

Torah Portion Outline

#11: VaYigash (ויגש) "and he came near"

Torah ~ *Genesis 44:18-47:27*

Haftarah ~ *Ezekiel 37:15-28*

Brit Chadashah ~ *Luke 6:12-16; Acts 7:9-16*

Portion Summary:

In our Torah reading Joseph's brothers refuse to leave Benjamin; Joseph reveals his identity; the Israelites move to Egypt; and the family settles in Goshen. Our Haftarah reading has the description of Israel's two kingdoms. In our Brit Chadashah reading we learn of the twelve Disciples; and our forefathers in Egypt.

Torah Outline:

Genesis 44:18 - Judah Pleads for Benjamin

Genesis 45:1 - Joseph Identifies Himself

Genesis 46:1 - Jacob Brings His Family to Egypt

Genesis 46:28 - Jacob Settles in Goshen

Genesis 47:13 - The Famine in Egypt

Haftarah Outline:

Ezekiel 37:15 - One Kingdom, One King

Brit Chadashah Outline:

Luke 6:12 - Appointing the Twelve

Acts 7:9 - The Patriarchs in Egypt