

Portion: B' resheet (In The Beginning)
Berēshith (Genesis 1:1-2:4)

Genesis 1:1-31

- 1 In the beginning Elohim created the heavens and the earth.
- 2 And the earth came to be formless and empty, and darkness was on the face of the deep. And the Spirit of Elohim was moving on the face of the waters.
- 3 And Elohim said, "Let light come to be," and light came to be.
- 4 And Elohim saw the light, that it was good. And Elohim separated the light from the darkness.
- 5 And Elohim called the light 'day' and the darkness He called 'night.' And there came to be evening and there came to be morning, one day.
- 6 And Elohim said, "Let an expanse come to be in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters."
- 7 And Elohim made the expanse, and separated the waters which were under the expanse from the waters which were above the expanse. And it came to be so.
- 8 And Elohim called the expanse 'heavens.' And there came to be evening and there came to be morning, the second day.
- 9 And Elohim said, "Let the waters under the heavens be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear." And it came to be so.
- 10 And Elohim called the dry land 'earth,' and the collection of the waters He called 'seas.' And Elohim saw that it was good.
- 11 And Elohim said, "Let the earth bring forth grass, the plant that yields seed, and the fruit tree that yields fruit according to its kind, whose seed is in itself, on the earth." And it came to be so.
- 12 And the earth brought forth grass, the plant that yields seed according to its kind, and the tree that yields fruit, whose seed is in itself according to its kind. And Elohim saw that it was good.
- 13 And there came to be evening and there came to be morning, the third day.
- 14 And Elohim said, "Let lights come to be in the expanse of the heavens to separate the day from the night, and let them be for signs and appointed times, and for days and years,
- 15 and let them be for lights in the expanse of the heavens to give light on the earth." And it came to be so.
- 16 And Elohim made two great lights: the greater light to rule the day, and the lesser light to rule the night, and the stars.
- 17 And Elohim set them in the expanse of the heavens to give light on the earth,
- 18 and to rule over the day and over the night, and to separate the light from the darkness. And Elohim saw that it was good.
- 19 And there came to be evening and there came to be morning, the fourth day.
- 20 And Elohim said, "Let the waters teem with shoals of living beings, and let birds fly above the earth on the face of the expanse of the heavens."

21 And Elohim created great sea creatures and every living being that moves, with which the waters teemed, according to their kind, and every winged bird according to its kind. And Elohim saw that it was good.

22 And Elohim blessed them, saying, "Be fruitful and increase, and fill the waters in the seas, and let the birds increase on the earth."

23 And there came to be evening and there came to be morning, the fifth day.

24 And Elohim said, "Let the earth bring forth the living being according to its kind: livestock and creeping creatures and beasts of the earth, according to its kind." And it came to be so.

25 And Elohim made the beast of the earth according to its kind, livestock according to its kind, and all that creep on the earth according to its kind. And Elohim saw that it was good.

26 And Elohim said, "Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness, and let them rule over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the heavens, and over the livestock, and over all the earth and over all the creeping creatures that creep on the ground."

27 And Elohim created the man in His image, in the image of Elohim He created him - male and female He created them.

28 And Elohim blessed them, and Elohim said to them, "Be fruitful and increase, and fill the earth and subdue it, and rule over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the heavens, and over all creeping creatures on the earth."

29 And Elohim said, "See, I have given you every plant that yields seed which is on the face of all the earth, and every tree whose fruit yields seed, to you it is for food.

30 And to every beast of the earth, and to every bird of the heavens, and to every creeping creature on the earth, in which there is a living being, every green plant is for food." And it came to be so.

31 And Elohim saw all that He had made, and see, it was very good. And there came to be evening and there came to be morning, the sixth day.

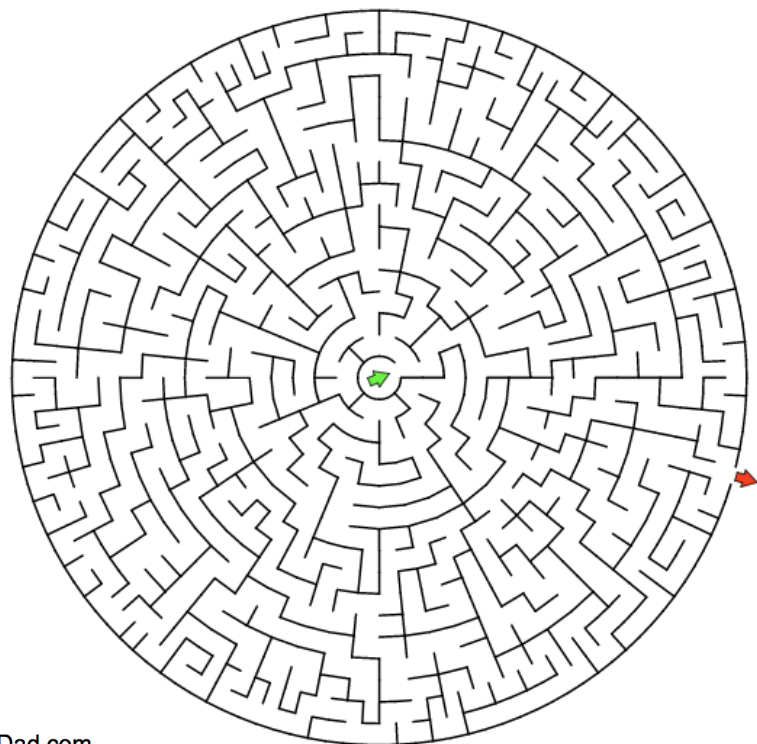
Genesis 2:1-4

1 Thus the heavens and the earth were completed, and all their array.

2 And in the seventh day Elohim completed His work which He had done, and He rested on the seventh day from all His work which He had made.

3 And Elohim blessed the seventh day and set it apart, because on it He rested from all His work which Elohim in creating had made.

4 These are the births of the heavens and the earth when they were created, in the day that יהוה Elohim made earth and heavens.



Fill In The Blank

- 1) In the _____ day Elohim _____ His work which He had done.
- 2) I have given you every plant that yields _____ which is on the face of all the earth, and every tree whose _____ yields seed, to you it is for food.
- 3) Be _____ and increase, and fill the waters in the seas, and let the _____ increase on the earth.
- 4) Let the _____ under the heavens be _____ together into one place, and let the dry land appear.
- 5) Be fruitful and increase, and _____ the earth and _____ it.
- 6) Elohim called the dry land ' _____,' and the collection of the waters He called ' _____.'
- 7) Elohim made two great lights: the _____ light to rule the day, and the _____ light to rule the night, and the stars.
- 8) Elohim created great _____ creatures and every living being that moves, with which the _____ teemed, according to their kind.
- 9) The earth brought forth _____, the plant that yields seed according to its kind, and the _____ that yields fruit, whose seed is in itself according to its kind.
- 10) Let the earth bring forth the _____ being according to its kind: livestock and creeping creatures and _____ of the earth, according to its kind.

True Or False

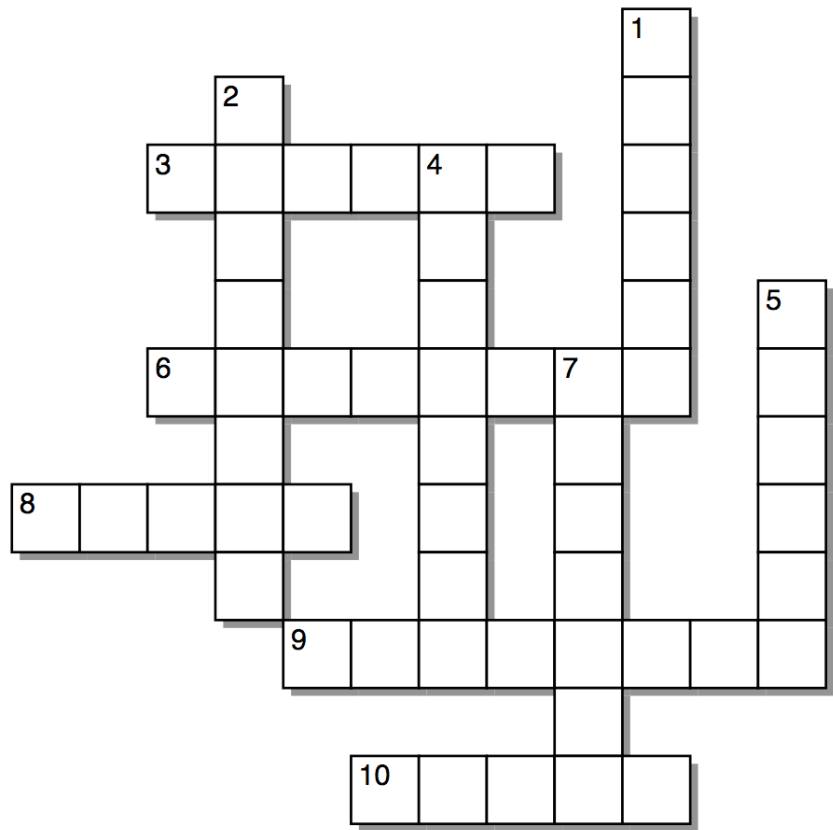
- 1) The lights in the sky are for signs and appointed times. True/False
- 2) Every tree that yields fruit is for food. True/False
- 3) Elohim brought forth grass on the fourth day. True/False
- 4) Elohim created man on the sixth day. True/False

Across

- 3. Let _____ come to be in the expanse of the heavens to separate the day from the night?
- 6. Be fruitful and _____.
- 8. Elohim created the waters on which day?
- 9. Elohim separated the light from what?
- 10. The lesser light rules the what?

Down

- 1. Men were to fill the Earth and _____ it.
- 2. Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our _____.
- 4. Let the waters under the heavens be gathered _____.
- 5. Let the waters teem with _____ of living beings.
- 7. Which day did Elohim bless and set apart?



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- BIRDS
- CREATURES
- DARKNESS
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- LIGHT
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