

Megilla Daf 4

I: Words

destroyed (like the word churban, i.e. destruction of the Temple) (4a 8 lines down) – **הָרַב** (1)

literally, “the concubine in Giv’a”, refers to a story in the last chapter of – **פִּילְגֶשׁ בַּגְּבֵעָה** (2)
the book of Shoftim, in which members of the tribe of Binyamin brutally rape a woman, causing
the other tribes to go to civil war against them

experts (4b - 5 lines from bottom) – **בְּקִיָּאִין** (3)

II: Gemara phrases

According to your reasoning (4a - 5 lines down) – **וְלִטְעָמִיךְ** (1)

Learn from it (the argument has been accepted by the gemara) (4a -12 lines down) – **שִׁמְעַ מִינָהּ (ש"מ)** (2)

and came (4a - 9 lines down) – **וְאָתָּא** (3)

This comes to teach us (often, used to dispel a rejected argument and introduce – **קָא מְשַׁמַּע לָן (קמ"ל)** (4)
the conclusion (I might have thought “x”, but, “y” is the real answer)- (4a 15 lines up)

It is taught in a baraita (a baraita means “outside material” that is similar to a Mishna but was not – **תְּנִיא** (5)
included in the final version of the Mishna.)

“the first” (that is, the first part of the mishna we are discussing) (4b 17 from top) – **רִישָׁא** (6)

“the end” (that is, the last part of the Mishna) (4b 18 lines from top) – **סִיפָא** (7)

the order of the month (“yerach” means moon; this is calendar date) – **סִדּוּרָא דִּירְחָא** (8)

the order of the days (this is the day of the week) – **סִדּוּרָא דִּיוָמֵי** (9)

III: Arguments

When Purim falls out on Friday, when do we read?

	Mishna (Rebbe and R Yosi)	Tana Kama 1	Tana Kama 2	
Village	Thursday	Thursday	Thursday	
Unwalled city	Friday	Thursday	Friday	
Walled city	Friday	Friday	Thursday	

How is Purim Meshulash done?

Since 14th of Adar never falls out on Shabbat, we only have an issue in
Yerushalayim when the 15th falls out on Shabbat

	Megilla	Matanot Laevyonim (poor)	Mishloach Manot	Seuda
Jerusalem	Friday	Friday	Sunday	Sunday