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Pastors Norman and Barbara Miller

AUSTRALIAN MINISTRY AND BOOK TOUR

Sydney 18 July 1.15pm. Barbara gives lecture on her memoir at the Sydney Jewish Museum Free at 148 Darlinghurst Road, Darlinghurst, NSW, Australia 2010 RSVP +61 2 9360 7999

https://sydneyjewishmuseum.com.au/shop/events/talk/lunchtime-lecture-barbara-miller/

Sydney 21 July 9.30am-1.30pm Tabernacle of David workshop presented by Norman and Barbara at De Vere hotel, 44 MacLeay St, Potts Point \$10. https://www.facebook.com/Centre-for-International-Reconciliation-and-Peace-392228110935354/. RSVP Barbara Ph 0466076020

Sydney 22 July 9.30am Ps Norman and Ps Barbara minister at Emmanuel Blessings Christian Centre with Ps Jack and Ann Yeo, 19 Devonshire St Chatswood, http://emmanuel.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2018/06/N-B-Miller-Sunday-22-July-2018.pdf

Sydney 23 July 12md Barbara has a book launch at NSW Parliament House with the Hon. Rev Fred Nile, MLA in the Macquarie Room, Macquarie St. The Hon Paul Green MLC will be also be speaking on the Modern Slavery Bill 2018. \$15 per person. RSVP to Judy 0410 403 616 or judyrussell.private@gmail.com by 18/7/18.

Melbourne 24 July 9.30am Book launch of Barbara's memoir at Aborigines Advancement League,2 Watt St Thornbury, entertainment and refreshments RSVP Barbara Ph 0466076020

Melbourne 25 July 7.30pm. Ps Norman and Barbara speaking at Shalom Israel event at Beth Weizmann Jewish Community Centre, 306 Hawthorn Rd Caulfield. It is a friendship event with the Jewish community and focuses on Christians, Jews and Aborigines working together and the Indigenous Friends of Israel that Norman and Barbara have formed. \$10. RSVP http://shalomisrael.com.au/

Melbourne 26 July 9am-1pm Tabernacle of David workshop presented by Norman and Barbara at St Mary's Church, 281 Glen Eira Rd Caufield \$10. https://www.facebook.com/Centre-for-International-Reconciliation-and-Peace-392228110935354/. RSVP Valerie Trigger Ph 0417601676 or Barbara Ph 0466076020

Canberra 28 July 9am-4pm Tabernacle of David workshop presented by Norman and Barbara at Lifestream Christian Fellowship, 152 Langton Rd,

Waniassa \$20. https://www.facebook.com/Centre-for-International-Reconciliation-and-Peace-392228110935354/. RSVP Ps Noa Muranyi Ph 0417601676 or Barbara Ph 0466076020

Canberra 31 **July 6pm** Barbara's memoir book launch at Paper Chain Bookstore, 34 Franklin St Manuka. Free.



Norman and Barbara have an apostolic and prophetic anointing, Norman is an anointed worship leader and they changed the name of their congregation to the Tabernacle of David in 2000. They have hosted conferences in many cities in Australia including 4 in Parliament House Canberra. They were the Australian and Bethany Gate leaders for the House of Prayer for All Nations Jerusalem for about 7 years and regularly lead teams to Israel. The Millers co-hosted a worship night with Nachalat Yeshua Messianic congregation on the eve of the centenary of the Australian Light Horse charge at Be'er-Sheva.

Key themes to be covered:

- Throne-room worship and intercession, Davidic worship
- Jew and Gentile worshipping together

- Throne of David and government anointing
- Righteousness and justice as foundation of the Tabernacle of David
- Restoration of the land of Israel to the Jewish people and a harvest of souls
- From the ends of the earth to Jerusalem and building Tabernacles of David along the Isaiah 19 highway







SHORT HISTORY OF THE FOCUS ON ISRAEL OF CFIRP

Pastors Norman and Barbara Miller, co-founded the Centre for International Reconciliation and Peace based in Cairns in 1998, the same year they made the first of their nine visits to Israel. In 2005 Ps Noel Mann handed over the leadership of the Australian delegation to the House of Prayer for All Nations Jerusalem (ANCJ) to Norman and Barbara, and from 2006, the Millers headed up one of the 12 world prayer gateways for this ministry, the Bethany Gate, which included Asia Pacific, sat on the International Council of Elders and headed up the inaugural Indigenous Gate at ANCJ conferences in Jerusalem. After each conference, they would lead one of the 3 day prayer tours around Israel. Through this ministry, they were able to meet with the Christian Allies Caucus of the Knesset a number of years in a row. They handed this ministry over in 2012.

In 2017, Norman, who is Aboriginal, set up the emerging Indigenous Friends of Israel (IFI) with support from Christians in the Pacific Islands with whom he is well connected. A particular focus of IFI is to influence government and opposition policy to be pro-Israel and support an undivided Jerusalem as part of Israel. One day G_D will judge the nations by their stand on Israel as well as their righteousness. IFI emphasises that Israel is not a colonial power oppressing Indigenous people but has a 3,000 year history in the land long predating the Arab conquests of the 7th century.

Norman and Barbara made an apology on behalf of Australian Christians to the Israel Consul General, the Executive Council of Australian Jewry, the Sydney Jewish Museum and WIZO in 2002 and Yad Vashem in 2004 for Australia's stand at Evian in 1938. Mr TW White of Australia said re Jewish refugees that

"Australia did not have a racial problem and was not desirous of importing one." In 2010, they presented a beautiful plaque recording that apology to Yad Vashem. The Millers ran a ten year campaign for the Australian government to make a government to government apology re Evian and former Prime Minister Kevin Rudd delivered that at Yad Vashem and at a government dinner at King David hotel in December 2010. The Yad Vashem event was the same one that honoured William Cooper, a Melbourne Aboriginal, for leading the only known private protest in the world against Kristallnacht in 1938.

Barbara wrote a biography of William Cooper and it was launched at the Jewish Holocaust Centre in Melbourne and the Sydney Jewish Museum in Dec 2012. Barbara suggested a re-enactment of Cooper and the Australian Aboriginal League's protest march to the 1938 site of the German consulate in Melbourne to coincide with her launch. She organised the German Consul to be in attendance to receive a replica of the protest letter from Cooper's grandson Uncle Boydy. It had not been received in 1938. Many Shoah survivors and children of survivors attended (as did Aborigines and Christians etc.) and they were brought to tears by the German Consul's apology.

Barbara was asked to write an article for the *Jewish News* on William Cooper and Kristallnacht in 2014 and was listed in the credits for the Jewish Holocaust Centre's 2017 film *Ties That Bind* about the Jewish-Aboriginal connection. Barbara attended the first training weekend in Brisbane that the Sydney Jewish Museum held to train the Jewish community to write letters on current events. It was held at a synagogue.

Barbara and Norman are supporters of Courage to Care (C2C) and Barbara was invited to speak at their event in Sydney in 2014. (http://barbara-miller-books.com/blog/page/2/) Barbara was invited to the first C2C presentation in Brisbane of their anti-bullying program in schools using Shoah survivors and she managed to get them invited to Cairns in 2015 via Catholic Education and they presented it to many Catholic schools in the region. Courage to Care hosted a book launch in Sydney for Norman's internationally award-winning book Reef and Rainforest: An Aboriginal Voice Through Art and Story.

The Millers with their ministry organised Sons of Abraham conferences in Sydney in 2015 and Jerusalem 2017 to bring a greater understanding between Jews and Christian Arabs and had Jewish and Arab speakers at both. They

have also organised 4 conferences at Parliament House Canberra which had Jewish and Christian speakers, some of whom they flew in from Israel. In July 2006, they hosted a conference at the Sydney Opera House during the Second Lebanon War or 2006 Israel-Hezbollah War and had permission to take the whole conference (about 200 people) to the Great Synagogue in a service in honour of Gilad Shalit who was a prisoner of Hamas. They also took them to the Sydney Jewish Museum in groups.

They led international tour groups on 3-week tours to Israel in 2010 and 2017 to coincide with the anniversary of the Battle of Be'er-Sheva and took participants to many battle sites as well as holy sites in Israel and prayed on the borders of Israel. Barbara has been invited to speak at the Sydney Jewish Museum 18 July on her memoir. She is currently writing a book on a 99 year old Shoah survivor which will be part of a series on Jewish survivors and Christian women from the Middle East called *Faces of Eve* each having their own book to tell their story.

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