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15TH ANNUAL
NATIONAL
JEWISH
RETREAT

EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

We are delighted to share the National Jewish Retreat highlights and star-studded lineup of presenters.

We look forward to welcoming you and our A-list cast to a most memorable, inspiring, and breathtaking experience!

FEATURED SPEAKERS

RABBI YY JACOBSON
International speaker; founder, theYeshiva.net

MR. STEVEN RAMBAM
Private investigator

RABBI MOSHE KOTLARSKY
Vice-Chairman, Merkos Linyonei Chinuch; chairman, International Conference of Shluchim

MRS. DASSI NEW
Codirector, Chabad of Georgia

RABBI DR. MICHAEL BERGER
Professor of Religion, Emory University

RABBI MANIS FRIEDMAN
International lecturer; author, *Creating a Life That Matters*

DR. RONA NOVICK
Dean, Azrieli Graduate School

RABBI YOSSI NEW
Codirector, Chabad of Georgia

MRS. SHIFRA SHARFSTEIN
Coirector, Chabad at Downtown Universities

RABBI MOSHE BRYSKI
Codirector, Chabad of Conejo; lecturer

RABBI EDWARD REICHMAN, M.D.
Professor, Albert Einstein College of Medicine

RABBI SHAIS TAUB
International speaker; scholar-in-residence, Chabad of the Five Towns

MRS. SHAINDY JACOBSON
Director, Rosh Chodesh Society

RABBI CHAIM BLOCK
Codirector, Chabad of San Antonio; member, Rohr Jewish Learning Institute board

MR. SCOTT FRANK
Author, *Less Stress More Joy*; executive, Fortune 10 company

RABBI ARI SOLLISH
Author, *Inclusion and the Power of the Individual;* director, Intown Jewish Academy

MR. MIKE LEVEN
Founder, Jewish Giving Pledge

MRS. BEV SALTZMAN LEWYN
Author, *On the Run in Nazi Berlin*

DR. DOVID IMBO
Professor of Physics, University of Illinois

MRS. DENA SCHUSTERMAN
Codirector, Chabad Intown; author

RABBI YOSSY GOLDMAN
Rabbi emeritus, Sydenham Shul; author, *From Where I Stand*

RABBI YISRAEL RICE
Author, *The Four Keys of Kabbalah;* codirector, Chabad of Marin County

MRS. HOLLY COHEN
CEO, Tamim Academy

RABBI DR. MICHAEL BROYDE
Professor of Law, Emory University

MRS. RUS DEVORAH WALLEN
Psychotherapist; founder, Torahtheraputics

DR. GEORGE DEAN
M.D., Boca Raton, FL

MRS. MATTY BRYSKI
Lecturer and educator; codirector, Chabad of Conejo

RABBI TZVI FREEMAN
Author, *Wisdom to Heal the Earth;* editor, Chabad.org

RABBI YOSSI LERMAN
Author, *Less Strees More Joy;* codirector, Chabad of Gwinnett

DR. DEBRA TEPLOW
Founder, Institute for Wellness Education

RABBI DR. MARK GOLDFEDER
Director, National Jewish Advocacy Center

RABBI MENI EVEN-ISRAEL
Director, Steinsaltz Center

MRS. NOMI FREEMAN
Educator and lecturer

RABBI PINCHAS TAYLOR
Author, *Jewish Guide to the Mysterious*

RABBI NOCHUM MANGEL
Codirector, Chabad of Dayton; author, The Rohr Jewish learning Institute

MS. DONNA BOGATIN
Founder, 70 Facets spiritual jewelry

RABBI HIRSHY MINKOWICZ
Codirector, Chabad of North Fulton

MR. CHRIS THRASHER
Senior Director of Substance Use Disorders and Recovery, The Clinton Foundation

RABBI ELIYAHU SCHUSTERMAN
Codirector, Chabad Intown & Jeff's Place

DR. ALLEN BERGER
Author, *12 Stupid Things That Mess Up Recovery*

RABBI DR. DON SEEMAN
Rabbi, New Toco Shul; Professor of Religion, Emory University

RABBI ELIE & CHAYA ROCHEL ESTRIN
Authors, *Of Medicine, Miracles, and Mindsets*

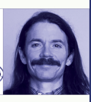
RABBI CHAIM BRUK
Codirector, Chabad of Montana

MRS. ROCHEL GOLDMAN
Lecturer and educator

RABBI ISSER DOVID SILVERMAN
Codirector, The Shul Club Harbor Islands; author

DR. HENRY FALK
Former division director, CDC

MS. FELICIA MAYER
Director of Operations, JScreen


MR. SMITTY GRIDER
Clinical Therapist, Eternal Strength Experiential Therapeutic Youth Center

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

SHULEM LEMMER
in concert

Join us for a live concert as Shulem Lemmer dazzles with his one-in-a-million sweet voice. In 2018, Shulem became the first singer from the Chasidic community to sign with a major record label.

THE RABBI GOES WEST

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Join Brooklyn-born Rabbi Chaim Bruk, as he attempts to put up a *mezuzah* on every Jewish home in Montana, and hear about the opposition he encounters along the way. Film followed by Q&A.

THE CHALLAH BAKE

Roll up your sleeves and experience the taste and joy of rolling in dough, as you knead earthly matter into heavenly, golden loaves of love.

A CANDLELIT HAVDALAH & *KUMZITZ* UNDER THE STARS

Join us Saturday night as we escort the Shabbat with a musical Havdalah and soulful *kumzitz* under the stars, led by Tali Yess.

JEWISH JEWELRY MAKING

In this Rosh Hashanah themed activity led by Donna Bogatin, we'll discuss the Jewish background to honey, while beading bracelets with red agate gemstones and gold charms.

THE NAZI HUNTER

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Steve Rambam covertly pursued and helped track down close to 200 Nazis, collaborators, and war criminals, dozens of which he recorded interviews and confessions from.

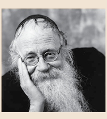
A RESPONSE TO THE PEW STUDY

A panel of distinguished rabbis, educators, and professionals discussing what the latest Pew study means for American Jewry

CROSSFIRE

Why can people convert to Judaism but not out?
Is pursuit of material wealth a contradiction to Torah?
Does my dog have a soul?

These, and dozens of additional questions on Judaism, will receive answers by a panel of leading Jewish scholars in a rapid-paced crossfire session.



A TRIBUTE TO RABBI ADIN STEINSALTZ

Rabbi Even-Israel's vast knowledge, penetrating insights, and unique perspective on all modern-day issues served as a fountain of wisdom that shaped and inspired JLI courses, seminars, and educational offerings in hundreds of Jewish communities across the globe.

EXPERIENCE STONE MOUNTAIN

Stone Mountain Park features 15 miles of hiking and walking trails. Hike to the top of Stone Mountain, where you'll enjoy amazing views of downtown Atlanta, the North Georgia mountains, and the surrounding area. On a haze-free day, you can see 60 miles from the mountain.

SPIRITUALITY & WELLNESS SUMMIT

For Atlanta clergy, behavioral health professionals, and the wider community

The Spirituality and Wellness Summit aims to unite the Jewish community around spiritual practices that are evidenced to facilitate wellness and recovery.

Attendees will learn about the latest research on the impact of spirituality on wellness and recovery, hear from practitioners who have successfully incorporated evidence-based spiritual practices into treatment plans, and listen to the inspiring stories of individuals who discovered spirituality on their journey to wellness.

AUTHOR SPOTLIGHT

ON THE RUN IN NAZI BERLIN
a memoir
BERT LEWYN
WITH BEV SALTZMAN LEWYN

ON THE RUN IN NAZI BERLIN
Mrs. Bev Saltzman Lewyn

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חובות הלבבות
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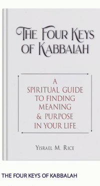
THE FOUR KEYS OF KABBALAH
A SPIRITUAL GUIDE TO FINDING MEANING & PURPOSE IN YOUR LIFE
YISRAEL M. RICE

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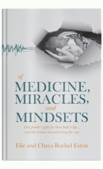
Rabbi Yisroel Rice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One family's fight for their baby's life... and the lessons learned along the way
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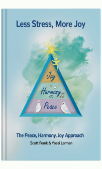
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Harmony
Peace
The Peace, Harmony, Joy Approach
Scott Frank & Yossi Lerman

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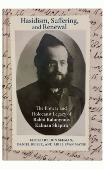
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