

**The Rabbi Joshua Stampfer Community Enrichment Award** The Rabbi Joshua Stampfer Community Enrichment Award was initiated by Dr. Merritt Linn (z"l) and was created in 1999 to honor Rabbi Stampfer on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of his ordination. The award is sponsored by the five organizations that Rabbi helped establish: The Institute for Judaic Studies, the Oregon Jewish Museum and Center for Holocaust Education, Camp Solomon Schechter, The Harold Schnitzer Family Program in Judaic Studies at Portland State University and Congregation Neveh Shalom, where he served for 40 years. The purpose of the award is to honor an individual(s) or organization that has enriched Jewish culture, educational and or community life with the dedication that is exemplified by Rabbi Stampfer. The honoree, chosen by a committee of past awardees and the five organizations noted above can be Jewish or non-Jewish, living or deceased and be recognized for lifetime achievement or for a specific project.

Rabbi Stampfer was the first recipient of the award in 1999, followed by:

*Hershel Tanzer (z"l) 2001*  
*Jerry (z"l) and Helen Stern 2002*  
*Milt Carl 2003*  
*Henry Blauer(z"l) 2004*  
*Victor and Toinette Menashe 2005*  
*Shirley Tanzer (z"l) 2005 (in memoriam)*  
*Alan and Eve Rosenfeld 2006*  
*Irwin and Renee Holzman 2007*  
*Madeline Nelson and Family 2008*  
*Min Zidell (z"l) and Family 2009*  
*Ruben and Elizabeth Menashe 2010*  
*Priscilla Kostiner 2011*  
*Merritt Linn (z"l) 2011*  
*Arden and Lois Shenker 2012*  
*James H. Winkler 2013*  
*Jakob Kryszek 2014*  
*Paul and Alice Meyer 2015*

**The Stampfer Youth Recognition Program** Similar to the tenets of the Stampfer Community Enrichment Award, the Youth Recognition Program was initiated in 2006 by Prof. Sylvia Frankel and recognizes our Jewish youth who have demonstrated exceptional devotion to the following causes: advancing Jewish learning; creating a stronger Jewish and overall community; and working toward a more ethical and peaceful world, embodying the spirit of tikkun olam. It is our hope that, by being at the Stampfer Award event and witnessing the high esteem shown for those who enrich our community, these young people will be encouraged to continue along the path they have started down.

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*Gary Pearlman designed the menorah on the front cover; this piece of art that stands outside the Stampfer Chapel at Neveh Shalom is the symbol of the Stampfer Award.*



## 2016 Rabbi Joshua Stampfer Community Enrichment Award



## *Carolyn and Gary Weinstein*

*Carolyn and Gary have been dedicated to the Portland Jewish community, as well as the Greater Portland community for the past 55 years. Gary has served on the boards of Neveh Shalom, JFCS, Portland Agenda Club, and Oregon Bankers Association. His current involvement includes Sinai Home Care, SMART, and the Jewish Free Loan Committee, to name several.*

*Carolyn has lent her talents and skills to more than 25 organizations. She has served on the board of Neveh Shalom (1970-1976; 2013-present). Carolyn is a recipient of the "Good Neighbor Award," presented by the Portland Metropolitan Association of realtors as well as the Kipnis-Wilson/Friedland National Lion of Judah Award, presented by the Jewish Federations of North America.*

*We are delighted to celebrate the Weinsteins' numerous contributions.*

*You are cordially invited  
to*

*The 2016  
Rabbi Joshua Stampfer  
Community Enrichment Award Dinner  
Honoring  
Carolyn and Gary Weinstein*

*Thursday, November 3rd, 2016*

*6:00 p.m., in Birnbach Hall*

*Congregation Neveh Shalom*

*2900 SW Peaceful Lane Portland, OR 97239*

*Kosher catering is provided by Century Catering*

*Please reserve your spot by Friday, October 21, 2016*

*Tickets: \$60/person or \$480/table. To RSVP and purchase tickets,  
please return the enclosed RSVP card, or call Marg Everett at  
503.293.7318. Reserve online at <http://tinyurl.com/stampferaward2016>*

*This is a not a fundraising event.*