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The truth and nothing but the truth

Peter Murphy in his Practical Guide to Evidence recounts an instructive example. A frustrated judge in an English (adversarial) court finally asked a barrister after witnesses had produced conflicting accounts, 'Am I never to hear the truth?' 'No, my lord, merely the evidence', replied counsel.

Let me ask you a question. What do these details mean? A man lying down cut open and unconscious. Bloody knives lying around. People taking notes. Pictures being taken.

This is open heart surgery and not a murder scene.

We make the conclusions of the details we are shown. In life we see a lot of happenings let us not make the mistake of the spies.

The spies went into Israel, a country which had an abundance of huge and healthy fruit. The inhabitants were all very strong. The climate is amazing.

When they came back they merely concluded, "This is a nation and land we would never conquer, they are giants and scary!"

Who is asking them whether we can succeed or not. The land is great let's go in. Let G-d take care of the rest.

Warm regards,

Rabbi Shalom White
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CALENDAR

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| <i>Shabbat begins 5:03pm</i> | |
| Kabbalat Shabbat 6:30pm | |
| Shabbat Morning Shiur 9am | Shacharit 10am |
| Kiddush 12:15pm | Sponsored by the Sevel family |
| Mincha 4:45pm | <i>Shabbat ends 6:01pm</i> |

| <i>Sunday 22</i> | <i>Monday 23</i> | <i>Tuesday 24</i> | <i>Wednesday 25</i> | <i>Thursday 26</i> | <i>Friday 27</i> |
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| Minyan 8am | Minyan 6:20am | Minyan 6:20am | Minyan 6:20am | Minyan 6:20am | Minyan 6:20am |
| | | | | PS Cheder 5pm Bat Mitzva Program 6:30pm | |
| JLI "Talmudic Ethics" 6pm | "How to Shabbat!" 7:30pm | | | Learning with the Bucherim 7:30pm | |

BROCHA SPONSORSHIP

The **Kiddush Brocha** this Shabbat is sponsored by **the Sevel Family** in honour of Selwyn's birthday. Mazel Tov Selwyn!

UPCOMING EVENTS

The Jewish Learning Institute is back! July/August 2008

JLI is back next month. Extreme Makeover is a not-to-be-missed 3-week course and everyone is encouraged to attend. The course starts July, to August. Visit www.chabadwa.org for more information and to register.

Camp Gan Israel Winter 2008

Camp Gan Israel is back this winter at the Jewish Centre from 7 – 18 July 2008, 9 am – 3 pm weekdays at The Jewish Centre. There will be fun outings and great activities for children in Kindy – Year 2. Snacks and lunch will be provided daily. Please visit www.chabadwa.org or e-mail nikki@starlightpublicity.com for an enrollment form. Get the form in before 30 May and receive an "early bird" discount.

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LAMPLIGHTER

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<http://www.chabadwa.org/media/lamplighter.html>

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Shabbat Shalom everyone!