

Senator John McCain

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

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Rabbi and Mrs. Zalman Levertov  
Chabad Lubavitch of Arizona  
2110 E. Lincoln Drive  
Phoenix, AZ 85016

RE: CHABAD LUBAVITCH'S 31<sup>ST</sup> ARIZONA ANNIVERSARY DINNER

Dear Rabbi and Mrs. Levertov:

Cindy and I wish we could have joined you for your special 31<sup>st</sup> Chabad Anniversary fundraising event on Sunday, February 17, 2008. For some "unknown" reason, we seem to be living on airplanes and busses this year, and will not be in Arizona for your Celebration.

We are very familiar with the astronomical expansion of Chabad throughout the State of Arizona. As a result of your joint leadership, we understand that Chabad Arizona is now located in thirteen other incredible locations, with seventeen Rabbis. We know, and greatly respect, that your mission is devoted to helping keep people of the Jewish faith more active, and practicing within their birth faith of Judaism.

We are also extremely appreciative of the warm friendship and extensive support from you, and so very many members of Chabad, towards our political aspirations for the United States of America, and this country's extremely special, and exclusively unique, relationship with America's only democratic ally in the middle east, the State of Israel.

Please keep up your wonderful work in the Jewish community of Arizona!

Best Wishes,



John McCain  
United States Senator