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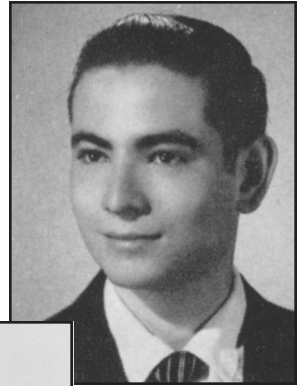
## Robert Cohn

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Having spent his childhood in University City and graduated from University City High School, Robert Cohn decided to continue living in the community and attend Washington University. It is here where he earned his bachelor degrees in English and political science, as well as a doctorate of law.

It is with this acquired knowledge that Cohn began working at a small bi-weekly publication. This small bi-weekly publication became a highly respected, award-winning publication known as *The Jewish Light*. Since the first issue was published, Cohn and his staff began winning several national awards for service and excellence in Jewish journalism, such as the Polakoff Award for Distinguished Service to Jewish Press.

Knowing the importance of being actively involved in the community, Cohn serves in several volunteer capacities including chairman of the St. Louis County Human Relations Commission, board member for the Legal Advocates for Abused Women, and president of the Congregation of Shaare Emeth.



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