

Congregation B'nai Israel

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Membership Pledge Form (2009-10)

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| Adult #1 | Adult #2 | |
| Address | | |
| Home Phone | Adult #1: Work Phone | Adult #2: Work Phone |
| Email Address & Cell Phone (Adult #1) | | Email Address & Cell Phone (Adult #2) |

SECTION ONE (Annual Membership Pledge / Financial Commitment)

Pledge contributions above the standard membership provide the funds necessary to help our congregation serve all of our members, regardless of their means. No person will be denied membership in B'nai Israel because of the inability to make the standard pledge. Please select a level below, voluntarily supporting Congregation B'nai Israel in a manner that best matches your ability. As B'nai Israel copes with the recession, we are asking those who are able, to please consider increasing their pledge. A little or a lot—either way, it's a mitzvah.

| A) Annual Pledge | Annualized Pledge | = | Monthly (Approximate) | \$ _____ |
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| Nasim (Leaders) | \$6,401 or more | | \$534 + | \$ _____ |
| Giborim (Heroes) | 5,201 - 6,400 | | 434 - 534 | \$ _____ |
| Malachim (Angels) | 4,001 - 5,200 | | 334 - 434 | \$ _____ |
| T'zadikim (Righteous Ones) | 3,201 - 4,000 | | 267 - 334 | \$ _____ |
| Shomrim (Guardians) | 2,600 - 3,200 | | 217 - 267 | \$ _____ |
| Standard Family Membership | 1,980 | | 165 | \$ _____ |
| Standard Single Membership | 1,440 | | 120 | \$ _____ |
| Senior Family (Limited Income) | 1,068 | | 89 | \$ _____ |
| Senior Single (Limited Income) | 864 | | 72 | \$ _____ |
| Associate Membership | 360 | | | \$ _____ |

(Associate Memberships are available to those who belong to another Sacramento area synagogue, and do not require religious school services. It does not include High Holy Days tickets. Associate Membership fees must be paid in full with the membership pledge form.)
 Associate Members: Please indicate your primary synagogue: _____

B) Mortgage Contribution (Voluntary—Suggested Amount \$100 per household) \$ _____
(This contribution will help to reduce the congregation's mortgage, freeing up additional funds for programs and services.)

C) URJ Membership (Mandatory) **\$150** **\$ 150.00**
(The Union for Reform Judaism - URJ - is the parent body of Reform Judaism. Our membership brings many benefits, including programmatic support, affiliation with national youth movements & Camp Newman, and professional opportunities for our staff.)

D) Security Donation (Voluntary—Suggested Amount: Please select one)
(This optional donation helps to cover security expenses on campus.)

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| \$60 | \$120 | \$180 | | \$ _____ |
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E) ARZA Membership (Voluntary) **\$36** \$ _____
(ARZA is the Association of Reform Zionists of America. Your membership fee of \$36 helps to promote liberal Judaism in Israel and around the world.)

F) Additional Donations (Voluntary—As your situation permits) \$ _____

Total Annual Membership Pledge / Financial Commitment **\$ _____**

Signature & Date: _____ *(Please continue on reverse side.)*

SECTION TWO—Payment Options

In order to receive High Holy Days tickets or participate in religious school, you must have a current membership pledge form on file in the temple office and your account must be current, or you must have made arrangements with the Temple Administrator. If you cannot pay the full dues for any reason, please complete the Membership Adjustment Form and return it to the temple office along with your Pledge Form.

All membership pledges will be billed as an annual amount, and are due not later than June 30, 2010. You may make payments in periodic payments. Please indicate how often you will make pledge payments:

Annually

Quarterly

Semi-Annually

Monthly

You may pay for the full annual amount with your pledge form, or can make regular payments. **In an effort to better predict our revenue flow, you now have the opportunity to authorize an automatic deduction from your checking account. (This method is more cost effective for the temple than using your VISA or MASTERCARD.)**

Please check below to indicate your payment preference:

_____ I am including the full amount with this pledge form.

_____ I authorize the temple to deduct payment from my checking account.
(Please attach a VOIDED check.)

_____ I will use my VISA or MASTERCARD, and authorize the temple to charge my credit card as indicated below.

_____ I plan to make regular payments by check or by *Payquiq*.

Those who wish to use VISA or MASTERCARD must complete this section:

Note that all charges associated with your temple account (including all fees on this form, as well as Capital Campaign Pledge and Religious School tuition, fees associated with B'nai Mitzvah and other life cycle events & facility rental, etc.) will be charged to your credit card. If you wish to handle these charges differently, you must make arrangements with the temple office.

Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____

Name on Card: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

We would appreciate if you would contribute an additional 3% to help offset the processing charges. If you authorize an additional 3%, the additional, tax-deductible donation will be added to your credit card charge. **If you agree to donate this additional small percentage, please initial here.** _____.

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