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## WELCOME TO BALTIMORE

Ilona and Don Quest are eager to welcome you to the 1987 Congress of Neurological Surgeons meeting, which will take place in Baltimore the week of October 25, 1987. The convention will be held at the city's acclaimed Inner Harbor area which has lovely hotels, restaurants and shops clustered around the waterfront.

When they met in 1966 at Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center, Ilona was a recent graduate of Columbia University and Don had just finished his career as a naval aviator. Don, originally from St. Louis, did his undergraduate work at the University of Illinois and received his medical degree from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University. He is now an Associate Professor at the Neurological Institute, Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center.

Don's activities include serving on his town's Board of Education, playing the trombone in local bands, and coaching as many soccer teams as he can. Not coincidentally their daughters Wendy, 16,

Amy, 15, and Susan, 12, are all accomplished soccer players. In addition to soccer, Wendy loves skiing and visiting prospective colleges; Amy loves sports and the flute; and Susan loves everything.

Ilona, a former occupational therapist, is convinced that chauffeuring their three daughters is a "fun and productive" activity. Whenever possible she runs into



New York City, especially to the Metropolitan Museum of Art. She also spends time fund raising and serving as chairman of the local school's scholarship selection committee.

The Quests hope they will see you at the Congress of Neurological Surgeons' 37th Annual Meeting in Baltimore.

## HISTORIC PAST, BRIGHT FUTURE

Baltimore, an exciting and historic city of 786,000, boasts an urban renewal program that serves as a model for port cities throughout the country. Its downtown area has been rejuvenated into a showplace for visitors and residents, with careful attention paid to the preservation of the many fine historic buildings. Both the Charles Center and Inner Harbor renovations have won over 20 national and international awards, including in 1984, the prestigious American Institute of Architecture's Institute of Honor.

Among this dynamic city's many attractions are its new convention center which is prominently located in the heart of the city, and Harborplace, the cornerstone of the Inner Harbor area. Harborplace is a rich amalgam of shops, restaurants, and waterfront cafés. Baltimore proudly claims many museums ranging from the Johns Hopkins Archaeological Museum and the Baltimore Museum of Art, to numerous smaller feature institutions such as the Cloisters Children's Museum and the Bal-



Federal Hill Park, photo by Tom Nappi

timore Museum of Industry. An array of fine restaurants offers a wide variety of ethnic dishes, year round fresh seafood, and in the fall, Baltimore's specialty: peppery, steamed blue crabs.

Baltimore enjoys a moderate climate, and fall weather is usually pleasant. Although daytime temperatures may be as warm as the mid-sixties, evening weather is considerably cooler. The area may experience its first frost in late October.

A fleet of motorized trolley cars make sightseeing in the city pleasant and easy in case of rain. During fair weather, the sights and smells of this historic city can be best experienced on foot.



## Sunday, October 25

**HOSPITALITY SUITE**  
8 am - 5:00 pm  
Daily 8:00 am - 11:00 am  
3:30 pm - 5 pm  
Thursday until noon

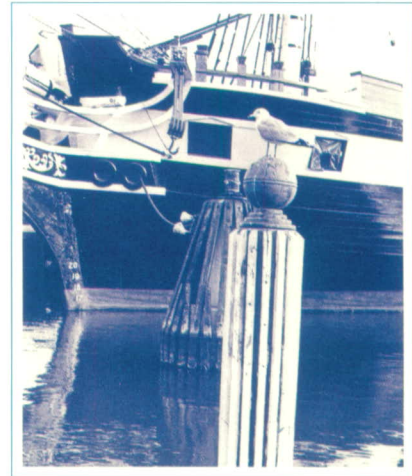
Located in the Maryland Suite of the Hyatt, adjacent to the second floor lobby, the hospitality area will be open for breakfast and

refreshments. Also available here will be assistance from local auxiliary members and professional tour people in planning independent activities.

## BALTIMORE HIGHLIGHTS

1:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Discover the richness of Baltimore's history and renaissance. The tour begins at Harbor Place, the rejuvenated center of the city, which houses the World Trade Center, Harborplace, the National Aquarium, the Maryland Science Center and the U.S. Frigate Constellation (1798). It continues to nearby Mt. Vernon Place, one of the country's most elegant squares, with graceful townhouses, parks, and the Peabody Conservatory of Music with its magnificent five-tiered Library. Along the way you will view the historic neighborhoods of Otterbein and Federal Hill, whose treasured homes are the "Showplace of Old Baltimore." A stop at the world-famous Johns Hopkins Hospital Rotunda to see the statue of Christus Consolator



Detail Harbor Place, photo by Mary Pitts

jazz fans at the stylish cabaret, Ethel's Place. Included are dinner and a performance by Baltimore's nationally known jazz great, Ethel Ennis.



## Monday, October 26

### FUN RUN

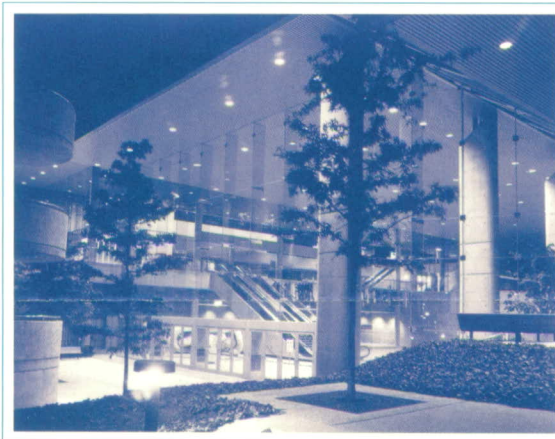
6:30 am - 7:30 am

Get a close-up view of Baltimore's Inner Harbor and the restored neighborhood of Federal Hill during the annual Fun Run. The three mile loop will provide a perfect introduction to the sights of the waterfront area.

### AEROBICS

7:00 am - 8:00 am  
Aerobics will be repeated on  
Tuesday, October 27, and  
Wednesday, October 28,  
7:00 am - 8:00 am

All are invited to start the day with a fitness session led by Janice Altman from *Bringing Up the Rear*. Remember exercise attire and shoes. A health breakfast will follow.



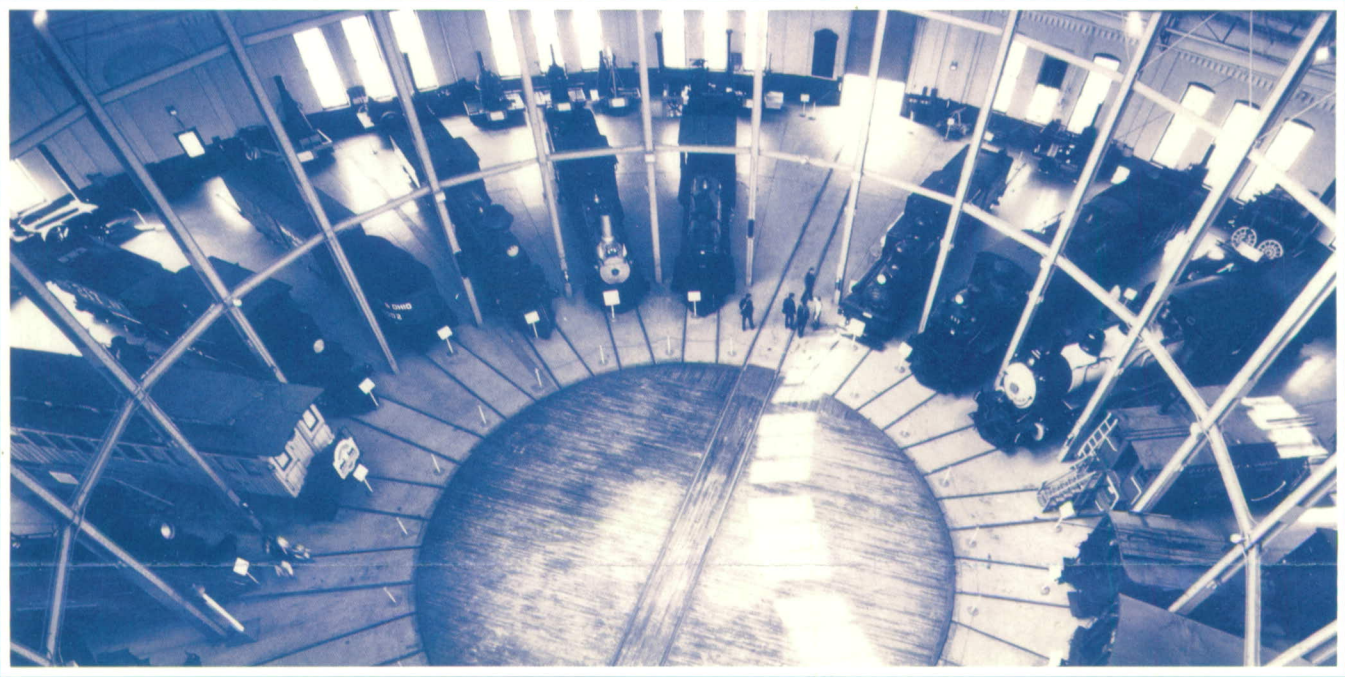
Baltimore Convention Center

and a visit to Fort McHenry where Francis Scott Key was inspired to write "The Star Spangled Banner," complete the afternoon.

### ETHEL'S JAZZ CLUB

7:30 pm

A special evening is in store for



*B & O Train Museum, photo by Greg Pease*

**BREAKFAST FOR  
NEW MEMBERS' AND  
RESIDENTS' SPOUSES**  
8:00 am - 9:00 am

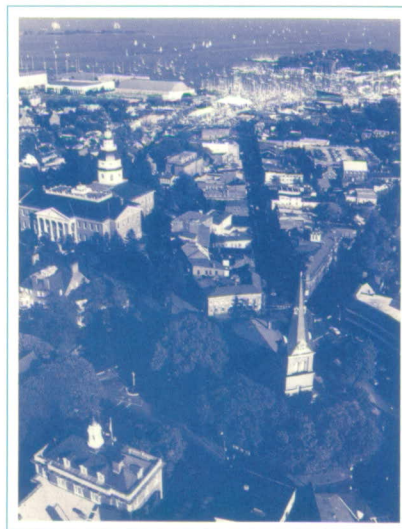
Spouses of new members and residents are encouraged to attend this informal breakfast buffet in the Presidential Suite. Come directly from aerobics. Or drop in any time during the hour. There will be plenty of time to join the tours afterwards.

**COLONIAL  
ANNAPOLIS**  
9:30 am - 4:30 pm

Visit this colonial city whose tree-lined, brick-paved streets take you through three centuries of beautiful architecture. Featured are the Hammond-Harwood House, Chase-Lloyd House, and the William Paca House and garden. We will explore the United States Naval Academy and follow a historic path to the oldest State House. Lunch will be provided in a colonial setting at one of the historic inns of Annapolis followed by a brief shopping trip to the picturesque City Dock.

**McCORMICK TEA  
HOUSE**  
9:30 am - 11:30 am  
again at 1:15 pm - 3:30 pm

Follow the scents of cinnamon and nutmeg that float across the harbor to their source at the McCormick building. Visitors will learn about the origins of exotic herbs and spices then sip tea and take refreshments in a recreated Shakespearean village.



*Annapolis, photo by Greg Pease*

**NATIONAL  
AQUARIUM**  
10:15 am - 12:15 pm

The Aquarium, the crown jewel of the Inner Harbor, offers a magnificent seven-level display of aquatic life in natural habitats. This educational showcase houses over 600 types of mammals, fish, birds, reptiles, amphibians and invertebrates.

**PATRIOT CRUISE**  
12:30 pm - 2:30 pm

One of the delights of Baltimore is a ninety-minute cruise of the Inner Harbor. Enjoy spectacular views while you witness the constantly changing scenes of the harbor's vast and busy marine terminals and industries.

**OPENING COCKTAIL  
PARTY, B & O RAILROAD  
MUSEUM**  
6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

The fabulous trains of yesteryear provide the setting for this gathering at the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Museum, which is composed of the Mount Claire Station (1830) and the majestic round

## IN CHARGE OF EVENTS



*Lynn Saul & Mary Bellis*

### **LYNN SAUL** Scientific and Educational Committee Chairperson

Lynn is responsible for creating a joint session this year between the Auxiliary and the CNS Membership. Actively involved in volunteer work for various organizations, her main commitment is at the Ronald McDonald House at the Children's Hospital Medical Center in Cincinnati, where she serves on the Board of Directors. She lives in Cincinnati with her husband, Tom, and their two children.

### **MARY BELLIS** Local Arrangements Committee Chairperson

Originally from Florida, Mary has lived in Baltimore with her husband, Ed, for a number of years. She works in a basic science research lab which does experimental hematology at the Oncology Center of the Johns Hopkins University. Mary and Ed have a five year old daughter and are expecting a second child.



### **Dana Day** Meeting Chairperson

Dana lives in Gainesville, Florida with her husband, Art, and their three children. Formerly an elementary school teacher, she currently volunteers in the public school system. She is also involved in community drug prevention projects. Her interests are reading, child development, tennis and outdoor activities.

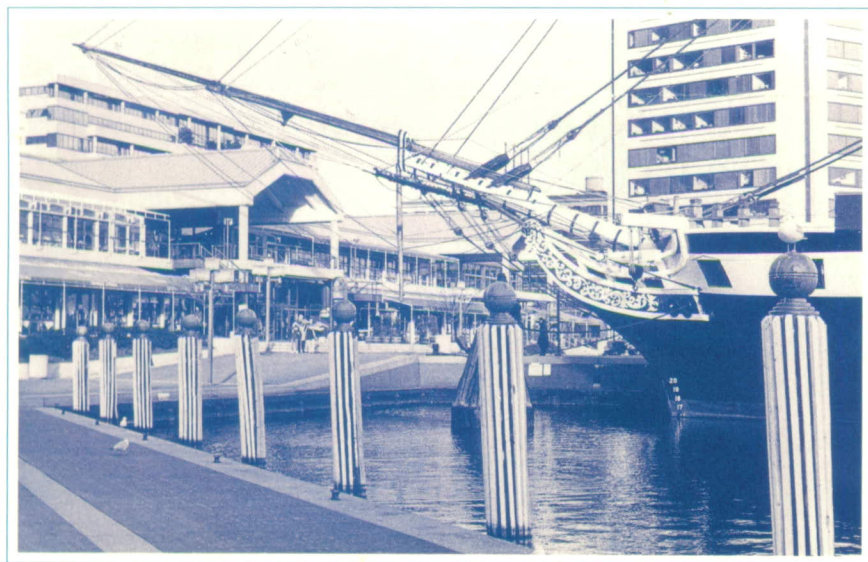
## NEXT YEAR: SEATTLE



*Chris and Debbie Shields*

The 1988 Congress of Neurological Surgeons will meet in Seattle, Washington at the beautiful Seattle Sheraton Hotel from September 24 through 29, 1988. We invite you to come and join us in the spectacular "Emerald City" of the Pacific Northwest, rated by Rand McNally as the number one vacation area in America. Many special activities are being planned to acquaint you with this fascinating and unforgettable harbor city. A post-convention trip to charming Victoria, British Columbia is also being arranged.

We look forward to seeing you at the 38th annual meeting in Seattle.



*Detail Harbor Place, photo by Mary Pitts*



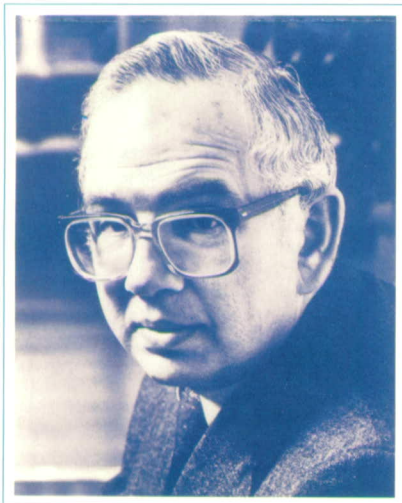
house (1880). The Peabody Ragtime Ensemble will entertain you with turn-of-the-century music as you sample some of Maryland's finest foods and walk among the steam engines of the past.



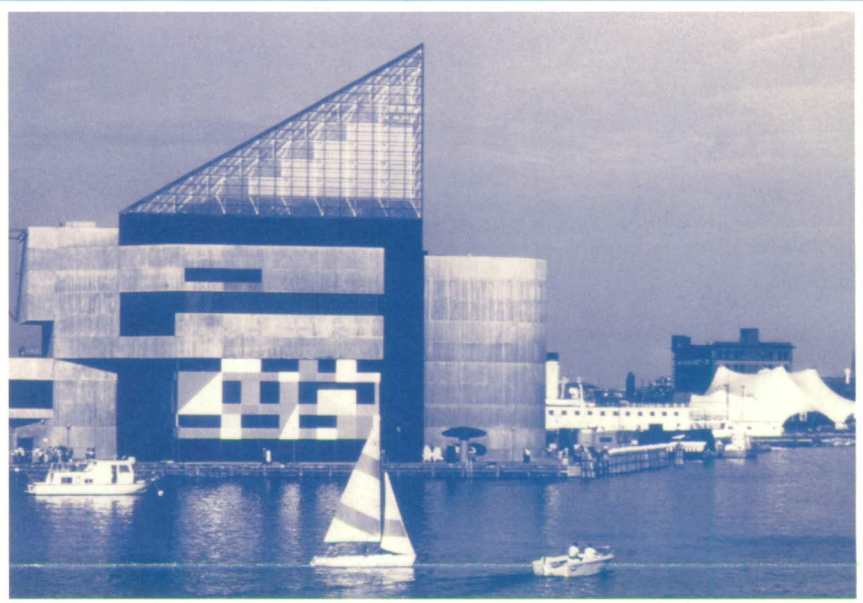
**TUESDAY,  
OCTOBER 27**

**"MALIGNANCY AS IT  
AFFECTS THE PATIENT"  
SCIENTIFIC AND EDUCATIONAL SESSION**  
Hall A, Convention Center  
10:30 am - 11:15 am

Harold S. Kushner, Rabbi of Temple Israel of Natick, Massachusetts since 1966, is the author of **When Bad Things Happen to Good People**. This acclaimed book for helping people cope with suffering was on the New York Times best-seller list for almost a year. It has sold nearly two million copies and has been translated into many languages. Rabbi Kushner is also the author of **When Children Ask About God** and two collections of sermons. His latest bestseller, **When All You've Ever Wanted Isn't Enough**, was released in the spring of 1986.



*Rabbi Harold Kushner*



*National Aquarium*

A native of Brooklyn, New York, Rabbi Kushner is a graduate of Columbia University and was ordained a rabbi by the Jewish Theological Seminary in 1960. He was awarded a doctoral degree in Bible by the Seminary in 1972. He has also studied at the Hebrew University in Jerusalem and the Harvard Divinity School.

**PRESIDENTIAL  
ADDRESS**  
Hall A, Convention Center  
11:15 am- 12:00 pm

**AUXILIARY  
LUNCHEON AND  
FASHION SHOW**  
Engineering Society  
1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Join us for this year's luncheon at the Engineering Society's beautiful mansion, located in the heart of Mt. Vernon Place. A history of this fascinating house will precede lunch, after which a preview of exciting holiday fashions will be presented by Saks Fifth Avenue.

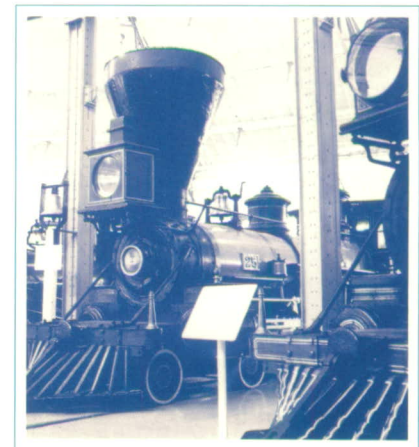
**EXHIBITORS' WINE  
AND CHEESE**  
2:00 pm - 5:00 pm  
Halls B & C, Convention Center

Enjoy light refreshments while you tour the exhibits, meet friends

and catch-up on the latest advances in neurosurgery.

**CRAB FEAST**  
7:30 pm

No visit to Baltimore is complete without tasting the city's famous blue crabs. Come to Obrycki's, one of Baltimore's finest crab houses, described by Craig Clairborne as serving "the finest crabmeat feast I have ever been witness to or participated in." Let the locals show you how to enjoy Baltimore's most renowned delicacy along with plenty of other Maryland favorites, including crab cakes and fried chicken.



*B & O Train Museum, photo by Greg Pease*



**WEDNESDAY,  
OCTOBER 28**

**"MATISSE AND THE  
SUBLIME IN 20TH CEN-  
TURY ART" & Tour of  
the Cone Collection  
SCIENTIFIC AND EDUCA-  
TIONAL SESSION  
Baltimore Museum  
9:00 am - 11:30 am  
Transportation will be  
provided**

Michael Salcman, M.D. is Professor and Head of the Division of Neurological Surgery at the University of Maryland, and the director of the Neurotrauma Service at the University of Maryland Hospital.

Born in Pilsen, Czechoslovakia, he was exposed to the arts from an early age. At Boston University he attended a combined six year



*Dr. Michael Salcman*

program in liberal arts and medical education. In 1971 he began actively collecting art. He and his wife, Ilene, have conducted numerous tours of their personal collection for art groups. A former president of the Friends of Modern Art at the Baltimore Museum, he has also served on the accessions

committee of the museum's Board of Trustees as well as on the Executive Board of its Print and Drawing Society.

Dr. Salcman received his training at the University Hospital in Boston, the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda and the Neurological Institute of New York, Columbia University, where he was a resident in neurological surgery until 1976.

He has just completed his term as the secretary of the Congress and is currently chairman of the editorial board of its journal, *Neurosurgery*.



*Stirling Street Row Houses,  
photo by Greg Pease*

**SHOPPING AT  
OWINGS MILLS MALL  
11:40 pm - 4:45 pm**

This shopping complex, one of Baltimore's newest and most fashionable, offers more than 160 fine specialty and department stores including Saks Fifth Avenue and Macy's.

**MARYLAND  
HISTORICAL  
SOCIETY AND  
ANTIQUÉ ROW  
1:15 pm - 3:30 pm**

The Maryland Historical Society houses fine collections of furniture, clothing, silver, and paintings of Maryland dating from 1634. Also on display is the

original manuscript of Francis Scott Key's *Star Spangled Banner*.

Antique Row is considered one of the top five antique centers in the country. There are over 35 shops which specialize in collectibles ranging from formal English and French pieces to primitive American wares.



*Mt. Vernon Place, photo by  
Tom Nappi*

**RECEPTION AND  
BANQUET  
Constellation Ballroom  
6:30 pm Cocktails,  
7:30 Dinner**

This Gala evening begins with cocktails and the music of strolling violinists. Dinner and dancing follow in the ballroom. Entertainment in this elegant supper club setting will be provided by Zim Zimeral and his big band. Black tie optional.