

The Hannah S. and Samuel A. Cohn Memorial Foundation Scholarship Fund

At Chabad of Laguna beach, our priority is to assure that every Jewish child receive a Jewish education and Jewish experience. The **Hannah S. and Samuel A. Cohn Memorial Foundation** Scholarship fund was founded with the purpose of making Jewish education accessible to every single child.

The Talmud tells the story of an elderly man who was questioned as to why he was laboring so vigorously to plant carob trees, when considering the fact that such saplings take seventy years to actually yield fruit – he would, in all likelihood, not live long enough to see the fruit of his labor.

The man responded, "When I came on the scene, there was abundant carob for me to eat, because my grandparents had the foresight to plan on *my* behalf. Now I must see to it that *my* grandchildren can enjoy the same benefits.

Whatever we know about Torah and Judaism today is the result of the efforts and sacrifices of our grandparents. It now behooves us to plant for others. Through the generosity of the wonderful Cohn family, and *their* grandparents, Chabad is further enabled to share the fruits of goodness and spirituality with the young and old throughout while planting seeds for the future as well.

Our policy is never to turn a child away due to lack of funds. If you or someone you know is in need of tuition assistance, please call the Chabad office at (949) 499- 0770. Scholarship applications are kept strictly confidential, and can be downloaded on our Hebrew School website at www.chabadoflaguna.com.

