

#### What is the Breslov Research Institute?

Shortly before his passing in 1810, Rebbe Nachman told his followers that his influence would long endure. "My fire will burn until the Mashiach (Messiah) comes." His words could not have been more prophetic. Generations of readers have been enthralled and inspired by his writings, which have been explored and interpreted by scholars around the world. In recent years especially, we have witnessed masses of searching Jews of all backgrounds – Secular, Religious, Zionistic, and Hasidic uniting in spiritual pursuit, seeking to understand and acquire the teachings of the Great Tzaddik.

However a common barrier prevents many from properly accessing these great works – *language*. Since its inception in 1979, BRI has been the main publishing house for translations of classic and contemporary Breslov books. More than 100 titles are currently in print, in English, Hebrew, Russian, Spanish, French, and even Korean. The Gates are now starting to slide open, may all who are spiritually thirsty, come and drink.

#### Why does BRI need your generous support?

Our deep, enduring love for this *mitzvah*, does not preclude the need for money. BRI employs a team of scholars who are thoroughly engaged in researching the texts and oral traditions of Breslov Chassidut, as well as producing scholarly and authentic works of the highest caliber. The consumer market is simply not large enough to offset the enormous costs of producing such great work. Much like all other private institutions and charitable foundations, we rely on public support.

### A closing thought.

What kind of charity is eternal? Charity given to produce Torah literature for the benefit of others (Talmud, Ketuvot 50a). This applies especially to the writings of Rebbe Nachman, which teach people how to build their confidence and fulfill themselves. *These books save lives!* Why is such charity eternal? Once the book is printed, it is available for all. Each time someone reads or studies from it, the donor who supported it is rewarded. *The mitzvah even outlives him, providing a secure investment with guaranteed high yields!* In today's market, who can guarantee that kind of an investment?

Thank you for your kindness,

# **Breslov Research Institute - Projects 2011**



The Final Volume: Likutey Moharan Volume 15 Cost: \$60,000

The ongoing project of the translation and annotation of Rebbe Nachman's magnum opus. About 18 months for this volume. Work starting after Pesach.



**The Breslov Chumash** Cost: \$50,000 (Main sponsorship reserved) Short and Sweet, similar to Ma'ayana shel Torah (Wellsprings of Torah) Bereishis should be available in time for the new Torah reading cycle.



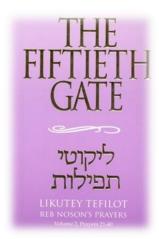
**The Breslov Siddur** – two volumes: Volume 1. The traditional siddur with translation and selected commentaries on the prayers. Volume 2. A running commentary on the siddur. Cost: \$40,000-45,000 It's structure, the order of the prayers and its deeper meaning, according to the Sages, the Kabbalah and Rebbe Nachman's teachings. It simply opens up ALL the avenues of what prayer is all about. To be written by Avrohom Sutton. This project will take about 2 years to complete.



**The Breslov Kabbalah Series –multi-volume** Cost: \$30,000 The teachings of the Kabbalah as explained in the writings of Rebbe Nachman and Reb Noson. These volumes are meant to bring the study of Kabbalah "down to earth," as they explain how these deep mysteries of Torah apply to each and every individual 24 hours a day seven days a week. To be written by Dovid Shapiro. It will take three years to complete this project.



**Tehillim – Rebbe Nachman on Psalms** Cost: \$40,000 The Book of Psalms with facing translation and insights from Rebbe Nachman and other Breslov commentators. To be written by Dovid Sears. May possible be a large beautiful coffee table book like the Breslov Pirkey Avot. Project to be completed by 2013.



**The Fiftieth Gate, Volume Four** Cost: \$14,000 The ongoing translation of the Likutey Tefilot (translated as "The Fiftieth Gate"). Reb Noson of Breslov's prayers based on the teachings found in the Likutey Moharan. To date, we have three volumes (Prayers 1-20, 21-40, 41-66). This next collection will comprise Prayer 67 through Prayer 110.



**Biography of Rabbi Zvi Aryeh Rosenfeld** Cost: \$25,000 A biography of the most prominent English speaking Breslover who made Breslover Chassidus a household word. Estimated completion will be Sukkot 2011.

## Reprints Currently Needed:

	Name of Book	Amount of Copies	Cost
LECTIV MODILARS	Likutey- Moharan Vol. 9: The first authoritative translation of Rebbe Nachman's magnum opus,	500	\$3,500
LECTY MODIAN	Likutey Moharan Vol. 3	500	\$3,500
THEALEPH-BETTOOK	Alef-Bet Book:  Powerful and challenging epigrams containing the distilled wisdom of the Torah on all areas of life, spiritual and physical.	500	\$2,500
Until The Mash fach	Until The Mashiach:  This definitive, factual, chronological account of Rebbe Nachman's life traces his career in rich detail, day by day and year by year.	500	\$2,800

THROUGH FIRE	Fire & Water:	500	\$3,800
	This thoroughly-researched biography		
	will keep you absorbed for hours as you		
	relive Reb Noson's life		
	with him step by step.		
7th Heaven	The 7 Heaven (HC):	500	\$1,800
	Explore the art of consciously observing		
	Shabbat — understanding in depth many of		
Namble Midgett	the day's traditional religious practices		
	within the context of life's spiritual		
	dynamics.		
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ADV CE	Advice:	500	\$2,700
	This translation of Likutey Etzot,		
	compiled is a comprehensive collection of		
	Rebbe Nachman's		
	practical guidance and teachings on all		
	aspects of life.		
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	various associated laws and customs.		
	Pirkey Avot:	1 000	\$8,000
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BRESLOV	Drawing out the hints, allusions and mystical		
	connotations of our Sages' words, Rebbe		
AVOL	Nachman shows how <i>Pirkey Avot</i> is also a		
	primer for attaining spiritual greatness and		
	closeness to God.		
TIKKUN	Tikkun PB:	1,000	\$1,200
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	The varied selections of commentary		
	material in		
	this volume show the profundity on which		

	the Tikkun is based.		
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	Reb Noson's letters to his friends and family		
	make an inspiring		
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	closest disciple actually		
	put the Rebbe's teachings of joy and		
	fortitude into practice day		
	after day, even in the most testing times		
SEVEN	Seven Pillars:	1,000	\$800
PILLARS	This convenient pocket-sized work gives a		
OF FAITH	concise formulation of		
A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A BRESLOVER CHASSID	seven basic principles of faith and how they		
	relate to our lives		
	in practice.		
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	The Shabbat Zemirot (family Shabat songs)		
	with facing English translation. Includes		
B	stories and teachings of Rebbe Nachman and		
	Breslov insights into eating and the Birkhat		
	Hamazon.		
	Garden of the Soul:	1,000	\$1,300
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GANGA SOULS	Offers guidance and comfort in dealing with		
	pain and suffering in our own lives and those		
	of the people around us.		

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