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Ancient Egyptian Life

Passover - More than Matzo

All ages welcome

With Sheryl Intrator Urman

Artist, Curator and Art Lecturer

Two Tours:

The Highlights of the Permanent Collection

Metropolitan Museum of Art

Wednesday, February 26th, 2020

Meet me at the Met: at 10:45 when Sheryl Intrator Urman, artist, teacher, curator and art lecturer will be your Private Docent for 2 tours.

The Met's collection of ancient Egyptian art consists of approximately 26,000 so I must break it into 2 Tours. We will begin by getting to know some interesting facts about the fertile Nile and the cities around it. We will weave through the galleries touching upon religious, and political traditions evidenced in the collected ancient artifacts. Looking at the Met's collection you will begin to understand the Ancient Egyptian culture. Learn how their belief in the afterlife influenced and dominated their life and social structure. See how the daily life of the Egyptians is recorded through art. Learn why funerary items are treasured as art. We will discuss the process of mummification and I will point out some real mummies, with bodies still inside!

After we lunch in the Cafeteria. (not included/something for everyone).

I will guide you through the remainder of the permanent Egyptian galleries. Where I will introduce you to a female Pharaoh. I will show you some of the artifacts relating to the famous King Tut and walk through the Temple of Dendur. We will also walk through the Tomb of Perneb and be able to understand some of the Hieroglyphs. I will also point out some special correlations to Passover from the *Book of the Dead*.

Day begins at 10:45am ends about 2:30

\$85.00: INCLUDES: Museum admission, two (2) docent tours.

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