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NEWSLETTER

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Found in the Post Office

*Tayere Talmidei
Hatmimim sheyichyu,*

In this week's Parsha we learn about a "Metzora". If the Metzora has to stay alone, away from everyone else, who is going to help him become pure?

The Kohen comes to purify him! The Kohanim are kind and loving towards other Yidden. Listen carefully to the Birchas Kohanim on Yom Tov in Shul. They say: "Blessed are you Hashem... Who has commanded us to bless His nation, Yisrael, with love."

Because he cares for another Jew, even a Metzora, the Kohen goes out from the Beis Hamikdosh, the holiest place in the world. He walks to the outskirts of the city, to the place where the Metzora is staying, to help him become pure and come back to his community with more love for his fellow than he had before.

Let me share with you a story:

Binyamin grew up in a religious home in Israel. After his marriage he moved to New York City and became close with Chabad there. He would daven with the Rebbe's minyan every Thursday

morning through the 5740's. He even lived at 770 Ocean Parkway and received the Rebbe's mail on two separate occasions and had the merit to personally bring the Rebbe's mail back to 770 Eastern Parkway.

One day he found himself in the post office in a town 35 miles from his home. Binyomin had a post office to go to in his town but for some reason, he went to that post office that day, the day his whole life changed.



Here in this tiny town, Binyomin felt he could be safe from the torture he experienced...

At that very moment a Shliach also "happened" to be at this post office. At the sight of seeing a young Rabbi in a suit with a black hat, Binyomin suddenly began to scream: "I can't believe it, they actually found me".

He poured out his heart to the Shliach who calmed him down with loving

words. From then on Binyomin became a regular at the Chabad House and gradually became closer to Yiddeshkeit.

When his daughter Dana was 18 years old, she went to Israel to study where she was murdered by terrorists R"L.

The pain was too intense for Binyomin and he moved himself out of the Jewish community and into a town in California with a population of less than 2,300 people living in middle of a forest.

Without internet in a place where most people don't even have cell phone service, Binyomin felt he could be safe from the torture he experienced as a father who lost his only daughter. Overtime he distanced himself more and more from Judaism.

Dear Talmidim, we are the Rebbe's "Kohanim", we are the Shluchim, each one of us possesses a unique love for each Yid and we have the job to go out and find every last Jew, purify him and make sure he is returned home.

Even though doing so means we must go out of the holiest of places, the Rebbe trusts us that we will fulfill our mission properly.

Rabbi Avremi Browd
Extra Curricular Director



Shliach Spotlight



My name is
Yosef
Libersohn,

I'm in Grade
B4 ET and I'm
a Shliach in
Santiago, Chile

What is the Jewish History in your city?

Well, Chile is a country in south America next to the country of Argentina. Santiago is it's capital.

Jews have lived in Chile since it was first settled by Spanish settlers over 575 years ago, they were Marranos. These were some of the first Jews to settle in south America (north America - the united states only saw its first group of Jews 130 years later) so the Jewish history here goes way back.

175 years ago when the Inquisition officially ended and Jews were permitted to practice Judaism openly, thousands of Jews from Europe settled here, and most of those living here today descend from them.

Currently there are about 12,000 Jews that live in this city alone. In the rest of Chile there aren't that many more Jews but sometimes in the summer hundreds of Israelis come to a another city that's like 8 hours away.

What are some of the programs your parents do on Shlichus?

Well, my parents were not the first Shluchim here. My mother's father came to be a Shliach in Chile over 35 years ago. My Zayde

started the Chabad house and a camp Gan Yisroel which runs every year since he came. My parents came here on Shlichus about 11 years ago.

Almost every day we have a Minyan for Shachris, Mincha and



Here is 'Gran Torre Santiago' 64 floors and the tallest building in South America!

Mairev here. On Shabbos around 100 guys come we also have a Kiddush on special Shabbosim.

We have a preschool with around 40 enrolled children. There is a Bas Mitzva club that my mother runs every Wednesday. My father often makes a special BBQ for teenagers and then he farbreng's with them.

Tell us a little about yourself...

There are 11 children in my family. I'm the oldest boy. I B"H speak almost 4 languages, English, Spanish, Yiddish and lot's of Hebrew.

I often go with my father on Mivtzoim on Friday's. Every Yom Tov my father arranges Mivtzoim here, there are several Lubvitcher families that live here and they help out with Mivtzoim and many times i go with them. There are also some not Frum Shuls where we go on Tahalucha.

By the way, kids don't really go walking by themselves here in the streets, it's not dangerous, just the streets are massive and every morning and evening during Rush Hour you can wait up to half an hour just to cross the street!

Can you share with us a story?

Once, I went on Mivtzoim with my father to a hospital, to meet a Yid and put on Tefillin with him, the man didn't agree even though my father begged him and eventually my father gave up. As we were about to leave I asked my father: didn't we come here just for this person?!

My father returned to him and said what is said and he agreed to put on Tefillin - because of me!



Beis Iyar is the Birthday - the Yom HaHoledes of the Rebbe Maharsh, in connection with this we bring you the following story:

Evening had fallen, and the Rebbe Maharsh was receiving those who came to seek his counsel in yechidus, the private meeting of Neshamos between rebbe and chassid. Barely an hour had passed, and already the Rebbe was exhausted; he called a break and asked for a fresh change of clothes.

The Rebbe's secretary emerged from the room carrying the clothes which the Rebbe had removed. They were drenched in sweat. "Ribono Shel Olam," muttered the secretary, "why does he work so hard?! Every hour he needs a new change of clothes. Why does the Rebbe sweat so much?"

The Rebbe's door opened, and the Rebbe Maharsh stood in the doorway. "Go home," he said to his secretary. "You have not the slightest understanding of my work. I will continue to pay your salary, but I no longer desire your services.

"Don't you understand? In the past hour, twenty people came to see me.

Each of them poured out his Neshama to me and asked for my assistance in healing it of its spiritual sicknesses. To relate to each one's problem, I have to see it through their eyes. So I must 'separate' myself of my own personality and high level and 'dress' myself in theirs. Then, in order to answer them, I must 'redress' and go back to my own level, otherwise, why would they come to me for help?

"Did you ever attempt to change your clothes forty times an hour? If such physical dressing and undressing would exhaust you and bathe you in sweat, can you imagine what it involves to do so in the mental, emotional and spiritual sense?"

How hard must it be for the Rebbe to lower himself down to the level of each and every Jew. With great love he puts everything aside and connects himself to us.

The Rebbe can truly feel our problems and will surly help us.



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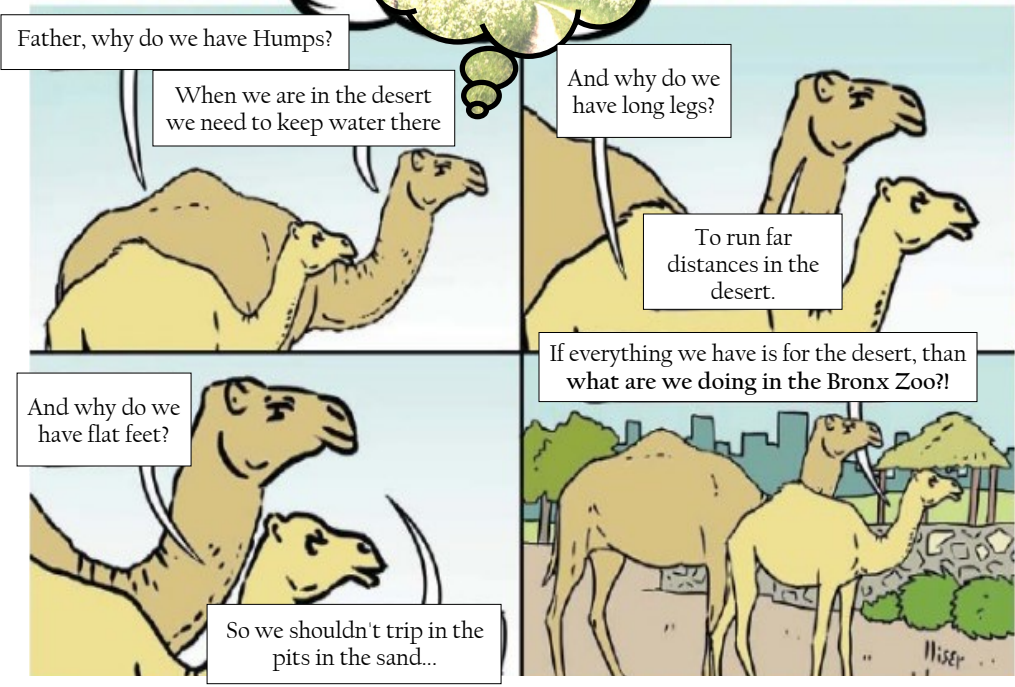
The following Talmidim are getting this Automatic Prize for watching - and learning - all 7 parts of our Hachana Mivtza for 11 Nissan.

These Kuntreisim are some of the original booklets left over from the ones the Rebbe gave out on 11 Nissan 5750!

They will be shipped to you this coming week IY”H!



Stay tuned... there are 2 very exciting Mivtza's beginning soon for different grades...



א קלאץ קשיא
What travels around the world but stays in a corner?



Answer: A Postage Stamp...