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October 24, 1961

Rabbi Daniel J. Silver
The Temple
East 105th Street & Ansel Road
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Rabbi Dan:

Jack Stone and I want to thank you for your cooperation in making available your splendid facilities at The Temple for our Brotherhood Leaders Workshop in Cleveland Sunday, and for your participation in the program.

I am sorry that you did not get to see our new motion picture, "Grant Us Peace," but I hope that you will have an opportunity to view it on a subsequent occasion. We have a print of it at the Jewish Community Federation in Cleveland for local distribution.

Please tell Dr. Silver how much we were enlightened by his outstanding sermon on Russia.

We look forward to continued efforts to work with you and your fine brotherhood to achieve our common objectives.

With a sincere mazel tov to you and your wife on the birth of your daughter and with best wishes for a long life and a happy one,

Sincerely,

Sylvan Lebow
Executive Director

cc: David Immerman Jerry Newman

October 26, 1961 Mr. Sylvan Lebow National Federation of Temple Brotherhoods 838 Fifth Avenue New York 21, N. Y. Dear Sylvan: We were happy to house your Brotherhood Workshop and to greet Jack Stone and you. I hope the year proves a fruitful one for you. With all good wishes, I remain Most cordially yours. DANIEL JERSMY SILVER DJS:lg

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MAURICE H. SHAPIRO (1905-1979) June 9, 1980

IN REPLY REFER TO FILE NO.

Rabbi Daniel Silver Shaker Richmond Branch 2600 Shaker Blvd. Beachwood, OH 44122

Re: N.F.T.V. Jewish Chautauqua Society

Dear Rabbi Silver:

As I promised you, I am putting in writing the program for Saturday morning, November 15, 1980.

This convention is expecting approximately 400-500 delegates and arrangements have been made to give them a continental breakfast between 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. at Stouffer's Inn. Following this, they will be bussed to Silver Park where the program suggests a meligious service at 10 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. with a Kallah to follow, until noon. A luncheon will be served for the delegates and their wives at which time it would be nice to have you address them, followed by a tour of The Temple, Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver's Study, the museum, library etc. After which they will be taken back to Stouffer's Inn and allowed to be on their own.

On this Saturday, November 15, 1980, the responsibility for the program has been entrusted to the Temple Mens' Club. Rabbi David Hachen has offered his services for the Kallah. We would like you to conduct the service and give the lecture.

The theme of this Bi-ennial is "Brotherhood in the New Decade" and the topic suggested for the luncheon is "Jewish Experience in the 1980's." I am sending this information to you in advance so that you will have the ppportunity to think about it before Lou Sternberg and I come out on June 18 at 9:30 a.m. to discuss this matter. With kindest personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

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Allyn D. Kendis

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MEMO

To: Al Cronig, Steve Klein, Charles Evans

From: Daniel Jeremy Silver

Re: National Federation of Temple Brotherhoods

The NFTB's National Convention will be in Cleveland on November 12 through November 16. The Temple has agreed to be host on Saturday morning, November 15, at the Main Temple.

At 10:15 we will hold a forty-five minute service in the sanctuary. Afterwards there will be guided tours with special attention to the Museum and a luncheon in the Social Hall.

Rabbi Klein will conduct the service and be responsible for the Museum portion. Rabbi Silver will speak at the luncheon. NFTB will be responsible for all incidental costs, security, and the extra pay required to bring in Charles Smith who will provide solo music for the service together with David Gooding at the organ.

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ALLYN D. KENDIS

Dear Rabbi Silver:

You will recall that Lou Sternberg and I appeared in your office on June 18, 1980, for the purpose of planning the Saturday morning, November 15, 1980, when we are hosts to NFTB.

I have transmitted to Av Bondarin, executive director of NFTB, the plans which we formed on that particular morning and our reasons therefore. If I have made any errors or there is any correction that I may have to make, please don't hesitate to let me know. I am sending you this copy of the letter so that you will be fully informed.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Allyn D. Kendis

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July 2, 1980

IN REPLY REFER TO

MAURICE H. SHAPIRO (1905-1979)

> National Federation of Temple Brotherhoods 838 Fifth Avenue New York, New York 10021

Attention: Av Bondarin

Executive Director

Dear Av:

In accordance with our promise to you and Dave Krem, Lew Sternberg and the undersigned met with Rabbi Daniel Silver in his office at the Temple on June 18, 1980, at 9:30 a.m. and we discussed the program for the biennial scheduled for Saturday morning, November 15, 1980.

It was felt that following the continental breakfast to be held at Stouffer's Inn between 8:00 and 9:00 a.m., that the members will be boarded on buses by 9:30 a.m. and taken to Silver Park, which is approximately 5-1/2 miles away. At Silver Park a religious service will be held in the main Sanctuary between 10:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. In view of the size of the Sanctuary the delegates will be brought down front, close to the Ark, and ushers will be provided. The ceremony will include the temple organist, Mr. Gooding, and the cantorial part of the service will be sung by Mr. C. Smith. Rabbi Stephen Klein will officiate at the services which will include a reading from the Torah, but no sermon.

After the service, hosts will be provided and the group will be broken up into small groups and taken through the Temple on a tour, not only of the main Sanctuary, but also of Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver's Study, the Temple Museum, the Library, etc. Following the Temple tour, which it is presumed will perhaps take an hour, luncheon will be served at the Temple after which Rabbi Daniel Silver will deliver

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Attention: Av Bondarin
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at least a 20 minute lecture in conformity with the theme of the biennial. In view of the fact that it takes so much time to tour the Temple, to visit Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver's Study and possibly listen to one of his sermons or review part of the history contained therein, it was felt that it would be crowding things to attempt to work in a Kallah into this Saturday mc ning.

It is estimated that the group will be available about 1:30 p.m., possibly 2:00 p.m., to get back on the buses and taken back to Stouffer's Inn in order to get ready to attend the Chautauqua Dinner that evening.

I am sending you this tentative outline hoping that you will confirm it as I must get back to Rabbi Daniel Silver to confirm this with him also.

Waiting to hear from you, I am

Sincerely yours,

Allyn D. Kendis

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Septemb # 3, 1980

Rabbi Daniel J. Silver
The Temple
University Circle at Silver Park
Cleveland, Ohio 44106

Dear Rabbi Silver:

With two months remaining before our NFTB-JCS Biennial Convention in Cleveland, I want to express our thanks and appreciation to you for your cooperation in extending the hospitality of the Temple to our delegates on Saturday, November 15.

We are looking forward to participating in the religious service to be led by RAbbi Stephen Klein and which will be followed by conducted tours of the Temple and its museum.

It is particularly gratifying that you will address the delegates at the luncheon meeting. I understand that Lou Sternberg and Allyn Kendis have discussed the Saturday program with you and informed you that tentatively we have entitled your address, " The Jewish Experience in the 1980's,"

As I have not heard to the contrary, we trust this is acceptable. If not, please let me know at your early convenience.

Best wishes for a Happy New Year.

Av Bondarin

Executive Director

cc: L. Sternberg
Allyn Kendis

AB:dl



September 11, 1980 Mr. Av Bondarin Executive Director National Federation of Temple Brotherhoods 838 Fifth Avenue

New York, N.Y. 10021

Dear Mr. Bondarin:

We will do all we can to make our section of your Biennial a success. The title you have given my address is broad enough so that I can fit whatever I want to into it which is good. Happy new year.

Sincerely,

Daniel Jeremy Silver

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IN REPLY REFER TO FILE NO.

November 25, 1980

Rabbi Daniel J. Silver 2841 Weybridge Shaker Hts., Ohio 44120

Dear Rabbi Silver:

May we express our appreciation of your participation in the Saturday morning luncheon lecture of NFTB and Chautauqua held at the Main Temple on November 15, 1980. It appeared to me, and I am sure it appeared to all of the members of the Temple Men's Club, that with the 28th Biennial Convention in town and all the other Temples participating that we also wanted to show the reason for our pride in our Temple and its religious leader.

All of the members of the group so assembled were representative delegates of other Temples from all over the country and each of those delegates are extremely well educated, and I can only say that the standing ovation that occurred after you finished speaking was (1) well deserved and, (2) expressed by people who appreciated what you had to say.

On behalf of myself and on behalf of my wife, Ethel, who also participated in the convention on behalf of the women present and on behalf of the Temple Men's Club who hosted this undertaking, we certainly want to express to you our deep appreciation and thanks.

Sincerely yours,

Ethel and Allyn Kendis

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cc: Lewis Sternberg

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