

Anne Gorsuch

I am very grateful for the steady presence of Or Shalom in my life, the life of my husband Hal Siden, and the lives of our daughters. We joined Or Shalom 24 years ago when our twin daughters, Hannah and Ellie, were 3 years old. The warm, non-judgemental welcome I received as the non-Jewish, but deeply seeking partner, of my Jewish partner helped nourish us as a family and contributed, eventually, to my conversion.

We moved to Vancouver from the United States when I began work at UBC as a history professor specializing in the history of the Soviet Union. I worked for many satisfying years as a professor of history, researcher, teacher, and administrator. Alongside this work, I began exploring the worlds of therapeutic coaching, intuition, and spirit, training as an integral coach but also with medical intuitive and energy medicine workers. Two years ago, I left UBC to work as an intuitive coach. It has been a profound journey.

Ask me about taking a trip next May with UBC on the Trans-Siberian railway. Or, to shake it up, ask me about my most recent meditation retreat!