



### Ner Tamid Bar/Bat Mitzvah Honors List

- ✓ Ner Tamid distributes two aliyot to those observing a yahrzeit, leaving you **four aliyot** to give in addition to the parents Aliyah (7<sup>th</sup> Aliyah) and the B'nei Mitzvah Aliyah (maftir Aliyah).
  - ✓ This honor can only be taken by Jews.
  - ✓ Have your honorees practice reciting the blessing. Recording and text available upon request.
  - ✓ If you or your honorees cannot determine Hebrew names, the rabbi can say “friends” or “family” in Hebrew.

<b>Aliyah</b>	<b>ENGLISH NAME</b>	<b>HEBREW NAME</b> (+ father and mother); indicate if a Kohein or Levi (they will know)	<b>Relationship to the Bar/t Mitzvah</b>
<i>Example</i>	<i>Steven and Anna Bernstein</i>	<i>Shmuel ben Avraham v'Rivka Channah bat David v'Sarah</i>	<i>Uncle Aunt</i>
<b>#3</b>			
<b>#4:</b>			
<b>#5:</b>			
<b>#6:</b>			
<b>#7:</b>	PARENT(S)		PARENT(S)
<b>Maftir</b>	BAR/T MITZVAH CHILD		BAR/T MITZVAH CHILD
<b>ALTER-NATE</b>			

### “CHAIN OF RECEIVING THE TORAH” (page 168)

Family members handing down the Torah through the generations to the Bar/t Mitzvah.

Also specify one additional person to open the ark on the left side at this time.

*E.g. “Grandmother Sarah to Grandfathers Joe & Bob to Linda to Mark to Joey with little sister Beth opening the ark on the left.”*

**Torah Lifter** (*magbi'a/magbihah*) – a strong person, preferably experienced:

\_\_\_\_\_ (Names & relationship to Bar/t Mitzvah)

**Torah Dresser** (*golel/golelet*) – often related to the lifter. Puts on the Torah belt, cover, & adornments:

\_\_\_\_\_ (Name & relationship to Bar/t Mitzvah)

Additional English Readings: Non-Jews are welcome to readings and ark openings:

**A Reading** Suggested by the rabbi [Optional]:

\_\_\_\_\_ (Name[s] and relationship to Bar/t Mitzvah)

**Prayer for Our Country or Alternative Prayer for Our Country [optional]** (page 177):

\_\_\_\_\_ (Name and relationship to Bar/t Mitzvah)

**Prayer for the State of Israel [optional]**, Hebrew or English (page 178):

\_\_\_\_\_ (Name and relationship to Bar/t Mitzvah)

**Open/Close ark** (page 184), 2 people or a family:

\_\_\_\_\_ (Names and relationship to Bar/t Mitzvah)

## **FRIDAY NIGHT HONORS:**

Depending on the timing of sundown, who will be doing the candle lighting? Recommended options: 1) all women of all generations from the family, along with the child; 2) all grandparents and the child; 3) nuclear family.

Friday night is an appropriate time for grandparents to make their remarks. Who will be doing so?