

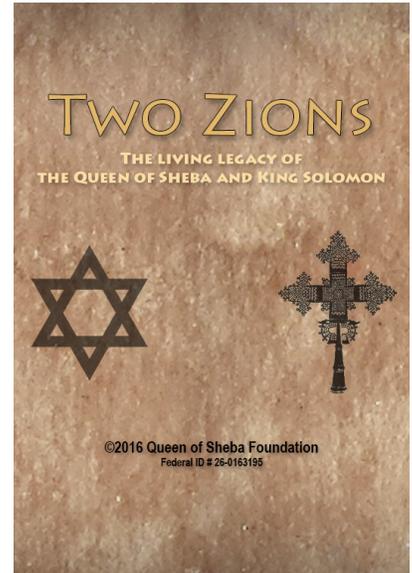


FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

**CHERYL HALPERN'S POWERFUL, *TWO ZIONS: THE LIVING LEGACY OF THE QUEEN OF SHEBA AND KING SOLOMON* WILL SCREEN AT UPCOMING KINGDOMWOOD FILM FESTIVAL**

**August 22, 2016 – Atlanta, GA:** The relationship between the Queen of Sheba and King Solomon, has been the subject of many glamorized Hollywood films, but filmmaker Cheryl Halpern has cut through the Hollywood clutter to present an insightful and historically pleasing documentary that examines the religious relevance of their relationship. *Two Zions: The Living Legacy of the Queen of Sheba and King Solomon* offers an historical perspective on how the relationship between Solomon and Sheba connected two religious cultures: Jerusalem and Axum, Ethiopia and their observances, from approximately 950 BC until today.

*Two Zions* was produced and directed by Cheryl Halpern an award-winning documentarian “*who enjoys sharing compelling stories.*” Halpern, who has served four Presidents, has a long record of public service in broadcasting, women’s issues, education, and international affairs. She formerly served as Chairman of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting (CPB) and a Public Delegate of the United States to the 63rd Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations. She is a member of the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Council, and her civic involvement includes Foundation for the Defense of Democracies, the Women’s Democracy Foundation and the Queen of Sheba Foundation, which is dedicated to promoting educational opportunities for young women in Ethiopia. Halpern is a partner at HQ Creative LLC, an Emmy Award winning Production Company and branding agency serving clients throughout the world.



*Two Zions* is a compelling documentary that connects Judaism and the Ethiopian Orthodox Church through the Zions of Jerusalem and Ethiopia. Don’t miss it! *Two Zions* will be shown at the Kingdomwood Christian Film Festival, Friday, October 7<sup>th</sup> at 5 pm. Watch Trailer > <https://vimeo.com/162388460>

**ABOUT KINGDOMWOOD CHRISTIAN FILM FESTIVAL:**

Kingdomwood Christian Film Festival [KCFF] is a faith-based film festival conceptualized in 2007 by filmmakers Audrey Thomas and Joe Williams from Driven Films. KCFF takes place every October in Atlanta, GA and provides a forum for independent filmmakers to screen films that promote and inspire Christian teaching and values. KCFF screens full features, shorts, and documentaries, and offers workshops and symposiums that offer insight and analysis of industry trends in faith-based filmmaking and production. [www.kingdomwood.com](http://www.kingdomwood.com)

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