



VAV HAHIPUCH The VAV prefixed to a verb that flips the tense of the verb from past to future or future to past.

In Va'eira, we have the famous examples of the former type of VAV HAHIPUCH, past to future.

The Promises/prophecies of Redemption:

ho-TZEI-ti (I took you out) becomes **v'ho-tzei-TI** (and I will take you out).

Notice the shift of the accent from MIL-EIL (next to last syllable) to MILRA (last syllable). This is the rule for this VAV (there are exceptions).

Same for

hi-TZAL-ti becomes **v'hi-tzal-TI**

ga-AL-ti becomes **v'ga-al-TI**

la-KACH-ti becomes **v'la-kach-TI...**

hei-VEI-ti becomes **v'hei-vei-TI**

Accent counts - meaning changes.