

Announcing The Taste of Jewish Culture Series – November 17, 2022

Dear Friends,

I am very pleased to announce the launch of *The Taste of Jewish Culture*, an online exploration of Jewish food traditions and the historical connections between Jews and food.

The series will consist of eight sessions that will run from December 2022 through November 2023. The first session, *The Original Culinary Movers and Shakers: Jews as Transporters of Food*, will be held on Wednesday, December 14 at 7:00 pm EST. Complete descriptions of each session along with registration links are found on our website (<u>walnutstreetsynagogue.com/the-taste-of-jewish-culture</u>). You will need to register for each session individually and we will send Zoom links a few days before each session. There is no charge.

Our speaker, Joel Haber, will be presenting this series live from his home in Jerusalem. Joel writes about and lectures on the topic of Jewish Food history, with a focus on understanding Jewish culture and history via our foods. His writing appears on his blog (www.tasteofjew.com) along with articles in such publications as *The Nosher, Tablet, Tradition*, and *The Jewish Journal (Los Angeles)*. He has lectured extensively on the topic, in both online and in-person venues in multiple countries. Additionally, Joel has worked as a licensed tour guide in Israel for nearly a decade. In addition to hundreds of tours of a general nature, his most popular single tour is a culinary tasting and history tour in Jerusalem's famous outdoor market, Shuk Machane Yehuda. Approximately 3,500 individuals have already joined him on that tour, along with countless others who have joined a virtual version via Zoom.

This series is made possible by a grant from the Congregation Ahabat Shalom Religious Fund. Additional sponsorships are available (see our sponsorship form or event website).

Please join us. I hope to see you online for this exciting program!

L'Shalom,

Edward Medros President, Walnut Street Synagogue

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