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Sunday Morning Learning Programs for Men & Women

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Keeping Shemittah in our Homes

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מרכז הלכה והוראה

Purchasing Fruit and Vegetables during Shemita

Heter Mechira with vegetables if a non-Jew plants

→ Permissible when other options are not available

Heter Mechira with fruit

→ There is no kedusha, but some are stringent

→ Permitted even for those who do not rely on the Heter

Southern Arava + Heter Mechira

→ There is no kedusha

→ An acceptable solution

Hothouses and detached bedding

→ There is no kedusha

→ A mehudar solution

6th year vegetables

→ There is no kedusha

→ A mehudar solution

Otzar Bet Din

→ The produce has Kedushat Shevi'it

→ A mehudar solution

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Kitchen Management during Shemita

Opportunity

It is a special opportunity and perhaps even a mitzvah merit.
it is certainly worth the investment.

Method of eating

We try not to leave leftovers; G-d is the owner of everything.

Leftovers

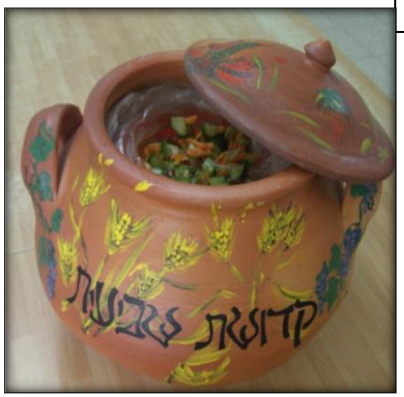
We allocate a special container for kedushat Shevi'it; switching the bag daily.
We dispose the old food after a few days.
Hidur

We place it in a bag, tie it, and place in the designated container (or after the bag is full). It is advisable to designate a special container. This is permitted without any reservations.

Uses

Can be used in the normal way: squeezing cooking, mashing: any method used during the year.

An Attractive Container for Kedushat Shevi'it



Once the previous leftovers are spoiled, newspaper may be placed on top, followed by the new leftovers.

Leftovers that are not fit for human consumption can be placed in a regular garbage

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