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Death of Moses Silver, 1949.

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:NLT RABBI SILVER=

:THE TEMPLE CLEVE=

=BECAR RAV NODA LI AL EVLENA HAKAVED BEHILAKAH MIMHA AVIHA
HAGADOL BETORA BEHORMA UBEMASIM TOVIN LIBI HOME LEHA
UBEYERUSHALAIM TENUHAM HARAV ZEEV GOLD=

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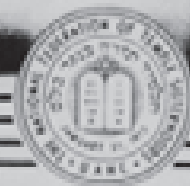
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=ACCEPT OUR PROFOUND SYMPATHIES IN YOUR IRREPARABLE LOSS
WHICH JERUSALEM MOURNS WITH YOU MAY YOU FIND COMFORT IN
FULL RESTORATION ZION AND ISRAEL=

=ABRAHAM GRANOVSKY KEREN KAYEMETH=..

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To *RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER*

Address *13810 SHAKER BLVD.*

City *SHAKER HEIGHTS*

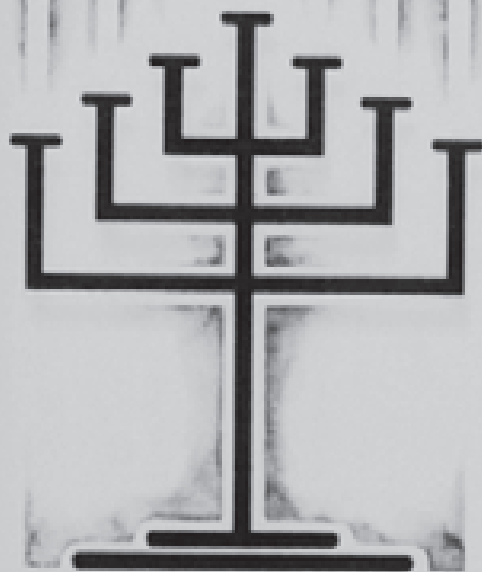
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DEAR RABBI SILVER:

*WE ARE SORRY TO HEAR OF THE DEATH OF
YOUR FATHER. PLEASE ACCEPT OUR HEARTFELT
SYMPATHY.*

Signature *ROSE, LEO, & FRANK OPPENHEIMER*

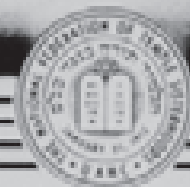
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"....SPEECH IS
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THE TALMUD

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To Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver

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City Cleveland

Date Jan. 16th



Dear Rabbi Silver -

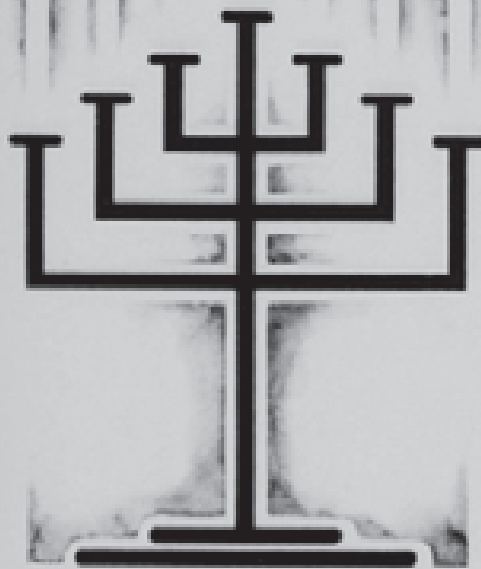
Please be assured of our
heartfelt sympathy in the loss of
your beloved father.

Sincerely -

Signature

Address

Edith and Leonard Labovitch



".... SPEECH IS
THE MESSENGER
OF THE HEART"
THE TALMUD

Received Jan. 16th 1949
Rabbi & Mrs. A. H. Silber
Dear Rabbi & Virginia

It was with deep
regret we learned your
dear father passed away.
We want you to know
our thoughts are with
you in your hour of sorrow.
May God give you strength
and courage to carry

on.

I know it must be a
consolation to you to
have seen him from
time to time

I'm sure he was a fine
man

This is not the time
to talk about your many
honors, Rabbi Silver,
but you know how
proud we are of you
And you, dear Virginia
are an inspiration.

Jeanne & Winford join
me in sympathy & love

Devotedly

Clara Spiegle

Hope the boys are well
Eugene is at school in
New Hampshire

MRS. SIMON A. HOLLENDER
3145 SYCAMORE ROAD
CLEVELAND HEIGHTS 18, OHIO

January 16, 1949.

Dear Ratti Silver:

Our heartfelt sympathy
is extended to you in your
time of sorrow.

Sincerely,

Mr. & Mrs. S.A. Hollender

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תבת דאר מס 100
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16/1/49

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במנהל המכס
ירושלים

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To Rabbi Uba Hillel Silver
Address To The Temple
City Cleveland, Ohio

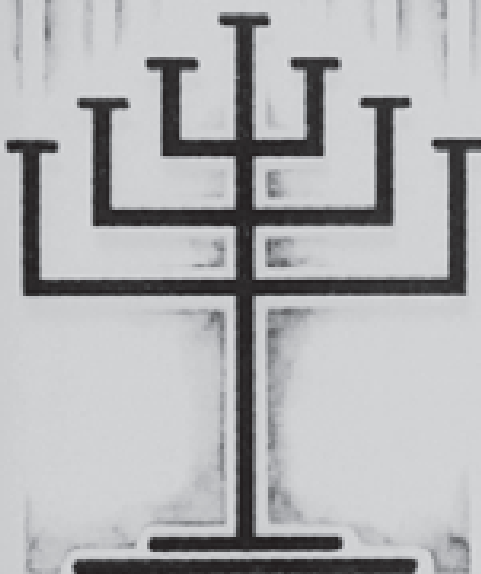
Date January 16, 1949

Dear Rabbi,
When parents live as long as yours
did and experience so much fulfillment,
surely grief at their passing ought to
be greatly outweighed by the comforting
knowledge that they and you have
been blessed in an extraordinary manner.

Signature

Address

We send our love,
Believe me, Leonard



"....SPEECH IS
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A
MESSAGE

to you

FROM

Wanda Biscocky



WBS
Haber Roba Hill Silver
70 The Temple

The Temple

EAST 105TH STREET AT ANGEL ROAD

TELEPHONES GARFIELD 0150-0151

Cleveland

JULIUS J. NODEL
ASSISTANT RABBI

ABBA HILLEL SILVER, D. D.
RABBI

HARRY A. LEVY
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

January 16, 1949

Dear Rabbi Silver,

The students of the Temple High School Department wish to extend to you their deepest sympathy on the death of your father, and spend this moment of bereavement with you.

Sincerely,
The High School Department,
Alan Kruchman
Secretary
Donald Ludin
Chairman

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=RABBI ABBA HILLEL SILVER=

1949 JAN 16 AM 11 27

19810 SHAKER BLVD=

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO YOU IN THIS HOUR OF SADNESS.
MAY THE MEMORY OF YOUR SAINTED FATHER BE A CONTINUED
INSPIRATION TO YOU IN YOUR ZEALOUS LEADERSHIP FOR THE
REDEMPTION OF ISRAEL AND ZION=

EARL STONE LILLIAN MILLER SARAH BAKER MIRIAM
LEIKIND AND STAFF OF THE RELIGIOUS SCHOOL.

הנהלת ההסתדרות הציונית

THE EXECUTIVE OF THE ZIONIST ORGANISATION

התחלקה הארגונית

ORGANISATION DEPARTMENT

Ref. No. 185/3031-1888

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P. O. B. : 92 : ד . ת

CABLE : ZIONIT, JERUSALEM : תיחב

CODE : BERTLEY'S SECOND : 1 1 2

TELEPHONE : 4671 : 11875

16th January, 1949.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
Cleveland, Ohio, U.S.A.

Dear Rabbi Silver,

It was my sad duty to inform you last week of the passing away of your father. He died on Wednesday, the 12th January, and the news spread rapidly in the whole community of Jerusalem. Mr. Alexander Eliash took charge of all the arrangements with regard to the funeral which was held the same day at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, in the presence of very numerous mourners, among whom, apart from the members of the Rehavia Synagogue, heads of Yeshivoth and representatives of orthodox Jerusalem, there were many well-known people, among them Justice Frankin, Professor Herman Zondek, Dr. Hantke, many prominent officials of the Zionist Executive, the Agency and the Funds. Of the Executive only Mr. Shragai was present, as, unfortunately, all other members of the Executive were outside Jerusalem on that day.

The funeral procession stopped in front of the Rehavia Synagogue where very moving addresses were delivered by the old Rabbi S.J. Hillman (the Chief Rabbi's father-in-law), Chief Rabbi Dr. Herzog, Rabbi Michael Tikocinski, Rabbi Abba Rakovsky, and Chief Rabbi Benzion Uziel. All speakers stressed the scholarship, the piety, humility, philanthropy and generosity of the deceased.

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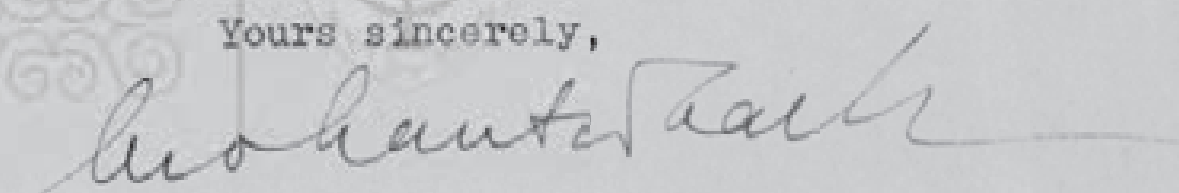
Rabbi Dr. A.H. Silver, Cleveland

(16.1.49)

The body was interred in the court-yard of the Sha'arei Zedek Hospital until such time when it can be buried on the Mount of Olives.

As one who knew your father and admired his gentle personality, I wish once more to express to you my profound sympathy in your sorrow.

Yours sincerely,



Dr. L. Lauterbach

LL/JS

The Temple Women's Association

Jan. 16, 1949.

Dear Rabbi Silver,

All the ladies of the Temple Sisterhood, personally, extend to you and your family their deep sympathy upon the recent passing away of your beloved and revered father.

He enjoyed a long and interesting life, reaching a patriarchal old age. He was blessed with a loving and devoted wife and family, numbering his descendants to the third generation.

You, in particular, must have

been a source of great pride to him since, like Moses, you had to contend with a modern Pharaoh to allow your people to return to their Promised Land. It must have been a cause for deep gratitude on his part to have lived to see the accomplishment of your historic plans.

The precious memories of long years of sweet companionship which your father shared with his dear ones will be a blessing and a comfort to them all.

Sincerely yours,

Hilda W. Krohn Gold, Pres.

Bertha L. Civins, Secy.

ALFRED R. WILLARD
1829 BURNETTE AVENUE
EAST CLEVELAND 12, OHIO

Jan. 16.
1949.

Dear Rabbi Silver:-

Mrs. Willard and I extend to you our deep and sincere sympathy for you in the loss of your father. We hope that our Heavenly Father will bring to you from your own great store of spiritual resources the comfort and healing that can help assuage such a loss.

Very sincerely yours
Alfred R. Willard.

Jan. 17, 1949

Dear Mr. Silver:-

Your bereavement of your dear Father, will naturally fill your soul with sorrow so deep that words of comfort cannot heal.

I know how cold all words of comfort are to a heart crushed by so great an affliction, yet if sincere sympathy can bring you alleviation in your great

now, you have it from
your Friend,

Howard F. Illman
Wade Park Manor
Cleveland
Ohio



Dear Ratti Silori:-

It was with
Deep regret to hear of
Death of your ~~dear~~ Father
and wish to extend
our sympathy.

Very Sincerely
Mr & Mrs. Morris Goldrick

Jan 17/49-

January 17, 1949

My dear Dr. Silver:

Please accept my deepest sympathy upon the death of your mother. Although she lived to a good age and so could be with you many years, the loss of one's mother is a special sorrow. She must have been very proud of you.

Sincerely yours,

Charles Fehly -

3025 LINCOLN BOULEVARD
CLEVELAND HEIGHTS 18, OHIO

January 17th

Dear Rabbi

It is with our deepest
regrets that we learned
of the passing of your father.
Only those of us who have ex-
perienced the loss of a beloved
parent can completely appreciate
the measure of it.

Jane joins me in sending
you and your family our
sincere sympathy.

As always -
Hilda Bacon

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January 17, 1949.

Dear Rabbi Silver,

We read with deep regret of
the passing of your beloved father.

We wish to extend to you
our most heartfelt sympathy.

Sincerely,

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Kunitz

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CLEVELAND OHIO=

UNDER WILL HOUSE LEFT MAXWELL AND YOU EQUALLY STOP ASSAF
MYSELF EXECUTORS CABLE WHETHER SHOULD LETOR KEEP VACANT
STOP LETTING ENABLES LESSEE CLAIM PROTECTION MAKING
EVENTUAL EVICTION EXTREMELY DIFFICULT BUT KEEPING
INDEFINITELY VACANT ALSO DIFFICULT=

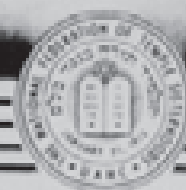
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To Rabbi Hillel Silver
Address Shaker Blvd.
City Cleveland Ohio

Date Jan'y 17 - 49

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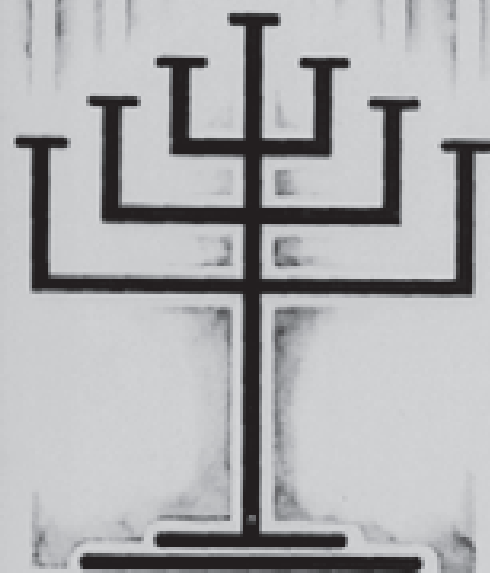
Accept our heartfelt sympathy
in your great sorrow. Yours,
Sincerely,

Signature

Mrs Mrs M. A. Rich.

Address

2511 Overlook Rd.
Cleveland 20 Ohio



".... SPEECH IS
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OF THE HEART"
THE TALMUD

1476 ANSEL ROAD
CLEVELAND

My Dear Dr. Silver,

May I join your many other
friends in expressing sympathy
in your hour of sorrow.

How many times we have heard you
say "The Lord giveth and the Lord
taketh away. Blessed be the Name of



Lara: We were comforted, and I know
you are too, in that faith

Cardially yours
Mary Grossman.

Monday
Jan 17-1949

Mrs. Leonard H. Biskind

15810 So. Moreland Blvd. Shaker Heights 20, Ohio

Jan. 17 - 1949

Dear Rabbi Silver + Family :

Leonard joins me in extending
our sincere sympathy to you in
the loss of your father. I
remember him well when we
visited Jerusalem many years
ago and your parents came to
our house for tea. One feels
badly at the passing of such
a fine individual and may
his soul rest in peace.

Our sincerest regards.

Sincerely, Pauline G. Biskind

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January 17, 1949

Dear Abba:

My deepest sympathy in the loss of your
Father who, from all accounts, was an unusual person.

Affectionate regards to Virginia. As ever

Yours,

Jacob Billikoff
Jacob Billikoff

per B. H.

P.S. I'm dictating this to my secretary from the
hospital where I am undergoing a pretty rigid check
up; hence, my secretary is signing this letter.

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Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th St. and Angel Road
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

It was with deep sorrow that we learned of the passing of your beloved father. On behalf of the Supreme Lodge of B'nai B'rith, and ourselves personally, we extend to you our heartfelt sympathy.

The people of Israel will sorely miss his spiritual guidance, and the Jewish community of America will also feel keenly the loss of this religious leader. He has left a living monument in the hearts of those who knew him and his achievements.

The recognized fact that his life was dedicated to sincere service to his people must be of comfort to you. May the knowledge that your many friends share your loss with you be of some solace to you at this moment.

Sincerely,

President

Secretary

SOLOMON COHEN
ACCOUNTANT AND AUDITOR
11 WEST 42ND STREET
NEW YORK CITY
PHONE LONGACRE 3-6800

comfort you in this hour of your
great bereavement. I feel that
nothing more appropriate could
be said of R. Moshe Silver than
the saying in Mishle 7:20
What is the value of silver

the saying in: פירקין חמשה
.. כל שחלון מרבין מחבטו אתה בלא צדקה
אזילן לטנפיו מיסין ולרילן מרבין למפולו ל
ברכותם לקבלתם קימה ושלום קו זמן
מדינת אלה "מכילה"

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As ever yours
 Sol.

January 17, 1949

Dear Betty Silver,

We are very sorry to
learn of your beloved father's death. Please
accept our deepest sympathy.

Sincerely,
James Antio

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WASHINGTON BUREAU
1200 EIGHTEENTH STREET, N. W.
WASHINGTON 6, D. C.
EXECUTIVE 1060

January 17, 1949

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,
19810 Shaker Boulevard,
Shaker Heights, Cleveland, O.

Dear Dr. Silver:

I was very sorry to read
about the passing of your father, in
blessed memory. I wish to express to you
my deepest sympathy over your loss.

With warmest personal regards
and all good wishes, I am

Most cordially yours,



Hyman A. Schulson

HAS/p

1/17/49.

Dear Robbi Silver:

It was with great sorrow that I learned of the passing of your dear father.

It is hard to part with one's dear one especially with such a saintly and loving father as you had...

The family joins me in heartfelt sympathy.

Sincerely yours,
Eva W. Maynes.



Mrs. Eva D. Wagar

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TEMPLE ON THE HEIGHTS=

HAVE JUST LEARNED OF THE TRAGIC LOSS YOU HAVE SUFFERED
I AM SURE YOU WILL BE COMFORTED IN THE THOUGHT THAT EVERY
MICHIGAN ZIONIST IS WITH YOU IN YOUR HOUR OF SORROW AND
THAT YOUR ILLUSTRIOUS FATHER WAS GIVEN A LONG AND FRUITFUL
LIFE AND THE BLESSED OPPORTUNITY OF FINDING REST ON THE
SOIL OF ISRAEL FOR WHOSE BIRTH YOU ARE SO LARGELY
RESPONSIBLE. KINDEST PERSONAL WISHES=

MORRIS M JACCBS PRESIDENT MICHIGAN ZIONIST REGION=

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17 בינואר 1949

לכבוד
ד"ר אהרן הלל סילבר
קליבלנד

ד"ר סילבר היקר

בצער רב שמענד על מות אביך ביהושע. לא"ס היתה
הזדמנות לשמוע רבות מפי אבך ביהושע על פדוינו התרומה
של אביך ז"ל.
מי יתן והנחת בעבודתך הציונית המסורה.

בכבוד רב ובברכה חברים,

יצחק י. קרמן
י. צחק י. קרמן

Dear Rabbi Silver:-

Bob, the
Children + myself
extend our sincerest
sympathy to you on
the death of your father.

Katherine Blau



January eighteenth



Mrs. Robert S. Blau

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105 TEMPLE EAST ~~RUSSEL~~ RD CLEVE=

LEMANHIGENU HADAGUL KOS TANCHUMIA BENOT ALAV AVIV HARAV R
MOSHE STOP BEAVODA LEMAAN MILUI SHIFOTEINU HALEUMIOT
INTZA NECHAMA MAZKIRUT EUROPIT KONFEDERATZIA ZIONIT KLALIT
MAARECHET ZIONISTISCHE SHTIME=

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To *Rabbi A. H. Rifers*

Address

City

Date *Jan. 18 - 1949*

Dear Rabbi:

Please accept my sincere sympathy, upon your recent sad bereavement -

Fondly yours

Signature

Address

*Rosa L. Liebschman
2661 Euclid Ave. Apt. 1
Cleveland Heights 6 Ohio.*



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OF THE HEART"
THE TALMUD

Cleveland, Ohio.
July 18th /47.

Dear Dr. Silvan:-

Please know that
I am thinking of you in
your recent tribulations and
accept my sincere sympathy,
Cordially,
Thos. S. Terson.



Mrs. MOSES J. GARSON

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To Rabbi Silver

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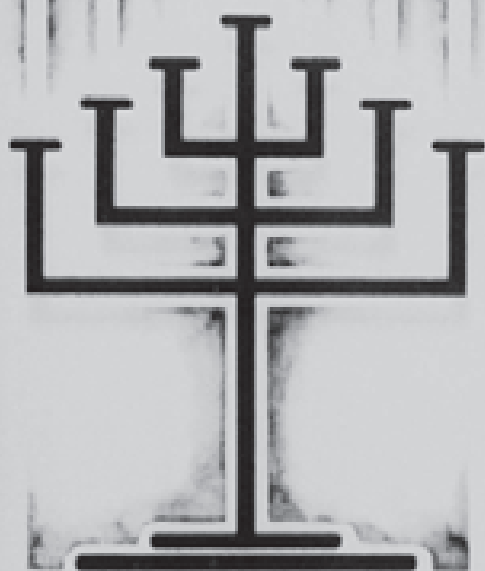
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your great loss

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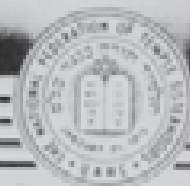
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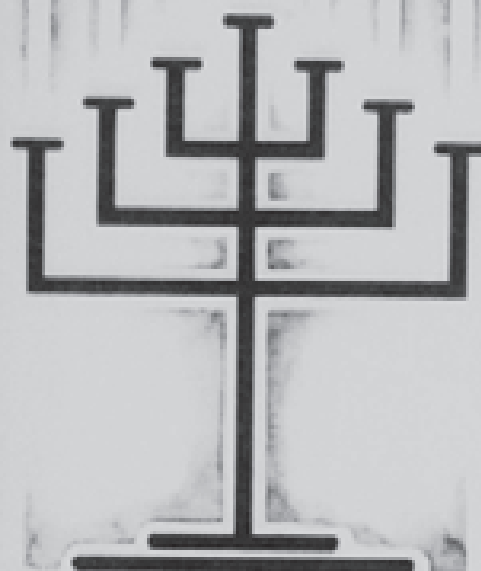
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*Recd. our heartfelt sympathy -
for loss of your beloved father.*

*Lena Meyer
Libby Roth
Marguerite Leuter
William G. Herman*

Signature

Address

Sincerely

*Sara E. Mandelzweig
Hattie H. Iserson
Edna Stern
Anna Bernon*

RABBI JONAH B. WISE
35 E. 62ND ST. - New York 21, N. Y.

Dear Abba: -

Please accept

my sympathy on the death

of your honored father.

Yours sincerely
Louch

Jan. 18, 1949.

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To Rabbi W. St. Silver
Address of The Temple
City Anson, E. 10th St
City.

Date 1/8-49

Dear Rabbi Silver,

My wife joins me in extending to you
our most heart-felt sympathy, in the passing of
your beloved father.

Very Sincerely Yours

Signature

Address



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January 18, 1949.

Dear Dr. Silver:

Though somewhat delayed, I beg of you to believe that this note of condolence is none the less sincere.

Surrender of a parent to the inevitable demands of time is always hard, and yet you must be comforted by the knowledge that your father survived to a ripe old age and during it lived a useful life.

Accept the hearty assurance of my deepest sympathy.

Very sincerely,

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver

DR. DAVID POLISH
ASSOCIATE RABBI
TEMPLE MIZPAH
1615 MORSE AVENUE
CHICAGO 26, ILLINOIS

January 18, 1949

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Please accept my condolences on the passing of your father. God be thanked that he lived to be one of the first citizens of Israel.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "David Polish". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the word "Sincerely,". There is a faint, circular postmark or stamp visible in the background behind the signature.

RABBI ABRAHAM J. FELDMAN
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT

January 18, 1949
Dict. 1/17/49

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
East 105th St. and Ansel Road
Cleveland 6, Ohio

My dear Abba:

I was grieved to learn of the death of your dear father. I know how close have been the relationships between you and him, and how proud he has been of the great service you have given our people.

He has had a profound influence upon several generations of us who have come under his influence, and of course, countless numbers who have come under his influence indirectly, thru the superb service you have given, in which service you reflected so much of his ideals and his teachings.

I pray that God's consolation may be yours, even as I thank God that your father had the privilege to see the beginnings of the Ge'ulah.

Faithfully yours,


Dr. Abraham J. Feldman

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January 18, 1949.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
105th St. and Ansel Road
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Abba:

I need not tell you that I was saddened by the news of the passing of your beloved father who died in the holy city of Jerusalem. Your father, like so many of the fathers of the boys of the Herzl Club, belonged to all of us. I will always remember him even though many years have gone by since we met in our club rooms with your dad as one of our guiding spirits. As we think of him now we realize almost the fact of immortality which his presence among us created.

Mary and I extend to you our deepest sympathy as he joins your beloved mother in the Land of our Fathers.

Sincerely,

Ben

Benjamin Friedman

BF:fs

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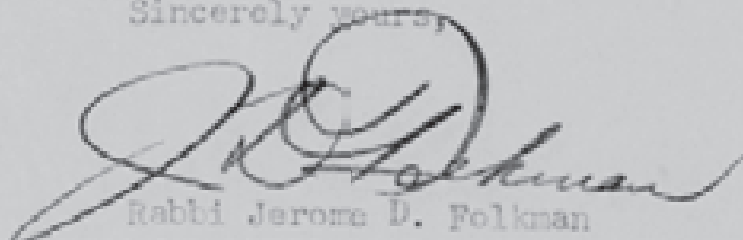
January 18, 1949

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
E. 105th and Ansel Road,
Cleveland 6, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

It was with genuine regret that I learned of the passing of your dear father, the distinguished Rabbi Moshe Silver, in Jerusalem. Please be assured of my sincere sympathy. I do hope that the knowledge that your colleagues share your sorrow will in some small measure, at least, mitigate the pain of bereavement.

Sincerely yours,



Rabbi Jerome D. Folkman

JDF:FF

ההסתדרות הציונית של ארצות הברית

ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA

41 EAST 42nd STREET
NEW YORK 17, N. Y.

January 18, 1949

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

It was with sincere regret that I learned of the recent passing of your beloved father. Although words are sadly inadequate at a time like this, please do accept my heartfelt sympathy in your bereavement.

Consolation can be found perhaps, in the certainty of knowing that your father must have derived infinite נחת רוח during his lifetime, from the invaluable contribution that his son was making to his people.

המקום 'נחת רוח' כבודך שאר אבלי ציון וירושלים.

Sincerely yours,

Joseph Thon

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
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Dear Rabbi:

The sadness which has come to you and your family at the death of your father in Jerusalem is one in which all Israel joins. May I as one of your humble followers and as President of the Bronx Zionist Region offer you my deepest sympathy...

We Jews judge a tree by the fruit it bears. Although it was not my privilege to know the deceased, one can readily understand by the great works of his son who has given the Jewish people sterling leadership - that he was a man of great spiritual stature.

Your father's departure from this world in the Holy City of Jerusalem will add another claim by our people that Jerusalem must and shall be part of the State of Israel...

With Israel's Greetings,

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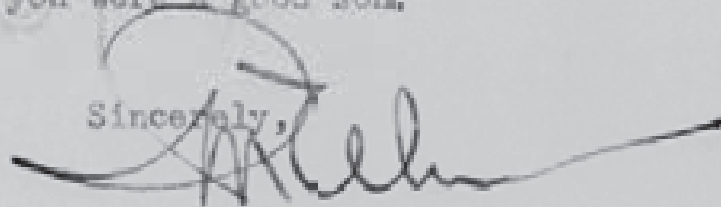
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Dear Rabbi:

I have been out of the City visiting our Boston Branch, consisting of my son-in-law, my daughter Susan, and our grandchild. I am just advised that you lost your father. I know, in chatting with you some time ago, you told me that your mother had passed on, and now your father has gone to his eternal rest.

Our condolences go to you. Both of your parents lived for a long time and I know took great pride in your accomplishments. You are comforted in the knowledge that you were a good son.

Sincerely,



Rabbi A. S. Silver
19810 Shaker Blvd
Shaker Heights 22, Ohio

EUGENE L. GEISMER
925 NATIONAL CITY BANK BUILDING
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PROSPECT 2590

January 18th

Dear friends,

Mollie and I will be on our
touring way to Atlanta and California
when you return, so I am writing
to express our sympathy for the
passing of your father.

I was not privileged to know
him but I know he was a rare
character, that he lived as he wished,
where he wished, and I am sure died
as he would wish as a citizen of free
Israel. And for this he must have had
great happiness that his son had done
so much to win the cause.

On this subject, I have always
felt that with all the praise bestowed
upon you, it fell short. For I believe
that no one but you could have
accomplished the result. It was you
who dared to take the risk and it was
your zeal, your determination, your
voice and plea of the cause that
brought triumph.

I once told you, when I thought

EUGENE L. GEISMER
925 NATIONAL CITY BANK BUILDING
CLEVELAND 14, OHIO
PROSPECT 2580

You were more or less tilting at
wind-mills, that someday you would
become the great advocate of a
great cause and I take some satis-
faction at being so good a prophet-
even if it was self-evident.

Love from Mollie and
Gene.



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To

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Date

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Deepest Sympathy



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January 18, 1949

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
Zionist Organization of America
41 East 42d St.
New York, N. Y.

Dear Dr. Silver:

On behalf of the Officers and Directors of the Shulamith School for Girls, please accept our deepest sympathy on the passing of your beloved father.

May G-d comfort you at this time and spare you from future sorrow.

Sincerely yours,

SHULAMITH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

Louis L. Cohen

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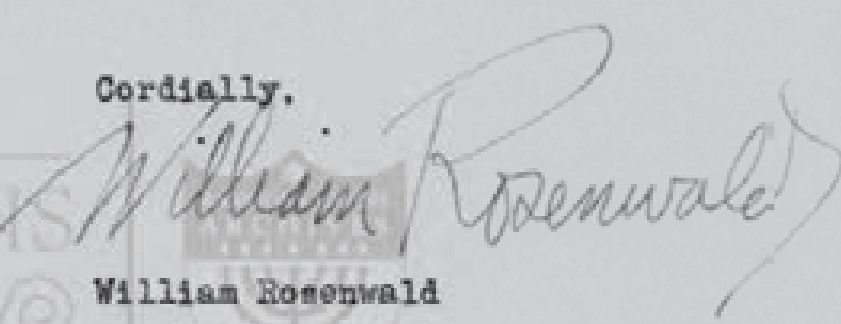
WILLIAM ROSENWALD
105 WEST 40TH STREET
NEW YORK 19, N. Y.

January 18, 1949

Dear Dr. Silver:

It is with deep regret that I have learned of the passing of your father. Please accept this expression of my sincere sympathy in your sorrow.

Cordially.


William Rosenwald

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street at Ansel Road
Cleveland, Ohio

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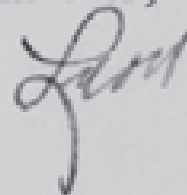
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Dear Rabbi:

Hortense and I want to express
our deepest sympathy upon the passing of your
dear Father.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
Cleveland, Ohio.

As ever,



HARRY TORCZYNER

New York, January 19th 1949

Dear Dr and Mrs Silver,

I want to tell you the part
which we take in your loss and
to express to you our deepest sympathy.



Cordially as ever,

Marcelle and Harry Torczyner

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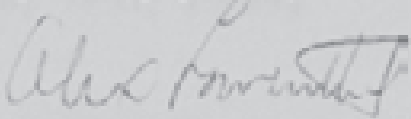
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January 19, 1949.

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver:

It was with deepest sorrow that I learned
of the death of your dearly beloved and revered Father.
Mrs. Lowenthal and I extend our deepest sympathy and trust
that your memories of his long and useful life will help
comfort you.

Very truly yours,


ALEX LOWENTHAL

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LEO R. SACK

1676 James Ave
Miami Beach,
Jan, 19, 1949

Dear Mr. Silver:

I had a letter from Hy Shulson today in which he advised me of the death of your father.

We were all so sorry to hear of your loss. Your father lived thru and close to momentous history - the making of Israel become a Nation in fact as well as prayer. He had the satisfaction of knowing that he fathered one of the principal architects of that state. He did not live in vain.

LEO R. SACK

Congratulations on helping
to kill the fire which
burned Mr. Bevin. I
hope he burns some more.
In the meanwhile it seems
to me that the rainbow
is trying to push the
clouds aside.

kindest regards to both
of you and again our
deepest sympathy.

Sincerely,
Leo

The
Sovereign

ON THE OCEAN AT 412^{1/2} STREET
MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA

Jan 19-1948

Dear Rabbi Silver,

Mr Ratner & I wish

To extend our sympathy upon
the loss of your Father. Although
we knew you were in Atlantic
City felt your grief & knew that you
had best be left alone.

There must be a
great deal of satisfaction in
knowing that he died in the
Land of Israel for which you fought
so well and one for our people.

Hoping that God may
grant that you might not any more
sorrow.

Sincerely,

Leonard & Lillian Ratner

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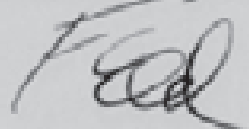
RABBI'S STUDY
500 W. WAYNE ST.

Jan. 19, 1949

Dear Dr. Silver:

Just learned of the sorrow
which has come to you with the pass-
ing of your father in Israel, and
I extend my deepest sympathy to you.
May God give you strength and conso-
lation in memories of a good life.

Faithfully yours,



19 January 1949

Dear Rabbi:

I beg you to allow us a little of your time to share with you your great loss.  and I are not acquainted with your father, but we feel that he must have been a fine and true man.

We know you, Rabbi, and we realize that your educated heart

as well as your well trained
mind must have been born from
a beginning.

We believe that the qualities
we have learned to know and
to love in you are but a
reflection of those that were
housed in the heart of your
mother and father who gave
to you a rich and fertile mind
with which ~~you~~  would work
and grow.

Bill and I are very young. We
have not lived long enough
to know and to appreciate real
gains and losses in the game
of life. Our words, therefore,
cannot be important or
make you feel any the less
your pain.

We can say only that you
are our friend as well as our
Rabbi, and that any hardship
you may have, we too must
share.

WRHS
Very sincerely yours,

Bill et Denise

MOSES SCHONFELD
55 LEONARD STREET
NEW YORK 13

Jan. 19
1949

Rabbi Abba H. Silver
The Temple
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

The news of the passing of your father reached us here and I hasten to extend to you my wife's and my own deepest sympathy. We gathered from what you told us that he was a saintly scholar.

The fact that he passed away at this moment of our history in Israel must be a source of consolation to you and his family.

Likewise, the fact that so many of your friends and admirers feel with you at this moment.

Sincerely yours,

Moses Schonfeld

MS:L

SAMUEL GOLDHAMER
120 CHESTER-TWELFTH BUILDING
CLEVELAND

Dear Rabbi:

Mrs Goldhamer and I wish to express our deep regret
on learning of the passing away of your dear father
and to extend our sincere condolences to yourself and
your family.

I am,

Very truly yours,

January 19, 1949.

Sam Goldhamer



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Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
2 East 105th Street
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

I learned with sorrow this morning through the pages of the "New Palestine" of the death of your father. I know that messages from your friends cannot give you complete comfort in this hour. I am writing, however, to tell you that our membership grieves with you. I hope you may be comforted by the memories you have.

Sincerely yours,

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January 19, 1949

Dear Dr. Silver:

On behalf of myself and my colleagues, I want to express our sincere sympathy at the death of your father.

The death of a parent is always a great sorrow. But you will, we know, be comforted in the thought of his distinguished life and works, and that he lived to see the establishment of the State of Israel. He will be mourned by all those who honor Jewish scholarship and Zionist devotion.

With cordial Hadassah greetings,

Yours sincerely,

Mrs. Samuel W. Halprin

Mrs. Samuel W. Halprin
National President

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
Jewish Agency for Palestine
16 East 66th Street
New York 21, N. Y.

Frank Halliday Ferris

20 January 1949

My dear Rabbi and friend:

While in St. Luke's last week having a
Lemna taken care of, I read in the Plain Dealer
that you had lost your father. This is the first day I
have felt like writing letters, and I want my first
to be a word to you. I recall your telling me the
night we journeyed east together of your mother's
recent death at a great age; and how your father
had followed her. I am glad you had occasion to go to
Palestine so many times, for it gave you a chance to
see them. I know how great must have been their
pride in you and the great place you have made
for yourself.

My parents died in 1936 and 37. I miss them just
as much as I did at first, still look for their
letters and wonder why they do not come. It
seems to me an intimation of immortality. God
cannot spare these dear souls any more than
He can us.

Always yours,

Frank Ferris

Rabbi Abba Hibel Silver, D.D.

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Rabbi Abba Millel Silver
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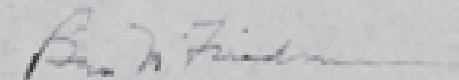
My dear Rabbi Silver:

Our Region is deeply grieved over the demise of your father. His life long devoted service to his people and the cause of Zion will forever be engraved unforgettably in the hearts of our people. Surely the re-emergence of Israel as a people and a free State, which he had been granted to witness, must have been a source of great satisfaction to him and a source of solace and comfort to you and your family.

In the name of 15,000 Zionists in Long Island, allow me to express my deepest sympathy and compassion with you over the loss of your father, a great man, Jewish scholar and Zionist.

May you and we be comforted amongst all the grieved of Zion and Jerusalem.

Very sincerely yours,



BEN M. FRIEDMAN
President

BMF:row

Jan. 20, 1949

Dear Rabbi Silver,

We The Students of The Temple Religious School want you to know how deeply grieved we are at the great loss of your dearly beloved father. We hope that our prayers may reach your heart and in some small measure bring you comfort and peace.

With all our love,

The Temple Religious School

Luise Eleonors,

Secretary of The Student Council

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Rabbi Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th St., Thursee
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Dr. Silver,

In the name of the hundreds of orphaned inmates of this, their loyal Home, we beg to express our deep sympathy upon the great and irretrievable loss you sustained in the demise of your dear Father, the highly respected Rabbi Moshe Silver, of blessed memory.

May his good soul rest in everlasting peace; may you and all yours' never know of any further sorrow or evil, and enjoy happy, healthy and long life, Amen.

Needless to say, the Hebrew name of your Father and the date of his death have now duly been inscribed in the Yahr-Zeit Book of the Orphanage for full observance in accordance with regulations. Notification will be sent to you prior to the Yahr-Zeit, every year.

Once more expressing our sympathy with your bereavement, and may you find condolence among the true mourners of Zion and Jerusalem, we remain, dear Dr. Silver,

Very truly yours,
The Directors,

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Jan 20, 1949

Dear Robt. Fisher:

We were extremely sorry
to learn your father had passed
away and extend our sincere
sympathy to you and Mrs. Silver.

No matter what the cir-
cumstances, the loss of a loved
one is distressing, yet in this
instance, the sorrow must be
tempered by the knowledge he had
been spared to you all these
years.

Very sincerely yours

William C. Clanner

AARON BLUESTONE, D.D.S.
522 OCEAN AVENUE
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BUCKMINSTER 2-2320

Jan. 20th 1949

My dear Dr. Silver,

I read the sad news of your father's passing in this morning's paper and send this message to tell you that I share with you a deep sense of bereavement over your loss.

He was my teacher at the Machzikei Talmud Torah when I was a young lad and have reason to be grateful to his memory.

Very truly yours,
Aaron Bluestone

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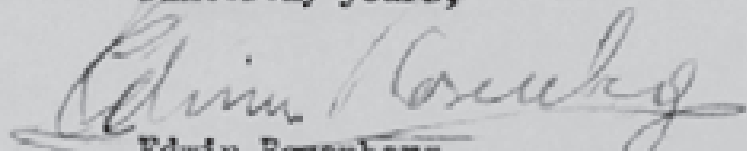
Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105 Street at Ansel Road
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

In behalf of my fellow Board members of
United Service for New Americans, I wish
to extend deepest sympathy to you in the
loss of your beloved father.

We know that his passing is a severe blow
and we trust that you may soon find a
measure of consolation in his cherished
memory.

Sincerely yours,


Edwin Rosenberg

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20th January, 1949.

Rabbi Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,
Tifereth Israel Congregation,
E. 108th and Ansel Road,
CLEVELAND.
Ohio, U.S.A.

Dear Dr. Silver,

In this afternoon's Zionist Record I read with
deepest regret of the death of your late father, whom I
had the pleasure of meeting during my visits to Israel
in 1941 and 1946.

During my 1948 visit, however, I did not look up
your father as first of all I was only in Jerusalem for
three days as an observer of the Actions Committee Meetings
and secondly because I knew that you would probably wish to
see him as often as you could and did not want to intrude.

I am happy to tell you that I have carried on quite
a frequent correspondence with your late father in
connection with the United Aged Home of Jerusalem. I
valued his friendship and in spite of the fact that he
died at the ripe old age of 85 years, I am sure that Jerusalem
as a whole and particularly the "Shemen and Soleth" of the
Holy City will greatly miss him.

I feel confident that you will obtain consolation
from the knowledge that your father was a great Jew and
from the great work you are performing on behalf of the
Jewish people.

Sincerely yours,

M. C. Kety

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Dear Abba Hillel:

May I add my word of sympathy
to those of your many friends in the
passing of your dear father.

To have had such an able and
distinguished son must have brought
great joy to his heart, as I know he
brought joy and strength to yours.

I know that your faith will
provide you refuge and strength in this
time of your grief, and its consolations
minister to your spirit.

Blessings on you!

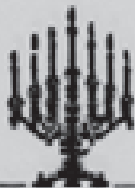
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My dear Rabbi:

I have just learned of the passing of your dear father and I beg to have you include my family and myself among the vast number who undoubtedly felt with you in your bereavement. It will be futile for me to simply express friendship and faith, but I can not refrain from the observation that your dear father enjoyed the prophetic blessing of seeing a worthy son of his distinguished among his people and among the peoples of the world. It is indeed a consummation but rarely experienced, and in this sense, your good father's life must have been complete.

Mrs. Sharlitt and my two boys beg to join me in my condolences and my expression of friendship and faith.

Sincerely,

Michael Sharlitt



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Dear Doctor Silver:

The Mizrahi Women's Organization of America has learned with deep-felt sorrow of the passing of your esteemed and pious father. It is a loss which all of religious Jewry feels keenly, inasmuch as the deceased has given so much of a scholarship to enrich the Torah-culture of our people and our Homeland.

American Jewry, in fact, Jewry the world over, will also remember undoubtedly the greatest contribution which your saintly father made to the cause of Zion in having given us so illustrious a son like yourself, whose leadership has inspired the masses of American Jewry with the sacred ideal of Eretz Israel.

May G-d strengthen your heart in this hour of deep-felt sorrow and give you courage to carry on for G-d, Israel and the Jewish State.

May the Lord comfort you among the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem.

Sincerely yours,

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Dear Dr. Silver:

My heartfelt condolences to you on the loss of your father. I remember him very well. It was in 1935 that I visited him and I have in my movies a picture of both of your parents.

He had a splendid life and was creative to the end of his days. I recall, years ago, when your father translated your famous utterance on America into Hebrew. You read it then to me and then I read it myself. It was very beautiful.

My own father passed away a few months ago and I know how one feels. May your great work for Israel sustain you and comfort you.

With fondest greetings,

Yours sincerely,

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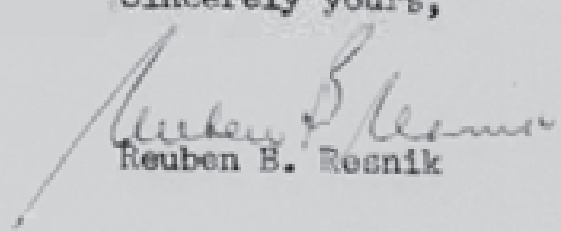
Dear Rabbi Silver:

Word that you had been called away because of
your father's passing saddened all of us at the
Atlantic City United Jewish Appeal Conference.

Please accept my deepest sympathy for you and
the members of your family.

I am confident that the inspiration which he
gave you during life will bring you solace now.

Sincerely yours,


Reuben B. Resnik

u n i o n g r a m



To Rabbi Silver
Address 19801 Shaker Blvd.
City Cleveland, Ohio

Date Jan 21-1949.

Dear Rabbi, - Please be assured of Margaret's
and my heartfelt sympathy in the
loss you have had.

Fondly (and with
much love to Virginia).
Signature *Etta E. Rheinheimer*
Address 1233 E. Blvd
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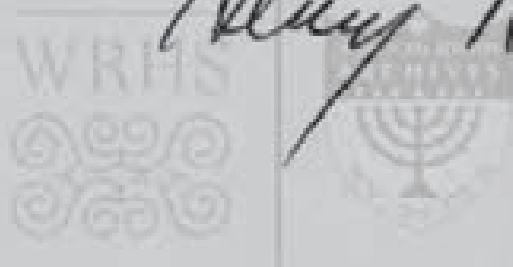
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My dear Rabbi Silver

Jan 21, 1949

My sincere sympathies in
your grievous loss

Henry Rosenthal



Cleveland, Ohio
January 21st. 49.

Dear Rabbi Silver,

I wish to express my deepest sympathy at this time of your bereavement in the passing of your dear father Rabbi Moshe Silver.

You have been such a great comfort to me these past few years, that I feel at a loss in not being able to return that great solace that you extended to me.

Very sincerely yours

Paula Weiglin-Laudacher

Cleveland No. 30



The Temple
Cleveland

January 21, 1949.

Dear Rabbi Silver,

The Cleveland United Order True
Sisters #30, wishes to express their
deepest sympathy in the loss of your
beloved father.

It is most gratifying to know that
he lived to see our new state - a lifelong hope.

Our heartfelt sympathy is extended
to you in your hour of sorrow.

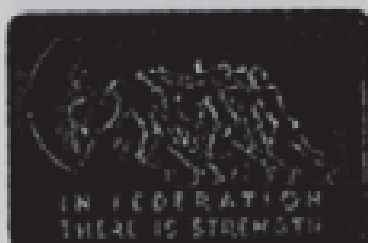
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By order of our President.

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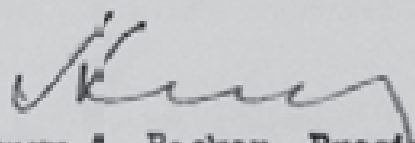
Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
Ansel Road & East 105th Street
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

For myself personally and on behalf of our Federation, I wish to express our deep sympathy at the recent passing of your father in Jerusalem.

I realize the futility of words on such a sorrowful occasion. But I hope that your sorrow will be tempered by the thought that your late father no doubt derived much gratification from the realization that the last period of his life was lived in the new Land of Israel, as a result of the leading role his son played in the creation of the Jewish State.

Sincerely,


Henry A. Rucker, President
The Jewish Welfare Federation

HAR:DO

January 21, 1949

Dear Rabbi Silver -

I just learned of your double loss within the past half year, and want you to know that our thoughts are with you.

How gratifying it must have been for your parents to witness the birth of Israel and to realize the great part their son had in making it possible!

Kindest regards to your wife and yourself.

Betty Burke Eichler

El Paso Biltmore

MOTOR HOTEL

EL PASO



TEXAS

Jan - 21 - 1949.

Dear Rabbi Silver,
We thought we had better write you than
many miles from home. We are enroute
motor to California, just having arrived
from Carlsbad New Mexico.

to see you in our
Sincerest and deepest sympathy in
the loss of your dear Father. It should
warm your heart to have had your
Father to be spared, to rejoice with you
in your grand work and accomplishment
just read of the wonderful loan
granted the State of Israel - We are
indeed proud of you -

Our kindest
regards to little Mrs. Silver
and yourself,

Truly,
Rabbi M. Goldstein

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EAST 105th AT ANSEL ROAD - CLEVELAND 4, OHIO

January 21, 1949.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
19810 Shaker Boulevard,
Shaker Heights 22, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

The Temple Men's Club extends to you and your family its heartfelt sympathy in your present bereavement.

We hope that you may find solace in the knowledge that God's purpose has been served, and that your beloved father lived a full life of high endeavor and rich in accomplishment.

Cordially,

Louis C. Haas Pres.
Shaker Heights Society

ISIDOR COONS
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January 21, 1949

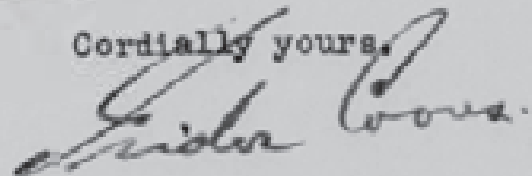
Dear Dr. Silver:

I have learned of the passing of your dear father and I wish to express to you and to the members of your family my sincere sympathy in your bereavement.

I know that you will derive comfort from the knowledge that your father was vouchsafed a long life in which he was privileged to give spiritual leadership to our people.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Cordially yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Isidor Coons". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed name.

Isidor Coons

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
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Dear Rabbi Silver -

I learn with regret of the
passing of your father and extend to you
and your family my sympathy.

Yours,

Henry S. Friedman

Cleveland January 23, 1949

Dear Rabbi Dr. Silver :

To the great loss which occurred to you by passing away of your beloved father, Mrs. Simon and I want to express our deepest sympathy. Though your father was blessed to reach the biblical age of four score and more, it is always hard, when that moment comes. -Your father had the greatest " Schie " to see his brilliant son accomplish the establishment of Israel.

With best regards

yours

Paula & Joseph Simon



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Jan. 23, 1949

Dear Dr. Silver:

Please accept my own profound
 condolence, and that of our associates in the
 Academy, over the passing of your sainted and
 pious father.

A parent's loss is difficult
 to endure, no matter what his age; but your
 father's good name leaves a glory and bene-
 diction even within grief. For myself too, I
 remember that he was born in the same street
 of the same town as my own father; I mourn the
 loss of an honored landsmann.

With all good wishes for the
 future,

Sincerely and faithfully yours—

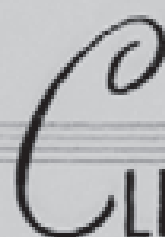
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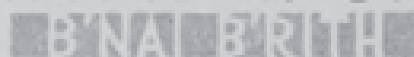
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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
19810 Shaker Blvd.
Shaker Heights Ohio.

Dear Brother and Rabbi:

It is with deep sorrow and regret that we have been informed of the death and passing of your dear beloved father Rabbi Moshe Silver in Jerusalem.

In behalf of the Cleveland B'Nai Brith Lodge Number Sixteen, it's Officers and Members we want to extend to you our heartfelt sympathy and our prayers. In this hour may the knowledge that our members share your sorrow be of some comfort to you.

With kind thoughts which words are powerless to express and pray that some measure of consolation from our faith will come to you, we are,

Fraternally yours,

3259 Dorchester Rd.
Shaker Heights 20
Ohio.

The Cleveland B'Nai Brith Lodge No. 16

By

Abel F. Nebel

Welfare Com.

RABBI SAMUEL J. ABRAMS
70 MARSHALL STREET
BROOKLINE, MASSACHUSETTS

36 Thorndike St.

Jan. 24/49.

Dear Abe,

I read with a good deal of feeling - poignant and reminiscent. of the passing of your dear father. We who knew him so intimately will never forget the molding influence he exerted over the early years of our youth. He was in truth a wayshower and exemplar to us, guiding and leading us. And much of what ^{we} became in later life was, in no small measure, due to his early interest and fatherly advice. Please accept my deepest sympathy - from Sarah and myself.

Sam -



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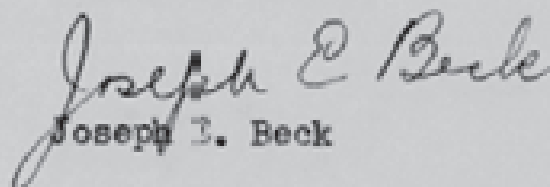
Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
E. 105 Street at Ansel Road
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Silver:

My associates in United Service for New Americans
join me in extending deepest sympathy in the loss
of your dear father.

We hope that the spiritual strength which you
constantly give to others will stand you in good
stead in this hour of sorrow.

Sincerely yours,


Joseph E. Beck

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY
OF
MOUNT SINAI HOSPITAL
1800 EAST 105TH ST.
CLEVELAND 6, OHIO

January 24th, 1949.

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver,
The Temple,
City.

Dear Dr. Silver,-

The members of the
Women's Auxiliary of Mount Sinai
Hospital, wish to offer you and your
family, every condolence and deepest
sympathy in the loss of your beloved
and illustrious father.

Please be assured that our thoughts
and hearts are with you in your
sorrow.

Most sincerely,
(Mrs. Harry J.) Anna M. Glick,
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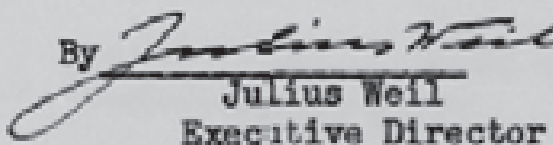
Dear Rabbi Silver:

Mr. Adolph Keller has made a donation to the Emilie
Keller Library Fund of the Montefiore Home in memory
of your beloved father, the late Rabbi Moshe Silver.

We know that you will be pleased with the method
chosen by Mr. Keller to pay tribute to your dear one.

May we also express to you our sincere condolence.

Sincerely,
THE MONTEFIORE HOME

By 
Julius Weil
Executive Director

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January 25, 1949

Dr. L. Lauterbach
Executive of Zionist Organization
P.O.B. 92
Jerusalem, Palestine

My dear Dr. Lauterbach:

I want to thank you for your thoughtfulness in informing me of the passing of my dear father, and also for your letter of January 16th in which you convey to me some details in connection with the funeral services. I am profoundly grateful to you for your thoughtfulness and for your expressions of sympathy.

I have heard from many friends in Israel, and it is heartening to be remembered on an occasion of bereavement. I was happy to have had the opportunity to see my father a few months ago although he appeared already then to be very feeble and undermined. The passing of Mother last March must have been a great blow to him for he seemed to have lost all interest in life. It is good to know, however, that up to the last few months of their lives, both Father and Mother felt that they were rounding out their lives as they wished it, and they were content.

Again thanking you for your kindness, permit me to remain

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

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January 25th, 1949

Rabbi Abba H. Silver,
19810 Shaker Boulevard,
Shaker Heights, Ohio

Dear Rabbi:

I want to extend to you and your family
my heartfelt sympathy in the death of your dear father.

I never had the pleasure of meeting him,
but from all accounts he was a most wonderful man.

With love to yourself, Virginia and the
children, I am,

Most sincerely,

Nate

NL-K

January 25, 1949

United Aged Home
P.O. Box 888
Jerusalem, Palestine

My dear Friends:

Mr. Edgar A. Hahn has contributed the sum of \$100 in memory of my father, and I am herewith enclosing a check for that amount. Please acknowledge this contribution to Mr. Hahn whose address is 800 National City Bank Building, Cleveland, Ohio.

With all good wishes, I remain

Very sincerely yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:er
Enc.

Via Air Mail

January 25, 1949

Mr. Edgar A. Hahn
800 National City Bank Bldg.
Cleveland, Ohio

My dear Edgar:

It was indeed very thoughtful of you to make your generous contribution in memory of my dear departed father. I appreciate it very much. Father was very much interested in the United Aged Home in Jerusalem, of which he was a Director. It gives shelter to nearly 300 aged, and is one of the largest institutions of its kind. I am forwarding your contribution to it, and you will receive an acknowledgement from them, I am sure.

Do let me have a good sized photograph of your father to be hung here in The Temple. We are approaching our hundredth anniversary and the name and ministry of your father are bound up with the life of The Temple. We shall also wish to include his portrait in the centennial volume which The Temple will publish.

With all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:er

January 25, 1949

United Aged Home
P.O. Box 888
Jerusalem, Palestine

My dear Friends:

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter of January 13th in which you send me your expressions of sympathy on the occasion of the passing of my dear father. I appreciate your thoughtfulness greatly.

I know how close to the heart of my father was the United Aged Home and how much of his time and thought he dedicated to it, especially in his more active years. I appreciate the attentions which you paid to Father to the very end.

I should like to contribute the enclosed amount of \$500 to the United Aged Home in memory of my father.

With all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABBA HILLEL SILVER

AHS:er
Enc.

Via Air Mail

Jan. 25, 1949

Dear Rabbi -

Last evening some one spoke of a portrait of your father in your study. I walked in to see it. There I learned that he had recently passed away. I was shocked to realize that the grand old patriarch had gone to his rest. Although I had never met him, I could, in the portrait the spiritual strength and calm and beauty of him. His, like my dad's, was of that old pioneer stock that had the real stuff.

It must be a great satisfaction to you to know that he had the joy of living to see Palestine reborn and to be part of its sacred soil.

You in turn, may truly have the satisfaction that comes to a son who had brought both nachas and honor and soul satisfaction to his father.

Please know that you have the deep sympathy of Florence and David
Havkushky

Jan. 25, 1949

Dear Dr. Silver,

Cy and I just read in the
2.O.A. paper "New Palestine," that your
father had passed away. Please
accept our deepest sympathy at
this time.

Sincerely,

Bruno Treister Rosenberg



January 25, 1949

Mr. Aron Chajuss
Ibn Gabirol 13
Rehavia
Jerusalem, Palestine

My dear Friend:

Permit me to thank you for your kind letter in which you convey to me your own expressions of sympathy and those of the worshipers of the synagogue in Rehavia on the occasion of the passing of my dear father. It was indeed very thoughtful of you to write to me. Will you not thank the members of the Rehavia Synagogue where my father worshiped and where from time to time I had the privilege to worship with him for their message of condolence.

I should like to contribute the sum of \$500 to the Rehavia Synagogue in memory of my father.

With all good wishes, I remain

Most cordially yours,

ABRA HILLEL SILVER

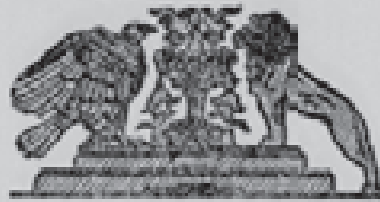
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Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
105th Street at Ansel Rd.
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Br. Silver:

Together with the whole House of Israel, I mourn with you the passing of your father in the Land of Israel. May comfort and consolation come from On High to you and to your family. May the memory of the departed forever be a blessing.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "David H. Panitz".

DAVID H. PANITZ

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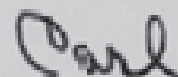
January 26, 1949

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street & Ansel Road
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Dr. Silver:

It was with a sad heart that I read of the death of your father. Mrs. Voss joins me in extending sympathy. I know that he lived almost a score of years beyond the Scriptural three score years and ten, but even gratitude for that rich, long life still does not mitigate the pain you must feel in this sad hour. Just know that we are one with you in your grief and that we hope these coming days will bring healing to your heart.

Sincerely yours,



CARL HERMANN VOSS

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The Federation of Jewish Women's Organizations
expresses its deep regret upon the recent passing of your
beloved father.

Sincerely yours,

Claire J. Dworkin

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To Dr. A. H. Silver

Address The Temple

City

Date Jan 26 - '49

Dear Rabbi Silver

It was with deep regret we
learned of the passing of your dear
father.

Please accept our heartfelt
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Signature Mr. & Mrs. S. Neuman

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MANY YEARS TO COME YOUR FRIEND=

JULIUS KLEIN=

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EXPRESSION OF MY PROFOUND CONDOLENCE. MAY THE LORD
HELP YOU CARRY THIS BURDEN=

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January 26, 1949

MAIN OFFICE: 1810 ELM STREET—PHONE AD. 2251

Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
c/o The Temple
Ansel Road at East 105th St
Cleveland 6, Ohio

My dear Rabbi Silver:

I was sorry to learn of the passing of your father in Jerusalem. Leora joins in sending heartfelt sympathy to you and your dear ones in your bereavment. I know that you are grateful that God had blessed your dear ones with long life.

My parents are getting up in years now and they have not been too well. My mother is 80 and my dad close to 90-- and they, too, have enjoyed a full and complete life. I hope I will be able to see them within the next few months, for when they reach these years, the inevitable is close.

I delivered a lecture on the "New People in Israel" last night in a seminar series presented under the auspices of the Toledo Zion District and Toledo Hadassah. It required considerable research, but was seemingly well received. The series has attracted an audience of over 200, which is quite unusual for Toledo.

It was nice to be with you a few weeks ago and to share your hospitality. I trust that one of these days you will feel free to spend a few days with us here in Toledo.

With fondest greetings in which Leora and Ronnie join, I am

As ever,

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Rabbi Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,
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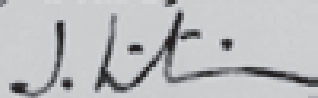
Dear Rabbi Silver,

The Editorial Board of "The Gates of Zion" desires me to convey to you our deepest sympathy in your bereavement. May I add that your late Father was a most fortunate man. Your Father, a learned, saintly man, a true incarnation of Lithuanian Jewry, has been most fortunate in living out his long and fruitful life in the holy city of Jerusalem, and to see his son as the outstanding leader of Zionism in the United States.

In this connection may I add what I said at a Zionist Youth meeting here in London a few days ago. In my childhood I remember on the walls in the Jewish houses there was a picture of Abraham stretching out his arm to cut Isaac's throat, and an angel suddenly seizing his hand and telling him; "lay not thy hand upon the lad". In our days if I were an artist I would have painted the hostile forces, and especially Great Britain, stretching out their mighty arm to cut the throat of the heroic Yishuv, and American Jewry seizing the arm of the mighty power and declaring: "Lay not thy hand upon the lad". It is you who made American Zionism a dynamic force. It is thanks to you that American Zionists have been able to play such a big part in the liberation of our Holy Land and in the establishment of the Jewish State. Under your guidance did American Jewry seize the hand of the destroyer and save our future and the future of World Jewry, and maybe of progressive humanity. Indeed to you the words of our holy Rabbis can be applied: "Happy is the father who begets such a son".

אשרי יולדתו!
המקום ינחם איתך בתוך שאר אבלי ציון וירושלם!

Wishing you a long, happy and fruitful life,
Sincerely Yours,


(Dr.) J. Litvin.

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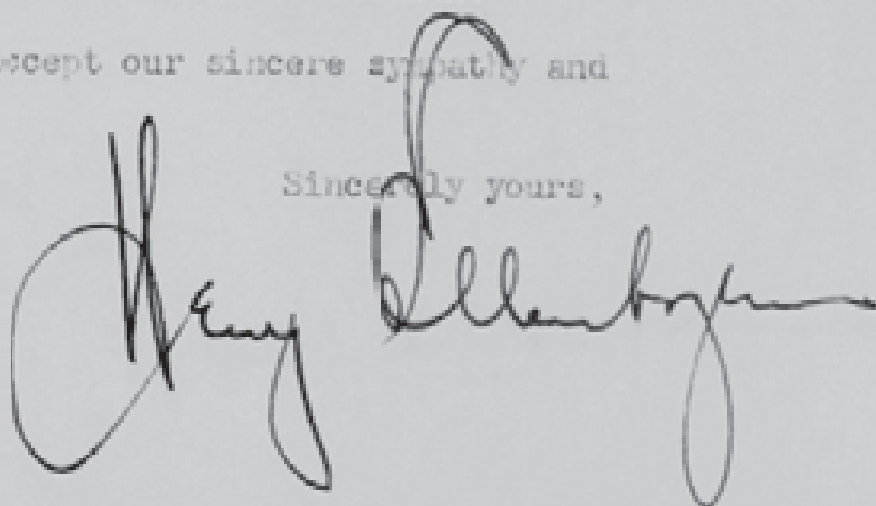
Dear Dr. Silver:

Mrs. Ellenbogen and I were sorry to learn of the passing of your father. We know how deeply you must feel his loss.

You should take consolation in the knowledge that God granted your father a good and long life in Eretz Israel and that it was his privilege to live to see the State of Israel established. Your father's life must have been made immeasurably more meaningful by the knowledge that you, his son, devoted your life to the cause of Israel and did so much to bring about the establishment of the new Commonwealth.

Please accept our sincere sympathy and condolences.

Sincerely yours,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in dark ink, which appears to read "Henry Ellenbogen". The signature is written over the typed name and extends across the bottom right of the page.

201 West 77th St

New York Jan. 27, 1949.

Dear Rabbi Silver,

Heartfelt sympathy on the passing away of your father. I hope you are comforted by cherished and blessed memories.

I know from your parents what satisfaction they derive from your attention and devotion to them. They also took joy in your labors on behalf of the Jewish people and Israel and were justly proud.

The other day I called on your sister. It was interesting

how they summarized
the sacrifice made by your
parents in going to Palestine.
How by the separation from
their family they did not
neglect that phase of life
which is a natural and
compelling urge - such
as witnessing the marriages
of grand children and see-
ing great grand children at
close range. These human
elements of sacrifice these
days seem to go unnoticed.

My picture of Jerusalem
and Rehavia will also tell
the house and the garden
and the two old people I was
wont on every visit to stop for
and greet. Sincerely, Mrs. J. H. H.

ZIONIST ORGANIZATION OF CANADA

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January 27, 1949

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver,
American Zionist Emergency Council,
342 Madison Avenue,
New York, N. Y.

My dear Abba:

I was greatly grieved to read the other day about the passing of your dear father. I can well imagine how great is the loss to you and the other members of your family. To others as well, including myself, who knew your father intimately, something has gone out of our lives.

I retain many very happy and precious memories of the hours spent with your father. It was always a great privilege to be in his presence and benefit from his keen judgment and profound Jewish learning.

בשר ודם היה וכל קיומו היה לטוב

Rebecca joins me in these condolences.

With kindest regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Jose Schwartz

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Eliyahu Alyashar

Jan. 27, 1949.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

Leon and Carolyn join me in this expression of sympathy for you in your bereavement. We wish we could offer you consolation as beautifully as you have done for us in our time of sorrow.

We have read the many tributes paid your beloved father, rabbi, patriarch and man of great erudition.

But surely his proudest
and happiest title was that
of father to a son of such
noble stature. The
culmination of the Jewish
hope in statehood must
have been greatly enhanced
for him by your eloquence
and your tireless efforts
that did so much to bring
about the epic event.

Sincerely,

Henrietta R. Newman

(Mrs. Leon E.)

2457 Derbyshire Rd.
Cleveland Hts. Ohio.
Jan. 27, 1949.

Dear Rabbi Silver, -

Kindly accept
our deepest sympathy in the loss
of your beloved father.

May his soul rest in Peace.

Sincerely,

Joseph and Fanny Terr,^{and}
family

DR. WILLIAM RIGELHAUPT

1812 FRANKLIN AVE.

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My dear Silver:

I intended to write to you soon after your dear father died, but I was unable to do so. At least I have a one sided acquaintance with the dear departed, when I wrote to him on the occasion of the liberation of Israel and I thanked him that providence was kind enough to grant him the privilege to witness this great achievement, mainly through the work of his son. What a satisfaction it must be to lay your head for eternal rest in the soil of your forefathers.

I see with satisfaction that things are coming our way. Even England, under the pressure of it's own parties and the pressure of world opinion has yielded. The only thing to be hoped for now is internal harmony. Even with the best intentions it is not an easy thing to accomplish with so many parties. One cannot help of thinking of the "ceterum censeo" of the Polish parliament. Lets hope we have learned since.

Please accept Sadie's and my own expression of our deep sympathy.

With best regards for Mrs. Silver, we remain

Very sincerely yours

Wm. Rigelhaupt

P.S. I beg to be excused for using the typewriter.

Hebrew Union College

Cincinnati

January 28th, 1949

Dear rabbi Silver,

Only today I have learnt, with deep
sorrow, that your revered father has passed
away. May I express to you my heartfelt
sympathy.

Yours truly,
L. Sachs

Sincerely yours,

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Dr. Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver
19810 Shaker Blvd.
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Rabbi Silver:

I was sorry to hear of the passing of your father, and I wish to extend my deepest sympathy to you and your family. Whereas, I did not know your father, I have always heard him spoken of as a wonderful man, a fine scholar, and a great credit to the Jewish community. I realize words of consolation at a time of this kind are rather empty, and that only time heals.

Hoping this finds you in the best of health,
with kindest regards,

Sincerely yours

Nate Dauby
N. L. Dauby.

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*Congregation Beth El
Woodward at Gladstone
Detroit 2, Michigan*

B. BENEDICT GLAZER, M. A., PH. D.
RABBI

January 31, 1949

Dr. Abba Hillel Silver
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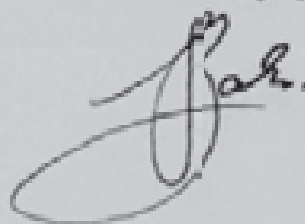
Dear Friend:

I just learned of the passing of your beloved father in Israel. My wife joins me in sending to you and all your dear ones our every expression of sincere sympathy in your bereavement.

I know that you are experiencing much comfort from the realization that your father lived a long, complete and fulfilled life, made especially joyous by your magnificent contributions in behalf of the people and the State of Israel.

With kind regards to you and your dear ones, I am,

Faithfully yours,



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