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# News from Israel

# Israeli Team Awarded Million Dollar Prize for Historical Space Mission





**That's one small schlep for a man,  
one giant schlep for mankind.**

April 11th, 2019



*AherS*

**MY MOM TEXTED ME  
THE OTHER DAY:**

**MOM: WHAT DOES IDK,  
LY, TTYL MEAN??**

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LY, TTYL MEAN??**

**ME: I DON'T KNOW,  
LOVE YOU, TALK TO  
YOU LATER.**

**ME: I DON'T KNOW,  
LOVE YOU, TALK TO  
YOU LATER.**

**MOM: OK THEN, I WILL  
ASK YOUR SISTER!!**

**WHAT I IF TOLD  
YOU**

**YOU READ THE TOP  
LINE WRONG**



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Cigarettes ♪♪

**How many know a melody for  
that?**

This is an age test.

Unfortunately, I passed it with flying colors.

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מַתִּיָּהוּ **מַתִּיָּהוּ**

**(Matthew) 26:40-43**

Mattityahu (Matthew) 26:40

לְאַחַר מִפֶּן בָּא אֶל הַתְּלָמִידִים וּמְצָאם יְשֻׁנִים.  
אָמַר אֶל פִּיפָא: "וּבִכֵּן לֹא יְכַלְתֶּם לְהִשָּׂאֵר  
עֵרִים אֶתִּי שְׁעָה אַחַת?"

He returned to the *talmidim* and found them sleeping. He said to Kefa, "Were you so weak that you couldn't **stay awake with me** for even an hour?"



Mattityahu (Matthew) 26:41

הָיוּ עֵרִים וְהִתְפַּלְלוּ כְּדֵי שֶׁלֹּא תָבוֹאוּ לְיָדֵי  
נְסִיוֹן. אֲמֵן הַרוּחַ חֲפִיזָה, אֲבָל הַבָּשָׂר  
חַלְשָׁה.

“<sup>2</sup>**Stay awake**, and pray that you will not be put to the test — the spirit indeed is eager, but human nature is weak.”

Mattityahu (Matthew) 26:42

הִלָּךְ שֵׁנִית וְהִתְפַּלֵּל בְּאָמְרוֹ: "אָבִי, אִם אֵי  
אֶפְשֶׁר שֶׁהַכּוֹס תֵּעָבֵר מִבְּלִי שֶׁאֶשְׁתָּה אוֹתָהּ,  
יְהִי נָא כְּרָצוֹנְךָ."

A second time he went off and prayed. "My Father, if this cup cannot pass away unless I drink it, let what you want be done."

Mattityahu (Matthew) 26:43

הוא חזר ושוב מצא אותם ישנים, פי  
עיניהם היו כבדות

Again he returned and **found**  
**them sleeping**, their eyes  
were so heavy.



**Mtt. 26.44-46 Leaving them again, he went off and prayed a third time, saying the same words.**

Lk 22. 42-44 “Father, if you are willing, take this cup away from me; still, let not my will but yours be done.”

Lk 22. 42-44 There appeared to him  
an angel from heaven giving him  
strength...

He made it, without their help  
and support and comfort.

**Mtt. 26.44-46 Then he came to the talmidim and said, “For now, go on sleeping, take your rest... Look! The time has come for the Son of Man to be betrayed into the hands of sinners. Get up! Let’s go! Here comes my betrayer!”**

How all this warfare watching  
relate to Pesakh?

**Sleep is good:**

**They just had a BIG Pesakh meal.**

**Post-meal, the body streams more blood to the digestive system to better digest foods in massive amounts. This causes a temporary blood and nutrients shortage in the brain.**

**Post-eating, the body releases hormones...These hormones increase blood sugar levels...At the same time, the brain releases serotonin...which then turns into melatonin. [The sleep hormone.]**



**T'hillim/Ps 3.6-7 I lie down and sleep,  
then wake up again, because  
ADONI sustains me. I am not  
afraid of the tens of thousands  
set against me on every side.**

**Kohelet/Ec 5.11 The sleep of the  
laborer is sweet, whether he eats  
little or much.**

T'hillim/Ps 127.2 In vain do you get up  
early and put off going to bed,  
working hard to earn a living;  
for **he provides for his beloved**  
[even when they ] **sleep.**

כִּן יִתֵּן לְיָדֵי־דָו שֵׁנָא.

<https://www.verywellhealth.com/sleep-duration-and-longevity-2224291>

Research suggests that regularly sleeping for less than seven hours a night can have negative effects on the cardiovascular, endocrine, immune and nervous systems. Side effects of sleep deprivation can include obesity, diabetes, heart disease, and hypertension, anxiety, depression, and alcohol abuse.

Just like everyone else, most soldiers should, ideally, get seven to nine hours of sleep every night. Previously, Army guidelines had suggested only half that amount, but Army doctors revised it in 2010 because of concerns about sleep-deprived soldiers in combat.

**Sleep is good.**

**On the other hand:**

**Mishlei /Prov 6.9-11 How long will you lie there, you sluggard? When will you get up from your sleep? A little sleep, a little slumber, a little folding of the hands to rest — and poverty will come on you like a thief, and scarcity like an armed man.**

**Ideal woman:**

**Mishlei /Prov 31.15 She rises while it is still night and provides food for her household and portions for her servant girls.**

# **Ideal woman:**

**Mishlei /Prov 31.17-18 She gathers her strength around her and throws herself into her work. She sees that her business affairs go well; her lamp stays lit at night.**



**1 Thes 5.4-7 But you, brothers, are not in the dark, so that the Day should take you by surprise like a thief; for you are all people who belong to the light, who belong to the day. We don't belong to the night or to darkness, so let's not be asleep,**

**1 Thes 5.4-7 like the rest are; on the contrary, let us stay alert and sober. People who sleep, sleep at night; and people who get drunk, get drunk at night.**

**Kohelet/Eccles 3.1 For everything there is a season and a time for every activity under heaven:**

**There is a time for alertness, and warfare!**

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relate to Pesakh?

# The original Passover Exodus story

Shmot Ex 12.42 This was a night when ADONI kept vigil to bring them out of the land of Egypt, and this same night continues to be a night when ADONI keeps vigil for all the people of Isra'el through all their generations.

לֵיל שְׁמֵרִים הוּא לֵי, לְהוֹצִיאֵם מֵאֶרֶץ  
מִצְרַיִם: הוּא-הַלַּיְלָה הַזֶּה לֵי שְׁמֵרִים לְכָל-  
בְּנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל לְדוֹרֹתָם.

*Shimurim l'khawl b'nai Yisrael  
l'dorotam*

keeps vigil [guard] for all the  
people of Isra'el through all their  
generations.

**Apparently that's why Yeshua was wanting them to "Stay awake, and pray" for the "birth pangs of Messiah" were coming. Kingdom warfare to accomplish redemption!**

**This scripture [G-d keeps vigil on this night] is why the custom developed to see if Eliyahu [and Messiah] were coming to the Seder evening!**





**Children sent to  
see if Eliyahu is  
coming,  
preceding the  
Messiah**

Many of you have had a Seder,  
others tonight, some through the  
next several nights.

[There is scripture to delay a  
whole month depending on  
contingencies.]

# Pesakh is a time of

- celebrating the **past**: looking back
- Looking at and building the **present** by cleansing Khametz
- anticipating the **future** and building the future.

**Passover cleansing particulars...**

leavening agents *s'or* שֵׁאֹר

leavened food *khametz* חָמֵץ

*Khametz* is a product that is both made from **one of five types of grain** and has been combined with water and left to stand raw for longer than eighteen minutes and **becomes leavened**.

# The five grains of Israel

wheat

*Hittim*

חִטָּה

spelt

*Kusmin*

כִּסְמִין

barley

*Se'orah*

שְׁעוֹרָה

oats

*Shibbolet shual*

שִׁבְּלוֹת שׁוּעַל

rye

*shifon*

שִׁפּוֹן

What about rice, corn, lentils,  
beans, and peanuts?

They don't leaven, but may  
appear to. So, Ashkenazic Jews  
forbid, called *kitnayot*.

Sephardic Jewish communities  
they are OK.

Or HaOlam follows Sephardim.

Leavening agents, such as yeast or baking soda, are not themselves khametz. Rather, **it is the fermented grains.** Thus yeast may be used in making **wine, and kefir.**



- Similarly, baking soda may be used in Passover baked goods.
- Since matzoh meal is already baked, the grain will not ferment. It's OK to use.

So it's a practice in observant  
Jewish homes to do a  
**THOROUGH** Spring cleaning!  
Get **ALL** the khametz out of every  
corner.

Burn the crumbs

And then a prayer of covering.







Wow, they get really serious about Passover cleaning!

Guy Morad



- Next week's Oneg is the eighth day of Passover.
- Bread is OK.
- Season of unleavened bread is over Friday sunset for Sephardim and Messianics.
- One more day for Ashkenazim.

**Passover is a time of vigil, of watching, of anticipating.**

- The very first redemption from Egypt G-d watch then.**
- The ultimate redemption from sin by the atoning death of Messiah then.**
- The resurrection following...**



**Shortly after Passover is the  
other aspect of the atonement.**

Vayikra/Lev 23.10-11 “Tell the people of Isra’el, ‘After you enter the land I am giving you and harvest its ripe crops, you are to bring a sheaf of the firstfruits of your harvest to the cohen. He is to wave the sheaf before ADONI, so that you will be accepted; the cohen is to wave it on the day after the Shabbat.

1 Cor. 15.20 The fact is that the  
Messiah has been raised from  
the dead, the firstfruits of those  
who have died.

Barley waving celebration of  
resurrection!

**Ro. 1.4 He was powerfully demonstrated to be Son of God spiritually, set apart by his having been resurrected from the dead; he is Yeshua the Messiah, our Lord.**

Vayikra/Lev 23.15-16 “From the day after the day of rest — that is, from the day you bring the sheaf for waving — **you are to count seven full weeks**, until the day after the seventh week; **you are to count fifty days**.

Tomorrow we begin counting the  
Omer. Daily blessings and count.  
Why? Commanded to.

Count: assess, examine, vigil.  
Great time for extended fasting!

Script sheets on the literature table.

Relative to counting and cleansing  
leaven...

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another, for whoever loves  
others has fulfilled the law.**



- We purchased this building for \$650,000
- \$130,000 down
- mortgaged \$520,000
- Mar 31, 2019 owing \$431,271<sup>53</sup>

**We started our building fund in 2003, in the old location. It grew incrementally but consistently, then G-d expedited everything with an eviction notice. If we are faithful with what we have, G-d will expedite growth in surprising ways.**

**Significant rabbi trail...**

**Sylvia Cohn was 81 when we met her in 1994.**

- Member of Beth Shalom**
- Introduced to Yeshua and Messianic Judaism in 1994.**
- Faithful to attend and worship and dance till she was ~88.**

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חיה שרה בת אהרון  
נפטרה יא שבט תשסח  
תנצבה

BELOVED

WIFE & MOTHER

SYLVIA BAELLOW  
COHN

MAR. 20, 1913 — JAN. 18, 2008

Sylvia





Sylvia would sit towards the front and pay GREAT attention, and when I was intensely on a Messiahship of Yeshua topic, she would emphatically shake her head “No!” and I would say, “It’s still true, even though Sylvia disagrees.”



**We used to have a really simplistic membership enrollment. Just sign the Statement of Faith, no commitment to attend, serve, tithe. Sylvia wanted to join.**

**“Cross it out.” “Cross it out.”**

**“What are you joining?”**

**“I’m joining YOU!”**

**MY VERY SPECIAL PRAYER  
TO G-D**

**BY SYLVIA COHN**

I understand that the span of a persons life is 70 years. After that they are donated years. Since I'm a member of that group, we need to be reminded about certain things. So I have a prayer that I want to share with you, for my later years.

DEAR G-D, You know that I am growing older. Keep me from becoming too talkative and particularly keep me from falling into the tiresome habit of expressing an opinion on every subject. Release me from the craving to straighten out everybody's affairs. Keep my mind free from the ridicule of endless details.

Give me wings to get to the point. Give me grace, dear God, to listen to others describe their aches and pains. Help me endure the boredom with patience and to keep my lips sealed of my own aches and pains. They increase as time goes on. The pleasure of discussing them becomes sweeter as time goes by.

Teach me the glorious lesson that occasionally I might be mistaken. Keep me reasonably sweet. I don't wish to be a saint. Saints are so hard to live with. A sour old person is the work of the devil.

**Make me thoughtful but not  
nosey. Helpful but not moody.  
Helpful but not pushy.  
Independent yet able to accept  
with graciousness favors that  
others wish to bestow on me.  
Free me of the notion that  
simply because I have lived a  
long time I'm wiser than those  
who haven't lived so long.**

If I do not approve of some of the changes that have taken place in the recent years give me the wisdom to keep my mouth shut. G-d, you know that when the end comes I would like to have a few friends left. All I am telling you is that you are very precious to me.



Sylvia Cohn came to faith in  
Messiah Yeshua in ~2005, when  
Rose Price was our guest  
speaker.



Rose was a Polish born  
Holocaust survivor of 5 years in  
concentration camps.

They spoke in Polish, fervently.

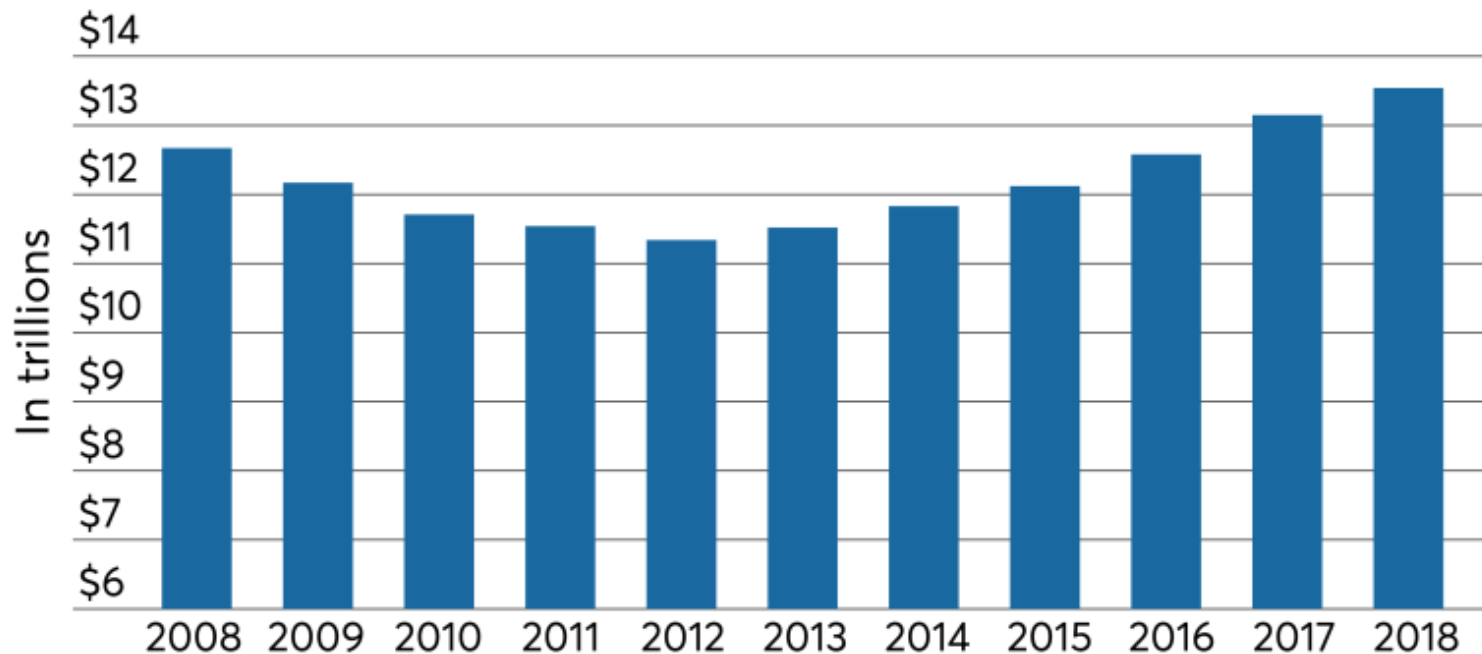
# Sylvia's first dollar donation for our building:



**On average, U.S. consumers own three credit cards. Total revolving debt stands at \$1.04 trillion - that's up from \$857 billion in 2013. The average interest Americans pay on their cards stands at 16.46%. Feb 14, 2019**

# Still climbing

Household debt hit another record high last year, topping \$13.5 trillion, but the pace of the increase — 3% year over year — slowed somewhat



Source: New York Fed/Equifax (Dec. 31 data)

# Eternally Indebted

Average personal debt is up to **\$38,000** (inclusive of mortgages)

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Credit card debt = **25%** of all debt (up from 19% in 2017)

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2 in 10 Americans spend **50%-100%**  
of their monthly income on debt repayment

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Where's the  
money going?

**15%**  
Dining/nightlife

**13%**  
Clothing/personal care

**13%**  
Personal passions/hobbies

<https://www.cnbc.com/video/2018/05/22/kevin-oleary-age-by-which-you-should-have-your-debt-paid-off.html>



DEBT  
IS EVIL



**Kevin O'Leary: Here's the age by which you should have your debt paid off**

Kevin O'Leary explains why debt is evil and it's crucial to be debt-free by the time you hit this milestone.

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**Household debt is defined as the combined debt of all people in a household. It includes consumer debt and mortgage loans. A significant rise in the level of this debt coincides historically with many severe economic crises**

and was a cause of the U.S. and subsequent European economic crises of 2007–2012. Several economists have argued that lowering this debt is essential to economic recovery in the U.S. and selected Eurozone countries.



**You may say, “I have a lot of debt, but I can always go bankrupt.”**

**Following is EXTREMELY politically incorrect and possibly offensive. I’m not talking about your past. I’m talk about the future. Here is the scripture on bankruptcy:**

T'hillim 37.21 **The wicked borrows  
and does not repay, but the  
righteous is a gracious giver.**

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**Or HaOlam will have its Silver Anniversary on Purim, 2020.**

**IF we grow more, we have no where to accommodate new people, except to go to a second service.**

**The Elders Z'kenim and I would like to propose we RETIRE, pay off, the current mortgage of \$431,271 by Purim 2020.**

- We have \$9976 left in our building fund. We can apply.**
- Dawn and I will pledge \$500 now, to start.**

**Next week, we will have pledge forms for you to fill out.**

**Can we do it??**

**Then we can save to GROW!!**

**“Sylvia Cohn Memorial Mortgage Retirement Campaign”?**

**SCMMRC**




**Tomorrow is Firstfruits of the  
Resurrection, then the counting  
of the Omer up to Shavuot.**

**Let's commit to watch and pray  
and give!**



<https://youtu.be/YMWd7QnXY8E>





[www.MaozIsrael.org/Mulinde](http://www.MaozIsrael.org/Mulinde)











The image features a dark blue background. In the center, there is a photograph of a road surface with two parallel yellow lines running vertically. The text "Project PrayEruv" is overlaid on the image in a bold, dark blue font.

**Project PrayEruv**