

Dear Rabbi Dantowitz,

As you move on to your next exciting adventure in California, I wanted to let you know, on behalf of the entire congregation, the vital role you played during your tenure at Temple B'nai Abraham.

During these recent trying days, your calming presence has been felt by the entire Temple B'nai Abraham family. Your leadership of the congregation during Zoom Shabbat services has been of great comfort to our weary community. Your beautiful voice and healing spirit have been a balm for the anxiety that the entire congregation has been feeling.

You have been a champion in the fight for civil rights, women's rights, and many other social justice issues. You have put yourself in harm's way to show your concern for everyone, regardless of race, creed, religion, or color. The example you have set for the Temple and especially for the children in our congregation has made a deep impact on their lives. They will understand the true meaning of compassion, empathy, and love.

I will especially miss our time together as you led the family youth services for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. Your spirit in that noisy room showed you to be an unflappable source of joy and inspiration. Your storytelling during those services mesmerized the crowd. I know the children and their parents enjoyed those stories and services as much as I did.

We, your Temple B'nai Abraham family, wish you success in your new position. While we will miss you terribly, we know your future congregants at Congregation Emeth in Morgan Hill, California, are gaining a wonderful leader. They are lucky to have you.

On behalf of a grateful congregation, thank you for a job well done.

Sincerely,



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