



## ERWIN SIPORIN

May 25, 1918 - February 6, 2018

SERVICES: 11:30 FRIDAY 2/9/2018 at HEBREW MEMORIAL CHAPEL

A LINK WILL BE PROVIDED FOR A WEBCAST OF THE FUNERAL SERVICE

Age 99, died February 6, 2018

A World War II army veteran, he was active with his Regiment Alumni Association of the 143 Infantry. Throughout his life, he was a Scout Master, a member of the Pleasant Lake Community, a life time member of the Masons, a member of Temple Israel, a volunteer with World Medical Relief and was on the Livonia Housing Commission. He was also active with the American Jewish Congress and taught at Wayne State University and was the president of the Oak Park School Board. An expert on Marble and Mausoleums, he helped build mausoleums for the Archdiocese throughout the country. He also helped build Michigan State University, University of Detroit and University of Michigan. He was known by all to be "A NICE GUY".

Beloved husband to the late Ruth Siporin.

Dear companion of the late Tikvah "Tiki" Gerendasy.

Devoted father of Michael (Carol Ekkens) Siporin, Steven (Karen) Siporin and David (Tang Qian) Siporin.

Loving grandfather of Dr. Lexi (Chris) Bley, Liz Siporin, Bobby (Liz Kirk) Siporin, Kaylyn (Ben) Gootman, Ariana (Sloan) Williamson and Michelle Tang.

Proud great-grandfather of Patrick Bley and James Bley.

Also survived by nieces and nephews, Tiki's family including Ron and Sherry Loeb, Joel and Sherry Gerendasy and their families, and many friends.

OFFICIATING:

Rabbi Daniel Syme

Cantor Rachel Gottlieb Kalmowitz

INTERMENT:

## Beth El Memorial Park Cemetery

SHIVA:

TO BE DETERMINED

CONTRIBUTIONS:

If you would like to further honor the memory of  
ERWIN SIPORIN

you may do so by making a contribution to:

AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION

Memorial & Tribute Lockbox, 3

816 Paysphere Cir

Chicago, IL 60674

312.346.4675

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

or

BRAIN INJURY ASSOCIATION OF MICHIGAN

7305 Grand River, Suite 100

Brighton, MI 48114-7379

800-444-6443

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

# Cemetery Details

## Beth El Memorial Park Cemetery

28120 6 Mile Road  
Livonia, MI 48152

# Previous Events

## Service

FEB 9. 11:30 AM (ET)

Hebrew Memorial Chapel  
26640 Greenfield Rd  
Oak Park, MI 48237  
(248) 543-1622  
info@hebrewmemorial.org  
<https://www.hebrewmemorial.org/>

# Tribute Wall



“ Hebrew Memorial Chapel created a Webcast in memory of ERWIN SIPORIN

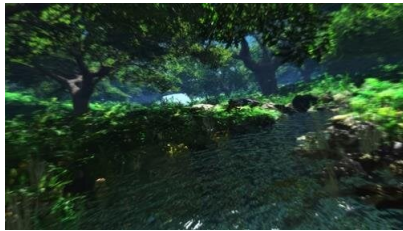


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**Hebrew Memorial Chapel** - February 08, 2018 at 01:42 PM



“ Hebrew Memorial Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of ERWIN SIPORIN



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**Hebrew Memorial Chapel** - February 07, 2018 at 05:57 PM

MD

“ I knew Erwin while I lived at Trowbridge. He was a fine & wonderful person, very proud of his family! May your warm memories keep his spirit alive in your hearts.

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**Marilyn Dizik** - February 17, 2018 at 01:14 PM

GB

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I met Erwin while my mom was a resident at Trowbridge and he was such a gentleman! May his memory be for a blessing.  
Gail Beale (daughter of Carmen Friedman)

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**Gail Beale** - February 09, 2018 at 07:33 AM



“ 128 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Hebrew Memorial Chapel** - February 07, 2018 at 04:47 PM

RB

“ *Steve, very sorry to hear about your father. Our deepest condolences to you, Karen and your family.*

*Randy and Jill Bruce*

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**Randal Bruce** - February 07, 2018 at 02:07 PM

KS

*Even when it is a long time coming, losing a father always hurts. You have my deepest sympathy. Kristin Sirotkin*

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**Kristin Sirotkin** - February 07, 2018 at 10:21 PM

SG

*Steve, Karen and family I am so sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

*"Say not in grief 'he is no more' but in thankfulness that he was."*

*Stephanie Guzak*

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**Stephanie Guzak** - February 09, 2018 at 09:46 AM