

Children's Torah Portion



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YHWH told Moshe to take one thousand men from each tribe (that made twelve thousand people) and get them ready for war with the Midianites. They killed every man, but let the women and children live.

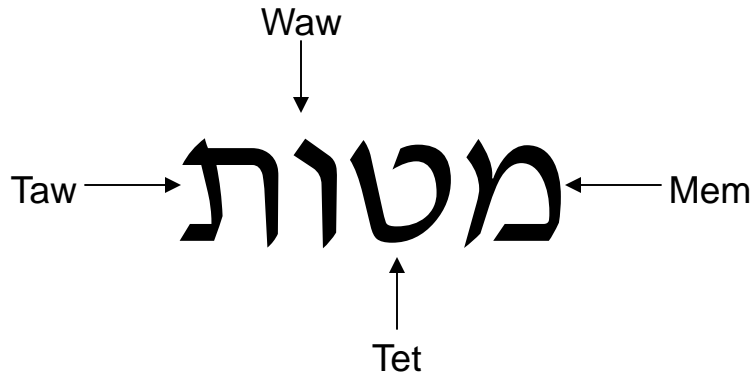
This angered Moshe, because the Midianite women had caused the Yisraelites to stray from YHWH. He commanded them to kill every woman and boy, but said that the little girls could live because they hadn't done anything wrong. They also let the animals live, and kept them for themselves.

The tribes of Reuven and Gad saw some of the land that they had conquered and asked Moshe for some of it as an inheritance. Moshe asked them if they wanted the others to all be fighting while they settled there, and made them feel guilty. Then they told him that they would help fight, but still wanted the land. Moshe said that if they wanted the land they had to fight with everyone else and if they returned alive, then that meant that YHWH was allowing them to have the land. Then, they went and built lots of cities.

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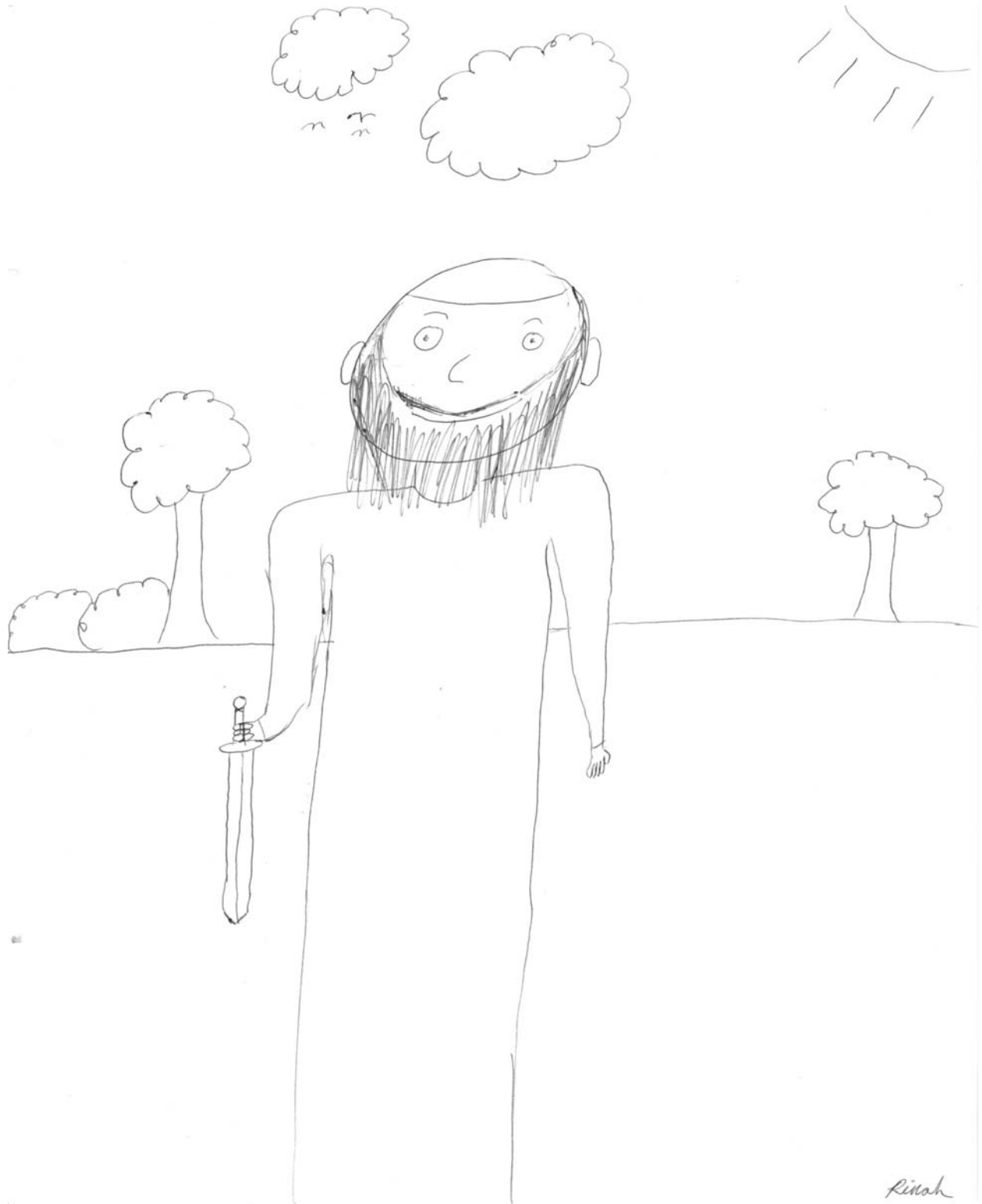
Draw how you think the land that Gad and Reuven wanted looked.

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If you want to you can draw
a picture for the next torah portion and send it to:
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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:
B'midbar (Numbers) 33:1-36:13



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