



THE TRIBE SCRIBE

VAYAKHEL - SEA LIFE!

I KNOW THIS ONE! IT'S **A!**

WIN A MISSION!

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B The Caspian Sea and The Salton Sea

C The Mediterranean Sea and The Sea of Tranquility

THAT'S RIGHT. WE WENT TO **THE DEAD SEA** - IT WAS SO SALTY THAT NO FISH COULD LIVE IN IT!

THAT'S BECAUSE THE WATER IS TRAPPED IN IT AND SOME OF IT EVAPORATES, LEAVING ALL THE SALT. I HOPE WHEN YOU GO ON TOUR ONE DAY YOU WILL VISIT **THE DEAD SEA** AND **THE SEA OF GALILEE** TOO.

THERE IS ONE DIFFERENCE THOUGH: **THE SEA OF GALILEE** RECEIVES **AND** GIVES OUT WATER. IT'S A VIBRANT SEA, FULL OF FISH. HOWEVER, **THE DEAD SEA** ONLY RECEIVES WATER. IT DOES NOT GIVE IT OUT AND THERE IS NO LIFE IN IT.

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SO TOO WITH LIFE:
LIVING WITHOUT GIVING IS NOT TRUE LIVING.

WE CAN SEE AN EXAMPLE OF ENTHUSIASM FOR GIVING IN THE WEEK'S **PARSHA** TOO. IN **VAYAKHEL** THE JEWISH PEOPLE WERE ASKED TO BRING CONTRIBUTIONS TO BUILD THE **MISHKAN**. THEY BOUGHT SO MUCH THAT THEY ACTUALLY HAD TO BE ASKED TO STOP BRINGING ANY MORE!

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