

### ***First World: The Blessing of the Land***

*Pasuk before Wine*

And the Lord G-d took the man, and put him into the Garden of Eden to cultivate it and to guard it.

*Genesis 2:15*

### ***First World: The Blessing of the Land***

*Pasuk before Fruit*

“When you enter the land you shall plant”

(Leviticus 19:23)

Just as you came and found tress planted by others, you must plant for your children.

*Tanchuma, Kedoshim*

### ***Second World: Good, Clean Water***

*Pasuk before Wine*

He sends springs into the streams, they flow between the mountains. They water every beast of the field, they quench the wild creatures' thirst.

*Psalms 104:10-11*

### ***Second World: Good, Clean Water***

*Pasuk before Fruit*

“By the rivers of Babylon we sat and wept”

(Psalms 137:1)

Why did the Jews cry by the rivers of Babylon? Rabbi Yochanan said, “The Euphrates killed more of them than the wicked Nebukhadnetser did.” *Midrash Shochev Tov 137.*

### ***Third World: Treasures from the Sea***

*Pasuk before Wine*

And G-d created the great sea-giants and every living being that creeps, with which the waters teemed after their kinds...And G-d saw that it was good.

*Genesis 1:21*

### ***Third World: Treasures from the Sea***

*Pasuk before Fruit*

More than the roar of mighty waters, mightier than the waves of the sea – You are mighty on high, HaShem.

*Psalms 93:4*

### ***Fourth World: The Miracle of Clean Air***

*Pasuk before Wine*

[Abraham] gazed down upon Sodom and Gomorrah ... and behold! The smoke of the earth rose like the smoke of a kiln.

*Genesis 19:28*

### ***Fourth World: The Miracle of Clean Air***

*Pasuk before Spice*

Awake, north wind, and come, south wind! Blow upon my garden, that its perfume may waft out.

*Song of Songs 4:16*