



REBBETZIN FRIEDA K. HIRMES

*Women's Institute of Torah*

**WIT**

*Melave Malka*

**12.18.21**

*A Celebration of Leadership*

**HONORING**

**Mrs. Linda S. Elman**

VISIONARY LEADERSHIP AWARD

*Sponsored in loving memory of CELIA FIRESTEIN*

Dear Friends,

On behalf of the Rebbetzin Frieda K. Hirmes Women's Institute of Torah (WIT), we welcome you to tonight's Melave Malka.

Tonight is a celebration of leadership as we honor **Mrs. Linda S. Elman** with the **Visionary Leadership Award**. We thank **Linda** for allowing WIT to pay tribute to her this evening as we recognize her incredible commitment and perseverance over 18 years of service to the women of our community. Under **Linda's** leadership, WIT has become the preeminent destination for the women of Baltimore seeking to enhance their Jewish connection and knowledge. Due to **Linda's** dedication, WIT now serves as a model for communities across the globe.

Thank you to our dedicated Board of Directors, you are constantly pushing us to greater heights.

We give special thanks to this evening's event chairs, **Varda Birnbaum, Judy Weiss** and **Sharon Zuckerbrod** as well as our **Melava Malka Committee** for their tireless efforts planning tonight's program.

Acharon acharon chaviv, we thank each and every one of you for being here with us. We hope you will enjoy this evening's program, and we encourage you to continue to participate in all that WIT has to offer.

For more information about our programs and classes, please visit [www.witbaltimore.org](http://www.witbaltimore.org). Enjoy the evening!

With deep gratitude,  
Leah Berry, *President*  
Andrea Schulman, *Program Director*

## THE REBBETZIN FRIEDA K. HIRMES

### *Women's Institute of Torah*

*The Rebbetzin Frieda K. Hirmes Women's Institute of Torah (WIT) was founded upon the conviction that every aspect of a Jewish woman's life is deepened and enriched through her connection to Judaism. With this in mind, WIT provides continuing education courses and programs to the women of the Baltimore Jewish community. Courses and programs are designed to enhance personal knowledge and enrich one's Jewish experience.*

Mrs. Andrea Schulman  
*Program Director*

Rebbetzin Ettie Rosenbaum  
*Founding Director*

Mrs. Hannah Storch, a'h  
*Founder*

#### **Board of Directors**

Mrs. Leah Berry  
*President*

Mrs. Eve Messing  
Mrs. Pearl Zoimen

Mrs. Sharon Zuckerbrod  
*Vice Presidents*

Mrs. Linda S. Elman  
*Immediate Past President*

Mrs. Varda Birnbaum  
Mrs. Esther Boehm  
Mrs. Jody Crane  
Dr. Marlene Daniel  
Mrs. Ann Ellen Gavant  
Dr. Rena K. Langermann  
Mrs. Sarah Leipnik  
Mrs. Elaine Mael  
Mrs. Julie Meister

Mrs. Bracha Poliakoff  
Mrs. Suri Reiner  
Mrs. Marlene Resnick  
Mrs. Rochel Rochkind  
Mrs. Sara Rotenberg  
Mrs. Chava Schwartz  
Mrs. Lois Volosov  
Mrs. Judy Weiss  
Mrs. Sora Wolasky

Thank you to our incredible Melave Malka Chairs:

Varda Birnbaum  
Judy Weiss  
Sharon Zuckerbrod

&

Committee Members:

Gayle Aronin  
Esther Boehm  
Frona Brown  
Marlene Daniel  
Hinda Dubin  
Aliza Elman  
Inbal Elman  
Nina Elman  
Barbara Goldberg  
Edie Goldberg  
Leslie Goldberg  
Stacey Goldenberg  
Sora Greenlinger  
Rena Langermann  
Barbara Lehmann Siegel  
Blumie Loeb  
Michele Loewenthal  
Julie Meister  
Rena Meystel  
Bleemie Mushell  
Elissa Ness  
Suri Reiner  
Rochel Rochkind  
Ettie Rosenbaum  
Chava Schwartz  
Juliya Sheynman  
Pearl Zoimen

The Rebbetzin Frieda K. Hirmes Women's Institute of Torah would like to express our gratitude to The Charles Crane Family Foundation for its continued support.

We thank the Foundation's Officers and Directors whose generosity enhances our educational offerings.

Thank you to:

Laurence M. Katz  
*President*

Hinda Dubin  
*Vice President*

David Kinkopf  
*Vice President*

Amy Macht  
*Vice President*

Shale D. Stiller  
*Vice President*

Benjamin Greenwald  
*Treasurer*

Darrell D. Friedman  
*Secretary*

Rabbi Larry Ziffer  
*Consultant on Jewish Education*

## LINDA S. ELMAN

### *Visionary Leadership Award*

Linda S. Elman has been a noted community activist and entrepreneur in Baltimore for over thirty-five years. After earning an MS in Jewish Education from Yeshiva University, Linda embarked on her first career as an elementary Jewish studies teacher in New York, Detroit and Chicago.

In 1985, when the Elman family settled in Baltimore, Linda launched her business career. She started Pizzazz, a women's hattery, which ultimately morphed into Hats to Hose, a premier women's and children's boutique.

Linda's lifelong passion for Jewish education soon found expression in her involvement with WIT. She began her tenure as the president of the Rebbetzin Frieda K. Hirmes Women's Institute of Torah (WIT) in 2003 and as of September 2021 serves as Immediate Past President.

Serving the Jewish community has always been a priority for Linda. She currently serves on the boards of The Associated: Jewish Federation of Baltimore, Associated Women, AIPAC Baltimore, the Edward A. Myerberg Center, Menucha, Friends of the Israel Defense Forces, (FIDF) and Israel Bonds Maryland. Linda is an alumnus of ACHARAI: The Shoshana S. Cardin Jewish Leadership Institute.

Linda is a past president of the Levindale Auxiliary, a past chair of The Associated Women's Campaign, and served as Chair of the Israel Bonds Women's Division. She is now the incoming General Chair of Israel Bonds Maryland.

She and her husband Michael maintain homes in Baltimore and in the Jewish Quarter of Jerusalem's Old City. They are the devoted parents of four children, Ari, Aliza, Dov and Rena, proud in-laws to Inbal, Nina, and Moshe, and doting grandparents of their grandchildren.

In loving memory of  
 Mrs. Hannah Storch  
**חנה בת אברהם פסח**  
 whose dedication to WIT  
 and the Baltimore community  
 will never be forgotten.



אשת חיל מי ימצא?  
ממצאתי את שאהבה נפשי...

Dearest Linda,

Words do not adequately describe who you are and what you mean to me and to our family. How could I hope to do better than *Shlomo Hamelech* in describing you?

An accomplished woman, who can find?  
Her worth is far beyond pearls.  
Her husband's heart relies on her, and he shall lack no fortune.  
She brings him good, not harm, all the days of her life . . .  
She is like a ship laden with merchandise, bringing food from afar.  
She rises while it is still night, providing food for her household, portions for her maidens . . .  
She sees that her business goes well;  
her lamp does not go out at night . . .  
She reaches out her palm to the poor,  
and extends her hand to the needy . . .  
Distinctive in the councils is her husband,  
where he sits with the elders of the land . . .  
She opens her mouth with wisdom,  
and the lesson of kindness is on her tongue.  
She anticipates the ways of her household,  
and never eats the bread of idleness.  
Her children rise and praise her, her husband also lauds her:  
"Many women have excelled, but you surpass them all."  
Charm is deceptive and beauty vain:  
It is the God fearing woman who deserves praise.  
Give her the reward she has earned;  
Let her deeds bring her praise in the gates.

Linda, you are the **כלי קיבול** and the **צינור** of **ברכה**, the receptacle and conduit of blessing to me, our entire family and all those fortunate enough to be touched by you. Your selfless caring empowers, enriches and uplifts us all.

If so, how can I bless you? May it be Hashem's will that all your descendants will be just like you. (תענית ה')

All my love,  
Michael

Thank you to the co-chairs of tonight's event - **Varda Birnbaum**, **Judy Weiss** and **Sharon Zuckerbrod** - and to their outstanding committee, for working tirelessly to ensure the success of this *Melava Malka*. Your hours of effort and attention to every detail are greatly appreciated.

Many thanks to my Executive Board - **Leah Berry**, **Eve Messing** and **Pearl Zoimen** - and to Past President, **Marlene Daniel**. I thank you all for your sage advice and wise counsel. We made a great team!

I feel privileged to have worked together with WIT's Board of Directors. Each of you has enriched my life. The women of the Baltimore community owe you a debt of gratitude for your dedication and commitment.

I offer my sincere *Hakaras Hatov* to WIT's incredible faculty. You imbue your love for *Torah* into each lesson you give.

Thank you to WIT's donors and benefactors. Your generosity fuels WIT's continued success. Without you, none of this would be possible.

To the women who attend WIT classes - Your participation and enthusiasm are the driving force behind WIT!

It has been my honor to work closely together with WIT's talented Program Director, **Andrea Schulman**. She has taught me so much. WIT is blessed to have such an outstanding professional.

To **Leah Berry** - I can think of no one more capable than you to lead WIT to greater heights. As both a professional and a lay leader, you offer a unique skillset to our organization.

My thanks to my husband **Michael** and to my children for all your help and support "behind the scenes".

Most importantly, I humbly thank *Hakadosh Baruch Hu* for affording me the privilege to work on behalf of such an amazing organization.

With deep gratitude to all,  
Linda

To our dear Mo,

We have witnessed your selfless dedication to the Jewish community our entire lives. Indeed, WIT has been a part of our family for as long as we can remember. It is so befitting that you are being honored by WIT, an organization so dear to you, that is built on Torah and women's learning. Your steadfast commitment to this wonderful organization is truly admirable. This well deserved award reflects how much you are loved and appreciated by all.

As your children, we have seen up close your passion to serve Klal Yisrael through WIT and so many other worthy organizations. Your example truly sets the tone for the family and has inspired us to become involved in our own respective communities.

We admire you and we love you very much.

With deep gratitude for all that you have done and continue to do for us,  
Ari, Inbal, Aliza, Dovie, Nina, Moshe & Rena

Dear Savta,

Mazel Tov on this well deserved honor!! We see the way you work so hard for the community and we hope to follow in your footsteps one day. Despite having a very full schedule of volunteering, working, family and community, you always make time for us, whether to help outfit us with fabulous wardrobes, cook delicious challah, meatballs and other yummy food (your food cannot be beat), giving us lots of candy and chocolates, sending us special packages, playing games with us, or just listening and brainstorming with us about what is going on in our lives. We love spending Shabbos with you at your homes and traveling with you to Israel, Orlando, or other interesting places. It's always a party with Savta around!!!

You are the best Savta in the world.  
We love you so much!

Lots of hugs and kisses,  
Yehuda, Akiva, Daniel, Ayelet,  
Binyamin, Ami, Leora, Batsheva,  
Nadav, Yael, Elan, Yitzchak Zev

Dear Linda,

Mazel Tov on recognition  
of all your work on behalf of  
The Women's Institute of Torah.

*Daddy would be so proud!!!*

All Our Love,

Dale, Pia and Paul

Dearest Linda,

When I think of you so many words come to mind.

Role model. Mentor. Family. Community.  
Bridge builder. Israel. Authentic. Proud Jew.  
Inclusive. Leader. Intentionality. Master cultivator.  
Generous. Driven. Persistent.

I have had such a hard time writing this because  
it is so difficult to encapsulate in a few words  
who you are and what you mean to me.

You and Michael have always been there for me and  
I am so proud to be part of your extended family.  
You have modeled what it means to be engaged in  
the Jewish community and it is through you and  
WIT that I first became involved as a lay leader.

You have pushed me to use my kochos and have  
led by example in so many aspects of your life.

You have shown all of us on the WIT Board that  
no job is too small or too big and that we can  
all lead from any seat around the table.

You have led with humility and honesty.

Your efforts to pass along our mesorah have an  
indelible impact on each person that you encounter.

May you be zocheh to continue receiving  
nidvas haborei in all aspects of your life.

With admiration and my deepest hakaros hatov,  
Leah Berry

To Our Dear Machetenesta  
Linda, עמו"ש

There are no words which could truly describe our utmost admiration for you and for everything you do for כלל ישראל.

Congratulations on your truly well deserved Visionary Leadership Award - so aptly named as you are truly an incredible Visionary and a remarkable Leader.

May WIT continue to have ongoing hatzlacha and may 'ד continue to bless you and your entire family with much mazel, bracha, nachas and good health in which to enjoy it! It is an honor to be a part of your family.

רבות בנות עשו חיל ואת עלית על כלנה!

With the deepest appreciation and esteem,  
Hinda and Ethan Dubin and Family

In Honor of The Mo  
aka the Incredible  
Linda Elman

We are thrilled to share  
this milestone with you.

You have the remarkable ability to accomplish more in one day than most do in a full week, and you do it all with poise, grace, generosity, and compassion. We are blessed because of you.

Wishing you the strength to continue your valuable work and dedication to your family and community for many years to come.

All our love,  
Gabriel & Elisheva Jacobson

When you want something done,  
you ask a busy person  
When you want something done well,  
you ask Linda Elman.

She fills each 24 hours with more  
than most of us complete in a week.  
All done well, all with a smile, all for  
the good of her family, her loved  
ones and Klal Yisrael!

It is an honor to know her and  
count her as both family and friend.

Congratulations WIT-you  
have chosen your honoree well.

Congratulations Linda-  
May you continue to go m'chayil  
l'chayil in all your many endeavors.

Louise Fink

**L** – leadership is only one of your many  
qualities that we celebrate here tonight

**I** – ingenuity, innovativeness, inspiration  
all used to bring WIT to a new height

**N** – never demanding of others, but gently  
encouraging them to see the Torah light

**D** – determination for women to grow,  
yet their sensitivities you always kept in  
sight

**A** – always on the outlook for new speakers,  
activities and projects, you used all your  
might

With love and respect,  
Rochel Rochkind

Dear Linda,

Mazel Tov on all of the hard work you have done for WIT over the many years you were president.

I thank you and Michael for providing Baltimore families and the community with women who are strengthened in Torah and Avoda.

Wishing you continued good health and simcha!

Sora Wolasky

In honor of Linda Elman as she concludes her presidency of WIT.

Linda, you are an inspiration to us and to so many others in our community.

May the **רַב־שׁוֹעַ** bless you and your family with good health, nachas and continued ability to serve and lead our community.

Chani and Yehuda Neuberger

To our Dear,  
Giving and Loving Friend,  
Linda Elman:

May you continue to make a  
difference in everything you touch.  
Your dedication and devotion to  
Klal Yisrael is a true inspiration.

Our lives are enriched because  
of you. Mazel Tov on this well  
deserved tribute!

With deepest respect and love,

Shellye Gilden  
Wendy Miller  
Calla Samuels  
Beth Sellman

In honor of  
Mrs. Linda Elman

You are a model of commitment  
to the community. Not only do you  
constantly roll up your own sleeves  
for every communal need, but you  
encourage others to join in that effort.

While you attend to every detail, you  
ensure the big picture always remains  
the focus. You are a true leader, and  
the Baltimore community is fortunate  
to have you.

הקב"ה ישלם שכרם  
Gil and Molly Horwitz

In honor of  
Linda Elman

A true inspiration and role model!

The women of Baltimore – and way beyond – are profoundly grateful for your leadership, creativity, joyous love and continuous encouragement of women learning our precious Torah.

Thank you for all you have done and will continue to do in strength and good health – with the blessings of *Hakadosh Baruch Hu Ad Meya v Essrim.*

Fondly  
Barbie and Yitzchok Siegel  
*Silver Spring, Maryland*

Congratulations  
Linda Elman  
on this well  
deserved honor.

Beth Goldsmith

IN TRIBUTE TO  
LINDA ELMAN

A Community Leader  
A Courageous Founder  
A Great Friend

Laura and Abba Poliakoff

Mazel Tov to Linda on this  
prestigious, well deserved honor.  
You are truly an inspiration to all  
of us, and we are so proud of you.

Thank you for your dedication and  
commitment to your family, the  
Jewish community and Israel.  
Thank you for your unending love  
and support of Judaism and its  
principles and values.

And thank you for your  
friendship over the years.

Best wishes always,  
Elissa

IN HONOR OF MY  
DEAR FRIEND LINDA

Your dedication to the spiritual growth  
of the women of our community is  
exemplary and truly inspirational

AND

Your commitment, together with  
Michael, to so many worthy causes  
across the broad spectrum of Klal  
Yisroel, make you and Michael  
unique and outstanding models  
of Ahavas Yisroel.

May Hashem continue to grant you  
unceasing energy and strength to carry  
on your Avodas Hakodesh and to enjoy  
great nachas from your beautiful family.

With love and admiration,  
Blumie

Mazel Tov Linda Elman  
on this well deserved honor!

May you continue your  
tremendous chesed on  
behalf of WIT and all the  
organizations you and  
Michael generously support.

Shavy & Mark Schlossberg

To my dear friend Linda

A True Eshet Chayil

Mazel Tov on this very well deserved honor.

Your heart is always in the right place - supporting the Jewish community, Jewish education and our beloved Israel.

Your leadership,energy and generosity is second to none.

I am proud to be counted amongst your friends. May Hashem continue to bless you with only good things.

With much love and admiration,  
Tsipi Renbaum

To our guest of honor and dear friend

LINDA ELMAN  
(The Mayoress of Israel)

We admire and respect your dedication to ensuring the success of the Rebbetzin Frieda K. Hirmes Women's Institute of Torah.

You have helped countless people change their lives, never asking for appreciation or honor.

May Hashem continue to give you the strength to succeed in all of your endeavors and may we all continue to learn by your example.

We treasure our friendship.

Barbara and Craig Neuman

Mazel Tov to Linda Elman and WIT in honor of the education of Jewish women and service to our Baltimore Jewish community and beyond.

This donation is made also in memory of my mother, Chaya Lieba bat Stisha & Moshe, who treasured women's education, Torah, community service, and being a Jewish woman.

Shoshana Shamberg

Mazel Tov to Linda on this well deserved honor.

For the past two decades, The Rebbetzin Frieda K. Hirmes Women's Institute of Torah has been fortunate to have you at its helm.

Your unique style combined with your vision and dedication has shaped WIT into the premiere women's education institution that it is today.

Linda, with the exceptional talents and vision that Hashem has given you, we eagerly await your next success on behalf of the Jewish people.

Shlomo and Mindy Spetner  
Yaakov Hillel and Judy Gross  
Frank and Danielle Sarah Storch

In honor of  
Andrea Schulman

We are truly awed by the  
devotion and energy she  
focuses on her family and  
the Jewish community  
of Baltimore.

Drs. Robert and Susan  
Schulman



Silver  
Pages

In honor of our dear friend  
Linda Elman

Mazel Tov on a much deserved honor.  
Your dedication and commitment to  
WIT as well as all of your tremendous  
chesed initiatives and communal  
work are an inspiration to us all.

We are honored to call you our friend.

May Hashem grant you much nachas  
and bracha, good health and strength.

May you continue to be a pillar to Klal  
Yisroel along with Michael and your  
dear family for many years to come.

With love and admiration,  
Sol and Rena

To a wonderful friend who  
has been an inspiration.

Thank you Linda.

Hugs from your  
closest neighbor,  
Lois

In honor of our dear friend,  
Linda S. Elman  
on receiving tonight's most deserved  
Visionary Leadership Award.

Linda, you never cease to amaze us!  
Whether it is...  
Your infectious passion to help the klal,  
Your fresh ideas to involve all,  
Your practical resolutions to issues,  
Your compassion for those in need,  
Your ability to make every minute  
in the day count,  
Your unwavering devotion to  
your husband and family,  
Your staunch commitment to  
Jewish education for all ages,  
Your infinite love for the land  
and people of Israel...

You never disappoint and only  
inspire us to do more and grow!

We are so grateful for your friendship  
and cannot wait to see what other  
things you will accomplish.

With much admiration and gratitude,  
Avi and Sora Greenlinger

In honor of  
Linda Elman  
for all she does  
for WIT and the  
Jewish community.

Howard Tzvi and Chaya  
Friedman

In honor/awe of  
Mrs. Linda Elman

Thank you for all that you  
do for the community  
and for Klal Yisroel!

Yaakov and Chavi Wealcatch  
Chaim and Aviva Wealcatch



**Wealcatch Insurance**  
Auto | Home | Commercial | Life

Congratulations on this  
well deserved honor.

You are a true model of what  
an individual can accomplish.

Thank you for your continued  
leadership and contributions  
to our wonderful community.

Barbara and Jeff Ifrah



In honor of Linda Elman  
whose dedication, devotion,  
and vision for WIT has made  
it the wonderful bastion of  
Torah study it is today.

Thank you for your tireless  
commitment to increasing  
Torah learning for the  
women of our community.

May Hashem give you the strength  
to continue to do all that you do  
for our entire community.

Mazel Tov and wishing you and the  
entire family bracha and simcha.

With much admiration,  
Judy & Tommy Weiss

”על שלושה דברים העולם עומד,  
על התורה, ועל העבודה, ועל גמילת חסדים”

In honor of our dear friend  
Linda Elman  
whose chesed and desire  
to learn and spread Torah  
knowledge knows no bounds.

May Hashem bless you and  
your esteemed husband Michael,  
and the rest of your wonderful  
family with health and happiness.

Your friends from the Eyre Ha'atika,  
Dovid and Barbara Hurwitz  
Howard and Reize Sipzner

In honor of an  
Aishes Chayil  
who is a treasure  
to the  
Jewish community.

Love you,  
Suzy Liebman

In honor of our dear friend Linda Elman,  
Mazel Tov on this most deserving honor  
that is bestowed upon you this evening.

Throughout the world your name is  
synonymous with supporting so many  
worthy organizations, helping spread  
Torah to the world. You are known for  
your acts of **חסד** and you exemplify  
and completely understand what it  
means to be **עוסק בצרכי ציבור**!

WIT is truly fortunate to have such a  
dedicated leader helping it continue its  
goal of educating Jewish women and  
helping each one of them reach their  
fullest potential. Baltimore is fortunate  
that for almost 20 years, WIT was  
guided by your leadership and vision  
for growth and success.

May Hashem provide you years of health,  
strength, bracha and hatzlacha to continue  
all the amazing things that you do.

With much respect and admiration,  
Ari and Shoshana Krupp

To Linda Elman

In honor of a true “askanit”  
who has made a profound  
difference in this community,  
and has been an extraordinary  
role model to so many.

Zipora Schorr

In honor of  
Linda!

Nancy Kohn Rabin

Mazel Tov on your well deserved honor. You have been so instrumental in elevating the ruchnius and the level of limud haTorah of the women of Baltimore.

This honor is so reflective of your deep seated commitment to helping individuals and impacting communities.

Kol Tuv,  
Rabbi Yitzchok and Emilie Merkin

Linda,  
What a remarkable organization you have helped nurture, mold and grow here in Baltimore. With your leadership and dedication to serving the Jewish community through WIT we have all become richer, more connected, knowledgeable and inspired.

Mazel Tov on this well deserved honor.

May the light of Torah and the chesed that permeates your life be a constant source of bracha for you, your family and all of Klal Yisroel.

With much hakaras hatov,  
Betsy and Lew Romer

מזל טוב

To our dear friend,  
Linda,  
we marvel at your untiring  
commitment and leadership  
on behalf of the קהל.

With love and deep friendship,  
Sandy and Aryeh Guttenberg  
and Family

Linda,  
thank you for your  
leadership of WIT and so  
many other worthy causes.

Your selfless dedication is  
inspiring. We are fortunate  
to have you as a friend.

Warmly,  
Yitzie and Nancy Pretter

In honor of our dear friend  
Linda Elman,  
a powerhouse for making  
great things happen  
for Klal Yisroel.

May you have much  
continued hatzlacha in  
your avodas hakodesh.

Skip and Sharon Rose

Dear Linda:

You are an inspiration.  
There is no one who works  
more diligently on behalf of the  
community than you and yet  
you always give kavod to others.

With gratitude to WIT for  
recognizing your impact and  
celebrating women learning,  
and with deep appreciation  
for you.

Amian and the entire Kelemer  
family

מְרַבֶּה תוֹרָה, מְרַבֶּה חַיִּים. מְרַבֶּה יְשִׁיבָה, מְרַבֶּה חֻקָּה.  
מְרַבֶּה עֲצָה, מְרַבֶּה תְּבוּנָה. מְרַבֶּה צְדָקָה, מְרַבֶּה שְׁלוֹם.  
קָנָה שֵׁם טוֹב, קָנָה לְעַצְמוֹ.  
קָנָה לוֹ דְּבָרֵי תוֹרָה, קָנָה לוֹ חַיֵּי הָעוֹלָם הַבָּא.  
פְּרָקִי אֲבוֹת בִּז

In honor of our  
dear friend  
Linda,  
for everything  
she does for  
WIT and the  
entire community.

Shani and Jason  
Reitberger

In honor of  
Linda Elman  
for all of her  
hard work  
and  
accomplishments.

Avi Bernstein

RADCLIFFE JEWELERS  
CONGRATULATES  
LINDA ELMAN AND HER  
COMMITMENT TO PHILANTHROPY

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO  
FOR OUR COMMUNITY



[www.radcliffejewelers.com](http://www.radcliffejewelers.com)

Mazel Tov Linda on WIT's  
Visionary Leadership Award.

You are a role model for all of  
us involved in Jewish communal  
leadership and an inspiration.

We appreciate all the things you  
and your family do throughout  
the community.

May you continue your avodas  
hakodesh on behalf of WIT and the  
entire Baltimore Jewish community  
for many years to come.

With admiration,  
Jenny & Dov Ocken



**To Linda,**

One page in this journal won't be enough to express the gratitude I have for you. Little did I know 18 years ago when I was sent to meet you before being hired that I would be meeting with someone who would become such an integral part of my life and my family's life. It would be impossible for me to count all of the things I have learned from you over the years. Working with you has been like taking a daily master class in organization, leadership, poise, grace and grammar! You may be stepping down from WIT but you will not be stepping down from my life. Our community, and the world in general, is a better place with you in it!

**To Leah,**

In the last few short months you have already taught me so much. You bring so much to the table and I truly look forward to working with you as our next president. Let's just hope your family isn't already sick of me!

**To all of my wonderful WIT ladies,**

Working with you all is a true highlight of my job! I am happy many of us are able to now see each other in person again as I truly missed our daily interaction. Your desire to learn and grow is truly inspirational!

With all my love and gratitude,  
Andrea

Mazel Tov Linda on being honored for 20 years of distinguished service as president of the Women's Institute of Torah (WIT).

Your energetic leadership of WIT, and the judicious support that you provide to the Baltimore community and to Klal Yisroel is exemplary.

We are so privileged to have you as an astute and generous mainstay of our family.

May you go mechayil el chayil  
ad meah v'esrim!

Rabbi Edward and Miriam Feigelman  
Netanya, Israel

Yeuda and Shira Nelkin and Family  
Baltimore, MD

Shulem and Tikva Weinreich and Family  
Brooklyn, NY

Dearest Linda,

There are no words to express how much you mean to us. Our family truly cherishes the special relationship we have with you and wish you Mazel Tov on this incredibly well deserved honor. We don't know how you do it all. May Hashem grant you all the energy in the world.

You are an inspiration to us and a role model for what it means to give to others.

With lots of love,  
Choni, Livnat & the kids

In honor of  
Mrs. Linda S. Elman  
aka "the Mo"

Mazel Tov on this  
well deserved honor!

May you continue to use  
your strengths to help your  
community in the many  
ways that you have.

Love,  
Avrumy and Chevi Kohen

Dearest Mo,

It all began in 4<sup>th</sup> grade  
on that fateful bike ride...  
being friends with Aliza is  
being friends with her family.

Thank you for opening your  
home and your heart to me all  
these years (remember sparkling  
grape juice with ice in your crystal  
stemware?!? We thought we were  
so cool!) Your kindness knows  
no boundaries. I am forever  
grateful to you and Dr. Do!

May you and Dr. Do have much  
nachas from your beautiful  
family, with continued good  
health, happiness, bountiful  
parnassa and bracha.

Thanks for being you, Mo!  
Love,  
Pearl

Dear Linda,

**מזל טוב**

on your long and  
dedicated service to the  
Women's Institute of Torah!

May you continue to be a  
pillar of Torah and a role  
model for your community  
and all of Klal Yisroel.

**”מחיל אל חיל”**

Best wishes,  
Adi and Tuvia Eiger

Mazel Tov on this  
well deserved honor.

Thank you for all that you do  
for us and with us. Our family  
is honored to be part of the  
extended Elman family.

Linda, you are a true role model  
and have brought so much  
Torah learning to the Baltimore  
community - we are so proud  
of all your accomplishments.

Yosey & Sima  
Penina  
Yisroel & Ruti  
Yaakov & Yocheved  
Pinchos & Elisheva  
Yossi & Yehudis  
Yis & Michal  
Yisroel Tzvi & Shulamis

For my dear friend, neighbor  
and esteemed colleague, I am so  
grateful for your years of dedicated  
leadership serving my personal  
favorite community organization,  
the Rebbetzin Frieda K. Hirmes  
Women's Institute of Torah.

Your passion for women's learning  
to deepen our connection to our  
Mesorah and enhance family life has  
guided WIT's growth, most notably  
through the pandemic. You see  
opportunities, not problems.

I look forward to many more  
occasions to work and celebrate  
together, until 120.

May HaKodesh Baruch Hu answer  
all your prayers for the greatest  
possible good-- for your family, for  
our community and for K'lal Yisroel.

Lovingly,  
Marlene Daniel

To Linda  
חנה רבקה

Your name tells your essence.

### חנה

חנה, wife of אלקנה, inspired the women of her day to be עולה רגל, to form a connection and relationship with הקב"ה.

Linda, you have this same passion.  
Whether it is a WIT trip to א"י, scholars in residence, speakers from א"י -  
or zoom classes touring the land of א"י -  
Linda you have inspired our women with this love and passion.

### רבקה

Epitomizes חסד.

Linda, you have made it your priority to serve the Jewish community,  
whether in Baltimore or in א"י.

Linda, together with Michael, you have shared your love for א"י  
and your passion for חסד.  
Our family has tremendous הכרת הטוב to the two of you.

With great appreciation,  
Ettie and Dovid Rosenbaum

"על שלושה דברים העולם עומד,  
על התורה, ועל העבודה, ועל גמילת חסדים"

*The world depends on three things:  
Torah study, service, and kind deeds*

Linda, your outstanding accomplishments  
in all three of these areas truly make  
you a pillar of our community.

You have been my friend, mentor  
and inspiration for the many years  
which we know each other.

May you go מחיל לחיל, from strength  
to strength and continue to do so  
much good for many more years.

Sharon and David Zuckerbrod



**SHARON ZUCKERBROD**  
ABR, Accredited Buyer Representative  
Life Member, Real Estate  
Million Dollar Association Ltd.  
Greenspring Valley/Lutherville Office  
10801 Tony Drive  
Cellular: 410-599-5303 • Home: 410-653-8654  
Office: 410-583-5700 • Fax: 410-653-3804  
sharon.zuckerbrod@longandfoster.com  
www.sharonzuckerbrod.inf.com



Wishing Mazel Tov to my  
dear friend and fearless leader

LINDA

for almost two decades of  
incredible years devoted to WIT.

Your passion, leadership and incredible  
heart have brought every woman touched  
by our array of incredible classes, trips  
and ideas into a higher respect and  
knowledge for our women.

Along with Andrea at your side, working  
with you has been an unbelievable learning  
experience for me. Thank you for everything  
organizationally and personal.

Linda, you are the best!

Hatzlacha and bracha in  
everything you do in the future.

Love,  
Eve



*Messing Candle Lites*  
*Eve Messing*

Word of mouth is our best  
*advertisement*  
410-218-5124

6307 Pimlico Rd | Baltimore, MD 21209 | 410-218-5124 | evemessing@verizon.net

In honor, admiration and  
appreciation of Linda S. Elman.

Your unwavering dedication  
to your family, the Baltimore  
community and to the  
Women's Institute of Torah  
is all done with **לכת הצנע** is  
something we all admire.

Your involvement and generosity  
span our community. Your  
friendship and caring know no  
bounds. I am honored to be  
among all your friends and  
admirers here tonight.

Hashem should give you the  
strength and years to continue  
in all your good ways!

With love and admiration,  
Pearl

Thank you, Linda, for your amazing dedication and hard work on behalf of WIT, an organization that has elevated and infused the lives of so many women in our community and beyond with Torah knowledge and ruchnius. We are so lucky to have you as a leader. Your boundless energy and devotion to Am Yisroel are truly inspirational.

Also thank you to Andrea Schulman, a true miracle worker behind the scenes who makes everything happen.

And thank you to the wonderful, gifted teachers who share their deep knowledge of Torah in such motivating ways.

Jody Crane

Through your vision, leadership and action, WIT has transformed and elevated Baltimore's Torah values.

May you continue to see hatzlacha in all your endeavors.

We are grateful for your friendship.

Suri and Barry Reiner

Dear Linda,

Mazel Tov on this  
well deserved honor.

You are an inspiration to us all.

It was a privilege to  
serve on the WIT board  
under your leadership.

Sincerely,  
Dovid and Sarah Leipnik

We could not decide whether Linda  
is like family with the benefits of a  
friend, or whether she is a friend,  
with benefits of family. At the end  
of the day, it really doesn't matter.

We feel privileged to have a special,  
unique, and close relationship with a  
most remarkable and multi-faceted  
person, regardless of how one  
defines it.

The Women's Institute of Torah  
could not have chosen a more worthy  
honoree. We consider it a "zechus"  
to be able to participate in this honor  
and help support an organization  
that means so much to Linda.

Mazel Tov!

Henoch & Mina Azrikan  
Avi & Gitty Rosenzweig  
Doris "Bahbie" Rottenberg

Dear, dear Linda,

Jewish women have grown tremendously due to your passion, personal attention and purpose to enrich and enhance every woman fortunate to attend WIT.

Thank you for your exceptional head, heart and leadership.

With much love,  
appreciation and admiration,  
Linda A. Hurwitz

Mazel Tov Linda  
on this well  
deserved honor.

Frona Brown  
and Family

Mazel Tov on this most  
deserving honor being given  
to Linda Elman for her tireless  
efforts on behalf of WIT.

May Hashem continue  
to grant you the strength  
to be successful in all  
of your future endeavors!

May you continue to be  
an inspiration to us all!!!!

Bruce and Julie Fried

Congratulations  
to our friend  
Linda S. Elman

Alex Cooper Auctioneers Inc.

Annette & Joe Cooper

IN HONOR OF  
LINDA S. ELMAN

“What is chesed?  
It is usually translated as ‘kindness’  
but it also means ‘love’ - not  
love as emotion or passion,  
but love expressed as deed.”

- Rabbi Jonathan Sacks, z”tl

Linda, thank you for your years  
of chesed for our community.

But most of all, Linda, thank you  
for your love and encouragement.  
We are better Jews, better people,  
because we have you as a friend.

Ann Ellen and Moshe Gavant

We join WIT in honoring  
our dear friend Linda Elman.

Linda, your dedication and  
devotion to WIT and the many  
other worthy causes that you  
have embraced, are only  
surpassed by your love and  
loyalty to your family and friends.

May Hashem continue to give  
you the wisdom and strength to  
be the aishes chayil that you are.

Your longtime friends,  
Debbie and Ahron Gibber

You are an amazing leader,  
leading with grace,  
wisdom, and passion!

May you continue, in  
good health and koach,  
with Hashem blessing you  
with complete simcha and  
shalom, until 120, together  
with your dear family!

With gratitude and admiration,  
Chana Leah and Jordan Weiner

In honor of  
Linda Elman

May you go **מחיל אל חיל**  
in your service to Klal Yisroel  
and share with your husband  
much nachas from your  
wonderful family.

Ruthie and Ethan Kra

**חכמת נשים בנתה ביתה**  
(משלי יד)

"The wisest of women  
builds her house" (Proverbs)

In honor of our friend  
and role model  
Linda Elman

Rachel and Jonathan Groner  
Leslie and Ron Goldberg

LINDA

Mazel Tov on this well  
deserved, very special honor.

You were the one who inspired  
me to join WIT and I really thank  
you for that. WIT is a unique  
and very important organization,  
providing outstanding educators  
and amazing programming.

You are not just an  
inspiration to me, but to  
our entire community.

**הכרת הטוב** for all that  
you do!!!!

Barbara Goldberg

חכמת נשים בנתה ביתה  
(משלי יד)

In honor of our dear friend  
Linda  
whose boundless dedication  
to WIT has impacted and  
enriched so many.

May you and your special  
family be blessed with good  
health to continue your  
**עבודת הקדוש** for many years.

Fondly,  
Faye and Etzion

Mazel Tov to my dear  
friend Linda Elman on  
such an incredible honor.

You're a leader and role  
model for all to admire.

Congratulations on all  
of your accomplishments.

Your friend,  
Clara Klein

A heartfelt thank you to  
Linda for leading WIT  
these past years.

Her enthusiasm, skill and  
mentorship have enriched  
this amazing organization.

May she be blessed with  
all revealed good as she  
transitions to other endeavors.

Esther Weiner

Dearest Linda,  
You are a paragon  
of a community leader!

You put your heart into  
furthering women's Torah  
study, you care for the  
mentally handicapped and  
you set the bar high for  
advocacy for Eretz Yisrael.

I learn so much from all that  
you do and from the classy,  
dignified way you do it all.

May you continue to  
build and inspire.

With love and admiration,  
Atara Frankel

In honor of our dear friend  
Linda Elman.

Mazel Tov on this beautiful  
tribute. We are grateful for  
the many opportunities you  
have created, supported and  
encouraged for the women  
of our community and the  
Jewish world community.

Thank you!

With deep appreciation  
and admiration,  
Rabbi Menachem and Bracha  
Goldberger

Mazel Tov to  
Mrs. Linda Elman  
whose hard work, dedication  
and selfless commitment to  
WIT is an inspiration to us all.

Wishing you continued  
success in all your endeavors.

From,  
Atlantic Seaboard NCSY  
Rabbi Jonah Lerner,  
Regional Director

Avi Melamed, Maia Hoffman,  
and Sandy Hoffman pay  
tribute to Linda Elman for  
her decades of service to the  
Women's Institute of Torah,  
and for the years she served  
as president of WIT.

Linda's unparalleled commitment,  
dedication, energy, love, and  
passion for educating the  
Jewish people - and particularly  
Jewish women - is a blessing  
to the Baltimore Jewish  
community and Klal Yisrael.

Linda is truly an inspiration  
and a role model to Jews  
across the globe.

**To Linda Elman,**

Mazel Tov on this very well deserved honor. Your commitment and investment in women's growth and learning, as well as your tireless work on behalf of the klal, is truly inspiring. Through your klal work, you have demonstrated for future generations what it means to give to your community with passion and how to do it all while making a Kiddush Hashem. While I have not had the time and opportunity to attend WIT classes on a regular basis in past years, I will never forget my appreciation for having WIT during my post-seminary years.

May you continue to see much bracha  
and mazel in everything you do.

**To Leah Berry,**

I am so proud to call you a friend. Your ability to focus on what is important and create balance all while giving of yourself to others and the community has taught me so much. You have and continue to be a mentor and role model for me and so many others, and for that I am forever grateful. As president of WIT, I know you will continue the important work that Linda and others have started to provide quality learning experiences for the women in our community. May Hashem continue to give much bracha to you and Natan.

Much thanks and appreciation,  
Chana Siff

Mazel Tov Linda  
on your well  
deserved honor!

Laurie and Jordan Slone

Mazel Tov, Linda,  
on your well deserved honor!

Your boundless dedication to  
and chesed for our community  
are an inspiration for us all!

Love,  
Linda Storch

Dear Linda,  
Mazel Tov on this truly  
well deserved honor.

You are genuinely a visionary  
and a leader-both anticipating  
what the women of Baltimore  
needed to grow and leading WIT  
with dedication, enthusiasm and  
pure love of Torah learning.

May Hashem shower you,  
Michael and your beautiful  
family with bracha, mazel and  
the strength to continue all  
the unparalleled work you  
do for Klal Yisroel.

All our best,  
Sharlene and Joel Pleeter

**WIT** plays a vital role in  
the Baltimore community.

It is a place for women to  
learn and to be inspired.  
A place where women grow  
in their knowledge of תורה  
and their connection to הקב"ה.

Thank you Linda for your years  
of dedication and מסירת נפש  
for the women of **WIT**.



**Rebbetzin Ettie Rosenbaum**  
*Executive Dean/Menacheles*

**Dr. Leslie G. Klein**  
*Academic Dean*

Mazel Tov Linda on this well deserved honor.

The Baltimore community has gained so much from your leadership.

As a recipient of your kindness and generosity we thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

Debbie Langer  
and  
Shelley Kadden

Linda-  
You are an absolute gift to us all!

Mazel Tov on this well deserved honor.

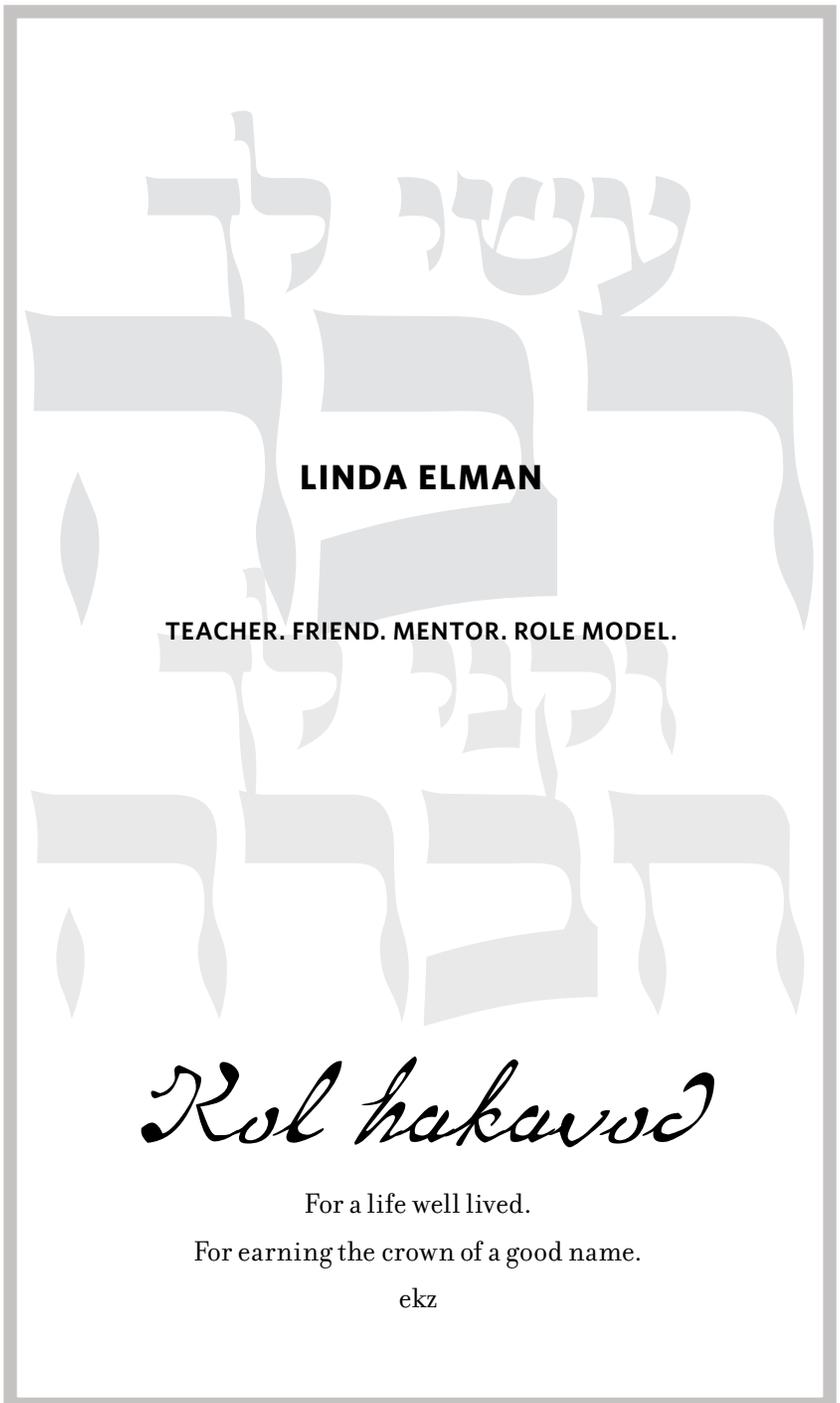
With much love,  
admiration and appreciation  
for all you do,  
Anna Klein

Mazel Tov Linda on this most  
deserving recognition!

Your dedication, commitment and  
tireless efforts for the Baltimore  
community is exemplary and is  
a source of inspiration for all.

Thank you for your leadership and  
devotion to women's education  
and Torah growth. May you  
continue to lead and inspire us  
for many years to come.

With appreciation and admiration,  
Malke and David Kramer



**LINDA ELMAN**

**TEACHER. FRIEND. MENTOR. ROLE MODEL.**

*Kol hakavod*

For a life well lived.

For earning the crown of a good name.

ekz

**MAZEL TOV TO  
LINDA S. ELMAN**  
on this well-deserved honor!

Thank you for everything  
you do in support of Israel,  
Israel Bonds and our community!

Your incredible leadership  
is an inspiration, and you are a  
true role model to so many others.

*May you continue to go  
from strength to strength!*

INVEST IN ISRAEL BONDS  
**ISRAELBONDS.COM**



Development Corporation for Israel  
Steven A. Cohen, Executive Director  
Hillary Lewis & Ayelet Weiss  
Registered Representatives  
baltimore@israelbonds.com \* 410.484.6670, ext. 1

This is not an offering, which can be made only by prospectus. Read the prospectus carefully  
before investing to fully evaluate the risks associated with investing in Israel bonds.  
Member FINRA.

Linda, it is because of your  
dedication and commitment  
in everything you do that  
makes you succeed and  
accomplish so much.

I am proud and honored  
to have you as a friend!

Mazel Tov on this  
well deserved honor!

Gayle Aronin

In honor of Linda  
and the best Mo!

We are so happy to see that  
your incredible dedication  
is being recognized by WIT.

We all feel blessed to have  
the opportunity to thank you  
for all that you have done  
for our respective families.

Mazel Tov on this (extremely)  
well deserved honor.

Yisroel and Julie Roll  
Dovid and Chani Roll

To our esteemed honoree  
Linda Elman

We admire and respect your  
dedication to ensuring the  
success of WIT.

May your family, friends and the  
entire community follow in your  
footsteps to help perpetuate  
the great work of WIT.

We wish you continued success  
in all of your endeavors and may  
our community, your children  
and grandchildren continue to  
learn by your example.

Mazel Tov!  
Judy & Barry Nabozny

Dear Linda,

Mazel Tov on your being honored for your dedication and devotion in providing exemplary Jewish education to women in our community, and, more recently, globally.

We are all grateful to you for your mesiras nefesh as long standing President of WIT, in addition to your countless other outstanding efforts on behalf of Klal Yisroel and Eretz Yisroel.

You inspire us all!

May HKBH continue to grant you and your beautiful family much bracha, good health, and hatzlacha.

With love,  
Lorna Durso

In tribute to Linda Elman,  
a cherished member of  
our shul and a leader of  
the Jewish community  
in Baltimore and across  
the world.

Bnai Jacob Shaarei Zion

Rabbi Daniel Rose, Rabbi  
Phil Bogart, President



Our Shul joins the  
Women's Institute of Torah  
in paying tribute to our  
esteemed member

**MRS. LINDA ELMAN**

in recognition of her selfless  
effort and dedication to the  
Torah education of the women  
of our community.

CONGREGATION  
SHOMREI EMUNAH

Rabbi Binyamin and  
Rebbetzin Dr. Miriam Marwick

Dr. Kenneth Friedman, President



Mazel Tov to  
Mrs. Linda Elman

Thank you for your incredible  
and unwavering dedication and  
commitment to WIT, the Baltimore  
community, and Klal Yisrael.

May Hashem give you strength to  
continue in your avodas hakodesh.

Rabbi Shmuel Silber  
Suburban Orthodox  
Congregation Toras Chaim

Adam Ben-Zev  
President

Shani Topper  
Executive Director



Mazel Tov to our dear  
friend Linda on this  
well deserved honor.

May you continue  
**מחיל אל חיל!**

With love and admiration,  
Beth and Aaron Goldberg

In Honor of  
Mrs. Linda S. Elman

Our community benefits  
immensely from Linda's  
visionary leadership.

Miri and Jacob Slone  
and Family

In Honor of  
Linda S. Elman  
on this well deserved honor.

I am in awe of you.  
You truly exemplify what chesed is.

Your professionalism, deep love for and concern of your fellow man, your selfless dedication, endless energy and attention to detail has changed the lives of so many families, enhanced our schools, shuls, organizations, businesses as well as yeshivos near and far.

In your unassuming way, always with a smile on your face, you deeply impact everyone you meet. It is inspiring....you are truly an Aishes Chayil, a woman we all try to emulate, yet never seem to quite reach your heights.

May Hashem always bless you and your lovely family with Arichas Yamim, in good health, filled with simcha, shalom, bracha, parnosa, hatzlacha, overflowing nachas from your beautiful family and the koach to continue your meaningful and life-changing work for Klal Yisroel.

With my utmost admiration,  
Stacey R. Goldenberg

Mrs. Elman,

Yasher Koach for all  
that you do for WIT and  
the Baltimore community.

Itzi and Dassie Barr

In honor of  
 Michael and Linda Elman  
 whose passion and drive  
 to contribute towards her  
 family, friends and community  
 is an inspiration to us all!

Wasserman and Lemberger

Arie and Rachel Benjamin

Mazel Tov Linda!

You dedicated yourself to the  
 women of our community.

You curated a program to meet the  
 educational and social needs of a  
 diverse community of women in a  
 thoughtful and respectful manner.

And what you do for WIT is just the  
 surface of your legacy of leadership.

You are a role model for how a true  
 believer influences the community at  
 large through your support of Israel,  
 support of Jewish Baltimore and  
 support of Baltimore's Jewish children.

May Hashem continue to bless all  
 your efforts and may you and your  
 family continue to thrive here in  
 Baltimore and in Eretz Yisrael.

Chaim and Sherry Berlin

Mazel Tov Linda on  
receiving WIT's Visionary  
Leadership Award.  
You are an inspiration  
to us and a role model of  
Jewish communal leadership.  
We are so appreciative of all  
that you do throughout the  
Baltimore Jewish community.

May you continue your  
avodas hakodesh for  
many years to come.

With gratitude,  
Pearl & Marcel Reischer

Mazel Tov to a dear  
friend and role model Linda,  
who always has a smile  
and a good word!

Zippy and Tuvia Blechman

Special thanks to  
Shelly's Blossom Shop  
for tonight's beautiful  
centerpieces.

We truly value your  
partnership and generosity.

*Shelly's*  
**BLOSSOM SHOP**

410-961-4199  
[shellysblossomshop@gmail.com](mailto:shellysblossomshop@gmail.com)



*Half  
Pages*

Mazel Tov Aunt Linda!

We Love You!

Love,  
Danny, Tziporah,  
MJ and Emmie

Mazel Tov Linda

You are an inspiration to us all.  
You are kind, generous and  
a hard worker.  
Wishing you all the best.

Love,  
Amy Harris

Words can not describe the  
appreciation and gratitude I have  
for you and your entire family.  
Therefore, I will just say Thank You!

May you continue to only  
share in simchas.

Shuie H.

Thank you Mrs. Elman for setting  
such a strong example of  
communal leadership and chesed.  
Your dedication to WIT and countless  
other organizations has inspired  
me throughout the years.  
You are a true role model to all  
of the women in our community.

With deep admiration,  
AdinaB

Dear Linda,  
 With much admiration & respect for your years leading WIT, without which I would never have been able to attend "seminary"! Truly without YOUR VISION & Hannah Storch a"h guiding you-- the women of Baltimore would not have had the opportunity in learning Torah!! May HASHEM grant you the ability to continue on to your next endeavor for Klal Yisroel in strength & good health.

Mazel Tov on this well deserved honor,  
 Marge Edelman

In honor of Linda Elman

Thank you for the untold hours of time and effort you dedicate to WIT and the numerous Jewish institutions in our community and around the world. We wish you, Michael and your entire family continued success.

Joy and Steven Graber

Mazel Tov to Mrs. Linda Elman on receiving the Visionary Leadership Award!  
 Linda, you are a role model for Jewish women. Your devotion to your beloved family and your passion for Torah and klal yisrael are testaments to your commitment to your values and priorities.

I am grateful for the privilege of serving on your boards at both WIT and Levindale Auxiliary. You are a mentor for me, with your talented, professional, skilled leadership combined with warmth, grace and charm. You cherish and value each board member, and empower us to develop our unique strengths and skills. I deeply appreciate your guidance and wisdom.

May you and Michael be blessed with good health and strength to continue serving Hakadosh Baruch Hu b'simcha and bringing nachas to Hashem.

יהי רצון שתזכו לראות בנים ובני בנים עוסקים בתורה ובמצוות לעולמי עד

I also express my gratitude to Andrea for everything you do to make Torah so accessible and pleasant!

May you go from strength to strength,  
 Bernhard and Varda Birnbaum

Linda, you are an inspiring role model for everyone in our community. Your leadership demonstrates how much one person can accomplish with dedication, commitment and perseverance.

May you and your family be blessed with good health, much simcha and continuous nachas!

Flo and Larry Ziffer

Mazel Tov Linda,

Your chesed at WIT and other organizations is an inspiration to your family and friends.

Beth & Philip Weinberg

To my good friend Linda...

With great admiration for all you do and have always done for Klal Yisroel.

Yasher Koach,  
Ruthie Ingber

Mazel Tov to Mrs. Linda S. Elman for this well deserved honor.

Thank you for your outstanding leadership of WIT and for being a role model, mentor, and friend. May Hashem continue to bless you with many more years of bracha and hatzlacha, good health and nachas from your beautiful family.

Dani and Bracha Poliakoff

Linda,

We admire your leadership skills and ability to create and implement your visions. May Hashem continue to give you the insight to serve Him with nachas and brachos for Michael and you to share in good health with your beautiful family.

With admiration,  
Hali and Chaim

In honor of Linda Elman,  
a true visionary!  
May you go mai'chayil el chayil.

Sara Brejt

Linda, congratulations on an  
amazing "term in office."  
We would wish you a restful  
retirement, but we know better!  
And we wish Leah an  
equally successful 20 years.

We love both of you.

Julie & Gary Applebaum

Linda

Mazel Tov on receiving the  
Melave Malka award!!  
I am so proud to call you my friend!

Wishing you the best!!

Debra Attman

Dear Linda-

Mazel Tov on receiving this very well  
deserved honor from WIT.

Your sincerity and unwavering dedication to the  
enhancement of Torah learning is apparent to all who  
know you. From the classes to the special programs  
and trips, your tireless efforts know no bounds.

Thank you for all the projects you've undertaken  
with enthusiasm, flair and generosity.

Thank you for all that you do for the community,  
but most of all, thank you for your friendship.

Phyllis Barax and Shifra Rabenstein

Mazel Tov Linda on this well  
deserved honor. May you continue  
to go from strength to strength.

Love,  
Sid and Michal Schechet

Dearest Linda,  
I will never be able to express enough appreciation  
for your support, guidance, wisdom and ultimately  
your friendship over the past few years. I treasure  
all of our conversations, and your dedication on a  
communal and individual level is an inspiration to me.

וּמַצְדִּיקֵי הָרַבִּים כְּכּוֹכְבִּים לְעוֹלָם וָעֶד - 'Those who bring merit  
to the community are like the stars forever' (Daniel 12:3)

Like the bright light of the stars, the Torah learning  
that you have brought to so many women will  
surely continue to shine for eternity.

Much love,  
Ruhama Welcher

Mazel Tov to a well  
deserving honoree  
Linda Elman.

You are an inspiration to  
all who know you.

Myra & Bill Fox

Dear Linda,

With much hakaras hatov  
for the many years you gave  
of yourself to WIT and the  
entire Baltimore community,  
and a special thank you for  
your friendship.

Marion Gutman

Mazel Tov to my dear friend  
Linda on this most deserving honor!

Roz Weiner

In honor of  
Linda Elman  
who serves as a role model,  
along with her family, as to  
what it means to serve  
the community.

Simcha and Leah Kossman

Congratulations Linda!

A well deserved honor  
for an amazing woman.

With great admiration and love,  
Jayne Klein

Mazel Tov Linda!

WIT and our community  
are lucky to have you.

Elaine & Marc Lowen  
Lori & Sammy Pleeter  
Donna & Dov Perlmutter  
Amy & Daniel Brody

Mazel Tov to Linda Elman  
on a well deserved honor.

Laurie and Aaron Margolies

Best wishes to Linda on  
this most deserved honor.  
There is no one who is more  
concerned about helping  
others than her and is truly  
an inspiration to us all.

Jay and Cyndee Meystel

In honor of Linda

A woman who wears countless hats and is  
involved in many chesed organizations run  
within the city, the country and the world.  
Her stamp is everywhere. Her warmth,  
her drive, her hard work is apparent in  
everything she does. I am lucky enough  
to call her my friend. To our friendship!

May you have the strength to continue in all  
that you do. Much nachas and mazel always.

Idy Moskovitz

Linda,

It is certainly with much personal  
satisfaction and great hakaras hatov  
to the Ribono Shel Olam that you can  
look back at your contributions to WIT.  
Thank you for your dedication and  
commitment to this most  
wonderful institution.

Fondly,  
Rachel Neuberger

“Whoever honors Torah,  
will be honored before others.”  
(Pirkei Avot 4.6)

Thank you for your leadership  
throughout the years.

Nina & Stuart Rosenzweig

Thank you Linda for all you do for our  
community and especially what you  
accomplished during your tenure at WIT.

May Hashem give you the strength  
to carry on your avodas hakodesh.

Dena & Hillel Soclof

We pay tribute to a very special woman  
of valor. There are not enough words  
to describe all that you do in helping the  
Jewish community here and abroad.  
May Hashem continue to heap a shefah  
of bracha, simchos, and good health  
for you and all your loved ones.

With warmest regards,  
Shabsi and Sima Schneider

Mazel Tov to Linda Elman  
on this wonderful celebration of  
everything you've accomplished  
on behalf of WIT.

Best Wishes,  
Robin & David Stern

In honor and in appreciation of  
**Linda S. Elman**  
on this well deserved honor.

We have seen firsthand how you have devoted  
your life to enrich the lives of others.

As a dear friend and dedicated board member, we have  
learned so much from you. Your selfless dedication and  
devotion to your family, WIT, friends, countless shuls, our  
community, or throughout the world, is truly inspiring!

May Hashem always bless you and your beautiful family  
with good health, bracha, simcha, shalom and the  
koach to continue your meaningful work for the klal.



Keren Traub & Stacey Goldenberg  
Jewish Caring Network- Tikva House



Mazel Tov Linda  
on this well deserved  
recognition and honor!

May you go from  
strength to strength!

Yocheved and Donald Liss

Mazel Tov to Linda Elman  
on this well deserved honor!

May you continue to do incredible  
chesed in our community.

Love,  
The Levindale Auxiliary

Mazel Tov Linda on this  
well deserved honor for your  
tireless dedication to WIT.

You're a shining example of  
what it means to be a בעלת חסד.

Eli and Ronnie Schlossberg

To our dear family, friend, and neighbor

LINDA, עמו"ש

We could not think of anyone who is more deserving of this honor than you.

Your devotion to WIT and to women's education and growth all over the world is immeasurable. May Hashem grant you koach and success to continue to provide women with the opportunity to learn and grow.

Dovid and Chaya Fink

Linda continues to serve many Baltimore Jewish organizations and institutions ably and selflessly.

She is an extraordinary and inspiring role model for Baltimore's Jewish women. This honor is well deserved.

Lara and Larry Franks

In honor of Linda Elman for her leadership, love, dedication and commitment to Jewish education and especially to Jewish women's education and knowledge.

The FIDF Baltimore Board



To the most amazing lady and my awesome friend. We are all blessed to have you in our lives. We are always so proud of your hard work, devotion, dedication and accomplishments. I want to be like you when I grow up.

Avraham and Shaindy Kelman

*ShainDee Cosmetics*

*4103581855 Baltimore*

*0584438585 Jerusalem*

*We love taking care of you.*

Mazel Tov on  
your accomplishments!  
You are certainly a brilliant  
star in our family.

Love,  
Lisa, Seth, Eliana,  
Shiri and Gavriel Pachino

In gratitude to Linda Elman  
for all she has done for WIT and  
for the incredible women's  
tours she led to Israel!

With much appreciation,  
Feige Baumer

Mazel Tov to a truly  
deserving Eshet Chayil!

In admiration of your huge  
heart and all the good you do!

Tova Natanzon and Vered,  
Jacey, Brianna, Maya and Shyli

Mazel Tov!

Linda, you have been an inspiration  
to our community and to the  
women of Klal Yisrael.

Your dedication, determination and  
drive is unparalleled. Your beautiful  
spirit, guidance and commitment is  
an inspiration to us all. A well  
deserved recognition of who  
you and your family are.

Andrew & Lenie Singer



Linda's fellow board members of the Edward A. Myerberg Center congratulate her for her well deserved recognition serving our Jewish community.

In honor of Linda Elman, a woman who selflessly devotes so much of her time to better our community.

May Hashem give you the strength to continue your avodas hakodesh!

Aliza Wein

Linda,

In appreciation for all that you do. We are privileged to call you a friend. You are an inspiration to the entire Klal Yisrael.

Yankie & Cathy Dinowitz  
Marcy & Michael Langbaum

Mazel Tov Linda on this well deserved honor!

You continue to inspire us in everything you do!

Love,  
Yael, Meir, Lili, and Max

Everyday there is a chance to be a leader.  
Linda Elman has always said "yes" to stepping in, and helping others to "step up." WIT and our community are better because of her leadership! She is a role model for humility and integrity.

Mazel Tov on a well earned tribute.

Debs and Joe Weinberg

In honor of Linda Elman.  
In admiration for your leadership in our community as we have all benefited greatly from all of your hard work and dedication.

May you be zoche to continue in your klal work in good health, ad meah v'esrim.

Shimon and Shevi Marciano

Dear Linda, עמו"ש

I cannot believe that I will not be there, in person, at the Melave Malka to honor you, an honor that is truly well deserved. Hershel and I have the highest esteem for you and the greatest respect. Nothing is ever too difficult, not doable, not in your league, when it involves Jewish causes, in general, and Jewish education, in particular. We feel honored to honor you and to count you and Michael among our friends.

Esther & Herschel Boehm

בואי וראי אשת חיל אשר נרה לא יכבה בליל יד מושיטה לכל תלמידה ומרעיפה חום ואהבה לכלל	בואי וראי חכמת אשה בנתה WIT אשר את מלאות ידיה במצוות כרימון ומעשים טובים לאלפי אלפים
---	---

לינדה היקרה היריעה תקצר והדיו יכלה לתאר את כל מה שעשית ועושה למען הכלל	בואי וראי גבורת אשה אשר נלחמת בחירוף נפשה לכל ארגון ומפעלי חסד מי ישווה כמותה
---	--

תהי משכרתך שלמה מאת השם

באהבה רבה  
אסתר בדיאן

AIPAC APPLAUDS

*Linda S. Elman*

MAZEL TOV

ON THIS WELL DESERVED HONOR!  
THANK YOU FOR YOUR LEADERSHIP AND  
FOR ALL YOU DO TO EDUCATE  
AND INSPIRE OUR COMMUNITY.

WITH GRATITUDE,  
BRIANA & YOUR AIPAC FAMILY



Mazel Tov on this  
well deserved honor.

May Hashem grant you the  
ability to continue your  
wonderful work for the klal.

Shraga and Perri Goldenhersh

תנו לה מפרי ידיה, ויהללוה בשערי מעשיה

*Give her the fruits of her hands; and let her  
be praised in the gates by her very own deeds!*

MAZEL TOV TO OUR DEAR LINDA!

It's not just what you do, but how you do all that you do...  
with grace, kindness, care & generosity. There may be those  
big things many see that you are selflessly involved in nonstop;  
yet you make time for all the chesed behind the scenes  
with acts seemingly small with huge impact.

We are privileged to have you in our personal orbit. Whether  
or not you can actually set up your own zelle or zoom,  
you always accomplish all the tasks that come your way!

Looking forward to whatever is next in our chabura...

With love and admiration,  
Sherri & Bleemie

רבות בנות עשו חיל ואת עלית על כלנה

Linda, your leadership has enhanced  
our community, and you are a role model  
of sincere involvement in its needs.

May Hashem give you and Michael koach  
to continue in all your important work, and  
great nachas from your beautiful family.

Love,  
Janet and Shragie

Mazel Tov Linda on  
this well deserved honor.

Ilene and Akiva Miller

Mazel Tov to Linda Elman  
on a well deserved honor.

With much appreciation for the profound  
impact you make on the lives of so many,  
(most often behind the scenes).

You are a loyal friend and an inspiration to  
our community, as well as those to whom you  
so selflessly and generously open your home.

With admiration, your friends of long standing,  
Leni and Sam Broder  
Jay and Robin Schwarz

In honor of a very special woman,

Linda Elman

From pricing the first felt hats to Friday  
night Rummikub games, from (my first)  
train ride to non-stop pinball in your  
parents' basement, I've admired you for  
a very long time. May you continue to  
inspire and enrich the lives of many  
women in Baltimore and the world.

Fondly,  
Tammy Reischer

To Linda

The most amazing woman I know and  
I do want to be you when I grow up.

Rosalie Alter

In honor of Linda Elman.

Thank you for all that you do.  
You are a true role model.

With much admiration,  
Chumi and Elli Azman

In honor of Mrs. Linda Elman  
for her tireless dedication to WIT,  
our community and Klal Yisroel.

Khal Ahavas Yisroel Tzemach Tzedek

Rabbi Dovid Heber, Rav  
Shloime Grunhut, President

It is an honor to honor you, Linda.

You are such an amazing person!

Love,  
Rochel Perlow

Wishing Linda Elman and WIT  
continued success and good  
health in all of their endeavors.

Fondly,  
Evy Getz

Mazel Tov to Linda Elman on  
the Visionary Leadership Award!

May you always continue to be  
an inspiration to the community!

Merav and Ari Samuel  
Liron and Cobi Friedman

In honor of the inimitable  
Linda Elman whose generosity and  
compassion are emulated by all.

With much love,  
Avigail and Moshe Azman  
and family

*We congratulate Linda on her 20 years with WIT.*

*Her dedication to every  
organization she touches is blessed  
by her knowledge, experience  
and thoughtfulness.*

*Mazel Tov,*

*Rochelle Bohrer, Marcia Bornfriend,  
Iris Miller, Betsy Narrow, Linda Roedel,  
Deverah Routman, and Eve Vogelstein*

Mazel Tov to our dear friend  
Linda Elman.

From,  
Irwin and Donna Azman

וייהללו בשערים מעשייה



Linda,

מזל טוב!

May 'ה continue to shower you with נח  
and הצלחה to enable you to pursue and  
fulfill more and more noble endeavors!

In admiration,  
Rivka Fulda

In honor and appreciation  
of our dear friend  
Linda Elman.

Matriarch of a warm and generous family,  
her love of learning, kindness, wisdom,  
and hospitality know no bounds and  
have touched so many.

Moishe and Shaindy Kurzmann  
Monsey, NY

In honor of Linda Elman

Mazel Tov and thank you for your  
leadership and service to WIT and your  
support of women's Torah learning.

Special thanks to Andrea Schulman  
for her tireless efforts.

With gratitude,  
Edie Goldberg

Hats off to Linda for her many  
contributions to Jewish society!

Mazel Tov!!

May Hashem bless you with  
everything good always.

Brenda and Isaac Samuel

In honor of Linda Elman:  
an exemplary role model  
and valued friend.

Mazel Tov!  
Aliza and Elliott Sharaby

Dear Linda (my "oldest" friend),

I was blessed by Hashem to be inspired  
by your learning and commitment when  
we were high school girls. It does not  
surprise me that you have cultivated a  
multi-generational learning program for  
more women to learn and be inspired  
by and with you.

With love and affection,  
Sheri L Prupis (& Asher Najer)

Mazel Tov to Mrs. Linda Elman on  
receiving the Visionary Leadership Award.

A true leader is one that leads by example,  
without calling much attention to him or  
herself. Very few people know all that you do.  
We are truly privileged to be honorary members  
of your family, where you and Michael have been  
true role models to us of what it means to give  
selflessly to your community and to others.  
May you go m'chayil el chayil.

Chanie and Boruch Bernstein

Linda is a most wonderful person  
and very well deserving of this  
great honor and I am happy  
to be favorite cousin  
(2<sup>nd</sup> cousin, 3 times removed).

Jerry and Ellen Friedman

Yasher Koach Linda!

May you continue all the work you do for the Baltimore kehillah in good health and with good mazel.

Best,  
Liba Benus

Mrs. Elman,

Mazel Tov on this much deserved honor! Your commitment to so many community initiatives is truly inspiring and WIT is fortunate to have had your support all these years.

You are a tremendous role model to me and many others in this community.

Thank you for all that you have done and continue to do.

Atara Ziffer

In recognition of all your time, hard work and dedication that you put into Jewish education and WIT.

Watching what you do for the women of our community everyday, whether it is dressing them, teaching them or being a role model to them is an inspiration to us all.

May Hashem continue to give you strength and siyata d'shmaya for many many more years to come.

Brochie, Chani, Devora, Elisheva, Rachel, Reena

Mazel Tov Linda upon the honor bestowed upon you tonight!!

May Hashem give you the strength to continue to always be involved in so many worthy causes in Baltimore and Israel.

Fondly,  
Tommy & Ruthy Azman

In honor of Mrs. Linda Elman

Congratulations on this well deserved recognition. Thank you for always making your home our home away from home. May you continue to have the z'chus of opening your home to Torah and chesed causes.

With much appreciation,  
Sari and Mordechai Grunwald

In honor of Linda Elman whose dedication and commitment to the Rebbetzin Frieda K. Hirmes Women's Institute of Torah and the women of Baltimore is truly inspirational.

May you continue to share your talents, and wisdom as you go **מחיל אל חיל**.

Rivka Segal

We join in honoring

**MRS. LINDA ELMAN** תח"י,

whose home is the embassy of Mir Yerushalayim and who has always been in the forefront of all worthy causes for Torah and chesed.

She truly deserves this special recognition.

May Hashem continue giving her the z'chus of lending a helping hand to noble causes worldwide.

Warmly,  
Rebbetzin Leah Finkel  
Rebbetzin Sara Levovitz  
Yeshivas Mir Yerushalayim



Mazel Tov dear Linda on this well deserved honor from WIT.

May you be able to continue doing for the klal with great vigor and in the best of health, and may HKBH repay you with bountiful blessings, always and in all ways.

Chana Rachel Moss

In honor of Linda Elman

Susan Ascher

Mazel Tov and best wishes to Linda.

May you continue to be an  
inspiration to the entire community.

Betsy and David Katz

In honor of Mrs. Linda Elman  
for your tireless dedication to  
the women of our community.  
You are an inspiration to all!

Warmest wishes from your friends  
at Kaylah Diamonds & Jewelry

Mazel Tov Mrs. Linda Elman  
on this well deserved honor.

Your dedication to the klal  
and continued selflessness  
are an inspiration to us all.

Tami Feld and Frimee Goldstein

With much appreciation for all that you do for WIT, the entire Baltimore Jewish community and beyond, we wish you Mazel Tov on this well deserved honor.

Ari and Tiffy Storch

Mazel Tov Linda on this beautiful honor for all that you do in our community.

May you and Michael continue to have nachas from your beautiful family.

A special Mazel Tov from Nickie!

Chaim and Toby Pollack



To the greatest  
aunt in all  
of Baltimore!!!

Mazel Tov on this  
well deserved honor!

Yossi, Tova &  
Raphael G. Rubin

Dear Savta Linda,

Mazel Tov on your  
well deserved honor.  
We wish you much  
hatzlacha and bracha!

Much love,  
Mordy and Chanie  
Lyss and Family

In tribute to Linda Elman  
on this well deserved honor.

Your commitment of time,  
energy & resources to the  
women of our community  
is an inspiration.

May Hashem continue  
to give you strength to  
do all that you do!

With deep admiration,  
Simy Lewis

Yasher Koach to our  
wonderful friend,  
Linda Elman.

On top of this tremendous  
honor with WIT, Linda  
accomplishes an incredible  
amount for countless  
organizations and for  
individuals. Linda is  
someone we can all look  
up to and hope to  
accomplish a fraction  
of what she has.  
We are honored  
to be her friend.

Mazel Tov!

Randy and Mark  
Danziger

Mazel Tov Linda  
on a well deserved  
honor.

Betsy and Lou  
Narrow

Congratulations  
Linda  
on this honor.  
With gratitude for  
all that you do for  
our community.

Fondly,  
Syma Kelman

Mazel Tov to my  
dear friend Linda  
who has touched the  
lives of so many with  
her heartfelt dedication  
to empowering women  
through innovative  
learning based on the  
foundation of true  
Torah values.  
A well deserved honor!

Sally Levine  
Cleveland, Ohio

Being close friends  
of Linda's for more  
than 40 years, we can  
say that she has always  
been a leader and a  
giver and so, it is no  
surprise that she would  
take the helm of WIT and  
bring it to new heights.  
Her impact on the  
organization is  
immeasurable. A very  
well deserved honor!

Aharon and Shayna  
Subar

A well deserved honor to our dear friend  
Mrs. Linda S. Elman

Nechama & Lior Shtul  
Eli, Israel

In honor of  
Mrs. Linda Elman

A very special woman who has always been a shining example of giving back to the community with a smile.

From two of your biggest fans,  
Yonah and Rivky  
Abraham

A well deserved honor!

Mazel Tov!

Karen & Jeff  
Cohn

I am proud to call Linda a friend for the past 40 years. Linda shines brightly in the Jewish world as an example of kindness, chesed, generosity, and good friendship.

Wishing WIT much success moving forward,  
Judith Franks Farah RN

Congratulations to Linda on this well deserved honor.

Fondly,  
Mira Dahan

Linda, you inspire me every day. Our community is so blessed to have you as a fearless, brilliant, and dedicated leader.

Thank you for all that you do for women, Israel, and the entire Jewish community.

With much love and admiration,  
Liz Minkin-Friedman

Mazel Tov Linda!

Your devotion to WIT and the community at large is something we can all learn from. I consider it a true privilege to call you my friend.

With deep admiration,  
Esti Taragin

PS- I miss watching sunrise with you!

In honor of  
Mrs. Linda Elman,

A preeminent role model for the women of the Baltimore community, thank you for using your many talents to build WIT into the invaluable organization it is today.

Best wishes for continued strength and health!

Donna Wach



Jeffrey Holzman

**POLOVOY CUSTOM CLEANERS**

Professional Dry Cleaning Service

52 E. Sudbrook Lane  
Pikesville, MD 21208  
410.653.1277

12124 Greenspring Ave  
Owings Mills, MD 21117  
443.841.7095

**MARYLAND CENTER**

Oral Surgery & Dental Implants

**Julius Hyatt, DDS**

**Hunt Valley Medical Center**

10 Warren Road, Suite 330  
Cockeysville, MD 21030

410-666-5225 410-666-7220

mdcenteroms.com

**McDonogh Crossroads**

10 Crossroads Drive, Suite 20C  
Owings Mills, MD 21117

410-363-7780 410-581-0724

hyatt@comcast.net

Mazel Tov Linda!

Wishing you  
health and happiness  
in all your future  
endeavors.

Sandy Hoffman

Congratulations to  
a very special  
community leader!

Carol J. Caplan

In honor of  
Linda Elman

Lisa & Stuie  
Schabes

In honor of  
Linda Elman

Ellen & Noah  
Lightman

To my dear friend,  
Linda S. Elman.  
You are a treasure  
in our community –  
kind, wise, passionate  
and dedicated to the  
well being of the  
Jewish people.

May you go from  
strength to strength  
in all you do.

Fondly,  
Melinda Michel

In recognition  
of Linda's  
tireless dedication  
to the community.

Leah & Avrohom  
Margolis

An honor well  
deserved...  
Thank you for all  
that you do to inspire  
and enrich growth  
in Torah learning.

Charlotte & Jodi  
Reches

Thank you Linda  
for your  
important service.

Sandy & Larry  
Katz

In great admiration  
for all you do for  
Klal Yisroel.  
May you continue  
to be a source of  
light to all of us.

Sandy Lieder

Linda,  
In admiration  
for all you do  
for כלל ישראל.

Fannie

In honor of  
Mrs. Linda Elman

Shalom and Elana  
Rosenberg

Dearest Linda,  
  
Thank you so much  
for your selfless  
dedication to the  
Jewish community  
and Jewish education.  
The honor given is  
only a fraction of the  
honor deserved.

Love,  
Malina

In honor of  
Dr. and Mrs.  
Elman

Tzvi and Naomi  
Hefter

Linda,  
You are a pillar of the  
Baltimore community.  
May you be zocheh  
to continue in your  
HOLY work.

A well earned honor!

Susan and Mark  
Guggenheim

In appreciation  
of Linda Elman  
for her chesed  
and leadership.

Mordechai and Shira  
Hochheimer

Congratulations  
Linda!  
Thanks for all  
your hard work!  
Mazel Tov!!

Evelyn Sokol

Mazel Tov to Linda Elman, an exceptional honoree!  
May Hashem grant you and your amazing husband many more years  
to continue your wonderful work on behalf of many organizations  
and individuals throughout the Baltimore community and beyond.

Mazel Tov on this well deserved honor.

Ofer and Marcie Lurman

PS – Thank you again for feeding our boys when  
they were in yeshiva in Eretz Yisroel

Mazel Tov Linda

Hashem should continue to give you good health,  
strength and siyata dishmaya in everything that you do.  
You are an inspiration and I appreciate your support  
and encouragement to be the best that I can be.

Thank you for your friendship. It means a lot to me.

Love,  
Elisheva

Dear Linda, עמ"ש

It has been a pleasure having you at the helm of WIT!  
I especially enjoyed learning from your vast  
knowledge of organizational skills!!

Wishing you brachos and nachas and enjoying many simchas!  
May you go **מחיל אל חיל**.

You have been a wonderful role model for me.  
Julie Meister

**מזל טוב** on this well deserved honor.

Linda, your selfless efforts on WIT's  
behalf are an inspiration to us all.

With much admiration and **הכרת הטוב**,  
Mrs. Rivkah Diskind and Zipporah Freedman

Mazel Tov on this  
well deserved honor.

May you continue  
to inspire others  
**עד מאה ועשרים שנה.**

Susan Bienenstock  
Miriam Froehlich

In honor of  
Linda Elman  
for your vision,  
your passion, and  
your dedication to  
Women's Institute of  
Torah.

May you continue  
to go **מחיל אל חיל**.

Elaine Mael

Mazel Tov Linda!

Fondly,  
Amy and Bob  
Pollokoff

In honor of  
Dr. and Mrs.  
Elman

Rabbi Dov and  
Esther Machlis

MAZEL TOV to  
Linda Elman on this  
well deserved honor.

May HaKadosh Baruch  
Hu continue to shine  
His countenance upon  
you and your beautiful  
family.

You are a true role model  
of an "osek b'tzarchei  
tzibur b'emunah".

Yaakov and Musia  
Delman

Mazel Tov on this  
well deserved honor.

**כל הכבוד** for all you  
have done in helping  
women in our  
community advance  
intellectually and  
spiritually through  
your devotion to WIT.

Elsa Lustman

To our dear  
friend Linda,

Mazel Tov  
on this honor.

We admire your many  
years of dedication  
and service to the  
Women's Institute  
of Torah.

With much love,  
Debbie and Joel  
Garbow

MAZEL TOV on this  
immensely deserved honor!

L- Leader  
I- Israel lover  
N- Never-failing  
D- Dedicated  
A- Achiever

May Hashem grant you  
strength and opportunities  
to continue promoting  
Torah and working for  
the klal.

Hatzlacha, bracha  
and kol tuv!

Your classmate (Bruriah '73),  
Sara Rotenberg

With hakaras hatov to WIT, Mrs. Linda Elman,  
Andrea Schulman and the Board for their  
devotion to women's learning in Baltimore.  
I am very grateful. WIT makes Baltimore an  
exceptional place for Jewish women and learning.

Thank you,  
Sandy Nussbaum

In honor of Linda Elman who year in and year out makes a  
point to thank me for having asked her many years ago to get  
involved in yet another community **תודה!!** Who does that?

May **הקב"ה** grant you with the wherewithal to continue to  
inspire all of us with your astounding passion for **תודה**.

(R'Moshe) and Mindi Hauer

Thank you Linda  
for helping  
us meet!

Ruby & Stanley  
Katz

Mazel Tov to Linda  
on this great honor!  
We are so proud  
to be your friends.

Love,  
Rachel Leah  
and  
Shelly Rosenberg

In Honor of  
Linda Elman.

Thank you for all of  
the work you do on  
behalf of WIT and  
all of your other  
communal work.

May you have many  
more years of health,  
happiness and success  
in all that you do.

Isaac Klein

Mazel Tov on a well  
deserved honor.  
May you be blessed  
to continue to have the  
strength and wisdom  
to continue to be  
involved in all your  
chesed activities on  
behalf of our  
community.

Chana Price

Mazel Tov on a  
well deserved honor.

May you go from  
strength to strength  
in your efforts for  
all of Klal Yisroel.

Andrea and David  
Dolny

Mazel Tov on this well  
deserved honor. You  
have dedicated  
your life to the klal,  
and we are all so  
grateful.

With much admiration,  
Rochelle Goldberg

HATS OFF and MAZEL TOV  
TO  
LINDA ELMAN

For 20 years of dedication and devotion to the  
Women's Institute of Torah. Congratulations and our  
very best wishes on this well deserved honor!

Jonathan and Judi Feldman & Family

Mazel Tov Linda on this most deserving honor. I am thrilled to be able to  
share this special night with you. I admire and respect your dedication along  
with Andrea to make WIT the fabulous organization it has become. I'm  
grateful to be able to enjoy all of the classes that WIT has to offer.  
I'm grateful that even during Covid we were still able to learn.

May G-d bless you to continue to be an inspiration to all of our community. May  
G-d bless your and your family with shalom, parnassah, health and yiddishe nachas.

Yasher Koach for all your efforts.

Chava Schwartz

Mazel Tov Linda!  
I want to be like you  
when I grow up!  
Our community is  
blessed to have you  
and I am blessed  
to be your friend!

”כל שרוח הבריות נוחה הימנו  
רוח המקום נוחה הימנו”  
אבות פרק שלישי י

Sarah Scheller

In honor of my  
good friend  
Linda Elman who  
always takes care  
of the klal as well  
as her friends.

It is an honor to  
be your friend.

Fayge Indik

In tribute to  
Linda Elman on  
this well deserved  
honor.

Faith Wolf

**מזל טוב** to  
Mrs. Linda Elman  
on this well  
deserved honor.

May you be zoche  
to many years  
of continued  
**ברכה והצלחה!**

Sarah Gelberman

Mazel Tov on your  
well deserved honor,  
Linda! Our community  
is blessed to have you  
as a true, caring friend.

May you and your  
beautiful family  
be gabenched for all you  
do for the klal.

Fondly,  
Margie Pensak Steinberg

Mazel Tov Linda  
on your well  
earned honor.  
We are so proud  
to call you our  
neighbor and friend.

Warmly,  
The Hyatt Family

Mazel Tov to  
Linda and Michael  
Elman.

We admire and respect  
your faithfulness to  
the greater Jewish  
community.

May you continue to  
go from strength to  
strength in good health.

With great love  
and affection,  
Nancy and Bruce Kay

In honor of our dear  
friend Linda,

May ה' give you  
strength to continue  
all the good work  
you and Michael do  
on behalf of our  
community.

With admiration,  
David and Debbie  
Finkelstein

Mazel Tov to a wonderful woman  
Linda Elman  
who has added greatly to our community.

With much  
הכרת הטוב

Mrs. Susan Prero  
Gilah Spero

Mazel Tov Linda  
for all your incredible,  
wonderful, devoted  
professional work on  
behalf of WIT and so  
many more organizations  
under your leadership.

May you and Michael  
enjoy much nachas from  
your beautiful family.

With affection,  
Bernice and Bennett  
Pleeter

Mazel Tov Linda  
on a well  
deserved honor.

You are an inspiration  
to all who know you.

May you continue  
in doing your  
good deeds.

Raizy Eskin

In awe of  
tonight's honoree  
Linda Elman  
for all you do for  
our community!  
May Hashem shower  
you and your  
family with bracha,  
hatzlacha and  
besuros tovos!!

Fondly,  
Feigi Oberstein

Mazel Tov Linda!

You are amazing  
and an incredible  
source of inspiration  
to all.

Rosalie Rapoport

Mazel Tov to  
Linda Elman for  
inspiring so many  
women to learn  
Torah and adding  
so much to our  
community.

With gratitude,  
Keren Traub

Congratulations to  
Mrs. Linda Elman  
on the well deserved  
honor given to her  
this evening.

Thank you for your  
part in making the  
WIT classes so inspiring  
and such an enjoyable  
part of our days.

Shoshana Shuman

With appreciation  
for many years  
of friendship and  
in honor of all of  
your wonderful  
work on behalf  
of Klal Yisroel.

Moshay

Mazel Tov Linda  
on this well  
deserved honor.

Your commitment  
to WIT and so  
many other worthy  
causes in our  
community is truly  
inspiring.

Ilana & Chanoch  
Hoenlein

With deep admiration  
to Linda and Leah,  
two mentors that  
lead with conviction,  
passion and foresight.

Our community  
is so very lucky to  
have you. And I'm so  
lucky to call you friends.

My hakaras hatov for all  
that you do and all that  
you've taught me,  
Juliya

In honor of  
Linda Elman  
for all that she  
does on behalf  
of our community  
and for bringing  
Inbal into our  
lives!

Mayer and Shani  
Kohen

In honor of Linda  
whose hard work  
and dedication on  
behalf of the  
Baltimore Jewish  
community  
inspires us all.

With love and  
admiration,  
Naomi Klein



MAZEL TOV,

לנדה ס. עלמן

HER SPIRIT IS SO GREAT  
SHE SURPASSES ALL.  
SHE ENLIGHTENS OUR LIFE  
AND MAKES THE WORLD  
A BETTER PLACE.

יפה,  
בטי (בטי) סאמלס זינדל



Dear Linda,

You are a huge  
inspiration to our  
community!

May Hashem bentsh  
you with lots of koach  
to continue the many  
projects you are  
involved in!

Thank you for taking  
WIT to the next level!

Fleurli Muller

Mazel Tov Linda!

You truly are a visionary leader and role model for so  
many in the Greater Baltimore Jewish community.  
Thank you for your countless hours of insight and wisdom.

May you continue to have the koach to lead  
and guide this community!

Naami and Yanky Schorr



Mazel Tov,  
Linda,  
for this  
well deserved  
honor!

Mazel Tov Linda!  
What you do for  
Baltimore and beyond  
is truly astounding.  
We are in awe of you!

You are an Aishes Chayil  
who we can all emulate.

With gratitude,  
Saralee and Bobby  
Jacobson

*In loving memory of  
Janet Sally Miller*

You dress our  
bodies, and through  
your dedication to  
WIT and the growth  
of women's minds  
and spirit, you  
dress our souls.

Mazel Tov on a  
well deserved  
recognition!

Mrs. Tova Rappaport

In honor of Linda,  
the best mac and  
cheese maker!

Love,  
Your kids' first  
babysitter,  
Yehudit Shields

Linda,

We've known each  
other for a very long  
time and I have been  
amazed at all you  
have done over  
the years.

Wishing you all the  
best!!

The Kalish Family

In honor of  
Linda Elman:

We applaud your  
endless and truly  
inspiring dedication  
to the needs of our  
Baltimore Jewish  
community.

May you continue  
to go from strength  
to strength!

Fondly,  
Beth and Nathan  
Adler & Family

Dear Linda,  
Mazel Tov on this  
bekavidic and well  
deserved honor.

All of your hard work  
with the team of WIT  
leaders has brought it  
to what it is today.

Thank you,  
Saralee Gross

In honor of my dear  
friend, Linda Elman  
for an honor truly  
well deserved.

Thank you for your  
generous hospitality  
both in the Old City  
and Baltimore.

Wishing you much  
nachas from your  
entire family,  
Rivki Lang

Mazel Tov to  
Linda S. Elman  
on this wonderful  
honor and for her  
unparalleled  
dedication to the  
Baltimore Jewish  
community.

With admiration,  
Rachel and David  
Warschawski

Kol HaKavod,  
Linda!  
Your good work,  
generosity, and  
tireless commitment  
to the Jewish  
people inspire us!

Erika and Lew  
Schon

In recognition and  
appreciation of the  
contributions Linda  
has made to WIT and  
the greater Baltimore  
Jewish community.  
Her dedication and  
professionalism,  
coupled with her  
talents and creativity,  
are inspirational, and  
have influenced and  
impacted our  
community in such  
a significant way.

Rachell Tajerstein

Mazel Tov  
LINDA!

You continue  
to amaze us!

Chana and Aryeh  
Richter

Mazel Tov Linda,  
on this well  
deserved honor.

May your boundless  
energy, endless  
devotion, and kind  
heart continue to  
benefit WIT and its  
wonderful impact  
on the Baltimore  
community.

Jeff and Leslie  
Silverberg

Thank you Linda  
for making all the  
uplifting WIT shiurim  
and programs  
possible for me  
and my daughters.

YASHAR KOACH!!

May all your efforts  
on behalf of WIT be  
crowned with  
Hashem's blessings!!

Dr. Shoshana Singman

Mazel Tov  
Linda!

Ellyn Polakoff

Mazel Tov Linda!  
From Jane Mayer

*The Simcha Shop*  
DISTINCTIVE INVITATIONS  
& ACCESSORIES FOR ALL OCCASIONS



- Stationery  
*Personal & Commercial*
- Announcements
- Kippot
- Benchers
- Gift Sets
- Favors

(410) 358-7534  
Text/WhatsApp 410-245-8915  
THESIMCHASHOP@GMAIL.COM  
*Jane Mayer • By Appointment*

In honor of  
Linda Elman.

Baltimore and Klal  
Yisroel are fortunate  
to have such a  
caring and talented  
person among us.

Esther Ward

Dear Linda,

Thank you for  
all your devotion  
to WIT.

Fondly,  
Noemie Wealcatch

In honor of  
WIT  
and all their  
great work!

Anonymous



Susan and John Abosch  
Shifra Abramson  
Shoshana Abramson  
Debbie Alexander  
Yedidya and Michelle Anfllick  
Raizy Barnetsky  
Jack and Honey Belen  
Michael and Sharon Bennett  
Ruby Blitz  
Hilary Bloch  
Nancy Broth  
Marcy Flicker  
Lisa and Murray Friedman  
Beth Gansky  
Sandy Gewanter  
Gail Gerstman  
The Staff of Gifts by Gilda  
Ronnie Glaser and Howard Janet  
Rabbi and Mrs. Elimelech Goldberg  
Mrs. Miriam Heinemann  
Baila Jacobson  
Bluma Jed  
Jamie and Clifford Katz  
Joy Michele Katzenberg  
Ferne Klapper  
Avrumi and Malkie Klein  
Sharon Kowalsky  
Shoshana Kruger  
Elaine Krumbein  
Mina Krumbein  
Sorie Lax

Loryn Lesser  
Ernie and Sally Levi  
Ella Levy  
Michele E. Loewenthal  
Miriam Lowenthal  
Elaine Lowenstein  
Ellen B. Miller  
Naomi Miller  
Selma Mishaan  
Abba Zvi and Rochel Naiman  
Debby Nelkin  
Lorie Pollak  
Anita Preis Benoliel  
Stephanie Rabinowitz  
Cindy Ring  
Maxine Rottenberg  
Elie and Aliza Rubin  
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Samuel  
Miriam Schechter  
Carolyn Scherr  
Schuldenfrei Family  
Deborah Schwartz  
Ina Shear  
Chana Sherizen  
Meira Shnidman  
Srayah and Shana Sobol  
Rebecca Steier  
Vered and Marty Taylor  
Helene Waranch  
Frumi Willner  
Anna and Simon Wiseman  
Hindy Wolf



REBBETZIN FRIEDA K. HIRMES

*Women's Institute of Torah*

[WIT@WITBALTIMORE.ORG](mailto:WIT@WITBALTIMORE.ORG)

410.358.2545

[WWW.WITBALTIMORE.ORG](http://WWW.WITBALTIMORE.ORG)