

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 ??? ???? ???? ??? - 10 May 2024 14:23

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[redfaced wrote on 10 May 2024 12:59:](#)

[yesoidshebiyisoid wrote on 10 May 2024 03:58:](#)

I was chazzan for maariv and after the first kaddish, I took 3 steps back instead of saying Barchu!

Oh how great it is to daven Ashkenaz!! One less opportunity ....

Mmm... I found myself bowing at the bracha ho'kel hakodosh the other day because I was tipped off by the word "Selah" which is just before the bracha "hatov shimcha u'lecha," but that is only in Ashkenaz, so we each have our fair share of opportunities...

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by cande - 14 May 2024 18:45

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washing my hands after coming out of the mikva and making ??? ???, and the guy next to you giving you stares.

and im like damn it! there are no official bathrooms in the mikva.....

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by gye365s - 15 May 2024 01:54

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Posted by tzitzis dude - 15 May 2024 02:35

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Pretty sure that as long as the announcement starts with “der moiled vet zayn”, everything else can be said ????, and it is still ??.

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Our mumbling president - are we allowed to embarrass him here?

"Folks. I have great news and bad news.

The good news is that I've been appointed as this season's mo'led crier.

**Warning: Spoiler!**

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Posted by Heeling - 15 May 2024 16:59

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To be perfectly honest I made myself laugh too.

Lord knows I needed a laugh

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by neshomo kedosha - 16 May 2024 03:18

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Davening Maariv for the omud at this time of year in a shul without a omer board, as you get towards sefira your frantically trying to remember what day it is...

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Re: Embarrassing things we all do and think  
Posted by jackthejew - 17 May 2024 16:43

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Made it all the way through V'emuna Kol Zois this morning after Shema. Only realized when I kissed my Tzitzis by V'omru Chulam. Don't even know where THAT idea came from

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