Part I Reading Lists

*Required Reading

Fiction

*Allen, Woody. Complete Prose

*Bellow, Saul. "The Old System"; Humboldt's Gift

*Cahan, Abraham. The Rise of David Levinsky, Yekel

*Doctorow, E.L. The Book of Daniel

*Heller, Joseph. Catch Twenty Two

*Kosinski, Jerzy. Steps

*Malamud, Bernard. The Assistant, Collected Stories (including "The Magic Barrel"), The Fixer

*Olsen, Tillie. Tell Me a Riddle

*Paley, Grace. Collected Short Stories

*Ozick, Cynthia. The Shawl

*Roth, Henry. Call It Sleep

*Roth, Philip. Goodbye Columbus, Portnoy's Complaint, The Ghost Writer

*Singer, I.B. Enemies

*Yezierska, Anzia. Bread Givers

Poetry

*Ginsberg, Allen. Collected Poems: 1947-1980, Howl and Other Poems

*Halpern, Moshe Leyb. Selection from U.C. Press, American Yiddish Poetry

*Hollander, John. Selected Poems: Hollander

*Levertov, Denise. *Poems 1968-1972: Including Relearning the Alphabet, to Stay and Alive and Footprints*?????

*Pinsky, Robert. The Figured Wheel: New and Collected Poems, 1966-1996

*Rich, Adrienne. Diving into other Wreck: Poems 1971-72, The Fact of a Doorframe: Poems Selected and New, 1950-1984

Drama

*Allen, Woody. Three Films of Woody Allen: Broadway Danny Rose, Zelig, The Purple Rose of Cairo

*Hellman, Lilian. The Little Foxes

*Mamet, David. The Cryptogram, Oleanna

*Miller, Arthur. Death of a Salesman

*Odets, Clifford. Waiting for Lefty

Prose

*Brodkey, Harold. This Wild Darkness

*Howe, Irving. The World of Our Fathers

*Kazin, Alfred. New York Jew

*Trilling, Lionel. The Liberal Imagination

For Further Reading

Fiction

Bellow, Saul. The Victim, The Adventures of Augie March, Seize the Day, Herzog, Henderson the Rain King, Mr. Sammler's Planet

Brodkey, Harold. Stories in an Almost Classical Mode, Runaway Soul

Cahan, Abraham. The Imported Bridegroom

Doctorow, E.L. The World's Fair

Friedman, Bruce Jay. Stern

Fuchs, Daniel. The Williamsburg Trilogy

Gold, Mike. Jews without Money

Goldstein, Rebecca. Mazel

Heller, Joseph. Something Happened

Kosinski, Jerzy. The Painted Bird

Mailer, Norman. The Naked and the Dead

Malamud, Bernard. A New Life, God's Grace

Parker, Dorothy. Collected Short Stories

Piercy, Marge. He, She and It

Potok, Chaim. The Chosen, My Name Is Asher Lev

Reznikoff, charles. By the Waters of Manhattan

Rosenfeld, Isaac. A Passage from Home

Roth, Henry. The Mercy of a Rude Stream

Roth, Philip. The Counter Life, Operation Shylock

Singer, I.B. Old Love, A Crown of Feathers

Yezierska, Anzia. Hungry Hearts, Salome of the Tenements

Drama

Ansky, ??. The Dybbuk (As adapted by American Yiddish theater)

Chayefsky, Paddy. Marty??, The Tenth Man

Goodman, Paul. Jonah

Goodrich, Frances. Diary of Anne Frank

Hecht, Ben. Front Page

Kushner, Tony. Angels in America

Miller, Arthur. After the Fall, All of My Sons

Odets, Clifford. Awake and Sing

Simon, Neil. Brighton Beach Memoirs

Prose

Anon. A Bintel Brief

Antin, Mary. The Promised Land

Cahan, Abraham. Autobiography

Ferber, Edna. Annie Herself

Fiedler, Leslie. To the Gentiles

Goldman, Emma. Living My Life

Gornick, Vivian. Fierce Attachments

Hapgood, hutchins. The Spirit of the Ghetto

Heschel, Abraham. The Sabbath

Hollander, John. "The Question of American Jewish Poetry"

James, Henry. The American Scene [section on the East Side]

Lester, Julius. Love Song

Lewisohn, Ludwig. Up Stream

Listzky, Ephraim. In the Grip of Cross-Currents

Marx, Groucho. Groucho and Me

Rose, Gilliam. Judaism and Modernity

Rosenfeld, Isaac. An Age of Enormity

Samuel, Maurice. The World of Sholem Aleichem

Segal, Lore. Other People's Houses

Singer, I.B. A Young Man in Love

Soloveitchik, Joseph. Halakhic Man, The Lonely Man of Faith

Yerushalmi, Yosef. Zakhor

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