

Second Writings Ma`asei (Acts 3:23-4:31)

Acts 3:23-26

23 'And it shall be that every being who does not hear that Prophet shall be utterly destroyed from among the people.'

24 "And likewise, all the prophets who have spoken, from Shemu'el and those following, have also announced these days.

25 "You are sons of the prophets, and of the covenant which Elohim made with our fathers, saying to Abraham, 'And in your seed all the nations of the earth shall be blessed.'

26 "To you first, Elohim, having raised up His Servant יהושע, sent Him to bless you, in turning away each one of you from your wicked ways."

Acts 4:1-31

1 And as they were speaking to the people, the priests and the captain of the Set-apart Place, and the Sadducees, came upon them,

2 being annoyed because they taught the people and announced the resurrection from the dead in יהושע.

3 And they arrested them, and put them in jail until the next day, for it was already evening.

4 But many of those who had heard the word believed, and the number of the men became about five thousand.

5 And it came to be, on the next day, that their rulers and elders and scribes assembled in Yerushalayim,

6 as well as Hanan the high priest, and Qayapha, and Yohanan, and Alexander, and as many as were of high priestly descent.

7 And having placed them in the middle, they asked, "By what power or in what Name did you do this?"

8 Then Kēpha, filled with the Set-apart Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders of Yisra'el:

9 "If today we are called to account for a good deed towards a sick man, by whom he has been healed,

10 let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Yisra'el, that in the Name of יהושע Messiah of Natsareth, whom you impaled, whom Elohim raised from the dead, by Him this one stands before you, healthy.

11 This is 'the stone which was rejected by you builders, which has become the chief corner-stone.'

12 And there is no deliverance in anyone else, for there is no other Name under the heaven given among men by which we need to be saved.

13 And seeing the boldness of Kěpha and Yoħanan, and perceiving that they were unlearned and ordinary men, they marveled. And they recognised that they had been with יהושע.

14 And seeing the man who had been healed standing with them, they could not contradict it.

15 But when they had commanded them to go aside out of the council, they consulted with one another,

16 saying, "What shall we do to these men? For, indeed, that an outstanding miracle has been done through them is apparent to all those dwelling in Yerushalayim, and we are unable to deny it.

17 But in order that it spreads no further among the people, let us strongly threaten them, to speak no more to anyone in this Name.

18 And they called them and commanded them not to speak at all nor to teach in the Name of יהושע.

19 But Kěpha and Yoħanan answering them, said, "Whether it is right in the sight of Elohim to listen to you more than to Elohim, you judge.

20 For it is impossible for us not to speak of what we saw and heard.

21 And having threatened them further, they released them, finding no way of punishing them, because of the people, because they were all praising Elohim for what had been done.

22 For the man was over forty years old on whom this miracle of healing had been done.

23 And having been released, they went to their own people and reported all that the chief priests and elders said to them.

24 And having heard that, they lifted up their voice to Elohim with one mind and said, "יהוה, You are Elohim, who made the heaven and the earth and the sea, and all that is in them,

25 who by the mouth of Your servant Dawid have said, 'Why did the nations rage, and the people plot in vain?

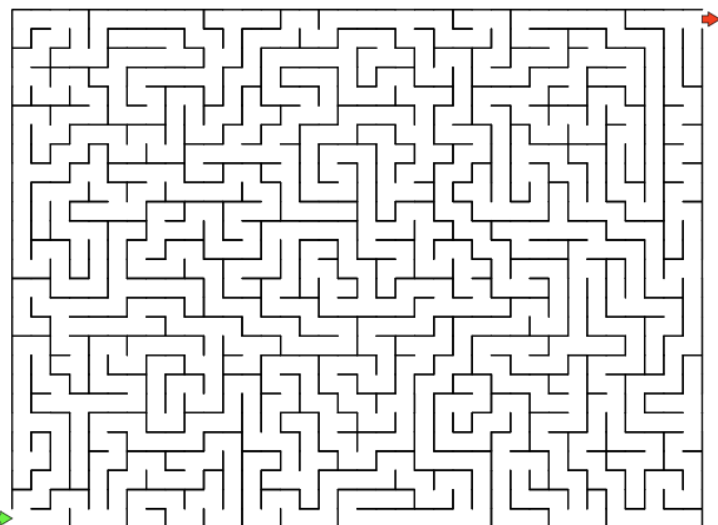
26 'The sovereigns of the earth stood up, and the rulers were gathered together against יהוה and against His Messiah.'

27 "For truly, in this city there were gathered together against Your set-apart Servant יהושע, whom You anointed, both Herodes and Pontius Pilate, with the nations and the people of Yisra'el

28 to do whatever Your hand and Your purpose decided before to be done.

29 "And now, יהוה, look on their threats, and give to Your servants all boldness to speak Your word, 30 by stretching out Your hand for healing, and signs, and wonders to take place through the Name of Your set-apart Servant יהושע."

31 And when they had prayed, the place where they came together was shaken. And they were all filled with the Set-apart Spirit, and they spoke the word of Elohim with boldness.



Fill In The Blank

- 1) You are sons of the _____, and of the _____ which Elohim made with our fathers, saying to Abraham, 'And in your seed all the nations of the earth shall be blessed.'
- 2) And having _____ them further, they _____ them, finding no way of punishing them, because of the people, because they were all praising Elohim for what had been done.
- 3) But in order that it _____ no further among the people, let us strongly threaten them, to speak no more to anyone in this _____.
- 4) And having _____ them in the middle, they asked, "By what _____ or in what Name did you do this?"
- 5) And as they were speaking to the people, the priests and the _____ of the Set-apart Place, and the _____, came upon them.
- 6) And they called them and _____ them not to speak at all nor to _____ in the Name of יהושע.
- 7) For the man was over _____ years old on whom this _____ of healing had been done.
- 8) But many of those who had heard the word _____, and the number of the men became about _____ thousand.
- 9) And now, יהוה, look on their _____, and give to Your servants all _____ to speak Your word.
- 10) What shall we do to these men? For, indeed, that an outstanding miracle has been done through them is _____ to all those dwelling in Yerushalayim, and we are unable to _____ it.

True Or False

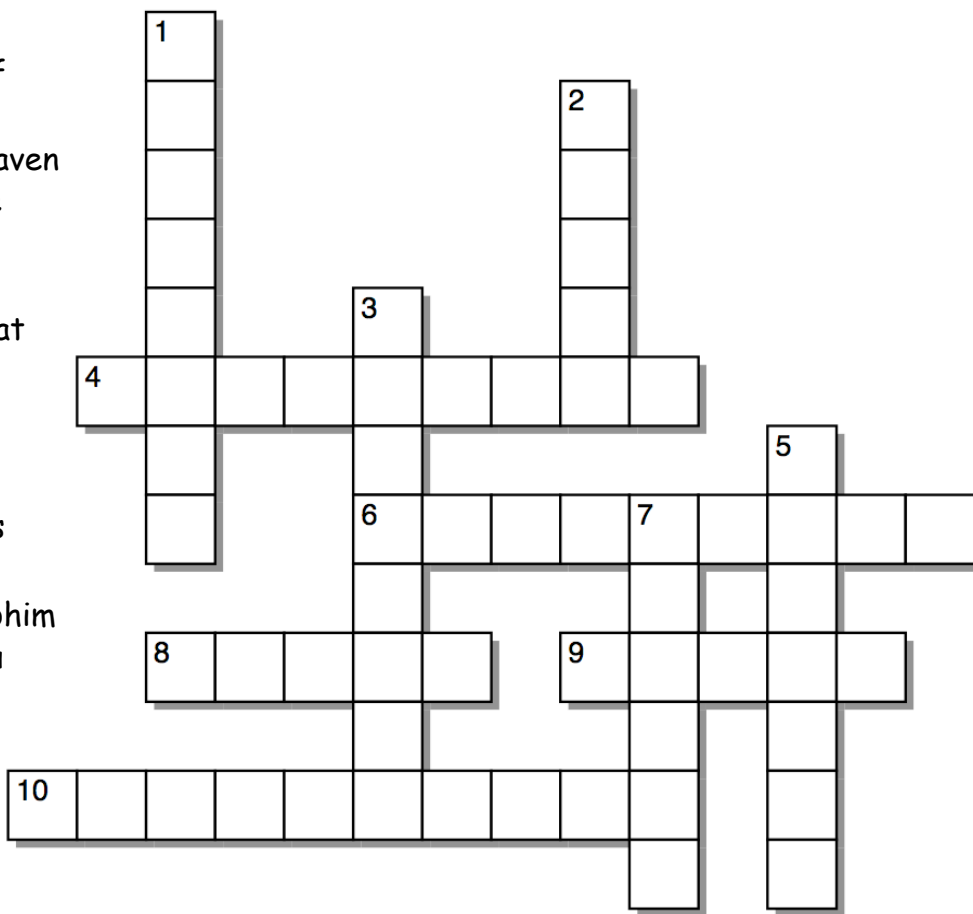
- 1) The Sadducees were annoyed because they taught the people and announced the resurrection from the dead in יהושע. True/False
- 2) It was Shemu'el who said, "Why did the nations rage, and the people plot in vain?" True/False

Across

- 4. Every being who does not hear that Prophet shall be utterly _____.
- 6. They released them, finding no way of _____ them.
- 8. There is no other Name under the heaven given among men by which we need to be _____.
- 9. The High Priest at this time.
- 10. It is _____ for us not to speak of what we saw and heard.

Down

- 1. They marveled at Kēpha and Yoħanan's what?
- 2. Whether it is right in the sight of Elohim to listen to you more than to Elohim, you _____.
- 3. You are sons of the _____, and of the covenant which Elohim made with our fathers.
- 5. An outstanding what has been done through them?
- 7. When they had prayed, the place where they came together was _____.



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