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### Thank You, Thank You, Thank You & Farewell

It has been a wonderful thirty-six years since I first opened my Ophthalmology practice in Doylestown in 1979. I am so fortunate to have settled in this area and worked with our fine medical community. Carol and I consider ourselves blessed every single day for living and working here. Our three daughters were raised here, and they return often with their families to 'home'.

Now it is nine years since I mostly retired by merging Doylestown Eye Associates with Matossian Eye Associates (MEA) in 2006. These have also been great years. I have so enjoyed working with our exceptional doctors and fantastic staff at MEA. I have been considering full retirement for quite some time and now everything is in alignment for me and with my responsibilities at MEA to do so.

What I will miss the most is you. So many of you I consider friends as well as patients, colleagues and staff. Your confidence and loyalty have meant so much to me. From the bottom of my heart, I say thank you.

My last day at MEA will be on Thursday, July 9th. I am sorry that I will not have the opportunity to personally say good-bye to each and every one of you. If you are one of my glaucoma patients, rest assured you will be offered an appropriate follow up appointment time with one of our other excellent Glaucoma Fellowship trained physicians, Dr. Priya Desai or Dr. Ilya Rosenbaum. I suggest that most of my other patients follow up with Dr. Sebastian Lesniak, our Wills Eye trained Anterior Segment specialist. Our retinal and oculoplastic sub-specialists are of course available to you as needed. It has been an honor to serve you.

Best Wishes,

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