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Shabbat Rocks!

Fridays • 7 pm June 19, July 17 and August 21

As of now, this will be a live streamed and Zoomed service. Stay tuned to the weekly e-blasts and website for updates.

Enjoy a wonderful evening with a live band playing some of today's most upbeat Jewish music. You will find yourself tapping your toes, clapping your hands and dancing to contemporary melodies. Multiple musical genres are woven through the service, highlighting text from each of the Psalms, which creates an energizing and engaging service. A special prayer book offers Hebrew, transliteration and English to make this service user friendly. Download it at https://images.shulcloud.com/13617/uploads/Shabbat/shabbatrockssiddur.pdf. Listen to and download tracks from our website.

This season has been generously underwritten by The Jan & Ron Moskowitz Family, Phyllis & Sidney Reisman and Jocelyn & Peter Saltz.



eineinu - Between Us



Now that Israelis have a government, they are very focused on the annexation debate. Netanyahu and Gantz support this idea, as do a slim majority of Jewish Israelis. This comes as a shock to many American Jews. It shouldn't.

The idea of annexation is hardly new. Yigal Allon, Yitzhak Rabin, Moshe Dayan and Ariel Sharon all

held that Israel must hold on to control in the Jordan Valley in order to ensure Israel's security. The Etzion Block (Gush Etzion) was the location of Jewish communities before Israeli independence. The land was captured by Arab forces and recaptured in 1967. Yitzhak Rabin devised the plan of new neighborhoods ringing Jerusalem to ensure its security.

The Oslo Accords themselves envisioned Israeli retention of the larger settlement blocks. That would be offset by a land swap to maintain the potential size of a future Palestinian state. At the time, the idea enjoyed broad international backing. So did the policy of "convergence," promoted by Ariel Sharon at the time he pulled Israel out of Gaza. "Convergence" meant Israel would unilaterally withdraw from the West Bank, holding on to the larger settlement blocks and the Jordan Valley that was needed for security. If Sharon had not had his fatal stroke, the policy might have reached fruition.

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Problems Connecting with our Links?

If you are experiencing difficulty connecting to one of our classes or are getting broken links when you click, please try these fixes:

- · use the link directly from our website
- log in using a different email
- use a different web browser (in particular, Chrome does not work well with Zoom)
- use a different device

If none of these work for you, please contact our executive director, Jay Ross, and he will work with you to try to find a solution. Thank you for your patience, and keep taking advantage of our virtual offerings so we can all stay connected during these difficult times!



Candle Lighting

June 5	8:38 pm
June 12	8:42 pm
June 19	8:45 pm
June 26	8:46 pm

Torah Portions

June 6	Naso
June 13	Beha'alotecha
June 20	Shelach-Lecha
June 27	Korach

Daily Service Schedule

The building is closed and services are being led by clergy virtually. Please join us via live stream at www.bnaijeshurun.org/streaming or Zoom in via phone at (929) 205-6099 (Meeting IDs: Weekday mornings 413 413 630; Evenings 200 230 834; Sunday mornings 298 657 543) or computer at:

https://cutt.ly/bjcSundayMorningMinyan8am

https://cutt.ly/bjcMorningMinyanM-F715am

https://cutt.ly/bjcWeekdayAfternoonMinyan6pm

Friday evening service: https://cutt.ly/bjcFriday7pm, Meeting ID #843 828 395

Shabbat morning service:

https://cutt.ly/bjcShabbatAndFestivals9am, Meeting ID #750 690 071

Shabbat afternoon service – **note new link**: https://cutt.ly/Saturday-Festival-Day-6-pm, Meeting ID #932 5191 4283

Service Times:

Mondays - Thursdays: 7:15 am, 6:00 pm Fridays: 7:15 am, 7:00 pm Saturdays: 9:00 am, 6:00 pm Sundays, 8:00 am, 6:00 pm

When we return to in-person services, Friday evenings will be held outdoors, weather permitting.

Welcome to our New Members

Please give a warm welcome to our new members as you "meet" them in services and "see" them at programming.

- Robyn Marcs
- Miriam & Ted Aron
- Deborah & Charles Chudakoff

resident's Message



As social distancing continues through May and into June, the clergy, staff and leadership are working hard to keep our synagogue community strong and to keep our members connected, both to each other and to the synagogue. Whether you want to pray, learn, schmooze or eat, we offer ways

to engage in those activities with others.

By offering our daily minyanim and Shabbat services on both stream and Zoom, we allow congregants to pray on their own terms. The streaming works for those who want to daven along with the clergy, hear the sermon and otherwise participate with anonymity. The Zooming allows our congregants to see each other, feel less isolated and schmooze a bit after services with one another.

The same can be said about our classes and programs, which have increased in number over the last few weeks. We hold classes over Zoom every day, which allows for interaction between the teacher and the students. We have been able to hold a Zoom Bar Mitzvah in a way that is meaningful to the B'nai Mitzvah family, without anyone feeling unsafe. We have had many successful Zoom programs, including cooking classes, game nights, happy hours, lunch and learns and lectures, and the number of participants has grown as well.

The last weekend in May has several important events scheduled, all still possible thanks to our technology, including our Tikkun Leil Shavuot, our Confirmation service and our annual meeting, involving the installation of board members and giving of awards to a few very deserving congregants.

At the same time, we are taking care of those among us who are food insecure and lonely. Our Chesed committee has been supplying kosher meals to those who are homebound as well as grocery gift cards to those who are able to shop themselves. Many congregants continue to regularly reach out and call those who live alone, especially our older congregants, so that they continue to feel like part of the B'nai Jeshurun community.

Thank you to everyone who made contributions, whether time or treasure to help us to better keep our community engaged, connected and healthy. It has literally been a lifeline for many of our congregants.

Gena Cohen





From the Kabbi



My favorite graduation present was the book "Oh, the Places You'll Go!" by Dr. Seuss. I think it has great guidance for each of us, especially our 2020 graduates:

"Congratulations! You're off to Great Places! You can steer yourself any

direction you choose. You're on your own. And you know what you know. And YOU are the guy who'll decide where to go. You'll join the high fliers who soar to high heights...Except when you don't because, sometimes, you won't. I'm sorry to say so but, sadly, it's true that Bang-ups and Hang-ups can happen to you. You can get so confused...headed, I fear, toward a most useless place. The Waiting Place. All Alone! Whether you like it or not, Alone will be something you'll be quite a lot. But on you will hike..."

As we face continued uncertainty, graduates "usually" begin plans for the next place. The completion of studies is "usually" marked by a large celebration and walking across the stage in front of classmates, family and friends. And yet, we remain in place, sheltering as we begin our re-entry as states begin to re-open.

Our "usual" gift to graduates is a mezuzah. As they begin the next chapter, the mezuzah is our holy marker for transition. It is a blessing and promise of protection, that G-d is our safeguard and shelter when we travel out and when we return home. The word mezuzah means "move" recognizing that we never remain static. Even when sheltering in place, we each can grow. The mezuzah is our guidepost, as the scroll inside is a partial Torah scroll carrying the instructions for how best to live our lives.

The mezuzah is placed high up on our doorpost reminding us to always look up and look forward, and that G-d's sheltering protection is above. The rabbis debated the positioning, some say it should be hung vertical and others horizontal. We follow a compromise

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Education & Youth



This has undoubtedly been one of the most challenging years our community has faced. Practically overnight, our in-person classes, services and tutoring were moved online in our effort to stop the spread of Covid-19. I have

tremendous gratitude for all of our students, families, teachers and staff for their flexibility and understanding as we quickly adapted to our new realities. I have been awed by our teachers' continued commitment to each of our students, ensuring that even when we can't be together face-to-face, we are still busy learning and making connections with one another. It was particularly meaningful to see our 4th grade students chant Torah and our 3rd grade students lead our virtual Youth Service for the first time.

As this school year comes to a close, we are working hard to plan for the uncertain days ahead. At the same time, we also want to be sure to look back at our many successes. In particular, I want to thank Barbara Rosenfeld for 23 years of dedicated service to our congregation, our Youth & Learning Center and Bessie Hershey Religious School. Barbara has been involved in so many facets of our program over the years: our high school and Confirmation, family programs, Shabbatonim, early childhood programs, holiday programs and more. Most recently, Barbara has been instrumental in implementing our everpopular High Holy Day activity stations for young children and Dive into the Sea of Torah Family Shabbat program series, alongside many long-standing programs. We are very sad to see Barbara go and wish her the best in all her future endeavors.

While this year has proven challenging for all of us, and we are anxious to know when our lives will go back to normal, I am reminded of the ancient Jewish folktale about King Solomon, who wore a ring bearing the words *Gam Zeh Ya'avor*, "This too shall pass." According to tradition, every time he felt sad or depressed, he would look down at his ring and his mood would become cheerful, knowing that better days were ahead. Let us allow King Solomon's wisdom to brighten our day, knowing that the difficult times we are in now are only temporary, and I look forward to the time I can join all of you once again in our congregation.

Rabbi Josh Foster

B'nai Mitzvah



JACOB STEVEN MORRIS JORDYN DANIELLE MORRIS Saturday morning, June 6



Jordyn enjoys arts and crafts and Jacob enjoys trumpet. They both enjoy Jui Jitzhu, hip hop and video games. For their Mitzvah Project, they are volunteering with Geauga County Rescue Village. They attend Mayfield Middle School and live in Highland Heights. They are the children of Terri Morris & Tony Rozman and James Morris and grandchildren of Jan Weiner and Gloria Schultz. Jacob and Jordyn are also the grandchildren of the late Joel Weiner and David Morris.



SOPHIE ELIZABETH ROSENTHAL Shabbat afternoon (Mincha), June 13

Sophie attends Harmon Middle School and lives in Aurora. She enjoys guitar, volleyball and gymnastics. She is the daughter of Jodi Rosenthal and granddaughter of Ruth & Barry Rosenthal.

Virtual Youth Service Saturdays, June 6 & 27 • 11 am

Everyone is invited to Zoom in at https://zoom.us/j/486237183, Meeting ID 486237183, Password: BJC. There are many opportunities for our Pre-K through 12th grade students to learn virtually. If you have any questions, contact Rabbi Josh.



Kinder Shabbat Fridays • 10:30 am

Have fun with us on Facebook (Mishpachot - B'nai Jeshurun Young Families) as we sing your favorite songs with Mr. Chuck and pray with the clergy, too! Zoom in at https://zoom.us/j/233169518, Meeting ID: 233 169 518, Password: shabbat.

Story Time with Rafi Mondays • 4 pm

Join our librarian, Dr. Rafi Simon, each week for stories that will cover a wide range of Jewish themes. This program is geared for children pre-K – 2nd grade; all are welcome. Zoom in at https://zoom.us/j/95567344379, Meeting ID: 955 6734 4379, Password: story.

From Our Affiliates

Men's Club Happy Hour

Tuesdays • 5 pm



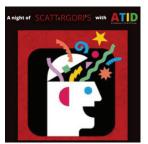
Join us each week as we discuss a variety of topics. Open to everyone and drinks are optional. Look for weekly topics in our e-blasts and on our website.

We look forward to seeing you! Zoom in at https://zoom.us/j/694942724, Meeting ID 694 942 724.

If you're interested in leading a discussion or have ideas for a future topic, please contact Jerry Brodsky (jerrybrodsky2@gmail.com or 330-998-2283).

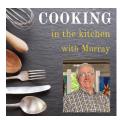
A Night of Scattergories with ATID

(B'nai Jeshurun's 20s & 30s group) Monday, June 1 • 7 pm



ATID is playing games online again, but this time we're taking Scattergories. No on experience is required, but you will need to be a fast thinker and know lots of words. Everyone must have a second device that

can access wifi and also a pen & paper. Zoom in at https://zoom.us/j/93071112919, Meeting ID: 930 7111 2919.



Cooking in the Kitchen with Murray

Thursdays • 7 pm

Join Murray Berkowitz for weekly cooking fun. Read the recipes in advance so you can have all the ingredients and set up ready.

See our weekly e-blasts and website for the recipes. Zoom in at https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86468670994, Meeting ID: 8646 8670 994.

Inclusion Shabbat

Friday, June 12 • 6 pm

This 30-minute service is led by Rabbi Foster and uses a special, colorful siddur with shortened prayers. Everyone is encouraged to participate, at their own level; there are parts in Hebrew and in English. This service allows everyone to enjoy the warmth of Shabbat. Open to the entire community, the service is geared toward those who are mentally and physically other-abled (and their families).

Looking for Some Good Reading?

Our library has many good books that we can arrange for you to borrow. Books can be dropped off on your doorstep or picked up at the synagogue. Books are clean and have not been touched by others and will be placed in a plastic bag. When books are returned, we do not recirculate them for 14 days. You can borrow books with confidence from our libraries during this time. Use our online catalog to browse the library collection: https://www.bnaijeshurun.org/learn-with-us-libraries.

If you have any questions regarding the use of the catalog or our library collection, please contact our librarian, Dr. Rafi Simon. Rafi may be reached at (216) 337-6490 during the day and early evening. We want you to enjoy some healthy reading from our library!

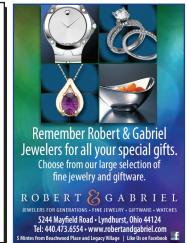




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What's NU? with Rabbi Hal Rudin-Luria Mondays at 10 am

Topical text study and discussion on the most relevant Jewish topics of the day. https://zoom.us/j/97066069527.

Neffesh Ha-Chayyim - The Mystical Secrets of God, Life, the Universe and Everything with Rabbi Stephen Weiss Mondays at 8 pm

Exploring Jewish beliefs and practice through Kabbalah. https://zoom.us/j/946394238.

Bible Study with Susan Wyner Tuesdays at 10:30 am

Join in for a close reading of the Torah as we make our way through our most central text. We are currently studying the book of Deuteronomy. https://zoom.us/j/864643841 Meeting ID: 864 643 841.

Parshat HaShavua with Prof. Doron Kalir, CSU Tuesdays at noon

Discuss the weekly Torah portion from a liberal viewpoint. In particular, we will examine implications of the text for today's community and the meaning of emunah (faith) in the 21st century. https://zoom.us/j/213131426.

NEW! The Riches of Jewish Text with Rabbi Josh Foster Tuesdays at 4 pm

Explore key passages, discussions and stories in the Talmud and the corpus of Jewish literature. https://zoom.us/j/98382451776.

New Date & Time The How & Why of Jewish Rituals with Cantor Aaron Shifman Tuesdays at 6:15 pm

We will discuss kaddish, mikvah, tallit and tzizit, brit milah, Shabbat and havdallah and more using Medrashim and Talmudic resources. https://zoom.us/j/524068297.

Mishnah: The New Scripture with Rabbi Alan Lettofsky Wednesdays at 10:30 am

Most Jewish institutions and values, while based on the Bible, were created by the ancient rabbis. The Mishnah and its expansion into the full Talmud are the core texts for our Jewish foundations. https://zoom.us/j/408458674.

Ethical & Ritual Issues Through the Lens of Conservative Jewish Law with Rabbi Stephen Weiss Thursdays at noon

Through the study of *responsa* (Jewish law papers) from the Law Committee of the Rabbinical Assembly, we will explore what Jewish tradition has to say about the most pressing and significant issues of our day. Class is always lively, filled with text study and discussion. https://zoom.us/j/388326341.

Starbucks Bread & Torah with rotating teachers Saturdays at 9 am

Gain fresh insights into the Torah, and study with great teachers! https://zoom.us/j/979212512.



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We note with sorrow the passing of

*ROSALIND BERNSTEIN Mother of Edgar Bernstein

SYLVIA HABER Mother of Irwin Haber

CAROLE KANEFSKY Mother of Eve Phythyon

GARY SPECTOR Father of Laura Katzner

*JOAN WHITEHILL Wife of Charles Whitehill

* B'nai Jeshurun member

We extend our deepest condolences to all the members of their families.

Happy Milestone Anniversary to:

Leonard & Karen Steiger	60 years
Jeffrey & Susan Wyner	50 years
Harry & Caren Lever	50 years
Richard & Susan Glaser	50 years
Harvey & Harriet Freiman	50 years
Timothy & Sandra Wuliger	45 years
Leo Lee & Deborah Abramson	45 years
Chad & Tova Cohen	45 years
Lawrence & Judith Wolkoff	40 years
Max & Debra Wiznitzer	40 years
Mark & Fran Doris	40 years
Larry & Nina Rosner	35 years
Ken & Lisa Ingber	35 years
Jon & Darby Steiger	25 years
Jack & Martha Spaner	20 years
Josh Polster & Eliana LeVine	20 years
Stuart & Marian Gertman	15 years

Happy Milestone Birthday to:

Deborah Botnick **Donald Epstein** Karen Evenchik Eilene Golub William Haas Moshe Hyer Susan Karp Dale Levy Richard Martin

Marshall Piccus Jennifer Rosenberg Jodi Rosenthal Alta Rosenzweig Susan Shefner Sabrina Shifman **Judy Simon** Lillian Ullman

If you have an achievement or mazal tov to share, please contact Diane Dronzek. We are happy to share your good news! Milestone listings recognize birthdays at five-year intervals beginning with age 25, and every year after 90. Anniversaries are recognized at five-year intervals.

Mazal Tov to

- Hannah & Ari Milgrom on the birth of a son, Marc Forrest Milgrom. Grandparents are **Hedy & Michael** Milgrom.
- Marsha & Roman Aronovich on the birth of a daughter, Maya Frida Aronovich.
- Anne & Matt Brower on the birth of a daughter, **Elle H. Brower**. Grandparents are **Grace & Marc** Brower.
- Judy & Ari Borgen on the birth of a daughter, Aubrey Rena Borgen.
- Cheryl Wolkoff & Chuck Nachman and **Robert Rothenberg** on the birth of a granddaughter and great-granddaughter, Ayelet Shoshana Rothenberg.
- Faith & Sheldon Schaffer on the birth of a grandson, **Henry Micah Schaffer.**



 Yossi Berkowitz, Isaiah Jacobs, Spencer Kawalek, Zachary Mangel, Rylan Polster, Jacob Rudin-Luria, Avery Steinberg, Gabriel Wolf and Ben Wyant completed the ICNext program.



Calling All 2020 Graduates

Yasher koach to all our students who graduated this year! We would like to include your achievement in July *Tidings*. For any student who graduated 8th grade, high school, college or graduate school/post-graduate/ professional programs, please provide Wendy Altmire with the following by June 10 so we can recognize you: Student Name, School (degree/ specialization, if applicable), Plans for what's next, A recent picture.

We Miss Your Face!

We are putting together a video of virtual hellos from our BJC family and want to include you! Please email a photograph of your smiling faces - feel free to hold a bright, cheerful message, an inspirational quote, or a message from your family – to Lauren Freiman (laurensable@gmail.com) by June 12.





Milgrom

Aronovich





Brower

Borgen







bute and memorial donations received between March 20, 2020 through April 7, 2020 total \$8,966.

To better manage administrative expenses, it is requested that contributions be at least \$10 or more each. Thank you for helping us reduce the synagogue's cost, which increases the actual value of your gifts.

ABRAHAM-GRUENSPAN HIGH HOLY DAY CHOIR SCHOLARSHIP FUND

In Honor of: Milestone anniversary of Joyce & George Becker by Linda & Charles Gruenspan.

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In Honor of:

My Aliyah by Marvin Grossman.

In Memory of: **Sol Kailes** by Larelda Gruber.

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In Honor of: Milestone anniversaries of **Beth & Frank Rosenberg** and Lori & Brian Abraham, Milestone birthdays of Ruth Weil, Robert Zelwin, Marilyn Alpern, William Jones and Michelle Adler by Eunice Benchell.

BETH AM ENRICHMENT FUND

In Memory of: Lois Teitelman by Sonya Shultz, Miriam Rose and Connie & Murray Altose.

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In Memory of: **Helen Brodsky** and **Lois Teitelman** by Andrea & Aaron Canowitz.

TEMPLE BUILDING & DEVELOPMENT FUND

In Honor of: Milestone birthday of **Harry Lever** by Renee Lieberman...Birth of grandchild to Beth & Frank **Rosenberg** by Tena Rosner. In Memory of: **Lynn Wasserman** by Paula & Randy Botkin...Jackolyn

Hanan by Dawn Brown... Meyer Kohn by Betsy Greene & Nelson Pole... Sidney Arlen by Janice DeVito... Eisig Gettenberg by Elda Pincus.

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In Honor of:

All that **B'nai Jeshurun** is doing during the Pandemic by Wendy & Dan Dobres... **Cantor Shifman** by Robbie & Jav Schonfeld and Linda Schoenberg & Bill Jones... Those affected **by COVID-19** by Marci Greenberger.

In Memory of: Ben Colombi by Halina Podlipsky...**Lois Teitelman** by Judy & Marc Freedman and Adrienne & Mel Wasserman.

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In Memory of: **Lois Teitelman** by Ruth Dobres.

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In Memory of: Lois Teitelman, Edith Freilich, Edward Freilich and **Aron Freilich** by Luisa Aviv.

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In Memory of: Mildred Ludwig and **Regina Goodman** by Lenore Oscar.

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In Memory of: **Jerry Kohn** by Francine Routman.

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In Memory of:

Nathan Oscar by Lenore Oscar.

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Rabbi Stephen Weiss and Special birthday of Robert Zelwin by Estelle Payner... Speedy recovery to Susan Friedman by Pam & Sandy Besunder.

In Memory of:

Lois Teitelman by
Estelle Payner and Pam &
Sandy Besunder...Horty
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In Memory of: **Lois Teitelman** by Loree & Steve Potash.

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& Keith Jacobs...Rose
Markowitz and Lois
Teitelman by Helayne &
Richard Loeb...Herbert
Perla and Harvey
Goodman by The Perla
Family...Robert Weiss
by Barbara & Leonard
Greenberg...Nanci Feiner
by Susan Kornbluth...

Jeffrey Milstein by Beth Ann & Gary Milstein... Sally Greenberg and Claire Weiss by Barbara & Leonard Greenberg... Albert Reet by Claudia Reet...Anna Duszkin by Judy & Marc Freedman... Lois Teitelman by Deborah Deutch-Rabinowitz & Martin Rabinowitz.

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Velez, Lois Teitelman and
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SARAH ROSENSTEIN BOOK FUND

In Memory of: **Sarah Rosenstein** by Helen & Paul Wolf.

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In Honor of:

Fay Blumenthal receiving the Joseph M. Lomberg Award for Individual Service by Cindy & Jerry Brodsky.

In Memory of: **Lois Teitelman** by Nancy & Joel Kay and Cindy & Jerry Brodsky...**Rose Markowitz** by Susan Warshay & Jay Ross.

THOMAS AND RICHARD SHATTEN MEMORIAL FUND

In Honor of: 90th birthday of **Beverlee Rosenbluth** and birthday of **Adina Vasquez-Reina** by Shirley Shatten.

KAREN AND LEONARD STEIGER FUND

In Memory of: **Richard Zimon** and **Lois Teitelman** by Karen & Leonard Steiger.

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In Honor of: Speedy recovery of **Beth Richman** by Natalie Titlebaum.

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Cohen, Richard Zimon and
Pearl LeVine by Barbara &
Bernard Kotton.

IN MEMORY OF LYNN WASSERMAN

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There are reasons one may support or oppose annexation, but the plan deserves cool-headed analysis in its historical context. For me, the problem lies not in whether to annex, but in what to annex. Mr. Netanyahu wants to annex every small settlement and outpost, including those that are illegal. That would leave small disconnected "cantons" that would not have the territorial integrity needed for a one-day Palestinian State. For this reason, I personally oppose the plan as it stands.

Still, in the face of a Palestinian leadership that refuses to negotiate in good faith, the debate should not be over whether to annex territory. It should be over defining which territories should be a part of Israel. In other words, what are the morally and militarily defensible future borders of the Jewish State that would live side by side with a Palestinian State? That discussion needs to happen.

Rabbi Stephen Weiss

From the Rabbi

(continued from page 3) position by angling it tilting inward, showing the importance of finding middle-ground and working together to move forward. Perhaps, it is tilting to show that our success isn't gained from being perfect (straight up or down) but rather leaning in to a situation and through hard work, dedication and working together. Then, in the words of Dr. Seuss, "Step with care and great tact and remember that Life's a Great Balancing Act... And will you succeed? Yes, You will, indeed! You'll move mountains!"

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Rabbi Hal Rudin-Luria





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