

About this site

First I have to emphasize that this site is NOT an official site. It is a personal "itch" I had several years ago and can be considered as part of my personal need to display the Kfar-Hanassi story, which is well synchronized with my own life story.

The reason why this site is in English is twofold: First, the English language, as opposed to Hebrew, is natural to the Cyber world we live in, internet etc.' ... The second reason is time. Yes, if I ever have the time I will translate the whole site into Hebrew.

The site started out with members and members children. The main page is sorted by departure dates with just the year and the name of the deceased. Behind each name is a personal site that can be anything from a single page to a full-fledged website. The basic main personal page includes name, birth and death dates, and an icon of the headstone (which can be enlarged). Beyond the basics are links to various media items such as documents, Photos, pictures, video and audio clips etc.' ...

Time allowing, I have begun adding in parents of members and others who are buried here. This will naturally be a long process as besides the work itself, I feel the need to ask permission for anything I add to a personal site, except items that have been publicly displayed such as in "Divrei" or various magazines.

Site development plans include:- A good search engine. Another page where things are sorted by name rather than years. I would also like to add the life story of each person even if only by a few lines. I have also been working on a map of the cemetery so that relatives, especially from outside, can easily find their way to the grave of their loved ones. There is also a plan to link to other sites related to the person in question.

All in all, it is a long, time consuming project. Hopefully I can get enough done that will make it that much easier for anyone who will take over, after I too join the local "Olive grove"

"If we don't honor our past, our future will be pretty foggy"

My thanks go to Yitzhak Eder who made the recording of our history, a personal project, without which, all we would be doing today would be scrounging around for bits of history, in our huge collective memory pile.

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