

Children's Torah Portions

נח Noach

People were doing very wicked things. This made YHWH very sad, and He reconsidered ever having created them. Only one man feared YHWH, and his name was Noach. Noach was five hundred years old and had three sons, Shem, Ham, and Yapheth.

YHWH told Noach to build an ark. It was supposed to be three stories tall. YHWH told him that he would need it, because there was going to be a flood.

YHWH told Noach to take seven of each clean animal, male and female, and two of each unclean animal, male and female. He was supposed to take food on the ark for them and the animals. It took a hundred years to build the ark, and when it was finished, Noach, his wife, his sons, and their wives. After a week, the rain started coming down, and YHWH closed the door to the ark. Slowly, the ark lifted, and the waters covered every piece of land, including the highest mountain.

After forty days, the rain stopped, and Noach opened up a window in the ark and sent out a raven, but it did not return. It just flew back and forth over the flooded earth. Next, he sent out a dove, but she did not find anywhere to land so she returned to the ark. A week later, he sent her out again and she returned with an olive branch in her mouth. Again, after a week, he sent her out, and she did not return. After a whole year was up, the ark landed on a mountain, and Noach and his family left the ark. They made a sacrifice to YHWH, and YHWH put a rainbow in the sky as a promise that He would never flood the whole earth again.

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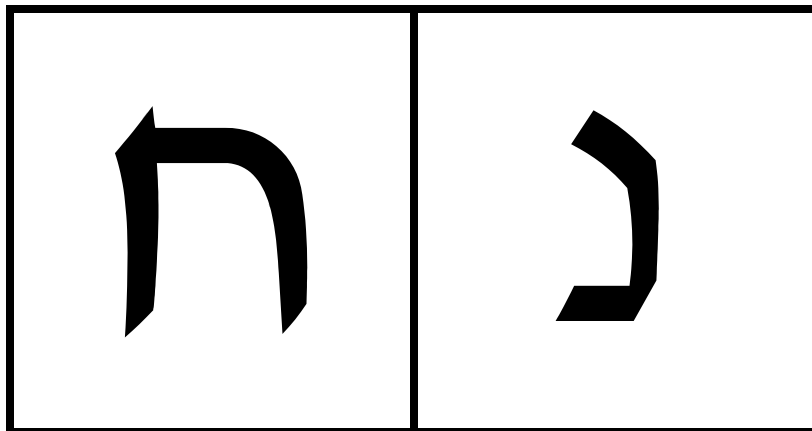
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You try writing it!

Find the word נח
three times.

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put them in the correct order without look-
ing at this parsha.



Questions to Answer

What were the names of Noach's sons?

How tall was the ark?

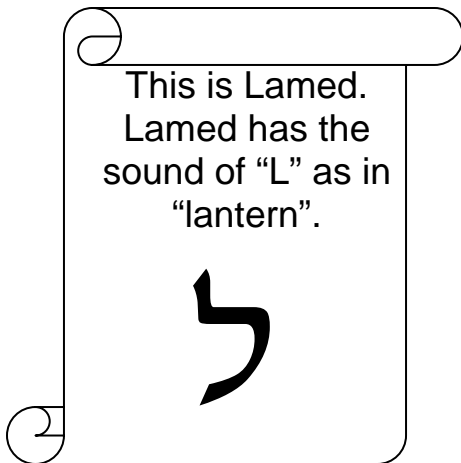
What type of bird did Noach send out the first time?
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Word Search

Find the words on the left, in the letters on the right.

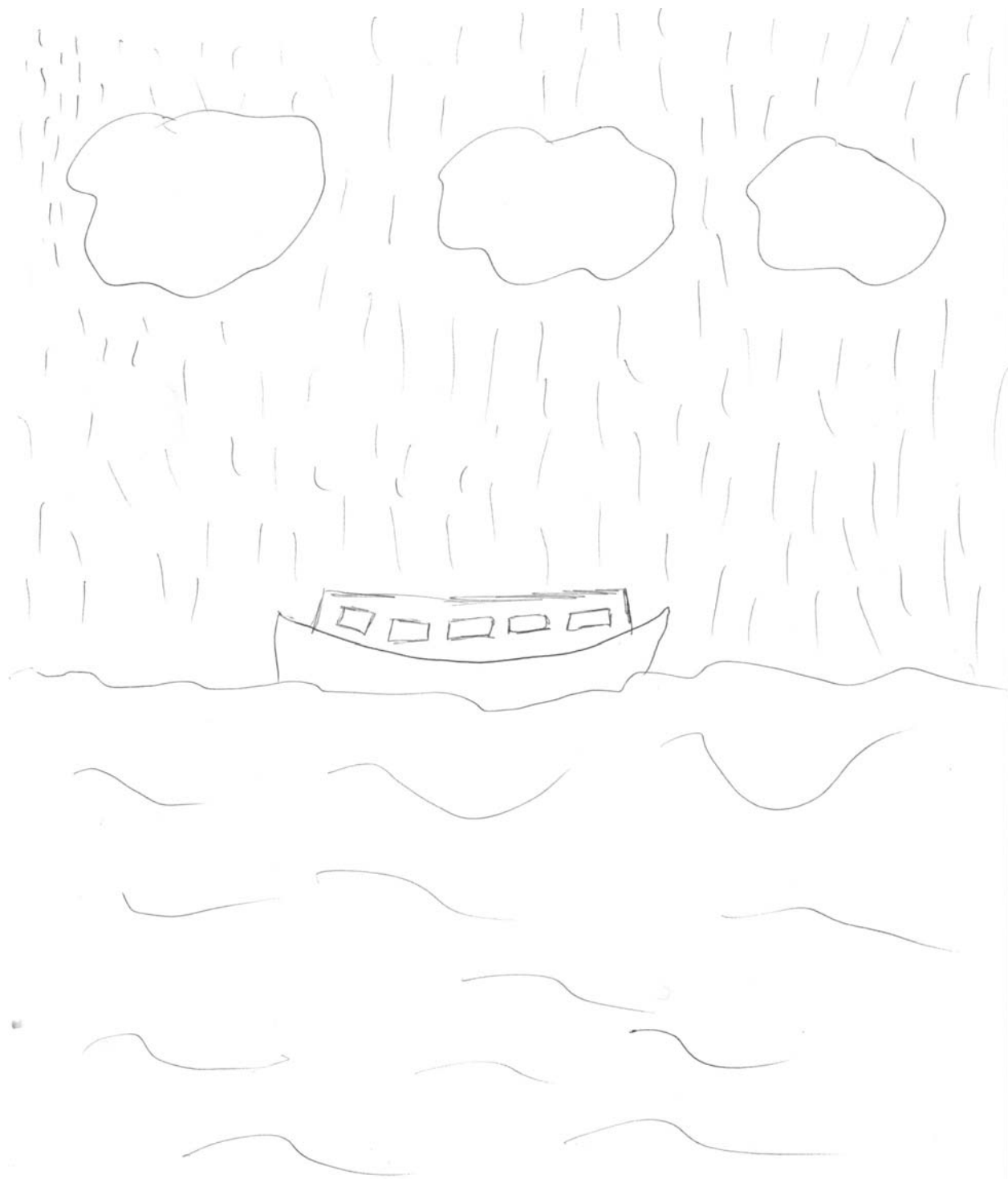
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and keep it, to help
you remember the
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The Flood