

# PARSHA CHALLENGE

תשע"ח

פרשת קרח

1. List three times in this week's פרשה that משה is "יפל על פניו".
  - a. List two other times was משה "יפל על פניו"? <sup>1</sup>
2. Aside from א"י, what country is described as "ארץ זבת חלב דבש"? Where? <sup>2</sup>
3. List at least 325 people (not necessarily by name), in the תורה, that died by fire. (Not necessarily מפורש בתורה)
  - a. Who in the תורה who was almost killed by fire. (מפורש)
4. In how many events before פרשת קרח, are דתן ואבירם names mentioned in the תורה?
5. What brought both life and death in this week's פרשה?
6. Three of us are the same in concept,  
One of us was of land,  
One of us was of water,  
One of us was of an animal,  
Our time was neither day nor night,  
One of us is mentioned in this week's פרשה.  
Who are we?
7. I am an אות,  
They are an אות,  
I was inside,  
They were outside.  
Both they and I are mentioned in this week's פרשה.  
Who am I? Who are they?

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## Hint?

<sup>1</sup> Once in last week's פרשה, and once in next week's פרשה

<sup>2</sup> It is in this week's פרשה

## Answers

1. 1) When משה hears קרח's complaints (טז, ד) וישמע משה ויפל על פניו  
2) When משה hears ה' wants to destroy כלל ישראל because of קרח (טז, כב).  
3) When משה hears ה' wants to destroy כלל ישראל because of their complaining. ויפלו על פניהם (יז, י)
  - a. When כלל ישראל accepts the report of the מרגלים (יד, ה).
  - b. After the yidden complained there was no water in פרשת חקת.
2. המעט כי העליתנו מארץ זבת חלב ודבש (טז, יג) - מצרים
3. 250 from קרח (251 according to the דאמר that קרח was also burnt.)
  - a. 1) The fire that burnt the מתאננים, killed a minimum of two ערוב רב  
(עי רש"י י"א, טז) זקנים 70 (עי רש"י י"א, א)  
2) נדב ואביהוא  
3) הרן  
b. תמר and אברהם
4. Zero
5. קטורת
6. **We are all the same in concept,  
One of us was of the land,  
One of us was of water,  
One of us was of an animal,  
Our time was neither day nor night.  
One of us is mentioned in this week's פרשה.  
Who are we? פי הארץ, פי הבאר, פי האתון**
7. **Next week....**

לרפואה שלמה - יהודה בן אידל  
שרה יוכבד בת חנה מאשה  
ברוך בן אסתר מלכה  
לע"נ ברכה בילה בת דוד יעקב ז"ל  
יצחק דוד בן אלימלך הכהן ע"ה

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