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This paper seeks to examine the phenomenon of the Baba Sali cult that has developed in the development town of Netivot in Southern Israel. Known as the Baba Sali (praying father), Rabbi Israel Abuḥaṣeira was born in Tafilalt, Morocco in 1889. He made aliyah in 1950 and passed away in 1984.¹ Here is text to test the end of the float. Here is text to test the end of the float. Here is text to test the end of the float. Here is text to test the end of the float. Here is text to test the end of the float. Here is text to test the end of the float. Here is text to test the end of the float. The end, thank you for reading, and please give me an “A”, like and subscribe.

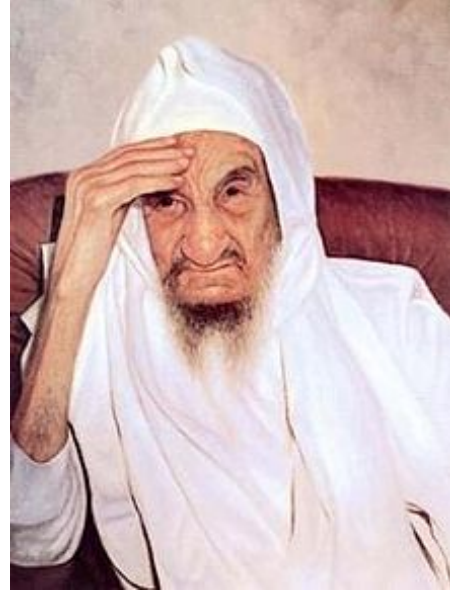


Figure 1: Popular image of the Baba Sali.

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