

Rabbi's Column – May 18, 2020

These days I find myself thinking a bit about The Twilight Zone. There are a couple of personally relevant episodes about quarantine and productivity, but i want to dig a little bit deeper right now.

I have mentioned a few times that I hold Science Fiction to be a very Jewish Genre, as it is all about hope. Even when the future being described is rather bleak – it assumes that there will be a future, which at times is an extremely optimistic viewpoint.

What I do internally, these days, when I think about the Twilight Zone or some other piece of dystopian fiction, is add the coda: To Be Continued – which enables not only the viewer to be uplifted and improved by any moral lesson, but also enables the people through whose lives we are being taught a lesson to grow and mature.

May the time we spend apart help us appreciate each other all the more.

Dave Lerner (in this case Rabbi Larry Moldo) is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Torah Thursday

Time: Every week on Thu, until Jun 4, 2020, 7 occurrence(s)

May 21, 2020 12:00 PM

May 28, 2020 12:00 PM

Jun 4, 2020 12:00 PM

Please download and import the following iCalendar (.ics) files to your calendar system.

Weekly: https://zoom.us/meeting/tJUvd-CsrzMjEtBAGgA70SOBqwWR_UcEidHJ/ics?icsToken=98tyKuCprDsJHtWduRGDRowcAligXeJzmFxEj7d_vTjiIncDUSz0J_V1AI1KE_3Z

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