



THE TRIBE SCRIBE

VITRO: JUST DO IT!



VITRO HEARD ABOUT ALL THE AMAZING MIRACLES THAT HAD HAPPENED TO THE JEWISH PEOPLE. **THE TEN PLAGUES, LEAVING EGYPT, SPLITTING THE SEA** AND HE THOUGHT, "THAT'S AWESOME, I WANT TO BE PART OF THE JEWISH PEOPLE TOO!" SO HE JOINED!



HOW MANY TIMES DO WE SEE SOMETHING INSPIRATIONAL OR NOTICE A CHALLENGE AND THINK, "WOW! THAT'S INCREDIBLE, I'M GOING TO..."? BUT ACTUALLY, WE DON'T.

Israel 1989: 17 year old **Eli Beer** was devastated. The **MDA ambulance** he was volunteering on had arrived too late to help the child who needed them – as they had been stuck in traffic for 20 minutes.

Starting with **15** of his friends, they took turns in listening in to emergency calls and then responding to incidents. When they were nearby, they were able to get there in minutes and save many lives.

TUT! THIS TRAFFIC'S AWFUL!

THERE MUST BE A BETTER WAY! IF MEDICS NEAR TO AN INCIDENT HEAR ABOUT IT, THEY'D BE ABLE TO HELP STRAIGHT AWAY UNTIL THE AMBULANCE ARRIVES.

OPTION 1

OPTION 2

This concept, known as **Hatzalah**, took off and soon there were many local **Hatzalah** teams all over Israel. But **Eli** wasn't finished yet...

The famous **Ambucycle** is a motorcycle equipped with everything an ambulance has – minus the stretcher. Being a motorcycle, it never gets stuck in traffic and can stabilise life threatening situations until an ambulance arrives.



TODAY, **HATZALAH** HAS OVER **5000** TRAINED VOLUNTEERS, **850** AMBUCYCLES AND STATE OF THE ART **GPS** TECHNOLOGY THAT CONNECTS THE FIVE NEAREST AND BEST EQUIPPED MEDICS, WITHIN JUST **3 SECONDS** OF THE EMERGENCY.



Hatzalah has a response time of less than **3 minutes** across Israel and an amazing **90 seconds** in urban areas. **Eli's** target for response is **90 seconds** or less across Israel and beyond.

EVERY DAY **UNITED HATZALAH** RECEIVES EMAILS FROM DIFFERENT COUNTRIES TO SET UP **HATZALAH**. SOME OF THE COUNTRIES **ELI** HAS BEEN TO INCLUDE SAUDI ARABIA, BANGLADESH, DUBAI, INDIA, PANAMA AND MEXICO.



WOW! WHAT AN UNBELIEVABLE ACHIEVEMENT! ALL BECAUSE **ELI** FOLLOWED THROUGH ON A MOMENT OF INSPIRATION. HMM, I WONDER WHAT I COULD DO...



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