

## Classification of Watchmen

Ref: *Sefer Mishpatim, Hilchot Sechirut, Chapter 1*

There are four types of watchmen.

- *Shomer chinam* (unpaid guardian)
- *Shoel* (borrower)
- *Nosei sachar* (paid worker)
- *Socher* (renter)

There are three rules governing these watchmen. (These relate only to movable property.)

- *Din shomer chinam* (the law regarding an unpaid guardian)
- *Din shoel* (the law regarding a borrower)
- *Din sachir* (the law regarding a renter and paid guard)