



## HERBERT FISHMAN

February 5, 1926 - December 28, 2016

Herbert Fishman, 90, of Overland Park, Kansas peacefully passed away on Wednesday, December 28, 2016, at his home. Funeral services will be at 1:00 pm on Friday, December 30, 2016, at the Louis Memorial Chapel, 6830 Troost, Kansas City, Missouri, with burial at Kehilath Israel Blue Ridge Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions to Kehilath Israel Synagogue, Village Shalom or a charity of donor's choice.

Herb was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania on February 5, 1926. He attended high school in Philadelphia, and joined the Air Force in 1943. Herb served in WWII as a flight engineer on a B-29. After the war, Herb met his future wife, Beverly, at a USO dance in Kansas City. He and Beverly were happily married for 66 years.

Herb started his working career as a salesman at the Palace Clothing Company in Kansas City, Kansas, and ultimately became the owner of his own clothing store, Michael Scott Clothing in Mission, Kansas. After the clothing business, Herb started a new career as a commercial real estate investor and developer. He was the co-founder of Fishman and Company Realtors, Inc in Olathe, Kansas along with his longtime partner, Ross Stiner. Herb enjoyed a long and successful career as a real estate investor before retiring in 1988.

During his retirement years, Herb was an avid but high handicap golfer as a member of Meadowbrook Country Club, but his true passion was boating at the Lake of the Ozarks and later, in Aventura, Florida. Herb was a life-long fan of the KC Royals, serving as a charter member of the Royal Lancers, and of the KC Chiefs serving as an original member of the Red Coaters. Herb was a long time member and supporter of KI Synagogue, and a member of the ROMEO's.

Herb's most favorite times were sitting on his boat while sipping a martini. All his many friends are sure that if there is a boat in heaven, he'd be the captain.

Herb is survived by sons and daughter-in-law, Michael and Marlene Fishman, Leawood,

Kansas, and Scott Fishman, Overland Park, Kansas; grandchildren Erin Fishman and husband, Ben Federlein, Kansas City, Missouri; Jennifer and Justin Kaufmann, Kansas City, Missouri; and his beloved great grandchildren, Cleo, Sabine, and June Federlein, and Leah and Harrison Kaufmann.

The family would like to thank Herb's devoted care-givers, Louise Schmidt, Toni Hunt, Tom Hawley, Kandis Reynolds, JoAnn Harris, and friend, Sandy Czarlinsky.

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# Comments

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“ Mike, Marlene and family,  
We were so sorry to learn that Herb passed away. Please know that we are thinking of you all. Barbara and Jerry Freidberg

**barbara freidberg** - January 06, 2017 at 05:12 PM

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“ Dear family,

My sincere condolences.

Herb was a real gentleman. Loved to give and help others. He was a pillar of the community and will be missed by everyone.  
May his memory be for a blessing.

Larry Haith



**Larry Haith** - January 05, 2017 at 08:38 PM



“ Just learned of Mr. Fishman's demise. Worked with he and Beverly and to be two of the best people I know. They freely gave some of best knowledge I gained in life  
Barb. Rolfe

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**Barbara Rolfe** - August 03, 2019 at 08:38 PM

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“ Remembering Herb and Bev in our years with the Royal Lancers. What fun we had!  
My thoughts and prayers to all the family. Sincerely, Mary Jane Phillips Maslanka

**mary jane** - January 04, 2017 at 05:24 PM

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“ Our condolences to Mike, Marlene, Scott and family.  
You may take solace knowing Herb knew how to enjoy life and live it to the fullest. A real pleasure knowing him for such a long time.

Don & Harriet Sebert

**Don Sebert** - December 30, 2016 at 07:59 PM

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“ Our thoughts are with you at this sad time.  
With love and sympathy,  
Carol and Craig Wilson

**Carol Wilson** - December 30, 2016 at 10:43 AM

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“ Mike, Marlene, Scott and family. Herb's beautiful smile always lit up the room. He and Bev were such an important part of our KI family and will be missed. May his memory bring you comfort and be for a blessing.

Marlene Krakow

**Marlene Krakow** - December 30, 2016 at 09:27 AM

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“ Our sincere condolences to all of the family. Herb was a great friend to my father Mort. Dad says he will miss Herb very much.

**Mort, Russel, Ann, Darren Mann** - December 30, 2016 at 08:58 AM

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“ Herb was always a role Model for me. I love the way he conducted business and the way he lived his life. So sorry he is gone. He will never be forgotten by me.

Larry Sands

**larry Sands** - December 30, 2016 at 12:18 AM

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“ Mike, Scott and Marlene my thoughts are with you. Life never seems to give us enough time. Herb can take pride in the character, caring and love which his children continue to model in their lives in their service to the people in their communities.

Ken Sigman

Ken Sigman - December 29, 2016 at 04:11 PM

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“ Mike and family,  
I am sorry to hear about Herb's passing. My memories of him and, as everyone else has said, his smile go way back to when we were kids. He always seemed so positive and upbeat when our families were together. When your folks were living next to mine at Village Shalom, he always remembered who I was and asked about the family and filled me in on yours. He also looked in on mom frequently after Morrie died and I know she appreciated that. Our losses of our elders seem to be accelerating and that is sad.

We haven't told Esther yet, but on behalf of us all let me say that his memory will be a joyous blessing.

Mark, Denny and Esther Horowitz

Mark Horowitz - December 29, 2016 at 10:35 AM

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“ Herb was a class act who totally enjoyed life.. i have a lot of wondetful memories with Herb and Keith attending Chiefs and Royals games.  
Fishman family I know he will be greatly missed fortunately your boundless memories will hopefully console you..  
Lorri and Howie Coppaken

Howard Coppaken - December 29, 2016 at 10:31 AM



“ Scott, Mike, Marlene, and family. I'm so sorry for your loss. I really liked Herb. Every time I go to Bravo, I remember how he ordered his chopped salad. He was a very special man!

Debbie Cohen - January 01, 2017 at 08:46 AM

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“ Marlene, thinking of you and your family.

karin lichterman - December 29, 2016 at 09:57 AM



“ What a beautiful person! His offered his smile to everyone he saw. May the many memories you formed comfort you during this time of loss. Sonny & Max Singer

**Max & Sonny Singer** - December 29, 2016 at 07:15 AM

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“ Robert and I are so very sorry for your loss. Janet Bloom

**janet bloom** - December 28, 2016 at 07:17 PM

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“ Our sincere condolences.

Michael and Christy Berlau

**Michael Berlau** - December 28, 2016 at 07:03 PM

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“ Herbie and I became cousins 58 years ago when I married Beverly's cousin, Jack. Herbie taught me to dance the Chacha at one of the cousins club parties at his house. Through the years he always met me with his big smile and a hug and a kiss, even though years had gone by. He passed his bright personality to his sons, Mike and Scott.

My deepest sympathy to you, Mike, Marlene, and Scott.

Hugs,  
Susie Freshman

**Susie Freshman** - December 28, 2016 at 06:52 PM

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“ Hi to all the Fishman family,

I am sorry for your loss as Herb was a great guy. So many years have passed, but I remember a nice man with his nice smile. Love to all the family.

Hanna Apple

**Hanna Apple** - December 28, 2016 at 06:27 PM

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“ Herb was a longtime friend and associate. He will be greatly missed. -Samuel R. Rosen (Las Vegas)

**Samuel R. Rosen** - December 28, 2016 at 06:00 PM

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“ It's very hard to bear the loss of someone so dear. May Herbert's memory be for a blessing. May it be like the warming rays of sun which help to bring some comfort from your pain and sorrow. May The Holy One grant you comfort and peace. Prayers of peace are with you. My heartfelt condolences. Job 14:14,15.

**Sharon Elaiine** - December 28, 2016 at 05:55 PM

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“ HERB WAS A SUPERLATIVE FRIEND AND A DISTINGUISHED RELATIVE AND WE WERE PROUD TO BE A PART OF BEV AND HERB'S LIFE.

RICHARD AND CHARLOTTE BROCKMAN

**RICHARD BROCKMAN** - December 28, 2016 at 05:14 PM

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“ Scott and Michael my sincerest and deepest condolences to you and the family. I remember the clothing store that was named after my brother Scott and your brother Michael. I have some home videos of your parents at our home dancing and dinner parties. God bless you and the family. Our father's were competitive golfers at Meadowbrook C.C. from the first members till my dad passed away in 1997.



**Karen Temple Mendelsohn** - December 28, 2016 at 04:22 PM

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“ Mike, Marlene, Scott, Jennifer and Erin  
I'm so sorry to hear about your dad and grandpa! He was one of the most dapper men I've ever known. He lit up every room when he smiled with that twinkle in his eyes. We all go back to 1969. Wonderful memories I won't forget. Love Ellyn Bold

**ellyn bold** - December 28, 2016 at 04:06 PM

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“ Dear Marlene and Mike,  
Lenny and I are so sorry! We are thinking of you fondly.  
Love,  
Lisa and Lenny Cohen

**Lisa and Lenny Cohen** - December 28, 2016 at 03:58 PM

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“ Dear Herb's blood family as well as the many of us who felt as if he was a part of our family at KI. We loved Bev and Herb. His smile could truly light a room. We shall miss him so and are so sorry that we won't be able to lend a smile in support in person. May it be soon when memories are the sweet ones.  
With love, Felicia and Seymour

**Felicia and Seymour Weiner** - December 28, 2016 at 03:55 PM

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“ Oh, but there isn't nor ever will be a finer gentleman, ah guteh mensch, ah guteh neshoma , as Herb. What a beautiful love story he and his beloved , BEV shared. I was so blessed , as so many others, to know this fine gentleman. Doris Gilgus

**Doris Gilgus** - December 28, 2016 at 03:49 PM