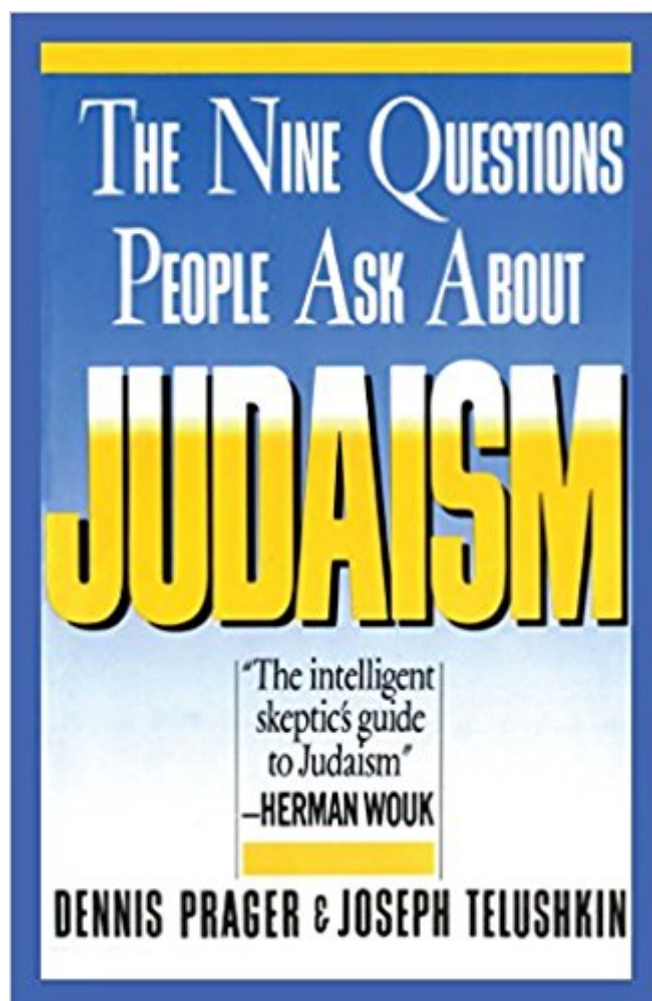


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# Nine Questions People Ask About Judaism



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Dennis Prager hosts a nightly talk show about values on KABC Radio in Los Angeles, lectures extensively, and writes and publishes a national newsletter, Ultimate Issues. Joseph Telushkin, a rabbi and scholar of Jewish history, is currently a Jerusalem Fellow. Dennis Prager and Joseph Telushkin are also coauthors of *Why the Jews? The Reason for Antisemitism*.

Succinct & well organized, eminently readable, comprehensive overview of some key points in Judaism, Jewish history, some of the literature, and, of course, the "Nine Questions".

this is very educational and easy to understand, and i recommend to anyone if they want to learn about judaism's point of view in all the basic things in life. i have chosen to come home to judaism so i was very happy to receive this book so thank you!

This is one book I often lend to my non-Jewish friends. Excellent for helping people understand the basic concepts of Judaism

The book gave me more insight into my religion than I ever had before.

Great book; bought it as a gift for someone who has one parent who's Jewish and who knows very little about Judaism. The chapter on Soviet Jewry is outdated; other than that, it's a very easy to read and informative bedtime book.

This book taught me so much, and had me seriously considering converting to Judaism. If I knew a Jewish person well, there's no doubt in my mind that I would have him/her introduce me to someone who speaks to those who are interested in learning more about the faith.

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