

# Precious Possessions

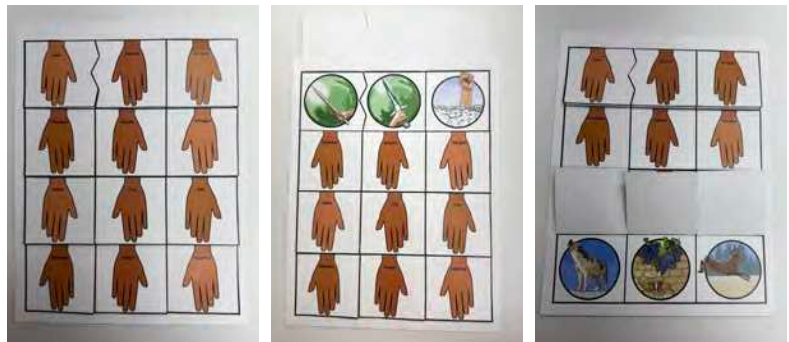
## NOTEBOOK PAGE

## Ya'aqob Blesses His Boys

Genesis 49:1-28

### Materials:

- Cardstock - white
- Clear tape
- Scissors
- Coloring pencils, crayons or markers
- Notebook Templates: Main Page (BW) & Hands Templates (BW w/out names or BW w/ names) or Main Page (color) & Hands Templates (color w/out names or color w/ names)



### Parent/Teacher Preparation:

- Print Notebook Templates of choice on white cardstock.

### Instructions for the Notebook Page:

- If using BW Main Page, color in the images representing the blessings using medium of choice.
- If using Hands Template (BW w/out names), color the hands and write the English and the Hebrew letters for each of the 12 brothers. Write them from right to left (Hebraically) according to the chart provided below.
- If using Hands Template (BW w/ names), color the hands and if desired write the names in Hebrew below the English.

Note we have provided flashcards in the 'Resources' section with the English and Hebrew spelling of each name. The file is available here:

<https://ymtoi.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/12-Vayechi-Yaaqobs-sons-in-Hebrew.pdf>

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|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Lewi<br>לוי        | Shim'on<br>שמעון  | Re'uben<br>ראובן  |
| Yissaskar<br>יששכר | Zebulun<br>זבולון | Yehudah<br>יהודה  |
| Asher<br>אשר       | Gad<br>גד         | Dan<br>דן         |
| Binyamin<br>בנימין | Yoseph<br>יוסף    | Naphtali<br>נפתלי |

- If using the colored Hands Templates, follow the same directions as above for writing the names.

# Instructions for the Notebook Page cont'd:

- Cut out each row of hands. (P1)
- Starting with the bottom row, place Binyamin, Yoseph and Naphtali hands over their corresponding blessings. (P2)
- Tear off 3 pieces of clear tape and place over each of the hands. (P3a, P3b, P3c)
- Using scissors, cut in between each square on the solid black lines to create flaps. (P4a, P4b)
- Each hand flap can now be raised to reveal the corresponding blessing for each of the sons of Ya'aqob. (P5a, P5b, P5c)
- Move to 2<sup>nd</sup> row from the bottom and repeat for Asher, Gad and Dan. (P6a, P6b)
- Move to 3<sup>rd</sup> row from the bottom and repeat for Yissaskar, Zebulun and Yehudah. (P7a, P7b)
- Move to the top row and repeat for Lewi, Shim'on and Re'uben. Note that you will also cut the zig zag line. (P8a, P8b, P8c)
- Your Notebook Page is now complete.



P1



P2



P3a



P3b



P3c



P4a



P4b

*You now have a visual representation of the blessings that Ya'aqob bestowed on his 12 sons.*



P5a



P5b



P5c



P6a



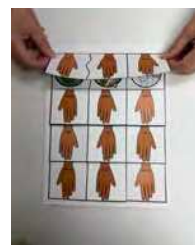
P6b



P7a



P7b



P8a



P8b



P8c