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Home-Study Course for Women

TEST# 22

Chapter 5 –C,D(1-2)

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True or False:

___ 1. According to almost all Poskim, (including the Responsa Teshuvos V'Hanhagos, Chazon Ish, and the Gedolei HaPoskim of our generation) a woman must cover all her hair when in public (no "heter" for even a minor part of the hair to be uncovered over her forehead).

___ 2. There is a general misconception concerning the nature of the "heter" given in the Responsa Chasam Sofer allowing women to leave less than a tefach uncovered.

___ 3. All opinions agree that "Kabbalistically" a woman harms herself, her husband, and her children by partially exposing some of her hair.

___ 4. It is evident from the Zohar that when the hair is uncovered to attract attention, the harm done is lessened.

___ 5. The "halacha" states that if you live in a place where the general practice is to keep all the hair covered, (even if there is no "halachic" reason to do so) it becomes a binding obligation on every woman in that place.

___ 6. It is praiseworthy for a woman to keep her hair short (for reasons other than that her hair might show).

Matching.

___ 1) "כסי רישך היכי כי דתהו עלך אימתא דשמיא" – "Cover your head so that you shall experience the fear of Heaven."

___ 2) "ראש מלך על כל אבריו" – "The head is king over all the limbs."

___ 3) "מצוה בעידנא דעסיק בה מגנא ומצל" – "While a mitzvah is being carried out it shields and safeguards the person."

___ 4) "עטיפת הראש" – "The covering and enwrapping of the head."

___ 5) " – "The story of Tamar and Amnon."

- A. If covering just a part of the head has such a deep effect on men how much more must covering the complete head have a deep effect on a woman's "Yiras Shomayim".
- B. A mitzvah like covering the hair that is done over many hours of the day is a highly prized source of protection.
- C. This symbolizes the desire to be left alone. (The married woman who covers her hair is saying to men whom she comes across that she wants to be left alone.)
- D. Considering that the head is the most distinguished part of the human body, the influence of "Kedusha" that is transmitted must be immeasurable.
- E. Chazal bring this as a source for the mitzvah of "Kisuy Saaros" by every married woman.



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