



כא וַיְדַבֵּר יְהוָה אֶל־מֹשֶׁה לֵאמֹר: כב נֹשְׂא אֶת־רֹאשׁ בְּנֵי
גִּרְשׁוֹן גַּם־הֵם לְבֵית אֲבֹתָם לְמִשְׁפַּחְתָּם: כג מִבֶּן שְׁלֹשִׁים
שָׁנָה וּמַעֲלָה עַד בֶּן־חֲמִשִּׁים שָׁנָה תִּפְקֹד אוֹתָם כָּל־הַבָּא
לְצַבָּא צָבָא לַעֲבֹד עֲבָדָה בְּאֹהֶל מוֹעֵד: כד זֹאת עֲבֹדַת
מִשְׁפַּחַת הַגֵּרְשֹׁנִי לַעֲבֹד וּלְמִשְׁאָא: כה וּנְשָׂאוֹ אֶת־יְרִיעַת
הַמִּשְׁכָּן וְאֶת־אֹהֶל מוֹעֵד מְכֹסֶהוּ וּמְכֹסֶה הַתְּחֹשׁ
אֲשֶׁר־עָלָיו מִלְּמַעְלָה וְאֶת־מִסְךְ פֶּתַח אֹהֶל מוֹעֵד: כו וְאֶת
קְלָעֵי הַחֲצֵר וְאֶת־מִסְךְ | פֶּתַח | שַׁעַר הַחֲצֵר אֲשֶׁר
עַל־הַמִּשְׁכָּן וְעַל־הַמִּזְבֵּחַ סָבִיב וְאֶת מִיתְרֵיהֶם
וְאֶת־כָּל־כְּלֵי עֲבֹדַתָּם וְאֶת כָּל־אֲשֶׁר יַעֲשֶׂה לָהֶם וְעֲבָדוֹ:
כז עַל־פִּי אֶהְרֹן וּבְנָיו תִּהְיֶה כָּל־עֲבֹדַת בְּנֵי הַגֵּרְשֹׁנִי
לְכָל־מִשְׁאָם וְלִכְל עֲבֹדַתָּם וּפְקֻדָּתָם עֲלֵיהֶם בְּמִשְׁמֶרֶת אֶת
כָּל־מִשְׁאָם: כח זֹאת עֲבֹדַת מִשְׁפַּחַת בְּנֵי הַגֵּרְשֹׁנִי בְּאֹהֶל
מוֹעֵד וּמִשְׁמֶרֶתָם בְּיַד אֵיתָמָר בֶּן־אֶהֱרֹן הַכֹּהֵן:
כט בְּנֵי מְרָרִי לְמִשְׁפַּחְתָּם לְבֵית־אֲבֹתָם תִּפְקֹד אֹתָם: ל מִבֶּן
שְׁלֹשִׁים שָׁנָה וּמַעֲלָה וְעַד בֶּן־חֲמִשִּׁים שָׁנָה תִּפְקֹדֵם
כָּל־הַבָּא לְצַבָּא לַעֲבֹד אֶת־עֲבֹדַת אֹהֶל מוֹעֵד: לא וְזֹאת

מִשְׁמֶרֶת מִשָּׂאֵם לְכָל־עֲבֹדָתָם בְּאֶהֱל מוֹעֵד קְרָשִׁי
הַמִּשְׁכָּן וּבְרִיחֵיו וְעִמּוּדָיו וְאֲדָנָיו: לִב וְעִמּוּדֵי הַחֲצֵר
סָבִיב וְאֲדָנֵיהֶם וַיִּתְּדוּם וּמִיִּתְרֵיהֶם לְכָל־כְּלֵיהֶם וְלִכְל
עֲבֹדָתָם וּבִשְׂמַת תִּפְקְדוּ אֶת־כְּלֵי מִשְׁמֶרֶת מִשָּׂאֵם:
לִג זֹאת עֲבֹדַת מִשְׁפַּחַת בְּנֵי מְרָרִי לְכָל־עֲבֹדָתָם בְּאֶהֱל
מוֹעֵד בְּיַד אֵיתָמָר בִּן־אֶהֱרֹן הַכֹּהֵן: לִד וַיִּפְקֹד מֹשֶׁה
וְאֶהֱרֹן וְנִשְׂיָאֵי הָעֵדָה אֶת־בְּנֵי הַקְּהָתִי לְמִשְׁפַּחַתָּם וּלְבֵית
אַבְתָּם: לִה מִבֶּן שְׁלֹשִׁים שָׁנָה וְמַעְלָה וְעַד בֶּן־חֲמִשִּׁים
שָׁנָה כָּל־הַבָּא לַצָּבָא לְעֲבֹדָה בְּאֶהֱל מוֹעֵד: לו וַיְהִיו
פְּקֻדֵיהֶם לְמִשְׁפַּחַתָּם אֲלָפִים שֶׁבַע מֵאוֹת וַחֲמִשִּׁים:
לז אֵלֶּה פְּקוּדֵי מִשְׁפַּחַת הַקְּהָתִי כָּל־הָעֹבְדֵי בְּאֶהֱל מוֹעֵד
אֲשֶׁר פָּקֵד מֹשֶׁה וְאֶהֱרֹן עַל־פִּי יְהוָה בְּיַד־מֹשֶׁה:

Chapter 4

21. And Hashem spoke to Moses, saying, 22. Take also a census of the sons of Gershon, throughout the houses of their fathers, by their families; 23. From thirty years old and upward until fifty years old shall you count them; all who enter in to perform the service, to do the work in the Tent of Meeting. 24. This is the service of the families of the Gershonites, to serve, and to carry; 25. And they shall carry the curtains of the tabernacle, and the Tent of Meeting, its covering, and the covering of the goats' skins that is above upon it, and the screen for the door of the Tent of Meeting, 26. And the hangings of the court, and the screen for the door of the gate of the court, which is by the tabernacle and around the altar, and their cords, and all the instruments of their service, and all that is made for them; so shall they serve. 27. By the order of Aaron and his sons shall be all the service of the sons of the Gershonites, in all their burdens, and in all their service; and you shall appoint them in charge of all their burdens. 28. This is the service of the families of the sons of Gershon in the Tent of Meeting; and their charge shall be under the hand of Ithamar the son of Aaron the priest. 29. As for the sons of Merari, you shall count them according to their families, by the house of their fathers; 30. From thirty years old and upward even to fifty years old shall you count them, every one who enters into the service, to do the work of the Tent of Meeting. 31. And this is the charge of their burden, according to all their service in the Tent of Meeting; the boards of the tabernacle,

and its bars, and its pillars, and its sockets, 32. And the pillars of the court around, and their sockets, and their pins, and their cords, with all their instruments, and with all their service; and by name you shall reckon the instruments of the charge of their burden. 33. This is the service of the families of the sons of Merari, according to all their service, in the Tent of Meeting, under the hand of Ithamar the son of Aaron the priest. 34. And Moses and Aaron and the chief of the congregation counted the sons of the Kohathites according to their families, and after the house of their fathers, 35. From thirty years old and upward even to fifty years old, every one that enters into the service, for the work in the Tent of Meeting; 36. And those who were counted of them by their families were two thousand seven hundred and fifty. 37. These were those who were counted of the families of the Kohathites, all who might do service in the Tent of Meeting, which Moses and Aaron counted according to the commandment of Hashem by the hand of Moses.