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25 BASIC BOOKS

I. THE BIBLE

1. Pentateuch and Haftorahs - Edited by J.H. Hertz - Oxford Univ. Press 1936
2. Preface to Scripture - Solomon B. Freehof - U.A.H.C. 1950

II. PRAYER BOOK

3. Authorized Daily Prayer Book - Edited by J.H. Hertz - Oxford Univ. Press 1936

III. RABBINIC JUDAISM

4. Judaism (2 vols) - George Foot Moore - Harvard Univ. Press 1932
5. Everyman's Talmud - Rev. Dr. A. Cohen - E.P. Dutton 1932
6. A Rabbinic Anthology - C. G. Montefiore & H. Loewe - Macmillan 1938

IV. HISTORY

7. Ancient Israel - Harry M. Orlinsky - Cornell Univ. Press 1954
8. The Jews (2 vols) - Louis Finkelstein - Harper 1949
9. A History of the Jews - Abram Leon Sachar - Alfred Knopf 1960
10. Great Ages and Ideas of the Jewish People - Leo W. Schwarz - Random House 1956

V. RELIGION

11. Essence of Judaism - Leo Baeck - Schocken Books 1948
12. Judaism as Civilization - Mordecai M. Kaplan - Thomas Yoseloff 1934
13. Basic Judaism - Milton Steinberg - Harcourt Brace 1947
14. Story of Judaism - Bernard J. Bamberger - U.A.H.C. 1957
15. Religion of Israel - Yehezkel Kaufman - Univ. of Chicago Press 1960

VI. JEWISH LIFE

16. Jewish Festivals - Hayyim Schauss - U.A.H.C. 1938
17. Life is with People - Mark Zborowski & Elizabeth Herzog - Schocken Press
1962

VII. HITLER PERIOD

18. Destruction of European Jews - Raul Hilberg - Quadrangle Books 1961
19. The Final Solution - Gerald Reitlinger - A.S. Barnes & Co. 1961

VIII. ZIONISM AND ISRAEL

20. Zionist Idea - Arthur Hertzberg - Meridian Books 1960
21. Rebirth and Destiny of Israel - David Ben Gurion - Polyglot Press 1954
22. Voice of Israel - Abba Eban - Horizon Press 1957
23. From the Ends of the Earth - Howard Sachar - World Publishing 1964
24. Fulfillment: Epic Story of Zionism - Rufas Learsy - World Publishing 1951

IX. ANTHOLOGY

25. B'nai B'rith Great Books Series (5 vols) - Farrar Straus & Cudahy 1959-64
 - a. Great Jewish Personalities in Ancient and Modern Times
 - b. Great Jewish Personalities in Modern Times
 - c. Great Jewish Thinkers of the Twentieth Century
 - d. Contemporary Jewish Thought - A Reader
 - e. Great Jewish Ideas

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Rabbi Herbert Friedman
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Dear Herb:

Just a short note to let you know how much I thoroughly enjoyed your talk last Sunday. I can only state that it was an inspiration.

If you have an opportunity, I would appreciate your list of twenty-five books.

Best regards.

Sincerely yours,


Bernard J. Sachs

BJS:DKB

14 April 1965

Mr. Bernard J. Sachs
Goodman Meagher and Enoch
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Dear Mr. Sachs:

I am putting together a list of the 25 books to which I referred at the Young Leadership Conference in Baltimore. Extreme pressures of travelling have prevented me from getting it down on paper up to now.

I shall send you the list just as soon as I have finished compiling it.

Sincerely yours,

HAF:gb

Herbert A. Friedman
Executive Vice-Chairman