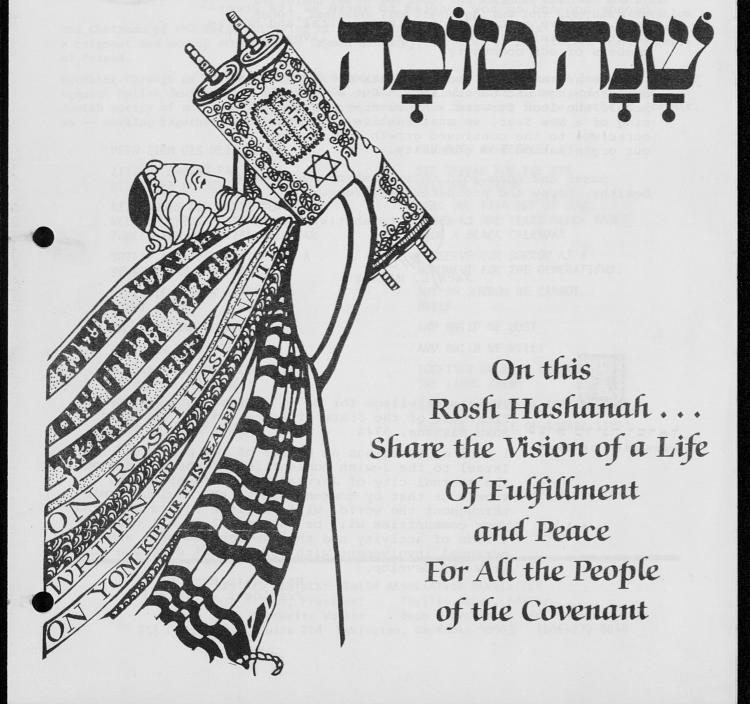
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FROM THE PRESIDENTS Shalom, I have been involved in the Central Kentucky Jewish Association since its inception less than a decade ago and am now honored to serve as its President. I have seen CKJA grow into a vital and multifaceted organization that affects the lives of all members of our community. We are a people who look back to our history, our teachings and our beliefs. But we are also a people who look forward. As we approach the beginning of a New Year, we must resolve to rededicate ourselves to the continued growth and strength of our organization and community. Susan and Adam join me in wishing everyone a healthy, happy and prosperous New Year. L'shanah tovah tikkatevu, Jack/L. Miller It is a privilege for me to address World Jewry as President of the State of Israel on the occasion of נשיא מרינת ישראל Rosh Hashana, 5744. PRESIDENT OF ISRAEL I send my greetings on behalf of the people of Israel to the Jewish communities of the world from the eternal city of Jerusalem, confident in the knowledge that by common effort, the Jewish people throughout the world, will continue to prosper, that your communities will be successful in all their fields of activity and that Jewish communal and personal involvement with Israel will continue to grow and develop. Mr. Chaim Herzog President of Israel



from Irving Berstein, Executive Vice President of UJA

### For Your Information

POLAND 1983 -

During the July Major Community Chairmen's Mission to Israel and Poland led by Bob Loup, UJA National Chairman and Ernie Michel, Executive Vice President, New York City/UJA Federation

and Chairman of the World Gathering of Jewish Holocaust Survivors in Jerusalem, we heard a poignant and moving statement by Szymon Szurmiej, Director of the Yiddish State Theatre of Poland.

Speaking through us in Yiddish to 6,000,000 American Jews, this cultural leader of the remnant Polish Jewish community of 6,000 -- survivors of a once vibrant and vigorous Jewish socity of more than four million -- reminded us that even in the depths of despair, we -- working together -- can still create life.

VEIN ZICH OIS MEIN FOLK! CRY OUT, MY PEOPLE!

ZITZ OP SHIVAH FAR ZEKS MILLIONEN KORBONES

REIS AROIS FUN HARTZ DEM TSAAR VEE MAN REIST AROIS SHWARTZE TOWLEN FUM SHWARTZEN KALENDAR

SHTELT AVEK DEM TROIER VEE A DENKMOL FAR DEE DOIRES.

VEIL OIF TROIER KENEN MIR NISHT BOIEN

UN BOIEN DARFEN MIR

UN BOIEN VELN MIR!

TZUZAMEN MAN DARF DOS LICHT ONTSINDEN OIF'S NEI!

VEIL AM YISROEL CHAI!

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SIT SHIVAH FOR THE SIX MILLION VICTIMS

TEAR THE PAIN OUT OF YOUR HEART AS ONE TEARS BLACK PAGES FROM A BLACK CALENDAR

PRESERVE OUR SORROW AS A MONUMENT FOR THE GENERATIONS.

BUT ON SORROW WE CANNOT BUILD

AND BUILD WE MUST

AND BUILD WE WILL!

TOGETHER WE MUST KINDLE THE LIGHT ANEW!

FOR THE PEOPLE OF ISRAEL LIVE!

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introducing....

## INTERACT

For the first time in "official" Central Kentucky Jewish history, there is a program which provides for the growth and development of young adults involved within our community. The program has been coined "Interact" by its co-chairpeople, Joe and Ricki Rosenberg and Sheila DeKosky, to symbolize the interaction and dialogue that are its main goals.

The group, consisting of about thirty people, has met three times and plans to continue with at least six sessions during the coming year. The topics of the sessions cover a wide range of Jewish interests, but will focus strongly on the modern family and being Jewish in a Christian world.

There has been so much interest expressed in Interact that there will be another cycle of sessions beginning as soon as possible. If you and/or your spouse are interested in this type of program, and either of you fall in the general age group of "under 40", give your name to the CKJA office.

### from the co-chair...

Our thanks go out to two people from our own community who provided us with a wonderful beginning in Interact....

Aleksandr Usvitsky and his wife, Assya, shared their experiences from the USSR with us at our first session. It helped us better focus our attention on our own religion and heritage which we often take for granted in America.

The second and third sessions were dynamic due to our fantastic Marilyn Moosnick. She skillfully led us through dialogue and interaction about our Jewish values, and we all know a great deal more about ourselves and each other.

We are so fortunate to have these "human resources" within our own CKJA, and we want Aleksandr and Marilyn to know we truly appreciate them.

Sheila DeKosky Co-chair, Interact

P.S. Interact people ... please disregard previous dates I've asked you to hold open. Calendar conflicts force us to choose other times.



### CKJA FORUM SERIES 1983-84

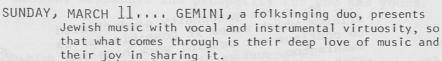
The Jewish Cultural and Entertainment Series, coordinated by the CKJA Forum Committee, is a unique cultural program, combining both Jewish educational and entertainment components. Season tickets are an excellent buy! Please show your support for this series, designed to enhance the quality of our Jewish community life, by purchasing a \$20 Patron Ticket -- a real bargain for this year's four events! In keeping with the concept that this should be an affordable series for everyone, a \$10 season ticket is also available. As always, children of season ticket holders will be admitted free, and full-time college students are charged \$1 per program.

Presenting the 1983-1984 Series (all are evening programs)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25 ....RABBI JACOB MARCUS, eminent scholar and historian, will speak on "Jews in America/Jews in Kentucky: An Historical Perspective".

> THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3 .... THE ISRAELI CHASSIDIC FESTIVAL is a troupe of 13 that puts on a lively show of the best of Israel's new songs and dances...some oldies, too!

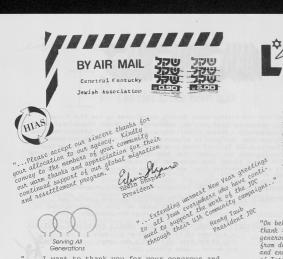
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19 .... ARNOLD FINE is the editor of New York City's "The Jewish Press" and writes two of its columns, "I Remember When" and "A Bi Gezunt". A humoristlecturer, he will talk about yesterday's world and the humor that was and still is part of our heritage.



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To order tickets, send this coupon, your check and a stamped, self-addressed envelope to: CKJA, 258 Plaza Drive, Suite 208, Lexington, KY 40503.



"... I want to thank you for your generous and continuing support of our work. As you probably are aware the research work in Jerusalem is supported almost entirely by voluntary donations. Your help is valued all the more at this time of rising costs and demands for the services of Jerusalem Mental Health Center."

Serving All Generations

"... It is the generosity of dedicated friends which makes it possible for us to continue our crucial work here in Washington, and we are grateful for your support."

Mort Silberman Mort Silberman President A.I.P.A.C.

".... As you know, we depend on the generosity of individuals and groups like yours to help us maintain our camp and in doing so, provide our children with stimulating and motivating creative Judaic education experiences. I certainly appreciate your help and hope that you will pass my thanks on to all the members of your association.

THE MYRON S. GOLDMAN UNION CAMP INSTITUTE

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"...Would you please extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to the officers and members of the Central Kentucky Jewish Association Inc. We value your interest in and support of this young and pioneering University, dedicated to the greening of Israel's Negev desert and to the social, economic and cultural betterment of the region's diverse populations."

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#### בית המדרש לתורה

### THE HEBREW THEOLOGICAL COLLEGE

"On behalf of the Hebrew Theological College I wish to thank the Central Kenkucky Jewish Association for their generous contribution. The support which comes to us from dedicated Jewish federations provides inspiration and encouragement to us as we work to achieve our goals of Torah education.

We wish you success in your important efforts."

KIBBUTZ KETURA

"Thank you so much for the generous grant you sent on behalf of your organization. Your members should feel as though they are helping in the building of a small but important part of the Jewish homeland..."

Sincerely,
Richie Golderdin
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General Secretary

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"...we are indeed grateful to you and your members.
Our organization does not receive public funds, so your
gift has considerable impact in helping us continue to
provide services for the terminally ill."

Community Hospice of Lexington

\*At this special time of Rosh Hashanah, I want to extend my personal, best wishes to each of you. As you observe the new year, may the future hold every health, happiness and prosperity for you and yours.

Shalom!

Marcha Layne Collins

Sincerely,



"...we extend our heartfelt gratitude to you for your support...ss we reach out to hundreds of people to educate them about the prevention of Tay-Sachs Disease. It is because of the understanding and concern of group like your federation that National Tay-Sachs and Allied Diseases Association can continue to provide our very special service.

"...The tremendous support which the Central Kentucky Jewish Association has given us over the past several years has enabled us to constantly improve, and add to our camp program in many areas. We continue to strive to offer the finest Jewish camping experience available to youngsters in the Midwest area...We appreciate all that you have done to help us reach our 13th summer - our Bar Mitzvah Year at CVJ."

Sincerely yours.

Bini W. Silver Bini W. Silver Camp Director

### Project Renewal

ON THE HOMEFRONT ...

The results are in and after receiving a few recent gifts, the communities of Louisville and Lexington have reached the halfway mark of their \$1,500,000 overall goal. Approximately \$735,000 has been pledged to the neighborhood of Netanya-Selah, our Project Renewal "twinned" city. Of this amount, Lexington's gifts total \$105,000.

AND ....

At the Annual Assembly of the Jewish Agency for Israel, twenty-two "Neighborhoods" from cities in all Israel participated in an evening happening. "Gaily decorated booths displaying neighborhood handicrafts, future development plans, ethnic foods, ongoing programs and neighborhood accomplishments complemented an exciting continuous program. Climaxing the evening was an exciting stage show, featuring orchestral music, jazz, Hassidic dancing, folkdancing and pop music.

480 NEIGHBORHOOD RESIDENTS FROM 45 NEIGHBORHOODS TAKE UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS ....
"The school year has ended for participants in Project Renewal's Academic Leadership Course. Six hundred eight students at eight colleges, most 25-40 years of age and a large portion unskilled and minimally educated, had registered and attended classes. Of these, 480 took their first university examination this year. One student, Shaul Mordechai from the Acco Mizrach Neighborhood (Texas Cluster and Oklahoma City), told his story recently: 'I have worked since I was 16 years old - the 1950s were difficult years and I had to help out at home. Since my compulsory army service, I have worked at the same company and have been promoted regularly but I have always wanted to study. When this course was offered, I consulted with my wife and five children and they were all very encouraging. Now, it is very important to my children that I succeed. I will certainly continue with the course though I am not especially concerned with whether I get a degree or not. The learning is the important thing.'



בית ספר העל־יסודי השש־שנתי פנת אנה פרנק

קבוץ סאסא, ויאר נע מרום הגליל מיקיד 3970: ... טל 3970

Dear Friends,

We at the Anne Frank Haven, with the cooperation of Kibbutz Sasa, continue to develop the school by improving the study facilities and living conditions of the children....

...."Golan", the group that was absorbed this year, is busy in preparation for their Bar Mitzwa celebrations, which will take place at the beginning of June. Among the traditional 13 projects that they completed through the course of the year, was a very unique one. For the first time, our children were able to establish neighbourly relations with the children of Lebanese villages, so close across the border....

....All this is done with your ritual help, for which we are always grateful. Hoping to hear from you soon, in the name of the staff and the children, we sent you our best wishes and regards.

Sincerely, Shlomi NADIR

# September 10, 10 pm, channel 18

Mark this date on your calendar! At this time, the taped interviews with 6 Holocaust Survivors now living in Central Kentucky will be aired. These brave people have courageously explored the blackest of memories and have eloquently and emotionally shared their experiences in front of a camera and on film.

As we all view this tape, hopefully as a Central Kentucky extended family, let us assure these heroic survivors: We Shall Never Forget.



## Dear Shalom Campers,

First, I hope your summer vacation has been lots of fun, but please don't forget to water your trees and treat your families to your tasty radishes. Campers, please share with your family some of the things you learned at camp which is so much a part of your history as in: kibbutz living, famous Jewish people, pantomime, special holidays and the blessings.

Camp Shalom will have a new theme for next year and is looking forward to sharing it with all of you, so 'till then, love and share with your family and have a good year.

Your Camp Shalom Staff and Director, Becky Kuc



### OPERATION SAFETY PRINT



The Sisterhood of Temple Adath Israel will be holding a series of workshops for all those interested in learning how to fingerprint. The dates of the workshops are:

Thursday, September 1, 7:30 p.m. Temple Adath Israel Tuesday, September 13, 7:30 p.m. Temple Adath Israel Wednesday, September 28, 7:30 p.m. Temple Library Monday, October 10, 7:30 p.m. Ohavay Zion Synagogue

To make reservations to attend please call Ruth Baker at 278-4038 or Lynn McCreary at 266-6111.

Operation Safety Print is affiliated with P.A.C.E., Parents Against Child Exploitation.

### BIBLICAL PAINTING EXHIBIT

The University of Kentucky Art Museum at the Center for the Arts at Rose and Euclid presents: J. James Tissot

Biblical Paintings 23 August - 20 October 1983

This exhibition is 160 gouache paintings illustrating scenes from the Old Testament.

Between 1885 and 1896 Tissot travelled extensively in the Near East scrupulously researching the historical background and geographical settings of Biblical events. The intensely colored and finely detailed paintings which the artist produced during and after these trips present the Biblical narrative from Creation and the era of the Patriarchs, through Egypt and the Promised Land, to the time of the Prophets.

All of the works in the exhibition have been lent from the collection of the Jewish Museum in New York City and are being shown as a group for the first time since 1909.

FILM Sunday - 25 September - 2:00 p.m., Old Student Center Theatre The Ten Commandments, 1956 (219 minutes) Directed by Cecil B. DeMille (Tissot's paintings have been an important source for a number of film makers. None drew on his images more heavily, however, than Cecil B. DeMille. Compositions and details from works in the exhibition appear throughout The Ten Commandments.)

GALLERY TALKS Each Sunday afternoon at 2:00 during the run of the exhibition specially trained Museum Docents will offer public tours of the exhibition.

SYMPOSIUM Sunday - 2 October - 2:00 p.m., Museum Galleries Illustrating The Bible: Archaeology vs. Invention Participants: Dr. Iris Cully, Professor of Religious Education, Lexington Theological Seminary; Rabbi William Leffler, Temple Adath Israel; Reverend Larry Hehman, Lexington Newman Center; Dr. James S. Pierce, Professor of Art, University of Kentucky; and Moderator, William J. Hennessey, Director, University of Kentucky Art Museum.

Whenever an artist seeks to give concrete visual forms to verbally described scenes and events, a certain amount of interpretation inevitably occurs. Tissot's Biblical paintings will be used as a medium through which to explore the philosophical, artistic, and theological implications of illustrating sacred texts.

### High Holyday Services - 1983 (5743-5744)

Rosh Hashanah - Wednesday, September 7, Ohavay Zion Synagogue - 7 pm

Temple Adath Israel - 7 pm, 9 pm

Thursday, September 8, Ohavay Zion Synagogue - 9 am, 11 am, 7 pm

Temple Adath Israel - 10 am, 1:30 pm Friday, September 9, Ohavay Zion Synagogue - 9 am, 7 pm

Yom Kippur - Friday, September 16, Ohavay Zion Synagogue - 6:30 pm

Temple Adath Israel - 7 pm, 9 pm Saturday, September 17, Ohavay Zion Synagogue - 10 am, 1 pm, 5 pm, 8 pm

Temple Adath Israel - 10 am, 12 pm, 1:30, 2:30, 4:30
Succot - Wednesday, September 21, Ohavay Zion Synagogue - 6:30 pm
Thursday, September 22, Ohavay Zion Synagogue - 10 am
Friday, September 23, Ohavay Zion Synagogue - 10 am

Shmini Atzeret - Wednesday, September 28, Ohavay Zion Synagogue - 6:30 pm Thursday, September 29, Ohavay Zion Synagogue - 10 am Simchat Torah - Thursday, September 29, Ohavay Zion Synagogue - 7 pm Friday, September 30, Ohavay Zion Synagogue - 10 am

editor's note .....

We, the Newsletter team, are pleased to present New Years Greetings and bring you up to date on what has happened this summer and what CKJA has in store for the fall. To add my own message of good wishes, I went right to the source of nourishment and blended it with tradition from times past .... I came up with a special recipe most appropriate for welcoming the New Year - I present for your Yuntiff table Ada Gail's recipe for Honey Cake.

Two Bulletins ago, you met my woman for all seasons - Ada Gail - in the role of literary critic. Her fine perceptive review of Little Drummer Girl has been received with raves and praise. Next month she puts down the pen and picks up the palette to critique the Tissot Art Exhibit. This month she dons a chef's cap and sweetens our holiday season with Honey Cake-a-la-Ada Gail. I am most pleased to share this extraordinary women's wit and wisdom through the newsletter.

### Lekach Ada Gail Variation

6 eggs (large)

1 tsp baking soda

1 cup sugar

1 cup honey

3 TBSP oil

3 $\frac{1}{2}$  cups flour

1 $\frac{1}{2}$  tsp baking powder

1 tsp baking soda

1/4 tsp ground cloves

1/2 tsp each: allspice & cinnamon

3/4 cup white raisins

3/4 cup chopped nuts

1/4 cup shredded canned pineapple

2 TBSP Brandy

Beat eggs; add sugar gradually - heat until light and creamy. Stir in honey & oil. Sift dry ingredients and add nuts & raisins & pineapple before combining with first mixture. Add brandy last. Turn into greased and wax paper-lined rectangular pan. Bake for one hour at 310 degrees. Test for doneness with toothpick. Invert and allow to cool before removing. Cut into slices 1½ inches wide, then diagonally to make diamond shapes.

(Secret: toast nuts before chopping)

### World Jewish Population Dropping

New York (JTA) - The world Jewish population is dropping below the point of Zero Population Growth and is beginning a numerical decline that will accelerate in years to come, according to a recent study by the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee/Brookdale Institute of Gerontology and the Hebrew University Institute of Contemporary Jewry.

The study notes that despite the decrease in total Jewish population there will be an increase in number of Jewish elderly, particularly among the "old-old," people over age 75, and particularly in Israel, where the number in this category is expected to jump 150 percent in the quarter century between 1975 and the year 2000.

While the study, "Elderly Jews in the World," which was written by Professor U.O. Schmelz, predicts a drop in the number of Jews in the diaspora from 9.6 million

to 8 million in less than 20 years - the study also predicts a sharp rise in the number of elderly, particularly among the "old-old" whose numbers will reach an estimated 910,000 by the year 2000. Nearly 190,000 of these are expected to be living in Israel.

One consequence of the shifting demographics noted in the study is the fact that by the end of the century one out of every five elderly will live in Israel, as compared with one out of eight today.

Harriet and Michael Ades cordially invite you to worship with them at
Ohavay Zion Synagogue
on the occasion of the Bar Mitzvah of their son
David Nathan

who will conduct the service Friday, September 2, at 8:00 p.m. and will be called to the Torah Saturday, September 3, at 10:00 a.m. Please join us for the Oneg Shabbat Friday evening and for the Kiddush luncheon following the Saturday service, and for an open house in David's honor in our home 1814 Lakehill Circle at 9:00 p.m.



Mr. Bernard Rosenthal and Mrs. Roni Rosenthal cordially invite you to worship with them at
Ohavay Zion Synagogue
on the occasion of the Bar Mitzvah of their son
Jonathon

who will conduct the service Friday, September 30, at 8:00 p.m. and will be called to the Torah Saturday, October 1, at 10:00 a.m.

Please join us for the Oneg Shabbat Friday evening and for the Kiddush Luncheon following the Saturday service.



Karen and Louis Diamond cordially invite you
to worship with them at
Ohavay Zion Synagogue
on the occasion of the Bar Mitzvah of their son
Andrew

Saturday, October 8 at 10:00 a.m. Please join us for a Kiddush luncheon following the services.

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## SingleScene

Approximately 15 Singles got together for a good, old backyard cookout in July. Joined by a couple singles from Louisville, everyone enjoyed good food and good fun.

Look for an interesting line-up of activities for the coming year after we put our heads together for a planning meeting August 23. If you're not receiving the "SingleScene" call the CKJA office to get on the mailing list - 277-8048.

### \*\* SPECIAL NOTE \*\*

Please call the CKJA office with addresses of college students (in and out of town) who would like to receive the Newsletter regularly throughout the coming school year.

For information regarding High Holyday Services times and places, please call:

Temple Adath Israel (606)266-3251 Ohavay Zion Synagogue (606)252-3103 Lexington Havurah (606)269-1116