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Welcome to our Synagogue! ברוכים הבאים

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Vayechi - ויחי

January 11, 2025 – 11 Tevet, 5785

This is the last portion in Beresheet, the Book of Genesis. Last week's Parasha described how Jacob and his entire family, because of the famine, went down to Egypt at Joseph and Pharaoh's invitation. This week, we learn that Jacob lived his final 17 years in Egypt. Before dying he made his son Joseph promise him by oath that he will be buried in Canaan, in the Cave of Machpela, where Abraham and Isaac are buried.

Jacob blesses Joseph's sons Manasseh and Ephraim. He recognizes their great qualities and gives them the great honor that, in the future, parents will pray to God to make them like Ephraim and Manasseh. Jacob then calls all his children and blesses his 12 sons, mentioning their strengths and failings. When Jacob dies there is a huge funeral procession involving his entire family and many Egyptians as they accompany Jacob to his resting place in Canaan.

The Torah reading ends with Joseph telling his brothers not to feel bad for selling him as a slave since this was God's plan for him to be in Egypt to save humanity during the years of famine. He also asks his brothers that, when the time comes for them to leave Egypt and go to the Promised Land, that they should take his remains with them and bury him in the Promised Land.



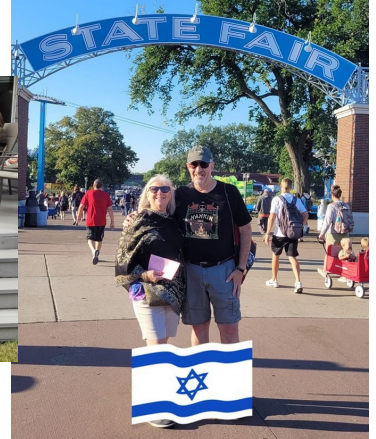
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Kiddush Luncheon

We hope you will join us for our weekly Kiddush luncheon immediately following services. Today's Kiddush is being sponsored by Susie & David Magy in honor their 45th Wedding Anniversary. Mazel Tov to Susie & David and wishing you many more happy, healthy years together!



Mazel Tov!

Happy Birthday!

January 13: Irit Park



Happy Anniversary!

January 5: Luda & Alex Epshteyn

January 20: Amanda & Berek Awend
Susie & David Magy



SC Religious School

Class This Sunday!

January 2025

January 12: Class 9:30am—11:30am

January 19: No Class—MLK Day

January 26: Class 9:30am—11:30am

February 2025

February 2: Class 9:30am—11:30am

February 9: Class 9:30am—11:30am

February 16: **No Class—Presidents Day**

February 23: Class 9:30am—11:30am

Adult Classes

January 12: Class as scheduled

Our Prayers and Good Wishes for Refuah Shleimah to:

אבינו אבינו מלכנו שלח רפואה שלמה רפואת הנפש רפואת הגוף לחולי עמך
אל נא רפא נא אל נא רפא נא לה שלח שלח רפואה שלמה לחולי עמך

- Sybille Aaron
- Levi Bearman
- Martha Cohen
- Robert Feder
- Aaron Geller
- Arlene & Garry Grossman
- Elizabeth Henderson
- Judy Ingber
- Sara Koplik
- Anna Lekhter
- Cameron Moskowitz
- Judith Reininger
- Igor Sagalov
- Celia Segal
- Nancy & Irv Smith
- Eitan Joseph Stoller
- Sam Tsurkov
- Art Wiss
- Alex Zevelev
- Esther bat Naomi
- Shlomah bat Minah
- Lev Tzvi Ben Gittle Shifra
- Sara bat Gershon v'Hinda
- Elimelech ben Haikah v'Mordechai
- Sara Batya bat Meira Valon
- Inna bat Mara (Mayer) v'Faina
- Gideon ben Ruth
- Noah ben Yehudit
- Tziporah bat Shayna Rivke
- Mazia Aleinocov
- Linda Botwinick
- Deanne Duboff
- Donna Feigelman
- Milan Paspaley Grbavac
- Chaikel Zeisel Harper
- Chaim Horovitz
- Valda Kaye
- Rosalee Hulse Larson
- Rudolph Lekhter
- Suzie Nemer
- Berle Richman
- Alex Samuels
- Burt Shacter
- Rita & Meira Spain
- David Carney
- Baruch Daniel bat Miryam
- Chana Yitzchaka
- Emilia bat Yevgeniya v'Isaac
- Tzipporah bat Feiga-Leah
- Gidon bar Chana Etta
- Yehudit bat Tz'Tel
- Zelig ben Yakov
- Esther bat Ruth
- Mila bat Genya
- Boris Ben Geisha
- Reuven Z'ev ben Devorah
- Edward ben Natalie
- Adam Natanzon
- David Assouline
- Gina Budman
- Maurice Etedgui
- Nancy & Jeffrey Fursetzer
- Raisa Gringauz
- Richy Harris
- Hyman Horowitz
- Dennis Kearney
- Piya-Pam Lehman
- Maya Makovetsky
- Yuri Peskin
- Betty Russell
- Elaine Savick (Esther Tzippa)
- Yan Shagalov
- Annick, Ali, and Aria Strauss
- Morrie Toretzky
- Nelly Vineretsky
- Karolina Zaretsky
- David ben Batya
- Chaya Golda bat Reyna
- Elina bat Margarita
- Yakov ben Sarah
- Shayna bat Shifra
- Chaim Ber Gershon
- Efrat bat Velvel
- Jared Reuven ben Shmuella
- Sorka bat Dvora
- Aharon Yehoshua ben Sarah
- Talya Zien

**Yahrzeits for week of
January 10 — January 17, 2025 / 10 Tevet — 17 Tevet, 5785**

Yahrzeit of

Remembered by

Friday, January 10 (10 Tevet)

Doba Bergazin	Doba bat Yakov Yehoshua	Paul Abzug
Arkadiy Gurevich	Avram	Alla Bartlova
Rakhil Gendel	Rakhil bat David v'Edith	Galina Mazelev, Julia Kravchenko
Simah Traktovenko	Simah bat Yitzchak	Maya Peskin
Mary Toretzky	Mirel bat Zurach	Morris Toretzky
Iosif Sivriver	Yoseph ben Gersh v'Chaya	Nelli Vaynberg

Saturday, January 11 (11 Tevet)

Beila Galant	Beila bat Mendel	Evelyn Galant
Dorothy Polikoff Ritt	Dena bat Eliyahu Mendel	Steve Tillinger
Devorah Krasnynsky	Dvorah bat Leib	Nadia Ustyev
Rivia Goldberg		Jacque Rosenau, Sandi Pendergast

Sunday, January 12 (12 Tevet)

No Yahrzeits

Monday, January 13 (13 Tevet)

Konstantin Portnov	Constantin ben Alexander v'Tamar	Yuliya Portnova
Samuel Zieve	Sender ben Leib Shmuel v'Malka	Stan Zieve
Louis Eichler	Mayshe Leib	Eva Gross

Tuesday, January 14 (14 Tevet)

Larry Marcus		Bonnie Farb
Rose Cooperstock	Rachel bat Shmuel	Sandra Johnson

Wednesday, January 15 (15 Tevet)

Sara Edith Miller	Sarah bat Avraham	Sandra Miller
Dveira Frayman		Feliks Frayman
Jack Handler	Yankel ben Miriam	Shayna Miller

Thursday, January 16 (16 Tevet)

No Yahrzeits

Friday, January 17 (17 Tevet)

Rachel Murachavska	Rachel bat Avrum	Boris Gerber
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MAY THEIR MEMORIES ALWAYS BE FOR A BLESSING

Shloshim:

Bob Baldinger Sophia Zhuravel



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