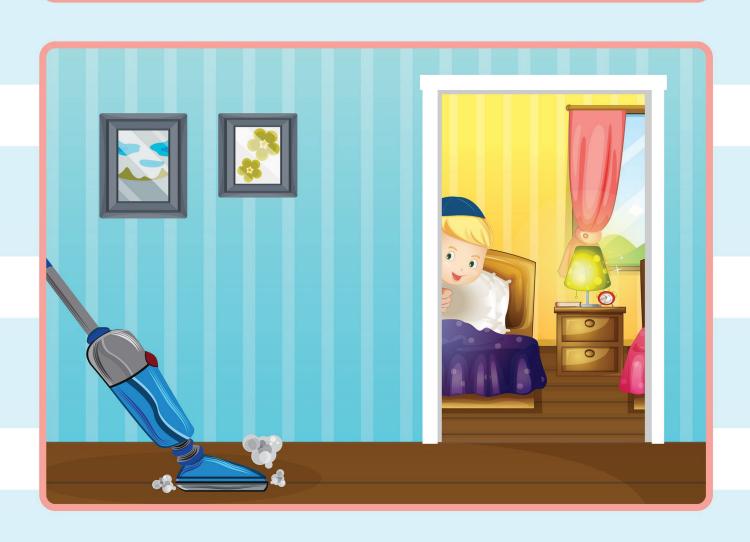


SIMON WOKE UP BRIGHT AND EARLY TO THE SOUND OF THE VACUUM CLEANER.



"IS IT PESACH YET?" HE
ASKED AS HE SHOOK
SARAH AWAKE.
"NO," SARAH SAID
"FIRST WE HAVE TO
CLEAN FOR PESACH."



SO SIMON AND SARAH WASHED ALL THE TOYS, GOT RID OF THE CHOMETZ, AND SCRUBBED THE WALLS CLEAN.



"IS IT PESACH YET?"
SIMON ASKED. 'NO,"
SARAH SAID, "FIRST WE
HAVE TO KASHER THE
KITCHEN FOR PESACH."



SO SIMON AND SARAH
WATCHED AS THEIR
FATHER POURED HOT
WATER ALL OVER THE
KITCHEN. THEN THEY
HELPED COVER ALL THE
COUNTERS WITH FOIL.

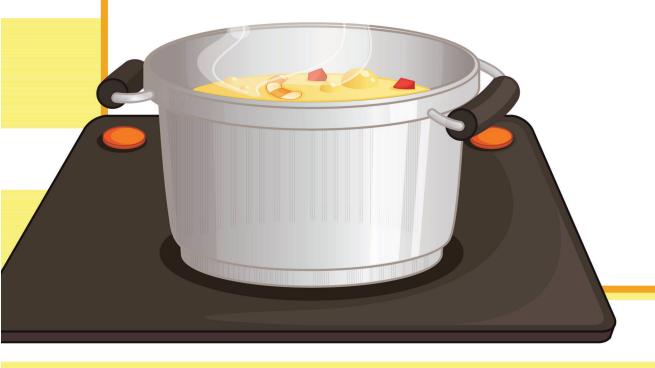


"IS IT PESACH YET?"
SIMON ASKED. "NO,"
SARAH SAID, "NOW WE
HAVE TO COOK FOR
PESACH."

SO SIMON AND SARAH PEELED TONS OF VEGETABLES AND POTATOES.



"IS IT PESACH YET?"
SIMON ASKED WHEN
THE VEGETABLES WERE
ALL IN THE POT.
"NO," SARAH SAID, "NOW
WE HAVE TO PREPARE
TEN PIECES OF BREAD
FOR BEDIKAS CHAMETZ."



SO SIMON AND SARAH
CAREFULLY BAGGED TEN
PIECES OF BREAD. THEY
PUT OUT THE BREAD AND
WAITED PATIENTLY FOR
THEIR FATHER TO DO
BEDIKAS CHAMETZ.



"IS IT PESACH" SIMON ASKED AFTER THE TEN PIECES OF BREAD WERE ALL FOUND. "NO," SARAH SAID, "NOW IT'S TIME TO GO TO SLEEP. WHEN WE WAKE UP TOMORROW, WE'LL GET READY FOR



SO SIMON AND SARAH
WENT TO SLEEP. THEY
SLEPT PEACEFULLY
DREAMING OF THE
SEDER WHICH WILL
TAKE PLACE THE
FOLLOWING NIGHT.

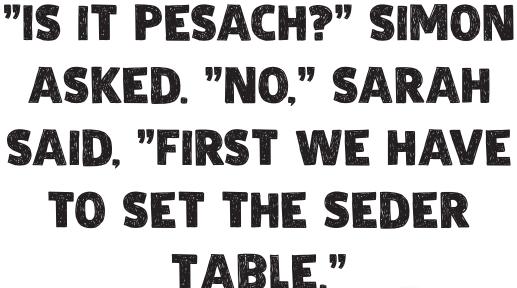


"IS IT PESACH?" SIMON ASKED AS SOON AS HE WOKE UP THE NEXT MORNING.
"NO," SARAH SAID,
"FIRST WE HAVE TO BURN THE CHAMETZ."



SO SIMON AND SARAH TOOK THE BAG OF CHAMETZ AND HEADED TO THE FIRE. THEY STOOD FAR AWAY AS THEIR FATHER THREW THE CHAMETZ INTO THE FIRE.







SO SIMON AND SARAH
SPREAD OUT A SPARKLING
WHITE TABLECLOTH. THEY
PUT THE SEDER PLATE IN
THE MIDDLE OF THE TABLE,
AND A CUP AND HAGADAH
BY EACH PLACE.



"IS IT PESACH?" SIMON ASKED. "NO." SARAH SAID. "FIRST WE HAVE TO TAKE A NAP."



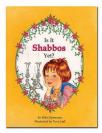
SO SIMON AND SARAH WENT
TO SLEEP WITH SMILES ON
THEIR LIPS. WHEN THEY
WOKE UP, THEY BATHED, GOT
DRESSED IN THEIR HOLIDAY
BEST, AND SAID GOOD-BYE TO
THEIR FATHER AS HE
HEADED TO SHUL.



"IS IT PESACH?" SIMON ASKED. "YES," SARAH SAID, "NOW IT IS PESACH!"







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