

2017
WALLENBERG TRIBUTE



Muhlenberg College
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2017 Wallenberg Tribute Speaker and Honoree



Rabbi Ambassador David N. Saperstein

Director Emeritus

Religious Action Center of Reform Judaism

Being the Hands of God:

Our Social Justice Agenda in a Time of Crisis

Designated by *Newsweek Magazine* as the most influential rabbi in America and by the *Washington Post* as the "quintessential religious lobbyist on Capitol Hill," for 40 years as Director of the Religious Action Center of Reform Judaism David Saperstein represented the Reform Jewish Movement, the largest segment of American Jewry, to Congress and the Administration. Under Rabbi Saperstein, writes J.J. Goldberg in his book, *Jewish Power*, the Religious Action Center "has become one of the most powerful Jewish bodies in Washington, second only to AIPAC."

For over two years (through Jan. 2017), Rabbi Saperstein served our nation as the U.S. Ambassador-at-Large for International Religious Freedom, carrying out his responsibilities as the country's chief diplomat on religious freedom issues. Also

Also an attorney, he taught seminars on Church-State law and Jewish Law for 35 years at Georgetown University Law Center.

During his career, Rabbi Saperstein has served as the chair or co-chair of several national interreligious coalitions including the Coalition to Preserve Religious Liberty. He has also served on the boards or executive committees of numerous national organizations including the NAACP, People for The American Way, the Leadership Conference on Civil and Human Rights, the National Religious Partnership on the Environment and the World Faith Development Dialogue. He currently serves as a Senior Fellow at the Berkley Center for Religion, Peace and World Affairs as well as the Senior Advisor for Strategy and Policy for the Union for Reform Judaism.

Rabbi Saperstein is married to Ellen Weiss, an award-winning journalist and has two sons, Daniel and Ari.

**Rabbi Saperstein will present
the Wallenberg Tribute lecture
Sunday, October 8, 2017
3:30 p.m.**

**Miller Forum, Moyer Hall
Muhlenberg College**

**and be honored
at the Wallenberg Tribute
Reception and Dinner
following the lecture.**

Co-sponsored by the Jewish Federation of the Lehigh Valley.



Wallenberg Tribute Dinner
 Institute for Jewish-Christian Understanding
 Muhlenberg College
 Sunday, October 8, 2017



All host and sponsor options include dinner in the price.

Name(s): _____

Yes, I/we want to take part in the dinner as:

_____ \$ 720 Table Host (host: _____)
 (Enclose list of 7 additional guests)

_____ \$ 360 Wallenberg Host (Couple)

_____ \$ 200 Wallenberg Host (Single)

_____ \$ 200 Tribute Sponsor (Couple)

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_____ Dinner Guest/s: # _____ @ \$60/person

_____ Student Dinner Guest/s: # _____ @ \$35/student

\$ _____ Wallenberg Tribute Gift

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~ PLEASE INDICATE MEAL CHOICES ON THE BACK OF THIS CARD ~

Please mark number and choice of entrée(s)
 with corresponding name(s):

_____ Beef: Beef Wellington
 Julenned Carrots and Fennel with Herbed Potatoes

Name(s): _____

_____ Fish: Seafood and Spinach Lasagna
 Tilapia and Cod Flakey Mix Layered in Between Lasagna
 Noodles with Roasted Vegetables and Red Pepper Coulis

Name(s): _____

_____ Vegetarian: Vegetarian Tower
 Roasted Portabella with Spinach, Warm Goat Cheese,
 and a Fennel Tomato Fondue

Name(s): _____

BELOW ARE GLATT KOSHER OPTIONS*

_____ Kosher Beef Wellington

Name(s): _____

_____ Kosher Seafood and Spinach Lasagna

Name(s): _____

_____ Kosher Vegetarian Tower

Name(s): _____

* These entrées are under Glatt Kosher supervision.
 They are pre-packaged and served in aluminum foil containers.
 Please note: there will be no substitutions possible on the day of the event.



2017 Wallenberg Tribute Gift
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I/We cannot participate in the 2017 Wallenberg Tribute Dinner, but we enclose our gift to honor Rabbi Ambassador David N. Saperstein for his leadership, dedication, and achievements. This gift will advance the work of the IJCU and will be recognized in the tribute dinner program.

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