



TEN: Parshat VaYera

There are tremendous highs and tremendous lows in this week's Torah reading. From the birth of Isaac to his sacrifice, the destruction of Sodom and the banishment of Ishmael and Hagar, the action does not stop.

1. How many men came to greet Abraham at his tent?

Three. (18:2)

2. What did the first man tell Abraham?

That Sarah will give birth this time next year. (18:10)

3. How many righteous men need to be in Sodom for God to save the city?

Ten. (18:32)

4. What happens to Lot's wife when she looks back at the city of Sodom?

She turns to a pillar of salt. (19:26)

5. How old is Isaac when he is circumcised?

8 days old. (21:4)

6. How old is Abraham when Isaac is born?

100 years old (21:5)

7. What is Abraham's reaction when Sarah tells him to banish Ishmael and Hagar?

Abraham is uncomfortable doing so until God tells him to listen to Sarah. (21:11-12)

8. What does God command Abraham to do to his son, Isaac?

God asks Abraham to sacrifice his own son. (22:2)

9. What is sacrificed in place of Isaac?

A ram. (22:13)

10. Who is born at the end of the portion?

Rebecca. (22:23)