

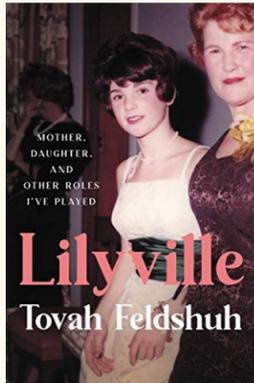
Thank you for joining us in this season of COH Book Club member's exciting reads!

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Date: Wednesday, July 14, 2021, 7PM

Facilitator: Sandy Cuttler

Lilyville: Mother, Daughter, and Other Roles I've Played by Tovah Feldshuh (320 pp)

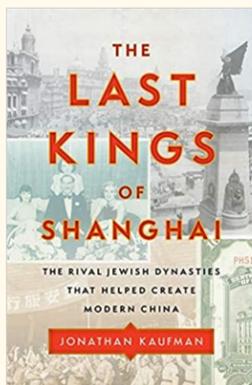


This heartwarming and funny memoir from a beloved actress tells the story of a mother and daughter whose narrative reflects American cultural changes and the world's shifting expectations of women.

Date: Wednesday, August 11, 2021, 7PM

Facilitator: Sheila Dalmat

The Last Kings of Shanghai: The Rival Jewish Dynasties That Helped Create Modern China by Jonathan Kaufman (348 pp)



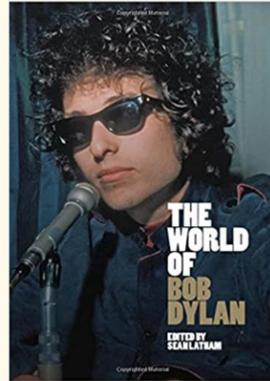
By the 1930s, the Sassoon's had been doing business in China for a century, rivaled in wealth and influence by only one other dynasty - the Kadoories. These two Jewish families, both originally from Baghdad, stood astride Chinese business and politics for more than 175 years, profiting from the Opium Wars; surviving Japanese occupation; courting Chiang Kai-shek; and losing nearly everything as the Communists swept into power.

Rosh Hashanah Sept 6-8, 2021

Date: Wednesday, October 13, 2021, 7PM

Facilitators: Deborah and David Woodsfellow

The World of Bob Dylan
by Sean Latham (370 pp)

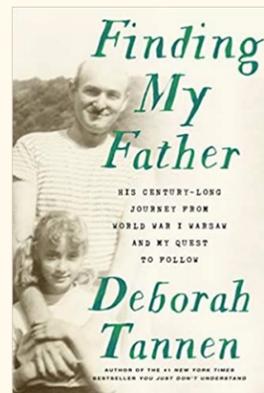


Bob Dylan helped transform music, literature, pop culture and even politics. *The World of Bob Dylan* chronicles a lifetime of creative invention that has made a global impact. Dylan won the Nobel Prize for literature in 2016.

Date: Wednesday, November 10, 2021, 7PM

Facilitators: Elizabeth and Sandy Appley-Epstein

Finding My Father: His Century-Long Journey from WWI Warsaw and My Quest to Follow
by Deborah Tannen (272 pp)



In this memoir Tannen embarks on the poignant, yet perilous, quest to piece together the puzzle of her father's life. Beginning with his astonishingly vivid memories of the Hasidic community in Warsaw, where he was born in 1908, she traces his journey: from arriving in New York City in 1920 to quitting high school at 14 to support his mother and sister, through a vast array of jobs, to eventually establishing the largest workers' compensation law practice in New York and running for Congress.

Date: Wednesday, December 8, 2021, 7PM

Facilitator: Shlomit Ritz Finkelstein

Jewish-Christian Difference and Modern Jewish Identity: Seven Twentieth-Century Converts
by Shalom Goldman (214pp)

JEWISH-CHRISTIAN
DIFFERENCE
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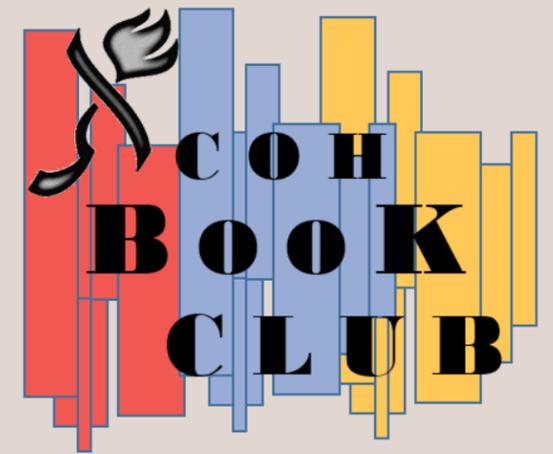
SEVEN TWENTIETH-CENTURY CONVERTS

SHALOM GOLDMAN

This book is an exploration of what would seem to be a simple question, but is actually the object of a profound question — “who is a Jew?”

This is a deeply complex issue, both within Judaism, and in interactions between

Jews and Christians. *Jewish-Christian Difference and Modern Jewish Identity: Seven Twentieth-Century Converts* contend that in the twentieth century the Jewish-Christian relationship has changed to the extent that definitions of Jewish identity were reshaped.



Wonderful Books
Thought Provoking Discussions
Meet Fellow COH Members

**2021–2022 COH Virtual
Book Club Selections**

Meetings are held at 7:00 pm on the second Wednesday of the month. Venue typically held over Zoom platform but is open to change.

To communicate with this book club please contact Sheila Dalmat / cohbookclub@or-hadash.org



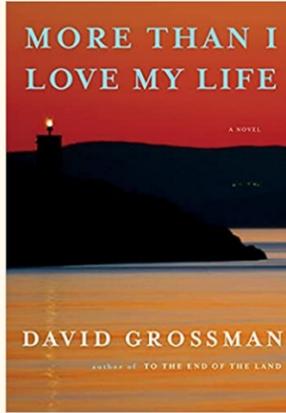
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Date: Wednesday, January 12, 2022 7PM

Facilitator: Cheryl Hecht

More Than I Love My Life
by David Grossman



A remarkable novel of suffering, love, and healing—the story of three generations of women on an unlikely journey to a Croatian island and a secret that needs to be told—from the internationally best-selling author of *To the End of the Land*.

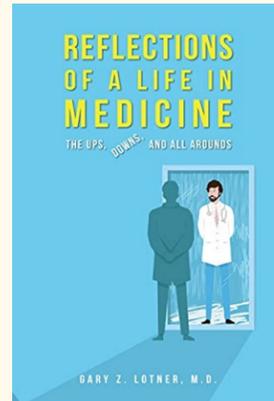
(MJCCA 2021 Book Festival selection)

Date: Wednesday, March 9, 2022, 7PM

Facilitator: Gary Lotner and Sandra Cuttler

Reflections of a Life in Medicine

by Gary Lotner (359 pp)



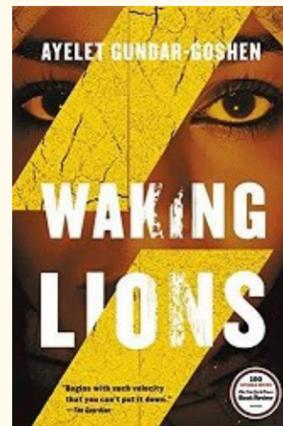
With our family's encouragement after reading some of his very humorous stories, it expanded into as a series of anecdotes and reflections on his medical training, often humorous, sometimes poignant.

Date: Wednesday, April 13, 2022, 7PM

Facilitator: Sara Ghitis

Walking Lions

by Ayelet Gundar-Goshen (352 pp)



After one night's deadly mistake, a man will go to any lengths to save his family and his reputation. Neurosurgeon Eitan Green has the perfect life -- married to a beautiful police officer and father of two young boys. Then, speeding along a deserted moonlit road after an exhausting hospital shift, he hits someone. Seeing that the man, an African migrant, is beyond help, he flees the scene.

Date: Wednesday, May 11, 2022, 7PM

Facilitator: Patrick Tracy

The Amazing Adventures of Kavalier & Clay

by Michael Chabon (648 pp)



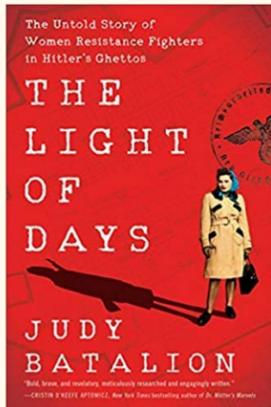
A “towering, swash-buckling thrill of a book” (Newsweek), hailed as Chabon’s “magnum opus” (The New York Review of Books), *The Amazing Adventures of Kavalier & Clay* is a triumph of originality, imagination, and storytelling, an exuberant, irresistible novel that begins in New York City in 1939. Won the PULITZER PRIZE for Fiction in 2001.

Date: Wednesday, February 9, 2022, 7PM

Facilitators: Louise Meller and Jay Lukowski

The Light of Days: The Untold Story of Women Resistance Fighters in Hitler's Ghettos

by Judy Batalion (576pp)



One of the most important stories of World War II, already optioned by Steven Spielberg for a major motion picture: a spectacular, searing history that brings to light the extraordinary accomplishments of brave Jewish women who became resistance fighters—a group

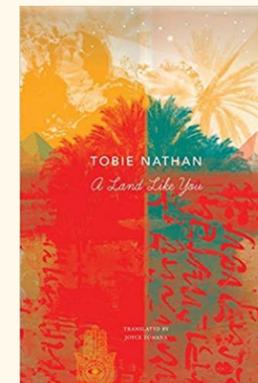
of unknown heroes whose exploits have never been chronicled in full, until now.

Date: Wednesday, June 8, 2022, 7PM

Facilitator: Sari Marmur

A Land Like You

by Tobie Nathan (340 pp)



Propelled forward by vivid, unforgettable characters, the layers of political, historic and mystical Egypt tumble together into a rich mosaic, encompassing a period of great change from 1918 to 1950's.



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Summaries provided by Sheila Dalmat.



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**Pesach
April 15-17, 2021**