

Teacher's Lesson Flow:

In my statutes (Behcukotai) **בְּחֻקֹּתַי**

Leviticus 26:3-27:34~Genesis 22~Jeremiah 16:19-17:14~Luke 23:1-4,23:46

Life Verse: Jeremiah 16:10 (NKJV)

I, the Lord, search the heart, test the mind, even to give every man according to his ways, according to the fruit of his doings.

5.

Reinforcing the WORD to Build "Banah" lives

- Quickly review Prayer and Praise Words to Thank YHVH God.
- Review the Life Verse: Jeremiah 16:10
- Review the Hebrew letters and vocabulary.
- Is obeying God a way to serve HIM?
- How do you get back to serving God if you have made a wrong choice?
- Knowing that Yeshua died for you, how do you want to serve Him?
- Remember to Count the Omer each day!

4.

New Testament
"B'rit Chadashah"

- Yeshua is the alef-tav
- God's picture of what His Son would do - Revelation 13:8
- Jesus's obedience
 - Luke 23:1-2;
 - Luke 23:3-4, 46

The
Patterns of
Serving
God by
Obedience

Start Here

1.

PRAISE "Hallel"

- Practice Prayer and Praise Words to the Lord Including the Fruit of the Spirit Definition and Hebrew Praise Word.
- Life Verse Practice
- Hebrew Writing Practice
- Read Story

Children's work pages begin here!

2.

God's Teachings/Law - "Torah"

- God called Israel to be His servants.
 - Leviticus 25:55
- Obeying God is serving Him/Consequences
 - Leviticus 26:3-13
- Disobedience is a choice/Consequence
 - Leviticus 26:27-39; 42-45
- God's promise remembered
 - Genesis 22:11-12

3.

Prophets/Writings "Haftarah"

- Yahweh test the mind and heart of all for judging what they do
 - Jeremiah 16:10
- Redeemer of a foreigner -
 - Ruth 1 and 2

Teacher's Special Instructions

We start with a lesson on the Hebrew language. We will both write and speak Hebrew.

We do this for two reasons:

- 1) All students are at the same level in learning a new language, and they enjoy it.
- 2) It gives the students a chance to learn biblical truths embedded in the original language of the Hebrew Scriptures (Old Testament). Start by pointing out they are used to reading from left to right, but Hebrew reads from right to left. They also will need to write Hebrew from right to left.

Materials and Vocabulary:

- a. White board, black board or large easel and paper
- b. Markers
- c. Handouts or writing paper for the students
- d. Pens or pencils for the students
- e. The words used on their Hebrew writing pages are all words that are related to each individual lesson. Generally, a Hebrew word is chosen from the lesson and emphasized each week, both to teach character and increase understanding of the concepts being taught. New words will be in the box on the upper right of this page. Various names of God will also be taught in Hebrew.

NEW HEBREW WORDS TRANSLITERATED

Zaacharti Veh (God will remember His
Covenant)

Breeti (if people confess)

Yovel (Jubilee)

Preparation:

- a. Choose 2 or 3 Hebrew words from the Hebrew writing page(s). On the board, write the words in English and in the transliterated form given in the left column of the Hebrew writing page(s).
- b. Leave space to write the word in Hebrew.
- c. Explain that the letters they see on the page are written in book print like they might see on a sign, or that they would print themselves.

Procedure:

- a. Demonstrate the writing procedure of two or three Hebrew words on the board. Have the students follow your directions on their work pages. Be sure to point out the special features of each letter.
- b. Then have the students try a few words on their own, or complete the rest of the page. The ability to finish the whole exercise will depend on how much time you have. (2 to 5 minutes time is needed to finish the page.)

Israeli street sign



Games/Activities: Normally games are played after children's work pages are complete.

For this lesson work on learning the 10 commandments along with their corresponding letter and number. Start with trace and say page and then have them do the write it activity.

Prayer and Praise Words

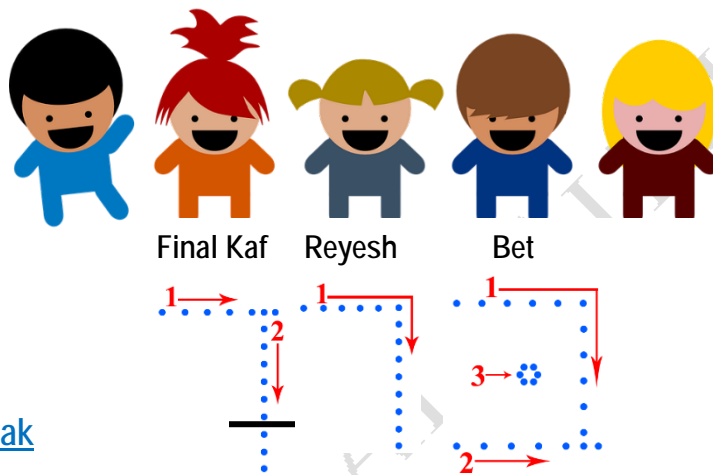
(Thank you ...Bless you...)

Patience: I thank you Lord for the ability to **not be in a hurry** to have my own way because **Your Holy Spirit helps me wait.**

1. Let's thank God for one thing He has blessed you with this week.

Write your thank you here:

PRAISE is a way to THANK GOD for HIS Goodness to us and others.



Praise word: Barak

EXPRESS Humility and Adoration





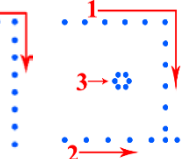

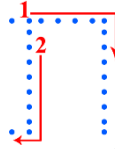

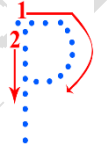
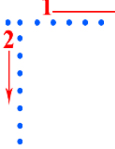
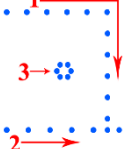

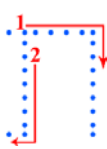

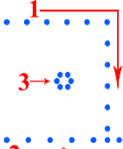
Barak means "to kneel down, to bless God as an act of adoration."

Psalm 95:6 (NKJV)



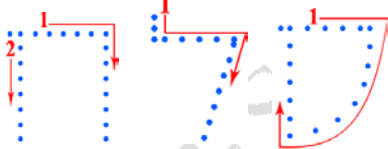
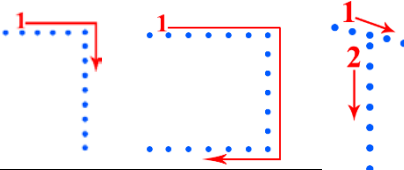
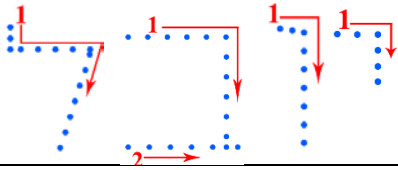
Oh come, let us worship and bow down; Let us kneel before the LORD our Maker.

Life Verse: Jeremiah 16:10 (NKJV)

I, the Lord, search the heart, test the mind, even to give every man according to his ways, according to the fruit of his doings.

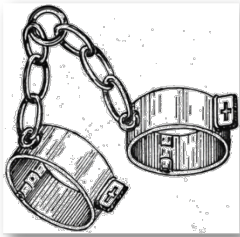
Hebrew/English	 Write and read Hebrew from right to left.  Start here
Behar (On the Mountain)	Reysh Hey Beit   
Practice Writing	
Behcukotai (In My Statutes)	Yood Tav Vav Kof Chet Beit      
Practice Writing	
Breeti (If people confess and turn back)	Yood Tav Reysh Beit    
Practice Writing	

Obedience to God is important!

Hebrew /English	 Write and read Hebrew from right to left  Start here
Salach (Forgiveness)	<div>Chet Lamed Samech</div> 
Practice Writing	
Zaacharti (I remember)	<div>Reysh Kaf Zayin</div> 
Practice Writing	
Yovel (Jubilee)	<div>Lamed Veit Vav Yood</div> 
Practice Writing	

Bechudotai – In My Statutes בְּחֻדוֹתַי

Leviticus 26:3-27:34; Jeremiah 16:19 – 17:14; Luke. 23,14



Does anybody want to be a slave? Of course, not! Slaves have no freedom. Everything slaves do is controlled by outside forces. Slaves cannot make their own choices. Servants, however, can choose to serve someone. Servants can choose to obey or disobey. God called the children of Israel to be his servants. (Lev. 25:55)

Do you think that obeying God is a way to serve Him? God tells us in advance what the consequences of obeying Him or disobeying Him will be.

Here are the consequences if you choose to obey God:
You will be blessed.

There will be rain in your land which will produce good crops so you can eat all you want.

You will have peace in your land and sleep in safety without fear.

No evil beasts will live in your land.

It will take only 100 of you to chase out 10,000 enemies, and your enemies will fall.

And God said, I will walk among you and you will not be slaves!

Wow! The consequences of obedience are great!

(Lev. 26:3-13)



What happens if disobedience is the choice?

You will be chastened 7 times for your sins.

You will become so hungry, you will eat your own children.

Your cities will lay in ruins, and nothing will grow in your land.

You'll be scattered among nations, and your enemies will eat you up! (Lev. 26:27-39)





Can you find reasons why it is good to obey God?











If people made the wrong choices and sinned, how could they get their sins forgiven and get back to serving god? God told us how – He said, If people confess their sins and their unfaithfulness, then God will remember His covenant with Abraham, Isaac and Jacob! (Lev. 26:42-45)

He said this 3 times – that means it is very important!

In Hebrew it says:



 






 yod tav resh beit tav alef yod tav resh Koof zayin vav
 (Veh zaacharti et breeti)



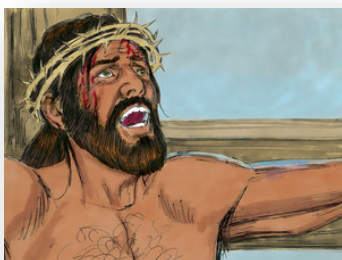
The nail was in the hand and the sword pierced the One who is the head of all for My covenant. Yeshua is the alef-tav. The Son, who is the head of all, is My covenant.

Jeremiah the prophet said that the Gentiles shall come to You (Yeshua) from the ends of the earth, and God would cause them to know His hand and His might, and they shall know His name is the LORD. (Jer. 16:19b,21)


 - the hand behold, the nail behold

Yood Hey Vav Hey - This is the name of the LORD!



Was God painting a picture for us of what His Son would do? Had God planned long ago to send His Son to die for our sins? Yes!!

The Bible tells us that the Lamb was slain from the foundation of the world (Rev. 13:8) Before the world was ever created God knew that His Son, "the Lamb" would be crucified.

Remember how God said He would remember His covenant with Abraham, Isaac and Jacob if people asked forgiveness?

What did that mean? What was He remembering?

Well, God asked Abraham to sacrifice His promised son, Isaac.

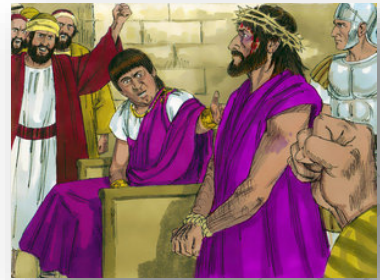
And Abraham was obeying God and about to sacrifice his son when the Angel of the LORD called him from heaven and said, Abraham, Abraham – Do not lay your hand on the lad or do anything to him for now I know that you fear God, since you have not withheld your son, your only son from Me. (Gen. 22:11,12)



Do you see how Abraham was willing to obey and give his only son when God asked? God was also willing to give His only Son to die for our sins. (Jn.3:16) Both Isaac, Abraham's son and Yeshua, God's Son, also chose to obey their fathers!

When Yeshua, God's son was on earth he obeyed God, His Father and endured very hard times. Even though He had only done good and had never sinned, he was humiliated. A whole multitude of people began to accuse Him – shouting out things that were not true, as they led Him to Pilate. (Lk.23:1,2) Pilate, asked Yeshua if He was King of the Jews? (Lk. 23:3,4) Yeshua answered, It is as you say!

He is King of the Jews? Pilate could find no fault in him.



Even though He was sinless, the people cried out – Crucify Him!! And they did crucify Him on a cross on the hill of Calvary. (Lk. 23:46)

But that is not the end of the story because HE ROSE FROM THE DEAD ON THE 3rd DAY and, He lives forever, so we can ask for forgiveness and draw close to God!



Knowing that Yeshua died for you, how do you want to serve Him.



Does anybody want to be a slave?

Everything slaves do is controlled by outside forces.



Leviticus 25:55

Servants, however, can choose to serve someone.

They can choose to obey or disobey!

God called the children of Israel to be His servants.

Do you serve God? YES or NO



Can you find the honor in serving God? YES or NO

Draw pictures or list ways that you can serve God.



1. Circle what the consequences were for obeying

³ "If you live by My regulations, observe My *mitzvot* (*Commandments*) and obey them;

⁴ then I will provide the rain you need in its season, the land will yield its produce, and the trees in the field will yield their fruit.



⁵ Your threshing time will extend until the grape harvest, and your grape harvesting will extend until the time for sowing seed.

You will eat as much food as you want and live securely in your land.



⁶ "I will give *shalom* in the land — you will lie down to sleep unafraid of anyone.

I will rid the land of wild animals. The sword will not go through your land.



⁷ You will pursue your enemies, and they will fall before your sword.

⁸ Five of you will chase a hundred, and a hundred of you will chase ten thousand— your enemies will fall before your sword.



⁹ "I will turn toward you, make you productive, increase your numbers and uphold My covenant with you. ¹⁰ You will eat all you want from last year's harvest and throw out

what remains of the old to make room for the new. ¹¹ I will put My tabernacle among you, and I will not reject you, ¹² but I will walk among you and be your God, and you will be my

people. ¹³ I am *ADONAI* your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, so that you would not be their slaves. I have broken the bars of your yoke, so that you can walk

upright. Leviticus 26:3-17 Complete Jewish Bible (CJB)



2. Tell about the good consequences for obedience you have had in your house.

3. Tell about the good consequences for obedience you have had at school or in this class.

TORAH (God's Teachings/Law) Leviticus 26:14-17

1. Circle what the consequences were for disobeying God.

¹⁴ 'But if you do not obey Me, and do not observe all these commandments, ¹⁵ and if you despise My statutes, or if your soul abhors My judgments, so that you do not perform all My commandments, but break My covenant,

¹⁶ I also will do this to you:

I will even appoint terror over you, wasting disease and fever which shall consume the eyes and cause sorrow of heart.

And you shall sow your seed in vain, for your enemies shall eat it.

¹⁷ I will set My face against you, and you shall be defeated by your enemies.

Those who hate you shall reign over you, and you shall flee when no one pursues you.

Consequence is what happens after you obey or disobey.

2. Do you have consequences for disobedience in your house? YES or NO

3. Do you have consequences for disobedience at school / class? YES or NO

4. What can you do to help stop yourself (self-control) from disobeying God and others?



Listen carefully to instructions.



Choose to do right.

5. Draw or list some good consequences you have experienced.

HAFTARAH (Prophets / Writings) Jeremiah 16:19-21 (NKJV)

O LORD, my strength and my fortress,
My refuge in the day of affliction,
The Gentiles shall come to You
From the ends of the earth and say,
"Surely our fathers have inherited lies,
Worthlessness and unprofitable *things*."



²⁰ Will a man make gods for himself,
Which *are* not gods?
²¹ "Therefore behold, I will this once cause them to know,
I will cause them to know
My hand and My might;
And they shall know that My name *is* the LORD.

1. Who is it that the Gentiles will come to?

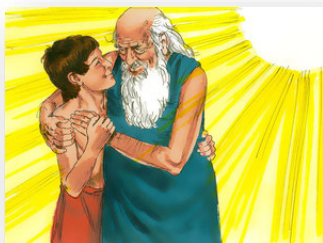
2. Whose hand is this prophecy about?

3. What is the Hebrew name of the Lord that the Gentiles will know?



Remember how God said He would remember
His covenant with Abraham, Isaac and Jacob
if people asked forgiveness?

Abraham was obeying God, ready to sacrifice his son.

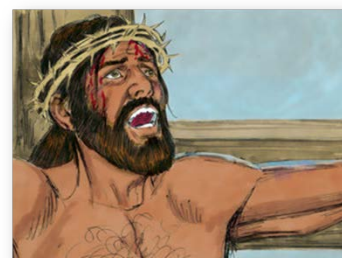


Genesis 22:11-12



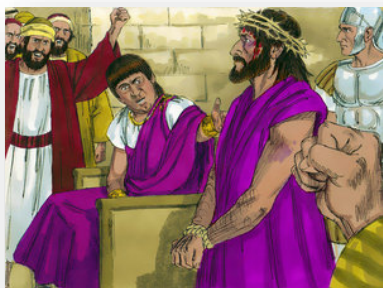
The angel said do not lay a hand on the lad.

God was also willing to give his only Son
to die for our sins.



Both Isaac, Abraham's son and Yeshua, God's son, also chose to obey their fathers!

Brit Chadashah (New Testament) Mark 7:7-10, 8:29-30

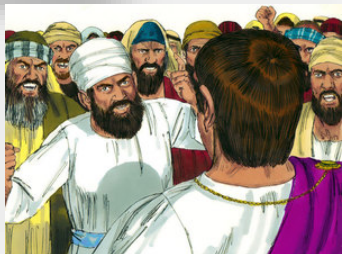


Yeshua, God's Son obeyed
God, His father.

He was sinless but they
cried crucify him!

A multitude of people
accused Him.

Luke 23:1-2



Luke 23:46



He rose from the dead on
the 3rd day and lives forever.

We can ask for forgiveness and draw close to God!

1. Turn to a neighbor or go to a family member and explain how Yeshua and Isaac were both obedient to their fathers though it was hard.
2. Explain to them how because of Yeshua's death and resurrection we can draw close to God.

Knowing that Yeshua died
for you, how do you want to
serve Him?



Barook (Blessing) May Yeshua bless as you remember, with God all things are possible.

(Teacher note:

You can bless the students at the end of the class with this blessing as a whole group or individually.)

Games and Activities Teacher Instructions

For each of the lessons one of the games has been suggested to re-enforce the theme of the lesson. We have used the following games in a variety of ways. You can use the game suggested or choose another which fits your students and your time frame.

A list of general games that can be used for any/all lessons is included at the end of this volume.

COUNTING THE OMER

When this portion is usually read we are "Counting the Omer." This is the traditional countdown between First Fruit and Shavuot. We practice with the students and count the days as well as say the prayer and Psalm 67. Activity page is at the end of this volume.

1. Speak aloud the blessing.
2. Read Psalm 67 aloud.
3. Have the students draw hearts to count the days that have already passed adding one for this day.

EACH ONE WRITE ONE

1. Form teams.
2. Have each team member write a question about the lesson on a 3x5 card or piece of paper. (Older children can assist younger children on their team who may need help with this.)
3. Pass all the questions in. The teacher reads one team's questions to the other team – one member at a time answers the question.
4. 1,000 points is awarded for each correct answer.
5. The first team to have 10,000 points wins