



Natzarim Yahshua Family Fellowship

Weekly Teen Torah

Training our youth to be sons and daughters of the commandments.

Parasha: Tazria
"She will conceive"

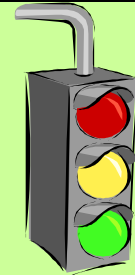
Leviticus/Vayikra 12:1-13:59

"If you love me, keep my commandments." John 14:15

PORTION IN A NUTSHELL

TAZRIA: "SHE WILL CONCEIVE"

Yahweh instructed Moshe to tell the people that if a woman has a male child, she will be unclean for seven days. On the eighth day, the child is to be circumcised. Then she shall continue for 33 more days being unclean. If she has a female child, she shall be unclean two weeks then continue to be unclean for 66 more days. After the period of uncleanness, a burnt offering in the entrance to the tent of meeting atones for her and she shall become clean. If someone is unclean with a swelling, eruption, or a spot that turns leprous, the priest must examine his skin and determine whether he is clean or not. The disease is checked repeatedly by the priest every seven days to pronounce him clean or unclean. This is also the case with boils, burns, and raw flesh. When someone has a disease on their head or beard, the priest examines it as he does with leprous sores, burns, eruptions, and spots. If a man's hair falls out from his head, he is bald and he is clean. If a man's hair falls out from his forehead, he has baldness on his forehead and he is clean. The priest must examine the man if the baldness is not the normal type. In the case of a leprous garment, it shall be shown to the priest. He shall burn the leprous garment with fire. If it is not leprous, it must be washed twice to be clean.



STOP & STUDY

Ezekiel 36:25 Then will I sprinkle clean water upon you, and ye shall be clean: from all your filthiness, and from all your idols, will I cleanse you.

Matthew 10:1,8 And when he had called unto [him] his twelve disciples, he gave them power [against] unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to heal all manner of sickness and all manner of disease. [And He said] "Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out devils: freely ye have received, freely give."

Acts 5:16 There came also a multitude [out] of the cities round about unto Jerusalem, bringing sick folks, and them which were vexed with unclean spirits: and they were healed every one.

2 Corinthians 6:17 Wherefore come out from among them, and be ye separate, saith Yahweh, and touch not the unclean [thing]; and I will receive you.

1 John 1:9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us [our] sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

DON'T EAT CATS: 101

Did you know that some things are not good for you to eat? You might find it interesting that the very first commandment given to us was what **not** to eat. Genesis 2:16-17 “And Yahweh Elohim commanded the man, saying, Of every tree of the garden you may freely eat: But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, you shall not eat of it: for in the day that you eat thereof you shall surely die.” Yahweh gave that commandment to Adam, because he cared about him and wanted Adam to choose life. **Every time we obey we choose life. Every time we sin, we choose death.** This doesn't mean we drop dead the second we sin, but death takes a hold of us begins to separates us from life in Yahweh. The next time in scripture where Yahweh gives commandments about what not to eat is when He talks about the unclean animals in Leviticus 11:1-31. Yahweh tells us not to eat rats, bats, cats, pigs, vultures, dogs, snakes, snails, lizards, shellfish, turtles, rabbits, mice, etc. You probably already knew that most of the things on that list are not to be eaten. Yahweh created all animals with a purpose. **Some animals are meant for food and others are meant to clean up the earth.** For instance, shellfish clean up the waste from the bottom of the ocean. These animals were created with a biological make-up that is different from that of clean animals, making their meat/flesh extremely parasitic and toxic, which is not healthy for human consumption.



QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

READ Acts 15:18-21. Remember: Yahweh loves obedience and cares about his people's health.

(1) What were the first commandments given to the Gentiles?

(2) Where should they go after that to learn more ? _____

(3) When could they go there? _____

Answers: (1) abstain from pollutions of idols, fornication, things strangled, and from blood. (2) synagoge. (3) on the sabbath/Shabbat.

KOSHER PEOPLE?

Some people have rules about clean and unclean **that are not in the Bible**. In fact, there are some very strict rules about how to prepare the meat of a clean animal found in **Jewish tradition**. If a clean animal isn't prepared in a certain way, it is considered unclean. Some Jewish people had "clean and unclean" rules about people that aren't found in the Bible either. They had a strict rule that said **they could not enter the homes of Gentiles**, because they considered Gentiles to be unclean. In Acts 10, Yahweh wanted Peter to go to the house of Cornelius (a Gentile who feared Yahweh), but Peter was Jewish and followed the rule about not going to the home of a Gentile. One night Peter was very hungry and tired. He fell asleep and Yahweh gave a vision to Peter of what appeared to be a sheet with unclean animals. In the vision, Yahweh told Peter to rise, kill and eat. Peter knew that even if he was hungry **Yahweh would never tell him to break His commandments**, so he waited until Yahweh gave him the interpretation to the vision.

Acts 10:28 Peter shared the interpretation of the vision saying, "Ye know how that it is an unlawful thing for a man that is a Jew to keep company or come unto one of another nation; but Yahweh has shown me that I should not call any man common or unclean."

• **check this out** •

Hebrew: Tahowr
Yiddish: Kosher/Kashrut
English: Clean

Hebrew: mishkan
English: tabernacle
Greek: skeenee

Hebrew: Goyim
English: Gentiles

Hebrew: Yahudim
English: Jews

Mission: POSSIBLE

Before the clean and unclean commandments were given (Leviticus/Vayikra chapter 11), Noah knew the difference between clean and unclean animals, because Yahweh told him to gather seven of every clean animal and two of every unclean animal.

Genesis 7:2 "Of every clean beast you shall take to you by sevens, the male and his female: and of the beasts that are not clean by two, the male and his female."

Read through Leviticus (Vayikra) chapter 11. Make a list of things that are clean and a list of things that are unclean. Encourage others to obey Yahweh's dietary guidelines and remember that these guidelines are life to those who obey them.

HEBREW LANGUAGE



YOD-HEY-VAV-HEY

This spells the name *Yahweh*.

Israel's History: Anne Frank [1929-1945]

Anne Frank is one of the most renowned and most discussed Jewish victims of the Holocaust. Acknowledged for the quality of her writing, her diary has become one of the world's most widely read books, and has been the basis for several plays and films.



This week's PORTION...

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and is written in Hebrew below.

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