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your husband meet this young lady; call your references – again – to ask for information and ask pointed questions about middos and personality.

Sometimes, dating isn't complicated. Sometimes, it's about two young people who enjoy each other's company. And yes, perhaps, the girl is pretty. Is that such a bad thing?

Sincerely,
Golda Roth

Dear Editor,

My son is on break from swimming lessons. As a substitute, he likes to practice holding his breath in the bathtub by dunking his head. In his recent practice, he told me that he was scared to put his head under the water because there was too much water. I told him that the pool where he takes lessons has even more water and he does it. He affirmed that and dunked his head for five seconds.

When I thought about it, I also thought that our guf always says it "can't do it," as it's so attached to the physicality of the world. But there's a counter to that. The neshama is totally spiritual and is connected to the Divine. The neshama is already plugged into total spirituality, a default that has the natural power to overcome.

I recently heard an interview that Charlie Harary gave a while ago. He said that every Jew is like an F-16 with the Torah as a manual. He says if we realize how great we are, then there's nowhere we can't fly. Besides plugging into our spirituality, we should also use our strengths to reach epic heights.

Steven Genack

Dear Editor,

I cannot agree with you more that the Jewish world – and Israel – has a social media problem. So often, I read newspapers and listen to the radio and shake my head. How are they getting it so wrong? I ask myself. But then, I dismiss their rhetoric because I know they're spewing lies.

But the danger is when people who don't know the full story are being told

that this is the full story! They come away thinking that all Jews are a certain way or that Israel is doing this and that to the Palestinians. This is certainly dangerous and horrifying.

Our community leaders must stand up against this. They must speak out against these lies. Not everyone listening to these lies are evil; they just want the truth. Show them the truth, explain to them, show them the facts, and hopefully, they'll be ambassadors of truth as well.

You raised very good points, as always.

Scott Wieder

Dear Editor,

Keep Those Letters Coming...

Congratulations to my fellow 2022 Letter to the Editor writers. Surveys reveal that "Letters To The Editor" is one of the most widely read and popular sections of any newspaper.

It helps to have a snappy introduction, good hook, be timely, precise, have an interesting or different viewpoint to increase your odds of being published. Many papers welcome letters commenting on their own editorials, articles, or previously published letters to the editor.

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