"Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!"

John 1:29

No peeking!

Here are the answers.

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Ladder word

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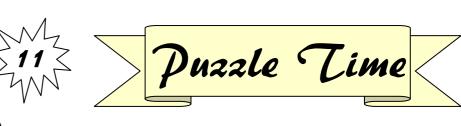
Solution: PSALM WRAZE SJWAAT 3MIA9 :msigsnA 10. Levites, 11. Sabbath

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[Bible references from NIV]

Hidden word: Carmel Star3: Paella, Shells, Iwelve, Whelks Star 2: Farmer, Formic, German, Normal Star 1: Decant, Encase, Escape, Recall I hree star

7. Red Sea, 8. Aaron, 9. Water, 4. Mara, 5. Eve, 6. lemple, 1. Peter, 2. Reuben, 3. Isaac, Ans-a-gram



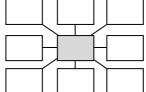
- **Ans-a-gram** The initial letters of the answers (in order) will provide an anagram of the final solution, which is a 'musical talent' of King David (5, 6).
  - 1. Disciple called the 'rock'. (5) [Matthew 16:18]
  - 2. Oldest son of Jacob. (6) [Genesis 29:32]
  - 3. Father of Esau. (5) [Genesis 25:26]
  - 4. Naomi's name change. (4) [Ruth 1:20]
  - 5. First woman. (3) [Genesis 3:20]
  - 6. The house of God. (6) [1 Chronicles 25:6]
  - 7. Where the Egyptian army perished. (3, 3) [Exodus 15:4]
  - 8. Moses' brother. (5) [Exodus 4:14]
  - 9. Drawn from the wells of salvation. (5) [Isaiah 12:3]
  - 10. The tribe of the priests. (7) [Deuteronomy 18:1]
  - 11. Day of rest. (7) [Exodus 16:23]





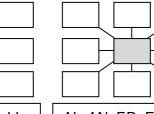
In each of these three star puzzles, use the pairs of letters supplied to create four words in each star. The central pair of letters will be common to all four words.

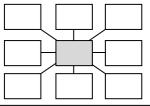
When complete, read across the central pairs to find a mountain from the Bible. [1 Kings 18:19]



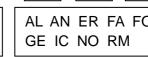
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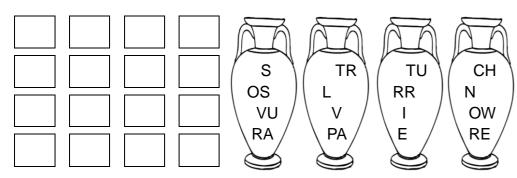
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Clue: John sweetened his locusts with this. (4, 5) [Matthew 3:4]

From the Potter's Wheel

The Potter has put the letters of the names of 4 birds into his pots but they have become jumbled up. Taking letters from each pot for each row, can you find out what the birds should be?

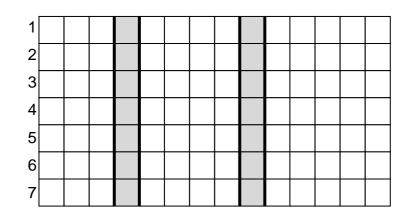


You can find these birds at: Matthew 10:29, Matthew 24:28, Genesis 8:7, Lamentations 4:3



## Ladderword

Each line has three clues for a 3-letter, 4-letter and 5-letter word answer. The second answer is an anagram of the first but with an additional letter and the third is an anagram of the second with an additional letter. Place the additional letters in the uprights of the ladder to reveal two women from the Old Testament [Judges 4:4 and Genesis 24:67].



1. Consume food; Romantic night out; Exchange goods

- 2. Scrap of cloth; Cog; Reach an accord
- 3. Tell a falsehood; Digestive juice in liver; Holy book

4. First colour of spectrum; Travelled, for example, on a horse; Wear away

- 5. Poisonous snake; Practice boxing; Urban green spaces
- 6. Zero; Hard fingertip covering; Tropical climbing plant
- 7. Spasmodic muscle twitch; Requisition note; Thumb a lift

Those who know your name trust in you, for you, Lord, have never forsaken those who seek you.

Psalm9:10



– the unsuccessful proposed replacement for Judas as an apostle.

- 11. Suffering 12. Barsabbas
- 9. Scripture 10. Abandoned
- 7. Believers 8. Pentecost
- 5. Crucified 6. Therefore
- 3. Witnesses 4. Beginning
- 1. Daughters 2. Patriarch

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### Vowel-less

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My house will be called a house of prayer, but you are making it a den of robbers.

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- 7.F8.R9.T10.Y11.R12.G
  - 1. U 2. W 3. B 4. D 5. A 6. O

Spare

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**Spare** The letters in box one, when rearranged, will form a word with a letter spare – this letter is moved into box two. The letters in box two will now form a word with a letter spare that moves into box three and so on to the end of the puzzle (the last box will not have a letter spare).

When complete, you will have a charge that Jesus made to the money changers in the temple courts.

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Three-in-eight

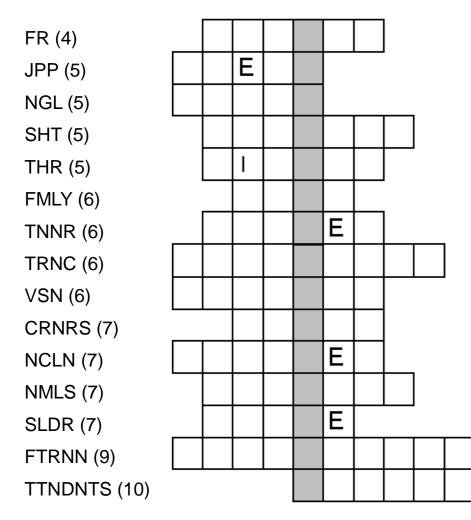
Insert 3-letter words into the spaces to create eight 8-letter words. Then read down the shaded spaces to find a promise (made by God). [Genesis 6:18]

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# Vowel-less

Your clues are words from Acts 10, the story of the Cornelius and Peter, but the vowels have been omitted!

Work out what the words should be (the length of the word is provided to help you) and where they should fit in the grid to give another item from the story in the shaded column.





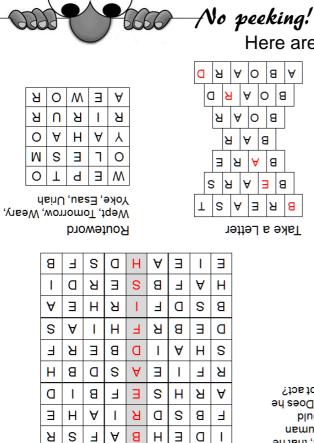
Use the first 11 clues to match three sets of 3 letters (the Bible references may help). Three sets of 3 letters will remain – arrange these to find a character from the beginning of the book of Acts. Use the reference to find out what they did.

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- 1. Female offspring [Acts 2:17]
- 2. 'Father'/founder of a tribe or nation [Acts 2:19]
- 3. They can testify to something that they saw [Acts 1:8]
- 4. The start [Acts 1:22]
- 5. Executed on a cross [Acts 2:36]
- 6. Thus, so [Acts 2:26]
- 7. They have faith/confidence in a creed or god [Acts 1:15]
- 8. Feast day when the Holy Spirit descended [Acts 2:1]
- 9. Sacred writings [Acts 1:16]
- 10. Forsaken, left behind [Acts 2:31]
- 11. Going through grief, loss or physical pain [Acts 1:3]
- 12. ???????? [Acts 1:23]

And when you look up to the sky and see the sun, the moon and the stars—all the heavenly array—do not be enticed into bowing down to them and worshiping things the Lord your God has apportioned to all the nations under heaven.

Deuteronomy 4:19



Here are the answers.

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used instead of the numbers 1 to 9.

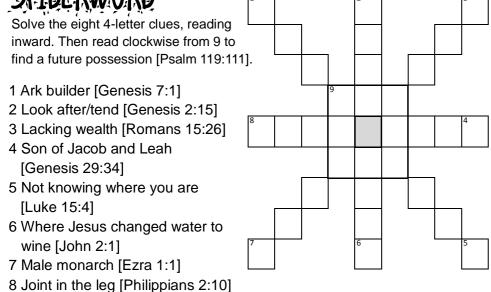
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Clue: Used to feed the multitude. (5, 4) [Matthew 14:17]





Take A<br/>LetterThe answer to question 2 is an anagram of the answer<br/>to question 1, minus one letter and so on to question 4,<br/>then the answers are anagrams plus one letter.

Read down the circled letters to find the facial feature of Aaron that oil ran down onto. [Psalm 133:2]

- 1. Chest (female). [Luke 23:29]
- 2. Grizzlies or Teddies. [2Kings 2:24] 2
- 3. Unclothed. [Isaiah 52:10]
- 4. Metal rod or ingot. [Joshua 7:21]
- 5. Wild pig. [Psalm 80:13]
- 6. Wooden plank. [Exodus 27:8]
- 7. On a ship. [Ezekiel 27:8]

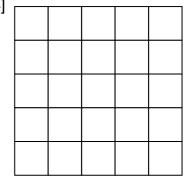


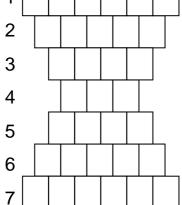
**Routeword** Answer the clues, starting your answers in the top left square and working clockwise, gradually getting to the centre of the puzzle. The first letter of the second word is the last letter of the first word and so on.

- 1. Cried (4) [Acts 9:8]
- 2. The day after today (8) [Matthew 6:34]
- 3. Very tired (5) [Galatians 6:9]
- 4. A wooden crosspiece, linking two animals together (4)

[Matthew 11:28-30]

- 5. Brother of Jacob (4) [Genesis 25:26]
- 6. Original husband of Bathsheba (5) [2 Samuel 11:3]





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are looking for the city that is to come.

For here we do not have an enduring city, but we

Here are the answers.

Hebrews 13:14

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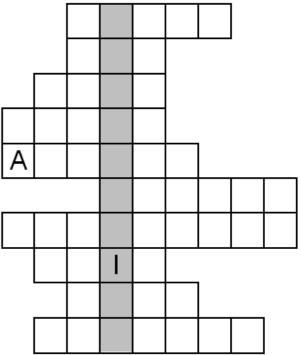
Your clues are words from 1 Corinthians 13, a chapter on love, but the vowels have been omitted! Work out what the words should be (the

length of the word is provided to help you) and where they should fit in

the grid to give another item from the chapter in the shaded column.

## Vowel-less

MN (3) GFT (4) HP (4) VL (4) CHLD (5) PRD (5) CYMBL (6) **NGLS (6)** TNGS (7) MYSTRS (9)







Below are anagrams of some of the books of the New Testament but each has a rogue letter!

The rogue letters, when found, will spell out another New Testament book. SIT PUT
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 MY HOT TIN



## Phone Me

The numbers of a telephone keypad have several letters associated with them .

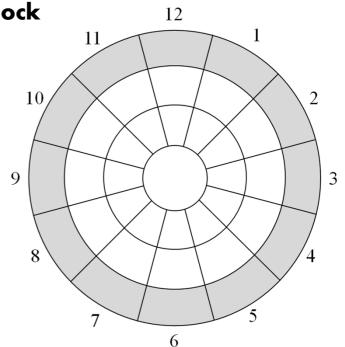
If 3683 [John 2:16] is DOVE, can you decode the other 6 birds?

72836 [Genesis 8:7] 6787424 [Lamentations 3:4] 8858873 [Leviticus 11:13] 32453 [Isaiah 40:31] 7727769 [Matthew 10:29] 727874343 [1 Samuel 26:20]



# Round the Clock

Answer the 12 clues, placing them into the clock, reading inwards. The answer all share the same last letter. Then read round the outer circle to find something Peter did not have [Acts 3:6].

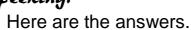


- 1. Trespasses [Romans 11:27]
- 2. Public houses [Luke 10:34]
- 3. Chopped up tree trunks [2 Samuel 5:11]
- 4. Promises [Malachi 1:14]
- 5. Conclusions [Acts 1:8]
- 6. Beams of light [Malachi 4:2]
- 7. Possesses [Matthew 18:12]
- 8. Tattered clothing [Isaiah 64:6]
- 9. Deities [Micah 4:5]
- 10. Night time birds of prey [Isaiah 43:20]
- 11. Drawn to decide who wins [Leviticus 16:8]
- 12. Animal lairs [Luke 9:58]

Look to the Lord and his strength; seek his face always.

No peeking!

1 Chronicles 16:11



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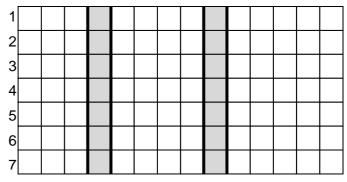
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# Ladderword

Each line has three clues for a 3-letter, 4-letter and 5-letter word answer. The second answer is an anagram of the first but with an additional letter and the third is an anagram of the second with an additional letter. Place the additional letters in the uprights of the ladder to reveal two regions in Israel [John 4:5 and Matthew 3:13].



1. Hit a ball over an opponent; Person of poor table manners; Internet diaries

- 2. Clear spirit; Acquire; Once more
- 3. Young dog; Machine for raising of moving liquids;

Of full, rounded shape

- 4. Long stick/pointer; Highway; Audio wireless transmission
- 5. Un-returnable tennis serve; Running competition; Transparent
- 6. Small goods vehicle; Excessively conceited;

Innocently credulous

7. Lower body limb; Strong wind; Large bird of prey



used instead of the numbers 1 to 9.

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When complete, one of the rows or columns will contain a Bible word or phrase - a clue is given to help with this and a reference to where it can be found.

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Clue: Those responsible for (a church). [2 Chronicles 23:18]

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Use the first 11 clues to match three sets of 3 letters (the Bible references may help). Three sets of 3 letters will remain – arrange these to find a character from the story of Daniel. Use the reference to find out what they did.

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- 1. Translate, give the meaning of (e.g. a dream) [Daniel 2:5]
- 2. What appeared to write on the wall at Belshazzar's feast (5, 4) [Daniel 5:5]
- 3. Humble dress for a repentant person (usually goes with ashes) [Daniel 9:3]
- 4. A refuge, place of safety from an enemy [Daniel 9:17]
- 5. Very pretty [Daniel 11:45]
- 6. An offering to God [Daniel 8:12]
- 7. Utterly tired out [Daniel 8:27]
- 8. Don't shoot this one, he brings the news [Daniel 4:23]
- 9. Well fed [Daniel 1:15]
- 10. Sun hardened sticky earth (5, 4) [Daniel 2:33]
- 11. Having power to enforce rules [Daniel 7:14]
- 12. ??????? [Daniel 1:1]

The discerning heart seeks knowledge, but the mouth of a fool feeds on folly.

Proverbs 15:14

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No peeking! Here are the answers.

[7:1 vhomit 2]

and self-discipline. make us timid, but gives us power, love For the Spirit God gave us does not



Hidden word: Eastward

- 7. Spotless, 8. Assembly

Hidden word: Gideon [Judges 6:12]

Star 3: Sooner, Prongs, Sponge, Phoned

- 4. Jonathan, 5. Wanderer, 6. Swallows
- 1. Complete, 2. Farmland, 3. Commands

LUKe 2:14

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Spare

### Three Star

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## **Spare**

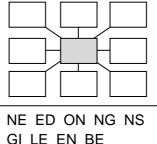
The letters in box one, when rearranged, will form a word with a letter spare - this letter is moved into box two. The letters in box two will now form a word with a letter spare that moves into box three and so on to the end of the puzzle (the last box will not have a letter spare).

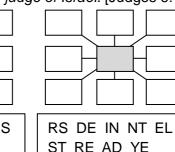
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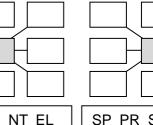
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Three Star

In each of these three star puzzles, use the pairs of letters supplied to create four words in each star. The central pair of letters will be common to all four words. When complete, read across the central pairs to find a judge of Israel. [Judges 6:12]





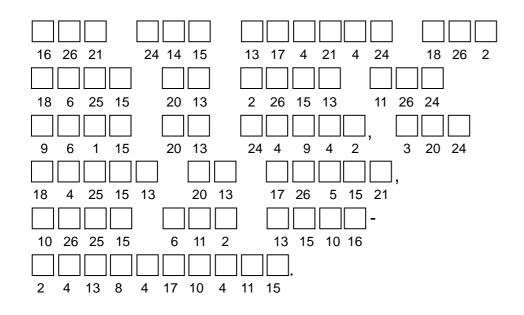


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If PAUL is 17 6 20 10 and TIMOTHY is 24 4 9 26 24 14 7, solve this cryptogram to find a word of encouragement from Paul to Timothy

[2 Timothy 1].



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The answers to the clues are all 8 letter words 8 2 which need to be placed clockwise round their answer 7 Ρ number but they do not all start at Ν the same position. Some letters have been 6 4 placed to help you. When complete, read across the circled letters to find 5 where a garden was planted in Eden.

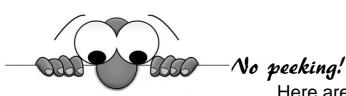
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- 1. Whole/finished [Colossians 2:10]
- 2. Area for agriculture and/or livestock [2 Chronicles 31:19]
- 3. Orders (to soldiers) [1 John 2:3]
- 4. Son of King Saul [1 Samuel 13:16]
- 5. One who drifts from place to place [Isaiah 58:7]
- 6. Passes food or drink down throat [Numbers 16:30]
- 7. Without blemish [Daniel 11:35]
- 8. Gathering together of believers [Acts 15:12]



The Lord looks down from heaven on all mankind to see if there are any who understand, any who seek God.



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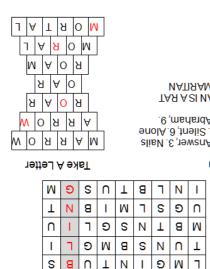


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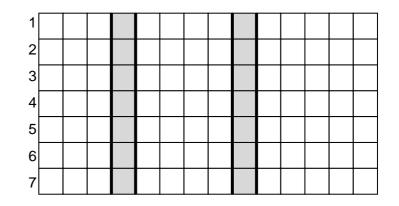
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# Ladderword

Each line has three clues for a 3-letter, 4-letter and 5-letter word answer. The second answer is an anagram of the first but with an additional letter and the third is an anagram of the second with an additional letter. Place the additional letters in the uprights of the ladder to reveal two birds mentioned in the Bible [Deuteronomy 14:13 and Lamentations 4:3].



- 1. Feline; Vehicle pulled by a horse; Performs in a play
- 2. One circuit of a racetrack; Sound of ringing bells; Jumps/springs up
- 3. Employ; What are owing; Singing with two people
- 4. Type of lettuce; Covering for foot; Stones
- 5. Not pro; Metal money; Ancient Greek architecture style
- 6. Organ for hearing; Unloaded weight; Vestige
- 7. Donkey; Small oceans; Residue from burning



used instead of the numbers 1 to 9.

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When complete, one of the rows or columns will contain a Bible word or phrase - a clue is given to help with this and a reference to where it can be found.

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Clue: Christ's crucifixion - this type of 'block' to the Jews. [1 Corinthians 1:23]

## Common Link

Each word contains the same 3 letters. Solve the clues to find the words then read down the circled letters to find a military position [Joshua 5:14].

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- 1. Where you live [Esther 2:16]
- 2. Walked on [Judges 9:27]
- 3. Given courage [Psalm 138:3]
- 4. Infuriating [Revelation 14:8]
- 5. Place for plants [Isaiah 61:11]
- 6. Learner/pupil [Luke 6:40]
- 7. Quick/unexpected
  - [Zephaniah 1:18]
- 8. Clear/obvious [Philippians 4:5]
- 9. Loads to carry [Psalm 68:19]

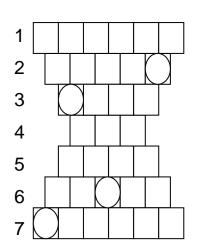
- **Ans-a-gram** The initial letters of the answers (in order) will provide an anagram of the final solution, which is a good neighbour [Luke 10:33].
  - 1. Aaron's sister. (6) [Exodus 15:20]
  - 2. Response to question. (6) [Job 9:32]
  - 3. Small metal spikes to hammer into wood. (5) [John 20:25]
  - 4. Cannot be seen. (9) [Colossians 1:16]
  - 5. Very quiet. (6) [Esther 4:14]
  - 6. All by oneself. (5) [Genesis 2:18]
  - 7. Go back to. (6) [Luke 19:12]
  - 8. Isaac's father. (7) [Genesis 21:3]
  - 9. Ten hundred. (8) [Job 9:3]



Take AThe answer to question 2 is an anagram of the answer to<br/>question 1, minus one letter and so on to question 4, then the<br/>answers are anagrams plus one letter.

Read down the circled letters to find what small, wriggling creature King David compared himself to. [Psalm 22:6]

- 1. Fatty substance in bones. [Hebrews 4:14]
- 2. Fired from a bow. [Ephesians 6:16]
- 3. Cry made by a lion. [Proverbs 19:12]
- 4. Wooden paddle for rowing. [Mark 6:48]
- 5. Ramble (wander about). [Jeremiah 50:6]
- 6. Ethical. [James 1:21]
- 7. Not eternal (subject to death). [Genesis 6:3]



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### Round the Clock

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prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone

No peeking!

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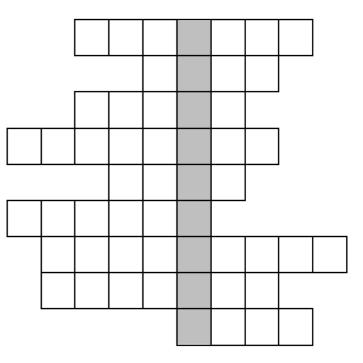




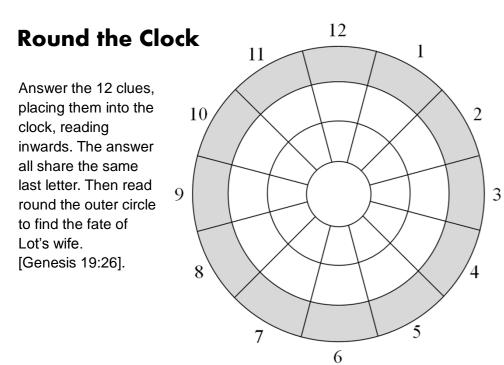
## Vowel-less

Your clues are words/names from Ruth 1, the beginning of the story of how Ruth came to Israel, but the vowels have been omitted! Work out what the words should be (the length of the word is provided to help you) and where they should fit in the grid to give another item from the story in the shaded column.

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WPT (4)
MPTY (5)
FMN (6)
HRVST (7)
HSBND (7)
LMGHTY (8)
DGHTRS (9)







- 1. Gave the price for [2 Kings 12:11]
- 2. Frozen [Job 37:10]
- 3. Not quiet [Revelation 5:2]
- 4. Told untruth [Acts 5:4]
- 5. Got older [Proverbs 30:17]
- 6. Path for traffic [Acts 8:36]
- 7. Due [Luke 7:41]
- 8. Shallow river crossing place [Joshua 2:23]

Rogue

Below are anagrams of some of the characters from the book of Daniel but each has a roque letter!

- 1. RAIL SUD The rogue letters, when found, will 2. HAZE PAINS spell out an incident from the book of Daniel. [Daniel 6:16]
  - 3. HOE SCAM 4. LAME CHIN 5. SNOG A BEED 6. COD HAIR
  - 7. CRY SUE
  - 8. CRASH HAND

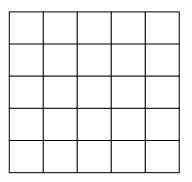


## Routeword

Answer the clues, starting your answers in the top left square and working clockwise, gradually getting to the centre of the puzzle. The first letter of the second word is the last letter of the first word and so on.

All the words are from the first chapter of Genesis.

- 1. Opposite of dark (5) [Genesis 1:3]
- 2. Large, woody plants (5) [Genesis 1:12]
- 3. Top (of a liquid) (7) [Genesis 1:2]
- 4. Twilight time of day (7) [Genesis 1:19]
- 5. Colour (of grass) (5) [Genesis 1:30]



Look, there on the mountains, the feet of one who brings good news, who proclaims peace!

Nahum 1:15

-No peeking!

Here are the answers.

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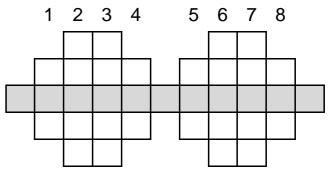
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Puzzle Time

Dumb-bell Solve the clues down and then work out the missing letters for the horizontal word: temporary dwellings [Ezra 3:4]

- 1. Not good [Matthew 7:17]
- 2. Clothed (in splendid outer garment) [Isaiah 63:1]
- 3. Not expensive [John 2:10]
- 4. Large wooden ship [Genesis 7:1]
- 5. Used for rowing [Mark 6:48]
- 6. Stony [Matthew 13:5]
- 7. Derogatory term for hairless person [2 Kings 2:23]
- 8. Spider's trap [Job 8:14]



*Mini-*Crossword

Solve the clues and see an example of where the answers occur in the Bible.

### Across

- 1 Do not allow [1 Corinthians 14:39]
- 3 Get [Acts 13:39]
- 4 Container for animals' water/food [Genesis 24:20]

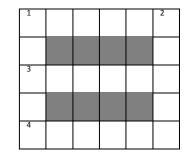
### Down

1 White, icy morning moisture

[Jeremiah 36:30]

2 Daughter of Jacob, by Leah

[Genesis 30:21]





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Clue: 'Pillars' of the Exodus. (5, 4) [Exodus 13:21]

## Hidden Word UNScramble!

Unscramble these types of transport from the Bible. Then read through the shaded letters to find a grass eating 'creature'. [Job 40:15]

- 1 ASTOB [Mark 4:36]
- 2 SOSHER [James 3:3]
- 3 PHISS [1 Kings 10:22]

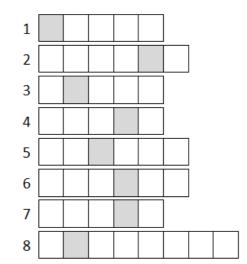
4 SLUME [Zechariah 14:15]

5 CLEAMS [Isaiah 21:17]

6 NOGSAW [Ezekiel 23:24]

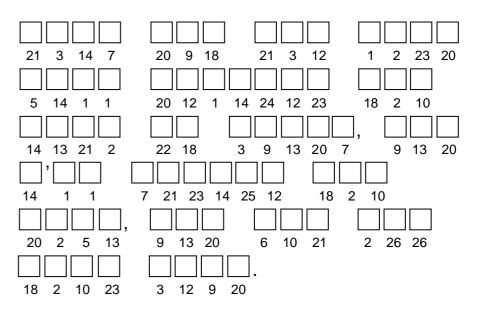
7 SCRAT [Numbers 7:6]

8 SHORTAIC [Psalm 20:7]





If GOLIATH is 17 2 1 14 9 21 3, solve this cryptogram to find David's challenge to Goliath on the battle field [1 Samuel 17].



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But if from there you seek the Lord your God, you will find him if you seek him with all your heart and with all your soul.



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9. Unnoticed, 10. Rebellion

7. Campaigns, 8. Iron point

5. Evil deeds, 6. Livestock

3. Carcasses, 4. Eight sons

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Gideon, Shamgar, Othniel

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Puzzle Time

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Starting at the shaded square, move to adjacent squares (up, down, left or right but *not* diagonally) to find the names of twelve animals in the Bible. The references may help.

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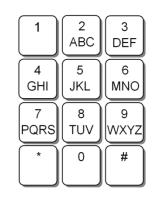
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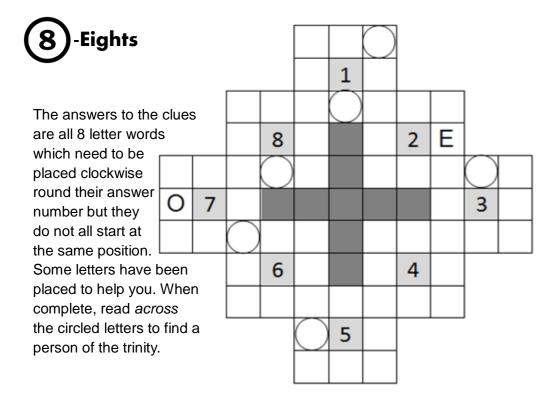


# Phone Me

The numbers of a telephone keypad have several letters associated with them. If 3483 [Judges 3:15] is EHUD, can you decode the other 6 judges?

443366	[Judges 6:12]
7426427	[Judges 3:31]
6846435	[Judges 3:9]
726766	[Judges 13:24]
3326724	[Judges 4:4]
537484284	[Judges 11:1]





- 1. One of the 12 close followers of Jesus [Matthew 10:1]
- 2. Unending time [Psalm 93:2]
- 3. Someone who lives at a place [Leviticus 25:6]
- 4. What requires an answer [Matthew 21:24]
- 5. Someone who apes the behaviour of another [1 Thessalonians 1:6]
- 6. Free (from captivity) [Romans 8:21]
- 7. Larger than a hill [Exodus 3:12]
- 8. Fortresses on high ground [Psalm 122:7]





Use the first 11 clues to match three sets of 3 letters (the Bible references may help). Three sets of 3 letters will remain – arrange these to find a character from the story of David. Use the reference to find out what they did.

OTI	ONS	GNS	IRO
EDS	ION	EVI	EBA
HLE	SES	UNN	NDS
EIG	THO	INT	HED
CAS	ELL	HEM	HTS
NPO	TRI	USA	PAI
HSH	CED	BAT	CAR
BET	LDE	UMP	REB
EST	CAM	LIV	OCK

- 1. Tens of hundreds [1 Samuel 18:7]
- 2. Had a great victory (in battle) [1 Samuel 17:50]
- 3. Dead bodies [1 Samuel 17:46]
- 4. Jesse's octet of male offspring (5, 4) [1 Samuel 17:12]
- 5. Very bad acts (4, 5) [1 Samuel 24:13]
- 6. Collective term for farm animals [1 Samuel 30:20]
- 7. Military operations [1 Samuel 18:13]
- 8. Sharp metal end (of a spear) (4, 5) [1 Samuel 17:7]
- 9. Without being observed [1 Samuel 24:4]
- 10. Armed uprising against a government [1 Samuel 24:11]
- 11. Home town of David [1 Samuel 16:1]
- 12. ???????? [2 Samuel 11:3]