WHEN SHIV'A (AND SHLOSHIM) STARTS

When Shiv'a (and Shloshim) Starts: Normal Days

Shiv'a (and *shloshim)* starts for a mourner who:

- Attends funeral: After the burial.
- Will not attend funeral and is a(n):
    - Non-*Onen*: Immediately upon hearing news of the death.
    - *Onen*: As soon as the *onen* has nothing (more) to do with the funeral.

NOTE Family members may observe *shiv'a* at different starting and ending times.

When Shiv'a (and Shloshim) Starts: Jewish Festivals

For someone who dies during *Rosh Hashana*, *Yom Kippur*, or any of the three *Jewish festivals*, the mourning period does not start until after the holiday has ended.

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