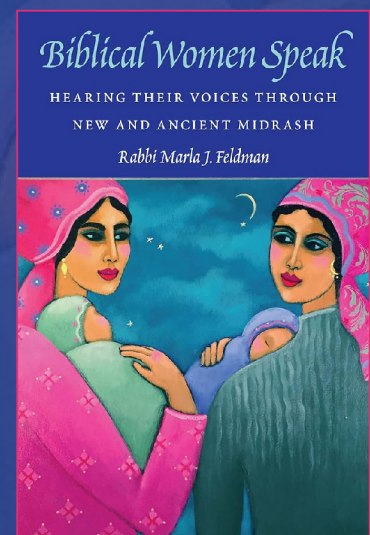


Please join us for our *Women of Shir Shalom*

Women's Discussion Group

This year, we will reading from the book **Biblical Women Speak: Hearing Their Voices Through New and Ancient Midrash** by Rabbi Marla Feldman. This book looks at the women of the Torah, and discusses them in greater depth through midrash – a mode of Biblical interpretation that not only engages with the text, but looks behind and beyond the text by considering the possible “back story” not told in the Torah. Each chapter of the book contains four sections – the Biblical text, a modern midrash telling the woman’s story in her own voice, classical midrash and commentary exploring historical interpretations by Medieval and/or Hellenistic scholars, and insight by the author.

In consideration of everyone's busy lives, we will meet twice this year and cover one chapter each time. Each chapter is about 15 pages long, but there is a lot to unpack. As last year's group requested, this year we will cover two of the lesser-known women in the Bible.



Monday, April 27th, 2026
7:00pm via Zoom
Shelomith Bat Dibri - the blasphemer's mother

You will need to purchase your own copy of the book. It is available through JPS, or can be purchased on Amazon.

Please contact Jill Hamilton by text (716-418-2307) or email (psydocmom@gmail.com) if you are interested in participating!



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