BOREI PRI HA'EITZ: FIVE SPECIAL FRUITS

Borei Pri Ha'Eitz: Five Special Fruits: General Rule

Say borei pri ha'eitz on the Five Special Fruits for which the Land of Israel is praised.

Borei Pri Ha'Eitz: Five Special Fruits: Order and Preference

To eat more than one type of the *Five Special Fruits*:

- If you have a particular preference, you may eat the fruits in whichever order you prefer.
- If you have no particular preference, eat them in this order:
 - Olive
 - Date
 - Grape
 - Fig
 - Pomegranate.

NOTE Order of Five Special Fruits

The order for eating the <u>Five Special Fruits</u> comes from <u>Deuteronomy/Devarim</u> 8:8 and follows the fruit's proximity to the two times the word "eretz" is used:

"Eretz chita u's'ora v'gefen u't'eina v'rimon, eretz zayit shemen u'dvash."

A land of wheat and barley and grapevine and fig and pomegranate, a land of olive oil and honey.

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