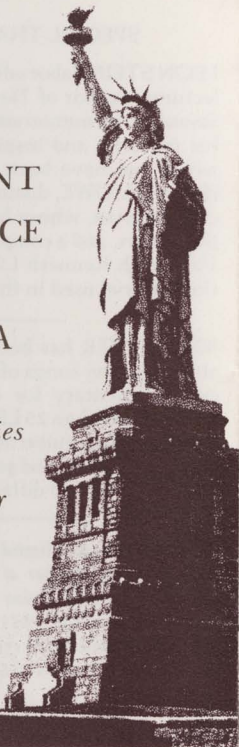


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makers of 1909 * Poem of The Triangle Fire. Side Two: Anthem of the ILGWU *
Glory, Glory, Amalgamated * Motl Der Opraytor * The Cloakmakers'
Union * A Brivele Der Mamen * Ballad of Robert Briscoe * Goodbye
Uganda, Israel Shalom! * Mene, Mene, Tekel



SIDE ONE

America! America! — *by Joe Glazer*
Bulbes (Potatoes) — *traditional*
Lidl Fun Goldenem Land (Song of the
Golden Land) — *by Mordechai Gebirtig*
Rock-A-Bye Baby (Sweatshop Version) —
traditional
Mayn Yingele (My Little Boy) — *by Morris
Rosenfeld*
Di Grineh Kusineh (The Greenhorn Cou-
sin) — *by J. Leiserowitz and A. Schwartz*
Mayn Rue Plats (My Resting Place) — *by
Morris Rosenfeld*
Hail The Waistmakers of 1909 — *by Fanya
Cohen (?)*
Poem of The Triangle Fire — *by Morris
Rosenfeld*

SIDE TWO

Anthem of The ILGWU
Glory, Glory, Amalgamated!
Motl Der Opraytor (Motl The Sewing
Machine Operator)
The Clockmakers' Union — *traditional*
A Brivele Der Mamen (A Letter To Your
Mother) — *by Solomon Shmulewitz*
The Ballad of Robert Briscoe — *by Unknown
Newspaperman, adapted by Joe Glazer*
Goodbye Uganda, Israel Shalom! — *by Joe
Glazer*
Mene, Mene, Tekel — *by Harold Rome*

THIS RECORDING was made in 1981 at a performance by Joe Glazer before a group of friends in the Washington, D.C., area.

This performance commemorated the 100th anniversary of the mass migration of Jews from Eastern Europe which began in earnest after the assassination of Alexander II, Czar of Russia, on March 1, 1881. A wave of pogroms followed the Czar's assassination and this led to the historic exodus of Jews to the Golden land. Between 1881-1914 more than two million Jews arrived in America—the overwhelming majority of them spoke Yiddish and came from Eastern Europe.

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"This recording is dedicated to my father, Louis Glazer, a dues-paying member of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union for 40 years, who came to The Golden Land in 1911; and to my mother, Tillie Glazer, who raised seven children on the erratic pay of a garment worker, and who taught me many of the songs on this cassette."

J.G.

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