

Congregation Beth Israel
Adult Education

A Taste of Tradition
with

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Wednesdays at Noon

Sexy Scriptures
How the Bible Deals with Sex and Mixed Dancing

If our Hebrew Bible deals with real people in a real world, then it stands to reason that our familiar biblical personalities led real lives. Unlike the stories that you learned in Religious School, our scriptures contain many tales that are rated “R” — definitely not for children! In this four-session series we will take a look (sometimes blushing, sometimes laughing) at some of the more “interesting” texts from our biblical tradition.

Session #1 Wednesday, July 15

Adam & Eve and All the Rest is ~~History~~ Herstory

This is where it all began — sex, that is! What really went on in the Garden of Eden?

Session #2 Wednesday, July 22

That Ain't No Lady, That's My Sister!

Our patriarchs and matriarchs star in their own soap operas!

Session #3 Wednesday, July 29

Samson and Delilah Get Kinky

Delilah did much more than give Samson a haircut! How much more????

Session #4 Wednesday, August 5 (Tu B'Av)

The Real Dope on Esther

This is not the PG version of the well-known Purim story!