

Children's Torah Portion



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Yisrael lived in Egypt for seventeen years and he was one hundred, forty-seven years old. He was not going to live much longer, so he called Yoseph and made him promise to bury him in the tomb that his grandfather Avraham had bought.

After a while, Yoseph was told that his father was sick. He took his sons, Ephraim and Menasha, and went to his father. Yisrael blessed Ephraim and Menasha, but he blessed Ephraim as if he were the firstborn. He said that the younger would become a greater nation.

Yisrael called all of his sons and blessed them. Then he gave them instructions about his burial. When he was finished speaking he died. Yoseph ran to him and wept, then he ordered his servants to embalm him.

After everyone had mourned for him, Yoseph asked Pharaoh for permission to bury Yisrael in the tomb. His permission was granted, so he and his brothers, and a whole bunch of Mitzrites went and buried Yisrael in the tomb.

Yoseph was one hundred and ten years old, when he spoke to his brothers. He told them that he was about to die, and that YHWH would bring them out of Mitzrayim and into the land that He promised to Avraham, Yitzchak, and Ya'aqov.

He also told them that when they left, he wanted them to take his bones with them. Yoseph died and was embalmed and placed in a coffin in Mitzrayim.

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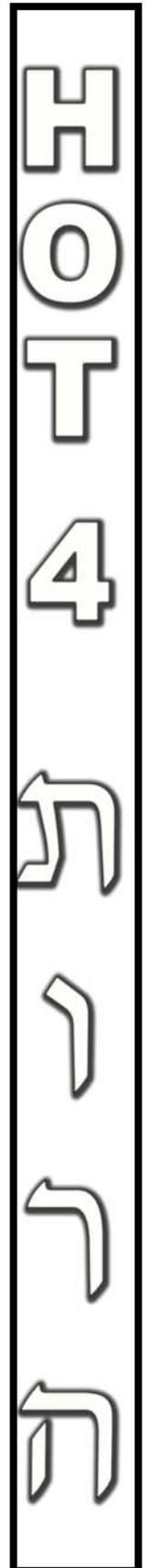
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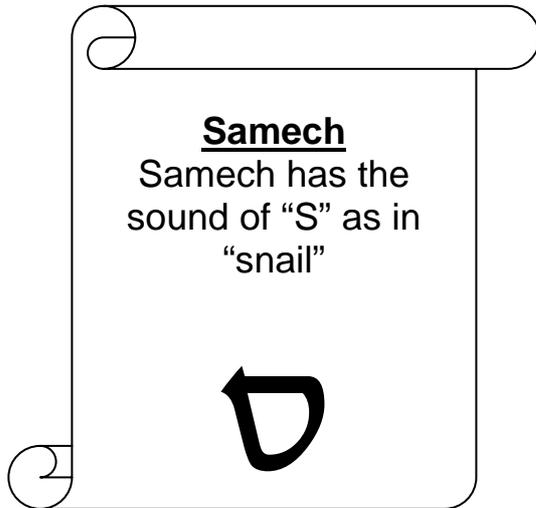
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You try writing it!

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Cut out the scroll and keep it to help you remember the Aleph-bet.

Try to find Yoseph's name three times.

Yoseph:

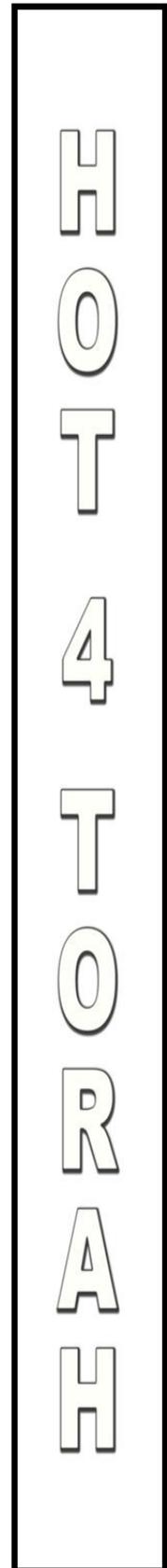
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וישב יוסף במצרים הוא ובית אביו ויחי
יוסף מאה ועשר שנים וירא יוסף
לאפרים בני שלשים גס בני מכיר בן מנשה

Draw a picture for the next torah portion and send it to: chayili@onetorahforall.org.

The pictures will appear in the children's parsha for that week. Please try to send them on the first or second days of the week.

The next parsha will be:
Sh'mot (Exodus) 1:1-6:1



Aleph-Bet Sudoku

Your goal is to fill in every column, row, and grid with each of the first four characters of the aleph-bet. (אבגד)

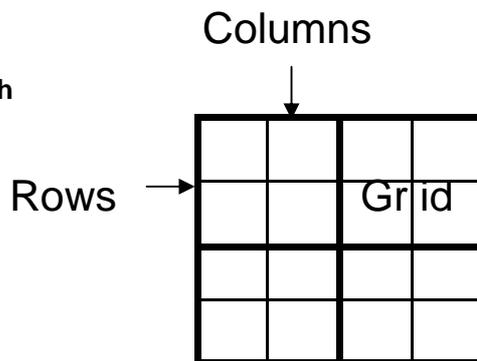
When correctly filled in, each column, each row, and

each grid will only have one each of the four characters.

Columns are the rows going down.

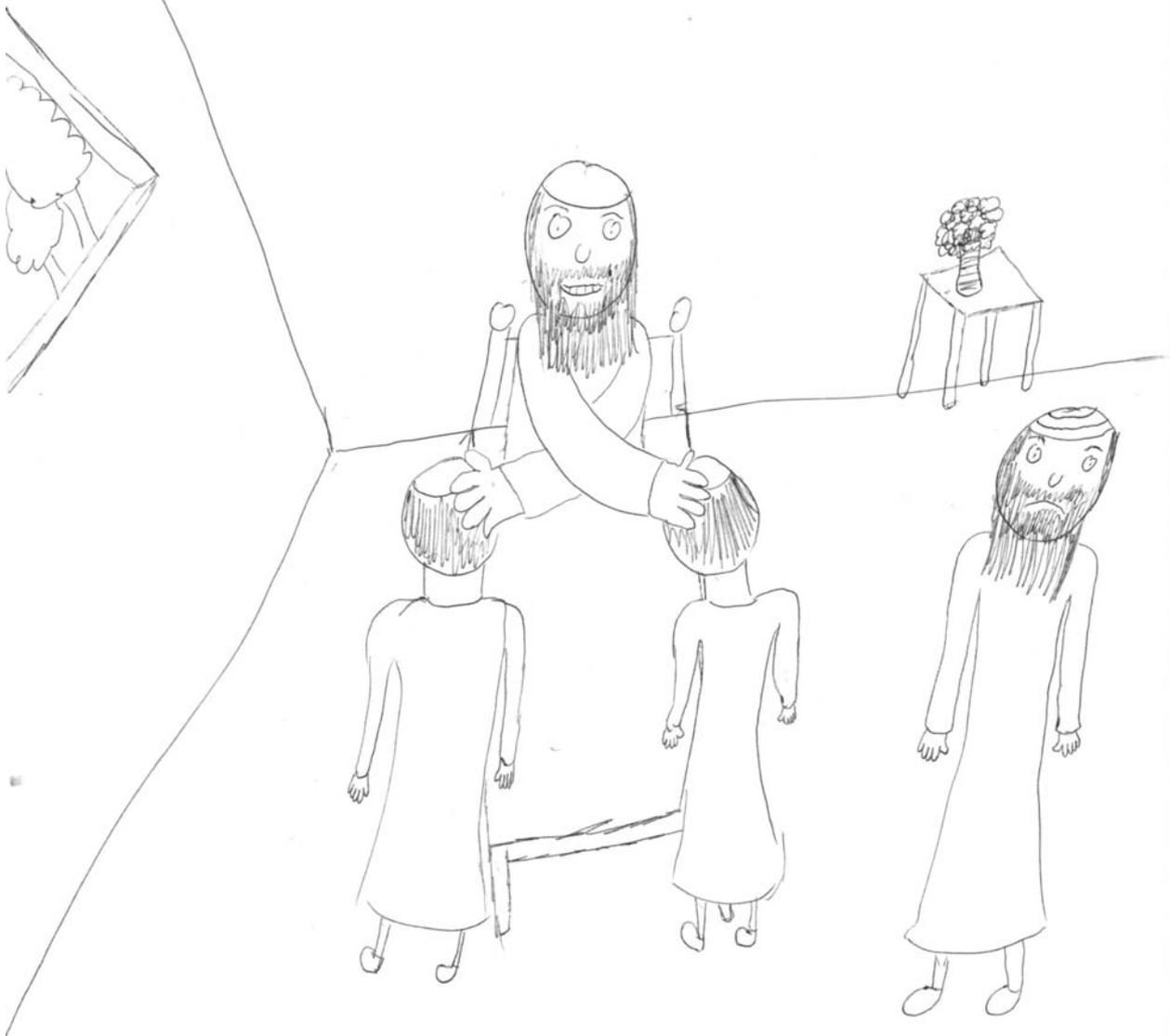
Rows are the ones going across.

Grids are the large, dark squares consisting of four smaller squares.



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Ya'aqov blessing



the sons of Yoseph