

Haggadah Hunt

Prepared by:
Beth Meyer Synagogue
504 Newton Road
Raleigh, NC 27615



Beth Meyer Synagogue
Torah • Avodah • Gemilut Hasadim

1) Fill in the chart:

	Seder Step Name	What do we do?	Is there a brakha?
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			
7			
8			
9			
10			
11			
12			
13			
14			

2) List the 4 questions - AND ANSWER THEM!

Question	Answer

3) The Four Children

List the 4 Children and describe how/when you are each of them

Type of Child	I am like this child when I . . .

4) Dayenu

The song, Dayenu, lists many things that God did for us – and after each, we say, if would have been enough - DAYENU. The song ends at the building of the 1st Temple in Jerusalem. Come up with 3 more verses – things that happened after the 1st Temple – for which we could say, DAYENU!

If God built for us the Holy Temple and NOT _____

DAYENU!

If God _____ and NOT _____

DAYENU!

If God _____ and NOT _____

DAYENU!

5) Avadeem Hayeinu – We were slaves

What does our having been slaves have to do with anything? Why do we keep referring to it? How does it affect our lives???

6) The “Fours”

How many things at the Seder come in “4s”? List them! (there are at least 7 – the first 3 should be easy . .see if you can come up with any of the others!)

The four _____

The four _____

The four _____

The four _____

The four _____

The four _____

The four _____

7) Seder Symbols

Rabban Gamliel taught that there are 3 things that must be explained during the Seder. Find this in the Haggadah, list them and explain them!

Rabban Gamliel's 3 Symbols	What it means

8) 10 Plagues

Make a list of 10 "modern" plagues that exist in the world today

1. _____

6. _____

2. _____

7. _____

3. _____

8. _____

4. _____

9. _____

5. _____

10. _____

9) Rabbis in the Haggadah

There are a lot of Rabbis listed in the Haggadah – how many can you find?

1) Fill in the chart:

	Seder Step Name	What do we do?	Is there a brakha?
1	<i>Kadesh</i>	<i>Say Kiddush over the first cup of wine</i>	<i>Yes</i>
2	<i>Urhatz</i>	<i>Wash hands</i>	<i>No</i>
3	<i>Karpas</i>	<i>Dip a green vegetable into salt water – and eat it</i>	<i>Yes</i>
4	<i>Yahatz</i>	<i>Break the middle matzah</i>	<i>No</i>
5	<i>Maggid</i>	<i>Tell the story of the exodus</i>	<i>No</i>
6	<i>Rochtza</i>	<i>Wash hands</i>	<i>Yes</i>
7	<i>Motzi/Matzah</i>	<i>Eat the matzah</i>	<i>Yes</i>
8	<i>Maror</i>	<i>Eat the bitter herb and haroset</i>	<i>Yes</i>
9	<i>Korech</i>	<i>Hillel's sandwich – combine bitter herbs and matzah</i>	<i>No</i>
10	<i>Shulchan Orech</i>	<i>Eat the meal</i>	<i>No (blessings already said)</i>
11	<i>Tzafun</i>	<i>Eat the afikoman</i>	<i>No</i>
12	<i>Barech</i>	<i>Grace after meals</i>	<i>Yes</i>
13	<i>Hallel</i>	<i>Recite the psalms from the Hallel service (give thanks)</i>	<i>No</i>
14	<i>Nirtzah</i>	<i>Conclusion</i>	<i>No</i>

2) List the 4 questions - AND ANSWER THEM!

Question	Answer
<i>Why do we eat matzah</i>	<i>- It's the bread of affliction - The bread did not have time to rise</i>
<i>Why do we eat bitter herbs?</i>	<i>To remember the bitter times</i>
<i>Why do we dip our food twice (the karpas into the salt water and the bitter herb into the haroset)?</i>	<i>To remember the tears and the mortar bricks that were made</i>
<i>Why do we recline?</i>	<i>That is a symbol of being free (the slaves had to eat standing up or while working)</i>

3) The Four Children

List the 4 Children and describe how/when you are each of them

Type of Child	I am like this child when I . . .
<i>Wise child</i>	
<i>Rebellious child</i>	
<i>Simple Child</i>	
<i>The child who does not even know how to ask a question</i>	

4) Dayenu

The song, Dayenu, lists many things that God did for us – and after each, we say, if would have been enough - DAYENU. The song ends at the building of the 1st Temple in Jerusalem. Come up with 3 more verses – things that happened after the 1st Temple – for which we could say, DAYENU!

If God built for us the Holy Temple and NOT _____

DAYENU!

If God _____ and NOT _____

DAYENU!

If God _____ and NOT _____

DAYENU!

5) Avadeem Hayeinu – We were slaves

What does our having been slaves have to do with anything? Why do we keep referring to it? How does it affect our lives???

6) The “Fours”

How many things at the Seder come in “4s”? List them! (there are at least 7 – the first 3 should be easy . .see if you can come up with any of the others!)

The four _ *Cups of wine* _____

The four _ *questions* _____

The four _ *children* _____

4 mothers in Ehad Mi Yodeah

4 foods “eatings” of matzah

motzei

al ahilat matzah

korekh

afikoman

4 names of Pesah

Hag HaPesah

Hag HaMatzot

Hag haAviv

Hag Herut

4 blessings over food

Karpas

HaMotzi

akhilat matzah

eating the maror

7) Seder Symbols

Rabban Gamliel taught that there are 3 things that must be explained during the Seder. Find this in the Haggadah, list them and explain them!

Rabban Gamliel's 3 Symbols	What it means
<i>Pesach</i>	<i>The paschal offering – the lamb that was roasted – and the fact that the angel of death passed over our houses</i>
<i>Matzah</i>	<i>The bread of affliction</i>
<i>Maror</i>	<i>The bitter herbs/times</i>

8) 10 Plagues

Make a list of 10 “modern” plagues that exist in the world today

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____

9) Rabbis in the Haggadah

There are a lot of Rabbis listed in the Haggadah – how many can you find?

- | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------|
| <i>Yossi</i> _____ | <i>Joshua</i> _____ |
| <i>Gamliel</i> _____ | <i>Akiva</i> _____ |
| <i>Tarfon</i> _____ | <i>Eliezer</i> _____ |
| <i>Elazar ben Azariah</i> _____ | <i>Ben Zoma</i> _____ |