

Embarrassing things we all do and think
Posted by Grant400 - 07 Aug 2020 06:17

I realized that most of the embarrassing things we do, we all do. I figured it would be funny if I listed some and any of you can share yours and we can all get a good laugh realizing we all do the same stuff:

1) "Klapping" selach on shabbos by mistake and immediately opening our hand and scratching our chest and arm for a really long time, maybe even sliding to other places like "oh! This itch wont let up!" Same with kissing our tefillin during krias shema by maariv.

2) When I daven for the amud I always check my phone or listen to the guy next to me to make sure I'm saying the right "yom" before blurting out the ending, even though I already know what day it is.

3) When we get caught staring through the car next to us's window we carefully continue to look in the same direction, just missing eye contact...like, "I wasnt looking at you pick your nose- I was intently staring directly at the spot of bird stuffs on the hood of your car"!

Grant

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think
Posted by tzitzis dude - 19 Dec 2021 05:15

[??? ??? ???? ??? wrote on 13 Dec 2021 02:58:](#)

[tzitzis dude wrote on 13 Dec 2021 00:07:](#)

I feel like most weeks, come ??? ??, I always confuse ??? ?? ??? ??? ?????? and ??? ?? ??? ?? ??????... anybody else?

I can join you on that one. Thank you for reviving this thread.

Pleasure!

This has been on my mind for quite some time now (nearly every Friday night, lol), but for some reason, I never remembered to post it until it was too late

Warning: Spoiler!

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think
Posted by farmer k. - 29 Dec 2021 02:05

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think
Posted by fightingHard - 29 Dec 2021 04:53

davening mincha for the amud. heichy kedusha. then after atta kadosh, take 3 steps back and forth...

hate to see it

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think
Posted by workhard - 04 Jan 2022 06:44

HAPPENED TO ME 2!!

super strange looks when i belted in middle while trying to mouth (no idea why i even had to!)
that i davened already

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think
Posted by 01 - 19 Jun 2022 04:02

I don't understand this one (disclaimer: I'm a lefty)

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think
Posted by EvedHashem1836 - 19 Jun 2022 10:52

forgetting to take off your shluf kappel when you go to daven

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think
Posted by connected - 13 Jul 2022 21:50

I don't know if anyone mentioned this, but I am, hands-down, the most outstanding conductor of all time.

I mean, you should see me lead orchestras through symphonies, concertos, and operas (Nu! Kol Isha! Only the overtures...). I've conducted everything from the soft *The Lark Ascending* to the thunderous climax of Tchaikovsky's fifth (and the barely audible, despairing

ending of his sixth).

(I do Jewish music too, but it's not the same...)

And get this, all this is done from my desk at work or behind the steering wheel.

It's gotta be quite a show to sit beside me in traffic. (Or to be my workmate.)

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think

Posted by pvibes - 29 Nov 2022 06:49

Has anyone ever walked out of shul with the siddur they just used to daven? Or the sefer they just used to learn from?

Lol has happened to me many times!

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think

Posted by BentchKvatcher - 01 May 2023 20:13

I had a whole buncha Bachurim by me for a Seuda, and I start a Zemer they join in with weird looks on their faces as I realize that I am singing a Shabbos day Zemer on Friday night...

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think
Posted by Gevura Shebyesod - 01 May 2023 20:47

I usually Daven Nusach Sefard. I was at an Ashkenaz minyan the other night for Maariv, and right after Kaddish Tiskabel I started saying Oleinu out loud. Then I heard the Chazan start the Bracha for Sefiras Haomer....

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think
Posted by EccentricComposer - 05 May 2023 01:22

If you're Chazzan and count the wrong day of sefirah...

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think
Posted by tzitzis dude - 05 May 2023 05:12

[EccentricComposer wrote on 05 May 2023 01:22:](#)

If you're Chazzan and count the wrong day of sefirah...

Oof. I winced at that one.

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think
Posted by monseyid41 - 05 May 2023 14:06

I was once at a minyan during ????" and the chazzan forgot to say ??? ?????. Nobody corrected him right away so he had to start again from the beginning and everyone said Kedusha a second time.

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think
Posted by Ybird - 08 May 2023 21:38

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think
Posted by tzitzis dude - 08 May 2023 23:24

[Ybird wrote on 08 May 2023 21:38:](#)

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To combat this, I always randomly hit my chest- before, during and after davening...

Not sure if it convinces anybody, though...

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