

LECTURE TOPICS & TYPES OF PROGRAMS

Mitzvah Power

There's No Such Thing As a Small Mitzvah: More Than 36 (2 X Chai) Easy Ways To Make a BIG Difference With Just a Little Tzedakah Money And/or a Minimum of Time, Effort, Stamina, Talents and Personal Strengths and Preferences

Mitzvahs and The Cycle of Life

What Can Bruce Springsteen, Steven Spielberg, David Copperfield, Ben & Jerry, and The Late Paul Newman and Liz Taylor Teach Us About Mitzvot That We Don't Know? — How To Be a Mitzvah Hero

Where, When, Why, and How You Can Do Your Own Best Tikkun Olam: 45 Ways to Choose the Kind of Tikkun Olam that Is the *Very* Best for You

Kid Mitzvah Power: Amazing Tikkun Olam Done By Our Young, Medium-Young and Very Young Kinderlach

Everyday Miracles: Using Your Mitzvah Power

How To Solve All the World's Problems by Making Just One Phone Call, Sending One E-mail, Or Surfing One Website

116 Practical Mitzvah Suggestions: Variety in Your Personal Mitzvah Work

Tikkun Olam and Life

1 + 1 = 3 and Many Other Mitzvah Principles For a Meaningful Jewish Life

Mitzvahs Are Real Life: Near-Life and Real-Life Experiences

Mitzvah Heroes and You

Mitzvah DVD Extravaganza: DVD's and Discussions about Mitzvah Heroes and What We Have in Common with Them

Women Mitzvah Heroes: One From The Old Old Days and A Few

From Nowadays (Some of Whom You Might Have Wanted as a

Grandmother-Mother-Sister-Aunt-Daughter): The Great Ones-It Would Be good, Wise, Useful, and Uplifting to Know About

The (Unknown) Famous Five-Minute Speech That Changed Thousands of Lives

Parents and Children

My Parents Say They Want Me To Be Happy, Healthy, a Mensch, and a Jew,

But All They Really Want From Me Is For Me to Get Good Grades

Mitzvah Man and Mitzvah Woman: Every Possible Thing You Need to Know

About to Make a Bar or Bat Mitzvah A True and Meaningful Mitzvah Event.

Just Exactly What Do We [Our Kids and Ourselves] Want to Be When We Grow Up?

Your Tzedakah Money

Giving Your Money Away — How Much, How to, Why, When, and to Whom Is It Enough That They Are Doing Good Things? — What You Need to Know Before You Donate to Any Tzedakah Organization.

What It Feels Like to Have \$6,543.99/Day to Give Away to Tzedakah

For Fund Raisers: What's Jewish About Jewish Giving?

Torah Study and Jewish Values

Jewish Jewish Values for Ourselves, Our Families, and Our Communities
**So You Fell Asleep During Services — Do You Still Count For a Minyan?
(And Other Little-Studied Jewish Laws and Customs)**

Even More Unusual Texts: Judaism with Emotion, Yiddishkeit from the Gut –
Rarely Taught, Often Ignored, Often Distinctly Off-beat Torah
From the Great Rabbis

Nu? Feed the Cat and *Then* Enjoy Your Waffles

The Angels Every Moment in Our lives

Practical Menschlichkeit: Jewish Values and Character Education

1. The Awesomeness of Being Human: Where Heaven and Earth Touch
2. Menschlichkeit, Edelkeit, Ziesskeit, Shaynkeit, Feinkeit, and Ehrlichkeit: Human Qualities in Jewish Tradition
3. Gutsy Torah (2-hour, 4-hour, 6-hour, all-day or all-night study marathons)

Additional Topics

What's Jewish About Jewish Leadership: Jewish Texts For Professionals, Lay People, or for Professionals and Lay People

Retirement — Now Is the Time for Big-Time Tikkun Olam

Girl Scout Cookies™ and Jewish Tradition

It's 2016 And Time To Get Out of the 20th Century—

Mitzvah Agenda for the North American Jewish Community

Readings from the Author's Poetry and Prose

TYPES OF PROGRAMS

Forums/Audiences:

synagogues, JCC's, Federations (either fundraising and education events),
dayschools, afternoon schools, pre- and post- Bar and Bat Mitzvah groups,
adult and family education groups

lay and/or Jewish professional leaders

Jewish educators

secular high schools

Formats:

Individual, lectures, seminars, lecture series

A. Week-ends (4 talks between Friday night and Sunday noon or so)

B. Mid-week

C. Kick-off events (e.g., for Mitzvah Day)