



**The Jewish Community Foundation of Central PA
honors Kesher Israel Congregation's
Lee and Albert Kovner (z'l)**

Nearly 20 years ago the majority of Kesher Israel's (KI) endowment fund arrived in the form of a "blessed" surprise bequest gift. What we knew of Jerry Fromm (z'l) was that he was single, regularly attended Friday night services, and owned Chrysler stock. When his gift arrived nearly 20 years ago it was immediately placed into an endowment fund of which we have been good stewards over



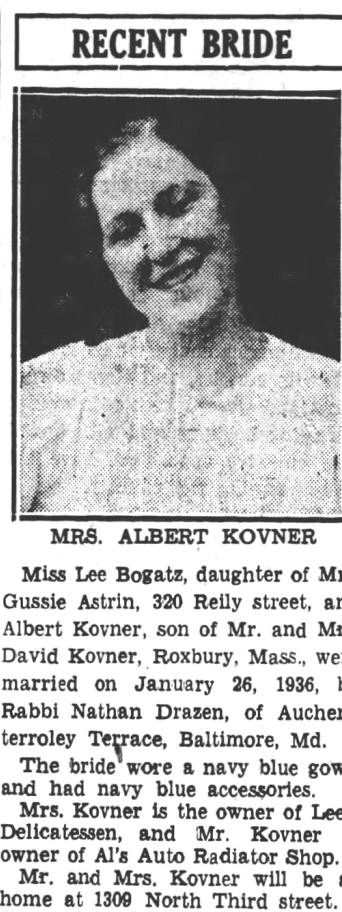
the years. KI's endowments help to support our congregation and provide for the perpetual care of our cemetery.

During their lifetimes Charlie (z'l) and Eunyce Press created an endowment fund to benefit causes they care about including KI for which we are grateful.

Lee and Albert Kovner (z'l) were great benefactors for KI during their lifetimes. Whenever we asked them for gifts they

helped. Our community is fortunate that the Kovners and other family members chose to create Funds at the Foundation which have funded trips to Israel for our teens, Jewish education, help for those in need and more. Through these Funds their tzedakah is eternal! Kesher Israel has been blessed over the years by their generosity and like their funds our gratitude will be eternal.

Our endowment assets are managed by the Jewish Community Foundation of Central Pa. We are looking forward to continuing to work with the Foundation to build our endowments.



"Lee and Al Kovner set the stage for giving at Kesher Israel, leading the way for others to contribute significant funds for the support of KI," stated Sam Levine as he presented the award to Norman Gras on their behalf. "While I didn't know the Kovners, I am told that they were known as quite the givers...wanting to make sure that there would be strong funding for the future."



**Sam Levine
presenting the
Foundation's
award in memory
of the Kovners to
Norman Gras.**

**A gift to the Jewish community today allows you to be there for your family, your community, and the Jewish people
– whenever help is needed.**

A gift in your will allows you to be there – in the future – for the generations that will follow us.

Create your Jewish Legacy.

The Foundation is here to help you include causes meaningful to you in your will and estate plan.

**For more information about what your Jewish Community Foundation can do for you,
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