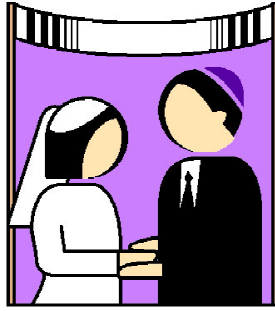


One For Me,
One For You



Alice Big Cave Cold Crystal High Hughes Indian
Rock Silver Sinking Sulphur



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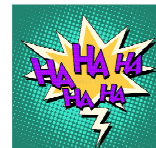
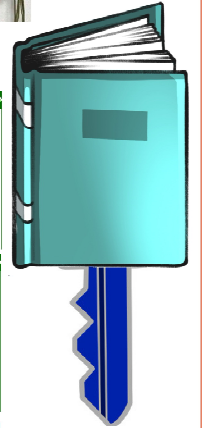
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$$\frac{1}{5} = \frac{1}{4}$$



TWO
and a half
MEN

Rhyming
Royalty



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all the
difference

79
Au

47
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29
Cu

26
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Sn

82
Pb





The fun way to go over the weekly sedra with your children, grandchildren, Shabbat guests

PI-N'CHAS

No Unexplaineds

MATOT-MAS'EI

Father/daughter - see them? He's giving her a bracha, but in the context of Parshat Matot, he (the father) has the power to annul her vows (on the day he hears of them). This applies to a daughter of a specific age - see Sedra Summary for details <> Husband/wife. This is the other pair that is involved in HAFARAT NEDARIM (not HATARAT). There are significant differences between the husband's setting aside his wife's vow and a father's setting aside his daughter's vow. Again, see Sedra Summary for details <> 5 crowns & one, with a sword over them refers to the five kings of Midyan - EVI, REKEM, TZUR, CHUR, REVA - and BIL'AM who saw their end during the battle against Midyan - by the sword <> Face-to-face sheep, goats, cows, donkeys represent the even split of the spoils of war from Midyan - one for you and one for me - between the army and the people. This is an indicator of the debt of gratitude we owe our soldiers for protecting us and for fighting for us. It was so then

and it is so today vis-a-vis TZAHAL, the police, and security personnel <> gold bars refers to the contribution of the officers of the battle in thanks to G-d for the zero casualty rate among them <> Pyramids - Egypt, where MAS'EI B'NEI YISRAEL began <> two sukkot for SUKKOT - first location out of Egypt <> logo of YOTVATA dairy company, stands for the place of encampment of the same name * the choir for is for MAK-HEILATA, another encampment <> Chanukiya for CHASHMONA - which not only sounds like Chanuka's Chashmona'im, but it was the 25th place of encampment (depending upon how you count them), as in CHANUKAF-HEI <> Pomegranate with P for Rimon Peretz, another place of encampment <> The map with a big 3 on each side of the Jordan River refers to the Cities of Refuge to be designated in Eretz Yisrael <> The scales of justice are for the careful attention that the courts must pay in cases of homicide (the example from this week's sedra) in determining culpability of the guilty party <> The road sign to Hebron is one of the requirements for Cities of Refuge (of which Hevron was one). Roads to them must be well-marked to facilitate the fleeing to them of one who committed a homicide, regardless of the level of his culpability <> Cow with the horns stands for the rare (this once only) occurrence of

the TROP called KARNEI PARA <> the mathematically incorrect statement, that a fifth is equal to a quarter. A quarter is REVA, one of the five kings (1/5) killed in the Midyanite battle. <> Five more Chatan-Kalla, this time representing the daughters of Tz'lofchad who marry distant cousins to solve the "land going from one tribe to another tribe" problem <> Smiley is wearing a Mexican sombrero, so we are looking for the word smile in Spanish, which is RISA, a sound alike (or a sound the same) as the place of encampment, RISA <> ballot box with a hand putting a slip of paper with the letter O on it, on its way into the box. That, then, is an O-VOTE, as in the place called OVOT <> book-key as in the tribal leader of Dan, BUKI b. YONGLI <> compass with the North being designated by the letters LE rather than N. This gives us ELITZAFAN (close to TZAFON) ben PARNACH, the nasi of Zevulun <> the six elements are for the six metals mentioned in one pasuk - there is a subtle addition to this pictogram. In the pasuk, when there is a VAV connecting two elements, they are touching with no space between them. When there is no VAV, the symbols are separated with a space <> The logo above the Chanukiya is for DAVKA writer, the fantastic word processor which has helped with Torah Tidbits for years and now helps with PhiloTorah. English, Hebrew -

great nikud and trop capabilities. Data files of many sifrei kodesh. Good search ability. Lots of other good features. Sounds similar to DAFKA, one of the places of encampment <> Emblem of the city of Eilat. Etzion Gever (one of the places of encampment) is around Eilat and/or Aqaba <> The boy is trembling in fear - CHARADA (one of the places of decampment) <> March 20th to June 21 is Spring. 2015-2026 is a period of 12 years. That would be 12 springs, as in EILIM <> The army (IDF) flak jacket is called an EIFOD. Chaniel ben Eifod was the nasi of Menashe <> Two and a Half Men is a TV sitcom. For M&M, though, it represents the two and a half tribes to be settled on the east side of the Jordan River. Extra touch: MEN is half of MENASHE <> Rhyming royalty are TZUR and CHUR, two of the five kings of Midyan killed by the Israelite army. Side point: If the full fighting force of Israel was over 600,000 men, then the 12,000 who fought against Midyan are truly an Israel-lite army <> HA HA HA HA HA are for the 5 sedra-names that have their initial HEI chopped off. HA-MISHPATIM, HASH'MINI, HAM'TZORA, HAMATOT, HAD'VARIM <> the equation: $2+50+10 (62) + 200+1+6+2+50 (259) = 321$ is for B'nei R'uvein - who built CHESHBON (arithmetic) <> and two new Unexplaineds