

The sorts of **tidbits**

my father, Rav Meir Zlotowitz zt"l, made sure his family was up to date on *from the mundane, to the profound, to the 'thanks for reminding me!*



Parashas Ki Savo 5783 September 1st • 15 Elul

🚽 Reminders

Parashas Ki Savo includes the Tochacha reading. In many Shuls, no one is called up for this *aliyah (shishi)*; rather, the *baal koreh* simply takes the *aliyah* (or the gabbai, in the event that the *baal koreh* is a *kohen* or *levi*).

Pirkei Avos: Chapter 3-4.

Daf Yomi - Friday: Bavli: Kiddushin 19 • Yerushalmi: Kilayim 48 • Mishnah Yomis: Tannis 2:2-3 • Oraysa: Rosh Hashanah 35a & Yoma 2a

Make sure to call your parents, in-laws, grandparents and Rebbi to wish them a good Shabbos. If you didn't speak to your kids today, make sure to connect with them as well!

Next on the Calendar

Selichos begin on Motzaei Shabbos, September 9th.

Rosh Hashanah begins on Friday evening, September 15th.

Tzom Gedaliah is on Monday morning, September 18th.

Yom Kippur begins on Sunday evening, September 24th.

Succos begins on Friday evening, September 29th.

间 Parshah in a Paragraph

KI SAVO: *Bikkurim* • *Vidui Ma'aser* • Klal Yisrael declares allegiance to Hashem, and Hashem to Klal Yisrael • Instruction regarding crossing the Yarden and the inscribing of the Torah on 12 stones • The covenant of curses and blessings on Mounts Gerizim and Eival • The lengthy rebuke of Sefer Devarim • Moshe begins his final discourse to Klal Yisrael • *See Taryag Weekly for the various mitzvos.*

Haftarah: The *haftarah of Kumi Ori* (Yeshaya 60:1-22) continues the theme of *nechamah,* promising us that along with the final redemption comes the reassurance that there will be no more *galus.*

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KI SAVO: 122 Pesukim • 3 Obligations • 3 Prohibitions

 Recite the Parashas Bikkurim when bringing Bikkurim to the Beis HaMikdash.
At some point during the fourth and seventh years of the shemittah cycle, recite the Vidui Ma'aser, declaring that one has given terumos and ma'asros properly.
Do not eat ma'aser sheini as an onein.
Do not eat ma'aser sheini while impure and do not consume ma'aser sheini that became impure. 5) Do not use ma'aser sheini funds to purchase items other than food and drink. 6) Follow in Hashem's ways.

Mitzvah Highlight: The mitzvah of *V'halachta Bidrachav,* to follow in Hashem's ways, explains the Chinuch, is to ensure that all of one's deeds are proper and that our interactions with others are kind and merciful.

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"הְרִי בְּקָמֶהֶ וֹפְרִי אַדְמְחָדְ וּפְרִי בְּקָמֶהֶ "Blessed shall be the fruit of your womb, and the fruit of your ground, and the fruit of your animals...." (Devarim 28:4)

In describing the *berachos* granted to one who adheres to the mitzvos, the Torah refers to children as "the fruit of your womb." Why doesn't the Torah use a simpler term, such as "children" or "offspring?" Furthermore, the *pasuk* lists this blessing along with having successful livestock and crops. Surely blessed offspring are far more precious. So why does the Torah juxtapose them?

Even the most fertile of fields and hardy livestock cannot thrive on their own. The farmer must be thoroughly involved in nurturing and protecting his assets to ensure their success. Likewise, our most precious "fruit," our children, need our continuous care to thrive. The Torah is subtly teaching us that just as it takes time and effort to be blessed with material success, our children as well require our time and our effort, with Hashem's blessing, to blossom and grow.

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When you have nothing to say, say nothing.

-Rabbi Meir Zlotowitz z"l

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Atlanta	9:13	8:01	10:24	9:46	8:03	7:45	6:42
Baltimore	8:47	7:35	9:50	9:09	7:37	7:19	6:15
Boston	9:28	7:16	9:26	8:42	7:18	7:00	5:56
Catskills	8:42	7:30	9:41	8:58	7:32	7:14	6:10
Chicago	8:34	7:22	9:33	8:49	7:24	7:04	6:02
Cleveland	9:10	7:58	10:09	9:26	8:00	7:42	6:38
Detroit	9:16	8:04	10:14	9:30	8:06	7:48	6:44
Lakewood	9:39	7:27	9:40	8:58	7:28	7:10	6:07
Los Angeles	8:29	7:17	9:39	9:01	7:18	7:00	5:58
Miami	8:51	7:30	10:10	9:35	7:40	7:22	6:21
Monsey	8:39	7:27	9:39	8:56	7:29	7:11	6:07
Montreal	8:42	7:30	9:35	8:48	7:32	7:14	6:09
New York	9:38	7:26	9:39	8:56	7:28	7:10	6:06
Orlando	8:57	7:45	10:14	9:38	7:46	7:28	6:27
Passaic	8:39	7:27	9:40	8:57	7:29	7:11	6:07
Philadelphia	8:42	7:30	9:44	9:02	7:32	7:14	6:10
Toronto	9:03	7:51	9:59	9:14	7:53	7:35	6:30
Yerushalayim	8:18	7:02	9:26	8:49	7:03	6:28	5:43
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