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PURIM: MASTER PUPPETEER

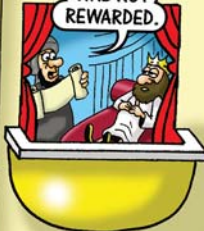
Life at the time of the **Purim** story was not so different to our life today. The Jewish people were not living with open miracles or the obvious hand of God. As the events of the **Purim** story began to unfold, the Jews had a choice: they could say 'This is all coincidence - Mordechai just happened to be in the right place at the right time, Esther just happened to be a clever politician' or they could say 'This is God pulling the strings behind the scenes'. By choosing to look beyond the surface, realise that God was behind all the events, and that only He could save them, the Jewish people knew how to act. This is called **HASHGACHA PRATIT** - noticing God in our lives. How many examples of Hashgacha Pratit can you spot in this **Purim** scene?



I MUST INVITE THE KING AND HAMAN TO A PARTY - HOPEFULLY THEY WILL UNDERSTAND THE PLIGHT OF MY PEOPLE.



MORDECHAI SAVED YOUR LIFE AND WAS NOT REWARDED.



LET US PRAY TO GOD THAT HE WILL SAVE US.



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