

39 Hebrew Alphabet Studies:

"resh" means: 'head'

(*Strong's Exhaustive Concordance # 7217)

ר is the number 200 "R" (in English)

"to heal" (rapha) in Hebrew is spelled ר פ ה

"to die" (rafa) in Hebrew is spelled ר פ א

"to see" (ra-ah) in Hebrew is spelled ר א ה

"to ruin" (ra-ah) in Hebrew is spelled ר ע ע

"teacher" (reb or rav) in Hebrew is spelled ר ב

Word pictures: Since each letter of the Hebrew alphabet means something, often you can see a deeper truth by analyzing the letters. For instance, 'reb' ('rabbi' now) is a word picture for

'head' (ר) & 'house' (ב). Hence, 'reb' is the head of the house.

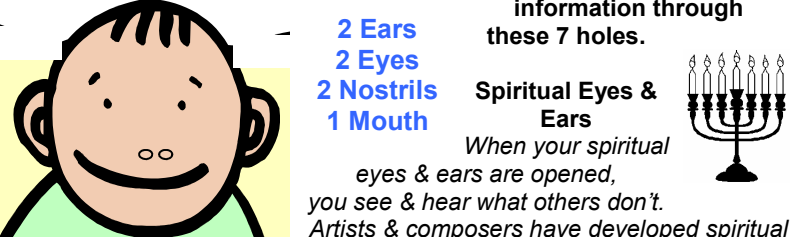
That's because **YOU** are made in the **IMAGE** of **GOD**.
 He, too, has 7 transmitter-receivers:
 the 7 Spirits of God (represented by the Menorah) Rev. 4:5

Your HEAD has 7 HOLES in it:

- 2 Ears
- 2 Eyes
- 2 Nostrils
- 1 Mouth

You receive & dispense information through these 7 holes.

Spiritual Eyes & Ears
 When your spiritual eyes & ears are opened, you see & hear what others don't. Artists & composers have developed spiritual eyes & ears. The difficulty, then, is to reproduce the art or music so others can enjoy it, too.



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New Moon & New Year Celebrations

Rosh Chodesh ('Head of the Month') (New Month)

In ancient Israel, observers would watch the sky at night for any sign of the moon in order to determine when each new month began. If they saw the moon, they would report their sightings to the Sanhedrin (Jewish leaders) who would ask them: 'Where in the sky did the moon appear?' 'Which direction was it pointing?' If two independent, reliable eyewitnesses confirmed that the new moon had appeared and described it consistently, the Sanhedrin would declare the new month and send out messengers to tell people when the month began. **The day after the moon appeared** was a festival, announced with the sounding of the shofar, commemorated with family festivities & offerings of food. In later days, however, the calendar was fixed by mathematical computation. The significance of this festival has substantially diminished. It remains a custom in some communities for women to refrain from work on Rosh Chodesh as a reward for their refusal to participate in the incident of the Golden Calf. It is taught that **God Himself blesses the first of Tishri, the anniversary of Creation, and gave the privilege of blessing the rest of the months to the Jews.**

Rosh Hashanah ('Head Shofar* or Trumpet') (Jewish New Year)

The name "Rosh Hashanah" is not used in the Bible—it is called 'Yom Ha-Zikaron' (the day of remembrance) or 'Yom Teruah' (the day of the sounding of the shofar). The holiday is instituted in Leviticus 23:24-25.

*The shofar is a ram's horn which is blown somewhat like a trumpet. A total of 100 notes are sounded each day of the feast. There are **four** different types of shofar notes: **tekiah**, a 3 second sustained note; **shevarim**, three 1-second notes rising in tone, **teruah**, a series of short, staccato notes extending over a period of about 3 seconds; and **tekiah gedolah** (literally, "big tekiah"), the final blast in a set, which lasts a minimum of 10 seconds. The shofar's sound is a **call to repentance**. No work is permitted on Rosh Hashanah. Here are upcoming Rosh Hashanah dates:

Days of REPENTANCE:

- 2009: Jewish Year 5770: sunset September 18, 2009 - nightfall September 20, 2009
- 2010: Jewish Year 5771: sunset September 8, 2010 - nightfall September 10, 2010
- 2011: Jewish Year 5772: sunset September 28, 2011 - nightfall September 30, 2011

“If the **Arabs** put down their weapons today, there would be **no more violence**. If the **Jews** put down their weapons today, there would be **no more Israel**.” -Benjamin Netanyahu



The Global ISLAMIC population is approximately 1,200,000,000 – **20%** of the world's population. **MUSLIMS** have received a **TOTAL of 7 NOBEL PRIZES: 1 in Literature, 4 for Peace, 2 in Medicine**



350 million Arab Muslims surround **5½ million Israelis**
There is absolutely **NO** land shortage in the Middle East,
but **NO** Arab country will allow Palestinians to re-settle in their country.

Fruits of the Koran in the 21st Century

SLAVERY: Enslavement of African negroes has historically been initiated by Muslim slave-traders who consider women & infidels as property. They continue to capture & trade slaves **today** in Sudan & the predominately Muslim countries above.

WAR: Jihad wars against civilians (including women & children) are raging in nearly ALL the predominantly Muslim countries. www.masada2000.org/islam.html The President of Iran believes that his duty as a Muslim is to begin a nuclear war with Israel & the U.S. to create a global chaos that will usher in the Mahdi (the Islamic savior).
weblink: www.freerepublic.com/focus/chat/2042505/posts?page=51
book: "Showdown with Nuclear Iran" by Michael Evans with Jerome Corsi

GENOCIDE: Hitler & the Grand Mufti Haj Amin al-Husseini of Islam met in Nov. 1941 with a common goal—to kill all the Jews in the world. That continues to be the goal of radical Islam & is avidly taught **today** in Muslims schools worldwide (even in the U.S.) weblink: www.tellthechildrenthetruth.com/gallery/

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“And the Lord shall make thee the **HEAD** and not the **TAIL...**” Dt. 28:13



The Global JEWISH population is approximately 14,000,000 – **.02%** of the world's population. **JEW**S have received a **TOTAL of 128 NOBEL PRIZES: 10 in Literature, 8 for Peace, 13 in Economics, 44 in Medicine, 53 in Physics**

“Asher...let dip his foot in OIL” Dt. 33:24

Israel has beneath its surface an enormous oil reserve mapped out in the Old Testament that, when found, will immediately change the geo-political structure of the Middle East. Zion Oil is poised to find oil in Israel. “Joseph (Ephraim & Manasseh) is a fruitful bough by a well ... blessings of heaven above, blessings of the **deep** that couches **beneath** shall be on the head of Joseph, and **on the crown of the head**.” – Gen.49: 22-26 (Joseph's sons: Manasseh forms a crown on top of the profile of a man's face outlined by Ephraim.)
“And of **Zebulun**...for they shall **suck** the abundance of the seas & the **treasures hid in the sand**.” Dt. 33:18-19 (this isn't the best map, but you get the idea.)

‘**CLOSET JEWS**’: **CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS**, the Italian who is credited with discovering America, was Jewish. His logbook reveals that his purpose in life was to find enough gold to rebuild the Temple in Jerusalem (*hardly a Gentile aspiration in that era!*).
The day Admiral Columbus set sail to discover a 'new world' was **August 2, 1492**—the same day that **ALL Jews were expelled from Spain**—the dreaded 9th of Av
www.brithadasha.org/9thofAv.htm

WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE, the Englishman who helped translate Psalms from Hebrew for the **King James Bible** was also a Jew. Few suspected, especially after he wrote 'Merchant of Venice' (*about an unmerciful Jew named Shylock*), but at Shakespeare's 46th birthday/retirement party, Hebrew scholars surprised him with his name in Psalm 46—count 46 letters from the beginning & from the ending for 'shake' & 'spear.'

NOTE: not all Jews have been a blessing to mankind—some have been a curse. The gifts of God (i.e., leadership ability), are irrevocable (Romans 11:29). Some of the most evil men of all time (Joseph Stalin & Karl Marx) were Jews who had turned away from God's Holy Word & become atheists.

