Parsha Challenge

פרשת ויגש

1. The shortest פסוק in the תורה is in this week's פרשה. Which פסוק is it?

- 2. List four instances in the תורה where an אדם חשוב prepared his transportation himself.
- 3. Who in this week's פרשה was from the יוצאי מצרים?
- 4. List three instances that the number five is mentioned in this week's פרשה.1
- 5. What in this week's פרשה has a connection to עשרה בטבת?
- 6. Who in this week's פרשה lived the same amount of years as his great uncle and his grandson? 2
- 7. Who in this week's פרשה had four "hands"?
 - a. Who in last week's פרשה had five "hands"?
- 8. According to some my mother was a רשענתה, According to others she was a צדיקות, I am mentioned in this week's פרשה. Who am I?
- 9. There are four of us in the תורה,
 One of us had a city named after him,
 One of us lived like the days of the solar year,
 One of us was a grandson of אברהם,
 One of us is mentioned in this week's פרשה.
 Who are we?

¹ One is a number of years, one is a number of items, one is a number of people

² His age is mentioned in פרשת וארא

Answers

- בני דן חושים (מו,כג) .1
- 2. אברהם when he went to the יוסף, עקידה when he went to greet his father, פרעה when he went to chase after the Yidden and בלעם when he went to join בלק.
- שרח בת אשר .3
- 4. 1) The five additional years of hunger 2) The five garments given to בנימין
 - 3) The five שבטים who were presented to פרעה. 4) Although it isn't actually the number five, some may want to include the 1/5 tax
- 5. 1) יוסף mourned the destruction of both מקדשות in this week's (צ' רשיי מה,יד). פרשה coming down to מצרים was מצרים was the התחלה of גלות מצרים.
- 6. נפטר and his grandson ישמעאל and his grandson עמרם מחלוי and his grandson ישמעאל. (עי וארא ו ,טז'- כי)
- 7. The מצריים. The פסוק says (מז,כד) איחמישית לפרעה וארבע הידת יהיה לכםיי (מז,כד).
 - a. בנימין a. בנימין ממשאת כלם חמש ידותיי (מג,לד) says ייותרב משאת בנימין ממשאת כלם חמש ידותיי
- 8. According to some my mother was a רשענתה, According to others she was a צדיקות, I am mentioned in this week's פרשה. Who am I?
- my mother was אשת פוטיפר
- my mother was דינה
- אטנת (the wife of יוסף)

9. Next week.....

Last Week's Riddle:

I am an expression,

I was used when the שבטים plotted,

I was used when the שבטים had חרטה,

I was used when the בני ישראל found the מן,

I was used by the description of the כרובים,

I was used by the בני ישראל by the חטא המרגלים,

I am used twice in this week's פרשה,

Who am I?

- ַן יאמָרוּ אִישׁ אֱל־אַחִיו הָנֵּה בַּעַל הַחֱלמוֹת הַלַּזֶה בַּא : (לז,יט)
- -(מב, כא) וַיֹּאמָרוּ אָישׁ אֱל־אָחִיו אֱבָּל אֱשֶׁמִים אֲנַחִנוּ עַל־אָחִינוּ
- וַיּאמְרוּ אִישׁ אֱל־אָחִיו מָן הוּא (טז,טו)
- וּפְנֵיהֶם אִישׁ אֶל־אָחִיו אֶל־הַכַּפֹּרֶת יִהְיוּ פְּנֵי הַכְּרָבִים: (כה,כ) -
- ַ ויאמרוּ אִישׁ אֱלֹאָחִיו נְתִּנָה רֹאשׁ וְנָשׁוּבָה מִצְרַיִמָה (יד,ד)

- איש אל אחיו

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