



# THE TRIBE SCRIBE

NOACH: HIGH AND MIGHTY!

THIS SEPTEMBER, AN UNUSUAL SIGN APPEARED ON THE FRONT OF THE OR HACHAIM BOOKSHOP IN HAR NOF, JERUSALEM.



כי נפלתִי קמתי

Had I not fallen,  
I would not have risen to new heights.

MOSHE KIRSCHNER, ORIGINALLY FROM THE UK, HAD BEEN WORKING IN THE BOOKSHOP AND HE FELT THAT HE HAD BEEN IMPATIENT WITH SOME OF THE CUSTOMERS.

SO HE HUNG UP THIS SIGN.

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Due to the many responsibilities and much hard work demanded by my new job here in Har Nof, I have been under a lot of pressure. I showed impatience with several customers, and I wanted to ask for their forgiveness. I invite anyone I hurt to come into the store so I can personally ask for their forgiveness in a proper way. I will endeavour to change from the depths of my heart so this does not happen again. And I hereby wish that everyone should be immediately inscribed and sealed in the Book of Life.



MANY PEOPLE ARE COMING INTO THE SHOP, NOT ONLY TO ASK ABOUT FORGIVENESS BUT MOSTLY TO TALK ABOUT THE SIGN! EVERYONE FALLS, BUT DOING SO ALLOWS US TO RISE UP EVEN HIGHER THAN BEFORE.

AFTER THE FLOOD, NOACH AND HIS FAMILY, THE FEW SURVIVORS, WERE FACED WITH A NEW REALITY. THE WORLD AS THEY KNEW IT HAD BEEN DESTROYED. BUT WITH THAT CAME THE CHANCE TO START AFRESH.



INSTEAD OF GIVING UP, THEY MADE THE BRAVE DECISION TO BEGIN BUILDING A BETTER NEW WORLD. WHEN WE FALL, WE HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO RISE TO GREATER HEIGHTS!



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