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THE SEARCH FOR DR. GOTTHEIL by Faron A. Lewitt (Alabama '97)

Having recently celebrated my ten year anniversary as a brother of ZBT and the start of my seventh year on staff I decided it was time. I had waited long enough.

I remember at a very young age going to the cemetery with my mother to visit my grandfather for whom I am named. Cemeteries have always intrigued me. They give me an opportunity to reflect on the past. To pay my respect to those who have come before me.

Now back to my wait. I have never really felt the ability to personally thank the founder of ZBT, Dr. Richard. J. H. Gottheil. Ability might not be the correct word, maybe it's opportunity, moment; whatever it is, I have not done it. I have not had the personal experience of going to the cemetery and spending a moment reflecting about what ZBT has done for me while looking at the name "Richard James Horatio Gottheil."

So I made up my mind; I was going to find Dr. Gottheil. The first thing I needed to know was to which cemetery to go. To my disappointment I was unable to easily answer that question. How can it not be known where Dr. Gottheil is? He is our Founder and this is something that future generations of ZBTs should know.

Having an abundant amount of resources at my fingertips including historical ZBT books, magazines and documents, I started my search. No clues but great historical information about ZBT; that is what I found.

Fading hopes: I turned to the internet. Google anything today and you find the answer, right? Wrong. I searched for cemeteries in New York. I reviewed page after page of genealogical information on Dr. Gottheil.

High hopes: I found his obituary on the New

York Times website. With a few keystrokes and a couple of dollars I would have my answer. I began to read his obituary from the May, 23, 1936 paper.

"Dr. Richard James Horatio Gottheil, Professor of Semitic Languages at Columbia University and the oldest member of the faculty of this institution, died yesterday at his home, 271 Central Park West. He had worked at the university until two weeks ago, when he became ill and was confined to bed. The cause of his death was heart disease.

Professor Gottheil would have completed half a century as a professor of Columbia University next year, having been appointed Professor of Semitic Languages in 1887. He was 73 years old.

A funeral service will be held at 9:30 A.M. next Monday in Temple Emanu-El, Fifth Avenue and Sixty-fifth Street. Dr. Gottheil's father, the Rev. Dr. Gustave Gottheil, was rabbi of Temple Emanu-El for many years. He died in 1903."

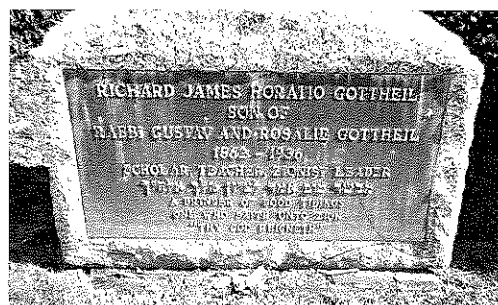
It went on to describe Dr. Gottheil's life but included no information about his interment. I had come so close.

Last hopes: I contacted Dr. Marianne R. Sanua, the author of "Here's to Our Fraternity" *One Hundred Years of Zeta Beta Tau 1898-1998*. She would be able to help me. She has done extensive research and has written several books on the history of Jewish Fraternities. "An interesting question, but I don't know the answer," is what she said. I must accept defeat and failure...but then she uttered the words, "why don't you look in the 1936 *Zeta Beta Tau*

Quarterly? The entire edition was in memory of Dr. Gottheil and you may find your answer."

Will we have it on the shelf? Haven't I already looked at every book, magazine and document we have? I had been doing this for months now. After hanging up the phone and walking across the hall (about 10 steps) to the shelf with the old *Quarterly*, I opened it to page 5.

My moment: The third paragraph on the page of a document that had been sitting on a shelf not far from me for so long read, "...The interment took place in Salem Fields, Brooklyn, N.Y."



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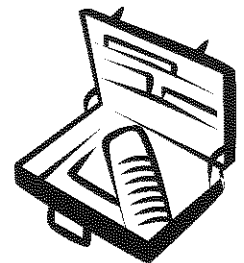
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LOST ALUMNI WANTED

Help us find missing alumni. Visit the "Lost Alumni" section of our web site (http://www.zbt.org/search_lost_alumni) to see if there are any alumni whose whereabouts are known to you, but not to us. You can search by first name, last name, school name, chapter name and/or year of graduation.

THE NEXT ISSUE OF THE DELTAN IS...

Are you in business with your fellow ZBT brothers? We want to know about it. Tell us your story. The next edition of *The Deltan* will focus on ZBT brothers who are or have been in business together. We already have several interesting stories lined up and are looking for more. We want to publish your story. Send us a note and you can be in the next edition of *The Deltan* - Spring 2006.





FROM THE NATIONAL PRESIDENT

Dear Brothers,

As I am writing this message we are approaching Thanksgiving and the Holiday Season, having just come through one of the worst periods of weather in United States history. I am thankful (to the best of my knowledge) that the ravages of Hurricanes Katrina and Wilma have not resulted in loss of any Brother of Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity, and I am proud of the way our undergraduates have "stepped up," individually and as groups, to help the victims of the hurricanes and in the hurricane relief efforts. The undergraduate men of our Tulane

Chapter have been forced to attend college elsewhere during this first semester, but hopefully they can return to the Tulane campus in the not too distant future and continue to build a strong ZBT presence. I am thankful that our alumni from New Orleans are coping with the severe losses they have suffered, and that so many of our other alumni have offered to help in any way they can. I am thankful that during this first semester of this 2005-2006 academic year, we have seen at least one new ZBT Colony (at Towson State in Baltimore, Maryland) started, our expansion on other college campuses is going well, that our number of new initiates has increased, and, in general, our undergraduates are having a safe, good, and meaningful fraternal experience. With our increased National Office Staff, we are now able to better service our undergraduates and continue to improve the undergraduate programming. All in all, it has been a good first semester for our Fraternity.

We have been improving our communications with you, and issuing an email newsletter approximately once per month. If you have an email address and are not yet receiving this publication, please email zbt@zbtnational.org, and we will be happy to put you on the distribution list for the next issue. The Fraternity and the ZBT Foundation are working closely together in a continuing effort to find and communicate with all of our alumni. We have made a lot of progress to date, but hope to make even more progress in the future through innovative programs. Make sure we have current information on you and your chapter brothers. Please visit the Fraternity's web site (www.zbt.org/alumni/alumnus_form.htm) and update your contact information. Also visit the "Lost Alumni" section of our web site at www.zbt.org/search_lost_alumni and see if there are any alumni whose whereabouts are known to you, but not to us. You can search by first name, last name, school name, chapter name and year of graduation. Any updates you make will be of great help to us.

We will continue to expand aggressively. The more the National Fraternity grows, the more services and resources we are able to offer our Chapters and Colonies. We continue to work with our Chapters and Colonies to help them to succeed. Our Recruitment Mentor Program originally conducted at 13 chapters during the 2004-2005 academic year was a success, and we have expanded it this year. Risk Management remains a concern, and we are working with our undergraduates to make them more responsible for themselves and their brothers. We are working on improving our Brotherhood Program, which has been in place since we abolished pledging in 1989, and our Brotherhood Program Committee is hard at work. As always, we are looking for volunteers to help our Chapters and Colonies, and to make a difference in the life of an undergraduate brother. If you are at all interested in helping out, please feel free to contact me at zbtpresident@zbtnational.org, or call our office at 317-334-1898. We welcome your assistance. I invite all of you to join us at our next National Convention and Leadership School in Los Angeles, California, July 13-16, 2006!

It's great to be a Zebe!

Cordially, Fraternally and Sincerely,

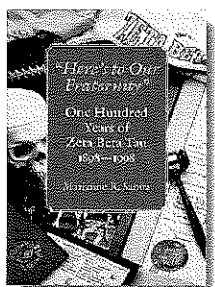
Harold R. Oseff, Esq. (Michigan '68)

WANT TO PLAN AN ALUMNI REUNION?

The Staff of Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity can help you plan an alumni reunion. We are able to provide assistance in several ways.

- ◆ Contact information for Alumni from your Chapter including addresses, phone numbers and email addresses.
- ◆ Address labels for an Alumni Reunion mailing. We can also send any mailings at not-for-profit rates and send emails regarding a planned event.
- ◆ Assistance with site selection.
- ◆ Publicize any planned event in the monthly e-newsletter and/or *The Deltan*.
- ◆ Nametags for the event.
- ◆ A speaker from the National Fraternity.
- ◆ Zeta Beta Tau materials and giveaways for attendees.

Contact the National Office for assistance in planning an Alumni Reunion for your Chapter.



"Here's to Our Fraternity" One Hundred Years of Zeta Beta Tau 1898-1998

To order this comprehensive 319 page hardback history of Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity visit the ZBT Mall at www.zbt.org or by contacting the National Office at 317-334-1898.

ALUMNI NEWS

University of Alabama

Lee H. Engel '98 and his wife Jennifer, announce the birth of their first child, Grace Bradlie.

Scott J. Zeeman '97 and his fiancée Paula Kulka were engaged on May 25, 2005. An April wedding is planned in south Florida.

University of Arizona

Gregory D. Brenner '90 opened a criminal defense law firm after several years with the L.A. County Public Defender's Office. Brother Brenner and his wife Amy celebrated the birth of their second child in January.

Brooklyn College

Eric J. Cortes '04 was appointed to a Social Studies teaching position at Franklin Roosevelt High School in Brooklyn. Brother Cortes reports that he loves his job.

California Sate Univ. - LA

Steve Cooley, Esq. '69 is currently serving a second term as the District Attorney for Los Angeles County.

Steven S. Tyre, CPA '72 reports that his son, Samuel E. Tyre is a senior at Stanford University and has won with his teammates two NCAA Championships.

Mark H. Weisberg '76 has been employed with Anheuser-Busch, Inc. since 1991, in the quality assurance lab as a Packaging Q.A. Analyst.

University of Colorado

Ari D. Sandel '97 directed a short film called West Bank Story. It is a comedy musical about Israelis and Palestinians that takes place between two falafel stands in the west bank. The film was accepted to Sundance this year and named "top ten shorts" by indieWIRE magazine. It also won best short at The Malibu and Indianapolis film festivals and has gone to about twenty other festivals around the world.

Columbia University

Daniel J. Edelman '40 was the inaugural

recipient of the Columbia Graduate School of Journalism's Dean's Medal. The medal recognizes alumni who have made a significant contribution to society through professional accomplishments and civic involvement. Brother Edelman is the founder of Daniel J. Edelman, Inc., the largest independent public relations firm in the world. In announcing the award, Columbia dean of the School of Journalism Nicholas Lemann noted, "There could be no better initial recipient than Daniel Edelman, who is both a world leader in his field and an outstandingly generous and public spirited man."

The Honorable David B. Saxe '63 writes, "I have many fond memories of my ZBT days and am still friendly with some Delta Chapter members, including Brother Alan B. Reis '63."

Brother Saxe is an Associate Justice of the Appellate Division, Supreme Court, First Department in New York, having been appointed by Governor George Pataki in 1998. In 1990, Brother Saxe was appointed to the Supreme Court by then Governor Mario Cuomo and elected to a full term that same year. He first assumed the bench in 1982 after being elected to the Civil Court of the City of New York.

Brother Saxe has a long family history with ZBT. His father **Dr. Emanuel Saxe (City College of New York '23)** is an honorary member of ZBT and his grandfather, **Bernard David Saxe (City College of New York)** was one of the original founders of the Alpha Chapter of ZBT.

Ray Robinson '41, is the author of *Greats of the Game: The Players, Games, Teams and Managers that Made Baseball History*. Brother Robinson is also the author of *Lou Gehrig, Iron Horse* as well as a number of other baseball related books. In his youth, Brother Robinson was a delivery boy for a New York liquor company. His customers included Babe Ruth.

Cornell University

Matthew J. Rubins '90 and his wife Meredith recently welcomed their first child. Brother Rubins is a member of the Supreme Council.

University of Denver

Gregg F. Witt '77 is the 2005 recipient of the Jewish Council for Youth Services (JCYS) Distinguished Alumni Award. JCYS is an independent, not-for-profit agency dedicated to serving both Chicagoland's Jewish and greater communities and developing leaders who continue the tradition of volunteer service. Brother Witt is a Senior Vice President of CB Richard Ellis in Chicago and currently serves as a Director of the Zeta Beta Tau Foundation.

University of Delaware

Scott E. Silberfein '94 and his wife Joey, are thrilled to announce the birth of their daughter, Mattie Hope. Mattie was born on January 8, 2005 at 9:23 p.m. She weighed in at 6 pounds 9 ounces and measured 19 3/4 inches.

East Stroudsburg University

Joseph M. Polizzotto '00 married Erica Phillips of Conshohocken Pa on October 22, 2005 at the Stone Mill Inn, Hallam Pa.

Eric M. Vintimilla '05 graduated Cum Laude and has accepted a position as a professor at a University in Quito, Ecuador.

University of Florida

Matthew L. Fieldman '00 married Alyson Rappaport in July 2005 in Washington, DC. Brother Fieldman recently started a new job as Associate Director of Development for Hillel: The Foundation for Jewish Campus Life's International Center in Washington, DC. He also recently received his MBA from The George Washington University.

Franklin & Marshall University

David E. Rosenthal, M.D. FACP '58 retired from Internal Medicine practice in April 2001. Brother Rosenthal now volunteers at a free clinic for the uninsured, serves as Editor of Prescriber's Letter Journal, and serves as an Officer and Chairman at Keneseth Israel synagogue. Brother Rosenthal is also kept busy with three sons and six grandchildren.

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"EL ZBT MARAVILLOSO - THE MARVELOUS ZBT"

Myles Kahn Esq., (Muhlenberg '84) is a marvelous example of living ZBT.

Our Credo...Intellectual Awareness, Social Responsibility, Integrity, Brotherly Love; each is a part of Brother Kahn.

Intellectual Awareness – Following graduation from Muhlenberg College, Myles attended Benjamin N. Cordozo School of Law at Yeshiva University in his home state of New York. Brother Kahn started his legal career in Manhattan and has a background in commercial litigation and entertainment transactional work.

Social Responsibility – Myles and his wife Megan appreciate their success. However, they understand the importance of community service and philanthropy. They are involved with many organizations including the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center. Brother Kahn and Megan also provide support to ZBT through the Zeta Beta Tau Foundation.

Integrity – Brother Kahn is a family man with a deep sense of compassion, understanding and overall caring for all people. Megan and two year old daughter Sasha provide him with a great deal of pride.

Brotherly Love – When speaking about Myles and his ZBT Brothers, Megan reports that, "Myles is never happier than when he speaks with a Fraternity Brother."

Myles has very good memories of his ZBT undergraduate experience and still remains in contact with several of his Chapter Brothers including **Dr. Steven H. Feit (Muhlenberg '84)**, a Cosmetic Prostadontist in Boca Raton; **Steven B. Binder (Muhlenberg '84)**, Chief Financial Officer of Bristol Myers Asia and living in Tokyo; **Dr. Christopher S. Kahn (Muhlenberg '84)**, no relation to Myles, a Maxillofacial Reconstructive Surgeon living in Alabama. All four were roommates their senior year at Muhlenberg. Myles is also in regular contact with **William H. Hoch (Franklin & Marshall '84)** whom he met in law school. Brother Hoch is the owner and Director of Camp Watitoh, a coed summer camp in Becket, MA.

"ZBT Becomes part of your identity. It creates an extended family and if you need something you know you have people to reach out to, that connection never goes away," said Myles about being a ZBT.

This marvelous ZBT grew up watching his father, Larry Harlow a world renowned salsa musician – nicknamed El Judio Maravilloso – The Marvelous Jew. Traveling to Latin America often as a child, Myles learned the language and more importantly the culture.

Myles transitioned from legal work to sports management about six years ago. He was asked by a music industry client to review a professional baseball contract for a cousin who was a Major League baseball player. Knowing the culture and the language Myles

worked long hours and learned the business and the side of baseball most people don't get to see.

Latin American players lacked good bi-lingual representation and Myles is one of, if not the first Major League Baseball Agent to know the players of Latin America – he is able to speak their language and understands their values and culture.

"El ZBT Maravilloso" understands the values and culture of a true Fraternity, of being a Brother – he lives by our Credo. He is an example of what it means to be a Brother of Zeta Beta Tau.

About succeeding, Myles says, "get hands on experience for whatever it is that you want to do, learn all that you can learn, understand the risks associated with your goals and if you are willing to accept the risks, go for it. You have to be willing to stick it out during tough times and have staying power."

Myles has found success in his family and in sports management. He says he has never been happier and fondly looks back at all of the hard work including working at the kitchen table of a one bedroom apartment in New York.

The Kahns currently live in a Seattle suburb. "A New Yorker through and through," Myles and Megan made the decision to remain in Seattle and enjoy raising a family in the quiet mountains of the Northwest.

**FELLMAN (MARYLAND - COLLEGE PARK '97)
COMPETES FOR MACCABIAH TEAM USA**


Congratulations to **Robert M. Fellman (University of Maryland, College Park '97)** for being selected as a member of the 2005 United States Maccabiah Open Track and Field Team. Brother Fellman joined many of the best Jewish athletes in the United States on Team USA and competed at the 17th World Maccabiah Games in Israel with the best Jewish athletes from more than 50 countries. Every 4 years, Israel hosts the Maccabiah Games featuring the world's best Jewish athletes competing in events mirroring the Olympic games.

Brother Fellman, a former track and field standout at the University of Maryland, specializes in the Decathlon, a grueling competition that covers 10 track and field events. Bruce Jenner, Rob's role model, is probably the world's most famous Decathlete. Former Maccabiah athletes include many Olympians and professional athletes including Mark Spitz (swimming) and Brad Gilbert (tennis).

Rob represented the United States in three track & field events. He received a silver medal for his efforts on the 4 x 100 team (42.2 seconds) and placed 4th in javelin (50.26 meters).

"I am thrilled to be living this dream. I have always wanted to compete in the Maccabiah Games in Israel. Now that I'm 29 years old, this was probably my last opportunity." Fellman stated.

THE CHAPTER ETERNAL

Bennett D. Levy (Rho, Illinois '43)

Brother Bennett D. Levy died on October 19, 2005 in Leawood, Kansas at the age of 83.

Brother Levy moved to Kansas City in 1945 where he co-founded the accounting firm of Wolkow, Levy and Crosby. When the firm merged with the international CPA firm Laventhol and Horwath, in 1968, Brother Levy became the firm's Kansas City managing partner. Brother Levy was named a senior partner of Laventhol and Horwath in 1982. He retired in 1987.

In addition to his professional accomplishments, Brother Levy was involved in many civic activities. Among his many activities he served on the boards of the National Conference of Christians and Jews, Jewish Family and Children's Services, the Jewish Community Center and the Boys and Girls Club of Kansas City. He was a past chairman of a local Boy Scout troop, a member of the board of trustees of the Menorah Medical Center and Hyman Brand Hebrew Academy.

Brother Levy loved golf and the Kansas City Chiefs.

He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Harriett Fredman Levy; sons Robert and John; daughter Fran; six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

William L. Britt (Alpha Rho, UCLA '05) died on April 28, 2005 in a car accident. He was 22.

Edward D. Freis (Alpha Omicron, Arizona)

Brother Edward D. Freis a medical researcher whose area of expertise was hypertension and high blood pressure died in Washington at the age of 92. Brother Freis's death was reported to the Fraternity by his daughter Susan Freis Folknor who wrote, "I know dad had fond memories of ZBT."

Following his undergraduate work at the University of Arizona, Brother Freis received a medical degree from Columbia University in 1940. Brother Freis began his medical career at the Veterans

Administration Hospital of Washington D.C. in 1949. He was appointed Professor of Medicine at Georgetown University Medical Center in 1959. He was a member of the Georgetown staff until the 1990s.

Brother Freis's early research was in rheumatic fever. In the 1960s he began to research the links between high blood pressure and hypertension. His research team's studies helped to establish the benefits of treating and reducing hypertension. Brother Freis was one of the first researchers to discover the link between hypertension and the overuse of table salt. In recognition of his groundbreaking research, Brother Freis received the Albert Lasker Award in 1971, which recognizes significant clinical medical research.

Brother Freis was a past president of the American Heart Association.

In addition to Ms. Falknor, he is survived by daughter Martha Bramhall; son Richard; six grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Hershel M. Indyg (Gamma Delta, C.W. Post, '70) passed away on August 30, 2004.

Sean Patrick Kelly (Rho, Illinois, '04) Brother Kelly passed away on May 1, 2005 as a result of injuries sustained in a car accident.

Ross Koppel (Gamma Phi, Hofstra, '80) passed away in February 2005.

Dr. Malcolm Marlis (Kappa, Cornell, '43) passed away peacefully on December 2, 2004. Brother Marlis attended Dental School at Washington University - St. Louis. He was a life long dentist who later in life owned a successful Tony Roma's Restaurant in Scottsdale, Arizona and then became an accomplished real estate investor.

Forrest G. Meyer (Theta, Colorado)

A life long resident of Colorado, Brother Forrest G. Meyer died on February 19, 2005 at the age of 93.

After graduating from the University of

Colorado, Brother Meyer began a career in advertising at a department store in Bakersfield, California. He then served in World War II, stationed in Australia. Following the War, Brother Meyer returned to advertising. In 1956, he founded the Forrest G. Meyer Advertising Agency in Denver. The agency was the recipient of many industry awards. In 1981, the agency merged with the Fox, Sweeney and True Advertising Agency. Brother Meyer served as a consultant to the merged agency until his retirement at the age of 75.

Following his retirement, Brother Meyer and a friend formed a swing band, which entertained at various events, and retirement centers throughout Denver.

Brother Meyer is survived by his wife Annette to whom he was married for nearly sixty years; son Edward; and grandson Jeffrey.

Henry F. Marx (Omega, Missouri '57) died on November 11, 2004. Brother Marx graduated with a degree in business and joined the Henry Marx Co., his family's retail clothing business that his grandfather established in 1895. He was an accomplished photographer and had several of his photographs appear in national publications.

Aaron M. Rothenberg (Alpha Rho, UCLA '34)

Brother Aaron M. Rothenberg died on November 11, 2004 at the age of 93 after a long battle with Lymphoma.

Brother Rothenberg was born in Vancouver, British Columbia in 1911. He immigrated to the United States with his parents in 1923 settling in Los Angeles.

After graduation from UCLA, Brother Rothenberg worked as a publisher's rep for several well-known men's clothing magazines. When World War II began he enlisted in the Army and served in military intelligence.

Brother Rothenberg's post war career included working in early television where

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he established merchandising programs for several shows including Hopalong Cassidy, Gene Autry, Range Rider and Pinky Lee.

Brother Rothenberg was a pioneer in the franchising industry beginning in the 1960s. He helped to write the first franchising laws in California. He was one of the people instrumental in introducing franchising to Japan, Australia, Singapore, Malaysia and South Africa. Before his retirement, Brother Rothenberg taught franchise marketing at UCLA. He was a lover of golf, classical music and theater.

Brother Rothenberg was predeceased by his wife Joan to whom he was married for 62 years. He is survived by sons Bob and Donald and four grandchildren.

Robert L. Weil (Beta Alpha, Colorado '47) passed away on April 8, 2005. After graduating from High School, Brother Weil briefly attended the University of Colorado but left to serve in World War II. He returned to college in Boulder in his mid-20s and helped to form a Chapter of ZBT. He was its charter President.

Brother Weil purchased a small food

distribution company called Westman Commission Co. in the early 1950s. He and his wife expanded the company to become one of the leading suppliers of food to Colorado's restaurant industry. In 1985 Mr. Weil sold Westman to Kraft Foods.

Amb. Milton A. Wolf (Nu, Ohio State '48), United States Ambassador to Austria during the Carter Administration, Brother Milton A. Wolf died on May 19, 2005 at the age of 80 after a long battle with Lymphoma.

A lifelong resident of Cleveland, Ohio, Brother Wolf served as president of his family's construction company for many years. However, he will be most remembered for his civic involvement most notably his many years of work on behalf of the Jewish community locally, nationally and internationally.

Brother Wolf was the president of the Jewish Community Federation of Cleveland from 1985-1988 and was then named a life trustee of the Federation. During the 1990s, he served as the president and then chairman of the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee (JDC). The JDC provides rescue, relief and reconstruction programs

to Jews in countries throughout the world. He served as the chairman of Cleveland's Jewish Welfare Fund campaign twice as well as serving as a national trustee of the United Jewish Appeal and the United Israel Appeal.

In addition to his degree from Ohio State, Brother Wolf earned a degree in engineering in 1954 and master's and Ph.D. degrees in Economics from Case Western Reserve University where he taught international monetary theory and trade.

His wife Roslyn predeceased Brother Wolf. He is survived by his son Leslie Eric Wolf; daughters Caryn Wolf Wechsler; Dr. Nancy Wolf and Sherri Wolf; and three grandchildren.

DID YOU KNOW?

The National Fraternity sends out a monthly Alumni E-Newsletter. If you have not received the monthly E-Newsletter, please provide us with your email address.

Honoring & Remembering

To honor or remember a loved one, a friend, or a Fraternity brother, consider making a donation to the Zeta Beta Tau Foundation. An acknowledgement of your tax deductible gift will be provided. In addition, notification will be sent to the person being honored or to the family of the person being memorialized. Future issues of *The Deltan* will list those gifts received in honor or in memory of someone. Use the form below to honor or remember.

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THE ZETA BETA TAU FOUNDATION

Zeta Beta Tau Foundation Mission Statement



The Zeta Beta Tau Foundation is a nonprofit corporation exclusively committed to educational and charitable purposes that assist the Brothers of Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity.

The foundation assists the Brothers of Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity by funding scholarships, academic and leadership programs to maximize their personal development and prepare them to be leaders of society.

The scholarships and academic and leadership programs funded by the Foundation enhance the overall value of membership in Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity by complementing the collegiate educational experience.

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ANNUAL GIVING CLUBS

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The 1898 Society recognizes all donors who support the Zeta Beta Tau Foundation with \$250 or more in unrestricted gifts. Members will be listed in the Donor Roll. Diamond: \$2,500+; Gold: \$1,000-\$2,499; Silver: \$500-\$999; Bronze: \$250-\$499. All gifts made during the fiscal year (June 1-May 31) are credited towards membership. Membership in the 1898 Society includes membership in the Founders Society.

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*"The crest and crowning of all good,
life's final star, is Brotherhood."*

In Memory of...

Brother **Moses J. Gozonsky** (New Hampshire '47) made a contribution in memory of Amy Braver, daughter of Brother **Martin D. Braver** (Boston '47).

Brother **Saul A. Fern** (Boston '54) made contributions in memory of Carolyn Bellows, mother of Brother **John A. Bellows** (Rhode Island '77), Brother **Norman B. Cotton** (Boston '56), Past National President **Burton L. Litwin** (Washington & Lee '51), Brother **Harold Perkins** (Boston '54), Brother **Bruce G. Pollock** (Rhode Island '68), Brother **Richard H. Robbins** (Boston), Brother **Harold Stavisky** (Boston '60) and Brother **Martin M. Sternfels, Jr.** (Boston '53).

Brother **Kenneth L. Simon** (Pittsburgh '75) and Brother **Ronald J. Taylor, M.D.** (W&J '66) made contributions in memory of David Hrbek, father of Brother **Bret W. Hrbek** (Virginia Tech '96).

Brother **Philip M. Waxberg** (CCNY '66), Brother **Irving M. Chase, Esq.** (UCLA '74), Brother **Kenneth L. Simon** (Pittsburgh '75), Brother **Saul A. Fern** (Boston '54), and Brother **Arthur S. Weinstock** (Columbia '41) made contributions in memory of Sam Gadless, father of Brother **Louis L. Gadless** (SDSU '74).

Brother **Frederick E. Schatz** (Michigan '57) made contributions in memory of Sheldon Salodar, Macey Keyes and Debbie Rubin, mother of Brother **Louis G. Rubin** (Arizona '89).

Brother **Philip M. Waxberg** (CCNY '66) made a contribution in memory of Jack Landman, father of Brother **Sidney B. Landman** (CCNY '67).

Brother **Lawrence M. Pitler** (Syracuse '57) made a contribution in memory of Cora Simon.

Brother **Arthur S. Weinstock** (Columbia '41) made a contribution in memory of Brother **Milton Gottesman** (Columbia '43).

Brother **Stuart M. Shalloway** (South Carolina '82) and Brother **Jeffrey C. Shalloway** (South Carolina '83) made a contribution in memory of their father, Edwin Shalloway.

Carole Seidman made a contribution in memory of her husband Brother **Joseph Seidman** (Brooklyn Tech).

Brother **Jonathan I. Yulish** (Case Western '84) and Brother **Saul A. Fern** (Boston '54) made contributions in memory of Rudy Stys, father of Brother **Brian Stys** (Rhode Island '85).

Michael & Gail Axt, Sanford Feld, Yvonne Kellog, Tom Stich, Brother **Arthur S. Weinstock** (Columbia '41), Brother **Saul A. Fern** (Boston '54), Brother **Elliott D. Fredland** (Washington & Jefferson '60), Brother **Donald S. Safer** (Colorado '63), Brother

Scott L. Jacobs (Denver '67), Brother **Alexander Myers** (Denver '67), Brother **Herbert A. Reznikoff** (Denver '67), Brother **Stuart J. Hertzberg** (Denver '68), Brother **William H. Ziering** (Denver '69), Brother **Bruce H. Balonick** (Denver '70), Brother **Fred S. Karger** (Denver '72), Brother **Irving M. Chase, Esq.** (UCLA '74), Brother **Stephen R. Blank** (Denver '75), Brother **Jay B. Reano** (Denver '76), Jacque & Brother **James M. Ehrlich** (Denver '77) & **David S. Ehrlich** (Miami '08), Brother **Jonathan I. Yulish** (Case Western '84) and Brother **Faron A. Lewitt** (Alabama '97) made contributions in memory of **Bruce Saiber** (Denver '67), brother-in-law of Past National President Brother **Stephen P. Ehrlich, Esq.** (Denver '70).

In Honor of...

Brother **Kenneth L. Simon** (Pittsburgh '75) made contributions in honor of the birth of a daughter to Brother **Daniel H. Pardo** (SDSU '91) and his wife Nancy, the birth of a son to Brother **Bret W. Hrbek** (Virginia Tech '96) and his wife Jessica, and the birth of a daughter to Brother **Matthew J. Rubins** (Cornell '90) and his wife Meredith.

Brother **Marvin M. Solomon** (Columbia '57) made a contribution in honor of **Evan D. Solomon** (New York University '95) and his wife Karen's first wedding anniversary.

Brother **Kenneth L. Simon** (Pittsburgh '75) made a contribution in honor of the election of Brother **Harold R. Oseff, Esq.** (Michigan '75) as President of Zeta Beta Tau.

Brother **Herbert M. Katzenberg** (Virginia '40) made a contribution in honor of Brother **Leonard S. Malmud** (Pennsylvania '45).

Brother **Kenneth L. Simon** (Pittsburgh '75) made contributions in honor of Brother **Harold A. Davidson** (Southern California '65) and his wife Nadine for their hospitality and Brother **Matt F. Bercovitz** (Southern California '05) for tickets to the USC football game.

Carol Secor made a contribution in honor of the graduation of Brother **Devon M. Schad** (Colorado - Boulder '04).

Brother **Kenneth L. Simon** (Pittsburgh '75) made a contribution in honor of the 84th birthday of his father, Past National President Brother **Richard S. Simon** (Michigan '43).

Joyce and Anthony Silvers made a contribution in honor of **Charles Silvers** (Illinois '54).

Brother **Philip M. Waxberg** (CCNY '66) made a contribution in honor of the birth of Alexander D. Barsanti, the third grandchild of Brother **Thano Schoppel** (CCNY '66).

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Hofstra University

Jorge L. Gardyn, M.D., F.C.A.P. '80 was one of two recipients of the Badge of Courage Gala Award from the Nassau County Firefighters Museum and Education Center. Brother Gardyn has run an occupational medicine practice for ten years. In addition, he serves as the department surgeon for over twenty fire departments on Long Island. He is the medical director for the Vocational Educational and Extension Board. He has long been an advocate for good medical care and quality examinations for Long Island firefighters.

Indiana University

Ted Pincus '55 was recently ranked as one of the 20th Century's most influential communications executives. He was named PR Professional of the Year in 2002 by the Public Relations Society of America. He ran his own PR firm, the world's largest financial public relations firm for forty years until his retirement in 2001.

Brother Pincus is currently active as the business columnist for the *Chicago Sun Times*, a finance professor in the DePaul University MBA program and has served as an advisor to various corporations including McDonalds. He is active in civic organizations including the American Jewish Committee Midwest Chapter.

Johns Hopkins University

Rudy Boschwitz '51 is the United States representative to the United Nations Commission on Human Rights. Brother Boschwitz served as a United States Senator from Minnesota from 1978-1990. Brother Boschwitz has for many years, been a strong supporter of Jewish causes and of Israel. In 1991 he went to Ethiopia as an American emissary on a mission, which became known as Operation Solomon, the rescue and airlift of the black Jewish community in Ethiopia.

University of Kentucky

Robert J. Fraiman '51 is a former Chapter President who retired and moved from New York City to Rancho Mirage in 1987. Brother Fraiman is a former Governor of the New York Stock

Exchange and a Director of two NYSE listed companies. Brother Fraiman reports that he still talks to Brother **Joel C. Gordon '51** on a regular basis.

University of Miami - Florida

Morris N. Broad '56 was elected Chairman of The Shepard Broad Foundation, Inc. and Vice President of the Ruth K. Broad Biomedical Research Foundation, Inc. Brother Broad recently established The Morris and Norman Broad Scholarship Fund within the ZBT Foundation.

New York University - Heights

Richard Starfield '48 writes with a report of a reunion held in Florida for **Melvin Saslow '47**, **Lawrence D. Wechsler '49**, **Stephen D. Sundell '49**, **Leonard Rapaport '49** and himself. The Brothers had not seen each other for 55 years.

University of Pittsburgh

Rick "Deacon" Nowlin '84, recently appeared on a local Pittsburgh cable station on a panel discussion and retrospective on the late singer/musician Ray Charles. Brother Nowlin is a contemporary jazz critic for the *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*.

Sidney R. Silverman '43 has eight grandchildren with the eldest entering his senior year at the University of Arizona. All of Brother Silverman's grandchildren live near him in La Jolla, California.

Queens College

Noel Reitmeister '60 was recently honored by the Jewish United Fund of Metropolitan Chicago. Brother Reitmeister has been involved in Chicago area communal affairs for more than thirty-five years. He is a past president of a Chicago area B'nai Brith chapter and has served as a board member for the past thirty-six years. He served as a trustee of his temple. Currently he serves as a member of the board and executive committee of the Illinois Philharmonic Orchestra. Brother Reitmeister is Senior Vice President-Investments and Financial Consultant, with A.G. Edwards and heads the Reitmeister Group at their Merrillville, IN Branch.

Rider University

Steve Diamond '78 is the recipient of the United States Professional Tennis Association's Alex Gordon Award for the Professional of the Year. Brother Diamond currently serves as the tennis



director at Green Brook Country Club in Caldwell, New Jersey. Brother Diamond has been a tennis instructor to members of the New York Knicks and was a technical adviser on an episode of the Sopranos, training the actress who would portray a tennis professional.

Rutgers University

Steven E. Braun '74 reports on a December, 2004 Beta Delta (Rutgers University) reunion held in honor of Brother **David J. Schreiber's '74** visit from Israel where he is a citizen and permanent resident. The reunion was held at Old Queens Tavern in New Brunswick, New Jersey. In attendance were Brothers **Kurt Kephart '76**, **James Daily '74**, **Kenneth F. Foti '74**, and **Gary W. Siegel '74**. A number of them had not seen each other in years (since graduation 30 years ago in some cases). Brother Braun stated, "despite the length of time in which we did not see each other, in many ways, it seemed like yesterday. We are grayer and middle-aged now, but our fraternal bonds remain."

Brother Braun is employed as the head of the appellate section of the Passaic County Prosecutor's Office in New Jersey. He recently worked briefly on a matter with one of Passaic County's deputy county counsels (which represent the County in civil law matters). It turned out Brother Braun's counterpart was Brother **Matthew Malfa (Rutgers '86)**, a former Chapter President.

Joel H. Davidson '04 works at NORPAC www.norpac.net, a group that supports pro-Israel candidates for Congress. Brother Davidson is currently working on the group's annual Mission to Washington where they bring community members to DC to lobby for a day.

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CHAPLAIN'S CORNER



This past July, when I addressed the nearly 150 brothers who had gathered for ZBT's Annual Convention in Orlando this summer, I began by using the words of ZBT's ritual. The words are based on the prophecies of Isaiah, as is the name ZBT.

I then asked the question what would Isaiah say to us if he were here today. What would he lovingly caution and criticize us for doing or not doing today? The answer is to be found in living our ritual and the values that it espouses.

As the volunteer chaplain of ZBT, I hope to continue to emphasize those values in our fraternity. Fully aware of our non-sectarian nature, I nevertheless hope to highlight some of the universal values that Judaism and other faiths promote as our undergraduates continue their "fraternity journey." Whether we do this through classes at conventions, a phone call of support in times of need, or trips to help communities less fortunate than ours (something I hope we consider doing as a Fraternity), these values of our founders (including our progenitor Isaiah) bear repeating.

As someone who doesn't regularly get to interact with college students, I look

forward to doing so and serving in a variety of ways.

Cordially, Fraternally & Sincerely,

Rabbi Mark Bloom
Temple Beth Abraham
Oakland, CA
Gamma Chapter
Northwestern University '88
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IT'S WORTH REPEATING - NEVER FORGET THROUGH THE ZBT FOUNDATION

The Phi Sigma Delta - Weinberg Scholarship

On November 1, 1958, the Estate of Wilhelm Weinberg distributed \$25,000 to Phi Sigma Delta Foundation, which was merged into the Zeta Beta Tau Foundation upon the merger of the two fraternities in 1969.

Just who was Wilhelm Weinberg; and why were these funds from his Estate distributed to a Fraternity Foundation?



Mr. Weinberg was born in Barmbeck, Germany on November 5, 1886; in 1905 he moved from Germany and settled in Paris. After the end of World War I, he moved to Holland and became a Dutch citizen. On November 15, 1918 he

established the banking firm of Wilhelm Weinberg in Amsterdam and developed an international reputation as a banker, financier, investor and arbitrage expert.

Mr. Weinberg was fortuitously away from The Netherlands at the time of the German invasion. Unfortunately his wife, Margit, and their three infant children, Gabrielle Louise, Edgar George Paul and Rudi Ludwig Charles were seized and killed by the Nazis. Seventy-five percent of the Dutch Jewish population, 105,000 persons in all, were among the six million European Jews who were systematically annihilated by the Nazis.

Mr. Weinberg died on February 13, 1957 and authorized in his will that Brother Richard Netter

(Cornell '39) and his two other Executors distribute his entire residuary estate to charitable and educational institutions of their selection.

In the process of selecting recipients of the Weinberg Estate, distributions were made to causes in the United States, in Israel and in various foreign countries related to the life and interests of Mr. Weinberg, with the principal focus on the tragedy of European Jewry during the Holocaust period.

In the selection of the Zeta Beta Tau Foundation as one of the recipients, the Executors felt that while perpetuating the names and memory of the Weinberg family through scholarships to deserving students, **these scholarships would be a perpetual reminder of the Holocaust, so that future generations of all religious denominations would reflect upon the great evil of that time and would commit themselves to seeing that this would never happen again.**

Over a half century has elapsed since the Holocaust, which occurred long before the birth of the college students of today and, in most cases, when their parents had not been born or were too young to appreciate what was happening at that time.

Thus, while the Weinberg scholarships benefit deserving students, our Fraternity, the undergraduates and the alumni should reflect on the period of time when Mr. Weinberg's wife and children were among the six million European Jews who were annihilated.

PICTURE PERFECT



Nine University of Denver Iota Chapter Alumni got together for drinks, great food and excellent company. The dinner was held at Timbers Charhouse in Highland Park, IL which is owned by Brother James S. Errant '70. In attendance were Gregg F. Witt '77, Scott L. Jacobs '69, Cary Russ '69, Bruce H. Balonick '70, Gerald D. Blumberg '71, Gary M. Wolfson '72, Roger M. Heuberger '74, Donald B. Zimelis '74 and James M. Ehrlich '77.

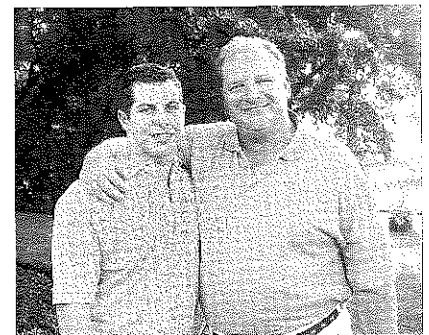


Front row: Mike Moss, Scott M. Zimmet '87, Craig A. Zimmet '82 & Morris Rich
Second row: Mitchell A. Stein '83, Robert Feldman '82, Scott B. Roberts '84, Glenn Lazarus & Larry Goldberg
Third row: Mitchell Hunter '85 at a Tulane University Sigma Chapter Alumni party at Brother Craig A. Zimmet's house.

ALL IN THE FAMILY

"ALL IN THE FAMILY" comprises a listing of legacies of whom the Fraternity is made aware. A legacy is the brother, son, grandson, nephew or first cousin of a Fraternity member (undergraduate or alumnus) who joins ZBT. Please send us all such notifications – including the school, chapter and class year of both brothers of ZBT.

- ◆ Bradley D. Abramson (Indiana '08) is the grandson of Alvin Abramson (Nebraska '50)
- ◆ Joshua S. Avroch (Boston '08) is the son of Lawrence S. Avroch (Queens '73)
- ◆ Lee H. Bagan (Texas-Austin, '06) and Scott H. Bagan (Texas-Austin, '09) are the sons of Kenneth J. Bagan (North Carolina '73)
- ◆ Brian J. Banks (Maryland '08) is the brother of Jared S. Banks (Maryland '05)
- ◆ Ryan A. Berk (Texas-Austin '08) is the brother of Nicholas M. Berk (Texas-Austin '06)
- ◆ Matthew D. Bernstein (Florida '08) is the brother of Laurence R. Bernstein (Florida '06)
- ◆ Casey A. Burka (Texas-Austin '06) is the grandson of Morris Burka (Tulane '40)
- ◆ Todd M. Danziger (Texas-Austin, '08) is the son of Dr. Danny H. Danziger (Tulane '77)
- ◆ David W. Dubelman (Colorado '07) is the brother of Daniel E. Dubelman (UCLA '05)
- ◆ Danny N. Ecker (Northwestern '08) is the brother of Kenneth M. Ecker (Northwestern '05)
- ◆ Andrew H. Edelson (Northwestern '08) is the son of Michael L. Edelson (Northwestern '78)
- ◆ David S. Ehrlich (Miami '08) is the son of James M. Ehrlich (Denver '77)
- ◆ Daniel J. Elrod (Michigan '09) is the son of Steven M. Elrod (Tulane '79)
- ◆ David A. Engorn (Maryland '08) is the brother of Branden M. Engorn (Maryland '04) and Jeffrey R. Engorn (Maryland '07)
- ◆ Craig D. Ettelman (Texas-Austin '09) is the grandson of David Berg (Miami '56)
- ◆ Kevin I. Falik (Indiana '08) is the son of Jonathan L. Falik (Texas-Austin '76)
- ◆ Jeffrey A. Feinstein (Texas-Austin '08) is the son of Michael F. Feinstein (Texas-Austin '78)
- ◆ Jeremy B. Feld (Maryland '08) is the son of Alan S. Feld (Rochester '70)
- ◆ James M. Ferer (Denver '08) is the son of Aaron Ferer (Arizona '64)
- ◆ Ian M. Firestone (Texas-Austin '09) is the brother of Drew A. Firestone (Texas-Austin '06)
- ◆ Matthew A. Flink (Illinois '08) is the grandson of Allen H. Nemerovski, C.L.U. (Michigan '49)
- ◆ Stephen B. Friedlander (Indiana '08) is the son of Gary S. Friedlander (Texas-Austin '78)
- ◆ Daniel B. Goldberg (Indiana '08) is the son of Michael D. Goldberg (Missouri '80)
- ◆ Charles K. Gonsher (Colorado '08) is the grandson of Harold J. Lewkowitz (Washington-Seattle '51)
- ◆ Scott D. Kaufman (Texas-Austin '08) is the son of Perry S. Kaufman (Texas-Austin '78)
- ◆ Brent R. Magna (Southern California '07) is the son of Robert Magna (Hofstra '70)
- ◆ Steven Marks (Florida '08) is the grandson of Lee B. Marks (Miami '55)
- ◆ Adam J. Miller (Northwestern '08) is the grandson of Sydney Galvin (Ohio State '23)
- ◆ Bradley H. Schneider (Indiana '08) is the son of Gregg R. Schneider (Indiana '81)
- ◆ Jared M. Schneider (Indiana '08) is the son of Neal B. Schneider (Indiana '83)
- ◆ Jon A. Schwartz (Indiana '08) is the son of Mark B. Schwartz (Indiana '79)
- ◆ Zac Schweizer (Indiana '08) is the son of Bert Schweizer III (Missouri '70), the grandson of Bert Schweizer II (Missouri '46) and the nephew of Tom Schweizer (Missouri '72)
- ◆ Charlie E. Semar (Indiana '08) is the son of Scott W. Semar (Indiana '75)
- ◆ Benjamin C. Shamis (Indiana '08) is the son of Gary S. Shamis (Tulane '75)
- ◆ Richard D. Shane (Florida '06) is the cousin of Benjamin R. Gold (Massachusetts '02)
- ◆ Jonathan C. Shelly (Connecticut '09) is the son of James Shelly (Rider '68)
- ◆ Andrew R. Shlensky (Northwestern '07) is the grandson of Jerome Shlensky (Wisconsin-Madison '50) and the son of Steven A. Shlensky (Wisconsin '83)
- ◆ Evan D. Solomon (New York University '95) is the son of Marvin M. Solomon, Esq. (Columbia '57)
- ◆ Jeff O. Stein (Illinois '08) is the son of Arnold Stein (Illinois '70)
- ◆ Cory P. Strauss (Syracuse '07) is the son of Jeffrey T. Strauss (Pennsylvania '77)
- ◆ Doug J. Waxman (Indiana '08) is the grandson of Lester Sherman (Washington-St. Louis '51)



Noah H. Snyder (Illinois '07) is the son of
Larry S. Snyder (Illinois '76)

Please send your pictures of legacies together for inclusion in a future issue of *The Deltan*

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Saint John's University

Ernesto J. Feiteira '98 was recently promoted to Chief Operating Officer and General Manager of The Employment and Career Channel. His primary responsibilities will be to provide strategic and operational direction to operating units including managing all aspects of the company.

Brother Feiteira married Laura Szymanski of Spotswood, NJ on March 12, 2005 in South River, NJ. The newlyweds and 200 guests celebrated with a reception at The Channel Club in Monmouth Beach, NJ. About a dozen ZBT Brothers attended, including **Brian T. Scarpa '98**, **Michael J. Nakis '00**, **Fred Neelen '98**, **Matthew J. Lawrik '98**, and **Vy (Sam) H. Van '01**.

Anthony P. Ruffini, Esq. '99 and his wife Diana are pleased to announce the birth of their first son, Anthony Giulio. Baby Anthony was born on November 21, 2004 in Staten Island. Brother Ruffini has left his private practice of law and has accepted a position as the Senior Law Clerk to State Supreme Court Justice Joseph J. Maltese.

Stephen F. Austin State University

Robert S. McDonald '03 is working for the Boy Scouts of America, East Texas Area Council as the District Executive for the Nacogdoches District that covers Nacogdoches, Shelby, San Augustine and Sabine Counties in Texas. Brother McDonald was married on July 9, 2005 to Candice Lynne Johnson.

Virginia Tech

Arne E. Olsen '96 married Larissa S. Bucolo in April, 2005. The two now live in Jacksonville, FL.

William V. Simmons '02 was married in February, 2003. Brother Simmons is a special education teacher in an elementary school in Front Royal, VA and will graduate with a Master's Degree in special education from Old Dominion University.

Donald N. Wilson '72 has been married to his wife Carol for thirty three years. They are both very involved in the Virginia Tech Alumni Association in Middle Tennessee. Carol was Alumni Volunteer of the year in 2003 and Brother Wilson has held office for the last six years.

Union College

Robert S. Herman '41 authored a book published in China entitled, "Adventures of the Mind."

University of Washington - Seattle

Michael A. Wilenzick '90 and his wife had their first child on June 11, 2005. Brother Wilenzick works for Microsoft and lives outside of Seattle, WA.

Western New England College

Victor F. Gerber '79 was elected as Chief Executive Officer of Atlas Merchant Solutions in August 2004.

Western Reserve University

Merwin Altfeld '34 recently had a retrospective of his work exhibited at a library in Pacific Palisades, California. Brother Altfeld has been painting for more than eighty years. He is also an accomplished piano player. Before retiring, Brother Altfeld was a factory representative for a lighting fixture company for twenty-five years. He estimates that he traveled over 30,000 miles during his sales career.

THE ZBT FAMILY

Jeremy A. Licht (University of Southern California '94) had a starring role (Mark Hogan) in the television series "The Hogan Family" and in the recolonization of the Alpha Delta Chapter at the University of Southern California.

Brother Licht began his acting career at the age of five doing print ads, commercials and a movie of the week. Jeremy appeared on the "The Hogan Family" between the ages of 14-19. The show taped on Friday nights which meant that Jeremy missed going to high school football games as well as the life of a typical high school student.

For Jeremy acting had long been a part of his life. So too was ZBT. His father, Dennis H. Licht (UCLA '67) met his mother on a blind date at a ZBT/AEPhi invite. When he entered the University of Southern California as a 21 year old freshman, Jeremy was recruited to help build a Chapter of ZBT becoming the founding treasurer of the group.

Of his ZBT experience Brother Licht said, "for me it fulfilled a lot; it provided a social outlet and bonding. It gave me the ability to build something. I learned how to work with people...think it's difficult in a Fraternity, try it in real life."

Jeremy did build something in real life. An interest in the investment field led him to an internship at Merrill Lynch. Combining his creativity from acting and his ability to build something from the beginning, Brother Licht formed his own financial management company, JL Capital Management.

"I would not have had the skills and courage to venture out on my own [without my Fraternity experience]," said Jeremy about his business. JL Capital Management works with individuals in sports, entertainment and professional fields. When asked to provide some financial advice to today's undergraduate ZBTs, Brother Licht said, "don't under estimate the power of starting

young. The power of growth is profound."

Buy, sell, or hold your ZBT experience - "buy as it provides leadership skills, encourages you to take a role, the benefits are amazing in life, it gives you a secure place where it is okay to screw up."

"I have a profound amount of pride to be a ZBT," said Jeremy at the conclusion of his recent interview.

Jeremy Licht may be contacted by email at jeremy@jlcapitalmanagement.com, by phone at 818-762-5947 or visit his website at www.jlcapitalmanagement.com.



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I was not anywhere near Salem Fields, not near Brooklyn and not even New York. I was at the National Office in Indianapolis, Indiana (moved from New York in 1995) and I had my moment. I felt a deeper connection to Dr. Gottheil. I had helped connect the first generation of ZBTs to the current one.

I have not yet visited the cemetery but will the next time I am in New York. Former Chapter and Expansion Consultant **Devon M. Schad (Colorado '04)** was able to visit and take several pictures.

Dr. Gottheil (1862-1936) rests between his wife Emma (1861-1947) and her sister Eva (1864-1954). He is not far from his parents, Gustav (1827-1903) and Rosalie (?-1893).



ZBT will initiate its 119,000th brother in 2006 and each can trace their experience back to one man, Dr. Gottheil.

Here's to our fraternity, May it live forever,
May it always faithful be, And it bonds ne'er sever...

...Lord of Heaven and of Earth, Keep watch o'er us ever, Fill our hearts with love and mirth, By the heav'n that smiles above us, By the faith of those that love us, God protect our ZBT, God protect our Zeta Beta Tau.

Thank you Dr. Gottheil.

ZBT BY THE NUMBERS

56,553

Alumni with a good address on record with the National Fraternity

51,234

Alumni listed as "lost" with the National Fraternity

10,190

Alumni with an email address on record with the National Fraternity

Help update our records by providing your email address and that of any other Brother with whom you communicate

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118,017

Total membership recorded of Zeta Beta Tau initiates

158

Total Brothers in attendance at the 2005 National Convention & Leadership School held in Orlando, Florida

2,593

Total undergraduate Brothers

ZBTs Around the World



United States: 55,700

Canada: 620

Israel: 41

England: 25

Mexico: 13

Japan: 10

Australia: 10

France: 9

India: 8

South Africa: 7

Switzerland: 7

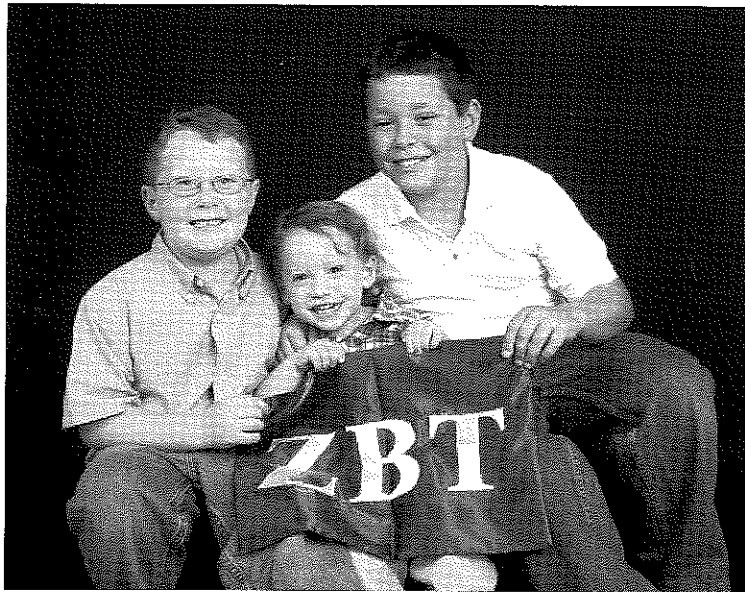
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Total number of alumni it takes to make a difference in the future of ZETA BETA TAU FRATERNITY

Contact the National Office to find out how you can help!
317-334-1898 or zbt@zbtnational.org



Future ZBTs Jordan, Matthew and Jacob, sons of Julie and National Vice President **Ronald A. Pardo** (Arizona '88)

Our Future is in Good Hands

...but we still need your help!

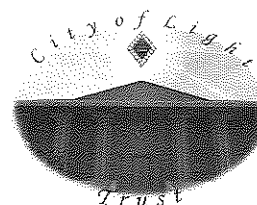
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Donor Certificate	♦
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Regional Reception	♦
National Reception	♦

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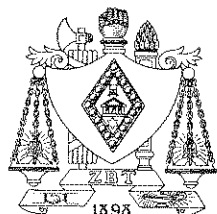
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