



ב"ה
Project: Sermon Resource for Shluchim
Distribution Date: July 31, 2007/ ט"ז מנחם אב תשס"ז
Parsha: Eikev / עקב

1

1. A Six Day War bumper sticker said, "*Yisrael Btach BTzahal*".
Yom Kippur War's bumper sticker said, "*Yisrael Btach BaHashem*".



ב"ה
Project: Sermon Resource for Shluchim
Distribution Date: July 31, 2007/ ט"ז מנחם אב תשס"ז
Parsha: Eikev / עקב

2

2. Man may take credit for his own success.
Believing in oneself too much is a common disease.
G-d warns us: Remember that I give you wealth!

 For flashcards use Avery Postcards #8387 or #3263 or Quill item # 905540



ב"ה
Project: Sermon Resource for Shluchim
Distribution Date: July 31, 2007/ ט"ז מנחם אב תשס"ז
Parsha: Eikev / עקב

3

3. This week's Parsha:
Moses breaks the Tablets.



ב"ה
Project: Sermon Resource for Shluchim
Distribution Date: July 31, 2007/ ט"ז מנחם אב תשס"ז
Parsha: Eikev / עקב

4

4. What happened to the broken pieces?
The Talmud: They were kept a special ark.
This ark preceded the Jews in the desert and accompanied the Jewish armies into battle.



Project: Sermon Resource for Shluchim
 Distribution Date: July 31, 2007/ ט"ז מנחם אב תשס"ז
 Parsha: Eikev / עקב

בי"ה

5

5. The Holy Ark of the Covenant:
 It remained in the Holy of Holies. Only once, in the days of Eli was the Holy Ark taken into battle and the ark was captured.



Project: Sermon Resource for Shluchim
 Distribution Date: July 31, 2007/ ט"ז מנחם אב תשס"ז
 Parsha: Eikev / עקב

בי"ה

6

6. Why would they bring the *broken tablets* into battle- it'll remind G-d of the Golden Calf! The High Priest didn't wear gold on Yom Kippur - not to remind G-d of the Golden calf. For the same reason we don't make Shofars out of cow's horns.



For flashcards use Avery Postcards #8387 or #3263 or Quill item # 905540



Project: Sermon Resource for Shluchim
 Distribution Date: July 31, 2007/ ט"ז מנחם אב תשס"ז
 Parsha: Eikev / עקב

בי"ה

7

7. When Moses returned the people performed a complete Teshuva!
 How does this happen so fast?
 When the tablets broke every Jewish heart was humbled forever.



Project: Sermon Resource for Shluchim
 Distribution Date: July 31, 2007/ ט"ז מנחם אב תשס"ז
 Parsha: Eikev / עקב

בי"ה

8

8. Kotzker: "There is nothing as complete as a broken heart."



Project: Sermon Resource for Shluchim
 Distribution Date: July 31, 2007/ ט"ז מנחם אב תשס"ז
 Parsha: Eikev / עקב

בי"ה

9

9. The broken pieces accompanied the army into battle to keep the soldiers humble. And realizing that G-d is the one that gives victories.



Project: Sermon Resource for Shluchim
 Distribution Date: July 31, 2007/ ט"ז מנחם אב תשס"ז
 Parsha: Eikev / עקב

בי"ה

10

10. Also the broken pieces remind G-d that his people are more than Tzaddikim; they are performers of everlasting teshuva.

For flashcards use Avery Postcards #8387 or #3263 or Quill item # 905540



Project: Sermon Resource for Shluchim
 Distribution Date: July 31, 2007/ ט"ז מנחם אב תשס"ז
 Parsha: Eikev / עקב

בי"ה

NOTES:



Project: Sermon Resource for Shluchim
 Distribution Date: July 31, 2007/ ט"ז מנחם אב תשס"ז
 Parsha: Eikev / עקב

בי"ה

NOTES: