

Classic Bible Stories For Jewish Children



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Synopsis

From the author and illustrator of *The Jewish Child's First Book of Why* comes this volume that introduces young readers to the biblical heroes who are an important part of the Jewish heritage. Children ages five and up will derive many hours of pleasure as the stories of the twenty-four biblical heroes in this collection unfold. Illustrated in full color.

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Customer Reviews

Alfred J. Kolatch, a graduate of the Teachers Institute of Yeshiva University and its College of Liberal Arts, was ordained by the Jewish Theological Seminary of America, which subsequently awarded him the Doctor of Divinity degree, *honoris causa*. From 1941 to 1948 he served as rabbi of congregations in Columbia, South Carolina, and Kew Gardens, New York, and as a chaplain in the United States Army. In 1948 he founded Jonathan David Publishers, of which he has since been president and editor-in-chief. Rabbi Kolatch has authored numerous books, the most popular of which are *Great Jewish Quotations*, *How to Live a Jewish Life*, *What Jews Say About God*, *This Is the Torah*, and the best-selling *Jewish Book of Why* and its sequel, *The Second Jewish Book of Why*. Several of his works deal with nomenclature, about which he is an acknowledged authority. *The New Name Dictionary* and *The Complete Dictionary of English and Hebrew First Names* are his most recent works on the subject. Other books by the author include *Our Religion: The Torah*, *The*

Jewish Heritage Quiz Book, The Jewish Mourner's Book of Why, Who's Who in the Talmud, and The Family Seder. In addition to his scholarly work, Rabbi Kolatch is interested in the work of the military chaplaincy and has served as president of the Association of Jewish Chaplains of the Armed Forces and as vice-president of the interdenominational Military Chaplains Association of the United States. Born in Casablanca, Morocco, Harry Araten grew up, studied, and worked in New York City. Currently residing in Israel with his wife, Rachel, and their children, he is the illustrator of The Jewish Child's First Book of Why, Classic Bible Stories for Jewish Children, and Welcome, Baby!

I brought this in order to read the well known biblical stories to my four and a half year old grandson. Unfortunately some of the stories seemed to frighten him so we stopped using it. However I think that it is a beautiful book with excellent illustrations and would be suitable for a Jewish child capable of relating to this type of content.

After going through so many childrens books that I thought did not hold the essence of the message, this one is perfect to read to my 2.5 year old.

This is a wonderfully written and illustrated book, about the beginning of time. It also shares with the children on doing right from wrong and what God thinks about it. As a homeschool teacher there are many ways this book will be used, in class as well as out of class.

I was very pleased with this book which I bought for my granddaughter who is in her first year of Hebrew school. Can't tell if it interested her at all but I liked it

My granddaughter is on Noah and she reads to her mother the story's. The illustrations are just fabulous. It is an easy read and a great book for children.

I bought this book for a grown-up friend of mine who is Jewish and missed out on learning the stories growing up. We both enjoyed the book!

Great book for children to read and understand stories which have been passed down from generation to generation. the visual illustrations are also well done and easy for the kids to relate to.

If Judaism is important in your household, this is a great starter book. Engaging, beautifully illustrated, and simple for comprehension.

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