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## ***THE MIKVAH TODAY***

***To our Jewish brothers, to those who listen and fear to the word of Hashem, and to those who strive to observe the Mitzvot of our Holy Torah***

It is known and revealed to everyone that the foundation of the holiness and the purity (Keddusha and the Tahara) of Israel depends on the Mikvah for purity, and due to our many sins in the latter times great are the pitfalls and dangers with the Mikvaot. And even though it will bring great anguish to those who fear the word of Hashem we must admit that the problems have emanated from the BATE DINIM for they have appointed supervising Rabbis, who don't know and are not familiar with the laws of the Mikvahs. And in turn they knowingly and without knowing it cause the many to stumble in sin, and day after day they cause thousands of families to live in sin, and not any sin but a sin which warrants the punishment of KARET G-d save us.

And woe to us that we have fallen so low and woe to the generation that has seen this situation. And how can we sit idly when we are like Sodom and Gomorrah, and G-d forbid that the Jews will become like the other nations who surround us.

May Hashem have mercy on us because if not for the purity of Israel we have no hope for our future, G-d forbid.

## **SOME RECOMMENDATIONS TO OUR LEADERS**

**Our Intention is to awake and to warn the Bate Dinim and other leaders to act according to the following guidelines so that the situation is corrected:**

- 1- When building a Mikvah, they should only choose expert Rabbis and other authorities who are expert and proficient in the laws of the Mikvah.**
- 2- To choose Rabbis and Talmide Chachamim known for their fear of Heaven and their knowledge of the laws of the Torah. And not to choose Rabbis who are steeped in politics and organizations known for their little regard for true Torah guidelines.**
- 3- To find out about the current Rabbis who supervise the Mikvahs, Where did they get the Smicha? Maybe they got their post through money? As we have seen here in America that some Rabbis buy their positions through corruption and money. Do they know what they need to know to supervise the Mikvah? Or are they only the Rabbi of the community who doesn't know right from left as regards the Mikvah?**
- 4- Not to rely on the organizations (Like those involved in Kashrut) which will do anything for money and honor.**
- 5- Not to rely on one supervising Rabbi alone for as has always been the custom of Israel that when they built a new Mikvah, they would request the presence of tens of Rabbis in order to make the Mikvah Kosher according to the Halacha.**

6- To awaken the students of Kollelim and Yeshivot and all those who learn the Torah of Hashem, to study with dedication the laws of the Mikvah so that they familiarize themselves with the will of the Holy One Blessed be He, for due to our many sins, the pitfalls increase every day.

## **WE CAN'T SIT IDLY WITHOUT TAKING ACTION**

We beg you dear brothers, aren't these things whose importance is as precious as our very lives? And if you don't do anything at a time like this, G-d forbid we could cause our destruction and that of our father's house.

Therefore please wake up for the sake of our people, for the sake of our holiness and for the sake of our purity, let us protect the remnant of our people, those who proclaim Shema Israel, let us protect them lest the destroyer come to the houses of the sons of Israel, so that no tragedy and evil will be seen in all our dwellings.

And Hashem will protect you, valiant warriors; you that wish to fight and defend the holiness and the purity of Israel.

*And in this merit we will see the redemption of our people, and Hashem will establish our judges as before and our leaders as in the beginning, speedily when our righteous redeemer comes AMEN*

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OF THE PURITY AND HOLINESS OF THE MIKVAOT**