

# PARSHA CHALLENGE

תשע"ח

פרשת תרומה

1. List at least one connection the numbers 1-12 have with the משכן.  
Who knows 1? I know 1! 1 is ה'.  
Who knows 2? 3? 4? 5? 6? 7? 8?<sup>1</sup> 9?<sup>2</sup> 10? 11? 12?
2. What animal is mentioned in this week's פרשה that was never mentioned before in the תורה?
3. All three of us are really the same; the difference is just our color. Who are we?<sup>3</sup>
4. What is something that only three of the six כלי המקדש had in common?  
(Five or more possible answers)
5. What לאו is there in this week's פרשה?<sup>4</sup>
6. I am gold, he is silver,  
I am more crucial to the משכן,  
but I couldn't do my job without him.  
Who are we?
7. He and I are used for a similar purpose but we are very different,  
My two halves are uneven and I look rather plain,  
His two halves are perfectly even and his looks are exquisite,  
However, it is I that was made with a special חכמה,  
and it is I who is visible to all.  
Who are we?<sup>5</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> It has a connection with the קרשים

<sup>2</sup> It has a connection with the מנורה

<sup>3</sup> We are a material

<sup>4</sup> It is regarding a כלי המשכן

<sup>5</sup> We are a fabric

## Answers

1. ה' 1 is 1  
2 מזבח הזהב. length of the שלחן, and the height of the מזבח, כרובים, בדים, ידות (2 are the)  
3 (3 are the boxes of the ארון, the amount of coverings of the משכן, the מסך, the three areas in the מזבח. and the height of the מקדש)  
4 and the עמודי הפרכת, מזבח החיצון on the קרנות, יריעות, length of the טבעות (4 are 4)  
מסך החצר.  
5 (5 are the בריחים, the length and width of the מזבח החיצון, עמודי מסך האהל, and the יריעות.  
6 (6 are the branches of the מנורה, the primary כלים of the משכן, and the יריעות.  
7 (7 are the נרות of the מנורה.  
8 כלים. of all the בדים, and the מערב, קרשים (8 are the)  
9 מנורה. (9 are the flowers on the)  
10 משכן and the width of הארון, and קרשים, מזבח, height of the יריעות, amount of (10 are the)  
and the מסכים.  
11 מנורה. (11 are the עזים, and the balls on the)  
12 משכן and the width of the exterior of the הפנים (12 are the)
2. משכן the colorful animal that only existed at the time of the - (תחש (עורות תחשים
3. are wool they are just dyed a different color. תכלת, ארגמן ותולעת שני
4. Three had a זר, four rings (according to the פשט only had two rings), a fire, made with gold and wood, and three were in the קודש.
5. Not to remove the בדים from the ארון
6. קרשים ואדנים
7. **He and I are used for a similar purpose but we are very different,**  
**My two halves are uneven and I look rather plain,** - one half of the יריעות עזים was made from 5 segments the other was from 6, one color  
**His two halves are perfectly even and his looks are exquisite,**  
**However, it is I that was made with a special** חכמה, - on the backs of the פרק (עזים רש"י ד"ה טו)  
לה, כה  
**and it is I who is visible to all.**  
**Who are we?** יריעות עזים ויריעות המשכן

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