

elsewhere, imbibing N. W. London values rather than Torah Veavodah.



My father z'l the late Henry Koor who was a lifelong Mizrachist and a Mizrachi macher, asked (possibly ordered) the mackir, Neville King, to meet me and persuade me to return to B'nei Akiva. That led to three consecutive motzaei Shabbat two hour one on one conversations at my parent's house. Neville was successful and I went to Seminar Torani in the summer of 1968.

Thereafter, the Willesden Bayit became my first home and I spent more time there than in school.

Hadracha in Norrice Lea, madrich at Alef Camp in Stamford Lincolnshire with Stephen Nagus as Rosh Machaneh and my future wife as the cook. Veidot in 1969 and 1970 followed by a year in Kerem B'Yavneh instead of Hachshara (thank you Joni Grodzinski). Johnny & Essie Oberman were the shiichim and I still remember Johnny's shiurim in the bayil. I also served on the Hanhala, as Rosh Machaneh in Rishworth Yorkshire and Bet Winter camp and then from 1974, camps organizer with Sue Levy. We came on Aliyah in April 1979. Looking at our children and grandchildren and their contribution to Israel, we have never looked back.