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Rabbi Marty Waldman

Rabbi Marty introduces Rabbi Seth Klayman  
and the TJCII Intercessors of  
Sha'arei Shalom Messianic Synagogue  
in Cary, North Carolina

***Why I'm a Part of TJCII***

*By Rabbi Seth Klayman*

*By Rabbi Gene Mayman*

*I am quite certain I will never forget the first time I heard Rabbi Marty Waldman share the TJCII vision. It was 1995, I was a college student, and I was attending the annual conference of the Union of Messianic Jewish Congregations (UMJC). Rabbi Marty—who would later become my father-in-law(!)—was the president of the UMJC at that time. He spoke of the vision he received while preparing for his message. It was a vision of a second council in Jerusalem that would be a watershed moment for Jewish-Gentile oneness in Messiah Yeshua and an important catalyst for Yeshua's return.*

*Beyond Rabbi Marty's words, I distinctly remember my sense of the spiritual gravity and import of what Rabbi Marty was communicating. It is difficult to describe in words, but I knew in my spirit that the vision was capturing the prophetic and apostolic vision of Jewish-Gentile unity in Messiah, while at the same time providing a tangible way to remove the formidable historical barriers that continue to impede that oneness.*

*Since its inception, I have tracked with TJCII, attended consultations, sat on the North America Committee, taught from the teaching curriculum, and led a local intercessory group.*

*Nearly a quarter of a century later, when I think about the movement for, and the prospect of, a second Jerusalem Council, my spirit still leaps within me. I think this is because TJCII encompasses so many scriptural truths and callings that are vital for us as the day of Messiah approaches: the fundamental rightness of Jewish people following Yeshua as Jews; the unity of Jew and Gentile in Messiah; the God-ordained beauty of diversity in Messiah's Body; dealing directly with open wounds in the Body through humility, repentance, and reconciliation; and, of course, the final redemption of Israel and the coming of Messiah Yeshua!*

***That's why I'm a part of TJCII!***

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