

Deborah Wilk

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Dear Family and Friends,

My connection to Rabbi Joseph Cherns and Stein Yeshiva goes back many years. After I retired from the public school system, I became one of Stein Yeshiva's substitute teachers. I saw firsthand the educational quality of both the *limudei kodesh* and *limudei chol* departments and the special care that the students of the yeshiva receive. From the newborn babies through the eighth graders, all are imbued with a love of Torah and *mitzvos*. Stein Yeshiva's small class sizes allow for an excellent teacher to student ratio that helps each student to excel.

Stein Yeshiva is honoring my years of service to the yeshiva and the Young Israel of New Rochelle Mikvah by bestowing upon me the "Community Service Award" this year. Stein Yeshiva is holding its annual dinner on Monday, March 20th at the Young Israel of Scarsdale. The dinner/journal is their major fundraising campaign that supports the yeshiva's Scholarship Fund. Stein Yeshiva's policy for the past 31 years is to offer affordable tuition for families. Despite their low tuition, many families still need scholarship to make it possible.

I invite you to attend our dinner and/or to 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 partner with me in supporting Stein Yeshiva, one of the many excellent Westchester yeshivas, 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,



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