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## Bible Story Time

#### **Preparing the Passover**

Numbers 9:1-14

YAHWEH spoke to Moses in the wilderness of Sinai, in the first month of the second year after they had come out of the land of Egypt, saying,

Also the sons of Israel shall prepare the Passover in its appointed season.

In the fourteenth day of this month, between the evenings, you shall prepare it according to all its statutes, and according to all its ordinances.

Moses spoke to the sons of Israel to prepare the Passover.

And they prepared the Passover in the first month on the fourteenth day of the month, between the evenings, in the wilderness of Sinai, according to all that YAHWEH had commanded Moses, so the sons of Israel did.

And there were men who had been defiled by the body of a man, and they had not been able to prepare the Passover on that day. And they came near before Moses, and before Aaron on that day.

And those men said to him, We are defiled by the body of a man. Why are we restrained so as not to be able to offer the offering of YAHWEH in its appointed season, in the midst of the sons of Israel?

Moses said to them, You stand by, so that I may hear what YAHWEH will command concerning you.

YAHWEH spoke to Moses, saying,

Speak to the sons of Israel, saying, If any man of you or of your generations shall be unclean by reason of a body, or be in a distant journey, yet he shall keep the Passover to YAHWEH.

In the second month, on the fourteenth day between the evenings, they shall keep it; they shall eat it with unleavened bread and bitter herbs; they shall leave none of it until morning, nor break a bone of it. According to all the statutes of the Passover, they shall keep it.

But the man that is clean, and is not on a journey, and has failed to prepare the Passover, even that person shall be cut off from his people, because he did not bring the offering of YAHWEH in its appointed season, that man shall bear his sin.

If an alien shall reside with you, and desires to keep the Passover to YAHWEH; he shall do according to the statute of the Passover, and according to its ordinance. You shall have one statute, both for the alien and for the native of the land.

## MINI LESSON DISCUSSION:

- 1. When is the specific time Passover is to be kept?
- 2. What were the two ways that Yahweh said would keep Israelites from keeping the Passover?
- 3. When is the second Passover and how should it be kept?
- 4. What was the punishment if someone failed to keep the Passover at its appointed time?
- 5. Was there a different law for the alien or foreigner who resided with the Israelites in keeping the Passover?

#### Memorize the Bible Verse:

Yahshua said to him, I am the Way, and the Truth, and the Life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.

John 14:6

#### **HEBREW LESSON**

The Shin/Sin is the Twenty First Letter of the Hebrew Alphabet and it can take two different sounds. If there is a dot at the top right of the letter (called a Dagesh Mark), it takes the "SH" as in the word should. If there is a dot at the top left of the letter it takes the "S" sound as in song.

> Practice writing your Hebrew using the lines below.





Every letter of the Hebrew Alphabet represents a picture!

Hebrew is read and written from right to left.

(Old) יַשֶּׁן־Ya'Shan-יָשֶׁן

Shemesh- שמש

Say'ar - שער

(Hair)

snar sound because of the Kammats vowel underneath and the Dagesh Mark on the right.

This vowel point is called a "Shyah" and it has been as the point is called a "Shyah" and it has b beginning of a new one

### **Healthy Recipe Idea:**

#### Easy Soft Flatbread

**Delicious for Unleavened Bread!** 

#### **Ingredients**

- 2 cups flour + extra for dusting & adjusting dough
- 🗦 tsp salt
- $3\frac{1}{2}$  Tbsp. butter
- ₹ cup milk
- ½ Tbsp. oil (for cooking)

#### **Instructions**

- Combine butter and milk and heat in a small saucepan on the stove until butter is just melted.
- 2. Combine 2 cups flour, salt, and add the butter and milk. Form a ball.
- 3. Sprinkle work surface with flour then knead for a few minutes until it is smooth - it doesn't need much kneading. Add extra flour if the dough is too sticky.
- 4. Wrap with cling wrap and rest at room temperature for 30 minutes or so.
- 5. Dust table or counter top with flour, cut dough into 4 pieces, roll into balls, then roll out into about  $\frac{1}{8}$ " thick rounds.
- 6. Heat \(\frac{1}{2}\) Tbsp. olive oil in a non-stick pan over medium
- 7. Place one flatbread in the pan, cook for around 1-1 $\frac{1}{2}$ minutes - it should bubble up (see photo in post)then flip and cook the other side, pressing down if it puffs up. There should be small golden brown spots
- 8. Stack the cooked bread and keep wrapped with a tea towel - the moisture helps soften the surface, making them even more pliable.
- Continue to cook with remaining pieces.

## Can You Find Words in the Puzzle?

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### Game Idea for the Feast of Unleavened Bread:

This will be a "treasure hunt" to search for word clues with visual objects that point to a scripture passage, character or story in the Bible. This game can be played as a family or with a group of children.

Find a scripture, character, or story in the Bible to use for the final "treasure".

Visual treasure clue ideas: (These will to be put with each word sentence clue)

- Objects in the house or outside
- Cut out pictures in magazines
- Hand drawn pictures



Hide all the clues with their objects in secret places and leave the first word sentence clue as the children's starting point.

Start with the first word sentence clue for the children to find. Each clue will give a clue to where the next clue is hidden...and so on. The children will collect all their objects and put them together at the end of the search to try and figure out what the scripture, character or story is.

For younger children, you can word the clues to tell them where to go to find the next clue. For older children you can word the clues like a riddle to have them figure out where they will be going to find the next clue.

## Bible Lesson: Passover



All of the feasts of Yahweh are important, but Passover is the only one that Yahweh commands a second Passover to be kept if someone fails to keep the first one. It is so serious of an offense that if someone fails to keep the Passover that person will be cut off from Yahweh. It is because Passover is the time of the year that we renew our covenant relationship with Him.

Every believer enters covenant relationship with Yahweh when they join the New Covenant. When we take of the symbols of the bread and wine at Passover, we are remembering the great sacrifice Yahshua made for us so that we could have life with Him. Our heavenly Father Yahweh and His Son Yahshua are at the very center of our faith and each year at Passover Yahweh helps us to rededicate our lives to Him.

When we reach an age where we have the understanding of the commitment we are making and what is expected of us when joining the New Covenant.

Yahweh wants to be in covenant relationship with all mankind.

### Shalom Readers!



CHAG SEMEACH! Thank you for reading!

YAHWEH bless!

You can find the *Passover and Unleavened Bread Activity Booklet* at Hiswondrousworks.com in the activity section.



## Mosaic Cup Holder

Turn a plastic water bottle into a useful and colorful container!



## Supplies Needed:

- Glue
- Scissors
- Plastic Water Bottle
- Colored Tape
- Paintbrush
- Flower or Ribbon Bow
- Colored Paper Pieces (Torn Into Small Pieces or cut Into Squares)

#### Instructions:

- 1. Carefully cut your water bottle a little more than half way down.
- 2. Add tape around the entire rim of the cup to cover the sharp edges.
- 3. Brush your glue to the bottle and add your colored paper pieces to look like a mosaic.
- 4. Let dry about 30 minutes.
- 5. After drying, brush a layer of glue over the mosaic pattern. This will give it a nice shiny glaze and also protect the paper from coming off the cup.
- 6. Let dry again for about an hour.
- 7. Add the tape to the bottom and top of the mosaic pattern, if desired.
- 8. Add the flower or ribbon bow.
- 9. Fill with what you desire!

Tips ~You can use your container to keep some of these items in: Toothbrushes, Pencils/Pens, Crayons/Markers, Hair Things

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## Bible Story Time

#### The Prophet Who Disobeyed Yahweh

1 Kings 13:1, 6-26, 28



Behold, a man of Elohim had come from Judah to Bethel, by the Word of YAHWEH, and Jeroboam was standing by the altar to burn incense.

The king answered and said to the man of Elohim, Please entreat the face of YAHWEH your Elohim, and pray for me, and my hand shall come back to me. And the man of Elohim entreated the face of YAHWEH, and the hand of the king came back to him, and it was as at the beginning.

The king spoke to the man of Elohim, Come home with me, and refresh yourself, and I will give you a gift. The man of Elohim said to the king, If you would give me the half of your house, I would not go in with you, nor will I eat bread, nor will I drink water in this place.

For so He commanded me by the Word of YAHWEH, saying, **You shall** not eat bread nor drink water, nor turn back in the way that you have come. And he went on another way, and did not turn back in the way in which he came into Bethel.

A certain aged prophet was living in Bethel, and his son came and told him all the deeds that the man of Elohim had done that day in Bethel, the words that he had spoken to the king; yea, they told them to their father. And their father said to them, Where is this man, what way did he go? And his sons saw the way that the man of Elohim from Judah had gone.

He said to his sons, Saddle the donkey for me. And they saddled the donkey for him, and he rode on it, and went after the man of Elohim, and found him sitting under an oak tree. And he said to him, are you the man of Elohim who has come from Judah? And he said, I am.

Then he said to him, Come home with me and eat bread. He said, I am not able to go back with you, and to go in with you, nor may I eat bread or drink water with you in this place; for a word came to me by the Word of YAHWEH, You shall not eat bread nor drink water there; you shall not turn back to go in the way in which you came

He said to him, I also am a prophet like yourself, and a cherub spoke to me by the Word of YAHWEH, saying, bring him back with you into your house, and he shall eat bread and water (he lied to him).

He turned back with him and ate bread in his house and drank water.



It happened as they were sitting at the table, and a Word of YAHWEH came to the prophet who brought him back; and he cried to the man of Elohim who came from Judah, saying, So says YAHWEH, Because you have resisted the mouth of YAHWEH, and have not kept the command that YAHWEH your Elohim charged you, and turned back and ate bread and drank water in the place of which He said to you, You shall not eat bread nor drink water; your carcass shall not come to the burying place of your fathers.

After he ate bread and after he drank, it happened that he saddled the donkey for him, for the prophet whom he had brought back.

He left, and a lion found him in the way and killed him; and his carcass was thrown down in the way, and the donkey was standing near it, and the lion was standing near the carcass.

Behold, men were passing by and saw the carcass thrown in the way, and the lion standing near the carcass; and they came and spoke of it in the city in which the old prophet lived.

The prophet who brought him back out of the way heard and said, it is the man of Elohim who provoked the mouth of YAHWEH, and YAHWEH gave him to the lion, and it tore him apart and killed him, according to the Word of YAHWEH that He spoke to him.

He went and found the carcass thrown down in the way, and the donkey and the lion were standing near the carcass; the lion had not eaten the carcass nor had he torn apart the donkey.

See page 3 for the Bible Lesson for this story!

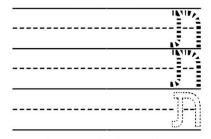
- 1. Where was the prophet from?
- 2. Was the prophet a true man of Elohim?
- 3. What was Yahweh's specific command to him that he should not do?
- 4. Why did the prophet eat at the other prophet's house who lived in Israel?
- 5. What happened to the prophet because he disobeyed Yahweh?
- 6. Why do you think the lion didn't eat the donkey?

The 9 fruits of the Spirit are hidden the puzzle. Can you find all of them? Hint: Galatians 5:22-23

#### **HEBREW LESSON**

The Tay is the Twenty-Second Letter and the last of the Hebrew Alphabet. It takes the "T" sound as in time or tough.

> Practice writing your Hebrew using the lines below.





Hebrew is read and written from right to left. (Thank You)

(When)

מתי - Matai

the "A" sound because of the Patakh vowel underneath.

תודה - Todah

In this word the Tav would take In this word the Tav would take the In this word the Tav would take the "To" sound as in toe, because of the Kholam vowel point above the vav.

(Fall/Autumn)

Tav

סתיו - Stav "Ta" sound because of the kammats vowel underneath.

## Can you solve the Puzzle?

To solve the puzzle and see the Bible verse below, replace the numbers with the correct letters. One has been done for you.



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#### Answer for Verse Code Puzzle 1

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## Recipe Idea~

#### One-Ingredient Banana Ice Cream

- 1 bunch of bananas
- 1. Peel bananas and slice into thick chunks.
- Place on a cookie sheet and freeze for about two hours. Once the bananas are frozen, you can keep any bananas that you will not be eating right away in a Ziploc bag or covered container in the freezer.
- 3. Place several chunks of the frozen banana in a blender or food processor. Pulse for a few minutes until creamy, stopping the machine and scraping down the mixture with a spatula as needed.

Serve and enjoy! If you like you can add in chocolate chips, nuts, berries, coconut or anything you like.

## Bible Lesson: Obeying YAHWEH

What we can certainly learn from this lesson is that when Yahweh tells us something we can know for sure that He will not go back on His Word. Just like when your parents tell you something to do, you can expect them to mean what they say and that you should obey them without asking any questions.

The Scripture says in Isaiah 55:11, "So shall My Word be, which goes out of My mouth; it shall not return to Me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in what I sent it to do!" And also, "El is not a man that He should lie, or a son of man that He should repent. Has He said, and shall He not do it? And has He spoken, and shall He not make it good" (Numbers 23:19). He is not double minded either, meaning, He will say something one minute and then turn around and say something else later. When we are given an answer from Yahweh and we know 100% that it was from Him and it is His will for our lives, it doesn't matter if everyone you know tells you different, it doesn't even matter if a cherub speaks to you out of Heaven, you have to follow Yahweh no matter what tests may come before you.

The prophet from Judah was told specifically from Yahweh that he should not eat or drink or come back the same way. Though he past the first test when King Jeroboam asked him to go to his house and eat with him, he didn't past the second test that came later when the prophet of Israel lied to him and said that a cherub told him different. The prophet from Judah believed the other prophet because he was a man of Elohim and thought he was telling him the truth, what he didn't know is that Yahweh doesn't go back on His Word and he paid the price with his life.

#### Can You Memorize the Bible Verse?

Honor your father and your mother, as YAHWEH your Elohim has commanded you, so that your days may be prolonged, and so that it may be well with you in the land which YAHWEH your Elohim is giving to you.

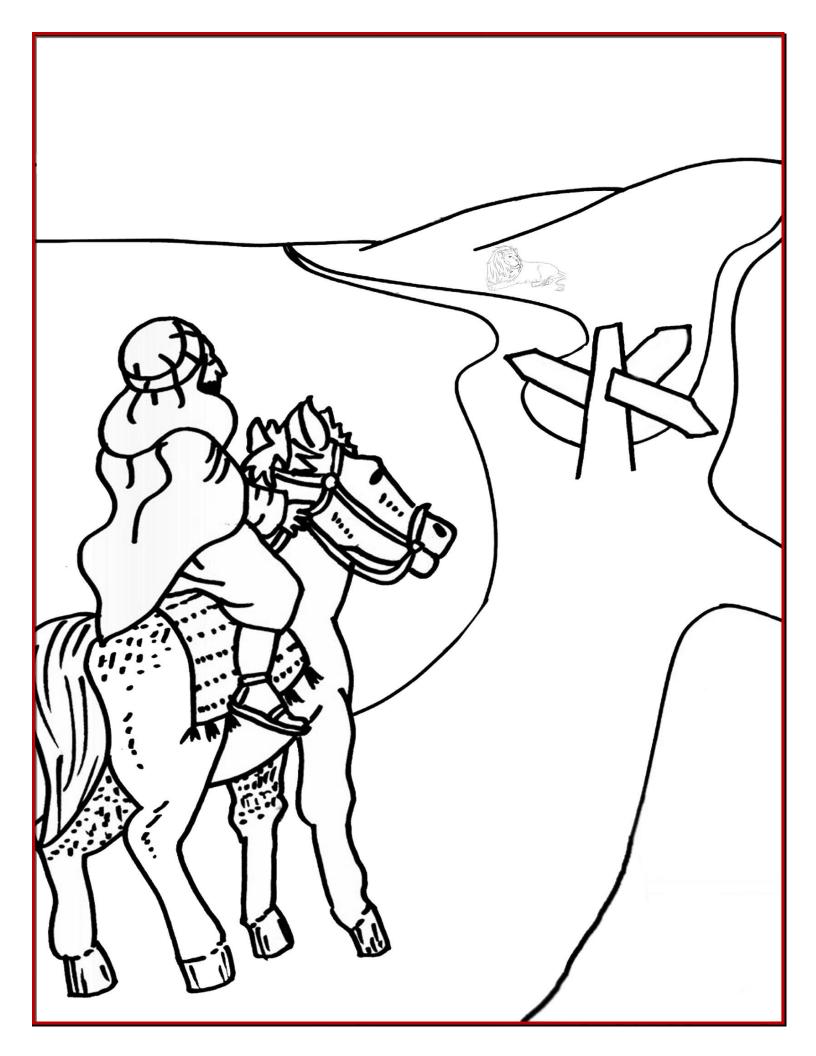
Deuteronomy 5:16

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## Bible Story Time

### **Unity at Shavuot**

Acts 2:1-5, 14, 37-47

In the fulfilling of the day of Shavuot,

they were all with one mind in the same place.



Suddenly a sound came out of the heaven, as a groaning spirit along by a violent wind! And it filled the entire house where they were sitting.

And tongues as of fire appeared to them, being distributed, and it sat on each one of them. They were all filled of the Holy Spirit, and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave ability to them to speak.

Jews were living in Jerusalem, devout men from every nation of those under the heaven. But standing up with the eleven, Peter lifted up his voice and spoke out to them, Men, Jews, and all those living in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to my words:

And hearing, they were touched in the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, Men, our brothers, What shall we do?

And Peter said to them, Repent and be baptized, each of you in the name of Yahshua YAHWEH for the forgiveness of sins, that you may receive the gift of the Spirit of Holiness. For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all those afar off, as many as the Master our Elohim shall call.

And with many other words he earnestly testified and exhorted, saying, Be saved from this perverse generation. And some of them readily received his words and believed and were baptized. And there were added in that day about three thousand souls.

And they were continuing steadfastly in the doctrine of the apostles, and in fellowship, and in the breaking of bread, and in prayers. And fear came to every soul, and signs and many mighty deeds occurred by the hands of the apostles in Jerusalem. And all the believers were echad and had all things common.

And they sold possessions and goods and distributed them to all, according as anyone had need.

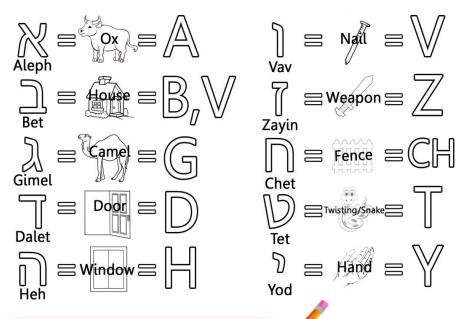


And continuing steadfastly with one mind day by day in the sanctuary, and breaking bread from house to house, they shared food in gladness and simplicity of heart, they were praising YAHWEH while finding favor before all the people.

And every day our Master would add to those who lived among the congregation.

- 1. What Feast did the outpouring of the Holy Spirit take place?
- 2. Were the believers in that day divided against each other or united?
- 3. How many believers were baptized?
- 4. What did Peter caution the newly baptized believers to do?
- 5. What does Scripture say about the believers who were united?
- 6. What wonderful works were the believers doing as a result of the outpouring of the Holy Spirit?

#### **HEBREW LESSON**



HEBREW ALPHABET

REVIEW

Try to write each Hebrew letter. Hebrew is read and written from right to left.

Can you solve the Puzzle?

## **Serving YAHWEH**

To solve the puzzle, unscramble the jumbled words below on the left. Write the letters that are in the boxes of each word into the boxes at the bottom. Then, unscramble those letters to find the word that is missing from the verse, and fill in the blanks.

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HARETEN

DGOL

∐\_\_\_\_\_ R S U E N R D R E





Then if anyone purifies himself from these, he will be a \_\_\_\_\_ to honor, having been sanctified and made useful to the Master, having been prepared to every good work. 2 Timothy 2:21

## Recipe Idea~

## Homemade Ranch Dressing

#### Ingredients:

 $\frac{1}{4}$  cup sour cream (or plain yogurt)  $\frac{1}{4}$  cup milk (or buttermilk)

1/8 cup mayonnaise 1 garlic clove, minced

 $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoon salt A pinch of pepper

 $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoon of dried dill (or  $1\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoons fresh dill)

1 Tablespoon of fresh chives cut (or sliced green onions)

1 teaspoon lemon juice

Mix all ingredients in a bowl and serve. You can enjoy on a salad, or with fresh vegetables as a dip. This makes a little more than  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup of dressing. It keeps well in the refrigerator for about 4 days.



## Bible Lesson: Unity

YAHWEH wanted to make it very clear, that during this most significant time in the history of the Congregation, the brethren were united. We see that with this unification of the brethren, YAHWEH poured out His Spirit on His people like never before and the results were amazing. There were many new people coming into the Congregation every day.

Believers were praying together, eating together, sharing all their possessions and had everything in common. There were even many might deeds occurring through the Apostles. It was truly a blessed time, but this didn't just happen spontaneously.

YAHWEH will not pour out His Spirit unless His people are ready. There has to be a maturity there that YAHWEH can trust His people will not abuse the Gift He has given them. During this time we didn't see the brethren fighting against each other, which comes from worldly lusts, from jealousies and envying and pride. The Spirit is not divided. Everyone who truly has YAHWEH'S Spirit has surrendered his/her will to YAHWEH, and submitted one to another. The same Spirit that the Father and Son share, which makes Them one, is the same Spirit given to us. There is only one Spirit and only one Body of Messiah; there is only one faith and only one baptism, into which we become a part of, the one family of YAHWEH.

The Spirit is all of the nine fruits. So anyone who has His Spirit can't help but show all nine fruits every day of their life. Let us also surrender our lives completely to YAHWEH and submit ourselves one to another as YAHWEH is pouring out His Spirit again in these Last Days.

#### Can You Memorize the Bible Verse?

And whoever desires to be first among you, let him be your servant. Even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom form many.

Matthew 20:27-28

#### Shalom Readers!

Thank you for reading!

YAHWEH bless!



## **GROUP GAME:**

## **Bring Your Offering Game**

#### Object of the game:

All players will work together as a team to collect all seven Harvest Fruit cards to bring as tithes and first fruits to the house of YAHWEH. When all 7 species of the Land are received, the team wins!

#### Directions:

Write down all the Feasts of Yahweh, Spiritual Sacrifices, and Harvest Fruits on pieces of paper, OR you can print and cut out the cards attached. (Hint: You can do more than one set of each, especially if you have a large group.) Keep the cards separated by category. Shuffle the cards and lay them in three stacks, face side down OR you can place them in different hats.

#### Instructions:

Taking turns, each player will draw one of the Feasts of YAHWEH cards and a Spiritual Sacrifices card to offer for that Holy Day.

- 1. The player will say something about the Feast they have drawn. (For example they can give facts, tell what happened on that Feast, tell what it pictures in Yahweh's Plan of Salvation, tell what we are to do on that Day, or they can share a special memory or share what they like most about that Holy Day.)
- 2. The player will also give an example of how they can exhibit a characteristic of the Spiritual Sacrifice they drew.

  (For example if Humility was drawn, the player could say if someone needed a chair they would give up their seat for them, or that they would keep themselves from bragging to others; or if someone chose Faith, they could give an example that if their flight was delayed that they would not worry, but trust in Yahweh and encourage others with them.)

The player will then receive a card from the Harvest Fruits stack to offer at the House of YAHWEH.

Passover

Feast of Unleavened Bread

Shavuot

Feast of Trumpets

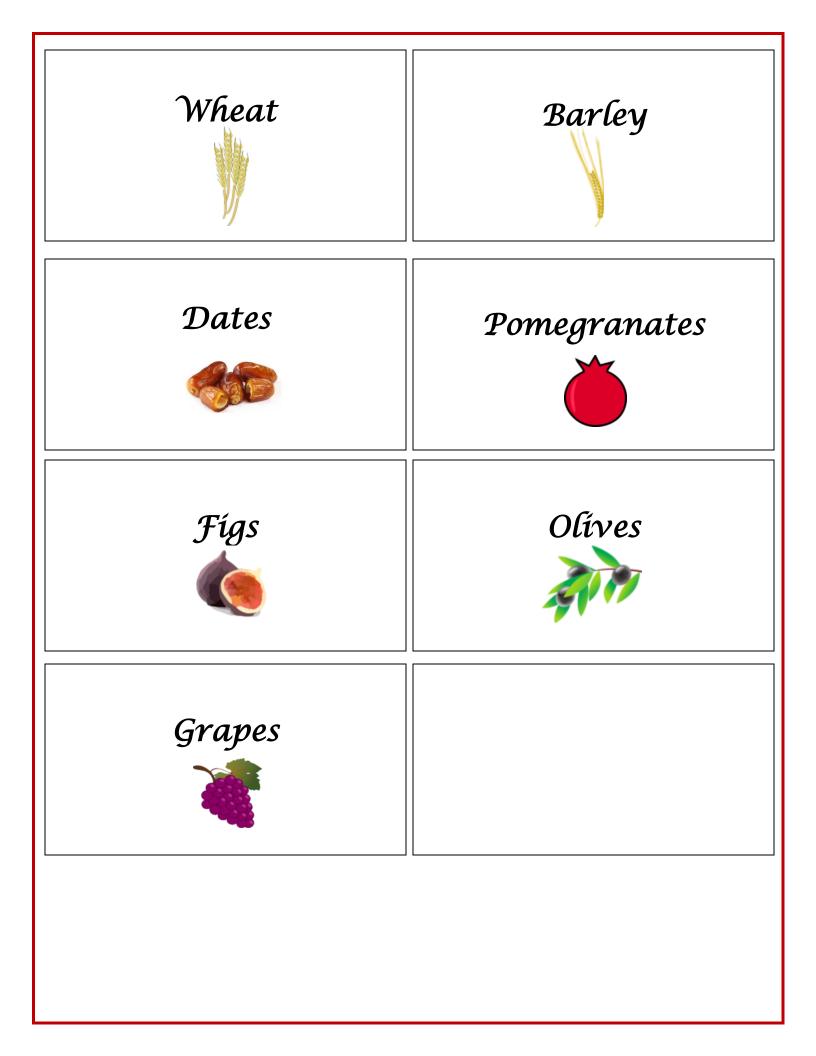
Day of Atonement

Feast of Sukkot

Last Great Day

## Our body

Romans 12:1 "Therefore, brethren, I call on you through the compassion of Elohim to present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, pleasing to Elohim, which is your reasonable service."



## Humility

Psalm 51:17 "The sacrifices of Elohim are a broken spirit; a broken and a contrite heart, O Elohim, You will not despise."

## **Prayer**

Psalm 141:2 "Let my prayer be established before You as incense; the lifting up of my hands as the evening sacrifice."

## **Thanksgiving**

Psalm 107:22 "And let them sacrifice the sacrifices of thanksgiving, and recount His works with rejoicing."

## Righteousness

Proverbs 21:3 "For YAHWEH, to do righteousness and justice is to be chosen more than sacrifice."

## Faith

Psalm 4:5 "Offer the sacrifices of righteousness and **trust in YAHWEH**."

## **Praise**

Hebrews 13:15 "Then through Him let us offer up a sacrifice of praise to YAHWEH always, that is, the fruit of the lips, giving thanks to His Name."

## Joy

Psalm 27:6 "And now my head shall be lifted up above my enemies, my encirclers, and I will offer sacrifices of joy in His tabernacle; I will sing, yea, I will sing praises to YAHWEH."

## Sharing

Hebrews 13:16 "But do not be forgetful of doing good and sharing, for Elohim is well pleased with such sacrifices."

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## Bible Story Time

#### The King Who Didn't Return Kindness

2 Chr. 22:10-12, 24:1-2, 15-25

Athaliah the mother of Ahaziah saw that her son was dead, and she rose up and spoke to destroy all the seed of the kingdom of the house of Judah.

Jehoshabeath the daughter of the king took Joash the son of Ahaziah and stole him from among the sons of the king who were put to death, and put him and his nurse into the store room of the bedroom.



And Jehoshabeath, the daughter of king Jehoram, the wife of Jehoiada the priest, because she was the sister of Ahaziah, hid him from the face of Athaliah; and she did not put him to death. He was with them in the house of The Elohim hiding himself six years, and Athaliah reigned over the land.

Joash was a son of seven years when he became king, and he reigned forty years in Jerusalem; and the name of his mother was Zibiah of Beer-Sheba. Joash did the right in the eyes of YAHWEH all the days of Jehoiada the priest.

Jehoiada was old and satisfied with days, and died, a son of a hundred and thirty years at his death. They buried him in the city of David with the kings, for he had done good in Israel, and with The Elohim, and his house.

After the death of Jehoiada, the leaders of Judah came in and bowed themselves to the king; then the king listened to them. They forsook the house of YAHWEH, the Elohim of their fathers, and served the Asherahs and the idols; and there was wrath on Judah and Jerusalem because of this guilt.

And the Spirit of Elohim came upon Zechariah the son of Jehoiada the priest, and he stood before the people and said to them, So says The Elohim, Why do you transgress the commandments of YAHWEH, and do not prosper? Because you have forsaken YAHWEH, He has forsaken you.



They conspired against him, and stoned him with stones by the command of the king, in the court of the house of YAHWEH. Joash the king did not remember the kindness that Jehoiada his father had done to him, and killed his son. And at his death he said, May YAHWEH see to it, and seek you out

And it happened, at the turn of the year, that the army of Syria came up against him; and they came into Judah and Jerusalem and destroyed all the leaders of the people from among the people; and they sent all their spoil to the king of Damascus. For with few men the army of Syria came in, and YAHWEH gave into their hand an army for great multitude, because they left YAHWEH, the Elohim of their fathers. And they executed judgment against Joash.

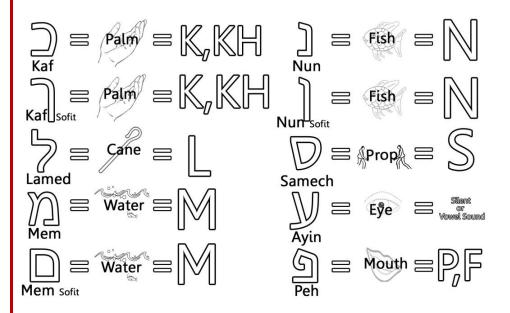
And when they departed from him (they left him with many diseases) his own servants conspired against him, because of the blood of the sons of Jehoiada the priest, and killed him on his bed; and he died.

And they buried him in the city of David, and did not bury him in the graves of the kings.

- 1. Who tried to kill King Joash when he was a baby?
- 2. Who saved King Joash's life?
- 3. King Joash did right in the eyes of Yahweh all the days while who was alive?
- 4. Why did wrath come on Judah and Jerusalem?
- 5. Who did King Joash kill because he prophesied?
- 6. What happened to King Joash because he didn't remember the kindness of his father Jehoiada?

#### The desirableness of a man is his kindness... Proverbs 19:22

#### **HEBREW LESSON**



## HEBREW ALPHABET

## REVIEW

Try to write each
Hebrew letter. Hebrew
is read and written from
right to left.

## Can you solve the Puzzle?



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## Women of the Bible

Charm may be deceitful, and beauty vain, but a woman who fears YAHWEH, she shall be praised.

Proverbs 31:30

ABIGAIL	ANNA	BILHAH
CHAVAH	DEBORAH	DINAH
ELIZABETH	ESTHER	JOCHEBED
KEZIAH	LEAH	LOIS
LYDIA	MARTHA	MICHAL
MIRIAM	NAOMI	PHOEBE
RACHEL	RHODA	RIVKAH
RUTH	SALOME	SARAH
TABITHA	ZILPAH	

### Recipe Idea~ PEANUT BUTTER

- 1 cup roasted, unsalted peanuts
- $\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoon salt
- $1\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoons honey
- 1 Tablespoon sunflower oil



Grind the roasted peanuts in a blender or food processor for about 2 minutes, until they are ground and start to clump together.

Remove the ground peanuts, and place them in a bowl.

Add the salt, honey, and sunflower oil and mix all together. You can add more salt, honey, or sunflower oil if needed. Enjoy with celery sticks or apple slices for a healthy snack.

\*To roast raw peanuts: With the help of an adult, preheat the oven to 350 degrees Fahrenheit (or 180 degrees Celsius). Place shelled peanuts in a single layer on a baking tray, lined with parchment paper. Bake for 15-20 minutes. Carefully remove from the oven, and let them cool completely.

### Bible Lesson: Kindness, A Fruit of the Spirit

In this story we are going to focus on the fruit of the Spirit, kindness...

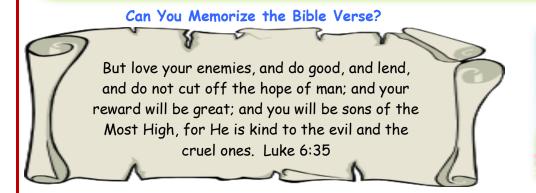
Jehojada showed King Joash many kindnesses throughout his life, even to the point of rescuing him from certain death by his grandmother Athaliah. The Bible also says that Jehoaida was such a positive influence on him that as long as Jehojada was alive King Joash followed Yahweh and obeyed Him. What kindness and devotion Jehojada had for the king! Yet for all that Jehojada had done for him, when Yahweh sent Jehojada's son, Zechariah, in hope of his repentance, King Joash ordered his men to kill him.

King Joash did not remember Jehoaida's kindness and return it to his family. Kindness is a fruit of the Spirit and it is a fruit that we must show every day of our life.

We all desire to be treated with kindness, and it is easy enough to be kind when someone is nice to you, but Yahweh's kindness is much more. His kindness is truly shown when you continue to be kind to someone who hurts you and does bad things to you. With Yahweh's kindness, there is no expectation of anything in return, but it comes from His love inside of you that really cares about the person despite whatever they may do to you.

The Bible says that while we were yet sinners, Yahweh sent His Son Yahshua to die for our sins (Rom. 5:8). There is no greater act of kindness than that!

So let us live by the example that Yahweh and Yahshua have set for us, and extend kindness to everyone we meet.



#### Shalom Readers!

Thank you for reading!

YAHWEH bless!



## Scripture Hand Fan

A fan you can make yourself to keep you cool!

### Supplies Needed:

- Cardstock (or thick paper)
- 8-inch Craft sticks (or long Popsicle sticks)
- Glue (or another adhesive, such as double sided tape)
- Scissors
- Markers
- Your favorite Bible verse



#### **Instructions:**

- 1. Take an A4 size (or an 8  $\frac{1}{2}$  X 11 inch) piece of cardstock paper.
- 2. With the long side at the top, fold the paper in half. Cut along the folded line, so that you now have two cards the same size.
- 3. Using markers, write your favorite Scripture on each card and decorate. \*You can also write a different Bible verse on each card.
- 4. Place glue (or double sided tape) on about half of the craft stick.
- 5. Place the stick (glue-side down) on the back of one of the cards. Make sure it is on the bottom half of the paper, in the middle.
- 6. Place adhesive along the edges of the back of the card and on the top half of the craft stick.
- 7. Line up your second card to fit evenly on top of the glue-covered card, and press firmly. Let it dry completely.

Use your fan to keep cool!

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## Bible Story Time

#### Khananyah and Sapphira

Acts 5:1-11

But a certain man named Khananyah, with his wife Sapphira, sold a property, and kept back from the price, his wife also aware of it, and bringing a certain part, he put it at the feet of the apostles.

But Peter said, Khananyah, why did Satan fill your heart for you to lie to the Holy Spirit and to secretly keep back from the price of the land?

Was it not yours before it was sold? And after it was sold, again you were in control over its proceeds. Why have you placed in your heart to do this spectacle? You have not lied in the presence of men, but in the presence of Elohim.

And hearing these words, Khananyah fell down and died. And great fear came on all those who heard.

And rising up the younger ones wrapped him, and carrying out, they buried him. And about three hours afterwards, his wife also entered, not knowing that happening.

Peter answered her, Tell me if you gave over the land for so much? And she said, Yes, for so much.

Simon said to her, because you have deliberated to tempt the Spirit of YAHWEH, behold the feet of the grave diggers of your husband are at the door, and they will take you out. And she immediately fell at his feet and died. And entering, the younger ones found her dead, and carrying her out, they buried her beside her husband.

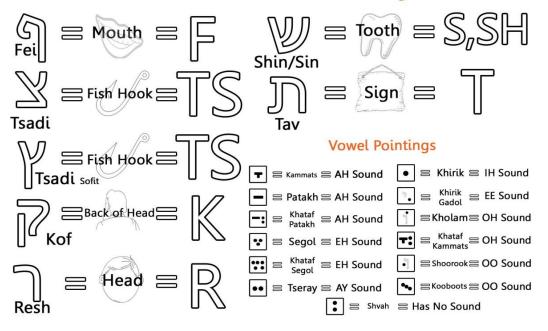
And great fear came to be on all the assembly and on all those hearing these things.

- 1. What did Khananyah and Sapphira sell?
- 2. Did Khananyah give all the money he made to the apostles?
- 3. Did Khananyah and Sapphira plan this together?
- 4. Who did Khananyah and Sapphira lie to?
- 5. Did Khananyah and Sapphira seek the glory for themselves?
- 5. What happened to everyone who heard about this?
- 6. Why was Khananyah's sin so serious?

#### **HEBREW LESSON**

## Hebrew Alphabet Review

Remember Hebrew is read and written from right to left.



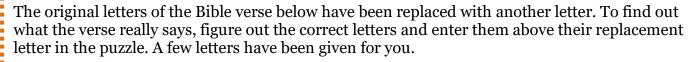
HEBREW ALPHABET

## REVIEW

Try to write each
Hebrew letter.
Hebrew is read and
written from right to
left.

## Can you solve the Puzzle?

## Decode the Bible Verse



After you solve the puzzle, check your answer in John 4:23-24 of the Hebraic Roots Bible.

## Recipe Idea~ PEACH ICED TEA

#### Ingredients:

2 Black Tea teabags

5 cups water

 $\frac{1}{2}$  cup peach nectar or juice

 $\frac{1}{4}$  cup honey (or to taste)



#### Directions:

Boil 2 cups of water. Pour the water into a large mug or pot. Place the 2 teabags in the boiling water, and let it steep for about 5 minutes. Remove the teabags and add the honey and peach nectar, stirring to dissolve. Let cool. Place 3 cups of cold water into a pitcher and add the tea mixture, stirring again. Refrigerate for several hours and enjoy! You can also add fresh peach slices and ice if you like.

#### Bible Lesson: TELLING THE TRUTH

While we can certainly learn the lesson of telling the truth there is more to learn from this story. When Sapphira came to the apostles, Simon Peter said because she had planned to tempt the Spirit, the people who buried Khananyah would be taking her out. **Tempt** means to test Yahweh and see if you can get away with it. Khananyah and Sapphira had planned to lie and keep back part of the money for themselves while making a show to all the congregation of what they did. They thought they could lie to the apostles and get away with it. An important lesson we have to learn is, you may be able to lie to men, but you can't lie to Yahweh. Yahweh sees everything; He even knows your thoughts.

Khananyah and Sapphira's sin was so serious because they came before the presence of Yahweh, in front of the congregation, lied and made a show that they gave everything. Their accountability to Yahweh was higher because they had the Spirit dwelling in them. They had seen the works of Yahweh first hand through the apostles. They were seeking praise from men; they wanted the glory for themselves. Yahshua said do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing (Matt. 6:3). When you praise yourself for something you did, you lose the reward that Yahweh is going to give you for it in the Kingdom. Khananyah and Sapphira not only lost the reward for giving the money, they paid the price with their lives. We need to have the fear of Yahweh, that no matter if anyone sees what we are doing, we will always do the right thing because Yahweh is watching.



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## Bible Story Time

## Nehemiah and the Wall of Jerusalem

Neh. 4:1-3, 6-23

And it happened, when Sanballat heard that we built the wall, he was angry, and it was greatly enraging to him, and he mocked the Jews. And he spoke before his brothers and the army of Samaria and said, What are these feeble Jews doing? Will they fortify themselves? Will they sacrifice? Will they make an end in a day? Will they bring to life the stones out of the heaps of the rubbish which are burned?

Tobiah the Ammonite was beside him, and he said, Even that which they build, if a fox goes up, he will even break down their stone wall. So we built the wall, and all the wall was joined together to the half of it. For the people had a heart to work.



And it happened, when Sanballat and Tobiah, and the Arabians, and the Ammonites, and the Ashdodites, heard that repairing of the walls of Jerusalem had gone up, that the breaks were being closed up, it was very angering to them. And all of them conspired together to come and fight against Jerusalem, and do harm to it.

But we made our prayer to our Elohim, and set a watch against them day and night, because of them. Judah said, The strength of the load carriers is weakening, and there is much rubbish, so that we are not able to build the wall. And our foes have said, They shall not know or see until we come in the middle of them and kill them, and cause the work to cease.

And it happened when the Jews who lived near them came in, they said to us ten times, From all places where you shall return, they will be against us. So I stationed from the lowest parts of the place, from the back of the wall, in the higher places; even, I stationed the people according to their families, with their swords, their spears, and their bows.

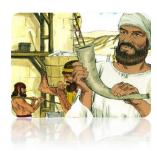


And I saw. And I rose up and said to the nobles and to the rulers, and to the rest of the people, Do not be afraid of them. Remember YAHWEH, who is great and fearful, and fight for your brothers, your sons, and your daughters, your wives, and your houses.

And it happened, when our enemies heard that it was known to us, and that The Elohim had broken their counsel, all of us returned to the wall, each one to his work.

And it happened, from that time on, half of my servants worked in the work, and the other half of them were holding the spears, the shields, and the bows, and the scale-armor. And the rulers were behind all the house of Judah, the ones who built on the wall, and the ones who carried a load; bearing with one of his hands, a worker in the work, and one, a holder of the weapon.

For each man of the builders had his sword tied by his side, and built. And he who sounded the ram's horn was beside me.



- 1. What were the names of the two men and the nations who were against the Jews building the wall?
- 2. Why couldn't Judah build the wall?
- 3. What did Nehemiah do to make sure the enemy did not sneak up and attack them?
- 4. What encouraging word did Nehemiah give the people to continue building?
- 5. What was Nehemiah's plan if the enemy attacked?
- 6. Where did the Jews stay during each night?

## Can you solve the Puzzle?

### Nehemiah and Building the Wall of Jerusalem



JERUSALEM RAMSHORN TOGETHER JEWS SANBALLAT WALL NEHEMIAH TOBIAH WORKER

And I rose up and said to the nobles and to the rulers, and to the rest of the people, Do not be afraid of them. *Remember YAHWEH*, who is great and fearful, and fight for your brothers, your sons, and your daughters, your wives, and your houses. Nehemiah 4:14



## Recipe Idea~ HUMMUS

- 1 (15-ounce) can chickpeas OR 1 and 1/2 cups cooked chickpeas
- 1/4 cup fresh lemon juice (1 large lemon)
- 1/4 cup tahini (Make sure to stir it well)
- 2 cloves of garlic, minced
- 2 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil, plus more for serving
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cumin
- 3/4 teaspoon salt OR to taste
- 3 tablespoons water OR juice from the drained chickpeas
- Dash ground paprika, for serving



Open, drain, and rinse the chickpeas. You can reserve the liquid from the chickpeas to add later. You can also remove the skins of the chickpeas to make the hummus smoother. Set chickpeas aside.

In a large bowl, whisk the tahini and lemon juice together, until it is smooth and creamy. (You can also use a food processor if you have one.)

Add the olive oil, minced garlic, cumin, and salt to the tahini and lemon juice. Whisk again until well blended.

Add half of the chickpeas to the mixture and mash well using a potato masher. Scrape with a spatula and stir all together. Add the remaining chickpeas and mash again until smooth. Remember to scrape the potato masher with a spatula and stir everything together.

Add the water or reserved chickpea juice, one tablespoon at a time, and mix until you reach the perfect consistency.

You can drizzle the hummus with olive oil and add a dash of paprika on top. Serve with flatbread, vegetables, or whatever you like.

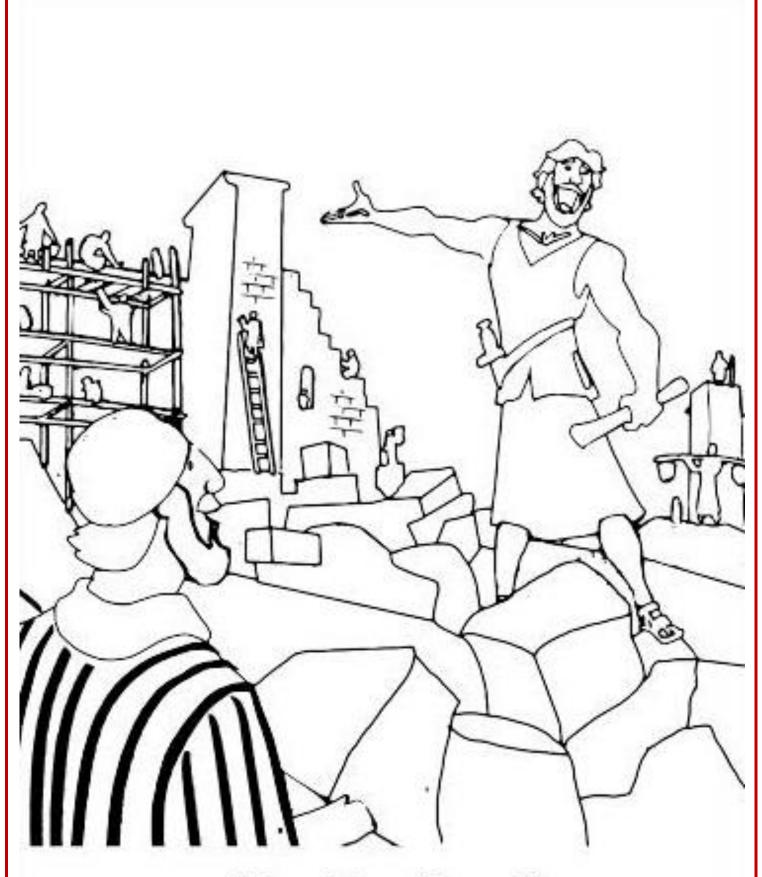
## Bible Lesson: Working Together

How amazing it was for Nehemiah and the Jews who were with him to build the wall of Jerusalem as fast as they did! Nehemiah 6:15 says that they restored the wall in 52 days. 52 days!

How did they accomplish this enormous task so quick and with as much stress as they had from their enemies all around them? First there was no way this could have been done if it wasn't for the help of Yahweh. It was in Nehemiah's heart to build the walls and the city when he was in Shushan, and Yahweh granted him his request and even gave him the full blessing of King Artaxerxes. With Yahweh on their side, Nehemiah then used his leadership skills to keep the focus of the people and guided them to the goal of finishing the wall.

Scripture says that the people had a heart to work (Neh. 4:6). Nehemiah used the law of synergy (Ecc. 4:9-12) to accomplish this. Synergy means working together to accomplish something. As members of one another in the congregation we too can accomplish whatever task is before us with Yahweh's help. We, as a congregation, are many individual members but collectively we are the Body of Messiah. By working together in helping each other grow, and in bearing fruit for the Kingdom we can accomplish amazing things.





Nehemiah and the wall

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## Bible Story Time

#### The Sukkot of Solomon

2 Chr. 6:40-42, 7:1-10

Now, My Elohim, I beseech You, let Your eyes be open and Your ears attentive to the prayer of this place; and now, O YAHWEH Elohim, rise to Your rest; You, and the ark of Your strength; O YAHWEH Elohim, Your priests are clothed with salvation (Y'shua\*), and Your saints rejoice in goodness.

O YAHWEH Elohim, do not turn away the face of Your Messiah; remember the good deeds of Your servant David. And when Solomon finished praying, then fire came down from Heaven and consumed the burnt offering and the sacrifices; and the glory of YAHWEH filled the house; and the priests were not able to go into the house of YAHWEH, because the glory of YAHWEH had filled the house of YAHWEH.

And all the sons of Israel were watching, when the fire came down, and the glory of YAHWEH was on the house and they bowed their noses to the earth, on the pavement, and worshiped, and gave thanks to YAHWEH: for He is good, for His mercy endures forever.

And the king and all the people were offering a sacrifice before YAHWEH; and King Solomon offered the sacrifice from the herd, twenty two thousand, and from the flock, a hundred and twenty thousand; all the people dedicated the house of The Elohim.

And the priests were standing over their charges, and the Levites with instruments of music to YAHWEH, that David the king had made to give thanks to YAHWEH (for His mercy endures forever) when David praised by their hand; and the priests were blowing trumpets before them, and all Israel was standing.

Solomon dedicated the middle of the court that was before the house of YAHWEH; for he had offered there the burnt offerings, and the fat of the peace offerings; for the bronze altar that Solomon had made was not able to contain the burnt offering, and the food offering, and the fat.

Solomon at that time kept the feast seven days, and all Israel with him, a great company, from the entering in of Hamath to the river of Egypt.

And they made a solemn assembly on the eighth day, because they kept the dedication of the altar seven days, and the feast seven days. And on the twenty third day of the seventh month, he sent the people to their tents, rejoicing and glad of heart, for the goodness that YAHWEH had done to David, and to Solomon, and to His people Israel.

- 1. What happened when Solomon finished praying?
- 2. Why were the priests not able to go into the house of Yahweh?
- 3. What did the sons of Israel do when they saw the fire came down from Heaven?
- 4. What did King Solomon and all the people do during the dedication of the house of Yahweh?
- 5. How many sacrifices did Solomon offer?
- 5. Where did people come from to keep this feast?
- 6. When Solomon sent the people away, what was their attitude?

## Can you find the words in the puzzle?

### **IT'S the FEAST of SUKKOT!**

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Pomegrante barley Sukkot Jerusalem joy feast figs booths

grapes olives dates wheat

HalleluYAH!

And you shall take to yourselves on the first day of majestic trees, palm branches, and boughs of oak trees, and willows of the valley, and shall rejoice before YAHWEH your Elohim seven days.

Leviticus 23:40

## Recipe Idea~ Easy Granola

Serves 6-8 people

#### Mix together:

1 c. oatmeal

1/3 c. wheat germ

½ c. coconut

1/4 c. sunflower seeds, raisins, nuts

1/4 c. powdered milk

1 t. cinnamon

#### Add:

2 T. honey

2 T. oil

1 t. vanilla



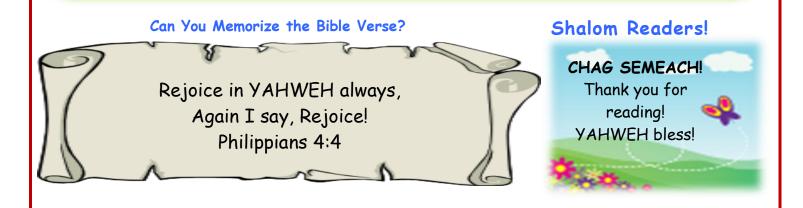
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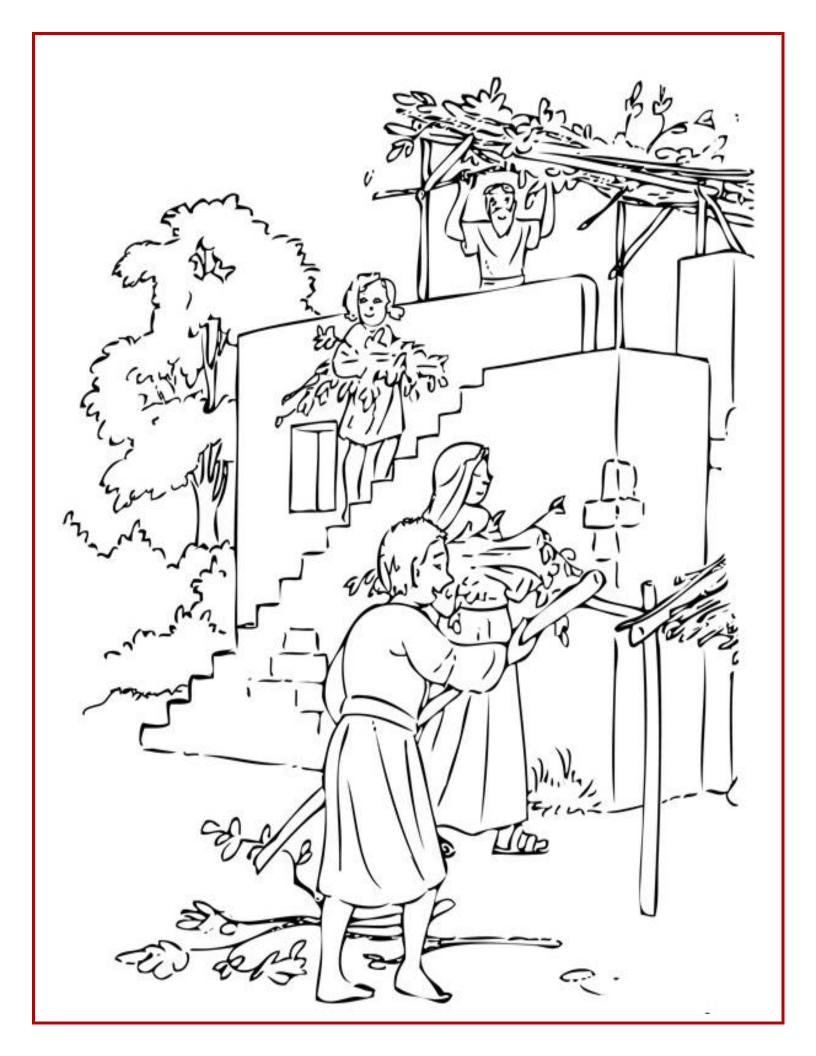
Spread everything on a cookie sheet. Bake at 375 degrees for 8-10 minutes. Keep a close eye on it so it doesn't burn. Then remove from the oven and let cool.

#### Bible Lesson: Sukkot in Jerusalem

This was one of the greatest feasts that Israel ever kept in its history. And this was during the time of the dedication of the Temple. Can you imagine? Israelites from all over the kingdom were coming up to Jerusalem for Sukkot. The borders of Israel were never greater than during the time of Solomon. It says that they came as far as Hamath, which is all the way up into Syria! What a journey that must have been. Today we have planes and cars to get us to Jerusalem, but then they had to travel by foot and by animal! The prophet Zechariah says that in the Kingdom all the nations of the earth will come and worship Yahweh in Jerusalem for this feast (Zech 14:16). It will be an amazing time. And if you are ever blessed to come to Jerusalem for Sukkot you are part of the very start of that which is prophesied in Scripture (Ez. 36:38).

When we appear before Him, Yahweh commands us not to come empty handed, but each with their gift in their hand (Deut 16:16-17). Meaning, what Yahweh has blessed you with in the year you are to bring before Him. Each of us have gifts of the Spirit that Yahweh has given us when we had hands laid on us by an elder at our baptism. And each year Yahweh helps us grow in these gifts and in our character through trials, which purify us; and this is our offering by fire that is commanded (Lev. 23:33-36). At the feast Yahweh expects us to be using those gifts and serving each other with them. So whether we are blessed to keep the feast in Jerusalem this year, or wherever you are, let us rejoice before Yahweh at the feast bearing His gifts!





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## Bible Story Time

#### The Parable of the Two Sons

Matthew 21:23-32

He having come into the sanctuary, the chief priests and elders of the people came near to Him as He was teaching, saying, By what authority do You do these things? And who gave this authority to You?

And answering, Yahshua said to them, I also will ask you one thing, which if you tell Me, I also will tell you by what authority I do these things. The baptism of John, from where was it? From Heaven, or from men? And they reasoned among themselves, saying, If we shall say, from Heaven, He will say to us, why then did you not believe him? But if we should say, From men, we fear the people. For all hold John to be a prophet.

And answering Yahshua, they said, We do not know. And He said to them, Neither do I tell you by what authority I do these things. But what do you think? A man had two children, and coming to the first he said, Child, go today; work in my vineyard.

And answering, he said, I will not. But afterward, having regretted, he went. And having come to the second, he said the same. And answering, he said, I go, sir; but he did not leave.

Which of the two did the will of the father? They said to Him, The first. Yahshua said to them, Truly I say to you, the tax collectors and the harlots go before you into the kingdom of YAHWEH. For John came to you in the way of righteousness, and you did not believe him. But the tax-collectors and the harlots believed him. And having seen you did not repent afterward to believe him.

- 1. Who was questioning Yahshua's authority?
- 2. Why were the chief priests and elders afraid to answer Yahshua's question?
- 3. Which son had a repentant heart?
- 4. Did the second son do the will of the father? How do you know?
- 5. Who did Yahshua say will go before the chief priests and the elders into the Kingdom?
- 6. What was the issue Yahshua had with the chief priests and elders?

## Can you solve the puzzle?

## Parable Word Scramble

Unscramble the words below and write the letters in the correct order in the spaces provided. To find out the message from Yahshua, Use the letters from the numbered spaces below to fill in the spaces at the bottom of the page.

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<sup>\*</sup>After you solve the puzzle check your answer in John 14:15 of the Hebraic Roots Bible.

## Recipe Idea~ Homemade Applesauce

Ingredients: serves 6-8

- 4 Apples
- Water
- 3 Tablespoons Honey
- Cinnamon



- 1. Peel (if desired) and chop 4 apples
- 2. Place in pot with enough water to cover apples
- 3. Boil and stir until apples are soft
- 4. Drain water and blend with blender or mash with fork
- 5. Add honey and sprinkle with cinnamon

Please prepare this recipe with an adult. Thank you for being safe!

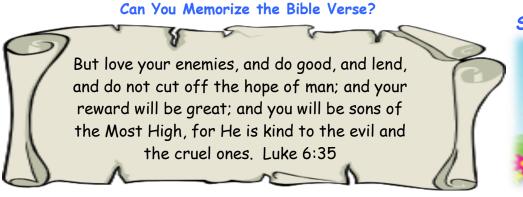


### Bible Lesson: Let's Be a Doer of His Word!

It is quite interesting the issue the chief priests and elders had with Yahshua's authority. They had issue with Him because He came to them with a message of repentance and obedience to Yahweh, which they were not doing. Yahshua said to do what they say, but don't do what they do; because they tell you to follow the Torah, but they themselves don't do it (Matt. 23:3).

Yahshua gave the parable of the two sons to show them that Yahweh is pleased with the ones who don't just say they believe, but by their actions they show it. If we want to be sons and daughters of Yahweh, we too must have the obedience of the son who in the end did the will of his father, by doing what he said. In Jacob 1:22 it says, But become doers of the Word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves. And in Romans 2:13 it reads, For not the hearers of the Torah are righteous with Elohim, but the doers of the Torah shall be justified.

Let us have the actions that show the evidence of our faith, and give Yahweh the love we truly have for Him by our obedience.



# Shalom Readers! Thank you for

YAHWEH bless!

reading!



Even a child is known by his acts. Whether his work is pure, or upright.

Proverbs 20:11

CHILDREN'S PAGE



"Spreading the Good News - One Lamb, at a Time"

## Bible Story Time

#### Jacob and Esau

Genesis 25:19-34

And these were the generations of Isaac, the son of Abraham: Abraham fathered Isaac. Isaac was a son of forty years when he took Rebekah, the daughter of Bethuel the Aramean from Padan-Aram, the sister of Laban the Aramean, to him for a wife.

Isaac prayed to YAHWEH on behalf of his wife for she was barren. And YAHWEH was entreated for him, and his wife Rebekah conceived. And the sons struggled together within her. And she said, If this is right, why am I this way? And she went to inquire of YAHWEH.

YAHWEH said to her, Two nations are in your womb; even two peoples shall break from your body. And one people shall be stronger than the other people; and the elder shall serve the younger.

And her days were fulfilled to bear. And behold! Twins were in her womb. And the first came out, all of him red like a hairy robe; and they called his name Esau. And afterward his brother came out, and his hand was holding to the heel of Esau; and his name was called Jacob. And Isaac was a son of sixty years when she bore them.

And the boys grew up. And Esau became a man knowing hunting, a man of the field. And Jacob was a simple man, living in tents. Isaac loved Esau, for game was in his mouth. And Rebekah loved Jacob.

Jacob boiled soup. And Esau came from the field, and he was faint. Esau said to Jacob, Please let me eat of the red, this red soup, for I am faint. On account of this his name is called Edom.

Jacob said, Sell me your birthright today. Esau said, Behold, I am going to die, and what good is this, a birthright to me? Jacob said, Swear to me today. And he swore to him and sold his birthright to Jacob.

Jacob gave bread and soup of lentils to Esau. And he ate and drank, and rose up and left. And Esau despised the birthright.

#### MINI LESSON DISCUSSION:

- 1. How was Rebekah able to have children?
- 2. Why did Rebekah ask Yahweh about her sons in her womb?
- 3. What was the prophecy concerning Esau and Jacob?
- 4. What does Scripture say Jacob grew up to be?
- 5. What did Jacob ask Esau for?
- 6. What did Esau think of his birthright?

#### Can You Memorize the Bible Verse?

And if children, also heirs;
truly heirs of Elohim, and joint
heirs of Messiah, if indeed we
suffer together, that
we may also be glorified together.
Romans 8:17

## Can you find the words in the puzzle?

### Jacob and Esau

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Isaac Jacob Hunting
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## Recipe Idea~ Animal Crackers

#### **Ingredients:** serves 8

- ½ c. oatmeal
- 2 teaspoons honey
- ¼ plus 1/8 teaspoon salt
- ¾ cup flour
- ¼ teaspoon soda
- ¼ cup butter
- 4 Tablespoons buttermilk
- 1. Grind oatmeal in blender until fine. Transfer to a bowl.
- 2. Add honey, salt, flour, soda. Cut in butter.
- 3. Add milk and stir together all the ingredients.
- 4. Roll very thin. Cut with animal cookie cutters.
- 5. Bake at 400 until brown, about 10-12 minutes.



## Bible Lesson: The Blessing of the Covenant with Yahweh

In this story we see that Esau committed a very grave sin before Yahweh; but I first want to explain what a birthright is, and why it is so important. A birthright was a special privilege given to the son who was born first. He would succeed the father as being head and priest of the family once the father passed, along with a double portion of everything his father owned. It was considered a great honor and responsibility to continue the legacy of the family.

Now, when we come into covenant with Yahweh the Scripture says that we become His firstborn as we join the family of Israel (Ex. 4:22). By being a firstborn, or first fruit of Yahweh, we actually become His children and co-heirs with Yahshua of everything that is His (Rom. 8:17). One of the great blessings of being His child is that we will be a part of the first resurrection when Yahshua returns (Rev. 20:4-6) and reign with Him as priests and kings for 1,000 years in the Kingdom (Rev. 5:10). And in Ephesians 5 it also says that we will become Yahshua's bride (Eph. 5:24-32).

Just think of the close relationship we will have with Yahweh and Yahshua for all eternity! This is what Esau was giving up when he sold his birthright to Jacob. Yahweh made a covenant with Abraham and the promise came through Isaac, but whoever walks in the footsteps of Abraham by following Yahweh with all of their heart can also be a part of that covenant and all the blessings that go along with it. Esau chose this world instead of looking to Yahweh and His Kingdom.

Let us not lose out on the relationship Yahweh wants to have with us because of seeking a life in this world.





## Refrigerator Magnet

#### Supplies Needed:

- A Pencil
- A Ruler
- White Cardstock (or thick printing paper)
- Colored Cardstock (or construction paper any color you like)
- A piece of Cardboard (such as the back of a notebook or a shoe box)
- Glue (or another adhesive, such as double sided tape)
- Scissors
- · Magnetic tape
- Bible verse

#### Instructions:

- 1. Using your ruler draw a 3-inch square on the piece of cardboard, and cut it out.
- 2. Draw two more 3-inch squares on the colored cardstock or construction paper and cut them out. Glue one of the colored squares to each side of the cardboard square you made. This is the base of your magnet.
- 3. Print the Bible verse below on white cardstock and cut it out, (OR you can draw a 2  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch square on the white cardstock, cut it out, and write your favorite Bible verse on it.)
- 4. Glue the Bible verse to the front of the magnet, and let it dry.
- 5. Cut a 1-inch strip of magnetic tape. Peel off the backing and adhere it to the back of your magnet, and press firmly.
- 6. Place your magnet on your refrigerator. You can use it to hang up your pictures, grocery lists, or important things

you want to remember.

But we know that to the ones loving YAHWEH all things work together for good, to those being called according to purpose;

Romans 8:28