

## Qualifications

### Morton Arthur Lewis AZA #135

- ◆ Aleph in Good Standing (2010-Present)
- ◆ Aleph Mazkir (Fall 2011)
- ◆ Aleph Gizbor (Spring 2012)
- ◆ Aleph Moreh (Fall 2012)
- ◆ Lewis Retreat (2011, 2012)

### North Texas-Oklahoma #74/ International

- ◆ LTI Convention (Spring 2011)
- ◆ Texoma Kallah (Fall 2011)
- ◆ Frat/Sis (Fall 2011)
- ◆ Regional Convention (2011, 2012)
- ◆ CLTC 6 2012
- ◆ Lev Aryeh #1460 Chapter Gizbor
- ◆ Impact: Pittsburgh 2012
- ◆ International Convention (2013)
- ◆ J-Serve Participant (2011)
- ◆ J-Serve Committee (2012, 2013)
- ◆ AIPAC Board (2011)
- ◆ Inclusion Board (2011, 2012)
- ◆ ADL Board (2011, 2012)

### Outside Qualifications

- ◆ JJ Pearce Spanish Club
- ◆ JJ Pearce Students Against Destructive Decisions Club
- ◆ JJ Pearce StandUp Together Club
- ◆ JJ Pearce Student Athletic Trainer
- ◆ Member of Congregation Anshai Torah

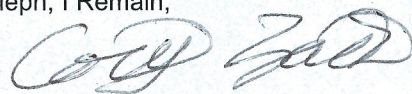
### **My Brother Alephs,**

These past 26 months have been the greatest of my life. I joined Lewis the week before Halloween my freshman year and it is scary how much I fell in love with this great organization so quickly. I never thought BBYO could have such an impact on my life. The friends I have made and the memories I have experienced will remain with me the rest of my life. The leadership characteristics I have gained, the life skills I have learned, and the drive to succeed that I have today are all things that BBYO has given me and that I plan to share with each and every single Aleph in North Texas-Oklahoma.

The stepping-stone to success in BBYO is communication. It all starts with that phone call between board members that are planning a program. Without proper communication between board members, nothing would get done. It all starts with Corro being sent out to the chapter explaining all the events that weekend. Without proper communication between the board and chapter members, attendance at programs would be low and Alephs would miss out on opportunities of a lifetime. It is my goal to not let any Aleph miss out on any opportunity.

Gentlemen, too often we let opportunity slip through the cracks. Whether we're too timid to take the next step, or too comfortable to realize that more progress is attainable, we inherently stick to what we know and steer clear of the unfamiliar path. But today we venture down that path, for in the unknown lays the greatest success and progress we have seen before. Together, we will take that next step. We will leap over the cracks, and pave our way into history. Together.

Fraternally Submitted with undying love for my home chapter of Morton Arthur Lewis AZA #135, North Texas-Oklahoma Region #74 and the Aleph Zadik Aleph, I Remain,

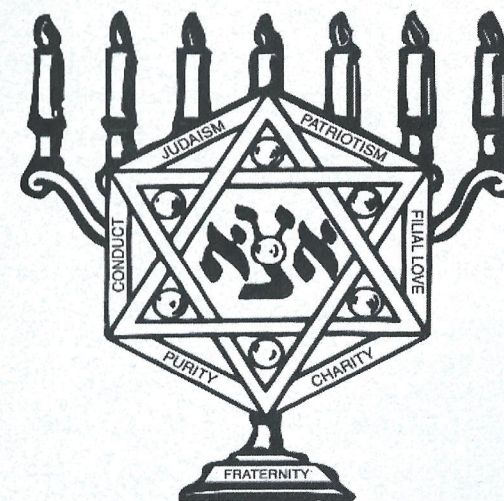


**Aleph Cory Evan Zack**  
Aspiring to be North Texas-Oklahoma's 29<sup>th</sup>  
Regional Aleph Mazkir

## **Aleph**

### **Cory Evan Zack**

Aspiring for the High and  
Honorable position of  
North Texas-Oklahoma's  
29<sup>th</sup> Regional Aleph Mazkir



**Dedication and Commitment  
for Stronger Communication**

"The most important key to  
achieving great success is to  
decide upon your goal and launch,  
get started, take action, move."  
-Coach John Wooden



## Goals

### Individual Mazkir Meetings

Each and every chapter is unique. Ideas that work for one Mazkir might not work for others. I will conduct individual meeting for each chapter's Mazkir in order to find out the ways in which they communicate and the way that works best for them. Through my random calling system, I will be able to offer suggestions to each Mazkir to improve their chapter's communication.

### Building a Stronger Relationship with FRAZA

Not enough can be said of the importance of FRAZA to our region. In addition to always being available for contact by phone and email, I will keep FRAZA up to date on what is going on in Dallas Council through weekly emails. I will also have phone calls with their Mazkir to see how their communication is and talk about ways to improve it. In addition, I will make at least one visit per term to Tulsa to meet with FRAZA's Mazkir and to also strengthen the bond with them.

### Bringing Gilbert Back

As the Dallas Mavericks slogan for their 2011 championship run said, "The Time is Now!" For a long time now we have said about bringing Gilbert back, but the time to do it is now. The main way to do this is to constantly communicate with potential members in Gilbert. Not only through talking to them on a regular basis, but also going to visit Fort Worth often.

## Goals

### Strengthening NTO's Connection with South Africa

Globalization is not only a big part of BBYO, but it has also a big part of our Jewish identity. Within the past year, NTO has teamed up with BBYO in South Africa. I plan to utilize the resources that this past regional board has provided to help build BBYO there and to strengthen our connection with them. By the end of my term, I hope to have brought teens from South Africa to a convention in NTO and also to have pen pals with teenagers there.

### NTO 174

BBYO's summer experiences help build the leaders of not only BBYO, but also the Jewish Community. As a region, we always are successful in sending many teenagers on summer programs. This coming summer it is time to surpass those numbers. It is my goal, in the couple months I have before the summer, to get 174 kids from NTO signed up for summer programs. This means promoting them in every way I can possible. Also, I will begin working early to promote summer programs for 2014.

### Monthly Regional Calendar

A calendar's job is to inform and to remind people of upcoming events. So why not do that on a regional level? I plan on creating a calendar for each month that will include fundraisers, sports, conventions, deadlines, and international events. These will be fun calendars that will have a theme each month.

## Goals

### Increased Attendance at Regional Events

NTO always has excellent attendance at regional events, but now it is time to take it a step further. The best way to increase attendance is by promoting the event. As I've seen from some of my international friends' regions, they go above and beyond when it comes to promoting a regional event. I plan on forming a regional committee to promote events. Through my committee and me using social media, we will be able to catch everyone in the region's attention to upcoming events. This will not only increase attendance, but also increase excitement.

### Regional Board Communication

If elected, not only would I be in charge of communication within chapters, chapters communicating with other chapters, and chapters communicating with regional board, but also regional board communicating with each other. It is necessary for every regional board member to be aware and on the same page for everything in order for the board to be successful.

### Communication with Everyone

One of my personal goals is to communicate with everyone in the region. This means not only Mazkirs, or my chapter counterpart, or regional board, but also every member in this region. No matter who you are, what you've done, or what you're going to do, I plan on getting to know every single one of you.