

How to Observe Shavuot (Pentecost) Scripturally

- ✓ It is a High *Shabbat*, so try to avoid your ordinary work (job, etc.) today if at all possible.
- ✓ Spend some time with family (or by yourself) studying the relevant passages and discussing them (**Leviticus 23:15-21** and **Deuteronomy 16:9-11**).
- ✓ If so led, compare the Pentecost account in Acts 2 and discuss how they relate in terms of empowerment.
- ✓ Read aloud the **Ten Words** (commandments) – **Exodus 20:1-17** – and just recall that these were spoken to us and given to us at Mt. Sinai thousands of years ago.
- ✓ Rejoice! Be festive! Have a party with friends or family. Even if alone, do something special to celebrate this *'Hag* (festival). It is the time when we are empowered to achieve victory in terms of following Yahushua!
- ✓ If possible, bake (or buy) two loaves of yeasted bread to enjoy – although this is not required. *'Challah* bread is awesome for this sort of thing, if you can make it or find it. Recall what this symbolizes: Yahushua as the bread of life and His two natures, divine and human.
- ✓ REJOICE!

Shalom!
'Hag Sameach Shavuot!

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