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She said
yes!

Welcome Cantorial Soloist - Kaylene Cole!

Rabbi Yaron Kapitulnik
Rabbi Rose Durbin
Cantorial Soloist Kaylene Cole
Rabbi Joel Levine, DD, Rabbi Emeritus

“It is not upon you to complete the work, but neither are you free to desist from it”.

As Reform Jews, we draw inspiration from a wide array of spiritual, philosophical, and ethical traditions. Among these sources of guidance, the teachings of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. offer profound lessons that resonate deeply with our values, particularly in our pursuit of justice, equality, and compassion. King’s commitment to social justice, his philosophy of nonviolence, and his vision of a beloved community all provide essential insights that can enrich our lives and strengthen our Jewish identity.

Once again, this year, it will be our honor to invite Pastor Samuel St. Fleur from Christ Family Worship Assembly in Riviera Beach to share with us a message from the bimah in honor of Dr. King.

I thought it would be good if we all took a few minutes to remind ourselves of the deep connections between our faith and values as reform Jews and the teachings of Dr King.

One of the core principles of Judaism is the commandment to pursue justice: *“Tzedek, tzedek tirdof”* (“Justice, justice, shall you pursue”; Deuteronomy 16:20). Dr. King’s life and work embodied this principle in action. His unwavering fight against racial segregation and inequality in America mirrors the Jewish imperative to confront injustice wherever it arises. Reform Judaism, with its emphasis on *tikkun olam*—the repair of the world—finds a natural alignment with King’s vision for a society rooted in fairness and equity.

King’s activism reminds us that justice is not passive but requires consistent and courageous effort. As a temple we take pride in actively advocating for the rights of marginalized communities and addressing issues like hunger, racism, and gun violence among many others.

King also believed that the pursuit of justice must be achieved by nonviolent resistance. He saw nonviolent resistance not only as a practical method for achieving social change but also a moral imperative. When asked why the word justice appears twice in this commandment, many rabbis explain it as a commandment to pursue justice in just ways. That justice achieved not by seeking peaceful resolutions is lacking. The Talmud teaches, “Whoever saves a single life is considered to have saved the whole world” (Sanhedrin 37a), emphasizing the sanctity of life and the importance of nonviolence.

Another core principle to Dr. King's vision was the concept of the "beloved community," a society in which all people are treated with respect and compassion, where poverty, hunger, and hate are eradicated. This vision resonates with the Jewish ideal of a messianic age—a time of universal peace and justice. The prophets of Israel, like Isaiah and Amos, spoke of a world where "swords will be beaten into plowshares" and justice will "roll down like waters." King's vision challenges us to actively work toward creating a society that mirrors these prophetic ideals and reminds us that our shared humanity is greater than any differences that divide us.

But what I find might be the most important lesson from Dr. King is that his deep faith was the cornerstone of his activism. He drew strength from his spiritual convictions, believing that the arc of the moral universe bends toward justice. As Reform Jews, we can find inspiration in King's ability to connect faith with action. Our tradition teaches that faith and deeds are intertwined: "It is not upon you to complete the work, but neither are you free to desist from it" (Pirkei Avot 2:16). We fight for a better world not only because it is the right thing to do but because it is a religious commandment and part of our covenant with God!!!

When what drives us to fight for justice is an understanding that this is why God put us on this earth - I believe we will never despair from this battle even though it is easy to do so given the enormity of the challenges we face.

Whether through prayer, study, or communal action, we need to draw on our Jewish heritage to sustain us in our efforts to repair the world. Dr. King's life reminds us that faith is not static but dynamic, propelling us toward acts of kindness, courage, and justice.

Rabbi Yaron

2025.... Here I come!

As you all know by now, I strive to live with kavanah (intention), which means I TRY to plan my time and organize my life according to my middot (values)...the operative word being “try!” Because what you might not know (if you haven’t yet had the pleasure of seeing my post-it-strewn office) is that organization is NOT exactly my strong suit. So, as I contemplate my resolutions for 2025 I am once again seeking inspiration from self-help and time-management gurus like Kendra Adachi. I love listening to Kendra’s “Lazy Genius” podcast because she gives awesome advice on how to be “a genius about the things that matter and lazy about the things that don’t.” In addition to her wonderfully lilting North Carolina accent (that as a fellow southerner, I find especially comforting), Kendra fills her podcasts with helpful tips about how to focus on what matters in your present season of life.

In her newest book, *The Plan: Manage Your Time Like A Lazy Genius*, Kendra encourages each of us to examine the “season” we are in and to focus on what we MOST need to accomplish in this season, while living with chesed (compassion) for ourselves and others. As she writes, “Think for a moment about all the different seasons you’ve been in moving to a new place, adjusting to being single, waiting for a diagnosis, being in the middle of a renovation, walking with someone else through their illness. Do expect yourself to live the exact same way during all these seasons? I hope not...The most transformative thing you can do is regularly name what matters to you in the season you are in. You live differently from season to season, making choices depending on where you are. All of that begins by naming the season you are in with compassion.”

After all, as we read in the book of Ecclesiastes: “A season is set for everything, a time for every experience under heaven.” And as our sages teach in Pirkei Avot, “We are not expected to complete the task, neither can we desist from it.” Our collective wisdom as a people acknowledges that while we should always be holding ourselves to a higher purpose and be working towards teshuvah (personal improvement) in every aspect of our lives- we can’t do everything all at once. The idea is to embrace the season we are in- even if it’s not the season we wanted or expected. As Kendra notes, “We need a break from the current time- management paradigm because its goals are different from ours. Its goal is greatness, mastery and power over as many details of your life at the same time as possible. OURS is to be wholehearted and integrated, starting where we are.”

I think we can all agree that in this “season” of Jewish life- as I’m writing this, 97 Israeli hostages still remain in Gaza-- we need to continue to prioritize supporting our community and providing spiritual comfort for ourselves and our loved ones, now more than ever. As Kendra suggests, “Where you are right now is the most significant place you

can be. You can make that season more manageable by making it smaller and naming what matters to you exactly where you are.” As Jews, we can’t change our reality- but we can remain grounded in our present, living and acting with chesed and kavanah as we resiliently adapt to the ever-changing world. As we read in Psalm 118:24: “This is the day that God has made, let us all rejoice and be glad in it.”

After all, this might not be the day (season) we wanted- but it’s the one we are facing- so what’s the best way to move forward in 2025? The answer is simple: baby steps. As the sages also teach in Pirkei Avot, “A small mitzvah leads to another mitzvah.” And “Rabbi Kendra” agrees- her number one tip? “Start small”- classic advice for successfully accomplishing your New Year’s Resolutions. As Kendra writes, “Starting small is annoying but essential. When you start small and adjust to only one challenge at a time, two things happen. One, you actually have a solution or system that works over time because you’ve been fine-tuning day after day instead of starting over every 6 months when you get fed up. Go for the long haul, not the overhaul.”

Living a kavanah-filled life in this new year will be based on small, intentional decisions, based on our season, each and every day. If we have learned anything at all over these past few years, it’s that we cannot always plan or prepare for what’s coming our way. As we strive to live lives of value inspired by our tradition in 2025, let’s start by becoming a genius about what matters the most, and lazy about what doesn’t, and by rejoicing and being glad in each day that God has made.

Happy New Year!

Rabbi Rosz

Update from Morli Fidler

EXCITING NEWS!

It is with true delight, and excitement, that we welcome Kaylene Cole as Temple Judea's full-time cantorial soloist beginning July 1, 2025. As you are probably aware, Kaylene has served as Temple Judea's soloist on a part-time basis for the past two years. And this past High Holy Day season, Kaylene had the biggest audition any cantor could have when she seamlessly stepped in and led our Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur services. Not only did her angelic voice uplift all our spirits and elevate our prayer experience, but we also got a glimpse of Kaylene's dedicated work ethic, her ability to work as a team, and to be a meaningful prayer partner for Rabbi Yaron. She was our High Holy Day miracle.

Shortly after services, many of you came to see me and asked, "Why can't Kaylene be our full-time cantor?" Rabbi Yaron and our Board asked me the same thing! And while the next step might have seemed obvious, Kaylene was only our part-time employee, and she was doing this in addition to her teaching job at The Pine Crest School. It is fair to say that being a clergy is not simply a "job", but it is a life choice, and some might even say, a calling. Knowing this, we did not want to pressure Kaylene into giving us a quick answer, but rather give her time to contemplate making this significant life change.

Rabbi Yaron, the Board, the staff, and I could not be happier that she "said yes!" Kaylene's plan is to enroll in an online cantorial school where she will serve as our soloist while working towards her ordination. These types of programs typically take five years, and we look forward to supporting her, and learning from her, as she embarks on this spiritual journey.

When Kaylene joins our team in July, she will be responsible for co-officiating at all worship services, including Shabbatot, holidays, minyanim, and lifecycle events with Rabbi Yaron. She will also be an important part of our students' Bar/Bat Mitzvah preparation and our school.

Kaylene can be reached at kaylene@gotj.org. And anyone wishing to do so, please consider congratulating Kaylene with a donation to her discretionary fund which she will use support her musical vision for TJ.

Please join us in congratulating her!

To learn more about Kaylene, please read her bio:

Kaylene Cole currently serves as the Cantorial Soloist at Temple Judea and has since 2022. Prior to beginning her position at Temple Judea, Kaylene was featured as a soloist for many synagogues throughout her native South Florida area.

Kaylene has a rich performance background having received her Bachelor and Master of Music degree from Florida Atlantic University with a concentration in Vocal Performance and Pedagogy. She has performed various operatic roles and scenes including "Susanna" from *Le Nozze di Figaro*, "Despina" from *Così fan Tutte*, as well as musical theatre roles such as "Rizzo" from *Grease* and "The Narrator" from *Joseph and The Technicolor Dreamcoat*.

Also, a passionate voice teacher, Kaylene has taught in the local area for over 10 years and has won various awards including the Joan Frey Boytim Award for Independent Voice Teachers through the

National Association of Teachers of Singing. She taught voice and piano for many years at The Pine Crest School in Boca Raton as well as maintained a private voice studio.

When she is not on the bimah she can be found practicing yoga, volunteering with her therapy basset hound Faye or spending time with her husband Jared.



Personal Message from Kaylene

When thinking about my personal Jewish journey, it feels like a unique one! I came to the Jewish faith later in my life, initially through music. In 2017 I was hired to sing in a quartet for the High Holidays at a country club in Boca Raton. I left the first rehearsal feeling elated. I had never heard these melodies such as “Avinu Malkeinu” or “Kol Nidre” before (much less sung them!). It felt like a history lesson through song. The melodies made me feel as if I was taking part in something that had been happening for thousands of years. The musical settings were so evocative of the prayer being sung. I remember rushing home to tell my then Jewish boyfriend (now Jewish husband) all about it. I remember saying to him “I could sing these songs everyday”! I then started actively celebrating more holidays with him. I attended my first Passover seder and thought about freedom and injustice, lit my first Hanukkah candle and thought of the big and small miracles we experience in our own lives. I was enamored with the beauty and symbolism found within so many of our holidays. I learned how to make challah and lit the Shabbat candles on Friday nights within our own home. I completed my conversion a few years ago and happily have since thrown myself into continuing my Jewish learning.

I write to you all with so much love and gratitude. When I stood on the Bima this past Erev Rosh Hashanah, nervous was putting it lightly. Every time I felt doubt or anxiety creeping in, I thought of the love and support I have been shown by all of you time and time again. It helped quell any uncertainty or fear that I was experiencing. I am so excited to be beginning this journey with you all and even more excited to get to know you and your families more. I thank you all for your continued graciousness and hospitality towards me and my family. The Temple Judea family has been nothing but warm and loving from the very first time I stepped on the Bima, and I eagerly await many more special moments shared!

With gratitude and so much excitement,

Kaylene

MORE EXCITING NEWS!

We are delighted to welcome Alex Schechter to TJ this winter (December 27th-March 1st) to join our worship team. Many of you “met” Alex during Yom Kippur when he accompanied Cantorial Soloist Kaylene Cole on the bimah. While we only got a glimpse of Alex’s talent, we were intrigued and we invited him to TJ to get to know him a little bit better! How lucky are we that he agreed join Rabbi Yaron, Kaylene and Cantor Shira for Shabbatot, minyanim and select holiday services. He will also have a presence in our religious school. We can’t wait to have Alex here!

To learn more about Alex, please see his bio below and read a personal message from him as well.



Alex Schechter is a singer, actor, writer, and teacher originally from Long Island, NY. He is a proud graduate of Vanderbilt University's Blair School of Music, where he earned his Bachelor of Music degree. Alex’s love for music began at the piano with his grandfather, Sandor Schweiger, who devoted himself to Temple Emanuel of Great Neck as President and chair of the music committee. From an early age, Alex performed on the bimah at his home-town temple, Temple Beth-El of Great Neck; he has always felt it an incredible privilege to share spirituality through music with a congregation.

As a performer, Alex’s career spans across theatre, television, film, and opera. Some highlights include the US Premiere of *Anne Frank* Off-Broadway at The Center For Jewish History, the World Premiere of *The Picher Project* at Dixon Place, and *The Office Musical* Off-Broadway at the Jerry Orbach Theatre. This fall, he joined the Original Broadway Cast of *Grand Hotel* for their 35th Anniversary Reunion Concert. Additionally, Alex has worked on various television shows and films, including *Blue Bloods* and A24’s feature film *Y2K*. He is the co-creator of *Sunny Achers*, a sitcom currently in the pitching process. Alex has been lucky enough to work alongside Tony and Emmy Award winning performers, and at some of the country’s most renowned venues, including Lincoln Center, Sony Hall, Birdland, 54 Below, The St George Theater, and Westbury Music Fair.

As an educator, Alex has significant experience teaching music and theatre to students of all ages. He has taught, directed, and music directed students in NYC public and private schools, as well as on Long Island. While at Vanderbilt, Alex served as a volunteer teacher at The W.O. Smith Music School in Nashville.

Alex is incredibly honored to be joining the Temple Judea family this winter as a soloist and will be accompanying Rabbi Yaron and Rabbi Rose for minyan as well as Cantorial Soloist Kaylene Cole and Cantor Shira Ginsburg on Friday nights.

Please join us in welcoming Alex!

SEARCH UPDATE

Now that Kaylene has committed to join TJ full-time, our cantorial search is over. However, we are still actively searching for a rabbi. We have received several resumes and have invited two candidates for in person interviews. Thank you again for your help “spreading the word” – the best marketing is word of mouth – and we are truly grateful for your support.

MEMBERS ONLY

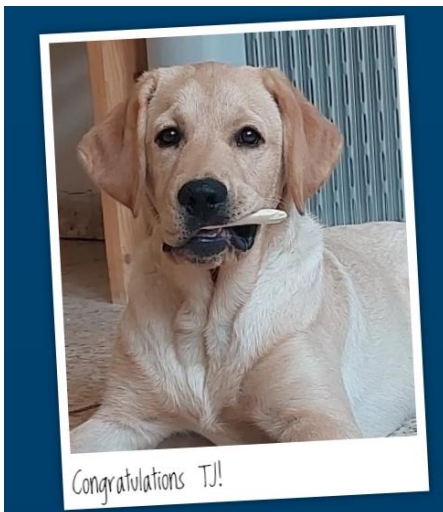
We want to thank you again for your support of our request for Members Only to attend Shabbat worship. We are continuing to monitor weekly attendance and if we can accommodate family and guests we will communicate any changes in our weekly Constant Contact.

DONATIONS TO ISRAEL

Last year, in thanks to your generosity, TJ was able to make a significant contribution to Israeli Guide Dogs. Our “puppy” has grown so much! Here’s a little update on his progress.

Date of birth: June 19, 2024

Puppy raisers: Or Reiz & Hagar Mizrahi are TJ's puppy raisers. They live together with TJ in Nachlaot neighborhood of Jerusalem. Hagar is completing her BA in Social Work and International Relations and works as a social worker with asylum seekers. Or is pursuing a master’s degree in Middle Eastern Studies and Political Science, working as a training coordinator and as a producer in the BBC News desk. Quote by Or & Hagar: " We waited a long time to be accepted as puppy raisers for TJ and we are learning together with him how to live together as a family. We love the process of training and living together. TJ, as a guide dog puppy, spreads light and goodness wherever he goes. He reminds people that there is goodness and hope. He creates bridges between different people - that's how TJ improves every aspect of our lives too".



In December, we made a significant contribution to Kibbutz K’far Aza to help with rebuilding their homes and the kibbutz.

We are very proud of our continued support of Israel and these important causes.

Morli

TJ PRAYS

Shabbat Worship

Fridays, January 3, 10, 17, 24, 31
MEMBERS ONLY PLEASE

5:30 p.m. – 6:45 p.m. at Temple Judea
with a pre-Oneg at 5:00 p.m.

ALL services are also available via Livestream at
<https://venue.streamspot.com/5795f45a>

Minyan

Mondays at 9:30 a.m. via ZOOM with Michael Ross

Thursdays at 9:30 a.m. in person at TJ with Rabbi Yaron or via Livestream

**“A World Without Hatred”
Shabbat Worship
Honoring the Memory of
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.**



**Join us on Friday, January 17th for a special Shabbat worship
honoring the memory of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.**

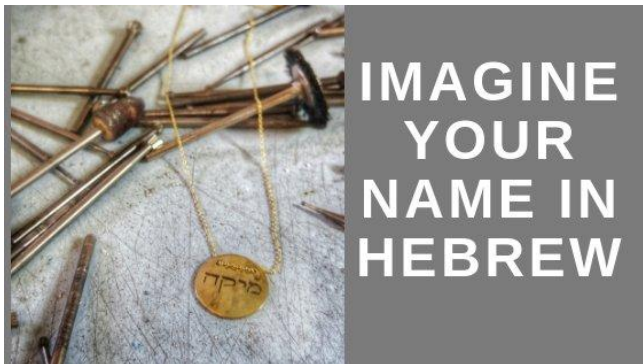
Presenting the Weingrow Family Endowment Grant

Dr. King espoused social justice, nonviolence, and human rights. He dreamed of an equitable society wherein all people are treated with dignity and respect. His philosophy was that individuals should not be judged by the color of their skin, gender, sexual orientation, religious beliefs, or class, but by the content of their character.

These values are needed today more than ever before.

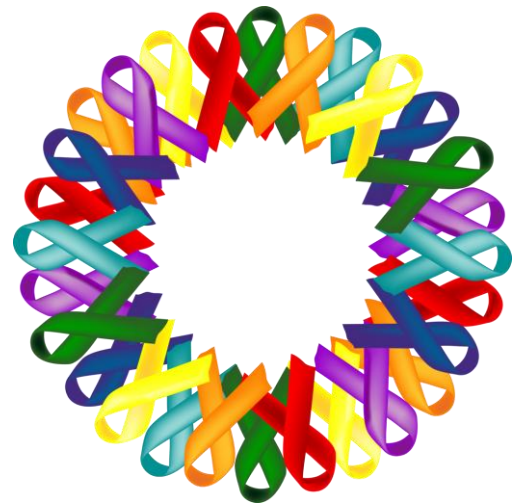


**Join us at Christ Family Worship Assembly
on Sunday, January 19th at 10:00 a.m.
to share in the worship honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.
at CFWA 1128 Martin Luther King Blvd, West Palm Beach**



**IMAGINE
YOUR
NAME IN
HEBREW**


Never received a Hebrew
name?
Want to change your Hebrew
name?
NOW IS YOUR CHANCE....contact
the office to speak to our clergy at
561-624-4633 and be a part of
our special
NAMING SHABBAT on Friday,
January 24th!



Choose Hope Shabbat

Friday, January 31st

Join us for an inspirational Shabbat of spiritual renewal and celebration as we honor our community of parents, children, sisters, brothers, grandparents and friends who have joined the fight to beat cancer and to honor the memory of those who fought so bravely.

A photograph of Rick Recht, a man with long blonde hair, wearing a dark t-shirt with the words "SPIRITUAL ACTIVIST" printed on it. He is holding an acoustic guitar and looking towards the camera. The background is dark.

Special Guest:
Rick Recht

Kabbalat Shabbat Service

Friday, February 28th
MEMBERS ONLY

Mussar Class Participants Report Life-Changing Changes!

It's true!

Did you know that members of the TJ Mussar class report that they are more

PATIENT, COMPASSIONATE, CALM, ENTHUSIASTIC, GENEROUS, & MORE?

ANNOUNCING THE MUSSAR FAST-TRACK CATCH-UP CLASS!

If you are interested in joining the class, which meets on Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m., or if you joined the class but missed the beginning/foundational sessions, this class is for you!

This will be 2 or 3 ZOOM sessions, focused on bringing participants up to speed on Mussar history, concepts and vocabulary.

The class, which has been meeting for more than year, would love to welcome new members in the coming year, and now there's no need to worry about joining the class mid-stream.

Please reach out to Michael Ross for more information: wpbross@earthlink.net



Join us for Shabbat Dinner!

Dinner is at 6:45 p.m. after Shabbat worship.

\$32 / adult and \$20/ child ages 5-12.

Children under 5 are free.

Friday, January 10th – RSVP by January 8th at noon

Farm to Table....locally sourced antibiotic-, hormone- and steroid-free chicken, and sustainable seafood. We support local farms for fresh produce and harvest greens and herbs from our aeroponic garden.

Homestead Heirloom Tomato Soup. Bread by Johnny Croutons with Moxieberries Farm Fresh Goat Cheese

Grilled Chicken Paillard. Arugula. Red Onions. Organic Grape Tomatoes. Shaved Parmesan Cheese, Lemon - Oregano Vinaigrette

Citrus Salmon Florida Orange Glazed. Organic Mixed Greens. Grapefruit. Sunflower Seeds. Citrus Vinaigrette

Sweet Potato & Brussels sprout Hash

Garlic Confit Green Beans

Strawberry Shortcake

Friday, February 7th – RSVP by February 5th at noon

Israeli salad – chopped cucumbers, tomatoes, onion, parsley, olive oil, lemon juice

Hummus, Tahini, Baba Ganoush, Fresh Pita Bread

Chicken Shawarma

White fish with olive tapenade

Israeli couscous with grilled vegetables

Roasted zucchini / Roasted carrots

Baklava

RSVP to the office at 561-624-4633.

***Please note that we cannot issue any refunds once the headcount for the dinner has been given to the caterer.**



Adult Education

Adult Hebrew



Mondays at 2:00 p.m. – Beginners

Wednesdays at 2:00 p.m. – Intermediate

Contact the office to register.



We are excited to celebrate the minor festival of Rosh Chodesh (the beginning of the new month).

Rosh Chodesh is known as a women's holiday, given to the Israelite women as a gift since they did not contribute their jewelry to the idolatrous golden calf. During Rosh Chodesh, women take a break from their constant tasks to share special prayers and enjoy the camaraderie of sisterhood, and we look forward to continuing that tradition.

To honor Rosh Chodesh, as on other festivals, we joyously gave sacrifices to remind ourselves of God's divinity, as commanded in the Torah. During our Rosh Chodesh celebrations at TJ, we will reflect on Hallel, our special festive psalms, and honor that special bond Jewish women share. Singing, reflection, laughter, and companionship...

Please join us! January 30, February 27, March 31, April 28
1:00 p.m.

RSVP to the office at 561-624-4633



JOIN US VIA ZOOM
SATURDAY MORNING TORAH STUDY WITH
RABBI ROSE
9:00 A.M. WORSHIP
9:30 A.M. STUDY

KABBALAH
Mondays at 10:30 a.m. with
Ellie Schweitzer
at Temple Judea



Grandparent's Circle with Rabbi Yaron

Registration required and class size is limited to foster discussion.

Classes are on Mondays at 3:00 p.m. – RSVP to 561-624-4633

January 20th, February 3, March 3, April 7

A course to inspire and teach participants how to nurture the Jewish identities of their grandchildren while respecting the choices of their adult children.

Jewish Grandparents Network

Legacy – Teaching grandchildren what it means to be a mensch – January 20

Israel – Talking with grandchildren about Israel – February 3

Answering the hard questions – Is there a God? Why do people hate us? – March 3

Spicing up the Jewish holidays – Creating unforgettable memories with your grandchildren – April 7



The Spirituality of Life's Big Questions

with Rabbi Rose

Thursdays at 10:30 a.m.



1/23 – The spirituality of intimacy

By learning the traditional wisdom of our Jewish sources, might we be inspired to approach our romantic relationships with a new lens that fuses our contemporary lives with traditional wisdom around intimate relationships?

2/20 – The spirituality of uncertainty

Making meaning in the Midbar: How can we live our lives with new questions, even if we don't yet have the answers we desire? What is the value in uncertainty? How do we go about sitting or struggling with not knowing?

Scholars in Residence



Steven Rubin – Sunday, January 12th at 4:00 p.m.

A former Fulbright scholar, Steve Rubin holds a Ph.D. in comparative literature from the University of Michigan. He has written and lectured extensively both here and abroad on topics related to Jewish literature. He has edited several anthologies of Jewish writing, including *Telling and Remembering: A Century of American-Jewish Poetry*, *Writing Our Lives: Autobiographies of American Jews*, and *Celebrating the Jewish Holidays: Stories, Poems, Essays*. He is professor emeritus and former dean at Adelphi University. This lecture will explore the various forms, themes, and subjects that have characterized Jewish American literature from its beginnings to the present: from Emma Lazarus in the 19th century to the immigrant generation of poets and novelists of the early 20th century (Henry Roth, Isaac Bashevis Singer, Mary Antin), to the well-known writers of the 50s, 60s, and 70s (Saul Bellow, Cynthia Ozick, Grace Paley, Bernard Malamud, Philip Roth), to the works of contemporary authors Nicole Krauss, Jonathan Safran Foer, Nathan Englander, and Allegra Goodman, among others. Questions to be explored and discussed include: Is there an identifiable Jewish American literature? And if so, what common themes and subjects exist? What do various Jewish authors of different backgrounds, histories, beliefs, and eras have in common? And ultimately: What do Jewish authors have to tell us about ourselves, our heritage, and our identity as American Jews?

The Aging Eye: Cataracts and Intraocular Implant Surgery

Tuesday, January 28th at 3:00 p.m.

**Information session with Dr. Paul Schacknow – TJ member, ophthalmologist,
glaucoma specialist**

RSVP REQUIRED by TUESDAY, JANUARY 21st to 561-624-4633



Rabbi Karyn Kedar

Lunch & Learn

Wednesday, January 22nd at Noon

\$22/person

RSVP required to 561-624-4633 by Friday, January 17th

Karyn Kedar is an author, poet and inspirational speaker, writing and teaching with honesty and passion about mindfulness practice, forgiveness, beauty, struggle, healing and love.

“Faith, Courage, and Wisdom: The Language of Resilience”

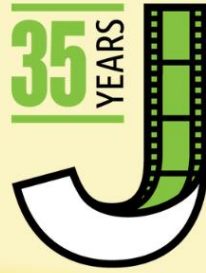
Life at its core is a mystery, much of it ultimately unknowable – why people live, why people die, why the rain causes floods or suddenly stops for months, causing drought, a pandemic. Why there is suffering. It is all so unknowable. Faith is an active conversation with the invisible, the knowledge that you are limited and that when you are in the center of your universe you are in a lonely place. When you recognize the sacred power of beauty and goodness, you regain your balance and restore a sense of hope. Living takes courage. It is through the powerful spiritual principles and decision and choice that we develop courageous living. Struggle, adversity and conflict are invitation to become the hero of your life. You wake up in a dark moment of your night and decide that whatever pursues you, will not defeat you.

Wisdom is the ability to tap into your intuitive self, to listen to the whispers that tug at you, to discern your path, to shift your perspective from fear to abundance.

Faith, courage and wisdom form the foundation of resilience and fortitude.



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MANDEL JCC, PALM BEACH GARDENS: JAN. 29 | 4:00 PM

BOYNTON BEACH CINEMARK: FEB. 2 | 4:00 PM

GAZOZZ

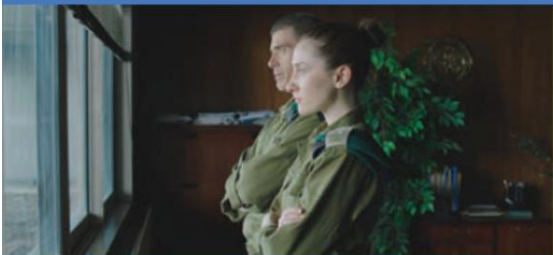
DRAMA | 83 MIN | DIR. BY TOMMY LANG
HEBREW | 2023 | ISRAEL

Gazozz follows the story of a date that unfolds over one evening in the vibrant streets of Tel Aviv. Peter and Lily, both in their 60s, find themselves brought together by Lily's daughter, Nelly, who hopes to spark a connection between them. As the evening progresses, Lily grapples with a long-held secret, creating a tension that adds depth to their encounter.



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Film Partner:



MANDEL JCC, PALM BEACH GARDENS: JAN. 29 | 7:00 PM

BOYNTON BEACH CINEMARK: FEB. 6 | 7:00 PM

LISTEN

DRAMA | 96 MIN | DIR. BY OMRI BEZALEL | PALM BEACH COUNTY PREMEIRE
ENGLISH AND ARABIC W. ENGLISH SUBTITLES | 2024 | USA

Listen is a poignant coming-of-age drama, exploring the moral complexities of love and loss in the Israeli-Palestinian conflict. The story follows a young officer in Israel's elite military intelligence unit, whose routine monitoring of a suspected terrorist's family shifts dramatically when she must find a captured Israeli soldier in Gaza.



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Live Q&A: with the Producers, Ilan Arboleda and Vince Maggio

Film Partner:

TICKETS ON SALE JANUARY 6

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For more information contact Jodi Michelle Cutler at JodiC@JCCOnline.com or 561-712-5204



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Rabbi Geoff Mitelman

Lunch and Learn, Wednesday, February 26th at Noon

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Rabbi Geoffrey A. Mitelman is the Founding Director of Sinai and Synapses, an organization that bridges the scientific and religious worlds, and is being incubated at Clal – The National Jewish Center for Learning and Leadership.

His work has been supported by the John Templeton Foundation, Emanuel J. Friedman Philanthropies, and the Lucius N. Littauer Foundation, and his writings about the intersection of religion and science have been published in the books *Seven Days, Many Voices* and *A Life of Meaning* (both published by the CCAR press) and *These Truths We Hold* (published by HUC Press) as well as on *The Huffington Post*, *Nautilus*, *Orbiter*, *The Wisdom Daily*, *Jewish Telegraphic Agency*, and *My Jewish Learning*. He has been an adjunct professor at both the Hebrew Union College – Jewish Institute of Religion and the Academy for Jewish Religion, and is an internationally sought-out teacher, presenter, and scholar-in-residence.

He was ordained by the Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion, where he received the Cora Kahn Prize from the Cincinnati faculty for the most outstanding sermon delivery and oratory. An alumnus of Princeton University, he received multiple prizes for outstanding scholarship in Biblical and Judaic studies. He was selected to be a member of the first cohort of Clal's prestigious Rabbis Without Borders fellowship, a national program that seeks to position rabbis as American religious leaders and spiritual innovators who contribute Jewish wisdom to the American spiritual landscape.

From 2007 to 2014, he served as Assistant and then Associate Rabbi of Temple Beth El of Northern Westchester, and he appeared on *Jeopardy!*

POISONED IVY: CONFRONTING ANTISEMITISM IN IVY LEAGUE COLLEGES

OPEN TO THE ENTIRE COMMUNITY

4:00 p.m.

Sunday, February 23rd

Guest Speaker

Shabbos Kestenbaum

Shabbos Kestenbaum is a student activist and leading plaintiff against Harvard University, alleging pervasive and systemic antisemitism. He is a regular contributor on national media, has testified in front of the United States Congress multiple times, and lectures internationally on Jewish communal issues.





*Temple Judea's
Donor Appreciation Event
Sunday, March 9th
By invitation only*

Join us for a special concert by Nefesh Mountain
on Sunday, March 9th at 4:00 p.m.

This event is for donors who contributed \$1800+ above and beyond
their full-dues commitment.

Communities

TJ's Book Club at 10:30 a.m. at TJ or via Zoom

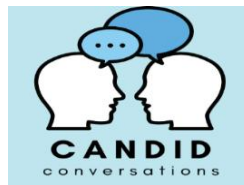
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Meeting ID: 863 2152 4611 Passcode: 910340

Jan. 6th *The Last Kings of Shanghai* Jonathan Kaufman

Feb. 3rd *The Color of Water* James McBride

Questions: Contact Beth Baker at bethloves@gmail.com.



CANDID CONVERSATIONS FOR WOMEN at 1:00 p.m.

Please join our energetic, enlightened, and enjoyable women's group which is designed for female members of Temple Judea. Topics are chosen for small and large group participation and discussion and are selected to strengthen the bond friendship and support for all who attend. Topics are user-friendly but not political.

Participating attendees enjoy sharing experiences and learning from one another through communication and reflection during topic discussions. It is friendly and cozy to be together in a comfortable and confidential space to explore relevant topical matters that will enhance the joyful meaning of the group.

The Winter/Spring 2025 series begins on January 16th

January 16, 2025	My Mood for A Day
February 6, 2025	Who Am I?
February 20, 2025	Let's Talk About Friends!
March 6, 2025	Exploring Our Lives
March 20, 2025	Are Negative Emotions Always Bad?
April 3, 2025	What Are the Keys to Living Longer!
April 17, 2025	Let's Explore Solitude!
May 8, 2025	Are My Coping Strategies Working?
May 22, 2025	Time to Revisit Mindfulness Meditation.

Marcia Grobman received her master's degree in social work from Barry University, Miami Shores, Florida and is a licensed clinical social worker (LCSW). She is also a certified addiction professional (CAP) and a certified clinical geriatric social worker (CSW-G). Marcia worked for Palm Beach County Public Safety Department, Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office, Alpert Jewish Family Services and Morse Geriatric Center. She has been in practice for over 40 years.

Registration is required and class size is limited.

Contact Randi at randi@gotj.org or 561-624-4633.



New Bereavement Support Group

Temple Judea's Bereavement Support Group is dedicated to those who have experienced the loss of a loved one in 2024. The group will focus on remembering, supporting and healing those who are in mourning.

Marcia Grobman, LCSW, CAP, CSW-G is available, by appointment, to meet with Temple Judea members who would like to speak to her privately. All one-on-one meetings, limited to three sessions, are confidential. There is no fee for Temple Judea members.

Call Randi to schedule a one-on-one appointment or to register for the Support Group: 561-624-4633

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Mondays - 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm

January 13th

Why Me?

January 27th

Coping with My Changes!

February 10th

Managing My Thoughts?

February 24th

Don't Forget About Me!

SOCIAL ACTION



Tuesday, January 14th - HELP FEED THE HUNGRY

To benefit St. George's Food Kitchen. PLEASE CONSIDER making sandwiches at home - on white, whole wheat, or whatever bread with PEANUT BUTTER AND JELLY or TURKEY AND CHEESE or 3 slices of ANY CHEESE and small amount of mustard. **No need to cut the sandwiches.** Put each one in a baggie. One loaf of bread makes 10 sandwiches. They distribute 300 sandwiches a day - so any amount is greatly appreciated. DROP OFF YOUR SANDWICHES AT TEMPLE - MAIN DOOR any time from 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Questions? Call the office at (561)624-4633.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY!



Join Rabbi Rose at Jupiter Elementary to read to Kindergarten and 1st Grade students once a month.

You will meet at the school at 8:30 a.m.!

Dates: 1/21; 2/18; 3/18; 4/22

Books will be provided.

Jupiter Elementary is located at 200 S. Loxahatchee Drive, Jupiter 33458, and is a Title 1 school.

Please call the office to sign up. Limited to 10-15 volunteers / visit.



WE NEED YOU!!!

Please join our clergy to prepare a meal for families with children getting treatment at St. Mary's Children Hospital

Adults and teens welcome!

January 26, February 23, March 30, April 27

3:00 p.m. to cook

4:30 p.m. to serve

and visit with the families. Register at 561-624-4633



**Join us as we knit or crochet blankets to help those in need!
To date we have made 1000+ blankets.**

You provide the yarn, pattern, and time! Drop off your finished product at TJ.
Blankets must be machine washable, dryable, and hypoallergenic.
Knitted blankets will be donated to St. Mary's Children's Hospital
Crocheted blankets will be donated to local homeless shelters.

Questions: Contact Isabel Berg at izzyberg2@gmail.com



Help serve lunch at St. George Table

Daily from 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

They need volunteers – especially during the summer when some of their “regulars” are away.

Work is inside an airconditioned church. Clients wait outside for staff and designated volunteers. There is security personnel on site.

St. George's Center / Victory City Church

163 W. 20th Street
Riviera Beach, FL

Contact: Debbie Kinback at 561-307-3951 or
dkinback@comcast.net



Feeding Hope Village

Faith Deliverance Church & Feeding

Hope Village Food Pantry

Wednesday, January 8th

3437 Avenue O., Riviera Beach

9:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. to
distribute meals.

Call the office to register at

561-624-4633 or rose@gotj.org

***Sisterhood Morikami Museum and
Japanese Gardens Tour
January 8th at 9:45 AM
4000 Morikami Park Rd
Delray Beach 33446***



Sisterhood's January excursion to the Morikami Museum and Japanese Gardens is one of Palm Beach County's most treasured cultural attractions. Located in a tranquil natural setting we will experience a window to Japan through sprawling historic gardens, a world-class bonsai display, captivating exhibitions, and a distinctive Museum Store. The current exhibition *Akira: Architecture of Neo-Tokyo*, traces the architectural world-building process of Japan's most influential animated science fiction film, *AKIRA*.

Each person will pay the Morikami directly. Please meet us at the payment window NO LATER THAN 9:50 a.m.

Entry fee is \$14 for seniors and \$16 for adults. Only CASH or CREDIT CARD is accepted.

Lunch is offered at the Cornell Café. The varied menu can viewed at the website <https://morikami.org> under *Plan Your Visit*. Please note that there is no wait service at the Café and individual reservations are NOT accepted.

RSVPs will be on a first come, first served basis and there is limited availability. PLEASE RSVP to the temple office at 561-624-4633. Please be sure to indicate if you are coming for the tour and lunch or just the tour. PLEASE NO WALK INS.



Join Rabbi Yaron for an intimate tour and history of TJ.
Get an inside understanding of all the small details that make up our sacred
space while getting to spend some quality time with our clergy.

Monday, February 10th at 4 p.m.

The tour is limited to 20 people – RSVP is required.

Call Randi at 624-4633 to register.



PLANNING AHEAD IS SIMPLE. THE BENEFITS ARE IMMENSE.

Please join Rabbi Yaron and Star of David for a **complimentary lunch** and learn as we discuss Jewish end-of-life decisions,
pre-planning funeral, cremation, veteran benefits, payment plans, and cemetery arrangements.

January 29th at 11:30 am at Temple Judea

RSVP to the office at 561-624-4633

1.J Morris at Star of David Funeral Home and Cemetery of The Palm Beaches



JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

1	Doug Bush	11	Brooke Sandler	21	Lara Balloff
2	Nathan Bush	11	Robert Tanchum	21	Ilana Balloff
2	Phillip Griffel	11	Nathan Wayne	21	Eleanor Cohen
3	Irene Anderson	12	Beth Ann Cohen	22	Jonathan Frieder
3	Karen Fischer	12	Susan Cole	22	Holli McLean
3	Harvey Morgan	12	Wayne Gould	22	Joshua Nolan
3	Carla Schwartz	12	Ellie Hart	22	Joshua Wysocky
3	Ellen Wright	12	Eric Jagolinzer	23	Sophia Berezin
4	Lawrence Aronowitz	12	Maschia Kaplan	23	Jessica Krathen
4	Andrea Cole	12	Dick Kuhr	23	Lawrence Rothenberg
4	Roger Coron	12	Stanley Littenberg	24	Sara Fleischman
4	Rick Garrison	12	Carol Robbin	24	Richard Alan Ginsburg
4	Samantha Goodman	13	Emily Balloff	25	Mark Albers
4	Molly Seelig	13	Christi Chane	25	Robert Landsman
5	Hannah Axelband	13	Bruce Levy	25	Gwen Richman
5	Rachel Berg	13	Glenda Wolpert	25	Howard Schwartz
5	Anna Dukor	14	Alan Goldberg	25	Bob Seidemann
5	Tyler Francisco	14	Janet Grossman	26	Shelly Ettinger
5	Daisy Hankin	14	Cameron Brody Rosenberg	26	Loretta Fink
5	Christopher Michaud	14	Analeigh Schacknow	26	Emily Schiff
6	Louise Austin	14	Randee Schneider	26	Zoe Zwart
6	Jade Lefkowitz	14	Robert Schneider	27	Stephen Hertz
7	Bryce Axelband	14	Brian Schneiderman	27	Ever Segalowitz
7	Jane Feinstein	15	Lynda Arnberg	28	Shari Bernstein
7	Nicole Levinson	15	Norman Barham	28	Raymon Eisenman
7	Aaron Mendelsohn	15	Glenn Kurlander	28	Robin Rosenberg
7	Theodore Tashlik	15	Jack Pearlman	28	Hannah Welton
8	Martin Cohen	15	Nancy Pennea	29	Peter Arest
8	Jacob Cohen	15	Burt Tansky	29	Davin Rafael
8	Stephanie Lippman	16	Philip Balas	29	Lauren Reiss
8	Ayla Rafael	16	Benjamin Garine	30	Sabine Carter
8	Beryl Schneider	16	David Goldberg	30	Dina Kramer
8	Andrew Weltman	17	Phyllis Kaufman	30	Esther Levinson
9	Peter Aschheim	17	Sybil Michelson	30	Arielle Kyle Sheynfeld
9	Jody Levy	17	Luis Rodriguez	30	Adam Shleifer
9	Jeffrey Nadelson	17	Michael Shrank	31	Iris Knight-Arest
9	Roberta Sibulkin	18	Olive Ruth Philipczyk	31	Harvey Meranus
9	Rona Sterling	18	Alexandra Schneider	31	Irene Rulnick
9	Michael Tannenbaum	18	Larry Smith	31	Morgan Schneider
10	Madeline Cody	19	Carol Auerbach	31	Doreen Smith
10	Ethan Michael Lachman	19	Shirley Baratz	31	Nancy Wolk
10	Melanie Lipson	19	Robert Briskin		
10	Anabel Quittman	19	Hunter Coron		
10	Tamar Rubin	19	Barbara Friedman		
11	Arielle Brandt	19	Colin Halpern		
11	Diane M. Davidson	20	Neil Wolfson		
11	Terry Rogal Picker	20	Stephanie Wolmer		

♥ happy ♥ anniversary

1	Lawrence & Samantha Aronowitz	16	Andrew & Julia Weltman
1	Benjamin & Rachel Mendelsohn	17	Alex & Erin Brock
2	Harry & Maggie Kaufman	17	Colin & Gail Halpern
6	Harvey & Suzanne Morgan	17	John & Amy Terwilleger
6	Jonathan & Randee Schneider	17	Leonard & Harriet Zysman
7	Steven & Isabel Berg	19	Jerry & Sheila Grant
7	Jeffrey & Analeigh Schacknow	19	Irwin & Judith Wrubel
9	Bruce & Marcia Levy	21	Marc & Susan Cohn
11	Frederick & Anne Cogen	22	Stephen & Deborah Paul
11	Marty & Beth Deitchman	23	Jonathan & Christi Chane
12	Adam & Emily Schiff	31	Allen & Bonnie Sirkin
14	Ira & Dana Efron	27	Ronald & Susan Sutton
14	Daniel Fortier & Nancy Funt	27	Ron & Lynda West
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16	Chad & Sara Densen	30	Jeffrey & Jill Fenster

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Carole and Norman Barham in honor of Norman's Bar Mitzvah

Would you like to sponsor an Oneg in honor of a simcha or to remember a loved one? Please call the office to learn more!

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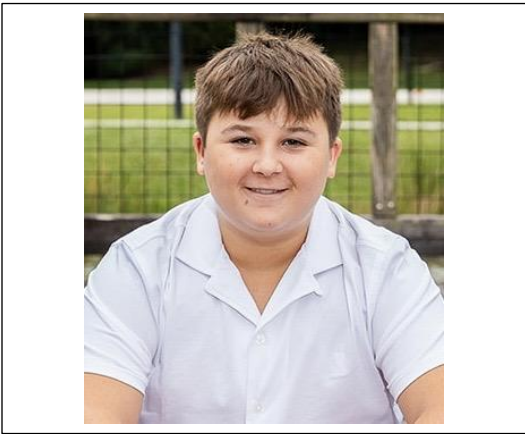
Mazel tov to Elissa and Jeff Miller on their daughter, Sloane Rachel, becoming a Bat Mitzvah on January 11, 2025.

Sloane is a 7th grade student at The Benjamin School. Her favorite subjects in school are math, science and history. She is a competitive soccer player and greatly enjoys travel soccer with the Palm Beach Gardens Predators team. Sloane is kindhearted and a natural leader, serving as Treasurer for The Benjamin Student Council this year. She enjoys hanging with friends, travel and attending sporting events with her family. Sloane is thrilled to be able to share this special moment with family and friends.



Mazel tov to Christi and Jonathan Chane on their son, Jack, becoming a Bar Mitzvah on January 18, 2025.

Jack is a 7th grader at Palm Beach Day Academy. He is an avid tennis player and plays many times during the week. He also loves the Mets, Dolphins, and the Miami Hurricanes and going to their games. Jack loves to travel and has been to five countries so far. During his travels, Jack has become an excellent skier and surfer. Jack is a history buff and loves learning about all parts of history, especially WW2. Jack's curiosity is infectious. He'll try anything such as growing any kind of seed into a plant to building model rockets to 3D printing.



Mazel Tov to Jessica and Josh Goodman on their son, Gabe, becoming a Bar Mitzvah on January 25, 2025.

Gabe is a 7th grader at Watson B. Duncan Middle school. He has a love for all things sports. Whether he's playing football for the Palm Beach Gardens Gators, shooting hoops during basketball season, or playing with friends in the neighborhood Gabe is always on the move. Gabe loves watching sports as well and is a big time Pittsburgh Steelers fan. He also enjoys spending time with his friends, playing video games, card games, fantasy sports and hanging out with his brother Ben and Sister Samantha. He loves trying new foods and spending summers at Camp Wildwood. Gabe has a great sense of humor and a giving heart. In this spirit and to honor his bar mitzvah he is collecting new mouth guards to donate to local area football leagues in need.



Norman Barham and his wife, Carole have lived in Palm Beach Gardens for the past 25 years. They still spend their summers at their beach house on Long Beach Island in Southern New Jersey.

Norman retired in 2020 from Marsh & McLennan (International insurance brokers) as Vice Chairman; prior to Marsh, he spent 23 years with Johnson & Higgins (J&H). He was President of J&H when the company was sold to Marsh.

Our Bar Mitzvah "boy" has two children, David and Mindee and three grandchildren, Adriel, 23, Benjamin, 20 and Theo, 16.

When not playing golf, Norman's interests include tennis, pickleball, boating with the family in New Jersey and sharing the good life with Frenchman's Creek, BallenIsles and New Jersey friends.

He is excited about his second Bar Mitzvah at the age of 83!

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*wishing our special friend, Dale
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wishing our dear friend, Sue Levy,
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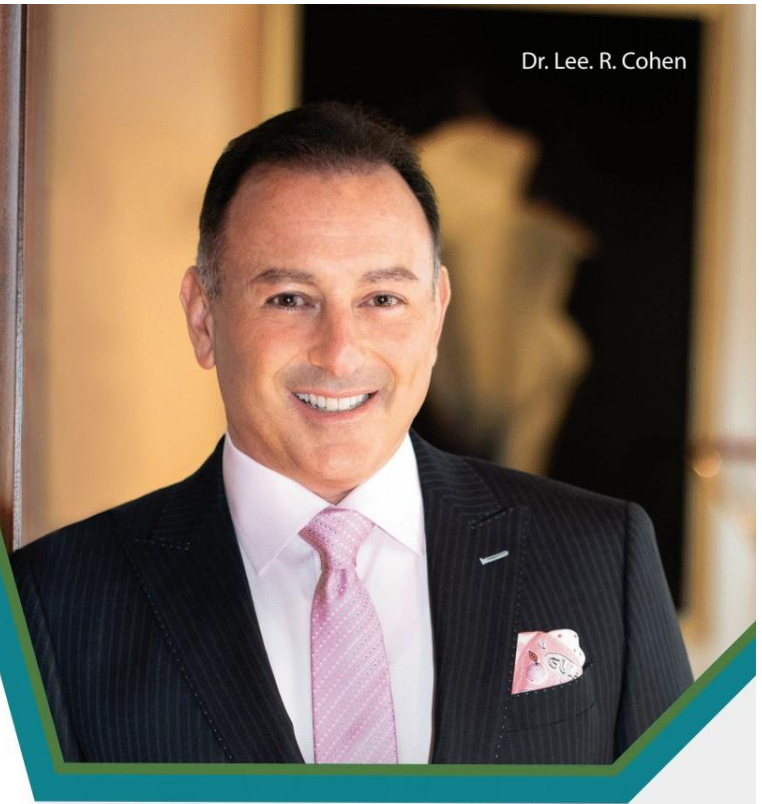

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