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What began as a casual collection

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of Jewish jokes for Jeffrey V.

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Mallow's personal amusement soon became a napkin-scribbling compulsion to document the very best in Jewish humor, whenever and wherever he came across it. The bigger his trove, the clearer it became to Mallow that the

**jokes were more than just funny-
they were authentic in their
depictions of Jews and their
interactions with each other and
with non-Jews; they represented
the breadth of Jewish life. Field-
tested by Mallow's stand-up
comedy audiences for decades,**

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here are guaranteed rib-ticklers about matchmakers, cantors, and circumcisers; the overly pious, freethinkers, and heretics; the illogic of Jewish logic; and even Jewish encounters with alien societies! In these pages, Jews poke fun at their own foibles and

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at the Gentiles who befuddle
them, and Mallow offers witty and
informative introductions,
explanations, background, and
cultural context. There's also a
handy glossary at the end. Not
only is this a laugh-out-loud
compilation of the best Jewish

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**jokes that date back to the
Talmud and up to today, but it's
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centuries.**

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**psychology, history,
communications, the theater, and**

**Jewish studies. They all try to
understand different aspects of**

**Jewish humor, and they evoke
associations, of a local-logical**

nature, with Jewish tradition.

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interdisciplinary approach to Jewish humor. The chapters are arranged in four parts. The first section relates to humor as a way of coping with Jewish identity. Joseph Dorinson's chapter underscores the dilemma facing Jewish comedians in the United

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States. These comics try to assimilate into American culture, but without giving up their Jewish identity. The second section of the book deals with a central function of humorâaggression. Christie Davies makes a clear distinction

between jokes that present the Jew as a victim of anti-Semitic attacks and those in which the approach is not aggressive. The third part focuses on humor in the Jewish tradition. Lawrence E. Mintz writes about jokes involving Jewish and Christian

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clergymen. The last part of the
book deals with humor in Israel.

**David Alexander talks about the
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**Other chapters and contributors
include: "Psycho-Social Aspects
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**"Halachic Issues as Satirical
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**Friedlander; "Do Jews in Israel
still laugh at themselves?" by O.**

Nevo; and "Political Caricature as

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**a Reflection of Israel's
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**Each chapter in this volume
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the many facets of Jewish humor.
This book will be immensely
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humor in which individual jokes are singled out for comprehensive study, Life is Like a Glass of Tea devotes a chapter to each of eight major jokes, tracing its history and

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variants—and looking closely at the ways in which the comic behavior enacted in the punchline can be interpreted. One of the unique properties of classic Jewish jokes is

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***their openness to
radically different***

interpretive options

(having nothing to do

with wordplay or double

entendre). This openness

to alternate

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***interpretations—never
before discussed in the
literature on Jewish
humor—gives classic
Jewish jokes their special
flavor, as they leave us
wondering which of***

several possible attitudes we are expected to hold toward the comic figure. An additional chapter is devoted to the ways in which Jewish jokes tend to evolve over time and

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**across language and
cultural barriers.**

**Throughout the book, in
fact, one can see the
processes that Jewish
jokes undergo over
decades as their comic**

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potential is unfolded in successive stages, and when they are transplanted from European to American soil. Now in its Second Edition, this expanded

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version adds two new chapters and new

introductory material. It

includes a 2015 Foreword

by Marc Galanter, who

notes that the author “is

concerned not only with

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***what makes jokes funny
but with what makes
some of them profound.
His imaginative response
to this puzzle makes this
little book a distinctive
and engaging***

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***contribution to the
literature on Jewish jokes
and on jokes generally.”
It will appeal to the
general reader, as well as
to readers especially
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culture, the psychology of humor, religion, ethnography, and folklore. "Richard Raskin's book on Jewish humor was the most original and useful I

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***research on the topic. I'm
delighted to see it back in
print—and with added
chapters!” — Ruth Wisse***

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***Literature, Harvard
University Author, No
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Humor (2013) “A
fascinating book that
explores the richness of
Jewish humor. Raskin***

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offers a thought-provoking analysis of what makes Jewish humor special. Raskin merges an understanding of Jewish culture, fresh psychological insights,

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and a sophisticated

reading of jokes and their

evolution to create a gem

of a book. However, it is

not just an outstanding

book on Jewish humor. It

is an outstanding book on

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***humor. Period. After
reading it, you won't***

laugh the same way

again.” — Dov Cohen

Professor, Department of

Psychology, University of

Illinois Co-editor,

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***Handbook of Cultural
Psychology (2007)***

***"Kvetching and
Shpritzing is thought-
provoking, meticulously
researched, and by the
way, funny as hell. I envy***

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***readers about to turn to
page one."--Lawrence
Richards, Writer-
Producer, When Comedy
Went to School. Jewish
humor, with its rational
skepticism and cutting***

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social criticism,

permeates American

popular culture. Scholars

of humor--from Sigmund

Freud to Woody

Allen--have studied the

essence of the Jewish

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***joke, at once a defense
mechanism against a
hostile world and a
means of cultural
affirmation. Where did
this wit originate? Why
do Jewish humorists work***

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***at the margins of so
many diverse cultures?***

***What accounts for the
longevity of the Jewish
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American author Ralph***

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Ellison suggested, slip their yoke when they change the joke? Citing examples from prominent humorists and stand-up comics, this book examines the

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***phenomenon of Jewish
humor from its biblical
origins to its prevalence
in the modern diaspora,
revealing a mother lode
of wit in language,
literature, folklore, music***

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In the land of beer,

cheese, and

muskies—where the polka

is danced and winter is

unending and where

Lutherans and Catholics

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clean, and the humor is
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anecdotes, and tall tales
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***(Woodland Indians,
French, Cornish,
Germans, Irish,
Scandinavians, Finns, and
Poles) and working folk
(loggers, miners,
farmers, townsfolk,***

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has not only collected the
most hilarious anecdotes
and stories that have
ever been told, but he
places them in proper
historical perspective. In***

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the colourful characters
of Jewish folklore through
40 centuries, from
biblical times to the
atomic age, in a manner
that illuminates the***

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vicissitudes of Jewish life
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centuries of Jewry to***

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through tears, but
laughter; sometimes with
a sigh, but mostly in
jubilant fashion.***

So Ole Says to Lena

Folk Humor of the Upper

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who are close friends or even new family members of yours? If you do, then this is the book for you. Written in a friendly, informal style, A Christian's Guide to Judaism is an introduction to Jewish religion,

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may have about Judaism but
also to make you feel more at
home when you are invited to

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people a natural and felicitous

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collocation. In spite of or perhaps because of a history of crises and living on the edge Jews have often created or resorted to humor. But what is "humor"? and what makes certain types instances or performances of

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texts medieval parodies

eighteenth century joke books

and twentieth century popular

entertainment. The subject matter

is equally impressive. In addition

to rounding up many of the

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"usual suspects " such as Woody Allen the Marx Brothers and Gilda Radner these authors also scout out some unlikely comic resources like the author of the biblical book of Exodus the rabbinic writer of Genesis

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American emerges from a once
confined and submerged
plantation-type into a new heroic
figure marching forward with
pride.

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language, and more. Readers

will refresh their knowledge

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illustrations. It's a lot.

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of Jewish people lived during the 18th to 21st

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form of narrative joke
exchanged by these
volunteer defenders of
Jewish settlements in
Israel during the
uncertain years 1941-48.

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concentrates his
attention on how the
chizbat represents the
expression of a
distinctly Israeli
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disparate elements of

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sabra/European,
Arab/Israeli, East/West.
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much on novelty or punch
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some are from written sources and others are verbal accounts he obtained during his months of research in Israel.

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the famous, the
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unknown--from hotelier
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struggles and the

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Jewish settlements in

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Yonah Shimmel's in New

York City, and the

famous "smookmit" of the

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surround each person. From*

everyday quips to the

carefully contrived comedy

of literature, newspapers,

and television we experience

humor in many forms, yet the

impetus for our laughter is

far from innocuous. Misfortune, stupidity, and moral or cultural defects, however faintly revealed in others and ourselves, seem to make us laugh. Although discomfoting, such negative terms as superiority,

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aggression, hostility, ridicule, or degradation can be applied to instances of humor. According to scholars, Thomas Hobbes's "superiority theory" that humor arises from mischances, infirmities, and

indecencies, where there is no wit at all?applies to most humor. With the exception of good-natured play, Charles R. Gruner claims that humor is rarely as innocent as it first appears.Gruner's proposed

superiority theory of humor is all-encompassing. In The Game of Humor, he expands the scope of Hobbes's theory to include and explore the contest aspect of "good-natured" play. As such, the author believes all

instances of humor can be examined as games, in terms of competition and keeping score?winners and losers. Gruner draws on a broad spectrum of thought-provoking examples. Holocaust jokes, sexual

*humor, the racist
dialogue of such comic
characters as Stepin Fetchit
and Archie Bunker, simple
puns, and many of the
author's own encounters with
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Jewish humor can be
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humor in studying any**

culture. A recent survey showed that about four in ten American Jews felt that "having a good sense of humor" was "an essential part of what being Jewish means to them," on a par with or exceeding caring for

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*witty, and downright
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