

Join Bais Menachem for our annual

## COMMUNITY SEDER

- Authentic Matzah!
- Seder Plates!
- Food!
- Inspiring Stories!
- Fun for the Whole Family!
- Special Animated Childrens Seder
- and Much More!

When: Friday, March 30/Saturday, March 31  
8:30 pm

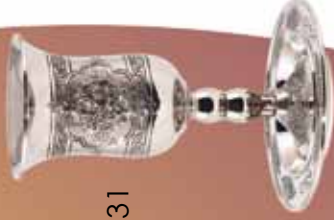
Where: Bais Menachem, 400 S. Holly St.  
Denver, Co 80246

Charge: \$29 Adult, \$16 child - per Seder  
Sponsor \$180, Mitzvah Sponsor, \$360

For more information or to reserve, please  
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# YOUR PASSOVER COMPANION

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# THE TIME OF OUR FREEDOM

Passover 5778

Dear Friend,

On Passover the Jewish people were freed from more than physical subjugation and slavery. The "Time of Our Liberation" denotes a true freedom, the deliverance of the individual from all limitations and constraints.

G-d took the Jewish people out of Egypt for the purpose of giving us His Torah on Mount Sinai, thereby enabling us to observe all its commandments.

As such, a Jew attains true spiritual freedom when one lives according to the Torah. A Jew is "enslaved" when being subordinated to the presiding culture, when one is ashamed to be different. When a Jew allows himself to be swayed by the conventional "wisdom" it is a sign of an inner spiritual servitude. By contrast, when a Jew refuses to be influenced by the environment and persists in observing mitzvot, the Jew is free.

With that in mind, we'd like to wish you a truly liberating and joyous Passover experience this holiday.

Rabbi Yisroel Engel

## Dates & Times for Passover

Thursday, March 29  
Formal Search for Chametz  
after nightfall

Friday, March 30  
Fast of the Firstborn  
Eat Chametz until 10:54 am  
Burn Chametz before 11:52 am  
Light Candles at 7:04 pm

First Night of Passover  
Afternoon Services 7:10 pm  
Community Seder 8:30 pm

Saturday, March 31  
1st day of Passover  
Morning Services 9:00am  
Afternoon Services 7:04pm  
Light candles after 8:04pm  
Community Seder 8:30pm

Sunday, April 1  
2nd day of Passover  
Morning Services 9:00am  
Afternoon Services 7:05pm  
Mariv/Havdalah/  
Yom Tov ends at 8:05pm.

Monday-Thursday, Apr 2-5  
Chol Hamoad  
Morning Services 6:30am. 8:30am  
Afternoon Services, 7:10pm

Thursday, April 5  
Erev Yom Tov  
Light candles at 7:10 pm  
Afternoon Services 7:15 pm

Friday, April 6  
7th day of Passover  
Morning Services 9:00am  
Light Candles at 7:11pm  
Afternoon Services 7:11pm

Saturday, April 7  
8th day Passover  
Morning Services 9:00am  
Yizkor Memorial Services  
approx. 11:00 am  
Afternoon Services 6:30pm  
Seudah (Meal) of Moshiah  
6:50pm  
Maariv/Havdalah 8:11pm  
Yom Tov ends 8:11pm

## The Seder

The night before we left Egypt, families sat together, eating matzah and bitter herbs, telling their wide-eyed children of the promise made to their forefathers and excitedly describing how it was all about to come true. And then, at midnight, the liberation began.

Today, we, their grandchildren, still gather over the same foods, telling the same stories and anticipating an even bigger liberation—from our slavery to materialism and our spiritual slumber. We call it "the Seder." Look, it worked the first time...

## The Last Days Of Passover

Passover is 8 days long. The last two days of Pesach are also Yom Tov.

The seventh day of Passover commemorates the miracle of the Splitting of the Sea of Reeds, which completed the Redemption from Egypt. On the eighth day of Passover, Yizkor is recited after the Torah reading.

## A Taste of the Future

The Baal Shem Tov, founder of Chassidism, instituted the custom of eating a special third meal on the last day of Passover, complete with matzah and wine. The meal is called the Feast of Moshiah, and it is intended to deepen our awareness of the imminence of the final Redemption. On this day, it is said, one can actually feel the approach of Moshiah.

Please fill out this "Sale of Chametz" form and mail to Bais Menachem (all forms must be received by March 28, 2018, 3 pm)

## DELEGATION OF POWER FOR SALE OF CHAMETZ

*(It is suggested that you photocopy this page as needed)*

I/We \*, fully empower and permit Rabbi Yisroel Engel to act on my behalf to sell all Chametz / mixtures of Chametz owned by me as defined by the Torah and rabbinic Law, particularly at the address/es listed below, and elsewhere. This power is in conformity with all Torah, Rabbinic and Civil laws.

Residence Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature/s: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Husband & wife, specify names. Must be signed by head of household, preferably all parties

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