

Portion: B' resheet (In The Beginning)  
Berēshith (Genesis 3:15-4:26)

Genesis 3:15-24

15 And I put enmity between you and the woman, and between your seed and her Seed. He shall crush your head, and you shall crush His heel."

16 To the woman He said, "I greatly increase your sorrow and your conception - bring forth children in pain. And your desire is for your husband, and he does rule over you."

17 And to the man He said, "Because you have listened to the voice of your wife, and have eaten of the tree of which I commanded you, saying, 'Do not eat of it': "Cursed is the ground because of you, in toil you are to eat of it all the days of your life,

18 and the ground shall bring forth thorns and thistles for you, and you shall eat the plants of the field.

19 By the sweat of your face you are to eat bread until you return to the ground, for out of it you were taken. For dust you are, and to dust you return.

20 And the man called his wife's name Ḥawwah, because she became the mother of all living.

21 And יהוה Elohim made coats of skin for the man and his wife and dressed them.

22 And יהוה Elohim said, "See, the man has become like one of Us, to know good and evil. And now, lest he put out his hand and take also of the tree of life, and eat, and live forever..."

23 so יהוה Elohim sent him out of the garden of Ĕden to till the ground from which he was taken,

24 and He drove the man out. And He placed kerubim at the east of the garden of Ĕden, and a flaming sword which turned every way, to guard the way to the tree of life.

Genesis 4:1-26

1 And Adam knew Ḥawwah his wife, and she conceived and bore Qayin, and said, "I have gained a man, יהוה."

2 And again, she gave birth to his brother Hebel. And Hebel became a keeper of sheep, but Qayin became a tiller of the ground.

3 And it came to be, in the course of time, that Qayin brought an offering of the fruit of the ground to יהוה.

4 And Hebel also brought of the first-born of his flock and of their fat. And יהוה looked to Hebel and his offering,

5 but He did not look to Qayin and his offering. And Qayin was very wroth, and his face fell.

6 And יהוה said to Qayin, "Why is he wroth towards you? And why is your face fallen?

7 Is it not if you do good, you are to be accepted? And if you do not do good, towards the door is a sin. He is lying and towards you is his desire, and you must rule over him."

8 And Qayin told Hebel his brother. And it came to be when they were in the field, that Qayin rose up against Hebel his brother and killed him.

9 And יהוה said to Qayin, "Where is Hebel your brother?" And he said, "I do not know. Am I my brother's guard?"

10 And He said, "What have you done? The voice of your brother's blood cries out to Me from the ground.

11 "And now you are cursed from the earth, which has opened its mouth to receive your brother's blood from your hand.

12 "If you till the ground, it shall no longer yield its strength to you. You shall be a fugitive and a wanderer on the earth."

13 And Qayin said to יהוה, "My punishment is too great to bear!

14 See, You have driven me from the face of the ground today, and I am hidden from Your face. I shall be a fugitive and a wanderer on the earth, and it shall be that anyone who finds me kills me.

15 And יהוה said to him, "Well, if anyone kills Qayin, vengeance is taken on him sevenfold." And יהוה set up a sign for Qayin, lest anyone finding him strikes him.

16 So Qayin went out from the presence of יהוה and dwelt in the land of Nod on the east of Ēden.

17 And Qayin knew his wife, and she conceived and bore Ḥanok. And he built a city, and called the name of the city after the name of his son, Ḥanok.

18 And to Ḥanok was born Iraq. And Iraq brought forth Meḥuya'ěl, and Meḥuya'ěl brought forth Methusa'ěl, and Methusa'ěl brought forth Lemek.

19 And Lemek took for himself two wives, the name of one was Aḏah, and the name of the second was Tsillah.

20 And Aḏah bore Yabal. He was the father of those who dwell in tents, with livestock.

21 And his brother's name was Yubal. He was the father of all those who play the lyre and flute.

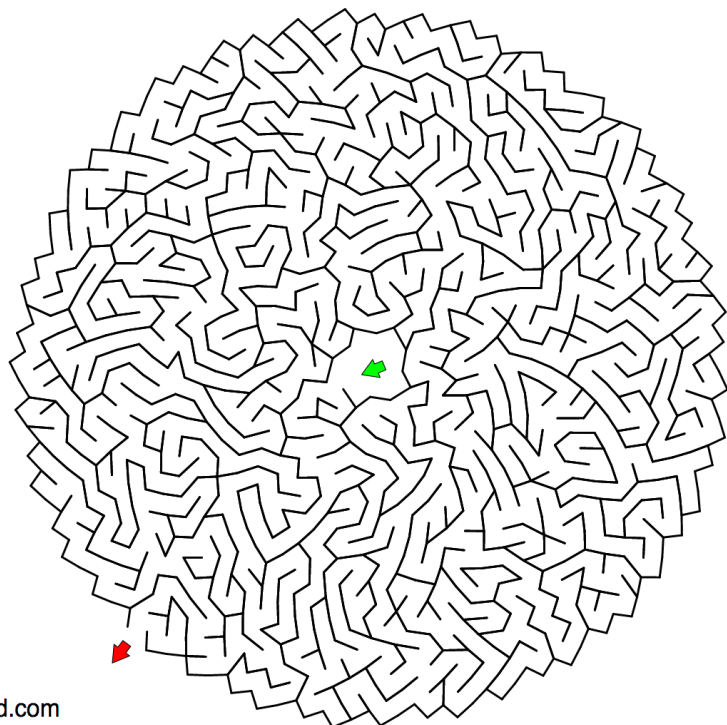
22 As for Tsillah, she also bore Tubal-Qayin, a smith of all kinds of tools in bronze and iron. And the sister of Tubal-Qayin was Na'amah.

23 And Lemek said to his wives, "Aḏah and Tsillah, hear my voice! Wives of Lemek, listen to my words! For I have killed a man for wounding me, even a young man for hurting me.

24 For Qayin is avenged sevenfold, and Lemek seventy-sevenfold.

25 And Aḏam knew his wife again, and she bore a son and called his name Shēth, "For Elohim has appointed me another seed instead of Hebel, because Qayin had killed him."

26 And to Shēth, to him also a son was born. And he called his name Enosh. Then it was begun to call on the Name of יהוה.



### Fill In The Blank

- 1) And יהוה Elohim said, "See, the man has become like one of Us, to know \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_. And now, lest he put out his hand and take also of the tree of life, and eat, and live forever..."
- 2) To the woman He said, "I greatly increase your \_\_\_\_\_ and your \_\_\_\_\_ - bring forth children in pain. And your desire is for your husband, and he does rule over you."
- 3) And I put \_\_\_\_\_ between you and the \_\_\_\_\_, and between your seed and her Seed. He shall crush your head, and you shall crush His heel.
- 4) And Adam knew \_\_\_\_\_ his wife, and she conceived and bore Qayin, and said, "I have \_\_\_\_\_ a man, יהוה."
- 5) And to \_\_\_\_\_ was born Irad. And Irad brought forth Mehuya'el, and Mehuya'el brought forth Methusa'el, and Methusa'el brought forth \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6) And יהוה said to Qayin, "Where is \_\_\_\_\_ your brother?" And he said, "I do not know. Am I my brother's \_\_\_\_\_?"
- 7) And again, she gave birth to his brother Hebel. And Hebel became a keeper of \_\_\_\_\_, but Qayin became a tiller of the \_\_\_\_\_.
- 8) And Adam knew his wife again, and she bore a son and called his name \_\_\_\_\_, "For Elohim has appointed me another \_\_\_\_\_ instead of Hebel, because Qayin had killed him."
- 9) And Lemek said to his wives, "Adah and \_\_\_\_\_, hear my voice! Wives of Lemek, listen to my words! For I have killed a man for \_\_\_\_\_ me, even a young man for hurting me.
- 10) If you till the ground, it shall no longer yield its \_\_\_\_\_ to you. You shall be a fugitive and a \_\_\_\_\_ on the earth.

### True Or False

- 1) It was Qayin's wife that conceived and bore Hanok. True/False
- 2) It was Tsillah that told his two wives he had killed a man for wounding him. True/False

**Across**

2. Elohim sent him out of the garden of Ēden to till the \_\_\_\_\_ from which he was taken.

4. The ground shall bring forth thorns and \_\_\_\_\_ for you.

6. Well, if anyone kills \_\_\_\_\_, vengeance is taken on him sevenfold.

7. For Qayin is avenged sevenfold, and Lemek \_\_\_\_\_-sevenfold.

10. The voice of your brother's \_\_\_\_\_ cries out to Me from the ground.

**Down**

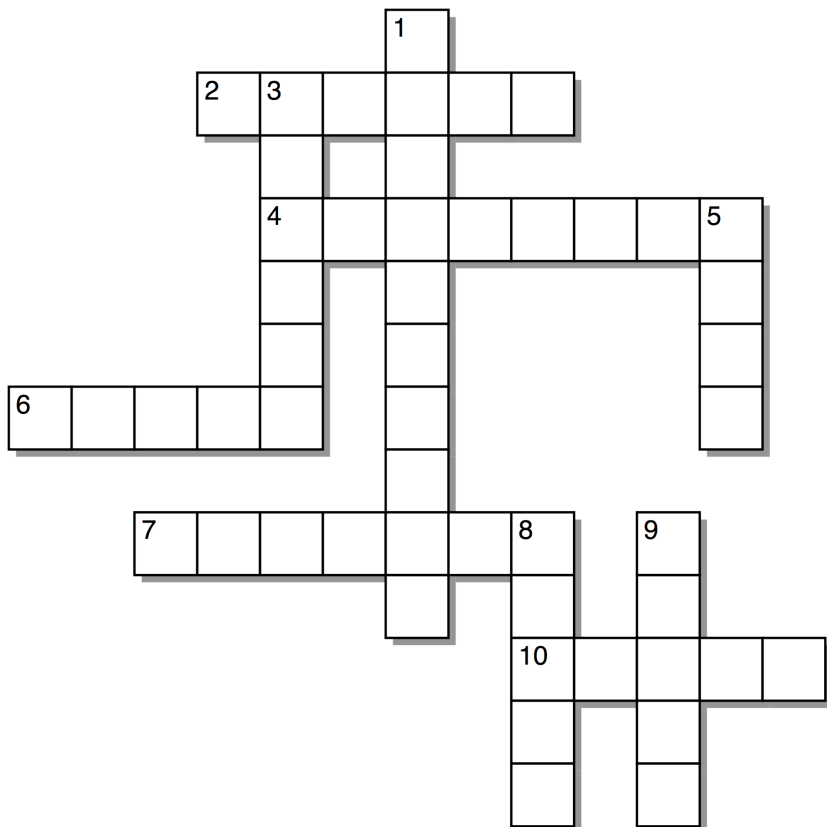
1. My \_\_\_\_\_ is too great to bear!

3. For dust you are, and to dust you \_\_\_\_\_.

5. And יהוה Elohim made coats of \_\_\_\_\_ for the man and his wife and dressed them.

8. Adah bore \_\_\_\_\_. He was the father of those who dwell in tents, with livestock.

9. And Qayin was very \_\_\_\_\_, and his face fell.



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