

Ki Teitzei

"When You Go Out"

Deuteronomy 21:10 - 25:19
Katan Aleph



In This Edition:

49.1 - Be Fair & Show You Care
Deuteronomy 22-25



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Gem Seeking

LITTLE GEMS STORY

Parent/Teacher Preparation:

Please see the [Instructions for the Little Gems Story](#) on the YMTOI website. This will help you to understand how to prepare for the story.

Be Fair & Show You Care

Shalom children! In this week's story, we will see what other right-rulings Yahweh has given to His people. He has all kinds of instructions He wants the Yisra'elites to know about - things like how to take care of their neighbors, how to dress, and how to treat animals. And not only does He want them to know about these right-rulings, He also warns His people to guard them and do them without fail! Remember, Yahweh wants to keep them safe and bless them, so knowing and following His commands will help them (and us!) to enjoy good, prosperous lives. Let's go over some of them together.

First, let's look at how Yahweh wants the Yisra'elites to care for their neighbors. They are told that if they see someone else's animal wandering off, or if they find something that belongs to somebody else, they should bring the animal or the item back to that person. If you lost something, wouldn't you want someone to bring it back to you when they found it? I would! So of course we should do the same for others. **(Place boy returning cat to girl on board.)** And if they see that a neighbor's animal has fallen down, Yahweh tells them that they should stop and help. **(Place ox in ditch on board.)** He also gives them instructions on the right way to lend money or to loan an item to somebody.

Now, if a Yisra'elite goes to a neighbor's vineyard, where lots of grape plants grow, he may eat from the plants but is not supposed to collect grapes in his basket. **(Place correct and incorrect way to collect grapes scene on board.)** He is also not allowed to cut a neighbor's grain but picking the top part off by hand is okay. **(Place correct and incorrect way to collect grain scene on board.)** If they are in their own fields collecting the harvest, they should not go back for any sheaves that they forgot or collect grapes that are behind them. These should be left for sojourners, orphans, and widows. **(Place sojourner, children and older woman on board)**

Yahweh also instructs the people to:

- Pay their needy workers the same day that they did the work **(place silver coins on board)**
- Remember to be kind to sojourners, the fatherless, and widows **(point to sojourner, children and older woman on board)**
- Measure and weigh things honestly and accurately **(place scales on board)**
- Not hate Edomites or Mitsrites **(place Edomite and Mitsrite on board)**



Not only does Yahweh want His people to take care of others, He also wants them to be kind to animals. If a bird's nest is found, the mother has to be let go before the eggs can be taken. **(Place nest with eggs on board.)** An ox and a donkey should not be made to plough together **(place donkey and ox ploughing together on board)**; that could be awkward or difficult for them. And an ox should not have to wear a muzzle while it is working. **(Place ox with muzzle on board.)**

Yahweh doesn't want the people mixing up certain things. Different kinds of seeds should not be mixed either, so that the fruit that is grown in that vineyard **(place hand with mixed seeds and "X" on board)** stays the way it was intended to be. And if someone is a boy, he should not wear girls' clothing, and if someone is a girl, she should not wear boys' clothing. **(Point to children on board.)** Do you think Yahweh wants people to be happy with the way that He made them instead of pretending to be something else? Yahweh also doesn't want the Yisra'elites to wear pieces of clothing that are made with both wool and linen. **(Place mixed threads with "X" on board.)** They will have to pick one or the other. And since we are talking about clothing now, let's mention tzitziyot. These are the tassels that the Yisra'elites are commanded to wear on the 4 corners of their garments. **(Place clothing with tzitzit on board.)**

Safety is important to Yahweh, too. Do your parents ever give you rules to follow so that you won't get hurt? Well, Yahweh has some of these rules for the Yisra'elites. When they build a new house, they should put a parapet on the roof. **(Place house with parapet on board.)** This is like a small wall or guardrail that will help keep people from falling off the roof. You might have seen one on a building that has a flat roof where people can walk around on top. The people are also told that if someone gets a disease called leprosy, they should listen to what the priests and Lewites tell them to do. **(Place priest examining man with spots on board.)**

The Yisra'elites are told to make sure they remember to keep their promises. Hmm, let's think about this one for a minute. Have you ever promised your parents or siblings or friends that you would do something, but then you didn't follow through with it? Yahweh wants us to be true to our promises. If it is something that we won't really do, then we shouldn't be making that promise.

Finally, they get the instructions that certain people are not allowed to be in Yahweh's community for certain periods of time. **(Point to person with spots on board.)** And they are reminded of how Amaleq attacked them and treated them so badly when they were coming out of Mitsrayim. They are told that they should try to erase the memory of Amaleq. **(Place Amaleqite on board.)**

Well, I think these are enough right-rulings for us to cover today. Were there any of these instructions that you already knew about? **(Let children answer and discuss.)** Were there any instructions we talked about today that you had never heard before? **(Let children answer again.)** There is always so much to learn when we sit and listen to Yahweh's instructions!

Well children, we have come to the end of our story for today. We will see you next week for another exciting Little Gems story!



Children



Silver coins

Amalekite



Edomite



Mitsrite



Sojourner

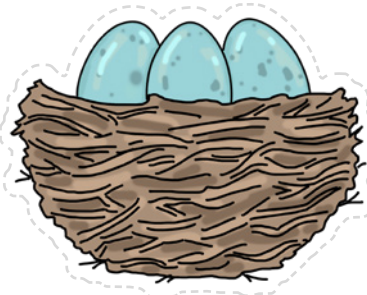


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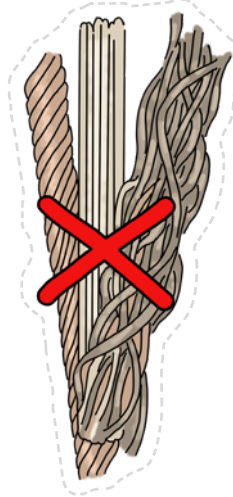
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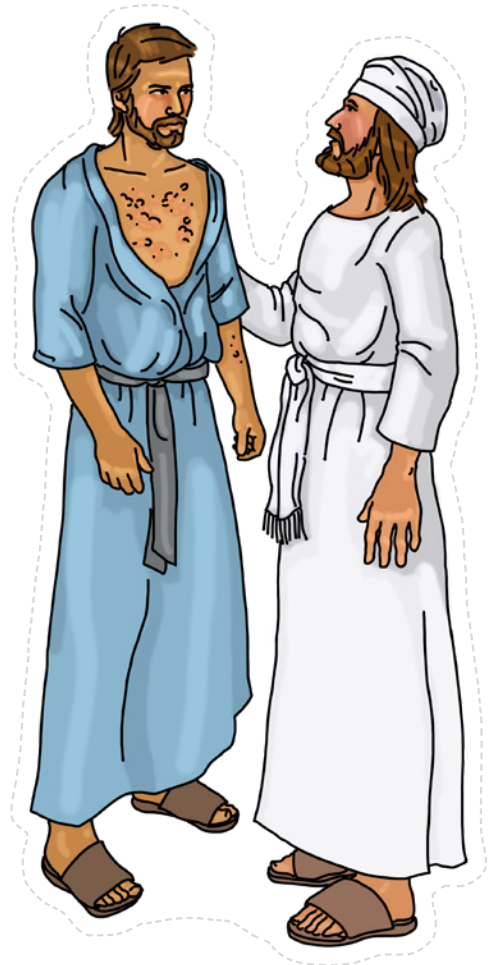
Boy returning cat to girl



Nest with egg



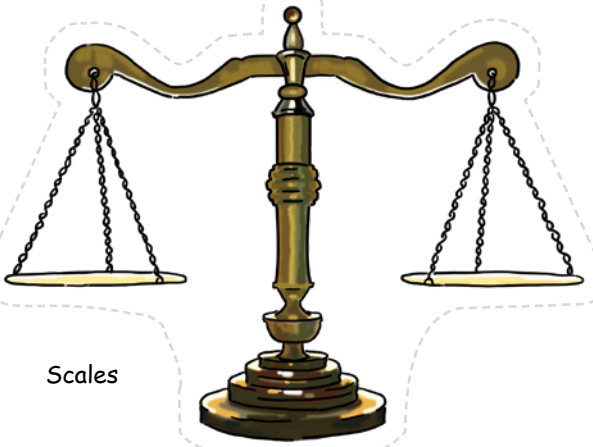
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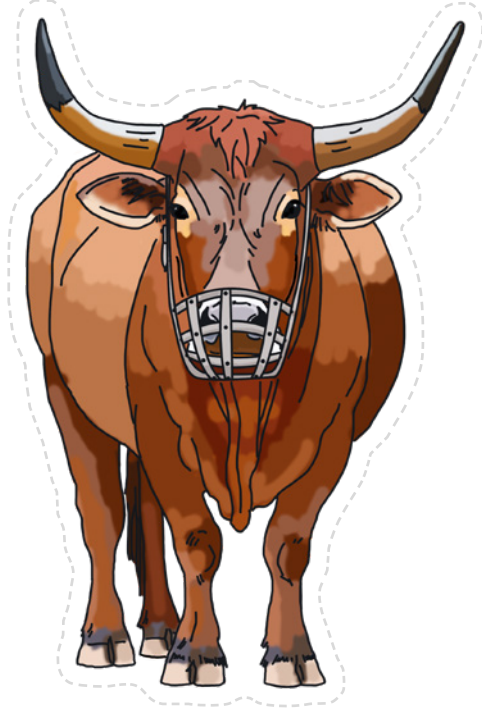
Ox in ditch



Clothing with tzitzit

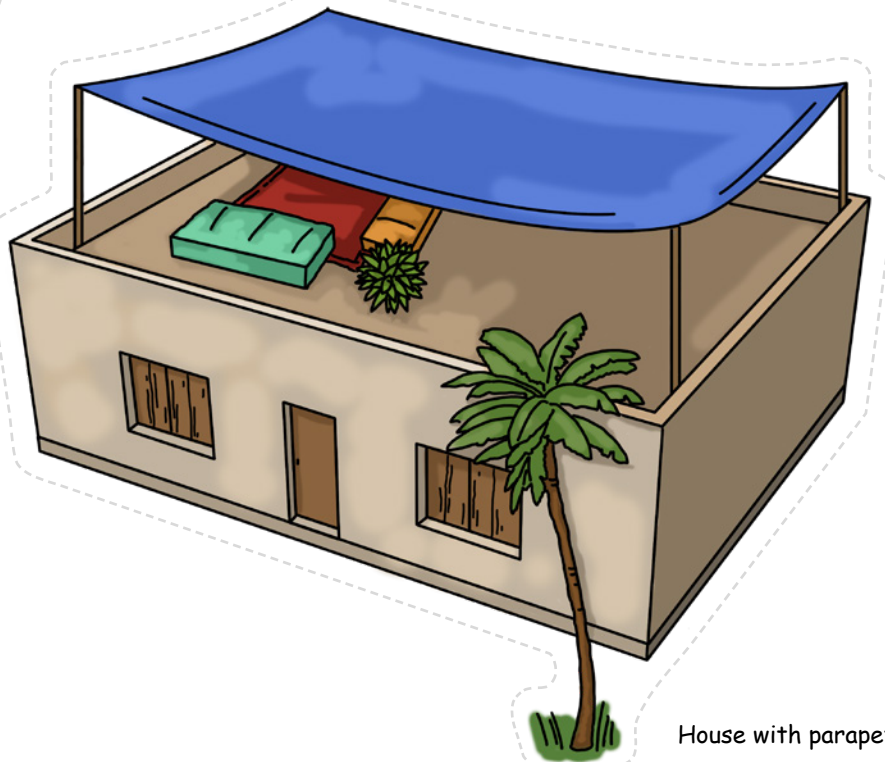
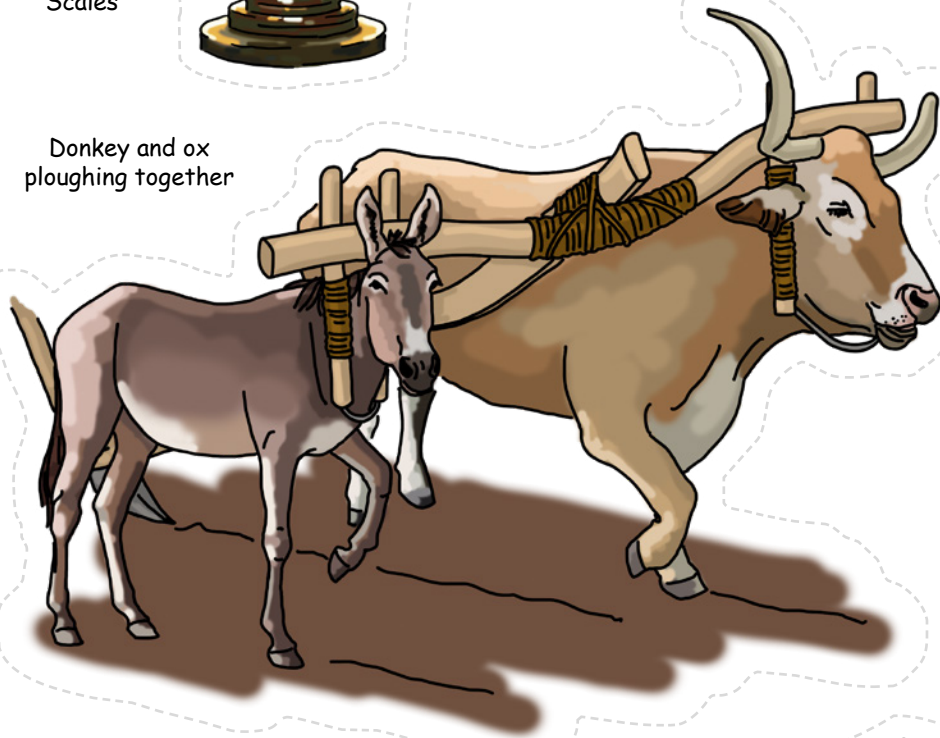


Scales



Ox with muzzle

Donkey and ox ploughing together



House with parapet



Hand with mixed seeds and "X"



Correct and incorrect way to collect grain scene



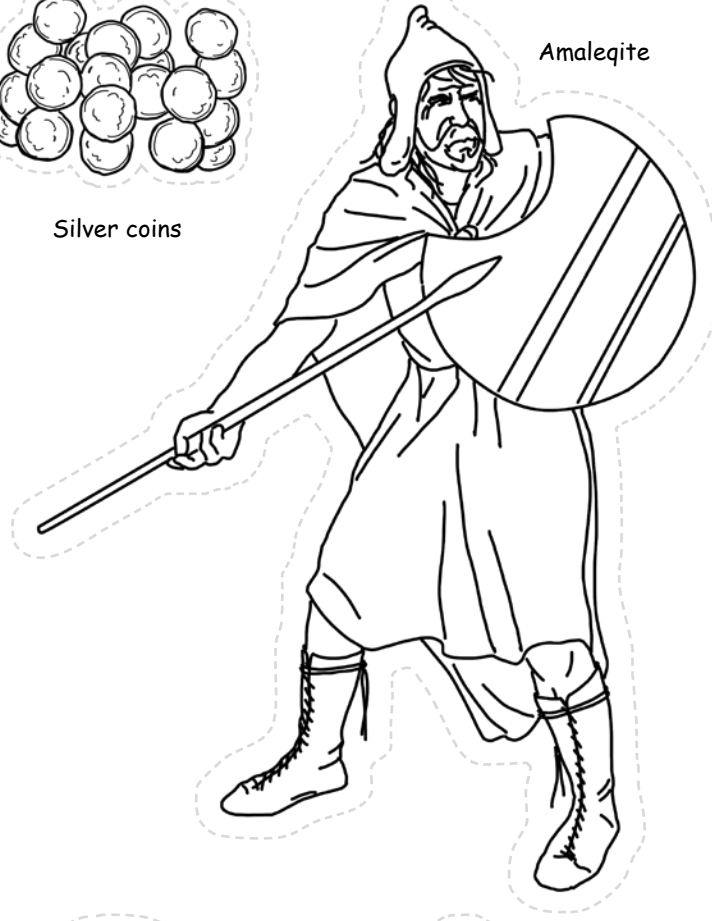
Correct and incorrect way to collect grapes scene

Children



Silver coins

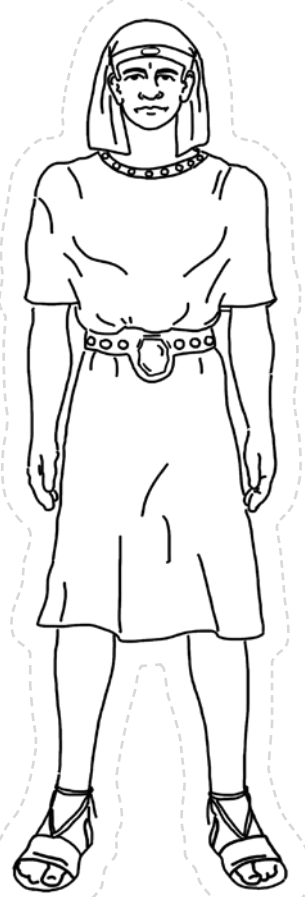
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Mitsrite



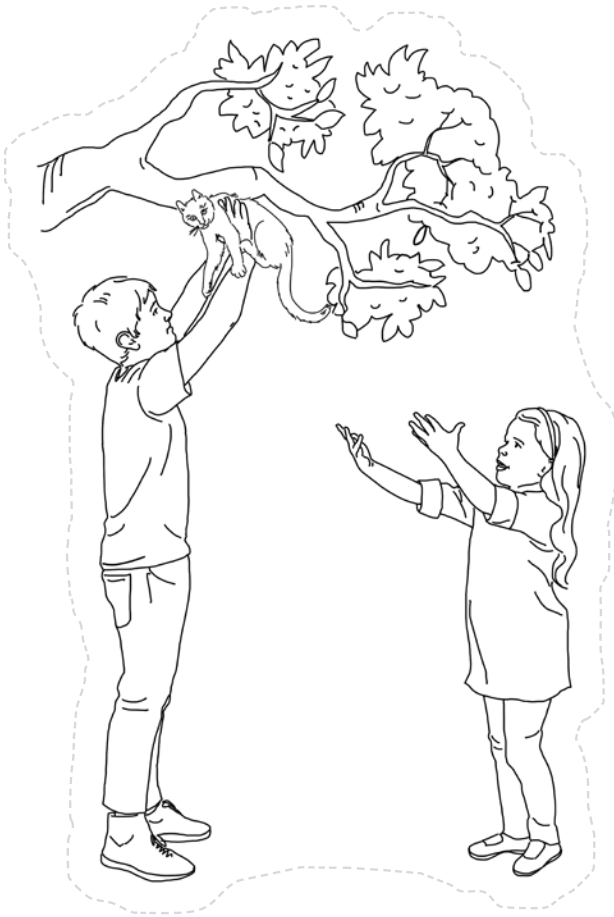
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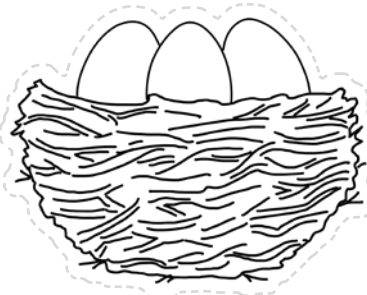
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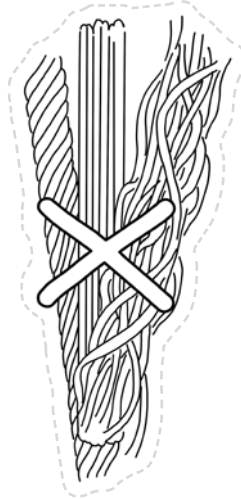
Priest examining man with spots



Boy returning cat to girl



Nest with egg



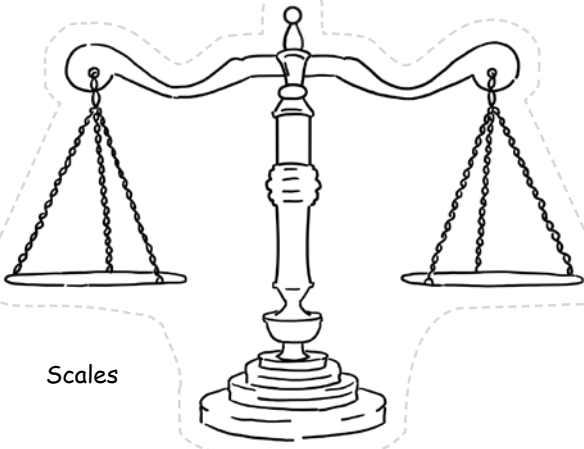
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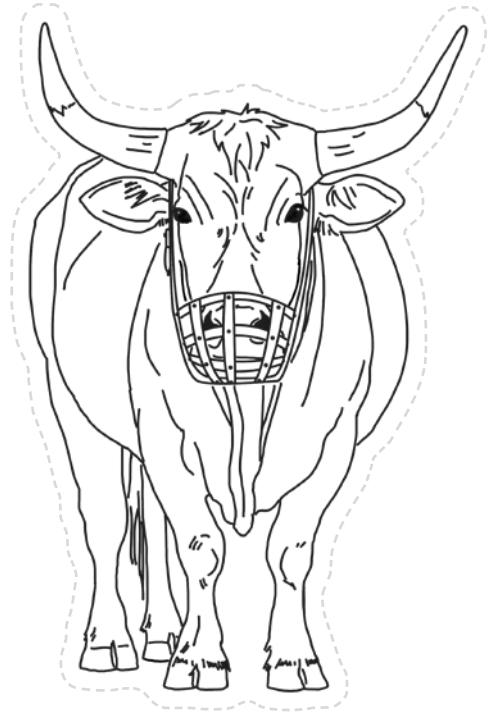
Ox in ditch



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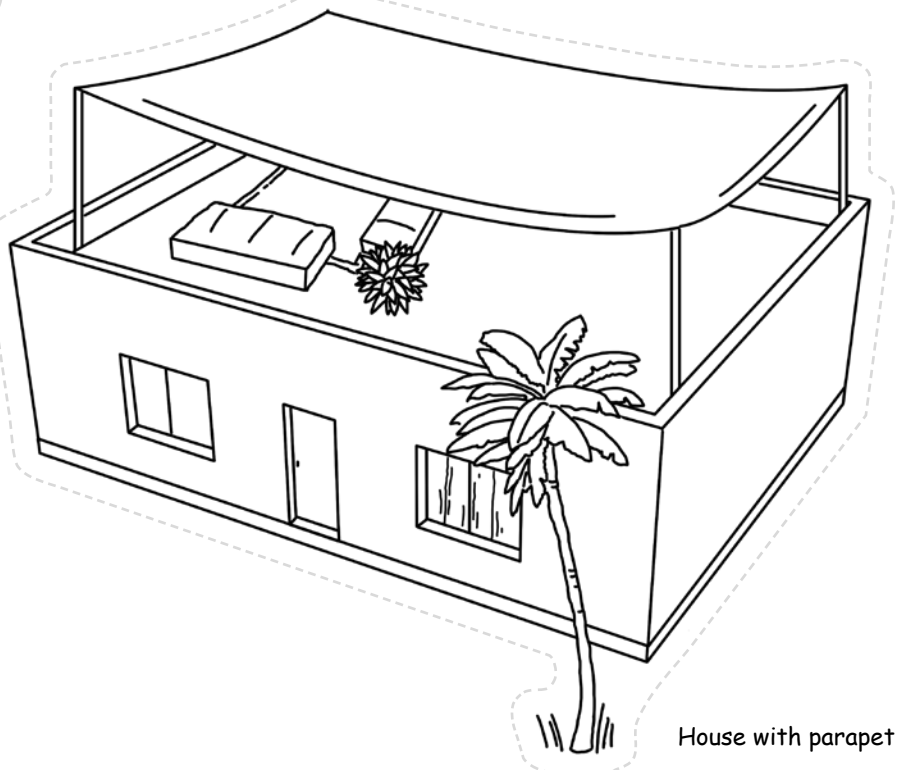
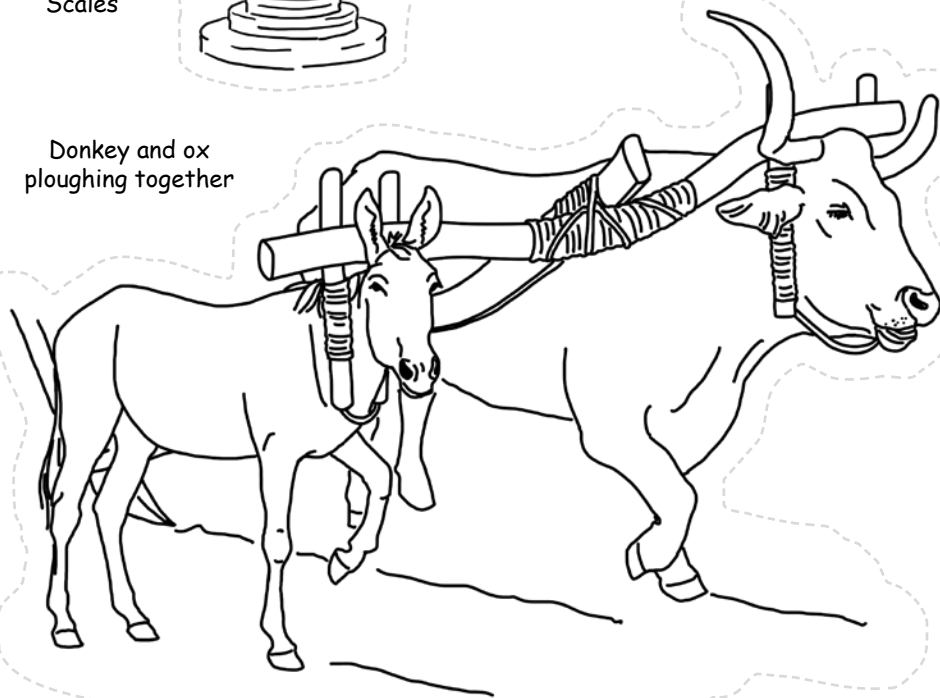


Scales



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Donkey and ox ploughing together



House with parapet



Hand with mixed seeds and "X"



Correct and incorrect way to collect grain scene



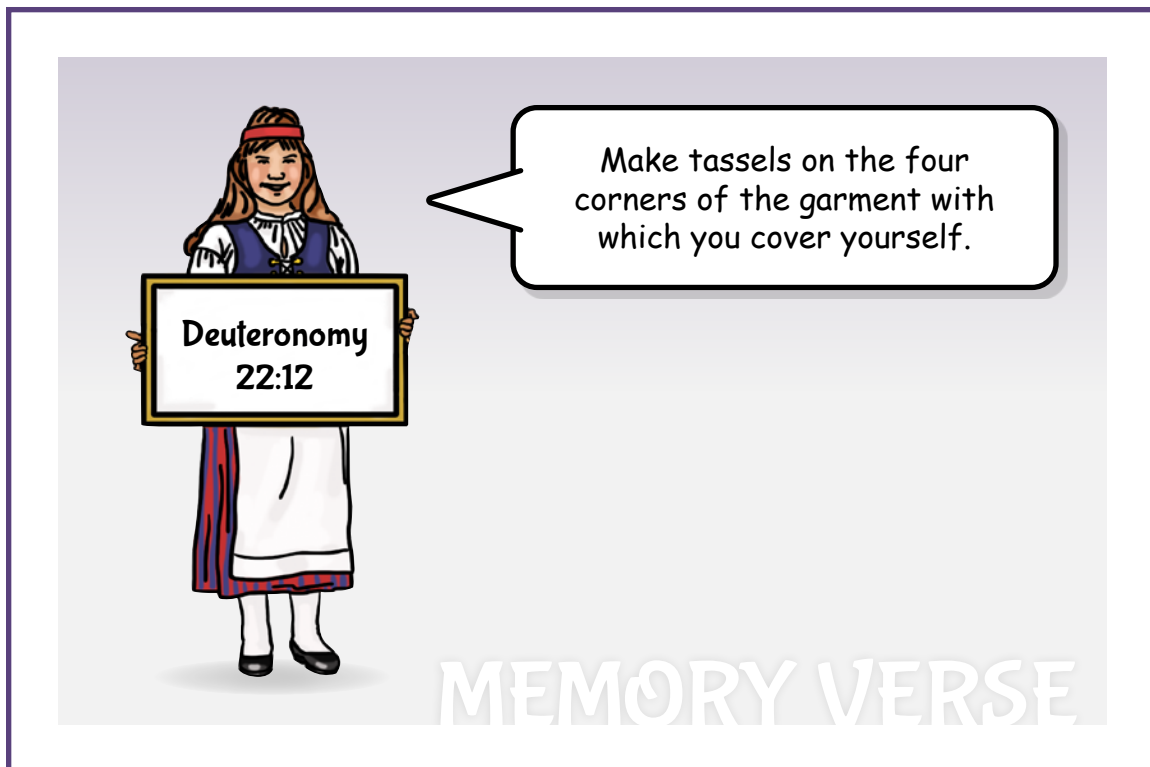
Correct and incorrect way to collect grapes scene

Counting What You Gained

This next section is intended to be reinforcement of the lessons learned during this parsha. Choose the activities that best fit your child.

STORING UP TREASURE IN MY HEART

The Katan Aleph memory verse for this Torah portion is Deuteronomy 22:12. If they have not already done so, begin to help them to memorize the verse. Be creative and try acting it out, or putting it to music.

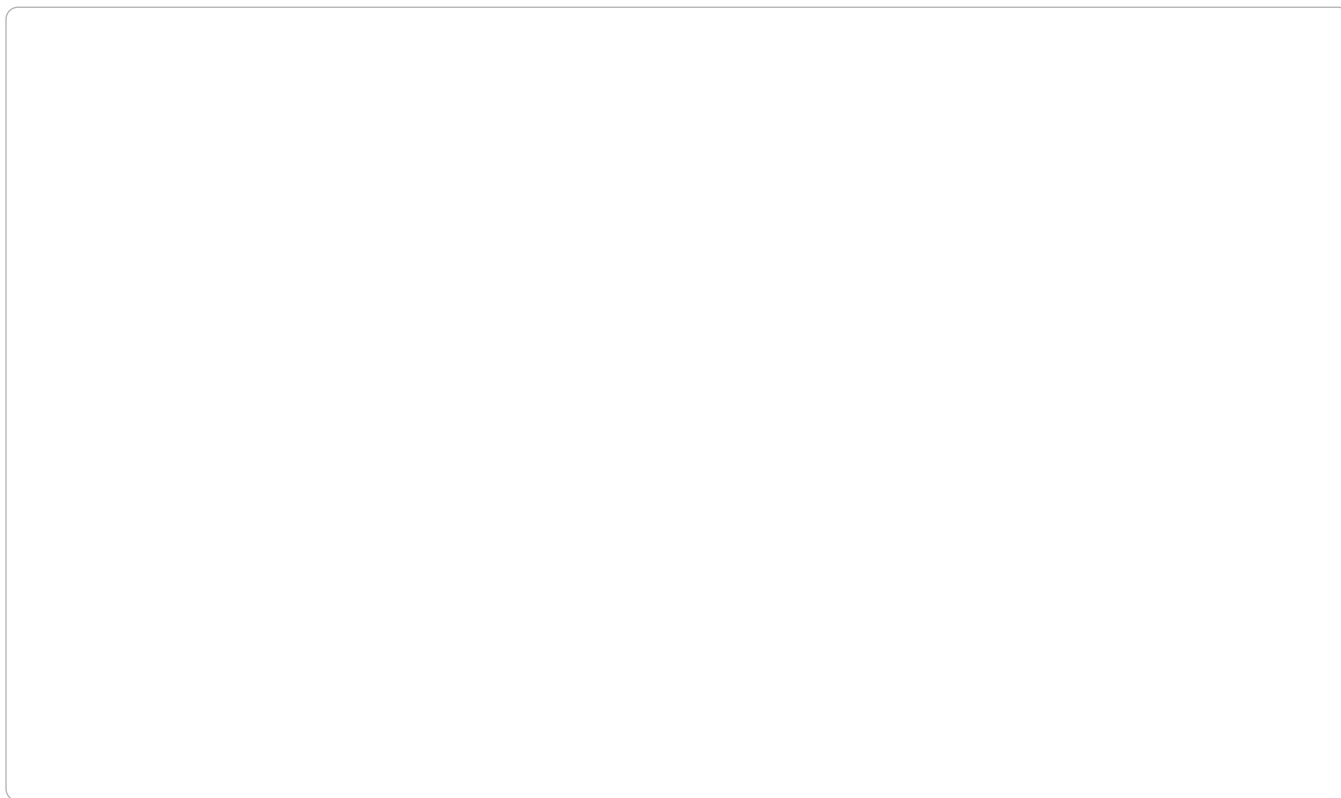


Deuteronomy
22:12

Make tassels on the four corners of the garment with which you cover yourself.

MEMORY VERSE

Use this space to draw a picture of the verse memorized.



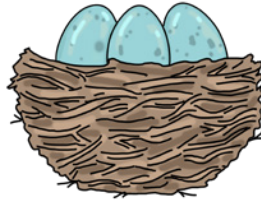
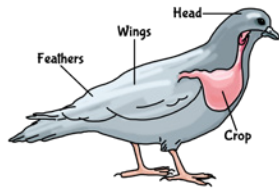
Use this space to write out the verse memorized.



SEEKING TREASURE

Circle the correct choices.

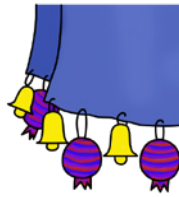
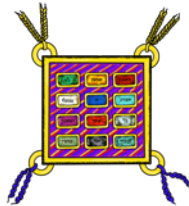
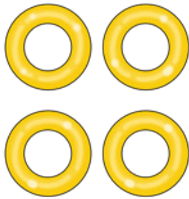
1. When you come upon a bird's nest, what portion are you allowed to take? (22:6-7)



2. Which pictures represent safety precautions Yahweh asked that a home have? (22:8)



3. What did Yahweh instruct to be put on the 4 corners of a garment? (22:12)



4. Which picture depicts the correct way to gather grapes in your neighbor's vineyard? (23:24)

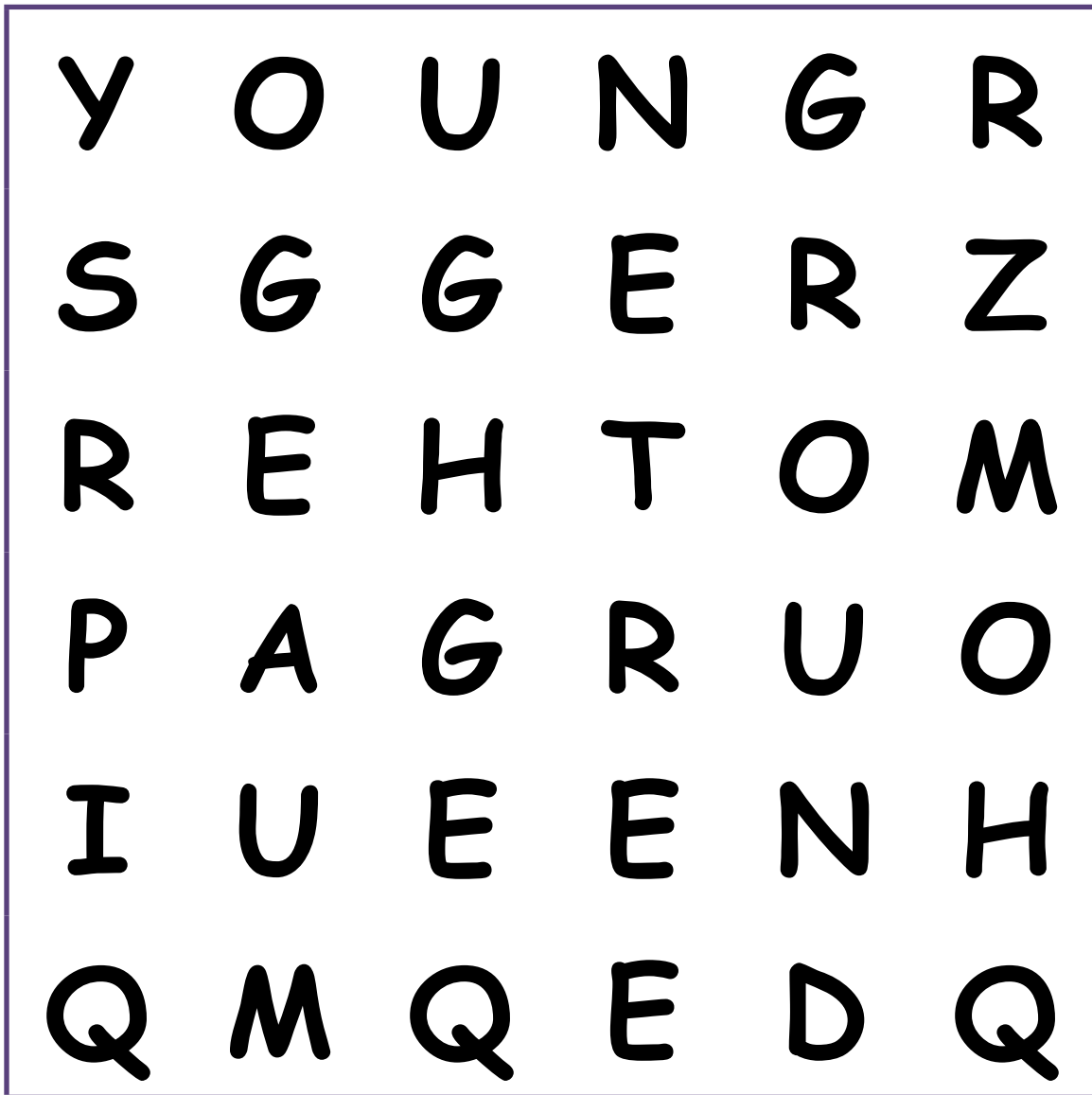


5. Which picture depicts the correct way to gather grain in your neighbor's field? (23:25)



WORD SEARCH

Search for the hidden words from this week's parsha.



TREE

GROUND

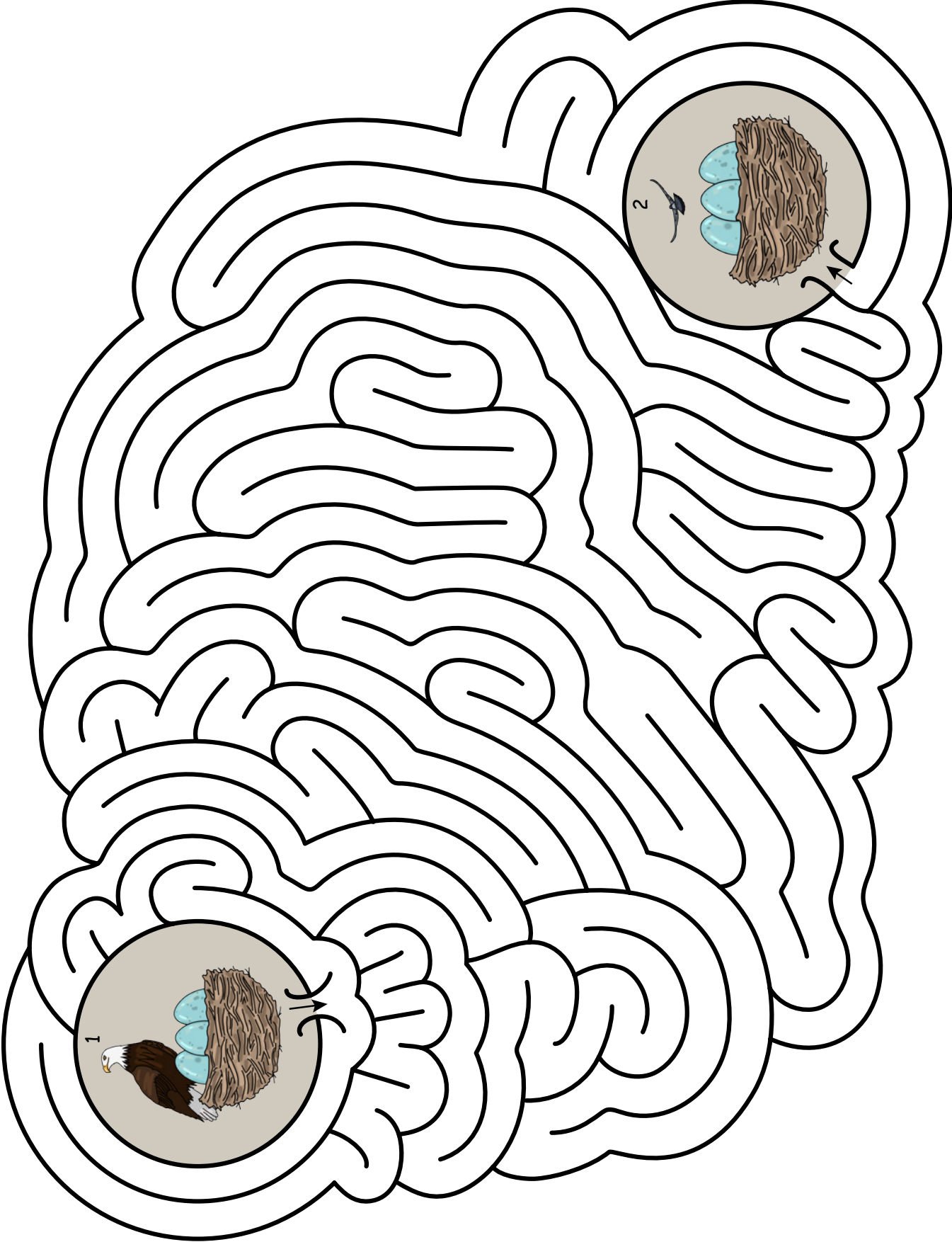
EGGS

MOTHER

YOUNG



MAZE



Precious Possessions

CRAFT

Materials:

- Cardstock - white and color of choice for beaks
- Feathers
- Googly eyes
- Foam - colors of choice for birds
- Jumbo (2) and regular (1) craft sticks
- Glue of choice
- Scissors
- Craft Templates: A & nest (BW) or A & nest (color)

Parent/Teacher Preparation:

- Print Craft Templates on cardstock.

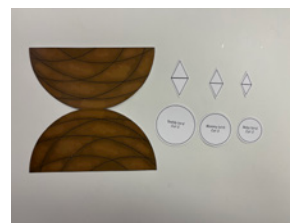
Bird's Nest

Deuteronomy 22:6-7

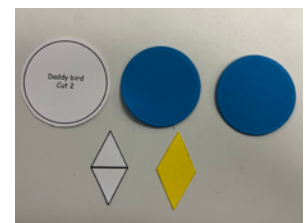


Instructions for the Craft:

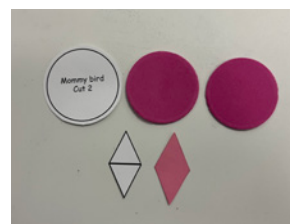
- If using BW Template, color using medium of choice.
- Cut out all Craft Templates. (P1)
- Trace the bird bodies onto foam color of choice and cut out 2 circles per bird. (P2a, P2b, P2c)
- Trace the bird beaks onto colored cardstock of choice and cut out 1 beak per bird. (P2a, P2b, P2c)
- Place feathers of choice over the bodies of each bird. (P3a, P3b, P3c)
- Run glue onto the lower edge of the bird face. (P4a, P4b, P4c)



P1



P2a



P2b



P2c



P3a



P3b



P3c



P4a



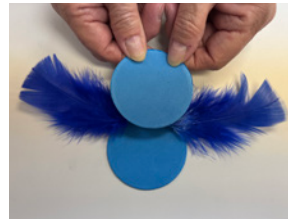
P4b



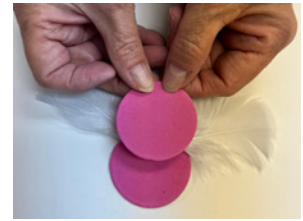
P4c

Instructions for the Craft Cont'd:

- Place the bird face over the feathers and bird body. (P5a, P5b, P5c)
- For the daddy bird, run glue on a feather and glue under the head to create a plume. (P6a, P6b)
- Glue 2 googly eyes to each bird. (P7a, P7b, P7c)
- Using a ruler, fold the beaks in half. (P8a, P8b, P8c)
- Run glue on the back and bottom half of the folded beak and lay the beak under the eyes on the bird's face. (P9a, P9b)
- Run glue on one end of 2 jumbo craft sticks and 1 regular craft stick about 1" long. (P10a, P10b)



P5a



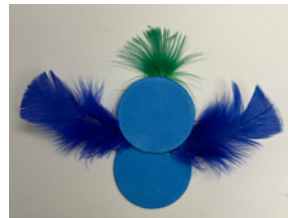
P5b



P5c



P6a



P6b



P7a



P7b



P7c



P8a



P8b



P8c



P9a



P9b



P10a

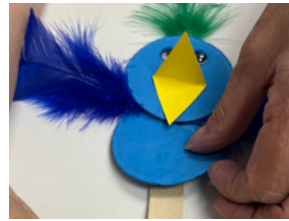


P10b

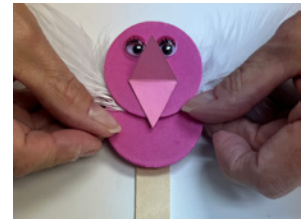
Instructions for the Craft Cont'd:

- Lay the birds onto the glue. (P11a, P11b, P11c)
- Allow the birds to dry. (P12)
- Fold the bird nest in half. (P13)
- Open up the nest and place some glue along one edge, but don't run a continuous strip. Leave some gaps so that the craft sticks can be inserted into the nest. (P14)
- Allow nest to dry. (P15)
- Place family of birds into the nest when all characters are dry. (P16)

You now have a visual representation of a nest with birds in it relating to the instruction for taking the young, but not the mother.



P11a



P11b



P11c



P12



P13



P14

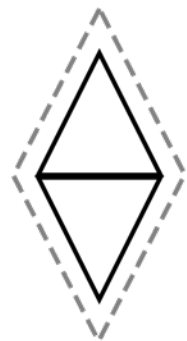
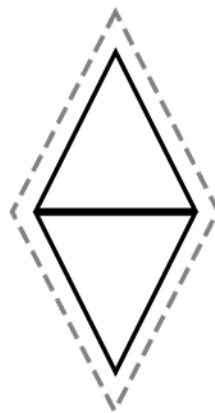
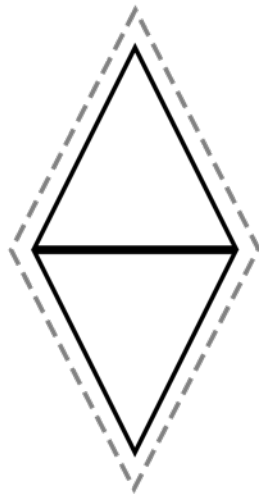
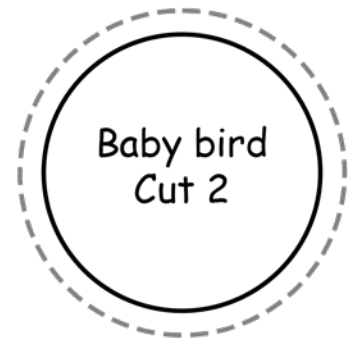
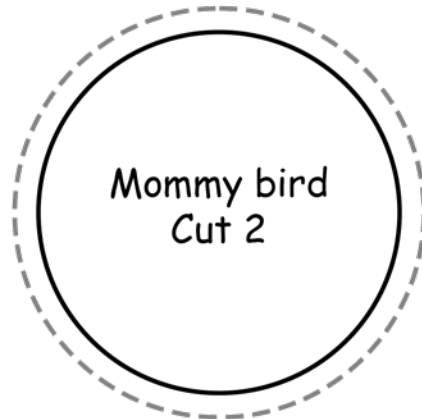
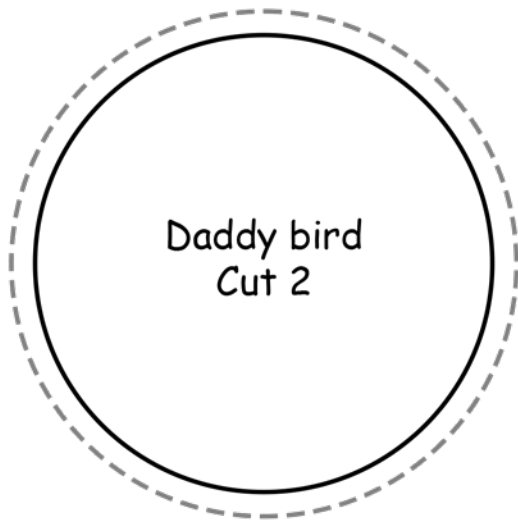


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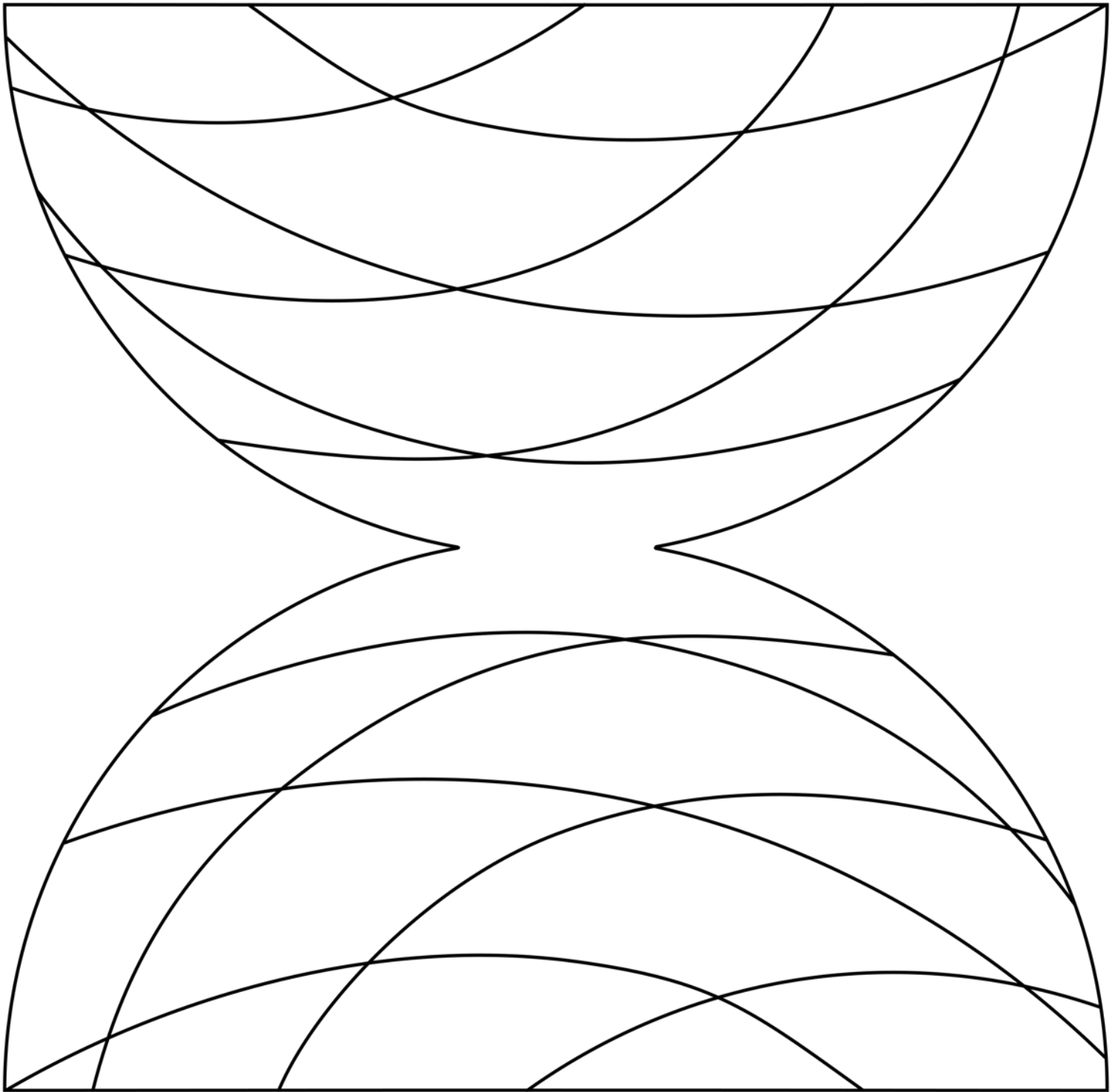


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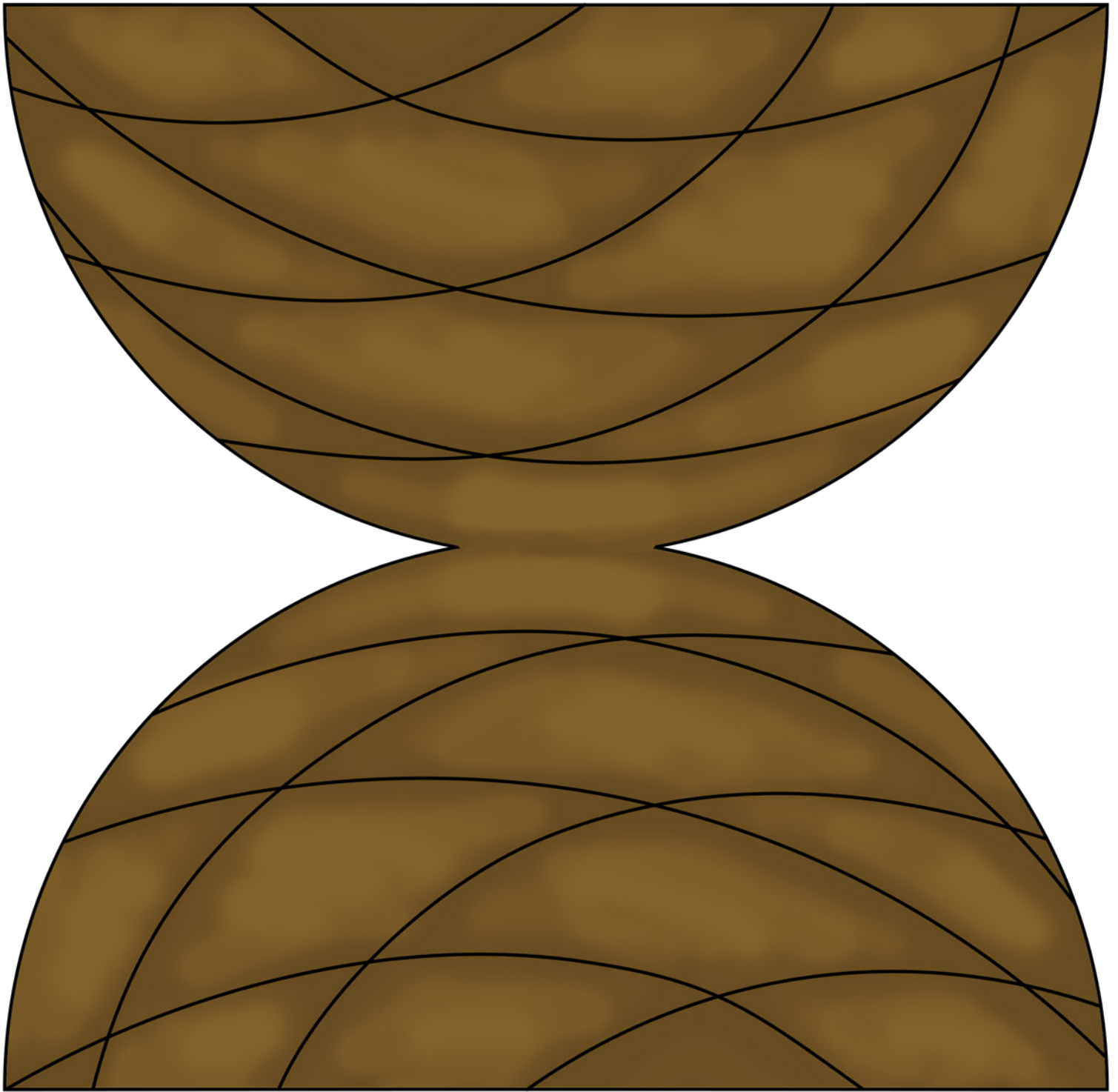
Craft Template A



Craft Template Nest (BW)



Craft Template Nest (color)





Sweetness of Torah

SWEET SOUNDS OF TORAH

(Sing Praises to His Name)

Here is the link for this song:

https://www.podomatic.com/podcasts/steveberkson/episodes/2017-08-27T05_50_47-07_00

Be Fair and Show You Care

Everybody must be fair
Everyone must show they care

Don't be wasteful
Please be kind
Try to think, with others in mind

Everybody must be fair
Everyone must show they care



SWEET TASTE OF TORAH

This snack relates to this week's parsha. Please take these as suggestions and make necessary changes based on your individual dietary needs.

Mother Bird with Eggs in Nest

Deuteronomy 22:6



Ingredients:

- 1 round slice of pineapple (represents body of bird)
- 1 baby carrot/cheese/apricot (represents beak, feet and feathers)
- 2 chocolate covered raisins (represents eyes)
- A handful of pretzel sticks (represents nest)
- A handful of *Berry Berry Kix* cereal (represents eggs)

Instructions:

Grab a plate and place your round slice of pineapple in the center. Place some pretzel twists around the bottom of the plate to resemble a bird's nest.

Using a knife or kitchen scissors (please supervise children if allowing them to slice), slice your baby carrot/cheese/apricots into 2 thin rounds. Place these on the bird for the feet. Next, slice another round off your carrot/cheese/apricot and cut it into a triangle. Place this triangle on your bird for the nose. Finally, slice 3 thin strips off the remaining baby carrot/cheese/apricot. Stick these on top of the bird for the top feathers.

Take your 2 chocolate covered raisins and place them on the bird for the eyes.

Lastly, grab a handful of *Berry Berry Kix* cereal and put some in the empty spaces in your nest to represent the bird eggs.

Next Week's Treasure Hunt

Next Week's Torah Portion



Suggested Reading Schedule

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| Monday: | Deut. 26:1-15 | First-fruits and 3 rd tithe declaration and presentation to the priest |
| Tuesday: | Deut. 26:16-27:8 | Covenant proclamations; Instructions for stone altar construction at Mt. Eybal, with Torah inscriptions |
| Wednesday: | Deut. 27:9-26 | Curses spoken from Mt. Eybal for disobedience |
| Thursday: | Deut. 28:1-14 | The blessings pronounced for obedience |
| Friday: | Deut. 28:15-29:8 | Additional curses pronounced for disobedience; Preamble to renewal of the Sinaitic covenant |

