



THE TRIBE SCRIBE

VAYAKHEL - PEKUDEI: JUST THE JOB!

WHAT DO YOU GET IF YOU CROSS A DESERT WITH A MASTER CARPENTER?

HMMM, A SANDY SAW?

I SAW THAT COMING! BUT NOPE, THAT'S NOT QUITE IT. THIS WEEK'S PARASHA INTRODUCES US TO BETZALEL AND OHOLIAB WHO WERE THE MASTER CRAFTSMEN RESPONSIBLE FOR THE BUILDING OF THE MISHKAN (TABERNACLE).

LET'S JUST SET THE SCENE, THE JEWISH PEOPLE WERE IN THE DESERT, NOT EXACTLY THE NATURAL HABITAT OF MASTER CRAFTSMEN! THINK TRAVELLING AND CAMPING GROUNDS, NOT EXACTLY A CARPENTER'S WORKSHOP.



SOUNDS IN-TENTS!

ABSOLUTELY! BUT GOD PUT THE PEOPLE WITH THE RIGHT SKILLS IN THE RIGHT PLACE TO DO THE RIGHT JOB AT THE RIGHT TIME, EVEN THOUGH IT SEEMED A LITTLE UNLIKELY.

Giraffes have long necks which allow them to reach up and eat the leaves right at the top of the trees. More nutrients, and less competition!



IN THE ANIMAL WORLD, WE SEE SO MANY FANTASTIC EXAMPLES OF USING UNIQUE TALENTS IN THE RIGHT PLACE AT THE RIGHT TIME. CHECK SOME OF THESE OUT!

A Toucan's long bill is not only good for getting hard to reach food, it helps them control temperature. Toucans can distribute heat through their bills which make for very successful heating or A/C units. Now that's cool!

GOD GIVES US ALL UNIQUE TALENTS AND CAPABILITIES. RECOGNISE YOURS AND THEN YOU CAN MAKE THE MOST OF THEM!



Cleaner fish swim around and eat the scraps, parasites and other unwanted stuff in the mouths of sharks and other big fish. They provide cleaning and dental hygiene services!

