

Right Brained- all the way.

Posted by tehillimzugger - 24 Aug 2011 18:49

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[TehillimZugger wrote on 24 Aug 2011 15:50:](#)

**you're right.**

i would share positive things i'm doing if they would be noigeia to the oilam here. being that they're not and i risk being recognized if i put in too many details [i think i did already] i won't.

I decided to ask the chevra's advice about the root of my problem, there's bound to be **someone** that can help.

I have always been addicted to Information. Information was my best friend and I would run after her whenever I got the chance. As a kid sports and games didn't really appeal to me, it seemed as just a way to pass time, while being with Information made me feel like i was gaining. I was taking Information out of books and putting her into my brain, and I felt my brain growing as a result.

Being that Information and I were such good friends, I would never make decisions without first consulting with My Information. When I got to Yeshiva I discovered that most of my friends were not looking at it as an opportunity to get to know Information, rather as a hurdle that needs to be passed. What happened was that my friends who were in yeshiva "to survive", behaved more or less the way they were ~~supposed~~ expected to, while I spent the time with Information. Now the yeshiva couldn't throw me out for spending my time with sefarim, but they didn't appreciate my whole "affair" with Information, it detracted from their "system", and being that I always squeezed some Information about what the yeshiva was learning too, i was okay.

hold on a second- i'm not a loner, as a matter of fact i'm one of the most popular guys in my yeshiva, but i always saw myself as "above" "time-wasting" because of my intimate relationship with Information.

I'm always building new homes for my dear friend Information with the help of my other good friends *Leshoin Chachamim* and *Eit Sofer* and my **[extremely]** right brained personality is always getting me busy with different projects. The problem with all this is that I dedicate all my

time to these inanimate friends while not leaving any time for my human friends. I do spend time with my human friends, but i don't attribute them the same importance as to my inanimate friends.

How can I balance my deep emotional needs for relationships with people and society, with my imagination's need to be with my brain, nurture it and speak with it?

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Re: Right Brained- all the way.

Posted by yechidah - 26 Oct 2011 00:43

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fascinating stuff this enneagram

thank you for sharing

no picnic being a 4,that's for sure

but I cant imagine being anything else

though I learn to adapt the the healthy traits of each type to some degree

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Re: Right Brained- all the way.

Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 01 Nov 2011 20:32

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TZ, yechida or anyone else,

is there a good website that can help with a general introduction and categorization of 'enneagrams'? i am not familiar with it at all

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Re: Right Brained- all the way.

Posted by gibbor120 - 01 Nov 2011 20:41

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Miriam adahan wrote a book about it. It's purple i think. You may be able to get it out of a

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Re: Right Brained- all the way.

Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 01 Nov 2011 21:08

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her approach is based on enneagram's?

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Re: Right Brained- all the way.

Posted by gibbor120 - 01 Nov 2011 21:14

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I don't know about her approach in general. It's one of those personality type books. it's a different system than the other one that a lot of ppl are familiar with INTP, ESFJ... I think she wrote a book about that as well. I may even have her book at home. Any trucks available to . (funny that we use a truck and not a boat to "ship" stuff )I read a lot of that kind of stuff post high school when I was trying to learn about myself. (I learned more about myself on GYE.)

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Re: Right Brained- all the way.

Posted by gibbor120 - 01 Nov 2011 21:21

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Here's one site [www.enneagraminstitute.com/](http://www.enneagraminstitute.com/)

Re: Right Brained- all the way.

Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 01 Nov 2011 21:25

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thanks for that link

i also read some of Adahan's books when i was younger and i stopped after the 10th (or 13th or something) set of roshei taivos, was getting confusing for me.

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Re: Right Brained- all the way.

Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 01 Nov 2011 21:41

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free test

[www.eclecticenergies.com/enneagram/test.php](http://www.eclecticenergies.com/enneagram/test.php)

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Re: Right Brained- all the way.

Posted by gibbor120 - 02 Nov 2011 15:01

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drum roll please fjjfjjfjjfjjfjjf.

I took the test. Here are the results:

You are most likely a type 5.

Taking wings into account, you seem to be a 1w9

I don't remember what the wing things mean, but I could've told you I was a 5 before taking the test.

Here's the 5 description [www.eclecticenergies.com/enneagram/type5.php](http://www.eclecticenergies.com/enneagram/type5.php)

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Re: Right Brained- all the way.

Posted by Gevura Shebyesod - 02 Nov 2011 15:11

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For what it's worth, I tried it too, I came up as a 5 with balanced wings 4 & 6. Sort of makes sense, but a lot of it is so vague that it's easy to make almost anything fit what you want.

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Re: Right Brained- all the way.

Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 02 Nov 2011 15:16

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here are my results:

You are most likely a type 5.

Taking wings into account, you seem to be a 5w6.

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Re: Right Brained- all the way.

Posted by gibbor120 - 02 Nov 2011 15:33

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I guess I'm in good company. Just kidding... I don't need a silly test to tell me that I'm in good company. The "best" company, in fact.

On that other thingy I'm an INTP.

Any other sikologee tests you'd like me to take?

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Re: Right Brained- all the way.

Posted by gibbor120 - 02 Nov 2011 15:35

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I guess on the sikologee note. I was listening to Dr Soroskin again on my way in to work. He said something in passing that fascinated me. He said that a lot of hyperactive kids are told that they're lazy. I'm still pondering the connection, I guess inability to focus on the task at hand.

Well I ~~was~~ am hyperactive and I was told I'm lazy (in not so many words necessarily). I am

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Re: Right Brained- all the way.

Posted by tehylimzugger - 28 Nov 2011 13:55

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Hi everyone! Miriam adahans book is called awareness but i dont think she's the best bichlal

In her other books i mean

I don't really believe in all the self sikologee

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