

Tuesday, October 5, 2010 at Ben's Best, 96-40 Queens Blvd., Rego Park, NY 11374



With Congressman Gary Ackerman, I lunched Tuesday, October 5, 2010 at [*Ben's Best*](#) as [*Diners, Drive-Ins & Dives*](#) taped a segment ([*Season 11, Episode 9*](#)) at Jay Parker's Rego Park deli. Above see me (note my [*Gotham*](#) pin on my lapel) with fellow Hofstra Law '81 grad Jerry Scharfman following our interview by “*triple D*” host *Guy Fieri* (to my right sitting at the next table where he interviewed Anthony Lemma Jr. and Jackie Hsieh). If either Grandma Min or Grandma Jean were alive I'd face the music because I admitted Jay's stuffed cabbage exceeded the sumptuous fare of two excellent cooks. (Thank you to my friend Rafe Lieber for the photo.)