

When I applied to Temple B'nai Abraham back in the winter of 2019-2020, Bruce was one of the first people I had the privilege of speaking with. At that point in time, I knew very little about the TBA community; Bruce was the first lay leader who cracked open that window and gave me an inside look into this wonderful congregation. I remember Bruce making it abundantly clear in our conversations that he cared about my growth as an individual, and that as president, his commitment was to fostering an environment of mutual respect and opportunity for clergy and lay leaders alike. Since beginning at TBA in July, Bruce's memory has been a towering, guiding presence through this pandemic. I hold those early conversations with him close to my heart, and pray that his memory always be a continued blessing within our TBA community.

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