

Resource Guide for the Days of Awe

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Websites – Articles, Podcasts, Videos

For basic overviews of Elul, Rosh Hashanah, and Yom Kippur from the website My Jewish Learning, [click here](#), [here](#), and [here](#)

For Elul learning from The Mussar Institute, [click here](#)

For “High Holiday Insights” from The Jewish Theological Seminary’s online archive, [click here](#)

10Q (“Reflect. React. Renew”) is a project of Reboot, an arts and culture non-profit that reimagines and reinforces Jewish thought and traditions. To learn more about 10Q and participate in it this New Year, [click here](#)

To explore the Days of Awe with scholars from the Shalom Hartman Institute in Jerusalem, [click here](#)

Hadar empowers Jews to create and sustain vibrant, practicing, egalitarian communities of *Torah*, *Avodah*, and *Hesed*. For Hadar Torah Online resources for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur, [click here](#) and [here](#)

For online resources about Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur, and more, from Elmad, (online learning powered by the Pardes Institute for Jewish Learning in Jerusalem), [click here](#)

For High Holiday learning resources from USCJ’s Conservative Yeshiva in Jerusalem, [click here](#)

For a 12-minute podcast by Rabbi Elliot Dorff entitled “The True Power of Unetaneh Tokef” [click here](#)

Books

S. Y. Agnon (editor), *Days of Awe: A Treasury of Jewish Wisdom for Reflection, Repentance, and Renewal on the High Holy Days*

Jeffrey Cohen - *Prayer and Penitence: A Commentary to the High Holy Day Machzor / 1,000 Questions and Answers on Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur*

Rabbi Lawrence A. Hoffman (editor) – *Prayer of Awe* series (8 volumes, focusing on various aspects of the liturgy – Kol Nidrei, Avinu Malkeinu, etc)

Rabbi Dov Peretz Elkins (editor) –
Rosh Hashanah Readings – Inspiration, Information and Contemplation
Yom Kippur Readings – Inspiration, Information and Contemplation

Marcia Falk, *The Days Between: Blessings, Poems, and Directions of the Heart for the Jewish High Holiday Season*

Rabbi Reuven Hammer, *Entering the High Holy Days: A Complete Guide*

Rabbi Simon Jacobson, *60 Days: A Spiritual Guide to the High Holidays*

Rabbi Alan Lew, *This is Real and You are Completely Unprepared: The Days of Awe as a Journey of Transformation*

Dr. Louis E. Newman, *Repentance: The Meaning and Practice of Teshuvah*

Rabbis Kerry M. Olitzky and Rachel Sabath, *Preparing Your Heart for the High Holy Days*

Gail Twersky Riemer and Judith A. Kates (editors), *Beginning Anew: A Woman's Companion to the High Holy Days*

Rabbi Debra J. Robbins, *Opening Your Heart with Psalm 27: A Spiritual Practice for the New Year* (NEW)

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