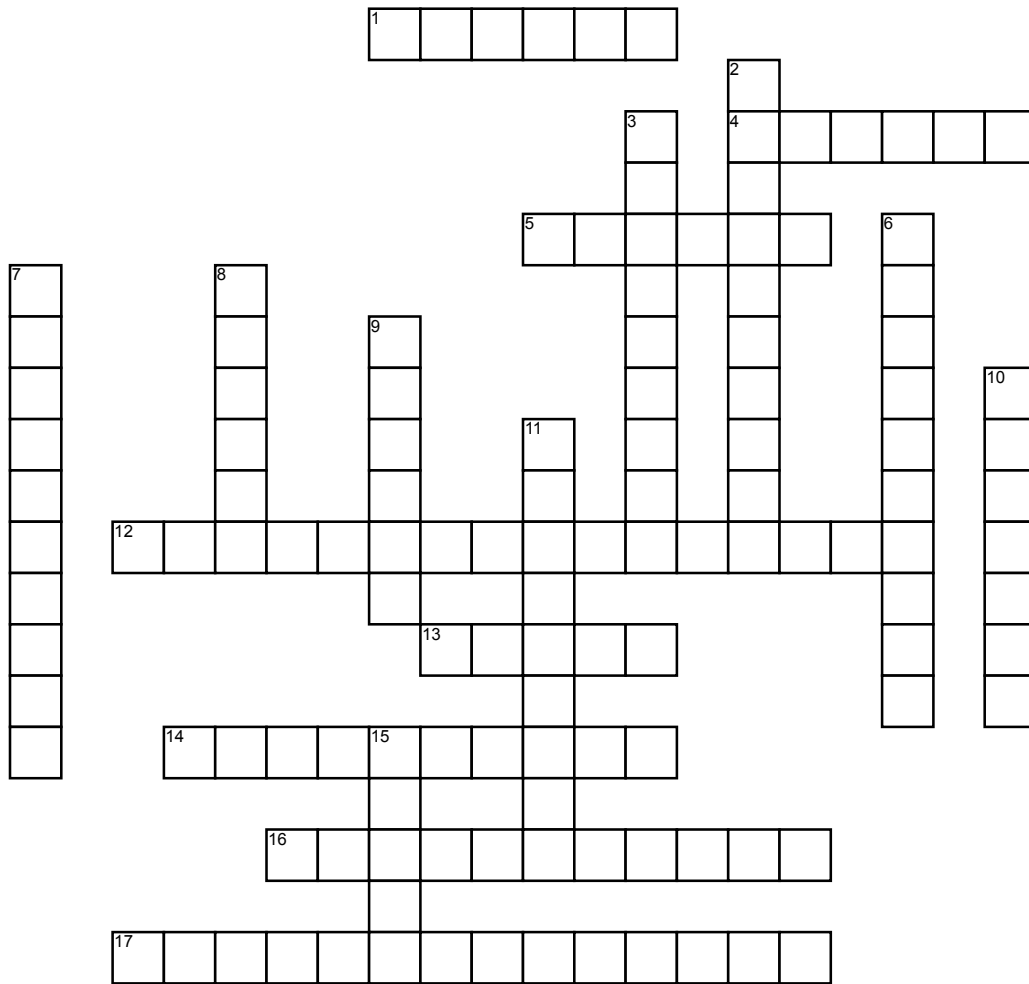


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Israelites



Across

1. A land northeast of Egypt, settled by the ancient Israelites, from about 1800 b.c.e to 70 b.c.e

4. a set of moral principles or values

5. The Israelites' Kingdom; divided about 930 b.c.e into two kingdoms called Judah and Israel

12. A body of water north of Africa

13. to banish or expel from one's own country or home

14. the belief that there are many gods

16. A river in southwestern Asia that flows from the Lebanon Mountains, south through the Sea of Galilee into the Dead Sea

17. the scattering of the Jewish people outside their homeland, beginning in 586 B.C.E.

Down

2. The plants of a place or region

3. an early name for the Jewish people

6. The shape and elevation of surface features.

7. the belief that there is only one God

8. the collection of ancient Jewish writings, or commentaries, that interpret the laws and teachings of the Hebrew Bible, or Tanakh

9. an ancient city in Israel that became a center for Jewish learning

10. the first religion to worship one God, developed among the ancient Israelites

11. an inherited or customary pattern of thought, action, or behavior

15. Judaism's most sacred text, consisting of the first five books of the Hebrew Bible

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