



# Clean and Unclean Animals

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Class	Clean	Unclean	Reference
<b>Mammals</b>	1. Must part hoof 2. Must be clovenfooted (cleft is cleaved into two claws) 3. Must chew cud	Carnivores and those not meeting three "clean" qualifications - camel, coney, hare, swine,	Lev 11:3-7 Deut. 14:6-8
<b>Birds</b>	All birds that do not fall into the unclean category as being birds of prey, scavengers (meat eating)	Birds of prey or scavengers (meat eaters) - eagle, ossifrage, ospray, glede, vulture, kite, raven, owl, night hawk, cuckoo, hawk, little owl, cormorant, great owl, swan, pelican, gier eagle, stork, heron, lapwing, bat	Lev 11:13-19 Deut 14:11-20
<b>Creepers</b>	Reptiles and all fowls that creep are an abomination; No clean in this category.	Creeping things - reptile, weasel, mouse, tortoise, ferret, chameleon, lizard, snail, mole	Lev 11:29-30
<b>Water</b>	Must have both fins and scales	Those water inhabitants not meeting both "clean" qualifications are an abomination and unclean	Lev 11:9-12 Deut 14:9-10
<b>Insects</b>	Grasshopper family - locust, bald locust, beetle, grasshopper,	All other flying, creeping insects with four feet and that fly	Lev 11:20-23