On November 20th, the Senior Adult Department, Early Learning Center and Silver Academy participated in a chocolate menorah making intergenerational program. Special thanks for The Hershey Company for the donation of candy for this program. Turn to page 9 for more photos.

BUILDING SECURITY REMINDER

The new building security has been in effect for over a month, and we want to thank the members for your cooperation and participation.

Please note that all JCC members age 16 years and older must scan their membership cards to gain access to the building. In the event your card is lost or stolen, please notify the Atrium Staff or call 236-9555, ext. 0 so a new card can be issued.

Thank you again for helping us to implement these procedures and for your understanding as we make these changes.
Well-known Producer Gerry Abrams visits Harrisburg for Israel Bonds

By Alyce Spector

The week of November 24-29, 2013 was of particular importance. The 50th Anniversary of President Kennedy’s assassination, Hanukkah falling on the same day as Thanksgiving, which will never happen again in our lifetime, and Gerry Abrams the well-known Hollywood producer and father of J.J. Abrams, the producer of “Star Wars II” coming to Harrisburg for Israel Bonds.

After Mort Spector, Chairman of the Israel Bonds event, greeted everyone, he called on Rabbi Ron Muroff of Chisuk Emuna Congregation who gave a very inspiring Invocation and D’var Torah. Lee Siegel, Steering Committee Member made the Hamotzi, and a very delicious buffet was served by Norman Gras. Alyce Spector introduced Gerry by sharing interesting tidbits of Gerry growing up in Harrisburg.

Gerry was born in Harrisburg to Lillian and Sam Abrams, who owned the Army & Navy store at 3rd and Broad Streets. He attended the first Silver Academy on 3rd Street next door to the old Jewish Community Center.

Gerry’s childhood friends attended the Israel Bonds Brunch to pay tribute to Gerry. George Krevsky was there from California, Corky Goldstein and Gerry Morrison remembered old times with Gerry. George Krevsky related the story about his classmate, Gerry, who was constantly being reprimanded by the teacher for not paying attention in class. He stared out the window – day dreaming. The teacher nicknamed him Cholem Yosef Cholem – “Gerry the daydreamer”. Gerry’s “daydreaming” eventually evolved into reality.

Gerry spoke about his early years and his struggles in getting to Hollywood after his graduation from Penn State University in 1961. He has been a television producer for more than four decades with credits like “The Secret Life of John Chapman”, “Nuremburg”, “Florence Nightingale”, and “The Life of Golda Meir”. In 1965, Gerry began his TV career with WCBS-TV as an account executive. He worked his way to become head of CBS television of West Coast Sales which led to Sales Manager in 1971 of KCBS-TV, owned by CBS in Los Angeles.

In 1973 he joined JOZAC Co as Vice President of Creative Affairs that segued into his producing career in making “The Secret Life of John Chapman”, producing “The Life of James Dean”, and “Red Alert” that won two Emmy Awards.

In 1978 Gerry formed his own company Cypress Point Productions. In 1985 he formed Phoenix Entertainment Group that was acquired by the Hearst Entertainment Production where he served as co-chairman for eight years.

He produced so many stunning films such as the four hour mini-series “Monte Carlo,” filmed in France, “A Father’s Revenge,” shot in Berlin, Germany, starring Brian Dennehy. He filmed “Jekyll & Hyde” with Michael Caine and Cheryl Ladd in England, “Daughters of Darkness” with Anthony Perkins shot in Budapest, Hungary and “Family of Spies”, a five hour mini series shot in Vienna, Austria.

In 2003 he produced “North Hollywood Shoot Out”. The 7X7 Network’s highest rated and Emmy Award winning show. He then made “Out of Ashes”, shot in Vilna, Lithuania. In 2004 “The Mystery of Natalie Wood” was filmed in Sydney, Australia. His newest release will be the “Life of Houzimi” in 2014.

Gerry showed a short excerpt of his film “Nuremburg”, the trial of Nazi leaders responsible for killing six million Jews. The film segued into Bond Chairman Mort Spector explaining how important it has always been to support Israel by investing in Israel Bonds that supports Israel’s infrastructure in building roads, bridges, electric power and modern technology.

Mort introduced Harold Marcus, Executive Director, Pennsylvania Region, who informed the crowd in attendance that the investment of Israel Bonds in Israel’s development has reaped huge dividends over six decades. The sale of Israel Bonds is global. Sales have exceeded $35 Billion since the first bonds were issued in 1951.

Today, Israel Bonds enables the building of state-of-the-art transportation networks and cutting edge technology, robotics, solar energy, nanotechnology, water technology and desalination. The world’s leading technology companies have established a presence in Israel, Intel, Apple, Microsoft, Google, IBM, Motorola, and Hewlett-Packard.

Steering Committee member Michael Doctrow emphasized “investing in Israel Bonds achieves two goals; helping to meet personal, financial objectives and helping Israel in bringing science technology to the entire world”.

Mort encouraged everyone to read the materials on each table that tells of Israel’s accomplishments. This small country lays claim to the following:

1. The cell phone was developed in Israel by Israelis working in the Israeli branch of Motorola.
2. Most of the Windows NT and XP operating systems were developed by Microsoft-Israel.
3. The Pentium MMX Chip technology was designed in Israel by Intel.
4. Voice Mail technology was developed in Israel.
5. Israel has the Fourth Largest Air Force in the world (after the US, Russia and China).
6. Israel has the highest ratio of university degrees to the populations in the world.
7. Israel produces more Scientific Papers per capita than any other nation by a large margin – 109 per 10,000 people – as well as one of the highest per capita rates of patents filed.
8. In proportion to its population, Israel has the largest number of Startup Companies in the world.
9. With more than 3,000 high tech companies and startups, Israel has the highest concentration of High Tech Companies in the world – apart from Silicon Valley, U.S.
10. Israel is ranked #2 in the world for Venture Capital Funds right behind the U.S.
11. Twenty-four percent of Israel’s workforce holds university degrees – ranking third in the industrialized world, after the U.S. and Holland – and 12 percent hold advanced degrees.
12. Israel is the only Liberal Democracy in the Middle East.
13. Israel has the world’s second highest per capita publication of New Books.
14. Israel is the only country in the world that entered the 21st Century with a new gain in its number of Trees.
15. Israel has more Museums per capita than any other country.
17. Israel leads the world in the number of Scientists and Technicians.
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ANAT HOFFMAN

Chairperson, Women of the Wall
Executive Director, Israel Religious Action Center

January 28, 2014—7 p.m.
Lehigh University, Baker Hall, Zoellner Arts Center
420 East Packer Ave., Bethlehem, Pa. 18015
Free and open to the public. No tickets required.

FROM THE BACK OF THE BUS TO THE TOP OF THE AGENDA

In recent years Israel has been dealing with demands for more modesty in the public sphere in order to adjust to religious standards. This has resulted in segregation between men and women in public transportation, the exclusion of women in public ceremonies and events, discrimination of girls wishing to have a Bat Mitzvah at the Western Wall and the silencing of women singers on religious radio and army ceremonies. This presentation follows some of the landmark victories over segregation and exclusion and looks at the remaining challenges in this area.

Sponsored by the Philip and Muriel Berman Center for Jewish Studies
For more information: 610-758-4869, inber@lehigh.edu, http://lehigh.edu/~inber/inber.html
The JCC will host the first annual community-wide kosher wing cook-off and vegetarian soup cook-off on Sunday, February 2 at the JCC, 3301 N Front Street, Harrisburg from 12:00 – 2:00 pm.

The wing cook-off and vegetarian soup cook-off are open to the entire community and are intended to bring diverse parts of the community together in a fun, family-orientated setting.

There are three ways to participate:

First, competing teams or individuals, may enter and cook their favorite wing recipe or vegetarian soup recipe. Teams can enter representing community organizations, synagogues, temples, sisterhoods, families, or just a collection of friends. Teams are encouraged to register early, as space is limited, and registrants will be accepted on a first-come basis. To register your team, please e-mail Andrea at a.weikert@jewishfedhbg.org. Teams will also be judged on team spirit. The JCC will supply each team/individual with the kosher wings, and the teams supply their secret kosher ingredients.

The second way to participate is to attend. Even for those who may not want to cook, the entire community is invited to the event as official tasters. There is no admission fee, so competing teams are encouraged to bring all their friends and family to support them.

The third way is to participate is to bring a canned food item to be donated to the Jewish Family Service Pantry to help fight hunger.

JCC Programs are funded by the Annual Campaign of the Jewish Federation of Greater Harrisburg.
SAVE THE DATE!

1st Annual Touch-A-Truck, Hometown Heroes & Wellness Fair
March 30, 2014

Children and tots can climb into trucks at the 1st Annual Touch-A-Truck on Sunday, March 30 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Harrisburg JCC, 3301 N Front Street, Harrisburg, PA.

The JCC’s 1st Annual Touch-A-Truck gives children the opportunity to climb aboard and get behind the wheel of their favorite vehicles, including a fire truck, ambulance, school bus, and more. Hometown heroes, drivers, and operators of these vehicles will be available to answer questions and give children a hands-on experience. Touch-A-Truck will also include children’s crafts, a bounce house, and more.

In partnership with Pinnacle Health various screenings will be available along with information regarding Diabetes Management, Adult and Childhood Nutrition, Children & Teen Issues, Asthma Management, Bullying, Children's Health, Poison Prevention, Youth Sports Safety and much more!

This event is FREE and open to the entire community. More information to follow.
COMMUNITY
PURIM CARNIVAL

Sunday, March 16, 2014
11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Jewish Community Center

Exciting carnival games for all ages, arts & craft projects, prizes & inflatable fun.

Free to the entire community.

Lunch is available at a nominal fee.

This program is funded by the Jewish Community Foundation of Central Pennsylvania.
BETH EL TEMPLE BOOK REVIEW WITH RABBI CYTRYN
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 7:00 P.M.

The Beth El Book Club meets on Wednesday, January 15 at 7:00 p.m. in the Schein Annex at Beth El Temple with guest reviewer Rabbi Eric Cytryn. Rabbi Cytryn will lead discussion of the book May We Be Forgiven by A.M. Homes.

In May We Be Forgiven, A.M. Homes, a fiction writer, memoirist and screenwriter best known for her controversial novels and unusual stories, presents a darkly comic look at twenty-first century domestic life and the possibility of personal transformation. May We Be Forgiven digs deeply into the near biblical intensity of fraternal relationships, our need to make sense of things, and our craving for connection.

Beth El Temple Book Club welcomes all literary enthusiasts who enjoy reading and discussing books of Jewish interest or connection. Please join us on January 15 for a lively exchange of ideas and a light nosh. All are welcome to participate.

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JCC MIDDLE SCHOOL
BASKETBALL GAMES SCHEDULE

JANUARY 14
vs. Emmanuel Baptist boys at 4pm

JANUARY 15
vs. Carson Long boys at 4pm

JANUARY 23
vs. Shalom Christian girls at 4pm and boys at 5pm

FEBRUARY 3
vs. Carlisle Christian girls at 4pm and boys at 5pm

FEBRUARY 4
vs. Christian School of York girls at 4pm and boys at 5pm

FEBRUARY 6
vs. Grace Baptist girls at 4pm and boys at 5pm

CPBL Playoffs—First round games will be held at the JCC on 2/10 & 2/11

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community calendar

TUESDAY, JANUARY 14
Senior Lunch Program, 10 a.m., JCC,
Program: FREE Blood-pressure screening;
Business meeting/birthday party

THURSDAY, JANUARY 16
Senior Lunch Program, 10 a.m., JCC,
Program: “Name That Tune” with
Al Goodman, 12:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 21
Senior Lunch Program, 10 a.m., JCC,
Program: “The Jewish Perspective” with
Bob Axelrod, 12:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 23
Senior Lunch Program, 10 a.m., JCC,
Program: Work on Hadassah dolls

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

SATURDAY, MARCH 22, 2014
8:30 – 10:30 PM
JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER

Wine Tasting
Beer Tasting
Spirit Sampling
Delicious Appetizers
Desserts
Music

Classy Casual Attire
Must be over 21

Fee: $25 Regular Rate
$18 JCC Member Discount

 Please call the JCC at 236-9555, ext. 0 to register or www.jewishharrisburg.org.
JCC Programs are funded by the Annual Campaign of the Jewish Federation of Greater Harrisburg.
Ages:
11 to 15 years

Dates:
Sundays, January 19 and January 26
(snow date February 2)

Time:
12:15 – 4:00 pm
Attendance at both sessions is required to receive certification.

Min:
8 participants

Cost:
Regular Fee: $85;
JCC Member Discount: $60

Location:
Jewish Community Center

Description:
What you need to know and what every parent wants in a safe and responsible babysitter! The Babysitter’s Training course can help you—
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Make good decisions and solve problems.
Keep the children you baby-sit and yourself safe
Handle emergencies such as injuries, illnesses and household accidents.
Write resumes and interview for jobs.
And much more!

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Questions??
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Coming this February: A unique opportunity to hear a world-acclaimed symphony and benefit a Jewish cause at the same time.

The Haifa Symphony Orchestra will perform at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 4, 2014 at the Strand-Capital Theatre in downtown York. When ticket buyers use the code SUPPORTJFS, a portion of each ticket price will support Jewish Family Services of York.

The Haifa Symphony will stop in York as part of its first U.S. tour. It was founded in 1950 and in recent years has become the focal point of musical life in Haifa and the north of Israel. World acclaimed Maestro Xu Zohng, one of China’s best-known conductors, recently became its music director.

In York, Polish Maestro Boguslaw Dawidow will conduct the orchestra. He most recently received critical acclaim when he toured the U.S. in 2011 with the Opole, Poland Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra.

The concert will feature Israeli pianist Roman Rabinovich. Rabinovich won the top prize at the 2008 Arthur Rubinstein International Piano Master Competition. The program will include Weber’s Overture to the Opera Euryanthe, Rachmaninov’s Piano Concerto No. 2 in C Minor, Op. 18, featuring pianist Rabinovich, and Tchaikovsky’s Symphony No. 4 in F Minor, Op. 36.

For more information or tickets call the Strand at 717-846-1111 or visit www.mystrandcapitol.org.

For 25 years, JFS of York (www.jfsyork.org) has been providing comprehensive, personalized services to meet the needs of community members young and old.

INTERGENERATIONAL CHANUKAH PROGRAM

Ages: 11 to 15 years

Dates: Sundays, January 19 and January 26 (snow date February 2)

Time: 12:15 – 4:00 pm

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Min: 8 participants

Cost: Regular Fee: $85; JCC Member Discount: $60

Location: Jewish Community Center

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Sunday morning at 9:00 a.m.

Shabbat morning service 9:15 a.m.
Saturday night mincha/maariv/havdalah at same time as Friday evening candlelighting time

**Saturday, January 11, 2014:**  
“Board Shabbat” — Beth El Temple Board members lead Shabbat morning service

**Sunday, January 12:**  
Chaverim Bagel & Coffee Social 10 a.m. “Parent Shmooze” with Beth El President Marsha Davis, 11 a.m.

**Sunday, January 12:**  
Social Action Volunteering at Central PA Food Bank 1-3 p.m.

**Tuesdays, January 14, 21, 28 & February 4:**  
Adult Education Series with Rabbi Cytryn 7:15 p.m. “Believing and Its Tensions”

**Saturday, January 18:**  
Java ‘n Torah 9:00 a.m. Interactive study before Shabbat morning service

**Wednesday, January 22:**  
Executive Committee Meeting

**Friday, January 24:**  
Tot Shabbat 5:30 p.m.
Congregational dinner 6:00 p.m. Kabbalat Shabbat 7:00 p.m. Junior Congregation 7:00 p.m.

**Sunday, January 26:**  
Grade 7 “Judaism Through Film” program. “World Jewish Cuisines” program for Grades K and 2/3, 10:15 a.m.

**Saturday, February 1:**  
Mini Congregation for pre-K’s, 11:00 a.m.

**Sunday, February 2:**  
Grade 7 “Judaism Through Film” program, session #2. “World Jewish Cuisines” program for Grades 1 & 6, 10:15 a.m.

**Saturday, February 8:**  
Shabbat morning service includes Guided Meditation Musaf. Family Education Community Havdalah and Games at JCC, 6:30-8:00 p.m.

**Sunday, February 9:**  
Grade 7 Tefillin/Minyan Family Education program with Rabbi Cytryn, 9 a.m. Breakfast ‘n Learn 9:30 a.m. with Prof. Ted Merwin on “You Don’t Have To Be Jewish to Love Judaism: Non-Jews’ Growing Involvement and Investment in Jewish Religion.”

**Tuesdays, February 11 & 25:**  
Adult Education Series with Rabbi Cytryn: “Beth El Temple Sanctuary’s Artistic Imagination” 7:15 p.m.

**Saturday, February 15:**  
Bar Mitzvah of Jacob Nudel Parshat Ki Tisa 7:15 p.m.

**Wednesday, February 19:**  
Board of Directors Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

**Friday, February 21:**  
Tot Shabbat 5:30 p.m.
Congregational dinner 6:00 p.m. Kabbalat Shabbat 7:00 p.m. Junior Congregation 7:00 p.m.

**Friday, January 24TH; SATURDAY, JANUARY 25TH**
Friday Mincha/Afternoon, Kabbalat Shabbat and Maariv/Evvening services begin at 4:45 p.m. led by Rabbi Ron Muroff.
Saturday Shacharit/Morning services begin at 9:15 a.m. led by Rabbi Ron Muroff and members of the congregation.
Mincha/Maariv begins at 4:40 p.m.

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 10TH; SATURDAY, JANUARY 11TH**
Friday Mincha/Afternoon, Kabbalat Shabbat and Maariv/Evvening services begin at 4:40 p.m. led by Rabbi Ron Muroff.
Saturday Shacharit/Morning services begin at 9:15 a.m. led by Rabbi Ron Muroff and members of the congregation.
Mincha/Maariv begins at 5:10 p.m.

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**CONGREGATION BETH TIKVAH**
Carlisle | 245-2811
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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

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Middletown | 319-3014
www.bnai-jacob.org

Historic B’nai Jacob Synagogue, Water and Nissley Streets in Middletown, will conduct Shabbat services on Friday, January 10th at 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, January 11th, Annual Meeting at 5:30 p.m. We are a Community Shul - all are welcome

Visit our website or call our Voicemail, 717-319-3014

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

**KESHER ISRAEL CONGREGATION**
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Participate in our daily Minyanim. Mornings: Sundays and Federal holidays at 8 a.m., Monday through Friday at 6:45 a.m. Rosh Chodesh and fast days at 6:30 a.m. Evening services begin at 20 minutes before sunset.

Please join us for our 9 a.m. Shabbat morning services - followed by kiddush

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

**TEMPLE BETH SHALOM**
697-2662 | www.tbshalom.org

Due to the fact that Rabbi Gendra will be on a six-month Sabbatical after September 17, Temple Beth Shalom will hold twice-monthly Saturday morning services conducted by Dr. Manel Frau. The schedule is as follows:
The Friday evening schedule remains unchanged – Services at 7:15 p.m.

**January 11:** Saturday morning services, 9 a.m.

**January 12:** “Lend a Hand, Save a Life CPR Training” - Saturday, January 12 from noon-1:30 p.m. Sponsored by the TBS Sisterhood. Program will be followed by a lunch. Contact Sisterhood President, Carol Hillman at carol@parss.org if you plan to attend.

**January 18:** No Saturday morning services

**January 25:** Saturday morning services, 9 a.m.

**February 1:** Saturday morning services, 9 a.m.

**February 8:** No Saturday morning services

Contact: Jenny Kornfeld, TBS Ritual Chair, jenmarcc55@comcast.net

To find out more about our programs and events, visit www.tbshalom.org or contact us at tbs.temple@verizon.net.

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

**TEMPLE OHEV SHOLOM**
233-6459 | www.ohesholom.org

Friday, January 10: Family Shabbat Service, 7:30 p.m., Sanctuary

Saturday, January 11: Tot Shabbat Service, 10:30 a.m., Lehrman Chapel

Friday, January 17: Shabbat Service, 6:00 p.m., Sanctuary

Saturday, January 18: B’nai Mitzvah, 10:30 a.m., Sanctuary

Friday, January 24: Shabbat Service, 7:30 p.m., Sanctuary

Friday, January 31: Shabbat Service, 6:00 p.m., Lehrman Chapel
ESTHER ENTINA
Esther Entina, 91, of Harrisburg, PA passed away on December 18, 2013. She was born on May 17, 1922 in Yuhnowichi, Belarussia to the late Abraham and Tzipa Entin. She was married for 27 years to Solomon Russ, who preceded her in death on October 19, 1977. In addition to her husband, Esther was preceded in death by her brothers Mikhail and Grigory. A brilliant mind with a warm spirit, Esther always stressed that hard work and dedication can overcome great obstacles, and she inspired by example. In a colorful career, she rose to a project leader position and developed new technological processes that enabled construction of some of the world's first large-scale production plants for polymer materials. No challenge was too great for Esther; with no prior training in the language, she quickly mastered English upon immigrating to the U.S. with her son and his family; she was 69 years old at the time. Esther also emphasized the importance of family and maintained close relationships with relatives near and far. She was a role model to her entire family. Esther is survived by her son, Alex Russ and wife Natalie of Mechanicsburg, PA; and her two grandsons Boris of Berkeley, CA and Paul of San Francisco, CA. Funeral arrangements were handled by Neill Funeral Home of Camp Hill, PA. Burial took place on December 20, 2013 in Temple Beth Shalom Memorial Park in Mechanicsburg, PA.

WALTER L. KOLLAR
Walter L. Kollar, brother of Marty Malina, on Thursday, December 26, 2013. He is survived by his sister Martha (Stuart) Malina of Harrisburg; his wife of 35 years, Maria Kollar; son Erik Kollar of Newtown Square; daughter Kate (Andy) Chambers of Townsend, DE; brother Robert (Joann) Kollar of Coatesville; mother Roberta Kollar of Harrisburg; and a niece and two nephews. Funeral services were held on Saturday, January 4th at St. Mark’s United Methodist Church, Broomall, PA. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to St. Mark’s UMC Memorial Fund or Shriner’s Hospital for Children-Philadelphia, 3551 North Broad Street, Philadelphia, PA 19140.

MILDRED ROSE
Mildred Rose, 94 passed away peacefully of natural causes on December 8, 2013 in Duncannon PA. Mildred was born and raised in Brooklyn, N.Y. She raised her children in Brooklyn and Long Island, and spent her later years in Florida and Pennsylvania. On Long Island, Mildred served as president of the sisterhood of her temple Etz Chaim Synagogue, president of a local chapter of United Cerebral Palsy, and later typed books in Braille for the blind. She was a talented crafts woman who knitted sweaters and made numerous needle points. She was the wife of the late Murry Rose and the sister of the late William Miller, the late Tobias Miller and the late Gertrude Kass. Mildred is survived by her devoted children, Arthur Rose (Susan), Warren Rose (Susan) and Lauraine Rose (Mario Guarnieri); her grandchildren, Rachel Rose, Ivy Frisinger, Asher Zeitlen, Isaac Rose (Jen), Micah Rose (Kirsten), Jared Rose and Kezia Rose; numerous great-grandchildren and nieces and nephews. A graveside service was held at the New Montefiore Cemetery on Long Island NY on December 12th. www.pennlive.com/obits.

ROSEMARY J. SMITH
Rosemary J. Smith, 75 of Camp Hill, passed away on Tuesday, December 31, 2013 at the Holy Spirit Hospital. She was born on May 7, 1938 in Hazleton, PA to the late Louis and Josephine Reynolds. She was a graduate of William Penn High School Class of 1955 and she worked for the Department of Welfare in Harrisburg as well as the 13th Air Force in the Philippines where she also studied English and Psychology. She retired from Massachusetts Mutual after 16 years.

Rosemary was a founding member of Temple Beth Shalom, Mechanicsburg, where she taught Sunday school, served as Sisterhood President and Temple President for five years. She was the recipient of the Josh Jacobson Award. She was also active in the greater Harrisburg Jewish community, studying Judaism and History with Rabbi Hillel Fine, serving as Chair for the United Jewish Appeal, as a member B’nai B’rith Women and the Roundtable of Christians and Jews. She was the recipient of the Jewish Reconstructionist award.

Rosemary is survived by her daughter Cheryl A. Smith and her husband Lee E. Perry of Vienna, VA; her godson Greg Tenor; nieces and nephews and a large extended family of great friends. She was preceded in death by her brothers Louis and Joseph Reynolds, and her husband Eugene I. Smith.

Funeral services were held on Friday, January 3rd at the Temple Beth Shalom Cemetery, with Rabbi Carl Choper officiating. Burial was in Temple Beth Shalom Cemetery.

Arrangements were handled by the Hetrick-Bitner Funeral Home. To send condolences to the Smith family, please go to www.hetrickbitternfuneralhome.com. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Rosemary’s honor may be made to Temple Beth Shalom, P.O. Box 346 Mechanicsburg, PA 17055-0346.

CANDLELIGHTING
January 10........4:42 p.m.
January 17........4:50 p.m.
January 24........5:00 p.m.

The family of
Idelle S. Schwartz
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