

Portion: Tazria-Metzora  
(Shall Conceive - Leprous One)  
Wayyiqra (Leviticus 12:1-13:23)

Leviticus 12:1-8

1 And יהוה spoke to Mosheh, saying,

2 "Speak to the children of Yisra'el, saying, 'When a woman has conceived, and has given birth to a male child, then she shall be unclean seven days, as in the days of her monthly separation she is unclean.

3 'And on the eighth day the flesh of his foreskin is circumcised.

4 'And she remains in the blood of her cleansing thirty-three days. She does not touch whatever is set-apart, and she does not come into the set-apart place until the days of her cleansing are completed.

5 'But if she gives birth to a female child, then she shall be unclean for two weeks, as in her monthly separation, and she remains in the blood of her cleansing for sixty-six days.

6 'And when the days of her cleansing are completed, for a son or for a daughter, she brings to the priest a lamb a year old, as an ascending offering, and a young pigeon or a turtledove as a sin offering, to the door of the Tent of Appointment.

7 'And he shall bring it before יהוה, and make atonement for her, and she shall be cleansed from the flow of her blood. This is the Torah for her who has given birth to a male or a female.

8 'And if she is not able to bring a lamb, then she shall bring two turtledoves or two young pigeons, one as an ascending offering and the other as a sin offering. And the priest shall make atonement for her, and she shall be clean.' "

Leviticus 13:1-23

1 And יהוה spoke to Mosheh and to Aharon, saying,

2 "When a man has on the skin of his body a swelling, a scab, or a bright spot, and it shall become on the skin of his body like a leprous infection, then he shall be brought to Aharon the priest or to one of his sons the priests.

3 "And the priest shall look at the infection on the skin of the body. And if the hair on the infection has turned white, and the infection appears to be deeper than the skin of his body, it is a leprous infection. And the priest shall look at him, and pronounce him unclean.

4 "But if the bright spot is white on the skin of his body, and does not appear to be deeper than the skin, and its hair has not turned white, then the priest shall shut up the infected one seven days.

5 "And the priest shall look at him on the seventh day and see, if the infection appears to be as it was, and the infection has not spread on the skin, then the priest shall shut him up another seven days.

6 "And the priest shall look at him again on the seventh day and see, if the infection has darkened, and the infection has not spread on the skin, then the priest shall pronounce him clean. It is a scab, and he shall wash his garments and be clean.

7 "But if the scab spreads further over the skin, after he has been seen by the priest for his cleansing, he shall be seen by the priest again.

8 "And the priest shall look and see, if the scab has spread on the skin, then the priest shall pronounce him unclean, it is leprosy.

9 "When the infection of leprosy is on a man, then he shall be brought to the priest.

10 "And the priest shall look and see, if the swelling on the skin is white, and it has turned the hair white, and there is a spot of raw flesh in the swelling,"

11 "it is an old leprosy on the skin of his body, and the priest shall pronounce him unclean. He does not shut him up, for he is unclean.

12 "And if leprosy breaks out all over the skin, and the leprosy shall cover all the skin of the infected one, from his head to his foot, wherever the priest looks,

13 "then the priest shall look and see, if the leprosy has covered all his body, he shall pronounce the infected one clean. It has all turned white, he is clean.

14 "But the day raw flesh appears on him, he is unclean.

15 "And the priest shall look at the raw flesh and pronounce him to be unclean - the raw flesh is unclean, it is leprosy.

16 "Or when the raw flesh changes and turns white again, he shall come to the priest.

17 "And the priest shall look at him and see, if the infection has turned white, then the priest shall pronounce the infected one clean, he is clean.

18 "And when the body has a boil in the skin, and it is healed,"

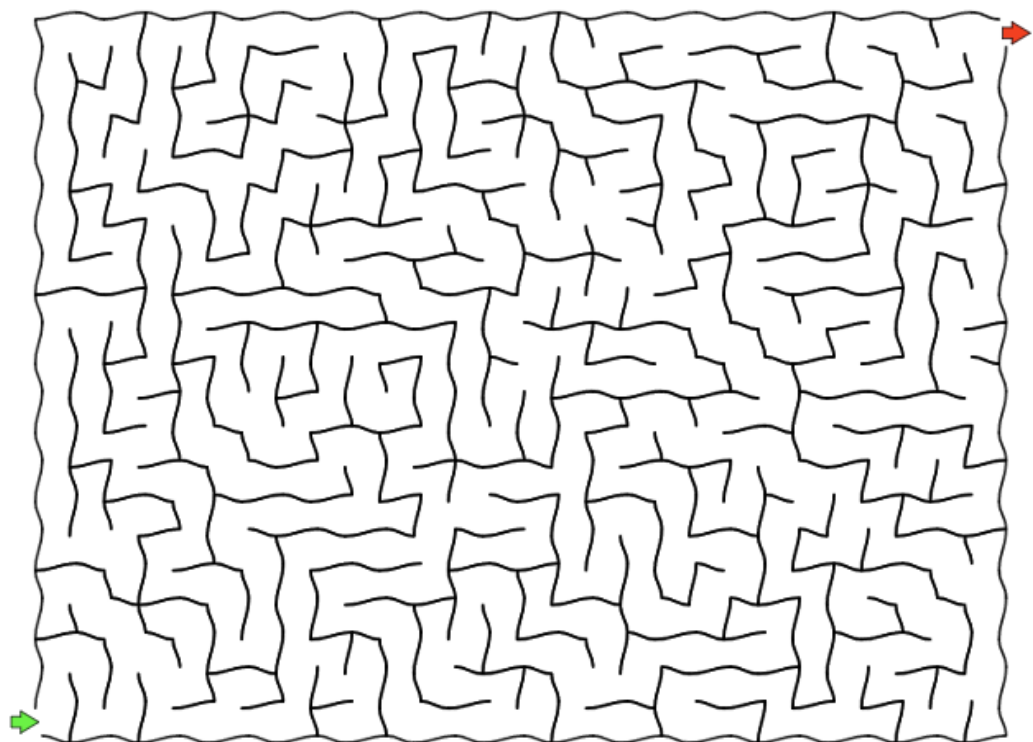
19 "and in the place of the boil there comes a white swelling or a bright spot, reddish-white, then it shall be seen by the priest.

20 "And the priest shall look and see, if it appears deeper than the skin, and its hair has turned white, the priest shall pronounce him unclean, it is a leprous infection which has broken out of the boil.

21 "But if the priest looks at it and sees no white hairs in it, and it is not deeper than the skin, but has faded, then the priest shall shut him up seven days; "

22 "and if it has spread further over the skin, then the priest shall pronounce him unclean, it is a leprous infection.

23 "But if the bright spot stays in its place, it has not spread, it is the scar of the boil, and the priest shall pronounce him clean.



### Fill In The Blank

- 1) If she is not able to bring a \_\_\_\_\_, then she shall bring two turtledoves or two young \_\_\_\_\_, one as an ascending offering and the other as a sin offering.
- 2) When a man has on the skin of his body a swelling, a \_\_\_\_\_, or a \_\_\_\_\_ spot, and it shall become on the skin of his body like a \_\_\_\_\_ infection, then he shall be brought to Aharon the priest or to one of his sons the priests.
- 3) He shall bring it before יהוה, and make \_\_\_\_\_ for her, and she shall be cleansed from the flow of her \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4) The priest shall look and see, if the swelling on the skin is \_\_\_\_\_, and it has turned the hair white, and there is a spot of \_\_\_\_\_ flesh in the swelling.
- 5) The priest shall look at him again on the \_\_\_\_\_ day and see, if the infection has darkened, and the infection has not spread on the skin, then the priest shall pronounce him \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6) When the \_\_\_\_\_ of leprosy is on a man, then he shall be brought to the \_\_\_\_\_.
- 7) And when the days of her \_\_\_\_\_ are completed, for a son or for a daughter, she brings to the priest a lamb a year old, as an \_\_\_\_\_ offering, and a young pigeon or a \_\_\_\_\_ as a sin offering, to the door of the Tent of Appointment.
- 8) And the priest shall look and see, if it appears \_\_\_\_\_ than the skin, and its hair has turned \_\_\_\_\_, the priest shall pronounce him unclean, it is a \_\_\_\_\_ infection which has broken out of the boil.

### True Or False

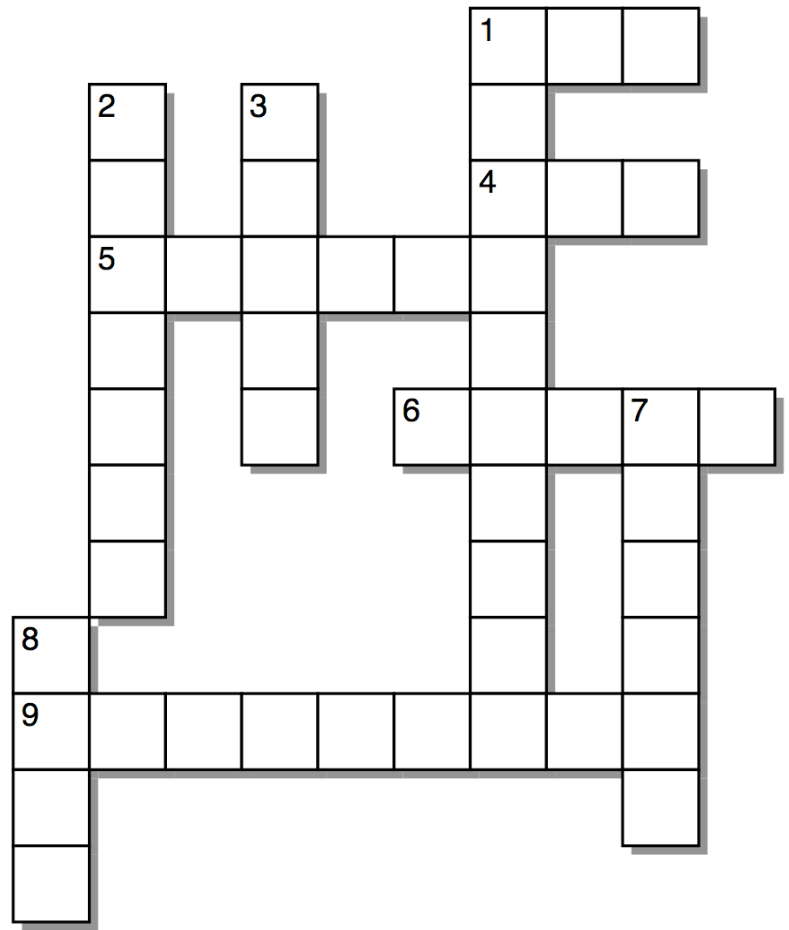
- 1) A Mother is unclean two weeks after giving birth to a male. True/False
- 2) Two signs of leprosy are raw flesh and white spots that are deep in the skin. True/False
- 3) Only priests determine if someone has leprosy. True/False
- 4) A new Mother needs to bring a Lamb as a sin offering for atonement. True/False

**Across**

1. How many weeks is a Mother unclean after birthing a female?
4. Flesh that is \_\_\_\_\_ is an indicator of leprosy.
5. Who determines whether or not someone is clean of disease?
6. How many days is a Mother unclean after birthing a male?
9. The priest makes \_\_\_\_\_ for the Mother after birth.

**Down**

1. Animal sacrificed for sin offering after a birth.
2. A type of infectious skin disease.
3. Hair color that could possibly mean infection.
7. What day is the flesh of the foreskin circumcised?
8. Animal sacrificed for an ascending offering after a birth.



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- CLEANSING
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