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# MY Y STORY

## BUILDING MEMORIES AND FRIENDSHIPS

My son has been at the Burbank Y afterschool program since he started kindergarten in 2016. Each day, he shares stories with his friends from other Burbank schools as well as with his counselors who have become our great friends. I trust them 100%.

It has been a struggle for us financially. I work three jobs and I attend college studying ceramics and glaze calculations, working on becoming a ceramics teacher. There was a time when I was working seven days a week as a single mom and could barely afford for Jack to continue at the Y. His father passed away in May 2018 adding a struggle for us emotionally.

Thank goodness the Y awarded us financial aid, not only for the school year but for summer camp as well. I am forever grateful for the support as well as the bond between the center and my son, building lifelong memories and friendships!



~Jennifer Hartman and Jack Hartman-Maynor

