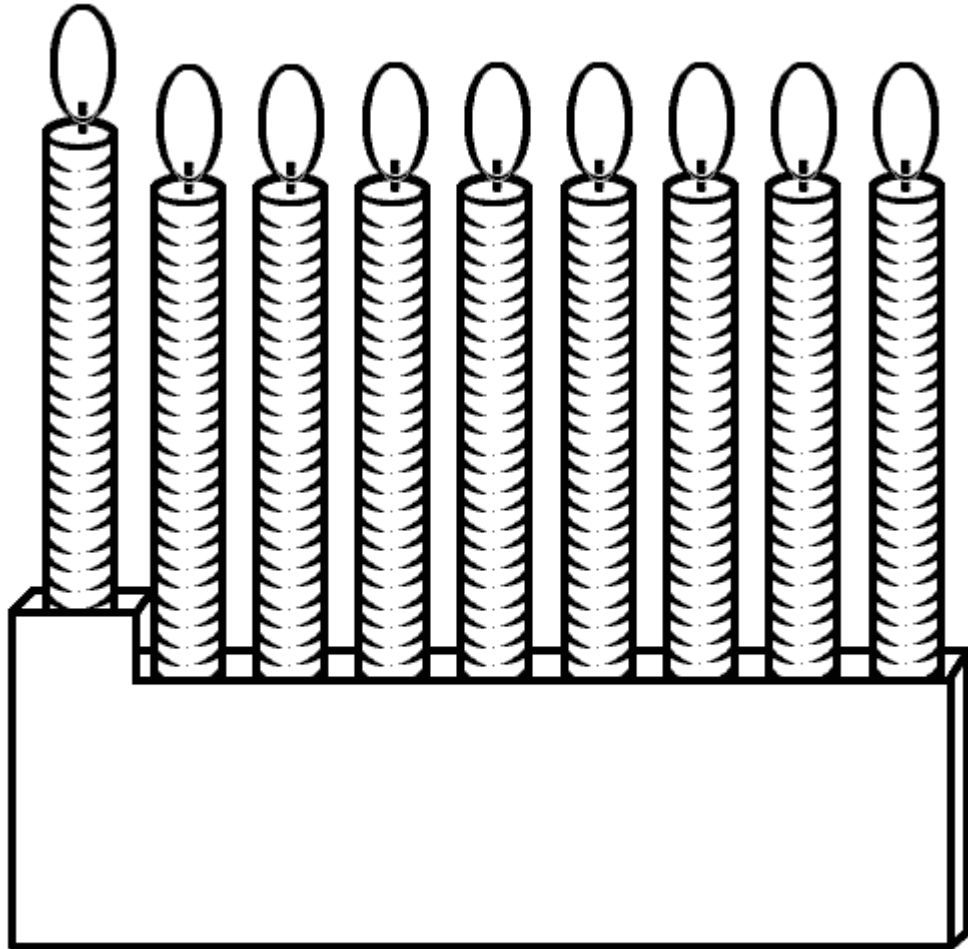


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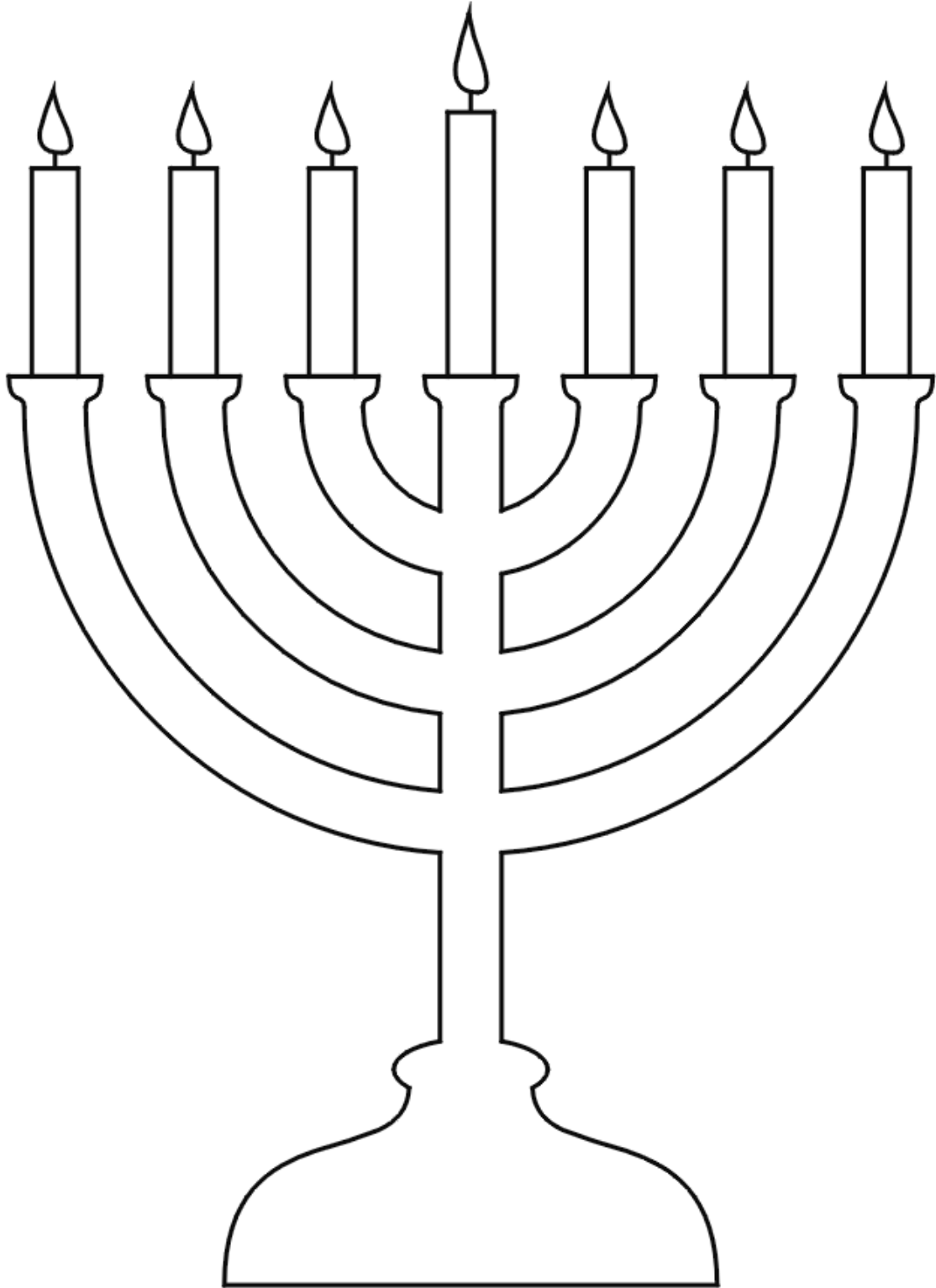
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Menorah



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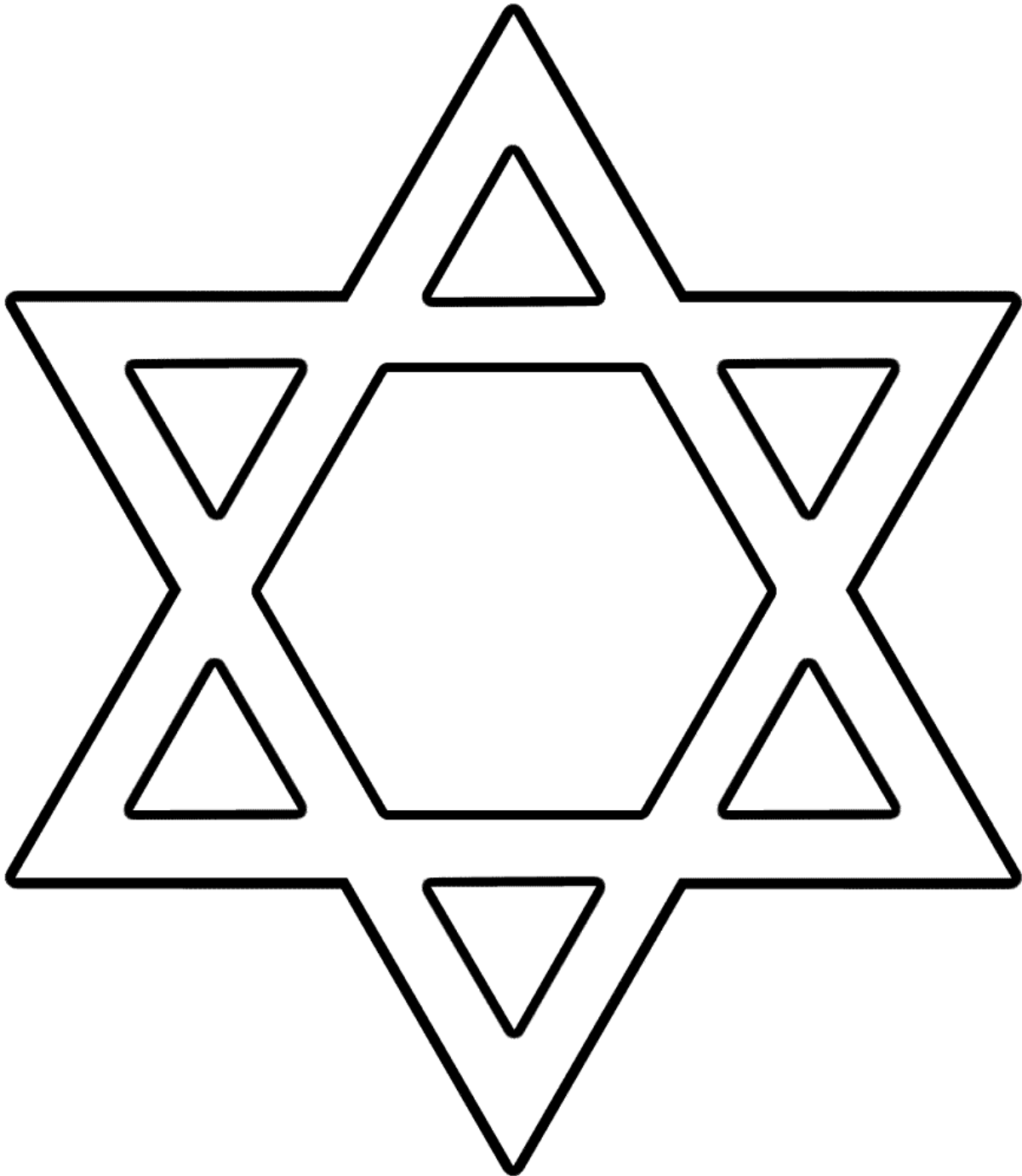
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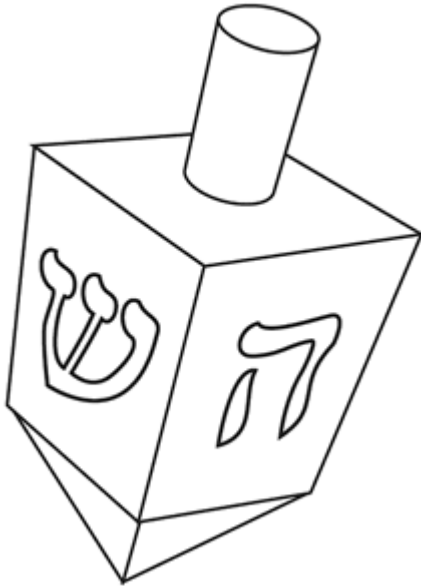
The Meaning of Hanukkah

The Star of David is often recognized as a symbol of the faith of Judaism. It has been recognized as such since the 17th century. Color the star below.



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8 Days and Nights



Why is Hanukkah Celebrated?

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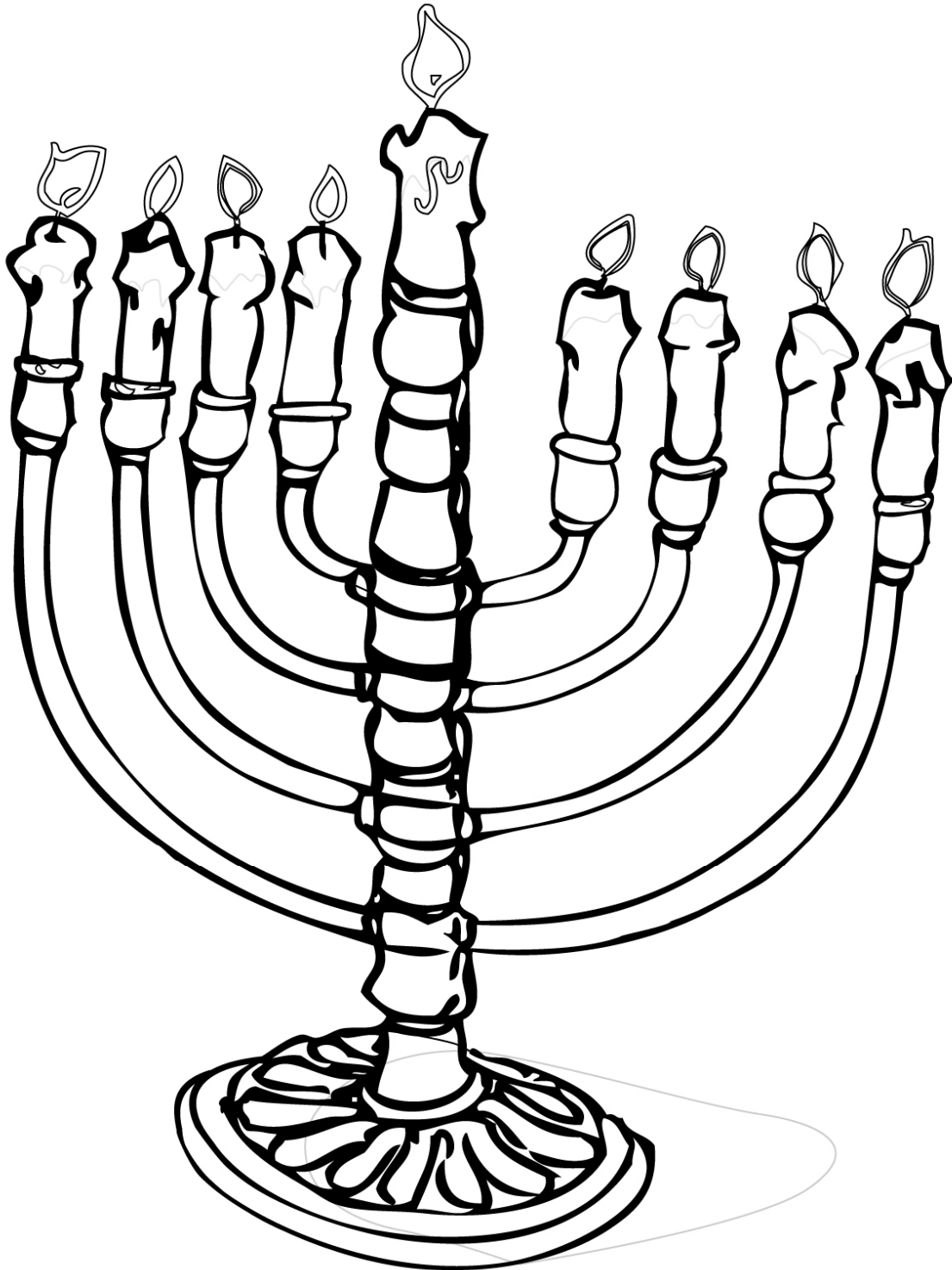


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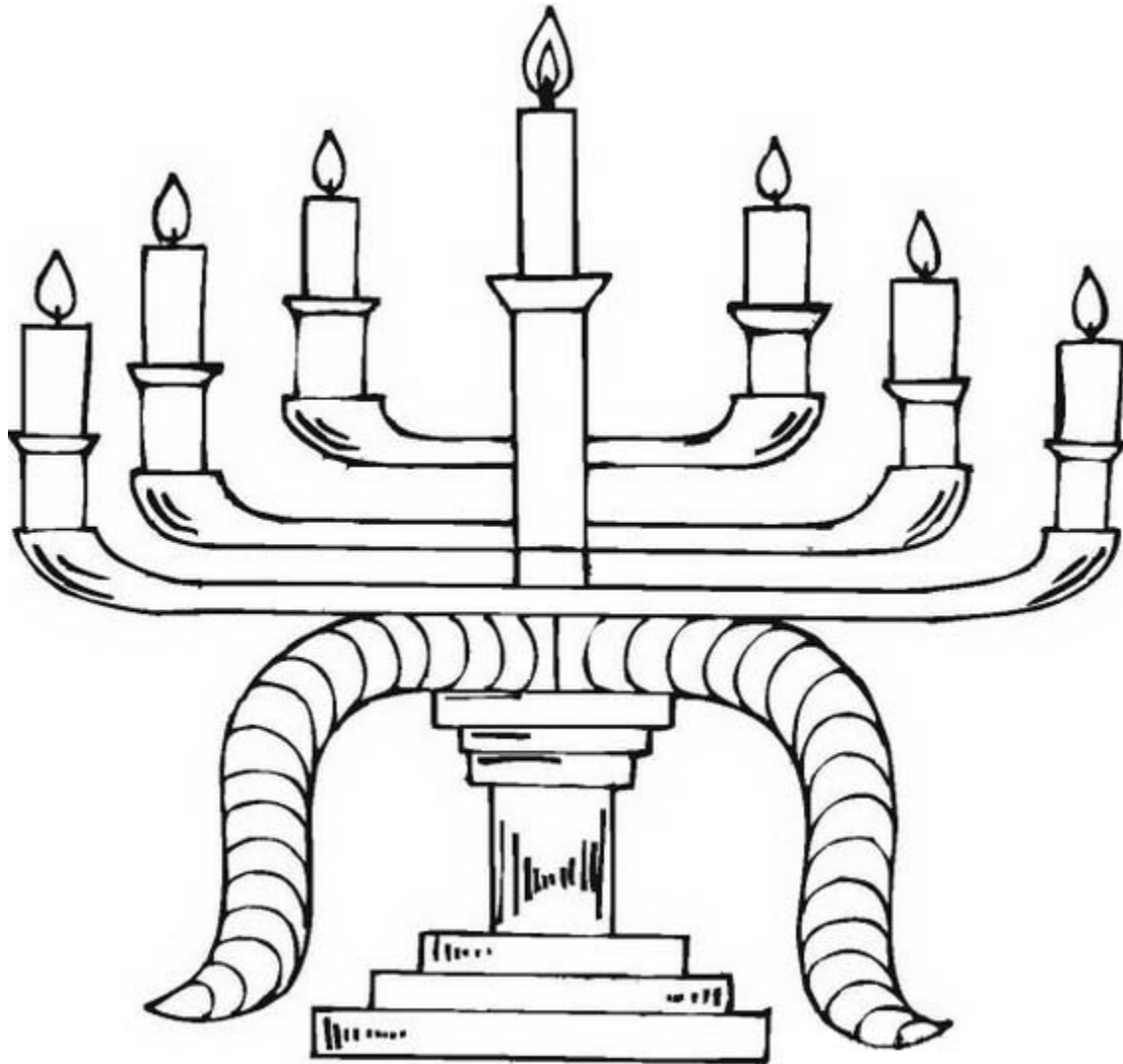
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The Story of the Menorah



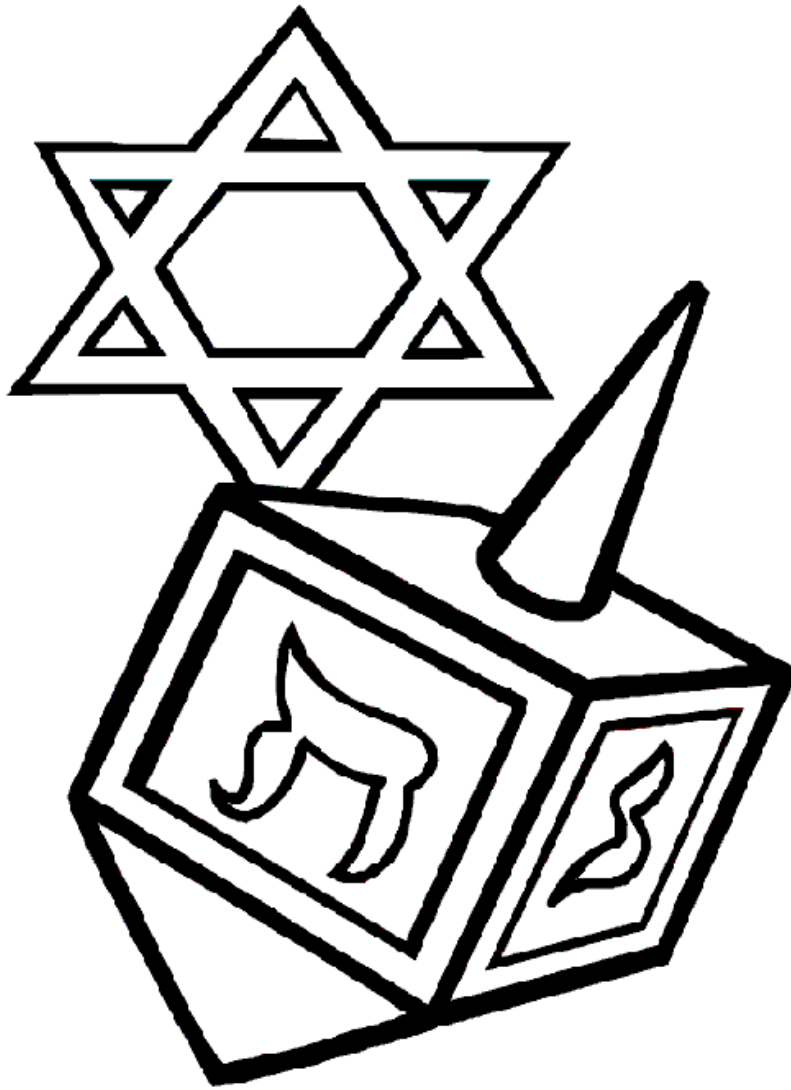
There are two varieties of menorah that are used in the Jewish faith. The more traditional menorah has nine candles are used during the Hanukkah celebration. The eight-branched menorah is a traditional symbol of Judaism. The seven-branched menorah, above, is used in traditional ancient temples.

Early on there was a slight disagreement between two rabbinical schools of thought as how to light the Hanukkah menorah. Some light all the candles on the first night of Hanukkah and one less candle each day. Some light only one candle on the first night and an additional candle each day. The tradition of lighting an additional candle each night eventually won out.



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Dreidel and Star of David Coloring Sheet



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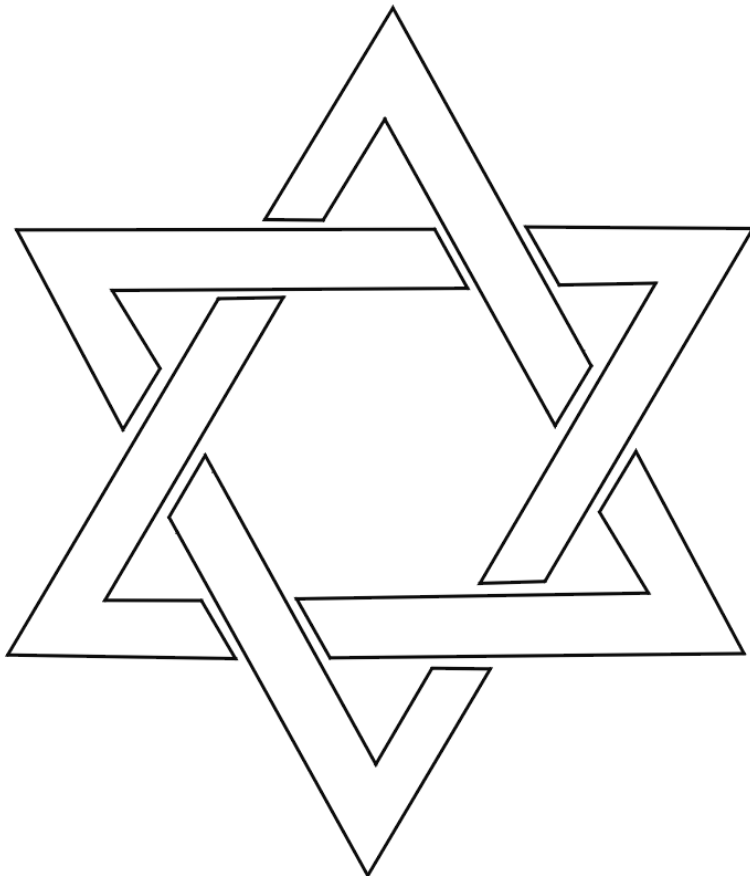
Hanukkah

Word

Search

Find the words in puzzle from the word bank.

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- MENORAH
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When is Hanukkah?

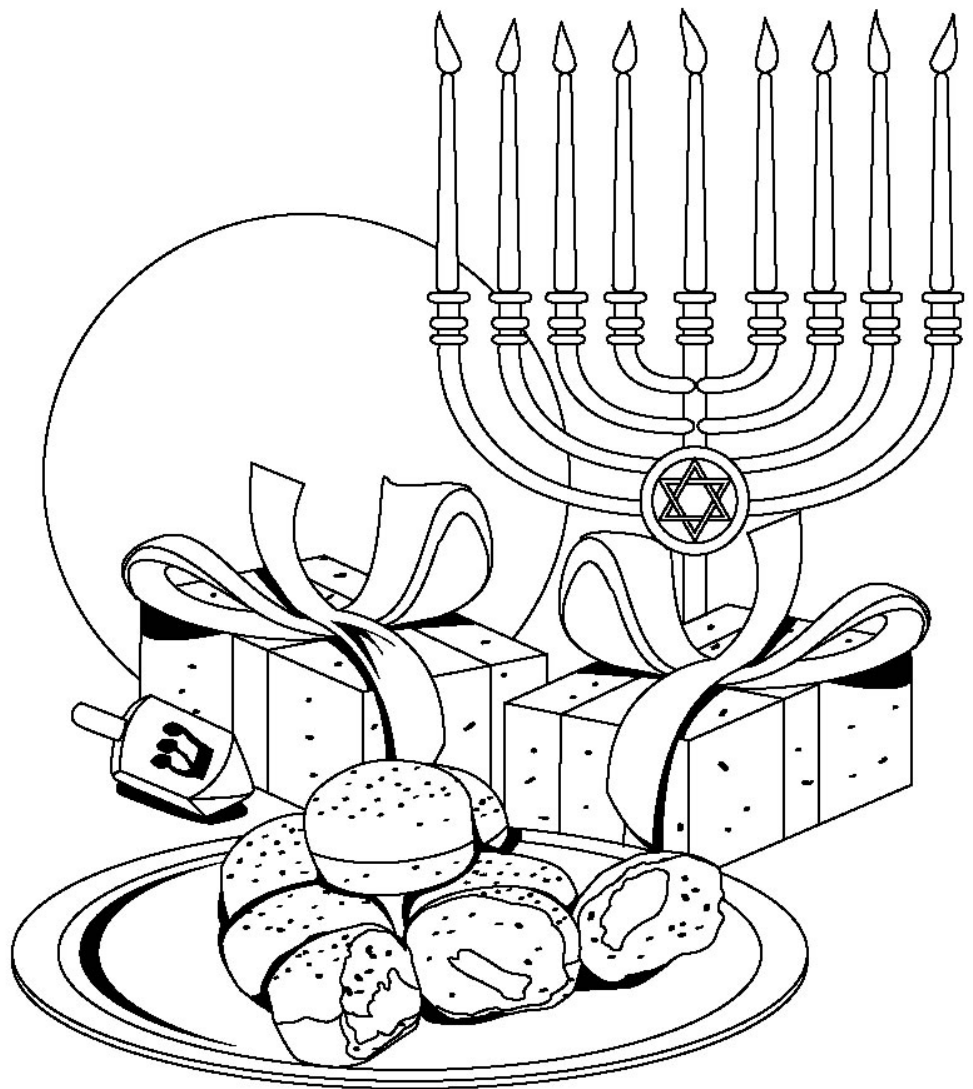
Color the picture in below.

Hanukkah is a unique holiday, timing wise. Hanukkah is always celebrated somewhere between November and December. Hanukkah is recognized on the twenty-fifth day of the Jewish month of Kislev.

The Jewish calendar is different from traditional Western calendars in that it is

based on Lunar-Solar cycles. The traditional Western calendar recognizes a 365-day calendar year. The traditional Jewish calendar fluctuates between 353 to 385 days a year. Because these two calendar systems are not in sync, Hanukkah celebration

dates change from a Western perspective.



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Multiple Choice Questions

1. When is Hanukkah Celebrated?

- a. 25th day of December
- b. 25th day of Kislev (the Jewish calendar)
- c. 25th day of November

2. Circle the two things that the Jewish calendar is based on?

sun fall leaves tide moon atomic clock

3. How many days does the Western calendar have in a year?

- a. 365 b. 353
- c. 385 d. No fixed number of days

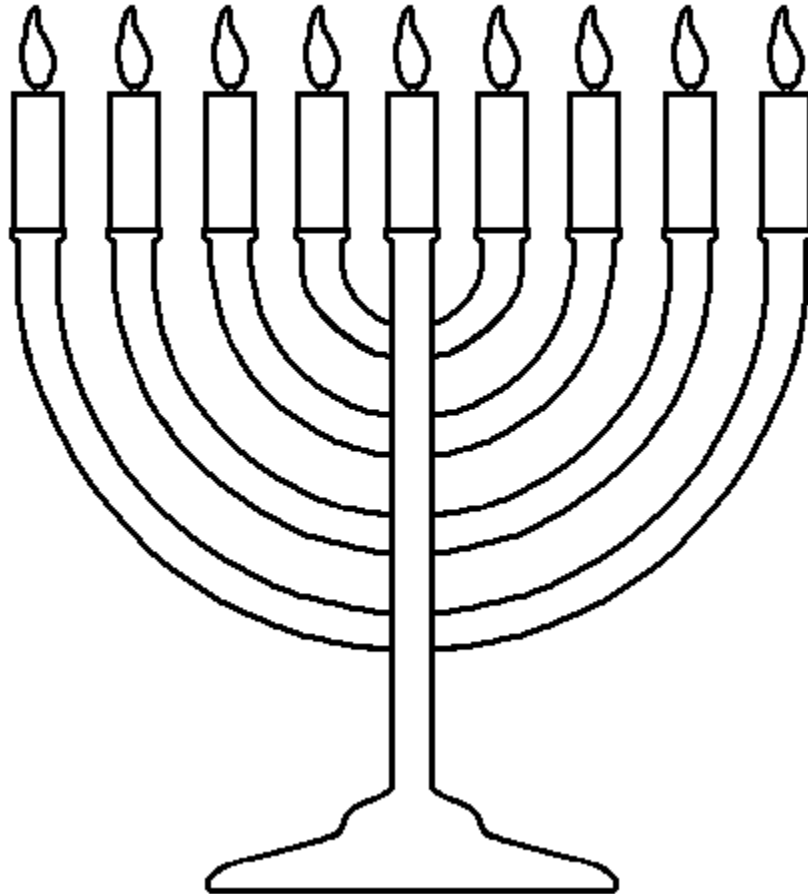
4. How many days does the Jewish calendar have in a year?

- a. 365 b. 353
- c. 400 d. No fixed number of days



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Hanukkah and Fact Family (8 and 9)



The traditional Hanukkah menorah has 9 candles to commemorate the 8 days and nights of Hanukkah. Complete the 8 and 9 fact family below:

$$8 + \underline{\quad} = 9$$

$$\underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} = \underline{\quad}$$

$$\underline{\quad} - \underline{\quad} = \underline{\quad}$$

$$\underline{\quad} - \underline{\quad} = \underline{\quad}$$



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Answers

$$8 + 1 = 9$$

$$1 + 8 = 9$$

$$9 - 8 = 1$$

$$9 - 1 = 8$$

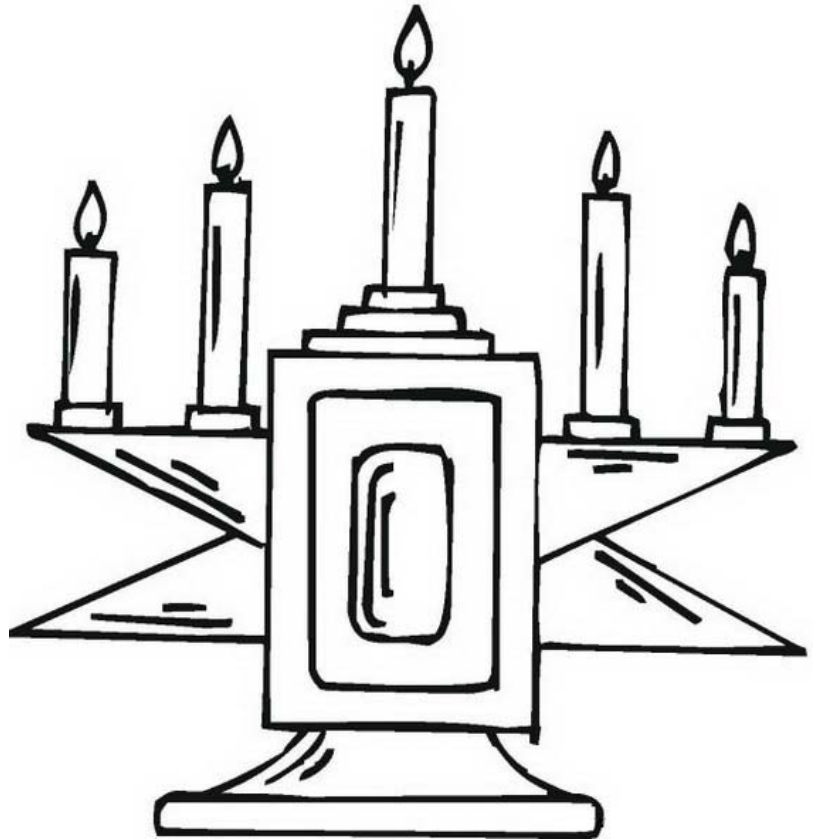


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Making It Last!

Writing Prompt

The menorah is a common symbol of the tradition of Hanukkah. The light given off by the Menorah is said to have lighted the temple for eight days and nights. This was all done by just a small amount of oil.



Did you ever have something much longer than you or anyone ever expected? If not, what do you have that you wished lasted a lot longer?



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Learning about Hanukkah

Research the answers to the following questions to learn more about the Festival of Lights?



Who celebrates Hanukkah? Why?

Why do we see Hanukkah sometimes spelled Chanukah?

Why doesn't Hanukkah always take place on the same day of the year?

Dreidels date back to the Syrian-Greek rule over their Holy Land. Why were dreidels first used?

How many people in the world practice Judaism? Geographically, where are most of these people from?



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Kiddush Cup Math

The Kiddush cup is usually part of most Jewish festivals and celebrations. The "Kiddush" is reciting a blessing with wine that usually resides in a formal cup, such as the cup below.

Hanukkah is celebrated over 8 days. Circle all the problems that when solved give you 8.

$$\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ - 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ - 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ + 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ + 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 19 \\ - 11 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ + 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 11 \\ - 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

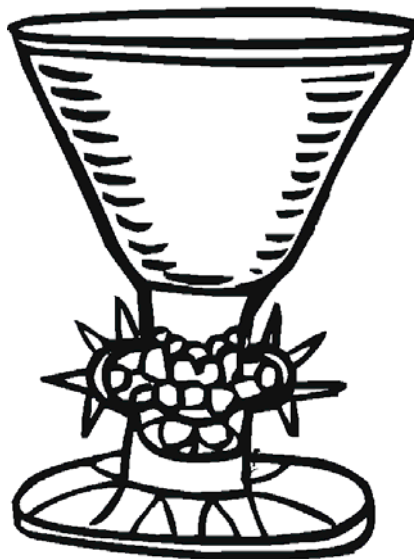
$$\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ + 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 18 \\ - 9 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ + 5 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ + 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 16 \\ - 8 \\ \hline \end{array}$$



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Answers

$$\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ - \quad 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \quad 2 \\ + \quad 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \quad 19 \\ - \quad 11 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \quad 11 \\ - \quad 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \quad 5 \\ + \quad 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \quad 16 \\ - \quad 8 \\ \hline \end{array}$$



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What's Wrong and What's Right?



This somewhat looks like a traditional Hanukkah scene, but something is wrong. Name 2 things that are related to Hanukkah in the scene above and two things that are not related to Hanukkah in the same scene.

Right:

1.

2.

Wrong:

1.

2.



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Answer Key

Right:

1. Candles are used
2. A kiddish cup appears.

Wrong:

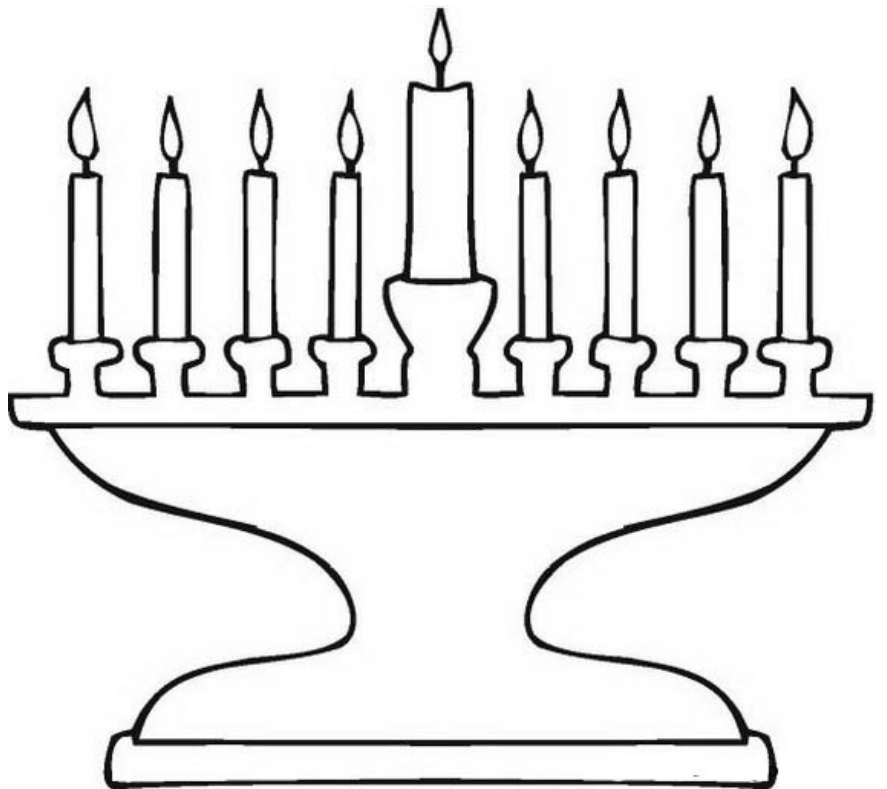
1. Traditionally 9 candles appear on a menorah.
2. Pears are not a fruit associated with Hanukkah.



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Menorah Math and Reading Practice

The traditional candle holder of a menorah is referred to as the "shamash". The candles are traditionally added to the shamash from the right to the left. One candle is then lit (left to right) to commemorate the days of Hanukkah with the large middle candle being lit along with the 8th candle.



Complete the problems to determine the color of each candle. The final value of each problem represents the color and day of Hanukkah you should color the candles.

$$\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ - \quad 9 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Blue

$$\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ + \quad 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Orange

$$\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ + \quad 1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Green

$$\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ - \quad 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Pink

$$\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ - \quad 9 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Yellow

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ + \quad 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Purple

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ + \quad 1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Red

$$\begin{array}{r} 19 \\ - \quad 12 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Brown



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Answer Key



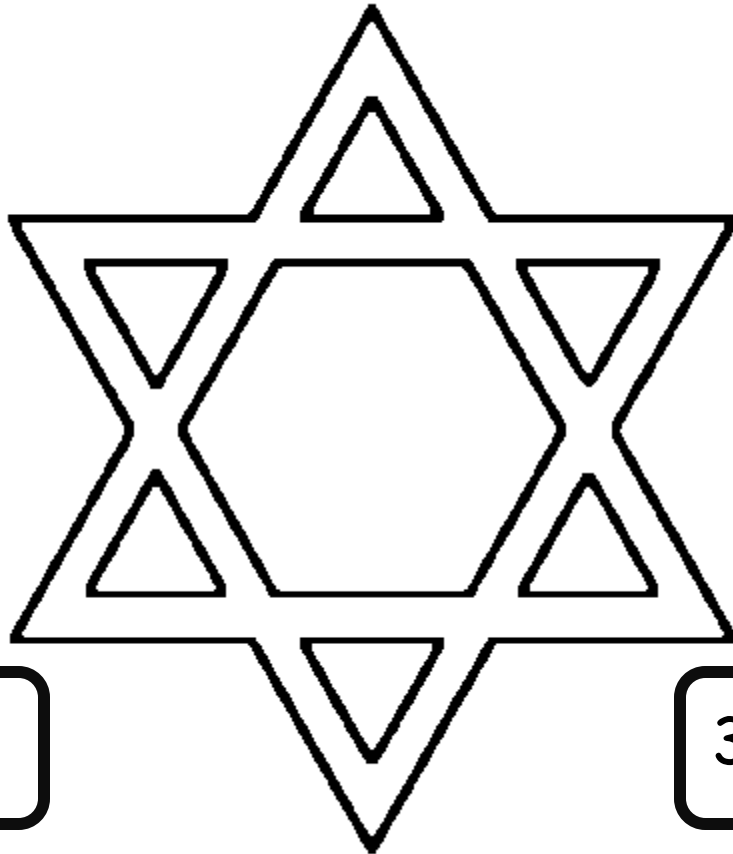
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Hanukkah Multiplication and Division

$$\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ \times 4 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$55 \div 5 =$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ \times 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$



$$8 \div 2 =$$

$$36 \div 4 =$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 11 \\ \times 8 \\ \hline \end{array}$$



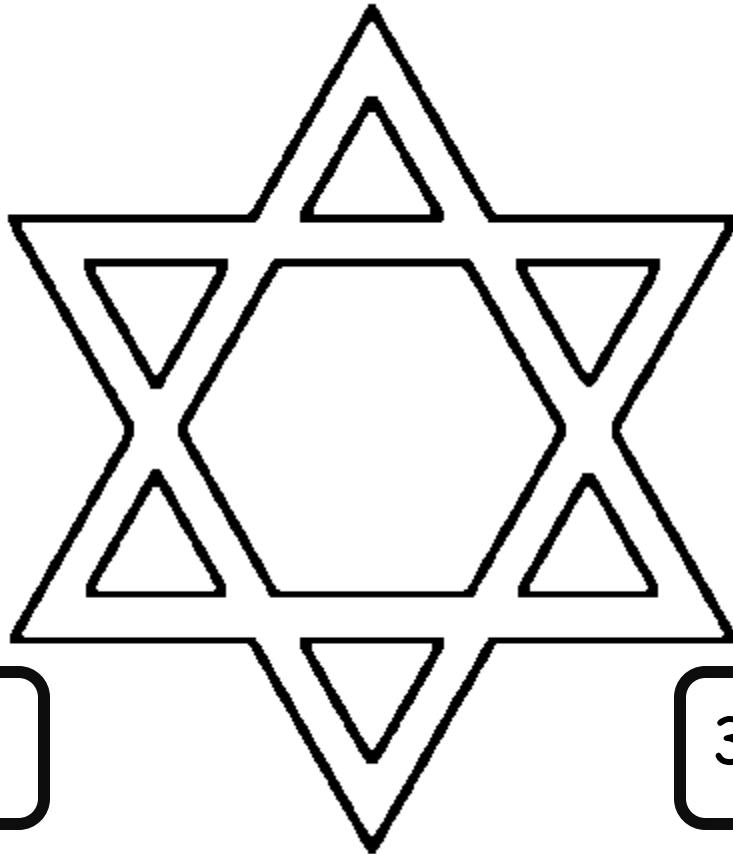
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Answer Key

$$\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ \times 4 \\ \hline 32 \end{array}$$

$$55 \div 5 = 11$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ \times 3 \\ \hline 15 \end{array}$$



$$8 \div 2 = 4$$

$$36 \div 4 = 9$$

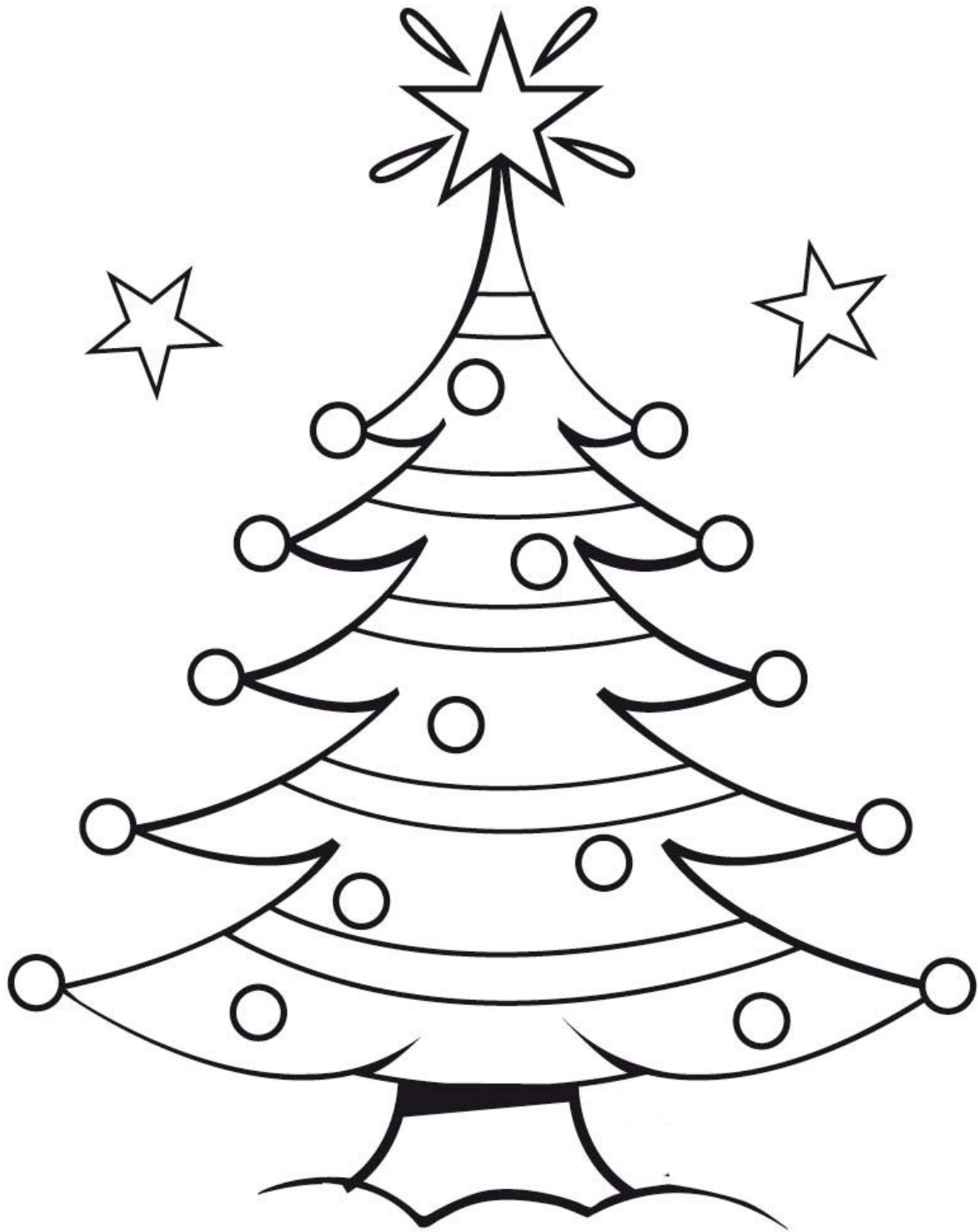
$$\begin{array}{r} 11 \\ \times 8 \\ \hline 88 \end{array}$$



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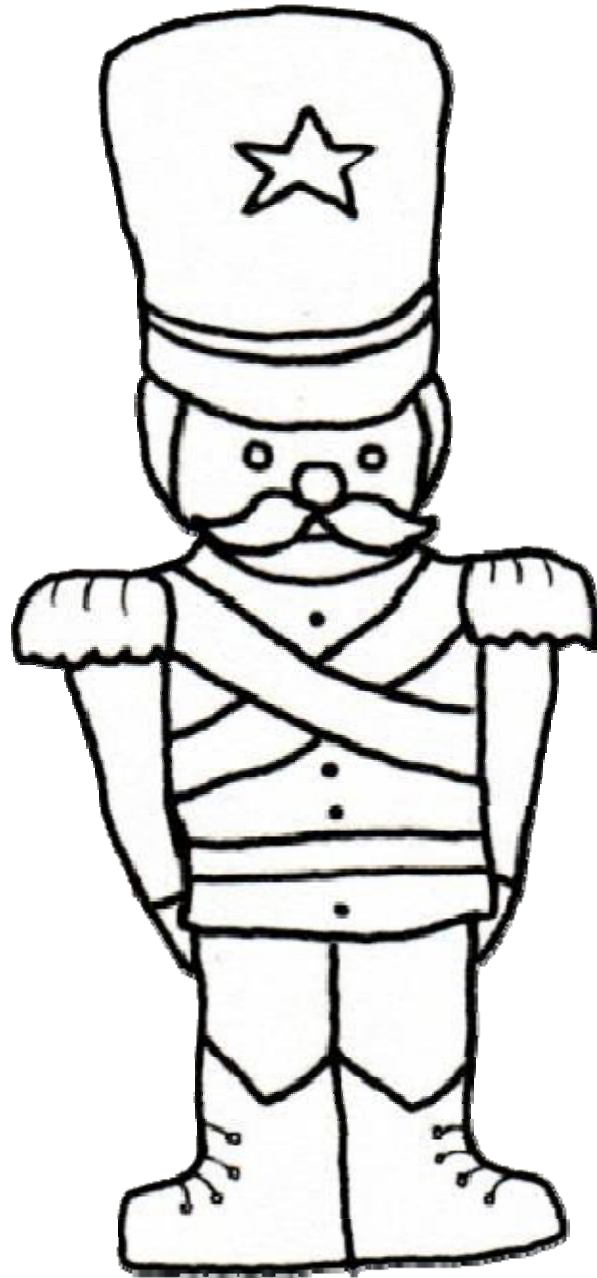
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