

Harry's Wife

Posted by jerusalemsexaddict - 30 Sep 2009 21:22

Yea,we all know her.

Sitting on the bus near you.

The guy next door's wife.

Your best friend's wife.

Bekitzur,everyone's wife but yours.

Hashem commands us:

Do not desire her!

Um,sorry?

I'd understand if You would tell me

"Don't have sex with her!"

But not to lust?

How can we be commanded something that is seemingly out of our control mostly?!

So I ask you the following:

Would you like to buy a nice porsche and drive cross-country?

Yea?

Nice.

Would you like to buy a nice spaceship and circle the moon a few times?

No?

Why not?

I'm sure it would be fun.

The answer is no.

Because it's not shayach.

It's not happening.

It's out of our reach.

The first bracha under the chupa is:

"Who forbade us the betrothed, and permitted the married (the one that you're married to)."

Why?

Because first we must understand that any other women **are not shayach**.

We must get that into our heads.

It is not happening.

It's like that spaceship.

This is the yesod of the Ibn Ezra.

When I spoke to my sex addiction therapist about this, he pointed out the following:

Think about any wife who would think of cheating on her husband.

Think of how difficult their relationship must be.

And you would go in there and destroy a family even more?

We do not want to enter this sugya, chevra.

Even "just looking"

Any wife who dresses provocatively we must feel bad for.

She's obviously not being shown enough love at home.

We must daven for them.

Not watch them as they walk.

See the other side of the story chevra.

Even pornstars.

What brought them to this place.

Oy!

I feel like crying :'(

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Re: John's Wife

Posted by the.guard - 07 Oct 2009 22:55

Gevalt! Rabbeinu Dov!!

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P.S. Will you finger paint with me in heck(II)?

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Re: John's Wife

Posted by Holy Yid - 07 Oct 2009 23:51

the little wisdom I have on this subje^t also tells me that Dov is very wise. But as the handbook points out we need to stop lusting. We need to be aware that we are lusting even a little bit. so I, without wisdom, think that we need to talk about the little things that trigger us, at least a little.

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Re: John's Wife

Posted by Efshar Letaken - 07 Oct 2009 23:59

I have been following this thread for a while now & didn't know how or what to say about it.

I just don't think going into the amkus why, how, where, when, what, with Johns wife.

I don't believe in getting into the shakle v'taryeh with the Menuval. The more we go back & forth with the Menuval in the logic of it all just gets us into trouble in the end.

Suddenly Reb Dov comes along & just says something sooooo simple yet sooooo true that as far as I'm concerned puts this conversation to bed.

It comes down to one thing!

I need to be focusing on staying clean & johns wife wont let me stay clean therefore Johns wife just aint something I should have anything to do with, Period!

No ifs or buts.

Its not a discussion at all

Gevaldig!

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Re: John's Wife

Posted by kutan - 08 Oct 2009 01:36

Dov (do I understand you correctly?) is saying... let go of lust.

it is poison.

Its feeding the ego,

and the IRS (they soon are going to start taxing the seedy side of the internet).

But there are many who have not yet hit bottom.

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Re: John's Wife

Posted by Holy Yid - 08 Oct 2009 02:03

The Satan wont let the IRS tax the shumtz. He know better than that.

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Re: John's Wife

Posted by Holy Yid - 08 Oct 2009 02:10

I don't argue with Dov, BUT the thoughts mentioned here

1. Woman are people to a relationship with not lust at.

2. Any frum lady, who is not your wife, is the same to you as a woman in Nigeria.

3. When we lust we don't want a relationship, we just want to have a rush to block out emotions.

all helped me allot.

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Re: John's Wife

Posted by lamed vavnik - 08 Oct 2009 12:13

with all due respect, maybe we should change the title of this thread?

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Re: Harry's Wife

Posted by the.guard - 08 Oct 2009 13:24

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Re: John's Wife

Posted by bardichev - 08 Oct 2009 13:29

No no no

With all "due" respect

Leave the title

Yoelis wife

Yitzies

Yankies

All are to you

Like johns wife

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Re: Harry's Wife

Posted by yechidah - 08 Oct 2009 17:05

John and Harry are both nuts and the wife/wives are crazier than them.

if I come across Harry's wife on the street I make the logical assumption that she is a serial killer.

outer beauty can cover up alot of sewage and real sick stuff,viruses,bacteria,hate,envy,greed,ect ect

it's a mask.

ever saw V-the mini series?

nice looking people that are lizards

many people with external beauty are this way

and when it is a bas yisroel, and you can't come to such a harsh conclusions because we look at the good, then we have to see the "Lo Sachmoed" sign that Hashem puts up for us telling us "nothing doing" here for you.

like a far sighted guy wearing glasses that near sighted people wear.

It will destroy your eyes.

and your neshomah too.

it's simply not good for you

even physically, in the "olam hazeh" sense, it's bad for you.

when you pass the test you will see this clearly

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Re: Harry's Wife

Posted by Holy Yid - 08 Oct 2009 17:11

Why Harry? Harry is more Jewish sounding than John and that is Rabbi B's point that all women except your wife are the same as woman from Nigeria or Algeria or Mali for that matter.

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Re: Harry's Wife

Posted by the.guard - 08 Oct 2009 17:32

Just kidding around, bud...

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Re: Harry's Wife

Posted by Holy Yid - 08 Oct 2009 17:49

I just thought your name must be john, so you didn't like it

I guess you figured out why some people were busy posting here.

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Re: John's Wife

Posted by Dov - 08 Oct 2009 22:36

[Holy Yid wrote on 07 Oct 2009 23:51:](#)

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Holy Yid,

Agreed, 100%. Really. As a matter of fact, if I could not talk openly with somebody about all the goofy and gross ideas that pop into my head, I'd certainly eventually act them out! "We are only as sick as our secrets" they so wisely say. So, more power (and Holy-ness) to you!

But *making a study of it* is an entirely different matter to me. It doesn't deserve all that much *attention*. And that was all I really meant.

It all depends on what I want. If I want to keep thinking about lust, or why I lust, then I'll be *in it*. I tend to then do *more* of it. If, on the other hand, I just want to finally get *free* of it, then I'll find someone safe to dump it to, ask My Best Eternal Friend to help me out, and then focus 100% of my brain and body energies on thinking about and doing whatever it is that I am *supposed* to

actually thinking about and doing. And most of the time it's: giving - to my clients, wife, children, Whoever. And I'll just have to be content assuming that I'm a bit of a nut for having really, honestly believed (for a minute) that doing such an assinine (or evil) thing could possibly have been ***in my best interest!*** Nu. I'm nuts that way.

I am not telling you or anyone what to do, just admitting (again) that I can't ***think*** myself into right behavior. I can only ***live*** myself into right thinking. The analysis is very tempting, but letting go of it and doing right does me more good. That's all.

Does that sit well with you?

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