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Rabbi Marc H. Tanenbaum, Director  
International Relations Department  
The American Jewish Committee  
165 East 56 Street  
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Dear Rabbi Tanenbaum,

On behalf of our Temple and Dr. Armand Feigenbaum and Mr. Donald Feigenbaum, sponsors of the lecture, I want to express how pleased we are that you will be delivering the Twenty-First Annual Lecture. The Hilda Vallin Lecture has a long and honored history. It attracts an audience from both the Jewish and general community. We anticipate your visit with us to provide an opportunity to reach out particularly to Pittsfield's very large community.

It has been a tradition for our guest lecturer to have dinner with the sponsors and the President of our congregation at the Rabbi's home at 5:30 P.M., before the lecture. As the time approaches, I will be in touch with you regarding additional details.

All good wishes.

Sincerely,

*Alan L. Berg*  
Rabbi Alan L. Berg

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cc: Dr. Armand Feigenbaum  
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Dear Marc,  
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We're eagerly awaiting  
your Gout Friday - Easter  
Sunday appearance in our  
community.  
Best regards -  
[Signature]

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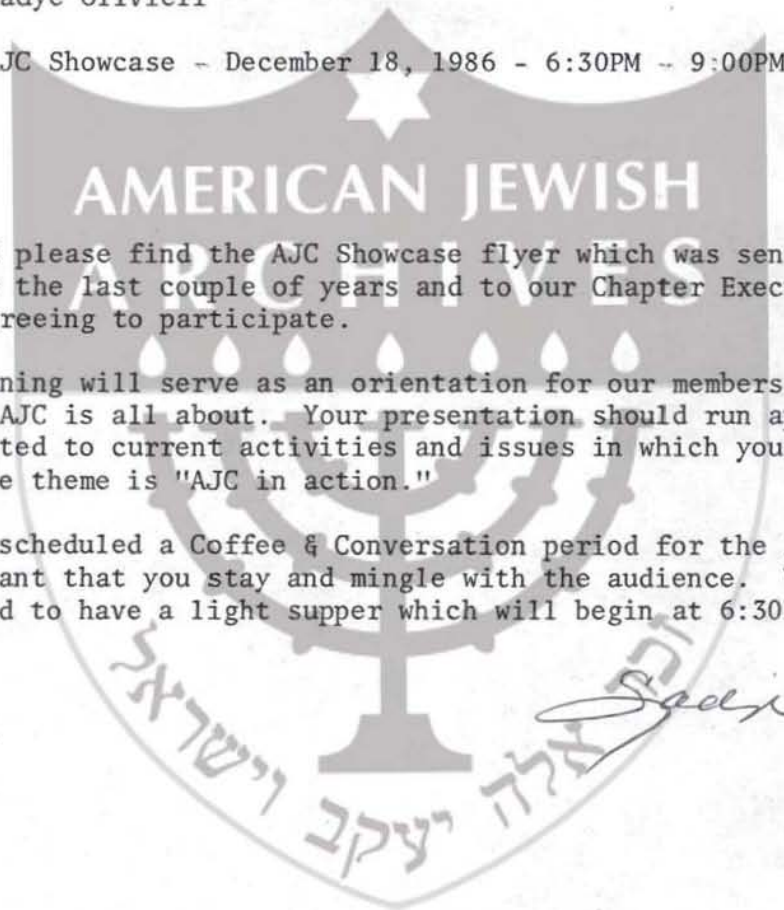
**THE AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE**

**date** December 1, 1986

**to** Marc Tanenbaum

**from** Sadye Olivieri

**subject** AJC Showcase - December 18, 1986 - 6:30PM - 9:00PM



Enclosed please find the AJC Showcase flyer which was sent to all new members over the last couple of years and to our Chapter Executive Board. Thank you for agreeing to participate.

This evening will serve as an orientation for our members to learn first hand what AJC is all about. Your presentation should run approximately 15 minutes, devoted to current activities and issues in which your department is involved. The theme is "AJC in action."

We have scheduled a Coffee & Conversation period for the last half hour and it is important that you stay and mingle with the audience. You are most cordially invited to have a light supper which will begin at 6:30PM.

*Sadye Olivieri*

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Encl.

cc: R. Peter Straus  
Haskell L. Lazere

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March 5, 1987 ✓



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Dear Rabbi Tanenbaum:

We are delighted, and of course, honored that you have agreed to serve as a panelist at our forthcoming conference entitled, "How Separate Should be the Separation of Church and State." The conference is co-sponsored by the Princeton Theological Seminary's Center for Continuing Education and will take place in Princeton on Thursday, March 5, 1987.

The format is planned as follows:

9:00 a.m. - Registration

9:30 a.m. - Welcome

Thomas W. Gillespie, President, Princeton Theological Seminary

Suzanne P. M. Rudiselle, Assistant Director Center for Continuing Education, Princeton Theological Seminary

Jacinto L. Marrero, Director, New Jersey Region, National Conference of Christians and Jews

10:00 a.m. - Drama Presentation

Dr. Bentley Anderson, Professor, Virginia Wesleyan College

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10:15 a.m. - Panel Presentations

Introductions

Rabbi Marc H. Tanenbaum, Director, International Relations Department, American Jewish Committee

Dr. Stanley N. Katz, Professor, Woodrow Wilson School, Princeton University

Paulette Brown, Esquire, Partner, Brown, Childress, and Philp

11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. - Breakout Sessions with Panel leaders

Tasks outlined - "Religious Freedom in a Land of Liberty."

12:30 p.m. - Luncheon

Keynote - A. E. Dick Howard, White Burkett Miller Professor of Law and Public Affairs, University of Virginia

Question and Answer

Summary, Dr. Ronald C. White, Jr., Director Center of Continuing Education, Princeton Theological Seminary.

3:00 p.m. - Adjourn

As soon as printed programs are available, we shall forward several to you.

We look forward to an interesting and stimulating learning experience.

Sincerely,

*Jack Marrero*  
Jacinto L. Marrero

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165 E. 56th Street  
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Dear Rabbi Tannenbaum:

The National Conference of Christians and Jews and the Princeton Theological Seminary are co-sponsoring a conference entitled, "How Separate Should be the Separation of Church and State." The conference date is Thursday, March 5, 1987, in Princeton and is part of a statewide observance of the 200th Anniversary of the Constitution.

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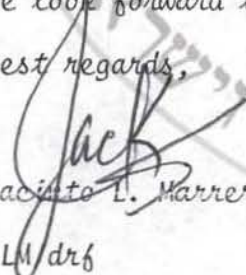
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We hope that you will be able to join us that day and serve as a panelist. NCCJ has enjoyed a close association with you over the years and the committee would be honored to have you participate in this timely conference. Modest honorariums will be forthcoming; details will be provided at a later date.

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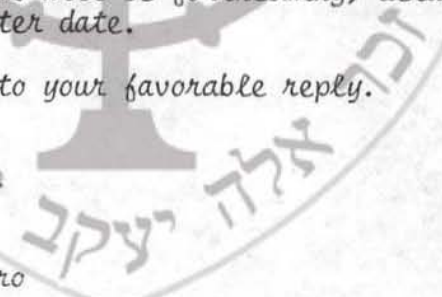
We look forward to your favorable reply.

Best regards,

  
Jacinto L. Marrero

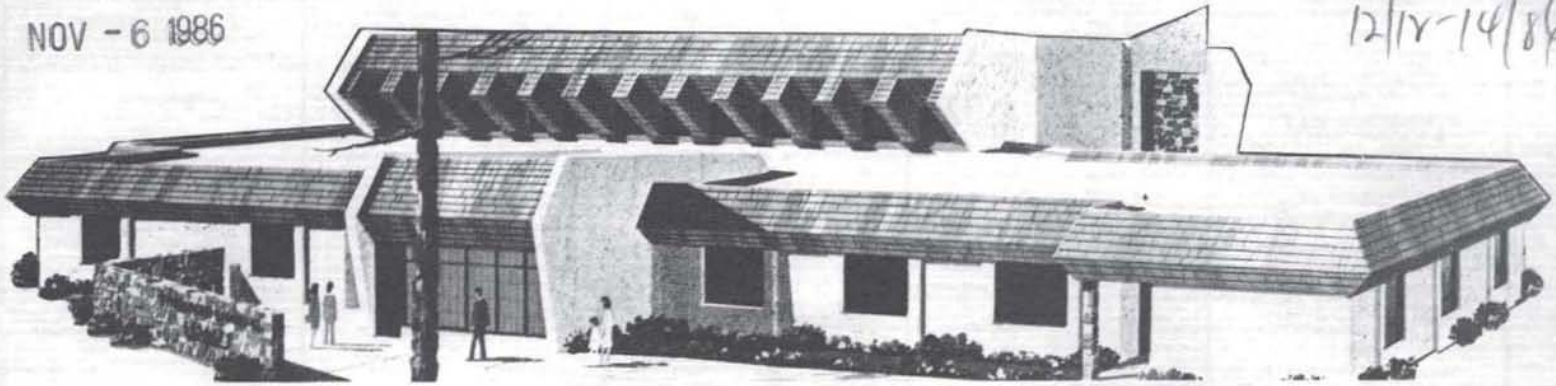
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Dear Rabbi Tanenbaum:

This is to confirm your visit to Synagogue Emanu-El as Scholar-in Residence for the weekend of December 12th-14th. We would like you to make presentations as follows:

- 1) Friday evening - The state of the Jewish world (an overview of Jewish life in key places in the world today - i.e. U.S., Soviet Union, South Africa, Israel, etc.)

As part of the evening's program, we will honor teenagers who have twinned with Russian children.

- 2) Saturday afternoon - 1:00-2:30 P.M. - Catholic-Jewish relations. Bishop Unterkoefler has agreed to participate in the program by responding to your remarks. The session is to conclude with questions from the audience.
- 3) Saturday evening - Services and Havadallah followed by your presentation and questions from the audience. This in turn will be followed by a reception in your honor.

Suggested subjects for your presentation include American-Israeli relations, the future of the American Jew, or any subject of your choosing. Please be sure to let me know what that subject will be as soon as possible.

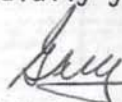
- 4) Sunday morning - Services followed by breakfast and questions from the audience. There will be no formal presentation.

Thanking you in advance for all of your help and looking forward to



a tremendous weekend for our community, I remain

Cordially yours,



Rabbi Gary G. Perras

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You are cordially invited to attend a Lecture in Honor of Joseph L. Soloff's 90th Birthday.



**Dr. Marc Tanenbaum**

# *"Jews & Christians"*

**IN THE 1980's:  
PROBLEMS AND PROMISE"**

**SUNDAY, JUNE 1, 1986 — 7:30 P.M.**

at Congregation Beth Judah, 6725 Ventnor Avenue, Ventnor, NJ

In the last two years, Congregation Beth Judah has brought to our community two of the greatest Jewish minds in the world today — Elie Wiesel and Rabbi Harold Kushner. By sharing their thoughts with us, these two men have laid the foundation on which an important local tradition has been built — The Beth Judah Lecture Series.

This year we are both proud and honored to have **Dr. Marc Tanenbaum** as our lecturer. Formerly the American Jewish Committee's national inter-religious affairs director, **Rabbi Tanenbaum** was designated "one of the 10 most influential and respected religious leaders in America" in a recent national poll.

An advisor to Presidents, Heads of State and World Leaders, **Dr. Tanenbaum** has had a long and distinguished career in international human rights, world refugee, world hunger and foreign relations concerns. In recognizing his work, a cover story in "New York Magazine" described **Dr. Tanenbaum** as "the foremost Jewish ecumenical leader in the world today."

**Dr. Tanenbaum** is a founder and leading member of the joint liaison committee of the Vatican Secretariat on Catholic-Jewish Relations and the International Jewish Committee for Interreligious Consultations and of a similar body with the World Council of Churches. He was the only Rabbi at Vatican Council II, and participated in the first official audience of World Jewish Leaders with Pope John Paul II. He was also the first Jewish leader to address 4,000 delegates attending the Sixth Assembly of World Council of Churches in Vancouver in July 1983.

**Dr. Marc Tanenbaum**

**"JEWS AND CHRISTIANS IN THE 1980's: PROBLEMS AND PROMISE"**

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Proceeds to Benefit Youth Scholarship Programs.

Our first two lectures were sold out in advance. To avoid disappointment MAIL CARD TODAY.

It is with great pride that Congregation Beth Judah honors Joseph L. Soloff, one of our founding fathers, on the occasion of his 90th birthday.

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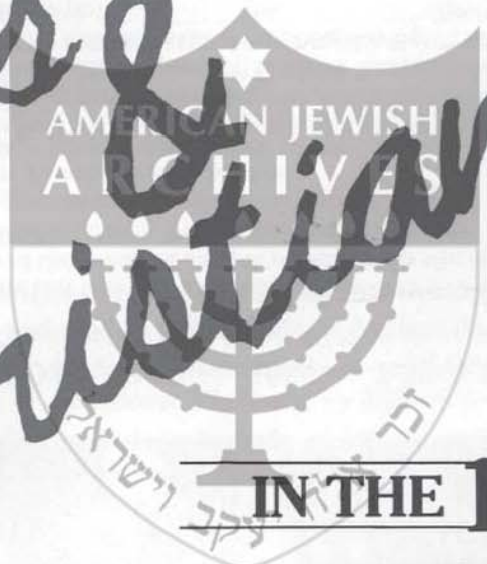
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*"Jews & Christians  
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**IN THE 1980's:**

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**PROBLEMS  
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**SUNDAY, JUNE 1, 1986 — 7:30 P.M.**

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Please make my reservations for the Luncheon and Study Session,  
"Jews in the World Today" by Rabbi Marc Tanenbaum to be held on  
March 29, 1986.

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Friday Evening thru Sunday  
**MARCH 28, 29, 30, 1986**

**T**ERRORISM is a major international issue today in which Rabbi Tanenbaum is fully knowledgeable. We would like to have as many members and friends join in welcoming the Rabbi to our congregation and attending as many of his lectures as possible.

**LUNCH AND STUDY SESSION WILL FOLLOW SERVICES.  
BY RESERVATION ONLY.**

**RABBI TANENBAUM'S SCHEDULE  
IS AS FOLLOWS:**

**• RELIGIOUS FANATICISM & TERRORISM**

ISLAMIC, CHRISTIAN, JEWISH

Friday Evening — March 28 — 8:00 P.M.

**• ISRAEL AND THE PROSPECTS FOR PEACE**

Saturday Services — March 29 — 9:00 A.M.

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**• JEWISH UNITY — LUXURY or NECESSITY**

Sunday Morning — March 30

BREAKFAST — 9:30 A.M.

**Dr. MARC H. TANENBAUM**



Dr. Marc H. Tanenbaum, Director of International Relations of American Jewish Committee, has a long and distinguished career in international human rights, world refugee, world hunger, and foreign relations concerns.

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Dr. Tanenbaum has served as a member of the prestigious Human Rights Research Committee of the Foreign Policy Association's Study of Priorities for the 1980s. In recent years, he has testified before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and the House Foreign Affairs Committee on "Moral Imperatives in the Formation of American Foreign Policy." He has also testified before Congressional committees on world refugee and world hunger problems, and played a key role in organizing White House conferences on Foreign Aid and Energy Conservation.

President Jimmy Carter invited Dr. Tanenbaum as the American Jewish leader among ten national religious and academic spokesmen to discuss "the State of the Nation" at Camp David summit meetings in 1979. He was also appointed as a member of the Advisory Committee of the President's Commission on the Holocaust.

At the invitation of the International Rescue Committee, he joined delegations of prominent American leaders to carry out three separate fact-finding investigations of the plight of the Vietnamese "boat people" and Cambodian refugees, which contributed to the saving of tens of thousands of lives of Indochinese refugees. He has organized many relief efforts for victims of war and conflict, including Lebanese, Nigerians, Ugandans, the Falashas of Ethiopia, Haitians, Afghans, Central Americans and Polish refugees. He is a founder and co-chairman of the National Interreligious Task Force on Soviet Jewry, which aids oppressed Jews and Christians in the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe.

In March 1979, he was invited to consult with Chancellor Helmut Schmidt and German parliamentary officials in Bonn on the abolition of the statute of limitations on Nazi war criminals.

Dr. Tanenbaum is a founder and leading member of the joint liaison committee of the Vatican Secretariat on Catholic-Jewish Relations and the International Jewish Committee for Interreligious Consultations (IJCIC), and of a similar body with the World Council of Churches. He was the only rabbi at Vatican Council II, and participated in the first official audience of World Jewish leaders with Pope John Paul II in Vatican City. He was also the first Jewish leader to address 4,000 delegates attending the Sixth Assembly of the World Council of Churches in Vancouver in July 1983.

He served as consultant to the NBC-TV nine-hour special "Holocaust" and earlier was consultant to the special "Jesus of Nazareth."

He has lectured at major universities, seminaries, religious and educational bodies in the United States, Europe and Israel, and at numerous national and international conferences. Rabbi Tanenbaum is the author or editor of several published books and of numerous articles.

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Rabbi Marc H. Tanenbaum  
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165 East 56th Street  
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Dear Rabbi Tanenbaum:

I am enclosing several copies of our publicity for your visit to Hillcrest Jewish Center the weekend of March 28, 29 and 30th.

We have sent a Newsletter to some of the Jewish publications; however, if your office would like to send its own release, I am sure it would be more effective. I would appreciate your letting me know to whom your release is sent.

We would like to extend an invitation to you to join us for dinner on Friday night, March 28. Rabbi and Libby Mowshowitz have personally asked me to give their regards to you and if you would reconsider staying in the neighborhood over the weekend, they would love to have you as their guest.

We have been writing various articles in our Bulletin over the past few weeks about you and the weekend. I would appreciate if you would furnish me with some current information of your speaking engagements for the purpose of introducing you to the congregation on March 28.

I would also appreciate any other recommendations you have with regard to your introduction.

I look forward to the pleasure of meeting with you.

Cordially,

*Arthur Anderman*  
ARTHUR A. ANDERMAN

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By the Grace  
of G-d  
March 11, 1986

Rabbi Marc Tanenbaum  
45 E. 89th St.  
New York, NY 10128

Dear Marc,

I was sorry to hear that you were not feeling well and hope that by the time this letter reaches you you will be back to your needed strength and vitality. If you don't take a vacation from traveling all over the world you will find yourself back in the same condition - so start lighting your load a bit.

I am enclosing directions to our Temple and look forward to seeing you on April 13th, at 10:00 A.M.

Abe and I tried as best as we could to fill in for you last time but I doubt if we could do it again. Keep yourself well and we will see each other on April 13th.

Sincerely yours,  
TEMPLE BETH-EL OF NORTH BERGEN

*Martin Sofer*

Martin Sofer  
Rabbi

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Dear Rabbi Tanenbaum:

I am writing to thank you for agreeing to take part in the upcoming memorial service for the late Bayard Rustin. The service has been confirmed for Thursday, October 1st, 2:00 p.m., at the Community Church of New York, 40 East 35th Street. Enclosed is a copy of the program as it now stands.

Since we have planned a full program, I would greatly appreciate it if you would keep your remarks to a maximum of five (5) minutes. With your kind cooperation, the program will run approximately an hour and a half.

On the day of the service we ask that you arrive at the church at 1:30 p.m., through the auxiliary door west of the main entrance, and assemble in the conference room in the lower hall.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,  
*Norman Hill*

Norman Hill  
President

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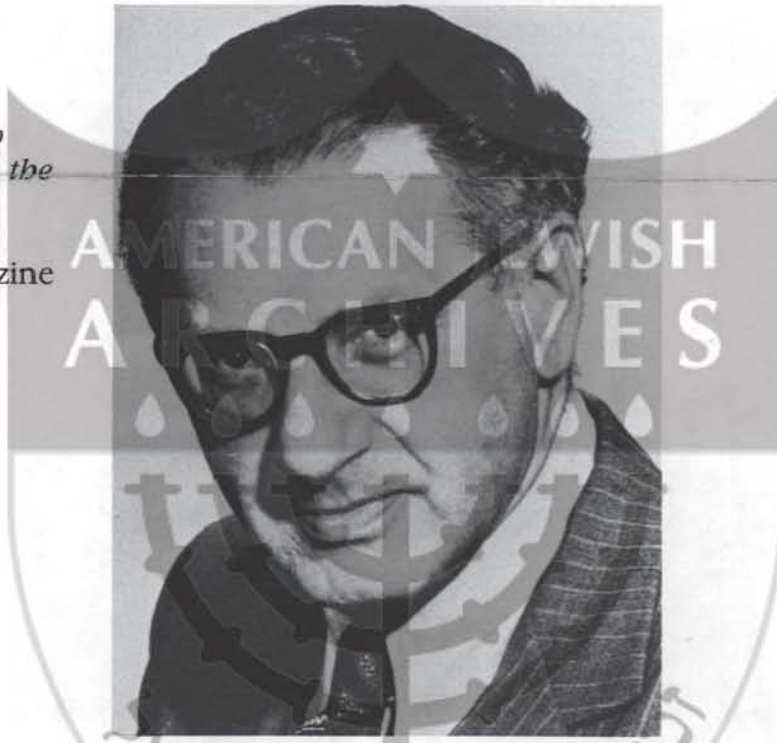
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**Rabbi Tanenbaum recently  
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I will attend the lecture by Rabbi Marc Tanenbaum on Sunday, November 8.

All seats—\$7.50 (unreserved). Enclosed is my check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

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November 23, 1987

Rabbi Marc H. Tanenbaum  
45 East 89th Street  
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Dear Rabbi Tanenbaum,

It is with great pleasure that I thank you on behalf of the Women's Campaign for UJA-Federation for your presentation at our recent \$6,000 luncheon. Your comments addressed a panoply of issues in which the Jewish community is involved and made each of us consider our own commitment once again. You managed to effectively tie together our community's activism with the need for increased giving. The results of the luncheon say it all: \$700,000 was announced by 79 women in attendance.

Again, on behalf of our Event Chairman, Ronnie Heyman and Klara Silverstein, Women's Campaign Chairman, thank you.

Cordially,

*Reva S. Farenbach*

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Lord Rabbi Immanuel Jakobovits

## LORD RABBI IMMANUEL JAKOBOVITS

Tuesday, March 7, 8 p.m.

Rabbi Immanuel Jakobovits became the first rabbi to ever sit in the House of Lords and the first rabbi in Jewish history to be ennobled since medieval times when he was appointed to England's Upper House of Parliament by Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher in February, 1988. In addition to being the Chief Rabbi of the United Hebrew Congregations of the British Commonwealth of Nations, he now holds the title of Baron Jakobovits of Regent's Park.

Rabbi Jakobovits succeeded Dr. Isaac Herzog as Chief Rabbi of Ireland (1949-1958). From 1958-1967, Rabbi Jakobovits served as the first Rabbi of New York City's Fifth Avenue Synagogue. He then went to England in 1967 to assume the leadership of over 200 congregations in the British Commonwealth. In 1977 he was awarded an Honorary Doctorate by Yeshiva University. Since 1979 he has been President of the Conference of European Rabbis. Rabbi Jakobovits was knighted by Queen Elizabeth in 1981.

He is the author of many books published in both English and Hebrew and has contributed to the *Encyclopedia of the Jewish Religion*, *Encyclopedia Judaica* and the *Encyclopedia of Bioethics*.

Lord Jakobovits has always considered it his "duty" to speak out and take a stand. The Commonwealth's 350,000 Jews do not always agree with "The Chief", but his forcefulness and independence are respected. Often considered a rigid traditionalist, he said on the eve of his ennoblement "I have been elevated not because I renounced my Jewish beliefs or modified them, but because I held strictly to them and proclaimed them without adulteration and without concessions."

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## RABBI MARC TANENBAUM

Thursday, April 6, 8 p.m.

Dr. Marc Tanenbaum, one of the most respected and influential Jewish leaders of our time, and presently Director of International Relations of the American Jewish Committee, has had a long and distinguished career in international human rights, world hunger and foreign relations concerns. Chairman of the International Jewish Committee on Interreligious Consultations, Dr. Tanenbaum has spent more than 25 years pioneering the advancement of relationships with religious groups. The only rabbi invited as guest observer at Vatican Council II, he participated in the first official audience of world Jewish leaders with Pope John Paul II in Vatican City.

He was invited by President Carter as the American Jewish leader among 10 national religious and academic spokesmen to speak on the "State of the Nation" at the Camp David summit meetings in 1979 and was appointed as a member of the Advisory Committee of the President's Commission on the Holocaust.

Dr. Tanenbaum has written and lectured extensively on the history, theology and sociology of Judaism and Christianity. He is an award-winning weekly radio commentator for WINS-Westinghouse and served as a consultant to the NBC Television nine-hour program "Holocaust."



Rabbi Marc Tanenbaum

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Dr. Tanenbaum was designated in a national poll as "one of the ten most influential and respected religious leaders in America". He is a founder and leading member of the joint liaison committee of the Vatican Secretariat on Catholic-Jewish Relations and was the only rabbi present at Vatican Council II.

Rabbi Tanenbaum's talk is presented to the community as a gift during the Centennial Year of St. Mary's Medical Center.





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Marc Tanenbaum  
Director, International Relations  
165 East 56th Street  
American Jewish Committee  
New York, NY 10022

Dear Mr. Tanenbaum:

I am pleased to have heard from you regarding plans for the October 20-21 conference, "Fundamentalist Religion and the Secular State: The Experience in America and Israel." I am enclosing a copy of the publicity brochure which we are distributing. We have already received registrations!

I was glad to receive your biographical sketch and am very sorry to see that we have misspelled your name in this first brochure. We will be careful not to make that mistake in the final program.

We will be reimbursing you for expenses, and will be providing a \$500 honorarium. To facilitate the quick processing of your reimbursement, please provide us with your social security number and home address as soon as possible. In saving expense receipts for reimbursement, please be sure to save the back page of your flight coupon--that page which lists your airfare.

When your transportation arrangements are in place, please let us know your arrival and departure dates in order that we may adjust our hotel reservations to accommodate your travel. We have booked a room for you at the Williamsburg Hilton Hotel. We will have transportation for you from the hotel to the law school--the site of the conference--for the opening session on Thursday, October 20 and throughout your stay.

Please remember that a reception and dinner are scheduled for Thursday evening but are not included in the publicity brochure. Please call me or my administrative assistant, Millie Arthur, if you have any questions. I'm looking forward to the conference and to your participation.

Sincerely,

Rodney A. Smolla  
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Constitutional Law and Director,

20 October 1988

**"JEWS AND CHRISTIANS:  
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Our third speaker is Rabbi Marc H. Tanenbaum, Director of International Relations for the American Jewish Committee. Dr. Tanenbaum is Chairman of the International Jewish Committee on Interreligious Consultation. A few months ago he played a key role in the delegation that met with Pope John Paul II in Vatican City. New York Magazine accurately described Rabbi Tanenbaum as "one of the foremost Jewish ecumenical leaders in the world today."

We wish to Celebrate our Dream with you by bringing this gift to you at no charge.

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Office of the Dean  
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March 3, 1989

Rabbi Marc Tanenbaum  
45 East 89 Street  
Apartment 18F  
New York, New York 10128

Dear Marc:

I tried to reach you a few times during this past week and finally left a message on your tape this morning. I hope that they did not find, in the hospital, any complications and that you are back in your home safe and sound. I will call you again Sunday. I would like to reconfirm our arrangement for May 7th by this letter.

We at Queens College are very pleased that you have accepted our invitation to be one of the keynote speakers at our celebration of the Twenty-Fifth Anniversary of the Freedom Summer. You will share the podium with your friend, John Lewis. Each of you are expected to speak for 20-25 minutes. There will be some choral items, candle lighting ceremony and the usual greetings.

The event will take place at the Colden Auditorium at 7:00 P.M. I shall discuss with you your honorarium personally. In the meantime, let me assure you of Marta's and my concern for your health and well being.

I am looking forward to seeing you soon. With my very best wishes.

Cordially,

Ernest Schwarcz

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Rabbi Marc H. Tanenbaum  
45 E. 89th Street  
Apt. 18F  
New York, NY 10128

Dear Rabbi Tanenbaum:

Thank you for your acceptance and immediate signed return of our March Forum confirmation letter. The committee is thrilled that you will be addressing Essex County Section on March 28, 1990.

The title and overall theme for the day is "Our Jewish Heritage: An Agenda for the 90's". When your portion of the program is completed, we will break up into smaller workshop groups which will be led by speakers prominent within our Jewish community. The topics will be:

- A. Jewish Political Power: We need it to Survival
- B. Conquering Anti-Semitism in Our Daily Lives
- C. Reaffirming Our Jewish Identity (in an assimilated world)
- D. Issues in Inter-marriage

As of this time, we have not engaged any of the speakers for these sessions. We have some names and are open for suggestions. If you have any names please let me know.

As I said in my last letter, in order to be able to properly publicize this event we would appreciate receiving four 5x7 black and white glossy photographs, as well as biographical material. We will be glad to return the photographs if you so indicate.

Thank you for all of your cooperation.

Sincerely,

*Debby Schultz*

Debby Schultz  
Co-Chairwoman, March Forum  
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BACKGROUND ON ISRAEL BONDS' SOVIET JEWRY CAMPAIGN

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That theme was reflected in a cable sent by Prime Minister Shamir to Bonds President Meir Rosenne in which the Premier said, "The announcement of a plan to provide good jobs and housing for Soviet Jews in Israel would encourage greater numbers of them to come to the Jewish State."



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Dr. Marc H. Tanenbaum  
Director of International Relations  
of the American Jewish Committee  
165 East 56th Street  
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Dear Dr. Tanenbaum:

I am writing to ask if you would be interested in reading, and, if so moved, writing an endorsement for Rabbi Stephen Wylen's soon-to-be published book: *SETTINGS OF SILVER: AN INTRODUCTION TO JUDAISM*. This is a thorough work on all aspects of Judaism intended as a text for the college level.

The manuscript, which is in galleys, is approximately 350 pages long. Its publication date is August 1989, and I would need the endorsement by May 15. If you agree to review this work, the galleys will be sent via Federal Express.

Thanking you for your time and assistance, I remain

Yours sincerely,

*Georgia J. Christo*

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# The Queens Black-Jewish People to People Project

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Dear Rabbi Tanenbaum:

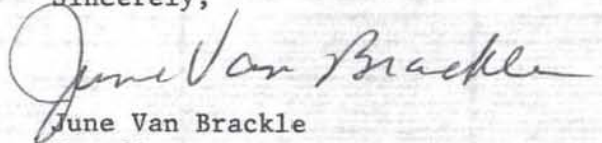
I want to thank you for your participation as an honorary member of the Freedom Summer Commemoration Committee. We are sure you will be quite proud of the program we have planned for our May 7th event, Freedom Summer: The Once and Future Dream.

We hope you will be able to attend, and we have reserved tickets for you and one guest in the special section designated for honorary committee members. Please return the enclosed RSVP form by April 21, 1989. We hope you will also extend an invitation to your friends, to the members of your organizations or church or temple to join in this special tribute to the Civil Rights Movement and to the spirit of brotherhood.

Judging from the many inquiries we are receiving there is considerable community interest for the event. If you want additional tickets for your friends or a group, please call me at 520-7563.

For the general public, tickets will be available at the Colden Center box office. The tickets are free of charge.

Sincerely,

  
June Van Brackle  
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July 1, 1989

Rabbi Marc Tanenbaum  
American Jewish Committee  
165 East 56th St.  
New York City, NY 10128

Dear Rabbi,

On behalf of the Jewish Studies Program at Kent State University, I wish to thank you for your participation in the Teachers Workshop on the Holocaust. All of us feel that this was a very successful undertaking, due mainly to the caliber of people that participated. I am also certain that the information that the teachers gained will add immeasurably to their instructional skills.

Sincerely,



H. Hochhauser, Ph.D.  
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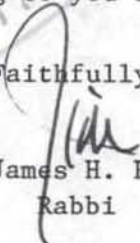
This will confirm our conversation this morning about your appearance at the Free Synagogue of Westchester. There will be two presentations. First, Friday evening, December 15 is in the context of the regular Shabbat Service. The service begins at 8:30 P.M. You can either speak from the pulpit or in an auditorium setting during the Oneg. We will discuss this.

The second presentation will take place Sunday morning, December 17 at a brunch. The brunch begins at 10 A.M.

As we discussed, the honorarium will be \$2,500 for the two sessions. Directions to the Synagogue are enclosed. I have taken the liberty of asking your office for publicity material. We expect an enthusiastic response.

Jane and I would love it if you and Mrs. Tannenbaum could join us for Shabbat dinner before the service. I will be speaking to you soon.

Faithfully,

  
James H. Perman  
Rabbi

JHP/jrs

Rabbi Marc Tannenbaum  
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