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# TRADITIONAL CANTORIAL AND CONCERT FAVORITES

1. Joseph Rumshinsky and David Roitman: *Ba'avur david* 09:48  
(Arrangement: Simon Spiro)
2. Moishe Oysher: *Ha lahma anya* 01:40  
(Arrangement: Simon Spiro)
3. Rabbi Israel Goldfarb: *Shalom aleikhem* 02:29  
(Arrangement: Simon Spiro)
4. Traditional: *Ya ribbon olam* 07:17  
(Arrangement: Roderick Williams)  
with Amy Goldstein, soprano
5. Samuel Malavsky: *Haven yakkir li efra'im* 08:47  
(Arrangement: Simon Spiro)
6. Sholom Kalib and Meyer Machtenberg:  
*Sheva b'rakhot* 12:54  
(Arrangement: Simon Spiro)
7. Joshua Lind: *Khanike Lid* 02:51
8. Zavel Zilberts: *Rahamana d'anei* 07:21
9. Strange Happenings: The Holyday  
Calamities of *Avremele Melamed* 06:24  
(Arrangement: Maurice Goldman)

**Cantor Simon Spiro**  
Schola Hebraica (2,3,8)  
Coro Hebraico (1,4,6,7,9)  
New York Cantorial Choir (5)  
Ne'imah Singers (8)  
Neil Levin, conductor



Cantor, composer, arranger, and consummate performer, Simon Spiro is world-renowned for his pure tenor voice, expressive musicianship, and charismatic personality. This all-new recording features Cantor Spiro in unique arrangements of beloved favorites such as *Shalom aleikhem* and *Ya ribbon olam* for the Sabbath, festive music for Hanukkah, Passover, and the High Holy Days, the cantorial masterpiece *Ba'avur david*, and the virtuoso rendition of a Yiddish folktale, *Avremele melamed*. Another special feature: the traditional wedding benedictions, *Sheva b'rakhot*—some of the most beautiful Jewish wedding music. Let Cantor Spiro lead you through a musical celebration of Jewish life in all its richness and variety.



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