

RABBI DR. SHAUL MAGID

ON

Meir Kahane: An American Jewish Radical

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Shaul Magid is one of the most knowledgeable — and provocative — Jewish scholars and public intellectuals in the world today.

Just before the publication of his new biography, Magid will speak and answer questions about a fascinating and highly controversial figure in recent American and Israeli history. *Meir Kahane: An American Jewish Radical* is a cultural biography of the militant rabbi and ideologue, spanning his career from late 1960s America through his death in 1990. The book argues that Kahane was a quintessentially American Jewish thinker who used radical leftist tactics toward an agenda of reactionary Jewish identity politics. Although Kahane's militancy no longer resonates, his basic views on Jewish pride, continuity, and Jewish survival continue to be influential, not only in Israel but also in America.

(Discount coupons will be available for future book purchase.)

Rabbi Dr. Shaul Magid is professor of Jewish Studies at Dartmouth College, Kogod Senior Research Fellow at the Shalom Hartman Institute of North America, *Tablet Magazine* contributing editor, and rabbi of the Fire Island Synagogue. Before coming to Dartmouth in the fall of 2018, he taught for many years at Indiana University in Bloomington. He is the author of six books and over 200 scholarly and topical essays. His most recent books are: *American Post-Judaism* (Indiana University Press, 2013); *Hasidism Incarnate* (Stanford University Press, 2014); and *The Bible, the Talmud, and the New Testament: Elijah Zvi Soloveitchik's Commentary to the Gospels* (University of Pennsylvania Press, 2019). His forthcoming book is *Meir Kahane: An American Jewish Radical*, to be published soon by Princeton University Press.