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**SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA LEADERS IN LAW**



FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: Alexa Wolff, Partner; Mark Gross, Founding, Managing Partner; Ronald Brod, Founding, Senior Partner; Gary Fishbein, Partner; and Elise Greenberg, Partner.

## Strategic Advocates

With tenacity and compassion, **Brot•Gross•Fishbein LLP** has become the first and most prominent Family Law firm in the San Fernando Valley.

In 2005, attorneys Ronald Brod and Mark Gross recognized the need for a comprehensive Family Law practice in the San Fernando Valley. Nearly 20 years later and with the addition of Partners Gary Fishbein, Elise Greenberg, and Alexa Wolff, Brot•Gross•Fishbein LLP has become one of the most prominent firms in Southern California, helping high net worth clients with deft skill and a personal touch.

“We have vast experience and knowledge in family law,” says Gross. “People come to us because we have seen everything. We know how to litigate, and do so throughout California.”

With a combined 130 years of experience among Gross, Brod, and Fishbein, the firm handles all aspects of family law, including divorces with custody issues, property and support issues, prosecution and defense of domestic violence proceedings, and business valuation issues. Its attorneys are zealous advocates in the courtroom when litigation is warranted, but are adept at settling cases before trial. Known by judges as a sophisticated negotiator, Gross in particular sees settlement as a strategic process.

“Settlement conferences are like chess matches, regardless of who makes

the first move, anticipating where the other side is going, and making my next move,” he says. “I’m told I am always a few steps ahead.”

Before the first move is made, the firm takes the time to understand clients’ needs. Each Partner has a unique advocacy style and works with a team of Associates best suited for the client’s case. “Beginning with the initial consultation, we create a personal relationship with our clients so we gain their confidence,” says Gross. “They put their trust in us, and we will never make a promise we can’t keep.”

### For the Long Run

Before entering private practice, Gross clerked for a prominent family law judge in New Jersey. The experience taught him the emotional ripple effect family law can have on many aspects of people’s lives.

“I learned a tremendous amount about family law early on,” says Gross. “I see my job as giving people light at the end of the tunnel, and guiding them through the worst process they will ever go through.”

Brot•Gross•Fishbein LLP attorneys are in their clients’ corner and help them understand the process each step of the way. At the beginning of a



Founding Partner Mark Gross

divorce process, Gross warns clients that the first 30 days will be filled with highs, lows, and moments of despair. Over time, clients heal and progress until a settlement is reached.

“Seeing a client’s growth through the process is very rewarding,” Gross says. “We help them to live their life not out of fear, but with energy, determination, and goals.”



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