

PS Women is sponsoring a family from Shalom Bayit for Chanukah

Adopt-A-Family provides basic necessities, food, and Chanukah gifts and/or gift cards to battered women and their children facing the holidays alone. For abused women starting a new life, many having left their homes and possessions behind, Adopt-A-Family is an opportunity for hope and help in getting back on their feet.

Here is a little information about the family we are adopting:

When Lia married her children's father, he seemed the picture perfect husband. However his behavior quickly changed and he started verbally abusing her and controlling the money. When they had children, the abuse escalated and Lia feared for her children's safety. She worked with a lawyer over a period of years to file for divorce and to obtain custody of her children, and has an active restraining order against their father. She is raising them mostly on her own, without any financial support from her ex. She is working on rebuilding her professional career and taking care of her children, while continuing to fight in court for their safety.

Wish List

DAUGHTER (aged 12) Gift card to Ivvia or adult small leggings, or kids 14-16 leggings/work out pants
Gift card to Amazon for mom to buy her a gift.

SON (aged 15)
Amazon gift card for mom to buy him a gift.

MOM:
Gift card(s) to Ross, Amazon, Macy's, Marshall's to purchase clothes for work
Gift card(s) to Trader Joes
Massage (Mountain View/Palo Alto area preferred)

WISH UPON A STAR (not expecting it, just putting it out there in hopes): Tickets to warriors game for all 3 of them, or lift tickets for skiing for all 3 of them, Northstar, Squaw, or some other location.

Guidelines for the gifts:

New items only please! Please gift-wrap the items. We prefer that you not include a card due to confidentiality.

All members of PSC are invited to help make this family's Chanukah brighter. You can either purchase a gift or make a donation. You can sign up online at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080544adab2f4-adopt3or> or let Sue Blockstein (sue@webfootc.com, 650-465-2572) know if you will be making a donation or buying a gift by Dec 3rd. If you can't make that, please contact Sue.

Gifts will be collected at the PS Women's Brunch on Dec 3rd.

