

Why Marry Jewish? A Critical Question for the Jewish Community

A free program for parents, grandparents, singles, couples and all who are concerned about this important topic are invited to join us on Thursday, September 9 at 7:30 PM at Temple Israel.

Rabbi Alan Silverstein, noted author and lecturer, will discuss ways to respond to the questions of our youth and how to discuss the important topic of in-marriage. A free copy of *Why Marry Jewish?* by Doron Kornbluth will be distributed to the first 100 in attendance. This book is written to help adults better understand this important issue.

This program is co-sponsored



Rabbi Alan Silverstein

by the Jewish Federation of Greater Charlotte, Temple Israel, Jewish Family Services and the Jewish In-Marriage Initiative, whose mission is, to sensitively and respectfully, encourage Jews

to marry Jews; conversion to Judaism as the desired outcome of an intermarriage; and intermarried parents to raise their children exclusively as Jews. This program is made possible by a grant from the Robert I. Lappin Charitable Foundation.

For more information, please contact the Jewish Federation of Greater Charlotte at 704-944-6764 or jfgc@shalomcharlotte.org.



SYNAGOGUES & CONGREGATIONS



Temple Israel

Annual Luski Family Concert Features Joanne Borts and Zalmen Mlotek

The annual Luski Family Concert will take place on Sunday, October 17 at 7 PM at Temple Israel. This event is free and open to the community. Featured performers are Joanne Borts and Zalmen Mlotek. Watch for more information next month in the *Charlotte Jewish News*.

Sisterhood News

Roses from Israel

"... and the desert shall rejoice and blossom as a rose ..."

Beautiful Israeli roses, grown in the northern Negev, will be delivered to Temple Israel ready to pick up on Tuesday, September 14 from 1-6 PM and Wednesday, September 15 (erev Rosh HaShanah) from 10 AM-noon. Colors: all bunches will be mixed, two to four colors per bunch. Price: \$18 per dozen. How to order: email Lisa Nagel at lnagel@carolina.rr.com. Order deadline is Thursday, August 26.

Rosh HaShanah Grams

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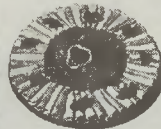
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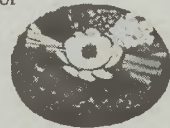
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