

1 - QUESTIONS TO תַּאֲזִינוּ / פרשת / Parshat Vayailech בס"ד

1. Moshe told the heavens and the earth to be witnesses that he told the Jews to do the mitzvot. Why did Moshe use the heavens and the earth as witnesses and not people? BECAUSE THE HEAVENS AND THE EARTH LIVE FOREVER AND NEVER DIE, WHEREAS PEOPLE DIE
2. Moshe told the Jews that if they studied the Torah and did the mitzvot, what would the heavens and earth do? THE HEAVENS WOULD GIVE RAIN AND THE EARTH WOULD GROW FOOD
3. Moshe also told the Jews that if they did **not** study the Torah and do the mitzvot, the heavens would not give RAIN and the earth would not GROW FOOD?
4. Moshe told the Jews that the Torah is like rain. One reason is that the world needs both rain and the TORAH
5. Also, the Torah is like rain because of where they both come from. Where? THE HEAVEN
6. If Jews don't study Torah and do mitzvot, what does this parsha say that יְהוָה will do to them? PUNISH THEM
7. Moshe told the Jews that if they sin, who do they hurt? THEMSELVES
8. Who do they not hurt when they sin? יְהוָה
9. If a Jew sins, whose fault is it? THE JEW WHO DID THE SIN
10. Moshe told the Jews that they should not sin because of the many good things that יְהוָה has done for them. One thing is that He gave them many things while they were in the desert. He gave them a food called MANN. He gave them the Well of Miriam from which they got WATER. He made sure that something never wore out. What? THEIR CLOTHES. And in the desert, He protected them from being killed by WILD ANIMALS
11. Moshe also told the Jews that once they lived in Israel, יְהוָה would not let them go hungry. He would give them a lot of FOOD
12. In addition, Moshe told the Jews that once they lived in Israel, they would have a lot of money, food and animals. But they would say that they worked hard to get these things, and they would not pray to or thank who? HASHEM
13. They would pray to IDOLS, and they would believe not in יְהוָה, but in MAGIC
14. Moshe also said that even children would be bad. Who would they not listen to? THEIR PARENTS
15. Who will embarrass whom? CHILDREN WILL EMBARRASS THEIR PARENTS
16. Who will stand up for whom? PARENTS WILL STAND UP FOR THEIR CHILDREN
17. Jews who sin will not like Jews who STUDY THE TORAH AND DO MITZVOT
18. Moshe said that because the Jews won't study Torah and do mitzvot, יְהוָה will do what to Israel, the Jews and the Bait Hamikdash? DESTROY ISRAEL AND THE BAIT HAMIKDASH, AND FORCE JEWS TO LIVE IN OTHER COUNTRIES

2 - QUESTIONS TO תַּרְשֵׁת הַאֲזֵינוּ / Parshat Vayailech

19. When the Jews lived in Israel and didn't study Torah and do mitzvot, ה' made enemies destroy the Bait Hamikdash, and they forced Jews to live in other countries. Why didn't ה' kill the Jews? SO THEIR ENEMIES WOULDN'T SAY THAT JEWS WERE KILLED BECAUSE THE ENEMIES WERE SO STRONG; THEY WOULDN'T ADMIT THAT ה' PUNISHED THE JEWS

20. The Jews would lose wars against their enemies. How many enemy soldiers would chase how many Jews? ONE ENEMY SOLDIER WOULD CHASE 1,000 JEWS

21. What did Moshe say that ה' would do to enemies of the Jews who treat Jews badly? PUNISH THEM

22. ה' told Moshe to climb a mountain called Har Ne-vo. Why? SO HE COULD SEE ALL OF ISRAEL

23. Aharon died and was buried in a place in the desert called Hor Ha-har. Why didn't ה' let Moshe and Aharon go into Israel with the Jews? WHILE TRYING TO GET A ROCK TO GIVE WATER, THEY HIT IT INSTEAD OF TALKING TO IT