

SELECTED PASSOVER BOOKS FROM THE CMI LIBRARY

The CMI Library has an extensive assortment of Passover-related books for all ages. The Elementary collection (E) has over 50 books with Passover themes as well as several Haggadahs for young children. CMI members are encouraged to browse the shelves to find books that meet their family's needs. Listed below are some staff recommendations to get you started.

Matilda Makes Matzah Balls by Rhonda Cohen. (Call number-E HOL PASS COHE)

Matilda adds unusual ingredients when she helps Bubbe make matzah balls. (Ages 3-8)

Raquela's Seder by Joel Edward Stein. (Call number-E HOL PASS STEI)

During the Spanish Inquisition when Jews were not allowed to practice their religion, Raquela's father finds a way to have a seder. (Sydney Taylor Notable book for ages 5-10)

A Persian Passover by Etan Basseri. (Call number-E HOL PASS BASS)

Ezra and Roza explore sights and smells of a seder in Iran in the 1950s. (Ages 5-10)

Max and Emma cross the Red Sea by Carl Harris Shuman. (Call number-I F SHUM)

Max and Emma go back in time to see if the Red Sea really parted for the Israelites. (Ages 6-10)

Why on This Night? A Passover Haggadah for Family Celebration by Rahel Musleah.

(Call Number I 262.5 Mu)

The rich traditions of Passover come alive in this contemporary Haggadah which takes children beyond the Four Questions and encourages them to enjoy every step of the seder. (Ages 12 and up)

The Women's Seder Sourcebook- Rituals & Readings for Use at the Passover Seder edited by Rabbi Sharon Cohen Anisfeld, Tara Mohr & Catherine Spector. (Call number 243.2 AN)

This practical guide includes discussion questions, texts, and exercises to bring women's voices to the Passover celebration. (Ages 13 and up)

New American Haggadah edited by Jonathan Safran Foer. (Call number 262.5 FO)

This unique and absorbing prayer book brings together some of the preeminent voices of our time to excite the mind and the heart. (Adult)