

I have known Rabbi Dantowitz since before she was a rabbi, back in our time at JFTY. I did not kn0w her well, and she probably did not know me at all, but she was one of the more senior members that I looked up to - always involved and at the center. It was a joy to get to know her again as a colleague when we both ended up back in our home state. Her social justice work has truly been an inspiration to me - it is quite appropriate that she sits in Rabbi Joachim Prinz' office, as she has deepened and furthered his legacy of not remaining silent, but speaking up for justice for everyone. Her voice has always been clear, steeped in Jewish tradition, and ringing out with sincerity and passion. Most recently, I have appreciated being part of the NJ Join for Justice clergy cohort with her, and serving together on the board of Faith in New Jersey. Though the organization will continue, it will be different without this particular Faith here in New Jersey.

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