

Mrs. Leah Kalisch

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Dear Family and Friends,

As many of you know, I have been working in the Early Childhood Department at Stein Yeshiva in Yonkers for many years. Stein Yeshiva is a small yeshiva that is an actual oasis of *Yiddishkeit* in Lower Westchester. I have always felt that my traveling down to Yonkers to teach these precious *neshamas* is both rewarding for me and meaningful to my students.

Stein Yeshiva is holding its annual dinner on Monday, March 20th at the Young Israel of Scarsdale. The yeshiva is honoring my many years of service by bestowing upon me the "Teacher Award" this year. The dinner/journal is their major fundraising campaign that supports the yeshiva's Scholarship Fund. Our student population comes from Monsey, the Bronx, Westchester, and Manhattan. Many of these families are on deep scholarships for various reasons. Stein Yeshiva always accepts students regardless of their ability to pay tuition.

I invite you to attend our dinner, if possible, or place a dedication ad in the yeshiva's commemorative edition of *Meaning of the Moment* by Rabbi Nachum Seltzer that will be given out at the dinner. I am hoping that you can become my partner in building Stein Yeshiva and helping to fund scholarships of deserving children. Whatever you can do, is greatly appreciated!

May *Hashem* bless you with the strength, wisdom, and the means to continue to support all of the worthy causes in *Klal Yisrael*, and particularly Jewish education which ensures the future of our people.

Sincerely,



Leah Kalisch