Sojfer/Soufer/Schaffer/Shaffer Family (Descendancy Narrative Report)

[NOTE: Superscript numbers indicate the generation in the outline. I've also used colors to make it easier to see which people are in the same generation as each other.]

Disclaimer: The information in this document is not complete and may also need updating or correction. Your input on your family would be most appreciated!

Sofer is the Hebrew for "scribe/writer/scholar. A sofer is a ritual scribe in Judaism. (See Appendix 1)

The spelling of the surname varies among members of the family. Max used Schaffer; Bess, Sam and Morris used Shaffer, and South American family used Soyfer or Soufer.

Girsh¹ SOJFER (need to verify this name)

A. Yankev Shmuel² SOJFER was born circa 1825 in Poland/Russia.. He married Sori (Sarah?) [MAIDEN NAME NOT KNOWN].

1. Hershel (Alter)³ SOUFER was born in Poland/Russia. His Hebrew name is Zvi. He was also known as Harry. His name appeared as Hershel SCHAFFER in his daughter Bess's Social Security application. Hershel married Blume ASCH, daughter of David? ASCH and Etka ______, before 1880. (Some documents spell the surname as ASH.)



a) Max⁴ SCHAFFER was born on 14 May 1880 in Krynki, Grodno Gubernia, Poland (Russia). [CONFLICTING info: Max's WWI Draft registration listed his birthdate as 15 Oct 1880, but his naturalization papers show May 14th. His marriage certificate indicates that he was born around 1882!] His Hebrew name is Mordechai. The 1904 ship passenger lists showed his name as Mordche SOFFER.

Max immigrated to the United States on 22 June 1904 on a ship departing from Bremen (on June 11th) and arriving in New York. The passenger list shows the year as 1904, but Max listed 1903 (and June 12th/24th as his departure and arrival dates) on his naturalization petition. From his sister Bess: ""My oldest brother was in the army and when he came out of the army there was a rumor of the Russian-Japanese war, so he would have to go back...so my father sent him to the United States."



In 1904, Max was a baker (the family business in Krynki). (His sister Bess said that all of her brothers worked in the leather factory in Krynki, but we don't know for during what years or for how long.)

Max married Ida RABINOWITZ, daughter of Loebl RABINOWITZ (formerly Haimowitz) and Mollie (Meile) Arkin, on 19 March 1907 in Chicago, Illinois. Ida was born in 1883 in Grodno Gubernia, Russia/Poland. (1920 Census shows Russia as her birthplace. 1930 census shows Poland as her birthplace. Her granddaughter said the family came from Bialystok, which did change hands between the two countries and was the capital of the Grodno Governate between 1842-1915. It is now the capital of the Podlaskie Voivodeship.) Her Hebrew name



is Chaike. The original surname of her father was Hymawitz. Loebel was 'adopted' by the Rabinowitz family, who had no sons, thus becoming their only son and thereby avoiding being drafted into the army. Ida immigrated to the United States on the Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse, departing from Bremen, Germany and arriving in New York on 28 June 1905. The passenger list indicated that her occupation was maid servant. As of 1907, she was also

known as Ida RUBENOVICH OR RABINOVICH. She was naturalized in either 1908 or 1918. (Faded writing on 1920) census made the date difficult to read.)

Between 1910 and 1911, Max and Ida lived at 732 N. Morgan, Chicago, Illinois. Between 1910 and 1922, Max was a self-employed junk dealer in the "bottle business". (Family later learned that upon his death, police came to the house in search of the "bottles", which were bootleg alcohol!) He was naturalized on 7 February 1911 in Chicago, Illinois. In his draft registration in 1917, Max was described as medium height with blue eyes and brown hair. Between 1918 and 1922, Max and Ida lived 1524 Hoyne Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. In 1920, Ida was a buyer for a junk shop.

Max died on 7 January 1922 in Chicago, Illinois, at age 41. According to his daughter Ruth, Max died of peritonitis as a result of an incorrect diagnosis! According to his niece Dorothy Schatz, his appendix burst while he was on the operating table. Max was buried in Waldheim cemetery, I.O.B.A. section, Forest Park, Illinois. Services were held in the chapel at 2235 W. Division St.

In 1930 Ida lived at 4926 Albany Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. In 1940, she lived at 1813 Spaulding Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

Ida died in September 1952. She was buried in Waldheim Cemetery, I.O.B.A. section, Forest Park, Illinois. Services were held at the chapel at 4225 W. Roosevelt Road (corner of Tripp Street), Chicago.

(1) Jacob Victor⁵ SCHAFFER was born on 26 November 1907 in Chicago, Illinois. His Hebrew name is Yakov Avigdor. He went by the nickname Jack. In April 1930, Jack was a building manager. He lived at 4922 N. Albany Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. In 1940, Jack lived at 1813 Spaulding Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. In 1940, Jack was a traffic manager in the transportation industry. In 1942, Jack was listed as a Tracktor Driver or Truck Driver as his civil occupation' in his WWII enlistment record. Jack was described in his draft registration in 1942 as 70'



inches tall and weighing 174 pounds in his WWII enlistment records. Jack enlisted in the U.S. army on June 29, 1942 in Chicago, Illinois and had the rank of Private. [Veterans death record listed enlistment date as 20 Feb 1943.] He advanced to the rank of Major. He served until 29 Aug 1946.

Jack married Mollie WEINSTEIN on 20 January 1946 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. (Their marriage license was issued on 16 January 1946.) Mollie was born on 19 July 1916 in Detroit, Michigan. In 1920, Mollie lived at 281 Montcalm Street, Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan. In 1930, she lived at 3645 Third Avenue, Detroit, Michigan. The daughter of Joseph and Anna Weinstein, immigrants from Kyiv, Mollie and her two



siblings (Jack and Rebecca) helped her parents run a laundry and dry cleaning store in front of their home in Detroit. Sher was a bright student, according to her brother, and graduated from high school summa cum laude at age 16. In 1940, Mollie lived at 2254 Euclid, Detroit, Michigan. She was a medical records secretary. Mollie began military service on 19 October 1943. Mollie was proud to be part of the "Greatest Generation", serving as a WAC (Women's Army Corp) during World War II. She was stationed in London, England during the buzz bombing, landed on the beaches of Normandy 6 weeks after D-Day, was stationed in Paris after its liberation, and finally was part of the Army of Occupation in Frankfurt, Germany.

She co-authored the book "Mollie's War" (with her daughter, Cyndee) which recounted her WWII experiences. The introduction to the book stated that Mollie "was a shy, retiring young Jewish woman from Detroit who enlisted in the Women's Army Corps (WACs) just months after it was established in 1943. Mollie Weinstein's letters to her sister Beck (Rebecca Winston, 1912-1999), brother Jack (Jack Weinstein, 1922 -) and best friend Sarah (Sarah Weinstein, now Kaminsky) provide a chronology of her service as a WAC from

its beginnings with her train trip to Daytona Beach, Florida for basic training in October 1943 to her first assignments in California and Georgia, her service overseas in England, France and Germany through her return to the United States on the Queen Mary in November 1945.

In 1950, Jack and Mollie lived at 1813 Spaulding, Chicago, Illinois. Jack was the proprietor of a retail army surplus store. In 1970, Jack and Mollie lived in Lincolnwood, Illinois. In 1978, they lived at 7250 N Western Ave, Apt 211, Chicago, Illinois. In 1993, Jack and Mollie lived at 1620 Woodduck Ln Apt 1c, Wheeling, Illinois. In 2000, they still lived in Wheeling.

Jack died on 20 October 2000 in Wheeling, Cook County, Illinois, at age 92. He was buried on 23 October 2000 in Shalom Memorial Park, 1700 W. Rand Road, Arlington Heights, Cook County, Illinois. Services were held at Temple Beth-El, 3610 Dundee Road, Northbrook, IL.

Mollie died on 7 April 2012 at The Park, an assisted living facility, in Vernon Hills, Lake County, Illinois, at age 95. [CONFLICTING info: SSDI lists date of death as April 8th, but obituary articles list the 7th.]. She was buried in Shalom Memorial Park, 1700 West Rand Road, Arlington Heights, Illinois.

(a) Roberta Suzanne⁶ SCHAFFER was born on 9 December 1946 in Chicago, Illinois. Roberta received a Bachelor's degree from the University of Chicago. Roberta married Judd Michael SILVERMAN on 17 January 1981 at The Standard Club, 320 South Plymouth Court, Chicago, Illinois. Judd was born on 24 November 1945 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. He was the son of Harry L. Silverman and Adelaide Leavitt. Judd was a computer programmer.



Between 1982 and 1996, Roberta and Judd lived at 1806 Cavell Ave, Highland Park, Illinois. Since 1987, Roberta is an actuary at Aon Hewitt (formerly Hewitt Associates LLC) in Lincolnshire, Illinois. Judd died on 22 May 2001 at age 55 of kidney cancer. He was buried in Memorial Park Cemetery, Skokie, Cook County, Illinois. Funeral services were held at Temple Beth-El, Northbrook. In 2020, Roberta lived at 312 Buckthorn Circle, Northbrook, Illinois.

(b) Cynthia Diane⁶ SCHAFFER was born on 31 December 1949 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. She goes by the name Cyndee. Cyndee received a Bachelor's degree from Northwestern University (Evanston, IL) and a master's degree in curriculum development from DePaul University (Chicago, IL). Cynthia edited a book of her mother's letters for publication. "Mollie's War" published by McFarland Publishers is the result of this endeavor.



Cyndee married Douglas Paul SCHWARTZ on 28 August 1975 in Chicago, Illinois. Doug was born on 20 April 1950. He is the son of Miles Schwartz and Cynthia Geiderman. In 1979, Cynthia and Doug lived at 2528 W Jerome St, Lincolnwood, Illinois. In 1981, they lived at 8515 Lawndale Ave, Skokie, Illinois. Since 1992, they live at 4016 Picardy Drive, Northbrook, Cook County, Illinois. Doug is an architect. Before her work on "Mollie's War" and becoming a popular presenter on that subject, Cyndee was a high school mathematics teacher and a corporate trainer and documentation writer.



i) Matthew Schaffer SCHWARTZ was born on 21 May 1979 in Evanston, Illinois.

Matthew had cerebral palsy. He required special care throughout his life, but was always included in his family's activities, including vacations in an RV every summer.

Matthew became a bar mitzvah in 1992. He had a ceremony at which his family members read the prayers and Haftarah portions, but it was still his day.

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Matthew died on 22 July 2003 at Northbrook, Illinois, at age 24. He was buried in Shalom Memorial Park, Palatine, Illinois.

ii) Ariel Beth⁷ SCHWARTZ was born on 5 September 1983 in Evanston, Cook County, Illinois. In 2005, Ariel received a Bachelor's degree in Social Policy (Social Services Administration) from Northwestern University (Evanston, IL).





Ariel married Jonah Benjamin SHIFRIN in July 2009. Jonah was born on 28 September 1980 in Evanston, Illinois. Jonah has a bachelor's degree (BSE) in

computer engineering (2002) and a master's degree in computer science in engineering (2004) from the University of Michigan. Since 2008, he is a Development Manager at QRM, a risk management consulting firm in Chicago, Illinois. In 2010, Ariel received a Master of Arts in Social Service Administration from the University of Chicago. In 2011, Ariel was the Assistant Director of the Disability and Learning Resource Center at School of the Art Institute of Chicago. In 2016, Ariel was working at The Ark. Since 2016, Ariel and Jonah live at 646 W Sheridan Rd, Unit G, Chicago, Illinois.

- a. Hava Naomi⁸ SHIFRIN was born on 23 June 2013 in Illinois.
- **b.** Micah⁸ SHIFRIN was born on 19 November 2015 in Illinois.
- c. Sella⁸ SHIFRIN was born on 3 August 2020 in Illinois.
- **iii)** Jordan Kyle⁷ SCHWARTZ was born on 22 November 1986 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. Between 2004 and 2010, Jordan studied general engineering and computer science at the University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana. Between 2010 and 2014, Jordan was a software engineer at Common Ground Publishing in Champaign, Illinois. In 2014, Jordan was a senior software engineer at Turn, a marketing and advertising firm in Champaign, Illinois.



Jordan married Rachel Margaret REARDON on 25 March 2017 in Champaign, Illinois. Rachel was born on 15 May 1987. In 2010, Rachel received a bachelor's degree in psychology from the University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana. In 2013, Rachel received a master's degree in social work from the University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana. Between 2016-2019, Rachel was a clinician at Rosecrance Champaign-Urbana, a behavioral health and wellness community services not-for-profit organization. Since 2014, Jordan is a software engineer at Amobee, a company that provides mobile as

behavioral health and wellness community services not-for-profit organization.

Since 2014, Jordan is a software engineer at Amobee, a company that provides mobile advertising solutions, in Champaign, Illinois. Since 2019, Rachel is a therapist at Rape Advocacy, Counseling, and Education Services in Urbana, Illinois. Jonah and Rachel live in Champaign, Illinois.

- a. Jack Matthew⁸ SCHWARTZ was born on 1 October 2019 in Illinois.
- **(c)** Joel Marc⁶ SCHAFFER was born on 6 June 1953 in Chicago, Illinois. Joel married Peggy Jo DEMPSEY on 23 November 1985 at Le Titi de Paris, 2275 Rand Road, Palatine, Cook County, Illinois. Peggy was born on 20 July 1952. She is the daughter of Amy Pauline (Polly) Guinn. Between 1993 and 1996, Joel and Peggy lived at 759 E Mill Valley Rd, Palatine, Illinois. In 1995, Joel was an electrical engineer. In 1995, Peggy was in jewelry sales. Peggy has a daughter, Amy





Danielle Dempsey. Amy is married to Kevin Frank Mackett. They have three children: Addison (2004), Evelyn (2007) and Delano (2009). Amy and Kevin live at 6238 Lambeth Way, Canton, Michigan.

Joel and Peggy live at 3102 Oak Point Drive, Garland, Texas.

(2) Ethel Esther⁵ SCHAFFER was born on 18 July 1909 in Chicago, Illinois. [CONFLICTING info: Her father listed her birth date on his naturalization petition as 14 July 1909, but social security records and death indexes show the 18th.] Her Hebrew name is Esther. In 1910, Ethel lived at 732 Morgan Street, Chicago, Illinois. In 1930, Ethel was a bookkeeper for a news agency. She lived at 4922 N. Albany Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.





Ethel married Harry Jack JAFFA on 6 October 1930 in Chicago, Illinois. Harry was born on 5 May 1903 in Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota. He is the son of Zelig and Esther Goldstein. Selig was born in Russia; Esther was born in Hungary. Zelig was a fruit merchant. His store was located at 206 N. 7th Street in Minneapolis. Harry's paternal grandparents were Isadore Jaffa and Sarah Razel Silverstein. Isadore was a rabbi. Between 1910 and 1934, Harry lived at 704 DuPont Avenue North, Minneapolis, Minnesota. In 1920, Harry was a book agent.

In 1940, Ethel and Harry lived at 1203 Vincent Avenue North, Minneapolis, Minnesota. In 1940, Harry was the proprietor of Jaffa Transportation Company at 1006 Plymouth Avenue at Minneapolis, Minnesota. Per Bernard Susman, the family also owned a hardware store chain in Detroit, Michigan (name - Mohican? need to verify). Harry was described in his draft registration in 1942 as 5 feet 11 inches tall, 186 pounds, with a ruddy complexion, black hair and hazel eyes.

In 1950, Harry was the proprietor of a wholesale and retail lumber business. Between 1950 and 1959, Ethel and Harry lived at 18225 Oak, Detroit, Michigan. In 1975, they lived at 7061 Old Kings Rd S, Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida.

Harry died on 31 October 1975 in Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida, at age 72. He was buried on 2 November 1975 in Beth El Memorial Park Cemetery, Livonia, Wayne County, Michigan. Graveside services were held.

Ethel died on 17 July 1992 in Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida, at age 82. [CONFLICTING info: Michigan Death index lists place of death as Southfield, Michigan, but Florida index lists Florida.]. Ethel was buried in Beth El Memorial Park Cemetery, Livonia, Wayne County, Michigan.

(a) Marlene Lois⁶ JAFFA was born on 1 May 1935 in Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota. Her Hebrew name is Mordechai Leb after her maternal grandfather, Max Schaffer.

[Question: Why didn't Marlene appear with her family in the 1940 census when her younger brother Richard did?]

In 1955, Marlene lived at 2715 Oakman Blvd, Detroit, Michigan.

Marlene married Paul BORMAN in September 1955 in Michigan. Marlene and Paul travelled to Europe, departing New York on the ship SS Andrea Doria for the port of Naples on October 1, 1955 and returning on the French ship Liberté, departing from Southampton, England and arriving in New York on November 14, 1955. Circa 1960, Marlene and Paul were owners of a bagel business in Detroit area. In 1986, Marlene and Paul lived at 1346 Ardmoor Drive, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan. Since 2003 they also have a home at 550 SE Mizner Blvd, Apt 305, Boca Raton, Florida.





i) Stuart Brian⁷ BORMAN was born on 10 August 1957. His Hebrew name is Selig Ben Zion after his paternal great-grandfather. In 1990, Stuart lived at 310 Southfield Rd Apt 4, Birmingham, Michigan.

Stuart married Hilary Suzanne WOLF on 7 December 1991. Since 1996, Hilary is President at Datco International Inc., a manufacturer of lint-free tack cloths, headquartered in Birmingham, Michigan. Since 2004, Stuart is CEO of Flex-Cable, an engineering company specializing in custom copper cable and resistance welding manufacturing in Birmingham, Michigan. Stuart and Hilary live in Birmingham, Michigan. They also have an address in Lake Worth/Wellington, Florida.





a. Molly Rebecca⁸ BORMAN was born on 27 September 1989 in Michigan. Her Hebrew name is Malka. In 2016, Molly was the founder of Just Nips, adhesive nipple prosthetics for the breast cancer community. Since 2021, Molly has been working for Spotify in Podcast Editorial. Molly married Larry HEYMONT on 15 September 2018. Larry was born circa 1989. In 2022, Larry was Head of Strategy for Scouts Consulting Group LLC, a business consulting group in Arlington, Virginia.





- i. Henry⁹ HEYMONT was born in February 2020 in Michigan.
- ii. Porter⁹ HEYMONT was born 2023 in Michigan.
- b. Hannah Gayle⁸ BORMAN was born on 3 April 1991 in Michigan. Her Hebrew name is Chana. Hannah married Marc Philip CRANE on 8 October 2016 at Franklin Hills Country Club, Franklin, Michigan. Marc was born in September 1986? In 2017, Hannah and Marc lived in Detroit, Michigan. Since 2021, Hannah is Chief Operating Officer at Housewife Essentials, a luxury home goods store based in Detroit, Michigan. Since 2020, Marc is a partner at Arrow Office Supply Co., Detroit's oldest and largest Office Supply Company.



- i. Claire⁹ CRANE was born on 22 October 2018 in Michigan.
- ii. Stella Dee⁹ CRANE was born on 18 September 2020 in Michigan.

ii) Gilbert Andrew⁷ BORMAN was born on 27 February 1959 in Michigan. His Hebrew name is Gedalia Chano. Gilbert married Katherine (Katie) LIFTON on 7 December 1991 in Michigan. Katherine was born on 24 November 1968. She is the daughter of Donald and Susan Lifton. In 1993, Gilbert and Katherine lived at 554 Bennington Drive, # 400c, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan. They divorced and Katie remarried after 2007.



Since 2017, Gilbert is General Counsel for Suvola Corporation, developers of Ambient Identity Devices for cybersecurity. He is also the founder of several companies: Trigonimagery (2007) a digital imaging technology company; SWTCHBRD.com (2008), a software company; Founder and CEO of Third Vault LLC (2015), digital appliances for the internet and enterprise, and Co-Founder of Perfidious LLC (2016), a game company specializing in off-beat humor games. In 2022, Gilbert lived at 1623 Hoit Tower Drive,

Bloomfield Hills, Michigan. Gilbert is an attorney with Borman Lahti PLLC in Bloomfield Hills. He is currently writing a children's book based on stories he created for his sons.

- **a.** Harry Matthew⁸ BORMAN was born circa 1995 in Michigan. (Harry was named for his great-grandfather, Harry JAFFA?) In 2021, Harry and Samuel lived at 4580 Cherokee Lane, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan with their mother and her husband, Scott Small.
- **b.** Samuel Aaron⁸ BORMAN was born circa 1999 in Michigan. In 2021, Samuel completed a bachelor of science degree in Informatics from Indiana University at Bloomington.
- iii) Eric Robert⁷ BORMAN was born on 11 September 1961. His Hebrew name is Chanino Asreli. In 1984, Eric lived at 1346 Ardmoor, Birmingham, Michigan. In 1985, Eric lived at 617 N Old Woodward Ave Apt 5, Birmingham, Michigan. Eric married Julie Ann INGBER before 1989. In 1991, they lived at 27010 Evergreen, Lathrup Village, Michigan. Between 1993 and 1995, they lived at 335 Greenwood Street, Birmingham,





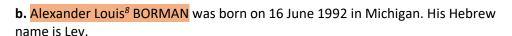
Michigan. Since 1998, Eric is President of Progressive Metal Manufacturing in Ferndale, Michigan. Since 2008, Julie is Chairman at the company. Eric and Julie live at 412 Hamilton Rd, Bloomfield Village, Michigan.

a. Jonathan Harris⁸ BORMAN was born on 27 July 1989 in Michigan. Jonathan was named for Harry Jack JAFFA his maternal greatgrandfather. His Hebrew name is Chaim Hersh. Since 2021, Jonathan is Head of Fraud Strategy for US Card Partnerships at Capital One. Jonathan married Whitney Nicole SWITCH on 9 October 2021. Whitney





was born circa 1997. In 2018, Whitney graduated from the University of Michigan with a BS in Evolutionary Anthropology.



(b) Richard Stewart⁶ JAFFA was born on 22 February 1940 in Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota. In 1956, Richard lived at 18225 Oak Drive, Detroit, Michigan. Before 1960, Richard attended Riverside Military Academy and Wayne State University. Richard married Sheri COLEN circa 1961 in Michigan. Sheri was born on 23 October 1941. Sheri is the daughter of Dr. Chester L. Colen and Eileen "Cookie" Blumberg. In 1960, Sheri attended the



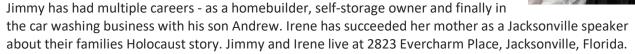


University of Arizona. In 1988, Richard and Sheri lived at 4221 Baymeadows Rd, Jacksonville, FL. Between 1992 and 1994, they lived at 2825 Sylvan Lane, Jacksonville, Florida. In 2020, Richard and Sheri lived at 2405 Meadows Drive, Park City, Utah. Richard is the owner of Jaffa Group, a construction company in Park City, Utah. Sheri is a travel consultant with Park City Travel.

i) Scott Lewis⁷ JAFFA was born on 22 June 1962. His Hebrew name is Selig after his paternal great-grandfather. Before 1993, Scott lived at 8282 Western Way Circle, Jacksonville, Florida. In 1993, Scott was an architect in Washington, D.C. Between 1993 and 1995, Scott lived at 1830 17th St NW, Apt 203, Washington, D.C. Since 1994, Scott is President at Jaffa Group in Park City, Utah. In 2021, Scott lived at 19 Prospector Drive, Park City, Utah.

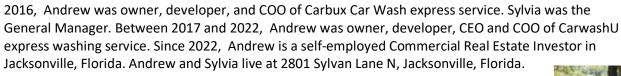


- a. Sadie Mae⁸ HERBERT-JAFFA was born on 10 April 2009 (in Utah?).
- a. Sophie Eileen⁸ HERBERT-JAFFA was born on 10 April 2009 (in Utah?).
- ii) Ilese Beth⁷ JAFFA was born on 12 June 1965. In 1986, Ilese lived at 182 E Jackson Bluff, Tallahassee, Florida. In 1989, Ilese completed an Associate of Arts and Sciences (A.A.S.) in Culinary Arts/Chef Training from Johnson and Wales University. Between 2006 and 2015, Ilese was the owner of and chef at Good Thymes (Bistro in Park City, Utah?) Between 2015 and 2016, Ilese was Chef, Owner and Manager at The Pickle Jar in Park City, Utah. Since 2016, Ilese is the Owner and Executive Chef at Culinary Creations Catering and since 2017, she is Construction Superintendent/Estimator at Jaffa Group in Park City, Utah.
- (c) James Bennett⁶ JAFFA was born on 5 March 1943 in Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota. Jimmy Married Irene KROHN on 15 June 1967 in Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan. Irene was born in Lampertheim, Germany on 4 March 1946. She is the daughter of Holocaust survivors, Leona and Mark Krohn, originally from Poland. Jimmy and Irene lived at 2801 Sylvan Lane North, Duval County, Florida between 1977-2007.



i) Andrew Selig⁷ JAFFA was born on 14 February 1969. His Hebrew name is Selig after his paternal great-grandfather. In 1992, Andrew lived at 1346 Ardmoor Dr, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan. In 1993-1994, he lived in Gainesville, Alachua County, Florida In 1998-1999, Andrew lived at 1738 San Marco Blvd, Jacksonville, Florida.

Andrew married Sylvia Pauline GRUNDWERG on 2 September 2001 in Miami-Dade County, Florida. Sylvia was born on 19 July 1975. Between 2005 and



- **a.** Eliana⁸ JAFFA was born on 22 May 2003 in Florida. In 2023, Eliana is beginning her third year at the University of Florida in biomedical engineering.
- **b.** Moses JAFFA was born on 6 May 2005 in Florida. He goes by the nickname of Moe. In 2023, Moses graduated high school and will attend the University of Florida in engineering.



c. Micah⁸ JAFFA was born 20 August 2007 in Florida. Micah is starting his Junior year at Wolfson High School and is interested in robotics.



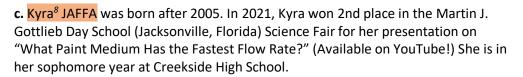
ii) Daniel Martin⁷ JAFFA was born on 1 September 1972. His Hebrew name is Daniel. In 1992, Daniel lived at 3009 SW Archer Rd, Gainesville, Florida. Between 1992 and 1993, Daniel lived at 2801 Sylvan Lane N, Jacksonville, Florida. In 1995-1996, Daniel lived in New York. Daniel married Karianne ANDERSON on 4 July 1999 at East Wind Estate, Wading River, New York. Karianne was born on 17 July 1973. She is the daughter of Karan and Richard



Anderson. In 1999, Karianne was a laboratory technician for ENZO Diagnostics in Farmingdale, New York. Daniel was a Senior Computer Consultant for Technology Solutions Company in Manhattan. They were living in Long Beach.

Daniel and Karianne lived at 2112 Zach Trace Court, Saint Johns, Florida. In 2007, they lived at 801 Stelling Court, Jacksonville, Florida. Since 2019, Daniel works for Kemper insurance as a Senior Manager and since 2022 as Director of IT, Architecture Life, Health and Corporate.

- **a.** Maiah⁸ JAFFA was born circa 2003. In 2021, Maiah graduated from Creekside High School in St. Johns, Florida. She is studying for a BS in Digital Arts and Science at the University of Florida. She is now in her third year of a program called Innovation University.
- **b.** Ava⁸ JAFFA was born circa 2005. Ava attended Creekside High School in St. Johns, Florida. She graduated this year and will be studying engineering at the University of Central Florida.







iii) Laura Ann⁷ JAFFA was born on 15 December 1974. [CONFLICTING info: online family tree has birth date as December 16th.] Her Hebrew name is Hannah. Before 1993, Laura lived at 2823 Evercharm Place, Jacksonville, Florida. Before 1993, Laura lived at 2801 Sylvan Lane N, Jacksonville, Florida. Laura married Shimon VINGER on 17 January 1999 in Washington, D.C. Shimon was born on 28 April 1971. He is the son of Irving Vinger and





Brenda Gorin. Circa 1999, Shimon received a Masters degree in History from American University in Washington, D.C. His wedding announcement said that he would pursue a doctorate in history after he and Laura returned from six months of study in Israel. As of 1999, he was also known as Kevin Scott VINGER. Laura and Shimon live in Toronto, Ontario, Canada. Shimon was a director at NCSY Chile, an international organization that has as its objective to strengthen the roots of young Jews independent of

which college, movement, family or social group they belong to. Laura is a case manager for Chai Lifeline Canada.

- **a.** Aliza VINGER was born circa 2000. Aliza has spent 3 years at a seminar in Israel.
- b. Menachem⁸ VINGER was born after 2002. Menachem is starting his 3 years at a Yeshiva.
- c. Ezrah⁸ VINGER was born circa 2003. Ezrah graduates this year and will attend a Yeshiva as well.
- **d.** Meir⁸ VINGER was born circa 2008. Meir is starting his Sophmore year at Yeshiva Darchei Torah in Toronto and is a hockey goalie.
- (3) Dorothy May⁵ SCHAFFER was born on 18 May 1911 in Chicago, Illinois. [CONFLICTING info: online family tree has birth date as May 16th, but all other records show May 18th.] She was also known as Dora. In 1930, Dorothy lived at 4922 N. Albany Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. In 1940, she lived at 1813 Spaulding Avenue,

Chicago, Illinois. In 1940, Dorothy was doing general office work for a lamp shade company. Dorothy married Howard G. FREER on 13 June 1940 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. Howard was born on 12 February 1910 in Portland, Oregon. He was described in his draft registration in 1940 as 5 feet 8 inches tall, 140 pounds, with a dark complexion, black hair and brown eyes. In 1940, Howard lived at 1819 Humboldt, Chicago, Illinois. He





was employed by Atlas Novelty Company at 2200 N. Western Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. He began military service on 19 June 1943. In 1950, Dorothy and Howard lived at 4816 Quincy Street, Apt 1A, Chicago, Illinois. Howard was an advertising manager for a "coin control" manufacturing company. Between 1993 and 1995, they lived at 2424 W Estes Ave Apt 2b, Chicago, Illinois.

Dorothy died on 14 October 1995 in Chicago, Illinois, at age 84. Howard died on 29 April 1996 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois, at age 86.

(4) Dina⁵ SCHAFFER was born on 16 September 1915 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois, [CONFLICTING info: Dina's gravestone lists her birthdate as 17 September, but the county birth record lists 16 September.] She was also known as Danice SCHAFFER (name on her birth record, but not used as far as I know). Ruth and Dina are twins. In 1930, Dina lived at 4922 N. Albany Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. Dina married Theodore ("Ted") LINN in 1935 in Chicago, Illinois. Ted was born on 20 May 1913 at Manchester, Lancashire (Salford District), England. [CONFLICTING]





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obituary and gravestone list his birth year as 1914, but his English birth record and WWII draft registration show 1913.] Ted was the son of Saul Linsky and Esther Santhouse. He had two brothers, Sidney and Bernard. Ted immigrated to the United States at the age of six with his parents and siblings on the SS Baltic, departing Liverpool, England on 13 August 1919 and arriving in New York on 24 August 1919. As of 25 August 1919, his family lived at 3 Parkman Street, West End, Boston, Massachusetts. (Saul had been naturalized in Boston in 1904 and this is the address listed on the passenger list when he brought his family over.) After 1936 Ted's name was legally changed from Theodore LINSKY.

In 1940, Dina and Ted lived at 1813 Spaulding Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. Ted was described in his draft registration in 1940 as 5 feet 7 inches tall, 130 pounds, with a light brown complexion, brown hair, brown eyes, and a "scar under his chin on the right side." In 1940, Ted owned an automotive manufacturing

business at 1215 S. Ashland Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. They moved from Chicago to Salem, Oregon in 1946. In 1950, Ted owned and operated a sawmill in Salem, Oregon. In 1950, Ted and Dina lived at 485 Manbrin Drive N, Keizer, Marion County, Oregon. (They were still at that address in 1975.) Between 1971 and 1975, Salem city directories listed him as a "partsman," but Ted was the owner of Acme Auto and Truck Parts, Salem, Oregon. In 1986, they retired to Portland where they worked part-time in their son's medical office. Between 1992 and 1993, they lived at 7392 SW Arranmore Way, Portland, Washington County, Oregon. Ted was the president of Temple Beth Shalom Synagogue and B'nai Brith.

Ted died on 10 December 1992 at Hopewell House, Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, of cancer at age 79. He was buried on 13 December 1992 in Neveh Zedek Cemetery, 7925 SW Canyon Lane, Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon.

Dina's last five years were spent under the care of Rose Schnitzer Manor in Portland.

Dina died on 3 May 2014 in Portland, Oregon, at age 98. She was buried in Neve Zedek Cemetery, 7925

Southwest Canyon Lane, Portland, Washington County, Oregon.

(a) Merritt Lewis⁶ LINN was born on 10 February 1937 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. Merritt was an ophthalmologist for 40 years. He was especially dedicated to the study of diabetes and its impact on vision. Merritt attended Reed College and then Oregon Health and Science University in Portland. In 1965, Merritt lived at 2424 N.W. Kearney, Portland, Oregon.

Merritt married Natalie Fay NEWMAN on 8 August 1965 in the chapel of the Shaarie Torah Congregation, Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon. The couple was "honored at a post-wedding reception on Sunday, August 29 when the bride's mother entertained at the Benson Hotel in Portland between 2 and 5 o'clock."

Natalie was born on 16 February 1941 in Portland, Oregon. She is the daughter of Irving Newman and Sara Ankeles. Before 1965, Natalie lived at Indian Wells, California. In 1965, Natalie lived at 4460 S.W. Scholls Ferry, Portland, Oregon. In 1965, she was a teacher. She and Merritt were divorced circa 1991 or 1992 in Oregon. In 1995, Natalie was an Indian artifact collector.

Merritt helped establish Portland's Florence Melton Adult Mini-School for adult Jewish education and the Rabbi Joshua Stampfer Community Enrichment Award, which acknowledges individuals' decades of service in the greater Portland community. He wrote "A Book of Songs," a novel that tells the story of a man and a boy living in a concentration camp without reference to race, religion, or time period. "His goal was to provide the reader with a universal experience of the Holocaust and convey the importance of family, art and humanity in the face of the harshest of realities." in 1982. Between 1993 and 1994, Merritt lived at 4125 SW 53rd Avenue, Portland, Oregon.

Merritt married Susan Ruth KOREY in March 2011. Susan was born on 28 October 1941 in Chicago, Illinois. She is the daughter of Florence Korey Clement and Dr. Herman Korey. Susan also went by the nickname of Snoo. She was a graduate of the University of Washington. Susan worked during her professional life in both the transportation and telecommunications industries as a research analyst. Later, she was an active volunteer for Jewish Family & Child Service and National Council of Jewish Women, the Rental Sales Gallery associated with the Portland Art Museum and Portland Homeless Family Solutions.



Merritt died on 24 January 2016 in Portland, Oregon, at age 78. He was buried in Neveh Zedek Cemetery, Portland, Oregon. A Memorial Service was held on Wednesday January 27, 2016 at 2PM at Congregation Neveh Shalom Synagogue, 2900 SW Peaceful Ln, Portland. Shortly before he died, his children asked him to "share what words of guidance he'd offer his grandchildren. He emphasized the importance of self-determination, reciprocity and treating all people as if you and they were part of the same world." Susan died on 9 April 2021 at Portland, Oregon, at age 79 "after a protracted period of dementia." She was buried at Neveh Zedek-Rose City Lodge Cemetery, Portland, Oregon.

i) Keith Ian⁷ LINN was born on 3 April 1966. In 1993, Keith lived at 2251 SE Caruthers St, # 717, Portland, Oregon. In 1994, Keith lived at 4125 SW 53rd Avenue, Portland, Oregon. Keith married Lisa Jane LUDWIG on 17 May 2008 at Clatsop County, Oregon. Lisa was born on 23 August 1970. She is an attorney. Keith is a forensic psychologist.





- **a.** Walter⁸ LINN was born in 2009.
- **ii)** Jodi Eden⁷ LINN was born on 1 April 1970. Between 1993 and 1995, Jodi lived at 4125 SW 53rd Avenue, Portland, Oregon. Between 1998 and 2002, Jodi lived at 3624 SW Multnomah Blvd, Portland, Oregon. Jodi married Kenneth Robert COLEMAN on 28 May 2005 in Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon. Kenneth was born on 29 July 1971. In 2005, Jodi and Kenneth lived at 1145 NE 73rd Avenue, Portland,





Oregon. In 2014, Jodi was a therapist for Clackamas County Crisis. Jodi is a social worker. She also does photography (http://www.jodicoleman.com/). Since 2018, Kenneth is a History Instructor at Portland Community College. He is also an independent historian and author. His book Dangerous Subjects: James D. Saules and the Rise of Black Exclusion in Oregon was published in 2017.

- a. Casey⁸ COLEMAN was born on 28 February 2008.
- **b.** Jane⁸ COLEMAN was born on 28 February 2008.
- **(b)** Karen Susan⁶ LINN was born on 20 January 1942 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. Karen attended the University of Washington and was a member of Phi Sigma Sigma, "the first collegiate nonsectarian sorority to allow membership of women of all faiths and backgrounds." (Wikipedia). In 1966, Karen was a secretary. In 1966, Karen lived at 683 Manbrin Drive North, Salem, Oregon. Karen married Richard Herbert SOLOMON on 20





March 1966 in the Crystal Room of the Benson Hotel, Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon. Richard was born on 10 November 1938 in Minneapolis, Minnesota. He is the son of Harry Solomon and Shirley Grossman. In 1966, Richard was an associate in the Society of Actuaries and an actuarial consultant for Blue Cross of Southern California, Oakland. In 1995, Richard was a pension actuary and Karen was a bookkeeper and real estate business manager. After Richard retired, he was an assistant teacher at UCLA in the Actuarial department. Since the 1970's, Richard and Karen lived at 2317 Guthrie Drive, Los Angeles, California. Karen still lives there.

Richard died on 29 October 2019 in Los Angeles, California.

i) Renee Elaine⁷ SOLOMON was born on 1 April 1971 in Los Angeles County, California. In 1989, Renee lived at 100 Aberdeen Drive, Riverside, California.

Renee married Anthony Gilles SATER (after 1991?) Anthony ("Tony") was born on 4 December 1970 in Los Angeles County, California. In 1995, they lived at 10723 Ashton Avenue, Los Angeles, California. In 1999, Anthony was the owner of Sater Real Estate / Sater Development. They are divorced. Renee is a clinical psychologist and, since 2016, the owner and CEO of Forward Recovery, a center offering residential and outpatient treatment services for substance abuse.

In 2020, Renee lived at 841 Westmount Drive, Unit 112, West Hollywood, California.

a. Lily⁸ SATER was born (date?) in California.

(5) Ruth Roslyn⁵ SCHAFFER was born on 17 September 1915 in Chicago, Illinois. [CONFLICTING info: Ruth's birth record lists Sept. 16th (as does the birth record of her sister Dina), but her obituary and Social Security records list Sept. 17th, and her marriage certificate lists Sept 17th, 1916!] Ruth and Dina are twins. In 1930, Ruth lived at 4922 N. Albany Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. In 1940, Ruth was doing general office work for an automotive supply business owned by Harry Hurwitz. In 1940, Ruth lived at 1813 Spaulding Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. In 1948, Ruth moved to Salem, Marion County, Oregon. In 1949, Ruth worked for the Dean of Admissions at Willamette College in Salem.





Ruth married Nathaniel ("Nat") ISRAEL on 10 September 1949 in Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon. They met at a Yom Kippur Ball in Salem. Nat was born on 31 July 1913 at St. Paul, Ramsey County, Minnesota. He is the son of Moses (Morris) Israel and Bertha

Friedland. He was described in his WWII Army enlistment records as 5 feet 8 inches tall and 146 pounds, but in an Oregon draft registration record, he is listed as 5 feet 10 inches tall, 150 pounds, with a ruddy complexion, brown eyes, and brown hair. He began military service on 25 July 1942 at Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon. Nat enlisted as a Private in the U.S. Army in the Branch Immaterial-Warrant Officers, USA. He served in the Philippines and achieved the rank of Captain.

In 1950, Ruth and Nat lived at 3574 Harold Court, Portland, Oregon. Nat was a salesman for a retail typewriter shop. In the 1960's, Ruth was an accountant and the treasurer of CTR Business Systems, the family business.

Nat died on 22 March 1993 at Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, at age 79.

In 1995, Ruth lived at 6120 S.W. Riverpoint Lane, Portland, Oregon.

Ruth died on 5 March 2007 in Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, at age 91. She was buried on 8 March 2007 in Beth Israel Cemetery, Portland, Oregon.

(a) Jeffrey Morris⁶ ISRAEL was born on 27 May 1951. Jeffrey married Pamela Jean MCKENZIE on 16 May 1976 at Congregation Beth Israel, Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon. A reception-buffet dinner and informal dance was held on June 5th at the farm home of Pamela's parents (4789 N. Wisner Road, Breckenridge, Michigan). Pamela was born on 18 March 1952. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Basil D. McKenzie.



In 1982, Jeffrey and Pamela lived at 7950 SW Florence Lane, Portland, Oregon.

Between 1993 and 2015, they lived at 720 SW Hume St, Portland, Oregon. In 2015, Jeffrey was an ENT-otolaryngologist in Portland, Oregon. Pamela is a nurse-practitioner.

i) Jeremy Micah⁷ ISRAEL was born on 5 June 1979. Jeremy married Alyssa Lynn OZIEL on 31 July 2010 in Oregon. Alyssa was born on 15 March 1980 in Los Angeles County, California. In 2015, Jeremy and Alyssa lived at 10250 SW Pastern Place, Beaverton, Oregon, (Near Lake Oswego, OR).





Since 2018, Alyssa has worked for Nike, Inc. as Program Manager, Enterprise Architecture (2018-2020); Lead Technical Program Manager, Global Platform Strategy (2020-2022); and Principal Technical Program Director (2022-). Between 2018 and 2020, Jeremy was an Account Manager at Philips Sleep and Respiratory Care. Since 2022, Jeremy is a Regional Sales Manager for Vyaire Medical, a medical technology manufacturer. In 2020, Jeremy and Alyssa lived at 11975 SW Turnstone Avenue, Beaverton, Oregon.

- a. Kaiyah⁸ ISRAEL was born in 2013 in Oregon.
- b. "Laylie" ISRAEL was born circa 2015.
- **ii)** Jessica M.⁷ ISRAEL was born on 15 March 1983. Jessica married Robert JOHNSON before 2014. In 2015, they lived at 19518 River Woods Drive, Bend, Oregon. They are divorced. Jess is an independent photography professional.



- a. Bjorn⁸ JOHNSON was born before 2014.
- **(b)** Edward Louis⁶ ISRAEL was born on 7 July 1953 in Portland, Oregon. Edward married Carla Marie SHOEMAKER on 9 May 1987 at Temple Beth Israel, 1931 Northwest Flanders, Portland, Oregon. Carle was born on 2 August 1953. In 1994, Edward and Carla lived at 17838 Marylcreek Drive, Lake Oswego, Oregon. In 1995, Edward was President of the family business equipment company.. Between 2014 and 2022, Edward was President/ Co-





founder at Plural Additive Manufacturing in Lake Oswego, Oregon. In 2015, Edward was also the CEO and Vice President of Business Development at Leadership Coaching and Strategy in Portland, Oregon. Since 2022, Edward is an Additive Manufacturing Consultant at The Way of the Filament in Portland, Oregon. In 2017, Edward and Carla lived at 8577 SW Bellflower Street, Tigard (Portland), Washington County, Oregon.

i) Lauren Ruth⁷ ISRAEL was born in September 1988. In 2016, Lauren lived in Lake Oswego, Oregon. Lauren married Nicholas Taylor DULETZKE on 28 May 2016 in Oregon. Nicholas was born on 29 December 1987 in Los Angeles County, California. Between 2016 and 2022, Nicholas was a resident physician at University of Utah Health and a fellow at Oregon Health & Science University. Between 2018 and 2022, Lauren was working in public relations and marketing at





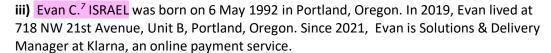
Cricut, designer and manufacturer of machines, materials, and tools for DIY project. In 2020, they lived at 2673 S 1700 E, Salt Lake City, Utah. Since 2022, Nick is a trauma surgeon at PeaceHealth SWMC in Vancouver, Washington. Lauren is Director of Content & Engagement, Innovation Labs / Nike Sports Research Lab & Nike Valiant Lab in Beaverton, Oregon.

- **a.** Hailey⁸ DULETZKE was born in March 2019.
- **b.** [Nolan]⁸ DULETZKE was born on 2 December 2021.
- ii) Elizabeth Katherine⁷ ISRAEL was born in June 1990. She goes by the nickname Libby. Libby married Joseph ("Joey") Patrick McCARRY on 4 June 2021 in Hood River, Oregon. Joey was born circa 1991. Since 2017, Joey is a Designer at Victor E Design Build Landscape in Portland, Oregon. Libby is a public elementary school



teacher. They live at 2712 SE Maple Street, Milwaukie, Clackamas County, Oregon.

a. Miles⁸ McCARRY was born in January 2022.





(c) Ellen⁶ ISRAEL was born on 7 December 1955 in Portland, Oregon. Ellen married Douglas KAHN on 1 September 1975 in Mutnomah County, Oregon. Douglas was born on 9 November 1950 in San Francisco County, California. He is the son of Myer and Sally Kahn. Douglas is a rabbi. Between 1982 and 2016, Douglas served the San Francisco-based Jewish Community Relations Council for 32 years, including 25 as executive director.

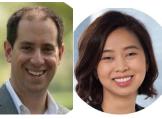




From a 2014 article in JWeekly: "The first thing you have to know about Kahn is how proud he is of his ties to the Bay Area — fourth generation and a U.C. Berkeley alum. His great-grandfather, Myer Sol Levy, immigrated here in 1870 and was the first rabbi at Temple Emanu-El in San Jose and at Oakland's Temple Sinai, where his students included Gertrude Stein and Judah Magnes. Like his future great-grandson, Levy got involved in Jewish community relations, working to ensure that Jewish students weren't penalized for missing school on Jewish holidays, and publicly taking on Mark Twain for an article criticizing American Jews for not serving in the military in proportion to their numbers.

In 1983, Ellen and Douglas lived at 1673 9th Avenue, San Francisco, California. Between 1984 and 1985, they lived at 148 Knight Drive, San Rafael, California. Ellen is an attorney. Douglas retired in 2016. Ellen and Douglas live at 150 Via Lerida, Greenbrae, California.

i) Daniel Avi⁷ KAHN was born on 9 November 1982 in San Francisco County, California. In 2009, Daniel founded the Baton Rouge Youth Coalition, an organization that prepares "high-achieving, underresourced high school students to enter, excel in, and graduate from college." (www.thebryc.org) in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Daniel married Euhbin Kate SONG on 31 August 2014 at the Harvard Club in New York



City. In 2015, Daniel and Euhbin lived at 1346 N Hoyne Avenue, Unit 301, Chicago, Illinois. Between 2016 and 2020, Euhbin was working at Boston Consulting Group (BCG) as a Consultant, Project Leader, and then Principal. Since 2016, Daniel is a Partner at Boston Consulting Group. Since 2020, Euhbin has been working for Humana as AVP, Care Management Strategy & Operations (2020-2022) and AVP, Care Management and Utilization Management Strategy (2022-). Daniel and Euhbin live at 1014 Diamond Street, San Francisco, California.

a. YongGil "Gil" Meir⁸ KAHN-SONG was born on 1 December 2022 in San Francisco, California.

ii) Joseph Micah⁷ KAHN was born on 5 October 1988 in San Francisco County, California. He goes by the nickname of Joey. In 2008, he lived in Greenbrae, California. Between 2013 and 2015, Joey was a Producer and Editor at WTOP News in Washington, D.C. Between 2015 and 2017, Joey was Media Relations & Policy Manager, Recreation & Park Department for the City and County of San Francisco. Joey married Lauren REED on 20 July 2019 in Marshall, California. Since 2018, he has worked for the National Audubon Society as Communications Manager (2018-2022) and Director of Communications (2022-). Lauren is a professor of Social Work at Arizona State University. They live Napa, California.



- a. Noa Bell⁸ REED-KAHN was born on 27 April, 2021 in Phoenix, Arizona.
- b) (--?--)⁴ DAUGHTER Schaffer was born after 1881 in Krynki, Poland (Russia). There was a daughter between Max and Morris who died at age 19. Cause of death not known, but her sister Bess Susman thought it was from lockjaw. (--?--) died circa 1900 in Poland/Russia.
- **c)** Chaja⁴ SOYFER was born after 1887 in Krynki, Poland (Russia). Chaja also went by the nickname of Chaitche.

Chayah married her first husband [name not yet known] in Europe. [Need to verify when he died, but it was before she came to South America.] In 1936, Chaja lived in Buenos Aires, Argentina. Chaja and Rywka SOFER immigrated in 1936. They came to Argentina on the ship Macelia from Bordeaux, France. The trip from Bordeaux to Buenos Aires took 16 days. They remained in Buenos Aires (with their husbands?) until Dvoshe and Feival



arrived a year later and then they all moved to Montevideo, Uruguay, primarily because there was a community there of people from Krynki. Chaja married Abraham KIRZNER after 1936 in Uruguay.

There is a 1951 listing for Abraham Ana R. DE KIRZNER living at Av. Uruguay 1922, Montevideo, Uruguay. [Did Avraham remarry or was this another name for Chaja?] Chaja died [date?] in Uruguay.

- (1) Blanca⁵ _____ was born in Uruguay. She was named after her maternal grandmother, Blume Asch. Blanca married German KIRZNER, son of Abraham KIRZNER (from a previous marriage?), on 29 September 1951 at los salones de la calle Rio Branco 1119, Montevideo, Uruguay. In 1996, they lived in Trieste Tres, Uruguay.
 - (a) Clarita⁶ KIRSHNER was born aft 1952 in Montevideo, Uruguay. Clarita married Rudi LEWY in Uruguay. Clarita and Rudi lived in Montevideo, Uruguay.
 - i) Herbert⁷ LEWY was born in Montevideo, Uruguay.
 - ii) (--?--)⁷ DAUGHTER 1 LEWY was born in Montevideo, Uruguay.
 - iii) (--?--)⁷ DAUGHTER 2 LEWY was born in Montevideo, Uruguay.



(b) Andres⁶ KIRSHNER was born aft 1952 in Montevideo, Uruguay. He was also known as Elias. His father-in-law was an opera singer. Circa 1978, Andres was studying to be a veterinarian. Andres married (--?--) in 1985 in Uruguay.

(2) Enrique⁵ _____ was born in Uruguay. Enrique married Eva [MAIDEN NAME NOT KNOWN]. His Hebrew name is Hershel. Per his aunt Berta, Enrique and Eva did not have any children as of 1978. They lived about an hour away from his sister, Blanca, and were very well off economically and socially.

d) Morris⁴ SHAFFER was born on 10 January 1888 in Krynki, Poland (Russia). His Hebrew name is Moshe. Before 1907, Morris was worked in the leather factory in Krynki. Morris immigrated in 1907. Morris never married. According to sister Bess, "In those days they used to do people so they shouldn't have to go in the army... so I think they did something to his ear...and somehow this sort of changed his life and he wasn't interested in many things." According to niece Lila Weinberg, there is a story that he was in love with someone, but it didn't work out and he was heartbroken thereafter. According to niece Dorothy Schatz, Morris was a 'soft-spoken, gentle man and very good looking.'



As of 1910, Morris lived at 1407 W. Loomis, Chicago, Illinois. He was a boarder with a family named Brener (Jacob and Deborah and their three children). There was another boarder named Rose Herskovitz. In 1910 Morris was a cigar maker in a cigar factory. He was naturalized after 1910. (The 1910 census lists Morris as an alien.)

Morris died on 10 September 1953 in Chicago, Illinois, at age 65. According to his niece Dorothy, Morris died of tuberculosis in a sanitarium. Morris was buried in Waldheim Cemetery, Forest Park, Cook County, Illinois.

e) Samuel⁴ SHAFFER was born on 15 July 1889 in Krynki, Russia (now Poland), (This conflicts with birthdate on headstone, but it is the date listed on his Declaration of Intention for citizenship.) His Hebrew name is Yakov Shmuel. He was named after his grandfather, Yankev Shmoel (per sister Bess). Before 1910, Samuel was working in the leather factory in Krynki. From his sister Bess: "When my brother Sam became twenty-one years old, my father sent him to the United States so he wouldn't have to go in the army. Sam got all kinds of education; he went to every melamed in shtetl." Sam also was known by the nickname of "The Baron" because he always dressed well, according to his sister, Bess.

Sam immigrated to the United States departing from Antwerp, Belgium arriving through Montreal, Canada, and Detroit on 12 January 1910. [Conflicting info: His petition for naturalization shows Jan. 13th as his arrival date.] His Declaration of Intent was dated Oct. 2, 1922. In 1910, Samuel lived at 732 Morgan Street, Chicago, Illinois.

Samuel married Blanche HYMAN on 17 December 1917 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. Blanche was born on 2 May 1892 in Krynki, Poland. Her Hebrew name is Blume. Blanche is the daughter of Itzek

Himowitz and Rachel Leah (nee Feller). Her father's name was Avraham Yitzchak (according to her headstone at Waldheim and his headstone in Cincinnati). Her brother, Harry, was a good friend of Sam's. Blanche first met Sam when she was in the park with her brother, sitting on a bench (per daughter, Lila). The name Hyman is shortened from Hymawitz (Haimowitz), the family is related to the Rabinowitz family (Max Schaffer's wife). Blanche immigrated to the United States from Bremen Germany, arriving in Baltimore, Maryland in Sep 1905. In 1920,



Samuel and Blanche were renting at 858 Mozart Street, Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. Sam was a sorter in a junk shop per the 1920 census. He was described in his draft registration in 1922 as 5 feet 8 inches tall, 160 pounds, with a light complexion, brown hair, and gray eyes. His occupation was listed as bottle sorter. In October 1922, Sam and Blanche lived at 856 N. Mozart St, Chicago, Illinois. (They moved next door!) Between 1929 and 1930, Samuel was a shipping clerk for a bottle supplies company.

Between 1929 and 1930, Sam and Blanche lived at 2843 W. Walton, Chicago, Illinois. Sam was naturalized on 17 January 1930 in Chicago, Illinois. Between 1930 and 1940, Sam and Blanche lived at 2843 Walton Street, Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. In 1930, Blanche's sister Esther was living with them. Blanche was naturalized on 19 November 1941 in Chicago, Illinois. (She originally became a U.S. citizen through the naturalization of her father on 3 October 1911 in the Circuit Court in Newport, Kentucky. - Certificate 192546) Blanche was described in her petition for naturalization as 5 feet 2 inches tall, 160 pounds, with a medium complexion, brown hair, and hazel eyes. She listed her occupation as cap maker and housewife. In 1950, Blanche was a sewing machine operator in a cap factory. Between 1941 and 1958, Sam and Blanche lived at 2851 Augusta Blvd, Chicago, Illinois. In 1942, Sam was a peddler. In 1958, Samuel was a salvage dealer.

Blanche died on 16 January 1958 at Michael Reese Hospital, Chicago, Illinois, at age 65. She was buried in Waldheim Cemetery, Forest Park, Cook County, Illinois. Services were held in the chapel at 2235 Division Street, Chicago.

In 1971, Samuel SHAFFER lived at 5421 S. Cornell Avenue, Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. He was a retired scrap metal dealer.

Sam died on 8 December 1971 in Michael Reese Hospital, Chicago, Illinois, at age 82. He was buried in First Krinker Aid Society Cemetery, Waldheim, Forest Park, Cook County, Illinois. Services were held at the Piser North Town Memorial Chapel at 6130 N. California Avenue, Chicago.

(1) Lila Evelyn⁵ SHAFFER was born on 15 October 1918 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. Lila was named after her maternal grandmother, Rachel Leya (Feller/Hyman). She was listed in the 1920 census as Lillian (1 year and 3 months old). That name in was correct (per Lila), but it was changed to Lila shortly afterward. In 1950, Lila was an editor for a magazine publisher.





Lila married Arthur WEINBERG, son of Abe WEINBERG and Anna AVEDON, on 22 January 1953 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. Arthur was born on 8 December 1915 in University Hospital in Chicago, Illinois. His Hebrew name is Asher. Circa 1935, Arthur was president of the Industrial Workers of the World, the union founded by militant socialists in 1905. Arthur was described in his draft registration in 1940 as 5 feet 11 inches tall, 155 pounds, with a light complexion, brown hair and hazel eyes. In 1941, Arthur graduated from Northwestern University, where he majored in journalism. While attending school he was associated with the Illinois Writers' Project, a federal project that employed writers during the Depression. While working with the writer's project he wrote on a variety of subjects, including black storefront churches in Chicago and labor legislation in Illinois. Arthur served in the U.S. Army between 25 June 1945 and 18 November 1946.

In 1974, Lila and Arthur lived at 5421 S Cornell Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. In 1974, Lila and Arthur were taught a course in social history in the School for New Learning at DePaul University. A writing award was named after Arthur posthumously by the School. "The Weinberg Prize is awarded annually to an undergraduate and graduate student whose Externship, Major Piece of Work or Master Work best exemplifies the values of social justice and historical scholarship exhibited in the lifework of Arthur Weinberg in 1990. Arthur and Lila taught at SNL for over a decade and were internationally recognized as outstanding historians and scholars." (DePaul SNL newsletter)

Published in the Jewish Telegraphic Agency (https://www.jta.org/2010/06/01/united-states/lila-weinberg-chicago-historian-and-author-dies)

"CHICAGO — Lila Weinberg, a Chicago historian, author, teacher and editor, has died. Weinberg, who died May 29 at the age of 91 from complications of cancer, collaborated with her late husband, Arthur, on six books on social history, including two on attorney Clarence Darrow. One of the books, Clarence Darrow: Attorney for the Damned, spent 19 weeks on the New York Times best-seller list in 1957. Arthur Weinberg died in 1989.

A resident of Chicago's Hyde Park neighborhood for 45 years, Weinberg was a senior book manuscript editor and a journal manuscript editor at the University of Chicago Press for 34 years. She retired at age 80. Weinberg was honored as a Newberry Library treasured author. She received the John Peter Altgeld Freedom of Speech Award from the Newberry Library Bughouse Square Debates Committee in 2001. The Weinbergs also were honored by the Society of Midland Authors with a special body of work award in May, 1987.

The Weinbergs are well known in Chicago as having conceived the idea in 1957 of the annual commemoration of Darrow's death by throwing a wreath over the Clarence Darrow Memorial Bridge in Jackson Park, Chicago — the site where Darrow's ashes were strewn — on the anniversary of his death. The ceremony continues today in conjunction with an accompanying symposium focused on an issue of concern to Darrow that is still relevant today."

In 1987, Arthur was past president of the Society of Midland Authors and he received the Midland Authors' annual award for a distinguished body of work. In 1988 Arthur was a Lloyd Lewis Fellow in American History at the Newberry Library, where he has spent years as a researcher and scholar.

Other books by Arthur and Lila:

<u>A Sentimental Rebel</u>, a biography of Clarence Darrow which received the 1980 Friends of Literature Award. <u>The Muckrakers</u>, which was selected for the White House library in the Kennedy administration, <u>Instead of Violence</u>, <u>Passport to Utopia</u>, <u>Some Dissenting Voices</u>, and <u>Verdict Out of Court</u>. At the time of his death, the Weinbergs were working on a book titled <u>Bold Spirits: Women of Hull House</u>, about the early women of Chicago's Hull House, and also were consulting on two television projects about Darrow's life.

Arthur died on 28 January 1989 at Michael Reese Hospital, Chicago, Illinois, at age 73. He was buried in Waldheim Cemetery, Forest Park, Cook County, Illinois. In First Krinker Society section. Lila died on 29 May 2010 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois, at age 91. She was buried in First Krinker Society, Gate 225, Jewish Waldheim Cemetery, Forest Park, Illinois.

(a) Anita Michelle⁶ WEINBERG was born on 21 December 1953 in Chicago, Illinois. Anita and Hedy are twins. Her Hebrew/Yiddish name is Endl Michli. In 1974, Anita received a bachelor's degree from the University of Michigan where she studied political science, sociology, and psychology. In 1977, Anita received a Master of Science degree from the Columbia University School of Social Work. Between 1977





and 1982, Anita was Director of Resources for Permanence at the Child Welfare League of America, and adjunct faculty at the University of Chicago School of Social Services Administration, where she created and taught a class on social work and the law.

Anita married Mark Jeffrey MILLER on 6 September 1981 at Ida Noyes Courtyard, Woodlawn Avenue at Fifty-ninth, Chicago, Illinois. Mark was born on 27 December 1954. He is the son of Marvin Miller and Rayna Goldberg. Between 1982 and 1993, Mark was a Managing Editor at Crain's Chicago Business. In 1986, Anita received a Juris Doctor from Loyola University School of Law. From 1987-1990, she was a Supervising Attorney with the Cook County Office of Public Guardian representing children in abuse and neglect proceedings in juvenile court and in class action litigation. From 1991-1994, Anita was a staff attorney with the Legal Assistance Foundation of Chicago, a social services organization for children's rights.

Between 1993 and 1996, Mark was Deputy Managing Editor at the Chicago Sun Times. Between 1994 and 1997 Anita was the Director of Policy and Planning in the Office of the Inspector General, Illinois Department of Children and Family Services. Since 1998, Anita has been a clinical professor at Loyola University in Chicago, Director of the ChildLaw Policy and Legislative Programs, and Director of Lead Safe Housing Initiatives at Civitas ChildLaw Center, Loyola University, School of Law. Between 2007 and 2011, Mark was a columnist for Tribune Media Services. Since then, he writes monthly columns for Penton Media's WealthManagement.com and Morningstar, and a weekly column for Reuters Money. Mark is a journalist, author and podcaster specializing in coverage of retirement and aging. Anita and Mark live at 2601 Simpson Street, Evanston, Illinois.

i) Shira Avedon⁷ MILLER was born on 26 December 1984 in Chicago, Illinois. Shira was named after her great-grandfather, Sam Shaffer, and her middle name Avedon was the maiden name of her grandfather Arthur Weinberg's mother.

Shira married David HEIFETZ on 13 October 2019 in Illinois. David was born in August 1988. Since 2021, David is Communications Director at Breakthrough Energy in Washington, D.C., and Shira is Chief Program and Strategy Officer at Civic Nation in the Washington, D.C. metro area.





David and Shira live at 1339 Kennedy Street NW, Washington, D.C.

- a. Sam Bahman Avedon⁸ HEIFETZ was born on 26 September 2021 in Washington, D.C.
- ii) Beth Avedon⁷ MILLER was born on 17 October 1987 in Chicago, Illinois. Beth was named after her great-grandmother, Blanche Hyman. Her middle name, Avedon, was the maiden name of her grandfather Arthur Weinberg's mother. In 2015, Beth was U.S. Advocacy Officer at Defense for Children International Palestine in New York, New York. Since 2019, she is Political Director at Jewish Voice for Peace.
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- iii) Asher Avedon⁷ MILLER was born on 10 March 1991 in Chicago, Illinois, He was named after his grandfather, Arthur Weinberg. His middle name Avedon was Arthur Weinberg's mother's maiden name. In 2021, Asher completed a Master of Education degree in Educational Policy Analysis from Harvard Graduate School of Education. Since 2022, Asher is a Policy Specialist at Collaborative for Academic, Social, and Emotional Learning (CASEL), formed in 1994 to establish high-quality, evidence-based SEL as an essential part of preschool through high school education.



(b) Hedy Merrill⁶ WEINBERG was born on 21 December 1953 in Chicago, Illinois. Hedy and Anita are twins. Hedy married Daniel Benjamin CORNFIELD on 30 June 1985 at Courtyard of the Smart Gallery, 5550 Greenwood Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. Daniel was born on 05 November 1952 in Washington, D.C. Between 1974 and 1980, Daniel received a B.A. in sociology, with honors (1974), an M.A. in sociology (1977) and a Ph.D. in sociology (1980), all from the University of Chicago.





Between 1984 and 2022, Hedy was Executive Director of the Tennessee ACLU. An article in The Tennessean had this quote: "What a tremendous impact Hedy has had on the state of Tennessee and how much she will be missed," ACLU of Tennessee Board Chair Paula Williams said. "Under her vision and steady leadership, this organization has grown into a strategic, strong, multi-faceted powerhouse that never backs down from a challenge and always moves us ahead in the fight for justice and equity." In 1993, Daniel was a professor of sociology, professor of political science (from 2008), and professor of American Studies (from 2015) at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tennessee. He is Editor-in-Chief of Work and Occupations, and a Fellow of the Labor and Employment Relations Association. Daniel has written a number of books, including Workers, Managers, and Technological Change: Emerging Patterns of Labor Relations, Layoffs: an inquiry into the social causes of separations from the firm, and Beyond the Beat: Musicians Building Community in Nashville.

Since 1999, Daniel and Hedy live at 700 Woodleigh Drive, Nashville, Tennessee.

i) Hannah Arie⁷ CORNFIELD was born on 17 April 1990 in Nashville, Tennessee. She was named after her grandfather, Arthur Weinberg. In 2022, Hannah is a researcher at Koreatown Immigrant Workers Alliance (KIWA) in Los Angeles, California. In 2023, Hannah completed her Master degree in Social Welfare at the University of Chicago. Hannah lives at 1818 Manning Avenue, Los Angeles, California.



(c) Wendy Clare⁶ WEINBERG was born on 2 August 1957 in Chicago, Illinois. Her Hebrew name is Chana Vishni. Wendy married Nathaniel ROTHMAN on 14 June 1987 at Ida Noyes Courtyard, Woodlawn Avenue at Fifty-ninth Street, Chicago, Illinois. Nate was born on 10 June 1955 in Bridgeport, Connecticut. He is the son of Murray Rothman and Laura Schleicher.





Between 1993 and 2009, Wendy was a researcher for the National Institute of Health. Wendy has a doctorate in biological sciences. In 2009, she was the Senior Investigator and Acting Chief, Laboratory of Molecular Oncology, Division of Monoclonal Antibodies, Office of Biotechnology Products (OBP), Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (CDER), FDA. The title of her research program was "Molecular Mechanisms Involved in Regulating Epithelial Differentiation, Neoplasia, and Therapeutic Efficacy." Nate received an A.B. in biochemistry and molecular biology at Harvard College and a M.D. at Northwestern University. At Johns Hopkins University, he received training in internal medicine, occupational and environmental medicine, and epidemiology. Dr. Rothman joined the National Cancer Institute in 1990. His research focuses on using biologic markers of exposure, early biologic effect, and genetic susceptibility in epidemiologic studies of occupational and environmental causes of cancer.

Nate is Senior Investigator and Head of Molecular Studies at the National Cancer Institute, Division of Cancer Epidemiology and Genetics. He received the PHS Achievement Medal for research on cancer biomarkers and the Commendation Medal for studies of benzene and is the author of more than 700 publications. Wendy and Nate live at 6816 Winterberry Lane, Bethesda, Maryland.

i) Ariana Morit⁷ ROTHMAN was born on 9 January 1996 in Rockville, Maryland. Ariana was named for Arthur WEINBERG and for her paternal grandfather, Murray Rothman. In 2014, Ariana lived at 6816 Winterberry Lane, Bethesda, Maryland. Between 2019 and 2022, Ariana was working at J Street as a Regional Organizer. Since 2022, Ariana is a Law Project Social Work Intern at Chicago Coalition for the Homeless. Ariana lives at 4908 N Glenwood Avenue, Unit 1N, Chicago, Illinois.



ii) Rachel Emma ROTHMAN was born on 14 April 1997 in Rockville, Maryland. Rachel was named after her paternal great grandmother Ethel Rothman and her maternal great-aunt Emma Avedon Favia. In 2020, Rachel received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Environmental Studies from the University of Oregon. Since 2020, Rachel has worked in the political arena. In Georgia, she was a Runoff Field Organizer (2021) and a Runoff Regional Operations Director (2022) for the Democratic Party. In Virginia, she has been



a Field Director for a Democratic delegate, an Organizing Director for the 7th Congressional District, and a Campaign Director for a Senate candidate for the 16th district.

(2) Dorothy Marian⁵ SHAFFER was born on 29 October 1922 in Chicago, Illinois. [CONFLICTING info: The Cook County birth index lists her birthdate at October 28th, but her parents' naturalization documents list the 29th.] Her Hebrew name is Dvora Miriam. Dorothy was named for her paternal great grandfather, Dovid, and her paternal uncle, Max. In 1930, Dorothy lived at 2843 Walton Street, Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. Dorothy moved to Los Angeles, where she met her husband, Mickey. Between 1947 and 1991, Dorothy was an executive/medical secretary and office manager for 44 years at International Hospital Supply. In 1949, Dorothy lived at 5533 Fountain Avenue, Hollywood, California.



Dorothy married Milton ("Mickey") SCHATZ on 7 August 1949 at 8834 Key Street, Beverly Hills, Los Angeles County, California. Mickey was born on 3 March 1919 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. He was the son of Jacob (Jack) Schatz and Jennie Goldstein. Jack was a proprietor of a jewelry store in 1920 and was listed in the census as a proprietor of an "installments dealer". In 1930, Mickey lived at 242 N. St

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census as a proprietor of an "installments dealer". In 1930, Mickey lived at 242 N. St. Louis Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. In 1940, he lived at 1366 Herbert Avenue, Los Angeles, Belvedere County, California. Mickey was described in his draft registration in 1940 as 5 feet 10 inches tall, 125 pounds, with a light complexion, brown hair and blue eyes. In 1940, he was a shipping clerk for his father's wholesale jewelry store. He enlisted in the U.S. Army on 23 February 1942 at Fort Macarthur, San Pedro, California. He ended military service on 25 September 1945. In 1948, Mickey was employed by Seabright Distributing Company (his father's beverage business). In 1950, he was part-owner.

In 1950, Dorothy and Milton lived at 4408 Lockwood, Los Angeles, California. In 1950, Dorothy was a secretary to a doctor. She became a bat mitzvah on 23 April 1985 at Valley Beth Israel Congregation, Sun Valley, California. In 1987, Dorothy was active in the Family Violence Project of Jewish Family Service and was instrumental in establishing the Hope Cottage and Tamar House shelters for domestic violence

survivors. In 1990, Dorothy and Mickey lived at 4223 Arrowhead Circle, Westlake Village, California. Dorothy was a lifetime member of Valley Beth Israel synagogue and served on the sisterhood and temple boards for more than 20 years. Dorothy was also an active member of the Pacific Southwest Branch of the Women's League of Conservative Judaism, where she served on the board for 20 years. As chair of the Mitzvah Program for four years, she helped coordinate the Sunday meals for Jewish AIDS patients through Project Chicken Soup. In 1993, Dorothy lived in North Hollywood, California, (same address for 43 years!). In 1995, Dorothy and Milton lived at 12931 Kittridge Street, North Hollywood, California.

Mickey died on 3 September 2003 in North Hollywood, Los Angeles County, California, at age 84. He was buried in Mount Sinai Cemetery, Los Angeles, California.

Dorothy died on 15 November 2007 in North Hollywood, Los Angeles County, California, at age 85. She was buried on 18 November 2017 in Los Angeles, California. Funeral services were held at Mount Sinai Hollywood Hills on Forest Lawn Drive.

(a) Ilana Rachel⁶ SCHATZ was born on 30 August 1952 in Los Angeles County, California. Her Hebrew name is Rachael Tzvie. Ilana was named for Hershel (Alter) SOUFER, her maternal grandfather and Jacob Israel Schatz, her paternal grandfather. Her name on her birth record was Ilene. In 1984, Ilana was a Public Health Nutritionist in the Bay Area of California. In 1995, Ilana lived at 1441 Elm St, El Cerrito, California. Ilana has a Master's in Public Health Nutrition. In 1996, Ilana was working for the Jewish Federation in San Francisco and started the Poverty Action Alliance with the American Jewish Congress.



Ilana married David George LINGREN on 23 March 2003. David was born on 13 June 1952. In 1974, David graduated with a BS degree in Administration and Business Science from Carnegie Mellon University at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Between 1983 and 1998, he was Director of Advanced Development at Dun & Bradstreet. Between 1998 and 2002, David was Managing Director of Information Technology at CheMatch.com and then Director of Software Engineering at Lightica, Inc. Between 2003 and 2004, David was a faculty member at Carnegie Mellon University's West Coast Campus where he developed course materials for an Information Technology Management program.



Ilana was the founding director of the Volunteer Action Center of the Jewish Community Federation of the Greater East Bay, where she spearheaded multiple social justice initiatives. She is currently a board member with the Northern California Community Loan Fund and is a lay Spiritual Leader at Kehilla Community Synagogue. Ilana is the Founding Director of Fair Trade Judaica (http://fairtradejudaica.org/) and since 2009, David is its "Chief Technology Maven".

(b) Marcy Hope⁶ SCHATZ was born on 4 April 1955 in Los Angeles County, California. Her Hebrew name is Mashe Esther. Marcy was named for Morris SHAFFER, her great uncle. Marcy married James Wesley MEE on 22 December 1973 in Los Angeles, California. James was born on 19 November 1954 in Los Angeles County, California. She and James Wesley MEE were divorced in January 1977 in Los Angeles, California. In 1977, Marcy lived at 14414 Addison St., CA, Sherman Oaks, California.



Marcy married Duane James CIURLEO on 30 May 1981 in Clark County, Nevada. [This is the date in the Nevada Marriage Index; however, the family indicated that they were married on 28 November.] Duane was born on 19 September 1950 in Saint Louis County, Minnesota. He is the son of James Emanuel Ciurleo

and Gladys Mae Johnson. In 1983, Marcy and Duane lived at 38538 35th St E, Palmdale, California. In 1996, Marcy was office manager for two cardiologists. In 2009, Marcy and Duane lived at 37719 Discovery Drive # 251, Palmdale, California. Duane is the Purchasing & Sales Director at Ready Medical in Paramount, California.

Marcy died on 27 December 2017 in California. She is buried in Mount Sinai Memorial Parks and Mortuaries in Los Angeles, California.

- i) Michael Gregory CIURLEO was born on 24 January 1982 in Los Angeles County, California. In 2020, Michael lived at 1821 Newton Drive, Flower Mound, Texas.
- f) Rywka⁴ SOFER was born circa 1896 in Krynki / Bialystok, Poland. She was also known as Rivi. Rywka married Elias de SOUFER, a second cousin, before 1924 in Krynki. Elias was born in 1892 in Warsaw?, Poland. [Need to verify from FamilySearch tree]. His Hebrew name is Eli. Elias immigrated to Buenos Aires, Argentina in 1933. After 1933, Elias was a customer peddler and travelled around the country. Eventually, they opened a store in Young (pronounced Jung), a ranch community, where they settled and raised their family. Rywka and Chaja SOYFER immigrated to Argentina in 1936 on the ship Macelia from Bordeaux, France. The trip from Bordeaux to Buenos Aires took 16 days. They remained in Buenos Aires (with their husbands) until Dvoshe and Feival arrived a year later and then they all moved to Montevideo, Uruguay, primarily because there was a community there of people from Krynki.







Rywka died in 1977 in Montevideo, Uruguay. In 1977, Elias was staying at Mauricio's house in Young, Uruguay. He was not well and his daughter Berta wrote that she went there frequently to stay with him for a few days. Elias died on 2 June 1978 in Uruguay.

(1) Mauricio⁵ SOUFER was born on 13 March 1924 (in Poland?) [CONFLICTING info: Thought he was born in Uruguay, but online family tree indicates Poland.] When Mauricio started college, he rented a room with a *landsleit* family (Yiddish for people from the same town of origin). There is a large community from Krynki in Montevideo. (Dorothy and Mickey Schatz met the family when they were in Montevideo in 1984.) After 1955, Mauricio was store/ranch owner.





Mauricio married Berta GOLDENBERG on 10 December 1955 at Sociedad Israelita, calle Monte Caseros 1075, Paysandu, Uruguay. Berta is from Paysandu, a small town not too far from Young. Her father's name is Jose Goldenberg.

Mauricio took over the general store when his father died and added a small supermarket next door. They built an apartment in the back of the store and upstairs. This is where they lived in Young.

Mauricio also bought a ranch-- a small portion at a time until they had about 4000 acres. In 1978, Mauricio was still living in Young, Uruguay. (Per Wikipedia, "Young is a city in the centre of Río Negro Department of Uruguay ... about 120 kilometres (75 mi) northwest of Trinidad, the capital of Flores Department. Its status was elevated to the category of "City" on 15 October 1963.") In 1991, Mauricio lived at 18 De Julio No. 1915, Young, Uruguay.

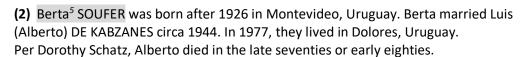
Mauricio died on 23 October 1991 in Montevideo, Uruguay, at age 67 of a heart condition. [CONFLICTING info: Dorothy Schatz's letter listed year of death as 1992, but an online family tree lists 1991.]

- (a) Sergio⁶ SOUFER was born on 21 September 1956 in Young, Uruguay. His Hebrew name is Sholom. Circa 1978, Sergio studied law at the university. Sergio married Diana Raquel SCHUSMAN before 1985 in Uruguay. Diana was born on 11 December 1957. In 1985, they lived in Young, Uruguay. In 1996, Sergio was running the family business the BERMA the general store started by his grandparents. Sergio sold part of the ranch after Mauricio died, and also gave up the supermarket. Sergio died on 26 October 2005 in Montevideo, Uruguay, at age 49 of kidney cancer.
 - i) Elias Gabriel⁷ SOUFER was born on 26 May 1985 in Young, Uruguay.
 - ii) Rafael⁷ SOUFER was born on 15 August 1988 in Young, Uruguay.
 - iii) Eliana⁷ SOUFER. Eliana married ______ BARRAGAN. She was born in 1990 in Young, Uruguay.
- **(b)** Sara⁶ SOUFER was born circa 1958 in Young, Uruguay. Sara also went by the nickname of Sarita. Sara was studying to become a teacher. She was to finish school around 1978-79. In 1978, Sara lived in Montevideo, Uruguay, When Sara started college, her parents bought an apartment in Montevideo, which they still had in 1996, one block from the beach in a rather exclusive area. Sara married Victor ______ after 1979 in Uruguay. In 1996, Victor was an electronics engineer.





- i) Mariana⁷ was born in 1985 in Montevideo, Uruguay.
- ii) Joaquin⁷ was born in 1988 in Montevideo, Uruguay.





(a) Clara⁶ DE KABZANES was born circa 1945 in Montevideo, Uruguay. Clara also went by the nickname of Clarita. Before 1977, Clara studied social work. Clara married before 1977 in Uruguay. She had three children by her first husband. She later divorced him and has since remarried (name of second husband not known either). In 1977, Clara lived in Montevideo, Uruguay.



- i) Carolina⁷ was born in Uruguay. Carolina also went by the nickname of Cara/Caro.
- ii) Veronica⁷ was born in Uruguay. Veronica also went by the nickname of Ven.
- iii) Sebastian⁷ was born in Uruguay. Sebastian also went by the nickname of Sisa.
- **(b)** Sara Graciela DE KABZANES was born circa 1948 in Uruguay. Sara also went by the name of Sarita. Sara married (--?--) UNKNOWN before 1978 in Uruguay. In 1978, Sara was a secretary.
- (c) Mary Estella⁶ DE KABZANES was born on 12 November 1954 in Uruguay. Mary also went by the name of Marita. After 1960, Mary studied English.



Mary married Alberto WACHSMAN in 1972 (in Montevideo, Uruguay?) Between 1972 and 1982, Mary and Alberto lived at Kibbutz Megiddo, Israel, . They went to Israel on their honeymoon and remained there for about ten years. In 1978, Mary was an accountant. In 1982, Mary lived in Maryland near Washington, D.C.

- i) Tillie WACHSMAN was born after 1972 in Israel. Tillie was also known as Eley ("Eli"). In 1995, Tillie lived in Israel. Tillie is married (husband's name?), they have two children older one is a boy born circa 2009. Younger one is also a boy born circa 2013? In 2015, they lived in Bet Keshet, Israel. (Do they now live in Aurora, Colorado?)
- the name of Laas. Circa 1992, Yoav attended Walter Johnson High School in Bethesda, Maryland. In 1992, Yoav lived at 5321 Bangor Drive, Kensington, Maryland. After 1992, Yoav lived at 433 E College Ave, Salisbury, Maryland. In 1996, Yoav completed a B.A. in Economics from Salisbury State University (Summa Cum Laude). In 1999, he completed a M.A. in Economics from the University of Hawaii. In 2003, Yoav completed a Ph.D. in Economics from the University of Hawaii. In 2003, Dr. Yoav Wachsman was an Associate Professor of Economics at Coastal Carolina University, Conway, South Carolina. His areas of expertise are microeconomics and

game theory, resource economics and public economics. He also conducts research on economics of tourism. He is currently using game theory to investigate the economic role of travel agents in a tourism economy.

Yoav married Angela EL-I KOILO on 25 Jun 2019 in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. Angela was born in August 1982. They live at 594 Bridgeport Drive, Myrtle Beach, South Carolina.

- (d) Jose Israel⁶ DE KABZANES was born circa 1956 in Uruguay. Circa 1978, Jose lived in Israel.
- g) Bess⁴ SHAFFER was born on 27 May 1898 in Krynki, Grodno, Poland. Her Yiddish/Hebrew name is Bashi/Batya. Bess immigrated to the United States on the SS Neckar North German Lloyd Line departing from Bremen, Germany and arriving in Baltimore, Maryland on 21 March 1914. When she arrived in the U.S., she lived with Max and his family for a while. In 1920, Bess lived at 856 Mozart St., Chicago, Cook County, Illinois, with her brother Sam, his wife Blanche and their daughter Lila. Bess was a baster in a tailor shop. As of 1920, she was also known as Bessie.



Bess married Eli Walter SUSMAN, son of Mendel ZYSMAN and Cypora Leja SOLARZ, on 17 June 1923 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois.

Eli as born on 11 July 1895 in Zambrow (Zamborov), Lomza, Poland. His Hebrew/Yiddish name is Eli Velvel. Between 1913 and 1923, he was also known as Elie ZUSSMAN OR ZUSMAN. Eli immigrated to the United States on the SS Potsdam (3rd class) leaving Rotterdam, Holland on Dec. 20, 1913 and arriving in New York on 31 December 1913. In 1917, Eli was described in his WWI draft registration as medium height, medium build with brown hair and brown eyes. His daughter, Marilyn, said he had blond hair.

Between 1917 and 1950, Eli was a carpenter, a contractor, and - for a time - a hotel owner. He owned the Newberry Hotel; he rented the Chancellor Hotel (for 50-yr? lease) and ran it. It was located at 53rd and Lake Park. The ship's passenger list indicated his profession as "joiner." Eli registered for military service on 5 June 1917 in Chicago, Illinois. On 7 September 1917 he was "discharged from immediate liability to serve under the

present call for military service of the United States" and classified as 5G. (Status 5 was for those ineligible for military service, usually because of a medical disability. Eli's 1917 draft registration indicated that he was deaf in his left ear.) Between 1918 and 1923, Eli lived at 2642 lowa Street, Chicago, Illinois, near his sister Ida and her husband, Meyer. Eli was on a passenger list in 1929 from Cherbourg, France to New York on the SS. Homeric. This was the return trip from a visit to Palestine. Eli travelled there with his brother Louis to visit their parents and younger brother who had made aliyah directly from Poland.

In 1930, Bess and Eli and their two children lived at 3264 Wabansia Avenue, Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. They were renting. Between 1939 and 1966, Bess and Eli lived at 2200 N. Avers, Chicago, Illinois. This was both their residence and Eli's office. Avers General Contracting was the name of his business.

Bess was described in her naturalization documents in 1941 as 4 feet 11 inches tall with a medium complexion, blue eyes and brown hair. She was naturalized on 24 February 1941 in Chicago, Illinois.

In 1940, Eli was a purchaser of scrap metal. From 1950 to 1966, he was a building contractor. He also owned and operated a realty company.

In 1951, Eli and Bess travelled on the SS Brazil from New York to begin a 3-month trip to visit Bess' sisters in Montevideo, Uruguay. They returned in April, departing Montevideo on March 16th on the SS Argentina and arrived back in New York on April 2nd.

Eli died on 17 August 1966 at Passavant Hospital, Chicago, Illinois, at age 71. Services were held on August 19th in the chapel at 5206 Broadway in Chicago. He was buried in Memorial Park Cemetery, Skokie, Cook County, Illinois.

Bess died on 20 October 1992 at the Lieberman Geriatric Center, Skokie, Illinois, at age 94. The cause of death per her death certificate was MRSA (Methicillin-Resistant Staph Aureus). Bess was buried in Memorial Park Cemetery, Skokie, Cook County, Illinois.

(1) Bernard Marvin⁵ SUSMAN was born on 6 April 1924 in Chicago, Illinois. His Hebrew name is Baruch. Bernard was described in his draft registration in 1942 as 5 Feet 7 1/2 inches tall, 135 pounds, with a light complexion, brown eyes and brown hair. In 1950, Bernard was a real estate salesman.

Bernard married Caryl Rose HOLLENDER on 3 May 1953 at Emanuel Congregation, 701 West Buckingham Place, Chicago, Cook, Illinois. [Conflicting info: The Cook County Marriage Index lists the date of marriage as 17 April 1953, but the wedding ceremony took place on May 3rd per their invitation.] They took a trip to France



for their honeymoon, traveling by ship. They returned on the SS Liberté, departing Le Havre on June 20th and arriving in New York on July 6th, 1953.

Caryl was born on 22 December 1930 in Chicago, Illinois. She is the daughter of Dr. Samuel Sylvan Hollender and Sylvia S. Jacobson. In 1930, Samuel Hollender was a buyer for a dry goods store. In 1940 he was listed as an optometrist and later owned Almer Coe Optical. In 1948, Caryl graduated from Francis W. Parker school in Chicago, Illinois. In 1952, Caryl graduated from Mills College in Oakland, California.

After 1960, Bernard was in real estate. His first job was with Landau & Perlman. Bernard appeared in Who's Who in the Midwest. 16th and 17th editions, 1978-1981. In 1980, Bernard and Caryl lived at 1300 Westmoor Trail, Winnetka, Illinois. In 1990, they lived at 1370 Sunview Lane, Winnetka, Cook County, Illinois. Caryl died on 21 April 2020 at Evanston Hospital, Evanston, Illinois, at age 89.

(a) Sue Ellen⁶ SUSMAN was born on 15 January 1956 in Chicago, Illinois. Her Hebrew name is Shoshana. In 1972, Sue graduated from Lake Forest College in Lake Forest, Illinois. In 1973, Sue graduated from the University of Chicago Graduate School of Social Work Administration. Before 2002,

Sue was a social worker.

Sue married John Patrick DELANEY (before 2002?). John was born on 22 April 1937 in Havre, Hill County, Montana. He is the son of Dr. James Raymond Delaney and Agnes Marie Ganley. He received a Masters in History and Philosophy from Loyola University and a Masters in Inner City Studies from Northeastern Illinois University. He was a member of the Jesuit religious order from 1955-1967. John taught during the late sixties and early seventies at West Garfield Park Upper Grade Center on the west side of Chicago. He was a Realtor in the Oak Park area for over twenty years.

John died on 28 November 2012. A memorial service was held on December 27th at The Newberry Library, 60 West Walton Street Chicago.

Sue began taking singing lessons a number of years before and performs from time to time. She belongs to a cabaret group. Between 2004 and 2012, Sue and John lived at 100 W. Chestnut St., Apt. 2405, Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. In 2015, Sue lived at 260 E Chestnut St., Apt 3706, Chicago, Illinois.

(b) John David⁶ SUSMAN was born on 26 October 1957 in Chicago, Illinois. His Hebrew name is Yochanan David. In 1982, John graduated from the University of Chicago and in 1994 completed an MBA from the UofC. John married Cheryl Naomi LEVIN on 5 July 1992 at Temple Sinai Israel, 210 Wilson Avenue, Toronto, Ontario, Canada. Cheryl was born on 17 December 1959 in Canada. Her Hebrew name is Nesi Chaya. She is the daughter of Ray and Sylvia Levin. In 1984, Cheryl lived at 11614 Habersham Lane, Houston, Harris County, Texas. She was naturalized as a U.S. citizen on 12 December 1984 in Houston. Cheryl is a self-employed ADHD Coach and Educational Therapist.



In the 1980s, John worked at Steppenwolf Theatre as literary manager, dramaturg, and assistant director on many Steppenwolf productions. He has written a number of plays, including 'Nelson & Simone', which premiered at the Live Bait Theater (3914 Clark St., Chicago) and an updated version of Aristophanes' comedy "Plutus", entitled "Big Bucks," which was read at the Live Bait Theater.

He also wrote and directed the award-winning film, "Making the Man" in November 2007. John wrote and co-produced a feature film, Game Day. From "The Entertainer! Magazine": Romeo Miller loves basketball. The entertainer, entrepreneur, and philanthropist, who also played basketball for the University of South California in the late 2000s, will be the first to tell you the sport sticks with him to this day. "Game Day," a basketball comedy-drama, is one of the recent projects that grabbed his attention. Miller stars in the flick, which was filmed in Chicago in 2015 and screened at festivals in 2017 but is only now seeing a limited release in several U.S. markets. It opened Friday, October 4, 2019. Written, directed, and co-produced by John Susman, the film co-stars Miller and Elizabeth Alderfer (Netflix's "Disjointed," NBC's "A.P. Bio") as well as a supporting cast including Fyvush Finkel and Chris Johnson. (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/John Susman).

(https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/somi_sasman).

In August 1992, John and Cheryl lived at 467 Linden St, Winnetka, Illinois. Since 1996, they live at 2417 Brian Court, Northbrook, Cook County, Illinois.

i) Nathan Benjamin⁷ SUSMAN was born on 11 August 1994 in Illinois. In 2012, Nathan studied political science at Bard College at Annandale-on-Hudson, New York. In May 2015, Nathan was working in the Office of Foreign Assets Control in the Department of the Treasury in Washington, D.C. Between 2018 and 2020, he was a Field Organizer for Democratic political candidates. In 2022, Nathan began work on a Masters in Social Work at Columbia University in the Bronx, New York. He currently has an



apprenticeship as a School Social Worker at The Cinema School at Columbia.

ii) Eli Samuel⁷ SUSMAN was born on 24 April 1996 in Illinois. Between 2007 and 2014, Eli was a Program Assistant and Inclusion Companion for the Northern Suburban Special Recreation Association (NSSRA). On 19 May 2012, Eli was honored for having attained the rank of Eagle Scout. Eli has done a lot of traveling around the world, including Cambodia and Thailand. He chronicled his adventures in a blog (https://esusmantravel.wordpress.com). After 2014, Eli attended Middlebury College in Middlebury, Vermont. Between 2015 and 2019, Eli worked at Evoke Therapy, which provides Wilderness Therapy Programs for teens ages 13–17 and young adults ages 18–

28+ in St. George, Utah. In 2019, Eli was a Clinical Research Coordinator at the Stress and Development Lab at Harvard University in Cambridge, Massachusetts. In 2021, Eli started his PhD in Clinical Psychology at UC-Berkeley.

iii) Leah Beth⁷ SUSMAN was born on 24 April 1996 in Illinois. Eli and Leah are twins. In 2013, Leah was a program assistant for the Northern Suburban Special Recreation Association (NSSRA). In 2014, she attended Brandeis University in Waltham, Massachusetts. Between 2015 and 2017, Leah was Director of the Brandeis-Al-Quds Student Dialogue Initiative, leading a delegation of Brandeis students to Al-Quds University. In May 2017, Leah was interning with the Observatorio Contra el Acoso Chile in Santiago, Chile. She returned 18 months later as an International Relations



Officer to continue advocating for legal sanctions against all forms of sexual violence. Between 2017 and 2018, Leah was also a National Campaign Manager for J Street U. Between 2020 and 2022, she was working for the New York State Bar Association as an Immigrant Justice Project Coordinator. Since 2022, Leah is a Labor Law Clerk for Amazon Labor Union and a freelance consultant and immersive travel leader.

(c) William Joseph⁶ SUSMAN was born on 29 August 1960 in Chicago, Illinois. In 1982, Bill graduated from the University of Illinois. Bill is a musician and prolific composer. In 1984, William graduated from Stanford University with a Master's in Music Composition, minoring in computer-generated sound composition.

Bill married Elizabeth ("Liz") Grisel VAUGHAN on 27 May 1984 in Portola Valley, San Mateo County, California. Liz was born on 25





October 1955 in San Francisco County, California. In 1985, they lived at 20 Willow Road, Menlo Park, California. In 1993, Bill and Liz lived at 3793 Redwood Circle, Palo Alto, California.

In August 2006, Native New Yorker, a film by Steve Bilich with original score by William Susman, won Best Documentary Short at the 2006 Tribeca Fillm Festival in Los Angeles.

(http://www.nativenewyorkerfilm.com/score.html) It was later selected to be part of the Tribeca Reframe Collection (http://reframecollection.org/films/film?Id=2116), whose goal is to help individual filmmakers, distributors, archives, libraries and other media owners to digitize and sell their work using the internet, and to become a one-stop location for anyone seeking these films. On November 10, 2011, Bill & a newly formed ensemble OCTET premiered his piano concerto featuring pianist and OCTET member Elaine Kwon, who hosted the Best Buddies Benefit at Carnegie Hall. Check out his web site for recent work (http://williamsusman.com/)

i) Aaron Joshua⁷ SUSMAN was born on 22 September 1984 in Santa Clara County, California. In 2008, Aaron completed a Bachelor's degree in International Relations and Affairs from American University in Washington, D.C. Aaron married Juliann Marie FUSARO on 17 October 2015 in Redwood City, California. Juliann was born on 19 September 1985 in San Francisco County, California. In 2010, she completed a Master of Science in Nursing and Clinical Nurse Leadership from the University of San Francisco. Since 2010, Juliann has worked at the Zuckerberg San Francisco General Hospital and Trauma Center as



a Staff/Charge Nurse, Operating Room, and Surgical Clinics (2010-2016), Nurse Manager, Operating Room, Interventional Radiology and Anesthesia Preoperative & Pain Clinic (2016-2022), and since 2022 as Trauma Program Manager. Since 2018, Aaron is a police officer for the Redwood City Police Department. In 2020, Aaron and Juliann lived at 616 Dory Lane, Redwood, San Mateo County, California.

- a. Anthony⁸ SUSMAN was born on 12 February 2017.
- **b.** Gianna⁸ SUSMAN was born in 2019.
- ii) Camille Vaughan⁷ SUSMAN was born on 27 January 1992 in Santa Clara County, California.



(2) Marilyn Gloria⁵ SUSMAN was born on 16 January 1928 in Chicago, Illinois. Her Yiddish name was Masha Gitel. She used the Hebrew name Miriam. Marilyn was named for Max SCHAFFER, her mother's oldest brother.

Marilyn married Victor SKLAIR, son of Josef SKLAR and Mary ELFMAN, on 19 June 1949 in Chicago, Illinois. Victor was born on 17 April 1926 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. His Hebrew name is Avigdor. Between 1944 and 1947, Victor was in the U.S. Navy. The Navy put him through college. His first year was at Notre Dame in Indiana; the other three years were at Illinois Institute of Technology (IIT) in Chicago. In June 1947, Victor completed a B.S. degree in Engineering from Illinois Institute of Technology. Between 1947 and 1950,



Victor was a Sales Engineer at American Well Works in Chicago, Illinois. Between 1949 and August 1955, Marilyn and Victor lived at Avers and Palmer, Chicago, Illinois, in an apartment in the same building as Marilyn's parents.

Between 1951 and 1980, Marilyn was for the most part a housewife and mom, but she did have occasional part-time jobs, usually involving bookkeeping. Between 1950 and 1958, Victor was a Sales Engineer at Heating & Cooling Products in Chicago, Illinois (1950-1958), a Project Design Engineer at Samuel & Hicks in Chicago (1958-1963). He was Assistant Vice President of Engineering at Childs & Smith in Chicago (1963-1970) and Vice President of Engineering at Welton Beckett and Associates in Chicago (1970-1976). From 1976 to 1991, Victor was a Partner at A & T Engineering in Chicago, Illinois. From 1991 to 1994, Victor was a Partner at Gardner-Sklair Engineering in Chicago, Illinois. When the firm dissolved, Victor worked from home and then retired.

Between August 1955 and 1997, Marilyn and Victor lived at 7524 N. East Prairie Road, Skokie, Illinois. Marilyn lived there until 2022.

Victor died on 26 March 1997 at home hospice at age 70, of bladder cancer. He was buried in Shalom Memorial Park Cemetery, Arlington Heights, Illinois.

From 2002 to 2014, Marilyn lived at Winston Towers, 7033 N. Kedzie Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. From 2014 to 2022, Marilyn lived at Lincolnwood Place, Lincolnwood, Illinois, a senior residence.

Marilyn died on 25 October 2022 at The Abington of Glenview, Glenview, Illinois at age 94. She was buried on 28 October 2022 in Shalom Memorial Park, Arlington Heights, Illinois.

(a) Terry Loris⁶ SKLAIR was born on 20 September 1951 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois. Her Hebrew name is Tsiporah Leah. Between August 1955 and 1975, Terry lived at 7524 N. East Prairie Road, Skokie, Cook County, Illinois. Terry graduated from Niles Township High School, East Division in Skokie, Illinois in 1969. T In 1973, Terry graduated from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign with a bachelor's degree in French. In 1975, Terry completed a Master of Science degree in Library Science (MLS) from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. In 1980, Terry completed a Master of Arts degree in French from the University of Illinois at Chicago.



Between 1975 and 1982, Terry lived at 7052 N Damen Ave # 3, Chicago, Illinois. In 1980, Terry was a part-time librarian at Schwartz and Freeman, a law firm at One IBM Plaza, Chicago, Illinois. Between 1982 and 1985, Terry lived in West Rogers Park. Between 1980 and 1991, Terry was a librarian, then a training manager at the law firm McDermott, Will & Emery in Chicago. Terry was included in Who's Who in the Midwest 1988-1989 and in Who's Who of Emerging Leaders in America 1989-1990.

Terry married Mark Barry TAYLOR, son of Arnold TAYLOR and Ruth ASATINSKY, on 19 May 1985 in Northbrook, Illinois. Mark was born on 26 September 1952 at Bay City, Bay County, Michigan. His Hebrew name is Moshe Dov ben Aharon HaKohen. In 1979, Mark worked for Fast Messenger Service and Citywide Realty Company in Chicago. He lived at 10100 Ridgeland Avenue, Chicago Ridge, Illinois. Later that year he moved to 1263 W. Pratt Avenue (Rogers Park), Chicago. In 1981, Mark lived at 1224 W. Columbia, Chicago, Illinois. Between 1980 and 2018, Mark started working as a salesman for N. Turek & Sons, a construction supply company in Chicago, Illinois.

Between 1991 and 1993, Terry was self-employed as a software training consultant. Between 1993 and 2010, Terry was the Coordinator of Library Instruction at DePaul University, Chicago, Illinois. In 2010, she was promoted to Associate Director for Research and Information Services and in 2013 Associate University Librarian for Teaching, Learning, and Research Services at DePaul University Library, Chicago, Illinois. Terry retired from DePaul at the end of June 2019. In July 2019, Terry began serving as Vice President for Membership of the Jewish Genealogical Society of Illinois. Since 1985, Terry and Mark live at 8030A W. Lyons Street, Niles, Cook County, Illinois.

i) Eli Nathan⁷ TAYLOR was born on 12 October 1988 in Evanston, Cook County, Illinois. His Hebrew name

is Eliahu Natan ben Moshe Dov HaKohen. Between 2003 and 2007, Eli attended Maine Twp High School East in Park Ridge, Cook County, Illinois. Between 2005 and 2007, he had lead roles in the school musicals: Joseph in Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat (2005), Old Deuteronomy in Cats (2006), and Albert in Bye Bye Birdie (2007). In July 2005, Eli was employed by Northlight Theatre as a counselor-intraining for their theatre summer camp in Skokie, Illinois. In 2010, he was employed as Artistic Associate for New Initiatives at ShPIeL Performing Identity, a theatre and performance project affiliated with the Alliance for Jewish Theatre. In 2011 Eli completed a BFA degree (magna cum laude) in Theatre Arts from The Theatre School of DePaul University, Chicago, Illinois. He was presented with the

Wendy Berger Shapiro and Daniel J. Wander Outstanding Leadership Award at the annual gala of Hillels Around Chicago on 12 March 2011 at the Illinois Holocaust Museum and Education Center, Skokie, Illinois.

Eli joined Listen Up! Jewish Vocal Band in 2015. In 2016, the founder and musical director, Steve Singer, won an award for best vocal arrangement at the Chicago Harmony Sweepstakes. Their web site is www.jewishsong.com. Since 2016, Eli has worked for Jewish National Fund at the Midwest Center of Excellence in Northbrook, Illinois as an Events Manager and then as Associate Director of Products (since 2019).

Eli married Patricia Brittany ROMANEK on 9 July 2017 in Wheeling, Illinois. Trisha was born on 12 May 1991 in Cook, Illinois, USA. Her Hebrew name is Penina Bracha. In 2017, Trisha was a special education teacher. She also teaches Sunday school at North Shore Congregation Israel in Glencoe, Illinois. Since 2018, Trisha has worked at Solomon Schechter Day School in Northbrook, Illinois. Since 2018, Eli and Trisha lived at 9408 W. Tripp Avenue, Skokie, Illinois.

- **a.** Avishai Ronen⁸ TAYLOR was born on 11 June 2021 in Highland Park Hospital, Highland Park, Illinois. His names mean "gift of my father" and "joyous song or prayer."
- (b) Joan Frada⁶ SKLAIR was born on 11 April 1956 in Chicago, Illinois, 30 Nisan 5716. Her Hebrew name is Yesefa Frada. Joan married Michael Anthony WALTERS on 14 October 1979 at Algauer's Fireside, 2855 N. Milwaukee Avenue, Northbrook, Illinois. Mike was born on 29 September 1956 in Illinois. Mike is the son of Jerome Cecil Walters and Mary Barbara Czech. Both of Mike's parents served in the military Jerry was a 1st Lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force, and Mary was a yeoman second class in the WAVEs. Jerry Sr's name was changed from Walter Joseph Jawri.



In 1980, Joan and Michael lived at 2012 W Birchwood Ave, Chicago, Illinois.

Between 1983 and 2005, Joan was President, DataComm Networking. (Data and telecommunications equipment sales and installation). In 1985, Joan and Michael lived at 11218 Sequoya Ln, Indian Head Park, DuPage County, Illinois. In 1993, they lived at 19W210 86th St, (Brookeridge), Downers Grove, Illinois, and in 2000 at 138 Chestnut Hills Circle, Burr Ridge, Illinois. Michael was a software consultant and, circa 2000, was working for Advanced Mi-Range Solutions, Inc. in Burr Ridge.

Joan sold her business in 2005 and they moved to Florida. In 2006, Joan and Michael lived in Cape Coral, Florida. In 2015, Joan became licensed as a realtor in Florida. Since 2016, Joan and Michael lived in Estero, Florida.

(c) Mark David⁶ SKLAIR was born on 5 November 1959 in Chicago, Illinois His Hebrew name is Moshe David. He was named after his maternal great uncle, Morris Shaffer. In 1982, Mark was a woodworking and cabinet design specialist at Alpine Woodworking, Skokie, Illinois. Mark married Jolene Elaine GLUCKMAN on 22 December 1985 in Rosemont, Illinois. Mark and Jolie were divorced in 1987. In 1988, Mark was a computer systems administrator at Ray Graham Associates, Lisle,



Illinois. Between 1990 and 1994, Mark lived at 9044 N Churchill Circle, Niles, Illinois. In 1990, Mark was a computer systems administrator at DataComm Networking (his sister Joan's company) in Burr Ridge,

Illinois. Between 1994 and 2000, Mark lived at 348 Maple Avenue, Downers Grove, Illinois. In 1997, Mark was a self-employed web design consultant (Mardair Design Studio).

In 2002, Mark began the nursing program at the College of DuPage and received his Nurses Aid Certificate in 2003. Between 2003 and 2005, Mark was Certified Nursing Asst at Marianjoy Rehabilitation Hospital, Wheaton, Illinois. In 2006, Mark was working at RML (Rush McNeil Loyola) specialty hospital, a critical care facility. in DuPage County, Illinois.

Mark married Billie Lee CHABOT (nee VAN GEMERT) on 19 November 2010 in Illinois. Billie was born on 16 September 1950. In 2014, Mark was a Clinical Applications Analyst and Physician Support Liaison for the Presence Health System.

Billie died on 01 May 2021 at The Grove at LaGrange Park, LaGrange Park, Illinois at age 70 of Alzheimer's disease. She was cremated by the Neptune Society.

Since 2000, Mark lives at 149 N Hudson Street, Westmont, Illinois.

h) Dora⁴ SOUFER was born after 1888 in Krynki, Poland (Russia). Her Hebrew name is Dvora (nickname Dvoshe). Dora married Feival GOLZ before 1937. Dora immigrated to Montevideo, Uruguay, in 1937. Before 1985, Dora lived at Lavalleja, 1884 Apt. 6, Montevideo R.O.D., Uruguay. Feivel died in 1978 in Uruguay.

Dora died in March 1985 in Montevideo, Uruguay.

(1) Marcus⁵ GOLZ was born after 1937 in Montevideo, Uruguay. His Hebrew name is Mottl. Mottl was ill for many years and never married. He was still active and studying in 1978 and continued to live with his mother after his father died.



He died after 1935. He may have been killed in World War II (possibly at Auschwitz). Believed to have had three children. (I do not know his wife's name.)

j) Miriam⁴ SOUFER was born after 1900 in Krynki, Poland (was Russia). Her Hebrew name is Merke. Miriam married Hershel LEW before 1935. (There is a Hershel Lew listed in the Krynki necrology and also with the surname Lew is a note that it is the last name of the "Bekerke: lady baker". The necrology also lists "Miriams" as "Alta da Bekerke/lady baker.") Miriam and Hershel were killed when newly married. Miriam died (after 1935?) [Bess Susman, Miriam's sister said that Miriam had children but I have no information on them. She also said that the entire family perished in a pogrom in which they hid in a synagogue that was then burned down. This was in the shtetl of Szczuczyn. See Appendix 1.]





2. Chaim Nisil³ SOJFER was born in (Russia?)

(Per Bess Shaffer Susman: Chaim Nisil was younger than Hershel. A heavy-set man; a nice man. He "sold liquor.") Khaim Nisil Soufer is listed in the 1912 Voters List for Grodno Gubernia. His father's name is Yankel Shmuel Soufer. Chaim married ______ before 1889. In 1929, Chaim lived at Jagiellonska 8 (street), Krynki, Poland.

a) Bella SOUFER was born on 5 March 1889 in Krynki, Poland (was Russia). Bella also went by the nickname of Belki. (This is what her niece Bess Shaffer called her.)

Bella married Abraham NOVECK circa 1907 in Poland. Abraham was born on 20 December 1886 in Narewka, Pruzhany, Grodno, Russia. His nickname was "Ichi" (per Bess). Circa 1910, Abraham was worked in a leather factory. Per Bess: "My uncles had a leather fabrik. In those times, it was big..they lived very nice." Abraham immigrated to the United States through Montreal at the port of Rouses Point on the Rutland/Grand Trunk Railroad, arriving in New York on 8 April 1923. Immigration and naturalization records list his occupation as tanner/leathermaker.

In April 1923, Abraham and Bella lived at 528 Snediker Avenue, Brooklyn, New York. Abraham was living in Kingston, Ontario, Canada before immigrating to the U.S. He was described in his Declaration of Intention (25 April 1923) as 5 feet 10 inches tall, 150 pounds, with a dark complexion, brown hair, and brown eyes. Abraham was naturalized on 31 July 1928 in Brooklyn, New York. His Declaration of Intention was filed on 25 April 1923. Bella immigrated to the United States with her four children on the SS Leviathan, departing Cherbourg, France on 30 Mar 1929 and arriving in New York on 5 April 1929. Bella was described in the passenger record in 1929 as 5 feet 3 inches tall, with a fair complexion, with brown hair and blue eyes. As of 1929, they were also known as Abraham and Belja NOWIK.

In 1930, Bella and Abraham lived at 433 Georgia Avenue, Brooklyn, New York. Between 1930 and 1950, Abraham was the proprietor of a fruit and vegetable store in Brooklyn, New York. In 1940, Bella and Abraham lived at 2908 15th Avenue, New York, Kings County, New York. She was naturalized on 30 June 1942 in Brooklyn, New York. In 1950, they lived at 3904 39th Street, 1st Floor Rear apt, Brooklyn, New York. Bella was listed as a "helper" in the store.

Abraham died on 23 November 1963 in Manhattan, New York City, New York, New York at age 76. Bella died in January 1982 in New York at age 92.

(1)	Yankel⁵ NOVECK.	Yankel married	(?) SARA	[MAIDEN	NAME NO	T KNOWN].	He was also	known as
Jac	ob NOVECK. He wa	as born in 1907 i	n Krynki, Po	land. Yanl	cel died in	Poland.		

(a)	Helen ⁶ NOVECK.	Helen married	LEVIN.
(b)	Bessie ⁶ NOVECK.	Bessie married	ISRAEL

(2) Irving⁵ NOVECK was born on 15 December 1912 in Krynki, Poland (was Russia). [CONFLICTING info: His father's naturalization petition listed Isaac's birth year as 1911, but his WWII registration listed 1912.] His Hebrew name is Yitzchak. Irving was described in his draft registration in 1929 as having a fair complexion, blond hair, and brown eyes. Irving immigrated to the United States under the name Isak Nowik on 5 April 1929. In 1930, Irving was a cutter in a factory. In 1940, he lived at 3904 15th Avenue, Brooklyn, New York, with his parents. Irving was described in his draft registration in 1940 as 5 feet 8 1/2 inches tall, 150 pounds, with a light complexion, brown hair, and brown eyes. In 1940, Irving was a cutter at Heckler Infants' Wear Company at 90 Prince Street, New York, New York. Irving married Gladys SCHNALL on 30 July 1957 in Bronx, New York. Gladys was born on 11 February 1911 in Brooklyn, New York. She is the daughter of Benjamin Schnall and Rose Kanner.

Irving died circa October 1988 in Brooklyn, New York.

Gladys died in December 1988 in Brooklyn, New York. She was buried in New Jersey.

(3) Solomon⁵ NOVECK was born on 25 Feb 1911 in Krynki, Poland (was Russia). [CONFLICTING info: His father's naturalization petition listed his birthdate as 20 Nov 1912, and his WWII registration listed 15 Nov 1913. The Social Security documents and the VA death index list 25 Feb 1911! Need to verify.] His Hebrew name is Zalman. Solomon was described in his draft registration in 1929 as having a fair complexion, blond hair, and brown eyes. Solomon immigrated to the United States under the name Zalman Nowik on 5 April 1929. In 1930, Solomon was working in an upholstery factory. In 1940, Solomon was self-employed as Home Upholstery Company at 1 Watkins Street, Brooklyn, New York. Solomon was described in his draft registration in 1940 as 5 feet 7 inches tall, 145 pounds, with a light complexion, black hair, and brown eyes. In 1940, Solomon lived at 3904 15th Avenue, New York, New York, with his parents. Solomon served in the U.S. Army with the rank of Sergeant between 10 July 1941 and 09 July 1945. Solomon married Gertrude TAFFEL in Dec 1945 in New York. Their marriage license was issued on 4 Dec 1945 in Manhattan. Gertrude was born on 16 September 1921 in Brooklyn, New York. She is the daughter of David B. Taffel and Yetta Schidlover. In 1950, Solomon and Gertrude lived at 50 East 56th Street, 1st floor, Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. Solomon was a furniture upholsterer in a furniture factory. Between 1997 and 2002, Solomon and Gertrude lived at 1040 Flame Vine Avenue, Delray Beach, Florida.

[A Geni tree shows Sol having been married twice with two children by his first wife; however, he was still single and living with his parents in 1940, and he married Gertrude in 1945 so there was probably not a prior marriage.]

Solomon died on 24 August 2002 in Delray Beach, Florida, at age 88. Gertrude died on 30 October 2006 (in Lexington, Massachusetts?)

(a) David B. NOVECK was born in July 1949 in New York. David (and associates) filed for and received patents for various aspects of data file storage systems. The assignees were Network Appliance, Inc. (2010-2014) and EMC Corporation (David as sole listed inventor). The most recent was for "Techniques for storing metadata of a filesystem in persistent memory" (https://patents.justia.com/inventor/david-b-noveck).

(4) Jean⁵ NOVECK was born on 15 October 1914 in Krynki, Poland (was Russia). [CONFLICTING info: Her

father's naturalization petition lists her birthdate as 2 Aug 1914, but Social Security documentation lists the October date.] Her Hebrew name is Sheindel. Jean immigrated to the United States under the name Szesna Nowik on 5 April 1929. She was described in the passenger list as having a fair complexion, blond hair, and blue eyes. In 1935, Jean lived in New York.





Jean married Simon GOLDSMITH in July 1938 in New York, New York.

Simon was born on 25 December 1914 at Krynki, Poland. Simon is the son of Shmuel Eliezer Goldsmith and Sara Frieda _____. In 1940, Jean and Simon lived at 5442 Harper, Chicago, Illinois. Simon was described in his draft registration in 1940 as 5 feet 4 inches tall, 140 pounds, with a light complexion, brown hair, and hazel eyes. Simon was the proprietor of a grocery store at 458 E. 37th Street, Chicago, Illinois. In 1950, Jean and Simon lived at 5459 Cornell Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. Simon was the manager/owner of a real estate company.In 1958, Jean lived at 4329 S. Oglesby Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

Simon died on 24 January 1973 at Cook County, Illinois, at age 58.

Jean died on 10 July 1997 in Silver Spring, Montgomery County, Maryland, at age 82.

(a) Harold S.⁶ GOLDSMITH was born on 24 June 1941 in Chicago, Illinois. In 1987, Harold lived at 8804 Alton Pkwy, Silver Spring, Maryland. Harold has two children (divorced from their mother before 1996).

- **(b)** Lynda⁶ GOLDSMITH was born circa 1944 in Illinois. Lynda married Mel RICHE after 1969. [They have six or seven children?].
- (c) Shulamit⁶ GOLDSMITH was born circa 1949. Per cousin Dorothy Schatz, Shulamit married a Tunisian Jew in Israel. They have 4 children; the youngest two are twins. In 1996, Shulamit lived in Ramot, Jerusalem, Israel, (an Orthodox community).
- (5) Adele⁵ NOVECK was born on 4 July 1916 in Krynki, Poland. Bess Shaffer called her "Aydlie." Adele immigrated to the United States under the name Otka Nowik on 5 April 1929. She was described in the passenger list as having a fair complexion, blond hair, and blue eyes.

 Adele married Emanuel "Mendy" SPATZ in 1938 in New Jersey. Emanuel as born on 26 May 1916 in Manhattan (New York City), New York. He is the son of Isaac Spatz and Lina Grosser. In 1940, Adele was a registered nurse in a hospital. Emanuel was employed by Rite Baking Company, Inc. at 3914 15th Avenue, Brooklyn, New York. He was described in his draft registration in 1940 as 5 feet 4 inches tall, 150 pounds, with a dark complexion, black hair, and brown eyes. In April 1940, Adele and Emanuel lived at 3908 15th Avenue, New York, Kings County, New York, in an apartment in the same building as her parents and brothers. [In the 1950 census, Adele's occupation was listed as a baker in a wholesale bread bakery. (This needs verification as it might have been written on the wrong line and in fact by Emmanuel's occupation
 - (a) Ian N.⁶ SPATZ was born on 30 August 1942 in New York. Ian married Laurie Beth ERENSTOFT in 1968 in New York. (The marriage license was issued in Brooklyn.) Laurie was born on 27 April 1946 in Brooklyn, New York. Ian and Laurie live at 12 Knapp Street, Staten Island, New York. (There is an Ian Spatz who is an Adjunct Lecturer at the USC Sol Price School of Public Policy. He currently teaches courses in health economics and health law in the

Emanuel died on 19 September 1993 at Brooklyn, New York, at age 77.

since Adele was a nurse in 1940 and that is a major change. If it IS correct, there's story here...).]

Master of Health Administration program. He has also taught in the School of Pharmacy. Previously, he taught in the Department of Health Policy and Management of the Milken Institute School of Public Health of George Washington University. He is a Senior Advisor to Manatt Health Strategies, LLC, an integrated legal and consulting subsidiary of the law firm of Manatt, Phelps & Phillips, LLP. In that role, he counsels clients on health reform efforts and issues affecting health care providers and insurers, pharmaceutical





- i) Adam Ira⁷ SPATZ was born on 3 April 1970 in New York. In 203, Adam lived at 215 W 95th Street, Unit 6G, New York, New York.
- **ii)** Bonnie Greer⁷ SPATZ was born on 12 January 1974 in New York. Bonnie married Jayson Chaim FINE in July 1997 in Staten Island, New York. Jason was born on 10 December 1971.
 - a. Menachem Mendel (Mendy)⁸ FINE was born circa 1999. He married Rachel FELDMAN on 24 November 2022.
 - b. Rayzel⁸ FINE was born circa 2003.

companies, and the public. Is this the right person?)

(b) Elaine SPATZ was born on 27 June 1947 in Brooklyn, New York. She married _____ KATZ.

- 3. Chane³ SOUFER was born in Russia?
- **4.** Sophie (?)³ SOUFER was born in Russia ? Sophie married Gershon SLAPAK. Her Hebrew name is Shosha Minche [probably Szoscha Sophie].Per Bess Susman (her niece): Shosha Minche had three children. She was married twice. Gershon Slapak was her first husband; name of second husband not yet known.
 - a) Bobel⁴ SLAPAK was born in Russia?
 - b) Yankel⁴ SLAPAK was born in Russia? He Killed in synagogue raid.
- 5. Dvoshka³ SOUFER was born in 1849 in Poland.
- **B.** Movsha² SOUFER was born circa 1835.

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Appendix 1

Origin of the surname Sofer

Sofer, also spelled **Sopher (Hebrew: "scribe")**, plural **Soferim**, or **Sopherim**, any of a group of Jewish scholars who interpreted and taught biblical law and ethics from about the 5th century BC to about 200 BC. The first of the *soferim* was the biblical prophet Ezra. Ezra and his disciples initiated a tradition of rabbinic scholarship that remains to this day a fundamental feature of Judaism.

Historically, the *soferim* are of great importance, not only for having initiated rabbinic studies but also for having fixed the canon of Old Testament Scriptures and, as copyists and editors, for their energetic efforts to safeguard the purity of the original text. The Talmud (collection of traditions on Jewish religious laws) records 18 changes (*tiqqune soferim*) that they introduced to preclude misunderstanding of the Scriptures.

The *soferim* arose to meet a specific need of the Jewish people. Under foreign rule, the Jews enjoyed cultural autonomy and were allowed to govern themselves under the constitution of the Law of Moses. The *soferim* became experts in the Law, applying the idealistic aspirations of the Torah and oral tradition to the exigencies of daily life. Many of their ordinances were formulated to safeguard, or form a "fence" (*seyag*) around, the Torah.

As time passed, *sofer* came to mean one who taught the Bible to children, or a copyist or a notary or a calligrapher qualified to write Torah scrolls or other religious documents. The Babylonian Talmud (*c.* AD 500) has a *soferim* tractate that stipulates how such work is to be performed. Modern Hebrew translates *sofer* as a "man of letters." Encyclopedia Brittanica (https://www.britannica.com/topic/sofer)

The Hebrew term is documented as a Jewish family name in the 14th century ... Soifer is a Yiddish spelling variant. Soferov and Soferof are Slavic variants, in which the Russian suffix "-ov" and its Westernized spelling variant "-of" stand for "son of" or "family of." The German translation, Schreiber, is mentioned as a Jewish family name in 1675. Srajber is recorded in 1725, and Schrayber in 1735. The forms Schriber, Scriber and Sauphar are found in Paris, in 1809. Scriba, Sauphar and Soufir are also documented in 19th century France. The Polish/Yiddish transcription of the German Schreiber is Szriber.Other forms include Schreiberman(n) and Szrajbman, both of them meaning "scribe man". (ANU Museum of the Jewish People)

Szczuczyn Pogrom:

From Wikipedia:

The Szczuczyn pogrom was the massacre of some 300 Jews in the community of Szczuczyn carried out by its Polish inhabitants in June 1941 after the town was bypassed by the invading German soldiers in the beginning of Operation Barbarossa. The June massacre was stopped by German soldiers.

A subsequent massacre by Poles in July killed some 100 Jews and following the German Gestapo takeover in August 1941 some 600 Jews were killed by the Germans, the remaining Jews placed in a ghetto, and subsequently sent to Treblinka extermination camp.



First row: Hershel, Merke, Bluma, David

Second row: Bess, Morris?, Sam



Pictured above: Rivke, Hershel, Merke, David, Blume, Dvoshe



Max and Ida Schaffer Family Max, Jack, Ruth?, Dorothy, Ethel, Dina?, Ida



First row: Ethel, Mollie, Bess Second row: Ruth, Jack, Dorothy, Dina