
TORAH AND HAFTARAH PORTIONS COMPARED

PARASHAH

- People reject Moses as their leader
- Moses defends his motives
 - *"I did not take..."*
- Miracle: Earth opens and swallows Korach
- Moses appeals to God

HAFTARAH

- People reject God as their King
- Samuel defends his motives
 - *"Did I take...?"*
- Miracle: Heaven opens and damages the harvest
- Samuel appeals to the people

Psalm 99:6

*"Moses and Aaron were among His priests,
and Samuel was among those who called on His name;
they called upon the Lord and He answered them."*