



Kay Becker planting a tree  
in Israel, 2000

Kay Becker was a Northern transplant from the state of New York and lived in Savannah for over 65 years. She was married for 44 years to Johnny Becker who predeceased her in 1992.

Though she had minimal exposure to her Jewish roots growing up, she developed a deep and profound love for Israel in her adult life. She was a life member of Hadassah, and nothing was more important to her than supporting anything and everything that would have a positive impact for Israel.

She made approximately fifteen trips to Israel after the age of 53. She also made it possible for her grandchildren to make meaningful trips to Israel for a one-year college program and a four-week program for high school seniors.

We can think of no better way to honor her memory than to help make it possible for other Jewish young adults to experience their heritage in Israel.

- Laura & Larry Blumberg, 2013

This scholarship was established to provide scholarship/subsidy to teens for travel to Israel on a peer group trip (Award is available to college bound "gap year" programs, yeshiva attendance, or a college program). The scholarship/subsidy will be based on need, available funds, and essay as determined by a small anonymous committee.

Completed applications are due to the JEA no later than May 1, 2019 to  
Kay Becker Israel Scholarship  
c/o Jewish Educational Alliance  
5111 Abercorn Street  
Savannah, GA 31405

Or by email to [adam@savj.org](mailto:adam@savj.org)

*Incomplete applications will not be considered for scholarship.  
Please be sure that all documentation is included with your submission.*

**KAY BECKER ISRAEL SCHOLARSHIP GRANT**

(Please print of type)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_

College Attending (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

**Family Status and Income:**

Parent 1 Name \_\_\_\_\_

Living  Deceased Marital Status:  Married  Separated  Divorced

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Parent 2 Name \_\_\_\_\_

Living  Deceased Marital Status:  Married  Separated  Divorced

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) and age(s) of other children in Family:

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Gross income of Parent 1 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Parent 2 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Extraordinary debts, expenses or relevant conditions to be considered \_\_\_\_\_

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**Program Information**

Name of Program \_\_\_\_\_

Date of the program \_\_\_\_\_

Length of Program \_\_\_\_\_ Program Website \_\_\_\_\_

Total cost of program \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Have you applied for/received any other scholarships/subsidy?  No  Yes

Describe source(s) and amount(s) of the scholarship(s)/subsidy:

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**Essay:** Please share with the committee, ***"Why Israel is Important to Me"*** (250-500 words)

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*Feel free to attach any other information in support of your submission for Committee consideration*