



Judah b. Tabbai and Simeon b. Shetach received (the Torah) from them.

יְהוֹדָה בְּנֵי טַבַּי וְשִׁמְעוֹן בֶּן שֵׁטַח קִיְבְּלוּ מֵהֶם.

Judah b. Tabbai says:

יְהוֹדָה בְּנֵי טַבַּי אֹמֵר:

- Do not make yourself like the chief of judges,
אל תַּעַשׂ עֵצָמָךְ כְּעוֹרְכֵי הַדִּינִין.
- and when the litigants stand before you, let them be in your eyes as the guilty,
וְכַשְׁיָהוּ בְּעֵינֵי דִינִין עוֹמְדִים לְפָנֶיךָ, יְהוּ בְּעֵינֶיךָ כְּרָשָׁעִים.
- and when they depart from before you, let them be in your eyes as the innocent, for they have received upon themselves the judgment.
וְכַשְׁנִפְטָרִים מִלְּפָנֶיךָ, יְהוּ בְּעֵינֶיךָ כְּזָכָאִין, כְּשֶׁקִּבְּלוּ עֲלֵיהֶם אֶת הַדִּינִין: