

Legacy

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What do I leave when I leave this earth?
As I look back upon the years,
I wonder what my life was worth,
How did I touch those far and near?

How will you remember me?
As a mother, a wife, a friend?
As the woman I wanted all to see,
Who made a difference 'til the end?

The teacher who inspired you
To be all that you could be,
Challenged and creative too,
Full of pride and ingenuity?

I hope that all that I have done,
Will please God up above,
That you respect me, everyone,
And my legacy is love.

During the meditation walk with Rabbi Fratello on December 13th, he distributed this poem and we read it. The poem was written by a member of Temple Shaarei Shalom who has passed away. Her legacy was her love and much more. She still touches each of us.