

LETTERS

Dear Mr. Tell:

I enjoy reading your Las Vegas Israelite each week. I appreciate very much the resumes of all the happenings in the Jewish life in the U.S., world-wide and in Israel that you include in your paper each week. It is a quick summary and keeps me current.

Allow me to extend through you my hearty good wishes to Max Corsun, the owner of Corned Beef Junction the opening of which I read about in your paper. Max is a former patient here at our hospital. We wish him all success in his endeavors at the Corned Beef Junction.

We remember very warmly the beautiful delicatessen parties he arranged for the patients at the Sepulveda VA Hospital and for the soldiers at Fr. Irwin, California. They were great parties. We can still taste them.

My best wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year are sent to you and to Max Corsun.

Sincerely yours,

Benjamin J. Elsan
Jewish Chaplain
(Veterans Adm. Hosp.,
Sepulveda, Calif.)

Dear Helen:

I read in your column "Only in Vegas" in the LAS VEGAS ISRAELITE of Nov. 2nd with deep regret about the passing of Abe Rosenblum one year ago: also that he left his entire estate to worthy Jewish causes including Temple Beth Shalom.

I feel impelled to pen these few lines in tribute to the memory of Abe on his first yrzeit.

Having known Abe Rosenblum since my coming to Las Vegas in 1957, serving as its Rabbi, I have learned to appreciate him for the fine traits of his character. The new temple building was then about being completed and a concerted drive for membership in the congregation was on. Abe devoted time and effort bringing in new members, every day to the office secretary Mrs. Nussbaum. Abe, modest, unassuming, was ever ready to respond to needs of people and of the community. By his genuine kindness and friendship he has made many friends.

Whenever he visited Las Vegas Abe would show his kind welcome and friendship. He would often talk about his Brother, a retired military career man, showing with pride his Brother's picture taken with President Truman.

Those who have known Abe, his selfless service, will remember him with respect and affection.

May his memory remain
for a blessing!

Rabbi Bernard Cohen
(Santa Susana, Calif)

Dear Mr. Editor:

I am taking this time to salute you and your staff for the brilliant editorials I have had the pleasure to read every chance I get my hands on one of your newspapers. I must admit the majority newspapers today are mainly advertisement, so you can see the ISRAELITE is few and far between. Because people and the way they feel are very important to the world.

I'm presently incarcerated and my only means of finding out what's happening out there is by reading the newspaper so you

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can see what an important part newspapers hold in my life at the present.

This country is my home, my life and I wouldn't give it up for another country in the world.

Society didn't put me in jail, I put myself in jail, and I am really looking forward to the day to be permitted to return to society and take my place out there in the Free World, so I can live up to my responsibilities as a law-abiding Citizen.

I have lost all contact with my friends and relatives, which is awful easy to do while being incarcerated for five years. I would like very much to correspond with people in the Free World, any race, any age. I would prefer females. Will you please place my name and address in your paper.

Thank you

Tommy Ray Robinson
(Age 24, Race, Black)
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Dear Mr. Tell:

Recently, I became familiar with the Las Vegas ISRAELITE, of which you edit and publish, and decided to write, asking whether or not you might be willing to place my name and address in it somewhere so as I might possibly reach someone who may be interested in corresponding with me through the mail.

I'm presently incarcerated at London Correctional Institution, I have been here about three years and I've spent the most part of it, so far, without any correspondence whatsoever.

I've made several attempts in placing my name in other papers, but with very little success. Most of the people who have ever replied haven't really been seeking honest friendship. They either just reply out of curiosity or just through playful fun.

Mr. Tell, I need someone and I'm not beyond being so proud as not to admit it. I lost my parents when I was young and being twenty-nine, in prison and without anyone any where is actually kind of hard to handle, after a certain period of time. I realize, that your publication isn't a mail correspondence listing, but I'm so hoping you'll make an exception just this once in view of my situation. I can honestly assure you that I'll be deeply grateful, should you be so kind as to do this for me. If some type of profile will help toward your decision, I'll offer, I'm 29 years old. I'm from Dayton, Ohio; I'm basically conservative in my way of thinking. My personality is pleasurable to most all people, I enjoy people and being involved in what's going on around the country.

Mr. Tell, I simply can't think of anything else which might help in assisting your decision to go in my favor so I'll close. I will, however,

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say once again that I'll appreciate all the consideration you may give this. If it's not too large a request, I'd like asking for a reply, letting me know of your decision, so that I might know.

Thank you for your time and most importantly--your consideration.

Respectfully yours,

Thomas Gresham #136-460
P.O. Box 69
London, Ohio, 43140

My dear friends, The Tells:

I like to thank you personally for the publicity you so warmly gave to St. Jude's "Nite of Stars."

Sincerely,
Betty Maier

Dear Jack:

Hadassah's "Nite of Games" was a huge success. Thanks.

Sincerely,
Barbara Figler
(Publicity Chairman)

Dear Jack Tell:

I wish you and your family a Happy New Year.

Your friend,
Mike Silverman
(Colo.Spgs.,Colo)
(ED. NOTE: We thank
Mike, an ardent JWV,

and all others who remembered us at this time. J.T.

Dear Mr. Tell:

Thanks to your wonderful help toward publicizing the "Nite of Stars" for St. Jude's Ranch for Children, we had a bigger success than we ever anticipated. Sincerely yours,
Virginia Cummings
(Auxiliary Chairman
"Nite of Stars")



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