



Samuel Berman

December 31, 1969 - August 6, 2008

Obituary of Samuel Berman Cantor Rabbi Samuel Dov Berman, 61 of Ocala, Fl. died suddenly Wed. Aug. 6, 2008 at the Mayo Clinic in Jacksonville, Fl.. Rabbi Berman was born in Bomberg, Germany. He served congregations in Springfield MA, Hamilton, Ontario, Baltimore, MD, and West Bloomfield, MI. After serving seven years as cantor and temple educator at Temple Israel of Akron, OH, he came to Ocala in June of 2001 to lead the congregation at Beth Shalom. Positions Rabbi Berman held included: Past President of Great Ocala Ministerial Assoc., Past President of Interfaith of Ocala, Fl., National Assoc. of Temple Educators, American Conference of Cantors, and singing group Heritage Trio in Baltimore, Md. Rabbi Sam was very proud to serve as a Chaplain for the Ocala Police, Sherriff, and Fire Departments, as well as the current president of the Marion County Stress Management Team. Rabbi Berman had a special passion for teaching Torah and all about Judaism. In his limited spare time, he enjoyed reading and watching fantasy. His son Ari Berman precedes him in death. Rabbi Samuel Dov Berman is survived by his devoted and loving wife of 38 years Dale Berman of Ocala, Fl., daughter Alisa Bendis and husband Brian Michael Bendis of Portland, Or., son Daniel Berman of Portland, Or. He is also survived by his devoted brother Steven Berman and wife Linda of Las Vegas, NV., 2 granddaughters, Olivia and Sabrina Bendis of Portland, Or. There will be a celebration of Rabbi Berman's life Friday, Aug 8, 2008 at 12:00 noon at the Top of the World Circle Square Cultural Center, 8395 SW 80th St. Friends may come by from 11:00 to 12:00

to gather and remember Rabbi Berman.

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Dale & Family: We were saddened to hear of Sam's untimely passing. Our thoughts are with you during this time.

Doreen & Harry Korman - December 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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