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Yizkor Memorial Booklet

Yom Kippur 2022/5783



In honor of loved family and friends who died within the past year

In Memory of . . .

Shirlee C. Bloom

September 16, 2021

My beautiful and intelligent grandmother, my best girlfriend and cheerleader. She had a great attitude about my disability, and encouraged my writing hobby. We loved cultural activities, games, and foreign languages. She spoke "perfect infinitive French". She was so caring toward many others. The world was blessed with her presence for 97 years.

Beryl Neurman

Ed Cohen, Avram Meir Ben Yisachar Dov v Rachel Leah April 23, 2022

Dad, Zayde, Uncle Eddie lived a full, joyous life despite hardships, including the loss of his brother in the Shoah and the death of his widowed sister, after which he and mom took in my cousins. He loved family, jokes, travel, music, davenning, market research, ideas, dialogue, driving, poker, making cucumber salad, and finding his next thing.

Alys Cohen

Ivan Deutsch May 6, 2022

My father was born in 1921, in Budapest Hungary. A Holocaust survivor, he came to the U.S. in 1953 eventually moving to New York City. He spoke five languages, including Swedish which he spoke to a visiting nurse in his last days of life. He was inseparable from my mother, his true love of 75 years. We will miss his loving and vibrant presence.

Anne-Marie Deutsch

In Memory of . . .

Brian Thale

September 16, 2021

My younger brother Brian died almost exactly a year ago of lung cancer, after years of disabling multiple sclerosis. He was a private man, pursuing his own scholarly interests. He had a sharp wit, was a kind, loving uncle to our children and all his nephews and nieces as well as a support for many years to our mother as she aged. We miss him.

Geoff Thale and Judy Galat

Jamie Veron

June 25, 2022

Jamie was my first cousin (mother's sister's daughter) and the eldest of our generation of the family. In addition to being a loving wife, mother and grandmother, she was a Greek major, Latin tutor, librarian, tax preparer, local LWV leader, and primary host for family gatherings at the Jersey Shore.

Rick LaRue

Joan Weintraub

July 1, 2021

I knew Joan for a long time, since our children were young-at this point our kids are very adult, late 50's and 60's. She has always been an inspiration to me as she was one of the first women I knew who was in business, married, a mother and a motorcycle rider in her younger days. I've been missing her!

Carol Simon

Rhonda Joy Weiss

October 19, 2021

My wife Rhonda was a unique and beautiful soul. Born blind but with a keen mind and tenacious courage she achieved two ivy league degrees. She spent 41 years as an attorney in the Department of Education. She raised two beautiful children and contributed greatly to Fabrangen, always singing. Her amazing memory allowed her to touch many lives by regular contact.

Allen Hirsh

In Memory of . . .

Baruh Rodriguez Salinas

May 13, 2022

(1923-2022) My tio Baruh was a gentle, expressive and emotional man who loved music, family, and who adored my parents. Much of what I know about my Jewish heritage comes from his research.

Elena Rodriguez

Louise Edelman Sagalyn

August 13, 2022

Louise Edelman Sagalyn was my aunt and the last her of generation to leave us. She was a loving mother of four daughters and a grandmother of three. She spent her 95 years well as a lawyer, children's advocate, and entrepreneur.

David Edelman

Rachel Sieradzki

September 11, 2022

We are heartbroken by our daughter Rachel's death at age 27. She was creative and funny; an engaging speaker; and a passionate advocate for police-free schools and confronting racism. Despite struggles with physical and mental health challenges, she was a caring, supportive friend and a loving sister and daughter.

David Sieradzki

Nancy Kupchan Sonis

July 30, 2022

Psychiatric social worker for children's causes. Devoted to husband, S. Morris Kupchan, chemistry professor, and sons Clifford and Charles. Widely traveled, passionate about art collecting, her extensive Barbadian collection was donated to establish a Barbados national art gallery. Widowed, remarried to H. Richard Sonis. Gracious, elegant, doted on four grandchildren.

Kay Flick Elfant

In Memory of . . .

Ina Scherzer Faye

March 27, 2022

A soft-spoken, gentle woman, Ina married my cousin, Barry Faye. He was a college professor, she a well-regarded medical social worker. My strongest memory is how adoringly they looked at each other throughout their wedding ceremony. A 57-year love story. Buried in the Springfield, IL cemetery where Abe Lincoln rests.

Kay Flick Elfant

Garrick Feldman

December 5, 2021

My brother loved newspapers and became a journalist while still in his teens. He moved to Arkansas in the 1970s and founded a small chain of local papers that have won many statewide journalism awards. He also loved blues and jazz and greatly admired the people who could produce such beautiful music. His wide interests opened the world to me.

Steven Feldman

Jim Gollin

December 13, 2021, 9th of Tevet

Jim was beloved by his friends and communities, a modest and witty soul with a deep love of Judaism.

Rachel Braun

Well loved Fabrangener and many other minyanim and shuls. kindness, humor, endless walking, mathematician, languages, writer, trivia, purim torah, leyner, baseball, family, yosher etc. y'hei zichro baruch may his memory be blessed

Norman Shore

In Memory of . . .

Barry Krasner

July 4, 2022

Barry was a masterful Jewish educator and beloved leader of Neilah services at Fabrangen along with his wife, Eleanor.

Rachel Braun

Dr. Irving Moch, Jr.

September 16, 2022

My great-uncle, 95 1/2 years old. Passionate fan of the Phillies (after his beloved Giants left New York City); longtime chemical engineer with Dupont and desalination expert, son and father of medical doctors, with a laugh to light up a room and a mind that never lost its brilliance.

Alex Remington

Jack Paradise

December 20, 2021

My father, Jack Paradise, died on December 20, 2021, at 96. Dad played Tickling Machine with us, read us poetry, and taught us how to write. A beloved pediatrician, mentor, and researcher. Fought poverty, oppression, hatred, war. The same things made us laugh and cry. I miss him all the time.

Julia Paradise

In Memory of . . .

Peter Polirer

May 1, 2022

At his funeral in upstate New York in May, many mourners spoke of how important family was to Peter. One proof of this is the effort he made to stay in touch, despite the challenges of time and distance.

He was a devoted husband, a loving father, a good son, and a nephew among many nieces. I called him cousin for not quite enough time.

Gwen Rubinstein

Werner Reich

July 8, 2022

Auschwitz survivor and magician of YouTube fame, my cousinuncle Werner Reich spent his entire retirement (30 years) teaching others about the importance of democracy, intergroup tolerance and kindness. May his name and his teaching remain a blessing to others for generations to come.

Lucy Steinitz

Marcia Goldstein Ribon

August 4, 2022

Beloved cousin Marcia, married to Arie Ribon, was a close cousin from the age of about 3 as we virtually grew up together, with her older sister Barbara, and always kept in contact and regularly met until Arie passed away. Marcia, although not a lawyer, handled contracts for a NYC talent agency until she retired. A wonderful talented person.

Jacob Frank