**COMBATING ANTISEMITISM THROUGH CHILDREN’S LITERATURE**

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**STORIES Of ANTISEMITISM**

**Changing the Pattern** by Sydell Waxman

**The Incident at Massena**by Saul S. Friedman

**Jacob and the Mandolin Adventure**by Anne Dublin

**My Mannequins**by Sydell Waxman, illustrated by Patty Gallinger

**Oskar and the Eight Blessings**by Richard Simon and Tanya Simon, illustrated by Mark Siegel

**When Jessie Came Across the Sea** by Amy Hest, illustrated by P.J. Lynch

**PICTURE BOOKS: Jewish Identity and Culture**

**The Chanukah Noel: A true story** by Sharon Jennings; Illus. Gillian Newland

**Chicken Soup, Chicken Soup** by Pamela Mayer**;** illus. Deborah Melman

**Chik Chak Shabbat** by Mara Rockliff; illus. Kyrsten Brooker

**Mrs. Katz and Tush** by Patricia Polacco

**Saving Lady Liberty** by Claudia Friedell; illus. Stacy Innerst

**ANTISEMITISM: Middle Years Fiction (ages 11-14) 2021**

**Finding Junie Kim** by Ellen Oh

**The Good War** by Todd Strasser

**Linked** by Gordon Korman

**Wednesday Wars** Gary D. Schmidt (2007)

**What We’re Scared Of** by Keren David

**KATHY KACER: Recent Titles**

**The Brave Princess and Me,** illus. Juliana Kolesova (picture book: Second Story Press)

**Broken Strings** (with Eric Walters) (Penguin Random House)

**The Brushmaker’s Daughter** (Second Story Press)

**Louder than Words** (Annick Press)

**Under the Iron Bridge** (Second Story Press)

**OTHER**

**Teaching Tough Topics: How do I use children’s literature to build a deeper understanding of social justice, equity, diversity** by Larry Swartz (Pembroke Publishers)