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### My Favorite Easter Memories

by Attorney Philip J. Kavesh



One of a series of articles on growing up in small town America during the 1960's

Where I was born and raised, in the southern part of New Jersey, it was mostly farmland and small towns. A completely different world than and update it! Both the public and our existing clients are invited - - and please bring your family or friends!

NOTE: All of our seminars listed below are now being held in-person. If you, or someone you know, would like to attend a seminar, but cannot attend a live one, please <u>send us an e-mail</u> so we can explore other options.

(Also note: We may provide services to anyone residing in California without them having to travel to our offices.)

#### IN-PERSON LIVING TRUST SEMINARS

#### SATURDAY March 9th

9:30am - 11:30am Torrance Main Office 990 W. 190th Street Suite 500 (5th Floor) Extremely Limited Capacity

# REGISTER

#### WEDNESDAY March 27th

9:30am - 11:30am Torrance Main Office 990 W. 190th Street Suite 500 (5th Floor) Extremely Limited Capacity

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Invite a Friend

# **FREE REPORT**

densely populated "Noith Joisey" and the wild and frantic metropolis of New York City. So you can imagine that I, as a young child, had much curiosity and longing to visit the "Big Apple" (as we called New York City) and find out what it was really like. Finally, when I reached the exalted, double-digit age of 10 years old, my wish was granted! Little did I know that my first trip to the Big Apple would be the exploratory expedition of what would become an annual pilgrimage during family Easter school break. For years we observed this ritual religiously, but it had nothing to do with the religious holiday. It had everything to do with...

### Broadway: A "Religion" of Its Own

Permit me to explain.

My Dad was an aspiring Broadway actor, singer and director, while my Mom was a set and costume maker, dancer and choreographer. They were both lineal descendants of a great Jewish "Vaudeville" performing tradition. You see, as immigrants in the early 20th century, Jews weren't permitted to enter many white-collar professions, or work as union laborers, but they were welcome to entertainers - - musicians. be singers, actors and comedians. In college, my father had acted and sang in numerous stage shows and even won second place in a national collegiate public speaking competition (the winner, of which became a U.S. Senator from Oregon!). My Dad's cousin, Pearl, had starred as a featured dancer in the Ziegfield Follies. My mother had appeared as a youngster in the children's theatre on the Steel Pier in Atlantic City (the only big town near



After working so hard to provide for your family, it would be a tragedy if you were unable to pass on the fruits of your labor after your passing. Unfortunately, there are plenty of mistakes that can reduce the amount of an estate and threaten your family's future. These simple errors happen far too often, usually because people do not have accurate estate planning information.

### You Can Avoid Common Estate Planning Mistakes

When you download your free copy of our book entitled, "The 10 Biggest Estate Planning Mistakes People Make", you will learn the biggest misconceptions and myths that can have a devastating effect on your relatives and property, as well as the actions you should take NOW to avoid future heartache.

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### EASTER IS ON MARCH 31 THIS YEAR

us, where she was born and raised) and she later danced in Vaudeville shows produced off-Broadway by Lou Walters (yes, Barbara's father!). My Mom had even participated as a contestant in the Miss America Pageant! Both my parents had performing in their blood....



### Confronting an Aging and Unsafe Driver

Courtesy of ElderLawAnswers



As seniors get older, they may lose their ability to safely operate a car. You may begin noticing some unsafe driving practices like speeding, improper lane changes, slowed reaction times, and even getting lost.

It's time to have a difficult conversation, but how do you start? Consider using some of the following tips to confront an aging and unsafe driver.

### Having a Conversation with Your Aging Loved One About Giving up the Keys

Many older people can continue to drive well into their retirement years, but sometimes it's unsafe for them to



do so. If you take their keys away, your loved one may feel as if they are losing their independence. Although you may receive a scathing reaction, approaching the big talk with...

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### RESTAURANT RECOMMENDATION The Standing Room

Redondo Beach

A hidden gem, well-known to many South Bay residents, is The Standing Room. The original location is in Redondo Beach off of Catalina Avenue and Diamond Street, inside and adjacent to the corner liquor store.



While they have a very simple menu of uniquely designed gourmet burgers and fries, they have a couple of delicious starters including their flash-fried brussels sprouts with a habanero cream sauce and pan-roasted edamame made with a chili garlic soy reduction! Yum!



They also relocated their Hermosa Beach location to Torrance (off of Torrance Blvd, between Hawthorne and Prairie Avenue).

Have you tried The Standing Room? What's your favorite dish?

#### **LOCATION**

144 N Catalina Ave, Redondo Beach, CA 90277 (310) 374-7545



VIEW MENU

#### HOURS OF OPERATION

Monday 11:00am – 8:00pm

Tuesday – Sunday 11:00am – 9:30pm



# **CLIENT TESTIMONIALS**

"We are incredibly lucky to have found you because your staff is incredibly knowledgeable and thorough. We are secure in knowing our future and our heirs will be taken care of after our demise. Thank you for taking care of our needs!" —Mike G.

"This law firm has given us excellent service for 12 years. I particularly like the follow up on new or amended documents to ensure they are properly executed." —Brabara Anne A. "Great presentation that covers many of the common and not so common scenarios and protection options. I would definitely recommend for anyone is thinking about creating or reviewing their trust." —Shaune K.

Thank you for these wonderful client reviews, Mike, Barbara Anne and Shaune (all real clients)!

We know that our clients and all the members of our community have many options to choose from when it comes to assisting with their estate planning needs. It is very gratifying to us that people put their trust in us to help them with these important decisions that will impact them and their loved ones for years to come.

Many of our clients have asked how they can support us in return and they have done so by not only referring their friends and family (for example by forwarding this e-mail newsletter), but also by taking the time to leave us an online review (which we'd really appreciate, if you haven't done so already). Below are a couple of websites you can choose from to leave a quick online review of your experience with our firm.

Thank you, in advance, for your help! We look forward to continuing to serve you and your loved ones for many more years to come!



### QUOTE OF THE MONTH

#### "I believe luck is preparation meeting opportunity. If you hadn't been prepared when the opportunity came along, you wouldn't have been luckv!"

—Oprah Winfrey, American Talk Show Host, Producer, Actress, Author, and Media Proprietor

(NOTE: Mr. Kavesh recalls his father preaching to him, "Luck happens when preparation meets opportunity!", so we're not sure of the real origin of this quote!)



# **OFFICE LOCATIONS**

For your convenience, we have multiple office locations throughout Southern California. NOTE: COVID-19 regulations now permit us to meet with you in person at our offices, but personalized meetings are still available through Zoom, FaceTime or telephone.

#### **MAIN OFFICE**

**TORRANCE OFFICE** 990 W. 190th Street, Suite 500 Torrance, CA 90502

#### OTHER LOCAL OFFICES

**PASADENA OFFICE** 790 E. Colorado Blvd., 9th Floor Pasadena, CA 91101

**WOODLAND HILLS OFFICE** 5850 Canoga Avenue, 4th Floor Woodland Hills, CA 91367

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**ORANGE OFFICE** 333 City Drive West, 17th Floor Orange, CA 92868

**NEWPORT BEACH OFFICE** 5000 Birch Street, Suite 8000 Newport Beach, CA 92660





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