



JGS of Greater Miami

In collaboration with

Temple Beth Am Library
5950 SW 88 Street, Miami Florida 33156

Sunday Salon Special Event!

February 28, 2016 at 10.00 am

Guest Speaker: Liz Coursen

Award- winning author, editor and publisher

Author of

**Shade in the Sunshine State: Reflection on Segregation in
Florida – The tale of the Rosenwald Schools**



Special Program honoring February - Black American Month

Liz Coursen will present a dynamic program about the history of segregation in Florida around the state. The event will focus on the segregation and discrimination of African Americans in Florida, and the role of Julius Rosenwald and the Rosenwald Schools. Additionally, there is the most unfortunate fact of discrimination against Jews in 1950s Florida hotels and motels to be addressed. Finally, there is the thrilling and ultimately successful cat-and-mouse tale of the pivotal role that the Jewish activists played in the desegregation of Miami and Miami Beach lunch counters and public spaces.