

# RABBI ALBERT MINDA, 81

Jan. 18, 1977



See the article in its original context from  
January 18, 1977, Page 29 [Buy Reprints](#)

New York Times subscribers\* enjoy full access to  
TimesMachine—view over 150 years of New  
York Times journalism, as it originally appeared.

[SUBSCRIBE](#)

\*Does not include Crossword-only or  
Cooking-only subscribers.

## About the Archive

*This is a digitized version of an article from The Times's print archive, before the start of online publication in 1996. To preserve these articles as they originally appeared, The Times does not alter, edit or update them.*

*Occasionally the digitization process introduces transcription errors or other problems; we are continuing to work to improve these archived versions.*

---

Rabbi Albert G. Minda, a past president of the Central Conference of American Rabbis and former international vice president of the World Union for Progressive Judaism, died Saturday in Minneapolis where he had been the spiritual leader of Temple Israel from 1922 to his retirement in 1963. He was 81 years old.

Rabbi Minda, a native of Holton, Kan., was graduated in 1918 from the University of Cincinnati and received his theological degree from Hebrew Union College in 1919. He went to Minneapolis after three years at Temple Beth El in South Bend, Ind.

He was prominent in civic as well as religious activities in Minneapolis. He was a co-founder of the Minneapolis Urban League in 1925 and of the city's Round Table Conference of Christians and Jews in 1940. The Minnesota Territorial Centennial Commission named him to its list of 100 great living Minnesotans.

Survivors include his wife, the former Frances Salinger of South Bend; a son, Roland; a brother, Meyer, and a sister, Mrs. Joseph Berlau.