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**TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL**  
LONGBOAT KEY, FLORIDA

# SHALOM AGAIN, PARDNER

NOVEMBER 7, 2004

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

It is a privilege to serve as President of Temple Beth Israel, especially so, this year, when we are celebrating our Twenty-Fifth Anniversary as a Temple.

Audrey and I have always enjoyed the warmth and friendliness of our congregants. Our founders wanted to create a Temple with a warm, closely-knit group of people that would make its members feel like they had an extended family. That vision has certainly been realized and will strengthen as we continue to connect with the spiritual, educational and social needs of our congregants. As we go forward together, the best years of Temple Beth Israel are yet to come.

May the New Year bring to all of our families and friends health, joy, prosperity and everything good in life.

*L'Shanah Tovah,*

Milt Lucow

## WORSHIP SERVICES

### Shabbat Services

Friday Night Services at 8:00 PM

Saturday Services at 10:00 AM

### Shemini Atzeret/Simchat Torah Service

#### Yizkor Service

Thursday, October 7 at 10:00 AM

### Early Shabbat Service and Dinner

Friday, October 22 at 5:30 PM

Rabbi Michael Eisenstat

Conducts all Holiday, Friday Night  
and Saturday Services

## MEMORIAL SERVICE

There will be a Memorial Service for our past President — Bruce Sands — on Monday, October 18<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 PM at Temple Beth Israel.

The community is invited to attend.



## CONTRIBUTE TO ANNIVERSARY JOURNAL



There's still time to contribute to our Anniversary Journal. Twenty-five years is cause for recognition, and your support will help ensure that we can continue the high level of programming and service we all enjoy at TBI.

- ◆ GOLD PAGE—\$1500
- ◆ SILVER PAGE—\$1000
- ◆ HALF PAGE— \$500
- ◆ QUARTER PAGE—\$250
- ◆ DONOR LISTING—\$100-249
- ◆ OTHER—\$25-99

## PHOTOGRAPHS FOR ANNIVERSARY JOURNAL



If you have not yet had your picture taken for the Anniversary Journal, the deadline is MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8. We want every member's photograph to appear in the journal. Please contact Lynn Elkes at Selwin Photos, 3739 South Tuttle Ave. The phone number is (941) 922-4014. PLEASE CALL TODAY!

## Mark Your Calendar

### Early Shabbat Service and Dinner

Friday, October 22 at 5:30 PM

*(Use Coupon in this Issue)*

### Shalom Again Dinner

Sunday, November 7 at 6:00 PM

### Holiday Bazaar

Sunday, November 14

From 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

### Interfaith Thanksgiving Service

Tuesday, November 23 at 5:00 PM

at St Mary's Star of the Sea

### A Gala Weekend

Friday, January 14 at 8:00 PM

Saturday, January 15 at 10:00 AM

Sunday, January 16 at 6:00 PM



## FROM THE RABBI'S STUDY....

What a pleasure to begin the month of October with a joyous holiday! Sukkot is both a harvest festival and a time when we remember the gift of freedom, for it was in "sukkot" or fragile booths that the ancient Israelites camped at night as protection against the cold night winds of the desert.

Today, I resonate to that protective image of the sukkah. We have just been through two near misses by hurricanes; as I write this column, a third is building in the Caribbean. A sukkah is hardly protection against a hurricane, but the thought is still comforting.

In the 1970's and 80's, the sukkah took on added symbolic significance as the "sukkat shalom," the tabernacle of peace. This was during the years of continued confrontation between Communism and Democracy; this was during the years when the threat of atomic war had recrudesced to an alarming degree. We came to think of the sukkah as a universal symbolism of a shield against atomic conflagration.

Now, we find ourselves facing yet another threat, the threat of terrorism. Shadowy forces come at us from many places, roiling our sleep and our peace of mind. Neither strong walls nor vast oceans have been able to shield us or others from this new evil of our times. In Beslan and in Beersheva we have just witnessed brutal and massive attacks on children. There is far less a political statement in these acts than there is an announcement that civilization as we know it is under attack. Gone are the moral norms that have governed social conduct within nations and between nations. Indeed, gone is the very notion of nationhood. Radical ideology has trumped nationhood and radical despotism has trumped democratic consensus among the practitioners of terror. Democrat or Republican leadership will have to continue to confront the new reality of absolute disregard for what we consider to be "moral" as we mount an offense (for there can be no defense against unbridled terror) against those who find our very existence anathema.

What sukkah will shelter us, in the meanwhile? Only the faith that, ultimately, there is a moral God in the universe, a God that seeks order, kindness, compassion, justice, and decency. Only a faith that there is a God in the universe that seeks creativity and abhors needless destruction. Only a faith that there is a God in the universe that seeks to spread a "sukkat shalom" over Israel and all peoples of good will.

*Ken y'hi ratzon...indeed, may this be God's will.*

*Michael Eisenstat*  
Rabbi Michael B. Eisenstat

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS



Michael & Eileen Sherrow  
1281 Gulf of Mexico Drive #1004  
Longboat Key, FL 34228  
338-1719  
From New York City

## RABBI EISENSTAT PRESIDENT OF NEW RABBINICAL ASSOCIATION

On Tuesday, August 31st, the Sarasota/Manatee Rabbinical Association was officially formed. This is the first official rabbinical body to have been formed in this community. The officers are:

- President: Rabbi Michael Eisenstat, Temple Beth Israel
- Vice President: Rabbi Geoffrey Huntting, Temple Sinai
- Corresponding Secretary: Rabbi Joel Mishkin, Temple Beth Shalom
- Recording Secretary: Rabbi Solomon Agin, Temple Shalom (Port Charlotte)
- Treasurer: Rabbi Howard Simon, Temple Emanu-el

The purpose of the Association is to advance the Jewish religious and communal needs of Greater Sarasota/Manatee and to speak with a united rabbinic perspective to those needs.

Additionally, we will discuss themes of academic and practical nature, and we will seek to advance the interest of, and to promote fellowship among its members.

The Association is open to both rabbis who are members of the Central Conference of American Rabbis (Reform), the Rabbinical Assembly (Conservative), the Reconstructionist Rabbinical Association (Reconstructionist), and the Rabbinical Council of America (Orthodox), who are or who have served congregations or in some allied field in Sarasota/Manatee and its environs.

The Association will meet on the second Tuesday of the month. Stay well,

Rabbi Michael B. Eisenstat

**IN MEMORIAM**  
Meyer Silverman

## BETH ISRAEL WOMEN



Shalom. Holidays and Hurricanes! That has been the topic for a good part of September here at Beth Israel, but we have still had time to have a meeting and get on with plans for the year, and most immediately for October and November.

BIW did make a contribution through the Jewish Federation for the victims of the hurricane, and we encourage all to consider the ongoing plight of those who received such terrible damage to their lives.

On **Monday, October 4, 11:00 AM**, we will have our next Board meeting. The Torah Commentary for that date has been canceled due to a speaker problem.

November is super busy with a Board Meeting Monday, November 1<sup>st</sup> at 11:00 AM, followed by our Torah Commentary at 12:00 featuring Rabbi Herbert Rose. We encourage you to bring a lunch with you, hear the speaker and enjoy a beverage and dessert. Torah Commentary is a BIW sponsored event.

**November 8 is Books and Brown Bags** with "Hester Among the Ruins" to be discussed.

**November 14 is the Holiday/Chanukah Bazaar** with all the beautiful orchids, great coffee and sweets and gifts to be purchased. PINK ELEPHANTS ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND, so bring us all those items you currently never need and we will give you a donation receipt, and everyone will benefit. We also need volunteers, so please call Alice or any of us to offer your services.

**November 15, Tea and Talk with the Rabbi.** (We should call it "Toojuys with the Rabbi") This is a paid up free event for members, so please check that you have paid your dues.

This is a "did you know" comment: DID YOU KNOW that our own Rhoda Cooper custom knits those beautiful infant sweater sets that are sold in the gift shop.... and she doesn't charge us a penny for them! And she has been doing this for years.

Please know that BIW is open to any suggestions you might have for events, fund raising or fun events. Please call Anita, Rhoda or Leah, or leave a suggestion in our box at the Temple office. *An organization is only as strong as its members, and we ask that you all please try to get involved.*

Shalom, Leah Barker

### HOLIDAY BAZAAR PINK ELEPHANT REMINDER



Preparations are busily under way for the best Chanukah sale ever. Please bring your new or nearly-new items to the gift shop for the Pink Elephant Sale, and your books to the library for the sale. Let's work to break last year's record and make Sunday, November 14 the sale to remember!

### GALA UPDATE



The 2005 Gala Planning Committee is off to a flying start in developing plans for the "Starlight" Gala Weekend celebrating the Temple's 25th anniversary from January 14-16. The celebration will begin with special Friday night and Saturday morning services featuring guest speakers, to be announced. The weekend will culminate in the "Starlight" Gala on Sunday night, the 16th at Michael's on East, featuring a return of Mike Ash's "Notables" providing music for dancing and listening.

The Committee met recently to begin hammering out the details for the planned auction and for obtaining sponsors. Co-chairpersons Audrey Lucow and Jewel Ash invite anyone interested in participating in planning for this outstanding event to attend the next meeting of the committee to be held on Monday, October 11, at 9:30AM in the Temple meeting room.



### ENTERTAINMENT BOOK 2005

WILL BE ON SALE FOR ONLY \$30.00 IN YOUR JUDAICA SHOP. Support the BIW while you enjoy substantial and widespread savings on dining, travel and popular attractions. There are bargains galore that await your small investment. Buy two books and double your savings!!



## SHALOM AGAIN 2004

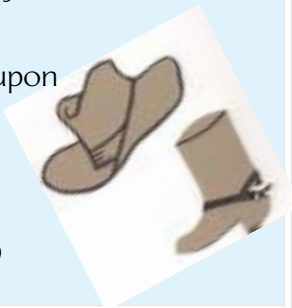
Sunday, November 7, 6:00 PM

*"Saddle up Partners"*

Every year the Men's Club attempts to kick-off the New Year with an entirely different, exciting and enjoyable event. This year is no exception. Along with Sumptuous Food, Music and Dancing, there will be a Professional Line Dance Instructor for attendees of ALL AGES. Don't miss out on a fabulous evening of laughter and fun, and all of this for \$35!

Fill out the enclosed coupon today, to reserve your space.

*(Western surprise for first 120 to sign up!)*



## JOIN ISRAEL TRIP NOW

This is the last opportunity to SIGN UP for this exciting excursion. There will be dynamic speakers, wonderful hotels and meals, and a fascinating itinerary. Call Rabbi Eisenstat or Ayelet Travel at 1-800-237-1517.

There will be pre-trip meetings at the home of Rabbi and Nancy—711 Old Compass Road on Thursday, October 14 at 7:00 PM; Thursday, November 4 at 7:00 PM, and Thursday, December 2 at 7:00 PM.

### ONEG SHABBAT RESERVATION

Select your time now to sponsor an Oneg Shabbat to celebrate or commemorate an important date in your life. Whether a birthday, anniversary, birth of a grandchild or observance of a yahrzeit, there is no better way to honor the occasion than to share it with your Temple family. This year we are attempting to **personalize** each Oneg by allowing for special food or other requests that you may have.

Call Goldjean Turow now and reserve your date at 387-3625.



## MEN'S CLUB

Shalom,

We expected to have an exciting year of programs, but could have done without the scare of hurricanes.

You've read about our programs for the year; we now need involvement from new and older members of the Men's Club. Whether you can offer 1 hour or 5 hours, we need your help. The more people involved—to any degree—the better the event. The camaraderie and fellowship developed while working toward common goals is incomparable. That's what Men's Club is all about.

Whether it's *Shalom Again*, *Lunch with the Rabbi*, *the Chanukah Affair*, *Opera Night*, *Sunday Breakfast*, *Israel Independence Day*, or a *special 25th Anniversary Celebration*—don't miss out on the excitement of belonging.

Please call Sheldon Paley at 383-0810 or Arnold Fein at 383-5959. If there's no answer, leave a message.

See you at our next meeting—October 4, 2004 at 2:30 PM.  
Arnold Fein and Sheldon Paley

### Lunch with the Rabbi



Another season of scintillating conversation with Rabbi Eisenstat and the Men's Club begins on Monday, November 8th at 12:30 PM. This yearly series, with free-for-all discussion on contemporary subjects of interest, is certain to stimulate Men's Club Members (only) who attend. So join now, get the series package of five lunches for \$30.00, a savings of \$5.00 over the single price of \$7.00 per session. Enjoy tuna or corned beef, catered by Nosh-a-Rye, with all the fixings—soft drinks, coffee and pastries.

Reservations necessary, even if you're a subscriber.

We must order food in advance.

Don't miss out on the best exchange of views in town.

## MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

After hosting two enormously successful dinners, the Membership Committee will be concentrating all its efforts to bring new members to our Temple. In January we expect to bring many new faces to our New Member Tea.

Many in our congregation have answered the call to be ambassadors for our temple and we are very appreciative of their efforts. Let's all work together as recruiters for the Temple!  
Maye Lavinson, Membership Chair



## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS IN A BLINK OF THE EYE

Twenty-five years have passed and what do we remember? We went to the movies to see the Oscar winning "Kramer vs. Kramer" with Dustin Hoffman receiving his own statue. Sally Field accepted the Oscar for "Norma Rae". The Pittsburgh Pirates, with Willie Stargel, won the World Series. Some of us were singing "I Will Survive" or "We are Family." Two of our favorite Jewish actors William Shatner and Leonard Nimoy starred in the first Star Trek movie. James Earl Carter was our President.

Temple Beth Israel's roots go back twenty five years to its first meeting in April of 1979 at the home of Sydney Flanzbaum. Weekly services commenced on October 19 at the Coastal Bank meeting room. Lay members conducted the Friday Night Services with prayer books and a Torah acquired by Sol Levites. Rabbi Shulman supervised the service. The very first officers of the now named Temple Beth Israel, with an original membership of 30, were President, Sydney Flanzbaum, 1st Vice President, Paul Klingenstein, 2nd Vice President, Dr. Jack Wexler, Treasurer, Sol Levin, Financial Secretary, Ed Consove and Recording Secretary, Kate Levin. Hy Lefcowitz was Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

Thanks to Selma Klingenstein, Historian, and Frieda Shapiro for the historical data.

Karen Shore



## BOOKS AND BROWN BAG BUNCH BEGINS

The Books and Brown Bag Bunch will inaugurate its 2004-2005 season on Monday,

November 8, with a discussion of *Hester Among the Ruins* by Binnie Kirshenbaum. The author's work is shaped by a sly humor along with a penetrating inquiry into the moral issues of contemporary Jewish life in Germany. As a different approach to the legacy of the Holocaust, this novel lends itself to a lively debate. *Hester Among the Ruins* is available in our Temple library; join the Bunch on November 8.

### SAVE THE DATE

Friday, October 29, 8:00 PM

The Dedication of  
The Sol and Dorothy Levites  
Israeli Artifacts Collection

A gift on permanent exhibit at Temple Beth Israel



## Mini-Versity of Judaism 2004-2005

The following is a list of courses that promise another fascinating year of erudition at Temple Beth Israel.

Save the dates and expect to enjoy a variety of topics by expert presenters.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TITLE AND INSTRUCTOR</u>
Nov. 1, '04	TORAH COMMENTARY SERIES
Dec. 8, '04	READING PRAYERBOOK HEBREW ESTHER ROSE
Jan. 5, '05	WRITING YOUR OWN JEWISH MEMOIRS NATALIE SEIGLE
Jan. 10, '05	MODERN CONVERSATIONAL HEBREW RUTHIE MARKS
Jan. 10, '05	JEWISH SOUL MUSIC ROSALIE LEON
Jan. 13, '05	THE BOOK OF LEGENDS RABBI MICHAEL EISENSTAT
Jan. 19, '05	IMPRESSIONIST & POST -IMPRESSIONIST JEWISH PAINTERS KEVIN COSTELLO
Feb. 3, '05	GOOD BOOKS THAT NEVER MADE IT INTO THE "GOOD BOOK" RABBI SANFORD SAPERSTEIN
Feb. 2, '05	THE MYSTERY AND UNIQUENESS OF THE GOSPEL PARABLES RABBI RONALD WEISS
March 3, '05	THE JEWISH DETECTIVE IN THE CONTEMPORARY NOVEL STUART KAMINSKY
March 16, '05	FROM SECOND AVENUE TO SUNSET BLVD. ARTHUR LIEBMAN
April 7, '05	KABBALAH ACCORDING TO THE SCHOLARS BOB WAXMAN

## WOMEN ON OUR OWN

The first W.O.O.O. meeting will be a lovely luncheon at the Bijou Café on Monday, October 19, at 12:00 PM. At that time we will advance our agenda for the year. For information call Maye at 383-6786.

Maye Lavinson, Chair



## LIBRARY



DON'T TAKE OUR WORD FOR IT....YOU CAN FIND OUT FOR YOURSELF.....

Our Temple Library has many Judaic links to the past, present and future....Much information...great reading choices. .How about checking out one of the following:

ETZ HAYIM. David L. Lieber,ed. Torah and Commentary. Gift of Sandy & Marcie Mackman in honor of Harvey Mendelow's birthday.

THE SEVENTH TELLING.Mitchell Chefitz. A journey into the Kabbalah written as a work of fiction. Gift of Paul & Cecile Grodner.

RUSSIAN DANCE. Andree Aelion Brooks. A true story of intrigue and passion in Stalinist Moscow providing insights into the cruel fate meted out by Stalin to Jewish visionaries who had been at the heart of the Revolution. Gift from AJI Convention.

A SPECTACLE OF CORRUPTION. David Liss. A suspenseful novel containing the single most exciting prison break featuring a Jewish pugilist turned detective by the author who has cornered the literary market for historical financial thrillers.

AMERICA, ITS JEWS, AND THE RISE OF NAZISM. Guile Ne'eman Arad. A persuasive explanation of the ambivalent political response of American Jewish leaders in dealing with the Roosevelt Administration during the Holocaust.

AMERICAN REFORM JUDAISM. Dana Evan Koplan. Shedding light on the connection between Reform ideology and the cultural realities of ordination of women, homosexuality, assimilation and other issues challenging Reform Judaism.

DEATH AS A WAY OF LIFE. David Grossman. One of Israel's celebrated writers asks how Israelis and Palestinians can recapture the lost momentum of the peace process generated by the Oslo Accords.

DON'T WAVE GOODBYE. Philip K. Jason. The children's flight from Nazi persecution to American freedom.

GIFTS FOR THE POOR. Moses Maimonides. A treatise on Tzedakah. BEAUTIFUL ISRAEL. El Al. 3 Cassettes of twenty five of the greatest Israeli Folksongs. Gift of Nancy Eisenstat.

A DEATH IN VIENNA. Daniel Silva. Five CDs, an intelligent thriller filled with sharply etched characters and prose and a plot of astonishing intimacy and resonance.

**MISSING BOOKS.....**An inventory was taken this summer and the library is missing a number of books. Please help us by checking your bookshelves, drawers and closets. There is always the chance that the books were borrowed and then overlooked. If you do find one or more, drop them into the book return bin outside the library door. Thank you....Miriam Miller, Librarian

## ARZA



### What is IRAC (Israel Religious Action Center)?

Arza's single significant achievement has been the establishment of IRAC in Jerusalem in 1987. Just about every one of our ARZA mitzvot is fulfilled. Though IRAC is funded by ARZA—both through membership and supplementary fund-raising activities—its entire direction and administration are in the hands of Israelis, under the energetic and skilled supervision of Anat Hoffman, Executive Director.

What work does IRAC do? First and foremost it advances the cause of religious pluralism in every way possible on the political scene. Toward that end, it lobbies members of the Knesset extensively, organizes missions of Knesset members to the United States where they are introduced to Reform Judaism and its role in American Jewish life, undertakes legal advocacy to protect the rights of non-Orthodox Judaism and Jews. IRAC has tried and won many cases that were before the Israel Supreme Court. IRAC has reached out to uphold women's rights in Israel; to establish a consumer hot-line; to protest discrimination against Ethiopian Jews; to educate former Soviet Union olim on the principles of non-Orthodox religious Judaism; to promote peaceful relations to all citizens of Israel—between Jews and Arabs.

Twenty-five percent of ARZA's budget is expended on projects in Israel, among them our kibbutzim and Har Halutz, the Israel Movement for Progressive Judaism, Educational Programs, the Arab-Israel Youth Camp, and scholarships for FSU children. Now you can see how important it is to be a member of ARZA. There have been new Israel projects added each year to the many established projects.

Once again, please become a member of ARZA, if you have already signed up, thank you. If not, start the New Year with a "good deed." If you have any questions regarding ARZA or IRAC, call Al Grossman at 377-8960.

Al Grossman, ARZA/World Union Chair

### OUR LIBRARY HOURS

Please stop by the library Monday between 9:00 AM and 1:00 PM and say "hello" to our library volunteers: Francine Adelman, Libby Adelman, Marie Barr, Cecile Grodner, Miriam Miller and Beverly Pascow.

The library is open on Friday evening before and after Shabbat Services.

We are here to assist you in your queries, book and media selections.

# NEW! CHAVURAH AT TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL



Back in the (can you believe it) 1970's a new phenomenon was born in Jewish organizational life...the "chavurah" movement. ("Chavurah" comes from the word "chaver" which means "friend)." So, I guess you could say that a chavurah means a circle of friends.

But that doesn't really describe what a chavurah is. After all, we have all had circles of friends and we never called them "chavurot" (plural of chavurah).

A chavurah is a group of Jews who form not only to become *friends*, but to become **Jewish** friends – careful, now – I do not mean friends who just happen to *be* Jewish, but Jewish friends, friends who actively want to be Jewish and to *do* Jewish. The "doing" can take different forms. Some chavurot read and study Jewish texts or books of Jewish interest together. Some gather to celebrate Jewish holidays together. Some help each other to celebrate various life-cycle events together. Some gather to take on projects within the Temple or within the Jewish or general community together, ie. feeding the poor. And some do several different things together; it all depends on the will of the group.

A chavurah is not generally composed of persons or couples of the same age. The best and most active chavurot are multigenerational; the younger and the older members find that they can learn from one another.



We started our first chavurah last year. We are now ready to begin a second group. I would like to invite any **MEMBER OF TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL** who thinks that he or she might be interested in

joining to meet with Nancy and me on **TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 26th AT 7:00 P.M.** (place to be announced) so that we can help you to participate in a wonderful and enriching Jewish experience.

Call the Temple office and let us know that you wish to attend. We look forward to seeing you.

Rabbi Michael and Nancy Eisenstat

## MENORAH WINSTON



The soaring lyric soprano voice of Menorah Winston filled the sanctuary at Temple Beth Israel when she took on the role of substitute cantorial soloist both before and during the High Holidays.

Born in Rumania, Mrs. Winston emigrated as a teenager to Israel, where she attended the Rubin Academy of Music in Jerusalem. She later earned Masters degrees at the Manhattan School of Music, Lehman College in New York and at the Hebrew Union College in music, music education and sacred music. She is an award-winning soloist who has appeared in concert and has extensive experience as a cantorial soloist and substitute cantor at Reform temples in New York, New Jersey, the Virgin Islands, Pennsylvania, Canada and Florida. She has also taught music and voice and has been a choral conductor.

Mrs. Winston, who makes her home in New York City, filled in as substitute cantorial soloist to enthusiastic reviews among the congregation, in the wake of Joseph Spinella's resignation as cantorial soloist and music director. Organist and pianist Ann Stephenson Moe is directing the choir.  
Doris White



## HELP FOR JEWISH ALCOHOLICS/ CHEMICALLY DEPENDENT

The JFCS, in cooperation with the Flanzer JCC, is offering a support group to help Jews recovering from alcoholism and drug addiction in a Jewish environment. Anonymity guaranteed. Call Philip Gorelick at JFCS (366-2224, ext. 310).

### TOILETRIES WANTED

Your response to these requests has been outstanding! The shelters and their people are most appreciative. When you are on vacation, remember to pick up a new supply of those miniatures that hotels provide, such as shampoos, lotions or soap. Please drop them off in a special box on the shelf in the Social Hall. The items are donated to shelters for women and the homeless.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

1 Mr. Willard Cohodas  
 1 Mr. David Klegar  
 2 Mrs. Joyce Lipman-Gordon  
 2 Mrs. Miriam Miller  
 3 DR. Joseph Klein  
 4 Mr. Milton Lucow  
 5 Mrs. Lynda Cohen  
 5 Mrs. Selma Flanzbaum  
 6 Mr. Jerry Hamovit  
 6 Dr. David E. Klein  
 6 Dr. Elizabeth Wechter  
 7 Mrs. Anita DeVine  
 7 Mrs. Nancy Eisenstat  
 7 Mrs. Helen Jaffe  
 8 Mrs. Ruth Daniel  
 8 Mrs. Elise Galinsky  
 9 Mr. J. Brock Albert  
 10 Mrs. Shirley Gottfried  
 10 Mrs. Carol Hallinger  
 11 Mrs. Sue S. Richard  
 12 Mrs. Bernice Thomas  
 13 Mr. Donald F. Markstein  
 13 Mrs. Linda Milberg

13 Mr. Harvey Pearlman  
 16 Mrs. Irene F. Ross  
 17 DR. Julian Levinson  
 17 Mr. Arnold Manasse  
 17 Mr. Seymour C. Ridges  
 18 Dr. Richard Kaufman  
 19 Mr. Norman Berke  
 20 Mr. Arthur Feigenbaum  
 20 Mrs. Judy Goldstein  
 20 Mrs. Frances S. Ross  
 21 Mrs. Nancy Trotta  
 21 Mr. Joseph Weinberger  
 22 Mrs. Andrea Lieb  
 23 Mrs. Lois Cohodas  
 23 Mrs. Carol B. Siegler  
 24 Ms. Sheila Field  
 25 Mrs. Clara Sandelman  
 29 Mrs. Marcia Goldberg  
 29 Mrs. Regina Heller  
 29 Mr. Samuel Shapiro  
 31 Mr. Ralph Cohen  
 31 Rabbi Karl Richter

## ANNIVERSARIES

7 Mr. & Mrs. Laurence DeLynn  
 7 Mr. & Mrs. Rudolph Forchheimer  
 8 Mr. & Mrs. Sheldon Dray  
 8 Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Stern  
 9 Mr. & Mrs. Martin Heller  
 10 Mr. & Mrs. Irving Levitt  
 11 Mr. & Mrs. Sydney Flanzbaum  
 14 Mr. & Mrs. Everett Behrendt  
 16 Mr. & Mrs. Leslie Aberson  
 17 Mr. & Mrs. Howard Siegel  
 18 Mr. & Mrs. Milton Heller  
 18 Mr. & Mrs. Gerald Seigel  
 20 Mr. & Mrs. Samuel M. Gourse  
 22 Mr. & Mrs. Howard Isermann  
 24 Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Dryer  
 24 Mr. & Mrs. Charles Gehrie  
 25 Mr. & Mrs. Stanley B. Siegel  
 28 Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Weinberger  
 30 Mr. & Mrs. Morton Bloch

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#### HAPPY NEW YEAR :

FLORENCE KATZ, by Lillian Meckler  
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EVIE BRIZDLE'S BIRTHDAY, by Sylvia Cohen  
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