

Dear Shul Family,

As you all know this has been the most difficult time for my family and we remain in shock by the sudden way Rob left us. I really don't know how to begin to thank all of you for the many donations in Rob's memory and for your incredible support for me and my children during shiva and beyond. I wish I was able to write each and every one of you a personal note to express our gratitude.

During the many years we have been members of the JCOT Rob's dedication to the shul has never wavered and he was so proud to identify as a member of the shul and its daily minyan, to which he was so committed. He enjoyed and treasured the friendships he shared with the members of the JCOT, especially those of the daily minyan. Rob also took great pride in his role as Gabbai and would voice concern if he thought he neglected to give someone an aliya who should have gotten one. I often asked him if he ever gave himself an aliya, because I know he enjoyed that too, but in true form he was more concerned with giving to others than with getting one himself.

As for me, I usually arrived quite a bit later than Rob on Shabbat morning and the first thing I would do when I arrived was locate him (he was always on the move) and wave hello. Even on days that I considered not attending shul I would most often go, knowing that it meant so much to Rob to see me on the other side. In our 38 years as members we attended services almost every Shabbat and Yom Tov. The JCOT has always been our home away from home and its members became our shul family. I am so grateful for the support of this shul family and pray to Hashem that Rob is able to see that we are being surrounded with love by all of the JCOT.

B'Ahava,

Lori Rosner, Nili and Eytan Yammer, Lane and Louis Rosner, Samara and Daniel Moritz, Yoav, Azarya, Hiyya, Hazel and Ezra