

# Jerry Seinfeld's Passover Stand-Up Introduction

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Do you know why they call it Passover? G-d told Moses that the Israelites should mark their doorposts with lamb's blood. So that He could "pass over" their houses. And spare them from the plague of the killing of the first born. My question is: Who was put in charge of telling everyone? That's a big job. There's a lot counting on that job. What if someone isn't home? How did they tell them? Did they leave a note? Probably not. The Egyptians could see it. Would have ruined the whole plan. Did they just take the liberty of putting lamb's blood on the door? What about when that family gets home, sees blood all over their door? "Honey, do you see this? Someone put blood on our door. Someone's out to get us! You better get off the couch and wipe this off." "I'm busy! Have our first born do it!"

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