

Precious Possessions

NOTEBOOK PAGE

Materials:

- Cardstock - white
- Felt - various shades of green (for leaves)
- Small purple pompoms (for fruit)
- Curling ribbon - red (for tongue)
- Double-sided foam dimensional (for serpent)
- X-acto knife
- Puncturing tool
- Scissors
- Glue
- Coloring pencils, crayons or markers
- Optional: flower sequins (to embellish tree)
- Notebook Templates: Main Page & A (BW) or Main Page & B (color)

Parent/Teacher Preparation:

- Print Notebook Templates of choice on white cardstock.
- Depending on the skill of the child, you may need to cut out the felt leaves for the 2 trees.

2 Trees

Genesis 2:8-17; 3:1-24



Instructions for the Notebook Page:

- If using BW Templates, color using medium of choice.
- Cut out all Template pieces. (P1)
- Trace the leaves onto felt. (P2)
- Using an X-acto knife or scissors, cut out the leaves. Cut as many pieces as you desire. We cut 4 for each tree and used 4 shades of green.



P1



P2

Instructions for the Notebook Page cont'd:

Top of Main Page (Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil)

• Serpent

- Snip off a 2" piece of red curling ribbon.
- Remove the paper on one side of the foam dimensionals and adhere to the back of the serpent. (P3)
- Glue the 'tongue' to the back of the serpent. (P3)
- Remove the paper on the other side of the foam dimensionals and position the serpent onto the Main Page to the left of the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil. (P4)



P3

• Tree

- Glue the pre-cut green felt leaves onto the tree where desired. (P5)
- Glue purple pompoms to the fruit as desired. (P5)
- Optional: Add sequins such as flowers to the tree.



P4

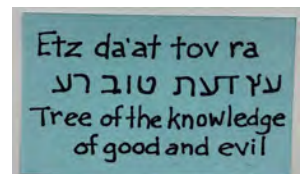
• Hebrew Word

- Write the following directly on the Main Page or on a piece of colored cardstock and glue to the page: (P6, P7)

1. Etz Da'at Tov Ra
2. עץ דעת טוב רע
3. Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil



P5



P6



P7

Instructions for the Notebook Page cont'd:

Bottom of Main Page (Tree of Life)

• Tree

- Glue the pre-cut green felt leaves onto the tree where desired. (P8)
- Glue purple pompoms to the fruit as desired. (P8)
- Optional: Add sequins such as flowers to the tree.

• Flaming Sword

- Using a puncturing tool, poke a hole through the middle stone on the sword. (P9)
- Line up the bottom of the sword with the end of the tree trunk and poke a hole through the Main Page. (P10)
- Insert a brad through the sword and Main Page. Open up the legs on the back of the page to secure. (P11)
- Make sure that the sword can turn to the left or right to guard the way to the Tree of Life. (P12)

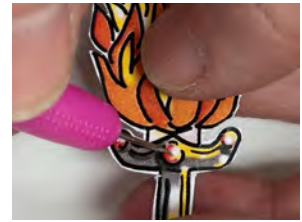
• Hebrew Word

- Write the following directly on the Main Page or on a piece of colored cardstock and glue to the page: (P13, P14)
 1. Etz Chai
 2. עץ חַי
 3. Tree of Life

You now have a visual representation of the serpent in the Garden of Eden near the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil as well as the flaming sword which turned each way to block the way to the Tree of Life.



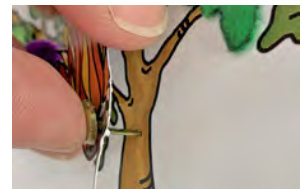
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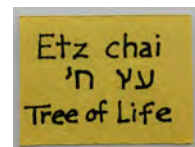
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P12



P13



P14