

MESSIANIC ISRAELITE



Picture It

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About this form:

This is an instructions form for **Picture It**.

General overview:

Picture It was originally designed to get people affiliated with the AOY to use their creative talent to picture scriptures, that is, to demonstrate scriptures as pictures. It was later decided that this could be extended to ensure that people could just submit suitable pictures and designs through the Living Way to help the ministry.

Instructions:



Initially...

How does one use the talent of creativity and specifically drawing and design skills to the furtherance of the Assemblies of Yahweh? This hopefully will help in that endeavour. Follow these instructions to fill out the Picture It form. Please do not attempt to send the Picture It form to the Living Way before reading the full extent of this 9 page document.

So for the first section called section A on the Picture It form you put your full name, age and the date

Section A:

Enter your first name and surname, date and age in the boxes below:

Print name or sign::

Joe Bloggs

Date:

01/05/2017

Group no / tribe:

Issachar

Age:

24

Unless you have been put in to a group by the AOY, just skip the **Group no / tribe** section. That is for if the AOY endeavour to put people in to online groups to help do the work. Each group may be given an Israelite tribe name.



Section B

In section B you have to select what type of picture you are submitting to the Living Way. At present (15.03.16) we only have five options for contributors and that is doodles, drawings, other media, designs and photographs.

- **Doodle(s)** are sketchy drawings that don't take much time to do.
- **Drawing(s)** are most likely the standard to what most people will send the Living Way and usually require more thought as well as a higher level of skill as well as use of colour etc. Conventionally this will just involve a paper and pen/pencil but you can use programs like Photoshop on the computer to create drawings too.
- **Other media** refers to things such as paintings and other brush work, pastel works and things like charcoal work.
- **Design(s)** are things like poster designs for WMLK or adverts for WMLK to be used in the SNB, or a poster for some Living Way event, or flyer designs for the AOY. Other design ideas could be (say) notepad cover designs. The designs could be just design ideas sketched out, they don't have to necessarily be actual designs. Designs also can be Picture Bible Quotes that are very useful for uploading to social media like Facebook. The editor uses PicMonkey to do this, but you'll need to find a site where you can download royalty free images.
- Finally, we have **Scenic Photographs**, which are strictly confined to photographs of the environment, especially scenic places, which can

be used for the Sacred Name Broadcaster cover or Narrow Way cover, or the AOY calendar. Alternatively, they can just be published on the Living Way Facebook page as inspirational images. As a result of this, the rules for submitting photographs are different from that of the other pictures, but we explain that later on.

For contributions, you may **not** have a mixture of different kinds of images. All the images should be categorised as doodles, drawings, other media, designs or photographs for a Picture It form. Also, you should try to fill **all** 10 rows with images. In the case of designs, you can, if using a computer, easily change the design in various ways, such as change the colours of the design, or text, and you will soon find that you'll have 10 different versions of images that you can submit on a single Picture It form.

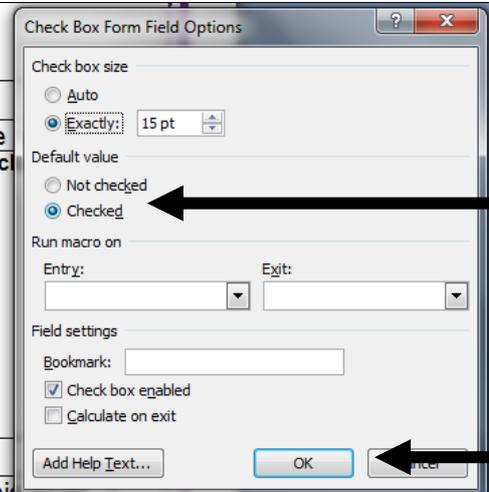
To select a category to submit your images under, just double click on the grey tick box on the left side of the category you want to select, and then a box will appear called Check Box Form Field Options. Under the Default Value heading, click on Checked. Then go to OK. This will select the tick box. See below for an example:

Section B:

Firstly, specify what type of work you want to contribute

Double click on the tick box and in the Default value section click check

<input type="checkbox"/>	Doodle(s)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Drawing(s)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other media (such as paintings)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Design(s)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Scenic Photographs



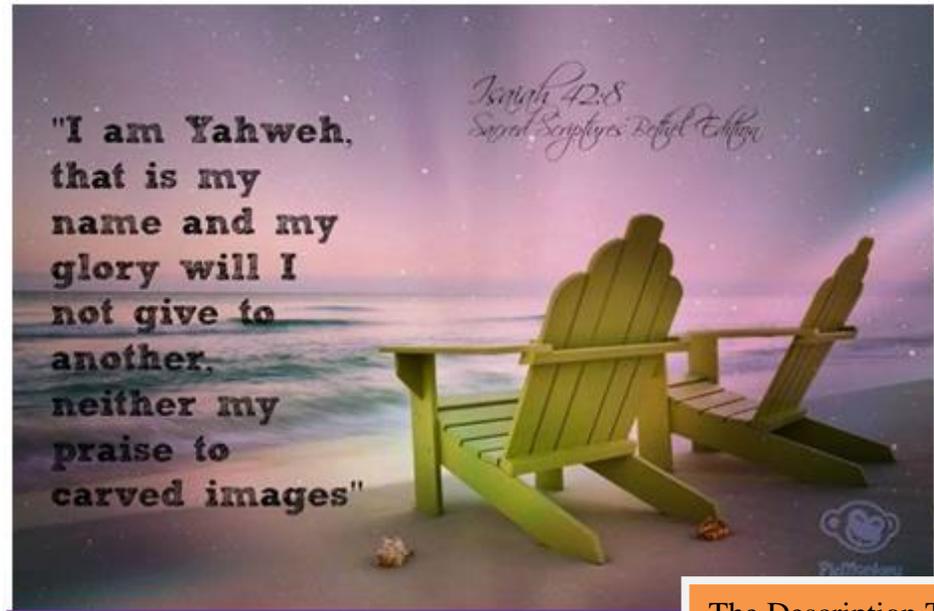
Section C:

Insert the image or scan in the table below. Complementing this

Section C

So section C is where you actually insert your images.

Here is the example we have on the Picture It form:



The Description Table

Description of the above:	
An image of two empty chairs on a beach looking out to sea.	
Cite the Book, chapter and verse this image is based on:	Isaiah 42:8
Insert the quote here OR insert a link	"I am Yahweh that is my name and my glory will I not give to another, neither my praise to carved images"

Please note: The format has slightly changed since 15.03.2016.

The picture therefore goes in the centre column of the table. The description of the image goes in the 'description table' under the row 'Description of the above'. So if you have a picture, you can scan it in to a computer using a scanner, or if you have an excellent digital camera, or camera phone, you can take a picture of it and then download it to your computer. Either way, once you have the image on your computer, you then just need to locate it by going to the Picture It document and going to Insert > Picture and then finding the picture from there.

If you have a modern Windows phone which has Microsoft Office on it as does the editor, you may be able to insert your pictures in to the Word document from there.

In the above example, you'll notice there is text in the picture in the form of a citation and a quote from scripture. We would actually prefer that you send in two versions of the same image, one with text, the other without text. Those images without text might be more useful to the Living Way than those with text.

If you are submitting photo's

For photo's, if they are for the Narrow Way or SNB front covers, they should be

A4 size, which the Picture It document will not allow. As a result, you should insert the photo's in the Picture It form, but smaller versions that fit snugly in the form, but then write in the description box "LARGER FILE IN ATTACHMENT" i.e.

Description of the above:

A photo of a beautiful sunset in Wakefield in the city of Leeds in the U.K.
LARGER FILE IN ATTACHMENT

When you send the Picture It form to the Living Way as an email attachment, you should also attach the full-sized A4 sized photo's too just as picture attachments. To do this, you may have to use a program like WinZip to decompress the file(s) so you can attach them in email. It's important to note here that both Picture It forms and any picture attachments you send must have specific titles which are explained later on in this instruction form. So don't just send your Picture It form or your pictures without reading through this instructions form. If you do it incorrectly, the Living Way will not be able to use your work!



Section D

Finally, in this section you need to sign the document which you can do by using a digital signature. The editor would recommend using the software www.Hellosign.com simply because it's free for 3 signatures each month. You won't need a tablet and pen either, you can use your phone or mouse to create your signature.

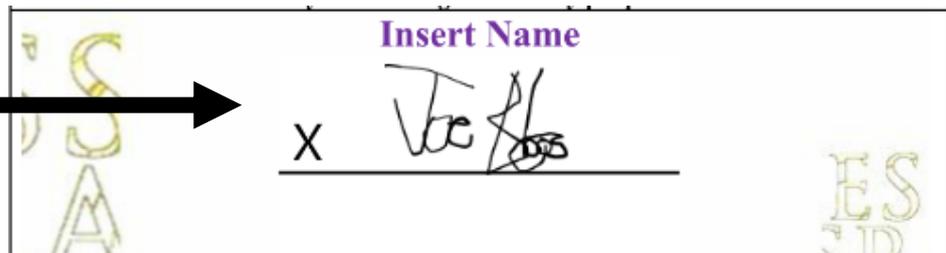
If for some reason you cannot get your document signed by yourself then it is possible your work may not be accepted. However, if this is the case, where it

says *Insert Name*

replace those letters with your full name i.e.

Joe Isa Bloggs

If using Hellosign, ensure you place your signature on the line provided i.e.:



You will basically be declaring then that the work is indeed yours, and that the AOY and therefore Living Way can use that work for whatever purpose they desire. If you don't put your name to this, then do not send in the Picture It form to the livingway because unfortunately it will be a waste of your time and theirs.



Section E

We added a small addition to the Picture It form on 16.03.2016. All section E asks you to do is provide the amount of time in months and years you've been affiliated with the Assemblies of Yahweh. Now the word affiliated is important. We don't ask for how long people have been members for. Affiliated means how long have you been taking the literature, coming to services, that sort of thing. This, for those youths who were raised in the faith should just put the years and months they have been alive for.

If the case is that you are someone who stumbled across the Messianic Israelite site and want to contribute something to the ministry, great. The door is open. You just put the truth. You could just put 0 years and 0 months in this section.

Below is an example of this section of the Picture It document filled out properly:

Section E:
For the sake of authenticating that you are indeed who you say you are, we have the following question. Please answer truthfully:
How long have you been affiliated with the Assemblies of Yahweh for?
<i>5 years, 6 months</i>



Spirituality room

In November 2020 we added the spirituality corners. This is for those who do online volunteering for their tribe. It shows what spirituality points can be obtained by doing the assignment. Feel free to skip over these if you are not an online volunteer.

Spirituality points are added to the tribes overall points.



Things to watch out for

Saving your Picture It form before you send it to the living way

This is very important. The editor has devised a way so that pictures can be traced back to their original Picture It document. This will only work if you follow these instructions, and if you get it wrong, then your entire Picture It form may be forfeited.

So you download the Picture It form, the images then are inserted in the Picture It form. Then, the Picture It form must be saved somewhere **but** in the following format:

[First and surname of contributor]_[IN (for interested) / AF (for affiliated with AOY) / ME (for a member of the AOY)]_[Country they live in]_[County or State they live in]_[Type of Picture It contributions, whether Designs, Drawings, Doodles, Photographs or Other Media]_[How many pictures are they on the form written as a word, rather than a number]_[Date in Eastern Time in format dd.mm.yyyy]_[Write the amount of forms you have sent in to the Living Way on this date as a number UNLESS it is just your first one].

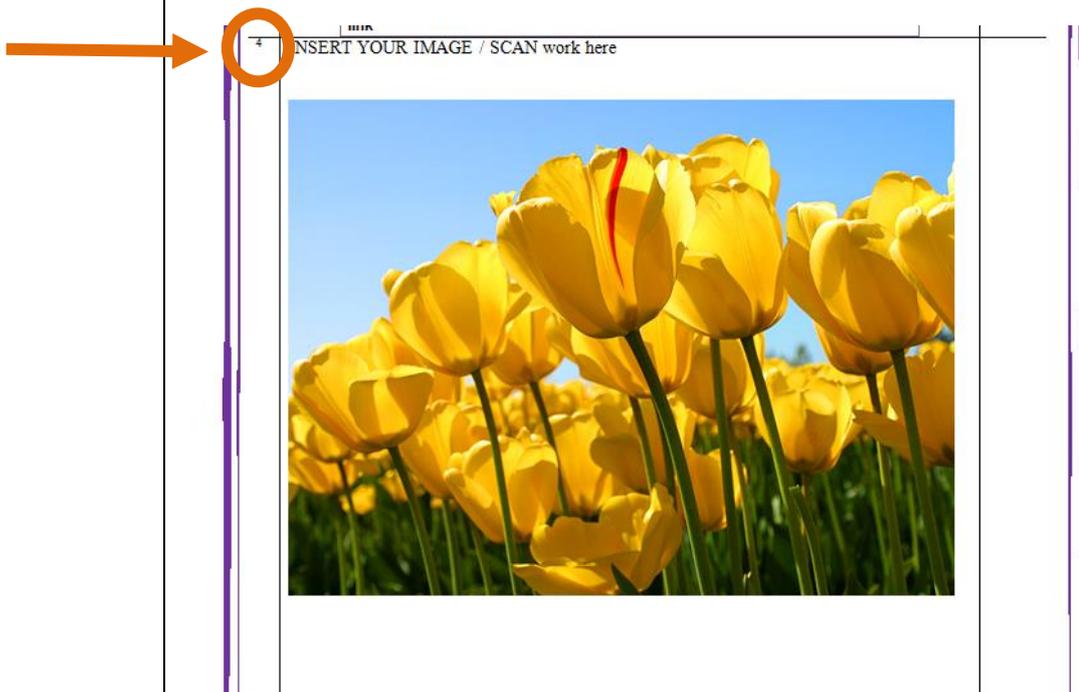
So as an example, that long-winded explanation can be shown through this:

Joe Bloggs_AF_England_South Yorkshire_Drawings_ten_15.03.2017_2

Send your form to the Living Way email address when they create one. You may send in as many Picture It forms as you want, so long as your Picture It form file name is based on the above explanation. You **must** include your name for verification. Do not attempt to send in forms anonymously.

Submitting photo's

If you are submitting photo's for the SNB and Narrow Way frontcovers, then first note that the description you provide in the description box of the photo may be used in the inside page of the magazine to describe the photo should the AOY use your photo. Secondly, you **should** save each picture attachment with the same name as that of your Picture It form, which is explained above. **However**, you are to add in the "[How many pictures are they on the form written as a word, rather than a number]" field, you are to write the **number** the photo is on the Picture It form. The number of the picture is found in the left column of the table in section C in the Picture It form.



You may not be able to make it out, but the arrow here points to the number 4 because this image is the 4th image in the Picture It form. So if you named the Picture It form as:

	<p>John Smith_IN_Spain_Madrid_Photos_ten_15.03.2017_1</p> <p>This particular image, when you send in a email attachment with the Picture It form would be:</p> <p>John Smith_IN_Spain_Madrid_Photos_4ten_15.03.2017_1</p>
	<p>Image size</p> <p>If you are submitting images that are bigger than what the Picture It form allows, do the same thing you would do with photographs. Put your pictures in the form but write 'LARGER FILE IN ATTACHMENT' in the description box and attach your file(s) in email along with the form. When you give the attached photo's a file name use the following format. Use the Saving your Picture It form before you send it to the living way section above to use the file name to save your image but insert the number image it is on the form that your file refers to, as can be seen by the left column on the Picture It form (each row has a number). Use that number in the file name such as:</p> <p>Joe Bloggs_AF_England_South Yorkshire_Drawings_5ten_15.03.2017_2</p> <p>You may need to use a program to compress your image(s) such as WinZip to be able to send them by email if they are too large a file.</p>
	<p>Living Way Facebook page</p> <p>Images which the AOY can decide to upload can be uploaded to the Living Way Facebook page. On there, as a description of the image can include the name of the person in the AOY who created or took such an image. It doesn't necessarily have to include the name of the person, but it can state that 'this contribution comes from a 22 year old in the faith who lives in Washington D.C, U.S.A.' even. It would be up to the AOY to include the names of the contributors. If the LWYMagazine starts up again, there could be at the back of the magazine all the names of people who have contributed something to the Living Way for that period of time (since the last magazine). This would really foster a spirit of togetherness and unity.</p>
	<p>Difference between 'contributors' work from 'volunteer' work</p> <p>A brief history</p> <p>At the present time (February, 2016), messianicisraelite.com has been set up as a foundation to which anyone affiliated with the AOY and is 16 or over may contribute work or good fruit to the Assemblies of Yahweh or Yahweh himself through the internet via the Living Way Youth Program. The individuals that send work to the Living Way by this method are called contributors.</p> <p>The difference between the volunteers and contributors would be that volunteers would be dedicated workers, producing work consistently every 2 weeks, or, 'every season', whilst contributors would just send in work whenever they can or want to.</p> <p>This is what you should know about the Picture It if you are considering</p>

	<p>becoming a volunteer for the future.</p> <p>Volunteering</p> <p>If online volunteering becomes available in the future, then you would be able to submit other work in this category like adverts for the ministry and be given specific assignments to design posters etc for the Living Way or AOY as the need arises. They will then be able to choose the best design for their use. Further, one would be able to work on the work of others, whether that's adding effects or text to pictures, or simply colouring an image in.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Advice</p> <p>If your picture is specifically for an SNB article, make the distinction in the description box. Please ensure you write a good description of the image you have inserted in to the description box under the row "Description of the above" in Section C. If relevant you can include a link to your source in the description box. If you only have a citation to a book, such as the Bible, fine.</p> <p>Remember, the theme should be the Bible but is not necessary. Consider, the point of this is that we're creating for the AOY an image bank of pictures. For example, a drawing of people in tents for the F.O.T might be used in the SNB article <i>F.O.T or Thanksgiving?</i> An advert for WMLK might be used in the SNB. Other pictures may be used for other purposes, like to be printed, framed and sold at the F.O.T auction, or uploaded to the Living Way Facebook page.</p> <p>If you need ideas of what to draw, you can look through a SNB and think of an image that would complement an article, or, you can look through the Bible and draw your inspiration from that. Doodles of trees, flowers and other items will be much appreciated also. Please note that not all images may be used.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Thanks!</p>

"I would rather speak five words with my understanding, that I might instruct others also, than ten thousand words in a tongue."
2 Corinthians 9:10
[Sacred Scriptures Bethel Edition](#)

"...we can obtain a much clearer picture of Yahweh's plan of salvation..."
Israel's Tabernacle In The Wilderness
[Elder Jacob O. Meyer](#)

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