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# י"ט-כ' כסלו

## חג הגאולה של אדמו"ר הזקן "דער אלטער רבי" ראש השנה לחסידות

*Today is the day that the Alter Rebbe was released from prison and it is the Rosh Hashana of Chassidus*

*Today, Yud Tes Kislev, is the Rosh Hashana of Chassidus. So just like on Rosh Hashana we wish each other Leshono Toivo, also on Yud Tes Kislev we wish everyone a Shono Toivo – a good year in learning Chassidus and in going in the ways of Chassidus.*

Because today is the Rosh Hashana LaChasidus, the Chasidisher calendar, HaYom Yom, starts today. In today's HaYom Yom the Rebbe brings a letter of the Alter Rebbe that he writes about his Geulah – that it was when he said the Posuk בשלום פדה.

Then the Rebbe tells us what we should do on this day

"This day is a day when we should make Farbrengens.. At these Farbrengens we should decide (make החלטות) to spend more time learning Torah and Chassidus publicly. We should also strengthen the ways of Chassidus with true love for others"

Here are some examples of hachlotos you can make with your family can make to strengthen the ways of Chassidus:

- Sing a Chassidishe Niggun by the Shabbos table
- learn the HaYom Yom together
- hear Chassidishe stories
- learn a Sicha of the Rebbe together

... - and to do these with אהבת ישראל.

- **Today's mission is first of all, wish everyone in your house a Good Yom Tov and לשנה טובה - בלימוד החסידות ודרכי החסידות - תכתבו ותחתמו**
- **Make a Farbrengen at home: Speak about the day of Yud Tes Kislev and the release of the Alter Rebbe from jail and sing a Niggun (פדה בשלום).**
- **Make a Hachlota with your family to do something extra in the ways of Chassidus with true אהבת ישראל.**

## י"ט כסלו – יום הילולא של הרב המגיד ממעזריטש נ"ע

On נסתלק . Shortly before his passing he commented to the Alter Rebbe, "י"ט כסלו is our Yom Tov."

When the מגיד was to be immersed in the מקווה for the טהרה, the Alter Rebbe said, "Our sages teach that צדיקים are greater in their death than when they are alive.' Let the מגיד immerse himself." The מגיד then immersed his head three times!

His resting place is in the city of Annipoli, Ukraine.

Bonus: See if you have the Sefer ליעקב דבריו in your house.