fybel 🌱  
Dr. & Mrs. Stanley Galant  
Annette & Mel Garber 🌱  
Eileen Garbutt 🌱  
Kenneth R. Garey 🌱  
Marcy Garrett 🌱  
Rochelle & Irving Gelman <sup>z"l</sup>  
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Jeffrey M. Glass  
Naomi Glass  
Arlene & Marty <sup>z"l</sup> Glassman 🌱  
Mindy & Chuck <sup>z"l</sup> Glatstein 🌱  
Ron <sup>z"l</sup> & Sharon Glickman 🌱  
Tal & Andrea Golan  
Anita Gold 🌱  
Caryn Goldberg & Jerry Schonfeld 🌱  
Fritzi & Hal Goldberg 🌱  
Larry Goldberg 🌱

**MANY LEGACY SOCIETY MEMBERS** HAVE COMMITTED TO  
INCLUDE MULTIPLE ORGANIZATIONS IN THEIR ESTATE PLANS.



## JEWISH TRADITION

teaches that one of our key responsibilities is to make the world a better place for future generations.

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Alyssa & Marc Goldin 🌱  
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Mimi Goldstein 🌱  
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Michael & Eleanor Gordon 🌱  
Myra & Marv Gordon 🌱  
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Rhonda & Hal Hurwitz  
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Mark Ike  
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Lindy Keiser   
Sharon Keller   
Cheri & Art Kessner   
Alyse & David Kirschen   
Joan Kirschenbaum   
Arnold Klein   
Barbara & Victor Klein <sup>z"l</sup>   
Daniel & Diane Klein   
Lauren S. Klein   
Sandy & Robert Klein   
Ada Kless Gilbert   
Daniel & Sandi Koblin   
Ida Kofsky <sup>z"l</sup>   
Harry Kortnicki & Gail Schwartz   
Diane Koseff   
Bernard & Judy Kotkin   
Harvey B. Kramer   
Leba & Gary <sup>z"l</sup> Kramer   
Sherri Hoffman Krause   
Jean & Tony Kravitz  
Rose & Hal <sup>z"l</sup> Kravitz  
Virginia Sotolov & Stuart Kriloff  
Cathy & Tom Kroop  
Jo Ann Krupp   
David B. Lang   
Arline B. Lanin   
Stephen & Mollie Lazarus   
Rhona Lebner  
Payson & Rachel Lederman   
Dr. & Mrs. Stanton Leemon   
Anita Lang Leibowitz   
John-Aaron & Karen Lenhert Family  
Rona Lesser  
Steven & Susan Leven 

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Ken & Nancy Levin Family   
Wendy Levin   
Mindy Lauerlevin & Ed Levin   
Jordana & Andrew Levine   
Nancy G. Levy  
Irene Lewis   
Rabbi Leah & David Lewis  
Warren & Beverley Lieberman   
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Sue & Jay Littman  
Livits Family   
Sara & Yehiel Livnat   
Lisabeth Lobenthal   
Honey Rhonda Locke   
Boris & Rebecca Lubavin   
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Basil & Shirley Luck Family Trust   
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Jeff Margolis   
Debbie Margolis   
Harleene P. Margolis <sup>z"l</sup>   
Marcia & Marshall Margolis   
Michael & Rachel Marzouk   
Rick & Adrienne Matros   
Susan Mattisinko & Robert S. De Leon   
Anne Mazer

## WHAT IS A LEGACY PLAN?

The beauty of a Jewish legacy is that it's yours to create. You can leave a bequest to any program or institution that's close to your heart. Chances are you already donate to these organizations.

Honor your lifetime of giving by including your favorite organization(s) in your will, trust, retirement account or life insurance policy.

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# You're **INVITED**

Each year, we  
gather to honor  
**LIFE & LEGACY**  
members and  
BOOK OF LIFE  
SIGNERS  
at the  
ENDOWMENT  
BOOK OF LIFE  
CELEBRATION.

Join now and  
let us honor **YOU!**

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The **ENDOWMENT BOOK OF LIFE** is an ever-growing collection of signatures and histories, of both individuals and families, from more than 40 Jewish communities throughout North America. Here in Orange County, the **ENDOWMENT BOOK OF LIFE** is a symbol of our united commitment to creating a culture of legacy in Jewish Orange County through the LIFE & LEGACY program. The Jewish Community Foundation Orange County honors and celebrates the Book of Life signers and LIFE & LEGACY donors at our annual **ENDOWMENT BOOK OF LIFE** Celebration.

When you sign the **ENDOWMENT BOOK OF LIFE** you are making a promise that at some point in your lifetime, or through an after-lifetime gift, you will leave something financial as a way to ensure your Jewish community's future. To date, 353 community members have signed the **ENDOWMENT BOOK OF LIFE** here in Orange County.

A page has been reserved in the community-wide **ENDOWMENT BOOK OF LIFE** for your personal statement.

SHARE **YOUR STORY!**

## ENDOWMENT BOOK OF LIFE STATEMENTS

### JON and PEGGY FEDER

"We have been enriched by the values and ethics of our Jewish mothers and fathers and believe that it is our responsibility to give back to Jewish institutions that serve our local community, Israel and the world. In so doing, we want to be role models to our children and grandchildren. We want to leave a legacy of philanthropy that shows our children that it is important to support our communities, the arts and the disadvantaged but it is especially important to support Jewish organizations. Being a part of the Endowment Book of Life provides a structure to do just that."



### KATERINA HENCOVA

"Growing up in communist Czechoslovakia, I didn't have much of a chance to learn about my Jewish heritage. Living in Orange County as a young adult, I decided to seek out a Jewish community and connect to my roots. Volunteering was also important to me, recognizing the profound impact

of giving back to society. Together, these aspirations led me to fulfill my passion to help others, all within the embrace of a vibrant Jewish way of life.

I hope in sharing my legacy gift, my actions will inspire others to do the same and perpetuate this beautiful Jewish community."



YOUR  
**LEGACY  
PLAN**  
IN  
**5**  
easy  
steps  
.....

**1 Meet with the Jewish Community Foundation Orange County (JCFOC) to develop your plan**

Complimentary and confidential: all legacy planning phone calls, meetings and changes are offered at no charge.



Contact Wendy Arenson,  
Executive Director, at  
wendy@jcfo.org or (949) 435-3490.

**2 Select one or more causes to support**

Example: Your synagogue and/or favorite organization

**3 Decide what to donate**



In consultation with your professional advisor  
Example: IRA, % of trust

**4 Use this language to accomplish your charitable goals**

Example: On your IRA Beneficiary Form or in your will or trust

**Jewish Community Foundation Orange County  
(Tax ID Number 95-3645825)**

**To be distributed according to the most recently dated  
Legacy Instructions on file with the  
Jewish Community Foundation Orange County.**

**5 Sign your completed Letter of Intent or Legacy Gift Confirmation**



JCFOC will honor your intentions, and you may make changes at any time at no charge.

**CELEBRATE!**



Join us at our community-wide annual donor appreciation event,

**THE ENDOWMENT BOOK OF LIFE CELEBRATION!**

Toni Mandel McDonald <sup>z1</sup> &  
Terry Lee McDonald  
Diane & Morris Meadow  
Susan R. Medwied  
Doris & Marty Melnick  
Dr. Elliott & Joanne Mercer  
Michael & Nancy Meyer  
Barbara G. Meyers  
Linda & Dr. Frank Meyskens  
Myra Michelson  
Asher & Alice Milgrom  
Adam I. Miller  
Ann L. Miller  
Arlene Miller  
Carole & Lawrence <sup>z1</sup> Miller  
Shawn & Marci Miller and Family  
Dr. Edward & Leslea Miller <sup>z1</sup>  
Susan & Daryl Miller  
Ellen & Howard Mirowitz  
Cynthia Mirsky  
Dr. Herb & Loretta Modelevsky  
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Diana & Jay Moss  
Penny W. & Isidore C. Myers <sup>z1</sup>  
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Marla & Scott Nathan  
Sherrie & Darrell Neft  
Michael & Joyce Neiman  
Zachary T. Nelson & Rachel E. Goldberg  
Nancy & Steven Neudorf  
Stephanie & Michael Neufeld  
Larry & Debra Newfield  
Sara Newhouse  
Rabbi Yitzchok & Amina Newman  
Alison & Charlie Nightingale  
Lynette Northcutt  
Linda Faye Rattner Nunn  
Scott & Michelle Onufer  
Tamar Chipkin Orvell  
Lauren & Richard Packard  
Amy & Joel Packer  
Dr. M. Joyce Pais-Chambers &  
Robert Chambers  
Palitz Family Trust  
David & Mindy Paskil  
Sy <sup>z1</sup> & Lynn Pearlman

Jeffrey & Catherine Peck  
Dovi & Sue Penn  
Joy & Robert Penner  
Elaine Perlmutter  
Stan <sup>z1</sup> & Lila Pesner  
Lita Pickman  
Sheila & Leo <sup>z1</sup> Pinsky  
Barbara & Bill Pisetsky  
Melanie & Jeff Pollak  
Bonni Pomush & Patti Holliday  
Roslyn Portnoy <sup>z1</sup>  
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Bruce & Helen Rasner  
Ms. Bi-Mia Reid  
Gail & Sorel Reisman  
Rabbi Ralph Resnick  
Cindy Reynolds  
Michael & Lori Reznick  
Marc Richmond, MD  
Jada Robitaille  
Cyrena <sup>z1</sup> & Norton Robitaille  
Alice Rochverger  
Joan & Bernard Rome  
Chris Rommel & Julie Green Rommel  
Ram & Tzippy Ronen  
Sandy & Sherry Rosen  
Glenda Rosen  
Norman & Barbara Rosen  
Patricia Holzman Rosenbaum  
Anita Rosenfield, Ph.D  
Alison & Jeffrey Ross  
Winnie & Shelly Ross  
Cindy O'Neill Ross & Gil Ross  
Laura J. Roth  
Laura & Gary Roth  
Ruth K. Roth (<sup>z1</sup>)  
Ryna Rothberg  
Susie & Howard Rothfeder  
Harvey Rowen  
Michael Rubin  
Paulina Rubin  
BJ Russell  
Jack & Sheri Saladow  
Geraldine G. Sandor <sup>z1</sup>  
Rabbi Charlie Savor  
Michael Schaffer & Rina Palumbo

Dr. Merritt & Sari Schreiber 🍀  
Hank <sup>z"1</sup> & Meryl Schrimmer 🍀  
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Howard Schulman <sup>z"1</sup>  
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Susan Seely 🍀  
Leslie & Scott Seigel  
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& Rebecca Matoff Foundation 🍀  
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Jodie Snyder 🍀  
Rik Snyder 🍀  
Elaine Socol <sup>z"1</sup> 🍀  
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Thomas Bernstein 🍀  
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Danny & Kerri Sonenshine 🍀  
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Mr. Ygal Sonenshine 🍀

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Harold & Nadine Steinberg 🍀  
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Brian & Debbi Stern 🍀  
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James & Marcia Stern 🍀  
Lance & Morgan Stern 🍀  
Jean & Linda Stern 🍀  
Ralph & Sue Stern 🍀  
Sheldon & Susan Stern 🍀  
Howard & Rosemary Stevens 🍀  
Linda & David Stoll 🍀  
Michael & Charlotte Stone 🍀  
Les & Louise Sussman 🍀  
Mark & Dana Susson 🍀  
Batia Swed 🍀  
Natalie Swit  
Michele & Pat Szekele 🍀  
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Zevi & Miriam Tenenbaum  
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Myka Thompson  
Rabbi Marcia E. Tilchin 🍀  
Asher & Arlene Tilchin 🍀  
Jackie & Joshua Tirado  
Carolyn Toby/Mabie <sup>z"1</sup> 🍀  
The Trujillo Family  
Evelyn Tysch 🍀

WHEN WE SIGN THE  
**ENDOWMENT BOOK**  
OF LIFE, IT MEANS...

"Temple communities will  
remain strong sources  
of support, friendship,  
worship, and ruach."

**LESLIE and SCOTT  
SEIGEL**



Evelyn Tysch 🌿  
 Muriel Ullman 🌿  
 Pieter & Beth van Es 🌿  
 Rabbi Miriam Van Raalte  
 Paul W. Vann 🌿  
 Nina Varkel  
 Hugo & Diana Velazquez  
 Ira & Debbie Victer  
 Ari & Hannah Vinocor 🌿  
 Roslyn Adin Vogelfanger &  
 Elliot Vogelfanger 🌿  
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 Michael & Shari Wagschal 🌿  
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 Newt & Sorrell Wayne 🌿  
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 Donna Weinstein 🌿  
 Eleanor Saltzer Weinstein, PhD 🌿  
 Jacob Weisberg 🌿  
 Lois Weiss 🌿

Dr. James & Ellen Weiss 🌿  
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 Ina & George Welland <sup>z"l</sup>  
 Lauri & Glenn Welling 🌿  
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 Neil & Bonnie Widerman 🌿  
 Rabbi K'vod Wieder & Ilana  
 Rogel-Wieder 🌿  
 Dr. David & Ofra Willner 🌿  
 Lois & Doug Wilson 🌿  
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 Shiela & Jay Witzling 🌿  
 Ilan & Keren Wolf 🌿  
 Jeffrey Wolff 🌿  
 Esther Wright <sup>z"l</sup> 🌿  
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 Suzanne Salzer Yesk &  
 Albert Yesk 🌿  
 Robin S. Yonis 🌿  
 Lizabeth & David Yudis 🌿

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 Sol <sup>z"l</sup> & Sheila (Bunny) Zechter 🌿  
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 Rabbi Rayna Gevurtz

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<sup>z"l</sup> Of Blessed Memory

## ENDOWMENT BOOK OF LIFE STATEMENTS



### THE KATZ FAMILY

"We're Jason and Jillian Katz. We cannot speak about our own connection to our synagogue without acknowledging how deeply it has impacted our family for decades, and how it continues to do so in brand new ways now that we have kids of our own. The clergy married us, the preschool helped our daughter sing the hamotzi for the first time, the community offered comfort and support when close loved ones passed away, and the religious school connected Jason with many lifelong friends. By making a legacy gift today, we solidify our intent and our promise to give back."

### ADAM MILLER

"My leadership in National Young Leadership Cabinet, my philanthropy and my Legacy gift secure the Jewish future for generations to come, and allow me to better serve as a role model while enriching the lives of my family, my community and the Jewish world."



# WHY JOIN **LIFE & LEGACY**?



## **It's Easy**

Follow easy steps to create your legacy plan. We're here to partner with you or your professional advisor.



## **It's Flexible**

You can modify your plan and future gifts with ease. After establishing your legacy gift, your charitable beneficiaries and percentages can easily be changed, at no cost, by contacting JCFOC.



## **It's Tax-Efficient**

Charitable giving minimizes overall tax obligations. JCFOC is equipped to accept a wide range of assets, maximizing the effectiveness of your estate tax planning.



## **It Honors Your Loved Ones**

Cultivate a culture of legacy giving in your family. You can appoint family members as advisors to your fund to engage future generations in your philanthropy - or you can create funds to honor the memory of loved ones.



## **It Guarantees a Jewish Tomorrow**

Your gift is secure and will continue to have a lasting impact in the community, either in perpetuity or for an established period of years. By leaving a legacy gift, you can assure that the traditions and institutions that mean so much to you today will exist for future generations.

# WHAT WILL **YOUR LEGACY** BE?

# CREATING **YOUR** JEWISH LEGACY

Use the space below to help start your conversation.

**1. What do I/we want my/our family and friends to know about my/our Jewish connection?**

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**2. How do I/we want to be remembered?**

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**3. I/we created a Jewish legacy because...?**

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