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Rabbi Abraham J. Kamp
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Dear Abe,

Your comments about Hillel being in Rochester are heartwarming. I, too, am happy for him. I would very much like to contribute to your survey on the Cantorate, however, my Synagogue does not have a Cantor for the High Holidays and engage a person from out-of-town, but he is not a professional Cantor.

Unless my personal opinion is that a trained, professional, knowledgeable Cantor should be an asset to a congregation and its program, I am concerned about the paucity of this type of person. Were one available, I have no doubt that we would utilize his talents to the fullest.

Again, I am sorry that I cannot help you with concrete evidence. But, I wish you luck in your efforts.