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## **Yom Kippur in Ancient Israelite Religion**

**Presented by *Jason Gaines, Ph.D.***

In this public talk, Professor Gaines explores what the Day of Atonement might have looked like 2000 years ago. How did early Jews observe the holiday? In this text study of Leviticus 16, we will explore the biblical origins of this most sacred day and how traditions have changed.

**Tuesday, September 13 @ 7:00 p.m.**

Congregation Rodeph Sholom  
2385 Park Avenue, Bridgeport, CT

*Dr. Gaines, Ph.D., teaches Hebrew Bible and Religious Studies at Fairfield University. His book on poetry in the Torah, The Poetic Priestly Source, was recently published by Fortress Press.*

Light refreshments will be served.

As always, reservations are encouraged but not required.

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