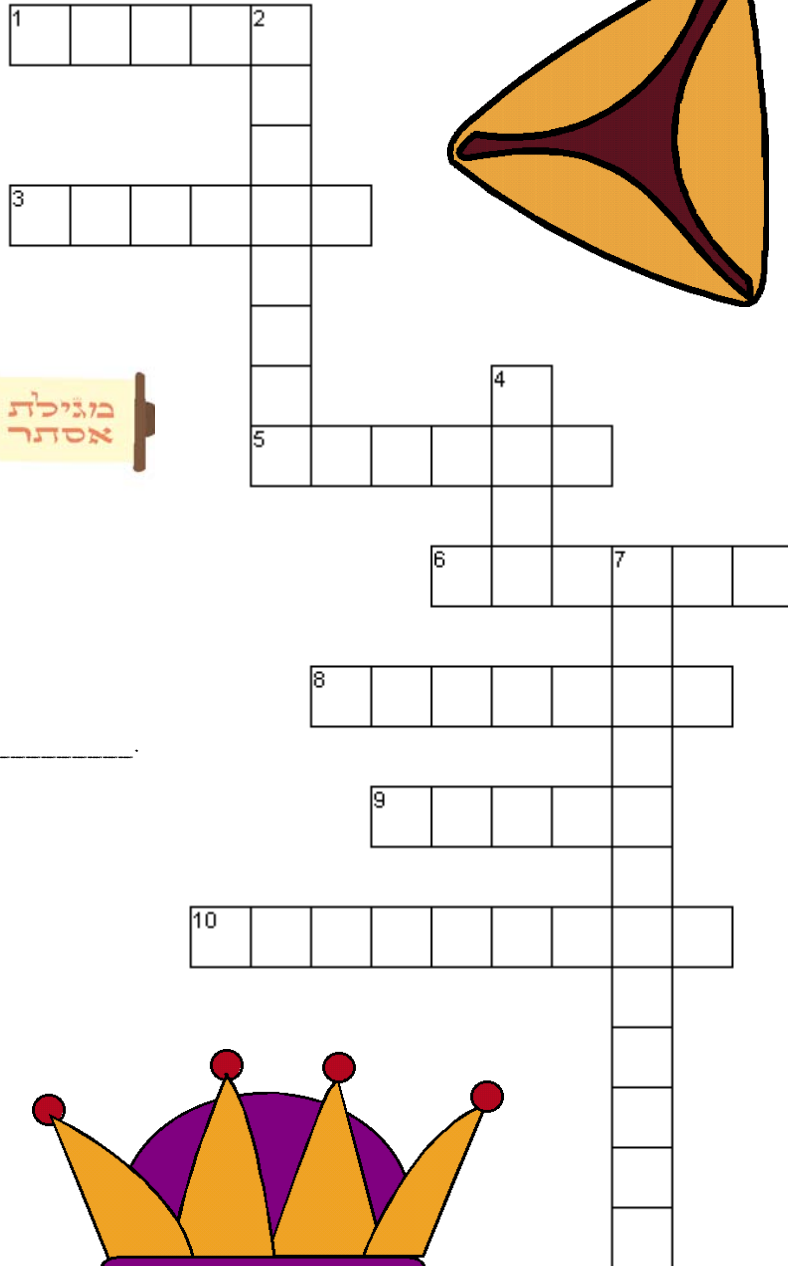


For answer keys to the word puzzles, see page 20.

CHAG PURIM



Across

- 1. Lots
- 3. Achashverosh was king of _____.
- 5. The hand of God
- 6. Better than Vashti
- 8. Hides your identity
- 9. The bad guy
- 10. The good guy

Down

- 2. What we read
- 4. The potential victims
- 7. Haman's pockets

PERFECT TIMING

Directions: After you find all the listed words in the puzzle grid, write the leftover letters in order in the spaces below to read a secret message.



W H O K F N R T H O W S I F Y
 O U H E P A E O E I V E N T C
 O M A U E T T Q Y U D O T H J
 E S R K I N P G U A Q D D O E
 T I M F O R E S U E L N E C W
 M H A T I M C G E A E T A N S
 S T H I S O S N N T F N Y B A
 Y M Q N R W Y J C I V H R G N
 D U H K V C O O V U K O K W G
 N W O R C O I M L B X V O S E
 E N O R H T O B O F G T F Z V
 M U J K N O Q F T F U W W D O
 X P G N S T Q E F V Y X K M O
 L T V L D Z H U H E H L P V U
 A E O K S L V L E P Y P P D H

BANQUET

HIDDEN

PURIM

SCEPTER

CROWN

JEWS

QUEEN

THRONE

FEAST

KING

ROYALTY

"....."

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Queen of Persia

I F Y O I U R E S T N S M A I
 N S I L A E N E T O O N T O W
 T H E N H R C E L L I I E O F
 A N D D C R E L I P T V E S L
 R A N C E E W I L I A L W N C
 O M E T D T O T D H V O A E J
 E W S F R R O E M A L M N O T
 H E R P O L N M A L A C E I Y
 K M T M M T A T A H S Y A Y Z
 V D M R I S Z G R E H T S E B
 V T P T K V X L V O V Q V G W
 J C Y A A X Y N N M F U U Y K
 Y O C T Q H Q A J V G Z F D W
 R V R I K P P B P B P K F R M

Find these words:

ESTHER
 IDENTITY
 MORDECHAI
 SECRET
 GALLOWS
 LOTS
 PLOT
 HAMAN
 MASK
 SALVATION

Directions: After you find all the listed words in the puzzle grid, write the leftover letters in order in the spaces below to read a secret message.

“ _____ ,

 _____ “

