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Dear

Charles Bacall had spoken to me about you before and I was therefore pleased to receive your letter.

I would recommend two books to you, with the added comment that these are both good introductions, but only introductions. After you have finished them, if you find you are still interested, it would be best to arrange for a personal interview.

The two books are:

1. "Judaism" by Isidore Epstein (in paper back only)

2. "History of the Jews" by Cecil Roth (this, too, is in paper back).

All good wishes on your spiritual adventure.

Sincerely yours,

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