

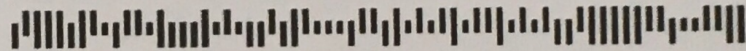
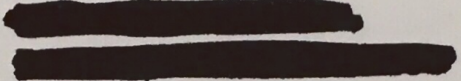
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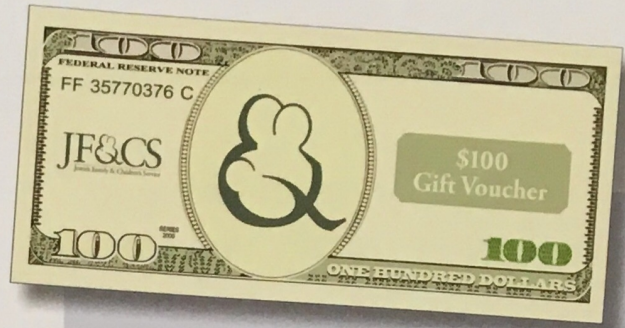
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Tina Cincotti



We've never done this before...



Look inside...

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June 22, 2017

Tina Cincotti
175 Wachusett St
Boston, MA 02130-4233

Dear Tina,

Because of your past support, I know you care about the people who count on JF&CS in their time of need. But, I noticed it's been a while since you last gave.

JF&CS may seem like a large organization to you. Yet, we're a family at heart. **We feel the loss of each and every supporter.**

In short, we miss you... and we need you.

The most vulnerable among us are facing new challenges every day. That's why **it's so important for us to come together** as a community and support those in need.

The **holes in our social safety nets are growing larger** as more relief programs face cuts. As Board president, I am committed to building the strength of the JF&CS philanthropic community.

It's an honor to serve an organization so critical to our community. I want JF&CS to be able to provide a lifeline to everyone who calls for help. You have shared this vision, and **I hope you'll consider renewing your support.**

Your support means so much to me... As an incentive for you to give again now, **I will personally send another \$100 to JF&CS when you donate.**

Your generosity today will provide a lifeline tomorrow. A lifeline for JF&CS clients like Amy...



From the Visiting Mom and pro bono legal services to food assistance, utility subsidies, and emergency grants... **All these lifelines were available to Amy's family free of charge. And that's thanks to the generosity of kind people like you.**

By returning to JF&CS as a donor now, you can give other families like Amy's the support they need to get back on their feet.

Plus, I will make another \$100 contribution when you give...

Your gift will offer a lifeline to families with kids on the autism spectrum.

- You can provide in-home support from clinicians who will help a child learn how to communicate effectively, solve problems, self-regulate, and manage emotions.

Your gift will offer a lifeline to older adults.

- You can provide social connections, art and music programs, in-home services, and other resources on aging to help older adults improve their quality of life and live independently.

Your gift will offer a lifeline to parents of premature babies.

- You can provide direct support services, educational materials, and connections to community resources to help new parents make the scary transition from the NICU to home.

Your gift will offer a lifeline to adults with disabilities.

- You can provide employment and volunteer opportunities, recreational activities, and social enrichment events to help adults with disabilities lead independent lives in the community.

Your gift will support more than 40 JF&CS programs, each available as a lifeline for anyone in the community in times of crisis.

The selfless generosity of people like you is what makes all this possible.

We can't provide the help clients like Amy need without you.

Sadly, more people are struggling than any other time in recent memory.

That's why I'm so committed to making sure JF&CS has the resources to offer a lifeline to everyone who calls. And it's also why I'm so committed to you renewing your support of our services with a gift today.

So please, seize this opportunity...

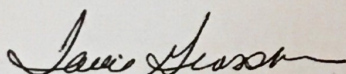
With my additional contribution, your gift will be worth \$100 more than whatever you choose to donate. That's how important it is to me to have you back!

All you have to do is mail in your donation along with the \$100 gift voucher enclosed here.

You can also participate online at www.jfcsboston.org/extra100

Thank you in advance for being a lifeline to your neighbors in need.

Eagerly awaiting your response,



Jamie Grossman
President, JF&CS Board of Directors

P.S. Did you know your last donation to JF&CS was on 3/31/2017? (Time passes so quickly, doesn't it?) I hope you'll consider renewing your support now. As a little extra motivation, I'll make another \$100 donation myself if you give. That's how much your support means to me!

Amy's Story: Local giving to JF&CS funds lifelines for family in need

Amy's daughter was born with unexpected health issues. In that moment, everything changed for Amy and her husband.



Amy left her job to stay home and take care of their baby girl. The couple knew this would be a stretch financially. But they had to put the needs of their daughter first.

Before long, Amy and her husband began to **struggle to pay their rent.** And after missing four months, their landlord started the eviction process. Amy didn't know what to do.

Fortunately, she was already getting help from a JF&CS **Visiting Mom** who'd been a lifeline to Amy since she gave birth. And the Visiting Mom knew exactly who to call at JF&CS for support. All free of charge, thanks to our generous community of donors.

Amy received **pro bono legal assistance**, another lifeline made possible by the generosity of people like you. Your support also allowed Amy's family to receive **groceries from our kosher food pantry** that offers a lifeline to the hungry.

JF&CS staff helped Amy get **fuel assistance** and discounts on other utilities. And, they worked with Amy's husband to figure out a plan for employment where he could bring their daughter to work. This changed everything, allowing Amy to return to work also.

But, one major problem remained – they couldn't pay the arrearage owed on their apartment. This left the whole family at risk for ending up homeless.

Once again, our family of supporters came to the rescue with another lifeline. Help from donors and partner agencies enabled JF&CS to provide an **emergency grant.** This gave Amy's family enough money to pay what they owed and avoid eviction.

Thanks to many lifelines from the JF&CS community and Amy's perseverance, her family is back on their feet and doing great. And her little girl is thriving!



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This gift is in honor/memory (circle) of:

(Please write the name and address of the person to be acknowledged on the back of this card.)

I would like to support JF&CS with this gift of:

\$50 \$100 \$250 \$500 \$1,000

Other \$ _____

\$83/month for 12 months for a total of \$1,000

Check enclosed (payable to JF&CS)

MasterCard Visa American Express Discover

Credit Card # _____ Exp. _____

Email _____

My employer will match my gift.

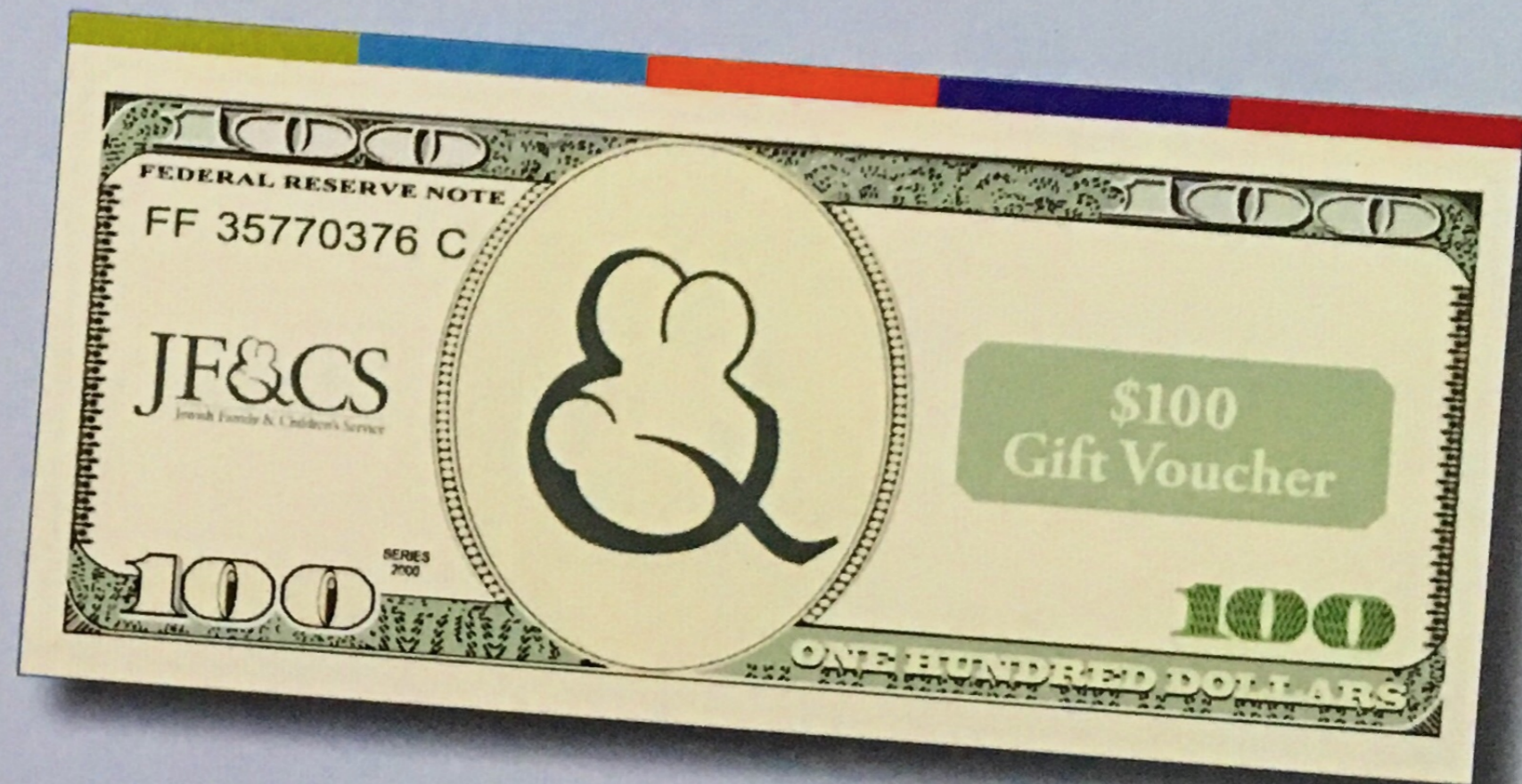
Yes, JF&CS is a part of my Estate Planning.

Your gift is tax-deductible to the extent provided by law.



**This slip of paper
is worth \$100!**

All you have to do is return it to JF&CS
along with your gift by July 31, 2017.
Once received, our Board President will
make a \$100 donation on your behalf.



We've never done something like this before – don't miss out!

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“To be honest, I don’t know where I would be without my Visiting Mom. She buoyed my hopes and my confidence. She pointed me towards resources and places where I could gain even more support. Each day we are full of surprises at home, at work, and in between. Thank you so very much for believing in us and for helping to create stability in our daily lives during a difficult and uncertain time.”

Thank you for being a lifeline!

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