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Intro

Today we will Be"H learn מסכת נדרים of דף נ"ו. Some of the topics and terms we will learn about include;

The Gemara will continue discussing how to understand various terms specifically as used in נדרים.

How to understand various terms specifically as used in

Some of these terms include: הנודר מן הבית

The Mishnah discusses whether the word 'ב'תז' refers only to the main floor of a house or to the second story as well.

The Mishnah also determines which area of the doorway is included in this 71.

הנודר מן המטה

The Gemara describes several types of beds. An ordinary מטה was constructed by tying ropes onto a frame, and placing cushions on top. The simpler דרגש, on the other hand, consisted of a leather sheet which was suspended between the bedframe. The Mishnah discusses whether a מטה is also called a מטה.

הנודר מן העיר

A city is surrounded by two distinct areas: the עיבור. The two thousand Amos surrounding a city are its תחום. The two thousand Amos surrounding a city are its סיסות, its boundaries, and it is forbidden to walk past this point on שבת. If there is a structure standing within 70 2/3 Amos of the city limits, the area between the city and this building is called עיבורה של עיר, an extension of the city, and we begin counting the תחום of the city from beyond this point. The Mishnah discusses which of these areas are included in the word עיבור איבור מוצר איבור שבת מוצר איבור של עיבור איבור שבת מוצר איבור שבת מוצר איבור שבת מוצר איבור א









Through its discussion, the Gemara also references the following important ideas:

סעודת הבראה

After returning from the burial of a close relative, the first meal of the mourner is called סעודת הבראה. He is forbidden to eat his own food at this meal, and so it must be provided by others.

כפיית המטה

A mourner must overturn the beds in his house. The Gemara discusses which beds are included in this practice.

הסגר בית מצורע

If צרעת appears on the walls of a house, a Kohein must inspect its size and color. If the area exhibits the symptoms of צרעת, the Kohein must close off the house for seven days, after which the spot is re-examined. The Gemara discusses within which part of the threshold the Kohein must stand when sealing the house.





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So let's review...

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הנודר מן הבית מותר בעלייה דברי רבי מאיר

One who makes a בית to not enter a בית, is forbidden only in its main floor, but may enter the upper story, because, as the Ran writes;

דעלייה ליתא בכלל בית

R' Meir views the upper story of a building as a distinct entity that is not included in the term בית.

וחכמים אומרים עלייה בכלל הבית

The הכמים say that the entire structure is forbidden, because one refers to the whole building as a בית. However,

הנודר מן עלייה מותר בבית

Everyone agrees that a נדר forbidding the עלייה does not forbid the lower floor, because the word על"ה is only used for the second story.

הנודר מן הבית...

רבי מאיר
מותר בעלייה
ליתא בכלל היה
ליתא בכלל בית
הנודר מן עלייה
הנודר מן עלייה
All agree

All agree
does NOT forbidding the lower floor
The word story used for the 2nd story

2 The Gemara quotes a ברייתא regarding נגעי בתים, Tzaraas on houses, which interprets the Pasuk; ונתתי נגע צרעת בבית ארץ אחוזתכם

בבית לרבות את העלייה

This Posuk comes to specifically include the upper stories in הלכות נגעי בתים.

According to דרשה this דרשה is necessary, since the word בית does NOT generally include the upper floor. However, it is possible that the חכמים, who ALWAYS include the עלייה as part of the דרשה, also need this אדרשה, because otherwise, based on the words בבית ארץ, the house of your land, we might think that only

בית דמחבר בארעא שמיה בית

Only a house that is attached to the ground – the ground floor - is susceptible to נגעים.









The Gemara quotes a teaching of עולא:

בית בביתי אני מוכר לך

מראהו עלייה

This implies that if he simply says

בית אני מוכר לך

The Halachah is different – And the Gemara explains: Simply understood, we would have to say that עולא holds like רבי מאיר that

עלייה ליתא בכלל בית

Therefore, he rules as follows:

בית בביתי אני מוכר לך

If he said 'I am selling you a house from among my houses'

מראהו עלייה

He may fulfill the terms of the sale by giving the buyer an upper floor, because, as the Ran explains;

אע"ג דגריעא

דיד לוקח על התחתונה

Although it is inferior, he reserved the right to choose any dwelling from amongst his houses.

However,

בית אני מוכר לך

If he said 'I am selling you a house', he must give the main floor, because

עלייה ליתא בכלל בית

The upper floor is not called בית.

However, according to the הכמים, even in a case of בית אני he CAN give the upper floor, because עלייה בכלל בית עלייה

However, in order to reconcile עולא with the הככוים, who hold עלייה בכלל בית, the Gemara explains that we can interpret the entire statement differently:

בית בביתי אני מוכר לך

This statement means 'I am selling you THE house from among all my houses', an exceptional dwelling. Therefore, מראהו עלייה

He must give the buyer מעולה שבבתים - we are now interpreting the word עלייה as the best of his houses, which is the main floor, not the upper floor.

However,

בית אני מוכר לך

Means 'I am selling you any house' - Therefore, he can give him either floor

דיד לוקח על התחתונה

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הנודר מן המטה מותר בדרגש דברי רבי מאיר

R' Meir says that a זדר regarding a bed would not include a ארגש, a type of cot. The Gemara will describe the difference between a מטה and a אדרגש.

וחכמים אומרים דרגש בכלל מטה

The חכמים hold that a דרגש IS included in the term מטה. However.

הנודר מן הדרגש מותר במטה

All agree that a נדר to forbid a דרגש would not prohibit beds, for one does not refer to a bed as a דרגש.











The Gemara at first translates דרגש as ערסא דגדא

A special bed that was set up in the home for good Mazel; However, the Gemara refutes this explanation based on Braisos regarding הלכות אבילות.

Therefore, the Gemara explains that a דרגש is ערסא דצלא

A leather bed - A sheet of leather is suspended between the bedframe, and is tied onto אבקתא, loops which are secured through holes in the frame.

However, מטה, a bed is made of interwoven ropes that are tied directly through holes in the frame.

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Zugt di Mishnah הנודר מן העיר מותר ליכנס לתחומה של עיר ואסור ליכנס לעיבורה

Someone who made a נדר from a city MAY enter תחומה עדות תחומה the two thousand Amoh שבת surrounding the city, because regarding נדרים it is NOT considered part of the city.

However, he may NOT enter the עיבור העיר, an extension to the city created by a building placed within 70 and 2/3 Amos of the city, because that IS considered to be part of the city.



The Gemara quotes sources to support this distinction: The Pasuk says

ויהי בהיות יהושע ביריחו

However, Yehoshua could not have been inside Yericho, because another Pasuk says

...ויריחו סוגרת ומסוגרת

אין יוצא ואין בא

At that point, before the wall fell, no one could enter Yericho. Therefore, Yehoshua must have been in the עיבור אָניב, yet the Pasuk says

ויהי בהיות יהושע ביריחו

This teaches us that it's included in the term עיר.

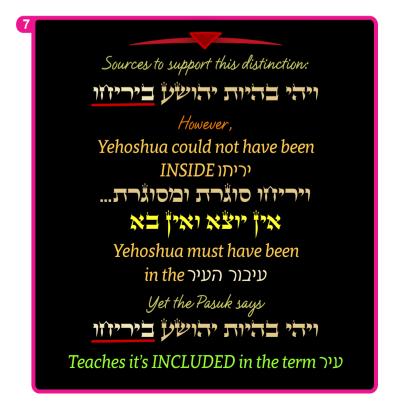
He could not have been in the תחום העיר, because the Pasuk in פרשת מסעי says;

...ומדותם מחוץ לעיר

אלפים באמה

Clearly stating that the area of the תחום is considered outside the city

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The Mishnah concludes, אבל הנודר מן הבית אסור מן האגף ולפנים Only the part of the threshold which is inside the house when the door is closed is considered part of the בית. But the rest of the threshold is considered outside the house.









However, the Gemara points out that regarding הלכות נגעי בתים, Tzaraas found on a house, we define the threshold differently. After the Kohein confirms that a house has the symptoms of Tzaraas, he must close off the house for seven days while standing right outside the house. עומד בצד משקוף ויסגיר

But not

תחת המשקוף ויסגיר

He may not stand in any part of the threshold when sealing the house, because the entire threshold is considered part of the house.

The Gemara explains that in regards to נגעים the Pasuk says מן הבית, which we understand to mean עד שיצא מן הבית כולו, he must be fully outside, out of the entire threshold. However, regarding other Halachos, part of the threshold is indeed considered outside of the house.



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