

# CUPERTINO ROTARY ENDOWMENT FOUNDATION

*Providing a Continuing Legacy for Local and International Giving*



## PASSION MEETS PURPOSE *Through a Gift to our Club Endowment*

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Crossroads. We each reach them in life. Sometimes we see them coming; sometimes we do not. For me, it was the unforeseen that unleashed the passion to serve.

Just following an intense tour as principal with a hi-tech start-up, a regular check-up confirmed cancer. The weeks of recovery gave my heart, soul and mind time to work in harmony for a change.

It was then I consciously decided to leverage my 27 years in hi-tech marketing, communications and business development to develop the people and causes who are committed to helping others. My commitment led me to Rotary.

My passion for leaving a legacy led me to the interest in our Cupertino Rotary Endowment Foundation fund. At first I believed it would be some time before I could become a "Fellow." But, flexibility and creative thinking seems to be prevalent in high measure with this Board. I was offered the Fellow "Installment Plan" and pledged to contribute \$200 over five months.

The decision was easy...thanks, Rotary. My passion continues.

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