

STANLEY J. BUSHMAN

Building a Legacy of Care

CELEBRATING 25 YEARS ON THE HELZBERG CAMPUS



Stanley J. Bushman z'l may not have had a large family in the traditional sense, but his "family" was vast when you consider the many people who revered him as a patriarch of the Kansas City Jewish community. Among the numerous beneficiaries of his philanthropy, none benefited more from his generosity and personal involvement than Village Shalom.

Stanley was deeply committed to supporting a Jewish faith-based senior living community where residents could live with dignity, purpose, and a strong sense of culture. He played a pivotal role in securing funding for the new campus in 2000 and again in 2008, when he helped guide a critical financial and governance restructuring. In 2020, Stanley and his lifelong business partner, Charley Helzberg, rallied support to raise funds for Village Shalom's staff and management as they faced the immense challenges of the pandemic.

In recognition of his vision, leadership, and generosity, the main entrance to Village Shalom was named the Stanley J. Bushman Circle Drive in 2024.



"Supporting the community is not just about giving—it's about building a legacy that lasts for generations."

— Stanley J. Bushman

Proud to be part of the story that shaped 25 years on the Helzberg Campus.



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