

Shabbat School Bamidbar: Beha'alotcha "When you raise"

SUBJECT	TEACHER	HEBREW DATE	DATE
Finding & following the light	Rebbitzen Pammy, Cathy Harris	21 Sivan 5786	5/30/2026

OVERVIEW: LIFTING A HEAVY LIGHT IS STILL EASIER THAN STUMBLING IN THE DARK.

TEACHER GUIDE

STUDENT GUIDE

<p>INTRODUCTION "OPENING"</p> <p>5 MINUTES</p>	<p>Say to them: "Shalom Yeladim" (sha-LOAM Ye-la-DEEM). Invite them to respond: "Shalom Morim!"</p>	<p>Say Shema, Pledge of Allegiance.</p> <p>Query to think about: What makes Yeshua the light of the world?</p>
<p>IDENTITY: B'NEI ISRAEL/BRIT AHM</p> <p>5 MINUTES</p>	<p>Hebrew: נֵיר</p> <p>Part of Speech: Noun Masculine Transliteration: niyr Pronunciation: na-ir Meaning: candle, lamp, light</p>	<p>What are we given to help us navigate the dangerous darkness of this culture and world? Is light heavy?</p>
<p>IDENTITY: HEARER OF G-D'S WORD</p> <p>5 MINUTES</p>	<p>Read Portions: Bamidbar 8:1-12:16 (8:1-3) Z'kharyah 2:14-4:7 (4:1-8) extended Yochanan 19:31-37 (3:14-16 & 8:12 & 8:28 & 9:5 & 12:32-46 19:17-37) extended</p> <p>Learn our memory verse for the year 5786.>></p>	<p>Memory Verse: Yeshayahu 41:10</p> <p>¹⁰Fear not, for I am with you, be not dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you. Surely I will help you. I will uphold you with My righteous right hand.</p>
<p>IDENTITY: BELIEVER OF G-D'S WORD</p> <p>5 MINUTES</p>	<p>Ask: What is the purpose of light?</p>	<p>Discuss: What is the purpose of reading Torah?</p>
<p>IDENTITY: FOLLOWER OF G-D'S WORD</p> <p>5 MINUTES</p>	<p>Ask: What does the lamp represent? What do the 7 lights represent? (Hint what does the text explicitly say they are?). What is a plumb line?</p>	<p>Discuss: Who is Zerubbabel? What does it mean when it says: "¹⁰For who despises the day of small things? These seven—which are the eyes of Adonai that run back and forth throughout the whole earth—will rejoice when they see the plumb line in Zerubbabel's hand."?</p>

<p>IDENTITY: DOER OF G-D'S WORD</p> <p>5 MINUTES</p>	<p>Who we are is largely dependent upon what we do; we understand the light of Torah is our only hope for successfully navigating life.</p>	<p>Ask: Why do we read Torah? (relationship with G-D, comfort, to hear HIS voice when we need direction) Why don't we read Torah?</p>
<p>GAME/ACTIVITY</p>	<p>Read Torah -why we don't</p>	<p><<-let's discuss this.</p>
<p>HOMEWORK</p> <p>3 MINUTES</p>	<p>Super Quick Torah Study -Yochanan 3 "Shavua tov, until next week!"</p>	<p>Close with prayer: say out loud what you are grateful for and things you need prayer for today.</p>

NEED

- Bible

Drash:**RESOURCES**

- Pledges & Shema
- Shabbat Guide

NOTES

The first goal is to approach all scripture with humility and prayer.

Have you ever woken up in the middle of the night and had to get dressed? The first thing we would normally do would be to turn on a light so that we could see where we are, where we are going and what we are doing.

In this week's Parsha Ad-nai instructs the priests to make sure that before they try to minister in the Mishkan that they turn on a light, for the same reason; so that they can see where they are going and what they are doing.

But this extends to our lives today. We know from Scripture that Yeshua is the light of the world (John 8:12). In order for us to know where we are going or what we are doing, we must lift Him up (John 12:32).