

Reaching Out for Help on Shabbos

Posted by Kedusha - 12 Nov 2010 15:45

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[Note that the first few pages of this thread relate to an earlier version of this poll. Many of the issues raised have been addressed in the way the question is currently worded].

What do you say, Chevra? This is a question that has been on my mind for quite some time.

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Re: Reaching Out for Help on Shabbos

Posted by bardichev - 15 Nov 2010 18:10

[Kedusha wrote on 15 Nov 2010 18:05:](#)

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Re: Reaching Out for Help on Shabbos
Posted by Kedusha - 15 Nov 2010 18:12

[bardichev wrote on 15 Nov 2010 18:10:](#)

[Kedusha wrote on 15 Nov 2010 18:05:](#)

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GYE does have a Rabbinical Board. However, I don't envision the Rabbanim moderating the forum anytime soon.

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Re: Reaching Out for Help on Shabbos
Posted by the.guard - 15 Nov 2010 20:11

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Re: Reaching Out for Help on Shabbos
Posted by bardichev - 15 Nov 2010 20:16

Rebbereber=DOV

All rabbinic duties are on you now

Which includes

Selling chamets

Siddur kiddushin

Hakamas matzaivos

Sandikaos

Hmmm pretty much what u have been doing till now

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Re: Reaching Out for Help on Shabbos
Posted by Kedusha - 15 Nov 2010 21:22

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I think that's why the Adam Gadol refused to Paskin it!

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Re: Reaching Out for Help on Shabbos
Posted by bardichev - 15 Nov 2010 21:24

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Re: Reaching Out for Help on Shabbos
Posted by Kedusha - 15 Nov 2010 22:57

[bardichev wrote on 15 Nov 2010 21:24:](#)

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Re: Reaching Out for Help on Shabbos

Posted by Dov - 15 Nov 2010 23:05

It turns out that I am actually the biggest misnagged to this guy, Dov. (Even bigger than my mother-in-law!) :o

So there.

So, I am a chosid of Guard, and *he* is a chosid of Reb b, and...
Second biggest!

Truly I have been a sandek already (I did it because Yesod Yosef writes that it is a tikun for hz"l R"l, and i really thought that it might 'do the trick'!...finally after 17 more years of screwing up I finally did start to get sober....so maybe it did help! ???)

Actually, about the mohel part, I have *a/ways* wanted to see if it really *is* possible to do bris in the backseat of a Cadillac sedan deVille. (Anybody here old enough to remember that one?)

Have a nice day, fellow knuckleheads.

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Re: Reaching Out for Help on Shabbos
Posted by bardichev - 15 Nov 2010 23:07

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I thought it was 24/7! Haven't you been reading this thread?! ;D

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Re: Reaching Out for Help on Shabbos
Posted by bardichev - 15 Nov 2010 23:21

dov is always a little bit focusing

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Nee! Oy vei...shhhoooshhh!

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Re: Reaching Out for Help on Shabbos

Posted by briut - 16 Nov 2010 03:56

[dov wrote on 15 Nov 2010 23:05:](#)

Actually, about the mohel part, I have *a/ways* wanted to see if it really *is* possible to do bris in the backseat of a Cadillac sedan deVille. (Anybody here old enough to remember that one?) It was a Lincoln Continental Town Car. And it was a Saturday Night Live take-off of the "slice a diamond" original commercial. And rather antiSemitic at that, as I remember.

Maybe you're referring to using the backseat of a Cadillac to get things started about 9 mo and 8 days earlier?

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Re: Reaching Out for Help on Shabbos
Posted by Dov - 16 Nov 2010 03:58

You are naughty, indeed....but have a very good memory. So we'll let it go, this time.

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