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The Independent Order of Bnai Brith,
an association of twenty five thousand Israelites,
striving for the elevation of the moral and social condition of their race,
send greeting
to their illustrious brother
Sir Moses Montefiore Baronet
and unite with the best of all lands in tendering him their
heartfelt congratulations
on this, the
One hundredth anniversary of his birthday.

His life, prolonged by the grace of God beyond the time allotted to man, has
been

"A Blessing To All Nations"

We venerate in him the bright example of the Jewish virtues of
"Benevolence and Brotherly Love"

to the practice of which he has zealously devoted his whole life, and thereby
shed lustre upon the
House of Israel

And in the long chain of events of his career he has displayed those admirable
qualities which
"Enoble human nature, dignify human life and make human progress possible."

We earnestly pray our Heavenly Father, that the days of our beloved Brother
may yet be long on
Earth and that he may be blessed with health and strength, to enjoy the
happiness
of further witnessing the fruition of this noble aims and deeds.

Given at New York, United States of America, on the Ninth Day of Cheshvan,
Five Thousand Six Hundred and Forty Five (October 28th 1884)

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Secretary

Julius Bien,
President

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