



IS IT
PURIM YET?



TORAHUMESORAH

Chesky woke up early on Erev Purim.



He looked at Chaya and asked,
“Is it Purim yet?”

“No, Chesky,” Chaya said.
“First we have to go shopping.”



So Chesky and Chaya got dressed,
davened, and went to the store. They
bought costumes, baskets, graggers,
and lots of nosh.



“Is it Purim yet?”
Chesky asked.

“No, Chesky,” Chaya said.
“First we have to bake and fill the
hamantashen.”



So Chesky and Chaya washed their hands and prepared the fillings. They prepared the raspberry filling for Mommy, apricot filling for Totty, and yummy chocolate filling for themselves! Then they rolled out the dough and filled the hamantashen.



“Is it Purim yet?” Chesky asked.

“No, Chesky,” Chaya said.

“First we have to prepare the
mishloach manos.”



So Chesky and Chaya each took a few baskets. They placed one bottle of grape juice, two fruits, and three hamantashen into each basket.



“Is it Purim yet?”
Chesky asked.

“No, Chesky,” Chaya said.
“First we have to prepare money for
matanos l’evyonim.”



So Chesky and Chaya asked their parents for some money and put it aside to give as matanos l'evyonim on Purim.



“Is it Purim yet?”
Chesky asked.

“No, Chesky,” Chaya said.
“First we have to set the table for
tomorrow’s seudah.”

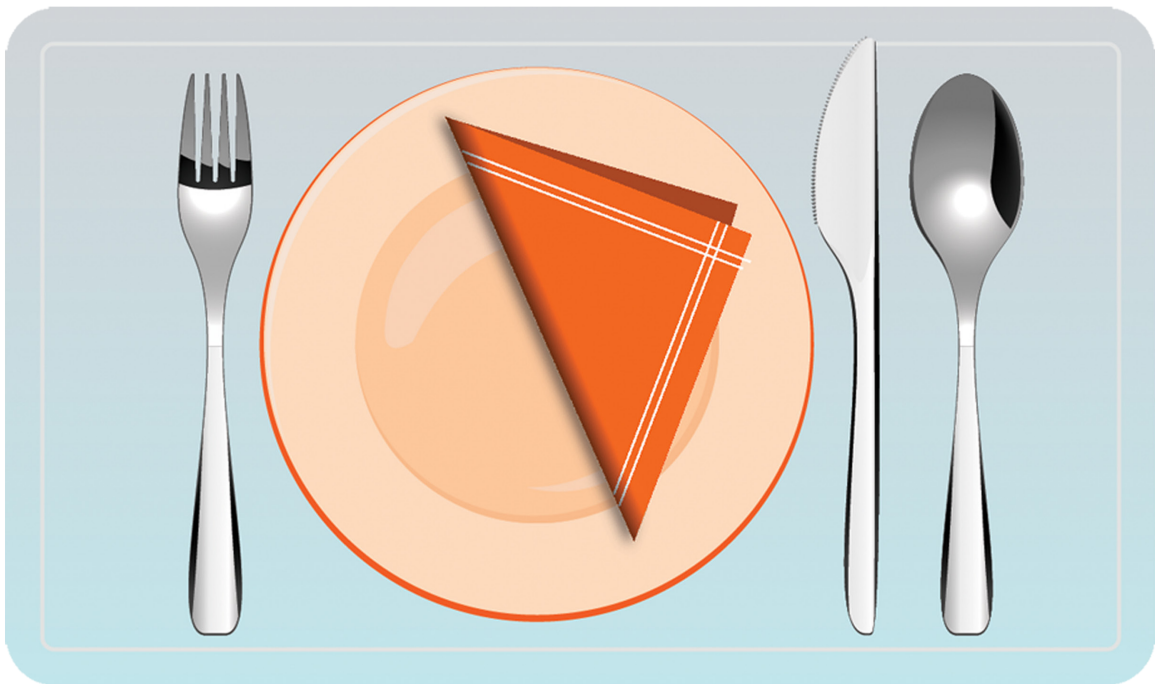


So Chesky and Chaya spread out a tablecloth. They prepared a setting for each family member and guest.



“Is it Purim yet?”
Chesky asked.

“No, Chesky,” Chaya said.
“First we have to dress up.”



So Chesky and Chaya ran to get dressed. They put on colorful clown costumes, curly wigs, and oversized red noses! Then they happily ran to look at themselves in the mirror.



“Is it Purim yet?”
Chesky asked.

“Yes,” Chaya said.

“Now it is Purim!

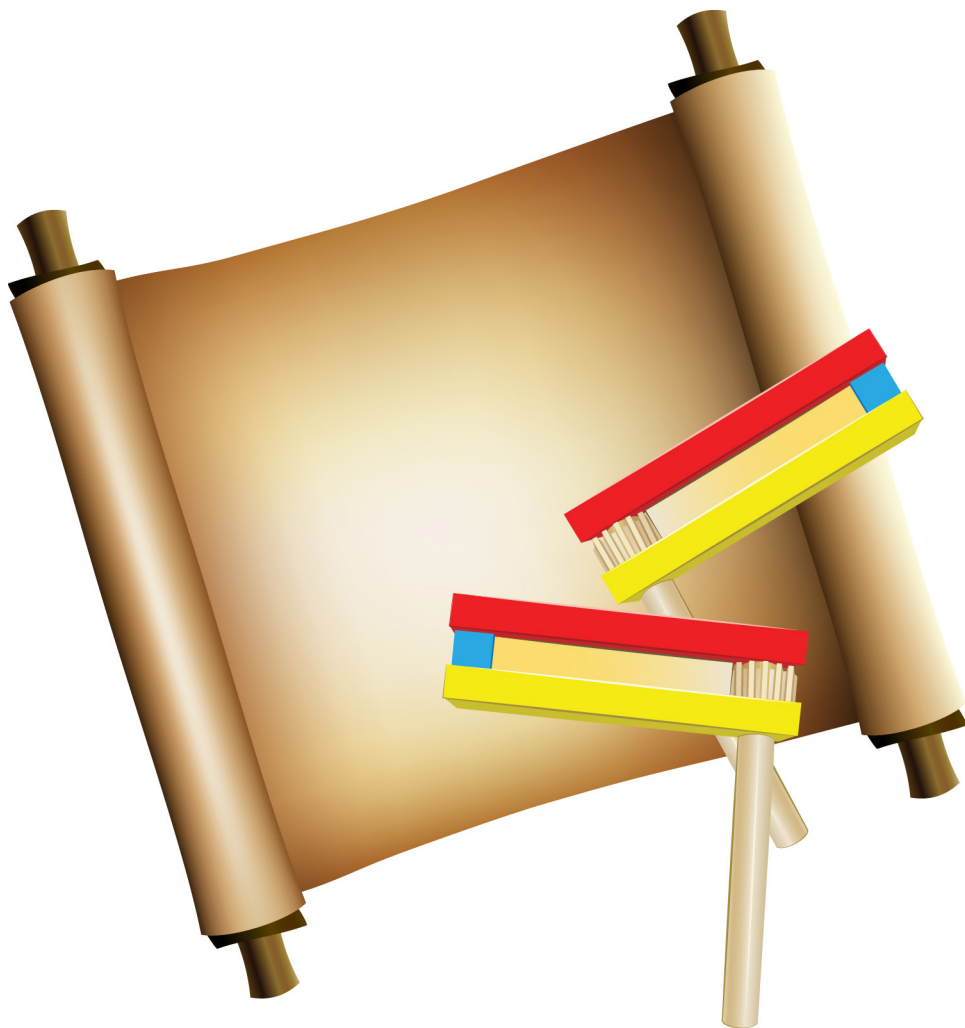
Now we can go hear the Megillah
being read in shul.”

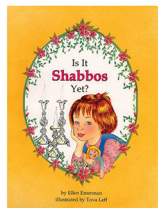


So Chesky and Chaya went to shul.
They listened to every word of the
Megillah and made noisy sounds with
their graggers each time they heard
Haman's name.



“A Freilichen Purim!”
they said together.





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