

EAST VALLEY/BURBANK CYCLE 2017
MILLER INTRODUCTION TO JUDAISM PROGRAM
Burbank Temple Emanu El, 1302 North Glenoaks Blvd, Burbank, 91504
Tuesdays, 6:30 PM

1. JANUARY 17 Beginnings: From Creation to the Edge of the Wilderness
2. JANUARY 24 The World of the Bible
3. JANUARY 31 Heart of Many Rooms: Exploring Jewish Diversity
4. FEBRUARY 7 Holy Days: The Wheel of the Jewish Year
FEBRUARY 10 SHABBATON, AMERICAN JEWISH UNIVERSITY
5. FEBRUARY 14 Shabbat: Palace in Time
6. FEBRUARY 21 When Do I Bow? And Other Questions About Jewish Prayer
7. FEBRUARY 28 Passover: The Jewish Master Story
8. MARCH 7 God: Encountering the Holy
9. MARCH 14 Talmud: Argument for the Sake of Heaven
10. MARCH 21 Starting Over: The High Holy Days
11. MARCH 28 Kashrut: The Original Soul Food
12. APRIL 4 Philosophers, Poets, and Mystics: The Jewish Middle Ages

APRIL 11 & 18 NO CLASS
13. APRIL 25 From Birth to B'nai Mitzvah: Raising a Mensch
14. **MAY 2 6:30PM – Room 150, Mikveh Orientation, AMERICAN JEWISH UNIVERSITY**
7:00PM – Room 316, Class: Marriage, Love & Kosher Sex

MAY 5 SHABBATON, AMERICAN JEWISH UNIVERSITY
- MAY 9 NO CLASS**
15. MAY 16 A Time to Mourn: Traditions for Death, Grief, & Healing
16. MAY 23 Out of the Darkness: Stories from the Holocaust

MAY 30 NO CLASS
17. JUNE 6 Israel: Dreaming of Deliverance
18. JUNE 13 The Jewish Mission to Heal the World

If you are planning on becoming a Jew by Choice:

When you have completed all course requirements, please schedule a final meeting with your instructor and/or sponsoring rabbi. They will confirm that you have attended all eighteen classes, a support group, and a shabbaton. Additionally, they may ask you to do some additional learning in preparation for conversion. Completion of course requirements is not a guarantee of eligibility to convert.