

## Children's Torah Portion



# וַיִּגַּשׁ

## Vayigash



Yehudah approached Yoseph and told him that if Benjamin did not return with them, their father would probably die of grief. Yoseph couldn't restrain himself any longer, and sent everyone out, except for his brothers. He told them that he was Yoseph, and they wept and talked with each other. Then his brothers returned to Canaan to get Yisrael ( Ya'aqov ), to live in Mitzrayim.

When Yisrael heard that Yoseph was still alive, he hurried to Mitzrayim. When Yoseph saw his father he ran to him and wept on his neck. Yoseph told Pharaoh that his family was there, and sent five of his brothers to him. Pharaoh gave them good land to dwell in, the best in the land of Mitzrayim. Then Yoseph brought his father to Pharaoh, and Yisrael blessed Pharaoh.

There was no bread on the earth because the famine was very severe. The people of Mitzrayim and Canaan became very hungry. No one had any more money to buy food, so they came and asked Yoseph what they should do. He told them that he would trade the bread for livestock.

The next year, there was no more livestock to give, so the people gave their land and themselves to Pharaoh for food. Yoseph gave them seed to sow, and told them that they needed to give Pharaoh one fifth of the food that they grew, but they would be able to keep the rest for themselves.

The children of Yisrael multiplied greatly in the land that was given to them.

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# Vayigash

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You try writing it!

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Unscramble the names of Yoseph's brothers.

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Yoseph's sons

YHHEUDA \_\_\_\_\_

MEPHIRA

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HAMNAESS

For the next Torah portion ( Genesis 47:28-50:26), there is going to be a picture contest. Draw a picture that fits the Torah portion and send it to:  
chayili@onetorahforall.org

The pictures will appear in the next parsha in the order of the best pictures. Please try to send them on the first or second days of the week.

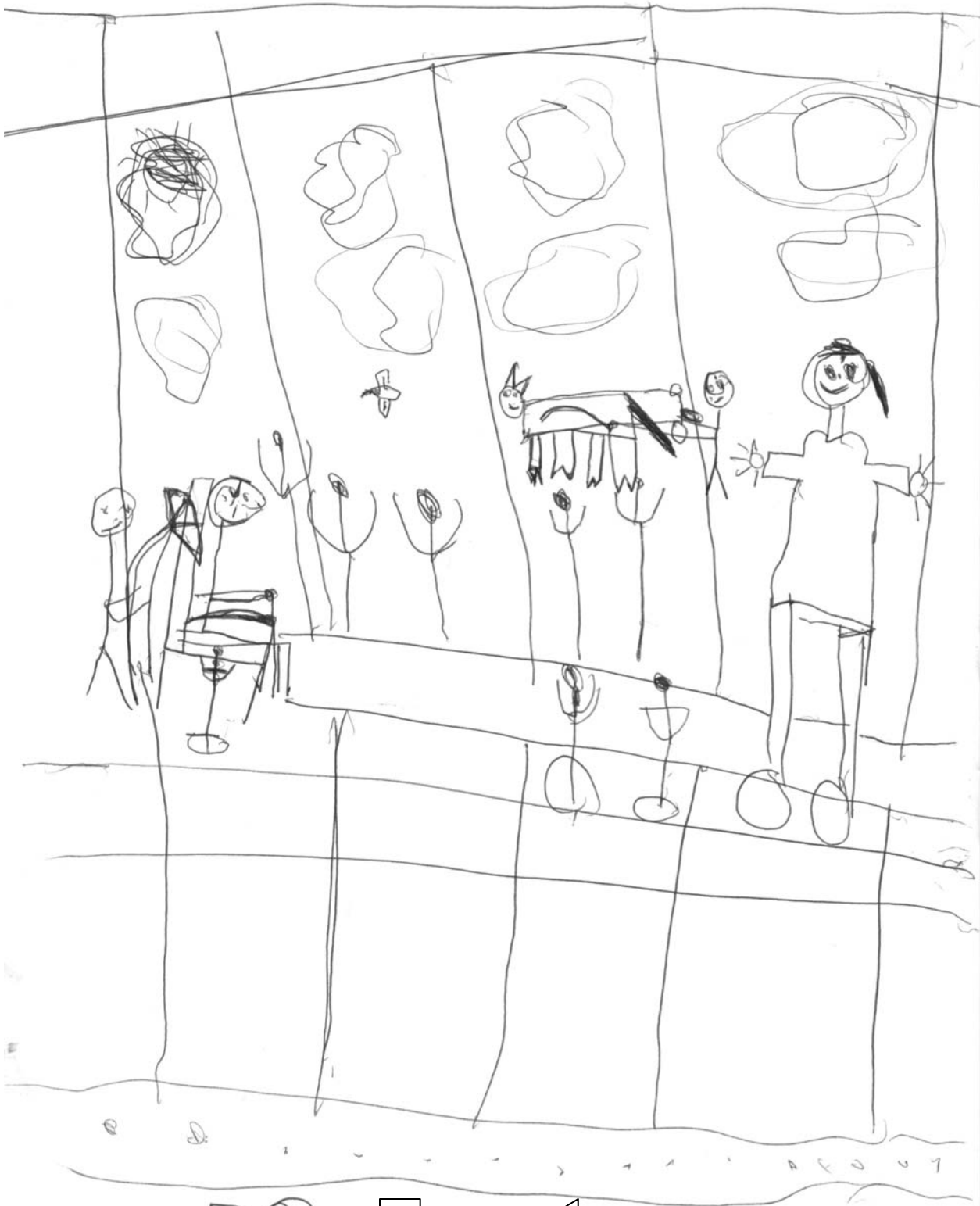
This will be a weekly drawing.

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# Trading animals for food

# Picture Contest



Egypt

Nessi bat Emunah