

The Seder

For specific explanation as to the significance of each food and each step, please visit this link:

[What Is a Seder \(Passover Meal\)? - A quick, one-page overview of the Passover Meal's steps - Passover \(chabad.org\)](http://chabad.org)

Menu and Steps

During the course of the evening, you will have

- four cups of wine.
- veggies dipped in saltwater.
- flat, dry cracker-like bread called matzah
- bitter herbs, often horseradish (without additives) and romaine lettuce, dipped into *charoset* (a paste of nuts, apples, pears and wine).
- a festive meal that may contain time-honored favorites, like chicken soup and gefilte fish.

Each item has its place in a 15-step choreographed combination of tastes, sounds, sensations and smells that have been with the Jewish people for millennia. We call it the *Seder* or "Order."

The fifteen Steps

[The Seder Plate](#)

[1. Kadesh - Sanctify](#)

[2. Urchatz - Wash Your Hands](#)

[2 Comments](#)

[3. Karpas - Appetizer](#)

[2 Comments](#)

[4. Yachatz - Break the Middle Matzah](#)

[5. Maggid - Tell the Story of the Exodus](#)

[6. Rachtzah - Wash Your Hands Again](#)

[7. Motzi - Blessing Over Bread](#)

[8. Matzah](#)

[9. Maror - Bitter Herbs](#)

[1 Comment](#)

[10. Korech - The Hillel Sandwich](#)

[11. Shulchan Orech - The Festive Meal](#)

[12. Tzafun - Eat the Afikomen](#)

[13. Beirach - Grace After Meals](#)

[14. Hallel - Psalms of Praise](#)

[4 Comments](#)

[15. Nirtzah - Accepted](#)