

# MANNERS AND CUSTOMS

## *Study Pak 1B*

### **Dwellings**

1. Caves have been used as \_\_\_\_\_ in all ages almost anywhere they are found.
2. In Bible times they were usually \_\_\_\_\_ dwellings or places of refuge.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ and his daughters fled to a cave and lived there.
4. The \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ lived in caves, both natural and manmade.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ lived in caves while hiding from Saul.
6. Shepherds used caves as \_\_\_\_\_ when keeping their flocks out at night.
7. Tents were used much more \_\_\_\_\_ than caves because they were more readily available, more comfortable, and portable.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ began the use of tents.
9. Noah's sons, \_\_\_\_\_, Isaac, and Jacob lived in tents.
10. Israel used tents in the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ years later many were still living in tents.
11. Tents were made of cloth made of black \_\_\_\_\_ (called sackcloth) which was not \_\_\_\_\_ until the first rain when it shrunk and became watertight.
12. This material was woven on a loom that could produce cloth \_\_\_\_\_ feet wide.
13. A tent could easily be \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ feet long.
14. \_\_\_\_\_ were driven into the ground and \_\_\_\_\_ were strung across them to tent pegs.
15. The long piece of material was \_\_\_\_\_ across the poles and ropes and \_\_\_\_\_ to the ground at the ends.
16. Other pieces of material were hung on the poles to make \_\_\_\_\_ and interior \_\_\_\_\_.
17. In hot weather the sides were \_\_\_\_\_ to allow air to circulate.
18. The tent was divided into \_\_\_\_\_ sections on the inside.

19. One area was for \_\_\_\_\_ and one was for men and guests.
20. The men's section was often left open on one side and served as a \_\_\_\_\_ or entrance.
21. Other sections could be \_\_\_\_\_ as a family grew or a large family might use more than one tent.
22. The ground was often covered with a \_\_\_\_\_, and pillows or cushions were used.
23. Food, clothing, utensils, etc. were \_\_\_\_\_ on the floor around the tent poles to make the floor space as open as possible.
24. Cooking was done over a fire pit \_\_\_\_\_ the tent in cool weather and outside in hot weather.
25. Camel saddles were used as \_\_\_\_\_.
26. Tent life was used as a \_\_\_\_\_ in the Bible: Abraham was a sojourner; Christ 'tented' among us; Our body is called a tent.
27. The Hebrew word for house is bavith and means \_\_\_\_\_.
28. Houses were built of sun-dried \_\_\_\_\_, natural stones or cut stones.
29. The brick and natural stone houses were \_\_\_\_\_ with mud and were easily broken into.
30. Cut stone houses were not built until around \_\_\_\_\_ time since \_\_\_\_\_ tools were required to shape the stones.
31. Many houses had only \_\_\_\_\_ room and were about \_\_\_\_\_ feet square with a door of sycamore wood.
32. Windows were \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_, screened by a latticework, and shuttered at night.
33. The floor was usually of hard-packed \_\_\_\_\_ that may have been mixed with \_\_\_\_\_ to harden it.
34. A \_\_\_\_\_ roof was made by laying beams across the walls, laying branches or reeds across the beams, and then \_\_\_\_\_ them with dirt, clay, and fine gravel, which they packed down.
35. Roofs often \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ often grew on them.
36. Roofs were used for \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and a \_\_\_\_\_ place weather permitting.

37. The roof had to have a wall or railing around it according to the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ and was reached by an \_\_\_\_\_ stairway.
38. \_\_\_\_\_ roofs were sometimes used in New Testament times especially on galleries or colonnades. (See Luke 5:19)
39. Wealthier people often had houses of more than one room in which \_\_\_\_\_ was built like the one-room house already described.
40. The rooms were arranged around a \_\_\_\_\_ and connected by walls.
41. The rooms might have a \_\_\_\_\_ or porch facing the courtyard.
42. A \_\_\_\_\_ to collect rainwater was often dug in the courtyard and \_\_\_\_\_ to make it watertight.
43. Wealthier people's homes were usually built of \_\_\_\_\_ bricks or \_\_\_\_\_ stone and had floors made of stone \_\_\_\_\_ embedded in mortar or \_\_\_\_\_ tiles.
44. The doorway was often a large \_\_\_\_\_ for animals or large loads with a small \_\_\_\_\_ in it for people to use.
45. The lock was on the \_\_\_\_\_ of the door and was reached through a \_\_\_\_\_ in the door and unlocked with a large wooden \_\_\_\_\_.
46. The passageway between the rooms to the courtyard was called the \_\_\_\_\_.
47. Second floor rooms were reached by means of an \_\_\_\_\_ stairway.
48. In one room houses the entire family \_\_\_\_\_ together.
49. Many houses had a sleeping \_\_\_\_\_, which was a raised area along the \_\_\_\_\_ on which cushions or mats were placed.

Study and take test 1.