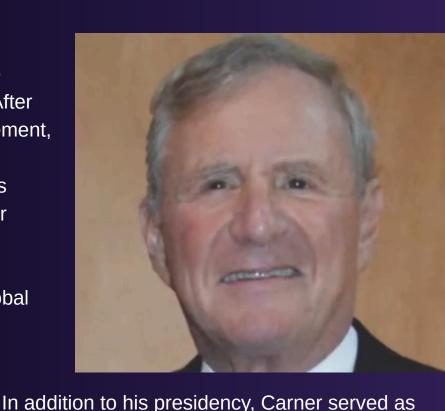


MACCABIUSA MEDAL OF HONOR



RON CARNER (Z"L)

Ron Carner (z"l) was a dedicated and visionary leader in Maccabi USA whose decades of service left a lasting mark. After more than 25 years of volunteer involvement, he was elected President of Maccabi USA/Sports for Israel in 2009. Under his leadership, the U.S. sent its largest-ever delegation of 1,102 athletes to the 19th Maccabiah, and he helped steward the organization's financial strength and global reach.





General Chairman of the 18th USA Maccabiah
Organizing Committee, bringing his passion
for Jewish identity, Israel, and youth athletic
engagement into every facet of Maccabi
USA's mission. He also held a leadership role
in the Maccabi World Union as an
International Vice President. In 2009, Carner
received the Yakir Award for lifetime
achievement by Maccabi World Union. Ron
was deeply committed to building Jewish pride
through sports and nurturing ties between
American Jews and Israel.