

TORAHIFIC!

Ahi Ezer Torah Center's Parsha Questions & Riddles

1. Why did Yaakov love his son Yosef more than all of his other sons?
2. Why did Yosef's brothers throw him in a pit?
3. Why did Yosef's brothers buy shoes with the kidnap money?
4. Why was Yosef the first Jew to have to go into Galut (exile)?
5. Why was Yaakov tested with many hardships in his life, after praying for tranquility?
6. What was the last halacha that Yaakov taught Yosef before his disappearance?
7. Why did Yosef tell over his dreams of glory if he knew they would cause jealousy?
8. Why did Yaakov give Yosef that regal ketonet possim (colorful cloak) if it would cause jealousy and animosity?
9. What did Yosef's brothers often give him?
10. What "Lashon Hara" did Yosef say about his brothers, suspecting they did bad?
11. What were Yosef and Gidon compared to in their dreams?
12. Why did the sons of Yaakov shepherd their sheep in "Shechem" of all places?
13. What happened to the shepherd dogs that were sent to attack Yosef Hatzadik?
14. Why are goats used on Rosh Hodesh and Yom Kippur to atone for our sins?
15. Why were ten outstanding Tannaic Rabbis, tortured to death?
16. What did a wolf say to Yaakov Avinu?
17. What happened when the Arabs beat Yosef by Kever Rachel?
18. When did an eleven-month-old-baby argue with its mother?
19. Which wives saved their husbands lives?
20. Why did Yehuda lose his wife and children?
21. How many incidents of "deadly jealousy" can you find throughout the Tanach?
22. What was Yosef's reward for objecting Zolika's immoral behavior?
23. How do we see that you never lose out keeping the mitzvot?
24. What beautiful benefits come to a woman who is modest (tzeniut)?
25. Why didn't Dovid Hamelech become king before he was thirty?
26. What does the story of Yosef have to do with the story of Hanukah?
27. When Sanhedrin executed capital punishment they fasted. So why did Yosef's brothers eat after they punished him throwing him in the pit?
28. Why is the Pidyon Haben with five shekels?
29. Why did Zarach's hand come out first, but Peretz was born first?
30. What type of jealousy should Yosef's brothers' of had?
31. Why did Yehuda marry Tamar, his daughter-in-law?
32. How did Yosef's "caring for others" save his life?

33. Why didn't Yosef send a message to his father Yaakov, that he's alive and well in Egypt?
34. How did Yosef's descendants suffer since he acted superior to his brothers?
35. How do we see if you raise a child, it's as if you gave birth to the child?
36. What was Yosef whispering the entire time working for Potiphar?
37. Why shouldn't a parent or a teacher "play favoritism"?
38. Why was Potiphar compared to the wild animal, the bear?
39. Why did Yaakov want Yosef to inquire how the sheep are doing?
40. How did Zolika (Potiphar's wife) threaten Yosef to give up his morals?
41. What happened to the snakes and scorpions, inside the pit that Yosef was put in?
42. Who was the first genuine "Baal Teshuva"?
43. Why did Yehoshua Ben Nun tear his clothes in grief?
44. Why did Yitzchok only pretend to cry and mourn over Yosef's absence?
45. Why did the kids Er and Onan die so young? (:σκ ,υνχλη εη∀αρ)
46. Who merited to give birth to twins, as a reward for modesty? (ζ-ωπ ρ∀χ)
47. Why didn't Yosef grab his coat away from his attacker? (ρξυν ,υφηα)
48. Why must we give a half-shekel annually?
49. How old was Yosef when he was tested if he would give into his desire?
50. How did Yaakov accept all the challenges that he had in his life [Esav's hatred, Lavan's crookedness, Dinah's humiliation, Rachel's passing, Yosef's kidnapping etc.]?
51. Why is it very important to gaze at Tzadikim?
52. Why shouldn't Yosef's brothers have been jealous of him?
53. Why didn't the Chief Bartender remember to put in a good word on behalf of Yosef?
54. Why is Yosef Hatzadik so frequently mentioned, during heaven's judgement of man?
55. Why did our ancestors, the Bnei Yisroel have to go and suffer in Mitzraim ?