Did you know that your Lodge gives active leadership assistance in the Hillel program at the University of New Mexico? That membership has increased from 4 to 75 in the last two years with a result of an increased Jewish identity in college youth and helping to reverse the trend of the vanishing American Jew. Your Lodge has also helped in the creation of new Jewish leadership for Albuquerque through the activities of the B'nai B'rith Youth Organization. We have assisted such people as Louise Septoff, Herman Weil, Bruce Pasternack, Kenny Gins, and many others to retain their Jewish identity and to take an active part in Jewish and community affairs. Through Hillel, such people as Brian and Bonnie Ivins have also taken their place in the Albuquerque Jewish Community. Through your own Lodge, through the renewed vigor and expansion of the Lodge from 75 members to over 260 members since 1958, we have created new Jewish leadership in Albuquerque.

Did you know that your Lodge now sponsors the Bonds for Israel program under the direction of Henry Pave, its chairman?

Did you know that your Lodge co-sponsored, with KOB TV and the Xerox Corporation, the television presentation of "Let My People Go," and through the Anti-Defamation League co-sponsored on KOB and KARA Radio the program "Danger on the Right." Did you know that your Lodge pays for the Anti-Defamation League Bulletin which is distributed to each of you? Did you know that your Lodge has distributed over 100 copies of the book "Danger on the Right" to every school and public library in the City and to all "key opinion molders?" Did you know that your Anti-Defamation League has assisted the exposure of Anti-Semites in New Mexico, including members of the American Nazi Party who threatened members of your own Lodge and tried to blackmail them?

Did you know that your Lodge assists through the Anti-Defamation League in the publication and distribution of the book "With Justice for All," which is supplied to the Albuquerque Police Department and is now being distributed to the State Police throughout New Mexico and that this program in Albuquerque has been carried on since 1960?

Did you know that your Lodge is also active in non-Jewish community work, assisting through the Men of B'nai B'rith's Fund for the St. Joseph Hospital Building Fund and through our Veterans' Community in maintaining a Halloween Booth for the 8th consecutive year at the Veteran's Hospital and supplying weekly service, including library, reading, writing of letters, etc., to the Veterans in the hospital?

Are you proud to be a member of this Lodge? You should be. Why not have one of your Jewish friends, who is not a member of the Lodge, come with you to the January meeting? The Lodge needs all the assistance it can get, both financial and physical. Each man who pays his dues to the Lodge works for B'nai B'rith. As Ben Z. Glass, the former Executive-Secretary of District Grand Lodge No. 6, told us a year ago when he spoke to us, "However long a man works to earn the amount of his dues, that long does he work for B'nai B'rith - if he does nothing more."

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