

The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled

Posted by youknowwho - 08 Mar 2024 15:01

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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 BenHashemBH - 08 Jan 2025 14:16

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled  
Posted by tzitzis dude - 08 Jan 2025 14:20

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[odyossefchai wrote on 08 Jan 2025 10:58:](#)

[tzitzis dude wrote on 08 Jan 2025 06:30:](#)

22 degrees Fahrenheit, winds blowing everything all around so it feels like single digits, and I'm supposed to stand out there, under the open sky to bless the moon, and THEN dance around like an old shmoyger???

I happen to enjoy Kiddush Levana (I even tighten my tzitzis knots after-i seem to be the only guy in my shul that does that) but I HATE the dancing afterwards. Tovim meoros is the most boring miserable song ever. The tune is so depressing and could be sung at a funeral! I refuse to join in the circle.

When i was in E"Y, I found that Israelis seem to pride themselves in how low of a key they can start Toivim Me'oros- starting with the Marianas Trench.

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled  
Posted by simchastorah - 08 Jan 2025 15:16

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled  
Posted by chancy - 08 Jan 2025 15:54

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Posted by dreamyunicorn28 - 08 Jan 2025 16:12

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It's the same people who obsess over the Zeien Shleimim

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Posted by tzitzis dude - 08 Jan 2025 19:53

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Happens to be, a bunch is years ago back in my shul in ??????? (I believe it was ????? ???) and I started the regular old tune. The gabbai gives me such an incredulous look and starts singing it to Carlebach's "Orech Yamim". The oilam started pumping.

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled  
Posted by tzitzis dude - 12 Jan 2025 15:34

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled  
Posted by odyossefchai - 13 Jan 2025 01:00

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Maybe your baby drank Motrin to prepare for this inevitable scenario!

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled

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Posted by thompson - 13 Jan 2025 03:50

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Never connecting with the projects.

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How ironic would it be if it's the program being pushed by GYE?

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Hear hear!

It never spoke to me! I don't really understand it. And I never was able to hold back for 10 minutes anyways.

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled  
Posted by Heeling - 16 Jan 2025 16:29

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Re: The Grouchery: Haven for the Grumpily Disgruntled  
Posted by iyh2023 - 16 Jan 2025 19:38

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Listen if you come knocking on my door on a hot day i may buy some. Not promising anything but you may be on to something...

