

P R O C L A M A T I O N

1 WHEREAS, B'nai B'rith was founded on October 13, 1843,
2 and in this year celebrates its 114th anniversary; and

3 WHEREAS, said Order is the oldest and largest Jewish Service
4 organization in the world, with over 1850 men's lodges and
5 women's chapters in the United States and Canada; and

6 WHEREAS, during its 113 years of non-sectarian world service
7 to all people in many lands in educating the young, aiding
8 victims of war and disaster, in supporting philanthropic
9 institutions, in promoting American citizenship, in fighting
10 bigotry and intolerance while furthering democracy and inter-
11 group understanding, B'nai B'rith has been a shining beacon
12 lighting the way towards true democracy,

13 NOW, THEREFORE, I, C. D. BAKER, Mayor of the City of Las
14 Vegas, do hereby proclaim the week of October 20-27 as B'NAI
15 B'RITH WEEK and do call upon the citizens of the City of Las
16 Vegas to join me in expressions of felicitation, support and
17 good wishes for this worthy Order which has played so great a
18 part in our country's development.

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20 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto
21 set my hand and caused to be affixed
22 the seal of the City of Las Vegas
23 this _____ day of October, 1957.

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25 C. D. BAKER, Mayor
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