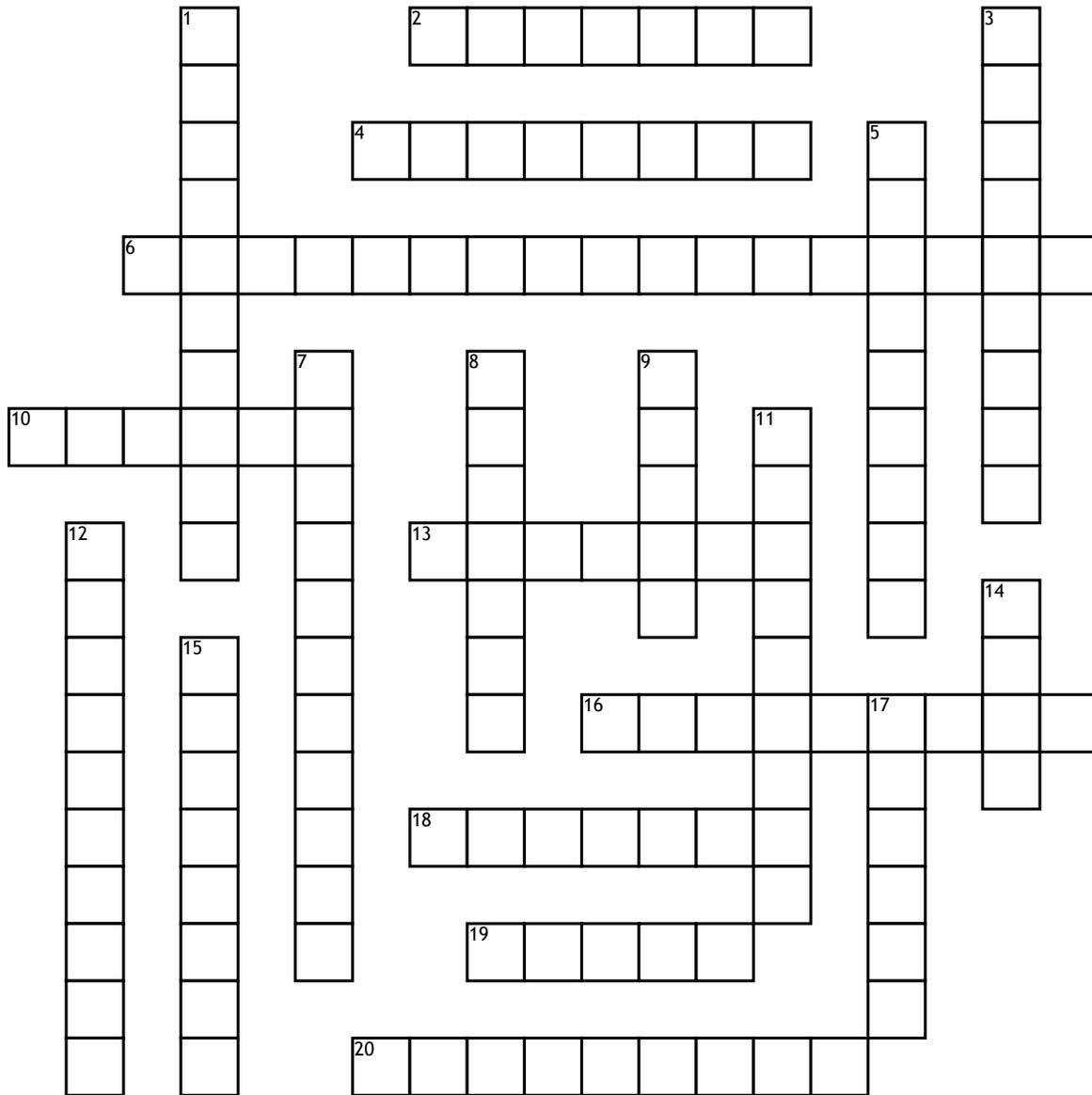


# Gods Chosen People Patrick-Dylan



**Across**

- 2. When \_\_\_\_\_ left his home and settled in Canaan, many different groups were gradually settling Palestine
- 4. In 440 BCE, \_\_\_\_\_, a Jewish cupbearer to the Persian king, was appointed governor of Judah
- 6. \_\_\_\_\_ who conquered the Persian Empire
- 10. Reforms by King \_\_\_\_\_ renewed Israel's commitment to the covenant with God- a foundation of Israelite society that separated them from pagans
- 16. \_\_\_\_\_ IV issued his decrees forbidding Jewish religious practice

- 18. To increase revenue, \_\_\_\_\_ divided Israel into twelve districts; each to support central government for one month of the year
- 19. Yet their \_\_\_\_\_ was not destroyed since it was sustained by prophets
- 20. \_\_\_\_\_, Judah rebelled when King \_\_\_\_\_ of Judah transferred the nation's allegiance to Babylonia after Babylonian armies defeated Egyptian forces
- Down**
- 1. \_\_\_\_\_ empire fell to the Persians
- 3. The \_\_\_\_\_ Revolt was a Jewish rebellion lasting from 167 to 160 BCE
- 5. The fall of \_\_\_\_\_ was seen as a punishment for their sins- transgression away from the covenant- it was a way God was teaching His people
- 7. Israel was defected by the \_\_\_\_\_

- 8. \_\_\_\_\_ who is the wife of King Ahab of Israel
- 9. Israel's distinctive faith and identity as a people begins with \_\_\_\_\_
- 11. To survive, the threat of the \_\_\_\_\_, Israel had to make alliances with non-Israelites
- 12. Abraham, Isaac, Jacob (Israel) and his twelve sons
- 14. \_\_\_\_\_ was chosen as king
- 15. There was a religion marked by a \_\_\_\_\_ relationship between God and God's people
- 17. In 538 BCE, King \_\_\_\_\_ issued a decree that the Jewish community and cult in Palestine be restored- even ordered the Temple be rebuilt