



ONONDAGA COUNTY BAR FOUNDATION

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Dear Colleagues,

On the occasion of the 100th Anniversary of the Onondaga County Bar Association in 1975, the Bar leadership had the wisdom and foresight to propose the creation of the Onondaga County Bar Foundation (OCBF), its affiliated charitable (501(c)(3)) organization and fund-raising arm, to provide members the opportunity to support good works for and on behalf of the legal community.

Today, the Foundation’s mission includes aid to “members of the legal profession in Onondaga County who may be ill, incapacitated, indigent or otherwise in need, and/or their dependents who are in need as a result of the member’s illness, incapacity, indigence or death.” This is in addition to the traditional mission of the Foundation, written four decades ago, which is to improve and promote:

- the administration of justice;
service to the public and the legal community;
equal access to the legal system for all;
professional ethics and responsibility;
legal research and education; and
dissemination to the public of information about the legal system and the rule of law.

As 2016 comes to a close we are reaching out and asking you to consider the Bar Foundation as one of your year-end contributions. You can make a donation either by check payable to “OCBF” or by credit card payment through the Bar Association website: www.onbar.org. By clicking on the “Foundation” section, we’ve made it much easier for you to make this year-end tax-deductible charitable donation.

Thank you for considering the OCBF in your year-end gifting. Please visit the website now, or tear off the bottom portion of this letter and return your gift in honor of someone special, in memory of a good friend or family member, or in support of our more than 40 years of giving back to the community and to our friends and colleagues in need.

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Stuart J. LaRose, Esq., OCBF President

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To Give Honor and Do Good Works



YES! I/We want to support the Onondaga County Bar Foundation.

\$50 \$100 \$150 \$250 \$500 \$_____ Other Amount

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