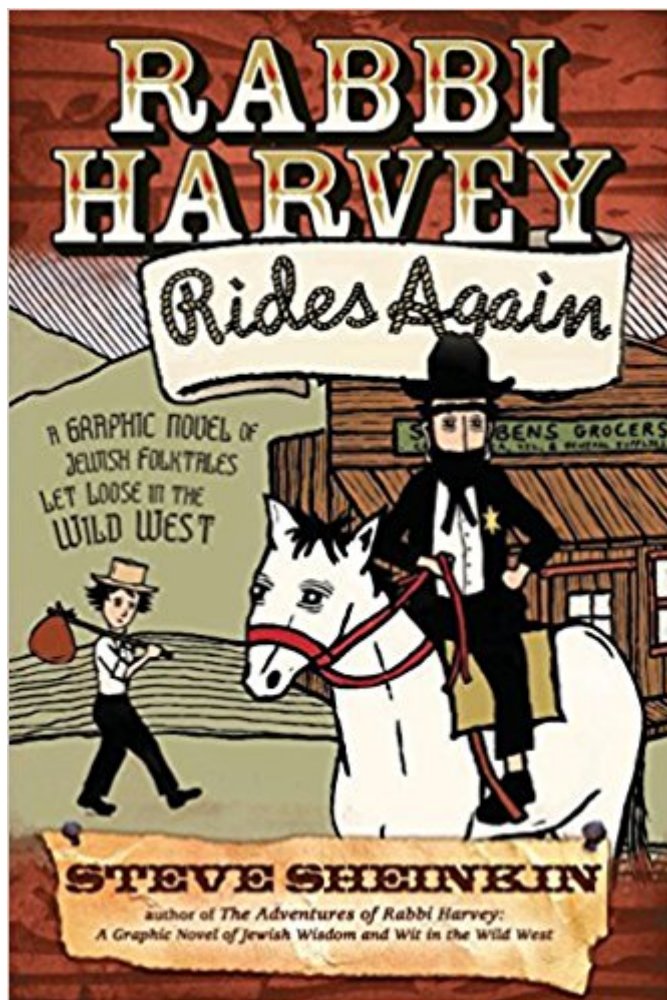


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Rabbi Harvey Rides Again: A Graphic Novel Of Jewish Folktales Let Loose In The Wild West



Synopsis

Rabbi Harvey is Back with Ten Hilarious New Adventures In this follow-up to the popular *The Adventures of Rabbi Harvey: A Graphic Novel of Jewish Wisdom and Wit in the Wild West*, the Rabbi returns to the streets of Elk Spring, Colorado. Part Wild West sheriff, part old world rabbi, Harvey protects his town and delivers justice, wielding only the weapons of wisdom, wit, and a bit of trickery. These adventures combine Jewish and American folklore by creatively retelling comic Jewish folktales and setting them loose on the western frontier of the 1870s. As his fame grows throughout the Rocky Mountains, Rabbi Harvey meets new characters – including the luckless gold miner Abigail – and faces a slew of new challenges. He encounters the return of “Big Milt” and Wolfie Wasserman (the most feared father-and-son outlaw team east of Nevada), and investigates another bold crime by the sweet-faced Bad Bubbe. And, as ever, the Rabbi is the quickest draw in the West when it comes to pulling out bits of Talmudic insight to fit any occasion, that is. Like any great collection of Jewish folktales, these stories contain layers of humor and timeless wisdom that will entertain, teach and, especially, make you laugh.

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Customer Reviews

Steve Sheinkin is the writer and illustrator of *The Adventures of Rabbi Harvey: A Graphic Novel of Jewish Wisdom and Wit in the Wild West*, for which he won *Moment Magazine's* Emerging Writer Award in children's literature; *Rabbi Harvey Rides Again: A Graphic Novel of Jewish Folktales Let Loose in the Wild West* and *Rabbi Harvey vs. the Wisdom Kid: A Graphic Novel of Dueling Jewish*

Folktales in the Wild West. Steve Sheinkin is available to speak on the following topics: Drawing Comics Graphic Novels Jewish Folktales Jewish Wisdom

Great story but binding is a problem. As we started reading it a bunch of the pages fell out because of how the book was bound. Disappointed. ÆfÂ Ã Å,Ã ÆœÃ â œ

I loved the book - it was funny and smart. However, the book itself is very poorly produced. It literally fell apart as I was reading it for the first time (and I am an adult, not even a kid, for who this book is intended). The binding is extremely poor. I suggest buying the Kindle version instead.

I admit to initial doubts about the Rabbi Harvey books, but when I finally read them, they were extremely fun and entertaining. He admits he takes otherwise known Jewish stories, and rewrites them in a western setting, but they are good stories, and the retelling is done really well. The dialogue is often hilarious, and these books really appeal to the American Jewish public.

In this second graphic novel of Wild Western tales Rabbi Harvey dispenses wisdom and justice to the fictional shtetl of Elk Spring, Colorado, and surrounding areas, taking on Bad Bubbe, Big Milt and Wolfie Wasserman, and even the wind with his mind instead of a gun. The illustrations evoke the Old West and are simple enough to avoid detracting from the story. There is no cartoon nudity in this volume, although he does get down to his underwear a couple of times. I highly recommend this funny, funny book to anyone of any age, whether or not they have a religious persuasion of any sort. Those with Jewish literacy will enjoy seeing the old Jewish folklore and rabbinic tales in such an incongruous setting, but everyone will appreciate the wit of the stories.

My son (age 10) loves the Rabbi Harvey books!

Very funny

I enjoyed this sequel even more than the original. The clean style of illustrations, combined with wit and wisdom, make these book(s) enjoyable and rewarding for children as well as adults. Yippee-Ki-Yay, Stephen Sheinkin and Rabbi Harvey.

Like all the other books in this Rabbi Harvey series, this one is cute, charming, fun. My grandsons

love it, and so do their dad and granddad.

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