

### **Talmud Makos Review Lesson 51 - Daf 11A:**

1. **Gemara - Question:** What is the source of this? (That there are 3 High Priests whose deaths enables the killer to leave the Ir Hamiklat)
2. **Answer - Rav Kahana:** We learn about three Kohanim Gedolim from three verses - "va'Yashav Bah Ad Mos ha'Kohen ha'Gadol", "v'Ir Miklato Yeshev Ad Mos ha'Kohen ha'Gadol", and "Acharei Mos ha'Kohen ha'Gadol Yashuv"; (The last two references are extra, as the whole Pasuk is not necessary)
3. R. Yehudah learns a fourth from "v'Lo Sikchu Chofer Lanus El Ir Miklato... Ad Mos ha'Kohen." (And it does not have the word "Gadol.")
4. Chachamim say, since that verse does not say Kohen *Gadol*, it refers to one of the other three Kohanim Gedolim. (As the Fourth Kohen has certain aspects of a KOhen Gadol, the Torah should have referred to him as such)
5. **Version #1 - Mishnah:** Therefore, the mothers...
6. **Inference:** If the exiles would pray for a Kohen Gadol to die, he would die.
7. **Question:** It says "Kilelas Chinam Lo Savo"! (The Kohen is innocent. Hash-m will not kill him just because murderers pray for this!)
8. **Answer - an elder who learned from Rava:** The Kohanim Gedolim are responsible. They should have prayed that there will be no accidental murders.