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## Women's Campaign for Soviet Jewry

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The Rt. Hon. Mrs. Margaret Thatcher,  
Prime Minister,  
10 Downing Street,  
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Dear Mrs. Thatcher,

We were thrilled to hear that you had laid a wreath at Babi Yar on behalf of the Jewish women and children murdered and buried there. It was an imaginative and much appreciated gesture and we are all most grateful.

Thank you also for receiving the Soviet Jewish Refuseniks and for bringing up their cases with the Soviet Authorities.

No doubt, you heard at first hand the fears felt by many Soviet Jews over the increasing and anti-Semitic violence within the USSR and you will understand how anxious we all are that those who wish to leave should be allowed to emigrate while they are still unharmed. We fear that they face increasing danger.

With many, many thanks from all of us here and from the Soviet Jews themselves.

Yours sincerely,

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