

Yahrzeits

Kaddish will be recited for the following departed loved ones whose names are inscribed for perpetual tribute on the Memorial Tablets of our Congregation:

November 23, 1973

Benjamin F. Ross
Geitel Gluckman
Fred M. Elikan
Fannie S. Chapman
Julius Abrahamson
Johanna Seligsohn
Herman Speier
Rose Ginsburg
Dr. Charles Rosewater
Abe Herman Brodkey

November 30, 1973

Harry Heyman
Al Hoffman
David M. Meyer
Sadie Gitlin
Flora Bergman
Arthur B. Grotte
Nathan J. Mantel
Jacob V. Rosenblum
Oscar B. Sutin
Marion Hortense Ungar
Blanche Abrahamson
Harry Friedman
Edith Block
Sara K. Zevin
Herman Mandel Jahr
Louis Kuklin

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IN APPRECIATION OF:

The Services of Rabbi Sidney H. Brooks.
The Services of Rabbi Barry L. Weinstein.

IN HONOR OF:

The 77th Birthday of Mrs. Molly Glicker.
The Conversion of Nan Gruman.
40th Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Krantz.
Great-Grandchild of Mrs. Louis Kulakofsky.
50th Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Perlmer.
Bar Mitzvah of Andrew Robinson.
50th Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Hymie Zorinsky.

FOR THE RECOVERY OF:

Bernard Altsuler, Stanley Katelman, Louis Klein, Katie London, N. Julian "Nick" Rips, Anne Taxman.

IN MEMORY OF:

Jake Breslow, Lester Fox, Edward Stein, Sam Wine.

GIFTS OF INSCRIBED PRAYER BOOKS

IN HONOR OF:

50th Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Perlmer.

IN MEMORY OF:

Louis Kulakofsky.
Abe Somberg.
Samuel Sperling.
Dr. Sam Turkel.

PULPIT FLOWERS

November 9
In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Marci Telpner.

OUR SYMPATHY

The Congregation recoils with sorrow the death of **GRACE BERNSTEIN**, mother of Mrs. Edwin E. Brodkey, Mrs. Arthur Kulakofsky, Mrs. Pauline Friedman, Harold Bernstein and extends sympathy to the bereaved family.

THANKS FROM:

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Perlmer for the Uniongrams received in honor of their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

HONORED AT SABBATH SERVICES

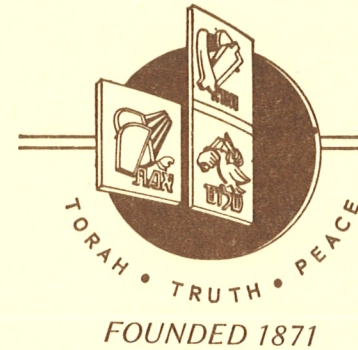
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Candle Blessing .. Mrs. Sheldon Brodsky
Kiddush Harold Bernstein
Torah Blessing Sidney Spiegelman
Torah Blessing Herbert Weil

November 9, 1973

Candle Blessing Mrs. Maynard S. Telpner
Kiddush Maynard S. Telpner
Torah Blessing Zeph Telpner
Torah Blessing Ernest Priesner

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IT SEEMS TO ME

A Personal Message from Rabbi Brooks

LETTER FROM JERUSALEM



The fate of Israel still hangs in the balance. With trepidation I listen to each day's news. I sat with my wife in our home and wept with the parents, loved ones and friends of those filmed on our TV newscast in their unspeakable sorrow at the graves of the slain.

A phone call brought me, finally after weeks of worry, the news that young friends of ours were safe. "But," added the caller, "so many of their friends will never come home."

A welcome letter comes to hand that I must share with you. The writer is Dan Bleicher, son of Dr. and Mrs. Jerome Bleicher, who
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SIDNEY H. BROOKS, M.H.L., D.D.
Rabbi

Barry L. Weinstein, M.A.H.L.
Assistant Rabbi

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Wednesday, November 21

SPECIAL WEEKDAY SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING

5:30 p.m. — Temple Chapel
Informal Social Following

Friday Evening, November 23
8:15 p.m.

Sabbath Evening Services

RABBI BARRY L. WEINSTEIN

will speak on

IS IT NECESSARY TO BE JEWISH TODAY?

Sabbath Coffee Hour

Saturday Morning, November 24
11:00 a.m.

Sabbath Morning Services

Bat Mitzvah
of
MARCIA KRASNE

Bar Mitzvah
of
RICHARD KRASNE

Daughter and Son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Krasne

Friday Evening, November 30
8:15 p.m.

Sabbath Evening Services

II. SABBATH DISCUSSION SERIES WHY THE GROWING INCIDENCE OF FAMILY BREAKDOWN AND SOCIAL DISORDER?

Mr. Philip R. Schneiderman
Executive Director, United Community Services

See inside article
Sabbath Coffee Hour

Saturday Morning, December 1
11:00 a.m.

Sabbath Morning Services

Bat Mitzvah
of
ROBIN LEA SCHNEIDERMAN,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Schneiderman

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went to Israel for his first year of study for the rabbinate. He writes in part:

October 28, 1973

Dear Rabbi:

Upon coming to Israel I knew that I would experience many different things — some good and some bad — but never, ever did I anticipate having to go through a major war. It was an emotionally painful two weeks of my life that I'll never forget and I'm certain it will always affect my attitude and thinking toward Israel and the Middle East for the rest of my life. I don't think I have to go into any detail in this letter about the war. I'm sure your understanding of it is as complete as the media would allow anyone. The two weeks of the war coincided with our Sukkot chofesh (vacation) at the HUC which enabled the student body complete mobilization in volunteer work in hospitals and factories. I put my time in packing antibiotics at Teva Pharmaceutical Co., standing night watch at Ezrat Nashim (a mental hospital), and a week standing night watch at the Israel Museum (from 6 p.m. to 7 a.m.). By time classes were ready to begin again on the 22nd, the war was rapidly coming to an end and most of the students returned to their Ulpanim. Of course things are not back to normal and won't be for months to come. The scarred Israeli ego will never be the same just as Diaspora Jewry will never forget this event. It will take months for this situation to clear up politically. I'm not looking forward to the ugly cold war fighting but I suppose it is the only way to establish a semblance of peace in this part of the world.

Shalom,

Dan

I ask: How long will it be until our students may go to Israel to learn, to thrill to the sights of the land of our fathers, to walk the ancient paths in peace?

I ask: How long will the Jew be asked to pay with his life for his being a Jew? How long will the nations toy with the world's Jews? How long must the Jew be expendable, the pawn in the game of international politics? Where can the Jew find the same right to home and peace as others? How long will it be until the children of those who were among the few to escape the

Temple Israel
invites you to a Family Dinner
To Celebrate Chanukah
Friday, December 21 — 6:00 p.m.
Followed by Services at 7:30 p.m.

Junior Choir Members To Sing

\$1.50 for children
\$3.00 for adults and children 7th grade and older

Reservations must be in to the Temple Office by Monday, December 17 — and check must accompany reservation.

Name _____

Number in party _____

Family to sit with _____

Congratulations .

ON THE BIRTH OF:

Sarah Elizabeth Krieger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Krieger. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. David Krieger, Freeport, New York, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hilton, Shenandoah, Iowa.

Adam Scott Millard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Millard. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Morris Adler, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Millard.

ON THE WEDDING OF:

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kully. Mrs. Kully is the former Debra Cackin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cackin, and Mr. Kully is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Yale Kully, Hastings, Nebr.

(Rabbi Brooks . . . continued)

Nazi horror will themselves be able to live on their farms, in their villages and cities with security?

And what merit is ours that we are spared all of this? We too are Jews. In my view, now — each of us — must live THREE lives. One for the Jew who perished in our place in Nazi Germany. One for the Jew who was killed in our place in Israel.

And one for ourselves justifying, giving, learning, remembering, living as a Jew for all three.

WELCOME NEW MEMBER
Mrs. Sharon Lee Cohen

WELCOME NEW SISTERHOOD MEMBERS:
Mrs. Richard Zacharia
Mrs. Jeffrey Passer

GIFT SHOP

Chanukah will be here
In a few more weeks
So stop in at the Gift Shop
And take yourself some peeks.

We've candles, wrappings, decorations, Some beautiful and unusual items; Candy, Mezuzahs, Menorahs, trays, And an ad infinitum.

Games, books, Vases and rings, Come take a look Then buy a few things.

For Chanukah shopping Please remember, We're open the 2nd, 9th, and 16th Of December.

A gift from the Gift Shop Is sure to please. So pay us a visit For shopping ease.

SISTERHOOD TO HEAR
RABBI BROOKS REVIEW

Sisterhood will hold their monthly meeting Tuesday, December 11, with Luncheon at 12:30 p.m. in the Temple Social Hall.

Rabbi Sidney H. Brooks will review the book *A Passion For Truth* by Abraham Joshua Heschel.

The Donor drawing will not be held on December 11 as first announced. Instead the money that would have been spent for the prizes will be sent to Israel in Temple Israel Sisterhood's name.

There will be Sitter Service.

The Sisterhood Board Meeting will be held at 11:30 a.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room.

Reservations may be made through Temple Office, 556-6536.

It should be noted that even though the members pay their Donor, there will be a charge for luncheon.

Support Temple Funds

A contribution to one of Temple Israel's Funds is an ideal way to remember your friends and relatives in times of joy or sorrow.

Your contribution will be handled promptly by the Temple staff. There is a \$2 minimum for each card sent. Gifts of inscribed prayer-books are available at \$10 each.

Early Thanksgiving Service
To Be Held November 21

At Thanksgiving time, when many College youth return home for a brief visit, we believe an early, 5:30 p.m., Thanksgiving Eve service in our Temple Chapel will offer a brief opportunity for prayerful thanksgiving for both parents and children. Following the prayers, wine will be served at a social gathering in the foyer.

The Congregation at large will, of course, also welcome this short service to give thanks for the many blessings of our lives.

BOOKS AND RECORDS

needed for

SISTERHOOD'S BOOK BASH

to be held

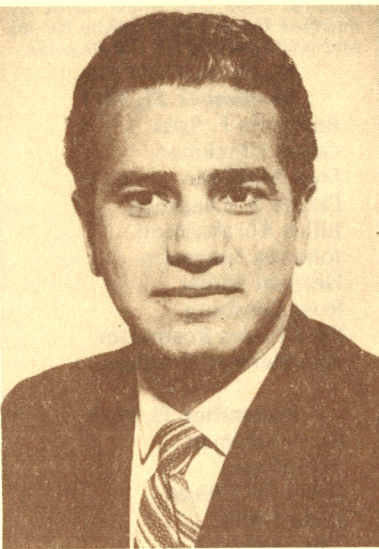
January 12-18, 1974

at

Crossroads Mall.

Please call Fifi Passer, 333-2189, for pickups.

UCS Director Will
Address Congregation



Philip R. Schneiderman

We are pleased to announce that Mr. Phillip R. Schneiderman, Executive Director of United Community Services, will speak to our congregation after our Sabbath worship on November 30.

Mr. Schneiderman will address himself to the increasing incidence of family breakdown and its relationship to social disorder today. Upon the conclusion of his remarks he will respond to any questions you might have, and also explain the function of the United Community Services in Omaha.

Mr. Schneiderman is a native of Boston, and a graduate of Boston University, where he attended the Graduate School of Social Work. Prior to his recent arrival in Omaha, he served as Executive Director of the United Fund in Pasadena, California, Western Los Angeles County, and Cape Kennedy, Florida. He is a member of the faculty of Bellevue College, and also is included in the 1973 volume of "Who's Who in the West." Mr. and Mrs. Schneiderman are new members of our congregation, and have two children, Ellen and Scott.

We know you will enjoy meeting Mr. Schneiderman and participating in this discussion, the second of our annual series presented under the auspices of our Social Action Committee. Please plan on being with us!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

November		
21	Coffee with the Rabbi	10:00 a.m.
21	Thanksgiving Eve Service	5:30 p.m.
22	No Hebrew Classes	
22-25	MoVFTY Conclavette	
23	No Nursery School	
24-25	No Religious School	
26	No Hebrew Classes	
27	Confirmation Class	4:30 p.m.
28	Coffee with the Rabbi	10:00 a.m.
December		
1	Religious School	9:00 a.m.
2	Religious School	10:00 a.m.
4	Confirmation Class	4:30 p.m.
5	Coffee with the Rabbi	10:00 a.m.
11	Sisterhood Board Meeting	11:30 a.m.
11	Sisterhood Luncheon	12:30 p.m.
19	Chanukah Begins	Sundown
21	Chanukah Dinner	6:00 p.m.
21	Chanukah Service	7:30 p.m.