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Welcome to our synagogue! ברוכים הבאים

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November 11, 2017—22 Cheshvan 5778

Bar Mitzvah of Alex Scheepens



Sharei Chesed welcomes you to
our Shabbat services today as we
celebrate the Bar Mitzvah of
Alex Scheepens

Husband of Noam Scheepens
Father of Talia Scheepens

Son of Sara and Maarten Scheepens
Son-in-law of Robin and Yefet Zadaka
Brother of Thomer Scheepens

Parashat Haye Sarah

When Abraham and Isaac returned from their trip to Mt. Moriah for the Binding of Isaac, they find out that Sarah had died at the age of 127. The beginning of this Parasha describes in detail how Abraham purchased the Cave of Machpela from Efron the Hittite to be used as the burial place for Sarah. Though Efron offered the site as a gift to Abraham, Abraham insisted and paid full value for the cave and the land around it. This was done in public and witnessed by all the elders and the people of Hebron.

Before dying, Abraham wanted to make sure that Isaac marries a woman from his birthplace and not from the women in Canaan. He assigns the task to his devoted servant Eliezer. Abraham makes him swear that he will go to Nahor in Mesopotamia and there find a girl for Isaac. Should the girl not be willing to travel to Canaan, Eliezer is released from his oath, but under no circumstances is Isaac to leave Canaan. This is the land that God promised to Abraham's descendants and, therefore, Isaac should remain in Canaan.

The Torah describes how Eliezer determines who will be qualified to be Isaac's wife. He decides that he will ask for a drink of water from one of the girls who come to the well to fetch water. The girl that will offer him water as well as be willing to fetch water for all his camels will be the one that God had destined for Isaac. Rebecca, who happens to be Isaac's cousin, is the one who comes down to the well. Not only does she offer water to Eliezer, but runs to the well and fills up the trough until all the camels had their drink.

Eliezer meets with Rebecca's family and tells them the story. They all realize that, indeed, this was an act of God and they agree to let her go. They ask her if she is willing to follow this stranger to Canaan and she agrees. The Torah states that Isaac married Rebecca and that he loved her.

This Day in Jewish History

The deportation of Budapest Jews was resumed on this date in 1944. During this time, 20,000 Budapest Jews were shot by the banks of the Danube by Hungarian forces. Another 70,000 Jews were forced on a death march to Austria, of which the majority were either shot or died of starvation and exposure. Raoul Wallenberg was involved in saving some of Hungary's Jews. Out of 750,000 Jews that lived in Hungary before the war, only 30 percent survived.



Look what is Happening at Sharei Chesed the Next few Weeks:

- Shabbat November 18th: Celebration of Dede Bolter's 80th Birthday
- Shabbat November 25th: Bar Mitzvah of Josh Ternyak

Upcoming Birthdays

Happy Birthday to:

- Myra Chazin
- Lazar Gringauz

Our Prayers and Good Wishes for Refuah Shleimah to:

אבינו אבינו מלכנו שלח רפואה שלמה רפואת הנפש רפואת הגוף לחולי עמך
אל נא רפא נא אל נא רפא נא לה שלח שלח רפואה שלמה לחולי עמך

Aveenu Aveenu Malkenu shelah refuah shleimah

Refuat Hanefesh Refuat Haguf Leholei leholei amecha

El na Refa nah—El na refah na lah

shellah shelah refuah sheleimah leholei amecha

(Our Father Our King—send complete healing to the sick of Your people

A healing of the soul and healing of the body to the sick of Your people.

Please o God Heal, Please o God Heal,)

- Judge Jerry Berkowitz
- Rachel Barrick
- Ragna Colton
- Harold (Red) & Rivia Goldberg
- Shel Libson
- Art Nettis
- Avram Peysman
- Alex Samuels
- Shayna bat Shifra
- Annick, Ali, and Aria Strauss
- Alice Truskinovsky
- Burt Weisberg

Mazal Tov

Mazal Tov to Alex Scheepens

His wife Noam and their daughter Talia

and to Alex's parents, Sara & Maarten Schepens, Brother, Thomer Scheepens

and In-Laws, Robin & Yefet Zadaka & the Zadaka Family

You are Cordially Invited:

We invite you to stay after services for a Kiddush luncheon
sponsored by the Yefet and Robin Zadaka & Family in honor of Alex's Bar Mitzvah

Join Maurice and Rabbi Etedgui as they observe the Shloshim for their sister Alice of
blessed memory 5:45 PM, Monday November 13th. Thank you.

Yahrzeit of

Remembered by

Saturday, November 11th (22 Cheshvan)

Charles Krinsky Yeshua ben Israel
Eva Gruen

Maddie Banwell
Vicky Sektor

Sunday, November 12th (23 Cheshvan)

Sarah Braufman
Moysey Fridlyand Moshe ben Shimon
Sandra Galbinsky Sandra bat Aaron
Yakov Krasnynsky Yankel ben Nachum
Polina Perelman Perl bat Yankel
David Shaich David ben Baruch
Yakov Shmunik Yakov ben Israel

Maddy Braufman
Luba Zevelev
Anatoly Galbinsky
Nechama Ustyeva
Alex Perelman

Alla Furman

Monday, November 13th (24 Cheshvan)

Gerald Fiterman Yakov ben Yehiel Mordechai
Sandra Kamph Zisil bat Shlomo
Nisel Sheckman
Roman Zaretsky Yerachmiel ben Maier

Nina Furman & Faina Shulman
Semyon Zaretsky

Tuesday, November 14th (25 Cheshvan)

Fillmore Wise Pinchas ben Yehuda Aryeh
Elimelech Soybelman

Gertrude Alch
Nesya Tsukerman

Wednesday, November 15th (26 Cheshvan)

Rebecca Hensel
Moshe Gendelew
Fradel Flauman
Lora Tzukerman Leh bat Arye v'Nesya

Shelly Zien
Raisa Gringauz
Cantor Mitch Kowitz
Nesya & Aron Tsukerman

Thursday, November 16th (27 Cheshvan)

Donald Bigelow David ben Eliezer ha Levi
Ethel Gitis Ethel bat Avraham
Tzve Miller Tzve ben Moshe

Larry Bigelow

Lewie & Morey Miller

Friday, November 17th (28 Cheshvan)

Archie Berine Avram Shmuel ben Yosef
Soulamif Bouravskaya
Lisa Gurevich Leah bat Avrom
Rosa Malamudman Razel bat Yitzchak
Freda Paper
Ida Pinsky
Sarah Richman Sarah bat Eliyahu Lev
Shalom Yakov Teyvel Shalom Yakov ben Ezriel
Faige bat Evsey Faige bat Evsey
Shaul Zhuravel Shaul ben Moshe

Jack Moskowitz
Alexander Buravsky
Alex Perelman
Alexander Malamudman
Steve & Rita Paper
Sheldon Pinsky
Berle Richman
Shmel Teyvel
Moisey Zhuravel
Moisey Zhuravel