

Brandeis University
Class of 1978 30th Reunion

Name: Elyse Goldstein

Mac or PC? MAC! Forever! LP, CD, or IPOD? ipod

What was your major? Did you continue in that field?

NEJS and Sociology

Yes I continued in those fields

Career? Do tell!

Rabbi, with a specialty in adult education

Favorite memory from Brandeis days?

So many!

-Saturday morning services in the chapel

-The Waltham Group

-The Roxbury Group

-Studying at Massell Pond

-Gordie Fellman + Morrie Schwartz's crazy classes

-My honors thesis

-Living in the castle

Favorite Brandeis professor?

Gordie Fellman

Morrie Schwartz

Alexander Altmann

What have you done since graduation that you are most proud of?

Written 4 books

Had 3 kids

Started an adult education institute

Travelled around the world for 6 months with my husband + kids

Are you single or married? Tell us about your family:

Married for 23 years to Baruch Sienna

3 sons: Noam (18 – a Brandeis freshman!)

Carmi (16 – thinking of going to Brandeis!)

Micah (14 – who knows...?)

What goals have you set for yourself for the next ten years?

Write one more book

Change careers! Start something new!

What items are on your bucket list?

To see the Taj Mahal

To Volunteer in Israel

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Please provide a joke, a current photo, and a photo from your time at Brandeis.

Joke - that we graduated 30 years ago!

My photo is of me and my best friend from Brandeis days, Dayle Friedman - then and now. Still best friends 30 years later! (and she is still taller than me!)

