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## Re'eH 5768

Please look at the first aliyah from פרשת ראה – from Chapter 11 Verse 26 to Chapter 12 verse 10 and answer the following questions: 1. Moshe tells the Jewish people that they would receive a blessing and a curse – a ברכה and קללה. What two place would they get the blessing and the curse? and What city do these two places overlook (that's not in the חומש)? \_\_\_\_\_\_ What Jewish settlement is very close to these two places (and is in the חומש)? 2. What do the Jewish people have to do they get God's blessings? 3. They get the curse if the do what? 4. What river would the Jewish people cross to get to ארץ ישראל? 5. What do the Jewish people have to destroy when the arrive in ארץ ישראל? 6. Where should we bring all of our sacrifices and offerings? 7. What does the Torah call that place? The following questions come from Rashi on the first alivah: 8. There are a number of different types of food (other than sacrifices) that must be eaten in ירושלים. What are they? b. 9. Once the Beit Hamikdash was built, Jews were not allowed to offer sacrifices on their own altars – called במות. But, for a period of time after they entered ארץ ישראל, they were allowed to bring their own sacrifices to 'ה. How long was that period of time? 10. What are the two places that the Jewish people built a בית המקדש to 'ה that are mentioned in Rashi? \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_ 11. What's the difference between a מצבה and a מצבה? 12. Look at Rashi on 'פסוק: what are we not allowed to do based on the פסוק? Extra Credit (not in Rashi): What mitzvah overrides this איסור, and forces someone to do what's not normally allowed?

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