### Lesson 1 שעור ראשון

#### **Subjects Covered:**

- 1.1 Biblical Versus Modern Hebrew
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- 1.4 The Verbless Clause מִשְׁפֵּט שֶׁמֵנִי
- 1.5 Possessive suffixes סיומות הקנין
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Introduced: Tool No. 1 - The Hebrew Letters

Tool No. 2 - The Hebrew Vowels

Tool No. 3 - Frequently Occurring Nouns List - Singular & Plural

(only <u>singular</u> form with **possessive suffixes**)

Tool No. 4 - Possessive Suffixes for the Singular Noun

#### 1.1 Biblical Versus Modern Hebrew

# שָׁלוֹם

is a good word with which we can start this introduction to Biblical Hebrew. In Modern Hebrew שָׁלוֹם means Peace. It is also commonly used when greeting people or when saying goodbye.

In Biblical Hebrew though, שָׁלוֹם may mean much more: completeness, soundness, safety, welfare, well-being, state of health, prosperity, peace, friendship, tranquillity, contentment, etc., depending on context.

Although Biblical and Modern Hebrew are basically the same language, there are still considerable differences between the two in the meaning of words, the way verbs are formed and interpreted, the order of words in a clause, pronounciation and so on. Knowing one can certainly help you learn the other, but at times it may also mislead you. Pay attention, and note the differences!

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## 1.2 A Warm Up Conversation

### Vocabulary:

name	שֵׁם
no	לא
what?	מַה

Let us begin by learning to introduce ourselves to each other. First, <u>read aloud</u> the sentences below as a reading practice.

<ul><li>My name is Shlomo.</li><li>My name is Ruth.</li></ul>	- שְׁמִיּ שְׁלֹמֹה. - שְׁמִיּ רוּת.
<ul><li>Is your name Shemu'el?</li><li>No. My name is David.</li></ul>	- שִׁמְ <b>דְּ</b> שְׁמוּאֵליִ - לא. שְׁמִ <b>י</b> דְּוָד.
- Is your name Rahel? - My name is Ruth.	- שְׁמֵ <b>דְ</b> רָחֵליִ - שְׁמִ <b>י</b> רוּת.
<ul><li>What is your name?</li><li>My name is Dan.</li></ul>	- מַה שִׁמְ <b>דְּ</b> יִּ - שְׁמִ <b>י</b> דְּן.
<ul><li>What is your name?</li><li>My name is Dinah.</li></ul>	- מַה שְׁמֵ <b>דְ</b> יִ - שְׁמִ <b>י</b> דִּינָה .
<ul><li>Is his name Shim'on?</li><li>No. His name is Re'uven?</li></ul>	- שְׁמוֹ שִׁמְעוֹן! - לא. שְׁמוֹ רְאוּבֵן.
- Her name is Rivqah.	- שְׁמָהּ רְבְקָה.

- Notice that in every sentence above, 4 English words were needed to translate 2 Hebrew words. There are two grammatical reasons that allow Hebrew to express the same idea in a much shorter way: The verbless clause (1.4), and the possessive suffix (1.5).
- Notice the differences in addressing or talking about a man or a woman. In this lesson you will also learn about gender distinction (1.5).
- Use similar sentences to introduce yourself to, and get to know, your classmates. While doing so, use clear gestures to point to yourself and others.

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## 1.3 Silent Sheva שְׁוָא נָת Wocal Sheva שְׁוָא נָע

Throughout this Lesson you will see words with the vowel sign [ ] sheva אָטָא , assigned to one or more letters. This vowel sign represents two different shevas: vocal sheva and silent sheva (see Tool No. 2).

Silent sheva has no vowel sound.

Silent sheva <u>closes</u> a syllable, e.g. שָׁלְדְּ, אַבְּרָהָם, רבקה, חֶשְׁבּוֹן, צֶּרְעָה It follows the short vowels: [ ַ ], [ ַ ], [ ַ ] and the short vowel [ ַ ] (sounds like o in the English word or [see Tool No. 2]).

Vocal sheva should sound like the vowel [ ֶ ] ¹. e.g. שָׁמִי, שָׁלמֹה, רָאוּבֵן, יִרְמְיָה

## 1.4 The Verbless Clause הַמִּשְׁפָּט הַשֵּׁמְנִי

In the sentences above (1.2) there are no Hebrew verbs. The verb היה ('to be'), which does exist in Hebrew, was not used. A clause without a verb, a **verbless clause**, is common in Hebrew. In a **verbless clause** the predicate (the main information given about the subject) is not a verb. It may be a noun, an adjective, a proper name or others. For example:

Moshe <u>is</u> a משֶׁה נָבִיא. prophet. Moshe <u>is</u> good. This <u>is</u> Moshe. شשֶׁה משֶׁה. Moshe <u>is</u> there.

Note that when translating verbless clauses, the English verb 'to be' should be added.

1.5 Possessive suffixes סְיּוֹמוֹת הַקּנְיָן

Each of the single Hebrew words used in the Warm Up Conversation (1.2): אַמָּה, שְׁמֵּך, שְׁמֵל, שְׁמֵך, שְׁמֵל, שְׁמֵך, שְׁמֵל, שְׁמֵך, שְׁמֵל, שְׁמֵך, שְׁמֵל, שְׁמֵך, שְׁמֵל, שְׁמֵל (her name, his name, your name, my name, your name) has two lexical elements and, therefore, is translated into two English words. Different suffixes added to the noun שֵׁם (name) indicate possession. Each suffix points to the person to whom this שֵׁם belongs. This is the possessive suffix, which represents a pronoun <sup>2</sup>.

Look at the table below demonstrating the **possessive suffixes** (in bold) assigned to each grammatical person, and added to the example noun קוֹל (voice):

Translation of  Possessive  Suffix  only	<b>Possessive Suffix</b> Plural Pronoun		Translation of <b>Possessive Suffix</b> only	<b>Possessive Suffix</b> Singular Pronoun		
our	קוֹלֵ <b>נוּ</b>		my	קוֹלָ <b>י</b>		1st Person
your	קוֹלְ <b>כֶּם</b>	m.	your	קוֹלְףּ / קוֹלֶףּ	m.	
your	קוֹלְ <b>בֶּו</b>	f.	your	קוֹב <b>ַן</b>	f.	2nd Person
their	קוֹלֶ <b>ם</b>	m.	his, its	קוֹל <b>וֹ</b>	m.	
their	קוֹלָ <b>וֹ</b>	f.	her, its	קוֹלָ <b>ה</b>	f.	3rd Person

m. = masculine f. = feminine

These **possessive suffixes** may be added to any <u>singular</u> noun:

	Possessive Suffix Plural Pronoun			<b>Possessive Suffix</b> Singular Pronoun		
our	13 [ <sub></sub> ]		my	<b>,</b> []		1st Person
your	[ ְ] כֶּם	m.	your	न [ ॢ ] / न् [ ॣ]	m.	21.
your	נ'ַ] בּּנ	f.	your	打[]	f.	2nd Person
their	[ ָ ] ם	m.	his, its	1[]	m.	2.48
their	1[,]	f.	her, its	<b>ਜ਼</b> [ੵ]	f.	3rd Person

You will find both of the above tables in Tool No. 4.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> A pronoun stands for someone or something that was mentioned before.

Possessive suffixes, like other pronominal suffixes (e.g. those added to verbs, prepositions etc. which will be introduced in a later stage), represent pronouns; in this case, my, your, his... or me, you, him...

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- There is no gender distinction for the 1st person, either singular or plural.
- Masculine plural ending for both 2nd and 3rd persons (בֶּם, ,ם, -) may indicate a mixed group of masculine and feminine (e.g. men and women).

*Note:* 

*In this lesson only singular nouns are presented, without or with possessive suffixes*;

- Plural nouns will be introduced in Lesson 3.
- <u>Plural</u> nouns with **possessive suffixes** will be introduced in Lesson 19.

<u>Read aloud</u> the examples below. Use clear gestures to point to yourself or to others to indicate the grammatical person represented by each **possessive suffix**.

their (f.) wellbeing	שָׁלוֹם	שְׁלוֹמָ <b>ו</b>	1
her daughter	בַּת	<b>ម</b> ឃុំ ភ	2
our voice	קול	קוֹלֵ <b>נוּ</b>	3
my son	ا <del>ق</del> ا	ָּבְנָ <b>י</b>	4
their (m.) mother	אָם	אָפֶּם	5
your (m. pl.) sister	אָחוֹת	אֲחוֹתְ <b>כֶּם</b>	6
your (f. singular) tent	אֹהֶל	אָרֶל <b>וּ</b>	7
your (f. pl.) covenant	בְּרִית	<del>בְ</del> ּרִיתְ <b>בֶּן</b>	8
your (m. sing.) home	בַּיִת	<u>בּ</u> יתְ <b>וּ</b>	9

### 1.6 Vowel Change with Added Possessive Suffixes

As you can see from the examples above, in some cases, as in שָׁ or יָם, adding the possessive suffix causes the original vowels of the noun to change. At this level you do not need to know the vowel change rules. The objective is to learn to recognize a noun with or without its added possessive suffix and vowel change. Therefore, gradually, familiarize yourself with the frequently occurring nouns listed in Tool No. 3.

In Tool No. 3, <u>read aloud</u> the following nouns (<u>singular</u> only), without and with their **possessive suffixes** added 3: אֹהֶל, אֵם, בֵּן, בַּת, בְּרִית

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- Plural nouns with possessive suffixes appear on Tool No. 3a, which will be introduced in Lesson 19.
- For the time being ignore the <u>plural</u> nouns (Lesson 3) printed in bold letters.
- Also ignore the column presenting the <u>construct state</u> form (Lesson 9).

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## **Examples**

## Vocabulary:

also, too

<u>Read aloud</u> the following Biblical passages. Concentrate on the words printed in the larger fonts. Identify the person indicated by each **possessive suffix**. Compare with the translation offered.

what is <b>thy</b> country? (Jonah 1:8)	The people on the boat to Yonah: (יונה א, ח) בָּוֹה אַרְצְדְּ (יונה א, ח	1
What is <b>your</b> name (Genesis 32:28)	The man who wrestled with Ya'aqov, to Ya'aqov: מַה שְּׁמֶדּ (בראשית לב, כח)	2
<b>my</b> name is The LORD (Jeremiah 17:21)	The LORD: יי שְׁמָ <b>ל ה'</b> (ירמיהו טז, כא)	3
	about the people of Yerushalayim:	4
Neither <b>their</b> silver nor <b>their</b> gold shall be able to deliver them (Zephaniah 1:18)	גַם כַּסְפָּם גַם זְהָבָם לֹא יוּכַל לְהַצִּילָם (צפניה א, יח)	
Your country is desolate (Isaiah 1:7)	The LORD to the people of Judah: אַרְצְבֶּם שְׁמָמָה (ישעיהו א, ז)	5
The LORD is <b>our</b> judge, the LORD is <b>our</b> lawgiver, the LORD is <b>our</b> king (Isaiah 33:22)	הי שֹפְטֵ <b>נוּ</b> הי מְחֹקְקֵל <b>ָנוּ</b> הי מַלְכֵּ <b>נוּ</b> (ישעיהו לג, כב)	6
	Shelomo, to the Lord about those taken captive:	7
if they return unto Thee	ּוְשָּׁבוּ אֱלֶיף	
with all <b>their</b> heart and with all <b>their</b> soul (IKings 8:48)	בְּכָל לְבָבָ <b>ם</b> וּבְכָל נַפְשָׁ <b>ם</b> (מלכים אי ח, מח)	
<b>Your</b> mother is a Hittite (Ezekiel 16:45)	The LORD to Yerushalayim and its 'sister' cities: אָמְּבֶּן חָתִּית (יחזקאל טז, מה)	8

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## **One More Conversation** (Optional)

Vocabulary:

good

טוב

thanks, thanksgiving

תודה

Now, you are able to ask your classmates questions such as:

How are you? (literally: What/how is your שַׁלוֹם ?)

מַה שָׁלוֹמִדּיִּ

and receive answers such as:

I am well. (literally: My שַׁלוֹם is good.)

שַׁלוֹמִי טוֹב.

*Try exchanging the following with your classmates:* 

- שְׁלוֹמִי טוֹב. תּוֹדָה.

- שַלוֹם, דַּוָד. מַה שָׁלוֹמִ**דְּ**יִּ

- שְׁלוֹמִי טוֹב.

- מַה שְׁלוֹמֵדְּ , אֶסְתֵּריִ

- שְׁלוֹמֵ**נוּ** טוֹב, תּוֹדָה.

- מֹשֶׁה, שָׁמְעוֹן, מַה שְׁלוֹמְ**כֶּם**יּ

- טוב, תּוֹדָה.

- תָּמָר, רְאוּבֵן, מַה שְׁלוֹמְ**כֶּם**יִּ

- שְלוֹמֵ**נוּ** טוֹב, תּוֹדָה.

- שָּׁרָה, יָעֵל, מַה שְׁלוֹמְ**כֶּן**יִ

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## 1.7 The Subject Place in a Clause

Unlike in English (or in Modern Hebrew) a subject may appear not only at the beginning of a clause but also later on. For example:

Her name is Hagar שְׁמָהּ הָגֶר

Her name is Sarah. (Sarah is her name). שַׂרָה שִׁמָה

### 1.8 Where Else is the Verbless Clause on the Time Line?

Up to now you have seen **verbless clauses** translated into English in the present tense, (using the verb 'to be'). However, if the context relates to the past or to the future, a **verbless clause** may be translated into the past or the future. Thus:

David was a king. David is a king. David will be a king.

## **Examples**

Vocabulary:

because, when, if, but, rather

Now Sarai Abram's wife bore him no children and she had a handmaid, an Egyptian, and her name was Hagar (Genesis 16:1)	וְשָׂרֵי אֵשֶׁת אַבְרָם לֹא יָלְדָה לוֹ וְלֶהּ שִׁפְחָה מִצְרִית	1
	וּ שְׁמָהֹ הָגָר (בראשית טז, א)	
As for Sarai thy wife, thou shalt not call her name Sarai, but Sarah shall her name be (Genesis 17:15)	שָׂרַי אִשְׁתְּדָּ לא תָקְרָא אֶת שְׁמָהּ שָׂרָי <b>כִּי שָׂרָה שְׁמָה</b> (בראשית יז, טו)	2

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### 1.9 Looking up Nouns in the Lexicon

Most <u>noun</u> entries in the Lexicon include the abreviation **sf.**(=suffix), followed by examples of the noun with its **possessive suffix**. Look at the following excerpt from:

Holladay, W.L., (1988). A Concise Hebrew and Aramaic Lexicon of the Old Testament. Pages 14-15.

Find the nouns: אַכְּלָה, אִכֶּל, אָכְלָה, אֹכֶּל

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Gn 3911, 'anšê dāwêd men of D. 1S 233;
  - 7. sg. or pl. denoting nationality &c.,
  'anšê nîn'wêh men of N. Jon 35, 'îš mişrî
  Ex 211; coll. 48 yehûdû Is 51; — 8. 48
  someone, one Gn 1316, 285...lo Gn 236,
  '45... 'al Ex 1619 no one; - 9. each (one),
  'iš halomô Gn 40s; - 10. in expr. of reci-
  procity: each other, 'iš 'āhiw, 'iš rē'ēhû
  Ex 3227; - 11. each one (in his turn): leris
  Je 23st (oth.: 9); 'lš 'lš Lv 1713 & 'lš we'lš
  Ps 875, & 'iš wā'iš Est 18 every one (no
  matter who).
II איש Pr 18<sub>94</sub>: דּשׁא. †
איש־בשת: n. pers., tendentious for איש־בשת
  or cj. *ישׁבַעֵּל.
אישהוד: n. pers.
א"שון (of the eye): 'išôn 'ayin Dt
שוֹב (־)טוֹב: 2S 100 ; trad. n. pers., but אישׁ
  III טוֹב: the people (אֵישׁ 7) or the ruler
  (F がい 3b) of f6b. †
אישר: n. pers.
וותן ( Pr Ez 4015; unexplained. †
n. pers.
איתיאל: n. pers.
n. pers.
I איתנים: pl. איתנים: — I. ever-
  flowing, of a nahal (wady) Dt 214; as subst.
  naharót 'étān ever-flowing streams Ps 7415;
  yerah hā'ētānīm, 7th month, Sept./Oct.,
  when only the permanent streams are still
  flowing, 1K 82; - 2. (metaph.) constant,
  permanent: 'êtānô normal position (of sea)
  Ex 1427, gôy 'êtân enduring (ancient) nation
  Je 515-
II איתן: n. pers.
(150 ×): particle of assurance or emphasis,
  variously translated according to context;
  1. emphatic, surely, indeed, 'ak melek
 yiśrā'ēl hû' it is surely the king of I., it can
  only be the k. of I. 1K 2232; 'ak hinneh
  'ištokā hi' so she is your wife! Gn 26,;
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pt. אַּכְּל: be consumed, devoured (by fire)
  Ex 32, (by sword) Is 120
    hif.: pf. הַאַּכּלְתִּי, הָאַכּלְתִּי, sf. הַאַכּלְתִּי, sf. הַאַכּלְתִּי
  יָהַאָּכֶּלְתִיף; impf. אוֹכִיל אוֹכִיל Ho II..
  sf. וַיַאַכִּילָהוּ יָאַכִּלְנוּ impv. sf.
  הַשָּבֶּלְךָּ ,מַאָּכִיל pt. הַאָּכְ(י)לָהוּ ,הַאָּכְ(י)לָהוּ
  Dt 8<sub>16</sub>, מַאַכְּלֶת feed s.one 2C 28<sub>15</sub>; 2 acc.
  feed s.one s.thg IK 2227; min (of s.thg)
  Ps 8117.
אֹכַל: sf. אָכְלֶדֶּ אָכְלֶדָּ: food, for
  men Gn 1411, for animals Ps 10421; 'āśā
  'okel produce food Hb 317, 'ét 'okel meal-
  time Ru 2<sub>14</sub>.
אכל some mss. אָכֶל: Pr 30; uncertain;
  trad. n. pers. or impf. of נאֶּכֶל; prp. נַאָּכֶל
  (כלה) or כלל) (אָכֶל hif.). †
or inf.: food, only in JeEzP: אכלה: f. of אֹכֶל מוי
  hāyā le'ohlā serve as food Gn 12af.
I אכן: exclamation to emphasize the un-
  expected: - 1. truly Gn 2814; - 2. strongly
  contrastive, nevertheless Ps 6619; 6 × after
  3āmartî, Is 494.
II 🌅X: so that 1K 11₂. ↑
ቫጋጰ: qal: pf. '*: press hard Pr 1626. †
 אֹכֶף : sf. אַכְפָּי: Jb 33₁: hand (so LXX);
  oth.: pressure, urgency. †
אַכָּרִים, pl. אָכָּרִים, sf. אָכָּרִיהָם: serf: peasant,
  not owning land, belonging to landlord Is
  61<sub>5</sub>.
ח. loc. אֻכשׁף: n. loc.
  neg. for request, prohibition: — 1.
  emphatic neg. w/o vb.: a) certainly not
  2K 313, 'al-nā' Gn 1918; b) w/o expressed
  verb: 'al-tal (let) no dew (fall) 2S 121;
  c) we'al, vb. supplied fm. previous impv.:
  Jl 213; after inf. abs. = impv. Pr 1712,
  after juss. Pr 272; -- 2. w. vb. not: a) pro-
  hibition, w. impf. = juss., 'al tirā' do not
  fear Gn 151, 'al-yēṣē' 'iš let no one go out;
  b) request, 'al-na' ta'abör please do not go
  on Gn 18a; c) w. coh., we'al naqšibá and let
  us not listen Je 18<sub>18</sub>; d) w. ind. α) for
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## **Exercises**

**1.** In your Tool No. 3, <u>read aloud</u> the following nouns (for now, <u>singular</u> only), without and with their **possessive suffixes** added:

**2.** Parse and identify the different components of each word listed below. Find them among the frequently occurring nouns in Tool No. 3. Translate.

English Translation	Singular Tool No. 3 Entry (without suffix)  vowels not required	Person in Suffix 1 s. or p. 2 m. or f. s. or p. 3 m. or f. s. or p.	Possessive Suffix		
my house, home	בית	1s	>	בֵּיתִי	1
				עַמּוֹ	2
				יָדִי	3
				תַרְבִּי	4
				<del>,</del>	5
				אַרְצְכֶם	6
				אָמוֹ	7
				יָדָם	8
				אָהֱלֵנוּ	9
				לַחְמוֹ	10
				טָאָקם	11
				דְּבְּה	12
				תֵילָם	13
				קָבוֹדְכֶן	14
				קוֹלֵדְ	15

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נַעַרְדָּ	16
מְקוֹמֵנוּ	17
בַּמְלְבֵּנוּ	18
בּחוֹ	19
עַבְדִּי	20
פָּסְאוֹ	21
רוּתִי	22
עִירָן	23
מֹזָבַּטֶדּ	24

## **3.** Translate the words below (Use Tool No. 3).

לָבּוֹ	15	Your garment	בִּגְיְדְּ	1
ַֿרַעָדּ	16		בּנְכֶם	2
אָחִי	17		אָישֵׁדְּ	3
אַוֹנְכֶם	18		רָּשָׂרִי	4
צאנּן	19		עינְכֶם	5
בָּנוֹ	20		יִ <b>שְׁמ</b> וֹ	6
רַגְלֶּה	21		אָישָׁה	7
בְּנִי	22		לַחְמְכֶם	8
ראשִׁי	23		אֲדוֹנְכֶם	9
נַפְּשְׁכֶם	24		אַרְצוֹ	10
וַבְּלְכּוֹ	25		קוֹלְכֶּן	11
אָבִי	26		ראשו	12
דְּבָרִי	27		אַרְצְדּ	13
עַסְדֵּדְ	28		רַגְלוֹ	14

Lesson 1 אָנָה אי

**4.** Translate the words listed below using the parsing chart to identify the different components of each word. <u>Find the nouns in your Lexicon</u>.

English Translation	Singular Lexicon Entry (without suffix)  vowels not required	Person in Suffix 1 s. or p. 2 m. or f. s. or p. 3 m. or f. s. or p.	Possessive Suffix		
your only one	יחיד	2ms	न-	גָׁתִיבְ <del>ׁ</del>	1
				עְצְבוֹנֵךְ	2
				אַתוֹנוֹ	3
				רְכוּשָׁם	4
				שְׂמֹאלוֹ	5
				הַדָּב	6
				מוֹלַדְתִּי	7
				יְמִינְכֶם	8
				שׁוֹרוֹ	9
				בְּקָרֵנוּ	10

**5.** Translate or complete the translation of the following Biblical passages. Consider the context when determining the tense in your translation.

(Exodus 15:3)	about the LORD: הי שָׁמוֹ (שמות טו, ג)	1
(Genesis 35:10)	The man who wrestled with Ya'aqov, to Ya'aqov: שִׁבְלָּךְ יַעֲקֹב (בראשית לה, י)	2
(IISamuel 19:5)	David mourning the death of בְּנִי אַבְשָׁלוֹם, בְּנִי, בְנִי (שמואל ב, יט, ה)	3
And there went out a champion from the camp of the Philistines,	וַיֵּצֵא אִישׁ הַבַּנַיִם מִמַּחֲנוֹת פְּלִשְׁתִּים	4
(ISamuel 17:4)	נְּלְנָת שְׁמוֹ (שמואל אי יז, ד)	

Lesson 1 הָנֵה אי

**6.** Look up the nouns in both your Tool No. 3 and the Lexicon. Complete the translation of the following passages. Note: The word order in Hebrew and English <u>may</u> differ.

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	The LORD to Moshe:	1
for I have delivered him, and all <b>his</b> ,	<b>ና ፫ ኒ ተ</b>	
and <b>his</b> ,	נָתַתִּי אֹתוֹ וְאֶת כָּל <b>עַמּוֹ</b>	
into <b>thy</b> (Deuteronomy 3:2)	ָוְאֶת אַרְצוֹ (דברים ג, ב)	
And as for thee, thou shalt keep	וְאַתָּה אֶת <b>בִּרְיֹתִי</b> תִּשְׁמֹר	2
thou, and after thee (Genesis 17:9)	עַתָּה וְ זַּרְעֲדָּ אַחֲרֶידָ (בראשית יז, ט)	
And he struck down every in (Psalms 105:36)	about the LORD striking the Egyptians: וַיַּךְ כָּל <b>בְּבֹוֹר</b> בְּ <b>אַרְצָם</b> (תהלים קה, לו)	3
We will go with our young and with our old, with our sons and with our daughters, with and with we will go for we must hold a feast unto the LORD (Exodus 10:9)	Moshe to Par'oh: בְּנְעֶרִינוּ וּבְזְקָנֵינוּ נֵלֵךְ בְּבָנִינוּ וּבִדְּלָתְנוּ בְּ <b>בֹאנֵנוּ</b> וּבִ <b>בְּקָרֵנוּ</b> נֵלֵךְ כִּי חַג ה' לָנוּ (שמות י, ט)	4
LORD, is forever  LORD,  for all generations (Psalms 135:13)	הי, <b>שִּׁמְדְּ</b> לְעוֹלֶם הי, <b>זִּכְרְדְּ</b> לְדֹר וָדֹר (תהלים קלה, יג)	5
Only take diligent heed to do the commandment and the law  with all (Joshua 22:5)	Yehoshuwa' to the tribes of Re'uven, Gad & Menashe: רַק שִׁמְרוּ מְאֹד לַעֲשׁוֹת אֶת הַמִּצְוָה וְאֶת הַתּוֹרָה בְּכָל <b>לְבַרְּכֶם</b> וּבְּכָל <b>נַבְּשִׁכְם</b> (יהושע כב, ה)	6

Lesson 1 תְּנֵה א׳

**7.** Complete the translation. Use your Tool No. 3 as well as the Lexicon.

10 Wherefore she said unto Abraham,	(י) וַתּׂאמֶר לְאַבְרָהָם	1
Cast out this bondwoman and	נָרֵשׁ הָאָמֶה הַזֹּאת וְאֶת <b>בְּנָה</b> ֹ	1
for the son of this bondwoman shall not be heir	פִּי לֹא יִירַשׁ בֶּן הָאָמָה הַוֹּאֹת	
with	עָם <b>בְּנִי</b>	
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11 And the thing was very grievous in Abraham's sight	(יא) וַיֵּרַע הַדָּבָר מְאד בְּעֵינֵי אַבְרָהָם	
because of	עַל אודת <b>בְּנוֹ</b>	
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12 And God said unto Abraham in all that Sarah hath said unto thee,	(יב) וַיֹּאמֶר אֱלֹהִים אֶל אַבְרָהָם	
hearken unto	ַכל אֲשֶׁר תּאמַר אֵלֶיךּ שֶּׁרָה שְׁמַע בְּ <b>קֹלָה</b>	
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13 And also of the son of the bondwoman will I make a nation,	(יג) וְגַם אֶת בֶּן הָאָמָה לְגוֹי אֲשִׁימֶנּוּ	
	בִּי זַרְעֲדָּ הוּא	
14 And Ahraham rasa un carly in the marring		
14 And Abraham rose up early in the morning, and took bread, and a bottle of water,	(יד) וַיַּשְׁכֵּם אַבְרָהָם בַּבֹּקֶר	
and gave it unto Hagar,	וַיָּקַּח לֶחֶם וְחֵמַת מַיִּם וַיָּתֵן אֵל הַגַּר	
putting it on (Genesis 21:10-14)		
	שָׂם עַל <b>שִׁבְּמָה</b> (בראשית כא, י-יד)	
and it was written according to all that Mordecai commanded	וַיִּכָּתֵב כְּכָל אֲשֶׁר צִוָּה מָרְדֻּכַי אֶל הַיְּהוּדִים וְאֶל	2
concerning the Jews, even to the satraps of the provinces	ָהָאֲחַשְׁדַּרְפְּנִים אֲשֶׁר מֵהֹדּוּ וְעַד כּוּשׁ	
which are from India unto Ethiopia		
unto every province according to	<b>5111</b>	
unto every province according to	מְדִינָה וּמְדִינָה כָּ <b>כְּתָבָה</b> ֹ	
and unto every people after		
and unto every people after	מְדִינָה וּמְדִינָה כִּ <b>כְתָבָה</b> וְעֵם וָעָם כִּ <b>לְשׁׁנוֹ</b>	
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and unto every people after	וְעֵם וָעָם כָּ <b>לְשׁׁנוֹ</b> וְאֶל הַיְּהוּדִים כִּ <b>בְתָבִם</b>	
and unto every people after and to the Jews according to	וְעַם וָעָם כִּ לְשׁׁנוֹ	
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and unto every people after and to the Jews according to (Esther 8:9)  as Hannah was speaking in her lips alone moving	וְעַם וָעָם כִּ <b>לְשׁׂנוֹ</b> וְאֶל הַיְּהוּדִים כִּ <b>כְתָבִם</b> וְכָ <b>לְשׁוֹנָם</b> (אסתר ח, ט) וְחַנָּה הִיא מְדַבֶּרֶת עַל <b>לִבָּה</b> רַק שְׂפָתֶיהָ נָעוֹת וְ <b>קוֹלָה</b> לא יִשָּׁמֵעַ	3
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