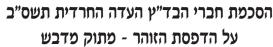
גליון פסי 22 ניסן תש"ע לפ"ק מוקדש לבית המדרש וכן למחלקים וללומדי הזוהר



הנה הגיש לפנינו הרב הצדיק רבי דניאל פריש שליט"א הסכפות פרבנים הגאונים הצדיקים גדולי ירושלים פדור הקודם פשנת תרצ"א וכו' שביקשו לפרסם גדולת ליפוד הזוהר הקדוש, ולבקש פבני תורה וכו' שכל פי שאפשר לו ישתדל ללפוד דף זוהר בכל יום בלי נדר.

ועתה קם והתעורר הרב הנזכר לעיל, וברצונו לעשות ולסדר לוח יומי ללימוד דף זוהר בכל יום, לפי דפוס ווילנא, וביקש הסכמה מאתנו על כר.

וראינו כי בשעתו חתמו על קריאה קדושה למען הפצת רעיון הקדוש הנזכר לעיל, כבוד קדושת מרן הגאון רבי יוסף חיים זוננפלד זכר צדיק וקדוש לברכה הגאב"ד דפה עיר הקודש תבנה ותכונן, ואתו עמו חבל נביאים גדולי ישראל זכרונם צדיקים וקדושים לברכה וזכותם יגן עלינו וגם הגאונים הצדיקים חברי בית דין צדק של עדתינו זכרונם צדיקים לברכה וחתמו בקריאות קודש על כך בניסן תרצ"א.



וברעיא מהימנא קדישא (פרשת נשא דף קכד:) כבר הביא ואמר ובגין דעתידין ישראל למיטעם מאילני דחיי דאיהו האי ספר הזוהר יפקון מן גלותא ברחמי, ובתיקונים (דף מ') איתא: ובדרא בתראי בסוף יומיא בגיניה וקראתם דרור בארץ וכו'.

והנה בעת כזאת שעת צרה היא ליעקב בגשמיות וברוחניות ברחבי ארץ הקודש תבנה ותכונן ובתפוצות ישראל בארצות פזורנו, עינינו נשואות לאבינו שבשמים שיתעוררו רחמיו על שארית פליטתינו, ושומר ישראל ישמור שארית ישראל וכו', ושנזכה לראות בקרוב בתגלות כבוד שמו יתברך על עמו ארצו ונחלתו ובכל העולם ובישועת השם בביאת משיח צדקינו וברמים גדולים יקבצנו מארבע כנפות הארץ לארצינו.



...לכן מן הראוי שיהא הזוהר הקדוש הזה בכל בתי ישראל, למען ירוץ הקורא בו שיבין כל מלה ויזכו ללמוד כנזכר לעיל בקדושה ובטהרה ובדחילו וברחימו בסייעתא דשמיא.

וזכות התנא האלקי הרשב"י שילמדו תורתו בטהרה, בוודאי תעמוד לנו ולכל ישראל להיושע בכלל ובפרט שנזכה בקרוב לראות בישועתן שפחתן ונחפתן של ישראל בביאת גואל צדק ברחפים גדולים בפהרה ביפינו אפן, ופלאה הארץ דעה כפים לים פכסים בפהרה רימינו אמן

(הסכמת הגאונים הצדיקים חברי בית דין צדק העדה החרדית תשס"ב, הרב ישראל יעקב פישר זכר צדיק לברכה, הרב מאיר בראנדסדארפער זכר צדיק לברכה, הרב משה הלברשטאם זכר צדיק לברכה, הרב בנימין ראבינאוויטש זכר צדיק לברכה, הרב ישראל משה דושינסקיא זכר צדיק לברכה. ולהבדיל בין חיים לחיים: הרב משה שטרנבוך שליט"א, הרב אברהם יצחק אולמן שליט"א - לספר הזוהר עם פירוש "מתוק מדבים המקובל רבי דניאל פריש זכר צדיק לברכה)

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חשבון מדויק על גודל הזכות לימוד של הזוהר הקדוש בשבת קודש

יהודי הלומד זוהר שעה אחת ביום שבת קודש שקול ללימוד תורה של 75 שנה בימות חול כלומר אם למדנו שעה אחת זוהר בשבת קודש שקול לפועל הנעשה מלימוד תורה במשך 75 שנה

לשון ספר דרך צדיקים מהצדיק הקדוש רבי מרדכי שרעבי זכר צדיק לברכה, זי"ע:



לימוד קבלה וזוהר ביום שבת במשך שעה שוה ללימוד 75 שנה בימות החול

24x354x75=637,200 :החשבון בשעות יהיה: 637,200 שנורה בנגלה

מבוסס על 24 שעות לימוד תורה ביום

במשך 70 שנות חייו של אדם (לפי תהלים 52 שבתות בשנה) יוצא ששעה אחת בלימוד זוהר בשבת קודש בשבעים שנות חיים של אדם

יעלה החשבון 408,000 (מיליארד 70X52X637,200=2,319,408,000 פירושו של דבר, אם לומדים שעה אחת קבלה ביום שבת קודש במשך 70 שנה, עולה החשבון יותר משני מיליארד שעות, והרי זה בהישג ידו של כל יהודי. בהתחשב במשפחה בת 10 ילדים ** שיצטבר ב 11 דורות* למספר עצום של אנשים: 100,000,000,000 של הדור האחרון סך הכל מספר הצאצאים של בן אדם אחד, וערך שעות של תורה משעה אחת זוהר שוה כדלקמן:

סך הכל שעות התורה: (2,319,408,000 מוכפל ב-100,000,000,000 מיליארד 2,319,408,000 שעות, כלומר כ-223 קווענטיליון 20 קוואדריליון שעות תורה.

כל הזכות העצומה מכוחו של יהודי אחד שקיבל על עצמו ללמוד את הזוהר וצאצאיו הלכו בעיקבותיו. ואם הגך מזכה רק יהודי אחד בלימוד שעה זוהר בשבת זכית לקבל מיליארד שעות תורה.

^{**} הערה חישוב מספר הצאצאים בדור האחרון:

| 1000000000 | x10 | 9 | 100000 | x10 | 5 | 10 | x10 | 1 |
|----------------|---------|-------|-----------|-----|---|-------|-----|---|
| 10000000000 | x10 | 10 | 1000000 | x10 | 6 | 100 | x10 | 2 |
| 100000000000 | x10 | 11 | 10000000 | x10 | 7 | 1000 | x10 | 3 |
| מוליארד צאצאים | v 100 = | מרייד | 100000000 | x10 | 8 | 10000 | x10 | 4 |

^{*} כיון שנותרו לכל היותר כ 230 שנה עד 6000 שנה שזה הזמן המוזכר בגמרא לקיום העולם הזה, (מסכת סנהדרין דף צז/א: אמר רב קטינא שית אלפי שני הוו עלמא וחד חרוב שנאמר ונשגב ה' לבדו ביום). ומשך דור בימינו הינו כ 20 שנה, הרי בזמן שנותר יש מקום ל11 דורות

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75X354X10 :החשבון בשעות יהיה:

שוה: 265,500 שעות תורה בנגלה

(10 שעות לימוד של אברך בש"ס ביום, 354 ימים בשנה)

מבוסס על 10 שעות לימוד תורה ביום

[למעשה החשבון של 75 שנה מתייחס ל 24 שעות ביממה]

וכעת נעשה חשבון, אם יהודי יתמיד בלימוד של שעה אחת בשבת במשך 52 שבתות בשנה לאורך 70 שנה

יצא אם כך, שבשבעים שנות חיים של אדם, יעלה החשבון ל:

70X52X265,500=966,240,000

זאת אומרת אם לומדים שעה אחת קבלה ביום שבת קודש במשך 70 שנה, עולה החשבון כמעט למליארד שעות, והרי זה בהישג ידו של כל יהודי, ועכשיו אפשר להבין למה כל גדולי הספרדים עודדו ואמרו שבזכות הזוהר הקדוש נגאל במהרה. מבוסס על 70 שנות חייו של אדם (לפי תהלים) לחשבון 52 שבתות בשנה עכשיו תבינו אם אתה מזכה רק ליהודי אחד שילמוד שעה בזוהר בשבת זכית לקבל מיליארד שעות תורה שיצטבר ב11 דורות א בהתחשב במשפחה בת 5 ילדים** למספר עצום של אנשים: 48,828,125 של הדור האחרון זאת אומרת מספר הצאצאים של בן אדם אחד, וערך שעות של תורה משעה אחת זוהר שוה:

סך הכל שעות התורה: 48,828,125X996,240,000=47,179,687,500,000,000 שעות התורה. כלומר כ-47 מיליון מליראדי [ביליון] שעות תורה.

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^{**} הערה חישוב מספר הצאצאים בדור האחרון:

| 1,953,125 | _x 5 9 | 3,125 | x5 | 5 | 5 | x5 | 1 |
|------------|------------------|---------|-----------|---|-----|-----------|---|
| 9,765,625 | x5 10 | 15,625 | x5 | 6 | 25 | x5 | 2 |
| 48,828,125 | x5 11 | 78,125 | x5 | 7 | 125 | x5 | 3 |
| | | 390,625 | x5 | 8 | 625 | x5 | 4 |

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קריאה קדושה

Arise and gather to take part in the Hillula of Rabbi Shimon

A Proclamation by the Rabbi of Jerusalem, from the year 5681

You already know the benefits of studying the Holy Zohar, as it negates all kinds of harsh decrees and hardships, plagues and diseases, and last year we inspired Am Yisrael to participate in the Tikkun L'Geula Emitit under the guidance of the rabbis of the Holy Land, to study Zohar and to finish the book 1000 times in Israel and in the communities outside of Israel. According to the reports we received, there were only six hundred siyumim. Therefore, we rabbis and scholars of the Holy Land ask of every person who is able, to learn the Zohar again, in order to complete the book 1000 times by the 25th of this coming Elul. In the merit of the first series completed, may Yisrael experience only good luck, and may all the harsh decrees from Above and Below be revoked. May the thoughts of our enemies lose clarity, and their hands lose their agility. And may Yisrael live in peace, and be consoled over the past losses of Zion. May this be Hashem's will, amen. Jerusalem, Iyar, 5681 (1921)

Before learning, one should recite the following:

"We are preparing to study the Holy Zohar in order to exalt the Shechina, the source of our strength, and to increase Israel's luck and glory, and to silence all those who persecute us, Above and Below, and to restore the crown to its rightful place, and we will see an end to our troubles, and Yisrael will live in peace. May this be Hashem's will amen."



Rabbi Yitzchak Yerucham Diskin, Jerusalem "Our sages, blessed be their memories, have taught us the Torah study is weightier than all the other commandments. Blessed is he whose main occupation is studying Torah, both the revealed Torah, and the hidden Torah - the Zohar and the Tikkunim.

The holy Tanna Rabbi Shimon Bar Yochai, blessed be his memory, wanted to exempt the whole world from judgment, and hasten the redemption. Our eyes search for signs of the redemption, for Hashem's light which will fill the land. We await the arrival of the Goel Tzedek, and our final salvation, speedily in our days."

From a speech made by Rabbi Yitzchak Yerucham, teacher and rabbi of Moshe Yehoshua Yeudah Leib ztz"l, Diskin

"I agree to everything written above, and request of all our brothers, Bnei Yisrael, wherever they may be, to set aside times for the holy learning and the project mentioned above, and may the merit of the holy Tanna Rabbi Shimon Bar Yochai, blessed be his memory, protect us. And may we merit eternal salvation with compassion, as the prophet writes, 'And even though they hire themselves among the nations, I will gather them'."

The eve of Pesach Sheni, 5681 (1921), may he blossom like a rose.

the gloriouis Yaakov Meir, Rishon l'Tzion and Chief Rabbi in Eretz Yisrael



"I have already written, last year, about the necessity and benefits of studying the Holy Zohar and the Tikkunim. May Hashem, blessed be His name, in His great mercy, bring us to a state of repentance, and may

we merit salvation soon, as we so long for and anticipate with our hearts and souls.

Rabbi Yosef Chaim Sonnenfeld, Rabbi and Av Beis Din of the Ashkenazi community in the holy city of Jerusalem. May it be speedily rebuilt in our days.

Received from the great rabbis of Eretz HaKodesh

Everyone knows of the Zohar, written by Rabbi Shimon and his colleagues: Rabbi El'azar redemption is dependent upon the study of the establish learning programs of Zohar in Israel the holy Tanna, who illuminated the upper and lower worlds, of whom it is written that he shook the earth and provoked kingdoms, about whom the Talmudists wrote, "Whoever gives birth to a son should pray for him to grow up to be like Rabbi Shimon (Masechet Makkot, 17). He is the crown on our heads and our glory. Rabbi Shimon Bar Yochai, whose Torah spread through hundreds and thousands of worlds, among angels and spirits and holy creations, through rivers of fire, all the way up to HaKadosh Baruch Hu, who was pleased. Hashem built new worlds with it, and had mercy for our world.

The Chida wrote: "Studying the Zohar is uplifting, even if you do not understand what is written. And the great rabbi, "Kisei Hamelech" (in his commentary on Tikkun 43) wrote that learning Zohar simply by reciting the verses aloud builds the Upper Worlds. And Eliyahu, z"l, said to Rabbi Shimon, "Many people down below will derive nourishment from this book of yours [the Zohar], when it will be revealed [finally] in the last generation, before the End of Days."

And on page 124b Moshe Rabbeinu says to Rabbi Shimon: "In the merit of this work [the Book of the Zohar] of yours, the Jews will not suffer [those who study Zohar will not suffer from the birthpangs of Mashiach]. And because the Jews in the future will taste from the Tree of Life which is this Sefer ha Zohar, [The Jews] will be redeemed from exile with compassion."

In the introduction to Tikkunei Hazohar, it is written, " 'The enlightened will shine like the

his son, Rabbi Abba, Rabbi Yose, Rabbi Hiyya, Rabbi Isaac, and the rest of his colleagues, who shone above like the radiance of the firmament. What does 'like the radiance' (kezohar) mean? [It means] only that when they composed that work, it was decreed above that it be called Sefer HaZohar.

At the moment that work was composed, permission was given to Elijah to confer with them on it, to all the heads of the academies above and below, and [to] all the hosts of supernal angels and the supernal souls, to be present in agreement and good will, as one [body].

Elijah began and said: Ruler of the worlds, You are One, but not numbered. You are higher than the highest, more mysterious than all mysteries. No thought can comprehend You at all. It is You who produced the ten perfections that we call the ten sefirot, by means of which You control the hidden worlds which have not been revealed and the worlds that have been revealed, and by means of them You conceal Yourself from humankind.

Apart from You, there is no unity in the upper and lower worlds, and You are known as the Lord of All. And as for the sefirot, each of them has a known name by which the angels are called. But You have no known name, for You fill all names, and You are the perfection of them all. When You remove Yourself from them, all names remain as a body without a soul. And (the celestial power) gave permission to the ten sefirot to reveal hidden secrets to them, but not to divulge them publicly until the generation of the Mashiach.'

radiance (zohar) of the firmament...' These are We can conclude from the above that the have come together in agreement that we must us and you all. Peace be with you.

Zohar, and now we will discuss what causes a lack of Zohar study in the world. We will begin by quoting the great rabbi and holy Kabbalist, Rabbi Chaim Vital, ztz"l, the student of the holy Ari, ztz'l. He wrote in the introduction to Sha'ar Hahakdamot: "I, the young man, write from this poor town of Aleppo, Rabbi Chaim Vital, son of Rabbi Yosef Vital, ztz"l. When I was thirty years old, my strength began to wane, and I sat thinking and wondering how 'the harvest is past, the summer has ended, and we are not saved.' [Yirmiyahu, 8:20] A cure has not been found for our illness, our body has no respite, and we have not recovered from the blow, of the destruction of the Beis HaMikdash. Alas, the day is ending, the evening dusk is falling, time is short, and the son of David has still not arrived. And I focused my attention on researching and understanding why we are still in exile, and why Ben Yishai has not yet come. And after deep introspection, I discovered in the first essay in Sefer Hatikunim, Tikkun 30, "But the spirit of Hashem was hovering over the face of the waters.' The "spirit of Hashem" is a spirit of Mashiach when he reveals himself to rectify everything. But how will we be worthy of this? It will be through our tears, weeping, and our mourning over the destruction of the Temple.

Studying the Zohar causes Hashem to treat us with compassion, and the soul of the Mashiach will be revealed, and he will rebuild the Beis Hamikdash, and Yisrael will have a secure home. Anyone who studies the Zohar will be spared the birthpangs of Mashiach. Therefore, we rabbis and scholars of the holy city of Jerusalem, and the judges in the basei din, and in the Diapora, in order to complete the entire Zohar. The siyum we take place on the 25th of this coming Elul, the day the World was created, and the Zohar will be completed 1000 times, in Israel and outside of Israel. Know who is purifying you, your Father in Heaven, know that each and every word is multiplied by a thousand and a hundred thousand worlds in Shamayim, as is discussed in the introduction to Ohr Hachama.

And to you, our brothers, the leaders of the holy nation in Israel and outside of Israel, of whom it is written, the righteous among the people who are as numerous as the stars, you will all take shifts and set aside learning times, and each one according to his abilities. Each of you will learn a section of the Zohar, in order to complete the entire book by the 25th of Elul, or even half the book, or a quarter of the book. Every three or four friends can together complete the Zohar. Calculate how many times the Zohar is completed in each city, until it has been completed 1000 times.

And we have already appointed a committee to give merit to the masses, to ensure that the Jews outside of Israel will take a part in the learning program, together with the inhabitants of the holy city in preparing for the rebuilding of the Holy of Holies. As we know that all of Israel are responsible for each other. We will begin the new year with redemption and salvation, with compassion for His nation, Israel, and for the entire world. And after the sivum, if we need to learn more, then we will repeat the program again, for a second time. And the merit of the Tanna Rabbi Shimon Bar Yochai will protect

The Power of One Jew:

An Accurate Calculation of the Merit of Studying Zohar Made by a Jew who took it upon himself to study Zohar one hour every day

For your information!! – It is written in the sefer Kisse – Melech Tikunei Zohar, 43: "Since the great benefits of studying wisdom and truth are well known... it should also be known how great the obligation is, and the how great the reward for one who studies Kabbalah, for through the study of Sefer HaZohar one builds worlds, and if a person is able to learn and understand the meaning of even one sentence or section, he will have made a tikkun in one hour, in the world Above, on a level he could not have achieved if he had studied pshat for entire year.

One hour of studying Zohar a day is equal to:

3540 hours a year (10 hours a day of an avreich learning Shas, 354 days a year) for the duration of 50 years, a single Jew will put on the scale: **172,500 hours of Torah.**

Over the course of 11 generations, assuming that each family has an average of 5 children * then in the 11th generation, there will be the astronomical number of: 48,828,125 people.

The total number of hours spent learning Torah: 84,228,515,625,000 hours,

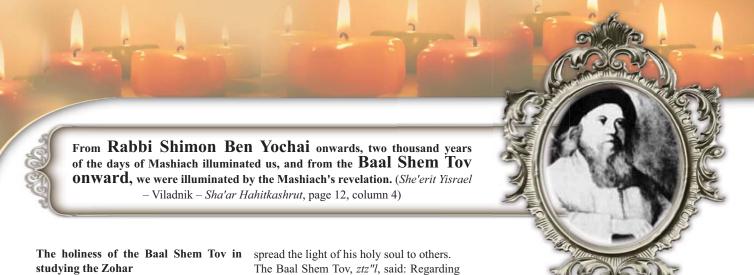
which is to say, approximately 84,000 billion hours of Torah.

(48,828,125 multiplied by 172,500)

And all the great merit earned through the efforts of a single Jew, who decided to take upon the task of studying Zohar, with his descendants following his lead.

*the formula used to calculate the number of descendants through the last generation:

| 1 _{x5} | 5 | 5 x5 | 3,125 | 9 _{x5} | 1,953,125 |
|-----------------|-----|-------------|---------|------------------------|------------|
| 2 x5 | 25 | 6 x5 | 15,625 | 10 x5 | 9,765,625 |
| 3 x5 | 125 | 7 x5 | 78,125 | 11 | 48,828,125 |
| 4 x5 | 625 | 8 x5 | 390,625 | | |



studying the Zohar

It is beyond the power of common mortals to acquire even a fraction of a fraction of the Baal Shem Tov's knowledge and understanding of Torat HaSod. We may be able to understand at some low level what is written in the book Pri Tzedek (Parshat Vayigash, page 105, column 2): It is handed down from Rabbeinu the Baal Shem Tov, ztz"l, who taught Rav Dov Ber a lesson from the Kabbalah, and Rabbi Dov Ber explained the issue in the p'shat (simple meaning) as the truth. And the Baal Shem Tov said to him that if the p'shat is the truth, then there is no chiyut (vitality) in the words. And when he explained the p'shat with holy vitality, the room filled up with angels. For when the words of Hashem are spoken with chiyut, then every word uttered by Hashem becomes an angel. [see Sefer Divrei Yisrael (Modzitz), K'lalei Oraita (page 12, column 4), where it is written: The story about the Baal Shem Tov and Rav Dov Ber is well known, regarding the passage in the book Etz Hachaim. It included several name of angels, and as soon as the Baal Shem Tov, ztz"l, read the passage, the whole room filled with light, and they saw and felt the angels what were mentioned.]

The Segulot that come with studying the Zohar: A Segula for the Soul

The holy rabbi Pinchas of Koretz, z"l, wrote in his book Imrei Pinchas (page 140): A teacher must teach his students Zohar, since it is symbolic of eating from the Tree of Life, which can elevate the souls of his students. For whatever wisdom a rabbi imparts onto his disciples, with that he is nurturing their true souls." (and I have heard that this is the teaching from the time of the Baal Shem Tov, ztz"l) For the Zohar elevates and illuminates the soul of every individual in Israel, in a manner that enables him to the three sacrificial offerings, the principle is just the opposite of what Chazal said:

One does more, one does less, as long as in their hearts they focus on Hashem. Reading from the Zohar elevates the soul, one who regularly visits the mikvah purifies his body, and with regard to giving charity, Chazal said that if one promises to give a Selah in order for his son to live, he is praiseworthy, and he is completely righteous. For he is giving life to another. (Sefer Nativ HaRashi, in the name of "Mori", the tzaddik Rabbi Hillel of Paritch)

A Segula for Teshuva

And during these days [the month of Elul] one should increase acts of charity and his study of the Zohar, Tikkunim, and Tehillim. (Moreh B'Etzba, 8, section 145)

Just reading the verses is beneficial

Learning the Zohar is more elevating than any other form of study, even if a person does not understand and makes mistakes when he is reading. And it is a great tikkun for the soul, since the entire Torah is written with Hashem's names, and in some places it takes on the form of stories, and a person who reads and understands the stories places his focus on the simple meaning behind the words. But the Zohar is a book of revealed secrets, and the reader knows they are secrets and hidden Torah knowledge, even though he cannot comprehend the deep concepts presented in brief language. (Moreh Etzbah, chapter 44)

The Baal Shem Tov urges us **■** to study Tikkunei HaZohar

- I write to you, my distinguished student, the *gaon* Rabbi Yaakov Yosef Hakohen, n''y, briefly, on this small piece of paper, so that you can keep it with you at all times. I have heard from my teacher and rabbi [the Baal Shem Tov], that one should learn Tikkunim every day, all year long.
- I will advise you, and may Hashem be with you, every night right before you go to sleep, study one section of the holy Tikkunei *HaZohar*, and then you will sleep well, with no fears. And Hashem, blessed be His name, will place in our hearts love and the holy of Heaven, amen, may it be His will. Yisrael, son of our teacher and rabbi, Rav Eliezer Baal Shem from Mezhbizh. (Keter Shem Tov)

When will Melech HaMashiach arrive?

And know that what is written in the letter sent by the Baal Shem Tov to his brother-in-law, the holy gaon Rabbi Avraham Gershon, ztz"l, which appeared in the book Porat Yosef. The Baal Shem Tov's soul ascended, and entered the Mashiach's chamber. He writes: "I asked Mashiach, 'When will you come, Master?' And he replied, 'By this you shall know: it will be a time when your teachings become publicized and revealed to the world, and your well-springs have overflowed to the outside. [It will be when] that which I have taught you - and that which you have perceived of your own efforts - becomes known, so that others, too, will be able to perform mystical unifications

and ascents of the soul like you. Then all the evil klippos will be destroyed, and it will be a time of grace and salvation."

And in the book Degel Mechaneh Ephraim, on page 32, there is an interpretation of the verse, "And Bnei Yisrael went out in triumph..." (Shemot, 14:8).

The commentary tells us, that Bnei Yirael will be redeemed with rish gali (raised heads) as is alluded to in the letter above. The letters of "rish gali" are the initials of Rabbi Shimon (rish), and gali tells us that the hidden Torah which he recorded will be revealed, and then exile of Bnei Yisrael will end. The letters of rish are also the intials of Rabbi Yisrael Baal Shem, and gali tells us that his well-springs of Torah will overflow, and then we will be taken out of exile.

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Rabbeinu Yisrael Meir HaCohen, the Chofetz Chaim

"There are no limitations on learning Zohar..." (Chofetz Chaim)

"And the tzaddik, the gaon, Rabbi Shlomo Bloch said in the name of his teacher the Chofetz Chaim, that regarding the study of the Sefer HaZohar there is no limitation whatsoever, for most of it is Midrashim. ond so the Chafetz Chaim used to urge everyone to study the holy Zohar every Shabbat, according to the *parasha* of that Shabbat. And he even encouraged the young unmarried men."



"It is advisable to **set a time to study five pages of Zohar every day** and it is very beneficial, and a great *tikkun* for the soul, to illuminate and refine it, to repair it and remove all its thorns and negative character traits, and evil desires, and to merit Hashem's delight, and it is a cure and a *tikkun* for the souls transgressions and sins." (Moreh B'Etzbah, the Chida, section 40)



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Rabbeinu Avraham Yeshaya Karelitz The Chazon Ish

"There is no *mussar* book among all the writings of Chazal, that is as elevating as the holy Zohar."

(Ma'aseh Ish, by the holy gaon, the Chazon Ish, ztz"l)

Rabbi Shalom Sharaabi The Rashash

Rabbi Shalom Sharaabi wrote many important books about the wisdom of the Kabbalah. One of those books is called "Kol Koreh" – in which he wrote about the obligation to study the Zohar and Kabbalah in this generation. And there are numerous sources telling us that not only is it permissible to study the *Torat Hasod*, the Zohar and the Kabbalah, but it is our obligation to study it.



בס"ד, אוֹר הַגָּנוּז לַצַּדִּיקִים, דִירָה לוֹ יִתְבָּרַךְ בַּתַּחְתּוֹנִים!





וָה מַשֶּׁהוּ מַשֶּׁהוּ!!

בַּריוּק לָזֶה חִבִּינוּ ו ו ו

ָחָדָשׁ מְלֵא יָשְׁווּ וואוּווּוּ קַנְּקַּן



ַנואוּ ! ! תְּנוּ לִי מַהֵר אֶת כָּל הַפְּפַרִים לִפְנֵי שֵּיִּנְּמֵר!

הַפְּדוֹשׁי אָתָנוּ לְלְמִדּ זוֹהַר הַפְּפָרִים הַחֲדָשִׁים מֵה הַפְּפָרִים הַחֲדָשִׁים מֵה הַבְּיִים לְנוּ

בַּפּוּבָן שְׁמֶערְל, בְּוַדַּאיוּו מָה הַשְּׁאֵלְהוּ סְפָרִים נִפְּלָאִים בָאֵלֶּה עוֹד אַף פַּעַם לא רַאִיתִיוּוּוּ

ראו נָא רְאוּ! מַה גְּדוֹלֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל אוֹמְרִים עַל גֹּדֶל מַעְלַת וְחִיּוֹב לִמּוּד הַזוֹהַר!!

הָאָם אָתָה יוֹדֵעַ מָה שֶׁפְּסְקוּ הַבֵּית דִּין בִּשְּׁנַת תרפ״א אוֹמְרִים – שֶׁבְּלִימוּד הַוֹּהַר הַקָּדוֹשׁ לֹא יִהְיוּ לֹא יְתוֹמִים וְלֹא אַלְמָנוֹת ח״וֹז? וִיהִיָּה לָנוּ שָׁפַע בְּרָכָה וְהַצְלְחָה בְּכָל הָענָיָנִים!!!

ְהַרָּדַעְהַ? שָׁעָה לִמּוּד זֹהַר בְּשַׁבָּת שָׁנָה אֶלֶף שָׁנִים לִמּוּד הַנִּגְלֶה!!! (בֶּן אִישׁ חֵי)



נְשָׁאַר. נְשָׁאַר

בֶּל הַפְּבָּרִים שֶׁבִּי מְלֵאִים עִם מַאֲמֶרִים מִן הַזִּהַר הַבְּּדוֹשׁי

בּזְכוּת לִפּוּד סֵפֶר הַזּּהַר יֵצְאוּ מִן הַגָּלוּת בְּרַחֲמִים: בְּגִּין דַּצְתִידִין יִשְׂרָאֵל לְמִטְעַם מֵאִילָנָא דְחַיֵּי, דְאִיהוּ הַאִי סֵפֶר הַזּּהַר, יִפְּקוּן בִּיהּ מִן גָּלוּתָא בָּרָחֲמִי. (רַעִּיא מְהֵימִנָּא בְּרַשַׁת נְשֹׁא דַּף קכד:)

[תַרְגוּם לִלְשׁוֹן הַקְּדָשׁ]:

ָמָשׁוּם שֶּׁעֲתִידִים יִשְּׂרָאֲלֹ לִּטְעִם מֵאִיכַֿן הַחַיִּים שֶּׁהוּא סֵפֶּר הַזּהַר הַזּ,ה. עַלֹ יְדוֹ יֵצָאוּ מִן הגָלוּת בְּרַחֲמִים.

נֶעֶרֶדְ ע"י מְכוֹן בְּאֵרְ הַחַיִּים-הַמֶּרְכֶּז לביהמ"ק וָהַמִּשְׁכָּן" לַהַזְמָנוֹת תַעֲרוּכַת ביהמ"ק-בְּטֶל: 02-9924486