



**Dear Partners,**

On April 25th, 2017 The Psifas Fund committee in honor of Yosef Goodman and Eliezer Globerman convened for its monthly meeting and approved 8 requests that came to a total of 24200 Shekel:

\*Names and identifying details have been altered to protect those who turned to us for help.

1. 2500 Shekel were given to Tovah to fund a Preparatory Academic program:

Tovah is a 40 year old single mother. Her son has special needs which she has cared for herself for years. Since her son is currently independent and Tovah is looking to develop, give back to her community and study Special Education. She has completed 10 years of education and needs to complete a preparatory academic program before she starts her degree. **The Psifas Fund will allow Tovah to get an education and do something in her professional life that will help those around her and enable her to provide for her family.**

2. 1500 Shekel were given to Gila to fund a Nail Technician course:

Gila is 36 years old, married and is currently working. Her husband has a chronic disease and is also working. The family has been participating in a support program. They have accumulated debt over the years and Gila would like to become a Nail Technician and increase the family's income. **The Psifas Fund will allow Gila to have a more profitable career, increase her family's income, lower their debts and start a new life.**

3. 4500 Shekel were given to Zehavit to fund a medical secretary course:

Zehavit is 40 years old divorced mother. She has had no support from her family from a young age. She has brought up her son by herself. He is ill and has had to undergo many surgeries which is a constant struggle for Zehavit. Zehavit works as a child carer but would like to work at a job that will increase her income and permit her to spend time with her son in the afternoon. **The Psifas Fund will allow Zehavit to learn a respectable and profitable trade that has flexible hours.**

4. 3600 Shekel were given to Michal to fund Shiatzu classes:

Michal is 23 years old. She was in boarding school but dropped out of it. At age 21, she decided to start a new leaf and moved to another city. She has been working and studying Shiatzu simultaneously twice a week. Michal would like to use her knowledge in Shiatzu to become a therapist and find a job in the field. **The Psifas Fund will allow Michal to start a new career in a field that she loves and gain independence and prosperity.**

5. 2000 Shekel were given to Shulamit to fund a Makeup and Hair dresser course:

Shulamit is a 35 years old divorcee. She is a trained makeup artist and has a private business. She would like to improve her business and her financial situation so she took out a loan and purchased equipment to upgrade her



business and extend her training in the cosmetics field with the intention of offering more treatments to her clients. **The Psifas Fund will allow Shulamit to acquire a profession, open a business and make a living for herself.**

6. 1100 Shekel were given to Evyatar to fund a Diagnostic Test:

Eli and Shoshana have many children. Their son Evyata is in 5<sup>th</sup> grade and has many learning disabilities. He cannot write. Medical help has not been effective. Evyatar needs a diagnostic test in order to find a program that will be right for his needs. **The Psifas Fund will allow Evyatar to get the assistance and improve scholastically.**

7. 4000 Shekel were given to Marina to fund a Preparatory Program for Nursing School and a Didactic Diagnostic test:

Marina is a 41 year old divorcee who married a violent man. She participated in a program that assisted her in finding a job in a factory. She is currently taking part in a program that helps woman advance professionally where she has come to the realization that she would like to become a nurse. Marina needs to complete a preparatory program before she begins her degree in nursing and would like to take a diagnostic test due to low scores on some of the requirements. **The Psifas Fund will allow Marina to get accepted to a respectable learning program where she can fulfill and empower herself.**

8. 5000 Shekel were given to Muhamad to learn Baking:

Muhamad is 18 years old, his parents are divorced. His father remarried and doesn't support Muhamad's family. Muhamad has quit school and at age 16 he joined a male boarding school and completed 12 years of school. He is interested in learning how to bake, a field that he has found a passion in and would like to use to support himself. **The Psifas Fund will allow Muhamad to get a certificate in the field of his passion and start a new life.**

**- This donation has been given in memory of Zvi Neuman z"l, May his soul be bound  
in the bond of life -**

We use this opportunity to ask that you assist us in spreading the ideal of Psifas amongst your acquaintances in hope that they will join the Israeli Psifas Fund. For that goal to be achieved we have attached a description of the fund and its activities. We would like to stress that all donations are given to the requests directly and are not used to fund the organization, and that they are tax deductible.

We receive many requests and your donations and involvement us is necessary now more than ever

Thank you,

**The Psifas Fund**