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Tashlich ceremony near the pond at the Jerusalem Botanical Gardens.

FROM THE EDITOR

BY LARRY GORDON

Peres, War, And Peace

In one of the many essays and interviews offered up after the passing of Israel's former president and prime minister Shimon Peres, he was reported describing his family as "chareidi," but not observant Jews.

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The Yom Kippur Avodah

Remembering Yom Kippur In The Times Of The Beis HaMikdash

BY R' NISON GORDON

Yom Kippur *Mussaf*, when the *chazzan* approaches the *Avodah* part of *davening*, the shul empties out and the *machzorim* are placed on the



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HEARD IN THE BAGEL STORE

BY LARRY GORDON

Days Of Davening

We just completed two days dominated by and devoted to essentially one thing—*davening*.

Most of us have done this for years, if not decades, and though it is repetitious, it is a way in which we are able to



Cantor Joel Kaplan

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SPEAKING OUT ON BDS



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A delegation of Jewish activists thanked members of Congress for their opposition to the BDS movement. Above (L-R): Ezra Friedlander, Senator Ted Cruz, Joseph B. Stamm, Andrew Friedman, and Duvi Honig. See Page 93

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BY TAMMY MANTIN

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