Standing Up for ALL Families

Sue Kushner

DEMOCRAT FOR ALBANY COUNTY

Family Court Judge

"In addition to my 'on my feet' legal experience — my family and life experiences, my years of service on the Albany City School Board and my extensive community services have prepared me well for this important job."

—Sue Kushner

Vote Tuesday, September 10th

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As the second oldest of seven children whose parents divorced when she was in middle school, Sue Kushner understands that family life is not always easy. At a young age, she helped raise her siblings while taking care of housework, schoolwork and many chores on the family farm. While neither of Sue's parents were fortunate enough to have graduated from high school, she was the first in her family to graduate from college and then from Albany Law School.

Her past fuels her future. Every personal and professional journey she has taken in life has prepared her to this point—to serve with compassion and understanding on the Family Court Bench.

Sue's experience as someone who cares about all of our families speaks for itself:

- Works exclusively in Albany County Family Court representing indigent individuals in custody, visitation, child protective and family offense cases
- Worked for the Child Protective Unit of the Albany County Department of Social Services handling abuse, neglect and termination of parental rights cases in Family Court
- Handled Persons in Need of Supervision (PINS) and Juvenile Delinquency (JD) proceedings
- Served on the Albany City School Board from 2002-2006
- Serves on the Board of Directors of the Albany Booster Club
- Volunteer mentor–14 years
- Created the "Cooking with Sue" after-school cooking program at Livingston Middle School
- Understands the importance of using best practices to reduce wait time and make more efficient use of in court time

Sue knows that Family Court matters. She understands that today's families come in all shapes and sizes. She is eager to put her energy and her values to work as Albany County's next Family Court Judge.

Sue with her husband of 30 years, Steve Allinger, and their three children, Michael, Theresa and Steve, Jr., all of whom graduated from Albany City Schools.

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