



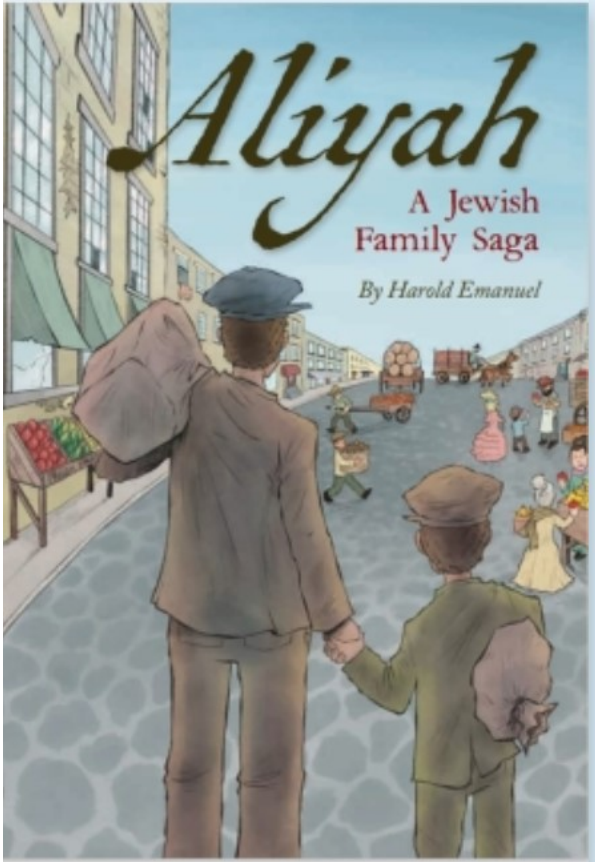
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South Shore Authors' Craft Fair Success

Five members of our group: **Linda Bleser, Terri Houston, Lawrence Drake, Matt Jackson and Robert Curtis**, had great success selling our books at the Arts & Crafts Fair at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Sun City Center. This was the first time appearing as a group, and our neighbors were happy to see such a wide variety of genres offered by local authors. The question of "What types of books do you like to read?" was answered with a book that fit the bill. There was something for everyone! We really enjoyed chatting with the many attendees. There will be a lot of happy folks when they receive their autographed book for the holidays!



New Book Releases!



Publishing a new book is a significant event in any author's career, especially when venturing into a new genre. Harold Emanuel, well known for his cozy mysteries, just launched a historical novel, **Aliyah – A Jewish Family Saga**. The tale begins when 16-year-old Lazar Hermanski and his brother, 12-year-old Mendel, escape the 1881 Christmas Day pogrom, travel to America in steerage, and begin a new life on Manhattan's Lower East Side.



The Hermanski family's saga extends beyond their own lives, intertwining with key historical events like the building of the Brooklyn Bridge, the 1899 Newsies strike, the General Slocum disaster, the Triangle Shirtwaist factory fire, and the sinking of the Lusitania. They cross paths with notable figures such as Teddy and Edith Roosevelt, Jack Johnson, Fiorello LaGuardia, Fanny Brice, and Al Smith, adding depth and historical accuracy to the narrative.

Linda Bleser's **Heaven and Lace** will be available November 14th. This sweet romance story is about a bestselling romance novelist Lace Kincaid, who is the darling of the romance industry, at the top of her game, and about to receive the prestigious Crystal Quill award.

There's only one problem: Lace Kincaid doesn't really exist. Ashley and Alexis, the identical twins behind the pen name, are the only ones who know the truth, but when handsome journalist Rick Orlando begins badgering them for an interview, their secret may not remain hidden for long.



Ashley, quiet and shy, and Lexi, the extroverted public face of the pair, do what they can to keep Rick in the dark. But can the sisters keep up the charade and protect their secret identity without falling in love with the same man? The sisters will have to do everything in their power to keep their secrets - and their hearts - safe.

