



Today's Daf In Review is being sent l'zecher nishmas Habachur Yechezkel Shraga A"H ben R' Avrohom Yehuda

Megilla Daf Lamed Beis

- A Braisa says, **R' Meir** says, when one gets an Aliyah, he should open the Torah, look where he will be reading from, close the Torah, make the bracha, open the Torah again, and then read. **R' Yehuda** says, he should open the Torah, look where he will be reading from, make the bracha, and then read.
 - **R' Meir's** view is based on the reasoning of **Ulla**, who says that the one who is reading from the Torah should not help the one who is translating, so that people not come to think that the translation is written in the Torah as well. Similarly, **R' Meir** felt it is important to close the Torah before making the bracha so that people not think the brachos are written in the Torah as well.
 - **R' Yehuda** says that no one would come to think that the brachos are written in the Torah, so there is no need to address that.
 - **R' Zeira in the name of R' Masna** said, the Halacha is that one should open the Torah, look where he will be reading from, make the bracha, and then read.
 - **Q:** Why doesn't he just say that the Halacha follows **R' Yehuda**? **A:** There were some versions that had the views of **R' Meir and R' Yehuda** reversed.
 - **R' Zeira in the name of R' Masna** said, the "boards" (Rashi is unsure and says these are possibly the covers of printed sefarim) and the platform (which the king would stand upon during Hakheil) do not have any kedusha.
- **R' Shefatya in the name of R' Yochanan** said, when rolling the Sefer Torah closed, it should be done on a seam.
 - **R' Shefatya in the name of R' Yochanan** said, when one is rolling a Sefer Torah on his own (holding it on his lap) he should roll the one that is further from him (to prevent it from falling). When he tightens it, he should tighten by rolling the one closer to him.
 - **R' Shefatya in the name of R' Yochanan** said, the greatest person of the minyan should be the one to roll the Sefer Torah closed (before putting it away), because the one who does so gets reward equal to all the other people there.
 - **R' Shefatya in the name of R' Yochanan** said, we learn from a pasuk that if one hears a bas kol telling him to do something, he may listen to it.
 - The Gemara says, this is only if one hears what appears to be a man's voice in the city or a woman's voice in the field (these are unusual, and can therefore be assumed as being a true bas kol), and only if the voice repeats and says "yes, yes" or "no, no".
 - **R' Shefatya in the name of R' Yochanan** darshened a pasuk to teach that if one reads Torah without the "trop" or learns Mishnayos without a tune, he has done a terrible sin.
 - **Q: Abaye** asked, can it be that if one doesn't know how to sing he would be subject to such harsh treatment!? **A:** Rather, he says that the pasuk should be darshened as referring to 2 talmidei chachomim who live in the same city but don't discuss Halacha together.
- **R' Parnach in the name of R' Yochanan** said, one who touches a Sefer Torah with his bare hands will be buried bare (without clothing).
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- **Q:** Can it be that he gets such a harsh punishment? **A: Abaye** said, it must mean that he gets buried bare of that particular mitzvah that he was doing at the time that he touched the Torah.
- **R' Yanai the son of R' Yanai the Elder in the name of R' Yanai the Great** said, when wrapping a Sefer Torah, one should wrap the wrappings around the Torah, and not roll the Torah in the wrappings so that it gets wrapped.

VAYEDABER MOSHE ES MOADEI HASHEM EHL BNEI YISRAEL...

- A Braisa says, Moshe instituted that they should learn the halachos of each time during its time: the halachos of Pesach should be learned on Pesach, the halachos of Shavuos should be learned on Shavuos, and the halachos of Succos should be learned on Succos.

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