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Thanks to my super wonderful staff and
to those featured in this premiere issue.
You are my amazing, talented, loving,
beautiful friends, who are the best of the
best in cheering me on.
Rose Billings

Front Cover Photos of Post Malone,

Celine Dion & Lady Gaga

Back Cover Photos of

**Bruce Springsteen & Christy Brinkly
with Rita Cosby &
Tomczek Bednarek**



Associate Justice of
the U.S.
Supreme Court
**Ruth Bader Ginsburg
and Donald Billings**
were in the same
Class at Harvard Law
School.

There we were, in the
Easter Parade. Thousands of
others were strolling along
Fifth Avenue this sunny day.
Surely, my wife and I would
see someone we know. And
then, off to the side, I saw
her—smiling, directing,
arranging, she was showing a
woman in an outrageous
Easter bonnet how she should
be getting ready for her close-
up.

For the great Rose was
ready to take her
picture. “Lean forward,” Rose
said, gently. If there’s one
thing you know Rose will say,
it’s “Lean forward.” That also
is a metaphor for her and the
pictures she takes. People are
leaning in, involved, part of



the camera, part of your
world.

Some of my favorite
pictures are of me and my
wife, taken by Rose. She
always makes sure we’re
engaged—not only with each
other, but with the person
looking at the picture.

Empathy is important in
picture-taking. In my career
as a sportswriter, I’ve seen
myself in pictures with
Muhammad Ali, Joe Namath,
even Donald J. Trump. But I
think my humanity, my sense
of who I am, shows best in
those that our Rose has
taken.

I never thought much
about photography until I
became a sportswriter, and on
assignments accompanied by
photographers. I realized how
critical it was to capture the
moment when you have just
that moment—not a second
more, nor a second less.

And so I was fascinated
after joining the Dutch Treat
Club and watching Rose as
she semi-circled the stage
where performers were
showing their stuff—and then,
“click!” and that singer or
pianist was caught in her lens
forever. I have that special
feeling of remembering my
own moments when I look at
the photos Rose has taken.



And I lean forward to look
closer.

—Jerry Eskenazi



New York Times sports writer for 46
years, Jerry Eskenazi and his lovely
wife Roz at the Dutch Treat Club.



Greg Kelly and dad
Former NYPD
Commissioner
Raymond Kelly



Dr. Tamas Lorinczy and
**H.E. Katalin Annamaria
Bogay**
UN Ambassador Hungary



**The Sullivan's-
KT, Tim & their
mom Elizabeth**



**Sean Leibold,
Chance The Rapper
and Christine Cespedes**



Vanessa & Pauly D



**Patti LaBelle and
Patrick Michael**



Rose Billings with SNL's
Kenan Thompson and wife
Christina Evangeline.