

מכות MAKKOT

Eidim Zomemin - עדים זוממין

One set of witnesses' testimony is undermined by another set of witnesses who testify that the initial set was with them at the time of the purported event in a different location. With some exceptions, the punishment for *eidim zomemin* is the punishment they would have brought about for the plaintiff had the *beit din* accepted their testimony.

Eidut Mukcheshet - עדות מוכחשת

Witnesses' testimony that another set of witnesses contradicted. Since it is difficult to determine which set is telling the truth and which set is lying, neither is accepted and neither is punished.

Hatra'a - התראה

The warning that witnesses provide someone on the verge of sinning. The warning includes a reminder that the action is forbidden and that one who does it is punished. Someone who sins without having been officially warned is exempt from receiving lashes or being sentenced to death.

Istatit/Istasit - איסטטית/איסטטסית

A group of conspirators, or witnesses, who accuse all other testifying witnesses of being *eidim zomemin*.

Ir Miklat - עיר מקלט

A city designated to protect accidental murderers from vengeful relatives.

Mitzvat Lo Ta'aseh sheYesh Ba Kum Aseh

מצוות לא תעשה שיש בה קום עשה

Prohibitions whose transgression would not trigger lashes because one can rectify the situation by fulfilling a corrective commandment. For example, one who has violated the prohibition against stealing can resolve the situation by fulfilling the commandment of returning a stolen object to its original owners.

MAKKOT-23 DAPIM

April 10, 2025 - May 2, 2025

NOTES:

DAF CHECKLIST:

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