This is so not Fun Posted by moish u.k. - 28 Jul 2014 14:10

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Re: This is so not Fun Posted by Pidaini - 28 Jul 2014 14:26

I couldn't agree more

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Re: This is so not Fun Posted by shivisi - 28 Jul 2014 16:27

moish u.k. wrote:

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How about if we look at this time like this:

We all know that doing mitzvos [and refraining from aveiros helps bring the Geulah closer .

BUT those things are not SPECIFIC to building the Beis Hamikdosh. They are basically general things to bring Zechus to Am Yisroel.

NOW we are given 3 weeks, and especially the last 9 days, to do something which is specific to the Geulah itself.

Mourning the Golus and the churban means recognizing what we're missing and yearning for its return. This mitzvah DIRECTLY encourages Hashem {so-to-speak] to bring Mashiach and rebuild the Bais Hamikdosh.

SO- WOW! we now have a hands on mission to end this golus! lets take advantage of it!

Re: This is so not Fun Posted by ZemirosShabbos - 28 Jul 2014 19:57

moish u.k. wrote:

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i feel the same.

on second thought, that might be the way it was meant to be

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