

The Bene Israel Community Family Tree

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The Integrated Family Tree of The Bene Israel Community of India developed by Nissim Moses is now available for viewing at Beit Hatefutsot—The Museum of the Jewish People, located within the complex of Tel Aviv University Computer Center. The continuing project currently contains about 15,000 individual name entries, several thousand photographs, and several hundred biographical write ups of the contribution of individuals of the community to the societies they lived in. For information as to how researchers may obtain access to this data in Genealogy Reports, Descendant's Tree and Ancestors, one may contact

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It is also possible to find relationship with other individuals of the community. Persons interested in developing their family tree and adding their family to this tree may send the following information for each individual:

1. Family Name-(Kar)
2. Current Surname
3. First Name
4. Father's name
5. Mother's/Wife's Name
6. Mother's/Wife's Family Name, Father's Name and Mother's Name
7. His/Wife's/Father's/Mother's Birth Date
8. His/Her/and Their Parents' Marriage Date and Locations
9. Photographs of Individuals, if Possible

All photographs sent by surface mail and all materials will be returned to the sender within 2 weeks.

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Alternately one may send the information and photographs by email to:
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One may also send information about the children and siblings of persons and biographical write ups about individuals of the family. Please do not include medical information or negative references to persons in the write ups.