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Dear Editor,

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I was out of white shirts and having difficulty in finding new ones. After sharing my problem with many, someone recommended Charles Tyrwhitt shirts. I went online and saw their deal — "3 Shirts for \$99." I showed up to the store, and they provided me with exactly what I needed. They were "experts" in this area, measuring me, giving me a sample shirt to try on and pointing directly to the spot where I could find the shirts.

The night before I went to pick up the shirts, I happened to watch a Bill O'Reilly segment where he said that anyone in America can make it if they have a skill. The Charles Tyrwhitt experience and Bill O'Reilly's soundbite proffered a strong message: specialize and be a master of one thing and you will succeed.

I think the building of the Mishkan carries the same message, but on a spiritual plane: dedicate your finest skill to G-d. In this way, one is offering his "best fruits" to the Divine.

Steven Genack

Dear Editor,

We are always looking for more time. And we always feel as if there's not enough time in our day.

Well, has anyone considered that we actually have a lot more time this year? A full month, in fact. With a double Adar, we have a lot more time to prepare for the upcoming months and yomim tovim. Don't waste this time! Take some of it to relax. And use some of it to prepare for the months ahead. You can buy mishloach manos items now and order items that you need. You can start tidying up and cleaning up your house as well for Pesach (I can't believe I said that word!).

Utilize your time now so you won't feel pressured as Purim and Pesach roll around.

B'hatzlacha!

Sharon B. Kohn

Dear Editor,

Our community is one that knows how to uplift the most mundane of events. Take, for example, the Super Bowl. I don't have any problem with watching the Super Bowl – yes, it's large men falling over each to catch a ball and then running to a goal post a few yards away – but it's (generally) OK to watch what is going on on the field.

But I do have a big problem with businesses promoting watching the Super Bowl as a "thing." You see, this "thing" takes what could be a family pastime and debases it with a "show" smack in the middle that is certainly not family-oriented, to say the least. The performers have songs that are rife with curse words

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Readers Poll

Would you rather win \$100K or have your friend win \$500K?

\$100K for	Me	73%
\$500K for	My Friend	27%