

## **The Torah Times Weekly**

48 - D'varim Deut 16:18 -21:9

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Join Mrs. Noah, Hannah, and many of their friends as they use their imaginations to explore the Torah and the awesome stories and lessons waiting to be found.

### Part 1 Mrs. Noah's Place

The book of D'varim is Mrs. Noah's favorite book in the Torah. In this book, YHWH, our Father and our GOD, is going over and over His promises and the commanded Appointments. He tells us WHY sickness, wars, famine, and evil are growing in our world. To help Hannah and the others understand this a little better, Mrs. Noah began telling them the story of Ethan and the Amazing Wonder Book. This is the third, portion.

**Continued from last week**: Max got so excited about the story, that he jumped up and yelled, "Run, Ethan, run!" As she began drawing another picture, Mrs. Noah quickly told Max that Ethan was OK. When he calmed down, she continued:

"Ethan had gone out to throw his ball – so he could avoid listening to

the fading voice of the Amazing Wonder Book. Day after day the Book talked to him and asked Ethan to read the words he had for him. He wanted to show Ethan how to live better, how to be healthy and happy. But Ethan didn't want to listen at all.

Ethan didn't realize that each day the Book was getting smaller and smaller.

Suddenly, Ethan noticed that the mean boys were coming down the street, right toward him!"

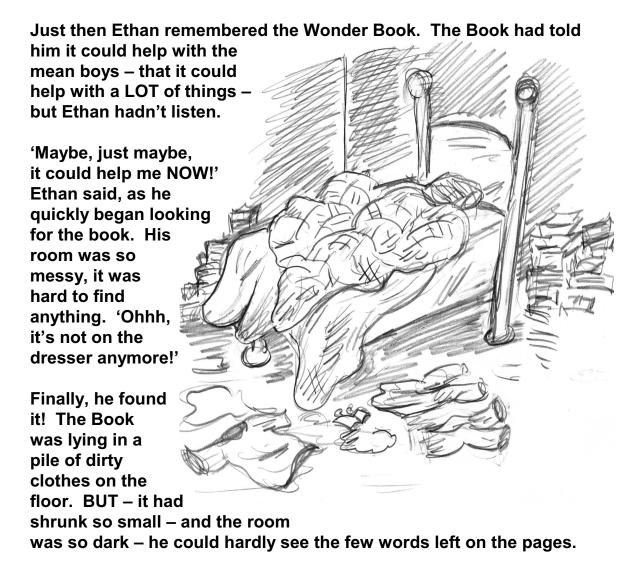


"He's gotta get out of there," Max cried, as he edged closer to see the pictures Mrs. Noah was drawing.

"Shhhh. It's OK," Mrs. Noah said and then began drawing another picture for her story.

"Ethan knew he was in trouble. He ran as fast as he could into his house.

Once inside, he locked the door and ran to his room. He listened to see if the mean boys went away, but instead they began banging on the windows and the door. Suddenly, Ethan heard a crash. 'They broke the window!' he thought.



There were only 2 Scriptures left to help him. 'Psalm 91:4 says,' he quickly read out loud. 'He shall cover you with his feathers and under his wings shall you trust.' The only other verse that was left in the little book was D'varim 33:12. 'The beloved of the LORD shall dwell in safety by him, and the LORD shall cover Him all day long.'

Ethan could hear the mean boys rampaging through the house. He realized they weren't trying to steal anything – but they were looking for HIM!



He looked at the Scriptures. 'How can that help me?' he wondered. Then, he heard the little book gasp, 'covers!'

And the Amazing Wonder Book closed its eyes.

'Covers?' Then Ethan noticed his bed. It had a large feather quilt on top. 'Feathers - cover - trust. Hmmm,' he thought, 'I wonder.'
Then he jumped onto the bed, pulled the quilt all around him and laid very still."

"He's just going to lie there?" Max shouted.

"Shhh, Max. Be quiet and let Mrs. Noah tell the story!" Hannah insisted.

"Well," Mrs. Noah continued ...

"The mean boys burst into the room and began searching. They looked under the bed. They looked in the closet.

They looked behind the chair. Ethan lay very still. But, they didn't even think about looking in the covers ON the messed up bed.

Ethan had decided to listen – and do – what the Amazing Wonder Book had told him. He decided to believe his grandmother and trust the Book.

Ethan listened to the mean boys knocking over his books. Then he remembered! He had left the little Wonder Book on the floor! He wanted to peek."



"Don't peek, Ethan! Be still!" Max exclaimed, as he sat up on the arm of Mrs. Noah's chair to see the pictures. "Are they gunna hurt Ethan?" he asked.

Mrs. Noah put her arm around Max. "Just listen, Max, and you'll see."

"Hmm. Ethan running to hide under the covers to protect himself reminds me of the instructions Yah gave in Deuteronomy 19." Moogy informed them. "Three cities were to be set up for people who had killed someone accidently. They could run there and be safe."

"From what I have read," Miss B added, "these cities were run by Levites. They taught Torah while the innocent waited."

"However," Moogy said with a note of confidence, "if someone was guilty of murder – had hate in his heart – the elders where he came from could send for him and bring him back to be turned over to the avenger of blood – to die."

"Ohhh," Mrs. Noah mused. "That's a good observation! Ethan was protected because he was innocent."

Suddenly, Max slipped out from Mrs. Noah's arm and, as he ran from the room, he shouted, "I won't let 'em hurt Ethan!"

Don't miss next week: The Amazing Wonder Book continues as Ethan learns about listening and finding the blessings the village had lost.

Also next week #49: Ki Tetze (Judges) 21:10 - 25:19

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Here is a family recipe from Mrs. Jojo.

**Wonton Soup (2 servings)** 

#### **WONTONS:**

4 oz organic ground turkey breast

2 T. fresh ginger, minced

2 T. green onion, finely chopped

1 egg white

2 T. Tamari

12 square Wonton wrappers

Cooking spray

Combine the ground turkey, ginger, green onion, egg white, and tamari in a bowl and mix well. Place 1 T. of the mixture in the center of a wrapper. Using a pastry brush or your finger, lightly wet the edges of the wrapper with water. Make a triangular pouch with the filling inside by folding the wrapper diagonally, then squeeze the edges together to seal the pouch. While holding the triangle folded side down, dab a drip of water on the corners. Fold the points over so they meet in the center, and then press the points together to make them stick.

### **Memory Challenge:**

Provb. 3:11-12

"My son, don't despise
YaHuWaH's discipline or resent
His reproof; For YHWH corrects
those He loves like a father who
delights in his son. "

### SOUP:

12 wontons

1 c. shredded Chinese or Napa cabbage

8 oz. fresh sliced mushrooms

2 c. organic chicken broth

½ c. green onion, chopped Sea salt and pepper

Coat a metal colander with cooking spray. Arrange the wontons in a single layer covering the bottom of the colander. Boil about 1 inch of water in a saucepan large enough to hold the colander suspended over the water by its rim. Cover and let the wontons steam for about 10 minutes. The wontons may also be cooked in soup.

For the soup, bring the stock to a boil in a small saucepan and add the wontons. Cook the wontons for about 10 minutes, then add the green onion.

### Who said:

"You believe all this just because I told you I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than that!" (Hintlook in the book of John)

# Teens Torah Time

## Encouraging Verse Deuteronomy 4:29-31



"But from there you will seek the LORD your God. and you will find Him if you search for Him with all your heart and all your soul. When you are in distress and all these things have come upon you, in the latter days you will return to the LORD your God and listen to His voice. For the LORD your God is a compassionate God: He will not fail you nor destroy you nor forget the covenant with your fathers which He swore to them."

### DIDYA KNOW?



### Teen Corner

Are you a leader or a follower? It takes both kinds to make the world go 'round.' But as a believer, you are a leader in many ways, even if you don't feel like one. If you're truly living your life for Yeshua, people will be drawn to Him through you. You may be leading without even meaning to! Joseph enjoyed great success in business partly because of his amazing leadership, and mostly because of his total reliance on God. With God's help, he was able to look ahead and plan for what was coming. He had a shrewd understanding of supply and demand. Above all, he consistently lived a life of integrity. His character made him a man who people were eager and willing to follow!

There's always a chance God will call you to lead a big group of people, but even if he doesn't, it's pretty much guaranteed that you will influence at least one person. Life is full of mind-boggling issues, and it takes more than human understanding to really know what to say to someone who needs a wise word of advice or a thoughtful prayer.

One of our biggest struggles as believers is showing others that the kind of life we live is NOT full of compromise! The way we live our lives is a living declaration, and if we do the opposite of the standards we have, we ourselves are hypocrites (which is not exactly the kind of light we want to shine, huh!?). If we really want to shine brightly and impact someone's life, whether we are leaders or followers, we need to be careful to not to compromise the standards God has set for us.

### **Sock Puppet**

### You will need:

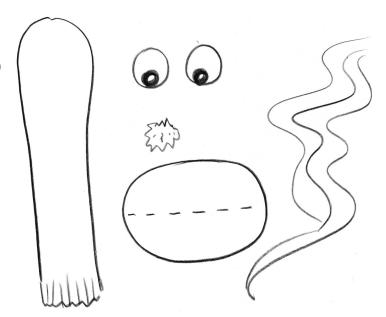
\*White sock (men's, no heel)

\*Eyes (glue on/sew or stick on)

\*Pom poms (for nose and?)

\*Yarn or fur or ?, for hair

\*Cut card board and cover with red felt, fold and glue in place, for mouth.



Put fiber fill into sock head. Too much will make it difficult to work.



Cardboard is to give the child a place to hold onto when moving the mouth. Can be put inside or outside. Glue red felt in place – same size at cardboard.

Large plastic needles work well for the children to sew on hair.

Fur goes a long way, so if you get some, you don't need much.

Add eyes where desired. You can also add freckles, ears and eyebrows. Use fabric marker.

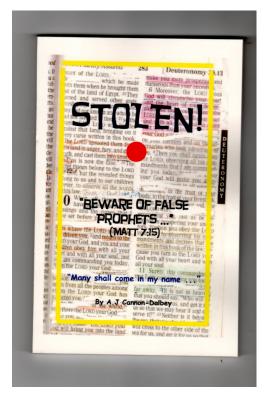
HAVE FUN!

(Next week we will look at all of the materials we are using - and discover some ideas hidden in each one!)

### DID YOU SEE OUR NEW BOOK?

## STOLEN!

This is a story about 2 teens, Jessica and Jake, who begin a search for their Grandmother's Bible, and discover more than they bargained for. Along with helping Dr. Bob, and finding a new puppy, they discuss the Name of the Messiah and the importance of knowing who He is and the Commandments He lived.



You will find it on Amazon and our website