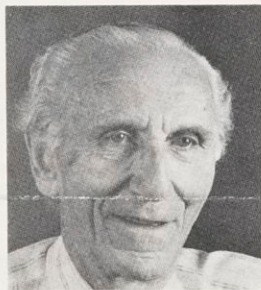




CHARLES CENSOR, SEYMOUR KRAMER AND REUBEN DAVIS TO BE HONORED AS CHATANIM ON SIMCHAT TORAH



Charles Censor

We are proud to announce in the name of the Officers of the Congregation the *Chatanim* for *Simchat Torah* who will be honored by Kehilath Jeshurun for their service to the Congregation and to the wider Jewish community.

Chatan Torah

Charles Censor, born in Belgium from parents who were themselves from Crakow, arrived in America nine days after the start of World War II. A businessman in the diamond trade, Mr. Censor has been a student of Torah since his earliest years.

He is a member of two Talmud *shiurim* in our *shul*, a regular participant in Tuesday Nite at KJ classes and never misses an opportunity to learn. He is one of the most avid listeners to sermons and he often has comments to make after services.

He and his wife, the former Therese Eckstein, also Belgium born, have been generous supporters of a wide variety of important causes, including the Congregation of which he is a Trustee, and the United Jewish Appeal. They are founders of the new Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein Upper School of Ramaz, named for the late Rabbi Lookstein whom the Censors admired and respected so much.

The Censors both have a wonderfully developed esthetic sense due, no doubt, in part to the fact that Therese is an outstanding artist and sculptor.

The Censors are the parents of three Ramaz graduates. We are proud to honor this outstanding family in our community and we hope that both Mr. and Mrs. Censor will enjoy many more years of health and happiness in our community.

Chatan B'reishit, Seymour Kramer, comes from a home steeped in Torah and Jewish tradition. Educated at the Yeshiva of Hudson County, the Rabbi Jacob Joseph School and Yeshiva College, Seymour is President of the Kay Construction Company.



Seymour Kramer

Mr. Kramer, a Trustee of KJ, serves as House Chairman for the Congregation and Ramaz School. His devotion to that responsibility has led him to extraordinary efforts in behalf of both institutions. His attention to detail and his concern with the proper functioning of our 85th and 78th Street buildings are remarkable and very much appreciated.

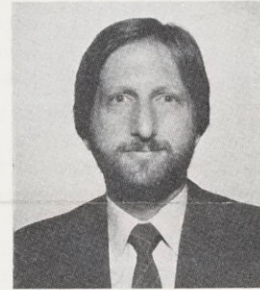
He and his wife, the former Gail Alpert, who has served Ramaz in almost every capacity, including as Vice President of its Parents' Council, are regular worshippers in the synagogue together with their children Barbara (now at Queens College), and Michelle and David who are in the 12th and 9th grades of Ramaz, respectively.

We are proud to honor this fine family for its record of communal service and for the example they set for the KJ community.

Chatan Maftir

Our *Chatan Maftir*, **Reuben Davis**, is one of the first people to arrive in *shul* every *Shabbat* morning. He occupies a seat alongside his father, our own Cantor Avrum Davis.

Married to the former Helen Janowski, daughter of our Trustee and Mrs. Berl Janowski,



Reuben Davis

Helen and Ruby are now the proud parents of Erica Celia, who herself is becoming a regular worshipper in the congregation — though not quite as quiet as her father.

Ruby is a graduate of the Yeshiva of Flatbush High School and a cum Laude graduate of Queens College with a B.A. in communications. He met Helen at Queens College, from which she was graduated summa cum laude with a B.A. in Hebrew language and literature.

Ruby and Helen are wonderful additions to our congregational family. He is a Trustee of KJ and they have been leaders in the Couples Club where Helen has organized the *mishloach manot* project and other activities. They have been, quietly, very generous both to the congregation and to Ramaz where, please God, Erica Celia will soon be attending school.

It took us a long time to convince Ruby to accept this honor. Perhaps that makes him all the more deserving of it. We rejoice with him on this deserved recognition and we pray that he and Helen will continue to merit the approbation of the community for many happy and healthy years to come.

SECOND TASHLICH SERVICE HELD BY KJ AT ISAIAH WALL

In what has to be classified an extraordinary *kiddush Ha-Shem*, approximately 150 members and friends of KJ marched down to 43rd Street and First Avenue on Tuesday afternoon, the second day of Rosh Hashanah, in order to participate in a special *Tashlich* service in behalf of Soviet Jewry. The congregation was asked by the Coalition to Free Soviet Jews (formerly the Greater New York Conference on Soviet Jewry) to undertake this extraordinary event.

Most of us were quite weary from the two-day *Yom Tov*, but we went nevertheless because we had a feeling that if Soviet Jewish Refusniks were here and we were there in the Soviet Union, they would have done what we did.

What did we do? We conducted a *Tashlich* service for those who couldn't say *Tashlich* themselves. We recited Psalms. We sang appropriate songs. We sounded the *shofar* and, ultimately, we gathered in circles and danced in prayer for Soviet Jews. The event was filmed live on channel 7 and a number of newspapers sent photographers.

Many in the group were crying as the service and the demonstration progressed. We all had a feeling that we were doing the right thing for our brothers and sisters behind the Iron Curtain.

May this be a year of freedom for thousands of Soviet Jews!

CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS**And Opening Dates****OCTOBER**

5	Sat	8:30 PM	Couples Club Sukkah Program
11	Fri	8:30 PM	Parshat Hashavua
12	Sat	8:00 AM	Talmud: Betzah
		10:30 AM	Beginners' Service
		3:30 PM	Afternoon Youth Groups
		5:15 PM	Talmud: Sanhedrin
13	Sun	9:15 AM	Talmud: Pesachim and Breakfast
		9:30 AM	Father and Son Minyan
14	Mon	9:10 AM	Rambam Class
		12:30 PM	Sisterhood Open Meeting
		8:00 PM	Talmud: Yevamot
15	Tue	12:00 PM	Midtown Lunch and Talmud

TUESDAY NITE AT KJ

7:45 PM	The Recent Past: A History Of The Modern Jewish Era Intermediate Hebrew: Siddur (Prayer Book) Reading Women's Shiur
8:45 PM	Workshop In Jewish Living Parshanut Par Excellence: The Biblical Exegesis of Nechama Leibowitz
16 Wed 12:00 PM	Lunch and Learn
7:45 PM	Tanya
20 Sun 7:30 PM	Meet The Author — Rabbi Haskel Lookstein <i>Were We Our Brothers' Keepers</i>
26 Sat 9:00 AM	Bikkur Cholim and Chevra Kadisha Shabbat and Lunch

**SCHEDULE FOR SHEMINI ATZERET
AND SIMCHAT TORAH****Sunday, October 6, Hoshanah Rabbah**

Morning	8:00 AM
Evening	6:30 PM
Candle Lighting	6:15 PM

Morning, October 7, Sh'mini Atzeret

Morning	9:00 AM
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Yizkor is recited as part of this service

Mincha	6:20 PM
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Ma'ariv and Hakafof will follow

Candle Lighting	after 7:00 PM
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Tuesday, October 8, Simchat Torah

Morning	9:00 AM
Evening	6:20 PM
Conclusion of Yom Tov	7:01 PM

ADVANCE NOTICE**NOVEMBER**

8-9	Fri/Sat	Scholar In Residence Shabbat And Friday Evening Dinner
17	Sun	Blood Drive and Health Fair Day Mezuzah and Tfillin Check

HOSHANAH RABBAH:

*Special Mitzvot Highlight
Interesting and Moving Service*

Sunday, October 6, at 8:00 AM

Hoshanah Rabbah services will be held Sunday, October 6, at 8:00 AM in the Main Synagogue.

Hoshanah Rabbah traditionally marks the close of the penitential season. For that occasion, the Cantor is robed in his white kittel. Many of the melodies of the High Holy Days are sung. The congregation makes seven circuits around the Bimah with *lulav* and *etrog*, and finally, of course, the *Aravot* are taken and eventually used in their customary colorful fashion.

Following the service, Benjamin Brown, President of the Congregation, will sponsor breakfast in the Sukkah for all who are in attendance. It will have the traditional fare, embellished for the *Yom Tov*.

The entire community, men, women and children are invited to join us at 8:00 AM.

**CHILDREN ARE OUR
SPECIAL GUESTS ON
SIMCHAT TORAH**

On Monday Evening, October 7, the children will be our special guests for Simchat Torah Celebration in the Main Synagogue. We ask parents to bring their children at 5:45 PM.

Upon arrival, nursery through first graders should go to the Etra Chapel in the lobby, Second through sixth graders should proceed to the Social Hall, also on the lobby level.

Led by our youth staff, all children will be escorted into the Main Synagogue with flags and Torahs, in accordance with our well established custom. The children will be able to dance during the *Hakafof*, and we hope that their joy and enthusiasm will inspire the adults to great spiritual heights.

SIMCHAT TORAH DAY**Tuesday Morning, October 8**

Be sure to remember the special role of children and adults on Simchat Torah Day. On that occasion, we conduct another full round of *Hakafof* with singing and dancing for all. Plan to arrive before 10:00 AM in order to enjoy all the festivities. Remember that the congregation will be guests at a special buffet kiddush, in honor of our *Chatanim*.

Simchat Torah, day and night are religious occasions of great joy in which every family should participate fully. Please come and celebrate with us!

HAKAFOT UNLIMITED

**Simchat Torah Eve
Monday Evening, October 7**

Following the Monday Night Simchat Torah service and Hakafof in the Main Synagogue, all who wish to continue the celebration are invited to assemble in the Kamber Auditorium for what we call **'HAKAFOT UNLIMITED'**.

During these extended *Hakafof* we will dance and sing together without a time limitation and in a more relaxed atmosphere. Men, women and children will be able to celebrate the joy of the completion of the Torah. At one point in the festivities we will serve a light, *Yom Tov* meal. This will be followed by further singing and a brief Torah discourse by Rabbi Dale Polakoff. Following this part of the evening, we will *bench* together and conclude the festivities.

We hope that the spirit of Hakafof Unlimited will help us usher in a year of joy and happiness, unlimited, with the Torah as our inspiration.

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In Memoriam

Beatrice Kolb

The congregation lost one of its finest members in the passing of Beatrice Kolb. She was involved in virtually every aspect of life here at Kehilath Jeshurun.

Long-time Treasurer of the Sisterhood, she watched over the affairs of that organization with love and precision. A leading lady in our Bikkur Cholim Society, she organized the visits at Memorial Hospital by going every Friday morning to make the necessary preparations. She was a friend and frequent visitor for so many in our congregational family who needed her attention.

In what was probably her crowning achievement, Bea organized and energized the magnificent needlepoint project of the Sisterhood which created the magnificent Torah covers that beautify the Holy Ark in our Main Sanctuary. A plaque is currently in work which will immortalize that contribution to the esthetic beauty of our synagogue.

We lament the loss of this remarkable Jewish lady. We are comforted only in the knowledge that her good works and her good name survive her.

Rose Gordon

We mourn the passing of a veteran member of the congregation, a European, aristocratic lady, Rose Gordon was a heroic personality who led her family from Poland across the Soviet Union and to the safe shores of the United States.

She was extraordinarily generous to the United Jewish Appeal, very warm in her support for the congregation and many other important causes. She enjoyed the closest of relationships with her daughter, son-in-law and grandson, who mourn her passing and feel her absence together with all of us in the congregation.

Isak Spiwak

We mourn the passing of a fine Jewish gentleman who was a member of the congregation for just a couple of years. He enjoyed his association with us. He mourned the loss of his wife who predeceased him by two years. He is survived by a daughter who lives in Israel.

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RABBI LOOKSTEIN TO DISCUSS HIS BOOK WERE WE OUR BROTHERS' KEEPERS

AT SPECIAL OPEN LECTURE SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20 AT 7:30 PM
Copies to be Autographed That Evening

We are happy to announce a Special Book Party, to which we invite the KJ/Ramaz family and the general community, in celebration of Rabbi Haskel Lookstein's book *Were We Our Brothers' Keepers: The Public Response of American Jews to the Holocaust 1938 - 1944*. The event will be held on Sunday night, October 20, at 7:30, in the Kamber Auditorium.

The book has been received magnificently in the few short weeks that it has been in print. Stores in our neighborhood are featuring copies of the book and selling them as well. Almost 1,000 books have been sold just from sales from East 85th Street.

Multiple Purchases

One leading Jewish layman in New York ordered 200 copies to send to associates who are involved in Jewish Communal life. Another is sending out 30 copies to people active in the Jewish political process, saying to the Rabbi in a letter "the reason I am sending out the copies of the book is because it is my hope that the recipients of the book who are involved in political activities may use this book to get others involved. . . Unfortunately, we have not yet learned from our experience in the Holocaust and we still have a great sense of complacency. It is this misplaced feeling we are trying to change and I believe your book should be very helpful to us in our efforts."

Rabbi Baruch Silverstein, past President of the New York Board of Rabbis commented in a letter to Rabbi Lookstein: "It occurred to me

that during those tragic years, I was a student at the Seminary and I just do not recall any student rally or classroom discussions initiated by our professors. The reaction was not even 'muted' — to use your favorite adjective.

"Your research is obvious on every page. Your confining yourself to specific events gives these occurrences clarity, intensity and immediacy. Your wrestling with the problem of reaching some definite conclusions is fully understandable. As Elie Wiesel aptly put it, it is a reflection of your intense *ahavat Yisrael*."

Charles E. Silberman, author of the current *A Certain People* wrote that "what makes the book distinctive, as well as important, is the author's rare ability to empathize with the fear and powerlessness American Jews felt at the same time that he describes and criticizes their inaction." The book provides, according to Silberman, "What may well be the definitive analysis of the public response to the Holocaust on the part of American Jews."

Rabbi Lookstein will talk about the thesis of the book itself and also some of the details which were involved in researching the work. He will, of course, also entertain questions, comments and disagreements.

Books will be available for purchase at the special prepublication price of \$14.95 plus tax. The Rabbi will be happy to autograph books that evening.

This is an occasion that comes only once in a very long while. We are sure that the community will want to participate in this celebration and analysis. We look forward to seeing you on Sunday evening, October 20, at 7:30.

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Friday Evening**

October 11.....6:04 PM
 October 18.....5:50 PM
 October 25.....5:42 PM

SABBATH SERVICES**Friday Evening**

October 11.....6:15 PM
 October 18.....6:00 PM
 October 25.....5:50 PM

Saturday Morning

Shacharit.....9:00 AM
 Beginners Service (Adults) ...10:30 AM
 Junior Congregation.....10:30 AM
 Primary (N-Gr.1).....10:30 AM
 Toddlers (1-3 years).....10:30 AM

Saturday Afternoon

October 12.....6:15 PM
 October 19.....6:00 PM
 October 26.....5:50 PM

CONCLUSION OF SABBATH**Saturday Evening**

October 12.....6:56 PM
 October 19.....6:46 PM
 October 26.....6:37 PM

Weekday Services

Morning.....7:30 AM
 Monday and Thursday.....7:15 AM
 Sunday.....8:30 AM

Evening

October 13-27.....6:00 PM
 October 27-31.....4:45 PM

SPECIAL DATES**Morning Services**

ROSH CHODESH CHESHVAN
 Tuesday, October 15.....7:15 AM
 Wednesday, October 16.....7:15 AM

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B'NAI MITZVAH**EVAN GALLAHOU**

Mazel Tov to Mr. and Mrs. Murray Gallahou on the Bar Mitzvah of their son Evan which will take place in our Main Synagogue on Saturday morning, October 12.

Evan, a student at the Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein Upper School of Ramaz, will chant the Torah and Haftarah portions.

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**FAITH FLEESLER**

Mazel Tov to Mrs. Barbara Fleesler on the Bat Mitzvah of her daughter Faith which will take place in our Main Synagogue on Sunday morning, October 13.

Faith, a student in the Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein Upper School of Ramaz, will deliver a Dvar Torah on: The Development of the Oral Tradition."

**ELENA KATZAP**

Mazel Tov to Mr. and Mrs. Chaim Katzap on the Bat Mitzvah of their daughter Elena which will take place in our Main Synagogue on Sunday morning, October 20.

Elena, a student in the Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein Upper School of Ramaz, will deliver a Dvar Torah on Parshat Noah.