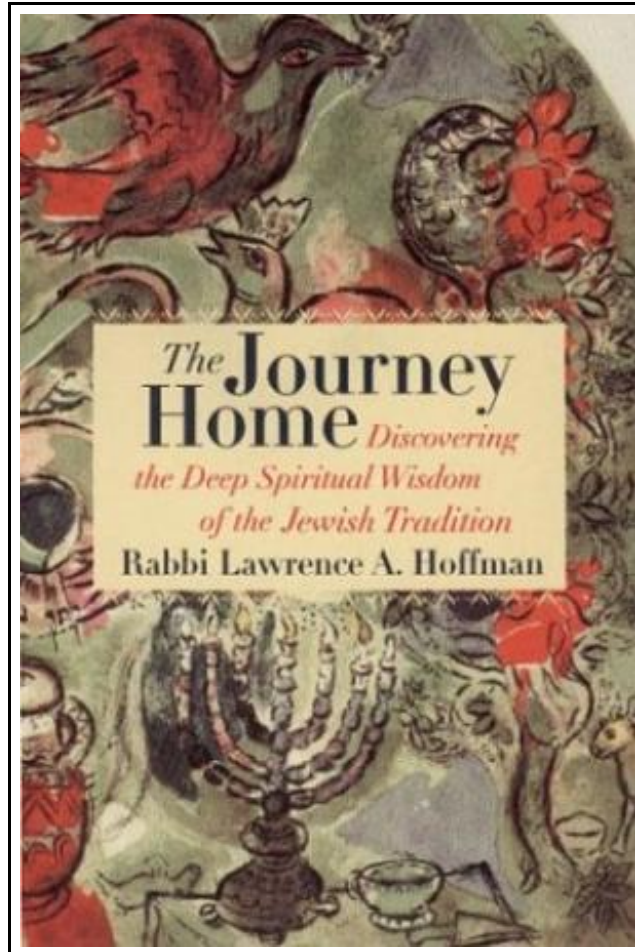


The Journey Home: Discovering the Deep Spiritual Wisdom of the Jewish Tradition



Filesize: 1.13 MB

Reviews

This book is great. I have go through and so i am confident that i will going to read through once again again in the future. I am just easily can get a satisfaction of looking at a written book.
(Miss Vernie Schimmel)

THE JOURNEY HOME: DISCOVERING THE DEEP SPIRITUAL WISDOM OF THE JEWISH TRADITION



Beacon Press, Boston, Massachusetts, U.S.A., 2002. Hard Cover. Book Condition: New. Dust Jacket Condition: New. First Edition. 8vo - over 7¾" - 9¾" tall. First edition. Hardcover binding, 240 pp. We can go home again but to a home we never knew we had, says Hoffman, author and professor of liturgy at Hebrew Union College in New York. He defines home as the "deep-down insights of Jewish tradition: its liturgy of blessings; its metaphors that connect life's dots; its thrill of textual discovery; its rootedness in a sacred land; its honest spiritual thinking; and [during times of suffering] its insistence on the simple presence of human meeting." His book explores each of those concepts as a path of Jewish spirituality, which he redefines as "the system of connectedness by which we make sense of our lives." Through seamless excursions into history, law, comparative religion, art, music, literature, psychology, sociology and philosophy, he examines the Jewish way of "mapping reality" to meet our most important challenge: finding shape in our lives. Hoffman's powerful yet simple explanations of Jewish basics are often themselves rooted in metaphor: for example, he compares the stages of life to the books of the Torah (Genesis as childhood, Deuteronomy as old age). Reading the Mishnah (the Jewish legal code) for spirituality, he says, is like "reading the raw data of the Census Bureau for world history." Yet he manages to explain precisely why that, too, represents a spiritual undertaking: to master its incredible detail is to open one's eyes to the presence of God in minutiae. Hoffman's lucid and eloquent interpretations will appeal to Jewish and non-Jewish readers searching to understand Judaism and to "connect the dots" in their own lives. Rabbi Lawrence A. Hoffman is widely recognized as a leader in bringing spiritual innovation into modern Jewish...



Read The Journey Home: Discovering the Deep Spiritual Wisdom of the Jewish Tradition Online



Download PDF The Journey Home: Discovering the Deep Spiritual Wisdom of the Jewish Tradition

You May Also Like



Help! I'm a Baby Boomer (Battling for Christian Values Inside America's Largest Generation)

Victor Books, 1989. Trade Paperback. Book Condition: New. Second Printing. 8vo - over 7¾" - 9¾" Tall. Buy with confidence from "Your neighborhood book store, online (tm) - Since 1997 delivering quality books to our...

[Read ePub »](#)



Environments for Outdoor Play: A Practical Guide to Making Space for Children (New edition)

SAGE Publications Ltd. Paperback. Book Condition: new. BRAND NEW, Environments for Outdoor Play: A Practical Guide to Making Space for Children (New edition), Theresa Casey, 'Theresa's book is full of lots of inspiring, practical, 'how...

[Read ePub »](#)



Read Write Inc. Phonics: Grey Set 7 Non-Fiction 2 a Flight to New York (Paperback)

Oxford University Press, United Kingdom, 2016. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 213 x 98 mm. Language: N/A. Brand New Book. These decodable non-fiction books provide structured practice for children learning to read. Each set of books...

[Read ePub »](#)



A Smarter Way to Learn JavaScript: The New Approach That Uses Technology to Cut Your Effort in Half (Paperback)

Createspace, United States, 2014. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 251 x 178 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.The ultimate learn-by-doing approachWritten for beginners, useful for experienced developers who want to...

[Read ePub »](#)



The new era Chihpen woman required reading books: Chihpen woman Liu Jieli financial surgery(Chinese Edition)

paperback. Book Condition: New. Ship out in 2 business day, And Fast shipping, Free Tracking number will be provided after the shipment.Paperback. Pub Date :2012-05-01 Pages: 247 Publisher: Jilin Publishing Group title: new era Chihpen...

[Read ePub »](#)