



Joy Ungerleider Jewish Book Month Program:

22 Years of Speakers

1995 - Neil Asher Silberman, author of *The Hidden Scrolls: Christianity, Judaism and the War for the Dead Sea Scrolls*

1996 - Deborah Lipstadt, author of *Denying the Holocaust*

1997 -Melissa Fay Greene, author of *The Temple Bombing*

1998 - Bezalel Narkiss, founder and professor of the Center for Jewish Art at Hebrew University, Jerusalem, spoke about "The Lost Sephardi Ark"

1999 - Everett Fox, author of a new translation of *The Five Books of Moses*

2000 - Amy Dockser Marcus, author of *The View from Nebo: How Archaeology is Rewriting the Bible and Reshaping the Middle East*

2001 - Mark Novak, Renee Brachfeld. "This ain't your bubbe's Yiddish theatre." A storytelling program by a cantor-storyteller duo

2002 - Craig Taubman, singer/songwriter, performed as part of a jointly-sponsored program with the annual Karol Music Service

2003 - Emily Sper, children's book author and illustrator, in a program for children in our Education Program about how she creates books

2004 - Twenty-one authors, all Temple Israel members, on how their Jewish identity affects their writing, as part of the temple's sesquicentennial celebration

2005 - Lisa Fagin Davis, Meaghan Dwyer, Susan L. Porter, authors of *Becoming American Jews: Temple Israel of Boston, 1854-2004*, (published in 2004) on the process of writing this new history of Temple Israel

2006 - Ken Gordon, Editor of JBooks.com, spoke on "Jewish Literacy and the Internet"

2007 - Jerome Groopman, M.D., author of *How Doctors Think*

2008 - Edie Aronowitz Mueller and Ellen Steinbaum, temple members and poets, authors of *The Fat Girl and Other Poems*, and *Container Gardening*, respectively

2009 - Robin Abrahams, temple member and author of *Miss Conduct's Mind over Manners: Master the Slippery Rules of Modern Ethics and Etiquette* and columnist for The Boston Globe

2010 - Dr. Eliza Slavet, author of *Racial Fever: Freud and the Jewish Question*

2011 - Sarah Glidden, author of *How to Understand Israel in 60 Days or Less*

2012 - Jen Marlowe, co-author of *The Hour of Sunlight: One Palestinian's Journey from Prisoner to Peacemaker*

2013 - Nitza Rosovsky, author of *In The Land of Israel: My Family 1809-1949*

2014 - Dr. Jay Michaelson, author and activist, speaking on *The Next Generation of Jewish Spirituality*

2015 - Barney Frank, author of *Frank: A Life in Politics from the Great Society to Same-Sex Marriage*

2016 – Michelle Ephraim, author, speaking on *Hamlet's Torah: How Shakespeare Teaches Us How to Take Things Personally*

Historical note: In 1993, before this series was officially called the Joy Ungerleider Jewish Book Month Program, temple members and poets, Doris Panoff, z"l, and Edie Aronowitz Mueller read their poems as part of the first Jewish Book Month Program; then, in 1994, author Leslea Newman talked about the controversy around her book, *Heather Has Two Mommies*.