

Question 947) - The debtor is not known to have any wealth. When the creditors seek an interdict against him he says, "I have no wealth. What can the judge do?" What is the ruling?

A: The judge will detain him for every debt which generated wealth in his hands such as proceeds of a sale and loans; also for every debt incurred by contract such as dowry and Kafalah. He will not be detained for anything else such as compensation for usurpation and fines and blood-money, unless there is proof that he has wealth.

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