

SIMON WIESENTHAL CENTER

MUSEUM OF TOLERANCE

2017  
NATIONAL TRIBUTE DINNER

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2017 HUMANITARIAN AWARD RECIPIENT

MEDAL OF VALOR RECIPIENTS

**SHIMON PERES** (POSTHUMOUSLY)

**RODDIE EDMONDS** (POSTHUMOUSLY)

**JOHNNIE MOORE**

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 2017

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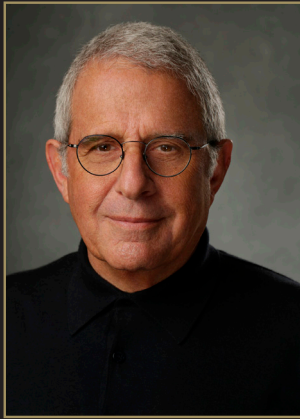
**BARBRA STREISAND**

COCKTAILS 6:00 P.M.

DINNER 7:00 P.M.

BUSINESS ATTIRE

RSVP ENCLOSED



# RON MEYER

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Ron Meyer is Vice Chairman of NBCUniversal. He provides strategic guidance and counsel on all aspects of the company, including its valuable portfolio of film and television assets, as well as the global theme park businesses.

He was promoted in September 2013 after serving as President and Chief Operating Officer of Universal Studios since 1995.

Prior to joining Universal Studios, Mr. Meyer was President of Creative Artists Agency, which he founded in 1975 with four fellow agents from the William Morris Agency. Over the years they built the company into the preeminent talent agency, representing many of the industry's most influential and talented people, and later expanding its range of services to include consulting with leading American and international corporations.

Previously, Mr. Meyer was a television agent with the William Morris Agency from 1970 to 1975. Prior to that, he worked as a messenger at the Paul Kohner Agency in Los Angeles from 1964 to 1970. Before joining the Paul Kohner Agency, Mr. Meyer served in the United States Marine Corps.

He lives in Malibu, California with his wife, Kelly, and has three daughters and a son.

## MEDAL OF VALOR RECIPIENTS

### SHIMON PERES (POSTHUMOUSLY)

Former President, Prime Minister and Nobel Peace Laureate who was one of the founding fathers of the State of Israel.

### RODDIE EDMONDS (POSTHUMOUSLY)

A high ranking U.S. Officer and POW who, at gun point, stood up to the Nazi's and saved 200 Jewish GI's.

### JOHNNIE MOORE

Humanitarian who helped rescue 149 Christians from ISIS affected territories relocating them to the West.

# WHAT YOU ARE SUPPORTING

The Simon Wiesenthal Center is an international Jewish human rights organization that confronts anti-Semitism, hate and terrorism, stands with Israel, defends the safety of Jews worldwide, and teaches the lessons of the Holocaust for future generations. It is an accredited NGO at the United Nations, UNESCO, the OSCE, the Organization of American States, the Latin American Parliament and the Council of Europe.

The Museum of Tolerance Los Angeles challenges visitors to confront bigotry and racism and to understand the Holocaust in both historic and contemporary contexts. Since opening in 1993, the Museum has hosted over 6 million visitors. More than 2.5 million children and youth have participated in the Museum experience and its programs, and almost 200,000 adults have been trained in the Museum's customized professional development programs over the last 20 years. "Anne"- the Museum's newest exhibition has been called, "...the most extensive exploration of Anne Frank in any museum outside Amsterdam," by *The New York Times*.

The two-time Academy Award®-winning Moriah Films division of the Simon Wiesenthal Center has produced fifteen documentaries on the epic events that have shaped modern Jewish history. Narrators for Moriah Films have included Elizabeth Taylor, Orson Welles, Sir Ben Kingsley, Michael Douglas, Dustin Hoffman, Nicole Kidman, Morgan Freeman, Christoph Waltz and Sandra Bullock. Its fourteenth documentary, *The Prime Ministers: Soldiers and Peacemakers*, a behind-the-scenes look at the epic moments of Israel's history, has been screening across the United States and Canada. Moriah is now in production on two films, the lives of Shimon Peres (2017) and David Ben-Gurion (2018). Millions of people have seen Moriah's films in theaters, and on cable around the world. Its films are now streaming on Netflix®, Amazon Prime, Hulu and iTunes.

The Campus Outreach department forges strategic alliances with campus leaders, faculty, staff and students to confront growing anti-Semitism on university campuses and to foster a new awareness of contemporary human rights, social justice and ethics among today's college and university students. Campus Outreach's tolerance training program focuses on combatting anti-Semitism, confronting hate speech, and promoting dialogue among the diverse students on campuses today.

The New York office of the Simon Wiesenthal Center has trained thousands of educators, law enforcement officials, state and local government professionals as well and youth in its specialized Tools for Tolerance® professional development program while the next generation of Jewish leaders are being educated through the Center's successful Government Advocacy Internship Program. Its annual Dorothy Gardner Adler State of Anti-Semitism Lecture features world renowned experts addressing anti-Semitism in today's world.

The Museum of Tolerance Jerusalem, currently under construction in the heart of the city, is a 185,000 sq. ft. complex that has been praised by all of Israel's leaders, including Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, former President Shimon Peres, current president Reuven Rivlin and Jerusalem's Mayor Nir Barkat. The Museum will celebrate the vibrancy of Israel's democracy by promoting universal respect and co-existence and will deal with the vital issues of the 21st century.

## DINNER CHAIRMEN

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