

Parshat Kedoshim B

Leviticus 19:19-32

First Aliyah

¹⁹ You shall observe My laws. You shall not let your cattle mate with a different kind; you shall not sow your field with two kinds of seed; you shall not put on cloth from a mixture of two kinds of material. ²⁰ If a man has carnal relations with a woman who is a slave and has been designated for another man, but has not been redeemed or given her freedom, there shall be an indemnity; they shall not, however, be put to death, since she has not been freed. ²¹ But he must bring to the entrance of the Tent of Meeting, as his guilt offering to the Eternal, a ram of guilt offering. ²² With the ram of guilt offering the priest shall make expiation for him before the Eternal for the sin that he committed; and the sin that he committed will be forgiven him.

Second Aliyah

²³ When you enter the land and plant any tree for food, you shall regard its fruit as forbidden. Three years it shall be forbidden for you, not to be eaten. ²⁴ In the fourth year all its fruit shall be set aside for jubilation before the Eternal; ²⁵ and only in the fifth year may you use its fruit—that its yield to you may be increased: I the Eternal am your God. ²⁶ You shall not eat anything with its blood. You shall not practice divination or soothsaying.

Third Aliyah

²⁷ You shall not round off the side-growth on your head, or destroy the side-growth of your beard. ²⁸ You shall not make gashes in your flesh for the dead, or incise any marks on yourselves: I am the Eternal. ²⁹ Do not degrade your daughter and make her a harlot, lest the land fall into harlotry and the land be filled with depravity.

Fourth Aliyah

³⁰ You shall keep My sabbaths and venerate My sanctuary: I am the Eternal. ³¹ Do not turn to ghosts and do not inquire of familiar spirits, to be defiled by them: I the Eternal am your God. ³² You shall rise before the aged and show deference to the old; you shall fear your God: I am the Eternal.