



# Pomegranate Guild of Judaic Needlework

Convention 2017 - "I Have a Dream"

May 21 – May 23, 2017

Dear Pomegranate Guild Members:

We are delighted to announce that the Pomegranate Guild of Judaic Needlework will hold its 2017 Biennial Convention Sunday, May 21, and Monday, May 22, 2017 at Le Meridien Atlanta Perimeter in Atlanta, Georgia, with an optional tour to follow on Tuesday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>. The Convention theme for 2017 is "**I HAVE A DREAM**".

There will be exciting workshops on a wide variety of needlework techniques, a wonderful keynote speaker, opportunities to renew friendships, make new ones, and to meet with others who share your special interests. All meals will be provided by A Kosher Touch under rabbinic supervision and meet the highest standard of Kashrut.

Details abound in the following information and registration package. **Registration includes admission to your workshops as well as Sunday and Monday lunch and dinner.** Pre-ordered Kosher breakfasts are available. See the Registration form (Green) for ordering information.

Le Meridien Atlanta Perimeter hotel has given us a discounted room rate. Rooms must be reserved before 5pm local time April 20, 2017 to insure these rates. Workshops have limits too, so register quickly to be sure to get your preferred classes.

**Registration opens November 4, 2016.** To make sure everyone has an equal opportunity to register for workshops, no registrations will be accepted before that date. **Early bird registration, which is for members only, must be received by Friday, February 3, 2017** to qualify for the reduced rate. Mail your Registration form (Green), Fee & Tally Sheet (Goldenrod), a stamped, self-addressed #10 business sized envelope and your check payable to: **Pomegranate Guild Convention 2017** to:

Pomegranate Guild Convention 2017  
Post Office Box 533  
Teaneck, New Jersey 07666

## Accommodations:

Refer to the hotel information page and make your reservation directly with Le Meridien Atlanta Perimeter.

If you wish housing for Shabbat, please contact Sheila Dalmat: [sdalmat@gmail.com](mailto:sdalmat@gmail.com) or by phone at: (678) 441-0650 or (678) 923-1727

**Exhibitions, Challenge, Banners:** Please refer to the pink form for information on these opportunities and submission requirements. **The challenge is open to all Pomegranate Guild members.** For more information: [pomatlanta2017@aol.com](mailto:pomatlanta2017@aol.com).

**Vendors:**

Vendors will be part of Convention 2017 on Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup> and Monday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>. Chapters and/or individual members may also purchase space to sell hand-created Judaic needlework items. If you are interested in being a vendor, please contact us at [pomatlanta2017@aol.com](mailto:pomatlanta2017@aol.com) for costs.

**Members, Non-members and Companions:**

Non-members are welcome to register for all parts of Convention 2017 beginning on February 5, 2017 at the non-member price. Additional meal tickets as well as the field trip for guests accompanying a member or nonmember may be purchased with your registration at the guest prices. Please see the Fees & Tally Sheet (Goldenrod) for details.

**Recommended Basic Sewing Kit for Convention 2017**

hand sewing needles	sharp pencils
straight and safety pins	pen and paper for notes
neutral thread	tailors' chalk or marking pencil
small selection of colored threads	eraser
paper scissors	scotch tape
small fabric scissors/thread snips	glue-stick
needle threader	extension cord and power strip
seam ripper	portable light
tape measure or ruler	magnifier
thimble	

***Please read the workshop descriptions for additional bring-alongs as requested by our workshop instructors***

We look forward to seeing you in Atlanta for the  
Pomegranate Guild of Judaic Needlework's CONVENTION 2017

Convention Co-Chairs:

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