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Simcha Announcements

Mazel Tov to...

Lonica Solomon and **Joseph Hamstra** on the birth of their daughter **Ruth Anne Hamstra Solomon** who was born at home on Jan. 13, 2016. Her big brother **Eliot** (pictured below with her) was very excited to meet her, as were her parents! Maternal grandparents are **Bruce Solomon, Sue Swartz** and **Joelene Bergonzi** of Bloomington, Ind., and paternal grandparents are **Dick** and **Sherry Hamstra** of Indianapolis.



Jennifer and **Moshe Hillel** on the birth of their son, **Daniel Chanan** (below), born on Jan 31, 2016. Maternal grandparents are **Brad** and **Nancy Bell** of Carmel, Ind., and paternal grandparents are **Lusi** and **Mordechai Hillel** of Great Neck, N.Y. Moshe is a podiatrist and Jen works for Birthright Israel Foundation as Associate Director of Foundation Relations. The baby has two older siblings **Nechama** age 13, and **Joey** age 2.



Alex Star on turning 90 on Feb. 20. Photo below: Alex (center front) with his grandchildren and two great-grandsons. Front row left to right: Josi Star (great-grandson of Alex), Michael Star, Ariel Pollack Star, Amichai Star (also, great-grandson), Alex Star, and Jennie Star Colburn. Second row left to right: Jordan Star, Rebekah Doochin, Olivia Doochin, Justin Doochin, Cole Star, Brett Star, and Russel Colburn. Back row: Daniel Heller.



Rivkah Bunes (below), daughter of **Charlie** and **Stacey Bunes**, on being called to the *Torah* as a *Bat Mitzvah* on Feb. 27 at Congregation Shaarey Tefilla. She is the granddaughter of **Jeanne** and the late **Sol Bunes**, and **Ken** and **Karen Hecht** and the late **Rona Hecht**, and younger sister to **Chava Bunes**. Rivkah, an excel-



lent seventh grade student at the Hasten Hebrew Academy, is active in the Mathcounts club, volleyball, and softball, and is an award-winning writer.

Mike Blain on turning 88 on March 2.

Lori Moss, on her anniversary on March 4, 2016 as Executive Director at Jewish Family Services. "Today I celebrate 32 years of doing what I truly love at an organization that I respect with colleagues who give their all," she wrote on Facebook.

Motteleh Schusterman, son of **Rabbi Mendel** and **Fraidel Schusterman**, on becoming a *Bar Mitzvah* on March 27, 2016. Some of those in attendance from out of town were maternal grandparents **Rabbi Sholom** and **Faigel Jacobson** of Brooklyn, paternal grandparents **Rabbi Gershon** and **Chana Rochel Schusterman** of Los Angeles, eight of Rabbi Mendel Schusterman's siblings and all seven of his wife Fraidel's siblings. In the family photo below, Motteleh is in the center wearing a red tie with his father behind him and his mother by his side.



Miriam Smulevitz Dant who was the featured Indianapolis "Lawyer of the Year" recipient for 2016 in government relations practice. This was based on her high level of peer recognition. In 2006, she started her own firm, Dant Advocacy, a state-certified Women's Business Enterprise, to act as an advocate for her clients not in a courtroom, but in the Indiana statehouse, where the laws governing the Hoosier State are written.



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Editorial

I have been thinking about what new and exciting thing I could write about the upcoming holiday of Passover. When nothing stood out in my mind, I researched our archives and found several inspiring articles. I chose two “oldies but goodies” from which to quote. Both are based on powerful speeches I heard when I lived in San Francisco.

The first was by Dr. Edward Hoffman, an adjunct associate psychology professor at Yeshiva University in New York who has written many books on psychology and Judaism. It was part of a speech given at the San Francisco JCC titled, “Dealing with Stress the Jewish Way”.

Hoffman wrote about self-reflection as an important way to keep stress from becoming overwhelming. “Some of the great *Hasidic* masters said one should put aside one hour each day for introspection.” Hoffman recommended putting aside part of a day every week to answer the following type of questions: Where am I going with my life? What kind of person have I been? How have I been treating others? Have I forgotten my own needs?

In Judaism, this is the purpose of the Sabbath but there are also special times of the year built around the holidays for this. The first one he mentions is before the High Holidays. He says the most important time of the Jewish calendar for self-reflection is the 28-day period prior to the Jewish New Year.

Quoting from Hoffman, “Another time is in the spring during Passover, the holiday that commemorates the exodus out of Egypt, from slavery to freedom. The *Kabbalists* viewed this holiday in symbolic terms. The task of this holiday is for each individual to examine what is keeping him or her in bondage or darkness, Egypt being the symbol of darkness. What is preventing him or her from moving ahead in a spiritual way. Everyone is enslaved by different things such as food, alcohol or work. One needs to confront these issues. This is an ongoing process that every Jew should do every year. Then it becomes a personal experience, not just an abstraction or something with only historical significance.”

The full article can be seen on our website at the following link: <http://jewishpostopinion.com/?p=3252>

The second one is made up of a few different paragraphs from a lecture by Rabbi David Zeller, z”l, given at Temple Beth Abraham in Oakland, Calif. Rabbi Zeller was an internationally known musician, lecturer, and workshop leader in Jewish mysticism, spirituality and meditation, as well as in transpersonal

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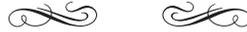
Miriam, Leading the Dance Into the Future
By Jackie Olenick

From Exodus 15:20, Miriam the prophetess leads the women in joyous song and dance at the edge of the Reed Sea. “Miriam” is a wonderful Jewish feminist symbol for strength, prophecy and healing.



J. Olenick

Jackie Olenick is a Judaic artist and jewelry designer residing in Bloomington, Ind. Her work can be seen on her website: www.jackieolenickart.com. ✨



psychology. Learn more about him at www.davidzeller.org.

“*Pesach* is about regaining our freedom. It’s waking up and realizing that we are slaves. According to many *midrashim* (commentaries), most of the Jews never woke up to that reality. One *midrash* says only one fifth of the Jews actually left Egypt. The rest of the Jews thought that slavery was the way life was supposed to be.

“*Pesach* is a time to think about our levels of slavery. If I have this spiritual level – this soul – and these mental, emotional and physical levels, I become a slave on all of these levels.

“Make a chart of what you do for one day and see how much of it is for your physical body – eating, sleeping, going to the bathroom, bathing, shopping, and working. For many of us, the work we do is only to earn enough money to have a roof over our head to be protected from the elements and to have clothes and so forth – to be comfortable. The work itself may not have its own intrinsic value. Everything comes down to being a slave to the physical.

“There’s nothing wrong with the physical and with being comfortable, with making money and having good food. But if I have no choice, and if I’m driven by it, and if that is all I can think about, and if the denial for half an hour of something to eat or drink or a cigarette is challenging, I’m a complete slave to my physical. I have to look at that and see if somehow through *Pesach* I can free myself a little bit.

“If there’s any time left in my day after I measured off everything I do physically, where am I emotionally and how often do my emotions enslave me? For example, my emotional reactions such as anger, love, lust, greed – I’ve got to weed out what is good and what is bad. How many people have I written off because of some emotional feeling? How many situations have I turned upside down, reacted in the worst of ways because of emotional lack of freedom?

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Like a slave I seem to have no choice. “*Haggadah* is a highly developed spiritual tool that can realign one’s consciousness and change one’s life. It’s important not to change the *Haggadah* too much but to simply say it. “*Haggadah*” means “to tell.” “*Pesach*” means “the mouth tells.”

“*Pesach* is an opportunity. It’s not just a historical celebration, not just a great time to have family and friends get together for a good meal. *Pesach* is a breakthrough in time from the realm of eternity. It is the
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Community Events

PJ Library Passover *matzah* baking

Sun., Apr. 10, 10 a.m.–12 p.m., at the Arthur M. Glick JCC. Join Rabbi Schusterman's *matzah* factory and learn how to bake delicious *matzah*. Enjoy Passover stories and snacks. No charge. For more info contact Inna Kolesnikova Shmukler 317-715-9264 pjlibrary@jfgi.org. From 12–1 p.m., those (even adults) who can't make the earlier time are welcome to attend *matzah* baking but you must RSVP to 698-6423 or jliindiana@gmail.com.

Second Sunday Concert: IHC's 65th Street Klezmerim

Sun., Apr. 10, 2 p.m., at Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation, 6501 N. Meridian St. For 20 years, they have enriched the musical life of IHC and the rest of the community. The musicians range in age from teens to septuagenarians. For more info on this free concert call 255-6647.

35th Greater Lafayette Holocaust Remembrance Conference

Sun.–Weds., April 10–13 on the Purdue University Campus with keynote speaker Daniel Mendelsohn. Included this year will be a film series: *My Italian Secret* (US/Italy), *Aftermath* (Poland) and *The Flat* (Israel); a performance; an educator workshop and much more. For information go to: www.glhrc.org or email: Info@glhrc.org.

Babyccino – a chic meet for mod moms and their tots

Spring series classes from 9–10 a.m., **Apr. 11, 18, May 9, 16**, and **23** at the Chabad Center for Jewish Life, 2640 West 96th St., Carmel, Ind. For babies ages 0–24 months. Grandmas and nannies welcome too! Register today for this terrific “mommy and me” program! Cost is \$10 per class. For more information contact Nini Grossbaum 317-513-5100 or ngrossbaum@hotmail.com.

Israel Talks

Mon., April 11 at 7 p.m. in room A25 at the Arthur M. Glick JCC. The fourth session of “Israel Talks” will deal with “Minorities in the Middle East & the Druze Community in Israel”. Our community *shlichah*, Inbar Nadir, will interview Munir Murad, a PhD Candidate in Religion at Ben Gurion University and member of the Druze community in Israel, about the subject. During the interview we will explore answers to questions like: Who are the Druze in Israel? How are Druze involved in daily life in Israel? What challenges are minorities facing in the Middle East today? The program is free

and open to the public. For more information contact Inbar Nadir at 317-800-9350 or shaliach@jfgi.org.

Hadassah Book Club

Mon., Apr. 11, at 7 p.m., *The Aleppo Codex* by Matti Friedman. Hostess is Carol Arenstein and facilitator is TBA. **Mon., May 16** at 7 p.m., *The Glass Room* by Simon Mawer. Hostess is Marsha Rauscher and facilitator is TBA. For more info or to RSVP contact Helaine Herman at helaineh1@gmail.com or the Hadassah office at 475-4278. Office administrator is Leslie Barrick and her office hours are Mon., Wed., and Fri., from 9 a.m.–2 p.m.

Hadassah Lunch and Learn

Wed., Apr. 13 at 11:30 a.m., at Donato's at 86th and Ditch. Dianne Feinstein and Barbara Boxer, California U.S. Senators. Marion Garmel is presenter. For more info call Leslie Barrick at 475-4278 or email indianapolis@hadassah.org.

Indiana Hillel Campus Superstar

Sun., April 17, 7:30–10 p.m. at the Tobey Theater in the Indianapolis Museum of Art. Future celebrities will blossom when homegrown talent competes for a \$5,000 grand prize. Indiana Campus Superstar is open to any college student in the state of Indiana and is the Helene G Simon Hillel Center's largest fundraiser. The contest, based on the hit TV show American Idol, has run annually since 2004. Mark your calendar to join us to watch the 10 student finalists compete to be crowned as Campus Superstar 2016 at the Finals. For more info contact Phillip Silberberg at 812-606-6586 or philsilb@indiana.edu.

Chabad Community Seder

Fri., April 22 at 7:30 p.m. Check their website www.chabadindiana.org for more details. Please RSVP to 698-6724 or rabbil@lubavitchindiana.com. There is a charge but accommodations will happily be made for those with limited means.

Young Jewish Adults Seder

Mon., April 25, 6–8 p.m., in the Laikin Auditorium of the Arthur M. Glick JCC, the Young Leadership Division and *Torah* on Tap are hosting an all-inclusive, community-wide Passover *seider*! Beth-El Zedeck's Rabbi Hal Schevitz will lead a full *seider*, which will be followed by a *Kosher* dinner. This event is for people 21 years old and over. Please RSVP by Wednesday, April 13 at www.jewishindianapolis.org. Questions? Contact Inna Kolesnikova Shmukler, Director of YLD, at 317.715.9264 or YLD@JFGI.org.

North African Mimuna celebration

Sun., May 1 at 7 p.m., at Etz Chaim Sephardic Congregation. For more info call 251-6620 or email information@etzchaimindy.org.

Hooverwood Guild Annual Spring Card Party and Social Gathering

Weds., May 4, Card Party 11 a.m.–5 p.m. Broadmoor Country Club, 2155 Kessler Blvd., W. Drive. Great Door Prizes. A beautiful and delicious luncheon. Homemade Desserts. Bring a friend! Card players please send your \$22 checks to: Hooverwood Guild, 7001 Hoover Rd., Indpls., IN 46260. Your check is your reservation. Check deadline: April 29. For more information call: Babs Cohn, 844-9001 or Judy Himelstein, 257-0503.

18th Annual State of Indiana Holocaust Observance

Wed., May 4 from 12:30–3 p.m., at the Indiana State House, 200 W Washington St., Indianapolis. For more info contact Lindsey Mintz at 317-926-2935 or lmintz@indyjerc.org.

Jewish Community Erev Yom HaShoah Observance Ceremony

Wed., May 4 from 7–8:30 p.m. The Jewish community's *Erev Yom HaShoah* service and program will take place at Congregation Beth El Zedeck. All

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Yom HaShoah @ the Memorial

Thurs., May 5 from 12–12:30 p.m. Members of the Jewish community are (see Events, page IN 8)



MAZEL TOV

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She has been listed in Best Lawyers®, the oldest and most respected peer-review publication in the legal profession, since 2007. The *Indianapolis Business Journal (IBJ)* and *Indiana Lawyer* named her among the “Influential Women in Indianapolis.” The *IBJ* also recognized her in its “Forty Under 40,” a list of young professionals who have demonstrated leadership, initiative and dedication in their careers. She also received the Sagamore of the Wabash award from Governor Evan Bayh.

Ms. Dant is currently or has served as a Board Member, Government Affairs Committee Chair for the Jewish Community Relations Council, and a Board Member of Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation.

Shelley Goldman on being selected as Assistant Rabbi of Congregation Beth-El Zedeck. She grew up in Oak Park, Ill. Rabbi Goldman will be ordained at the Reconstructionist Rabbinical College on June 5, 2016.



Before entering rabbinical school she was a community organizer with youth at the LGBT Community Center in Manhattan and with Jews for Racial and Economic Justice. She graduated from Oberlin College with a BA in history with minors in art and women's studies. As a rabbinical student, Shelley has served congregations in Woodstock, NY and Media, Pa. She has also worked as a rabbinic intern with elders at the Abramson Center for Jewish Life and students at Haverford College, Brandeis University, and local religious schools. In the summer of 2014 she did a unit of Clinical Pastoral Education at Thomas Jefferson University Hospital. While studying in Jerusalem she was a Fellow at T'RUAH: The Rabbinic Call for Human Rights.

Shelley enjoys *davening*, sacred Hebrew chanting, weaving, swimming and going to the movies! Rabbi Goldman and her partner, **Kieran Kiley**, look forward to relocating to Indianapolis in July, 2016. ✨

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Second Sunday Concert: IHC's 65th Street Klezmerim

Sun., Apr. 10 at 2 p.m., at Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation, 6501 N. Meridian St. See more about this free concert in Community Events.

Book Club – New location

Tues. Apr. 12 at 10:30 a.m., at the Hasten Hebrew Academy. Call Monica Rosenfeld 255-3604 for additional info.

Vera Bradley Outlet Sale – Ft. Wayne Coliseum

Wed., Apr. 13, leave the JCC at 10 a.m. A large variety of styles and colors of purses, clutch bags, tote bags and accessories. We will have lunch at Casa Restorante Italiano; your expense. The restaurant is located directly across from the coliseum. Of course, lunch before shopping. Don't you need a new purse? Cost \$25 includes admission & transportation.

Butler University Ballet – Swan Lake

Sun., Apr. 17, leave the JCC at 1 p.m. A timeless story of the power of love. Come and see one of the most beautiful ballets of the world. Cost \$35 includes transportation and ballet.

Campus Super Star

Sun., Apr. 17, leave the JCC at 6:30 p.m. The Helene G. Simon Hillel Center at Indiana University Bloomington presents Campus Super Star at the Indianapolis Museum of Art. This is an incredible show where singers vie for the title of Campus Super Star 2016. Talented students from different universities and colleges compete for prizes and recording sessions. Event is the Helene G Simon Hillel Center's biggest fundraiser. Cost \$15 for transportation and show.

Civic Theatre presents Fiddler on the Roof

Thurs., Apr. 21, leave the JCC at 5:30 p.m. One of the most musical stories ever told about Tsarist Russia in 1905 is based on the story of Tevye the milkman. Join with us as we go to see what happens. Cost \$7 for transportation.

IRT – The Mousetrap

Wed., May 4, leave JCC at 9 a.m. An Agatha Christie mystery thriller – a houseful of strangers trapped by a blizzard and stalked by an unknown murderer. Part

drawing room comedy and part murder mystery, this timeless chiller is a double barreled whodunit full of twists and surprises. Lunch, your expense, at the COLTS restaurant, next door. Cost \$26 for play and transportation.

Broadway Across America – Phantom of the Opera

Thurs., May 5, leave the JCC at 1 p.m. Cost \$80 includes transportation and show.

Beef & Boards – Guys and Dolls

Wed., May 11, meet in the lobby at 11 a.m. The hottest gamblers are in town and are expecting Nathan Detroit to have "The Oldest Established Permanent Floating Crap Game in New York" ready for action. Let's go see what happens! Cost \$49 includes lunch and show.

3rd annual Spring Fling Fundraiser

Sun., May 15, from noon to 5 p.m., at Lions Head Club House, 420 Lions Head Dr. Enjoy a leisurely lunch by Chef Josh Horrigan at 12:30 followed by musical entertainment and raffle prize drawings (raffle tickets are \$5 each or 3 for \$10). Games of your choice: Euchre, Bridge, Dominoes, Mahjong and more! Sponsored by Seniors in Place and MorningSide of

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breakthrough in the world of hiddenness to that which can be revealed. What happened 3,000 years ago can be repeated, not just commemorated on Pesach night. Pesach – and this is true of all of the holidays – offers that opportunity. Pesach is a time to sit at your seder table, go through the Haggadah and experience a breakthrough."

The full article can be seen on our website at the following link: <http://jewishpostopinion.com/?p=3244>

We wish all of our readers a Joyous and Kosher Pesach!

Jennie Cohen, April 6, 2016 ✨

On this date in Jewish history

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invited to join together at the Albert & Sara Reuben Holocaust Memorial on the Jewish Community Campus for a brief observance service outside. **Fri., May 6**, from 12–1 p.m. The City of Carmel's Annual Holocaust Observance Ceremony. For more info contact Lindsey Mintz at 317-926-2935 or lmintz@indyjcr.org.

Victory Day Celebration

Mon., May 9, from 6–9 p.m. in the Laikin Auditorium of the JCC. The Russian community invites the entire community to this event that will have Russian music, food and dance. The film *The Cranes are Flying in Russian* with English subtitles will be shown. No charge. For more info contact Katya Klauz at 317-660-5046 or kklauz@jfgi.org.

Indianapolis Jewish Film Festival

Thurs–Sat., May 12–21. Please check Film Festival website for specific times and locations. www.indianapolisjewishfilmfestival.com

Israel Memorial Day – Yom Hazikaron – Commemoration

Tues., May 10, from 6:30–7:45 p.m., at the Arthur M Glick JCC. Memorial service to honor Israeli fallen soldiers and victims of terrorism. For more info contact Michele Boukai at 317-475-4274 or mboukai@jfgi.org.

Hadassah Donor and Volunteer Recognition Luncheon

Sun., May 15 at 11:30 am at Broadmoor County Club. For more information, please contact Diana Shapiro, Chairman at (317) 432-5742.

BJE Dalet Graduation

Sun., May 15, from 5–8 p.m. at the Smulyan-Stolkin Education Center Bureau of Jewish Education. Students 4 p.m., Ceremony from 5–6 p.m., Party for Children 6–8 p.m. For more info contact Rabbi Paula Winnig at 317-255-3124 or Pwinnig@bjeindy.org.

New Jewish Learning Institute Class

Strength and Struggle: Lessons in Character from the Stories of Our Prophets is a brand-new six-session course by the Rohr Jewish Learning Institute.

The class will be held at Chabad Center for Jewish Life, 2640 W.96th St., Carmel, Ind., **six Tuesdays, May 17–June 21**, from 7–8:30 p.m. Fee: \$79 textbook included. Instructor: Rabbi Avrohom Grossbaum. For more information: Call 317/251-5573 or email rabbi@lubavitchindiana.com. *This course is eligible for CE credits.*

Russian Festival

Sun., May 22 from noon to 7 p.m., at University High School in Carmel, Ind. The program is intense and multifaceted and will include a fantastic array of native dishes. Entertainment by: St. Nicolas Balalaika Ensemble from Canton, Ohio; Indiana Ballet Conservatory; Ballet Theatre of Indiana; Russian folk songs performed by Ukrainian-born, mezzo soprano Yana Weinstein; Kabluchok folk dance from Cincinnati; Russian Folk Choir; students from Rhythmic Gymnastics of Indiana, led by Julia Workman; and songs, dances, and instrumental performances by the students of the Russian School of Indiana.

Several artists of Russian descent will be showcasing and selling their paintings and crafts. We will also offer different workshops such as Tea and Canvas with the Russian theme, Write your Name in Russian, Paint the Nested Doll, Chess, Checkers, Cookies Decoration, and more. Several documentaries about Russia and a movie with English subtitles will be shown. Children can enjoy themselves at the bounce house.

Admission is free; food available for purchase. To learn more, please contact Natalia Rekhter, Executive Director of Russian School at 317-399-4685 or at: www.facebook.com/indyrussianfestival and jewishpostopinion.com/?p=3259.

Israel Independence Day – Yom Haatzmaut

Sun., May 22 from 1–4 p.m., at the Arthur M. Glick Jewish Community Center. Enjoy Israeli entertainment, music, fun and games for the kids, bounce house, arts and crafts, and delicious Israeli food. For more info contact Michele Boukai 317-475-4274 or mboukai@jfgi.org

45th annual HHAJ HAI-Life Awards Dinner

Sun., May 22, starts at 5 p.m. with a cocktail hour followed by program and

dinner. It will be held in the Cultural Arts Center of the Hasten Hebrew Academy. The event honors Dr. Donald and Mrs Sandra Rothbaum and Distinguished Teacher Award Recipient Jennifer Blaine and includes recognition of the eight graduates. (This is not their graduation.) For more info contact Toni Scott at 251-1261 or tscott@hhai.org.

Chabad Lag B'Omer picnic

Thurs. May 26 at 5:30 p.m. at the JCC Sablosky Pavilion. See their website for more details. There is a charge but accommodations will be happily made for those with limited means.

LIFE & LEGACY – Speaker Amy Lederman

Wed., June 1 from 5:30–7:30 p.m. at the Arthur M. Glick JCC. *Jewish Post & Opinion* columnist Amy Hirshberg Lederman speaks to community members about leaving a legacy of love and values. Lederman is an award winning author, Jewish educator, public speaker and attorney who lives in Tucson. Visit her website at amyhirshberglederman.com. For more info contact Paula Goldberg at 317-715-6980 or pgoldberg@jfgi.org. ✨

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SALADS \$5/ meal \$6

Southwest salad w/side of salsa

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Greek salad

Medley of spring greens with onions, tomatoes, cucumbers, black olives, and feta cheese

QUESADILLAS \$5/ meal \$6

Southwest Veggie

Onions, tomatoes, black beans, corn, jalapeños and cheddar on a flour tortilla

Cheese

Cheddar cheese on a flour tortilla

Cheese Pizza Quesadilla (not an actual pizza)

Mozzarella and pizza sauce on a flour tortilla

SANDWICHES \$4/ meal \$5

Tuna Salad

Tuna, lite mayonnaise and relish on french bread from Lucy's Bakery

Egg Salad

Hard-boiled eggs, lite mayonnaise, mustard and dill on french bread from Lucy's Bakery

PANINIS \$6/ meal \$7

Southwest Veggie

Sliced french bread from Lucy's Bakery spread with salsa, black beans, corn, jalapeños and cheddar cheese

Tuna Melt

Tuna salad, tomatoes, lettuce and cheddar on sliced french bread from Lucy's Bakery

Italian

Sliced french bread from Lucy's Bakery spread with pesto, mozzarella and tomatoes

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All side items available ala carte.

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- Banana \$0.50
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- Extra Side of Dressing \$0.50
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Entrees	10 People	20 People	40 People	80 People	100 People
Falafel Wrap	\$60	\$117.99	\$238	\$474.99	\$596
Tuna Salad (sandwich or wrap)	\$40	\$78	\$155.99	\$313.99	\$395.99
Egg Salad (sandwich or wrap)	\$40	\$78	\$155.99	\$313.99	\$395.99
Vegetarian Wrap	\$40	\$78	\$155.99	\$313.99	\$395.99
Greek Salad	\$45	\$88	\$175.99	\$355	\$405
Southwest Salad	\$45	\$88	\$175.99	\$355	\$405

Sides	10 People	20 People	40 People	80 People	100 People
Baked Potato Wedges	\$15	\$26	\$55.99	\$115.99	\$146
Hummus with Carrots	\$30	\$96	\$194.99	\$395	\$450
Hummus with Pita	\$30	\$96	\$194.99	\$395	\$450
Israeli Salad	\$20	\$36	\$75	\$155.99	\$194
Chips	\$10	\$15	\$35	\$75.99	\$94.99

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Chassidic Rabbi

BY RABBI BENZION COHEN

Pesach

We are now approaching *Pesach* (Passover), the holiday of our freedom. Our forefathers were enslaved in Egypt for many generations. They prayed to *Hashem*, and *Hashem* freed them.

We are no longer slaves to Egypt, we now live in free countries. In the material aspects of life we have freedom, Thank G-d. But in the spiritual realm we do not have complete freedom. We are still in exile.

I remember growing up in Indianapolis. *Baruch Hashem*, materially we were quite well off. We had a nice house, a nice car, nice clothes and good food. But spiritually my life was like a disaster. I was a slave. A slave to my evil inclination.

The *Torah* teaches that each of us has two souls: an animal soul, and a

G-dly soul. Our animal soul is also called the evil inclination. From this soul comes all of our evil characteristics: anger, hatred, selfishness, pride, the appetite for pleasures, laziness and melancholy, to name a few.

Our G-dly soul is the source of all of our good characteristics: faith and trust in *Hashem*, unconditional love, kindness, humility, mercy, benevolence, honesty and selflessness.

I lived in Indianapolis for the first 17 years of my life. At that time there was no Jewish day school, so I went to public schools. No one there told me that I had a G-dly soul. All that I knew was my animal soul. My main goal at that time was to satisfy my appetite for physical pleasures. I wanted to be popular, have beautiful girl friends, go to parties and enjoy myself. I figured that if I would excel in sports I would be able to achieve these goals. So I lifted weights, added protein powder to my food and drink and spent a lot of time practicing basketball and other sports.

My life was full of disappointment and frustration. No matter how hard I tried I did not excel in sports and had few friends.

I graduated High School and went off to Hebrew University in Jerusalem. There, in the Holy City, I began to discover the spiritual side of life. I began to learn *Torah*, to believe in *Hashem* and practice unconditional love and kindness. After a year and a half at university, I dropped out and started to learn *Torah* full time in the Chabad yeshiva in Kfar Chabad.

There I learned about my G-dly soul. I worked hard at loving my fellow man and doing acts of kindness. Soon I had many friends. The more love and kindness that I gave, the more I got back. I was no longer

a slave to my evil inclination. Now I had good goals in life, and I was achieving them. I really enjoyed learning Torah and observing the *Sabbath*, the holidays and the other *Mitzvoahs*. What a relief! Was this how our forefathers felt when they left Egypt? When they were no longer slaves to an evil king?

My quality of life has vastly improved. I have found a beautiful way of life, and I try to share it with others. I work hard to help others, to make others happy, to help them make their lives better. If I help someone to be happy, to make their life better, that makes me happy.

I still have an evil inclination. He is very sneaky, and often causes my mind to wonder when I am praying. Sometimes he succeeds to get me angry or do other bad things. However, I thank *Hashem* that I am no longer a slave to my evil influence. I pray every day for the complete and final redemption. One part of the redemption will be the end of all evil. Then we will not have an evil inclination any more to tempt us and enslave us. We will finally be completely free.

Our Sages said that just like our forefathers were redeemed in the month of *Pesach*, so also we will be redeemed. It is up to us to make this happen, by learning more *Torah* and doing more good deeds.

Jewish Family Service (JFS) award notification: Agencies get U.S. grants to help aging Holocaust survivors

MARCH 1 — Twenty-three Jewish services organizations, including agencies in greater Washington and Baltimore, will receive \$2.8 million to help aging Holocaust survivors, the Jewish Federations of North America announced.

The money is part of a five-year, \$12 million government initiative to provide support to survivors, and when combined with matching funds, the awards announced will result in more than \$4.5 million for the agencies.

It is the first time in history that the U.S. government is providing money for social services specifically for aging Holocaust survivors (see Grants, page IN 11)



We want *Moshiach* now!

We wish all of our readers a *kosher* and happy *Pesach*.

Rabbi Cohen lives in K'far Chabad, Israel. He can be reached at bzcohen@orange.net.il. ✨

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WEST LAFAYETTE, IND. — “Return” describes the many events of the 35th annual conference, held **April 10–13**, in Stewart Center on the campus of Purdue University. All events are free and open to the public. Below is a summary of the conference’s opening day schedule and its well-respected workshop for educators of grade 7–12 youth. View the conference’s sponsors, donors, full schedule and details at www.glhrc.org.

Sun., April 10, Fowler Hall, Opening Session at 1 p.m.

The Conference opens with registration, music, memorial prayers with the lighting of the Candle of Remembrance by Holocaust survivors and the Candle of Hope by survivors, children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, and the Engel Educator Awards presentation.

2 p.m., Fowler Hall

Speaker: Daniel Mendelsohn will deliver the 10th Rabbi Gedalyah Engel Lecture, “Lost Between Memory and History: Writing the Holocaust for the Next Generation.” The Charles Ranlett Flint Professor of Humanities at Bard College is an award-winning author, critic and translator. His essays, reviews and articles have appeared in *The New Yorker*, *The New York Review of Books*, *Harpers*, *New York Times Book Review* and the *New York* magazine. His lecture centers on discoveries and thoughts about his family’s tragic past during World War II, chronicled in *The Lost: A Search for Six of Six Million*.



3 p.m., Purdue Archives, HSSE Library, Stewart Center: Holocaust Artifact Exhibit

A reception opens the extraordinary exhibit of personal artifacts from World War II and the Holocaust, which honors the lives and legacies of local Holocaust survivors.

4:15 p.m., Fowler Hall

Speaker: Günther Jikeli will present his recent research on “The Rise of Antisemitism in Europe Among Young Muslim Males”. A historian and sociologist of modern Europe, Prof. Jikeli is an assistant professor and the Justin M. Druck Family Scholar at the Institute for the Study of Contemporary Antisemitism in the Borns



Hillel International announces first set of Springboard Fellowship Campuses

20 Hillels Across the Country Will Pilot Innovative New Approach to Train Talent

WASHINGTON – Hillel International announced that 20 Hillels across North America will host the first cohort of Springboard Fellows next fall. From urban centers in New York and Los Angeles to smaller towns in Urbana, Ill., and State College, Pa., these Hillels represent a



Jewish Studies Program at Indiana University. In 2013, the International Raoul Wallenberg Foundation and Tel Aviv University awarded him the Raoul Wallenberg Prize in Human Rights and Holocaust Studies.

7:30 p.m., Fowler Hall

Speaker: Joyce Field will speak about Jewish genealogical research from her expertise gained as JewishGen’s vice president for research for almost a decade. She was responsible for the Yizkor Book Translation Project, the Holocaust Database and the Online Worldwide Burial Registry.

Monday April 11, 4:30–8 p.m. Workshop for Educators of 7–12 Youth

US Holocaust Memorial Museum Fellow Joe Baker and Tippecanoe School Corporation teacher Stella Schafer will lead the Educator Workshop, which will focus on the role of the teacher in helping their students in forming their individual identities. The presenters will address issues of how young people began to define themselves, not only those who lived during the Holocaust, but today’s youth as well. See www.glhrc.org to register. ★

cross section of Jewish life on campus, and the perfect laboratories to train the next generation of Jewish professionals.

Approximately 20 fellows who are recent college graduates will come to these campuses next fall and receive hands-on mentorship, competitive compensation and dynamic professional development from local and national Hillel staff and experts from across the corporate and non-profit worlds as they pursue a two-year fellowship in either innovation or social media.

Helene G. Simon Hillel Center at Indiana University in Bloomington, Ind., will be hosting a Springboard Fellow in Innovation. The fellowship is a new approach to attracting and training high-quality young professionals and strengthening the pipeline of young talent to organizations throughout the Jewish community.

Fellowship participants will be jointly funded by Hillel International and by the local Hillel campuses that they serve. The fellowship launch is made possible in large part by a generous gift from the Pittsburgh-based Beacon and Shapira Foundations. For more information about the Springboard Fellowship visit: www.hillel.org/springboard. ★

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Amid tense security situation, Indianapolis-area FIDF supporters visit Israel to show solidarity with soldiers

MARCH 1 – Despite the ongoing wave of terror attacks against Israeli civilians, 24 members of the Jewish Federation of Greater Indianapolis' Advanced Leadership Development Program traveled to Israel last week and, with the help of Friends of the Israel Defense Forces (FIDF), visited soldiers from the 450th Battalion of the Israel Defense Forces (IDF) School for Infantry Corps Professions and Squad Commanders.

"Once again, FIDF has organized a memorable hands-on experience with the IDF in Israel to expose a group of up-and-coming American Jewish leaders to the amazing work they do," said Bradley Gershman, founding partner at Gershman Partners Inc. and a supporter of the FIDF IMPACT! Scholarship Program, which grants full academic scholarships to IDF combat veterans. "FIDF has touched the lives of thousands of Jewish soldiers, their families, the broader state of Israel – as well as those who are fortunate enough to contribute to their programs. My family and I are proud to be FIDF supporters."

"It was such an honor for our Jewish Federation leadership to be able to spend time in Israel with Friends of the IDF on an IDF base in Southern Israel," said Jewish Federation of Greater Indianapolis Executive Vice President Debra Barton Grant. "Our group was so impressed to learn about the goals, passions and struggles of these intelligent young officers. The visit was both informative and inspirational and rounded out our understanding of the challenges that Israel faces every day. We were especially moved by our visit to the base memorial for the fallen soldiers from this unit. We all join together in thanking Friends of the IDF for making this opportunity a reality."

About Friends of the Israel Defense Forces (FIDF)

FIDF was established in 1981 by a group of Holocaust survivors as a 501(C)(3) not-for-profit organization with the mission of providing and supporting educational, social, cultural, and recreational programs and facilities for the heroic men and women of the IDF. Today, FIDF has more than 150,000 loyal supporters, and 15 regional offices throughout the U.S. and Panama. FIDF proudly offers its support to IDF soldiers, families of fallen soldiers, and wounded veterans through a variety of unique and innovative programs. These opportunities reinforce the vital bond between the communities in the United

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survivors. The U.S. government has provided money to Holocaust survivors in the past, but this is the first time the money addresses issues of aging. The funding stems from an initiative announced in 2013 by Vice President Biden.

"We are excited to announce the recent awarding of the first grant to reach Holocaust survivors in the Indianapolis area.



"Thanks to the Jewish Federations of North America (JFNA) Center for Advancing Holocaust Survivor Care, we will begin to provide services to this underserved population within the next few weeks," wrote JFS Director Lori Moss in an email on March 2, 2016. ☆



States, the soldiers of the IDF, and the State of Israel. For more information, please visit: www.fidf.org. ☆

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Obituaries

Emily Peltz Smith, 93, life resident of Indianapolis, passed away Feb. 15, 2016. She was born on Oct. 16, 1922 to Philip and Minnie Peltz. She was a graduate of Shortridge High School. Following high school, she worked at Dayan's Department Store and later, part time at Robert's downtown location.

She was an active life member of Congregation Beth-El Zedeck and a volunteer with Children's Asthma Research Institute Hospital. In 1945, she married Philip Smith and together they raised their three beloved daughters. Philip passed away in 2007.

Survivors include their three daughters, Linda (Jeff) Eshowsky, Judy (Fred) Counts and Susan (Moe) Meshulam; grandchildren, Sheri (Nick) Kroscher, Dr. Scott (Lissa) Eshowsky, Lindsay (Reed) Peglow, Dr. Ryan Meshulam, Dr. Eric (Dr. Sara) Meshulam; and six great-grandchildren. She will be deeply missed by those who knew and loved her. Memorial contributions may be made to American Heart Association or Susan G. Komen for the Cure.

Graveside funeral services were Feb. 19, 2016 in Beth-El Zedeck North Cemetery.

Arrangements entrusted to **ARN Funeral and Cremation Services**.

Meyer Solotkin, 90, passed away Feb. 15, 2016. A lifelong resident of Indianapolis, he was born to Tony and Gertrude Solotkin on June 17, 1925. After graduating from Manual High School, Meyer proudly served in the United States Army during WWII. He then opened the Bates Street Iron and Metal Company with his brother, Alfred. Meyer co-operated the business for over 30 years, retiring in 1991.

Meyer had many musical interests and was completely self taught. He began playing the harmonica at 15 years old and collected harmonicas in every size. He also played piano and composed music from the time he was 20 years of age until his passing. In addition, Meyer sang for many years in local glee clubs and a barber shop quartet. He was a member of Congregation Beth-El Zedeck and bowled for the Beth-El Men's Club Team for several years.

Meyer was a devoted husband and loving father. He leaves behind his wife, Rosalyn Cibull Solotkin; son, Dr. David Solotkin; daughter-in-law, Kathleen Solotkin; sister, Libby Goldman; and a few faithful friends.

Funeral services were held at **Aaron-**

Ruben-Nelson Mortuary on Feb. 18, and burial followed in the Congregation Beth-El Zedeck North Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, or the Jewish Federation or Sisterhood.

Irwin H. Sacks "Irv", 86, lifelong resident of Indianapolis, passed away on Feb. 17, 2016. He was born on Aug. 24, 1929 to Benjamin and Freda Sacks. He was a graduate of Shortridge High School. Irv began his career working for Abel's Auto Sales. Later, he took over a business began by his father, Sacks Eagle Loan. He was a 33 Degree Master Mason and a member of Scottish Rite and Monument Masonic Lodge.



Survivors include his daughters, Elyse (Daniel) Ryan, Andrea (Kevin) Kampenga; sons, Richard "Teddy" Sacks and Steven (Theresa) Sacks; 13 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. Irv was preceded in death by his wife, Sally and his daughter, Karen Hood. Funeral services were held Feb. 23 at **Aaron-Ruben-Nelson Mortuary**, with burial following in IHC North Cemetery.

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Lewis Irwin Rothbard, 77, passed away peacefully on Feb. 21, 2016 surrounded by his family. He was born Sept. 13, 1938. He graduated from Shortridge High School in 1956 and attended Indiana University where he was a member of Sigma Alpha Mu. After college, Lewis worked at Western Distributing Company and The Mart alongside his father. He then went on to begin his 48 year real estate career in Chicago before moving back to Indianapolis where he started Rothbard and Associates and R.D.C. Management Company in 1973. Lew successfully developed, leased and managed many buildings in Indianapolis and around the country. He helped shape Indianapolis into the beautiful place that it is today.



To Lew his family and friends were the highlight of his life. Lew enjoyed watching sports, especially his IU Hoosiers and Indianapolis Colts. Lewis was an avid tennis player. He enjoyed playing with his friends and especially with his children. Even with his heroic battle with cancer he continued to play shortly before his death. He was also a tenacious reader. Lewis was an excellent dancer and enjoyed bike rides and long walks with his wife of over 20 years, Deborah. He loved traveling and had recently visited Istanbul, Greece, and Africa. He especially liked spending time in his second home in Ft. Myers, Fla.

Lew was a member of Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation, Broadmoor Country Club, Indianapolis Re-development Board and the Five Seasons Sports and Country Club.

Lew's life goals were to live a long, happy, healthy life. He never knew a stranger and was loved by all. His proudest accomplishment was his children, and he also took great pride in all his grandchildren. Lewis was very proud to see his youngest daughter Leighann graduate from Indiana University and to know that

she will be attending IU School of Law in the fall.

He leaves behind to cherish his memory his beloved wife, Deborah Peelle Rothbard; his devoted children, Leighann Rothbard, Ellen (Bill) Cooler and Jeff (Laurie) Rothbard; his caring step-daughter, Kari Snyder; his loving sister, Susan Dill; and his adored grandchildren, Joshua, McKenna, Sara, and Lauren.

A funeral service was held at Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation (IHC) on Feb. 25. Burial follow in the IHC North Cemetery.

Lew fought cancer for seven years the same way he lived his life, with determination and a positive attitude. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the IU Simon Cancer Center for lung cancer research. Please make checks payable to: IU Foundation and mail to IUF; PO Box 7072; Indianapolis, IN 46207-7072. Indicate "In memory of Lewis Rothbard" on the memo line. You may also make donations online at cancer.iu.edu/giving.

Arrangements entrusted to **A.R.N. Funeral & Cremation Services**. As Lew would say, "Never, never, never give up!"

Gladys Nisenbaum, age 90, died unexpectedly but peacefully, on Feb. 25, 2016 in her home of 60 years in Indianapolis. She was born here on July 17, 1925 in Indianapolis to parents Isaac and Esther Cohen. The second youngest of eleven children, Gladys was raised in the Sephardic tradition of her immigrant parents. This rich heritage became the backdrop of her life as she carried the values of her family, her culture and her Judaism into her passion for community service, social justice and leadership. Gladys was also the proud matriarch of her family, perpetuating the traditions of her parents to whom she was so devoted.

In 1950, Gladys married Nathan Nisenbaum and they started their life

together on the north side of Indianapolis. As Nathan pursued his career in corporate law, Gladys dedicated herself to a life of charitable acts. Among the many organizations she served include her participation on the board of directors for United Way, the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation and the Jewish Welfare Federation of Indianapolis. She assumed leadership roles in the National Conference of Christians and Jews and the National Council of Jewish Women as president in 1968.

In 1974, Gladys received the David M. Cook Memorial Award for excellence in human relations. She was actively involved in Pre-School of Indianapolis and Head Start. Her greatest accomplishment was her part in founding the Black/Jewish Dialogue whose aim was to bring two cultures together to encourage understanding and promote tolerance. For ten years, Gladys was the program director at Park Regency and was adored by the residents she served.

In the mid 1970s, Gladys returned to IUPUI to earn an associates degree in sociology; she was a lifelong learner and a lover of the arts. In 1968, as chairperson of the National Council of International Visitors, Gladys hosted the Chinese acrobats at Clowes Hall, a spectacular event, an early example of the development of Chinese and American relations through the arts. Her crowning achievement was her collaboration with Susan B. Hyatt in publishing a book chronicling the co-existence of the African-American and Sephardic cultures in her childhood neighborhood on the south side of Indianapolis: *The Neighborhood of Saturdays*. This book is a tribute to all that defined Gladys's life: Jewish values, multi-ethnicity, and strong humanity.

Gladys is survived by three children, Rhonda McCune, Myrna Beth Nisenbaum and Eric Nisenbaum, as well as three grandchildren, Matthew McCune, and Rebecca and Lily Nisenbaum. Predeceased are her husband Nathan of almost 50 years and her grandson, Jason McCune. Gladys will be remembered by countless friends, young and old, whom she embraced as if they were own family.

A funeral was held at the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation (IHC) on Feb. 29. Memorial donations may be made to IHC, the Jewish Welfare Federation, the Jason McCune Memorial Scholarship or the United Way. Arrangements entrusted to **A.R.N. Funeral & Cremation Services**.

Dr. Fred Mishkin, 78, passed away on March 5, 2016 after a decade-long battle with Alzheimer's. He was born Dec. 6, 1937 in Elkhart, Ind., the second son to (see Obituaries, page IN 14)



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Dr. Irving and Bertha Mishkin. From a young age he was inspired by his father's service as a small town doctor who provided both medical and spiritual guidance, sometimes taking payment in the form of fresh corn or plumbing repairs for those who could not otherwise afford his care. Contracting Polio as a teenager while in Greece on an American Field Service scholarship, gave him insight to the difficulties of living intimately with affliction.

In spite of being told that he would never amount to anything because he told his Kindergarten teacher exactly what he thought of her, he went on to major in Biochemistry at Harvard University, 1955–1958. He skipped his final year and went to the University of Chicago's Pritzker School of Medicine. He took his medical internship and residency at Indiana University Medical Center, 1962–1966. He completed his training with a fellowship in Nuclear Medicine at Johns Hopkins in 1966.

Afterward, he returned to Indiana University Medical Center and took over as Chief of Nuclear Medicine, a title he would hold at several institutions over his lifetime. Along with his friend, the radiation physicist, Isaac Reese, Ph.D., he followed the Chairman of Radiology at the Indiana University Medical Center out to Southern California to help found the Nuclear Medicine department at Martin Luther King Jr. Hospital and the Drew School for Medicine in 1971, remaining until 1986. He spent 9 years in private practice at Memorial Medical Center of Long Beach before returning to public practice and his true love, teaching medical students and technologists at Harbor-UCLA Medical Center.

He was predeceased by his elder brother, Dr. Marvin Mishkin. He is survived by his wife, Judith S. Mishkin; four children: Cindi Mishkin, Jeffrey Klain, Karen Mishkin, and Eben Mishkin; and four grandchildren: Zipporah Klain, Ari Klain, Sarah Cline, and Scarlett Cline.

A memorial was held March 13th at Temple Beth El in San Pedro, Calif. In lieu of flowers, the family prefers donations be made to the Alzheimer's Association.

Celia Yosha, 87, was born on Sept. 8, 1928 and died peacefully on March 14 in St. Petersburg, Fla. She was born and raised in Indianapolis with her sisters, Sally, Molly, Esther, Babs and Mary and brother, Al. Celia was married 51 years to Michael Yosha until his death in 2000. She raised a family and worked in the family sign business in Broad Ripple until retiring

with Mike to Florida where she lived for more than 20 years. Celia was a member of the Etz Chaim Sephardic Jewish community.

Celia is survived by her daughter, Dr. Sandra Yosha of Tampa, Fla.; son, David Yosha and wife Dorothy Henckel; brother, Al Passo and wife Lee; grandson, Galen Meyers; granddaughter, Dr. Melissa Meyers and husband Dan Rosenbloom; as well as many nieces and nephews across the country.

Graveside services were held at Etz Chaim Cemetery on March 18. A gathering for family and friends was held that evening and the next at Homewood Suites. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Etz Chaim or Menorah Manor 255 59th St N., St. Petersburg, FL. Arrangements entrusted to **A.R.N. Funeral & Cremation Services.**

Ronald Jerald Glanzman, 79, of Carmel, passed away March 20, 2016. He was born on June 20, 1936 to Ethel Odesky Glanzman and Harry Glanzman. Ron attended P.S. 76 and Shortridge High School and had fond memories of the friendships made and his years spent there. A graduate of Butler University in 1958, he was a proud member of Sigma Alpha Mu Fraternity. Ron was, by nature, an innovator and entrepreneur. In 1962, he launched a successful career in the insurance business by opening his first agency. Over the next 30 years, through his vision, ingenuity and hard work ethic, Ron created and operated a national insurance company, National Insurance Association. As he expanded into nearly every state in the country, he always maintained a sense of the possibilities of his hometown of Indianapolis and kept the company headquarters here.

Ron was a lifelong member of Congregation Beth-El Zedeck, and a loyal member and avid golfer at Broadmoor Country Club. He was a loving, intelligent, and brave man. Ron cherished his family and was so proud of them. His memory will forever be a blessing.

He is survived by the love of his life and wife of 55 years, Linda; his adoring children, Amy Glanzman, Paula Glanzman-Goldberg, and Howard Glanzman; his loving grandchildren, Elyse, Daniel, and Benjamin Goldberg; his dear sister, Harriet Lawrence; and many beloved nieces and nephews. Ron was preceded in death by his parents; son-in-law, Adam Goldberg; and brother-in-law, Ben Lawrence.

A funeral service was held March 23rd at Congregation Beth-El Zedeck (BEZ), and burial followed in BEZ North Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to BEZ.

Arrangements entrusted to **A.R.N.**

Funeral & Cremation Services. Friends may leave a memory or message of condolence by visiting the online obituary at www.arnmortuary.com.

Emanuel "Manny" Ungar, 82, of

Carmel, passed away March 20, 2016 in Indianapolis. He was born in Brooklyn to Simon "Sam" Ungar and Rose Eller Roehrig on July 2, 1933. Manny grew up in Coney Island and served in the United States Air Force from 1951–1955, where he rose to the rank of Staff Sergeant. He worked for The Queens Group, first in Long Island City, NY and then in Indianapolis for 46 years, retiring as Executive Vice President and Corporate Director of Manufacturing. He also was a 32 Degree Mason.



Manny is survived by his loving wife, Evelyn; sons, Ken (Debbie) Ungar and Scott (Emily) Ungar; and grandchildren, Max, Sam, David, and Thomas Ungar.

Anyone who met Manny would come to learn of his pride in his military service, his pleasure in learning Japanese culture and language, his satisfaction in serving one company for nearly half a century, and the delight from being a father to his sons and grandfather to his grandsons. Manny and Evelyn celebrated 56 years of marriage on March 19, 2016.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the St. Vincent Foundation, 8402 Harcourt Road, Suite 210 Indianapolis, IN 46260 or give. stvincent.org/donate. A private family funeral service was held on March 22, at the **Aaron-Ruben-Nelson Mortuary** followed by a private burial at IHC North Cemetery.

Leonard P. Weinstein, 93, long time resident of Indianapolis, passed away in Maryland on March 25, 2016, where he had been living since 2007. He was born Jan. 31, 1923. Leonard proudly served in the United States Air Force, was a veteran of World War II and a member of Jewish War Veterans. His beloved wife of 59 years, Tobia, preceded him in death in 2002. They were long time members of Congregation Beth-El Zedeck (BEZ).

Survivors include their children, Carol (Hugh) April and Marc (Sara) Weinstein; grandchildren, Justin (Lenore) and Jeffrey Reiner and Michael (Samantha), Abby, and Melissa Weinstein; and 3 great-grandchildren, Brayden, Colten and Hadley Reiner.

Graveside services were held in BEZ North Cemetery March 31st. Arrangements entrusted to **ARN Funeral and Cremation Services.** ✨

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