



## DAVID DOMBEY

March 9, 1924 - June 24, 2018

SERVICES AND INTERMENT TO BE HELD IN ISRAEL at ERETZ HACHAIM

Age 94, of Oak Park, died June 24, 2018.

Beloved husband to the late Fayga Dombey.

Devoted father of Sharon (David) Baseman, Lynn (Rabbi Jason) Meyer and the late Rabbi Moshe Chaim (Miriam) Dombey.

Cherished brother of Doris (late Manfred) Werner.

Dearest brother-in-law of Judith (late Judge Jerome) Turner and the late Dave Herman.

Also survived by 13 grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

### SHIVA:

The family will observe Shiva Tuesday through Thursday  
at the residence of a daughter

Sharon Baseman

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THE FAMILY REQUESTS THAT CONDOLENCE VISITS BE MADE DAILY  
BETWEEN 1:00 PM AND 9:00 PM

CONTRIBUTIONS:

If you would like to further honor the memory of

DAVID DOMBEY

you may do so by making a contribution to:

AKIVA HEBREW DAY SCHOOL

21100 W 12 Mile Rd

Southfield, Michigan 48076

[www.farberhds.org/](http://www.farberhds.org/)

or

YOUNG ISRAEL OF SOUTHFIELD

27705 Lahser Road,

Southfield, MI 48034

Phone 248-358-0154

[www.yisouthfield.org](http://www.yisouthfield.org)

or

YOUNG ISRAEL OF OAK PARK

15140 West 10 Mile Road

Oak Park, MI 48237

248-967-3655

[www.yiop.org](http://www.yiop.org)

or

JEWISH HOSPICE AND CHAPLAINCY NETWORK

6555 W. Maple Rd.

West Bloomfield, MI 48322

248-592-2687

[www.jewishhospice.com](http://www.jewishhospice.com)

or

YAD EZRA

2850 W. 11 Mile,

Berkley, MI 48072

248.548.3663

[www.yadezra.org](http://www.yadezra.org)

# Cemetery Details

**Eretz HaChaim**

Bet Shemesh (IL)

# Tribute Wall

CM

“ *It's hard to process the idea of a world without Dave, and before this Fayga and Dave.*

*Both were dear friends of my parents, who loved them very much. Matt and I will never forget Dave's and Fayga's kindness and generosity in welcoming us, supporting us, and ultimately being there for us through our own losses. And we developed a friendship of our own.*

*Whenever the Red Sox and Tigers would meet, whether we were at home or at Fenway, we would call Dave or Dave would call us. Serious discussions of the game, the players, the history of the sport. What a memory he had.*

*Holidays. Anniversaries. Calls just to say hello. Even the shortest trips to Detroit included a visit whenever possible. And even as Dave became more frail, he remained as welcoming as ever.*

*Sharon, Dave, Lynn, Jason, Miriam and all of the grandchildren and grandchildren: There was nothing he had, nothing at all, that he loved more than you. Much as we will miss him, we know that your loss is far, far greater and we send you our support.*

*המקום ינחם אתכם בתוך שאר אבלי ציון וירושלים*

*Love from Carol and Matt*

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**Carol and Matt** - June 28, 2018 at 10:37 AM

JW

“ *Mr. Dombey was a great teacher. He lead me to seriously take up photography, as a hobby. I met his son and daughter-in-law, when I was visiting my daughter in Israel in 2004-2005. She was there on Work Shop for HaBonim Dror, I became ill and was taken to his late son's Medical clinic (TEREM). I was shocked to learn when his son died and when his wife, Fayga, passed away. Mr. Dombey will be missed.*

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**Joel Waldbott** - June 27, 2018 at 10:14 PM

DN

*I just had a dream about Mr.Dave Dombey, my mentor. He was a hardest-working photographer and taught me so much so blessed he was in my life*

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**Deanne Nichols** - August 31, 2018 at 10:00 AM

MA

“ *I am not sure how to express my sadness regarding the death of my friend, my mentor, at times my confidant, my business partner and so much more. He was kind, he was caring, he was an incredible photographer and understood what it meant to give back to the community. He was never quite the same after Fayga passed away and now she can make the lox sandwich, she made for him after every job he photographed. May his memory be a blessing to all. Good bye my friend! Marty*

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**MARTIN ABRIN** - June 27, 2018 at 04:21 PM

MM

“ A deep dark day come upon us on 6/24/18. My Uncle Dave passed away. He was such a special man, our loving mom's brother. I know he must have lost almost everything when his son Martin died and when his loving wife Fayga passed. Yet he still went on and lived his life and never complained outwardly. I know he was so proud of his kids, grandkids and great grandkids. He always talked about you.

Most of our family is in Israel. We have never met, but we here know Dave Dombey as Uncle Dave. We used to joke that everybody has an Uncle Dave but we had a unique Uncle Dave. He was sooooo special! He was an incredible person, super smart and funny. He loved baseball and photography and so much more. He brought baseball to Israel!! He loved the Tiger's. He always watched or listened to the games. There is no bigger fan than the Tiger's had. He loved to do magic tricks too. He could put a cigarette up his nose, swallow a quarter and pull it out of his ear. He had hundreds of card tricks that no one could understand how he did them.

He was our Uncle Dave and your Dad, grandfather, great grandfather. There is nobody like him, and there won't be anybody like him ever.

Big loss, it's like the Tiger's losing every game 0 to 162. I hope next year will be better.

We love you Uncle Dave.

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**Mark Werner, M.D** - June 26, 2018 at 01:34 PM

LW

May he rest in peace. He was our wedding photographer many years ago. I still remember his gentle way and soft voice.

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**Linda Warner** - June 26, 2018 at 05:18 PM

GB

*Your father, Zayde, gramps was our wedding photographer 49+ years ago and he was a friend of my in-laws Hy & Harriet Beale. Whenever we saw him he was always so pleasant & your mother too! May your dad's & zayde's memory be for a blessing.*

*Gail & Jerry Beale*

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**Gail & Jerry Beale** - June 26, 2018 at 07:41 PM

BR

*I will miss my dear cousin Dave. We were always close and felt a strong bond between us. He had a fantastic memory and knew stories about our younger years and our family that I never knew or certainly had long forgotten. The first wedding he photographed was mine, a fact we both relished. He was a real mentsh and a loving and devoted husband, father, etc.— and cousin. May his memory be a blessing.*

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**barbara rosen** - June 26, 2018 at 09:59 PM