

Dear Barry,

Below I've pasted an e-mail that my wife (Judy Levine) tried to send you this morning. I'm sure you'll be pleased by what she had to say about the "direct appeal" you made partway through the evening.  
(BTW, Judy is not easily impressed!)

I want to add my own appreciation, but I'm not sure I can find the words to express how moved I was. That you thought to make the appeal (and put yourself on the line in the process); that you did it with such simple eloquence; and that the room responded to you at our varying comfort levels -- all this speaks volumes about you as an auctioneer, a person, and a valued and trusted member of the PS 150 community.

Though my kids are leaving the 150 nest, you haven't seen the last of me -- I'll be back next year. Thank you for everything you've done for our school and for the humanity you've shared with us.

Best,

Charles Komanoff