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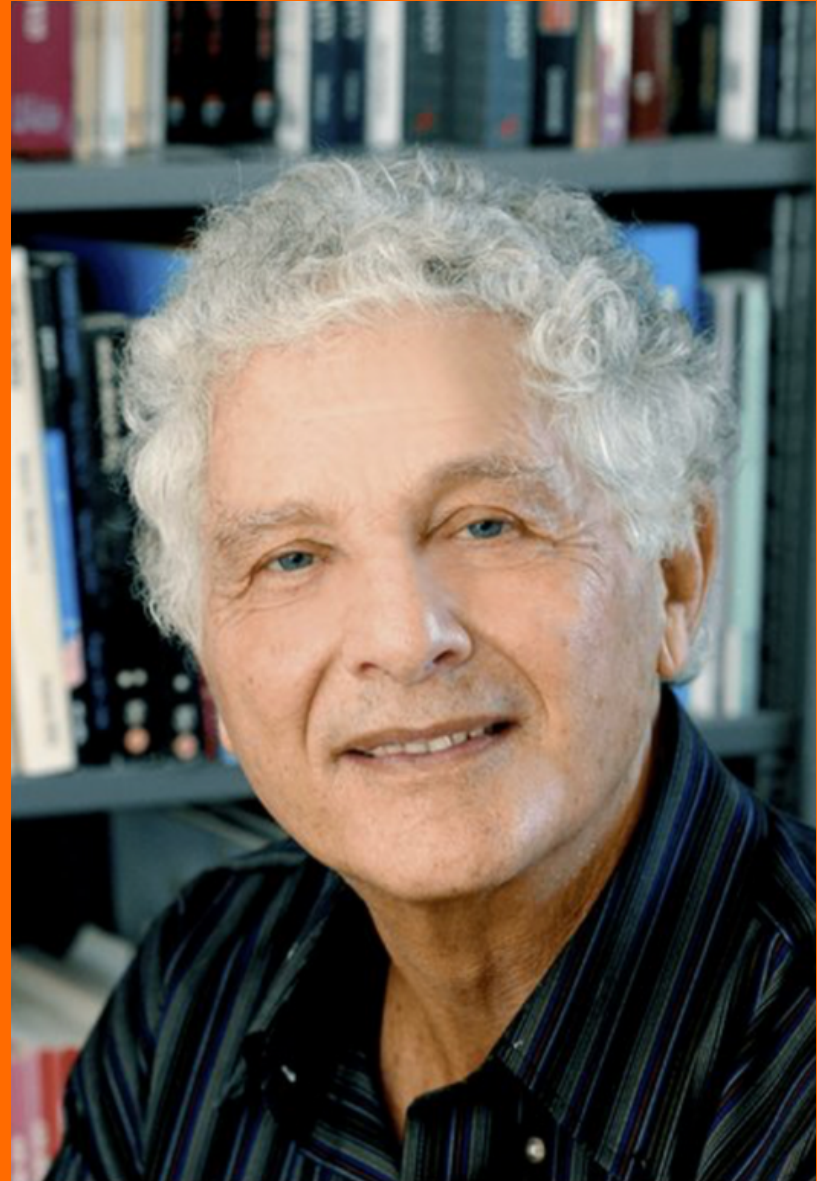
and the Kleinstein Lecture
Series present

Dr. Robert B. Alter

**Tuesday, March 5
7:00pm**

via Zoom

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Illuminating the Bible with Literary Brilliance

**Join us for this rare opportunity to participate in a presentation from a
ground-breaking luminary in the field of Biblical Scholarship.**

Dr. Robert Bernard Alter, is Professor Emeritus at the University of California, Berkeley. His monumental influence transcends academic circles, transforming the way we understand the Hebrew Bible, not just as a religious text, but as a work of unparalleled literary and poetic power.

His landmark translation of the Five Books of Moses, hailed as "a literary event of the first order," breathes new life into ancient words, making them resonate with contemporary readers. This wasn't simply a translation; it was a revelation, illuminating the text's intricate narrative structures, subtle ironies, and potent imagery.

Alter's commentary on the entire Hebrew Bible, "The Hebrew Bible with Commentary," stands as a singular achievement. Here, his vast knowledge of literary theory and comparative literature illuminates the complexities of the Torah, revealing its artistry, ambiguity, and profound humanity.

Dr. Robert B. Alter has opened doors for a new generation of scholars and readers to delve into the depths of this sacred text, expanding their understanding of the human experience. His legacy will continue to illuminate the path for generations to come.