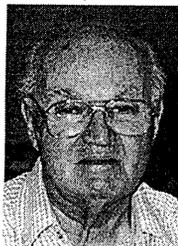


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JOSEPH WOHL



Peacefully in the morning hours of October 10, 2000 at Seven Oaks Hospital, Joe passed away at the age of 79 years.

Joe will forever be remembered by his loving wife Betty, sons Howard (Carol), Sandy (Barbara) and his dear grandchildren Marnie, Michael and Barry. Also to cherish his memory are his brothers-in-law Earl (Adele), Walter (Kerry), Jerry (Gloria) and his many nieces and nephews. Joe and Betty were happily married for 58 years.

Joe was a very generous man who gave of his personal and professional skills whenever and wherever he could. Joe served in numerous capacities within the Jewish and greater communities including Presidencies with the West Kildonan Lions Club, Winnipeg chapter of Sertoma, Winnipeg Brandeis Lodge and the Electrical Contractors Association of Manitoba. He was a founding member of the B'nai Abraham Synagogue and for many years he entertained at the Selkirk Mental Hospital and was a regular blood donor at the Red Cross. "A friend in need is a friend indeed." Joe also contributed quietly to many charities.

Joe's wit and infectious sense of humour were appreciated by all those whose lives he touched. His love of music and curling occupied much of his leisure time as well as his playful and loving times with his children and grandchildren.

Dad greatly appreciated the dear friends who visited him regularly in the few years after his stroke. The family expresses much thanks to Drs. S. Koven and J. Lezack and the very compassionate staff on U4, 3rd floor at the Seven Oaks Hospital.

Funeral services were held at the B'nai Abraham Synagogue. Sincere thanks to Rabbi Emeritus P. Weizman for helping the family through its difficult time.

Pallbearers were: Michael Wohl, Barry Wohl, Earl Moss, Walter Morris, Jerry Moscovitch, and Sheldon Forgan. Donations may be made to the charity of one's choice.

"Words are lost. We touch you and feel you with us. We'll miss your kibbitzing. I'll miss hearing you call me "Chicken Feed", dancing the horah, and pinching your elbow fat. In Israel with me now and inside of everyone at home we know you as love. You grow inside us every day and gentleness feels gentler. Your strength, now in us, is stronger. Your love in us is warm and full. You are healthy again, forever, Boruch Hashem. Dad, Zaidie, Dear, we love you.

In loving memory of Joseph Wohl - husband, father, and zaidia.

Betty, Howard, Sandy, Marnie, Michael, Barry, Barbara, Carol and all the many people who love you. Thank you for your life, your heart and your light.

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KATHY ROBIN LITMAN



It is with great sadness that we announce the sudden and tragic passing of Kathy Litman, age 41, our beloved daughter, sister, aunt and best friend on October 22, 2000. Kathy moved with her family at an early age to Israel and lived on Kibbutz Hazerim for four years. Upon returning to Winnipeg, Kathy graduated from Joseph Wolinsky Collegiate. Shortly after graduation Kathy joined the Canadian Armed Forces - 735 Communication Regiment where she became a Master Corporal of Communications. After the Canadian Armed Forces, Kathy followed in her idol's footsteps - her grandmother Baba Malka, to achieve her childhood dream of becoming a nurse. Kathy graduated from the Misericordia Hospital as a Registered Nurse in 1980, received her Intensive Care Diploma in 1982, and then graduated from Lethbridge University in 1986 with a Bachelor's Degree in Nursing. Possessing the incredible, selfless ability to give and care for others, Kathy dedicated 20 years of her life to nursing, of which fifteen of those years were devoted to the Intensive Care Medicine Unit of the St. Boniface Hospital, where Kathy loved every minute of every hour that she ever worked there (which her many certificates from the Unit as the "person who worked the most on their days off" attest to). Kathy was also a highly regarded union representative for Local 5 of the St. Boniface Nurses Union.

During a period of seven years, Kathy loyally and ever so devotedly flew endless miles back and forth to Vancouver to care for our beloved and youngest brother Michael, who died of AIDS six years ago at the age of 26. A devout supporter for AIDS Awareness, Kathy travelled to AIDS Conferences nationwide, never missed an AIDS Walk/Fundraiser, or any other opportunity to lend her voice for this very important cause. Kathy even had a quilt made from all of the AIDS T-shirts that she had collected over the years. She was completely devoted to the care and support of all people living with AIDS.

Two and one half years ago Kathy was diagnosed with Multiple Sclerosis. She spent many months of the first year after her diagnosis in Vancouver with her dearest friend Bernice Budz struggling with the unknown of the disease and what impact this might have on her future as a nurse. In the following two years of her life, Kathy became very involved with the Multiple Sclerosis Society. Kathy made a decision to take life by its horns, to live it day by day and to its fullest. She travelled extensively across Canada, cruised to Alaska, and swam with the beluga whales in Churchill. She had also wanted to hand-glide, but was unable to fulfil this wish.

Kathy was predeceased by her brother Michael, grandparents Pete and Gertie Litman, Malka and Chaim Kushner. Kathy is survived by her mother Miryom Trupish, father Leslie Litman, her brother Lorry and sister-in-law Cathy, brother James, sister Nancy, nephew Michael Joshua, and her dearest friend Bernice Budz.

Also left to mourn her passing are all her close friends and colleagues at the St. Boniface Hospital. Their support of Kathy through her brother's illness, and again when she was diagnosed with MS are equalled by none.

Kathy was the most incredible model for all human beings. She was a profoundly kind, gentle and an overwhelmingly generous person whose natural disposition was to nurture, encourage and give constant hope to others. Even through her toughest times Kathy's sense of humour surpassed all. She was always there for family and friends in times of need and, for this and so much more, we are eternally grateful.

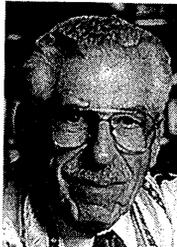
Kathy's express wish was to be with her brother Michael in Vancouver who will now have his big sister with him. We love you and miss you.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the MS Society of Manitoba, 401-141 Bannatyne Ave., Winnipeg R3B 0R3 or Kalishiva, 705 Broadway Ave., Winnipeg, R3G 0X2 or to a charity of your choice.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of
ROSE RITBERG JACK RITBERG
who passed away July 13, 1993 24 Days in Tammuz
who passed away October 21, 1993 7 Days in Cheshvan
Forever in our hearts
—Sheila, Shom, Kerry, Janis and Evan (Audra) Roitenberg.

DAVID STEINDEL



David Steindel passed away peacefully at the Riverview Health Centre on Sunday, October 1, 2000 at the age of 87 years.

David was predeceased by his father Samuel, his mother Esther, his sister Fanny and his brothers Lou and Rabbi Ben-Zion. He will be fondly remembered by his loving wife Hannah of 59 years, his sons Sam (Karen) and Gordon (Kathy Cobor), his grandchildren Maury and Marissa, his niece Elizabeth Steindel and other extended family and friends.

Born and raised in Winnipeg, David began working as a bookkeeper for many organizations including the Kiever Society, the Talmud Torah and Soudack Fur Auction. He was later employed as the office manager for Shore Glass and Building Supplies retiring after twenty-five years of service to them. David was an active participant and member at the Rosh Pina Synagogue for many years and also enjoyed attending services at the Shaarey Zedek Synagogue. After retirement he often volunteered with the Jewish Child and Family Service. He enjoyed cycling and playing badminton and tennis even into his later years. Up until his fearless battle with cancer David could frequently be seen with his wife Hannah walking in Kildonan Park throughout spring, summer and fall, while enjoying the warmth of Palm Springs in the winter months.

David had a quiet wit that endeared him to everyone he came in contact with. He was deeply devoted to his family and worked tirelessly on their behalf. David was a kind and gentle man who was loved by all.

Funeral services were held on Monday, October 2 at the Rosh Pina Synagogue officiated by Rabbi Neal Rose and Cantor Arky Berkal. Pallbearers were Ed Calnitsky, Dr. Donald Gutkin, Terry Gutkin, Dr. Bob Steinberg, Maury Steindel, and David Wolinsky. Honourary pallbearers were Dr. Sam Bellan, Dr. Morris Erenberg and Morris Kaplan.

The family wishes to express their sincerest gratitude to Dr. Marr, the staff of 3-East and the support resources at Riverview for their attentive care and love during David's stay.

If desired donations may be made in David's memory to The Hannah and David Steindel Fund at the Jewish Foundation of Manitoba (477-7525) or to the charity of one's choice.

BERL GERSON

Peacefully, early Saturday morning September 23, 2000, with his family at his side, Berl Gerson passed away. He was predeceased by his wife Dina; he is survived by his children Phil (Brenda) and Malka (Sam); grandchildren David, Murray, Michael, Daniel and Rachel; and sister Rose Unger and nephews Abe and Phillip (Audrey).

Berl was born on September 26, 1917 in Lodz, Poland, one of six children. After suffering unimaginable pain and hardship during the holocaust, (Auschwitz/Birkenau), he married and started a family with his wife Dina. He raised his two children in Israel and later moved his family to Winnipeg in 1959; where he worked as painter/contractor.

Berl always exhibited and expressed the value of hard work and individual initiative. He passed on these and numerous other values to what was the most important thing in his life, the love of his family. He did everything for his family and always motivated his children and grandchildren to reach their full potential. He felt tremendous nachas when talking about his children and grandchildren. His aura of warmth and joy came out in all undertakings, including, most notably, his singing. More than any other activity, Berl was most passionate about his davening.

Perhaps more than anything, his lasting legacy is one of a man who always lived life to the fullest. His innate sense of optimism was paramount in him always being able to move forward, no matter what obstacles he had to confront. Berl enjoyed making people feel good and giving them the sense that he cared about them individually. We will always treasure our memories of Berl—Abba, Grampa and special friend. We will always miss you and always have you in our hearts.

FRANK LABINSKY

It is with much sorrow that the family of Frank Labinsky announce his sudden passing at the St. Boniface Hospital on Saturday, October 14, 2000.

He was predeceased by his parents, Jennie and Joseph; his brother Murray and sister-in-law Sara (Malchy). He leaves to cherish his beautiful memory his niece Una Globerman (Abe); nephew Benson Labinsky (Sharon) and many great nieces and nephews who will miss his warmth and humour.

Frank was born and lived his entire life in Winnipeg. For many years he was a partner with his brother in Murray's Grocery and Delicatessen and later owned and operated a taxi until he retired in his mid seventies.

The family would like to thank his many caregivers, especially Maria and to Dr. N. Hechtenthal.

A graveside funeral service was held Monday, October 16 at Shaarey Zedek Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Abe Globerman, David Globerman, Bernie Goldstein, Ian Rayter, Dr. Bailey Rayter and Harvey Appelle.

If friends so desire, donations may be made to the Alzheimers Society or a charity of their choice.

GERTIE LITMAN

With deep sorrow we announce the passing of Gertie Litman (nee Greenberg) on Wednesday, October 18, 2000 at Seven Oaks Hospital with her family by her side. Born in Winnipeg on November 25, 1909, she was 90 years old at the time of her death.

She will be lovingly remembered and deeply missed by her son Leslie and wife Carol; daughter Pearl Morantz; daughter Judy and husband Jim Diamond of Princeton, NJ; sister Esther Minkin of Toronto and brother Leon Greenberg of Port Colborne, Ontario; twelve grandchildren, ten great-grandchildren and her special four-legged friend Charlie.

She was predeceased by her loving husband Peter in 1993 after 62 years of marriage, her sister Clara Abbey; her brothers Bill Greenberg and Cliff Green; and her grandson Michael Litman.

A devoted mother, grandmother, sister and friend, she was caring, generous with her time and always ready to help. It was her pleasure to have her family around her and she especially enjoyed time spent with her grandchildren and more recently, her great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at B'nai Abraham Cemetery on Thursday, October 19. Pallbearers were her six grandsons: Lorry Litman, Jim Litman, Richard Morantz, Martin Morantz, Steven Morantz, and Etan Diamond.

Memorial donations can be made to the Jewish Foundation of Manitoba (Peter and Gertie Litman Fund), telephone # (204) 477-7525.

Card of Thanks

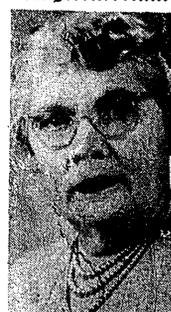


The family of the late SIMON BERENHAUT would like to extend their deepest gratitude to their family and friends for all their support and comfort during Simon's lengthy illness and recent passing.

We would like to thank everyone for all the cards, gifts and donations we received in honour of Simon.

Your kindness and generosity will always be remembered. You all helped us get through this most difficult time.

In Memoriam



In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother
MRS. SARAH BERINSTEIN
who passed away October 26, 1963
8 Days in Cheshvan
— Ever remembered by her children and grandchildren.

In Memoriam



In loving memory of our dear father and grandfather
JACOB COHEN
who passed away October 19, 1969
7th Day in Cheshvan
Our hearts still ache with sadness
And silent tears still flow.
And what it meant to lose you
No one will ever know.
— Always remembered and sadly missed by his children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

In Memoriam



In loving memory of
SARAH SILVERBERG
who passed away October 23, 1966
8 Days in Cheshvan
— Ever remembered and sadly missed by her children and grandchildren.

In Memoriam



In loving memory of
ABRAHAM BROWN
who passed away November 10, 1986
8 Days in Cheshvan, 5747
— Sadly missed and will always be remembered by your wife, children and grandchildren.

In Memoriam



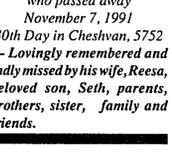
In loving memory of
BETTY BILLINKOFF
who passed away November 17, 1992
5 Days in Cheshvan
— Ever remembered and sadly missed by her children Marcia and Jack Schnoor (Toronto) and Donald Billinkoff and Dr. Sharon Lewin (New York) and grandchildren Cindy and Dr. Michael Opler, and Randall Schnoor and Marsha Moshinsky and Zoe, Ezra and Solomon Billinkoff and great-grandchildren Bethany, Arielle and Jonah Opler and sister Rosalie London.

In Memoriam



In loving memory of
SARA LANTZ
who passed away November 3, 1995
10 days in Cheshvan
— Lovingly remembered by her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

In Memoriam



In loving memory of
SHEP NERMAN
who passed away November 7, 1991
30th Day in Cheshvan, 5752
— Lovingly remembered and sadly missed by his wife, Reesa, beloved son, Seth, parents, brothers, sister, family and friends.

Israeli news

Arab summit in Cairo

(Cont. from page 16.)

On Tuesday the United States and Jordan were signing a new trade agreement that Jordan has long sought.

But in contrast to the leaders' relative moderation, there have been angry demonstrations in Egypt and other Arab states over the summit resolution. While officials in Egypt and Jordan appear able to weather such demonstrations, other states — including Oman, Tunisia and Morocco — have bowed to Arab pressure and severed relations with Israel.

In the case of Morocco, the recently enthroned King Mohammed is "too weak to stand the pressure of extremists and continue business as usual," said Gus.

Another inexperienced leader, President Bashar Assad of Syria, did not take any chances by siding with the moderates. Instead, he adopted a hard line against Israel. "Internally, Assad played it safe," said Eyal Sisser of Tel Aviv University. "No one can charge him with neglecting the Palestinian cause." The summit proved "that the people on the streets have a lot more influence than the leaders would like to admit," Sisser said.

Meanwhile, Israeli Prime Minister Ehud Barak's announcement last week that he is taking a "timeout" from the peace process as long as the violence continues has intensified anger across the Arab world.

Arab moderates interpreted the statement as a slap in their faces. Just after they had passed a moderate resolution at the summit, Barak was acting as if he was no longer a partner to the peace process. The Jordanian paper A-Rai wrote October 23 that such statements lead the Arabs "to think of other options."

Syria's official Tishrin daily reported October 24 that Barak's statement had "taken the mask" off Israel, which "is preparing the ground for a military adventure."

As the prospects for peace dim amid the continued fighting in the West Bank and Gaza, observers are somberly assessing what may come next.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our dear husband, father and zaidia
SAM SEGAL
who passed away October 25, 1998
6 Days in Cheshvan, 5759
Always in our thoughts.
— Ever remembered and sadly missed by his loving wife Louise, children and grandchildren.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of
LOUIS PAISNER
who passed away October 31, 1957
5 days in Cheshvan, 5718
— Ever remembered and sadly missed by his children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our dear father and grandfather
JACK EARNEST STEIN
who passed away November 8, 1986
6 Days in Cheshvan
Loving memories will never die.
— Ever remembered and sadly missed by his daughter, son-in-law and grandchildren.

In Memoriam



In loving memory of
SARA LANTZ
who passed away November 3, 1995
10 days in Cheshvan
— Lovingly remembered by her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

TAKE TIME TO REMEMBER

