

Embarrassing things we all do and think

Posted by Grant400 - 07 Aug 2020 06:17

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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 Ish MiGrodno - 18 Apr 2021 04:28

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Oy.

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think

Posted by tzitzis dude - 18 Apr 2021 04:49

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[Ish MiGrodno wrote on 18 Apr 2021 04:28:](#)

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Oy.

Wow, can't think of how many times I did that... Although, for some of us Nusach Sfard'ers, we can excuse it by being among those who count after Aleinu

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by Ish MiGrodno - 18 Apr 2021 05:40

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by lionking - 18 Apr 2021 09:45

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[Ish MiGrodno wrote on 18 Apr 2021 05:40:](#)

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C'mon we all knew that already.

There is no nusach sefard in the whole town of Grodno.

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by Hakolhevel - 18 Apr 2021 13:07

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[Ish MiGrodno wrote on 18 Apr 2021 05:40:](#)

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Could have been chabad too, but too late, the cats out of the bag

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by Lou - 22 Apr 2021 03:13

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by EvedHashem1836 - 22 Apr 2021 11:24

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Sneezing a full 100 kolos during shmoneh esrei when it's not rosh hashana

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by Ish MiGrodno - 22 Apr 2021 13:32

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Speaking of "walk of shame," having a loose stomach on Yom Kippur while sitting on the

mizrach vont. Absolute humiliation and constant embarrassment as one must leave the shul every 5 minutes.... :(

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by tzitzis dude - 30 Apr 2021 20:13

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Trying to pick my nose in public (we're all guys here, so it's fine), and trying to cover it up with the rest of my hand

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by tzitzis dude - 30 Apr 2021 20:17

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This is for Nusach Sfarders only:

finishing ?????? on Monday or Thursday, going straight to ?????? and ?????? ?? ???, then wondering what's taking everyone else so long...

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by Lou - 07 May 2021 04:10

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This is particularly embarrassing...

Calling or emailing your filter company about a loophole they should close up. Hoping and praying they think you just happened to discover it rather than realizing you searched for this and spent too much time on there... You also hope they don't realize exactly how bad the content was... Oish!

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by Ish MiGrodno - 07 May 2021 05:20

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....and belting out ?????? ?????? (during ????????) on regular weekday nights is becoming too regular of an occurrence here in Grodno...

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by EvedHashem1836 - 07 May 2021 15:20

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sneezing in a store because of allergies but everyone looks at you and you know theyre thinking u might have covid

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by Lou - 09 May 2021 20:46

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Do you ever see a guy come out of the supermarket and kind of aimlessly walk through the parking lot? Eventually he hits the panic button and his car starts beeping. He smiles and starts walking towards his car.

Yup that was me!

This happens to me all the time. I never remember where I parked.

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