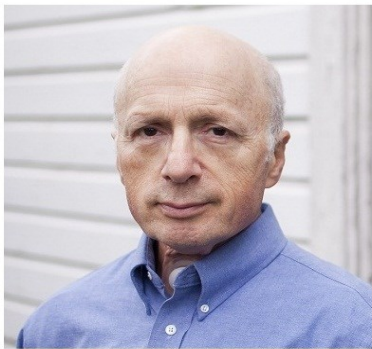


# Friday Night Shabbat Services Guest Speaker, Dr. Itzhak Brook

**Friday, May 15th at 7:30 p.m.**

Dr. Brook will share with us his personal experiences and the challenges he faced as an Israeli Defense Forces battalion physician during the 1973 Yom Kippur War.



**Itzhak Brook, M.D., M.Sc.**, is a Professor of Pediatrics at Georgetown University School of Medicine in Washington DC. He was born and raised in Haifa, Israel and earned his medical degree from Hebrew University, Hadassah School of Medicine, in Jerusalem. He served in the Israeli army as a medic in the Six Day War in 1967 and as a battalion physician during the Yom Kippur war in 1973.

Subsequently, he completed a fellowship in adult and pediatric infectious diseases at the University of California, Los Angeles, School of Medicine. He served in the medical corps of the US Navy for 27 years.

**Dr. Brook** has authored several hundred publications in scientific journals and ten textbooks. He authored the books: "In the Sands of Sinai- A physician's Account of the Yom Kippur War" and "My voice - a physician's personal experience with throat cancer."



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