THE TRIBE SCRIBE

CHUKAT: A PIECE ON PEACE!

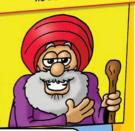


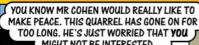
IN THIS WEEK'S PARASHA WE HAVE THE DEATH OF AHARON - THE HIGH PRIEST. AHARON WAS FAMED FOR HIS LOVE OF PEACE. THE TORAH TELLS US HOW HE WOULD GO OUT OF HIS WAY TO MAKE I PEACE WITH PEOPLE - NO MATTER HOW BIG THE ARGUMENT....

Mr Levi and Mr Cohen just couldn't get along. No one could remember what the original fight was about but that wasn't important anymore. They would cross the street when they saw each other. The Cohen children were not allowed to play with the Levi children.

The Torah describes Aharon as אוהב שלום ורודף שלום - a lover of peace and pursuer of peace. He would actively go chasing after peace. This is how he would do it...







DID YOU KNOW YOUR FRIEND MR LEVI WOULD
LOVE TO MAKE PEACE WITH YOU - HE'S
CONCERNED YOU DON'T FEEL THE SAME WAY...



ME? I HAVE NO PROBLEM MAKING PEACE.
IT'S HIM THAT'S BEEN THE TROUBLEMAKER.
I'D GLADLY PUT AN END TO THIS.

I'M HAPPY TO MAKE AMENDS – IT WAS HIM THAT WAS STOPPING ME ALL THIS TIME...



And so he would go between the two of them until he was certain they were ready...



I WAS COMING TO SAY THAT TO YOU...





Tribe is the Young People's Department of the United Synagogue: Creating a future for our community through engaging, educating and inspiring the next generation.