





Annwal Melaveh Malkah

February 14, 2015 אור לכ"ו שבט תשע"ה





Honoring Rabbi & Mrs. Hri



Maldman





On the cover: Thanks to our honoree, Ari Waldman, our shul now has a beautiful new entrance doorway. For the cover, we recreated this look and feel, and then duplicated it on each page of the journal.

Speaking of doors...

The "door prizes" on the women's side were donated by a donor from the USA that insists on remaining anonymous—even though this is the third year that this donor has donated the "door prizes" for the women. *Thank you very much*.

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A special *Thank You* to **Leah Seltzer** for allowing her husband to spend dozens of hours producing this journal!

Welcome to the Ahavas Shalom Annual Melaveh Malkah for 5775

This year, we have decided to honor **Rabbi Ari Waldman**, a man who has played an important role in Ahavas Shalom since his arrival 14 years ago. Whether he was tutoring in the Bet Zvi kollel, leading the davening, or building a new structure, Reb Ari was always around—and *always with a smile on his face*. This year we can finally give him an official "Thank you" for all he has done to help build our kehilla.



Bet Zvi in January 2001. Reb Ari is standing on the right. Who else can you recognize?



Avos uBanim (2002) with Naftali & Tzviki



Noson Slifkin speaks to Bet Zvi about animals (2002) while Reb Ari cleans his glasses

Message from the Vaad

Shavua Tov and Welcome to our Annual Melaveh Malkah!

Our Kehilla continues to grow and expand with new programs and activities for everyone.

- Rabbi Teichtal started a new Amud Yomi in Hebrew—perhaps the only Hebrew Amud Yomi shiur in all of RBS-A. The shiur takes place every evening from 18:15 to 19:00.
- Our online audio library continues to grow. We now have almost 30 weeks of the Rav's Shemita shiur online. The Rav's new "Mishmeres Chaim" shiur is also online. This shiur starts with an interesting question and then the participants with the Rav's guidance—try to solve the question (for example, why does an Onen not say morning brochos when he comes back at 3:30pm from a burial of a close relative, but a teenager that wakes Top Row: Aryeh Beer (Treasurer), Micha Kushner (Secretary), Lev up at 3:30pm does say morning Seltzer (Chairman) brochos?)
- The Rav hosted several very successful Seuda Shelishis meals for bar-mitzvah-aged boys. We also had a very well attended 3rd meal as part of "The Shabbos Project" with over 80 men in



Middle Row: Ari Waldman, Alan Rubenstein

Bottom Row: Shalom Woodrow, Yonah Kaufman, Avi Rosenberg

Rabbi Twersky of Beitar Ilit began a new chabura "Chassidus and Chizuk." The chabura goes through Divrei Torah from the classical Chassidic works (Meor Einayim, Noam Elimelech, Maor VeShemesh, etc.) with a goal of improving our Avodas Hashem. Each chabura is spiced with Chassidic stories.

These new activities were in addition to the many ongoing activities the Vaad is responsible

- Ensuring that Davening and Shiurim run smoothly
- Managing Shul finances, including organizing fundraisers such as the annual raffle and the Melaveh Malkah.
- Caring for and maintaining the building
- Planning Shiurim and activities for men, women, and children (Avos u'Banim)
- Managing the Amuta and legal aspects (financial reports, Rasham Amutot)

We thank you for participating in this year's Melaveh Malkah in which we honor Rabbi and Mrs. Ari Waldman, and look forward to another year of growth at Beis Medrash Ahavas Shalom.

Honoree: Rabbi and Mrs. Ari Waldman

Ari Waldman was born in Brooklyn, New York. He learned in Yeshiva Toras Emes, Mesivta of Long Beach, Toras Chaim of Denver, Colorado, and in the Lakewood East Yeshiva and Kollel in Jerusalem. Rochel was born in Chicago and made aliyah with her parents in 1980, moving to the Kehilla of Harav Nachman Bulman zt"l in Migdal Haemek in 1981. She learned in Arie Crown Day School, the Beis Yaakov of Haifa, and then the Seminary Maalot in Jerusalem.



Rabbi Ari Waldman

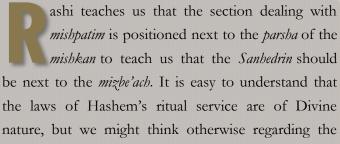
Ari and Rochel met via Rochel's principal Rav Nosson Geisler. Ari and Rochel made Aliyah in 1986, when they were married and moved to Neve Yaakov. There they raised their children: Shoshanna (27), Naftali (26), Tzviki (25), Gili (23), and Yehudah Simcha (22). In Chodesh Av, 5761 (2001), they moved to RBS and joined Ahavas Shalom.

Ari worked for many years as a Melamed, teaching in TT Knesses Yehuda, TT Hamesorah, TT Boston Har Nof, TT Chochmas Shlomo RBS, and finally Toras Eliyahu in RBS. Ari has been studying modern construction architecture and green (i.e. environmentally friendly) building. He is an active member of the *Hallelu* Choir.

"Joining The Ahavas Shalom family was a big bracha for me and my family. Being close with Moreinu Harav Zachariash was and continues to be a great driving force in our personal growth. My fellow Vaad members always inspire me with their dedication and creativity in constantly trying to improve the Shul and our davening experience!! " says Ari.

Ari is very active in the Shul as the Gabbai of the 6:20 Shacharis minyon, part of Bet Zvi mentors program, and has been on the Vaad for the past five years.

Doing The Will of Hashem



Rav Avraham Baruch Zachariash

laws governing interpersonal relationships; perhaps Hakadosh Baruch Hu demands law and order, but the details were left to *Chazal* to decide. Therefore, the Torah stresses that not only is the general obligation of *bein adam le-chaveiro* Divine; so, too, is each and every halacha in the *Shulchan Aruch*.

The mefarshim demonstrate this with the following example: According to halacha, one is forbidden to return a lost item to a non-Jew (see Choshen Mishpat for details). The Gemora (Sanhedrin 76) adds that Hashem forgive one who returns the article of a non-lew (29:19 לֹא יֹאבֵה הי סָלֹחַ לוֹ – דברים). What is so terrible and unforgivable about returning a lost object to a non-Jew? The answer is that we return lost items not to be "good citizens" but to fulfill the will of G-d. This means that when we return a lost object to a fellow Jew, we have performed a service to Hashem. Someone who returns lost items indiscriminately—regardless of whether the recipient is a Jew or a Gentile—is saying in a back-handed way that being a "good citizen" is a loftier goal than being a G-d-fearing Jew. The Rambam (Hilchos Melachim 8:11) stresses this point by stating that even if a non-Jew does all that he is supposed to do according to the Torah, but does so because he "understands" that it is the right thing to do and not because Hashem commanded him, he is not מַחַסִידֵי אָמוֹת הַעוֹלָם וָלֹא מֶחַכְמֵיהֶם (not one of the righteous or wise people of the world). Here, too, we see that we must do what Hashem commands because Hashem commands it.

We readily understand that a person who learns *Choshen Mishpat* (the laws pertaining to interpersonal financial matters) is performing the mitzvah

of *limud ha-Torah*. And when people in the *beis medrash* argue about whether or not one is obligated to pay compensation for having damaged someone else's goods, this is not a civic exercise, but rather an argument in the holy Torah. We know this idea full well, and yet sometimes we have to reinforce in our minds that if the law itself is Divine, the execution is also G-dly. If we learn when one may interrupt the *Amida* to answer *Kaddish* or *Kedusha*, we are learning the will of *Hashem*, and when we subsequently do it properly, we are *doing* the will of *Hashem*. When we pay for professional services as the *Shulchan Aruch* dictates, we are fulfilling what Hashem wants to the exact same degree.

We can now understand *Chazal*'s comment regarding the Sanhedrin being next to the *mizbe'ach*: both are settings for *avodas Hashem*.

Tonight, as we celebrate our connection to Hashem, three different aspects are coming together:

- 1. We are performing the mitzvah of seudas melaveh malkah (bein adam la-Makom).
- 2. We are enjoying each other's company, thereby reinforcing our dedication to *bein* adam le-chaveiro.
- 3. We are strengthening our shul—our *mishkan* me'at.

As we pull these important things together, on motza'ei Shabbos Shekalim, we hope all these factors will be united to build the ultimate *mishkan*.



At Pidyon Haben for Dovid Yaakov Zachariash's son



Checking Hadasim before Sukkos 5775



Checking Esrogim before Sukkos 5775



Hadran at the "Daylight Saving" Siyum



Tisha B'Av



Rabbi Akiva Teichtal

Je Suis Bet Zvi!

A lot has been said and written about our beloved & veteran study program, Bet Zvi. Bet Zvi pairs up professional Gemara tutors with interested *baaley batim*.

This year we bring you a perspective of our program from our French students. *Magnifique!*

French Jewry has been high in the news for the past few weeks, unfortunately not for good reasons. Recent terror attacks that struck Europe's largest Jewish community made headlines worldwide.

The million Euros question is: Will these events bring upon mass Aliyah from the City of Lights to the Land of our Forefathers?

"The existing francophone community here is already on the increase, and more people will be coming IY"H", says French born Bet Zvi member R' Claude (Naphtali) Lubetzky. "These events also make those left in France feel much more Jewish, more connected" he adds.

One thing is for sure- if they do make the move to our neighborhood, with Hashem's help, they will feel very comfortable in Bet Zvi.

A graduate of France's most important Torah Center, the Yeshiva of Aix les Bains, as well as other French *batey midrash*, R' Claude is a very knowledgeable person, always happy to share his knowledge of Torah with others. Arriving in Israel seven years ago after being an active member of the communities of Paris and Strasbourg, R' Claude made RBS his home and Bet Zvi his spiritual home soon after.

R' Claude teaches a small yet slowly increasing group of fresh French

beginners, who all gain tremendously from his vast knowledge as well as from his patience.

Like all of Bet Zvi's chavrusas and learning groups, *les Français* meet every morning (except for weekends). They manage to cram two subjects into their Seder- guided reading and translating of the **Chumash** (*Houmach*, if you ask them) with additions from the Shaarey Aharon anthology, followed by a careful examination of Rav Moshe Shohatowitz's (Hebrew) sefer **Binyan haBayis**, which deals with the finer aspects of shalom bayis.

With a mixture of my broken French and R' Claude's free translation services, I manage to interview some of our French kollel members.

Yaakov Elbaz came here nine years ago from Paris's elegant 17th Quarter. Like some other Bet Zvi students, he says that the morning Seder to his soul is like gasoline to a car, energizing it for the entire day.

"I started from zero, and Claude brought me to an entirely new level," smiles **Albert Ouzane**, originally from Nice.

Francis Arroues of Lyon attends the group on Sundays only (for technical reasons) yet clearly states that the limud with R' Claude has a strong impact on the rest of his learning. Out of all interviewees, he is the one who predicts most strongly that "all French Jews will come here soon"

They surely are all welcome in Bet Zvi-Bienvenue!



R' Claude (Naphtali) Lubetzky stresses a point



Albert Ouzane looks on as R' Claude leads the learning session



Albert Ouzane (I) and R' Claude



Hayim Knopfer (r) has a *chidush* in the gemora which Yaakov Elbaz (l) appreciates



Bet Zvi At Work

Bet Zvi At Work: Chavrusas and Shiurim



Tzvi Broker & Akiva Teichtal



David Sommer & Yehuda Meril



Rabbi Sher & Dr. Garelnik



Rabbi Cohen with some members of his chabura



Ilya Budik & Aviel Chen



Rabbi Wittow & Shimon Young

Ahavas Shalom Newsletter

While the Ahavas Shalom Newsletter really began over 12 years ago, the first version in the current format came out just over a year ago, and regular weekly version started this past August. Since then, Rav Zachariash has been providing a devar torah each week, which Rabbi Yoav Druyan has been translating, and Rabbi Akiva Teichtal has been proofing. Copies are distributed in shul, and issues are sent out via the email list and archived are on the www.ahavasshalom.org website.



Remember: If you have news you want to share with the kehilla, send an email to lifecycles@ahavasshalom.org so it can be included in the next newsletter!













Yeshivas Mordechai Hatzadik 5774



Rav Zachariash and Mordechai



Lev and Elisha Seltzer



Shlomo and Yehoshua Hollander



Moshe Hamburg and Shimon



Ari and Moshe Dov Goldwag



Shmuel Kovacs and Elyakim



Ephraim and Yeshaya Dov Wingut



Baruch Labinsky with Akiva Labinsky and Yehuda Lieberman.



Naftali and Shaul Glickman



Micha Kushner with Menachem Yitzchak and Elyashiv Yehuda



Yosi and Akiva Benjamin



Naftali Glickman and Elchanan Shlomo Kushner





What is there to do on Purim night after hearing the megilla? Until this year, not very much. But this year, about 30 pairs of men got together to learn all of *mesechta Megilla* in about an hour. The Rav was *mesayam* (below) just before 23:00.

Look for another Megilla with the Kehilla event this Purim!

ABOVE: Learning in the Beis Medrash.

BELOW: The Rav is *mesayam* and leads the HADRAN.





Things are always busy at Ahavas Shalom. Whether we're building a new building, having a shiur with the Rav, or celebrating a holiday together... This doesn't even include all the activities that happen at





times that we can't use a camera!

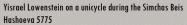








Tuesday Halacha Shiur with Rav Zachariash





05:20 Daf Yom Shiur L to R: Larry Goldberg, Rabbi Moshe Dovid Cohen



Tisha B'Av 5774



Rav Zachariash lights the Lag B'Omer Fire



Moshe Dov Goldwag juggles



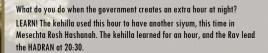
Another boy juggles



Rav Zachariash picks out a winning raffle ticket from the Ahavas Shalom Summer Raffle (pre-drawing)



Ready for Yomim Noraim 5775









Melaveh Malka 5774



Lev Seltzer - Vaad Chairman



Ari Goldwag - World-Class Entertainment



Rabbi Reuven Leuchter talking about learning and working



Last year we honored The Rav & Rebbetzin for 10 years of service. The journal was over 80 pages, filled with praises for our Rav and Rebbetzin.

Mark your calendar for Feb 2024 for the Rav's 20th Anniversary Celebration!



Rav Zachariash & Rabbi S.Z. Perlstein (r)



LEFT: Rav Zachariash and Rav Malinowitz

RIGHT: Rav Zachariash dancing with the Ahavas Shalom Boys





Rav Avraham Jacobovitz

Rabbi Avraham Jacobovitz, a native of Tel Aviv, studied at Slobodka Rabbinical College and received his ordination from the Mirrer Yeshiva Central Institute in Brooklyn, New York. Upon moving to Detroit in 1977, he continued his postgraduate Rabbinical studies.

Rabbi Jacobovitz founded the Jewish Learning Network of Michigan (Machon L'torah), in 1980 to ex-

pose Jews of all walks of life to the beauty and depth of the Jewish heritage, the Torah, and its teachings. The Jewish Learning Network, while reaching out to Jews of all backgrounds and all ages, focused its main efforts on young adults and the many thousands of students throughout college campuses in the state of Michigan and neighboring states. In the fall of 1996, the Jewish Learning Network established the Jewish Resource Center at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. The Center serves the university's nearly 6,000 Jewish students, its Jewish faculty and the members of Ann Arbor's Jewish community.

In 2001, Rabbi Jacobovitz formed Jewish Awareness AMerica (JAAM). JAAM is a national awareness program for Jewish students across North America's universities. Its flagship program, The Maimonides Jewish Leaders Fellowship is by far the fastest growing Jewish leadership training project in North America.

Rabbi Jacobovitz lectures extensively throughout North America's colleges under the auspices of MJLF (Maimonides Jewish Leaders Fellowship), Hillel student centers, and numerous other student organizations. He also lectures nationally on the subjects of college outreach, intermarriage, and Jewish law, customs, and thought.

In 2012 Machon L'torah established its Israeli center in Ramat Beit Shemesh, Israel. It serves the needs of both American and Israeli students. Rabbi Jacobovitz is developing Outreach and In-reach programs for soldiers in Israel's Defense Force.

Rabbi Jacobovitz and his wife Bayla are the loving parents and grandparents of their nine children and numerous grandchildren. They currently reside in Ramat Beit Shemesh, Israel.



We have the privilege tonight of hearing a performance by the Hallelu Choral Ensemble. The Ensemble, led by Shalom Kinori, is composed of adult and children's choirs. Hallelu started in the Bnei HaYeshivos Shul on Nachal Noam. Over the years, the choir added members from all over Ramat Beit Shemesh who enjoy singing together and who want to enhance Shabbos and Yom Tov

Davening. The choir recently organized a special Shabbos Shira in the Matnas with renowned Chazanim leading the Davening and accompanied by the Choir. Ari Waldman is a veteran member of the adult choir.

Shalom Kinori is also well known for his children's choir performances at Lemaan Achai events over the years.



Ari Goldwag

As a member of The Miami Boys Choir, Ari Goldwag was selected by Yerachmiel Begun to serve as a child star soloist for five albums. In 2003 Goldwag released his debut album, Lishuascha Kivinu, which featured his well known composition, "Kah Ribon." To date, Ari has released four solo albums, produced three albums for the likes of Sheves Achim and Sheves Cha- Ari Goldwag at the HASC concert on verim and has collaborated on albums with other Jew- Photo © Ston Weiss photography ish singing stars such as Dovid Gabay, Benny Fried-



January 12, 2014.

man, Shlomo Simcha, Shloime Dachs, Mendy Wald, and many others.

Ari has appeared in concerts and events at cities around the globe as his music captivates and inspires audiences of all ages. Riding the crest of popularity, Ari assembled the Ari Goldwag Orchestra in 2007. To date, his band has performed at scores of weddings, bar mitzvahs, organization dinners and concerts.

Ari is also a gifted composer. His latest compostion, "Am Echad," which was filmed in Ramat Beit Shemesh, has amassed over 850,000



A scene from Ari Goldwag's video "Hashem Loves You" filmed in Beis Medrash Ahavas Shalom.

YouTube hits! Ari has recently released his long awaited fifth solo project "The English Album," which is a collection of inspiring songs in the English language containing a message that will cause a person to step back and think about the direction of their life.

In 2003, Ari was appointed the chazzan (cantor) for the High Holy Days at Congregation Shevet Achim in Mercer Island, Washington. Originally from West Hempstead, New York, Ari resides in Ramat Beit Shemesh with his wife and children, and is a proud member of the Ahavas Shalom community for the last eight years. www.arigoldwag.com

לכבוד ארי וולדמן ורעייתו

In Honor of

Hri & Mrs. Waldman

From

Rav Aharon and Beverly
Simkin and family

Mazel Tov to the Waldmans and Thank you to the Rav

From the Tuesday Night Chabura

With thanks to הקב"ו

In allowing us to find such a wonderful Shul with such a wonderful Rav, whose devotion to the Kehilla is an inspiration to us all

May

Harav Avraham Baruch Zachariash Shlita

See much nachas from his family and the Kehilla

Yosi & Rivka Benjamin and Family

In Honor of our Children

Rabbi and Mrs. H. B. Zachariash

May they continue to be messengers of Hashem in your Kehilla, and bring about a

Your Parents,

Rabbi & Mrs. Alfred Freeman

In grateful recognition to

Rabbi Waldman

for all his dedication to Kehillat Ahavat Shalom

As always a special thank you to the Rav for all his time and guidance, the Rebbetzin and entire Zacharish family

Mr and Mrs Aryeh Beer, Lev Seltzer and the rest of the Vaad as well as Rabbi Naftali Kaplan for keeping things going.

May you all be blessed with continued hatzlocha in all your endeavors.

Peretz, Shelley and Katz family



In loving memory of

Rav Moshe Stahler zir

He is remembered as a sublime individual with an insatiable thirst for Torah and genuine *ahavas Yisroel*.

All who knew him continue to be inspired by him.

May this *zchus* be an *aliyas neshama*.



To our friends at Bais Medrash Ahavas Shalom

Best Wishes for continued



and

הצלחה

Mazal Tov to all the Honorees



Silver Pages

Congratulations to

Rabbi and Mrs. Hri Waldman

Individuals who are always looking for some way to help the shul and its members.

Mazal Tov on this well-deserved honor.
Sincerely,

The Holy Bagel Family





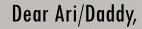
is happy to extend greetings to

Ahavas Shalom in their effort to honor

Rabbi & Rebbetzin Zachariash

on their 11th Anniversary with the Congregation.

Dr. Jerry Hillman, President Shaiall Zachariash, Rabbi



May Hashem grant that you continue serving the Shul. whether as the *gabbai, davening* from the *amud,* making the Shul physically more comfortable, or just being a listening ear and a warm welcoming smile for all.

"The path a person wants to go in, Hashem leads him on it"

We're proud of you!!

Rochel and the Kids

In Tribute To

The Guests of Honor

Rabbi and Mrs. Hri Waldman

A special thank you to Rav and Rebbetzin Zachariash and all the other dedicated leaders of our kehilla.

May you all be blessed with continued Hatzlocha in all of your endeavors

Mrs. Miriam Stahler

לעילוי נשמת הרב משה בן חיים יהושע

In honor of

Rabbi and Mrs Waldman

who exemplify what it means to commit to the greater *klal*.

Thank you for your time and effort and for doing it all with a smile.

With admiration,

Lachish 29
The Kovacs, Back, Htlan,
Schoeman, Goldwag, Bisburg,
Frolich, and Olenick Families



Mazel Toy to

Rabbi & Mrs. Hri Waldman

On Many Years of Service to the Ahavas Shalom Community



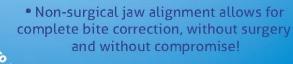
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Wishing the Ray, Rabbi and Mrs Ari Waldman and all the Kehillah much hatzlachah.

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Yasher Koach to

Rav and Rebbetzin Zachariash טליטייא

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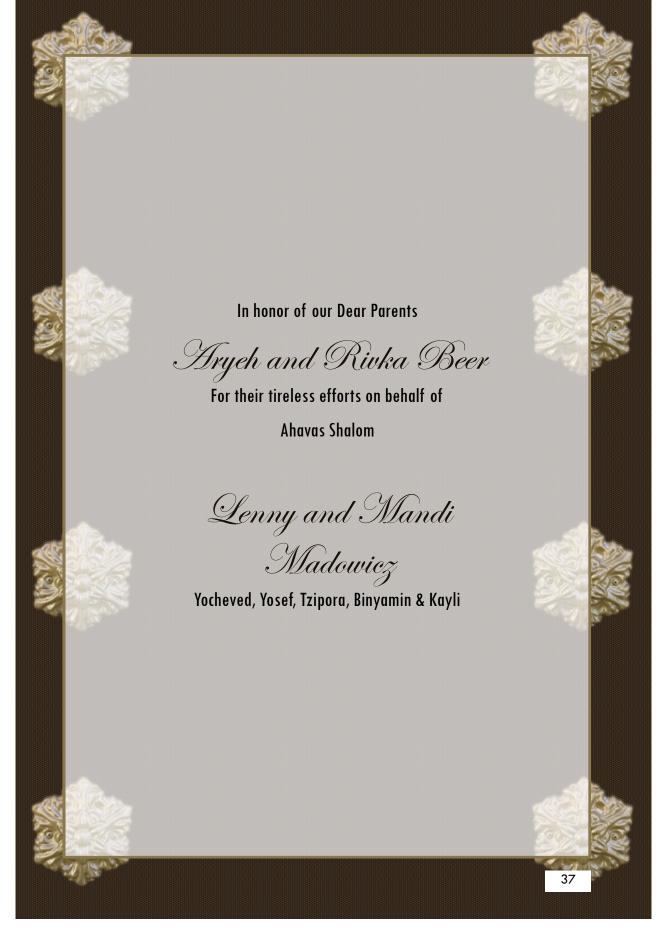
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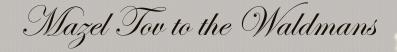
The Hollanders

In honor of Aryeh & Rivka Beer

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To Rabbi Waldman for his work towards expanding our building.

Betzalel and Rivka Baila Lippman

Rabbi & Mrs Hri Waldman

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Barbara and Bernie Beer

To R' Hri,

Yasher Koach to you for your dedication to the Shul,
from early in the morning
(as Gabbai of the first Minyan)
to late at night
(when you often are one
of the last to leave),
to your beautiful Davening,
and to the time you invest as a Vaad member.

May we speedily merit to *Daven* together in our permanent *Mikdash M'at.*

Micha and Iris Kushner

Dear R' Ari,

From its very inception, you have been one of Bet Zvi's leading forces.

You teach, inspire & guide your chavrusos.

You constantly come up with great ideas of how to move the kollel forwards.

The Tu Bishvat event for ladies & the fun fundraiser BBQ

Are just two of the excellent projects that you pulled off.

And all with the characteristic diligence, good grace and upbeat approach

So unique to you!.

May you and your wife merit

To always be among the *mezakey harabim* — אכי"ר!

With best wishes,

Akiva & all of us in Bet Zvi

Mazel Tov To The Very Worthy Honorees

Rabbi Hri & Rachel Waldman

Ari, a Good Friend For More Than 40 Years Personifies

"Emor Meat Vaase Harbeh"

May He and His Wife be *Zoche* To See Tremendous Nachas From His Wonderful Family

With Much Love

Yehoshua And Rina Schechter And Family

Mazel Toy to

Rabbi and Mrs. Hri Waldman

for their wonderful contributions on behalf of the shul and the entire community.

May you continue from strength to strength!

Together with Rav Zachariash, the gabbaim and the va'ad, may you continue to merit being able to serve the klal.

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Rabbi and Mrs Hri Waldman

on their unique contribution to the musical, spiritual and physical well-being of Ahavas Shalom

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Waldman Family

Congratulations on this extremely well deserved honor for your husband and father, a holy Jew with a voice of an angel.

May you share only nachas from him in only Good health until 120!

Your Friend,

Beryl Shmuel / Jeffrey Bell

Mazal Tov to

Rabbi & Mrs. Hri Waldman

on receiving this well deserved Honor.

May they enjoy many fruitful years of הרבצת תורה, and זיכוי הרבים for many years to come.

With much הכרת הטוב to the Rav, Vaad, Gabboim, and to all those who contribute to the smooth running of the Shul.

The Dissen Family

To Rabbi Hri & Mrs. Waldman

Thank you for all that you have done for Ahavas Shalom——
And for doing it all with a smile.

Lev & Leah Seltzer
And Family



We are so proud of all that you do for your community in Israel.

Love

All the USA Seltzers

Mom & Dad Stu & Danielle, Jacob, Noah and Sabrina Cliff & Jennifer, Max, Sam and Maddie

Mazel Tov to

Hri and Rachel

Ari lives and breathes Ahavas "Shalom" every day including Birkas Cohanim.

Bracha & Hatzlocho to the entire family!

Hryeh & Rivka Beer

Wishing our Honorees,

Rabbi & Mrs. Hri Waldman

Many more successful years ahead.

Sincere thanks for everything to our esteemed

Rav & Rebbetzin

For inspiring our Kehilla

Madeline Margalit

Best Wishes To

Rabbi & Mrs. Hri Waldman

William and Sylvia Preiss

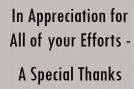
To the dedicated, selfless heroes of our community:

Rabbi Akiva Teichtal R' Aryeh Beer HaRav Meir Parker Rav Gedalia Hochberg



from

Yehuda Leib Merrill & family



Zev & Harriet Kornbluh

Congratulations to

Rabbi and Mrs. Ari Waldman on your much deserved honor.

Best wishes to

Rav Zachariash and family and the Ahavas Shalom community.

Marcel and Rosita Wechsler Bentzion and Tova Wechsler

לב שמח ייטב פנים משלי ש"ו:י"ג

Always a smile and a good word

To every person

May you never change.

Your חברותא and Friend,

יצחק

Mazel Tov to

Rabbi Hri and Mrs. Waldman!

A Great Friend to Have!

Dovid & Sara Baila Akselrud

Yasher Koach to

Ahavas Shalom and the distinguished

Rav and Rebbetzin.

Long live Mr. Beer, the greatest treasurer (plus) on earth.

Hats off to Ari Waldman.

Hvraham & Yocheved Willig

Mazal Tov to

the Waldmans

on the well deserved honor

Yonah and Miriam Kaufman

Wishing both Rabbi and Mrs. Ari Waldman a

מזל טוב

on their being honored at this year's 5775 Ahavas Shalom dinner.

Rabbi Ari's service, doing building construction, dedication, hard work, and most importantly his uplifting singing in his תפילה has inspired and elevated the shul to higher heights.

Keep on being that shining light to the shul and community !!!

Wishing the Waldmans's much ברבה and in all that they do Your Good Friend

Reuven Ashenberg



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Rabbi and Mrs. Waldman

Individuals with integrity and each one with a smile on their face.

May Hashem grant you the ability to continue doing service for Ahavas Shalom and the entire community.

Rena & Yehoshua Ennis

Dear Rabbi & Mrs. Waldman,

Mazal tov on the well deserved honor! Thank you for all you do for the shul and the kehilla. May HaKadosh Baruch Hu give you the strength to continue your avodas hakodesh for many more years.

The Weinblatts

Rabbi and Mrs. *H*ri Waldman

Mazel Tov to Ari and Rochel for this welldeserved honor. Thank you for your tireless efforts on behalf of Ahavas Shalom. May Hashem bless you with every conceivable bracha עד מאה ועשרים שנים טובות!

Joy and Suri Albert

בס״ד



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To the Waldmans

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Mazal Tov to

Rabbi & Mrs. Waldman

A Much Deserved Honor!

Yamin Cohen & Family

To the Waldmans:

Thank you so much for all of the hard work you put in to the shul, especially making sure the first minyon runs smoothly, cleaning the bima for *kerias hatorah*, your physical involvement with the shul's many tasks. Seeing you learn every morning gives us a tremendous *Chizuk* and most importantly your warm fantastic smile. Wishing the Waldmans, the Rav *Shlita* and all of the Kehilla a Big Mazel Tov!

From the

Raymond Family

Mazal Tov to

Rav Aryeh and Mrs. Waldman

on a most deserving award

May you continue to be a source of inspiration

with your sweet davening

Shlomo and Lisa Messinger

יישר כוחכם

To Rabbi & Mrs. Ari Waldman You are such special people! May Hashem bless you with

אריחת ימים ושנים

And may you go מחיל אל חיל

Akiva & Yehuda Wurtzel

With much appreciation to R' Ari who always works hard for the Shul, recently the new room, to the Rav, R' Lev and the Vaad and particularly to my chavrusa, R' Moshe Aryeh Beer.

R' Eli and Mrs. Escovitz

Mazal Tov Ari and Family!

Well-deserved recognition for your years of contribution and dedication to the Kehila

Yoni, Reena, and Aliza Palmer

ברבה והצלחה

רב וולדמן!

To the Esteemed Honoree

R' Hri Waldman

For his ongoing dedication and devotion to our Kehilla.

Wishing you and your Rebbetzin much Hatzlocho & Brocho.

Shalom & Sharon Woodrow

Spanning the generations, our family (from school kids to Neshamas in Shamayim) has benefitted from Rabbi Ari's deep care, warmth, humility and Torah knowledge. Thank you to a wise and true mentsch. With much appreciation

The Geffens

With Hakarot Hatov to

Rabbi & Rebbetzin Zachariash Mazal Tov to

Rabbi and Mrs. Waldman

Shimon and Shalhevet Solway and Family

Mazel Toy!

It is inspiring to know someone who puts all of his כוחות ברוחנית, גשמיות ומעשה ידיו

For

צרכי ציבור

With much appreciation

Tzvi Broker

To the Rav, Rabbi Ari, Gabbaim, & the Ahavas Shalom Kehillah

ברכה והצלחה

Simche Wecker & Family 😊

Brocha and Hatzlocha to

Rav Zachariash and the rest of the special Kehilla!

Dovid & Racheli Wolpe

Mazel Tov to

Rabbi & Mrs. Hri Waldman

A well deserved honour.

Special thanks to

Rabbi and Rebbetzen Zachariash and Gabbaim

Norman and Linda Crow

Hakaras Hatov to the

Rav and the Rebbetzin

Rabbi and Mrs. Waldman for all you do for the community.

Ephraim and Zahava Friedman

מזל טוב

to Rabbi and Mrs. Waldman on this welldeserved honor

And in appreciation of Rabbi Moshe Dovid Cohen for his dedication.

Griel Kirsch and Family

Best Wishes to the Waldmans

Reuven and Raynee Bodenheim ברכה והצלחה

למשפחת וולדמן תודה לרב וגבאים למקום תורה ותפילה נפלא!

אפרים גרין ומשפחתו

Mazal Toy to

Rabbi Hri Waldman and his family on this wonderful occasion.

May he continue to do many more years of

Elaine & Alan Rubenstein

service to the shul.

Mazel Tov to Reb Ari

You are צדיק מממש

May 'ה give you כח מחיל אל חיל go ה' and to continue to be

עוסק בצרכי ציבור למען הכלל.

בידידות,

יצחק רובין ומשפחתו



*Ari and Rochel*A most wonderful year,
full of blessings and *smachot!*

Yonie & Rena Zukowsky

Mazal Tov to the Waldmans on this well deserved award.

Yaasher koach! Reuvain & Yitta Mendlowitz

Mazel Tov and Hatzlocho to the Waldmans

From Family Zinger

A Special Thank You to
Rav Zachariash & Family
May Hashem continue to bless you all
with the best of health
and the GREATEST of Hatzlacha!

Yitzy Berlin & Family

ברלות-Greetings

Way to go Ahavas Shalom! Doniel Tisser

Hatzlacha to Rabbi and Mrs. Waldman, and the entire Ahavas Shalom community! Meir & Faigy Parker

Bracha and Hatzlacha to Ari & Rochel. Special Thanks to the Rav—The Gowers

In appreciation to Reb Aryeh Waldman. Your total involvement and being part of our Ahavas Shalom is invaluable. אל חיל

With best wishes, Shimon and Elisheva Goldwater

Melaveh Malkah 5775

14-Feb-15 אור לכייו שבט תשעייה

Program

- Program begins at 20:15 with music by the world famous Ari Goldwag
- Introduction, Siyum and devar Torah by Rav Zachariash
- Dancing
- First course (21:00)
- Words from the Vaad
- Halelu Choir Performance, featuring Ari Waldman
- Main course, with music by Ari Goldwag
- Presentation to Ari Waldman
- Rav Avraham Jakobowitz speaks (22:00)
- Dessert
- Song from Ari Goldwag's latest album
- Bentching at 22:45



Menu



Salads

Tehina with olive oil • Seasoned green salad • Cranberry cabbage salad • Maple flavored sweet potato cubes • Cherry tomatoes with dill • Thailand carrot salad

First course

Musaka (meat filled eggplant) • Chicken vegetable filled pastry • Filo filled with vegetables

Main course

Chicken steak • Chili flavored turkey strips • Kebab skewers

Side dishes

Roasted potatoes • Yellow rice and vegetables • Sesame green beans

Dessert

Heated chocolate cake with coffee



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