



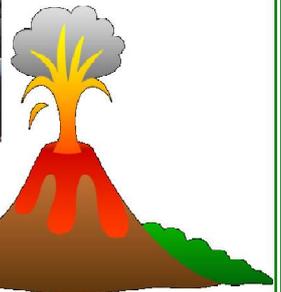
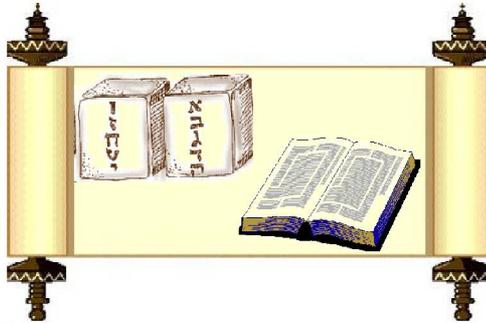
sweet ב"ה

salty

WORD



MCLX



~~March~~

umami

sour

bitter





B'shalach - Shira

 that leaves one challenging Unexplained



The both direction arrows in quotes is something that is said forwards and backwards. The Moon was the clue to Kiddush L'vana, in which we say Shalom Aleichem and Aleichem Shalom. &? means and what else do we say forwards and backwards in KL? The answer is a partial pasuk from the Shira - TIPOL ALEIHEM EIMATA VAFACHAD... and KAAVEN YID'MU...

Yitro

Hearing ear of VAYISHMA YITRO, and Yitro heard...  Max Baer Jr. played Jethro (Yitro) for 9 years on the Beverly Hillbillies  B"H was said by Yitro when he heard all the things that G-d had done for Israel. From that we are taught that one makes a bracha on miracles  The scales and gavel represent the justice system, Yitro's suggestions, Moshe's response, etc.  Yitro's advice included the assignment of "captains" of groups of 1000, 100, 50, and 10 - represented by the Roman numerals M,C,L,X  Bnei Yisrael's arrival at Har Sinai is described by the word

VAYICHAN, as Rashi puts it, we were like one person with one heart  Shofar is one of the symbols of the Sinai experience, as we more than mention on Rosh HaShana  The washing machine is for the people to clean their clothes during the preparatory days for Matan Torah  Wine cup is for Kiddush (Zachor)  and the negation circle is for the prohibition of Melacha, including writing, watering plants, digging, knitting, building, fishing, shearing sheep  Do not steal (the Xed out thief)  and do not go up to the Mizbei'ach with steps (the negated ladder) are two prohibitions in the sedra  Volcano represents Har Sinai smoking from the fire of G-d's presence  An angel flew to the Heavenly Mizbei'ach and picked up a glowing coal in a pair of tongs. He then touched the coal to Yeshayahu's lips, representing a purifying process that would allow the prophet to speak on behalf of G-d  MEM SOFIT, which is better called a "Closed" MEM, appears in the haftara in the middle of a WORD, rather than at the end, where we are used to seeing that kind of MEM  negated golf tee and saw as in LO TISA, Dibra #3  Paratrooper wings (two) plus butterfly (4 wings) are for the angels described by Yishayahu as having 6 wings  the logo in the lower-left is of Mt. Sinai medical facilities  symbol for UV, ultra-violet light or radiation. In Hebrew, AL-SEGOLI. Feminine form for the color violet is SEGULA, as in G-d's promise that we will be for Him the AM SEGULA

above all other nations - hence, ULTRA-SEGULA  cover of Scholastic Press's Goosebumps series... When Yitro came to Moshe, having heard about the Splitting of the Sea and the battle against Amalek (and maybe about Matan Torah also), Moshe detailed all that had happened to Bnei Yisrael. The Torah describes Yitro's reaction with the words VAYICHAD YITRO. Rashi says that the plain meaning of the word is that Yitro rejoiced because of all the things he heard. Rashi gives a second explanation of the word VAYICHAD. That Yitro's skin erupted in goosebumps. A nervous or frightened reaction, perhaps, to what happened to the Egyptians, to whom he had been allied and with whom he possibly identified. From here, our Sages tell us, we learn to be extremely sensitive to the convert, who has changed his life completely by becoming Jewish, but still has memories and feelings about his former life  The can of RAID bug spray a word that occurs in the sedra twice and two other times in the Torah, besides 9 more times in the rest of Tanach - RAID!  The words at the top and bottom of the right-hand side of the ParshaPix are the five tastes - Sweet, salty, sour, bitter, and umami are five tastes - T'AMIM. Two of them are TAAMEI HA-ELYON, the upper notes, and three are TAAMEI HATAHTON, the lower notes  the flashlight is called a torch in British English; a torch is a LAPID, as in part of the description of the atmosphere of Har Sinai  Rabbi

She'ar Yashiv Cohen z"l for the son of the navi Yeshayahu - She'ar Yashiv (in the haftara)  the soldier is an Anshei Chayil (not the one Yitro or Moshe meant  a couple of Unexplaineds

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