Rabbi Sharon Brous

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Sharon Brous is the senior and founding rabbi of IKAR, an LA-based Jewish community dedicated to re-animating religious life in a time of disaffection and declining affiliation. Her book, The Amen Effect: Ancient Wisdom to Mend Our Broken Hearts and World, will be coming out January 2024. Brous's 2016 TED talk, Reclaiming Religion, has been viewed by 1.5 million people and translated into 23 languages.

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Stuart Perlman, Ph.D. DISTINGUISHED PSYCHOANALYTIC EDUCATOR

Stuart Perlman, Ph.D., a psychologist/psychoanalyst, has published 28 articles on trauma and 3 books. Stuart has painted and interviewed 250 people experiencing homelessness, illuminating their humanity. Fine Art Connoisseur magazine calls these portraits, "Great Art Worldwide." This project has been covered internationally and seen in 68 exhibitions. The NAAP awarded his documentary, "Best Movie." Stuart was LACPA's "Social Justice Award" winner and was honored by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors. Many portraits are in his book, Open Your Heart Through Art: Painting Human Souls.