

Bible Story 31

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5. "Then Joseph gave a command to fill their sacks with (**MUD, GRAIN**), to restore every man's money to his sack, and to give them provisions for the journey." **GENESIS 42:25**
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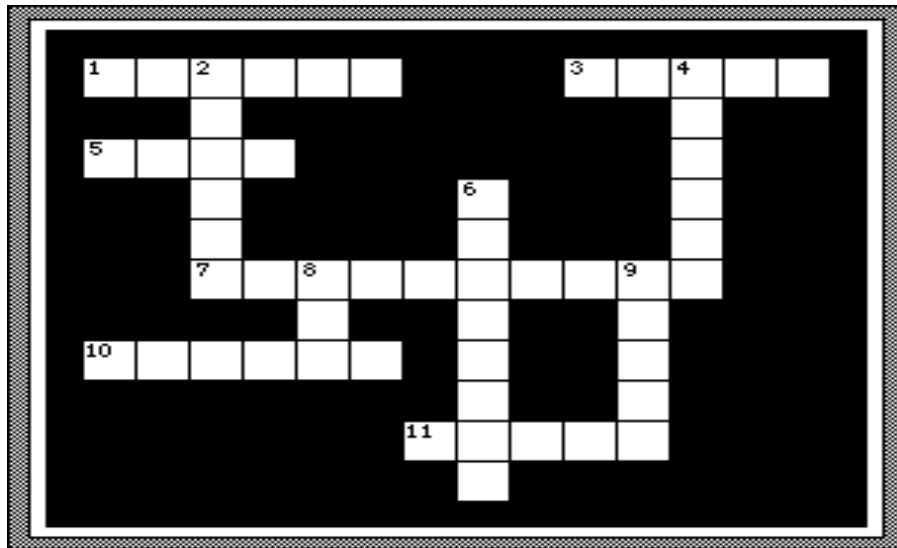
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