



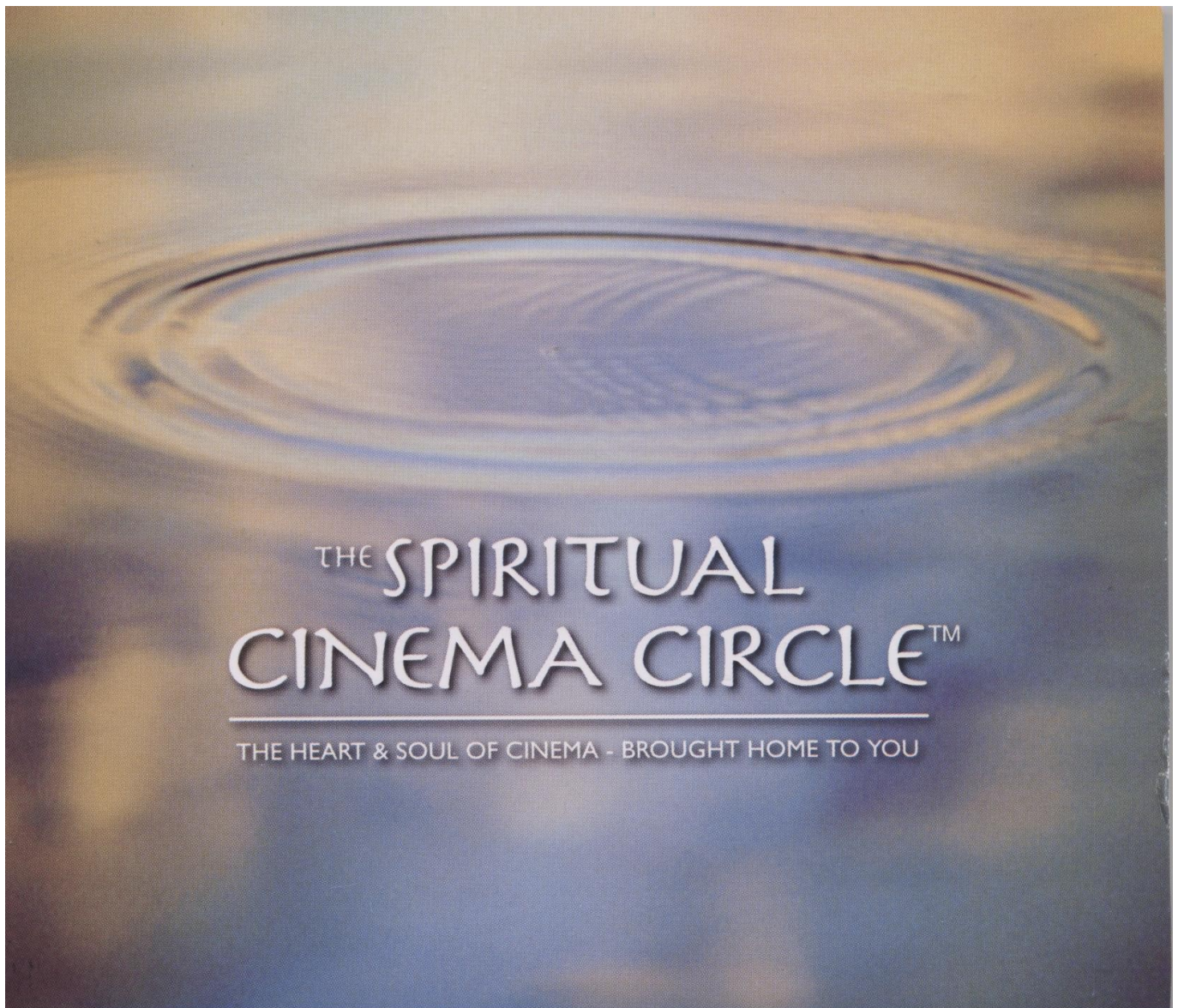
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Evening Service  
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Welcome:

**Welcome to our "film evening" service tonight.**

**Our theme tonight is looking at life through different eyes. A collection of films from the spiritual Cinema Circle provides us with an opportunity to choose the things we would like to watch and learn about.**



**Have a look through the films and see what appeals to you - we will watch the films that are of highest interest first.**



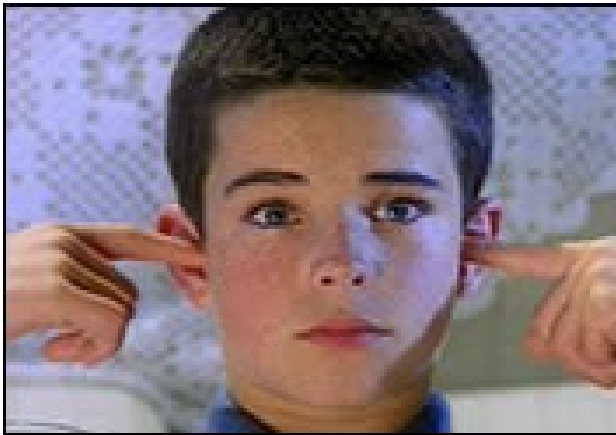
## The Jew and the Lotus (Vol 2)



In 1990, eight Jewish delegates traveled to Dharamsala, India, to meet with the XIV Dalai Lama of Tibet and share "the secret of Jewish spiritual survival in exile." When writer Rodger Kamenetz was invited to go along to chronicle the event, unexpectedly, his whole life changed. Kamenetz begins an intense personal journey that leads him back to his Jewish roots. As he discovers, sometimes you have to go far away to find your way home. Compelling, honest, and fun, Laurel Chiten does a wonderful job of capturing Kamenetz' angst.

**(1998, USA, 60 minutes)**

## The Color White (Vol 2)



Being sightless, Fredi has a very specific routine that he and his mother follow every day. He is comforted by his opinions about colors and prefers white over all others. When his routine is shaken by his developing teenaged desires, *THE COLOR WHITE* serves as a reminder that the desire to co-create our own reality is simply human nature. *Written and directed by Angela Pires and Liliana Sulzbach. [22 minutes, in Portuguese with English subtitles]*

## Close (Vol 5)



An urban myth circulating for years describes a person sitting in a traffic jam who, unlike her surrounding drivers, prays for the victim of the accident that has stopped traffic, effecting the outcome of the victim's experience. This short film explores the mystery of that edge between life and death, and asks us to take responsibility for our responses to even life's most annoying moment: the traffic jam

*Written and directed by Tom Hopkins [9 minutes, in English]*

## Indigo Evolution (Vol 5)



This feature documentary explores the Indigo children phenomenon through interviews with experts, Indigo kids, and parents. INDIGO EVOLUTION takes us through the origins of the concept of this unique evolution in human history, exploring the implications and potential of this challenging and inspiring new group of humans

Directed by James Twyman **[80 minutes, in English]**

## By The Sea (Vol 6)



Lena's life is falling apart on every possible level, and it seems there's nowhere to go but out. A homeless man becomes her angel for a day, convincing her to take a leap into the unknown possibility of what her life could be. As she follows a series of coincidences into a new job at a beach resort, she discovers a past she never knew about, finding guidance where she least expects it. A story about leaving old behavior behind to make way for a new life of love and fulfillment, By The Sea is a sweet, entertaining journey where the past comes to visit to help

heal the future.

Directed by Dean Barnes, written by Dean H. Huh and Dean Barnes. **94 min.**

## Speechless (Vol 6)



Geno Andrews returns with his third film for the Spiritual Cinema Circle (following Jillian's Vantage and The Visits) with this insightful short film about a man who dives face first into a life challenge for his own hidden reasons. Cerebral palsy has left his speech a bit challenged, and the courage it takes for him to join a collegiate speech class is monumental.

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the eye, and the film ends up revealing a much deeper lesson to the story.

Written and directed by (and starring!) Geno Andrews **[22 minutes, in English]**

## Gabriel (Vol 7)



This sweet, short film asks the question "where do we go when we die?" from the innocent perspective of a child whose ant dies. After listening closely to his mom's answer, Gabriel goes to great lengths in caring for the soul of his ant, making sure it gets into heaven. Reflecting the pure love and sweet innocence of childhood, this film transforms death into a miracle.

Directed by Cherie Knott, written by Janine Burchett. - **11 minutes, in English**

## Passengers (Vol 7)



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## The Lord's Prayer - Jim Cotter

People:

Eternal Spirit Life-giver, Pain-Bearer, Love-maker,  
Source of all that is and that shall be.

Father and Mother of us all,

Loving God, in whom is heaven:

The hallowing of your name echo through the universe!

The way of your justice be followed by peoples of the world!

Your heavenly will be done by all created beings!

Your commonwealth of peace and freedom sustain our hope and come on earth.

With the bread we need for today, feed us.

In the hurts we absorb from one another, forgive us.

In times of temptation and test, strengthen us.

From trials too great to endure, spare us.

From the grip of all that is evil, free us.

For you reign in the glory of the power that is love, now and for ever.

Amen.



Peace Hearts

## Notices