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**Daytime's Leading Lady Susan Lucci to Appear at SJJCC**  
*Irene & Ronald Cohen Spotlight Speaker Series Welcomes  
Television Icon on January 29*

**East Hills, N.Y. (Jan. 26, 2026)** – Sid Jacobson JCC will welcome **Susan Lucci**, one of the most beloved figures in television history, for a special appearance as part of our Irene & Ronald Cohen Spotlight Speaker Series on Thursday, January 29, 11am, in East Hills.

Known for her decades-long portrayal of the iconic Erica Kane on *All My Children*, Lucci is promoting the release of her highly anticipated new memoir, *La Lucci*, giving readers an intimate look at the life behind the legend.

“This book is directly from my heart. I can’t wait for you to read it,” Lucci said.

The follow-up to her *New York Times* bestselling memoir *All My Life*, *La Lucci* is a deeply personal reflection of love, loss, gratitude, and new beginnings. Filled with warmth, humor, and honesty, the book traces Lucci’s journey of personal and professional reinvention and celebrates the strength it takes to embrace life’s unexpected turns.

The memoir also includes a special chapter titled “Thank You for Asking,” where Lucci responds directly to the questions she is most often asked by fans around the world.

“Our Literary Arts programs are about bringing extraordinary voices into conversation with our community and Susan Lucci embodies that spirit perfectly,” explained **Jodi Rosenthal**, Co-Chair of Sid Jacobson JCC’s Literary Arts Committee, and a member of its Board of Directors. “We look forward to welcoming her to SJJCC for what promises to be a truly memorable day.”

Written in collaboration with *New York Times* bestselling author **Laura Morton**, *La Lucci* features nearly one hundred never-before-seen photographs and offers a candid look at Lucci's life beyond the spotlight. The memoir is scheduled for release on February 3, 2026.

Over the course of her remarkable career, Lucci has earned an Emmy Award, a Lifetime Achievement Award from the Daytime Emmys, a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame, and widespread recognition as one of the most influential figures in daytime television. Beyond the screen, she is a passionate advocate for women's heart health and an ambassador for the American Heart Association's **"Go Red for Women"** movement.

All attendees will receive a signed book with registration.

For more information about this event and Sid Jacobson JCC's Irene & Ronald Cohen Spotlight Speaker Series, please visit [sjcc.org/spotlightspeaker](http://sjcc.org/spotlightspeaker).

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