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BOCA RATON, FLORIDA

*MESSIANIC APOLOGETICS: RESPONDING TO THE TOUGH
QUESTIONS*

Dear Friend of LCJE in North America,

The final countdown has begun to our 2013 conference in Florida – the “Sunshine State”! We will follow the same basic schedule as in previous years, with our first session at 10:30 AM on Monday, March 4, and our closing banquet on Wednesday evening.

Our theme this year is “Messianic Apologetics: Responding to the Tough Questions.” It’s a broad topic and promises to serve as a starting point for provocative and fruitful discussion. An interesting variety of papers is already in the works, each one looking at this general theme from a different perspective. We are looking forward to each of the presentations!

Someone has asked if anyone can attend our conferences, or if they’re just for LCJE members. The answer is, “Whoever you are, you’re invited!” Anyone who has an interest in Jewish ministry and pays the registration fee is most welcome. Attendees can even join us for the business meeting on Wednesday afternoon, if they like (although only dues-paying LCJE members can vote).

Our conference facility is the [Doubletree Hotel](#) (part of the Hilton chain) in scenic Deerfield Beach. It’s a spacious and well-run property that’s just three miles from the beautiful Florida beach, with numerous attractions and a variety of restaurants and shopping in the vicinity. It is accessible from three different airports – Fort Lauderdale (FLL), West Palm Beach (PBI), or Miami (MIA), with Fort Lauderdale being the closest. (See the Daily Schedule for more information about transportation.)

Our special musical guests for the conference are [Deborah Kline and Vince Iantorno](#) of Shir Chadash (“New Song”) Ministries in California. Deb and Vince are worship leaders at Beth Ariel Messianic Congregation in the Los Angeles area, where Gary Derechinsky is the pastor. They have a real heart for leading God’s people in worship. You’re in for a special blessing if you’ve never heard them before!

Our guest speaker for the closing banquet will be [Jay Sekulow](#). Jay is no stranger to the LCJE family. As Chief Counsel of the American Center for Law and Justice (ACLJ), he is a renowned constitutional attorney (he has argued before the United States Supreme Court 12 times), an international expert on religious liberty, and an acclaimed and distinguished

broadcaster. Jay is a very busy man, so we feel especially blessed that he has reserved Wednesday night, March 6, to be with us!

There will be a reception on Sunday evening (March 3), hosted by Mitch Glaser and [Chosen People Ministries](#), for those of us who will be arriving a little early. This is always a great time of fellowship and refreshments, and an opportunity to catch up on what has been happening in each others' ministries. See the Daily Schedule for the time and place.

You can register for the conference online at lcje-na.org. Or, if you prefer, you may use the downloadable registration form and mail your check or money order to the mailing address listed on the form.

The conference registration fee covers participation in all of the sessions plus the closing banquet on Wednesday evening. Meals (other than the closing banquet) and hotel registration are not included. If you require assistance, feel free to call Kathi at 630-251-4965 or email her at na-secretary@lcje.net. You can also call Cindy at 210-226-1075, ext. 110, or email her at CindyC@cjfm.org.

A number of people have asked if they can bring friends to the banquet to hear Jay Sekulow. They know that Jay is "in the know" in Washington, DC, and always has interesting things to share. So the answer to that question is, "Yes!" There's a limited number of extra seats available for the Wednesday night banquet. Tickets are \$50 each (which also includes attendance at the Wednesday sessions, if they wish to come early). We'll need to know about any additional guests by Monday night (March 4). That's when we give the hotel our final count.

We are looking forward to a great time of fellowship and hope to see you in Boca Raton.

In Messiah's love,



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www.lcje-na.org

[LCJE International Website](#) (North America networks with other regions of the globe)
www.lcje.net

[The Lausanne Covenant](#) (the LCJE family unites around these biblical convictions)
www.emeu.net/pdf/lausanne_covenant.pdf