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# PROGRAM

## GREETINGS

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## CEREMONIAL AWARD OF DOCTOR PHILOSOPHIAE HONORIS CAUSA

Prof. HAIM BEN SHAHAR

President, Tel Aviv University

Maestro MSTISLAV ROSTROPOVICH

Music Director, National Symphony Orchestra

## DINNER

### REMARKS

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# DOCTOR TRILOGICAL HONORIS CAUSA

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## TEL AVIV UNIVERSITY

At its session, on the 4th day of

May 1979

The Senate of Tel Aviv University

decided to honor

### **MSTISLAV LEOPOLDOVICH ROSTROPOVICH**

**in recognition**

of an illustrious artistic career that won him acclaim and honors throughout the world as one of the great musical interpreters of his day, both as cellist and conductor, including the Lenin Prize, the U.S.S.R. State Prize, honorary membership of the Academy of St. Cecilia in Rome and of the U.S. Academy of Arts and Sciences, an Honorary Fellowship of the British Royal Academy of Music, Honorary Doctorates of Music from nine universities, the Gold Medal of the British Royal Philharmonic Society, the Siemens Prize from Federal Germany, and a Commander of the Order of Arts and Letters from France, and

**in recognition**

of his contribution to musical education as a Professor of both the Moscow and Leningrad Conservatories of Music and

**in recognition**

of his distinguished and outstanding musical talent that inspired the foremost composers of the day, including Prokofiev, Shostakovich, Miaskovsky, Kchachaturian, Kabalevsky, Britten, Piston, and Bernstein to compose works for the cello especially in his honor, and

**in recognition**

of his qualities not only as a great artist, but as a great and courageous human being, a defender of human rights, an unflinching fighter for human freedom including the freedom of expressions, and a man whose love of his fellow beings is inseparable from his love of music, and finally,

**in recognition**

of his unchanging and openly voiced friendship for the Jewish people and the State of Israel, and of his artistic contributions to Israel's musical life as cellist and conductor in appearances with the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra,

by conferring upon him the degree of

**Doctor Philosophiae Honoris Causa**

of Tel Aviv University with all the rights and privileges pertaining thereto.

Professor Saul S. Abarbanel  
Rector

Professor Haim Ben-Shahar  
President

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Past Recipients of Degree of  
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- 1965** Moshe Sharett\*
- 1968** Daniel G. Ross
- 1970** Professor Salo Baron  
David Ben-Gurion\*  
Walter Hesselbach  
David Horowitz\*  
Zalman Shazar\*  
Professor Richard Stein
- 1971** Abba Eban  
Professor Israel Efrat  
Walworth Barbour  
Dr. Nahum Goldmann  
Chaim Levanon  
David Jacob Light\*  
Golda Meir\*  
Jack Morrison\*  
Mordechai Namir\*  
Dr. Albert B. Sabin  
Elias Sourasky  
Aryeh L. Pincus\*  
Lord Nathaniel Mayer  
Victor Rothschild  
Leonard G. Wolfson
- 1972** Marc Chagall  
Jacques Lipchitz\*  
Professor Emilio Segre  
Avraham Shlonsky\*  
Professor Edward Teller  
Florence Wise  
Dr. George S. Wise
- 1973** Prof. Ernst David Bergman\*  
Sir Isaiah Berlin  
Leonard Bernstein  
Professor Israel Dostrovsky  
Senator Henry M. Jackson  
Joseph Meyerhoff
- 1974** Yigal Allon  
Professor Maurice Goldhaber  
Nachum Gutman  
Zubin Mehta  
Leslie Porter
- 1975** Professor Roman Jakobson  
Alain Poher  
Professor Jean Roche  
Hanna Rovina  
Sir Ronald Syme F.B.A.  
Eugene Ionesco  
Yaacov Agam  
Lic. Luis Echeverria Alvarez  
Arthur J. Goldberg
- 1976** William Edward Simon  
Victor M. Carter  
Sylvia Philips Gilman  
Henri Glasberg  
Uri Zvi Greenberg  
Andrei Dimitrievich Sakharov
- 1977** Ephraim Katzir  
Shaul Avigur\*  
Fred Lessing
- 1978** Meir Ya'ari  
Norman Bruce Hannay  
Genia Schreiber
- 1979** George Meany  
Menahem Begin  
Prof. Bernard Lewis  
Dr. Raymond R. Sackler

\*deceased

רשימת האישים שקיבלו תארי כבוד  
**דוקטור לפילוסופיה**  
**של אוניברסיטת תל-אביב**

יגאל אלון	1974	משה שרת, ז"ל	1965
פרופסור מוריס גולדהבר		דניאל ג' רוס	1968
נחום גוטמן		פרופ' סאלו בארון	1970
זובין מהטה		דוד בן-גוריון, ז"ל	
לסלי פורטר		דוד הורוביץ, ז"ל	
פרופ' רומן יאקובסון	1975	וולטר הסלבאך	
אלן פוהר		זלמן שזר, ז"ל	
פרופ' סיר רונלד סיים		פרופ' ריכרד שטיין	
חנה רובינה		אבא אבן	1971
פרופ' ז'אן רוש		פרופ' ישראל אפרת	
איז'ן יונסקו		וולוורת בארבור	
יעקב אגם		ד"ר נחום גולדמן	
עו"ד לואיס אצ'בריה אלבארז		ליאונרד ג' וולפסון	
ארתור י' גולדברג		דוד יעקב לייט, ז"ל	
ויליאם אדוארד סיימון	1976	גולדה מאיר, ז"ל	
סילביה גילמן		ג'ק מוריסון, ז"ל	
הנרי גלסברג		מרדכי נמיר, ז"ל	
אורי צבי גרינברג		ד"ר אלברט ב' סייבין	
אנדרי דימיטרייביץ סחרוב		אליאס סוראסקי	
ויקטור מ' קרטר		אריה ל' פינקוס, ז"ל	
אפרים קציר	1977	הלורד נתנאל מאיר	
שאול אביגור, ז"ל		ויקטור רוטשילד	
פרד לסינג		פלורנס ויז	1972
מאיר יערי	1978	ד"ר ג'ורג' ס' ויז	
נורמן ברוס הנ		פרופ' אדוארד טלר	
גניה שרייבר		ז'אק ליפשיץ, ז"ל	
ג'ורג' מיני	1979	פרופ' אמיליו סגרה	
מנחם בגין		מארק שאגאל	
פרופ' ברנרד לואיס		אברהם שלונסקי, ז"ל	
ד"ר ריימונד ר. סאקלר		פרופ' ארנסט דוד ברגמן, ז"ל	1973
		סיר ישעיהו ברלין	
		ליאונרד ברנשטיין	
		פרופ' ישראל דוסטרובסקי	
		סנטור הנרי מ' ג'קסון	
		יוסף מאירהוף	



## אוניברסיטת תל-אביב

בישיבתו ביום

ט"ז אייר תשל"ט (4.5.79)

החליט הסנאט של אוניברסיטת תל-אביב

לכבד את

### מסטיסלב ליאופולדוביץ רוטרופוביץ

#### לאות הוקרה

על קריירה אמנותית מזהירה אשר זיכתה אותו בתהילה ובכבוד בעולם כולו כאחד מפרשני המוסיקה הגדולים בימינו, הן כצ'לן והן כמנצח, כולל פרס לנין, פרס בריה"מ, חברות כבוד באקדמיה של סנט סטיליה (רומא) ובאקדמיה האמריקאית לאמנות, עמית כבוד באקדמיה הבריטית המלכותית למוסיקה, תארי דוקטור כבוד למוסיקה מתשע אוניברסיטאות, מדלית-הזהב מטעם האגודה הפילהרמונית המלכותית הבריטית, פרס סיימנס מגרמניה המערבית, חבר במסדר האמנויות והספרות מצרפת

#### ולאות הוקרה

על תרומתו לחינוך מוסיקלי כמרצה בקונסרבטוריונים למוסיקה של מוסקבה ולנינגרד

#### ולאות הוקרה

על כשרונו המופלא והבולט אשר תרם השראה למלחינים החשובים ביותר של התקופה, כולל פרוקפיף, שוסטקוביץ, מייאסקובסקי, חציטוריאן, קבלסקי, בנז'מין בריטן, פיסטון ולאונרד ברנשטיין להלחין יצירות לצ'לו במיוחד לכבודו

#### ולאות הוקרה

על תכונותיו לא רק כאמן גדול, אלא כאדם דגול ואמיץ מגן זכויות האדם, לוחם ללא-חת לחרות האדם כולל חופש הביטוי, ואדם אשר אהבתו לבריות היא בלתי ניתנת להפרדה מאהבתו את המוסיקה, ולבסוף

#### ולאות הוקרה

על ידידותו המוצהרת והעקבית לעם היהודי ולמדינת ישראל, ועל תרומתו האמנותית לחיי המוסיקה הישראלית כצ'לן וכמנצח בהופעות עם התזמורת הפילהרמונית הישראלית, ולהעניק לו תואר

### דוקטור כבוד לפילוסופיה

של אוניברסיטת תל-אביב עם כל הזכויות הכרוכים בתואר האמור.

פרופ שלום אברבנאל  
רקטור

חיים בן שחר  
נשיא



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**F**or more than three decades, Mstislav Rostropovich has been acclaimed for his accomplishments as one of the twentieth century's most gifted cellists and conductors. Honor upon honor have been lavished on "Slava" since his first performance at the age of thirteen in his native Russia. His musical genius is not his only mark of greatness, for he is also a humanitarian passionately committed to the freedom and welfare of his fellow men. In 1977, the year of his 50th birthday, Maestro Rostropovich performed more than sixty concerts around the world for the benefit of international charities, many of them for children. He is known too for his warm friendship with the Jewish people and the State of Israel, whose cultural life he has enriched by his appearances as performer and conductor. The world to which he has given such joy and beauty eagerly anticipates further musical and humanitarian inspiration from this great man.

**מ**זה שלושה עשורים נמנה מסטיסלב רוסטרופוביץ עם השורה הראשונה של אנשי המוזיקה ונחשב כאחד הצ'לנים והמנצחים המזהירים במאה העשרים. תארים רבים הורעפו על „סלאבה" מאז הופעתו הראשונה בגיל 13 ברוסיה. לא רק בשל גאוניותו בתחום המוזיקה התפרסם, אלא גם בשל גאונו ודבקתו במאבק למען חופש הפרט. הופעותיו בארץ כצ'לן וכמנצח תרמו להעשרת חייה התרבותיים של מדינת ישראל אליה ואל העם היהודי יחסו תמיד היה ידידותי ואוהד.

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## ברכות

נתן קמינגס  
יו"ר הטקס

מטיו ב. רוזנהאוז  
סגן יו"ר, הועדה המארגנת

דוד לויד קריגר  
נשיא יוצא, התזמורת הסימפונית הלאומית

## הענקת תואר

### דוקטור לפילוסופיה

פרופ' חיים בן-שחר  
נשיא אוניברסיטת תל-אביב

מסטיסלב רוסטריפוביץ  
המנהל המוזיקלי, התזמורת הסימפונית הלאומית

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יו"ר חבר הנאמנים, אוניברסיטת תל-אביב

יעקב ק. יעבץ  
הסנטור ממדינת ניו יורק

פרופ' בנימין לביץ  
אוניברסיטת תל-אביב

For Mstislav Rostropovich

# SLAVA!

A Concert Overture

LEONARD BERNSTEIN

Duration: 3' 30"

Fast and Flamboyant (♩ = 144)

The image shows a page from a musical score for Leonard Bernstein's 'SLAVA!'. The score is for a full orchestra and includes parts for Flutes, Piccolo, Oboes, English Horn, E♭ Clarinet, B♭ Clarinet, Bassoon, E♭ Alto (B♭ Soprano), E♭ Alto, B♭ Tenor, E♭ Baritone, B♭ Cornet, B♭ Trumpet, Horn in F, Trombone, Baritone, Bass, String Bass, Electric Guitar, Timpani, Xylophone, Snare Drum, Bass Drum, and Whip. The score is written in 2/4 time and is marked 'Fast and Flamboyant' with a tempo of 144 beats per minute. The music is in G major and consists of 144 measures. The score is divided into two systems, with the first system ending at measure 144 and the second system starting at measure 145. The score includes various performance instructions such as 'sempre ff e marcatisimo', 'div', 'gliss', and 'pizz. marc.'. The score is written in a standard musical notation with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a time signature of 2/4.



אוניברסיטת תל-אביב

טקס חגיגי

לרגל הענקת תואר כבוד  
דוקטור לפילוסופיה

יום ראשון כ"ג תשרי, תש"מ  
ניו-יורק



The President of  
TEL AVIV UNIVERSITY  
and Mrs. Haim Ben-Shahar

take pleasure in inviting

to *Mr. M. Bigun*  
*a Reception*

which will take place at *Rav Ashi St. 2,*  
*their home, Apt. 81, Neve Arivim*  
on *Friday, June 9, 1978 at 9:00 P.M.*

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The Chairman of the Executive Council of Tel Aviv University  
and Mrs. Aharon Sacharov

Cordially invite

*Mr. Martin Bigun*

to a **WELCOMING RECEPTION**

**in honor of the Overseas Members of the Board of Governors**

which will take place

at their home, 118 Haeshel Street, Herzliya Pituah  
on Sunday evening, June 4, 1978, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Regrets only  
Tel.: 413516

*Thursday, June 8  
8pm.*



**The Chairman of the Board of Governors of Tel Aviv University  
and Mrs. Raymond Sackler**

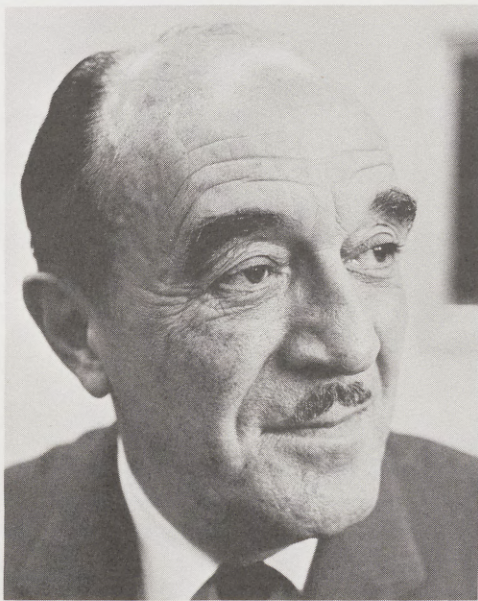
cordially invite you to a

**FAREWELL RECEPTION and BUFFET DINNER  
in honor of the Members of the Board of Governors**

which will take place on Thursday, June 8, 1978, at 8:00 p.m.  
in the Student Center, Ramat Aviv Campus

Parking through Gate No. 4

Admits Two



Dr. George Armstrong

## George Armstrong Dies at 79

George E. Armstrong, M.D., former director of the Medical Center, and former Surgeon General of the United States Army, died at his retirement home in Santa Rosa Beach, Florida, on June 19th.

Dr. Armstrong was at NYU from 1955 to 1969, and under his direction the Medical Center grew into a multi-million-dollar complex. He presided over the construction of the William B. and Cele H. Rubin Hall of Residence, Alumni Hall, University Hospital and the Research Pavilion of the Institute of Rehabilitation Medicine.

Dr. Armstrong was born in Lawrence County, Indiana, in August 1900. He received his A.B. (1922), M.D. (1925) and an Honorary Doctor of Laws

Degree (1952) from Indiana University. He was commissioned in the United States Army in 1925, immediately after graduation from medical school. He held a number of positions of responsibility in military medicine culminating in a four-year term as Surgeon General of the United States Army (1951-1955).

Upon retirement as director of the Medical Center, he was awarded an honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters by NYU.

Dr. Ivan L. Bennett, Jr., dean and provost, said of Dr. Armstrong, "He was a rare administrator who brought to his work a warm understanding of people, plus a wit and optimism which were unique."

## Jerrold A. Kram '70

Jerrold A. Kram '70, is currently a pulmonary specialist at Providence Hospital in Oakland, CA. On February 4 an article in the *Oakland Tribune* described Dr. Kram's work with hyperbaric treatment which was used to save the life of a fireman, Chris Heath, whose lungs had been filled with deadly gases.

Dr. Kram referred the unconscious firefighter to Peralta Hospital to receive prompt treatment in a new hyperbaric oxygen pressure chamber.

Inside the chamber's acrylic tube, which contained pure oxygen at pressure greater than that of the earth's atmosphere at the earth's surface, about the same as at an ocean depth of 45 feet, dramatic changes began to happen inside Heath's body. After a second two-hour session in the chamber Heath's head had cleared and the wheezing had stopped. Dr. Kram says that hyperbaric treatment facilitates the removal of deadly gases such as carbon monoxide and cyanide from the red blood cells. The treatment also decreases fluid build up in the lungs such as in Heath's case which had caused his wheezing.

Dr. Kram says that hyperbaric treatment can be used for various maladies such as inhibiting or stopping the spread of the bacteria that cause gas gangrene. Dr. Kram additionally suggests its usage in many head injuries, reducing swelling and getting more oxygen to the affected areas.

## Felix T. Rapaport '54

Felix T. Rapaport '54, professor and deputy chairman of the department of surgery at the Health Sciences Center of the State University of New York at Stony Brook, was invited by the University of Paris, France, to preside at the XIVth Annual Conference of France-Transplant and of the Association of Volunteer Blood and Tissue Donors of France, last January 19. This meeting was organized under the auspices of Professor Jean Dausset, titular Chair of Experimental Medicine of the College de France, and director of the laboratories of immunohematology of the University of Paris.

During this meeting Dr. Rapaport received the Gold Medal of the City of Paris, awarded by His Honor, Jacques Chirac, Mayor of Paris. Dr. Rapaport also received the Gold Medal of the Societe d'Encouragement au Bien.

Dr. Rapaport's citation for these awards is a result of a series of historic collaborative Franco-American studies in transplantation. These studies began in 1963 when Dr. Rapaport was professor and director of the transplantation and immunology division at NYU Medical Center.

It is estimated that the joint NYU surgical team composed of Drs. John Marquis Converse, Philip R. Casson and Dr. Rapaport, performed over 1,500 skin allografts during a period of approximately 14 years. The results helped to provide the basis for current concepts in human tissue histocompatibility.

## Ira J. Laufer '53

Ira J. Laufer '53, assistant professor of clinical medicine, and director of the department of medicine at the New York Eye and Ear Infirmary, has been elected president of the New York Diabetes Association. He has also been appointed assistant editor of *Diabetes Forecast*, the journal of the American Diabetes Association. Dr. Laufer is president of the medical board of Cabrini Health Care Center and director of its diabetes service.

## Saul J. Farber '42 and Martin S. Begun

Saul J. Farber, '42, dean for academic affairs, who is Frederick H. King Professor of internal medicine and chairman of the department of medicine, and Martin S. Begun, vice president for external affairs and associate dean, have been named to the Board of Governors of Tel Aviv University.

The Board of Governors is an international body which meets annually, approves the University budget, draws up plans and the budget for development, and approves the establishment of new faculties, schools and specific institutions.

Tel Aviv University, founded in 1953, is located in Israel's largest population center. The campus has more than 35 buildings equipped with modern laboratory and study facilities. The University maintains a large central library as well as a number of specialized faculty libraries.

## NEWS FROM THE SCHOOL

### Frank G M Corbin is Public Information Director of NYU Medical Center

Frank G M Corbin, former deputy director of the New York City Office of Economic Development, has been appointed director of public information at the Medical Center, it has been announced by Martin S. Begun, associate dean and vice president for external affairs. He succeeds Herbert Kadison who retired at the end of 1978.

Mr. Corbin is currently an adjunct associate professor at Fordham University, teaching courses in advertising and public relations to both graduate and undergraduate students.

Mr. Corbin was a founding principal

of Burke & Corbin Associates, Inc., an international public relations organization. He also headed Corbin Communications Counsel, which served a range of corporate and non-profit clients.

A graduate of Fordham University, he has maintained close ties with that institution, serving as a special counsel to the University in addition to his teaching responsibilities. He was awarded the "Bene Merenti" Medal following two decades of teaching and the "Alumni Achievement Award in Communications" in 1975.

### Medical Center Board Cites Herbert Kadison

At its June 5th meeting, the Medical Center Board passed the following resolution:

"RESOLVED, That the Medical Center Board notes the retirement of Mr. Herbert Kadison as Director of Public Relations and wishes to express its recognition and appreciation for his nearly two decades of exemplary service to the Medical Center in the area of Public Relations. The Board is gratified to note that Mr. Kadison, in retirement, will remain in close touch with the Medical Center and hopes that his knowledge and counsel can be drawn upon for many years to come."

### Dr. Kandel Responds

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Brumlick—only reinforced these new values. These experiences made me feel that the most important task for medicine—even more important for a new and relatively primitive field like psychiatry than for other areas of medicine—was the acquisition of new scientific knowledge. Thus, NYU not only educated me; it changed my values, and gave me a new and totally unexpected perspective. So, while I entered NYU to become a private practitioner of psychoanalysis, I left to become an academic psychiatrist interested in what the biology of the brain can teach us about mental function. Specifically, I wanted to learn how the brain produces behavior and, in turn, how it is modified by experience.

The next few years were essentially an apprenticeship for this new career. After internship I spent three years at the N.I.H., learning cellular neurophysiology and doing research on the hippocampus, that part of the mammalian brain thought to be involved in memory. I then took a residency in psychiatry at the Massachusetts Mental Health Center at Harvard and continued on there in a junior faculty position, doing full-time research.

My second stay at NYU was during 1965-1975, when I served on the faculty in physiology and psychiatry. The

medical school had changed greatly. A whole complex of new and comfortable buildings had replaced the dreary ones in which I had studied. A new University Hospital was in place on campus. There was even more scientific fervor than before, with outstanding people in medicine, immunology, cell biology, and biochemistry: Lewis Thomas, Lawrence, Stetson, Uhr, Franklin, Benacerraf, Greene, Ochoa, to name only a few. But the fundamental values of the school were unaltered; there was always a deep respect for people and the same love of science. This was a marvelous decade for me: years of rewarding collegiality and of protected scientific productivity. It was here that I began work in the three areas on which I continue to be involved: 1) the principles that determine the patterns of interconnections between nerve cells; 2) how different patterns of interconnections determine different categories of behavior; and 3) how the patterns of interconnections are altered by learning.

So, while the first time I was here I was nurtured as a student, the second time I matured as a scientist. I have often thought how fortunate I was to have been here not once, but twice, and to have benefited so enormously from the spirit of inquiry and the sense of congeniality that characterize this great medical school.

## ALUMNI NEWS NOTES

### Augustus L. Baker '40

Augustus L. Baker '40, has been named president-elect of the Medical Society of New Jersey.

Dr. Baker will be inaugurated at the next meeting of the Society's house of delegates, in April, 1980.

Dr. Baker has been a member of the medical staff of Dover General Hospital and Medical Center since 1947. He served as president of the medical staff from 1960 to 1962, and was chairman of the department of surgery also at that time.

He was president of the Morris County Medical Society 1959-1960.

Born in Dover, Dr. Baker attended local schools and graduated from Newark Academy. He received his undergraduate degree from Princeton University.

He served a rotating internship at Mountainside Hospital, Montclair, and a residency in general surgery at French Hospital, New York City, and a fellowship in general surgery at Lahey Clinic, Boston.

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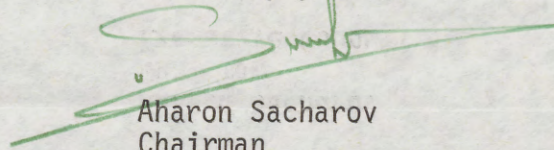
Dear Dean Begun,

It gives me great pleasure to join with the Chairman of the Board of Governors, Dr. Raymond R. Sackler, and the President of the University, Professor Haim Ben-Shahar, in informing you that the Executive Council of the University, at its meeting on December 31, 1978, elected you a member of Tel Aviv University's Board of Governors.

In congratulating you on this, we would also like to add how glad we are to have you with us and that we now look forward very much to working together with you in our mutual endeavors on behalf of Tel Aviv University.

With best wishes,

Sincerely yours,



Aharon Sacharov  
Chairman  
Executive Council

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