Temple Beth Sholom and Cantor Judy Merrick are proud to present

REMEMBER US UNTO LIFE "ZOCHRENU LECHIM"

A Cantorial Concert Celebrating the debut of the Re-Discovered Music of Cantor Shmuel Blasz thought lost during the Holocaust, with Six Cantors

and

the 75th Birthday of Rabbi Elliott T. Spar THURSDAY MAY 5, 2011 at 7PM

This is the Synagogue of Eger, Hungary. Hazzan Shmuel Blasz was the chief Hazzan. He wrote original music scores for Shabbat and High Holiday services and performed his music at his Shul with his choir until the Nazis occupied Eger and on June 7th 1944 most of the Jews were deported to Auschwitz.



Hazzan Blasz, his wife and other members of his family perished. It appeared as if his music was lost to the world forever. However his daughter Eva survived. She returned to Eger and discovered that her father's music was hidden by a neighbor from the Nazis for safekeeping and she was given possession of it. Last summer Hazzan Blasz's music was given to our Cantor, Judy Merrick, with permission from the Blasz family to perform it for the first time since World War II. Cantor Merrick organized a concert involving six superb Cantors to do it justice.

The Cantors are:

Cantor Ofer Barnoy, Temple Beth Shalom, Roslyn

Cantor Moshe Bear, Dix Hills Jewish Center, Dix Hills

Cantor Carol Chesler, Huntington

Cantor Judy Merrick, Temple Beth Sholom, Smithtown

Cantor Brian Shamash, S. Huntington Jewish Center, S. Huntington

Cantor Deborah Zeitlen, Kehillath Shalom, Cold Spring Harbor

Seating: Benefactor \$75 1st Six Rows - Includes Cocktail party at 9pm following Concert

\$35 Mezzanine

\$18 Behind Sanctuary

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