

POLITZER-PUNTIGAM

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Alexander Milton Politzer was born on May 24, 1913 in New York, the son of **Louis Politzer** and **Florence Neumann**, both immigrants of Austria/Hungary. Alexander was the first of three children born to Louis and Flora. He grew up in Manhattan, New York and on November 20, 1937 he married his sweetheart, **Helen Theresa Puntigam**. Alexander and Helen both lived on East 78th Street, in Manhattan, New York, in buildings across the street from each other.

Helen Puntigam was born on May 25, 1919 in New York City, New York, the daughter of Austrian immigrants **Frank Puntigam** and **Helen Stapitti**. Helen grew up in Manhattan and Queens, New York.

When Alexander and Helen got married they lived for a while in Queens before settling in Baychester at **2201 Palmer Avenue** by the end of 1940. They raised two daughters in Baychester, **Judith and Lynn Politzer**, before moving to Bethel, Connecticut in 1978. He started out supporting his wife and small family as a Clerk in the textile industry.

Alexander Politzer died in 1980, and his wife **Florence** died in 1986. It is not known where they are buried.

Both daughters married and moved away.