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Synopsis

This Is My God is Herman Wouk's famous introduction to Judaism completely updated and revised with a new chapter, Israel at Forty. A miracle of brevity, it guides readers through the world's oldest practicing religion with all the power, clarity and wit of Wouk's celebrated novels.

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Herman Wouk (born May 27, 1915) is an bestselling American author, with a number of notable novels to his credit, including *The Caine Mutiny*, *The Winds of War*, and *War and Remembrance*. He was born in New York City, into a Jewish family that had immigrated from Russia, and received an A.B. from Columbia University. He was first a radio scriptwriter, and worked with Fred Allen, then in 1941 worked for the US government on radio spots selling war bonds. Wouk then joined the United States Navy and served in the Pacific Theater, an experience he later characterized as educational; "I learned about machinery, I learned how men behaved under pressure, and I learned about Americans." His first ship was the USS Zane, then he was second-in-command on the Southard. He started his writing career onboard, working on a novel during his off-duty hours. He married Betty Sarah Brown in 1945, with whom he had three sons, became a fulltime writer in 1946, and published his debut novel, *Aurora Dawn* in 1947. In 1952, *The Caine Mutiny* received the Pulitzer Prize. In 1998, he received the Guardian of Zion Award.

Interesting work from a master storyteller

Wonderful common sense book about the Jewish way of life, as lived by Mr. Wouk, here in the USA. It is an inspired book and he is specifically trying to reach out to those Jews who have lost faith and have tried to assimilate into the society they live in. He is now 98 years young and still on the ball. May G-d continue to bless him for his worthy efforts in preserving Holiness on earth!

This is great book for anyone learning about Jewish culture and the religion.

My wife was looking for a book to help her understand the Jewish religion better. I thought I still had a copy of this book from years ago but I couldn't find it. The book store wanted 16.99 for a paperback copy. I had it for 3.98 plus 3.95 shipping definitely a great saving. Still a tremendous book. Arnold Slatin

It's what you're looking for. But don't just stop here, buy other books on the subject too. You know, because you have a lot of time to read.

great book

I have enjoyed the style of writing used by Mr. Wouk. It is a conversational style, but well organized. He uses this style to great effect to highlight the topics he is covering from a different angle.

I bought this book for my niece, and she told me that it arrived in excellent condition.

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