



לעילוי נשמת
 הרה"ח הרה"ת הרב יהודה יעקב
 בן ר' אברהם אבא ע"ה
 רעפסון
 נלב"ע כ"ז אדר ה'תש"פ
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 משפחתו שיחיו

DESPITE ALL ODDS

IYAR 5751*

In the late 5740s* and early 5750s*, the newly formed Iggud Hashluchim (Shluchim Committee) took on the ambitious undertaking following Hei Teves of creating a book about the Rebbe and Chabad Lubavitch's activities worldwide. The book was published by a large publishing house and received much encouragement from the Rebbe during its writing process.

In Iyar of 5751*, the book was finally completed and presented to the Rebbe.

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Mr. Peter Kalms, together with Rabbi Faivish Vogel, shliach in England, present the Rebbe the newly printed book, which the Rebbe received warmly with visible nachas ruach.

"This is the book, yes?" The Rebbe asked. "Thank you very much! I know you are selling this for many dollars but I will give you one.

"This is symbolic, may G-d almighty bless you, to have much success in spreading the book as best as possible."

The Rebbe gave each two dollars, and bentched them with a bracha v'hatzlacha.



Two days later, on Tuesday, 9 Iyar, en route to the Ohel, the Rebbe could be seen carrying the new book.



