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2021

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The Families of NTSAD

for their support and never ending determination,

helping to advance research toward effective treatments and cures

for Tay-Sachs, Canavan and related genetic diseases


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Giving Thanks to Our Community

We want to acknowledge our partners who have dedicated time, resources, and energy to finding treatments for children and adults affected by Tay-Sachs, Canavan, GM1 and Sandhoff diseases.
We sincerely thank you.

NTSAD and our families cannot do this work alone. We continue pushing forward in honor of all who came before us and our entire community – each child, each adult drives what we do, and we honor them all.

After many ups and downs and tremendous perseverance by our community, there are three active clinical trials, and at least seven more drug development programs, a big change from just one year ago. Nearly 50 patients across the globe are enrolled in these trials, and there are an estimated 150 people involved in natural history or other clinical studies.

And recently, Sio Gene Therapies, formerly Axovant Gene Therapies, announced the FDA's approval to start the first-ever gene therapy clinical trial for infantile and juvenile Tay-Sachs and Sandhoff diseases!

Like many clinical trials, Sio Gene Therapies' achievement comes after many years of extremely hard work, in this case, by the Tay-Sachs Gene Therapy Consortium, a team of researchers from multiple institutions. During this time, NTSAD made more than $2 million in grants toward Consortium members' institutions working on gene therapy vectors, animal models, natural history studies, and more—all leading to the company's licensing of GM2 and GM1 gene therapy programs from UMass Medical School, which occurred less than two years ago.

There's still a long way to go before treatments are a reality, and the progress isn't as fast as our families need it to be. We also know that, while clinical trials offer a new level of hope--patients and families face complex decisions and logistics, and possibly another level of disappointment and grief. NTSAD remains poised to support and guide families as we navigate the new landscape of clinical trials, together.

Nonetheless, the progress is real, and we should celebrate it. These current studies and trials build upon many years of research and investments, not only by NTSAD, but by the NIH, medical centers, universities, and industry. I want to acknowledge the large teams from the industry sponsors and the clinical sites who support these studies. Thank you for being a part of our community.

--Sue Kahn, NTSAD Executive Director

Diana Pangonis Marks 25 Years of Service with NTSAD

NTSAD's Director of Family Services is known for her kindness, sincerity, and commitment to families above all else. For more than 20 years, Diana has provided compassionate, personal care to nearly 500 families each year. Diana began her career at NTSAD in 1995 and she has worn almost every hat—working in development, managing communications, and even serving as interim Executive Director, but her true calling is serving families.

In 2020, Diana was recognized for her dedication to families, receiving the *Moments Award* for her tireless service from Brian and Sherri Manning. The award is given in tribute to their son Dylan to honor individuals who are selfless and go above and beyond in their work. ***"Diana treats every family as the only and most special family in the entire world,*** " said Brian Manning, NTSAD Board member.

NTSAD Refines Research Focus for Greatest Impact on Patient Care

Since 2002, NTSAD’s Research Initiative has made direct investments of more than $4 million in grants that have been leveraged to more than $30 million of investments in additional research, leading to new therapies in Tay-Sachs, Canavan, GM1, and Sandhoff diseases.

To further address the impact of emerging clinical trials, NTSAD underwent a strategic planning process to refine our research focus, so we may support and accelerate the most relevant research to the NTSAD community.

The Research Strategy, led by NTSAD Board member Gerald F. Cox MD, PhD, industry consultant and physician, engages 20 medical and scientific experts to serve on four task forces:

- **Basic and Translational Research**
- **Clinical Development**
- **Early Symptomatic Diagnosis**
- **Newborn Screening**

The task force will prioritize the projects that have the potential to make the greatest impact and benefit to patients and will recommend investments for 2021.

Research Advances and Hope for Families

There are three active clinical trials, and at least ten more drug development programs for Tay-Sachs, Canavan, GM1, and Sandhoff diseases! A BIG change from just one year ago.

In December 2020, we learned that two of the drug development programs will soon become active clinical trials. Sio Gene Therapies, formerly Axovant, announced the FDA's approval to start the first-ever gene therapy clinical trial for children with Tay-Sachs and Sandhoff diseases (collectively GM2). In addition, Taysha Gene Therapies announced approval in Canada to start its gene therapy clinical trial for children with GM2.

In addition to the active clinical trials for Late Onset GM2 and GM1 gangliosidosis, we hope that a clinical trial for Canavan is coming soon.

Nearly 50 patients across the globe are enrolled in these trials, and there are an estimated 150 people involved in natural history or other clinical studies.

While industry is investing more resources in developing therapies for these rare diseases— NTSAD is investing, too. **In 2021, NTSAD will hire a Director of Clinical and Research Initiatives to build on our 20 years of funding research, and to drive our expansion into clinical development, earlier diagnosis, and newborn screening.**

In the face of this incredible news, families will continue to need our support more than ever, as they remain isolated providing care for loved ones during COVID, and as they navigate possible treatments and clinical trials.

Clinical Trials, Opportunities, and Resources

Sanofi Genzyme's clinical trial for Venglustat is now recruiting for patients affected with Late Onset GM2 Gangliosidosis, the primary arm of the study, at Mass General Hospital in Boston, NYU Medical Center in New York, and UCLA in Los Angeles. Another U.S. site location is pending approval.

Patients with early onset GM1 Gangliosidosis and GM2 Gangliosidosis (Sandhoff and Tay-Sachs) have a new opportunity to contribute to research with Idorsia. The company has launched a natural history study.

Lysogene is now recruiting GM1 Gangliosidosis families for an interview and video capture study with a partnering company, Casimir. The goal of the study is to gather data from caregiver interviews and clinician-rated activities to inform the patient-specific disease trajectories for each hallmark of the progression of GM1.

Aspa Therapeutics' natural history study, CANinform will help researchers better understand the progression of Canavan disease and can provide a foundation for Aspa's gene therapy program. The study is open to all families with a confirmed diagnosis of Canavan disease. Medical records are a key component for gathering this data and are needed to participate in CANinform.

Passage Bio's GM1 Gene Therapy Has Potential

The University of Pennsylvania's Gene Therapy Program supports the potential of Passage Bio's PBGM01 to **correct the underlying genetic defect of GM1 Gangliosidosis.**

Passage Bio announced publication of data in a murine model of GM1 gangliosidosis (GM1) demonstrating that a single intracerebroventricular injection of an optimized adeno-associated virus (AAV) into the cerebral spinal fluid (CSF) resulted in significant expression of Beta-galactosidase (β-gal) in the brain and peripheral tissues, and **demonstrated dose-related reductions in neuronal lysosomal storage lesions, neurological impairment and improvement in survival.** These data support further development of PBGM01 as a potential therapy.

Passage Bio Receives Approval to Start GM1 Gene Therapy Clinical Trial

Passage Bio's clinical trial for providing gene therapy for children impacted with GM1 was approved by the United Kingdom's (UK) Medicines Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency (MHRA). This is the first regulatory authorization for the global PBGM01, gene therapy clinical trial. Patient enrollment for the UK is anticipated for the second quarter of 2021.

PassageBio

First GM2 Gene Therapy Clinical Trial to Begin Enrollment

Axovant Gene Therapies, recently renamed Sio Gene Therapies, prepares for first clinical trial for gene therapy for Tay-Sachs and Sandoff diseases after receiving Investigational New Drug (IND) clearance from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) for AXO-AAV-GM2.

The study will enroll both infantile and juvenile patients with GM2 gangliosidosis. Enrollment will begin pending approval from Massachusetts General Hospital, Center for Rare Neurological Diseases and University of Massachusetts Medical Health Center's Institutional Review Board. The research study posting on ClinicalTrials.gov is pending review as well. The two-part trial will be led by Terence R. Flotte, M.D., Professor of Pediatrics and Dean at the University of Massachusetts Medical School, who will serve as principal investigator of the clinical trial.

GM1 Early Stage Clinical Trial Reports Positive Data

Sio Gene Therapies reported positive six-month, follow-up data of the low-dose cohort of the company's AXO-AAV-GM1 gene therapy for children with GM1 gangliosidosis. In Phase 1/2 of the study five patients in the low-dose cohort demonstrated that AXO-AAV-GM1 was generally well tolerated.

The company also received **Rare Pediatric Disease Designation** from the FDA for AXO-AAV-GM1, an AAV9-based gene therapy delivered via a single intravenous administration that is in Phase 1/2 development for GM1 gangliosidosis. AXO-AAV-GM1 is **the only gene therapy in clinical development for both infantile (Type I) and juvenile (Type II) GM1 gangliosidosis.** AXO-AAV-GM1 has Orphan Drug designation, as well.

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GENE THERAPIES

NTSAD Partners with AllStripes to Accelerate Research

NTSAD is excited to partner with AllStripes Research to drive **new GM2 research**!

AllStripes offers a platform to makes it easy for rare disease patients and caregivers to contribute to drug development research from home and free of charge.

A GM1 gangliosidosis research study is already in progress.

How AllStripes Accelerates Research

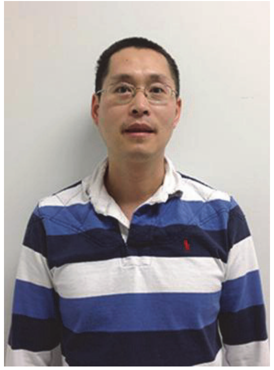
Patients and their families living in the U.S. and Canada can contribute valuable data to be used in drug research from their homes by allowing AllStripes to collect medical records at no cost to patients or to NTSAD. AllStripes does all work, so there is no need to worry about scanning and uploading documents.

AllStripes improves the speed and design of trials by extracting and compiling research-grade data from patients' medical records. The company uses a unique mix of technology and medical expertise, creating a pool of previously untapped knowledge about each rare condition that can be leveraged for multiple research studies.

Taysha Gene Therapies Partners with Invitae to Enable Earlier Diagnosis of GM2

Taysha Gene Therapies is partnering with Invitae to enable rapid access to genetic testing and earlier diagnosis of patients of rare diseases, including GM2 gangliosidosis (Tay-Sachs and Sandhoff diseases) via Invitae’s Detect Lysosomal Storage Diseases (Detect LSDs) and Behind the Seizure ® programs.

Families Fund Research to Identify New GM1 Biomarker



Each year NTSAD families and friends raise money for research by hosting Day of Hope activities. One of several projects funded by their efforts was led by Xuntian Jiang PhD from Washington University School of Medicine. Dr. Jiang identified biomarkers to evaluate the efficacy of gene therapy for patients with GM1 ganglsiodosis.

Dr. Jiang's project specifically identified oligosaccharide biomarkers in patients with GM1 gangliosidosis, a rare, fatal, neurodegenerative genetic disease, to ultimately determine the efficacy of gene therapy. A major challenge for developing treatments for GM1 is the difficulty in evaluating efficacy, which is further complicated by limited patient numbers, heterogeneity in age, severity, and stage of disease progression. Biomarkers provide disease status mileposts to assess the effects of treatment when compared to the natural and unaltered progression of the disease.

In his work, Dr. Jiang identified an oligosaccharide biomarker H3N2b that is significantly elevated in the urine, cerebrospinal fluid (CSF) and plasma from GM1 patients and brains from the GM1 cat model.

After the project was funded by NTSAD, Cindy Erickson, mother to Jorgen, who is 32 years-old and living with GM1, connected with Dr. Jiang seeking to see how she and Jorgen could support his efforts. To help Dr. Jiang isolate enough material to identify the structure of H3N2b, Jorgen donated a sample of his urine.

Thanks to Jorgen, Dr. Jiang and his colleagues were able to synthesize the compound and compare it to urine and plasma samples from the first participant in a Phase 1/2 clinical trial of AAV gene therapy for GM1. They noted a significant reduction of H3N2b and positive response to the treatment, and that H3N2b is a good biomarker for assessment of gene therapy treatment efficacy in GM1 patients.

"I want to acknowledge the support from NTSAD and patient families to my research...The two-year, $80,000 grant from NTSAD allowed me to develop a much-needed tool to facilitate development of treatment for GM1." **---Dr. Xuntian Jiang.**

Based on the preliminary results obtained from this project, Dr, Jiang submitted an application with the National Institutes of Health (NIH) to continue to use H3N2b as a validated method to assess AAV gene therapy treatment efficacy in the clinical trial over five years, and he recently received approval for this significant grant!

"We are pleased that an NTSAD grant funded by NTSAD families' efforts is being leveraged into larger NIH funding that enables Dr. Jiang's research to be continued for implementation in clinical drug development. We congratulate Dr. Jiang and thank him for bringing his expertise as well as hope to patients and families," said Sue Kahn, executive director of NTSAD.

A Message of Hope from Justin Ungerleider

NTSAD is very, near and dear to me and has been a part of my life as long as I can remember.

In 1995, my older brother, Evan, was diagnosed with Tay-Sachs disease.

One of the worst memories, forever engrained in my mind, is hearing the doctors tell my parents that there was no hope for Evan. The doctors said they would not see a cure or treatment for children like Evan in my parents' lifetime.

Evan would not live a full life. ***No parent should ever have to hear there is no hope. From that moment on, I was determined to ensure that no other family would experience what mine did.***

Several years ago at an NTSAD event, I shared my desire to pursue medicine with Miguel Sena-Esteves, PhD, who is principal investigator in the Tay-Sachs Gene Therapy Consortium. Miguel offered me an internship at UMass Medical School's Gene Therapy Lab.

I was ecstatic...“I couldn't believe it! ***18 years after being told there would never be a treatment for this disease--- there I was working on it!*** It's hard to describe the THRILL of seeing the research progress—***from raising money to working side-by-side*** with other researchers ***on the development of a treatment,*** to ***holding the hand of one of the first Tay-Sachs patients ever given this gene therapy!!!***

There's always hope, and I have seen it first-hand.

I am grateful to have witnessed how dedicated researchers are to ridding the world of rare diseases.
I cannot stress how important it is to support NTSAD today to keep pushing for breakthroughs in research.

WE ARE SO CLOSE.

To all the families like mine, know that one day there ***WILL BE*** a world where children like Evan will grow up, go to school, make friends, and simply live normal lives. ***That day is coming.***

Recently, we heard about the approval of the treatment for children with Tay-Sachs by the FDA to enter the clinic!

If there is one thing I want you to learn from my story---there's hope!

There's always hope, and I have seen it first-hand.

I remain committed to proving Evan's doctors wrong.

I will continue to help make that happen, as I am in my first year of medical school!

Becca Heringer Shares Her Story and Advocates for LOTS Community

Women's Health Magazine featured Becca Heringer who shares her story of accepting her diagnosis of Late Onset Tay-Sachs while embracing her artistic talent and entrepreneurship via her athletic outerwear company, **The Cosmic Project.**

"I am a person who has a lot of challenges when it comes to my speech and movement, but running an online business, none of that matters...I was nervous to share my story because I don't want people to look at me differently. However, it's more important to help raise awareness and be an advocate for this rare disease. It's crucial to me to speak for others who feel they haven't been heard, as they are impacted by something beyond their control...I realize that this disease is a part of me, but it doesn't define me." --Becca Heringer

Becca and her family are raising money for research for Tay-Sachs through the NTSAD Heringer Fund.

Wearable Technology Captures Symptoms of Late Onset GM2

NTSAD's Katie and Allie Buryk Research Fund supported a study to better capture disease symptoms of adults living with Late Onset Tay-Sachs and Sandhoff (GM2). **The six-month feasibility study evaluated patients' ongoing compliance in wearing digital health technology in order to capture continuous data remotely as well as changes often missed in between hospital visits.** The results of this natural history study, led by Cynthia Tifft, M.D., Ph.D., deputy clinical director for the National Human Genome Research Institute, found that patients had a high rate of compliance. The recently published study also set out to capture patients' perspectives on the impact of the disease and what is important to them via mobile Patient Reported Outcomes (mPROs).

Imagine & Believe

NTSAD's Imagine & Believe was held virtually on November 10, 2020 to honor patients and families. Together, our NTSAD families shared their stories, perspectives, and hopes for the future. Ryan Miller, Sherri Sigel, Lorelei Sandoval and Justin Ungerleider, along with a dozen more families, participated in the live event.

We sincerely thank Dr. Guangping Gao, gene therapy pioneer and researcher, and Dr. Florian Eichler, NTSAD Scientific Advisory Committee member and respected clinician, who along with Sherri, an NTSAD mom, talked about the journey to a clinical trial for Canavan disease. Thanks to all the NTSAD families who shared their hopes for the future in a video produced by NTSAD dad, Dan Redfield.

We remain grateful to our sponsors and supporters. The 2020 Imagine & Believe event raised more than $105,000 for NTSAD's vital programs and services. Thank you to everyone who joined us. It was our largest Imagine & Believe event ever, with more than 200 members of our amazing NTSAD community participating.

The full event can be viewed on the NTSAD website, **www.ntsad.org.**

Keep on Imagining & Believing!

NTSAD 42nd Virtual Annual Family Conference

Connection. We need it more than ever. And that's what NTSAD is all about. Each year, the Annual Family Conference provides a lifeline to families. Our 42nd Annual Family Conference was held virtually and seamlessly, May 28 to May 31, 2020. We had lots of connection and heart. The conference was our largest ever, with more than 400 participants. It provided a wealth of information from industry leaders and researchers, as well as opportunities for personal connections and conversations.

The NTSAD community - our family of patients, parents, children, grandparents, siblings, caregivers, partners, researchers, and industry experts came together, providing care-giving tips, updates on research and clinical trials, and shared their experiences and their grief.

For four, memorable days, we defied distance. People participated from across the U.S. from Alaska, California, Florida, Illinois, Massachusetts, New York, Pennsylvania, and Washington, and from around the globe including Brazil, Canada, France, Germany, Switzerland, Singapore, and more! We had many first-time attendees, including people who lost loved ones many years ago and found comfort and compassion within the NTSAD community.

NTSAD 42nd Virtual Annual Family Conference

We sincerely thank everyone who attended. We thank you for your commitment to research and identifying effective treatments, your dedication to each other and NTSAD families everywhere.

Together we honored all the children and adults who fight with grace and to all the individuals we have lost and memorialized during our moving Commemoration Ceremony.

Thank you to all of the speakers and session facilitators, researchers, volunteers, and conference committee members who led and planned an incredible and first-ever virtual conference. We have further highlighted your incredible work by posting recordings of each session on the NTSAD website.

We thank our lead sponsor Sanofi Genzyme and all of our dedicated sponsors for their generous support, enabling us to broaden our reach and meaningfully engage our community.

Most of all, we thank our families. You inspire us every day, and no matter what---Together We Are All Rare, All Family, and ALWAYS CONNECTED.

Wanting more connection and more heart? On the NTSAD website **www.ntsad.org** you can watch the two videos we shared during the opening and closing ceremonies of the conference that feature several, beautiful NTSAD families. Enjoy our powerful opening video that launched the conference.

10th Annual Day of Hope Raises $40,000 for Research

"Day of Hope" events unite all families as they honor and remember those they love.

The 10th Annual Day of Hope once more highlighted the resiliency and unity of the NTSAD Community with families and companies raising awareness and funds while advocating for loved ones and rare disease patients.

Even during the ongoing pandemic, families and individuals across the country rallied to shine a light on the need for continued research toward effective treatments for Tay-Sachs, Canavan, GM1, and Sandhoff diseases.

We may be rare, but together, we are mighty.
We are grateful to the scores of families and companies who participated in the 10th Anniversary Season of Hope, raising money for research.

Over $500,000 has been raised since our First Annual Day of Hope on September 18, 2011.

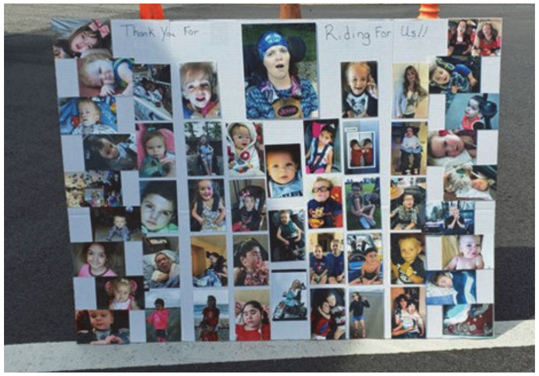
Each year Derrick and Faith Stidham host Eli's Cruise for Cure Car Show to raise funds in honor of their son, Eli who has juvenile Tay-Sachs. To show their support for Eli as well as other children affected by Tay-Sachs, the family includes every child's name on their car's back window.

For the 10th annual Day of Hope, the Romer family held a ping pong tournament in memory of their Superhero Matthew, who passed away from Infantile Tay-Sachs in 2003.

Let's hear it for Team M&M for their successful Day of Hope event! Congratulations to the Ronaldson family and their community of supporters for raising more than $26,000 this year alone for research via a virtual walk/run.

PassageBio

Employees at PassageBio, a genetics medicine company based in Philadelphia, wore their hearts on their sleeves at a recent team meeting and demonstrated their support of this year's Day of Hope. "We're proud to support the dedicated work of NTSAD--allies for patients and their families battling rare diseases. This Day of Hope and every day we celebrate and support advances in gene therapy that directly impact thousands of lives," said Michele Clarke, executive director of patient engagement at Passage Bio.



Check out this poster from Jessie's Ride,
a Day of Hope event, showcasing NTSAD kids!

Team Taysha shows their support for families during the Season of Hope!

Historical Perspective on Tay-Sachs & Allied Diseases
– NTSAD Leading the Fight for more than 60 Years –

1881 - Dr. Warren Tay, British ophthalmologist, describes first recorded case of Tay-Sachs disease.

1887 - American neurologist, Dr. Bernard Sachs, describes neurology of Tay-Sachs disease.

1942 - Chemistry professor Ernst Klenk of Cologne describes accumulation of gangliosides in brain tissues of affected children.

1957 - Founding of National Tay-Sachs & Allied Diseases Association, Inc. (NTSAD) by parents committed to the eradication of Tay-Sachs disease and 40 allied disorders; Ruth Dunkell, President. Scientific Advisory Committee formed by Samuel Dunkell, MD.

1958 - Samuel Dunkell, MD and his wife, Ruth proposed a research ward at Jewish Chronic Disease Hospital (now Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center) in Brooklyn, NY. Dr. Dunkell proposed international symposia for research scientists and organized the first genetic counseling program, with Frances Berkwits, MS, as the genetic counselor. First International Symposium, funded by NTSAD and chaired by Dr. Bruno Volk, exclusively devoted to cause and treatment of Tay-Sachs and Sphingolipidoses.

1962 - Lars Svennerholm, Biochemistry Professor at Gothenberg, identifies and characterizes ganglioside GM2 - a possible explanation for Tay-Sachs disease.

1965 - Dr. Roscoe Brady of NIH identified the chemical defect in Gaucher's and Niemann-Pick diseases.

1969 - Drs. Shintaro Okada and John O'Brien at University of California pinpoint absence of Hexosaminidase A in Tay-Sachs children, lower than normal level in parent carriers.

1970 - Drs. Larry Schneck, Bruno Volk and Carlo Valenti at Kingsbrook, Brooklyn, N.Y. use amniocentesis to diagnose Tay-Sachs disease in utero.

1971 - Funded in part by NTSAD, Michael Kaback, MD conducted mass community screenings to identify Tay-Sachs carriers which took place in Baltimore and New York. Tay-Sachs disease was established as the first genetic disease meeting criteria necessary for public prevention programs.

Michael Kaback, MD and Robert S. Zieger, MD - with the help of the National Capital Tay-Sachs Association, conducted the first community-based screening in Bethesda, Maryland to identify carriers of the gene for Tay-Sachs disease. Similar testing followed in the Baltimore and Greater Washington, DC area. Within two years, similar efforts were initiated in Toronto, Montreal, Philadelphia, Milwaukee, Miami, Minneapolis, Cleveland, Boston and New York. Tay-Sachs disease was established as the first genetic disease meeting criteria necessary for public prevention.

1973 - Michael Kaback, MD created the California Tay-Sachs Prevention Program and International Quality Control Reference Standard and Data Collection Program for Tay-Sachs disease carrier testing.

1975 - First International Conference on Tay-Sachs Disease:Screening and Prevention held in Palm Springs, CA, funded by NTSAD and the March of Dimes. Proceedings were published in a book "Tay-Sachs Disease: Screening& Prevention", edited by Dr. Michael M. Kaback, Dr. John O'Brien, and Dr. David L. Rimoin.

1976 - "First International Tay-Sachs Carrier Screening Workshop " Toronto, Canada, organized by J. A. Lowden, MD, PhD and Michael M. Kaback, MD, funded by NTSAD and the National Institutes of Health.

1978 - NTSAD First Annual Family Conference held in Philadelphia, PA.

1981 - NTSAD sponsors workshop session. “Tay-Sachs Disease: Progress in Testing and New Approaches” at the 32nd Annual Meeting of the American Robert J. Desnick, PhD, MD.

1983 - Thomas Jefferson University School of Medicine, Philadelphia, PA, Michael Reese Hospital, Chicago, IL and the Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, NY use chorionic villi sampled from the placenta, in utero to diagnose fetal Tay-Sachs disease in the first trimester of pregnancy.

1987 - Centennial of Dr. Bernard Sachs' description of first American patients with Tay-Sachs disease observed by an International Scientific Conference in New York, published as Volume 44 of "Advances in Genetics -Tay-Sachs Disease", edited by Dr. Robert J. Desnick and Dr. Michael M. Kaback.

1992 - NTSAD sponsors first-ever conference for individuals and families affected by Late Onset Tay-Sachs disease: a rare form of Tay-Sachs disease affecting adults.

1993 - Dor Yeshorim, a unique Tay-Sachs carrier screening program serving the Orthodox Jewish community, observes one decade of service; more than 40,000 people tested.

1995 - The American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology (ACOG) issued its first opinion statement on Tay-Sachs disease screening followed by its opinion statement three years later on screening for Canavan disease.

2002 - NTSAD launches the Research Initiative which disburses grants for cutting-edge research projects that can lead to treatment and cure for lysosomal or leukodystrophy diseases impacting the central nervous system.

2003 - NTSAD involved in lawsuit about the Canavan disease gene patent. The settlement ensures royalty free use of the gene in research to treat Canavan disease.

2005 - NTSAD partnered with the MPS Societyto co-found the Lysosomal Storage Disease Research Consortium. With the NIH, it offered a joint grant program to support research addressing the neurological aspects of lysosomal storage disorders.

2007 - More than 2 million people have been screened and thousands of healthy babies have been born as a result of Tay-Sachs carrier screening.

NTSAD awards grants to the Tay-Sachs Gene Therapy Consortium Research Project (TSGT) for animal research to treat Tay-Sachs and Sandhoff diseases.

2009 - National Institutes of Health awards $3.6 million four year grant to the Tay-Sachs Gene Therapy Consortium Research Project.

Discovery of naturally occurring Tay-Sachs disease in rare Jacob Sheep. Carrier sheep donated to NTSAD by sheep farmers Fred & Joan Horak for inclusion in the Tay-Sachs Gene Therapy Research Project.

NTSAD hosted a CME Conference with Brigham & Women’s Hospital, “Diagnosis, Management & Treatment of Progressive Neurological Disease from Infancy to Adult using Tay-Sachs Disease as a Model.”

2011 - The First Annual Day of Hope was held. Over 100 families and their communities have now held events each September to raise funds for research.

2013 - The FDA grants Orphan Drug Designation for Tay-Sachs & Sandhoff gene therapy with NTSAD as the sponsor.

“Parenting a Child with a Life Limiting Illness” video and guide were made to lessen the feelings of isolation that newly diagnosed families experience.

2014 - NTSAD Corporate Advisory Council formed. The CAC, through its collective industry experience, serves as a resource to NTSAD to advance research to patients.

2016 - First GM-1 Research Meeting held.

2018 - NTSAD 40th Annual Family Conference held in Jacksonville, Florida.

2019 - NTSAD continues to fund promising innovative research, through the NTSAD Research Initiative, for neurodegenerative diseases that affect the central nervous system.
- First clinical trial opens for GM1 Gangliosidosis Type II at NIH
- First clinical trial opens for adult onset GM2 Gangliosidosis at three sites within the US
- NTSAD officially launched a webinar series on its website to bring the experts to the community to discuss topics ranging from research advances to issues that impact the family.

2020 – Clinical trials launched

National Tay-Sachs & Allied Diseases Association

Making a Difference

In 1957 a group of parents came together and formed NTSAD. Thanks to their passion to find answers, we continue to lead the fight to treat and cure Tay-Sachs, Canavan, GM1, Sandhoff and related genetic diseases. We are committed to helping families and individuals coping with these diseases to lead fuller lives in the midst of their day-today struggles. These neurodegenerative diseases are fatal in children in their infantile and juvenile forms, and progressively debilitating in adults in their adult-onset form.

FAMILY SERVICES

NTSAD supports families with resources that can help from the day of diagnosis through day-to-day care, tough end-of-life decisions and beyond. With an incredible network of families ready to offer advice and share their experiences to an unforgettable annual family conference, NTSAD is there for families and individuals coping with these diseases.

ANNUAL FAMILY CONFERENCE

The NTSAD Annual Family Conference is the cornerstone of what we provide families and individuals coping with these diseases. This four-day long conference gives families the chance to come together for support, and provides tips and tools to help care for their loved ones. It inevitably recharges them to get them through the year until the next conference.

LENDING A HELPING HAND

Through the inspiring compassion of donors, NTSAD is able to offer its families the opportunity to apply for grants and scholarships to help families affected by rare genetic diseases. Whether helping with care-related expenses or enabling healthy siblings to pursue their educational goals, NTSAD grants and scholarships have been established to help families and individuals lead fuller lives.

PARENTING A CHILD WITH LIFE-LIMITING ILLNESS

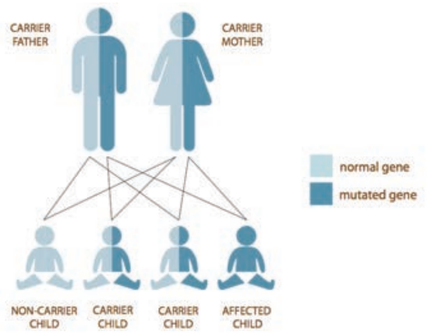
NTSAD has produced an innovative film and resource guide to support families, and provide healthcare professionals a deeper understanding of the family perspective. It is now available through **NTSAD.org**.

AWARENESS

We are all carriers of recessive genetic diseases but standard healthcare practices do not screen everyone for all diseases because the technology does not yet exist to accurately and cost effectively screen everyone. Your doctor and/or genetic counselor can help determine, based on your family history and heritage, which diseases you are at risk to carry.

It is highly recommended to pursue carrier screening *before* pregnancy because the hormones can reduce the test accuracy and screening while pregnant limits reproductive options.

WHAT IS CARRIER SCREENING?



Our genes come in pairs, one from each parent. A carrier of a recessive disease is an individual who has a mutation in one copy of a particular gene that causes the gene not to function properly. Since carriers have a second working copy of the gene, they generally do not develop any symptoms of the disease, but they can pass on the gene with a mutation to their children.

Recessive Genetic Diseases

Autosomal recessive diseases are those that develop when both parents are carriers of the same condition and they both pass on their mutations to their child. Many diseases that are common in the Jewish population are inherited in an autosomal recessive pattern.

Special Circumstances

While carrier screening generally identifies carriers of recessive diseases, some individuals may discover, during the course of carrier screening, that they themselves have two mutations and are at-risk for one of the less severe or late-onset diseases on the testing panel. It is important that results be discussed with a genetic counselor.

PREVENTION

Can genetic diseases be prevented?

Until a cure is found education, awareness and prevention are the only ways to avoid heartache and loss. EVERYONE, regardless of heritage, should speak with their doctor about genetic counseling and their risk before getting pregnant.

How can I be screened for genetic diseases?

Your primary doctor or OB/GYN may order the tests but ***it is strongly recommended*** to see a genetics professional to discuss the most current information available. Depending on your health insurance, you may need a referral or you can go directly to a genetic counselor in your network to discuss screening.

Published opinions and resources:

ACOG Committee Opinion - American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists - **http://www.acog.org**
ACMG - American College of Medical Genetics - **https://www.acmg.net**
NTSAD Position Statement (46 KB) - Tay-Sachs Carrier Screening - **https://www.ntsad.org**
NTSAD Carrier Screening - Public Service Announcement - Video published on YouTube - **https://www.youtube.com/user/NTSAD**
NSGC - National Society of Genetic Counselors - **https://www.nsgc.org**
JGDC - Jewish Genetic Diseases Consortium - **https://www.jewishgeneticdiseases.org**

In Memory of Fran Berkwits

with love and great admiration

Your extraordinary and tireless commitment in the effort to eradicate the tragedy of genetic diseases has made a difference.

Your efforts in raising awareness, community carrier screening and genetic counseling touched the lives of many, bringing hope and promise of healthy families.

Your wisdom and guidance kept us on a steady course to prevention.

May each day bring us closer to finding a treatment and cure.

Thank you for all the years you served NTSAD.
We will continue the work you started - you showed us how.

We miss you.

Leading the fight for a cure

Judy & Corey Lev

Thank You To Our Supporters

You give generously to support research and care for families.

On behalf of the NTSAD Board of Directors and staff,

we express our deep gratitude to you.

It is a rare gift that is appreciated by these families and so many others worldwide.

In Honor of all the Beautiful Sirot, Damato & Levenson Grandchildren

Sarah
Daniel
Jay
Julia
Jonah
Jacob
Samantha
Justin
Talia

Hadara
Elijah
Jill
Tyler
Sydney
Kaitlin
Brielle
Rebecca
Vania

In Loving Memory of

Sylvia and Harry Silberfarb

In appreciation for all their nurturing support, guidance and love.

They are greatly missed and will be remembered
with the greatest of affection always!

With much love from their family,

Barry and Carol Silberfarb
Daniel, Anna, Zoe and Jake Silberfarb
Sharon, Will, Brayden, Caleb & Vienna Greenhut

In Beloved Memory of

Barbara, Burt & Donna

and

All Our Loved Ones

In The Marcowitz, Salomon and Kahn Families

They have touched our lives with such love and joy that
they are forever a living part of our everyday lives

Claire & Cliff

In loving memory of

Henry & Pearl Sirot
Harold & Toby Gottlieb
Sami Elena Mansour
Jerry Sirot

The Sirot Family

In Loving Memory of

Great Grandma Francie Berkwits

Your love, unwavering devotion, and the lives you spared from hardship and grief will inspire us and generations to come.

Annie & Zoe Elberg

In memory of

The Pingers

Sarah & Alex Pinger
Lester Pinger
Beatrice Gecht

Sylvia Farber
Stella Zimmer
Miriam Finkel

In Loving Memory of

Michael Alan Zeiger

and

Daniel Jacobson

Forces in their individual ways
in fighting Tay-Sachs Disease

We Miss You Both!

The Zeiger & Jacobson Families

In memory of

Anita Amerio

and

Jerry Sirot

Joyce Erwin

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for their dedication to the mission of NTSAD

In memory of our loving uncle

Jerry Sirot

We love you and wish you to Rest in Peace Forever

Debbie, Jeff, Kaitlin,
Samantha, Rebecca Otto

In Loving Memory of

Toby & Harold Gottlieb

Eliana & Avi Mordekovich and Family

In memory of our beloved brother

Mark Howard

1968-1971

Bruce & Linda Feingold

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In Memoriam

Harry Silberfarb	January 3
Rose Weisfeld	January 5
Herbert Gordon	January 6
Samuel Eisenberg	January 7
Harold Feldman	January 12
Sylvia Silberfarb	January 17
Margo Isselbacher	January 17
Beatrice Gecht	January 28
Jane Eisenberg	January 29

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 🕯 *4:18* **NEW YEAR'S DAY**	2
3 🎂 *Rona Devane*	4	5	6 🎂 *Emily Kate Gentile* 🎂 *Marissa Heringer* 🎂 *Rebecca Heringer*	7 🎂 *Rose Price Cooley*	8 🕯 *4:24* 🎂 *David Sirot*	9 🎂 *Noah Philip Devane*
10	11 🎂 *Geoffrey Zack Wasserman* 🎂 *Andrew David Markinson*	12 ♡ *Sue & Gus Sirot*	13	14 🎂 *Robyn Finkel Kohen*	15 🕯 *4:32*	16
17 🎂 *Renée Hasman* 🎂 *Nolan Russell Wasserman*	18 **MARTIN LUTHER KING, Jr BIRTHDAY OBSERVED**	19	20	21 🎂 *Mia Levy*	22 🕯 *4:40* 🎂 *Charlie Levy*	23
24 31	25	26 ♡ *Barbara & Gary Feldman*	27	28	29 🕯 *4:48*	30

In loving memory of

Barbara & Burt Salomon

In memory of

Jerry Sirot

Beloved brother of Gus Sirot

Marion & Charlie Yanovsky

In loving memory of

NTSAD Super Volunteers

Bea Gecht
Sylvia Farber
Sylvia Silberfarb
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Miriam Finkel
Sheila Wasserman
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	1	2 **GROUNDHOG DAY**	3 🎂 *Bernard Finkel*	4 🎂 *Alyson Lifshitz*	5 🕯 *4:56*	6
7	8	9 🎂 *Nicole Mansour Dzitire*	10	11 🎂 *Brayden Harris Greenhut* 🎂 *Binyamin Naftalowitz*	12 🕯 *5:05* 🎂 *Bobby Handwerker* 🎂 *Tzvi Naftalowitz* 🎂 *Caroline Zamel*	13
14 🎂 *Bryan Zachery Roden* **VALENTINE'S DAY**	15 **PRESIDENT'S DAY**	16	17 ♡ *Dave & Esmeralda Sirot*	18 🎂 *Anaelle Bedziner*	19 🕯 *5:13*	20
21 🎂 *Reese Goldstein*	22 🎂 *Bryan Markinson*	23 🎂 *Steven Yanovsky*	24 🎂 *Sheila Cohen*	25 **EREV PURIM**	26 🕯 *5:22* 🎂 *Adam Davis* **PURIM**	27
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In Memoriam

Sydney Levy	February 9
Charlotte Stark	February 11
William Yanovsky	February 15
Harrison Hoffman	February 17
Ida Jacobson	February 19
Burton Salomon	February 22
Bernard Gecht	February 24

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www.ntsad.org

Frances Berkwits

For her unstinted efforts to both support those afflicted
as well as seek the cure

We remember her,

Gloria Berkwits
Leland, Jeffrey and Michael Berkwits

In memory of our parents

Florence & Irving Turetsky

and our sister

Susan Barbara
1953-1955

Elaine & Barry Heimowitz
Linda & Steve Selip

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7 🎂 *Sophie Levy*	8	9 🎂 *Benjamin Matthew Wasserman*	10	11	12 🕯 *5:41* 🎂 *Jacob Benjamin Fine*	13
14 🎂 *Ashley Feldman* **DAYLIGHT SAVINGS MOVE CLOCK AHEAD**	15	16 🎂 *Nicholas Troncoso*	17 🎂 *Shulamis Naftalowitz* **ST. PATRICK'S DAY**	18 🎂 *Jaden Shapiro*	19 🕯 *6:49*	20 **SPRING BEGINS**
21 🎂 *Eli Goldstein* 🎂 *Jessica Lynn Wasserman* 🎂 *Mara Page Markinson*	22	23	24	25	26 🕯 *6:56*	27 🎂 *Zachary Kohen* **1ST SEDER EREV PASSOVER**
28 **PALM SUNDAY** **2ND SEDER PASSOVER**	29 *Bar Mitzvah: Avery Roimisher* 🎂 *Ann Brandt* **PASSOVER**	30 **PASSOVER**	31 🎂 *Wayne Roimisher (50th)* **PASSOVER**			

In Memoriam

Estelle Goldstein	March 3
Matthew Forbes Romer	March 8
Nathan Sider	March 10
Alan Berg	March 12
Joel Chavis	March 17
Marcia Feinberg	March 24
Toby Gottlieb	March 25
Mary K. Uscky	March 25

In memory of

Marcia Feinberg

and

Aaron Feinberg

Ann Hanover

Thank you to the

Jewish Genetic Disease Consortium

educating medical professionals, rabbis & the community
for the prevention of Jewish Genetic Diseases

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Allen Levine	April 2
Alex Lifshitz	April 12
Alan Thaler	April 16
Albert Eisenberg	April 21
Barbara Salomon	April 24

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				1 APRIL FOOL'S DAY PASSOVER	2 🕯 *7:04* 🎂 *Lee Finkel* PASSOVER GOOD FRIDAY	3 PASSOVER
4 EASTER PASSOVER	5 🎂 *Roberta Meyers* 🎂 *David Goldstein*	6 🎂 *Hadara Abdul-Ghani*	7	8	9 🕯 *7:11*	10
11 🎂 *Chaim Thaler*	12	13	14	15 TAX DAY	16 🕯 *7:19* 🎂 *Gregory Hasman*	17 🎂 *Hayden Skyler Roimisher* 🎂 *Yocheved Thaler*
18	19 🎂 *Ross Silberfarb*	20 🎂 *Ethan Cantor*	21	22 🎂 *Hal Lifshitz* EARTH DAY	23 🕯 *7:26*	24
25 ♡ *Susan & Alan Roden* 🎂 *Amanda Megan Gecht*	26 🎂 *Talia Abdul-Ghani* 🎂 *Vania Abdul-Ghani* 🎂 *Easton Benbasset*	27 🎂 *Diane Toner Gentile*	28	29 🎂 *Taylor Ceil Benbasset*	30 🕯 *7:34* ARBOR DAY	

In loving memory of

Uncle Stanley & Aunt Joyce

You are missed!

Rest in peace

Love,

Sue & Gus

Nicole, Hadara, Elijah, Jonah, Jeremiah, Talia & Vania

Good Luck & Thank You
to the scientists of the
Tay-Sachs Gene Therapy Consortium

Billie & Harold Hoffman

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9 🎂 *Richard David Chudnick* **MOTHER'S DAY**	10 🎂 *Alice Finkel Markinson*	11	12 🎂 *Samira Zamel Troncoso*	13	14 🕯 *7:48*	15
16	17 🎂 *Julie Feldman* 🎂 *Noa Levy*	18 ♡ *David & Heather Levy* 🎂 *Nadia Zamel*	19 🎂 *Gary Gecht*	20	21 🕯 *7:55* 🎂 *Matthew Forbes Romer*	22
23 30 🎂 *David Fine* 🎂 *Elise Heringer* 🎂 *Charles Yanovsky*	24 🎂 *Michele Goldman* 31 🎂 *Michelle Finkel* 🎂 *Jennifer Colton* **MEMORIAL DAY**	25	26	27	28 🕯 *8:01* ♡ *Rona & Michael Devane*	29

In Memoriam

Errol Yanovsky	May 2
Stanley Michelman	May 7
Jack Zimmer	May 8
Benjamin Gecht	May 9
Anne Yanovsky	May 19

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BRUCE SINGLETON

In memory of

Jeanette & Seymour Thaler

In Memory of

Stanley Kravet

Compliments of

A Friend of Hadara

In Loving Memory of

Bea Gecht

In memory of our beautiful

Brooke Chase Gettleman

Robin & Harvey Finkel

In loving memory
of the best grandparents

Helen & Leo Diamond

Susan Yanovsky Roden

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6	7 🎂 *Matthew Feldman* 🎂 *Lior Levy*	8 🎂 *Lee Cohen*	9	10 🎂 *Michael Silberfarb*	11 🕯 *8:10* 🎂 *Shawn Silberfarb*	12 🎂 *Lillian Sherman* 🎂 *Natan Thaler* ♡ *Lisa & Griffith Holland*
13 🎂 *Scott Harris Gentile*	14 **FLAG DAY**	15 🎂 *Stacy Campbell*	16	17	18 🕯 *8:13* *Graduation:* *Hayden Roimisher*	19
20 🎂 *Heath Feldman* **SUMMER BEGINS** **FATHER'S DAY**	21 🎂 *Matthew Lawrence Gentile*	22 🎂 *Jayden Campbell*	23 🎂 *Sharon Silberfarb* ♡ *Elise & Emil Heringer*	24 🎂 *Jason Shapiro*	25 🕯 *8:14*	26
27 🎂 *Miriam Thaler* 🎂 *Mitchell Gordon*	28 ♡ *Susan & Bill Boorstein*	29	30			

In Memoriam

Harold Gottlieb	June 4	William Romer	June 21
Esther Sider	June 4	Gita Katz	June 24
Sarah Finkel	June 8	Nathan Zimmer	June 25
Charles Goldstein	June 8	Sidney Finkel	June 26
Harold Goldstein	June 13	Sheila Donner	June 27
Sami Elena Mansour	June 13	Frances Berkwits	June 29

In loving memory of

Helaine Seccia

"A lifelong friend"

Gus Sirot

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In Memoriam Leon Finkel July 3 Dillon Henry July 6 Sylvia Farber July 18 Leonard Chudnick July 20 Irwin Ungerleider July 21 Karl Yanovsky July 31		**NTSAD** **www.ntsad.org** **800-906-8723**		1	2 🕯 *8:14* 🎂 *Jon Boorstein*	3
4 **INDEPENDENCE DAY**	5 🎂 *Charles Gentile*	6 🎂 *Leigh Boorstein*	7 🎂 *Joshua Andrew Devane* 🎂 *Carol Handwerker*	8 ♡ *Marion & Charles Yanovsky*	9 🕯 *8:12*	10
11 🎂 *Emily Charlez Fine*	12 🎂 *Dennis Finkel* 🎂 *Bruce Goldman*	13	14	15	16 🕯 *8:08* 🎂 *Jared Craig Sakolsky*	17
18 🎂 *Gloria Levenson*	19 🎂 *Ava Skye Weinstock* 🎂 *Taylor Jenna Weinstock* 🎂 *Lori R. Goldman*	20	21 🎂 *Scott J. Goldman*	22 🎂 *Kourtney Brooke Lavin*	23 🕯 *8:03*	24
25 🎂 *Jonah Dzitrie*	26 ♡ *Howard & Riva Levy*	27 ♡ *Michele & Bruce Goldman*	28 🎂 *Elyssa Shapiro*	29	30 🕯 *7:56* 🎂 *Fern Finkel Gentile*	31

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In Loving Memory of

Gerry Goldberg

"Harry's Grandpa"

*With thanks for his generous support
for the programs of NTSAD*

Members of NTSAD New York Area

**May there soon be no need
for fund drives such as this.**

Phyllis Pullman

Grandma Betty
and
Papoo Louis S. Hazan
"Forever In Our Hearts"
**Elyssa, Billy, Jason, Natalie, Corie, George
Jaden, Devin, Brooke, Avery & Kaia**

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15	16 🎂 *Elaine Levy*	17	18 🎂 *Scott Brian Fine* 🎂 *Daniel Silberfrab* 🎂 *Avraham Thaler*	19	20 🕯 *7:29*	21 🎂 *Marc Robinson*
22	23	24	25 ♡ *Stacy & Noah Cantor* 🎂 *James Colton*	26 🎂 *Joan Kantz*	27 🕯 *7:18* 🎂 *Jill Feldman*	28 🎂 *Layla Campbell*
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In Memoriam

Sarah Pinger	August 7
Phyllis Chavis	August 9
Shirley Leib	August 10
Wendy Gordon	August 16
Scott Peter Colton	August 16
Jerry Sirot	August 20
Ray Colton	August 22
Saul Donner	August 26
Adam Davis	August 28

With heartfelt appreciation, we celebrate our outstanding NTSAD staff,
our dedicated doctors and researchers, our affected families and their team of friends and loved ones,
all of our devoted volunteers (with extra kudos for our unwavering, remarkable Marion Yanovsky)
for all your hard work and support bringing us closer to a cure and treatment
for Tay Sachs and the Allied Diseases

With much thanks,

The Heringers

In Loving Memory of

Stanley Michelman

We miss your kind and loving ways
We miss your friendship
We are sad you left us so soon

Marion & Charlie Yanovsky

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Ceil Benbasset	September 9
Sheila Wasserman	September 10
Leo Diamond	September 14
Jack Finkel	September 16
Carole Colton	September 29

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			1	2 🎂 *Jonah Goldstein*	3 🕯 *7:06*	4
5 🎂 *Ryan Andrew Silberfarb*	6 **LABOR DAY** **EREV ROSH HASHANAH**	7 **ROSH HASHANAH**	8 🎂 *Jacob Silberfarb* 🎂 *Ellen Fine* 🎂 *Alia Zamel* **ROSH HASHANAH**	9	10 🕯 *6:55* 🎂 *Jadyn Kohen*	11 🎂 *Griffith (Skip) Holland* 🎂 *Michael Gary Chudnick*
12 🎂 *Cody Miles Gecht*	13 🎂 *Brandon Spencer Gecht* 🎂 *Dayna Lynn Gecht*	14	15 **EREV YOM KIPPUR**	16 **YOM KIPPUR**	17 🕯 *6:43* 🎂 *Gerri Colton*	18 🎂 *Emma Zimmerman*
19 🎂 *Samuel Wager Chudnick*	20 🎂 *Miriam Anna Gentile*	21 🎂 *Sophie Goldstein*	22 🎂 *Katherine Gentile Vairo* **AUTUMN BEGINS**	23	24 🕯 *6:31* 🎂 *Sue Sirot* 🎂 *Andrew Militscher*	25 🎂 *Caroline Wager Chudnick*
26 🎂 *Leah Paige Wasserman*	27	28 🎂 *Michael S. Goldman*	29 🎂 *Mitchell Ray Jacobs*	30 🎂 *Evelyn Goldman* 🎂 *Justin Frank Zimmer* 🎂 *Matthew Neil Zimmer*		

MYTH: Only one partner needs to be tested for Tay-Sachs and Allied Diseases.

FACT: Both partners should be tested

For
Honeydew and Gus

Love,
Angus

In loving memory of

Owen Brandt

Beloved Brother-In-Law & Uncle

Marion & Charlie
Susan, Alan, Jason & Bryan
Steven & Asher

In memory of

Gertrude Bertinthal

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Geraldine Finkel	October 3	Steven Berg	October 19
Roberta Meyers	October 3	Joseph Gentile	October 26
Alex Pinger	October 4	Stella Zimmer	October 27
Harriet Lurie	October 5	Dorothy Zaretsky	October 28
Anna Finkel	October 8	Leon Jacobson	October 29
Henry Sirot	October 9	Miriam Finkel	October 30
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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3 🎂 *Riley Paige Roimisher*	4 🎂 *Elise Rae Gecht*	5 🎂 *William Gentile*	6	7	8 🕯 *6:07* 🎂 *Daniel Ian D'Amato*	9 🎂 *Meryl Gordon*
10	11 🎂 *Michael Devane* 🎂 *Joe Rattien* 🎂 *Michael Gary Chudnick* **COLUMBUS DAY**	12	13 🎂 *Barbara Hasman*	14 🎂 *Susan Roden*	15 🕯 *5:56*	16 🎂 *Maya Jade Benbasset*
17 🎂 *Matthew Gordon*	18 🎂 *Elijah Dzitrie*	19	20 🎂 *Erin Finkel*	21 🎂 *Jack Zimmerman* 🎂 *Jerimah T.C. Snyder* 🎂 *Anthony Gentile* 🎂 *Jack Zimmerman*	22 🕯 *5:46* 🎂 *Arlene Gecht Koral*	23 🎂 *Davie Benbasset*
24 31 🎂 *Zachary Cantor* 🎂 *Marion Yanovsky* **HALLOWEEN**	25 🎂 *Caroline Wager Chudnick* 🎂 *Brittany Sari Zimmer*	26 🎂 *David Silberfarb*	27 🎂 *Robert Nathan Wasserman* 🎂 *Eric Jason Fine*	28 🎂 *Pasquale Vairo*	29 🕯 *5:36* 🎂 *Adam Brian Gecht*	30

In loving memory of
my beloved daughter Lisa Cheryl
and my husband Stanley

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	1	2 **ELECTION DAY**	3	4	5 🕯 *5:28* 🎂 *Brian Craig Koral* 🎂 *Hasan Zamel*	6
7 🎂 *Lisa Holland* **DAYLIGHT SAVINGS ENDS MOVE CLOCK BACK**	8 🎂 *Rivka Naftalowitz*	9 🎂 *Hailey Silberfarb*	10	11 🎂 *Lew Kantz* 🎂 *Nathan Edward Devane* **VETERANS DAY**	12 🕯 *4:21*	13 ♡ *Alyson & Joshua Hurwit*
14 🎂 *Cyrus Jude Benbasset* 🎂 *Mitchell Ira Fine*	15	16 🎂 *Alan Finkel*	17	18 🎂 *William Scott Jacobs* 🎂 *Serena Hope Markinson*	19 🕯 *4:15*	20
21 🎂 *Cameron Troncoso*	22	23 ♡ *Maddie & Herb Roimisher* 🎂 *Edith Berg*	24 ♡ *Sheila & Lee Cohen* 🎂 *Alisa Lifshitz*	25 **THANKSGIVING DAY**	26 🕯 *4:11* 🎂 *Brenna Finkel*	27 🎂 *William Romer*
28 **CHANUKAH - 1 CANDLE**	29 🎂 *Rachel Thaler* **CHANUKAH - 2 CANDLES**	30 **CHANUKAH - 3 CANDLES**				

In Memoriam

Billie Hoffman	November 1	Emma Zimmerman	November 18
Adele Zimmer	November 2	Lawrence Shapiro	November 20
Miriam Lifshitz	November 4	Jill Goldberg	November 21
Daniel Jacobson	November 7	Helen Diamond	November 23
Aaron Lifshitz	November 9	Lester Pinger	November 24
Abner Berkwits	November 10	Harry Verona	November 25
Stephen Silberfarb	November 15	Irving Zaretsky	November 25
Owen Brandt	November 17	Noah Jarashow	November 30

In memory of my aunt

Marcia Feinberg

She was a woman of enormous strength
abundant love and unending generosity

Susan Z. Cohen

In Loving Memory of

Marcia Feinberg

Marion & Charlie Yanovsky

In Loving Memory of

Anne & William Yanovsky

Karl Yanovsky

Errol Yanovsky

In Loving Memory of
Sheila Wasserman

A kind and caring friend
We celebrate her life

Marion & Charlie Yanovsky

In memory of

Henry-Hilda-Margo
Harry-Helga

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Jack Litt	December 3
Lorraine Gettleman	December 4
Estie Zausner	December 5
Jeanette Thaler	December 7
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Seymour Thaler	December 16
Hayden Lord	December 22
Evan Ungerleider	December 23
Fred Goldberg	December 23

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			1 **CHANUKAH - 4 CANDLES**	2 🎂 *Isabella Tori Zahl* **CHANUKAH - 5 CANDLES**	3 🕯 *4:09* 🎂 *Elena Vairo* **CHANUKAH - 6 CANDLES**	4 **CHANUKAH - 7 CANDLES**
5 **CHANUKAH - 8 CANDLES**	6 **CHANUKAH - 8TH DAY**	7	8	9 🎂 *Adam Scott Koral*	10 🕯 *4:09*	11 🎂 *Kimberley Blake Lavin* 🎂 *Chani Thaler*
12	13 🎂 *Vienna Lily Greenhut*	14	15 🎂 *Jennifer Chudnick* 🎂 *Aliya Levy* 🎂 *Asher Diamond Yanovsky*	16 🎂 *Jordyan Lavin*	17 🕯 *4:10* 🎂 *Russell Matthew Jacobs*	18 🎂 *Harlow Benbasset*
19 ♡ *Marcia & Harvey Jacobson*	20	21 🎂 *Aria Holland* **WINTER BEGINS**	22 🎂 *Alan Roden*	23 🎂 *Jordan Conrad Gecht*	24 🕯 *4:14* **CHRISTMAS EVE**	25 🎂 *Gus Sirot* **CHRISTMAS DAY**
26	27 🎂 *Olivia Vairo* 🎂 *Jay David Sirot*	28 🎂 *Heather Lara Sakolsky*	29	30	31 🕯 *4:19* 🎂 *Emil Heringer* **NEW YEAR'S EVE**	

In loving memory

Estelle Krakaur
Lauri Jill Adelsberg
Gertrude Adelsberg
George Corn
Lilly Corn

Emma Faith

20th Angel Anniversary

With love always, Mom, Dad and Jack

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						1 NEW YEAR'S DAY
2	3 🎂 *Rona Devane*	4	5	6 🎂 *Emily Kate Gentile* 🎂 *Marissa Heringer* 🎂 *Rebecca Heringer*	7 🕯 *4:23* 🎂 *Rose Price Cooley*	8 🎂 *David Sirot*
9 🎂 *Noah Philip Devane*	10	11 🎂 *Geoffrey Zack Wasserman* 🎂 *Andrew David Markinson*	12 ♡ *Sue & Gus Sirot*	13	14 🕯 *4:30* 🎂 *Robyn Finkel Kohen*	15
16	17 🎂 *Renée Hasman* 🎂 *Nolan Russell Wasserman* MARTIN LUTHER KING, Jr BIRTHDAY OBSERVED	18	19	20	21 🕯 *4:38* 🎂 *Mia Levy*	22 🎂 *Charlie Levy*
23 30	24 31	25	26 ♡ *Barbara & Gary Feldman*	27	28 🕯 *4:47*	29

In loving memory of

Helen & Leo Diamond

wonderful parents & grandparents

Marion & Charlie Yanovsky

In Honor of

Marion Yanovsky

for her dedication, hardwork and achievements

Sheila & Lee Cohen

In Memory of a Special Woman

Fran's warm smile, dedication to the prevention of Tay Sachs disease, and passion for all she did, will live on in all those she touched.

We love you and miss you.

Susan and Alan Roden
Jason and Bryan

In Loving Memory of

Billie Hoffman

"Harry's Grandma"

With thanks for her generous support for the programs of NTSAD

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In Loving Memory of

SAMI ELENA MANSOUR

"A Moment of Joy"

Sue & Gus Sirot and Nicole

To all our wonderful grandchildren
who give us so much pleasure

Nicole
Michael
Julie
Jake
and Harry who left us too soon

All our love,
Grandma Judy & Grandpa Gerry

IN MEMORY OF OUR BELOVED DAUGHTER

RACHEL MEREDITH

FOREVER IN OUR HEARTS

IN HONOR OF OUR GRANDSONS

TYLER MATTHEW

ANDREW JARED

RHODA & FRED KANTER

In Memory of Our Parents

Barbara & Burton Salomon

Our Grandparents

Al, Carrie, Jerry & Irma
and our Cousin Donna

With Much Love,

Doug & Alan Salomon

In Loving Memory Of

ALLEN & MARGIE FEIN

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In Loving Memory of

Francie Berkwits

A shining example of a life well-lived.

Your memory is a blessing to us all.

Jake, Lacey, Annie & Zoe Elberg

In loving memory of

Pearl Sirot
Henry Sirot
Jerry Sirot
Toby Gottlieb
Harold H. Gottlieb

and

Sami Elena Mansour

With thanks for the joy of

Hadara - April 6, 1994
Elijah - October 18, 1996
Jonah - July 25, 2000
Jeremiah - October 21, 2015
and
Talia - April 26, 2020
Vania - April 26, 2020

Sue & Gus Sirot

In loving memory of our
son & brother

RAPHI HABERBERG

Gili, Benjamin, Ari & Karen

In loving memory of

Stephen and Toby Silberfarb

Barry & Carol Silberfarb & Family

In loving memory of

Allen Levine

beloved husband of Sandy Levine

Marion & Charlie Yanovsky

In Loving Memory Of

Stanley Michelman

We give thanks for your commitment and dedication to the elimination of the tragedy of genetic diseases.

We miss you and will continue the
quest for treatment and cure!

In Memory of
and in Tribute to
our mother

'A Woman of Valor'

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Thank you to all the researchers who are making it happen.

With great optimism,
Aunt Carol Handwerker

In Memory Of

Audrey Schwartz

Beloved to Douglas, Claire and Cliff,
Ronni and Josh,
Andy, Monique and Sophie

…“For it’s the laughter,
we shall always remember the way it was.”

In memory of

Steve Schwarz
Helen Greenblatt
Neil Blatt
Brad Goldstein

Rest in Peace,

Sue & Gus Sirot

In memory of

Dr. Roscoe O. Brady

discoverer of the biochemical defects in several of the splingolipid storage diseases and developer of the first successful enzyme replacement treatment for LSDs (Lysosomal Storage Diseases)

Drs. Edwin & Roselyn Kolodny

To Our Precious Son Evan
& Amazing Father/Grandpa Stan,

We love and miss you so much.

If you could have lived on alone...you would have lived forever.

You made us see what's most important in life.

You are always in our hearts.

Love, Shari, Jeff, Justin, Leigh & Sydney

In Loving Memory of

Sheila Wasserman

A most warm, kind and giving person, super terrific and family-oriented
Always there to help everyone and anyone
Never wanting anything in return
She will always be missed

With much love,

Norman, Stuart & Kathy, Paul & Andrea Wasserman
Lisa & Lonnie Jacobs
Herb & Madeline Roimisher

In loving memory of

TOBY & HAROLD GOTTLIEB

SAMI ELENA MANSOUR

Together Forever

Sue & Gus Sirot and Family

In loving memory of an incredible woman

Fran Berkwits

A Special & Dear Friend Never to be Forgotten

Always in our Hearts

We miss you very much,

Marion & Charlie Yanovsky

In loving memory of

Frances Berkwits, MS, CSW

and

Abner Berkwits, MD

I am forever inspired by the strength, determination, openness, generosity, and beauty of our NTSAD families.

It is an honor working with you.

Staci Kallish

President

NTSAD Board of Directors, 2019-2021

I am grateful for my precious grandchildren

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Leah Paige
Benjamin Matthew
Russell Matthew
Mitchell Ray
William Scott
Nolan Russell
Robert Nathan
Geoffrey Zack
Great Grandson - Gabriel David
Great Granddaughter - Serena Jo

Norman Wasserman

In Loving Memory of

Harriet Lurie

In Support of Research

Sandy Levine

In Honor of Our Grandchildren

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Dean Harrison Finkel
Mallory Chase Finkel
Gus Anderson Finkel

With Love,

Robin & Harvey Finkel

The Mathew Forbes Romer Foundation

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as its partner in the fight against Children's Genetic Diseases.

We cherish the memories of Mathew,
who lost his fight to Tay-Sachs in March 2003.

In Honor of

Marion & Charlie Yanovsky

We are the luckiest children and grandchildren.
You are the best!

We love you,

Susan, Alan, Jason & Bryan

IN MEMORY OF

EVELYN and LEONARD SUSSMAN
(1918-2000) (1916-2001)

RICKI BETH SUSSMAN
(1953-1957)

and

ROSE and MIKE WEISFELD

Founders of NTSAD whose energy and
selfless devotion helped NTSAD
to reach many of its goals

PETER and MICHAEL SUSSMAN

In Loving Memory of Lawrence R. Shapiro MD

A giant of a man.

We are sad you left us so soon.

Thank you for all you did to help prevent genetic diseases.

It was an honor to work with you,
providing carrier screening over many decades.

You are missed.

Marion Yanovsky

For Audrey

You will always be remembered

Much love,

Doug

In Memory of
Our Beloved Harriet

who worked tirelessly all these many years
for NTSAD and Niemann-Pick Disease Research
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Gerri Colton & James Colton

In loving memory of

Carl Meyers

Marion & Charlie Yanovsky

In loving memory of

Rose & Mike Weisfeld

Wishing our friends

Sue & Gus Sirot

a Healthy and Happy New Year!

Caren & Craig Hirsch

In memory of my beloved parents

Jeanette and Seymour Thaler

and my brother

Alan Mark Thaler

Together forever in Gan Eden

Phyllis Thaler

In Loving Memory of

Harrison Hoffman

"A Person's a Person
No Matter How Small"

Love,
Mommy, Daddy & Jake

For the Blessings of
My Wonderful Children
& Grandchildren
Who Fill My World With Love

Ann Brandt

In loving memory of my parents
Helen & Leo Diamond
Ann Brandt

In Honor of My Amazing Sister,
Marion Yanovsky
With love, Ann

In loving memory of
Owen Brandt
Your love is always with us

Ann, Lisa, Skip, Rona, Michael
Nathan, Noah & Joshua

In Beloved Memory of

Barbara Salomon

Tireless worker and contributor
dedicated to NTSAD for over 55 years

"i carry your heart with me (i carry it in my heart)
i am never without it (anywhere i go, you go, my dear)…"

Claire, Cliff, Ronni, Joshua, Andy, Monique and Sophie

In celebration of our precious grandchildren

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In loving memory of

Jeanette & Seymour Thaler

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especially Aaron Feinberg
(1964–1970)

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Robert Plotkin

With love,

Sue & Gus Sirot

In loving memory of

Seth Kupperman

Rest in peace,

Sue & Gus

In honor of our grandchildren

Adam Taylor Chaitin
Alexandria Rae Chaitin
Jeremy Scott Chaitin
Paul Nunzio Chaitin

Paul & Sandra Chaitin

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Gary Gecht

NTSAD mourns

Scott Hunger

our dear friend and son of

Marsha & Sherman Hunger

Dear

Grandma Sylvia &
Grandpa Harry

We continue to keep your memory
alive as you live on within us.
We miss you very much.

Love always,

Sharon, Will, Brayden,
Caleb & Vienna

In Memory of

Ahny

Her love of children lives on

With all our love to our wonderful and beautiful grandchildren

HADARA

ELIJAH

JONAH

JEREMIAH

TALIA

VANIA

POPPI GUS & GRANDMA SUE

In memory of

Frances Berkwits
Seymour Goldman
Shirley Goldman
Fred Wichler

In honor of our grandchildren

Sydney, Ben, Esther & Anna

Lynda & Mel Schriever

In Loving Memory of
Our Beloved Sister & Brother

Sharyn Snyderman
Fred Schriever

In loving memory of

Jerome Sirot

Remembered and Loved Always

Saul, Gloria, Sandy, Debbie, Jeff, Kaitlin, Samantha and Rebecca

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Pearl Sirot	January 19
Beatrice Gecht	January 28
Jane Eisenberg	January 29
Sydney Levy	February 9
Charlotte Stark	February 11
William Yanovsky	February 15
Harrison Hoffman	February 17
Burton Salomon	February 22
Bernard Gecht	February 24
Estelle Goldstein	March 3
Matthew Forbes Romer	March 8
Nathan Sider	March 10
Alan Berg	March 12
Joel Chavis	March 17
Marcia Feinberg	March 24
Mary K. Uscky	March 25
Toby Gottlieb	March 25
Alex Lifshitz	April 12
Alan Thaler	April 16
Albert Eisenberg	April 21
Barbara Salomon	April 24
Elaine Verona	April 29
Errol Yanovsky	May 2
Stanley Michelman	May 7
Jack Zimmer	May 8
Benjamin Gecht	May 9
Anne Yanovsky	May 19
Esther Sider	June 4
Harold Gottlieb	June 4
Sarah Finkel	June 7
Charles Goldstein	June 8
Harold Goldstein	June 13
Sami Elena Mansour	June 13
William Romer	June 21
Gita Katz	June 24
Nathan Zimmer	June 25
Sidney Finkel	June 26
Sheila Donner	June 27
Frances Berkwits	June 29
Leon Finkel	July 3
Dillon Henry	July 6
Sylvia Farber	July 18
Leonard Chudnick	July 20
Irwin Ungerleider	July 21
Karl Yanovsky	July 31
Sarah Pinger	August 7
Phyllis Chavis	August 9
Shirley Leib	August 10
Scott Peter Colton	August 16
Wendy Gordon	August 16
Jerry Sirot	August 20
Ray Colton	August 22
Saul Donner	August 26
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Leo Diamond	September 14
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