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**Welcome to our Synagogue! ברוכים הבאים**

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Sheryl Sue Warren, Miriam Zien-Edgar and Ross Fishman -*Music*

**תזריע-מצורע - Tazria-Metzora**

**April 25, 2020 – I Iyar 5780**

**The Parshah of Tazria** continues the discussion of the laws of *tumah v'taharah*, ritual impurity and purity. A woman giving birth should undergo a process of purification, which includes immersing in a *mikvah* (a naturally gathered pool of water) and bringing offerings to the Holy Temple. All male infants are to be circumcised on the eighth day of life.

**The Parshah of Metzora** talks about certain skin disease — *Tzaraat* — (often mistranslated as “leprosy”) is a supra-natural plague, which also can afflict garments. If white or pink patches appear on a person’s skin (dark red or green in garments), a *kohen* is summoned. Judging by various signs, such as an increase in size of the afflicted area after a seven-day quarantine, the *kohen* pronounces it *tame* (impure) or *tahor* (pure). If the Kohen agrees, the process of purification commences. That process involves a sacrifice, immersion in a Mikveh and the sprinkling of special purification water. The Torah also discusses *Tzara-at* that can afflict a home—a type of mold—and how to purify that home. A person afflicted with *tzaraat* must dwell alone outside of the camp (or city) until he is healed. The afflicted area in a garment is removed; if the *tzaraat* spreads or recurs, the entire garment must be burned.



Birth & Purification,  
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## 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

- Sybille Aaron
- Arnold Burton
- Maurice Etedgui
- Rivia Goldberg
- Richy Harris
- Rosalee Hulse Larson
- Dennis Kearney
- Uri Koppel
- Elvi Mochtar
- Yuri Peskin
- Shayna bat Shifra
- Aileen and Miles Snyder
- Morrie Toretzky
- Miles Vaughn
- Semyon Zaretsky
- Sofia and Moisey Zhuravel
- Sara Batya bat Meira Valon
- Efrat bat Velvel
- Esther bat Ruth
- David Assouline
- Martha Cohen
- Jeffrey Fursetzer
- Alan Green
- Lindsey Hork
- Lana Itskovich
- Sara Koplik
- Bronya Lipnik
- Cameron & Jack Moskowitz
- Igor Sagalov
- Beverly and Burt Shacter
- Rita Spain and Meira Tikvah
- Alice Truskinovsky
- Harriet & Art Wiss
- Matthew Zuyev ben Luba
- Zohra bat Ayisha
- Chaya Chapoval bat Veruska
- Sorka bat Dvora
- Alicia Francisca bat Yosefa
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- Valda Kaye
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- Art Netti
- Alex Samuels
- Harrison Paul Shae
- Annick, Ali, and Aria Strauss
- Nesya Tsukerman
- Nechamit Yaari
- Alex Zevelev
- Yuriy ben Maya & Yefem
- Edward ben Natalie
- Martselah bat Esther

### Mazel Tov!

#### Happy Birthday!

*(No Birthdays This Week)*

#### Happy Anniversary!

**April 28:** Shura & Yefim Budilovsky



### Mi Shebeirach—Prayer of Healing

**Mi shebeirach avoteinu**  
(May God Who blessed our Patriarchs)  
**M'kor habracha l'imoteinu**  
(The Source of blessing to our Matriarchs)

**May the source of strength**  
**who blessed the ones before us,**  
**Help us find the courage to make our lives a blessing**  
**And let us say: Amen.**

**Mi shebeirach imoteinu**  
(May God Who blessed our Matriarchs)  
**M'kor habracha l'avoteinu**  
(The Source of blessing to our Patriarchs)

**Bless those in need of healing with refuah sh'leimah**  
**The renewal of body, the renewal of spirit**  
**And let us say: Amen.**

*-Lyrics by Debbie Friedman and Drorah Setel*

**Yahrzeits for week of  
April 24, 2020—May 1, 2020 / 30 Nisan, 5780 — 7 Iyar, 5780**

**Yahrzeit of**

**Remembered by**

**Friday, April 24 (30 Nisan)**

Mordechai Rishkovetsky  
Shaye Golant  
Sarah Axelrod  
Louis Phillips  
Bentzion Lipnik

Mordechai ben Myer

Yehuda Lev ben Chaim Chanuch  
Bentzion ben Israel

Boris Gerber  
Michael Golant  
Steve Zien  
Shirley Botwinick  
Tony Lipnik

**Saturday, April 25 (1 Iyar)**

No Yahrzeits

**Sunday, April 26 (2 Iyar)**

Samuel Tanzer

Debbie Cohen

**Monday, April 27 (3 Iyar)**

No Yahrzeits

**Tuesday, April 28 (4 Iyar)**

David Fisher  
Abe Smith  
Sheldon Levin  
Simeon Fridlyand

David ben Chaim Fischel v'Chaya Michla  
Avrohom ben Yitzchak  
Simcha Reuven ben Michael v'Sara Haika  
Shimon ben Moshe

Rosalee Swede  
Irving Smith, Arnold Odessky  
Carolyn Levin  
Luba Zevelev

**Wednesday, April 29 (5 Iyar)**

Robert Tenner  
Yevgenya Mendyuk  
Jeannie Block

Robert ben Reuven  
Yevgenya bat Nissel v'Frima  
Shayna bat Moishe

Sondra Tenner  
Mila Mendyuk  
Faye Krasner

**Thursday, April 30 (6 Iyar)**

Elaine Kleinbaum

Chana Gitel bat Leib v'Leah

Linda Kleinbaum

**Friday, May 1 (7 Iyar)**

Dina Melamud  
Bernard Abzug  
Eunice Schoen

Dina bat Leib  
Beryl ben Shalom

Mariya Melamud  
Paul Abzug  
Gail Brand

**MAY THEIR MEMORIES ALWAYS BE FOR A BLESSING**

**Shloshim:**

Aron Khazan

Stuart ben Mindel

Darlene Pomush Schwartz