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We are now in 'lockdown' and doing more השתדלות to protect ourselves. We must also increase our davening beseeching Hashem for His רחמים so that we all remain healthy. Unfortunately, we have heard of Yidden who have passed away from the Coronavirus in London and people are unwell here in our town with Coronavirus.

Our Gedolim have called upon us to daven **individually** the Seder Yom Kippur Koton (without reciting the מידות (יג') after one davens Mincha, on this Wednesday 29th Adar / 25th March which is Erev Rosh Chodesh Nissan.

In addition to saying Yom Kippur Koton, men, women and children (depending on their age) should say תהילים י"ג, כ', צ"א, קי"ב, ק"כ, קכ"א, קכ"ז, ק"ל, קמ"ב. One should add אבינו מלכנו and כל בית ישראל. One should say סדר פיטום הקטורת with רבון העולמים.

We should all try to daven at the same time at 3:30pm.

One should also be מקבל תענית by Mincha on Tuesday, today, by the end of נצור to fast half day on Wednesday. One can say they are accepting the fast "בלי נדר". Being that we are in a dangerous situation, one should only be מקבל תענית half day, until חצות. The fast would start 4:11am and finish 12.15pm. If one is still fasting at 12.47pm, one should daven Mincha and say ענונו in שמע קולנו.

According to יהושע רבי שיטת the world was created in Nissan so Wednesday would be *Erev Rosh Hashanah*, a time for extra תפילות .

May Hashem answer all our תפילות and save us from any גזירות קשות and may we and our families and all of Klal Yisroel be strong and healthy.



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