

Do guys with wives with a double digit IQ have less of a problem?

Posted by kanesher - 18 Jan 2010 14:24

an important topic for immediate discussion...

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Re: Do guys with wives with a double digit IQ have less of a problem?

Posted by Kedusha - 18 Jan 2010 20:27

[Eye.nonymous wrote on 18 Jan 2010 20:23:](#)

By double-digit do you mean a high IQ or a low one?

I guess everything's relative. Maybe the husband's IQ is lower than his shoe size! ;D

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Re: Do guys with wives with a double digit IQ have less of a problem?

Posted by 7yipol - 18 Jan 2010 22:49

This thread deserves a refuah sheleima wish! :D :D

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Re: Do guys with wives with a double digit IQ have less of a problem?

Posted by Ineedhelp!! - 18 Jan 2010 22:51

I am really not sure what the purpose of this thread is. Is it a knock of the other thread about mens wives?

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Re: Do guys with wives with a double digit IQ have less of a problem?
Posted by Me3 - 18 Jan 2010 22:52

[7Up wrote on 18 Jan 2010 22:49:](#)

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They didn't mean for you to take it personally. ;D

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Re: Do guys with wives with a double digit IQ have less of a problem?
Posted by silentbattle - 18 Jan 2010 22:57

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Re: Do guys with wives with a double digit IQ have less of a problem?

Posted by Kedusha - 18 Jan 2010 23:03

[silentbattle wrote on 18 Jan 2010 22:57:](#)

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The approximate translation is: "Go down a level in marrying a woman." In other words, don't marry a woman who is smarter than you (I know - all wives think they are ;D), of greater social status, etc.

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Re: Do guys with wives with a double digit IQ have less of a problem?

Posted by silentbattle - 18 Jan 2010 23:14

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Re: Do guys with wives with a double digit IQ have less of a problem?

Posted by Eye.nonymous - 19 Jan 2010 14:04

Eizer K'negdo.

I think this means that Hashem makes sure the wife is an appropriate match for the husband.

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Re: Do guys with wives with a double digit IQ have less of a problem?

Posted by the.guard - 21 Jan 2010 16:41

[Rage ATM wrote on 18 Jan 2010 19:10:](#)

[guardureyes wrote on 18 Jan 2010 19:01:](#)

chazal say, nechos darga venasiv itsa.

i always thought this referred to social status not intellect...

The way I understood it was, that part of our journey in this world is to learn "bitul" of our "sechel" to Hashem, and the best way to learn that, is to live with someone who thinks different than us, and perhaps not as intellectual and "deep", and yet we lower our own sechel, marry a woman of lesser depth, and learn how to build a relationship based on sharing and giving, and not based on the enjoyment I have in conversing with her and exchanging deep thoughts. That's why "nechos darga" is chazal's advice to us. It is **good** for us to marry someone lower than our intellectual level (which was probably the norm for most women in chazal's time, since they didn't have the same schooling as men).

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Re: Do guys with wives with a double digit IQ have less of a problem?
Posted by Me3 - 21 Jan 2010 17:03

[guardureyes wrote on 21 Jan 2010 16:41:](#)

P.S. Hon, if you're reading this, I'm not talking about YOU!

Oh yes he was. I'd put him in his place if I were you.

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Re: Do guys with wives with a double digit IQ have less of a problem?
Posted by Kedusha - 21 Jan 2010 17:32

[Rage ATM wrote on 21 Jan 2010 17:20:](#)

Seriously, kedusha and guard, stop being such male chauvinistic pigs...what happened to being equals? i think all men, no matter how smart or dumb think their wives no matter how smart or dumb, are not as "intellectual" or "deep"...its part of our chauvinistic psyche.

Mrs. Rage - get off your husband's computer right now, and go to the Spouses of Addicts forum!
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Posted by Kedusha - 21 Jan 2010 17:34

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Just in case you were really being serious, spouses are supposed to respect one another, and have numerous Kesuba obligations, but where does it say that they should be equals?

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Re: Do guys with wives with a double digit IQ have less of a problem?

Posted by Me3 - 21 Jan 2010 18:18

I think many wives (except for mine of course) are the intellectual equals of their husbands.

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