

Jewish Genealogical Society of Greater Boston

presents

Insights into Rabbinic Genealogy— Myth Buster!

Neil Rosenstein

Sunday, November 14, 2004

1:30–4:00 PM

Temple Reyim, Newton

Join us in hearing Dr. Neil Rosenstein, the internationally known author and speaker in the sphere of rabbinic genealogy. Dr. Rosenstein was born in Cape Town, South Africa. As a result of almost four decades of investigative research, he has accumulated a vast matrix of material on Jewish genealogy, especially in the field of rabbinical dynasties. He was the founder in 1977 and the first president of the Jewish Genealogical Society of New York. He is the author of many works on Jewish genealogy. His most recent publication, *The Lurie Legacy: The House of Davidic Royal Descent* was published by Avotaynu in May 2004. He has also written, in 1976 and 1990, *The Unbroken Chain*, two volumes of genealogy on the Katzenellenbogen family, *The Gaon of Vilna and his Cousinhood*, 1997, and produced a CD-ROM with the indexed obituaries of the first Hebrew weekly, *HaMagid* (1856-1903). Dr. Rosenstein's biography is included in *Who's Who in World Jewry*, 1987, and Marquis' *Who's Who in America*, 52nd edition, 1997-2004.

Temple Reyim, 1860 Washington Street (Route 16), Newton, is near Newton-Wellesley Hospital and the Woodland stop on the Riverside Green Line, as well as a short ride from Route 128 at Exit 21.

Admission is free for members, \$5 for non-members.
Refreshments will be served.

Upcoming programs:

- Dec. 5 Research Day
- Jan. 9 Robert Weinberg, "Jewish Genes and Genealogy"

The Jewish Genealogical Society of Greater Boston is a nonprofit organization of individuals interested in genealogical research. It conducts monthly educational programs.

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