

# Timeline

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## 1966

**January 19: Birth.** Michael Reese Hospital, Chicago, Illinois. Michael Reese Hospital no longer exists. It was closed in 2008 and demolished in 2009.

## 1968

[California Trip](#)

## 1969

Audio: [Part 1](#), [Part 2](#)

## 1972

Completed Kindergarten at MLK and began 1st grade at Hillel Torah.

## 1975

[Spelling test story.](#)

## 1976

**July 4, 1976.** Bicentennial fireworks. Entebbe raid.

## 1978

[Appendicitis Story.](#)

## 1979

**March 3, 1979.** Bar Mitzvah services at Congregation Or Torah, Skokie, IL. Parshat Terumah.

**June 20, 1979.** Graduation from Hillel Torah North Suburban Day School in Skokie, IL

## 1983

**June 9, 1983.** Graduation from Evanston Township High School, Evanston, IL.

## 1984

**Summer 1984.** On campus at Caltech setting up APL across campus and writing materials to use APL in Freshman calculus.

## 1985

**July 13 - August 17.** Summer program at Bar Ilan, in Ramat Gan. Visited cousins in Arad, Moshav Keshet, Jerusalem, Tel Aviv, Haifa. ([Stories](#))

## 1986

**April 23, 1986.** Flew from California for Passover in Skokie, IL.

**June 13, 1986.** Graduated from the California Institute of Technology with a BS in Mathematics. Advisor: Michael Aschbacher.

**June 16 - August 25, 1986.** Mathematical research on symmetric functions with Peled and Regev at the Weizmann Institute of Science in Rehovot. Met Helen and Patricia while spending a week at Extravaganza in Naissarim. (Story TBD language, pool, age)

**August 25, 1986.** Moved to Somerville, MA to begin graduate studies in Mathematics at MIT with the support of an NSF Fellowship.

## 1987

**April 13, 1987.** Flew from Boston for Passover in Skokie, IL.

**August 19 - September 9, 1987.** Trip to France. (Phone call June? Conversation with an officemate. July 27 visa.)

## 1988

**April 1-10, 1988.** Helen and I travel from Boston to Skokie, IL for Passover. She meets my parents ([Story](#)) and my Zeide Selig Starr.

**July 27 - August 11, 1988.** Trip to France.

**November ???-8, 1988.** Barcelona vacation with Helen's family.

## 1989

**June 19, 1989.** Marriage of David and Maureen in Saratoga, CA. [Video](#).

**April 19-28, 1989.** My last Passover at 3715 W. Greenwood Street, Skokie, IL. Meanwhile, Helen spends Passover with her cousins in Buffalo.

**June 19, 1989.** Helen and I attended David and Maureen's wedding in Saratoga, CA.

**?? - July 16, 1989.** Trip to Toulouse to attend Patricia and Gilles' wedding. ([video](#)) Proposed to Helen. Visited London with Daniele and purchased Helen's engagement ring.

**September 3, 1989.** Marriage Bob and Julia, New Haven, CT. [Video](#)

**September 10, 1989.** Defending my Ph.D. thesis "The Iterated Logarithmic Algebra". Thesis director: Prof. Gian-Carlo Rota.

**October 3, 1989:** Moved from Boston to Paris. Lived with Helen at 8 Claude Terrace in Paris 16th arrondissement (Metro. Porte Sainte Cloude) Worked at Jussieu (Paris VI) with Prof. Alain Lascoux under a Chateaubriand grant.

## 1990

**January 1990.** Moved from Paris to Bordeaux. Taught at Universite de Bordeaux II. Lived with Constantin Staykoff until Helen was transferred from Paris.

**March May 20, 1990.** Flight from CDG to ???

**April 9, 1990.** Passover in Toulouse.

**June 7-10, 1990.**

Thursday June 7: Civil wedding at Toulouse City Hall. Reception in the Cohen-Scali backyard followed by Henna in their living room. ([Story](#))

Sunday June 10 Wedding in Synagogue Palaprat in Toulouse. Reception at Chateau David. (Story TBD)

**June 11-20, 1990.** Honeymoon in Amsterdam. Math conferences in Bielfeld, Aachen, Eindhoven and Groningen.

**December 17-31, 1990.** Winter vacation in Chicago.

## 1991

**March 29-31, 1991.** Helen's family comes for Seder in Bordeaux because she is very pregnant.

### **April 1991.**

April 4: Trip to Toulouse for End of Passover. Daniele's return from California. ([Ambulance story](#))

April 6: Mimouna. ([Train story](#))

April 8: Gabrielle Jeanette Loeb born in Hôpital Pellegrin Bordeaux, Gironde, France. ([stories](#))

April 15?: Return home. (Macintosh story.) ([First month](#), [stories](#))

**Summer 1991.** Université Mathématique d'Été at l'ENSAE, Toulouse, France. Translated [Surreal Numbers](#) into French.

**Fall 1991 ???** - Grandma and Grandpa visit Bordeaux to see Gabby. ([Story](#))

Trip to Italy. (Story TBD)

**November 6-16, 1991.** L'art Magique de M.C. Escher, Chateau de Camponac, Pessac, France. Constantin Staykoff.

## 1992

**April 17, 1992.** Seder in Toulouse

**May 31-???, 1992.** Chicago

**July 12-31, 1992.** Université Mathématique d'Été at the Ecole Nationale Supérieure des Arts et Métiers, Bordeaux, France

**August 6-13, 1992.**

## 1993

**April 5, 1993.** Seder in Toulouse.


**May 6-June 5, 1993.**

**June 17-September 7, 1993.** Visit to Chicago, Minneapolis, Berkeley, HCSSIM ([Stories](#))

**December 25, 1993.** Engagement of Daniele and Fabrice. ([Video](#))

## 1994



**February 2, 1994.**  Jonathan Loeb born in Hôpital Pellegrin Bordeaux, France. [Jon's Timelines from [ForeverMissed](#), [1st Grade](#)]

**February 9, 1994.** Jonathan's brit milah at the Great Synagogue of Bordeaux by Grand Rabbi Claude Mamane.

**March 26, 1994.** Seder in Bordeaux

**April June 10, 1994.** Daniele and Fabrice married in Paris.

**August 17, 1994.** US trip.

## 1995

**April 15, 1995.** Seder in Toulouse.

**June 20 - July 14.** Israel trip.

## 1996

**April 3-25, 1996.**

April 3-12. Passover at Ryetown Hilton, NY. Interview at Wagner Associates, Malvern, PA.

([Stories](#))

April 12-15. Visit NYC with Mom and Dad. They us, Gabby and Jon to Lion King.

April 17-20. Rotafest, MIT, Cambridge, MA. ([NSF](#), [Rota](#), [Book](#))

April 22-23. Umbral Calculus Workshop organized by me, Alessandro Di Bucchianico and Nigel Ray, MIT, Cambridge, MA.

**June 11, 1996.** ???

**June 20-28, 1996.** Visit to Philadelphia to find our home and sign Gabby and Jonathan up for school.

**August 12-15, 1996.** Family moves to 171 Stoneway Lane in Wynnewood, PA

**September 3, 1996.** Began work as a mathematical consultant for [Wagner Associates](#) in Malvern, PA. C

**October 30? - November 6, 1996.** Travel to BMW headquarters in Munich to work on credit rating model for Wagner Associates. Oktoberfest. Helen's first Halloween is on her own.

## 1997

**April 21-30, 1997.** Passover in Lancaster, PA.

**July 28 - ???, 1997.**

## 1998

**January 29, 1998.** Moved to 276 Barwynne Lane in Wynnewood, PA.

**February 15, 1998.** A few weeks, Jonathan's birthday party with a "moving" theme. See <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2PKtgVLq3YM>

**April 10, 1998.** Passover in Wynnewood. (Furniture story)

**Spring 1998.** Helen's parents visit Philadelphia as parent of a tour around the world. We visit my parents in Chicago with them. ([Stories](#))

**???-June 28, 1998.**

## 1999

**March 31, 1999.** Passover in Wynnewood since Helen was very pregnant. Gabby joins grandparents for Passover in Florida.

**April 28, 1999.** Benjamin was born at Lankenau Hospital in Wynnewood, PA. Photos of [birth](#)

**May 5, 1999.** Brit Milah at home by Cantor Mark Kushner. Photos of [brit milah](#)

## 2000

**April 9, 2000.** Passover in Virginia Beach.

**???-August 14, 2000.**

**November 14, 2000.** We organize Math Fun Night at PJDS Stern Center.

## 2002

**Passover.** Scottsdale, AZ. ([Stories](#)) Trip to Sedona and Grand Canyon. Drive to San Diego to visit Stuart and Jennie.

**August 23 - September 9, 2002.**

## 2003

**April 2003.** Passover and Gabby's Bat Mitzvah.

April 16-24. Passover in Wynnewood. (Stories from Helen's speech to be copied)

April 26. Bat Mitzvah services at Temple Beth Hillel-Beth El. Gabby reads torah again at Mincha at our house.

April 27. Bat Mitzvah reception at Curtis Arboretum in Cheltenham, PA.

**Mickael's Bar Mitzvah** in Toulouse. Mamie says we leave at "six heures moins soixante quinze"

## 2004

**April 4, 2004.** Grandma Sarane is too sick to travel but we surprised her with the whole family in Northfield, IL for the Seders.

April 2004: Lost plan 4.

**Laure's Bat Mitzvah**

## 2005

**April 22-26, 2005.** Passover with Uncle Bob and Aunt Julia in Rockville, MD.

**June 3, 2005.** My mother [Sarane Rochelle Loeb](#) passed away after battling cancer for several years. Buried June 6 at Oakridge Jewish Cemetery, Hillside, IL. Flew back to Philadelphia with father June 7 for the remainder of shiva.

**July 2005.** [Launch of Philadelphia Jewish Voice](#).

**July 28 - August 16, 2005.** Israel trip. August 4-6: Organized [Berdugo reunion](#) at the Hotel Regency in Jerusalem.

**August 2005.** [First regular issue of the Philadelphia Jewish Voice](#).

## 2006

**April 12-21, 2006.** Passover at rental in Long Branch, NJ.



**May 22, 2006:** Rachel is born at Bryn Mawr Hospital, Bryn Mawr, PA. She cries even before she left the womb. [Hospital and home pictures](#). [Simchat Bat Celebration](#), [First Steps](#)

**July 18, 2006:** Working at Susquehanna office in Dublin, Ireland.

## 2007

**January 5-7, 2007:** Visit to Toronto for Asher Wagschal's bar mitzvah..

**February 16-19, 2007: Jonathan's Bar Mitzvah.** Shabbat service February 17 and Rosh Chodesh service February 18/19(?) at Temple Beth Hillel Beth El. Reception February 18 at Casablanca Moroccan Restaurant.

**April 2-11, 2007.** Passover in Orlando, Florida with Bob and David and Charlotte and their families. ([stories](#))

**May 27, 2007.** We traveled to Skokie for Grandpa's marriage to Charlotte.

**July 6, 2007.** Travel to Australia with Helen. Working at Susquehanna office in Sydney, Australia.

**August 3-7, 2007.** Travel with Rachel to Columbus, Ohio for the bar mitzvah of James Loeb's son Jonathan.

**November 15-17, 2007.** Travel with Gabby and Shira Landau to the [Young Democrats Conference](#) in New Hampshire.

**December 21-31, 2007.** Ouriel's wedding (December 23) in Nice, France.

## 2008

**February 10, 2008:** Canvassed with Jonathan for Maryland primary. (story TBD)

**February 19, 2008:** Wisconsin primary (story TBD). Stayed with Grandpa and helped him move out of his condominium and move into house with Charlotte.

**April 2008.** Pennsylvania primary. Passover in Rockville, MD with Bob's family while Gabby spent Passover in Ramat Yeshy while on the TRY program.

**May 11-13, 2008.** Canvassed for West Virginia primary. (story TBD)

**November 4, 2008.** Obama beats McCain. ([Election Day Deer Story](#))

## 2009

**April 8-12, 2009.** Passover Seder in Wynnewood with Grandpa and Charlotte. Gabby is visiting University of California Berkeley for Passover since she had just been admitted, but she decides to attend Princeton University.

**August 7-9, 2009.** Lancaster Game Convention. ([Shabbat story](#))

**November 25-30, 2009.** Grandpa and Charlotte visit for Thanksgiving.

**December 18-31, 2009.** Yoann's bar mitzvah in Paris.

## 2010

**May 2010.** [Last issue of Philadelphia Jewish Voice prior to conversion to WordPress](#). Following issues are only available on the [Internet Archive](#).

**August 22-29, 2010.** Carnival Cruise with Grandpa and Charlotte.

## 2011

**July 8-24, 2011.** Milena's bat mitzvah in Paris.

## 2012

**June 18-23, 2012: Ben's Bar Mitzvah.** June 18: kid's party at Comedy Sportz, June 21 minyan, Rosh Chodesh torah reading, breakfast at TBHBE, dinner & dance party at Vesper Boat Club, June 24 minyan, torah reading, lunch at TBHBE, mincha, seudat shlishit at our house

## 2013

**June 2013.** Jonathan graduates from Lower Merion High School. (Jonathan's senior project on Rubik's cube at Lower Merion High School in 2013. ([Video](#))). Gabby graduates from Princeton University. Ben graduates from Saligman Middle School. Rachel graduates from the Wilf Preschool at the Kaiserman JCC.

**July 17, 2013.** Yellow Pig's Day at Hampshire College Summer Studies in Mathematics

**July 19-21, 2013.** Shabbat in Bethesda, MD

**August 2-4, 2013.** Shabbat in Ventnor, NJ.

## 2014

**February 19-26, 2014.** Flew to join Helen in Toulouse before my father-in-law [Armand Cohen-Scali](#) passed away February 24, 2014 Saint-Jean, Haute-Garonne, Midi-Pyrénées, France, buried Cimetiere Israelite de Portet-sur-Garonne.

**July 4-6, 2014.** Shabbat in Bethesda, MD.

**July 7, 2014.** Ravit Lubell's wedding, Lakewood, NJ.

## 2015

**??? - April 2, 2015.**

**April 2015.** [The Philadelphia Jewish Voice Celebrates 10 Years](#)

**September 6-20, 2015.** Jon and Gabby offered Helen and me an Asia trip for our 25th anniversary. Sep. 6-8: Eastern Airlines, JFK-PVG-SIN. ([Story](#)) Sep. 8-13, Royal Caribbean, Legend of the Sea. Ports of Call: Laemchabang/Bangkok & Ko Samui, Thailand. Sep. 13-16: Oxford Hotel, Singapore. Rosh Hashanah at Maghain Aboth Synagogue. Wed-Thu, Sep. 16-17: Eastern Airlines, SIN-PVG-NAY. Sep. 17-20, Beijing International Hotel, Beijing, China. Forbidden city. Shabbat at Chabad. Great Wall. ([Story](#)) Sun, Sep. 20, Eastern Airlines, PEK-PVG-JFK. ([Shutterfly photo album](#))

## 2016

**April 22-29, 2016.** Passover in Wembly, London.

**July 13-18, 2016.** Family trip to London for Daniele's wedding (July 17) to [Richard Szerman](#) in Dunmow, Essex, England. .

**August 3-7, 2016.** MAA Conference in Columbus, Ohio with Ben. Traveled with David Pettey, Bill Chen and Michael Catalano-Johnson from SIG to run a seminar on mathematical games. Published [Getting Sets Quickly in Columbus](#) (August 9, 2016)

## 2017

**April 9, 2017.** Flew to Orlando with Rachel and Gabby and met Ben and Jonathan who drove down in my car. Spent Passover in a rental in Kissimmee. Zvi and his extended family had a rental nearby. David and his family joined us. After Passover, the kids flew back and I drove back with stops with the Staykoffs and Adelmans in Charleston, SC and Bob, his family and Dad in Bethesda, MD.

**Aug 21, 2017: Solar Eclipse.** Drove with Rachel and spent Shabbat with Dad, Bob and his family in Bethesda, MD. This was the last time we saw Dad. Met with Ben, Gabby and Jon who flew into Charlotte, NC. See [story by Rachel](#).

**Sep 4.** My father [Stephen Gunther Loeb](#) passed away in Rockville, MD. September 5, Funeral at Kol Sholom. Burial at Judean Garden, Olney, MD. Meal of comfort and Mincha at Bob's house and then returned in an enormous thunderstorm to Philadelphia for the remainder of shiva. Jonathan drove me back. ([Story](#))

**Oct 3:** Moved out to hotel.

**Oct 19:** Started filing for divorce

**Oct 29:** Replaced with Pixel!

**Nov 2-4:** Redistricting Conference at Duke

**Dec 12:** Helen received divorce filing

## 2018

**Jan 29:** Jonathan is diagnosed with cancer. [Timeline](#) ([Lotsa Helping Hands](#))

**Mar 2:** Tree falls on my Tesla. ([Video](#), Story TBD)

**Mar 30 - Apr 8:** Passover in Atlantic City with Mamie Laurette. ([Photo](#), [Update 4/5/18](#)) Gabby's birthday at Grounds for Sculpture.

**Apr 26-30 :** Trip to San Diego for Guy Starr's bar mitzvah, Jon and Ben continue on Space X tour in LA and Tesla Factory tour in Fremont, CA. ([Update 4/26/18](#))

**May 3:** Moved to Maybrook

**May 25-27:** - Rachel's Bat Mitzvah.

**June, 2018:** Jon graduates from Drexel, Gabby graduates from Columbia University's College of Physicians and Surgeons. ([Update 6/2018](#))

**July 17, 2018:** Yellow Pig's Day at Hampshire College Summer Studies in Mathematics

**Sep 2-12.** Flew to Mexico City (Sep 2) and Cancun (Sep 4) with Gabby.

Sep 7: Jon and Ben joined us. Sep. 8. King of Cancun. ([Story](#))

Sep 8. Jon flies back early to attend Samantha's mother's funeral.

Sep 8: Dolphinaris Cancun at the La Isla Cancun Shopping Center. ([Story](#))

Sep 9-11: Rosh Hashana at Cancun Chabad.

**Oct 14, 2018 and Oct 6, 2019:** Esophageal Cancer Action Network "Steps to Save Lives" 5k walk/run in Fairmount Park, Philadelphia, PA ([Update 9/30/18](#))

## 2019

[Publication of the Philadelphia Jewish Voice](#) came to a halt.

**July-August 2019:** Jon's clinical immunotherapy trial at NIH, Bethesda, MD (8/19 Update)

**September-December 2019:** Flying back and forth to Houston for Zymeworks trial at MDAnderson. ([10/19 Update](#), [12/19 Update](#))

## 2020

**January 1, 2020:** Helped Jon moved to Irvine, CA to continue Zymeworks trial at Hoag Cancer Center in Newport Beach, CA. ([1/20 Update](#), [9/20 Update](#))

**February 14, 2020.** Synagogue retreat

\*\*\* Pandemic.

**June 2020:** Trip to base of the Grand Canyon and Las Vegas.

TBD Irvine, San Diego. Houston. Orlando.

## 2021

LA, San Diego, close apartment in Irvine

Passover North Carolina.

Set up apartment Engelwood

Miami, Boca Raton blood donation

**August 8, 2022:** Jonathan admitted to Memorial Sloane Kettering for final hospitalization

**September 10, 2022:** Jonathan's engagement to [Rachel Edelman](#). ([Video](#), [Photos](#), [Story](#))

**October 5, 2022** (Rosh Chodesh Mar Cheshvan 5782): Jonathan died at Memorial Sloane Kettering Hospital in New York City, NY. ([Jahrzeits](#))

**October 11:** Funeral at Temple Beth Hillel-Beth El, Wynnewood, PA. ([Video](#), [Text of eulogies](#))

Buried [Montefiore Cemetery](#) (Jenkintown, PA, Sec. 1, Lot 422, Grave 4)

**October 11-18, 2022:** Shiva at 276 Barwynne Lane, Wynnewood, PA.  shiva jon ([Schedule](#))

**November 9, 2022:** Shloshim at Jack Barrack Hebrew Academy

**October 2021:**

 **Jonathan Loeb** death October@Jon death, shiva, shloshim

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Dec 25 DC trip

Dec 31-Jan 2 Lankenau

## 2022

Jan 12-24 operation, stroke, seizure, ICU, stepdown

Jan 24-Feb 4. Rehab in-patient

Feb 4-Mar 7. Penn Medicine at Home

Mar 8-Jun 8. Cardio rehab

Apr 15-24: Passover with Rachel and Bob's and Elikans in DC

July 4-8: Orlando trip for David and Maureen's renewal of vows.

Aug 25: SSDI effective retroactively back to this date.

Oct 1: Official last day at SIG.

Oct 9-12: Sukkahfest at Isabella Freedman Jewish Retreat Center

**Oct 25-26:** [Jonathan's first Jahrzeit.](#) ([Jahrzeits](#))

## 2023

Jan 6: Divorce decree.

Feb 17-19: TBHBE retreat Pearlstone with Rachel and Helen

Apr 5-14: Passover at Pearlstone with Ben and Rachel

July : YMPD III. ""

## 2024

## 2025

Feb 1: Medicare eligible

## To Do

Political debates

Redistricting testimony

Math talks including Florence.

Biking 35 mile Covered Bridges Ride in Bucks County and 63 mile American Cancer Society ride.

Political leadership and nonprofit section from

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/16FVbVXM0I1CskpJ66xDMB3sieYU7RYVzR3wxsZ2FKXA/edit>

Google photos

Video archive

Travel expenses in Google

Google calendar  
 Old paper agendas  
 List of talks, papers, coauthors.

Large House Parties

new house	1998	Jon 4th bday moving theme
Fahrenheit	2000	
nomination Rachel	2006	
Tu Bishvat	2014	
High School BBQ	2009	
Princeton BBQ	2013	
Brit Ben	1999	
Shiva Papy Armand	2014	
100 th birthday	2003	
Sukkot big	2008	
Bat Mitzvah Gabby	2003	
Bar Mitzvah Jon		2007
Bar Mitzvah Ben		2012
Gabby 16th		
Harry Pottermultiple		