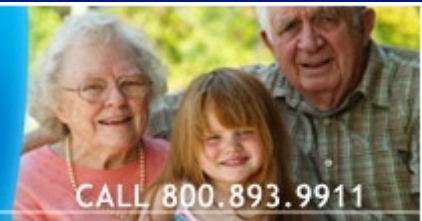




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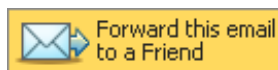
Message from our Attorneys



Welcome to March! Daylight Saving Time begins **March 12 at 2:00 a.m.**, so be sure to turn your clocks forward one hour!

Wishing you a peaceful Passover (March 31) and a lovely Easter Sunday (April 1). And if you're Irish (or even if you're not!), a happy St. Patrick's Day, too.

All the best,
The Attorneys and Staff of The Karp Law Firm



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Free Workshops

Please let your neighbors and friends know about our March estate planning/long-term care planning workshops. These sessions offer a wealth of information for every Floridian!

Workshop Schedule

New Medicare Cards, New Scams On The Way



New, more secure Medicare cards are on the way. Also on the way: clever new scams that capitalize on people's uncertainty about the new card.

What To Expect

Scary Stepmothers: Not Just In Fairy Tales

From Cinderella to Snow White, stepmothers are cast as villains. It's not just in fairy tales, though. Adult children who are unhappy with their inheritances often blame the stepmother for their woes. Fortunately, good estate planning can go a long way to keeping everyone happy.

Read more

Planning Points Now Online

Our annual newsletter, *Planning Points*, is now online. [Read it here.](#)

The Step-Up Has Survived

Despite worries over how the new tax law would affect it, the step-up in basis has survived. It remains a valuable tax-savings tool for those wanting to pass on highly appreciated assets to heirs.

[Read more](#)

Rebecca Maglio, CPA, Available to Help With Your Taxes



The tax filing deadline is fast approaching. Our law firm CPA, Rebecca Maglio, is available to do your taxes. Call her at 561-472-6066 or [email](#) her.

Need A Speaker For Your Group?

Our attorneys have already made several presentations to various groups in 2018. If you would like to request one of our lawyers as a speaker for your event, contact Deborah Karp at 561-472-6062 or [email her.](#)

Holocaust Survivor, Marathoner, Volunteer

At 81, Nat Shaffir is busy running marathons and volunteering at the U.S. Holocaust Museum. There are many incredible volunteers in our own community, too. They will be honored at the upcoming Prime Time Awards. The Karp Law Firm is helping to sponsor the event.

[Read more](#)

Feds Reduce Fines For Nursing Home Violations



Most nursing homes are committed to doing a good job, but it is always smart to monitor the treatment your vulnerable loved one receives. This is especially so now that the federal government has relaxed penalties for for certain nursing home violations.

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Attorney Jonathan Karp At Charity Golf Tournament

Attorney Jonathan Karp helped raise funds for students scholarships at the recent Rotary Club Golf Tournament.

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"To Kill A Mockingbird" Author's Estate Plan All About Privacy

Acclaimed author Harper Lee fiercely protected her privacy during her lifetime. Her estate plan kept keep her affairs out of the public eye in death, too.

[Read more](#)

Elder Law Radio



Listen to Attorney Joseph Karp discuss elder law, estate planning issues and more in fun and wide-ranging programs hosted by Anita Finley. His next appearance on the STARS radio program is March 10 at 7:30 a.m. You can listen to his February radio show [here](#).

CURE Symposium March 10

Physicians and researchers will tell you about cutting-edge medical technologies at the March 10th C.U.R.E. Symposium in Boca Raton.

Topics include stem cell technologies, medical marijuana, nutrition, heart health and more. The event is free but you must register in advance.

[More information and registration form](#)



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