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DIFFERENCE:
20TH CENTURY JEWS
AND THEIR LEGACIES**

*New Mexico Jewish Historical Society
2017 Fall Conference*



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**NOVEMBER 4 & 5,
2017**
The Plaza Hotel
Las Vegas, New Mexico



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2017 FALL CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM

Visa MC Discover AmEx No. _____

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Address: _____

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Email _____ Names of Attendee(s) _____

Total Amt _____ Dinner Selection: Vegetarian Chicken

To register online, or for more information, see www.nmjhs.org.

On-Line Registration Available Sept. 1st. The full conference registration fee includes all sessions; Saturday lunch, reception and dinner; Sunday breakfast, and coffee breaks. Limited financial assistance available. Contact the NMJHS office for more details. Make checks payable to NMJHS.

Mail to: NMJHS, 5520 Wyoming Blvd NE, Albuquerque NM 87109.

RATES:

EARLY BIRD! By Oct 2: Member/Sister Organization \$120; Non-member \$140

After Oct 2: Member/Sister Organization \$140; Non-member \$160

Dinner/Reception Only: \$55

Daily Rate: Saturday program and coffee break \$50; Sunday program and coffee break \$55

Students & K-12 teachers: Conference program with breaks and coffee \$40

Montezuma Castle Tour \$11

2017 CONFERENCE PROGRAM

“MAKING A DIFFERENCE: 20TH CENTURY JEWS AND THEIR LEGACIES”

FRIDAY: NOVEMBER 3

7:00 pm: Optional Services at “Temple Montefiore”
Oneg Co-sponsored by NMJHS

SATURDAY: NOVEMBER 4

9:30 am: Tour of Montezuma Castle
(Pre-reg. and Pre-paid only) with guide
Optional Historic Plaza walking tour, maps at hotel

11:00 am: Registration/Package Pick Up

11:45 am - 12:45 pm: Lunch at Plaza Hotel

1:00 pm: Program Opens
Welcome Remarks: Linda Goff and Harvey Buchalter

1:30 - 2:30 pm: Keynote Speaker: Dr. Gil Ribak
“Mexicans Are Just Like Every Oriental People.” The
Southwest in Sholem Asch’s Yiddish Writing

2:30 - 3:15 pm: Making a Difference: The Northern New
Mexico Jewish Communities - Stories of Los Alamos and
Santa Fe: David Izraelevitz, Los Alamos and Marian
Silver, Santa Fe

3:15 - 3:30 pm: Coffee Break

3:30 - 4:15 pm: Judaism and Its Relationship to Art and
a Look at Jewish Artists of the WPA: Justin Ferate

4:15 - 5:00 pm: Wandering Poets: Our Years in the
Desert: Joan Logghe and Miriam Sagan

6:00 - 6:45 pm: Reception and Appetizers

6:45 - 7:30 pm: Silent Auction & Raffle/Buffer Dinner

7:30 - 8:30 pm: The film *The German Jews of Las
Vegas*: aired on COLORES, 12/12/1990

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 5

8:00- 8:45 am: Buffet Breakfast

9:00 am: Program Begins

9:15 - 10:00 am: Spotlight on the Las Vegas Jewish
Community: Their Stories: Diana Presser, Thomas
Strain and Nancy Terr

10:00 - 10:45 am: A Synagogue on the Santa Fe Trail: The
Future of Temple Aaron: David London, Kathryn Rubin,
Randy Rubin and Ron Rubin

10:45- 11:00 am: Coffee Break

11:00-11:45 am: Fat Man and the Development of a
Plutonium Bomb: A Crisis at Los Alamos and the Jews
Who Solved It: Rabbi Jack Shlachter

12:00 pm: Conference Wrap Up & Adjourn

1:30 pm (TBD) Optional Montefiore Cemetery Visit (LVIC)

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

Contact:

The Plaza Hotel, Las Vegas

505-425-3591

*A limited number of rooms have been set aside for NMJHS;
be sure to mention the Conference when you book*

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