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# RABBI MORRIS N. KERTZER LARCHMONT TEMPLE 75 LARCHMONT AVENUE LARCHMONT, N. Y.

June 21, 1968

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

Dear Daniel:

It was good to see you in Boston. -

In connection with our conversation, I can tell you that I will be in your area at the beginning of November. Would Friday evening, November 8th, be a suitable date?

With kindest regards from family to family,

sincerely yours,

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June 24, 1968 Rabbi Morris N. Kertzer Larchmont Temple 75 Larchmont Avenue Larchmont, N. Y. 10538 Dear Morris: It was good listening to you at the Conference. I thought the dean a bright and able scholar defending an impossible position. I am delighted to hear that you will be in our area around November 8th. As you know our Friday service is a Vesper Service. I preach Sunday mornings and if you will be here on the 10th, I would be delighted to have you occupy my pulpit that morning. If this is agreeable, you might send on a list of subjects and I will try to choose one and avoid preaching about it so that you will have a fresh track. I truly hope this will work out. Sincerely, DANIEL JEREMY SILVER DJS:rvf

# RABBI MORRIS N. KERTZER LARCHMONT TEMPLE 75 LARCHMONT AVENUE LARCHMONT. N. Y.

June 26, 1968

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The 10th of November will be fine. I will send you a list of topics soon.

Since writing you I find that I will be speaking at Ashmand College on Friday, Dec. 6th, near Cleveland. If Dec. 8th suits your plans any better I can come on that date.

Warmest regards,

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June 28, 1968 Rabbi Morris N. Kertzer Larchmont Temple 75 Larchmont Avenue Larchmont, N. Y. 10538 Dear Morris: November 10th will be fine. I look forward to having you here. Sincerely, DANIEL JEREMY SILVER DJS:rvf

October 15, 1968 Rabbi Kertzer 4705 Henry Hudson Parkway Bronx, New York Dear Rabbi Kertzer: May we have by return mail a couple glossy photographs and a curriculum vitae for use in our publicity and our Temple Bulletin re your address November 10th. We shall appreciate receiving the above-mentioned and the sermon title immediately since material must be forwarded to the printer almost three weeks in advance of any program or event. In addition, may we inquire about your arrival time in Cleveland that week end? We shall make reservations for you at the Howard Johnson Motor Lodge which is a stone's throw from The Temple. We look forward to having you as our guest speaker on that Sunday morning. Sincerely, DJS:mgm Margurite G. Mihok Secretary to Rabbi Silver

November 1, 1968
For immediate release

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November 4, 1968 Dr. Morris N. Kertzer Larchmont Temple 75 Larchmont Avenue Larchmont, New York 10538 Dear Rabbi Kertzer: Rabbi Silver has advised of your phone inquiry relative to accommodations for your stay in Cleveland. We have engaged a room for you at Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge at University Circle and E. 107th Street for Saturday, November 9th and departing on Sunday, November 10th. This is within walking distance from The Temple which is at University Circle and E. 105th Street. We look forward to having you address our Temple family which is a most interested and alert audience. Sincerely, MGM:mgm Margurite G. Mihok Secretary to Rabbi Silver

Kaddish

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LOUIS LUX DAVID SEIDMAN LEO STERNGLANZ

Those who passed away this week
LOUIS LUX LilliAN BASSETT

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## BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

## MORRIS N. KERTZER

Dr. Morris Kertzer, spiritual leader of the Larchmont Temple in Larchmont, New York, has served as a university professor, army chaplain and as national director of interreligious affairs for the American Jewish Committee.

He is the author of several distinguished works, the best known of which is the book, What Is A Jew?, now in its twelfth printing. His articles have appeared in LOOK, Readers' Digest. The New York Times, Christian Century, America and other leading publications.

Dr. Kertzer led a delegation of rabbis to the Soviet Union, in 1956, the first of its kind. He received the George Washington Medal of 1957 for his analysis of Soviet anti-semitism.

Other awards include the Bronze Star Medal -- Rabbi Kertzer was the only Jewish chaplain on the Anzio beachhead, and the first to enter Rome. He also received the Pro Deo Gold Medal from the International University in Rome for his work in promoting Catholic-Jewish understanding.

Dr. Kertzer's travels have taken him around the world. He addressed the World Conference of Christian Education in Kobe, Japan, and has conferred with religious leaders in Italy, Turkey, India, Thailand and Brazil. His most recent visit to Israel was his twelfth journey to the Holy Land.

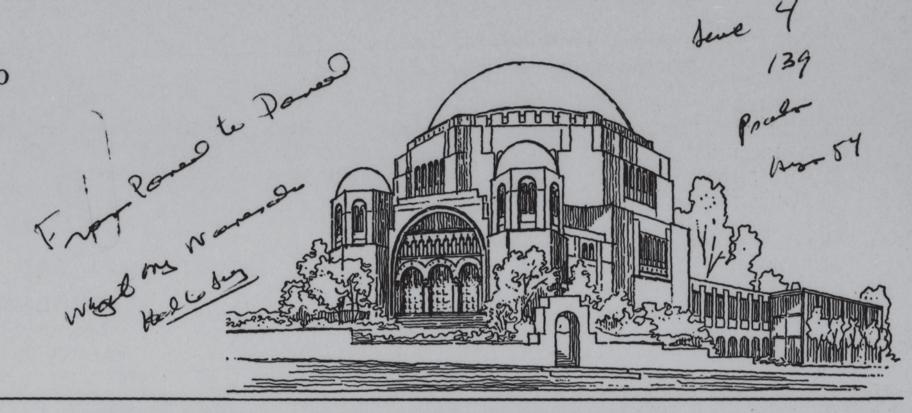
A former national president of the Jewish Military Chaplains' Association and National Chaplain of Amvets, Dr. Kertzer is on the board of a dozen civic and religious bodies.

Rabbi Kertzer's most recent book, Today's American Jew, was published by McGrow-Hill (1967) and has already received wide acclaim.

In 1965, he was given the Israel Cummings Award as the Rabbi Of The Year by New York's Federation of Jewish Philanthropies.

He is the incoming president of the Larchmont Rotary Club.

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# A JOB BEGINS - FROM THE RABBI'S DESK

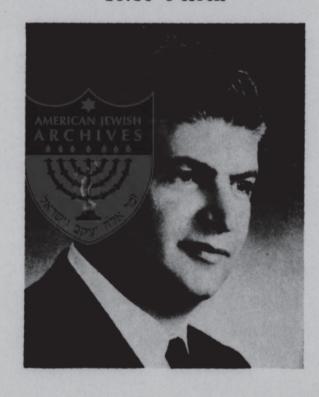
This week we launch our campaign for the new Temple Branch and School. Our drive is an ambitious undertaking with a two-million dollar goal, but it is extremely important to the present and future of our congregation and I am sure it will be successful.

As you know, we have purchased twenty acres of land on the southeast corner of Shaker Boulevard and Richmond Road. We plan to build 24 classrooms, a 500-seat auditorium, a school library and several offices. The rooms will be simple and functional. Class rooms will be flexible and can be opened up into a variety of larger spaces. The library will be open and always accessible. Our plans were drawn up by the noted Chicago firm of Perkins and Will.

We plan to move our school and a number of our social and cultural activities to the new location. Our present sanctuary will continue to be our spiritual home and our present building the center of much of our cultural curriculums. The two-million dollar goal represents a careful estimate of the cost of the land, of the building, architectural fees, furnish-

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE

November 10. 1968 10:30 o'clock



"THE LESSONS OF ECUMENISM FOR THE JEW"

DR. MORRIS N. KERTZER
Rabbi, Larchmont Temple, Larchmont, N. Y.

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICE 5:30 to 6:10 SATURDAY MORNING SERVICE 10:50 to 11:50

arranged by Morris Goldstein

ings and the cost of money during construction. We are building for our young and for ourselves and I am sure each of us will do his share. The building will be attractive and open. There are no frills and I am sure you will be pleased with the results.

Daniel Jeremy Silver

#### MUSIC FOR SUNDAY

Fantasia in C Minor Johann Sebastian Bach Opening Psalm: Amorai Ha-azinoh OpeningPsalm: Adonoi (Psalm V) Heinrich Schalit Bor'chu Heinrich Schalit Sh'ma
V'ohavto
Mi-Chomocho
Tzur Yisroel
Poruch . . . Ovos Heinrich Schalit Heinrich Schalit David Gooding David Gooding Herbert Fromm David Gooding K'dusha May the Words/Yih'yu L'rotzon David Gooding Anthem: Ahavas Olom Frederick Jacobi Charles Smith, cantorial Adoration: Olenu - Vaanachnu from tradition,

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## THIS SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Siegler will be hosts for the Social Hall coffee hour on Sunday, November 10th, preceding the worship services. Mr. Siegler is a vice-president of The Temple.

### ALTAR FLOWERS

Flowers gracing the Chapel Friday, November 8th, were contributed in memory of granddaughter, Vicki Lynn Guren, by Mrs. Abram M. Kaplan.

# In Memoriam

The Temple notes with sorrow the passing of

> JULIUS GOLD NICHOLAS M. GOODMAN BELLE GURSS BENJAMIN KAATZ EUGENE ROSENBAUM MIRIAM SAMMET

and extends heartfelt sympathy to members of the bereaved families.

Herman D. Stein, Provost of Social and Behavorial Sciences of Case Western Reserve University will be the guest speaker for Sunday morning services, November 24.

## JOINT THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Thursday, November 28th, 1968 Epworth-Euclid Methodist Church 10:30 a.m.

Rabbi Daniel Jeremy Silver will speak on

## "GIVING THANKS"

A continental breakfast will be served in the Great Hall by the three women's associations beginning at 9:30 a.m.

Nursery care will be available



### CHANUKAH PACKAGES

For Servicemen and Women

Families should submit names of men and women who are serving in the armed forces or the Peace Corps to:

> Mrs. S. S. Reich 3290 Warrensville Center Road Shaker Heights, Ohio 44122

Each year the Temple Women's Association sends gift packages of candies to the servicemen and women of the Temple family.

THE TEMPLE

Sunday, November 10, 1968

OUR GUEST SPEAKER

Dr. Morris N. Kertzer, our guest speaker this Sunday, is a noted author and rabbi of Larchmont. Temple, Larchmont, New York. His most recent book, Today's American Jew is a thoughtful overview of our widespread and very active Jewish community.

Dr. Kertzer has been active in the Ecumenical Movement and served for a time as National Director of Inter-religious Affairs for the American Jewish Committee.

## TEMPLE MEN'S CLUB

Wednesday, November 27, 1968 Social Hall—Luntz Auditorium

## TRIPLE-HEADER

- Champagne Hour 8:30 p.m.
  - Speaker 9:00 p.m.
    - Late Supper 10:00 p.m. Buffet
      - Dancing From 10:00 p.m. on



HOWARD L. OLECK
Distinguished Professor
of Law, author, teacher
and lecturer.

Howard L. Oleck, distinguished Professor of Law, Cleveland Marshall Law School, will speak on "Israel, Vital Link in U.S. Military History." Mr. Oleck, a retired U.S. Army Major, is a Military Historian from Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's staff.

\$4.50 Per Person — Chairmen: J. Norman Stark, Merrill Stoller Send reservations to the Temple Office

TEMPLE WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

Wednesday, November 13, 1968 Social Hall — Coffee and Dessert — 12 noon Performance — 1 p.m. — Luntz Auditorium

## "DEAR LIAR"

- · A Shaw play presented in its entirety by Mario Siletti and Edith Owen, the original play House cast.
  - Curtain time promptly at 1:00 p.m.
    - All shops will be open at 11 a.m.

Admission by membership card.

Guests \$1.00

MR. AND MRS. CLUB Friday, November 22, 1968 Severance Hall — 8:30 p.m.

## A NIGHT AT THE SYMPHONY

A Concert by the Cleveland Orchestra

Symphony No. 104 in D Major ("London") — Haydn Rhapsody for Orchestra, "Taras Bulba" — Janacek Symphony No. 8 (Old No. 4) in G. Major, Op. 88 — Dvorak

\$12.00 Per Couple

Late supper - Stouffer's, Shaker Square

R.S.V.P. by November 11, 1968

For tickets a check should be mailed to:

Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Shensa, 13851 Larchmere Blvd., Cleveland, Ohio 44120

Members only.

Tickets will be mailed

Co-chairmen: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Joseph, Jr. Dr. and Mrs. Richard Katzman

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## DATES TO REMEMBER

Sunday, November 10 - Sunday, Morning Service - Guest Speaker

Tuesday, November 12 - Temple Women's Association Tuesday Activities

Wednesday, November 13 - Temple Women's Association - Monthly Meeting, program

Sunday, November 17 - Sunday Morning Service

- THE TEMPLE LIBRARY is open Tuesday through Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, and Sunday, 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
- THE TEMPLE MUSEUM will be open on all occasions of organization meetings. Arrangements may be made to view the Museum by special appointment.
- THE ABBA HILLEL SILVER MEMORIAL ARCHIVES are open Tuesday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and at the close of Sunday morning worship. Arrangements for records and tapes should be made directly with the librarian, Miss Leikind.
- TUESDAY ACTIVITIES SHOPS are stocked with gift items for every occasion. Shop at the Temple and support your Sisterhood.