

# Let's Talk About It!



# JEWISH LITERATURE

*Identity and Imagination*

## "A Mind of Her own: Fathers and Daughters In a Changing World"



### Selected Titles For LTAI Discussion

08/24/08	Sholem Aliechem	<i>Tevye the Dairyman</i>
09/28/08	Yeziarska, Anzia	<i>The Bread Givers</i>
10/26/08	Kaplan, Johanna	<i>O My America!</i>
11/11/08	Roth, Philip	<i>American Pastoral</i>
01/04/09	Goldberg, Myla	<i>Bee Season</i>

### Other Titles Featuring Jewish Girls & Women

**Abraham, Pearl**  
*The Romance Reader*

**Albert, Elisa**  
*How This Night Is Different, Book Of Dahlia*

**Anton, Maggie**  
*Rashi's Daughters Bk 1 Joheved, Rashi's Daughters Bk. li Miriam*

**Arkin, Frida**  
*Hedwig And Berti*

**Bank, Melissa**  
*The Wonder Spot*

**Bloom, Amy**  
*Away: A Novel*

**Burton, Ann**  
*Abigail's Story*

**Card, Orson S.**  
*"Women Of The Bible" Titles*

**Charlesworth, Monique**  
*The Children's War*

**Cohen, Paula M.**  
*Much Ado About Jessica Kaplan*

**Dudman, Clare**  
*98 Reasons For Being*

**Etzioni-halevy, Eva**  
*Song Of Hannah, Garden Of Ruth, Triumph Of Deborah*

**Eve, Nomi**  
*The Family Orchard*

**Goldreich, Gloria**  
*Walking Home*

**Goldstein, Rebecca**  
*Properties Of Light, Mazel*

**Goodman, Allegra**  
*Paradise Park*

**Grant, Linda**  
*When I Lived In Modern Times*

**Gregory, Philippa**  
*The Queen's Fool*

**Halter, Marek**  
*Sarah: A Novel, Lilah: A Forbidden Love, Zipporah, Wife Of Moses*

**Hanauer, Cathi**  
*My Sister's Bones*

**Horn, Dara**  
*In The Image*

**Isaacs, Susan**  
*Lily White, Shining Through, Close Relations*

**King, Ruchama**  
*Seven Blessings*

**Kirshenbaum, Binnie**  
*An Almost Perfect Moment*

**Kohn, Rebecca**  
*The Gilded Chamber : A Novel Of Queen Esther*

**Kuper, Daniela**  
*Hunger And Thirst*

**Lipman, Elinor**  
*Inn At Lake Devine*

**Mendelson, Charlotte**  
*Daughters Of Jerusalem*

**Merkin, Daphne**  
*Enchantment*

**Mirvis, Tova**  
*The Outside World, Ladies' Auxiliary*

**Mitchell, Judith Clair**  
*The Last Days Of The War*

**Nahai, Gina**  
*Caspian Rain, Moonlight On The Avenue Of Faith*

**Ozick, Cynthia**  
*Puttermesser Papers, Heir To The Glimmering World*

**Park, Jacqueline**  
*Secret Book Of Grazia Dei Rossi*

**Paul, Carolyn K.**  
*T'shuva A Novel*

**Pogrebin, Letty C.**  
*Three Daughters*

**Polner, Elizabeth**  
*Mutual Life And Casualty*

**Potok, Chaim**  
*Davita's Harp*

**Ragen, Naomi**  
*Sotah, Jephthe's Daughter*

**Richler, Nancy**  
*Your Mouth Is Lovely*

**Reisman, Nancy**  
*The First Desire*

**Roiphe, Anne**  
*Secrets of The City, 1185 Park Avenue, Lovingkindness*

**Rose, Isabel**  
*The J.a.p. Chronicles*

**Rosen, Jonathan**  
*Joy Comes In The Morning*

**Rosenbaum, Lisa P.**  
*Day Of Small Beginnings*

**Rosenbaum, Thane**  
*Golems Of Gotham*

**Ross, Fran**  
*Oreo*

**Schwab, Rochelle**  
*Departure From The Script*

**Shalev, Meir**  
*Loves Of Judith*

**Shapiro, Laurie**  
*The Matzo Ball Heiress*

**Sharpe, Matthew**  
*Sleeping Father*

**Singer, Isaac B.**  
*Collected Stories*

**Singer, Katie**  
*Wholeness Of A Broken Heart*

**Sofer, Dalia**  
*Septembers Of Shiraz*

**Steimberg, Alicia**  
*Musicians And Watchmakers*

**Sucher, Cherl**  
*Rescue Of Memory*

**Sundell, Joanne**  
*Matchmaker, Matchmaker (RF)*

**Tax, Meredith**  
*Rivington Street*

**Tenny, Tommy**  
*Hadassah: One Night With The King, Hadassah Covenant*

**Webster, Brenda**  
*Paradise Farm*

**Widmer, Eleanor**  
*Up From Orchard Street*

**Weiner, Jennifer**  
*Certain Girls*

**Wouk, Herman**  
*Marjorie Morningstar*

## **Additional Selected Jewish Fiction**

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### **Short Stories**

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#### **Sc Amer**

*American Jewish Fiction*

#### **Sc Ashe**

*Ashes Out Of Hope : Fiction By Soviet-yiddish Writers*

#### **Sc Beau**

*Beautiful As The Moon, Radiant As The Stars : Jewish Women...*

#### **Sc Chos**

*Chosen Tales: Stories Told By Jewish Storytellers*

#### **Sc Clas**

*Classic Yiddish Stories By S.y. Abramovitch, Sholem Aleichem, & I.I. Peretz*

#### **Sc Danc**

*Dancing On The Edge Of The World : Jewish Stories Of Faith, Inspiration And Love*

#### **Sc Hous**

*House Of Memory : Stories By Jewish Women Writers Of Latin America*

#### **Sc Oxfo**

*Oxford Book Of Jewish Stories*

#### **Sc Shak**

*Shaking Eve's Tree...*

#### **Sc Shte**

*Shtetl*

#### **Sc Writ**

*Writing Our Way Home...*

### **General Fiction**

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#### **Abraham, Pearl**

*All Titles*

#### **Appel, Allan**

*High Holiday Sutra, Club Revelation*

#### **Arthur, Kay**

*Israel My Beloved*

#### **Auslander, Shalom**

*Beware Of God : Stories*

#### **Baddiel, David**

*Secret Purposes*

#### **Baron, Michael**

*Mourning Sexton*

#### **Beazely, Jan**

*King's Ransom*

#### **Bellow, Saul**

*Herzog, Mr. Sammler's Planet*

#### **Bergelson, David**

*Shadows Of Berlin*

#### **Blum, Jenna**

*Those Who Save Us*

#### **Braff, Joshua**

*Unthinkable Thoughts Of Jacob Green*

#### **Brooks, Geraldine**

*People Of The Book*

#### **Canin, Ethan**

*Carry Me Across The Water*

#### **Chabon, Michael**

*All Titles*

#### **Chefitz, Mitchell**

*The Seventh Telling*

#### **Chessman, Harriet S.**

*Someone Not Really Her Mother*

#### **Daley, Robert**

*Innocents Within*

#### **Delbanco, Nicholas**

*What Remains*

#### **Ducovny, Amram**

*Coney*

#### **Dykewoman, Elana**

*Beyond The Pale*

#### **Edelman, Gwen**

*War Story*

#### **Englander, Nathan**

*All Titles*

#### **Eprile, Tony**

*Persistence Of Memory*

#### **Epstein, Joseph**

*Fabulous Small Jews*

#### **Feldman, Ellen**

*Boy Who Loved Anne Frank*

#### **Freund, Harry**

*Love With Noodles*

**Goldman, Judy**

*Slow Way Back*

**Goldsmith, Andrea**

*The Prosperous Thief*

**Goldstein, Jonathan**

*Lenny Bruce Is Dead*

**Goodman, Allegra**

*Kaaterskill Falls, Family Markowitz*

**Halter, Marek**

*Book Of Abraham*

**Hamburger, Aaron**

*Faith For Beginners*

**Hamill, Pete**

*Snow In August*

**Haworth, Kevin**

*Discontinuity Of Small Things*

**Henkin, Joshua**

*Swimming Across The Hudson*

**Hill, Robert S.**

*When All Is Said And Done*

**Hoffman, Allen**

*Small Worlds*

**Horn, Dara**

*World To Come*

**Kane, Andrew W.**

*Rabbi, Rabbi*

**Keizer, Gregg**

*The Longest Night*

**Kenneally, Thomas**

*Schindler's List*

**Kirshenbaum, Binnie**

*Hester Among The Ruins*

**Kushner, Lawrence**

*Kabbalah A Love Story*

**Langer, Adam**

*Crossing California, Washington Story : A Novel In Five Spheres*

**Learner, Tobsha**

*Witch Of Cologne*

**Lenard-cook, Lisa**

*Dissonance : A Novel*

**Lester, Julius**

*Autobiography Of God*

**Malamud, Bernard**

*The Assistant, The Fixer*

**Mandelman, Avner**

*Talking To The Enemy*

**Mekler, Eva**

*The Polish Woman, Sunrise Shows Late*

**Michaels, Anne**

*Fugitive Pieces*

**Neugeboren, Jay**

*News From The New American Diaspora*

**Pearlman, Edith**

*Love Among The Greats And...*

**Potok, Chaim**

*All Titles*

**Ragen, Naomi**

*All Titles*

**Raphael, Lev**

*All Titles*

**Rosen, Charley**

*House Of Moses All-stars*

**Rosenbaum, Thane**

*Elijah Visible*

**Rosenfarb, Chawa**

*Tree Of Life*

**Rosner, Elizabeth**

*Speed Of Light*

**Roth, Henry**

*All Titles*

**Roth, Philip**

*All Titles*

**Rozzak, Theodore**

*Devil And Daniel Silverman*

**Russell, Mary Doria**

*A Thread Of Grace*

**Shapiro, David**

*The Promise Of God*

**Sherwood, Frances**

*Book Of Splendor*

**Shrayer-petrov, David**

*Jonah And Sarah : Jewish Stories Of Russia And America*

**Sholem Aleichem**

*All Titles*

**Singer, Isaac B.**

*All Titles*

**Smith, Robert K.**

*Sadie Shapiro's Knitting Book*

**Stollman, Aryeh Lev**

*All Titles*

**Stracher, Cameron**

*Laws Of Return*

**Sukenick, Ronald**

*Mosaic Man*

**Updike, John**

*"Bech" Books*

**Vapnyar, Laura**

*There Are Jews In My House*

**Waysman, Dvora**

*Esther : A Jerusalem Love Story*

**Weil, Jiri**

*Life With A Star*

**Wiesel, Elie**

*All Titles*

**Wilson, Jonathan**

*The Hiding Room, Palestine Affair*

**Wise, Robert L.**

*All That Remains, Bitter Road To Dachau*

**Wouk, Herman**

*The Hope*

**Yeziarska, Anzia**

*All Titles*

**Zacharius, Walter**

*Songbird : A Novel*

**Zelitch, Simone**

*Moses In Sinai*

**Zimler, Richard**

*Guardian Of The Dawn*

## **Adventure**

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**Rosenbaum, Ray**

*Condors: A Novel*

## **Mystery**

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**Mfsc Crim**

*Criminal Kabbalah...*

**Mysc Murd**

*Murder Is No Mitzvah*

**Mfsc Myst**

*Mystery Midrash*

**Engel, Howard**

*"Benny Cooperman" Titles*

**Kahn, Sharon**

*All Titles*

**Kaminsky, Stuart**

*All "Abe Lieberman" Titles*

**Kellerman, Faye**

*All Titles*

**Kemelman, Harry**

*All "Rabbi" Titles*

**Krich, Rochelle**

*Blues In The Night, Dream House*

**Roe, Caroline**

*All "Isaac Of Girona" Titles*

**Simon, Michael**

*All "Dan Reles" Titles*

**Zellnick, Miriam**

*Death At The Rose Paperworks*

## **Sci-fi & Fantasy**

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**Sfsc Wand**

*Wandering Stars...*

**Dunn, J.r.**

*Days Of Cain*

**Goldstein, Lisa**

*The Alchemist's Door*

**Jenson, Jane**

*Dante's Equation*

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