

"My heart is in the east, and I in the uttermost west."

Judah Ha Levi (Medieval Jewish poet)

I have been to Israel 6 times. The time in country varies from 1 year to 10 days, but each trip has filled me with joy, awe, sadness and just a little bit more about who I am as Jew and as an American.



It is very hard to pick out which event in all those trips stands out as the most important, as I was first there a mere 3 years after the six-day war ended, and as recently as 15 months after 9/11, but two events stand out tonight for me. One is very public and goes to the heart of the State of Israel and people of Israel relations.

In 1976, I took a group of teenagers to Israel. Our first week there was the week after the Air France Jet was hijacked to Entebbe, Uganda. During that week, the news became more and bleaker, as it looked like the Jewish passengers were doomed to execution at the hands of international terrorists.

Lo and behold, I was awakened on the morning of July 4th, to the voice of our house mother yelling that the hostages had been rescued and were on their way home to Israel. In addition to it being America's Bi-Centennial, which made all of us Americans very proud, it sent a message to the whole world that, whenever Jews are in trouble, Israel would go and rescue them. I like to think of that daring rescue as the little brother (Israel) gifting the big brother (America) with something very American, rescuing people in need. Or as Prime Minister Rabin, z"L, stated it to President Ford, "You don't think we picked the day by accident, do you?"

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SPECIAL EVENTS

Please join us for dinner at TBE to honor Shirley Abramson as "Woman of Valor, Year 2015!" on Sunday, August 16th at 5:00 PM. Reservations are required. \$15.00 per adult, children under 18 eat free.

TBE is tentatively rescheduling a trip to see the Dead Sea Scrolls at the California Science Center on August 30th, but we need to have your reservations! Please call or email the office to RSVP. Reservations are required.

SAVE THE FOLLOWING DATES:

Sunday, Aug. 23rd~ Religious School Open House from 10AM to Noon

Tuesday, Aug. 25th ~ Temple Open House from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM

TBE Preschool preparations are underway. We need some donated playground items, such as a playhouses, wagons and tricycles. We are able to pick up your donation, if need be.

RETURN OF THE MEN'S CLUB!

The Men's Club will be holding a Bagel and Coffee Brunch for everyone, a Reorganizational Meeting, and an Open Discussion of "*Are God, Religion and Being Spiritual the Same Thing?*" Sunday, Sept. 20th - 9:30 AM - BLUM HALL (See Page 12.)

Rabbi Mark is a regular contributor to the *In Theory* column, which appears online at <u>http://www.burbankleader.com/opinion/religion/</u>



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Temple Beth Emet Office Hours

Monday-Thursday—9:00 AM-noon

CHAI TIMES

Chai Times is the free, monthly newsletter of Temple Beth Emet of Burbank, delivered by email to members and available at www.TempleBethEmet.com.

Mailed hardcopies are available for an annual TBE donation payable through the Office.

Editable article submissions, photos and feedback are encouraged and **due by the 15th of the month** and may be emailed to: **chaitimes@TempleBethEmet.com** or

delivered to the Temple office. Submissions will be published based on space available, relevant content, and at the discretion of Editor Barbara Lux, Temple Officers, and Directors.

Editor's Note: We're back!! I am sorry that the Chai Times has not been available for many months now. We have experienced some rather serious difficulties, technical and otherwise. Subscribers to the newsletter will have their subscriptions extended accordingly. If you wish to submit an idea for the a column or feature, please contact me at: formerlygidget@gmail.com.

> Barbara Lux Editor

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE - August 2015

August is always an interesting month here at Temple Beth Emet. Here we are, in the middle of the "lazy, crazy, hazy days of summer." Religious school is out, people are out of town so Friday Shabbat services are sparsely attended, and things are generally pretty quiet.

Suddenly, we have to start getting ready for open houses, school registration, and High Holidays! This year, of course, will be the first year we prepare for the High Holidays without our beloved Jerry Engelberg, who passed away right before the holidays last year. Jerry spent many years fine tuning the High Holiday preparation process, including the mechanicals of moving things over to St. Jude's, setting up things there, getting things out of their way between Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur, and moving everything back. His work lives on through those of us who spent years under his tutorage and those who we now tutor. We look forward to a great High Holiday season as our service continues to evolve. Who do you know who does not have a place to go these High Holidays? Why not invite them to join you to spend the holidays with us?

Later this month we honor Shirley Abramson at TBE's first *Eshet Chiyil - Woman of Valor* recipient. We honor Shirley not only for her service to the Temple, but also for the example she sets as a Jewish woman, including her decision to become bat mitzvah along with two of her adult children. The dinner event honoring Shirley is August 16.

There are still concerts left in our Summer Concert series at the Hollywood Bowl and I hope you take the opportunity to enjoy one of the world's great music venues.

Our efforts at establishing a preschool on our campus continue, as we prepare classrooms for double duty (religious school on Sunday, preschool during the week), create a play yard in our patio, create an office for the director, and take care of the remaining paperwork. We look forward to final inspections and the issuance of a license, at which time we can start promoting the school and enrolling students.

August is always a special month, and this is a special August for my family. Thirty-five years ago this month I married my best friend, Diane. As with any couple, our lives have had plenty of ups and downs, but we have celebrated the ups and held on to each other during the downs, and as Garrison Keillor wrote (or at least titled,) "we are still married." Last month we went to Chicago for our nephew's wedding. When he said he was marrying his best friend, Diane and I gave each other a knowing look. We knew they would do alright.

Enjoy the rest of your summer!

-- IRA L. GOLDSTEIN, President



Rabbi Mark Sobel's Column, continued

In 1988, I had just begun learning with Reb Zalman Schachter- Shalomi at P'nei Or and he said, while you are in Jerusalem, you must stay at the Kotel overnight. I did so and it was and is a beautiful memory. The next morning was Thursday, so the Torah was being read there and it was quite crowded. Two women came over to me in the Men's section, highly unusual, and asked for a blessing. I told them my name and they gave me a blessing, but immediately asked for my mother's name for a blessing of long life.

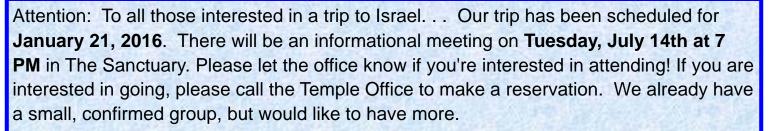
Without thinking, my mother had been dead already for almost 5 years, I told them my mother's name and they repeated the blessing of life they had given me. I said, "Thank you" and turned to the Torah service. Immediately, I realized, their blessing was 'betul' (in vain) and turned to tell them so. I looked and looked for them but they had disappeared. There was a great crowd of people and no way could they have gotten away so fast. As I thought over what had happened, I realized that the two women were in fact angels and that their blessing was to tell me that my mother had found a new life and was happy. That thought, of course, made me overjoyed. Even today 27 years later, it still warms my heart.

Israel means many things to many people. If you fill a room with different individuals, I know each will relate how Israel has moved them. Israel has spoken to the world about its love for the Jewish people, not just through the Entebbe Rescue but through the many secret "ingathering" of exiles, saving them from certain death and destruction, Also, it has given individual spiritual comfort to those in need.

However one is affected by Israel, one is never the same. It truly touches our souls. So to Israel, now 67 years young, we say thank you for what you have done for us here in America and throughout the world. May our congregation be together, "Next Year in Jerusalem," seeing, hearing, touching and feeling Israel. And may our feelings toward Israel continue to grow in abundance, and truly let us help her to live the life she was meant to live, as a light unto the nations. Join us in January 2016 as we travel to Israel together.

B'ahava,

Rabbi Mark





TEMPLE BETH EMET RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

August 23rd, is Religious School Registration Day and also the day of the planned field trip to see the **Dead Sea Scrolls Exhibit** at the California Science Center. This includes the Space Ship Endeavor Exhibit and Israeli Film: <u>Jerusalem</u> [IMAX]. Please call the Temple office to make reservations (to pay in advance of the event). Rabbi Mark will provide a rented bus for this occasion to make it easier for everyone to attend. The bus will leave the Temple Parking lot at 11:00 AM. Tickets are \$20.75 for adults, High School Grad to 59 years, Seniors — 60 and older \$19.25, and \$13 for children Kindergarten through 12th Grade. (Note: The cost of the bus fare is subject to change depending on how many people will attend. More people, less cost. The increase, if any, will be modest.) Payment must be received by August 23rd. Suggested donations (\$5 per bus ride will be welcomed.

A Word About the TBE Collegiate Program

Do You Have a Son and/or Daughter In College?

Temple Beth Emet has started a program to connect with our students attending a College. We would like to help them to continue their Jewish way of life and offer them additional support. This way, they will always have an open line of communication with our Rabbi, should they have questions or need direction; and we will remind them of their link to Israel and to keep connected to the Jewish Community. After college, we hope to have them join our Temple, as an adult.

Please send e-mail and give me the following information:

The name of the Student;

Class Level;

Address;

Name of the University, and;

If the Student is a member of any organization or club on campus.

The Temple will send a care-package for each holiday, as a gift to the Student with a calendar of events at the Temple for each month. The Student will be invited to all events sponsored by the Temple. We would like to encourage the Student to return to the Temple as often as they wish; as the Temple would like to offer itself as a second home and place of Jewish learning. I look forward hearing from you!

Thank you,

Cathy Zitnick Temple Beth Emet Sisterhood, President TBE College Outreach CMARRIOTT01@msn.com



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Announcing the new Board of Directors for the upcoming year!

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ONEG SHABBAT

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We have a *serious* shortage of shopping, setup and cleanup volunteers. Can you find it in your heart to contribute your time and/ or sponsor an Oneg Shabbat?

FOR FURTHER DETAILS PLEASE CONTACT: Laura Soroka, TBE Oneg Shabbat Coordinator (818) 582-3077 or Laurasoroka52@gmail.com



FRIDAY FUN FOR ALL PIZZA NIGHT IS ON HIATUS UNTIL OCTOBER 2ND, FAMILY SERVICE THE FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH CONTINUES, STARTING AT 7PM.

SISTERHOOD SIDELINES – AUGUST 2015

Sisterhood has a new President! Cathy Zitnick has been nominated, elected and installed. Her first meeting was held in Coral Café where we enjoyed a delicious breakfast and Cathy laid out her plans.

Second meeting was in Blum Hall and we started to work on the new plans.

Cathy is going to write a monthly letter to the congregation in the Chai Times, so be sure to look for it and you will be kept up to date about what is going on and how you can help.

I can tell you one very important way you can help. That is by joining Sisterhood and paying your dues of \$15 per year. That money (dues) is what we use to provide events and activities. These events and activities generate more money which we happily donate to Temple.

We need active members who will attend meetings and pay dues and we also want and need "book members" (dues only)..

Once upon a time TBE Sisterhood flourished. But little by little it dwindled and finally dissolved. A new group tried to fill in but it never worked out.

WELL -- Shirley Abramson to the rescue! Somehow she was convinced to try to start it up again. And so, she did and we did. With lots of hard work Shirley got it going. Shirley has done many, many kind things for Temple, for Family Promise and for people in general. She regularly sets up and cleans up at Oneg Shabbats and is a "regular" at the sink where she washes dishes.

Shirley and her adult sons were Bat/Bar Mitzvah'd together. Then they went to Israel together. They came back inspired and more devoted to Judaism than ever. It was heartening to see..

Truly, a Woman of Valor, Shirley is being honored at a dinner on March 16^{th} in Blum Hall at 5pm. I wouldn't miss the opportunity to honor Shirley, our Eshet Chiyil. I hope to see all of you there too.

No Sisterhood meeting in September.

Our next meeting: October 4th, 10am in Blum Hall.

Shalom,

Ruth Glick



A Message From Our New Sisterhood President, Cathy Zitnick



SISTERHOOD MESSAGE FOR AUGUST 2015

Dear Members:

I am your new President of the Temple Sisterhood. After only a year as a member, I am very surprised and proud to have been nominated to represent and lead the women of the Temple for the coming year. I was nominated at the June meeting and installed at the July meeting, which we held at the Coral Café in Burbank. Unfortunately, many Sisterhood members had a funeral to attend at the time, so we didn't have as large a group as I was anticipating. Shirley Abramson will remain active as Vice President (and my right arm), Iris Abrams will remain Treasurer, Hannah Cline will remain Secretary, and Ruth Glick will continue to write the Sidelines column for the Chai Times. I couldn't ask for a nicer group of ladies, who truly have the Temple and the Sisterhood at heart. I am now aware that the Temple's finances are not what they should be, so I am trying to dedicate my term to fundraising. I want to apologize for not sending out an email regarding the August 2nd meeting. Just a few of us attended, but it was a lively and creative meeting, to be sure. I will rectify the oversight by sending out a monthly reminder as to when the next meeting will occur.

The Sisterhood is having their first fundraiser, in my term, at Shakey's in North Hollywood, on August 3rd from 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM, and we hope it is a profitable one. I would like to encourage you all to attend the first "Woman of Valor, 2015" dinner the Temple is hosting to honor Shirley Abramson. This will be on August 16th at 5:00 PM.

Labor Day weekend is the first weekend in September. The weekend following is Rosh Hashanah, and the weekend after that is the Men's Club Brunch; which falls between Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. I would like to encourage everyone to support the Men's Club, as you all have supported the Sisterhood. So, due to the upcoming High Holy Days and Men's Club Brunch, as well as the beginning of Religious School, we will not be having a Sisterhood meeting in September. The Sisterhood will be selling honey gift boxes again for Rosh Hashanah, and we would like to encourage you to purchase one or more to spread sweetness and to strengthen our own Sisterhood.

In conclusion, I would like to thank my friend, Hannah Cline, for bringing me as a guest to the Temple last year. You all have been so friendly and kind. The Temple congregation has made me feel as though I can consider the Temple my second home. I grew up in a Christian-Republican town and the only holidays I had off were Christian. Also, for many years I worked for a major movie studio and the only time I was off to vacation was the mandatory December 23rd through the first Monday in January. I longed to be able to take off for Rosh Hashanah and Passover, as well as to be able to afford a membership to a Temple. I am very grateful that I am now able to take vacations when I choose, and I want to thank Barbara Bolter for making my dream of Temple Membership come true. This New Year, I will be experiencing *Teshuvah*, the returning to my true self, an American Jewish person who will get the opportunity to live the Jewish life that I have longed to live for some time. I want to thank you all for that.

Cathy Zitnick Sisterhood President

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Havurah Happenings Havurah Simcha L'Chaim

Havurah Simcha L'Chaim members are mainly retired people. If you would like to join, please let me know. If you would like to be in a new Havurah, please let me know and we can try to get a new group started.

Please call me to discuss it.

Ruth Glick 818 780 9134

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Remember the sick and bereaved with cards, calls, and visits. They help heal and comfort.

> Please call the Temple Office at (818) 843-4787 if a Temple Member is sick or hospitalized.

Yahrzeit Donations

Fran Bernstein remembering her grandfather, Samuel Polakoff

Hannah Cline remembering her mother, Amelia Ascherman

Robert and LaVerne Cohen remembering Sadie Cohen

Peter Golper remembering Barbara Golper

Monica Pink remembering her aunt, Paula Leyser



TEMPLE BETH EMET MEMBERSHIP "CHAI LIGHTS"



August 2015

Ira Goldstein & Diane Lewis-Goldstein Jerry & Tzipy Dash William & Isabel Frischman Peter & Marva Felchlin Neal Goldstein & Ana Guerrero Scott & Tracy Hyman

August Birthdays

Dylan Raich	August 04th
Emma Miller	August 06th
Leo Gersh	August 07th
Nancy Weiner	August 07th
Leah Silverstein	August 09th
Mariam Lee	August 13th
Andrew Podbielski	August 17th
Melinda Gordon	August 20th
Maurine Gold	August 25th



August 2015

Av/Elul 5775

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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2	3	<i>4 7:00 PM Temple Board Meeting</i>	5 Hollywood Bowl!	6	7 7:00PM Family Service Pizza Night will resume October 2.	8
9 RELIGIOUS SCHOOL IS ON SUMMER BREAK UNTIL SEPTEMBER	10	11	12	13	14 7:30 PM Shabbat Service	15 Chai Times Submissions are Due,
16 Eshet Chiyil Woman of Valor Dinner Honoring Shirley Abramson 5:00 PM	17	18	19	20 Hollywood Bowl!	21 7:30 PM Shabbat Service	22
23 Orientation and Open House for Religious School ~ 9:00 AM to Noon	24	25 TBE Open House ~ 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM	26	27	28 7:30 PM Shabbat Service	29
30 Dead Sea Scrolls Field Trip	31				pen House ~ 7:00 PM (

available. More details regarding the Hollywood Bowl concerts August 30th: Rescheduled Field Trip The California Science offered this season are available through the Temple Office.

Center to see the Dead Sea Scrolls! The bus leaves the Temple at 11:00 AM.

August 16th: TBE's "Woman of Valor" Banquet honoring Shirley Abramson.

August 23rd: TBE's Religious School Open House at 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM.

September 20th: Men's Club Bagel Brunch begins again!



NAME	REMEMBERED BY	DATE	NAME	REMEMBERED BY	DATE
At Temple On August 7th, 2015			At Temple On August 21st, 2015, Continued		
Moshe Jerzy	Reuven Jerzy	8/2	Reuben Libman	Gerald Libman	8/20
Abe Goldstein	Ira Goldstein	8/4	Sara Marcus	Tom & Valerie Bernath	8/20
David Kurey	Gloria Kurey	8/4	William Strauss	Nathan Strauss	8/21
Annette Abrams	M/M Stephen Abrams	8/4	John Laird	Robert Bligley	8/21
Gail Arnold	Linda Kranz	8/5	Harry Osbaum	Marjorie Jacobs	8/21
Helen Blum	The Congregation	8/6	Harriet Zweier	Jean Zweier	8/21
Joseph R, Bayer	Fred Bayer	8/6	Mary B. Beltzer	Yvonne Beltzer	8/21
Mary Vourn	Barbara & Morrie Bolter	8/6	Rebecca Cohen	Gerald Libman	8/22
Charlotte Kleinberg	Carole Eisenger	8/7	Charles Manners	Susie Manners	8/22
Arthur Savin	Sharon Lassman	8/8	Sandra Ditter	The Congregation	8/22
Sadie Cohen	Robert Cohen	8/8	At Temple On Augus		•/
At Temple On Augus	<u>st 14th, 2015</u>		Theresa Testa	Ann Testa	8/23
Gordon Emont	Eric Emont	8/9	Anne Guttentag	Rabbi Mark Sobel	8/23
Ernest Kramer	Jonathan Kramer	8/9	Roz Margolin	Neil Margolin	8/26
Harry Abrams	M/M Stephen Abrams	8/10	Sam Bermack	Bernard Bermack	8/27
Anne Kaufman	Celia Kaufman	8/10	Isaac Ben Nemzer	Mervin Nemzer	8/27
Ray Greenfield	Gary Greenfield	8/11	Mel Shink	Jamie Walton	8/27
Julia Alexander	Adrienne Zahler	8/11	Max Seeman	Robert Seeman	8/28
Nathan Maccabee	Alana Beltzer	8/14	Jack Greenhill	The Congregation	8/28
Philip Turchik	Fran Ravine	8/14	Louis Paskin	•••	8/28
Bertram Levy	Eve Levy	8/14	Janet Babroff	Diane Linger Leslie Babroff	8/28
Morris Rothman	Linda Faden	8/15			
Richard Rothman	Linda Faden	8/15	Nathan Kaden	Ron Kaden	8/29
Eugene Kahn	Howard Kahn	8/15	At Temple On Augus		0 /0 0
Rose Mardirossian	Monica Pink	8/15	Rebecca Behar	Jean Zweier	8/30
Lilly Robbins	Abby Reeve	8/15	Albert Liberson	Phillip Liberson	8/30
Moss Feldman	Pamela Franklin	8/15	Louis Adell	Ava Silverstein	8/30
Hannah Bolter	Shirley Abramson	8/15	Rose Cohen	Carolee Gennarelli	8/30
At Temple On Augus	•		Henrietta F. Rudnick	Jules Fox	8/30
Bella Sommerfeld	Monica Pink	8/16	Sidney Korman	Nancy Tidwell	8/31
Fannie Boyaner	Monica Pink	8/16	Michael Vaysman	Anya & Eugene Vaysman	8/31
Morris Boyaner	Monica Pink	8/16	Ida Vozoff	Pam Seyforth	8/31
Jean Barron	Pam Seyforth	8/16			
Jane Libman	Gerald Libman	8/16			
David Robbins	Abby Reeve	8/17			
Margot Zimmerman	Mareike Kranz	8/18			

Maurice Bachelis

Clara Rose Bachelis

8/18

The Men's Club Wants You!

Temple Beth Emet Men's Club

Invites Everyone to a Bagel Brunch

Join Us For Fellowship, Bagels, Coffee, and a Reorganizational Meeting

Followed By

An Open Discussion of: "Are God, Religion and Being Spiritual the Same Thing?"

Location:

Blum Hall Temple Beth Emet of Burbank 600 N. Buena Vista Street, Burbank, CA

Date & Time: Sunday, September 20, 2015 - 9:30 A.M.

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The playful rule-breaker returns to the Bowl with a big band, for everything from swinging standards to modern rock covers. Soul-organ trio Soulive deliver funky grooves. 20 Feet from Stardom vocalist Lisa Fischer opens. Part of the JAZZ AT THE BOWL series.

Thursday, August 20 - BERNSTEIN and BIZET

Bernstein's crackling masterwork for strings and percussion, *Serenade (after Plato's Symposium)*, and an exotic instrumental reworking of Bizet's dramatic *Carmen* suite. The phenomenal LA Phil Assistant Conductor Mirga Gražinté-Tyla, conducts.



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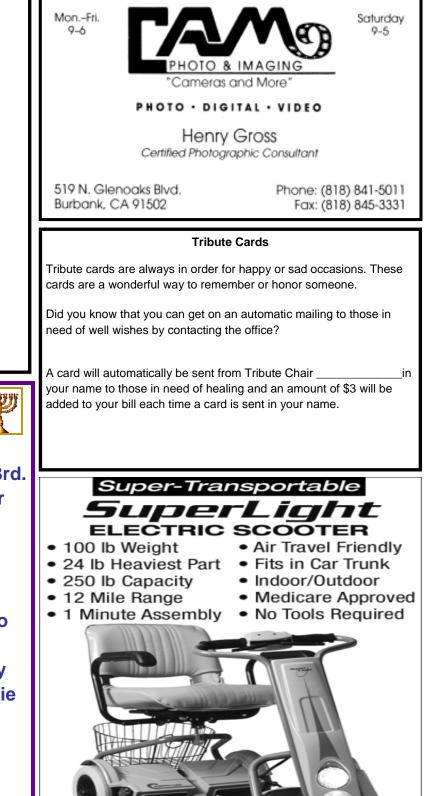
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Shanah Tova!!! Wishing you a Good Year! Erev Rosh Hashanah begins Sunday, September 13th and ends with Yom Kippur, September 23rd. The gift boxes are being prepared for your High Holy Day's Gift List by our

own Temple Beth Emet Sisterhood.



The gift boxes will be ready to ship to your family and friends or give them personally. They will include: Honey Bear Honey Dispenser, Kosher Cookie Packs, Tea Bags, Kosher Candies, Kosher Honey Straws, Recipes for Honey Cookies, and a Honey Cake Recipe so good you (or your loved ones) will jump for joy!! And isn't that a great way to start our new year?



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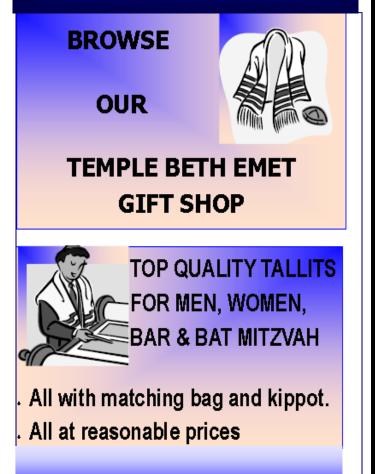
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