

Hi Everyone,

What a great night! Don't you love the theme?! In the spirit of the Beatles, I thought I would make a few comments through song (no I'm not singing), but using The Beatles' Song Titles **I Want to Tell You** a tale. Get it?!

That's a Beatles Song....listen carefully, there are more to come....don't worry, **It Won't Be Long**...and, that's another [let's see who can keep correct count?]

Ask Me Why the Sisterhood is great. **I Want to Tell You** - it's **Because, If You've Got Trouble**, or when **It's All Too Much, There's a Place**, where **What You're Doing** matters. When my father passed away during Passover two years ago, at the young age of 67, I was sitting **Searchin'** for meaning and all I wanted to do was **Shout.....Tell Me Why**. Knowing there would be **No Reply**, I had to **Step Inside Love** for my father, and say **Think for Yourself** - is there **Something** you could do to take away the grief and **Misery**. I thought **All I've Got to Do** is figure out what enriches my essence and grounds my being.

And, **Like Dreamers Do**, I reached out to Rabbi and Sara – with a formal memo in hand– that's the type A personality in me – to deliver my plan. I did not get from either of them a response of **You Can't Do That**. Instead, their response was that **With a Little Help from My Friends – We Can Work It Out**. And, so, the current iteration of the Sisterhood was born.

Not only do we have the Rabbi and Sara to thank for **Every Little Thing** the Sisterhood has accomplished (and it's only **Getting Better**), but it is with much gratitude to Rabbi and Sara for working **A Hard Day's Night** – bringing us all

together tonight to celebrate another year of a thriving Chabad in Port Washington and for honoring me and my co-leaders, **Three Cool Cats**, Sheryl, Tami and Orly.

Between our full-time work responsibilities, devotion to our families and the time we volunteer to Chabad, we are definitely working **Eight Days a Week**, running around in **Circles**.

From Me to You, Sheryl, Tami and Orly – you have each become so special to me; you **Don't Let Me Down** and I love the bond we have created, **Don't Ever Change**. You are each brilliant, remarkable, talented - and, oh yeah **I Forgot to Remember to Forget** definitely, opinionated, women, without whom there would be no Sisterhood. Also, to a young lady, who boldly and successfully took over the Kids' Program during each Family Shabbat, **Rain** or shine, this past year – Chana Paltiel – **Thank You Girl**.

Also, on a personal note, we must thank our other halves, honorary Sisters, Larry Pinner, Glen Ruben, Bryan Sherman, and my husband, Jason, who supports and loves me unconditionally and always, who at first may have said **I Just Don't Understand**, but then he saw **The Inner Light** glow bright when I worked on all matters Sisterhood-related – thank you, and **P.S. I Love You!**

And to all of our friends and family **Here, There and Everywhere** tonight (yes, that's a Beatles Song, by the way, much like the one my Matai sings about Hashem here in pre-school) – thanks to each of you.

And to every single person in this room, **Yes [It Is], I'm Talking About You** - we share this honor with you.

The **Ticket to Ride** to the Sisterhood's **Magical Mystery Tour** is yours – **Come and Get it!**

I've Got a Feeling... borrowing the well-known corporate ethos instituted by Jeff Bezos, founder of Amazon, that "*it's still day one.*" The Sisterhood is only in its infancy, each **Woman** should join now. Don't **Wait**. Don't sit back **Watching Rainbows**; we need you all to participate and **Come Together... Get Back** to your Jewish roots. We all **Carry That Weight** of bringing Judaism into our homes and our families' lives. So, if you have any questions, **Don't Pass Me By... You Know What to Do** to help get us there. Join us for our events or a monthly Family Shabbat – the next one is on June 20th in honor of Father's Day -- where you can just **Let It Be** and enjoy.

Now, who can guess how many song titles I used????? [**54 (triple Chai)**]

I leave you with these final words using 3 more song titles: Forget about what you didn't do **Yesterday**, focus on the **Things We Said Today**, for **Tomorrow Never Knows** regret.

Have a wonderful Summer! And, stay tuned for Sisterhood - Season 3 - Coming this Fall!