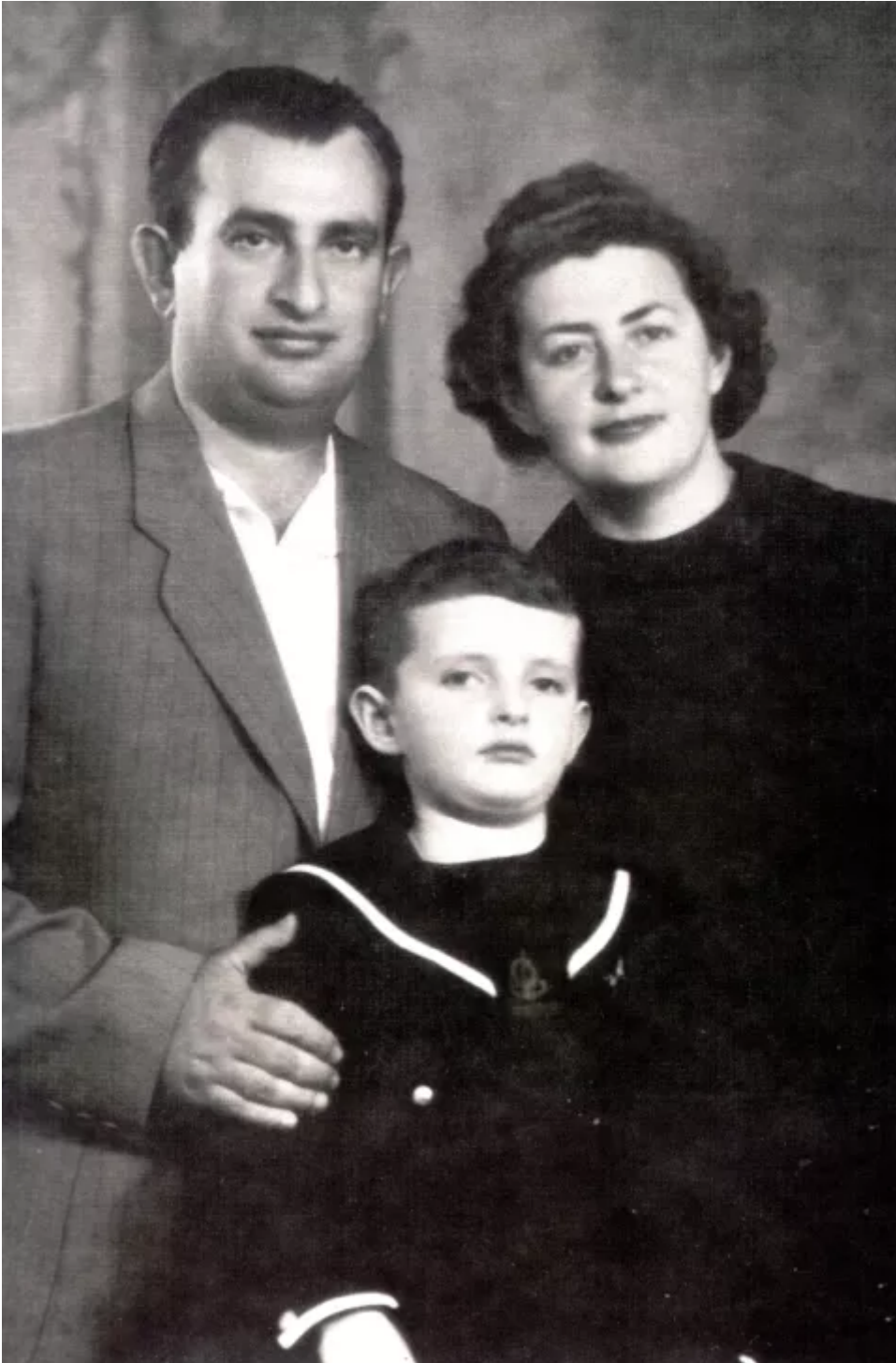


Semyon Gun And His Wife Anneta Karnaukhova



This is me, Semyon Gun and my third wife Anneta Gun on my 50th birthday jubilee in the General's Hall in Odessa House of Officers. This photo was taken in Odessa in 1984. In 1967 I went to work at the factory of individual garments # 2. I received an apartment. I worked in an experimental shop that made collections of men's garments. We also made clothes for the town leadership: secretaries of the regional Party committee and their assistants. We also had private clients. We only received 120 rubles of salary and needed to earn some more. My plan there included four

items of clothing per month. Then there were 10 employees to who I had to give workload. I came to work at 6 in the morning and left work at 11 in the evening until I could work fast enough to keep them busy at work. Then I had an inkling that the situation was to change. I began to learn to sew women's clothes. It worked out well. In 1975 at an exhibition in Kiev I met I met Michael Voronin, men's clothing modeler. We became friends. Voronin is a popular Ukrainian modeler now. He owns a concern 'Voronin'. It contains a factory and a network of stores all over Ukraine including Odessa. In 1967 I got married for the third time. My wife Anneta Michailovna Karnaukhova is Russian. She was born in 1938 in Odessa. She finished The College of Surveys in Odessa. We don't have common children, but I've raised her son Vadim since he was five years of age, although I didn't officially adopt him. He calls me 'Father'. My wife Anneta and I live in a 3-room apartment in Sophievskaya Street in the center of Odessa.