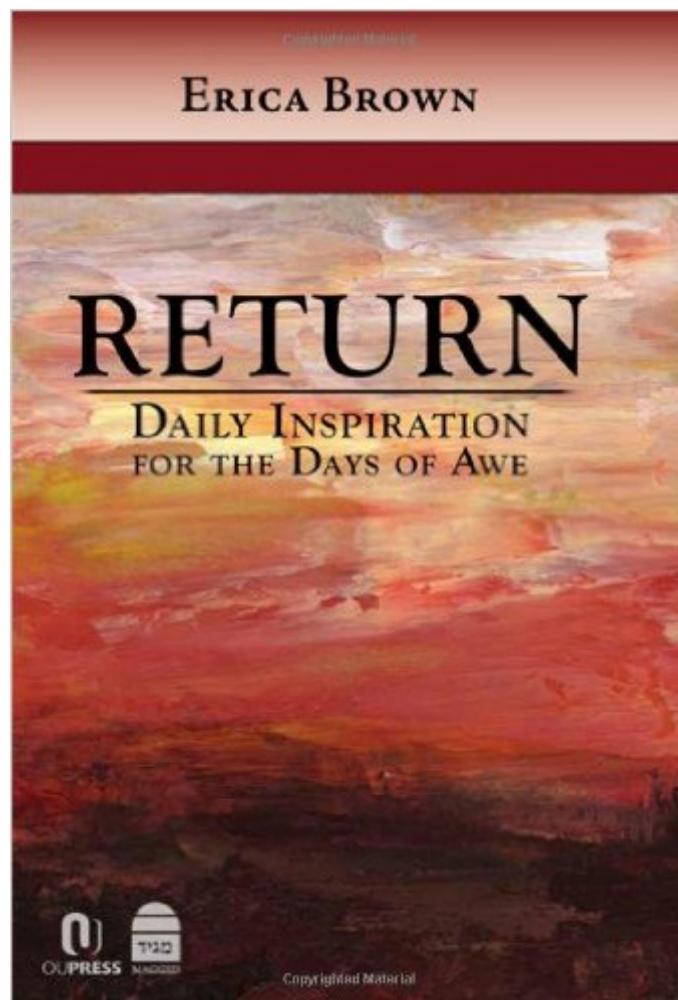


The book was found

# Return: Daily Inspiration For The Days Of Awe



## **Synopsis**

In her new book, *Return: Daily Inspiration for the Days of Awe*, Dr. Erica Brown, one of today's most sought-after Jewish educators, leads the reader on a transformative journey spanning the ten days between Rosh HaShana and Yom Kippur. In her distinct interdisciplinary approach, Brown presents an original guide to teshuva that is both highly scholarly and deeply personal. For each day, the book offers a biblical- or rabbinic-themed essay, passages for textual study, and a practical exercise of self-improvement. The result is an engaging dialogue with both text and self, empowering Jews of all backgrounds to connect to the Days of Awe.

## **Book Information**

Hardcover: 168 pages

Publisher: Koren Publishers Jerusalem (August 20, 2012)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 1592643639

ISBN-13: 978-1592643639

Product Dimensions: 5.9 x 0.8 x 9 inches

Shipping Weight: 12.8 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.5 out of 5 starsÂ  See all reviewsÂ  (4 customer reviews)

Best Sellers Rank: #178,276 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #31 inÂ  Books > Religion & Spirituality > Judaism > Holidays #135 inÂ  Books > Religion & Spirituality > Judaism > Jewish Life #4096 inÂ  Books > Self-Help > Personal Transformation

## **Customer Reviews**

The ten days between and including the Jewish holidays of Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur, New Years and Day of Atonement, were instituted by rabbis as ten days during which Jews should recall and examine their past deeds and thoughts, think why mistakes were made, decide not to repeat errors, and consider ways to improve. People should, of course, think about their mistakes at all time and remedy them immediately. However, many culture, like the Jews, recognize that most people fail to do so; so they remind people to check their behavior at the onset of a new year and make resolutions to improve. Thus it is well known that many people go on diets and promise themselves to study more during new year holidays. The Jewish practice, stimulated and enhanced by many ceremonies and prayers, is a strong inspiration to "return" to the teachings of Judaism. Moses Maimonides (1138-1204) wrote a code of Jewish law called Mishnah Torah. One section of ten chapters is called Laws of Repentance. Since the Days of Awe are also ten, many

Jews decided to read one of Maimonides' chapters each day and use the readings to inspire improvement. These readings are helpful since Maimonides includes ideas how improvement can be achieved. Erica Brown, a writer, lecturer, and scholar-in-residence at the Greater Washington Jewish Federation, has a similar approach. She devotes her book about the ten days to ten chapters that can be read on each of the Ten Days of Awe together with a Forward, Preface, a fourteen page introduction, and an epilogue. She writes that the ten days is an opportunity "to improve, to change, to forgive, to apologize, to become what we've always meant to become, to return, to come home...to recover, to revisit our best selves, to become whole again.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Return: Daily Inspiration for the Days of Awe This Is Real and You Are Completely Unprepared: The Days of Awe as a Journey of Transformation Mishkan HaNefesh: Rosh HaShanah: Machzor for the Days of Awe Mishkan HaNefesh: Yom Kippur: Machzor for the Days of Awe Daily Military Quotes: 365 Days of the Best Quotes on War, Leadership, Courage and Discipline From History's Greatest Generals, Soldiers, and Heroes. (Quotes for Soldiers, Daily Quotes, Motivation) Journal Fodder 365: Daily Doses of Inspiration for the Art Addict Gardens of Awe and Folly: A Traveler's Journal on the Meaning of Life and Gardening Strange Wonder: The Closure of Metaphysics and the Opening of Awe (Insurrections: Critical Studies in Religion, Politics, and Culture) May God Remember: Memory and Memorializing in Judaism - Yizkor (Prayers of Awe) Here's Looking at Euclid: From Counting Ants to Games of Chance - An Awe-Inspiring Journey Through the World of Numbers Organize Your Home in Five Days: Easy Hacks to Declutter Your Space, Create a Positive Environment & Get Inspiration Back to Your Life (UPDATED AND EXPANDED!) (DIY Hacks & Home Organization) Thirty Chic Days: Practical inspiration for a beautiful life Trust the Process: 30 Days of Inspiration to Enrich, Enhance and Empower Your Life Instant Happy Journal: 365 Days of Inspiration, Gratitude, and Joy Daily Reading Comprehension (Daily Practice Books, Grade 5) Diabetes Journal Log Book: Portable 6in x 9in Diabetes, Blood Sugar Log. Daily Readings For 53 weeks. Before & After for Breakfast, Lunch , Dinner, Snacks. Bedtime. With Daily Notes (Fitness) Daily Reading Comprehension, Grade 3 (Daily Reading Comprehension) The Everything Calorie Counting Cookbook: Calculate your daily caloric intake--and fat, carbs, and daily fiber--with these 300 delicious recipes (Everything®) The Everything Calorie Counting Cookbook: Calculate your daily caloric intake--and fat, carbs, and daily fiber--with these 300 delicious recipes Glad Day Daily Affirmations: Daily Meditations for Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender People

[Dmca](#)