

Date: 3/22/01

Book Title: Just Revenge by Alan M. Derшовitz

Hostess: Laura Lewkowsky

Food served: veggies & dip; Jewish rye bread (soona with Salmon Spread in the center; Cyanide capsule (white good & plenty) bagel chips (Kosher of course)

Book Synopsis: w the grand finale - Death By Chocolate served in a "Silver Chalice"!

Max; whose entire family was slaughtered 50 yrs ago by the Nazis comes face to face w/ the head killer. He plans his revenge yet struggles w/ his own <sup>conscience</sup>

Review: We felt the author had an interesting topic & his idea of how it must have felt to be in Max's position. But we all agreed that the "twists" weren't realistic & the ending garbled. The discussion was pretty unanimous - it could have been written better but still a good read

Highlights of Discussion: We had other books about Jewish Lithuanian - one called growing up in Jewish Lithuania in Town (Edward Bellis). Talked about Mullies (+ skin rashes!)

Attendance: Nancy McQuate + Ann Starke, Nancy Shellonberg, Nancy Daisman, Sandy, Linda + Patricia

Suggestions/Business: Decided that next December when the KDL kicks off its winter Reading Program we should all go as a group - make a night of it! Use the suggested reading "cards" for Book choices?