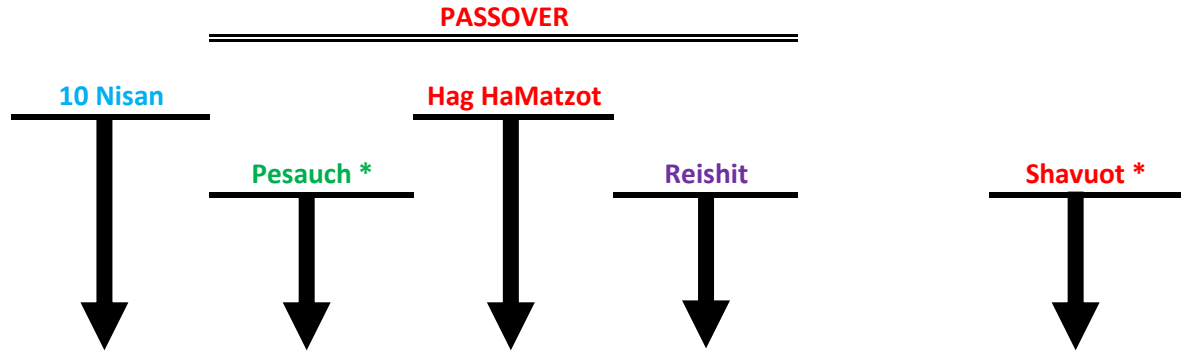
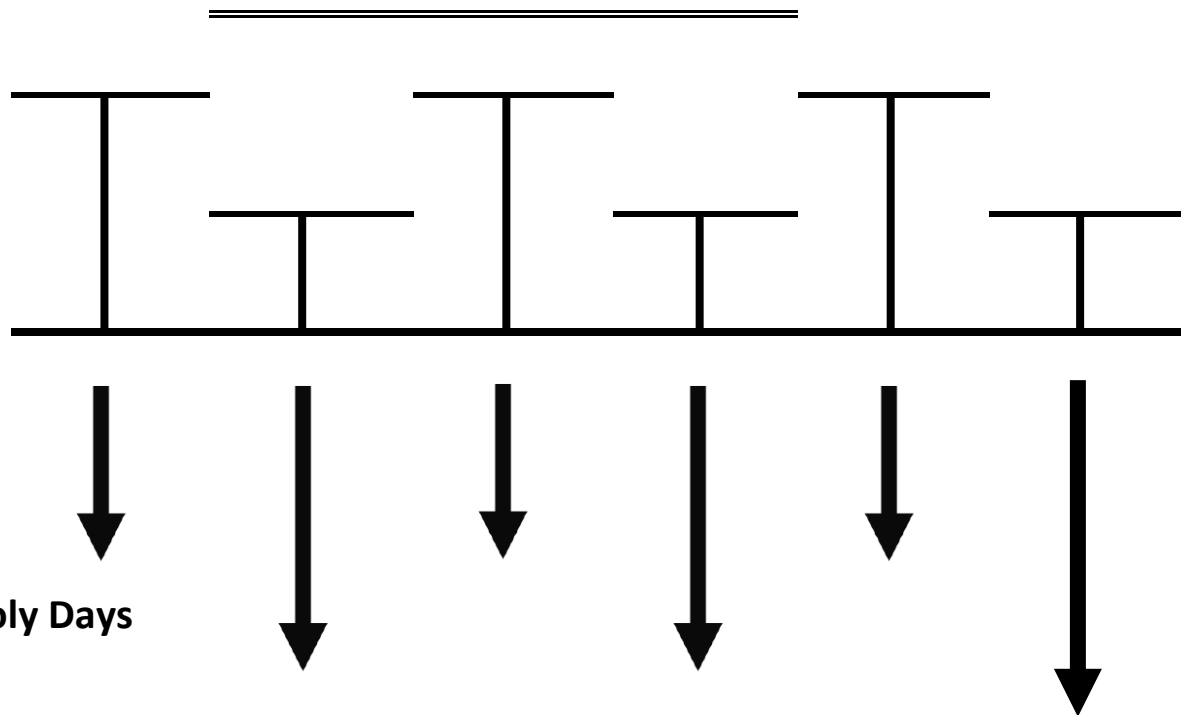


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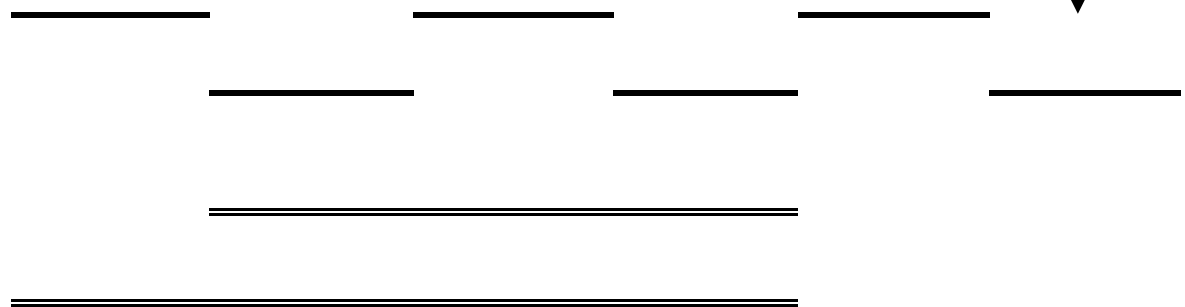
Jewish Feast Days



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**"Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets;
I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them."**

Mt 5:17

Passover, Jesus' Passion and Today

Jewish Feast Days

	Date	Feast Day	On this day ...
	10 Nisan	10 Nisan	A Jewish family would select a sacrificial lamb for their Passover meal. They would inspect it until 14 Nisan. <i>Ex 12:1-4, Lev 23:4-5</i>
Passover	14 Nisan	Pesauch	They would slaughter the sacrificial lamb and eat a meal with unleavened bread & herbs to commemorate the Israelites' deliverance from slavery in Egypt. <i>Feast of Passover - Ex 12:5-14</i>
	15 Nisan	Hag HaMatzot *	They celebrate the unleavened bread, which, made in a hurry without yeast, represents how the Lord brought the Israelites out of Egypt in haste. <i>Feast of Unleavened Bread - Ex 12:15-20, Lev 23:6-8</i>
	17 Nisan	Reishit	They offer the first ripe sheaf (firstfruits) of barley to the Lord as an act of dedicating the harvest to him. <i>Feast of First Fruits - Lev 23:9-14</i>
	6 Sivan	Shavuot *	(50 days after Reishit) They offer the new grain of the summer wheat harvest to the Lord to show joy and thankfulness for the Lord's blessing of harvest. <i>Feast of Weeks - Lev 23:15-22</i>

* A pilgrimage feast in which all Jewish males were required to go to Jerusalem. Deut 16:1-12

Jesus' Final Days

	Date	Event	Mt	Mk	Lk	Jn	Acts	
	10 Nisan	Jerusalem	21:1-11	11:1-11	19:28-36	12:12-19		
Passion	14 Nisan	Last Supper	26:17-30	14:12-26	22:7-38	13:1-17:26		
	15 Nisan	Crucifixion	26:31-27:66	14:27-15:47	22:39-23:56	18:1-19:42		
	16 Nisan	Tomb	<i>"The Sabbath had begun, so they rested as required by the law. Lk 25:56"</i>					
	17 Nisan	Resurrection	28:1-10	16:1-8	24:1-12	20:1-9		
		Ascension		16:19	24:50-53		1:1-11	
	6 Sivan	Pentecost					2:1-41	

Catholic Holy Days

	Holy Day	This day commemorates:	
Holy Week	Palm Sunday	Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem.	
	Triduum	Holy Thursday	Jesus' last supper.
		Good Friday	Jesus' crucifixion and burial.
		Easter Vigil	Jesus' resurrection.
	Ascension	Jesus' ascension into Heaven.	
	Pentecost	The descent of the Holy Spirit into the Apostles.	