



Four characters in scholars.

אַרְבַּע מִדּוֹת בְּתַלְמִידִים.

- Hastening to hear and hastening to lose, his recompense is cancelled by his loss; מהר לשמע ומהר לאבד, יצא שקרו בהפסדו.
- Hard to hear and hard to lose, his loss is cancelled by his gain; קשה לשמוע וקשה לאבד יצא הפסדו בשקרו.
- Hastening to hear and hard to lose, wise; מהר לשמע וקשה לאבד, חכם.
- Hard to hear and hastening to lose, this is an evil lot. קשה לשמע ומהר לאבד, זה חלק רע:

	Hasten to Hear	~Hasten to Hear
Hasten to Lose	recompense is cancelled by his loss;	evil lot
~ Hasten to Lose	wise	loss is cancelled by his recompense;