

# The Jewish Film Series at Havurah Shir Hadash



presents: Free Films 2<sup>nd</sup> &  
4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays, 7:00 p.m.

**Wednesday, October 13**

**Out of the Ashes**, 2003, starring Christine Lahti and Beau Bridges. Based on a true story, this heart-wrenching film follows the journey of Gisella Perl (Christine Lahti), a Jewish-Hungarian doctor who survives Auschwitz. Decades later, she applies for U.S. citizenship when she becomes accused of colluding with the Nazis. As Perl struggles to explain the circumstances, her judge and jury are three INS investigators (Bruce Davison, Richard Crenna and Beau Bridges) who must decide her fate. As Andy says, "Good food for thought." 113 minutes

**Wednesday, October 27**

**My Father, My Lord**

An Israeli film in Hebrew with English subtitles. When young Menahem (Ilan Griff) innocently questions his family's ultra-Orthodox faith, his father (Assi Dayan) falls back on the dogma he teaches as a respected rabbi, but his answers fail to satisfy his inquisitive, sensitive son. Will the rabbi's strict adherence to doctrine bring harm to his family? Directed by David Volach, this lyrical Israeli drama also stars Sharon Hacoheh-Bar as Menahem's devoted mother. 72 minutes.