

# **The Purim Story**

## **The Characters:**

**Achashverosh (Xerxes)**

**Vashti**

**Esther (Hadassah)**

**Mordechai**

**Haman**

# **Mordechai**

**Son of *Yair*, of Shimei, of Kish**

**..... A Benjamite**

**Esther 2:5**

**..... as was King Saul**

# **Haman**

**Son of Hammadatha**

**.....An Agagite**

**Esther 3:1**

**..... An Amalekite**

**I Sam 15:1-9**

# Who Are the *Amalekites*?

**Esau**

**Genesis 36:12**

**Wives: *Bashemath***

***Adah***

***Eliphaz***

***Amalek***

# **Why We Celebrate Purim**

**To “*Remember what Amalek did to you.....*”**

**Deut 25:17**

**At the Start of the Exodus**

**Exodus 17:8**

**King Saul & Agag**

**I Sam 15:8-9**

**In Persia (485 BC)**

**Esther**

**What *Amalek* is Doing Today!**

**Genesis**

**Exodus**

**Leviticus**

**Sin**

**Redemption**

**Sanctification**

## **The Offerings**

**Sin**

**Burnt**

**Fellowship**

**Trespass**

**Grain**

**Mandatory**

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**Voluntary**

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# **Mandatory Offerings**

**קֹרְבַּן חֹוָה *Korban Chovah***

**Sin Offering**

**General Unintentional Sin**

**Trespass Offering**

**Specific Sin (Restitution)**

# **The Process of Sin**

**Thought**

**Speech**

**Action**

# The Atonement of Sin

Thought	<u>Decide to</u> Bring the <i>Korban</i>	<u>Acknowledge</u> Our Sin
Speech	Place ( <u>Speak</u> ) Your Sins on the Animal	<u>Confess Our</u> Sin (Repent)
Action	<u>Sacrifice the</u> Animal	<u>Change Our</u> Ways



# **Voluntary Offerings**

**קֹרְבַּן נִדָּבָה *Korban Nadavah***

**Burnt Offering**

**Devotion & Service Sacrifice**

**Assurance of Acceptance**

**Grain (Meal) Offering**

# **Burnt Offerings:**

**Noah After the Flood** **Gen 8:20**

**Isaac & Abraham** **Gen 22**

**The Ram in Place of Isaac** **Gen 22**

**Dedication of Tabernacle** **Ex 40:29**

**Daily, Shabbat, New Moon, Feasts**

**Our Sacrifice:**

**“Living Sacrifice”** **Romans 12:1**

**“Spiritual Sacrifice”** **I Peter 2:5**

***Vayikra* – To Be Called Out  
Through the Sacrifices  
*Korban*  
To Draw Near**

**Example of *Vayikra* thru *Korban*  
*Luke 1***