

Reconstructionist Rabbinical Association
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In recent years, segments of the Jewish community have tended to focus on divisive intra-communal issues - not on the many concerns that serve to unite us as a community.

In the spirit of our revered teacher, Rabbi Mordecai M. Kaplan, the Reconstructionist Rabbinical Association seeks to foster the creation of a democratic Jewish polity characterized by "unity in diversity."

Each viewpoint and trend within the community must recognize the right of Jews or other schools of thought to express themselves and pursue their own programs.

We oppose the raising of issues for debate in ways that are divisive and harmful. We seek cordial relations with all other Jewish denominations in the spirit of Klal Yisrael (Jewish Unity). To that end, we urge our own members to involve themselves in inter-communal dialogue in their local communities.