The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled Posted by youknowwho - 08 Mar 2024 15:01

Speaking to a few friends offline gave birth to this idea, it seems to be an urgent and immediate necessity.

Welcome to... The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled

This thread is a place where one can feel free to rant, vent and gripe.

It is a safe haven for negativity, sourness and blahness.

It is a place where one can be sure to find a healthy dose of demotivating advice. It is a place where any kind of positivity is strictly forbidden.

It is a place where you can vent about what a **rotten day** you're having and not worry that people will then reach out with concerned pm's/texts...*cuz nobody really cares*. And that's perfectly fine, why *should* anybody care?

Please Remember:

-No profanity (Sadly)

-No personal insults (Sadly)

- **Absolutely no:** Nice, positive, warm, loving, optimistic, motivational, supportive or inspiring posts. (Not sadly)

Enter at your own risk!

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled Posted by odyossefchai - 05 Dec 2024 21:10

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So the one frum guy in Burma, is allowed to announce himself to the world as the only (the next word will be triggering) yeshivish guy in the country. As if we won't know he is instantly, next time we happen to be in Burma (if we even know what continent it's on)

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled Posted by 138eagle - 05 Dec 2024 23:14

eerie wrote on 05 Dec 2024 18:55:

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Yes this is a qualified grouch.

Thank You Eerie

(and we know where you live from here)

Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled Posted by tzitzis dude - 06 Dec 2024 01:03

Well, dear grouchers, today I ????? won 4 cents in the lottery. Along with those who live near me.

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled Posted by eerie - 06 Dec 2024 06:23

Well, that tells me you don't live near lake EERIE...

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled Posted by tzitzis dude - 06 Dec 2024 07:25 eerie wrote on 06 Dec 2024 06:23:

Well, that tells me you don't live near lake EERIE ...

I seem to recall someone (ahem) saying something about giving away locations, savin yo self, or some shnazz like that...

Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled Posted by tzitzis dude - 08 Dec 2024 02:45

When i get home from shul on Friday night, I see my 5 year old son and say "Good Shabbos, Shmerel*!" (*name changed for privacy purposes)

Shmerel* immediately says "Totty, DON'T look in the pantry!!!"

I'm sure you can imagine what followed...

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled Posted by rebakiva - 08 Dec 2024 03:40

Reminds me of one morning recently, when my son Gimpel* (name changed for privacy purposes) came to tell me, "Tatty, that Chanukah present that you hid in the closet on the top shelf, I have no clue where it went too"

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled Posted by eerie - 08 Dec 2024 19:04

rebakiva wrote on 08 Dec 2024 03:40:

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Sorry, the name you chose is too close for comfort, Totty

Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled Posted by chosemyshem - 08 Dec 2024 20:43

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled Posted by BenHashemBH - 08 Dec 2024 20:55

chosemyshem wrote on 08 Dec 2024 20:43:

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I agree with 1) and 4)

Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled Posted by tzitzis dude - 13 Dec 2024 17:59

So...

Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled Posted by tzitzis dude - 15 Dec 2024 06:01

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled Posted by odyossefchai - 15 Dec 2024 12:33

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Yeah it's old problem if wives having dreams and us husbands having to excuse ourselves and beg forgiveness for something they dreamt up.

My wife usually has dreams on Friday night that involve a short segment of everything she saw and heard over the last week all combined into one episode. It makes for some hilarious stories.

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled Posted by eerie - 15 Dec 2024 18:47

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Listen, buddy. You grouch pretty good. But let me tell you, when my wife told me that she dreamt that I was leading a whole movement to remove cherem d'Rabbeinu Gershom, I knew good and well why she had that nightmare....