

Kirtan Rabbi

Rabbi Andrew Hahn, Ph.D.

“Kirtan Rabbi defines a new genre of music and prayer... that transports, elevates, uplifts, enlightens, inspires, and centers. It is at once traditional and innovative, creative, deep and alive. I feel I have just woken up and tasted a new level of consciousness.”

—**Rabbi Irwin Kula, Clal—The National Jewish Center for Learning and Leadership**

Hebrew Kirtan — inspired by a form of devotional prayer developed in India — is continual call-and-response, participatory chant where short, sacred phrases from the Jewish tradition are treated as powerful, universal meditations. It is at once contemplative, ecstatic and simply fun.

Kirtan Rabbi (Rabbi Andrew Hahn) is one of a new breed of cutting-edge, artist-rabbis whose joyful music and teachings address the deepest longings of the 21st century. He unites celebration of Torah and song in a way that allows people of all ages to discover renewed energy within their Jewish or spiritual practice. A long time martial arts instructor with a doctorate in Jewish philosophy, Rabbi Hahn laces his simple, alluring chants with meditation techniques and traditional learning.



Kirtan Rabbi visits synagogues, JCCs, college campuses, and yoga centers internationally and has been in-residence at shabbatonim, multi-day retreats and West Coast festivals. He is equally at home singing with a small circle, co-leading a Kabbalat Shabbat service, or bringing a full-on, rocking concert to the big stage. At a Kirtan Rabbi event, the room becomes filled with singing, dancing, and exalted communal feeling.

Rabbi Hahn received rabbinic ordination from Hebrew Union College–Jewish Institute of Religion and earned a Ph.D. from the Jewish Theological Seminary, both in New York City.

Kirtan Rabbi is touring! For a list of programs that he can bring to your community, and for music and a [video](#), please visit KirtanRabbi.com. For available dates, contact: bookings@KirtanRabbi.com

Selected Past Performances and Workshops:

Isabella Freedman Jewish Retreat Center, Falls Village, CT
Congregation B'nai Jeshurun, New York, NY
Romemu Center: Judaism for Body, Mind and Spirit, New York, NY
Beloved Sacred Art and Music Festival, Tidewater, OR
Bhaktifest, Joshua Tree, CA
Kripalu Center for Yoga and Health, Stockbridge, MA
Integral Yoga Institute, New York, NY
Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY

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Kirtan Rabbi's offerings transform every community he visits...

“This is not your bubbe’s Judaism — but after a few minutes, she’ll be clapping and dancing along with the rest of us.”

—**Jay Michaelson, New York, NY, author of *Everything is God***

“...Rabbi Hahn’s visit opened our congregation’s doors to dozens of religious seekers who came for the very first time to see and hear and join us in prayer.”

—**Rabbi Steve Cohen, Congregation B’nai B’rith, Santa Barbara, CA**

“The Saturday night Kirtan was mind blowing! It was such a spiritual high for me.”

—**Rabbi Seymour Rosenbloom, Congregation Adath Jeshurun, Elkins Park, PA**

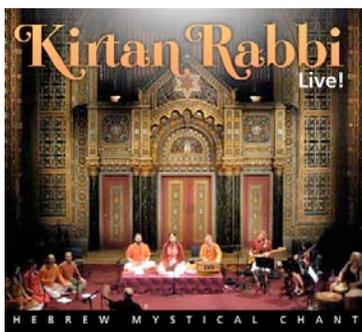
“The effects of your Shabbat visit will be felt in our congregation for a long time.”

—**Marilynn Jacobs, VP/Education and Youth, Congregation Beth El, South Orange, NJ**

“...It was truly the most spiritually meaningful and moving experience I personally have ever had. ...Everyone loved the [kirtan]. It was truly the best program ever!”

—**Dr. Dev Smith, Chairperson, Life Long Learning, Temple Shalom, Succasunna, NJ**

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“Sets the Standard
in Hebrew Kirtan”
David Newman, Chant Artist



“Inspiring from start to
finish...exquisitely simple in its
message of love, longing and
celebration”
Rabbi Shefa Gold

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