

RaYBaSH's Torah Thoughts for Kids
Parashah #38: Korach
B'midbar (Numbers) 16:1-18:32
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Have you ever wanted to know why your parents say and do and make the decisions they do?

Many times they don't seem to understand you and their decisions don't seem fair.

But as a young person the ways of a grown up doesn't always seem to make sense when you see another way that seems totally logical to you.

But I can guarantee you that more than likely what you see as making sense, your parents have already thought of it before and has seen a flaw you didn't.

It's like a mountain climber taking tourists on a hike. The mountain climber seems to take you on the roughest trail when the tourists sees a clear cut path and wonders why the guide didn't take that trail.

But the tourist has to trust the guide that he is taking the safest and easiest route possible. You see, the mountain climber has explored that trail that looks so easy to the tourists and he found a rocky sheer cliff beyond the first peak that no one could cross.

As a young person we can respectfully give our ideas and opinions, yet trust the experience and decisions of our elders.

Shabbat Shalom and Shavuah Tov! -- Rabbi Yehudah