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From the Rabbi's Desk By Rabbi Arthur Rutberg

It may seem hard to believe but I have served as your rabbi for a year. In the immortal words of Mayor Ed Koch, I am tempted to ask, "How am I doing?" But I will restrain myself. In all studies of human behavior and psychology, it always amazes me how much our selfperception differs from that of others around us, especially those closest to us. In many cases of



psychological evaluation and in counseling, the true test or proof of a given condition or syndrome comes not from your own personal selfassessment but from that of your good friends, your spouse and your family members. So often, without realizing it, we are unable to see ourselves as we

truly are and instead we concoct a false idea and believe it wholeheartedly. We think we are looking in a mirror that reflects our genuine selves and yet we have distorted the mirror and do not see the true picture.

This can happen on an individual level, often revolving around body images, and it can happen collectively with families, communities and societies. As we very well know, truth or our apprehension of truth is based very strongly on perception. If our perception is faulty, then what we believe to be true is faulty.

A few weeks ago, our Torah portion talked about the 12 Israelites who were sent into the land of Canaan to reconnoiter and to see the land's strengths and weaknesses and that of its inhabitants as well. All of the "spies" reported on the beauty and fertility and richness of the land but 10 of those 12 fomented rebellion and fear when they reported on the huge nature of the inhabitants claiming that they were members of a race of giants. They spread fear and concern among all the people even though Joshua and Caleb pleaded with the people to trust in God and that God would guarantee their success. God ultimately punishes the people by forcing them to remain in the wilderness an additional 38 years; allowing that generation to die in the Sinai desert and letting their children be the generation that enters the Promised Land.

Many rabbis have had a hard time with God's harsh sentence of collective capital punishment for those who believed the fear mongers. In the 6th century Midrash known as Midrash Rabbah, the rabbis lay out the true crime which the spies and the people committed. Our rabbis taught us, "When the spies said, 'And we were in our own sight as grasshoppers,' God stated, 'I will forgive them this remark.' But when they went on to say, 'And so we must have appeared to them,' God became infuriated, questioning how could they possibly know how they appeared to the Canaanites." The lesson we are taught is that we cannot presume to know how we appear to others. Even if we look in a mirror, we cannot see how we truly appear to others.

Whether as individuals, as a family, as a congregation, and as a community, we cannot determine our actions based on a self-image that may be inaccurate. Others will judge us for what we do and say and that is fine. Hopefully, they will honestly tell us how they view us and appreciate what we have said and done. But even if they do not, we must not presume to know their perception. We need to do and be the best that we can. And at the end of the day, the week, the month or the year, let us judge ourselves honestly and truthfully based on our values, our observances, and our highest ideals. But if we really need to know how others see us, we can always ask them, "How am I doing?"

L'shalom,

Rabbi Rutberg

President's Report

25th Anniversary of the Temple Bat Yam Building!

Twenty-five years ago the TBY building was opened and dedicated. The cornerstone reads *September 1997.* It was the gem of our Jewish community. We had a place to pray together, a place to Bar/Bat Mitzvah our children, a place for marriages to take place, a place for us to celebrate together and cry together when there was a loss. My husband and I have no family on the Eastern Shore, so as a result, Temple Bat Yam because our surrogate family. We joined when the Temple was in its first year of existence. We were thrilled to have a Jewish community around us in such a beautiful building.

Well, as you know the years pass and we all don't look the same as we did 25 years ago ... certainly I don't. The interior of the building needs attention. Bette Bohlmann and Stu Smolins presented to the Board the idea of a celebration and drive to refurbish the interior of the building. It was unanimously approved. Great idea! At this time the committee consists of the following: Bette and Stu are the chairpersons, Jay Taustin, Anita and Steve Winkler, Sandy Abrams, Rabbi Rutberg and myself. More people will be brought in as needed. (As an aside the roof was replaced the week of June 13th. It looks great and I don't have to worry about leaks for another 25 years!)

This will be a year long celebration and drive. We will start with refurbishing the sanctuary (painting, carpet, and so forth) and move on to other areas as funds become available. Through a donation the sound system was replaced so we could use Zoom, and a new computer was purchased. We already have a pledge to replace the windows in the memorial alcove with stained glass and back lighting. Won't that be a wonderful addition to the sanctuary! Actually, we have donations and pledges for about \$10,000.00 already and we are just getting started. As an added incentive, anyone that donates \$2,500 or more will get a brass plate with their name on the boards in the foyer. Barbara Patrick designed and had created a large thermometer that is in the foyer so that everyone can see our donations growing and growing.

In October (we don't have an exact date yet) we will have a Bang Up Celebration at the Taustin property Blu. There will be silent auctions and bidding on baskets. Of course, there will be food and some drinks. We are after all celebrating at a Taustin property! The Winklers have put together events such as this before and they are in full swing to make it memorable. But that is not the end of our monetary drive. It will last the better part of a year. Hopefully, everyone will be donating either goods or cash to help us reach our goal of \$100,000. Also, I put our Tzedakah box back in the foyer. Please throw in your change or a few dollars when you pass by. I peeked in last week and people are actually doing just that. Every little bit helps and adds up.

So, now you know what the plan is ... we would like to get our beloved Temple all spruced up. Now that the roof is sound we can look forward to improving the interior. Please consider a generous donation for the cause.

Candy Gusst

Gift Shop

Hello shoppers! Come see what Tiffany Nichols and I have done in the Judaica shop! We have brought in some lovely new pieces from our vendors and from an artist in Florida. Also, in the early spring, we were very lucky to have a congregant donate a beautiful assortment of mezuzahs and other Judaica items to our shop.





For those of you who would like to get a jump on Hanukkah this year and other mitzvahs that may be in your future, please join us on:

Sunday, July 24, 2022 from 1-3 pm for a Sip and Shop in the Judaica Shop

We will be having a 50/50 raffle during the event – 3 tickets for 10, 1 ticket for 5.

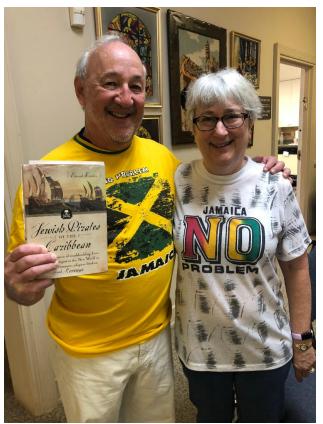
The Gift Shop is open Tuesday-Friday from 9-2 during office hours, and by appointment.

Karen Abrams

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Bagels and Books



Jewish Pirates? Really?

Did you know that there were Jewish pirates? The 20 people who attended "Bagels & Books" on June 26 had a lively discussion of the book **Jewish Pirates of the Caribbean: How a Generation of Swashbuckling Jews Carved Out an Empire in the New World in Their Quest for Treasure, Religious Freedom—and Revenge** by Edward Kritzler. It was particularly interesting because it reconnected us with Conversos (Jews who publicly recanted the Jewish faith and adopted Christianity under the pressure of the Spanish Inquisition, Merriam-Webster dictionary) which was the topic of the year's first book from last summer.

Joan and Syl Sobel did a terrific job as discussion leaders. They distributed a list of questions for our group to think about and react to. For example, "Christopher Columbus- member of the Tribe or not?" "Were you familiar with any of this history about Jews in the New World? If so, where did you learn about it?" The questions were particularly helpful for several reasons: 1. The questions focused the discussion; 2. The questions helped guide the reading of the book which several people had found

difficult, and 3. People who hadn't had a chance to read the book were still able to participate based on their own prior knowledge. Joan and Syl also initiated the use of technology by showing clips of an interview with the author who is now deceased.

The next meeting of Bagels & Books will be Sunday, September 18 at noon in the Social Hall. The title of the book will be forthcoming.

Judy and Bill Johnstone Library Committee Co-Chairs



Religious School Confirmation

Confirmation Mazel Tovs!!!

A wonderful night for all who participated in this first ever Confirmation celebration!

Well done Jacob and Rez for choosing to welcome Judaism actively into your future selves and lives. The beautiful articulation of the speakers and their heartfelt sentiments brought pride and tears to many an eye. Congratulations! You are an inspiration to all the other young adults sitting on the bima and those yet to come. Mazel Toy!!



















Sisterhood Report

Following is the Tribute to Anita Winkler, Sisterhood President, that was read at Sisterhood Installation Luncheon

Anita Winkler.... President Extraordinaire for the last 5 years. Anita, at this time as we install a new slate of officers to the Sisterhood Board, we want to thank you from the bottom of our hearts. Over these past 5 years you have led our Sisterhood with grace, compassion, generosity, wisdom and friendship. Your years of working in the realm of social justice and politics are just some of your life experiences that have made you the outstanding President you have been for Temple Bat Yam's Sisterhood.

I personally remember just getting to know you as you became a Bat Mitzvah under the guidance of Rabbi Susan. It was quite impressive to witness your love of Judaism along with your love of your wonderful Steve.

Anita Winkler, you are a role model for us all.

These past 5 years have presented many challenges, least of which was and still is COVID. Despite all the obstacles these crazy times presented us with, you were on top of it all. The retirement of Rabbi Susan brought additional challenges which you faced head on, leading to your relationship and collaboration with our dear Rabbi Rutberg. The countless Onegs, the beach Shabbats, the beautifully planned Sisterhood Shabbats, your meaningful opening and closing prayers for each and every Sisterhood meeting, the many fundraisers including Casino Night and our beautiful calendar, to name just a few of the accomplishments during your term. Each of the current and past Board members have been honored to be your dear friend, your Sister, your co-worker and part of your Temple family. We all want to wish you a future filled with health, love and much happiness.

In closing I will quote one of your heroes, Ruth Bader Ginsburg ... "Fight for the things you care about, but do it in a way that will lead others to join you." "I want to be remembered as someone who used whatever talent she had to do her work to the very best of her ability." Anita, these statements by Judge Ginsburg truly do personify your philosophy of life and work. I can only hope and pray that all our daughters and granddaughters embrace these words as they travel through life.

With much love always.

Presented by Barbara Garber

Men's Club

SYDNEY E. EAGLE MEMORIAL MEN'S CLUB YOM HASHOAH PROGRAM

On April 29, 2022, the Sydney Eagle Memorial Men's Club of Temple Bat Yam presented an awe-inspiring Annual Yom Hashoah program that consisted of a somber and moving Yom Hashoah service commemorating the victims of the Holocaust. A special live music program was also presented. Susan Zimmer, Lecturer of Music at Salisbury University, who assisted with the Yom Kippur service this past year, agreed to perform musical selections for this program along with two of her colleagues. Susan Zimmer played the piano; Jeff Schoyen, Cello Professor and

Orchestra Conductor at Salisbury University, played cello; and John Allen presented on vocals.

Susan performed the "Tango of Death," a piano solo. This piece was performed by the prisoners' orchestra at the Janowska concentration camp.

The title of the second song was "There's No Life Like Life at Auschwitz." This was performed by Susan on piano and Jeff on cello.

The third song presented was "We Remember Them," a memorial song composed in 1999. This was preceded by a reading about how music saved the life of



Holocaust prisoners, presented by John. Susan played piano, Jeff played cello, and John performed on vocals.

We would like to convey our deepest appreciation to Susan, Jeff and John for presenting an extremely moving and meaningful program. We would also like to thank our gifted rabbi, Rabbi Rutberg, for helping compose and lead the service, in addition to Phyllis Alpern for leading the service with the Rabbi, and for her musical leadership at the Temple for many years. We would like to express our thanks to June Todd for playing the piano during the service, an expert performance, as usual!

Steve Cohen and Steve Winkler

Co-Chairs of the Sidney Eagle Memorial Men's Club of Temple Bat Yam

Men's Club Update

As of June 30, 2022, Steve Cohen and Steve Winkler will no longer be Co-Chairmen of The Sydney Eagle Memorial Men's Club.



It has been a great time of more than five years. The Club has organized two bus trips, Casino nights, Classic Movie and Dinner nights, trips to the Shorebirds, Chanukah plays, Poker nights, Sunday afternoon movies and educational discussions in the Social Hall, barbeque fundraisers, and Walk to End Alzheimer's teams. They have also conducted annual Yom Hashoah services, and helped construct the Sukkah every year. They have also helped the Temple by providing ushers for the High Holidays and providing manpower for mailings and anything else for which the Temple needed assistance.

These are all great memories. It would be a shame for it not to continue.

As of July 1, no one has volunteered to take the helm of this group and continue its activities to enhance the TBY family. These pictures are from some of the past activities.

Please contact Peggy or Candy if you are interested.



Planned Giving Report

Our website provides detailed information regarding our Planned Giving Program, which was initiated in May of 2020. In the past, TBY has been fortunate in receiving bequests made by Hal Glick, Leslie Segall, the Nestler family, and the Rabinowitz family. We have already noted in past newsletters that Stu and Susanna Eisenman, Paul and Emily Schwab, Stu and Pamela Smolins, and Lew Bush have become Legacy Society members given their stated (non-binding) commitment to provide a planned gift to our Temple. Meanwhile, in the second quarter of 2022, Bette Bohlmann joined the Society and gave her gracious non-binding commitment. Our website, in addition to detailing information about this initiative, also provides the form for use in completing a statement of intention for Temple members.

Our Planned Giving Committee invites congregants to consider expressing a non-binding commitment and providing essential support for TBY by including our Temple in one's estate plan. We ask that you use the following name and information when referring to TBY in documents: "Temple Bat Yam located in Berlin, Maryland (Tax ID # 53-1651703), or its successors."

We do want to stress that our Temple is grateful for all estate gifts regardless of the size. If you designate your gift for a specific program at TBY, please contact the Temple President to ensure that we can use your gift as you wish.

Our objective continues to be ensuring the long-term viability of Temple Bat Yam. For further information regarding this initiative and the Heritage Society, please contact Paul Schwab (paulmschwab@gmail.com). We remind all TBY members, furthermore, to consult one's professional advisor to determine the best way to include our Temple in one's estate plan.

Caring Committee

I am the Chairperson of the Caring Committee. My email is steffcatlover1@gmail.com, and my phone is 410-736-9616.

The Committee members make friendly phone calls, help with rides to medical appointments, or medical equipment needs. We have contacts if you or someone you know needs a bereavement counselor, meal services, or are ill and could use some cheer! We also send cards! If you or someone you know needs any of the above services please email me or ask a friend to do it for you.

We are here for you, so contact me and I will do what I can to help with any of the above services, or let me know how I can assist you.

Stephanie Cohen

Membership Committee

Our overall number of Temple membership units, including our Friends, numbered 153 at the end of June 2022, compared to 156 at the end of June 2021. The 153 consisted of: 47 full time single members; 58 full time family members; 6 associate single members; 5 associate family members; and 37 Friends. The overall decline of 3 was accounted for by a drop in full time single members from 50 to 47. Among full time family members, 8 members left Temple Bat Yam (TBY) and 8 new members joined. Regarding our Friends, 4 participants left our Temple and 4 new Friends joined. The number of associate single and family members was unchanged.

The Gift of Membership Campaign was launched nearly 10 years ago in 2014, while the Friends membership program was adopted by the TBY Board in May 2015. Both have been very successful in adding to our membership. Although both are continuing, it is important to note that the annual fee for the Friends program is now \$275 for those participating for the first time as of July 1, 2022. The annual fee for existing Friends has not been changed. It is also worth noting that new Associate membership has not been offered for a number of years as the Board decided to replace the Associate membership category with the Friend program. Existing Associates continue to be "grandfathered in."

In November 2021, Rabbi Rutberg led a Shabbat service that recognized and honored new members who joined TBY in the preceding two years. Please mark your calendars as a similar Shabbat service for new members has been scheduled for October 28, 2022.

Our current Membership Committee, co-chaired by Paul (Selbyville, DE) and Doreen (Dagsboro, DE), consists of Steve Winkler and Harlan Eagle (Salisbury MD), Barbara Garber and Fran Bledsoe (Millsboro, Delaware), and Sylvan and Joan Sobel (Potomac, MD with a second home in Ocean Pines, MD.) Other congregants involved with membership-related matters include Ellen Eanet, Bette Bohlmann, Tim Rucinski, and David Fox.

We end this update with a few important requests.

- First, we ask that congregants, including but not limited to membership committee participants, volunteer to serve as greeters at Shabbat services. We cannot underestimate the value of welcoming existing and, yes, potential new members coming to our services. Please contact Doreen at timdoreen@verizon.net if you wish to volunteer.
- Second, we ask that each congregant bring into our TBY Family one or more new members this current fiscal year. As we look at it, all congregants are extensions of our committee. We are at the beginning of the best part of the year to accomplish that goal. Please contact Paul or Doreen regarding a family member, friend, neighbor, office worker, etc., who would be interested in learning more about TBY, including our special membership promotions.
- Third, we welcome any congregant interested in joining our membership committee. Please contact Doreen or a member of our committee if interested.

Paul Schwab and Doreen Linehan Membership Committee Co-Chairs

Contributions as of July 6, 2022

Note: Earlier contributions made for several of the listed funds have been acknowledged in one or more previous Newsletters.

GENERAL FUND

Karen & Sandy Abrams ~In memory of Marv Novick ~In memory of Veronica Kahn's brother, Michael Wolf ~In honor of Jeff & Rina Thaler's daughter's wedding. Mazel Tov to Chelsea & Joel! **Bette Bohlmann** ~In memory of Marv Novick ~In memory of Lew Bush's wife, Betty Shelley & Steve Cohen ~Sending wishes to Bette Bohlmann for a very speedy recoverv! **Carole Eagle** ~In honor of Allen Silverman's special birthday! ~In honor of Anita Winkler's special birthday! ~In memory of Marv Novick **Christine Glick** ~In memory of Marv Novick Lynda Gonen ~In memory of Marv Novick Barry & Candy Gusst ~In memory of Marv Novick ~In memory of Veronica Kahn's brother, Michael Wolf ~In memory of Lew Bush's wife, Betty ~In honor of Jeff & Rina's Thaler's daughter's wedding. Mazel Tov to Chelsea & Joel! **Jacqueline Horn** ~In memory of Marv Novick Susan Kaltenbaugh ~In memory of Marv Novick ~In memory of Lew Bush's wife, Betty Jill & Steven Kusic Liz Merwin ~I was in shul last week (4/22/2022) for Yizkor and Shabbos services. I totally enjoyed the service. Thank you for including me in your service. Art & Marsha Sandler ~In memory of Marv Novick **Carol Schachter** ~In memory of Marv Novick

Paul & Emily Schwab ~In memory of Phyllis Brodsky ~In memory of Marv Novick ~In memory of Veronica Kahn's brother, Michael Wolf ~In memory of Lew Bush's wife, Betty Stan & Susan Schwartzbart ~In memory of Philip Kullback Allen & Ilene Silverman ~Happy Birthday wishes to Alan & Monica Polikoff on their mutual 80th birthday! Stu Smolins ~In memory of Marv Novick ~In memory of Lew Bush's wife, Betty Ed & Joane Wolpin ~In memory of Phyllis Brodsky ~In memory of Marv Novick

~In memory of Veronica Kahn's brother, Michael Wolf

RESERVE FUND

Nancy Beimel John Willmuth

25TH ANNIVERSARY RENOVATION FUND

Phyllis Alpern ~In memory of Marv Novick ~In memory of Janice Spieler ~In memory of Veronica Kahn's brother, Michael Wolf ~In memory of Phyllis Brodsky Francine Bledsoe ~In memory of my husband, Larry Bledsoe Bette Bohlmann Vic & Stephanie Cohen Jan Sklar ~In memory of Marv Novick

SIDNEY EAGLE MEMORIAL MEN'S CLUB

Christine Glick \sim In honor of the beautiful Yom Hashoah service on April 29th

HIGH HOLIDAY MUSIC FUND

Christine Glick ~In honor of the special farewell service for Phyllis Alpern

RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

Grayce, Sharon & Bruce Cohen ~In memory of Marvin Novick Barbara & Tom Southwell ~In memory of Marv Novick

MITZVAH DAY DONATIONS

Bette Bohlmann Christine Glick Harold Youra & Lena Vebares

YAHRZEIT FUND

Roberta Bass ~Father, Sidney Bass ~Husband, Meir Flaisher ~Step-son, Sonny Gorman Andy & Nancy Benjamin ~Andy's father, Alvin Benjamin ~Andy's brother, Michael Benjamin Gary Bergman & Donna Redler ~Donna's father, Aaron Weinstein Svlvia Burkom ~Father, Benjamin Starr ~Brother, Robert Starr ~Mother-in-law. Bertha Burkom Barry & Rochelle Cohen ~Rochelle's father, Albert Bremy Snyder Ellen Eanet ~In loving memory of my husband, Bruce Eanet ~ In memory of Bruce's father, Myron Eanet Harry Freedman ~Father, Lewis Freedman Stephen & Robbin Gattanella ~Robbin's mother, Miriam Vitoulis Io Anne Glazer ~Husband, Philip Glazer – Love and miss you always! **Christine Glick** ~Mother, Sarah E. Ward

Barry & Candy Gusst ~Candy's cousin, Isabelle Segal ~Barry's father, Lou Gusst ~Barry's brother, Marshall Gusst Donald & Janice Hamburg ~Janice's mother, Clara Schaerf Susan Kaltenbaugh ~In memory of my beloved husband, Jack Kaltenbaugh Malcolm & Karen Karl ~Karen's mother, Lillian Saunders ~Karen's brother, Fred Saunders Florence Kasden ~Mother, Rose Getson ~Father, Louis Getson Steve & Bonnie Kirschbaum ~Bonnie's father, Harold Dubin Bill & Jane Lafferman ~In memory of Jane's mother, Fay Albert Marci Levin & Joel Resnick ~Marci's mother, Dorothy Blau Meyers Dara Murray ~In loving memory of my brother, Arnold S. Gordon, who died much too soon. ~In loving memory of my father, Lowell Leonard Gordon Tom & Lynn Neidenbach ~In memory of Lynn's father, Siegfried Kanthal ~In memory of Lynn's brother, Jerome (Jerry) Kanthal David & Mady Segal ~Mady's father, Morris Wechsler ~Mady's grandmother, Molly Szunyog ~David's father, Harry Segal ~David's grandfather, Jacob Segal Stu Smolins ~Nephew, Jay Smolins Bernard & Kathleen Sussman ~Kathleen's sister, Patricia Dunn **Ieff & Rina Thaler** ~Jeff's mother, Ruth Thaler Rachel & Billy White ~In memory of Rachel's beloved father, Donald Klein ~In memory of Rachel's uncle, Louis Lampel Nadine, Max & Sam Wieder ~Father & grandfather, Herbert Kaplan – Always in our hearts and prayers Ed Wirkman ~In loving memory of my wife, Michele

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MAZEL TOV

Mazel Tov to Arna Miller on the publication of her sister's book, "You Can't Stop Me", by Barbara J. Garshman. The book is only available on Amazon!

RESPONSES RECEIVED FROM SOLDIERS LETTERS

From the wife of Brett James Harms:

Dear Congregation, I just want to thank you for the letter of sympathy I have received from you about my husband's death. I appreciate your prayers.

> Yours Sincerely, Marilize S. Harms

Remembering Our Loved Ones

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Stephen Levin

Fred Gordon Brother-in-law of Fay Albert **Debbie Resnick** Jack L. Green William Hirsch Husband of Marcia Hirsch **Fred Saunders** Brother of Karen Karl Albert Levenston Mollie Frankfort Henry Sister of Barbara Patrick **Myron Eanet** Father-in-law of **Jason Garber** Ellen Eanet Father of Bob Strauss Pearl Levee **Benjamin Strauss Dorothy Blau Meyers** Mother of Marci Levin Grandfather of Louis Gnatt Maybelle Kaplan Andrea Kahn **Jacob Segal** Stepfather of Victor Rubin **Christine Glick** Albert Youra Mother of Anne Weiss Morris Cohen Jean Markman Anna Rabinowitz Grandmother of Hermione Caplan **Robin Rabinowitz Miriam Vittoulis** Mother of Robbin Gerald Silverman Gattanella Mother of Donna Redler Michele Wirkman **Cecily Weinstein** Father of Vivian **Robert Jacobs** Koroknay & **Stephen Jacobs** Harry Bass Bonita Kay Strohecker Mother of Jill Kusic Louis Lampel Philip F. Wolf Brother of Veronica Kahn Bernard Glazer Helen Hyman Grandmother of Joseph Kudisch Mike Gershenfeld **Bernice Snyder** Mother of Joan Webb **Rochelle** Cohen Patti Leiner Grandfather of Homer Gudelsky Rolfe Gudelsky Jack Kaltenbaugh Husband of Susan Kaltenbaugh Bertha Sablosky Yetta Levenston Grandmother of Robin Kudisch Ita Lola Springer **Julius Seigel** Uncle of Buddy Seigel Louis Beck **Bernard Kesler** Father of Steven Kesler Petra Gordon Geraldine G. Blumenthal Jay Smolins Nephew of Stu Smolins Maurice Glazer Brother-in-law of Frederick M. Firestone Io Anne Glazer Grandfather of Louis Getson Martin Hyman Mike Gershenfeld Jack Garber Father of Marv Garber

Ronnye Levin Mother of Jane Lafferman Father of Rabbi Susan Warshaw Grandfather of **Robin Kudisch** Son of Mary & Barbara Garber Mother of Leslie Weightman Mother of Jo Anne Glazer Grandfather of **David Segal** Father of Harold Youra Father of Victor Cohen Longtime Companion of Fred Blumenthal Father-in-law of **Stephen Jacobs** Wife of Ed Wirkman & Mother of Lori Stone Father of Debbie Mease Uncle of Rachel White Cousin of Jo Anne Glazer Grandfather of **Ieff Kudisch** Sister of Veronica Kahn Mother of Bruce Leiner

Husband of

August 2022 Yahrzeits

Grandmother of Jodi Meyers Mother of Eileen Frazier Father of Cindy Fox Sister of Debbie Resnick Mother of Fred Blumenthal Brother of Phyllis Alpern Father of Florence Kasden

August 2022 Yahrzeits (continued)

Edith Dubin

Ruth Eanet Judy Lankford

Theodore Plisko Margery Koroknay Libby Segal Ioel Wohl Ryan & Katelyn Taylor

Beatrice Grossman Sol Markman Max Sussman

Ronald Cohen Nanette Willmuth

Molly Boykoff

Elizabeth Gross

Ruth Rabinowitz Jean Grill

George Blickstein

Joseph Steinberg Lillian Fromme James I. Meyers Hyman Sheiman

Stella Resnick

Gertrude Apple

Hanna Alice Kahn

Harry Adler Stanley Keller Jerry Turley

Jean Blickstein

Mother of Bonnie Kirschbaum Mother of Bruce Eanet Mother of Michelle Schachter Husband of Hilda Plisko Mother of Ken Koroknav Mother of Candy Gusst Father of Erika Wohl Grandchildren of Bill & **Jane Lafferman** Great-aunt of Syl Sobel Father of Anne Weiss Father of **Bernard Sussman** Father of Meryl Cohen Wife of John & Mother of **Justin Willmuth** Mother of Gail Zinar & Bonnie Kaplan Grandmother of Joan Sobel Aunt of Robin Rabinowitz Mother of Sherry Auerbach Grandfather of Cyndi Leiner Father of Ivy Hecker Mother of Mvra Novick Father of Marci Levin Grandfather of Beth Woodell Mother-in-law of **Debbie Resnick** Mother of Edward Apple &

Mother-in-law of

Stepfather of

Grandmother of

Benjamin Feinbloom

Arlan Schachter

Louis Cohen Solomon Maier Beck Renee Chaikin **Jerome Morris** David Faulkner

Lila Kaplan Roslyn Katz Jackie Youra Husband of Carol & Father of Jack Schachter Grandfather of **Carole Eagle** Father of Barry Cohen Uncle of Cindy Fox Mother of Iodi Sabo Father of Raymond Morris Son of Rabbi Susan & **Richard Warshaw** Mother of Nadine Wieder Mother of Barbara Garber Mother of Harold Youra

September 2022 Yahrzeits

Irvin H. Kramer **Blanche Mevers** Harris (Hal) Levee Sam Gershenfeld Leonard Levin Joyce Claire Schneider **Ruth Taustin Dorothy Fiore** Milton Zinar Frances Katz Samuel Robert Anzel **Miriam Fand Eileen Apple-Knox** Ira Novick Veronica Kahn Frieda Rosenstock Husband of Deborah Adler Father of Sandy Friedman **Philip Siegel** Lillian Firestone Jayme Kennedy Ella Klein Cyndi Leiner

Father of Sharon Stern Grandmother of Jodi Meyers Father of Leslie Weightman Father of Mike Gershenfeld Father of Ilene Silverman Daughter of Leslie Segal (observed by Ed Wirkman) Mother of Jay Taustin & Susan Antigone Mother-in-law of Stu Smolins Father of Larry Zinar Mother of Joane Wolpin Grandfather of Karen Abrams Grandmother of **Robin Kudisch** Brother-in-law of Myra Novick Mother of George Rosenstock Grandfather of Jodi Sabo Mother of Phyllis Alpern Mother-in-law of Marion Longberg

September 2022 Yahrzeits (continued)

Stan Kahn

Husband of Veronica &

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			Father of Paul
Nathan Klioze	Father of Shirley Goodmar	1	Kahn
Dorothy Hodziewick	Mother of Stephanie	Bruce R. Levin	Brother of Lori McDonald
	Cohen	Rella Silverman	Mother of Allen Silverman
Leonard Harris	Brother-in-law of	Martha Gudelsky	Grandmother of
	Rosalie Harris		Rolfe Gudelsky
Tillie Kurland	Grandmother of Victor	Jerome Kahn	Grandfather of Fred Kahn
	Cohen	Robert Krawczak	Husband of Ellen
Avron Gudelsky	Father of Rolfe Gudelsky		Krawczak
Maxine Bishop	Friend of Rabbi	Jeff Rosen	Son-in-law of Ronnye
r	Susan Warshaw		Levin
Flora Cohen	Mother of Barry Cohen	Dr. Bernard Ross	Father of Doreen Linehan
Charles Rabinowitz	Grandfather of	Selig Cohen	Father-in-law of
	Robin Rabinowitz		Grayce Cohen
Jerome Stern	Brother-in-law of	Libe Kudisch	Grandmother of
,	Sharon Stern		Jeff Kudisch
Harriet Goodman Benjamin	Mother of Andy Benjamin	Jordana Paige Gordon	Daughter of Robbin
Paul J. Blumenthal	Father of Fred Blumenthal	l	Gattanella
Beatrice Freeman	Aunt of Cheryl Taustin	Frank Grill	Father of Sherry Auerbach
Sylvia Strauss	Mother of Bob Strauss		



SISTERHOOD DUES 2022-2023

Membership Form

There are two fee structures: The base fee (which has remained the same) or you may choose the Matriarch fees.

Base Fee:	\$36
Matriarch fees:	
Rachel and Leah	\$54
Sarah	\$72

Please choose the level that suits both your commitment and pocketbook.

Please complete the entire form below even if there are no changes and send it with your check made payable to "Sisterhood of Temple Bat Yam." The dues are payable by <u>July 9, 2022, and</u> can be mailed to the Temple or left in the Sisterhood mailbox. If you have any questions, please email Susan Kaltenbaugh, Co-President of Sisterhood and Membership Chair, <u>suekaltenbaugh1@gmail.com</u> or call Susan at 443-537-6676.

We look forward to having you on board again or joining anew and getting to know you better. Let's have a fun and successful year no matter how challenging the circumstances may be!

Sincerely,

Bonnie Kirschba Susan Kaltenbau Sisterhood Co-P	ıgh		
Name:			
Address:			
City:		State:	_Zip:
Home Phone:		_ Cell Phone:	
E-Mail:			

We need your help and involvement in our Sisterhood! Please consider getting involved and attending the wonderful events we have planned. We are very interested in hearing your ideas for either fundraising or future Sisterhood programs. Please share your ideas with us.



TBY Participates in the <u>Amazon Smile</u> Program

You, your family members, your friends, your neighbors, and your colleagues can help support Temple Bat Yam through our exciting partnership with the Amazon Smile Program.

How Can I Join?

When visiting AmazonSmile (Google the name and then select the Get Started icon under AmazonSmile), customers are prompted to select a charitable organization. Temple Bat Yam in Berlin, Maryland is fully registered. Just write in our Temple as the selected charitable organization and complete the registration process. For eligible purchases at AmazonSmile, the AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price to the customer's selected charitable organization.

How Does the Temple receive the donations?

Each quarter, the AmazonSmile Foundation makes donations to eligible charitable organizations by electronic funds transfer. Donations will be transferred approximately 45 days after the end of each calendar quarter. To Account for Product returns, a portion of the quarterly donations will be withheld until the next donation cycle, subject to any restrictions due to returns from prior quarters.

A number of our congregants have joined the program since our first announcement. Since the program began, TBY has earned over \$400.00.

We hope you will participate in this partnership our Temple has with AmazonSmile. Thanks in advance for your support of Temple Bat Yam. If you have any questions, please contact the Temple office at 410-641-4311.

Sincerely,

TBY Board of Directors

Did you know that Temple Bat Yam has a unique AmazonSmile link that makes it easier for people to find and support our organization?



What is Temple Bat Yam's unique link? http://smile.amazon.com/ch/52-1651703

What does my unique link do?

When customers click on TBY's unique link, they skip the process to search for a charity to support among over 1 million eligible charities. Instead, they're taken to <u>smile.amazon.com</u> and are automatically asked if they want to support Temple Bat Yam.

Can I just tell supporters to search for Temple Bat Yam at smile.amazon.com?

Yes. However, that makes it harder for your supporters to find and select TBY. There are over 1 million eligible charities, and customers may end up picking a different organization during the selection process. Sharing our charity link increases the likelihood that customers will select TBY before they start shopping.

Do supporters have to click on Temple Bat Yam's AmazonSmile link every time they shop?

No. Once customers select your organization, TBY will receive 0.5% of the price of all their eligible <u>smile.amazon.com</u> purchases, regardless of whether they use TBY's unique AmazonSmile link to return to the site. However, we recommend that supporters bookmark and use your link so they don't accidentally shop at www.amazon.com instead of <u>smile.amazon.com</u>. Only purchases made at <u>smile.amazon.com</u> are eligible for donations.

What do customers that have already selected a charity see when they click on TBY's unique link? If someone is already supporting TBY and they click on our unique link, they will simply be taken to <u>smile.amazon.com</u> so they can start shopping. They do not have to re-select your charity. If someone supporting a different charity clicks on your charity link, they are asked if they'd like to switch to support TBY.