

## Teaching 101: Memorial Blowing of Trumpets over 8's

Teaching over 8's is different to teaching the under 8's. Follow this guide and you will indeed become your children's personal teacher. Remember that repetition is key.

## Teach:

In the 7<sup>th</sup> month of the year, in the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the month is the feast of memorial blowing of trumpets. It is observed as a sabbath and we are to have a holy convocation. Ask your child/ren "What are the first days of the months called?".

<u>*Read Leviticus 23:24*</u> - <sup>24</sup> Speak unto the children of Israel, saying, In the seventh month, in the first day of the month, shall ye have a sabbath, a memorial of blowing of trumpets, a holy convocation.

<u>*Read Psalm 81:3*</u> - Blow up the trumpet in the new moon, in the time appointed, on our solemn feast day.

Show them what holy means in *<u>Romans 7:12</u>* <sup>12</sup> Wherefore the law is holy, and the commandment holy, and just, and good

Explain that the laws of God are holy, congregating is one of the laws of the Lord.

<u>*Read Leviticus 23:2.*</u> - <sup>2</sup> Speak unto the children of Israel, and say unto them, Concerning the feasts of the LORD, which ye shall proclaim to be holy convocations, even these are my feasts.

Explain that this feast day is a day we can cook on as long as it doesn't fall on the seventh day sabbath. Ask them to explain how to explain the Sabbath day. Defining servile: paid work.

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Explain to your child that the first shofars were made during the time of our forefather, Moses and was used to gather our people together. This was used be used to alarm the Most High of when the enemies came against us.

Read Numbers 10:1-10 - And the LORD spake unto Moses, saying,

<sup>2</sup> Make thee two trumpets of silver; of a whole piece shalt thou make them: that thou mayest use them for the calling of the assembly, and for the journeying of the camps.

<sup>3</sup> And when they shall blow with them, all the assembly shall assemble themselves to thee at the door of the tabernacle of the congregation.

<sup>4</sup> And if they blow but with one trumpet, then the princes, which are heads of the thousands of Israel, shall gather themselves unto thee.

<sup>5</sup>When ye blow an alarm, then the camps that lie on the east parts shall go forward.

<sup>6</sup>When ye blow an alarm the second time, then the camps that lie on the south side shall take their journey: they shall blow an alarm for their journeys.

<sup>7</sup> But when the congregation is to be gathered together, ye shall blow, but ye shall not sound an alarm.

<sup>8</sup> And the sons of Aaron, the priests, shall blow with the trumpets; and they shall be to you for an ordinance for ever throughout your generations.

<sup>9</sup> And if ye go to war in your land against the enemy that oppresseth you, then ye shall blow an alarm with the trumpets; and ye shall be remembered before the LORD your God, and ye shall be saved from your enemies.

<sup>10</sup> Also in the day of your gladness, and in your solemn days, and in the beginnings of your months, ye shall blow with the trumpets over your burnt offerings, and over the sacrifices of your peace offerings; that they may be to you for a memorial before your God: I am the LORD your God.

## Romans 15: 4 History Time:

Use the history of Jericho to show your child/ren times in our history where the men used the trumpets when they sieged the city of Jericho. *Read Joshua 6.* 

## <u>Homework:</u>

Your child should now be able to explain the memorial blowing of trumpet, you can choose

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to ask them to write an essay on what they know about the memorial of trumpets to assess their literacy, comprehension and critical thinking skills.