

Ben the Bread Baker



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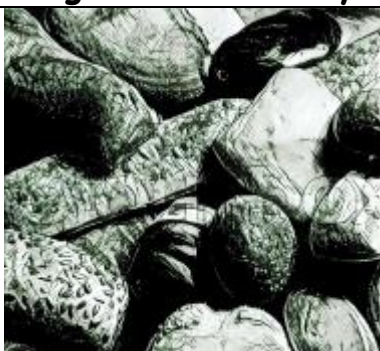
He found a job at a bread bakery in Jerusalem. The Jerusalem winter weather was cold, because Jerusalem is high in the mountains.



He could see his breath in the cold weather, but he loved all the great things about the city.



He worked from early morning till late evening with almost no break except for the weekend. He knew how to bake bread and that's what he loved to do.



He baked all kinds of bread and became a real expert - brown bread, light bread, beer bread, peanut bread, cinnamon bread -even rich chocolate bread!!



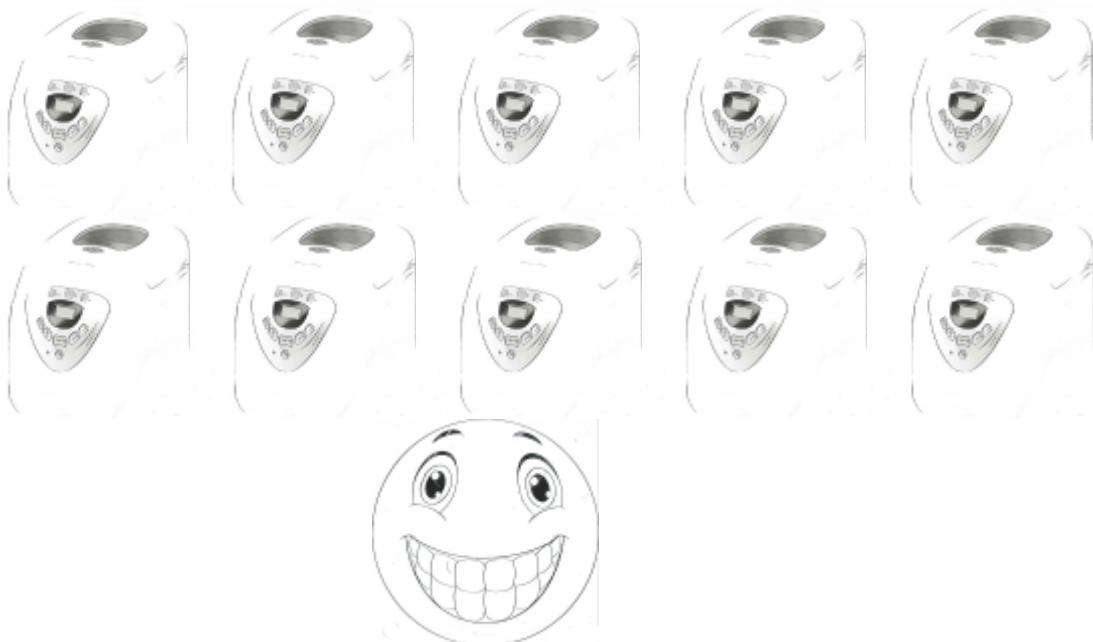
One snowy winter day, he slipped and broke his arm. His doctor said, "You're lucky you didn't break your back. You should watch your health. What would we do without you?"



He told him not to use his arm to mix bread until his arm healed, and gave him the gift of a breadmaker















It was so easy to bake with the breadmaker! He just put in flour, salt, yeast and sugar, pressed a button and it almost read his mind!



The breadmaker was a real treasure. He bought another breadmaker and another and another until he had ten! Life was great again for Ben!!

Word List

1		Ben	
2		weather	
3		health	
4		bread	
5		treasure	
6		bakery	
7		earth	
8		read	
9		beard	
10		breadmaker	
11		mountains	
12		heart	

Answer key to Crossword Puzzle:

Have learners compare and correct themselves

The crossword puzzle grid is filled with the following words, each linked to a corresponding image:

- Across:**
 - 1: J E R U S A L E M (Image: Jerusalem cityscape)
 - 4: D O C T O R (Image: Doctor in white coat)
 - 6: R E A D (Image: Open book)
 - 8: H E A L T H (Image: Human anatomy diagram)
 - 10: M O U N T A I N S (Image: Mountain range)
 - 12: B A K E R Y (Image: Bakery with bread)
 - 14: H E A R T (Image: Heart symbol)
- Down:**
 - 2: B R E A D (Image: Loaf of bread)
 - 3: W E A T H E R (Image: Weather icons: sun, clouds, rain, umbrella)
 - 5: R E A D (Image: Open book)
 - 7: A R T (Image: Art supplies)
 - 9: M O U N T A I N S (Image: Mountain range)
 - 11: B A K E R Y (Image: Bakery with bread)
 - 13: H E A R T (Image: Heart symbol)

Game 2: Word Search Puzzle:

Circle the words that are missing in each sentence below
either horizontally, vertically or diagonally.

Y	H	B	L	T	H	Q	B	D	U
B	R	R	J	T	T	H	G	H	T
X	E	E	L	O	A	E	A	W	T
S	G	A	K	R	E	U	H	T	N
F	E	K	R	A	R	S	F	R	D
H	Y	T	R	D	B	R	E	A	D
R	N	L	A	U	O	U	E	E	H
X	Y	Z	O	E	Y	R	K	H	P
H	T	R	A	E	R	U	N	E	S
D	N	H	I	N	V	G	H	X	M

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2. Ben the _____ baker has a kind heart and once had a long beard.
3. Ben the bread baker has a kind heart and once had a long _____
4. He worked from early morning till late evening with almost no _____
5. He could see his _____ in the cold weather....
6. He worked from _____ morning till late evening.....
7. ...What would we do without you? You're the greatest baker on _____!
8. Life was _____ again for Ben.
9. "You should watch your _____"
10. Ben the bread baker has a kind _____ and once had a long beard.
11. ...pressed a button and it almost _____ his mind.

Game 3: Tic-Tac-Toe

Cut out the board and cut out the cards on the next page.

A two-player game - Each player gets the cards of one color.

Each player must decide which square they want to claim, find the card with the sentence that matches the picture on the square, and read the sentence aloud when he/she places the card on the picture.

The first student to fill in an entire row, either diagonally, vertically or horizontally, wins.



Cards for Tic-Tac-Toe

Ben found a job at a bread bakery in Jerusalem.

Because of the bakers, life was great again for Ben and he was happy.

It was so easy to bake with the baker.

Ben could see his breath in the cold Jerusalem weather.

There were different kinds of bread that Ben baked.

Ben's doctor gave him the gift of a baker.

Ben's doctor told him he should watch his health.

He worked from early morning till late evening at the bakery.

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