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## Preface

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The New Testament of the OEB is being formed on the base of the 'Twentieth Century New Testament' ('TCNT'), in particular the revised edition published in 1904.

The TCNT was one of the earliest 20th century attempts at a translation in clear modern language aimed at the ordinary reader and based on a modern textual base (ie Westcott Hort). Predating the mid 20th century translations such as the New English Bible and even Moffatt's groundbreaking attempt, it

# The book of Ruth

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Naomi and Ruth

1 In the time when the judges ruled, there was once in the land of Bethlehem a man from Bethlehem in Judah who took his wife and two sons to live in the territory of Moab. <sup>2</sup> His name was Elimelech and his wife's name was Naomi, and his two sons were Mahlon and Chilion. They were Ephrathites from Judah. After they had been living in Moab for some time, Elimelech died, and Naomi was left with her two sons, <sup>4</sup> who married Moabite women named Orpah and Ruth. After they had lived there about ten years, <sup>5</sup> Mahlon and Chilion both died, and Naomi was left alone, without husband or sons.

<sup>6</sup> So she set out with her

daughters-in-law|strong = "H3618" to|strong = "H7725"  
 return|strong = "H7725" from|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H8085"  
 land|strong = "H7704" of|strong = "H3068" Moab|strong = "H4124",  
 for|strong = "H3588" she|strong = "H1931" had|strong = "H3068"  
 heard|strong = "H8085" that|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H8085" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* had|strong = "H3068"  
 remembered|strong = "H2142" his|strong = "H5414" people|strong = "H5971"  
 and|strong = "H6965" given|strong = "H5414" them|strong = "H5414"  
 food|strong = "H3899". <sup>7</sup> As|strong = "H1961" they|strong = "H8033"  
 were|strong = "H1961" setting|strong = "H5414" out|strong = "H3318"  
 together|strong = "H5973" on|strong = "H1870" the|strong = "H4480"  
 journey|strong = "H1870" to|strong = "H7725" Judah|strong = "H3063", <sup>8</sup>  
 Naomi|strong = "H5281" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H7725"  
 her|strong = "H7725" daughters-in-law|strong = "H3618",  
 'Go|strong = "H3212", return|strong = "H7725" both|strong = "H8147"  
 of|strong = "H1004" you|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725"  
 the|strong = "H6213" home|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"  
 your|strong = "H3068" mother|strong = "H0517". May|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H6213" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* be|strong = "H4191"  
 kind|strong = "H4327" to|strong = "H7725" you|strong = "H7725"  
 as|strong = "H6213" you|strong = "H7725" have|strong = "H3068"  
 been|strong = "H3068" kind|strong = "H4327" to|strong = "H7725"  
 the|strong = "H6213" dead|strong = "H4191" and|strong = "H3068"  
 to|strong = "H7725" me|strong = "H7725". <sup>9</sup> The|strong = "H5414" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* grant|strong = "H5414" that|strong = "H3068"  
 each|strong = "H5414" of|strong = "H1004" you|strong = "H5414"  
 may|strong = "H3068" find|strong = "H4672" peace|strong = "H6963"  
 and|strong = "H3068" happiness|strong = "H8057" in|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H5414" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"  
 a|strong = "H5414" new|strong = "H2319" husband|strong = "H0376".'

T hen|strong = "H5375" she|strong = "H1931" kissed|strong = "H5401"  
 them|strong = "H5414"; but|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068"  
 began|strong = "H2490" to|strong = "H3068" weep|strong = "H1058"  
 aloud|strong = "H6963" <sup>10</sup> and|strong = "H7725" said|strong = "H0559"  
 to|strong = "H7725" her|strong = "H7725", 'No|strong = "H3808",  
 we|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5971" return|strong = "H7725"  
 with|strong = "H5971" you|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H7725"  
 your|strong = "H7725" people|strong = "H5971".' <sup>11</sup> But|strong = "H1961"  
 Naomi|strong = "H5281" said|strong = "H0559", 'Go|strong = "H3212"  
 back|strong = "H7725", my|strong = "H7725" daughters|strong = "H1323".  
 Why|strong = "H4100" should|strong = "H4100" you|strong = "H7725"  
 go|strong = "H3212" with|strong = "H5973" me|strong = "H7725"?  
 Can|strong = "H4100" I|strong = "H4100" still|strong = "H5750"  
 bear|strong = "H3212" sons|strong = "H1121" who|strong = "H1121"

might|strong = "H1121" become|strong = "H1961" your|strong = "H7725"  
 husbands|strong = "H5973"? <sup>12</sup> Go|strong = "H3212"  
 back|strong = "H7725", my|strong = "H7725" daughters|strong = "H1323",  
 go|strong = "H3212" your|strong = "H7725" own|strong = "H1961"  
 way|strong = "H3212", because|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
 am|strong = "H1961" too|strong = "H1571" old|strong = "H1121"  
 to|strong = "H7725" have|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"  
 husband|strong = "H0376". Even|strong = "H1571" if|strong = "H3588"  
 I|strong = "H3588" should|strong = "H3588" say|strong = "H7725",  
 "I|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H1961" hope|strong = "H8615",  
 even|strong = "H1571" if|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
 should|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"  
 husband|strong = "H0376" tonight|strong = "H3915" and|strong = "H1121"  
 should|strong = "H3588" bear|strong = "H3205" sons|strong = "H1121", <sup>13</sup>  
 would|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3588" wait|strong = "H7663"  
 for|strong = "H3588" them|strong = "H3027" until|strong = "H5704"  
 they|strong = "H3588" were|strong = "H1961" grown|strong = "H1431"  
 up|strong = "H1431"? Would|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3588"  
 remain|strong = "H1961" single|strong = "H0259" for|strong = "H3588"  
 them|strong = "H3027"? No|strong = "H1115", my|strong = "H3068"  
 daughters|strong = "H1323"! My|strong = "H3068" heart|strong = "H3820"  
 grieves for|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588", for|strong = "H3588"  
 the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* has|strong = "H3068"  
 sent|strong = "H3318" me|strong = "H4480" adversity|strong = "H7463".' <sup>14</sup>  
 Then|strong = "H5375" they|strong = "H5375" again|strong = "H5750"  
 wept|strong = "H1058" aloud|strong = "H6963", and|strong = "H6963"  
 Orpah|strong = "H6204" kissed|strong = "H5401" her|strong = "H5375"  
 mother-in-law|strong = "H2545" goodbye, but|strong = "H5750"  
 Ruth|strong = "H7327" stayed|strong = "H5750" with|strong = "H5375"  
 her|strong = "H5375".

15'Look|strong = "H2009", said|strong = "H0559"  
 Naomi|strong = "H5281", 'your|strong = "H7725"  
 sister-in-law|strong = "H2994" is|strong = "H2009" going|strong = "H7725"  
 back|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725" her|strong = "H7725"  
 own|strong = "H5971" people|strong = "H5971" and|strong = "H7725"  
 to|strong = "H7725" her|strong = "H7725" own|strong = "H5971"  
 gods|strong = "H0430". Go|strong = "H7725" along|strong = "H5921"  
 with|strong = "H5971" her|strong = "H7725"! <sup>16</sup> But|strong = "H3588"  
 Ruth|strong = "H7327" answered|strong = "H7725", 'Do|strong = "H6213"  
 not|strong = "H3588" urge|strong = "H6293" me|strong = "H7725"  
 to|strong = "H7725" leave|strong = "H5800" you|strong = "H3588"  
 or|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H7725" go|strong = "H3212"  
 back|strong = "H7725". I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5971"  
 go|strong = "H3212" where|strong = "H0834" you|strong = "H3588"

go|strong = "H3212", and|strong = "H7725" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5971" stay|strong = "H3885" wherever|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H3588" stay|strong = "H3885". Your|strong = "H7725" people|strong = "H5971" will|strong = "H5971" be|strong = "H5971" my|strong = "H7725" people|strong = "H5971", and|strong = "H7725" your|strong = "H7725" God|strong = "H0430" my|strong = "H7725" God|strong = "H0430"; <sup>17</sup> I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" die|strong = "H4191" where|strong = "H8033" you|strong = "H3588" die|strong = "H4191", and|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H4191" buried|strong = "H6912" there|strong = "H8033". May|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* bring|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H6213" curse|strong = "H7045" upon|strong = "H6213" me|strong = "H6213", if|strong = "H3588" anything|strong = "H6213" but|strong = "H3588" death|strong = "H4194" separate|strong = "H6504" you|strong = "H3588" and|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H6213".' <sup>18</sup> When|strong = "H3588" Naomi|strong = "H5281" saw|strong = "H7200" that|strong = "H3588" Ruth|strong = "H7327" was|strong = "H1931" determined|strong = "H2782" to|strong = "H1696" go|strong = "H3212" with|strong = "H1696" her|strong = "H7200", she|strong = "H1931" ceased|strong = "H2308" urging|strong = "H6680" her|strong = "H7200" to|strong = "H1696" return|strong = "H7725".

19 So|strong = "H1961" they|strong = "H5921" journeyed|strong = "H5265" on|strong = "H5921" until|strong = "H5704" they|strong = "H5921" came|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H5704" Bethlehem|strong = "H1035". Their|strong = "H3605" arrival|strong = "H0935" stirred|strong = "H1949" the|strong = "H3605" whole|strong = "H3605" town|strong = "H5892", and|strong = "H3212" the|strong = "H3605" women|strong = "H0802" said|strong = "H0559", 'Can|strong = "H8147" this|strong = "H2063" be|strong = "H1961" Naomi|strong = "H5281"?'

20 'Do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3588" call|strong = "H7121" me|strong = "H7121" Naomi|strong = "H5281",' she|strong = "H3588" said|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H7121" them|strong = "H7121", 'call|strong = "H7121" me|strong = "H7121" Mara|strong = "H4755"<sup>1</sup>, for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" Almighty|strong = "H7706" has|strong = "H3588" given|strong = "H7121" me|strong = "H7121" a|strong = "H3588" bitter|strong = "H4843" lot|strong = "H1486". <sup>21</sup> I|strong = "H4100" had|strong = "H3068" plenty|strong = "H7647" when|strong = "H7725" I|strong = "H4100" left|strong = "H1980", but|strong = "H6030" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* has|strong = "H3068" brought|strong = "H7725" me|strong = "H7725" back|strong = "H7725" empty|strong = "H7387" handed|strong = "H3027". Why|strong = "H4100" should|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H7725"

<sup>1</sup> + 1.20 In Hebrew 'Naomi' means 'pleasant,' and 'Mara' means 'bitter.'



call|strong = "H7121" me|strong = "H7725" Naomi|strong = "H5281",  
 now|strong = "H7121" that|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* has|strong = "H3068" afflicted|strong = "H7489"  
 me|strong = "H7725", and|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H3068"  
 Almighty|strong = "H7706" has|strong = "H3068" brought|strong = "H7725"  
 misfortune|strong = "H7463" on|strong = "H1980" me|strong = "H7725"?’<sup>22</sup>

So|strong = "H7725" Naomi|strong = "H5281" and|strong = "H7725"  
 Ruth|strong = "H7327", her|strong = "H7725" Moabite|strong = "H4125"  
 daughter-in-law|strong = "H3618", returned|strong = "H7725"  
 from|strong = "H7725" Moab|strong = "H4124". They|strong = "H1992"  
 reached|strong = "H0935" Bethlehem|strong = "H1035" at|strong = "H7725"  
 the|strong = "H7725" beginning|strong = "H8462" of|strong = "H7704"  
 the|strong = "H7725" barley|strong = "H8184" harvest|strong = "H7105".  
 In the Fields of Boaz

2Now|strong = "H6258" Naomi|strong = "H5281" was|strong = "H8034"  
 related|strong = "H5608" through|strong = "H8034" her|strong = "H3045"  
 husband|strong = "H0376" to|strong = "H3045" a|strong = "H3045"  
 very|strong = "H3045" wealthy|strong = "H2428" man|strong = "H1368"  
 of|strong = "H8034" the|strong = "H3045" family|strong = "H4940"  
 of|strong = "H8034" Elimelech|strong = "H0458" named|strong = "H8034"  
 Boaz|strong = "H1162".<sup>2</sup> Ruth|strong = "H7327" the|strong = "H4672"  
 Moabite|strong = "H4125" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3212"  
 Naomi|strong = "H5281", ‘Let|strong = "H4994" me|strong = "H4994"  
 now|strong = "H4994" go|strong = "H3212" into|strong = "H3212"  
 the|strong = "H4672" fields|strong = "H7704" and|strong = "H3212"  
 gather|strong = "H3950" leftover grain|strong = "H7641"  
 behind|strong = "H0310" anyone|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H4672"  
 will|strong = "H5869" allow|strong = "H4994" me|strong = "H4994”.’

‘ Go|strong = "H3212", my|strong = "H4672" daughter|strong = "H1323",  
 she|strong = "H1931" replied|strong = "H0559”.’

3So|strong = "H3651" she|strong = "H1931" went|strong = "H3212"  
 to|strong = "H3212" glean|strong = "H3950" in|strong = "H3212"  
 the|strong = "H3212" field|strong = "H7704" after|strong = "H0310"  
 the|strong = "H3212" reapers|strong = "H7114". As|strong = "H0834"  
 it|strong = "H3212" happened|strong = "H7136", she|strong = "H1931"  
 was|strong = "H4940" in|strong = "H3212" that|strong = "H4940"  
 part|strong = "H2513" of|strong = "H7704" the|strong = "H3212"  
 field|strong = "H7704" which|strong = "H7704" belonged|strong = "H1961"  
 to|strong = "H3212" Boaz|strong = "H1162", who|strong = "H0834"  
 was|strong = "H4940" of|strong = "H7704" the|strong = "H3212"  
 family|strong = "H4940" of|strong = "H7704" Elimelech|strong = "H0458".<sup>4</sup>  
 When|strong = "H3068" Boaz|strong = "H1162" came|strong = "H3068"

from|strong = "H3068" Bethlehem|strong = "H1035" and|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" reapers|strong = "H7114", 'The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* be|strong = "H3068" with|strong = "H5973" you|strong = "H5973", they|strong = "H3068" answered|strong = "H6030" him|strong = "H5973", 'May|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* bless|strong = "H1288" you|strong = "H5973".'

5'Whose|strong = "H4310" girl|strong = "H5291" is|strong = "H4310" this|strong = "H2063"?' Boaz|strong = "H1162" asked|strong = "H7592" his|strong = "H5921" servant|strong = "H5288" who|strong = "H4310" had|strong = "H1162" charge|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" reapers|strong = "H7114". <sup>6</sup> The|strong = "H5921" servant|strong = "H5288" who|strong = "H1931" had|strong = "H7704" charge|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H7704" the|strong = "H5921" reapers|strong = "H7114" replied|strong = "H6030", 'It|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931" the|strong = "H5921" Moabite|strong = "H4125" girl|strong = "H5291" who|strong = "H1931" came|strong = "H7725" back|strong = "H7725" with|strong = "H5973" Naomi|strong = "H5281" from|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H5921" territory|strong = "H7704" of|strong = "H7704" Moab|strong = "H4124". <sup>7</sup> She|strong = "H1242" asked|strong = "H7592" to|strong = "H5704" be|strong = "H4994" allowed|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H5704" glean|strong = "H3950" and|strong = "H1004" gather|strong = "H3950" sheaves|strong = "H6016" after|strong = "H1242" the|strong = "H5704" reapers|strong = "H7114". So|strong = "H6258" she|strong = "H1242" came|strong = "H0935" and|strong = "H1004" has|strong = "H2088" continued|strong = "H3427" to|strong = "H5704" work|strong = "H4399" until|strong = "H5704" now|strong = "H6258" and|strong = "H1004" she|strong = "H1242" has|strong = "H2088" not|strong = "H2088" rested|strong = "H5117" a|strong = "H5975" moment|strong = "H7281" in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H5704" field|strong = "H7704".'

8Then|strong = "H2088" Boaz|strong = "H1162" said|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H3212" Ruth|strong = "H7327", 'Listen|strong = "H8085", my|strong = "H8085" daughter|strong = "H1323". Do|strong = "H8085" not|strong = "H3808" go|strong = "H3212" to|strong = "H3212" glean|strong = "H3950" in|strong = "H8085" another|strong = "H2088" field|strong = "H7704" nor|strong = "H3808" leave|strong = "H5800" this|strong = "H2088" place|strong = "H2088", but|strong = "H3808" stay|strong = "H1692" here|strong = "H2088" with|strong = "H5973" my|strong = "H8085" girls|strong = "H5291". <sup>9</sup> Watch|strong = "H5869" where|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H6680" men|strong = "H5288" are|strong = "H5869" reaping|strong = "H7114" and|strong = "H1980" follow|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H6680" gleaners. I|strong = "H6680"

have|strong = "H5869" told|strong = "H6680" the|strong = "H6680"  
 young|strong = "H5288" men|strong = "H5288" not|strong = "H3808"  
 to|strong = "H1980" trouble|strong = "H6869" you|strong = "H6680".  
 When|strong = "H1980" you|strong = "H6680" are|strong = "H5869"  
 thirsty|strong = "H6770", go|strong = "H1980" to|strong = "H1980"  
 the|strong = "H6680" jars|strong = "H3627" and|strong = "H1980"  
 drink|strong = "H8354" of|strong = "H3627" that|strong = "H5288"  
 which|strong = "H5869" the|strong = "H6680" young|strong = "H5288"  
 men|strong = "H5288" have|strong = "H5869" drawn|strong = "H7579".'

10Then|strong = "H5307" she|strong = "H5921" bowed|strong = "H7812"  
 low|strong = "H8213" and|strong = "H5869" said|strong = "H0559"  
 to|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H6440", 'Why|strong = "H4069"  
 are|strong = "H5869" you|strong = "H6440" so|strong = "H4672"  
 kind|strong = "H4327" to|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H6440",  
 to|strong = "H5921" take|strong = "H5234" interest|strong = "H5392"  
 in|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H6440" when|strong = "H5307"  
 I|strong = "H5921" am|strong = "H1961" just|strong = "H3512"  
 a|strong = "H4672" foreigner|strong = "H5237"?' <sup>11</sup> Boaz|strong = "H1162"  
 replied|strong = "H6030", 'I|strong = "H3045" have|strong = "H5971"  
 heard|strong = "H6030" what|strong = "H3045" you|strong = "H3605"  
 have|strong = "H5971" done|strong = "H6213" for|strong = "H6213"  
 your|strong = "H3605" mother-in-law|strong = "H2545"  
 since|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" death|strong = "H4194"  
 of|strong = "H5971" your|strong = "H3605" husband|strong = "H0376",  
 and|strong = "H6030" how|strong = "H3045" you|strong = "H3605"  
 left|strong = "H5800" your|strong = "H3605" father|strong = "H0001"  
 and|strong = "H6030" mother|strong = "H0517" and|strong = "H6030"  
 your|strong = "H3605" native|strong = "H4138" land|strong = "H0776"  
 to|strong = "H3212" come|strong = "H3212" to|strong = "H3212"  
 a|strong = "H6213" people|strong = "H5971" that|strong = "H3045"  
 you|strong = "H3605" did|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808"  
 know|strong = "H3045" before|strong = "H3808". <sup>12</sup> May|strong = "H1961"  
 the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* repay|strong = "H7999"  
 you|strong = "H5973" for|strong = "H8478" what|strong = "H6467"  
 you|strong = "H5973" have|strong = "H1961" done|strong = "H1961",  
 and|strong = "H3478" may|strong = "H1961" you|strong = "H5973"  
 be|strong = "H1961" fully|strong = "H8003" rewarded|strong = "H7999"  
 by|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068"  
 of|strong = "H3068" Israel|strong = "H3478", under|strong = "H8478"  
 whose|strong = "H0834" wings|strong = "H3671" you|strong = "H5973"  
 have|strong = "H1961" come|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H3478"  
 take|strong = "H2620" refuge|strong = "H2620". <sup>13</sup> Then|strong = "H1961"  
 she|strong = "H3588" said|strong = "H1696", 'I|strong = "H3588"  
 trust|strong = "H0982" I|strong = "H3588" may|strong = "H1961"

please|strong = "H4994" you|strong = "H3588", my|strong = "H5921"  
 lord|strong = "H3068", for|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
 have|strong = "H1961" comforted|strong = "H5162" me|strong = "H5921"  
 and|strong = "H5869" spoken|strong = "H1696" kindly|strong = "H3820"  
 to|strong = "H1696" your|strong = "H5921" servant|strong = "H8198",  
 although|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961"  
 not|strong = "H3808" really|strong = "H2088" equal|strong = "H8505"  
 to|strong = "H1696" one|strong = "H3808" of|strong = "H5869"  
 your|strong = "H5921" own|strong = "H1961" servants|strong = "H8198".'

14At|strong = "H3427" mealtime|strong = "H6256" Boaz|strong = "H1162"  
 said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H6256" Ruth|strong = "H7327",  
 'Come|strong = "H5066" here|strong = "H1988" and|strong = "H3899"  
 eat|strong = "H3899" some|strong = "H4480" of|strong = "H3427"  
 the|strong = "H4480" food|strong = "H3899" and|strong = "H3899"  
 dip|strong = "H2881" your|strong = "H4480" piece|strong = "H6595"  
 of|strong = "H3427" bread|strong = "H3899" in|strong = "H3427"  
 the|strong = "H4480" vinegar|strong = "H2558".' So|strong = "H4480"  
 she|strong = "H6256" sat|strong = "H3427" beside|strong = "H6654"  
 the|strong = "H4480" reapers|strong = "H7114", and|strong = "H3899"  
 he|strong = "H4480" passed|strong = "H3427" her|strong = "H6642"  
 some|strong = "H4480" roasted|strong = "H7039" grain|strong = "H7039".  
 She|strong = "H6256" ate|strong = "H0398" until|strong = "H3899"  
 she|strong = "H6256" was|strong = "H3427" satisfied|strong = "H7646"  
 and|strong = "H3899" had|strong = "H7646" some|strong = "H4480"  
 left|strong = "H3498". <sup>15</sup> When|strong = "H1571" she|strong = "H1571"  
 rose|strong = "H6965" to|strong = "H6965" glean|strong = "H3950",  
 Boaz|strong = "H1162" gave|strong = "H6680" this|strong = "H1571"  
 order|strong = "H6680" to|strong = "H6965" his|strong = "H6680"  
 young|strong = "H5288" men|strong = "H5288": 'Let|strong = "H3808"  
 her|strong = "H1571" glean|strong = "H3950" even|strong = "H1571"  
 among|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H6680" sheaves|strong = "H6016"  
 and|strong = "H6965" do|strong = "H6680" not|strong = "H3808"  
 disturb|strong = "H2729" her|strong = "H1571". <sup>16</sup> Also|strong = "H1571"  
 pull|strong = "H7997" out|strong = "H4480" some|strong = "H4480"  
 for|strong = "H3808" her|strong = "H1571" from|strong = "H4480"  
 the|strong = "H4480" bundles|strong = "H6653" and|strong = "H1571"  
 leave|strong = "H5800" for|strong = "H3808" her|strong = "H1571"  
 to|strong = "H4480" glean|strong = "H3950", and|strong = "H1571"  
 do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808" find|strong = "H4672"  
 fault|strong = "H3972" with|strong = "H1571" her|strong = "H1571".'

17So|strong = "H1961" she|strong = "H6153" gleaned|strong = "H3950"  
 in|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H5704" field|strong = "H7704"  
 until|strong = "H5704" evening|strong = "H6153", then|strong = "H1961"

beat|strong = "H2251" out|strong = "H2251" what|strong = "H4100"  
 she|strong = "H6153" had|strong = "H1961" gleaned|strong = "H3950".  
 It|strong = "H1961" was|strong = "H1961" about|strong = "H1961"  
 a|strong = "H1961" bushel|strong = "H0374" of|strong = "H7704"  
 barley|strong = "H8184". <sup>18</sup> Then|strong = "H3318" she|strong = "H5892"  
 took|strong = "H5375" it|strong = "H5414" up|strong = "H5375"  
 and|strong = "H5892" went|strong = "H3318" into|strong = "H3318"  
 the|strong = "H7200" town|strong = "H5892" and|strong = "H5892"  
 showed|strong = "H7200" her|strong = "H5414"  
 mother-in-law|strong = "H2545" what|strong = "H7200"  
 she|strong = "H5892" had|strong = "H5414" gleaned|strong = "H3950".  
 She|strong = "H5892" also|strong = "H3318" brought|strong = "H3318"  
 out|strong = "H3318" and|strong = "H5892" gave|strong = "H5414"  
 her|strong = "H5414" that|strong = "H7200" which|strong = "H5892"  
 she|strong = "H5892" had|strong = "H5414" left|strong = "H3498"  
 from|strong = "H3318" her|strong = "H5414" meal|strong = "H7058"  
 after|strong = "H3318" she|strong = "H5892" had|strong = "H5414"  
 had|strong = "H5414" enough|strong = "H3498".

19'Where|strong = "H0834" did|strong = "H6213" you|strong = "H3117"  
 glean|strong = "H3950" today|strong = "H3117", and|strong = "H3117"  
 where|strong = "H0834" did|strong = "H6213" you|strong = "H3117"  
 work|strong = "H6213"? ' asked|strong = "H7592" her|strong = "H5046"  
 mother-in-law|strong = "H2545". 'A|strong = "H1961"  
 blessing|strong = "H1288" on|strong = "H3117" him|strong = "H5046"  
 who|strong = "H6213" took|strong = "H1961" notice|strong = "H5234"  
 of|strong = "H3117" you|strong = "H3117"!'

S o|strong = "H6213" she|strong = "H5973" told|strong = "H5046"  
 her|strong = "H5046" mother-in-law|strong = "H2545"  
 where|strong = "H0834" she|strong = "H5973" had|strong = "H1961"  
 worked|strong = "H6213". 'The|strong = "H6213" name|strong = "H8034"  
 of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H6213" man|strong = "H0376"  
 with|strong = "H5973" whom|strong = "H0834" I|strong = "H3117"  
 worked|strong = "H6213" today|strong = "H3117", ' she|strong = "H5973"  
 said|strong = "H0559", 'is|strong = "H3117" Boaz|strong = "H1162".'

20Naomi|strong = "H5281" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H4191"  
 her|strong = "H3618" daughter-in-law|strong = "H3618",  
 'May|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" blessing|strong = "H1288"  
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 rest|strong = "H5117" on|strong = "H3068" this|strong = "H1931"  
 man|strong = "H4191" who|strong = "H1931" has|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" ceased|strong = "H2308" to|strong = "H4191"  
 show|strong = "H7200" his|strong = "H3068" loving-kindness

to|strong = "H4191" the|strong = "H3068" living|strong = "H2416"  
 and|strong = "H3068" to|strong = "H4191" the|strong = "H3068"  
 dead|strong = "H4191". The|strong = "H3068" man|strong = "H4191",  
 she|strong = "H1931" added|strong = "H3254", 'is|strong = "H3068"  
 a|strong = "H3068" near|strong = "H7138" relation of|strong = "H3068"  
 ours|strong = "H6440".'

21'He|strong = "H3588" told|strong = "H5046" me|strong = "H5973",  
 Ruth|strong = "H7327" said|strong = "H0559", 'that|strong = "H3588"  
 I|strong = "H3588" must|strong = "H1571" keep|strong = "H1692"  
 near|strong = "H5973" his|strong = "H3605" young|strong = "H5288"  
 men|strong = "H5288" until|strong = "H5704" they|strong = "H3588"  
 have|strong = "H1571" completed|strong = "H3615" all|strong = "H3605"  
 his|strong = "H3605" harvest|strong = "H7105".'

22Naomi|strong = "H5281" said|strong = "H3318" to|strong = "H3318"  
 Ruth|strong = "H7327", 'It|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H2896"  
 best|strong = "H2896", my|strong = "H3318" daughter|strong = "H1323",  
 that|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" should|strong = "H3588"  
 go|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318" with|strong = "H5973"  
 his|strong = "H3588" girls|strong = "H5291" because|strong = "H3588"  
 you|strong = "H3588" might|strong = "H1323" not|strong = "H3808"  
 be|strong = "H3808" as|strong = "H3588" safe|strong = "H7965"  
 in|strong = "H3808" another|strong = "H3808" field|strong = "H7704".<sup>23</sup>  
 So|strong = "H3427" she|strong = "H5704" gleaned|strong = "H3950"  
 with|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H5704" girls|strong = "H5291"  
 of|strong = "H3427" Boaz|strong = "H1162" until|strong = "H5704"  
 the|strong = "H5704" end|strong = "H3615" of|strong = "H3427"  
 the|strong = "H5704" barley|strong = "H8184" and|strong = "H3427"  
 wheat|strong = "H2406" harvest|strong = "H7105"; but|strong = "H3588"  
 she|strong = "H5704" lived|strong = "H3427" with|strong = "H3427"  
 her|strong = "H5291" mother-in-law|strong = "H2545".

Night and morning

3One|strong = "H3808" day|strong = "H3117", Naomi|strong = "H5281"  
 said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H1245" Ruth|strong = "H7327",  
 'My|strong = "H1245" daughter|strong = "H1323", should|strong = "H1323"  
 I|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808" seek|strong = "H1245"  
 to|strong = "H1245" secure|strong = "H0982" a|strong = "H1245"  
 home|strong = "H1004" for|strong = "H1245" you|strong = "H3808"  
 where|strong = "H3808" you|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3808"  
 be|strong = "H3808" happy|strong = "H3190" and|strong = "H1323"  
 prosperous|strong = "H6743"?<sup>2</sup> Is|strong = "H1931" not|strong = "H3808"  
 Boaz|strong = "H1162", with|strong = "H1961" whose|strong = "H0834"  
 girls|strong = "H5291" you|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H1961"

been|strong = "H1961", a|strong = "H1961" relative|strong = "H1350"  
of|strong = "H1637" ours|strong = "H6440"? <sup>3</sup> Tonight|strong = "H3915"  
he|strong = "H5704" is|strong = "H0369" going|strong = "H3381"  
to|strong = "H5704" winnow|strong = "H2219" barley|strong = "H8184"  
on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" threshing-floor.  
So|strong = "H7760" bathe|strong = "H7364" and|strong = "H3381"  
anoint|strong = "H5480" yourself|strong = "H5921" and|strong = "H3381"  
put|strong = "H7760" on|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921"  
best|strong = "H2459" clothes|strong = "H8071" and|strong = "H3381"  
go|strong = "H3381" down|strong = "H3381" to|strong = "H5704"  
the|strong = "H5921" threshing-floor. But|strong = "H5921"  
do|strong = "H3381" not|strong = "H3045" make|strong = "H7760"  
yourself|strong = "H5921" known|strong = "H3045" to|strong = "H5704"  
the|strong = "H5921" man|strong = "H3045" until|strong = "H5704"  
he|strong = "H5704" has|strong = "H3045" finished|strong = "H3615"  
eating|strong = "H0398" and|strong = "H3381" drinking|strong = "H8354". <sup>4</sup>  
Then|strong = "H1961" when|strong = "H1961" he|strong = "H1931"  
lies|strong = "H7901" down|strong = "H7901", mark|strong = "H3045"  
the|strong = "H6213" place|strong = "H4725" where|strong = "H8033"  
he|strong = "H1931" lies|strong = "H7901". Go|strong = "H1540"  
in|strong = "H6213", uncover|strong = "H1540" his|strong = "H3045"  
feet|strong = "H4772", lie|strong = "H7901" down|strong = "H7901",  
and|strong = "H8033" then|strong = "H1961" he|strong = "H1931"  
will|strong = "H1961" tell|strong = "H5046" you|strong = "H6213"  
what|strong = "H3045" to|strong = "H1961" do|strong = "H6213".'

5'I|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H6213" do|strong = "H6213"  
as|strong = "H6213" you|strong = "H3605" say|strong = "H0559".'  
Ruth|strong = "H7327" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H6213"  
her|strong = "H3605".

6So|strong = "H6213" she|strong = "H1931" went|strong = "H3381"  
down|strong = "H3381" to|strong = "H3381" the|strong = "H3605"  
threshing-floor and|strong = "H6213" did|strong = "H6213"  
just|strong = "H3605" as|strong = "H6213" her|strong = "H3605"  
mother-in-law|strong = "H2545" told|strong = "H6680" her|strong = "H3605".  
<sup>7</sup> When|strong = "H7901" Boaz|strong = "H1162" had|strong = "H1162"  
finished|strong = "H3615" eating|strong = "H0398" and|strong = "H8354"  
drinking|strong = "H8354" and|strong = "H8354" was|strong = "H3820"  
in|strong = "H7901" a|strong = "H7901" happy|strong = "H3190" mood,  
he|strong = "H8354" went|strong = "H1540" to|strong = "H3820"  
lie|strong = "H7901" down|strong = "H7901" at|strong = "H7097"  
the|strong = "H1540" end|strong = "H7097" of|strong = "H3820"  
the|strong = "H1540" heap|strong = "H6194" of|strong = "H3820"  
grain|strong = "H6194". Then|strong = "H0227" Ruth|strong = "H7327"

came|strong="H0935" quietly|strong="H3909" and|strong="H8354"  
 uncovered|strong="H1540" his|strong="H1540" feet|strong="H4772"  
 and|strong="H8354" lay|strong="H7901" down|strong="H7901". <sup>8</sup>  
 At|strong="H1961" midnight|strong="H2677" the|strong="H1961"  
 man|strong="H0376" was|strong="H1961" startled|strong="H2729"  
 and|strong="H3915" turned|strong="H1961" over|strong="H5921",  
 and|strong="H3915" there|strong="H2009" was|strong="H1961"  
 a|strong="H1961" woman|strong="H0802" lying|strong="H7901"  
 at|strong="H1961" his|strong="H1961" feet|strong="H4772"! <sup>9</sup>  
 'Who|strong="H4310" are|strong="H4310" you|strong="H3588"?'  
 he|strong="H3588" said|strong="H0559". 'I|strong="H3588"  
 am|strong="H1961" Ruth|strong="H7327" your|strong="H5921"  
 servant|strong="H5650",' she|strong="H3588" answered|strong="H6030",  
 'Spread|strong="H6566" your|strong="H5921" cloak|strong="H8008"  
 over|strong="H5921" your|strong="H5921" servant|strong="H5650",  
 for|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" are|strong="H4310"  
 a|strong="H3588" near|strong="H5921" relative|strong="H1350'.' <sup>10</sup>  
 He|strong="H3068" said|strong="H0559", 'May|strong="H3068"  
 you|strong="H1288" be|strong="H3068" blest by|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, my|strong="H3068"  
 daughter|strong="H1323". You|strong="H1288" have|strong="H3068"  
 shown|strong="H3190" me|strong="H4480" greater|strong="H1419"  
 favour|strong="H2617" now|strong="H3212" than|strong="H4480"  
 at|strong="H3068" first|strong="H7223", for|strong="H3068"  
 you|strong="H1288" have|strong="H3068" not|strong="H1115"  
 followed|strong="H3212" young|strong="H1115" men|strong="H6223",  
 whether|strong="H4480" poor|strong="H1800" or|strong="H4480"  
 rich|strong="H6223". <sup>11</sup> My|strong="H3605" daughter|strong="H1323",  
 have|strong="H5971" no|strong="H6213" fear|strong="H3372".  
 I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H5971" do|strong="H6213"  
 for|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" all|strong="H3605"  
 that|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" ask|strong="H7592",  
 for|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3605" whole|strong="H3605"  
 town|strong="H8179" knows|strong="H3045" that|strong="H3588"  
 you|strong="H3588" are|strong="H5971" a|strong="H6213"  
 virtuous|strong="H2428" woman|strong="H1323". <sup>12</sup>  
 Now|strong="H6258" it|strong="H3588" is|strong="H3426"  
 true|strong="H0571" that|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588"  
 am|strong="H3426" a|strong="H3588" near|strong="H7138"  
 relative|strong="H1350", but|strong="H3588" there|strong="H3426"  
 is|strong="H3426" another|strong="H1571" man|strong="H0376"  
 nearer|strong="H7138" than|strong="H4480" I|strong="H3588". <sup>13</sup>  
 Stay|strong="H3885" here|strong="H5704" tonight|strong="H3915",  
 and|strong="H3068" then|strong="H1961" in|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3068" morning|strong="H1242", if|strong="H1961"  
 he|strong="H5704" will|strong="H3068" perform|strong="H6213"



for|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3068"  
 duty|strong = "H2992" of|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H1961"  
 kinsman|strong = "H1350", well|strong = "H2896", let|strong = "H3808"  
 him|strong = "H2896" do|strong = "H3068" it|strong = "H1242".  
 But|strong = "H3808" if|strong = "H1961" he|strong = "H5704"  
 will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" perform|strong = "H6213"  
 for|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3068"  
 duty|strong = "H2992" of|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H1961"  
 kinsman|strong = "H1350", then|strong = "H1961" as|strong = "H5704"  
 surely|strong = "H1961" as|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* lives|strong = "H2416", I|strong = "H5704"  
 will|strong = "H3068" do|strong = "H3068" it|strong = "H1242"  
 for|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H5704". Lie|strong = "H7901"  
 down|strong = "H7901" until|strong = "H5704" morning|strong = "H1242".'

14So|strong = "H6965" she|strong = "H3588" lay|strong = "H7901"  
 at|strong = "H6965" his|strong = "H3045" feet|strong = "H4772"  
 until|strong = "H5704" morning|strong = "H1242", but|strong = "H3588"  
 rose|strong = "H6965" before|strong = "H5704" anyone|strong = "H3588"  
 could|strong = "H3045" recognise her|strong = "H3045", for|strong = "H3588"  
 Boaz|strong = "H1162" said|strong = "H0559", 'No|strong = "H3045"  
 one|strong = "H3588" must|strong = "H4191" know|strong = "H3045"  
 that|strong = "H3588" a|strong = "H3588" woman|strong = "H0802"  
 came|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3588"  
 threshing-floor.' <sup>15</sup> He|strong = "H5921" also|strong = "H1571"  
 said|strong = "H0559", 'Bring|strong = "H3051" the|strong = "H5921"  
 cloak|strong = "H4304" which|strong = "H5892" you|strong = "H5921"  
 have|strong = "H5892" on|strong = "H5921" and|strong = "H5892"  
 hold|strong = "H7896" it|strong = "H5921".' So|strong = "H5921"  
 she|strong = "H5921" held|strong = "H2388" it|strong = "H5921"  
 while|strong = "H5921" he|strong = "H5921" poured|strong = "H8210"  
 into|strong = "H5921" it|strong = "H5921" six|strong = "H8337"  
 measures|strong = "H5429" of|strong = "H5892" barley|strong = "H8184"  
 and|strong = "H5892" laid|strong = "H7896" it|strong = "H5921"  
 on|strong = "H5921" her|strong = "H5921" shoulders|strong = "H3802".  
 Then|strong = "H0227" he|strong = "H5921" went|strong = "H5892"  
 into|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" city|strong = "H5892".

16When|strong = "H6213" Ruth|strong = "H7327" came|strong = "H1323"  
 to|strong = "H6213" her|strong = "H3605" mother-in-law|strong = "H2545",  
 Naomi|strong = "H5281" asked|strong = "H7592", 'Is|strong = "H4310"  
 it|strong = "H6213" you|strong = "H3605", my|strong = "H3605"  
 daughter|strong = "H1323"? Then|strong = "H6213" Ruth|strong = "H7327"  
 told|strong = "H5046" Naomi|strong = "H5281" all|strong = "H3605"  
 that|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" man|strong = "H3605"

had|strong = "H6213" done|strong = "H6213" for|strong = "H6213"  
 her|strong = "H3605". <sup>17</sup> 'He|strong = "H3588" gave|strong = "H5414"  
 me|strong = "H5414" these|strong = "H0428" six|strong = "H8337"  
 measures|strong = "H5429" of|strong = "H1121" barley|strong = "H8184",  
 she|strong = "H3588" said|strong = "H0559", 'for|strong = "H3588"  
 he|strong = "H3588" said|strong = "H0559" I|strong = "H3588"  
 should|strong = "H3588" not|strong = "H5414" go|strong = "H1980"  
 to|strong = "H5414" my|strong = "H5414" mother-in-law|strong = "H2545"  
 empty-handed|strong = "H7387".'

18'Wait|strong = "H3427" quietly|strong = "H8252", my|strong = "H3045"  
 daughter|strong = "H1323".' Naomi|strong = "H5281" said|strong = "H1697",  
 'Until|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H3588" know|strong = "H3045"  
 how|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" affair|strong = "H1697"  
 will|strong = "H1697" turn|strong = "H7725" out|strong = "H3045",  
 for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" man|strong = "H5307"  
 will|strong = "H1697" not|strong = "H3808" rest|strong = "H8252"  
 unless|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" settles|strong = "H3427"  
 it|strong = "H3588" all|strong = "H3045" today|strong = "H3117".'

4Then|strong = "H1696" Boaz|strong = "H1162" went|strong = "H5927"  
 up|strong = "H5927" to|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H5674"  
 gate|strong = "H8179" and|strong = "H8033" sat|strong = "H3427"  
 down|strong = "H3427". Just|strong = "H1696" then|strong = "H1696"  
 the|strong = "H5674" near|strong = "H8033" kinsman|strong = "H1350"  
 of|strong = "H3427" whom|strong = "H0834" Boaz|strong = "H1162"  
 had|strong = "H1162" spoken|strong = "H1696" came|strong = "H5927"  
 along|strong = "H5674". Boaz|strong = "H1162" said|strong = "H1696",  
 'Hello, So-and-so (calling|strong = "H7121" him|strong = "H5927"  
 by|strong = "H5674" name|strong = "H8034"), come|strong = "H5927"  
 here|strong = "H6311" and|strong = "H8033" sit|strong = "H3427"  
 down|strong = "H3427".' So|strong = "H5927" he|strong = "H8033"  
 stopped|strong = "H5493" and|strong = "H8033" sat|strong = "H3427"  
 down|strong = "H3427". <sup>2</sup> Boaz|strong = "H1162" also|strong = "H1571"  
 took|strong = "H3947" ten|strong = "H6235" of|strong = "H3427"  
 the|strong = "H3947" town|strong = "H5892" elders|strong = "H2205"  
 and|strong = "H5892" said|strong = "H0559", 'Sit|strong = "H3427"  
 down|strong = "H3427" here|strong = "H6311".' So|strong = "H3947"  
 they|strong = "H3947" sat|strong = "H3427" down|strong = "H3427".

3Then|strong = "H7725" he|strong = "H7725" said|strong = "H0559"  
 to|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H7725" near|strong = "H7126"  
 relative|strong = "H1350", 'Naomi|strong = "H5281", who|strong = "H4376"  
 has|strong = "H4124" come|strong = "H7725" back|strong = "H7725"  
 from|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H7725" country|strong = "H7704"

of|strong = "H7704" Moab|strong = "H4124", is|strong = "H4124"  
 offering|strong = "H4503" for|strong = "H7704" sale|strong = "H4376"  
 the|strong = "H7725" piece|strong = "H2513" of|strong = "H7704"  
 land|strong = "H7704" which|strong = "H7704" belonged|strong = "H1961"  
 to|strong = "H7725" our|strong = "H7725" relative|strong = "H1350"  
 Elimelech|strong = "H0458", <sup>4</sup> and|strong = "H5971" I|strong = "H3588"  
 thought|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
 would|strong = "H5971" lay|strong = "H1540" the|strong = "H3588"  
 matter|strong = "H1697" before|strong = "H5048" you|strong = "H3588",  
 suggesting that|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
 buy|strong = "H7069" it|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H3427"  
 the|strong = "H3588" presence|strong = "H5048" of|strong = "H3427"  
 these|strong = "H5971" men|strong = "H2205" who|strong = "H5971"  
 sit|strong = "H3427" here|strong = "H1350" and|strong = "H5971"  
 of|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3588" elders|strong = "H2205"  
 of|strong = "H3427" my|strong = "H3045" people|strong = "H5971".  
 If|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5971"  
 buy|strong = "H7069" it|strong = "H3588" and|strong = "H5971"  
 so|strong = "H3808" keep|strong = "H3427" it|strong = "H3588"  
 in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3588" possession|strong = "H0272"  
 of|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3588" family|strong = "H4940",  
 do|strong = "H6213" so|strong = "H3808"; but|strong = "H3588"  
 if|strong = "H3588" not|strong = "H3808"; then|strong = "H3588"  
 tell|strong = "H5046" me|strong = "H5046", so|strong = "H3808"  
 that|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" may|strong = "H5971"  
 know|strong = "H3045"; for|strong = "H3588" no|strong = "H3808"  
 one|strong = "H3808" but|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
 has|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" right|strong = "H3045"  
 to|strong = "H1540" buy|strong = "H7069" it|strong = "H3588",  
 and|strong = "H5971" I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961"  
 next|strong = "H1350" to|strong = "H1540" you|strong = "H3588".'

‘ I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5971" buy|strong = "H7069"  
 it|strong = "H3588",’ he|strong = "H3588" said|strong = "H0559".

5Then|strong = "H6965" Boaz|strong = "H1162" said|strong = "H0559",  
 ‘On|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" day|strong = "H3117"  
 you|strong = "H5921" buy|strong = "H7069" the|strong = "H5921"  
 field|strong = "H7704" from|strong = "H5921" Naomi|strong = "H5281",  
 you|strong = "H5921" must|strong = "H4191" also|strong = "H8034"  
 marry|strong = "H5921" Ruth|strong = "H7327" the|strong = "H5921"  
 Moabite|strong = "H4125", the|strong = "H5921" widow|strong = "H0490"  
 of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H5921" dead|strong = "H4191",  
 in|strong = "H5921" order|strong = "H3027" to|strong = "H4191"  
 preserve|strong = "H5341" the|strong = "H5921" name|strong = "H8034”

of|strong="H3117" the|strong="H5921" dead|strong="H4191"  
in|strong="H5921" connection|strong="H5921" with|strong="H5921"  
his|strong="H5921" inheritance|strong="H5159".'

6'I|strong="H3588" cannot|strong="H3808" buy|strong="H1350"  
it|strong="H3588" for|strong="H3588" myself|strong="H0589"  
without|strong="H3808" spoiling|strong="H7701" my|strong="H3588"  
own|strong="H1961" inheritance|strong="H5159", the|strong="H3588"  
near|strong="H3808" relative|strong="H1350" said|strong="H0559".  
'You|strong="H3588" take|strong="H3947" my|strong="H3588"  
right|strong="H1353" of|strong="H1350" buying|strong="H7069"  
it|strong="H3588" as|strong="H3588" a|strong="H3588"  
relative|strong="H1350", because|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588"  
cannot|strong="H3808" do|strong="H3201" so|strong="H6435".'

7Now|strong="H5414" this|strong="H2063" used|strong="H3605"  
to|strong="H3478" be|strong="H1697" the|strong="H3605"  
custom|strong="H1697" in|strong="H5921" Israel|strong="H3478":  
to|strong="H3478" make|strong="H5414" valid|strong="H1961"  
anything|strong="H3605" relating|strong="H5608" to|strong="H3478"  
a|strong="H5414" matter|strong="H1697" of|strong="H1697"  
redemption|strong="H1353" or|strong="H7453"  
exchange|strong="H8545", a|strong="H5414" man|strong="H3605"  
drew|strong="H8025" off|strong="H5921" his|strong="H3605"  
sandal|strong="H5275" and|strong="H6965" gave|strong="H5414"  
it|strong="H5414" to|strong="H3478" the|strong="H3605"  
other|strong="H7453" man|strong="H3605"; and|strong="H6965"  
this|strong="H2063" was|strong="H3478" the|strong="H3605"  
way|strong="H1697" contracts were|strong="H3478" attested  
in|strong="H5921" Israel|strong="H3478". <sup>8</sup> So|strong="H1350"  
when|strong="H3588" the|strong="H7069" near|strong="H7126"  
relative|strong="H1350" said|strong="H0559" to|strong="H1350"  
Boaz|strong="H1162", 'Buy|strong="H7069" it|strong="H1350"  
for|strong="H3588" yourself|strong="H0859", Boaz|strong="H1162"  
drew|strong="H8025" off|strong="H8025" the|strong="H7069"  
man's|strong="H0376" sandal|strong="H5275".

9Then|strong="H3588" Boaz|strong="H1162" said|strong="H0559"  
to|strong="H3027" the|strong="H3605" elders|strong="H2205"  
and|strong="H3117" to|strong="H3027" all|strong="H3605"  
the|strong="H3605" people|strong="H5971", 'You|strong="H3588"  
are|strong="H3117" witnesses|strong="H5707" at|strong="H3117"  
this|strong="H3588" time|strong="H3117" that|strong="H3588"  
I|strong="H3588" have|strong="H5971" bought|strong="H7069"  
all|strong="H3605" that|strong="H3588" was|strong="H3117"

Elimelech's and all the people that was in Chilion and Mahlon's from Naomi. <sup>10</sup> Moreover I have secured Ruth the Moabite, the wife of Mahlon, to my wife, in order to perpetuate the name of Mahlon of the connection with his inheritance, so that his name will not disappear from among his relatives and from the household where he lived. You are witnesses this day.'

11 Then all the people who were at the gate and the elders said, 'We are witnesses. May the Lord w<sup>\*</sup> make the woman who is coming into your house like Rachel and Leah, who together built the house of Israel. May you do well in Ephrata, and become famous in Bethlehem. <sup>12</sup> From the children whom the Lord w<sup>\*</sup> will give you by this young woman may your household become like the

household|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004" Perez|strong = "H6557",  
whom|strong = "H0834" Tamar|strong = "H8559" bore|strong = "H3205"  
to|strong = "H3068" Judah|strong = "H3063".'

13So|strong = "H3947" Boaz|strong = "H1162" married|strong = "H3947"  
Ruth|strong = "H7327", and|strong = "H1121" she|strong = "H1931"  
became|strong = "H3205" his|strong = "H5414" wife|strong = "H0802";  
and|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H5414" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
gave|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H3068" her|strong = "H5414"  
a|strong = "H1961" son|strong = "H1121". <sup>14</sup> Then|strong = "H7121"  
the|strong = "H3068" women|strong = "H0802" said|strong = "H7121"  
to|strong = "H3478" Naomi|strong = "H5281", 'Blessed|strong = "H1288"  
be|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
who|strong = "H3068" has|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
left|strong = "H7673" you|strong = "H3117" at|strong = "H3478"  
this|strong = "H7121" time|strong = "H3117" without|strong = "H3808"  
a|strong = "H7121" near|strong = "H3808" relative|strong = "H1350",  
and|strong = "H3478" may|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068"  
name|strong = "H8034" be|strong = "H3808" famous|strong = "H8034"  
in|strong = "H3478" Israel|strong = "H3478". <sup>15</sup> This|strong = "H1931"  
child|strong = "H1121" will|strong = "H1961" restore|strong = "H7725"  
your|strong = "H7725" vigor|strong = "H3624" and|strong = "H1121"  
nourish|strong = "H3557" you|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H5315"  
your|strong = "H7725" old|strong = "H1121" age|strong = "H7872";  
for|strong = "H3588" your|strong = "H7725"  
daughter-in-law|strong = "H3618" who|strong = "H1931"  
loves|strong = "H0157" you|strong = "H3588", who|strong = "H1931"  
is|strong = "H1931" worth|strong = "H1929" more|strong = "H3588"  
to|strong = "H7725" you|strong = "H3588" than|strong = "H2896"  
seven|strong = "H7651" sons|strong = "H1121", has|strong = "H1961"  
borne|strong = "H3205" a|strong = "H1961" son|strong = "H1121"  
to|strong = "H7725" Boaz|strong = "H1162"!

16So|strong = "H3947" Naomi|strong = "H5281" took|strong = "H3947"  
the|strong = "H3947" child|strong = "H3206" in|strong = "H1961"  
her|strong = "H3947" arms|strong = "H2436" and|strong = "H3947"  
cared|strong = "H3045" for|strong = "H1961" him|strong = "H3947"  
as|strong = "H1961" if|strong = "H1961" he|strong = "H3947"  
was|strong = "H1961" her|strong = "H3947" own|strong = "H1961". <sup>17</sup>  
The|strong = "H3205" women|strong = "H7934" of|strong = "H1121"  
the|strong = "H3205" neighbourhood gave|strong = "H3205"  
him|strong = "H3205" a|strong = "H3205" name|strong = "H8034",  
saying|strong = "H0559", 'A|strong = "H3205" son|strong = "H1121"  
is|strong = "H1931" born|strong = "H3205" to|strong = "H3205"  
Naomi|strong = "H5281"! They|strong = "H1931" named|strong = "H7121"

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The Follies of a Despot

1These events happened in the time of Ahasuerus, who ruled over a hundred and twenty-seven provinces from India to Ethiopia from his royal throne in the fortified palace of Susa.

3In the third year of his reign, the king gave a feast for all his officers and courtiers. The commanders of the military forces of Persia and Media and provincial rulers were present while for one hundred and eighty days he showed them the glorious riches of his kingdom and the costliness of his magnificent regalia.

5When these days were ended, the king held a banquet for all the people who were present in the royal palace at Susa, high

and|strong = "H4428" low|strong = "H8213" alike|strong = "H3162".  
 It|strong = "H6213" was|strong = "H3117" a|strong = "H6213"  
 seven|strong = "H7651" days'|strong = "H3117" feast|strong = "H4960"  
 in|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3605" enclosed|strong = "H1004"  
 garden|strong = "H1594" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"  
 royal|strong = "H4428" palace|strong = "H1002". <sup>6</sup> There|strong = "H8033"  
 were|strong = "H5921" white|strong = "H2353" and|strong = "H3701"  
 violet|strong = "H8504" cotton curtains|strong = "H3407"  
 fastened|strong = "H8628" to|strong = "H5921" silver|strong = "H3701"  
 rings|strong = "H1550" and|strong = "H3701" pillars|strong = "H5982"  
 of|strong = "H5982" marble|strong = "H8336" with|strong = "H5921"  
 cords|strong = "H2256" of|strong = "H5982" fine|strong = "H8336"  
 purple|strong = "H8504" wool|strong = "H6785" and|strong = "H3701"  
 linen|strong = "H8336". The|strong = "H5921" couches|strong = "H4296"  
 were|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H5982" gold|strong = "H2091"  
 and|strong = "H3701" silver|strong = "H3701" placed|strong = "H5414"  
 upon|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H5921" mosaic|strong = "H7531"  
 pavement|strong = "H7531" of|strong = "H5982" alabaster|strong = "H8336",  
 white|strong = "H2353" marble|strong = "H8336",  
 mother-of-pearl|strong = "H1858", and|strong = "H3701"  
 dark|strong = "H2822" stone|strong = "H0068". <sup>7</sup> Drink|strong = "H8248"  
 was|strong = "H4428" brought|strong = "H4428" in|strong = "H4428"  
 vessels|strong = "H3627" of|strong = "H4428" gold|strong = "H2091" –  
 which|strong = "H2091" were|strong = "H3027" all|strong = "H3605"  
 different|strong = "H8133" – and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3027"  
 king's|strong = "H4428" wine|strong = "H3196" was|strong = "H4428"  
 provided|strong = "H8248" with|strong = "H3027" royal|strong = "H4438"  
 liberality. <sup>8</sup> The|strong = "H3605" drinking|strong = "H8360"  
 was|strong = "H4428" unrestricted|strong = "H4164", for|strong = "H3588"  
 the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428" had|strong = "H4428"  
 directed|strong = "H5090" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 officers|strong = "H7227" of|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H3605"  
 household|strong = "H1004" to|strong = "H6213" let|strong = "H3651"  
 each|strong = "H3605" man|strong = "H3605" do|strong = "H6213"  
 as|strong = "H6213" he|strong = "H3588" pleased|strong = "H7522". <sup>9</sup>  
 Queen|strong = "H4436" Vashti|strong = "H2060" also|strong = "H1571"  
 gave|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H6213" feast|strong = "H4960"  
 for|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H6213" women|strong = "H0802"  
 in|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H6213" King|strong = "H4428"  
 Ahasuerus'|strong = "H0325" royal|strong = "H4438"  
 palace|strong = "H1004".

10On|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H6440" seventh|strong = "H7637"  
 day|strong = "H3117", when|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H6440"  
 king|strong = "H4428" was|strong = "H3820" merry|strong = "H2896"

with|strong = "H6440" wine|strong = "H3196", he|strong = "H3117"  
 commanded|strong = "H6680" Mehuman|strong = "H4104",  
 Biztha|strong = "H0968", Harbona|strong = "H2726",  
 Bigtha|strong = "H0903", Abagtha|strong = "H0005", Zathar  
 and|strong = "H4428" Carkas|strong = "H3752", his|strong = "H6440"  
 seven|strong = "H7651" eunuch|strong = "H5631"  
 attendants|strong = "H5650" <sup>11</sup> to|strong = "H6440" bring|strong = "H0935"  
 Queen|strong = "H4436" Vashti|strong = "H2060" before|strong = "H6440"  
 him|strong = "H6440" with|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440"  
 royal|strong = "H4438" diadem|strong = "H6797" on|strong = "H7200"  
 her|strong = "H7200" head|strong = "H8269", to|strong = "H6440"  
 show|strong = "H7200" her|strong = "H7200" beauty|strong = "H3308"  
 to|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" people|strong = "H5971"  
 and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440" officials|strong = "H8269",  
 for|strong = "H3588" she|strong = "H1931" was|strong = "H1931"  
 very|strong = "H2896" beautiful|strong = "H2896". <sup>12</sup> But|strong = "H4428"  
 Queen|strong = "H4436" Vashti|strong = "H2060" refused|strong = "H3985"  
 to|strong = "H3027" come|strong = "H2534" as|strong = "H1697"  
 the|strong = "H1697" king|strong = "H4428" commanded|strong = "H6680"  
 through|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H1697" eunuchs|strong = "H5631".  
 Then|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H1697" king|strong = "H4428"  
 became|strong = "H1697" very|strong = "H3966" angry|strong = "H7107"  
 and|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H3027" fury|strong = "H2534"  
 burned|strong = "H1197" within|strong = "H7130" him|strong = "H3027".

<sup>13</sup>The|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428" turned|strong = "H6256"  
 to|strong = "H6256" the|strong = "H3605" wise|strong = "H2450"  
 men|strong = "H2450" who|strong = "H3605" knew|strong = "H3045"  
 the|strong = "H3605" precedents, for|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H3588"  
 was|strong = "H1697" his|strong = "H3605" custom|strong = "H3651"  
 to|strong = "H6256" confer with|strong = "H6440" those|strong = "H3605"  
 wise|strong = "H2450" in|strong = "H4428" law|strong = "H1881". <sup>14</sup>  
 Those|strong = "H3427" next|strong = "H7138" to|strong = "H6440"  
 him|strong = "H6440" were|strong = "H8269" Carshena|strong = "H3771",  
 Shethar|strong = "H8369", Admatha|strong = "H0133",  
 Tarshish|strong = "H8659", Meres|strong = "H4825",  
 Marsena|strong = "H4826" and|strong = "H4428"  
 Memucan|strong = "H4462", seven|strong = "H7651"  
 officials|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H4428" Persia|strong = "H6539"  
 and|strong = "H4428" Media|strong = "H4074" who|strong = "H3427"  
 had|strong = "H4428" access|strong = "H7200" to|strong = "H6440"  
 the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428" and|strong = "H4428"  
 were|strong = "H8269" highest|strong = "H8064" in|strong = "H3427"  
 the|strong = "H6440" kingdom|strong = "H4438". <sup>15</sup>  
 'Queen|strong = "H4436" Vashti', the|strong = "H5921"

king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H3982", 'has|strong = "H4428"  
 failed|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H6213" obey|strong = "H6213"  
 my|strong = "H5921" royal|strong = "H4428" command|strong = "H3027" –  
 the|strong = "H5921" command|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H4428"  
 King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325"  
 conveyed|strong = "H1697" through|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H5921"  
 eunuchs|strong = "H5631"! What|strong = "H4100" does|strong = "H6213"  
 the|strong = "H5921" law|strong = "H1881" say|strong = "H0559"  
 should|strong = "H4100" be|strong = "H3808" done|strong = "H6213"  
 to|strong = "H6213" her|strong = "H5921"?"

16Memucan|strong = "H4462" replied|strong = "H0559"  
 before|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"  
 and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" officials|strong = "H8269",  
 'Queen|strong = "H4436" Vashti|strong = "H2060" has|strong = "H4428"  
 done|strong = "H3605" wrong|strong = "H5753" not|strong = "H3808"  
 only|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"  
 king|strong = "H4428" but|strong = "H3588" also|strong = "H4428"  
 to|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 officials|strong = "H8269" and|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H5921"  
 all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" peoples|strong = "H5971"  
 in|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H3605" king's|strong = "H4428" provinces|strong = "H4082".  
<sup>17</sup> The|strong = "H3605" refusal of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"  
 queen|strong = "H4436" will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H3808"  
 reported|strong = "H3318" to|strong = "H3318" all|strong = "H3605"  
 the|strong = "H3605" women|strong = "H0802" with|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H3605" result|strong = "H6903" that|strong = "H3588"  
 it|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H4428" make|strong = "H3588"  
 them|strong = "H5921" despise|strong = "H3988" their|strong = "H3605"  
 husbands|strong = "H1167". They|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H4428"  
 say|strong = "H1697", "King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325"  
 commanded|strong = "H6680" Queen|strong = "H4436"  
 Vashti|strong = "H2060" to|strong = "H3318" be|strong = "H3808"  
 brought|strong = "H3318" in|strong = "H5921" before|strong = "H6440"  
 him|strong = "H6440", but|strong = "H3588" she|strong = "H3588"  
 did|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808" come|strong = "H3318"!" <sup>18</sup>  
 This|strong = "H2088" very|strong = "H2088" day|strong = "H3117"  
 the|strong = "H3605" ladies|strong = "H8282" of|strong = "H4428"  
 Persia|strong = "H6539" and|strong = "H4428" Media|strong = "H4074"  
 who|strong = "H3605" have|strong = "H1697" heard|strong = "H8085"  
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" refusal of|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H3605" queen|strong = "H4436" will|strong = "H4428"  
 tell|strong = "H8085" it|strong = "H3117" to|strong = "H3117"  
 all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" king's|strong = "H4428"

officials|strong = "H8269", and|strong = "H4428" there|strong = "H2088" will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H1697" contempt|strong = "H0937" and|strong = "H4428" strife|strong = "H7379"! <sup>19</sup> If|strong = "H0518" it|strong = "H5414" seems|strong = "H2896" best|strong = "H2896" to|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428", let|strong = "H5414" him|strong = "H5414" send|strong = "H5414" out|strong = "H3318" a|strong = "H5414" royal|strong = "H4438" edict|strong = "H1697". Let|strong = "H5414" it|strong = "H5414" be|strong = "H3808" written|strong = "H3789" among|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H6440" laws|strong = "H1881" of|strong = "H4428" Persia|strong = "H6539" and|strong = "H4428" Media|strong = "H4074", never|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H3318" be|strong = "H3808" repealed|strong = "H5674", that|strong = "H1697" Vashti|strong = "H2060" may|strong = "H4428" never|strong = "H3808" again|strong = "H6440" come|strong = "H3318" before|strong = "H6440" King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325". Let|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428" give|strong = "H5414" her|strong = "H5414" place|strong = "H5414" as|strong = "H1697" queen|strong = "H4436" to|strong = "H3318" another|strong = "H7468" who|strong = "H4428" is|strong = "H1697" more|strong = "H4480" worthy|strong = "H2896" than|strong = "H4480" she|strong = "H5921". <sup>20</sup> When|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" king's|strong = "H4428" decree|strong = "H6599" which|strong = "H1931" he|strong = "H1931" makes|strong = "H6213" is|strong = "H1931" heard|strong = "H8085" throughout|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4438" – great|strong = "H1419" as|strong = "H5704" it|strong = "H5414" is|strong = "H1931" – the|strong = "H3605" wives|strong = "H0802" of|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H3605" classes will|strong = "H4428" give|strong = "H5414" honour|strong = "H3366" to|strong = "H5704" their|strong = "H3605" husbands|strong = "H1167".'

<sup>21</sup>The|strong = "H6213" proposal|strong = "H1697" pleased|strong = "H3190" the|strong = "H6213" king|strong = "H4428" and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6213" officials|strong = "H8269", and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6213" king|strong = "H4428" did|strong = "H6213" as|strong = "H1697" Memucan|strong = "H4462" advised|strong = "H0559". <sup>22</sup> He|strong = "H3605" sent|strong = "H7971" letters|strong = "H5612" to|strong = "H1696" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" provinces|strong = "H4082", to|strong = "H1696" every|strong = "H3605" province|strong = "H4082" in|strong = "H1004" its|strong = "H3605" own|strong = "H1961" system of|strong = "H4428" writing|strong = "H3791" and|strong = "H7971" to|strong = "H1696" every|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971" in|strong = "H1004" their|strong = "H3605" language|strong = "H3956", that|strong = "H5971" every|strong = "H3605" man|strong = "H3605" should|strong = "H4428"

be|strong = "H1961" master|strong = "H8323" in|strong = "H1004"  
his|strong = "H3605" own|strong = "H1961" house|strong = "H1004"!

### Choosing a Queen

2Some|strong = "H1697" time|strong = "H5921" later|strong = "H0310",  
when|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H5921" wrath|strong = "H2534"  
of|strong = "H4428" King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325"  
had|strong = "H4428" subsided|strong = "H7918", he|strong = "H6213"  
remembered|strong = "H2142" what|strong = "H1697"  
Vashti|strong = "H2060" had|strong = "H4428" done|strong = "H6213"  
and|strong = "H4428" what|strong = "H1697" had|strong = "H4428"  
been|strong = "H2142" decreed|strong = "H1504" against|strong = "H5921"  
her|strong = "H5921". <sup>2</sup> Then|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H1245"  
king's|strong = "H4428" servants|strong = "H5288" who|strong = "H5288"  
waited|strong = "H8334" upon|strong = "H4758" him|strong = "H1245"  
said|strong = "H0559", 'Let|strong = "H7971" beautiful|strong = "H2896"  
young|strong = "H5288" virgins|strong = "H1330" be|strong = "H4428"  
sought|strong = "H1245" for|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H1245"  
king|strong = "H4428", <sup>3</sup> and|strong = "H4428" let|strong = "H5414"  
the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428" appoint|strong = "H6485"  
commissioners|strong = "H5632" to|strong = "H5414" all|strong = "H3605"  
the|strong = "H3605" provinces|strong = "H4082" of|strong = "H4428"  
his|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4438" to|strong = "H5414"  
gather|strong = "H6908" them|strong = "H5414" all|strong = "H3605"  
to|strong = "H5414" Susa|strong = "H7800" the|strong = "H3605"  
royal|strong = "H4438" residence|strong = "H1004". Let|strong = "H5414"  
them|strong = "H5414" be|strong = "H3027" brought|strong = "H5414"  
into|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3605" women's|strong = "H0802"  
quarters|strong = "H1004" under|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3605"  
custody|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H4428" Hegai|strong = "H1896",  
the|strong = "H3605" king's|strong = "H4428" eunuch|strong = "H5631",  
who|strong = "H3605" has|strong = "H4428" charge|strong = "H3027"  
of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" women|strong = "H1330".  
Then|strong = "H5414" give|strong = "H5414" them|strong = "H5414"  
what|strong = "H2896" is|strong = "H3027" needed|strong = "H1767"  
to|strong = "H5414" make|strong = "H5414" them|strong = "H5414"  
beautiful|strong = "H2896", <sup>4</sup> and|strong = "H4428" let|strong = "H3651"  
the|strong = "H6213" girl|strong = "H5291" who|strong = "H4428"  
pleases|strong = "H5869" the|strong = "H6213" king|strong = "H4428"  
be|strong = "H1697" queen|strong = "H4427" instead|strong = "H8478"  
of|strong = "H4428" Vashti|strong = "H2060". The|strong = "H6213"  
proposal|strong = "H1697" pleased|strong = "H3190" the|strong = "H6213"  
king|strong = "H4428" so|strong = "H3651" he|strong = "H3651"  
put|strong = "H6213" it|strong = "H6213" into|strong = "H6213"  
action|strong = "H6213".

5 In|strong = "H1121" Susa|strong = "H7800" the|strong = "H1961" royal|strong = "H4438" residence|strong = "H1004" lived|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961" Jew|strong = "H3064" named|strong = "H8034" Mordecai|strong = "H4782". He|strong = "H4782" was|strong = "H8034" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Jair|strong = "H2971", son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Shimei|strong = "H8096", son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Kish|strong = "H7027", a|strong = "H1961" Benjamite|strong = "H1145". <sup>6</sup> (Kish|strong = "H7027" had|strong = "H4428" been|strong = "H1961" carried|strong = "H1540" away|strong = "H1540" from|strong = "H1540" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" with|strong = "H5973" the|strong = "H5973" exiles|strong = "H1473" who|strong = "H3063" were|strong = "H3063" deported|strong = "H1540" with|strong = "H5973" Jeconiah|strong = "H3204" king|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428" Judah|strong = "H3063", whom|strong = "H0834" Nebuchadnezzar|strong = "H5019" the|strong = "H5973" king|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428" Babylon|strong = "H0894" took|strong = "H4428" captive|strong = "H1540".) <sup>7</sup>

Mordecai|strong = "H4782" had|strong = "H1961" adopted|strong = "H2388" Hadassah|strong = "H1919", that|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H1931", Esther|strong = "H0635", his|strong = "H3947" uncle's|strong = "H1730" daughter|strong = "H1323", since|strong = "H3588" she|strong = "H1931" had|strong = "H1961" neither|strong = "H3808" father|strong = "H0001" nor|strong = "H8389" mother|strong = "H0517". The|strong = "H3588" girl|strong = "H5291" was|strong = "H1961" shapely and|strong = "H2896" beautiful|strong = "H3303"; and|strong = "H2896" after|strong = "H1961" her|strong = "H3947" father|strong = "H0001" and|strong = "H2896" mother|strong = "H0517" died|strong = "H4194", Mordecai|strong = "H4782" raised|strong = "H6965" her|strong = "H3947" as|strong = "H1961" if|strong = "H3588" she|strong = "H1931" was|strong = "H1961" his|strong = "H3947" own|strong = "H1961" daughter|strong = "H1323".

8 When|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H8085" king's|strong = "H4428" command|strong = "H1697" and|strong = "H4428" decree|strong = "H1881" were|strong = "H1961" known|strong = "H8085", many|strong = "H7227" girls|strong = "H5291" were|strong = "H1961" gathered|strong = "H6908" together|strong = "H6908" to|strong = "H1961" Susa|strong = "H7800" the|strong = "H8085" capital|strong = "H3805" under|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H8085" custody|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H4428" Hegai|strong = "H1896". Esther|strong = "H0635" was|strong = "H1961" also|strong = "H3027" taken|strong = "H3947" into|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H8085" king's|strong = "H4428" palace|strong = "H1004" and|strong = "H4428" placed|strong = "H3947" under|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H8085" custody|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H4428" Hegai|strong = "H1896", who|strong = "H8104" had|strong = "H1961" charge|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H8085"

women|strong = "H5291". <sup>9</sup> The|strong = "H6440" girl|strong = "H5291" pleased|strong = "H3190" him|strong = "H5414" and|strong = "H4428" gained|strong = "H1214" his|strong = "H5375" favour|strong = "H6440", so|strong = "H5414" that|strong = "H7200" he|strong = "H1004" quickly|strong = "H4116" gave|strong = "H5414" her|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H6440" cosmetics|strong = "H8562" she|strong = "H6440" needed|strong = "H1767" to|strong = "H5414" enhance her|strong = "H5414" beauty|strong = "H3308" and|strong = "H4428" her|strong = "H5414" allowance|strong = "H0737" of|strong = "H4428" food|strong = "H1004" and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440" seven|strong = "H7651" maids|strong = "H5291" selected|strong = "H7200" from|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" king's|strong = "H4428" household|strong = "H1004". He|strong = "H1004" also|strong = "H4428" transferred|strong = "H5437" her|strong = "H5414" and|strong = "H4428" her|strong = "H5414" maids|strong = "H5291" to|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H6440" best|strong = "H2896" place|strong = "H5414" in|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H6440" harem|strong = "H1004". <sup>10</sup> Esther|strong = "H0635" had|strong = "H3588" not|strong = "H3808" revealed|strong = "H1540" her|strong = "H5046" people|strong = "H5971" nor|strong = "H3808" her|strong = "H5046" family|strong = "H4940" background because|strong = "H3588" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" had|strong = "H3588" ordered|strong = "H6680" her|strong = "H5046" not|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H5921". <sup>11</sup> Every|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" would|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H1980" walk|strong = "H1980" in|strong = "H1980" front|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605" courtyard|strong = "H2691" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605" harem|strong = "H1004" and|strong = "H1980" ask|strong = "H7592" after|strong = "H3117" Esther's|strong = "H0635" health|strong = "H7965" and|strong = "H1980" what|strong = "H4100" was|strong = "H3117" happening to|strong = "H1980" her|strong = "H3605".

12The|strong = "H3588" girls|strong = "H5291" were|strong = "H1961" prepared|strong = "H3559" for|strong = "H3588" meeting|strong = "H4150" King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325" for|strong = "H3588" twelve|strong = "H8147" months|strong = "H2320": six|strong = "H8337" months|strong = "H2320" being|strong = "H1961" treated|strong = "H3190" with|strong = "H4390" oil|strong = "H8081" of|strong = "H4428" myrrh|strong = "H4753" and|strong = "H4428" six|strong = "H8337" months|strong = "H2320" with|strong = "H4390" perfumes|strong = "H7547" and|strong = "H4428" cosmetics|strong = "H8562". After|strong = "H7093" the|strong = "H3588" twelve|strong = "H8147" months|strong = "H2320", <sup>13</sup> each|strong = "H3605" girl|strong = "H5291" went|strong = "H4428" in|strong = "H1004" to|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428". She|strong = "H5704" was|strong = "H4428"



allowed|strong="H5414" to|strong="H5704" take|strong="H5414"  
 with|strong="H5973" her|strong="H3605" whatever|strong="H3605"  
 she|strong="H5704" wished|strong="H6634" from|strong="H5704"  
 the|strong="H3605" women's|strong="H0802" quarters|strong="H1004",  
<sup>14</sup> and|strong="H7725" would|strong="H2654" enter|strong="H0935"  
 the|strong="H3588" palace|strong="H1004" in|strong="H1004"  
 the|strong="H3588" evening|strong="H6153" and|strong="H7725"  
 return|strong="H7725" the|strong="H3588" next|strong="H3027"  
 morning|strong="H1242" to|strong="H7725" another|strong="H8145"  
 part|strong="H3027" of|strong="H4428" the|strong="H3588"  
 harem|strong="H1004" under|strong="H3027" the|strong="H3588"  
 care|strong="H3027" of|strong="H4428" the|strong="H3588"  
 king's|strong="H4428" eunuch|strong="H5631"  
 Shaashgaz|strong="H8190" who|strong="H1931" was|strong="H8034"  
 in|strong="H1004" charge|strong="H3027" of|strong="H4428"  
 concubines|strong="H6370". She|strong="H1931" would|strong="H2654"  
 not|strong="H3808" go|strong="H7725" to|strong="H7725"  
 the|strong="H3588" king|strong="H4428" again|strong="H7725"  
 unless|strong="H3588" he|strong="H1931" desired|strong="H2654"  
 her|strong="H7121" and|strong="H7725" summoned|strong="H7121"  
 her|strong="H7121" by|strong="H3027" name|strong="H8034". <sup>15</sup>  
 When|strong="H3588" it|strong="H3588" was|strong="H1961"  
 the|strong="H3605" turn|strong="H8447" of|strong="H4428"  
 Esther|strong="H0635" (the|strong="H3605" girl|strong="H1323"  
 adopted|strong="H2388" by|strong="H1961" Mordecai|strong="H4782",  
 daughter|strong="H1323" of|strong="H4428" his|strong="H3605"  
 uncle|strong="H1730" Abihail|strong="H0032") to|strong="H1961"  
 go|strong="H1961" in|strong="H4428" to|strong="H1961"  
 the|strong="H3605" king|strong="H4428", she|strong="H3588"  
 only|strong="H3588" took|strong="H3947" with|strong="H1697"  
 her|strong="H3605" those|strong="H3605" things|strong="H1697"  
 that|strong="H3588" Hegai|strong="H1896", the|strong="H3605"  
 king's|strong="H4428" eunuch|strong="H5631" in|strong="H4428"  
 charge|strong="H8104" of|strong="H4428" the|strong="H3605"  
 women|strong="H1323", had|strong="H1961" advised|strong="H0559"  
 her|strong="H3605" to|strong="H1961" take|strong="H3947".  
 Esther|strong="H0635" was|strong="H1961" liked|strong="H5869"  
 by|strong="H1961" all|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605"  
 saw|strong="H7200" her|strong="H3605". <sup>16</sup> Esther|strong="H0635"  
 was|strong="H1931" taken|strong="H3947" to|strong="H1004"  
 King|strong="H4428" Ahasuerus|strong="H0325" in|strong="H8141"  
 the|strong="H3947" royal|strong="H4438" palace|strong="H1004"  
 in|strong="H8141" the|strong="H3947" tenth|strong="H6224"  
 month|strong="H2320", the|strong="H3947" month|strong="H2320"  
 of|strong="H4428" Tebeth|strong="H2887", in|strong="H8141"  
 the|strong="H3947" seventh|strong="H7651" year|strong="H8141"

of|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H3947" reign|strong = "H4438". <sup>17</sup>  
 And|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"  
 loved|strong = "H0157" her|strong = "H3605" more|strong = "H3254"  
 than|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 other|strong = "H3605" women|strong = "H1330", and|strong = "H4428"  
 she|strong = "H6440" became|strong = "H4427" his|strong = "H3605"  
 favourite and|strong = "H4428" won|strong = "H1589" his|strong = "H3605"  
 affection|strong = "H2836". He|strong = "H3605" placed|strong = "H7760"  
 the|strong = "H3605" royal|strong = "H4438" diadem|strong = "H6797"  
 on|strong = "H7760" her|strong = "H3605" head|strong = "H7218"  
 and|strong = "H4428" made|strong = "H7760" her|strong = "H3605"  
 queen|strong = "H4427" instead|strong = "H8478" of|strong = "H4428"  
 Vashti|strong = "H2060". <sup>18</sup> Then|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H3605"  
 king|strong = "H4428" gave|strong = "H5414" a|strong = "H6213"  
 great|strong = "H1419" feast|strong = "H4960" to|strong = "H6213"  
 all|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605" officials|strong = "H8269"  
 and|strong = "H4428" courtiers in|strong = "H6213" honour|strong = "H3519"  
 of|strong = "H4428" Esther|strong = "H0635", and|strong = "H4428"  
 he|strong = "H6213" remitted the|strong = "H3605" taxes|strong = "H4061"  
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" provinces|strong = "H4082"  
 and|strong = "H4428" distributed|strong = "H2505" gifts|strong = "H4864"  
 with|strong = "H6213" royal|strong = "H4428" liberality.

19All|strong = "H6908" the|strong = "H6908" time|strong = "H8145"  
 the|strong = "H6908" virgins|strong = "H1330" were|strong = "H3427"  
 assembled|strong = "H6908" again|strong = "H8145",  
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782" was|strong = "H4428" sitting|strong = "H3427"  
 as|strong = "H3427" an|strong = "H3427" official at|strong = "H3427"  
 the|strong = "H6908" king's|strong = "H4428" gate|strong = "H8179". <sup>20</sup>  
 Esther|strong = "H0635" had|strong = "H1961" not|strong = "H6213"  
 revealed|strong = "H1540" her|strong = "H5046" people|strong = "H5971"  
 or|strong = "H6213" family|strong = "H4940" background  
 because|strong = "H5921" she|strong = "H5921" still|strong = "H5971"  
 obeyed|strong = "H8085" him|strong = "H5921" as|strong = "H1961"  
 she|strong = "H5921" had|strong = "H1961" when|strong = "H1961"  
 he|strong = "H6213" was|strong = "H1961" bringing|strong = "H0935"  
 her|strong = "H5046" up|strong = "H5921".  
 Hatred|strong = "H8135" without|strong = "H6213" Pity|strong = "H2347"

21In|strong = "H3427" those|strong = "H1992" days|strong = "H3117"  
 while|strong = "H3117" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" was|strong = "H3117"  
 sitting|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H8104"  
 king's|strong = "H4428" gate|strong = "H8179", two|strong = "H8147"  
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H8104" royal|strong = "H4428"  
 court|strong = "H8179" attendants|strong = "H5650",

Bigthan|strong = "H0904" and|strong = "H7971" Teresh|strong = "H8657",  
 who|strong = "H3427" guarded|strong = "H8104" the|strong = "H8104"  
 entrance|strong = "H8179" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H8104"  
 palace|strong = "H1004", became|strong = "H7107"  
 enraged|strong = "H7107" and|strong = "H7971" attempted|strong = "H3909"  
 to|strong = "H7971" kill|strong = "H2026" King|strong = "H4428"  
 Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325". <sup>22</sup> But|strong = "H4428"  
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782" learned|strong = "H3045" of|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H3045" conspiracy|strong = "H7195" and|strong = "H4428"  
 disclosed|strong = "H5046" it|strong = "H3045" to|strong = "H4428"  
 Queen|strong = "H4436" Esther|strong = "H0635", and|strong = "H4428"  
 she|strong = "H1931" told|strong = "H5046" the|strong = "H3045"  
 king|strong = "H4428" on|strong = "H1697" Mordecai's|strong = "H4782"  
 behalf|strong = "H8034". <sup>23</sup> When|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H6440"  
 affair|strong = "H1697" was|strong = "H1697" investigated|strong = "H1245"  
 and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440" facts  
 discovered|strong = "H4672", the|strong = "H6440"  
 conspirators|strong = "H8518" were|strong = "H3117" both|strong = "H8147"  
 hanged|strong = "H8518" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440"  
 gallows|strong = "H6086". The|strong = "H6440" incident  
 was|strong = "H1697" recorded|strong = "H3789" in|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H6440" presence|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428" in|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H6440" daily|strong = "H3117" record|strong = "H3789"  
 of|strong = "H4428" events|strong = "H1697".

3After|strong = "H5921" these|strong = "H7760" events|strong = "H1697"  
 King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325"  
 promoted|strong = "H1431" Haman|strong = "H2001" the|strong = "H3605"  
 son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Hammedatha|strong = "H4099"  
 the|strong = "H3605" Agagite|strong = "H0091", and|strong = "H1121"  
 advanced|strong = "H5375" him|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H5921"  
 a|strong = "H7760" place|strong = "H7760" above|strong = "H5921"  
 all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" officials|strong = "H8269"  
 who|strong = "H3605" were|strong = "H1121" with|strong = "H5921"  
 him|strong = "H5921". <sup>2</sup> All|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 king's|strong = "H4428" courtiers who|strong = "H3605"  
 were|strong = "H5650" in|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"  
 king's|strong = "H4428" gate|strong = "H8179" used|strong = "H3605"  
 to|strong = "H4428" bow|strong = "H7812" down|strong = "H7812"  
 before|strong = "H3808" Haman|strong = "H2001", for|strong = "H3588"  
 so|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"  
 had|strong = "H4428" commanded|strong = "H6680", but|strong = "H3588"  
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782" did|strong = "H3651" not|strong = "H3808"  
 bow|strong = "H7812" down|strong = "H7812" nor|strong = "H3808"

prostrate|strong = "H7812" himself|strong = "H7812".

3Then|strong = "H5674" the|strong = "H5674" king's|strong = "H4428" courtiers, who|strong = "H5650" were|strong = "H5650" in|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5674" king's|strong = "H4428" gate|strong = "H8179", said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H4428" Mordecai|strong = "H4782", 'Why|strong = "H4069" do|strong = "H6213" you|strong = "H4428" disobey|strong = "H0854" the|strong = "H5674" king's|strong = "H4428" command|strong = "H4687"?'<sup>4</sup> When|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H1992" had|strong = "H1961" spoken|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H1961" him|strong = "H5046" day|strong = "H3117" after|strong = "H1961" day|strong = "H3117" without|strong = "H3808" his|strong = "H8085" listening|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H1961" them|strong = "H1992", they|strong = "H1992" informed|strong = "H5046" Haman|strong = "H2001", to|strong = "H1961" see|strong = "H7200" whether|strong = "H7200" Mordecai's|strong = "H4782" acts|strong = "H1697" would|strong = "H1697" be|strong = "H1961" tolerated, for|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H1931" had|strong = "H1961" told|strong = "H5046" them|strong = "H1992" that|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H1931" was|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961" Jew|strong = "H3064".<sup>5</sup> When|strong = "H3588" Haman|strong = "H2001" saw|strong = "H7200" that|strong = "H3588" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" did|strong = "H7200" not|strong = "H3588" bow|strong = "H7812" down|strong = "H7812" nor|strong = "H3588" prostrate|strong = "H7812" himself|strong = "H7812" before|strong = "H7200" him|strong = "H7200", he|strong = "H3588" was|strong = "H2001" furious|strong = "H2534".<sup>6</sup> But|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H3588" seemed|strong = "H5869" to|strong = "H7971" him|strong = "H7971" beneath|strong = "H8478" his|strong = "H3605" dignity|strong = "H7613" to|strong = "H7971" lay|strong = "H7971" hands|strong = "H3027" on|strong = "H3027" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" alone|strong = "H0905", for|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" had|strong = "H3588" told|strong = "H5046" him|strong = "H7971" who|strong = "H3605" Mordecai's|strong = "H4782" people|strong = "H5971" were|strong = "H5971". Instead|strong = "H3588" Haman|strong = "H2001" sought|strong = "H1245" to|strong = "H7971" destroy|strong = "H8045" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H3027" Mordecai|strong = "H4782", all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064" throughout|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4438" of|strong = "H3027" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325".

7In|strong = "H8141" the|strong = "H6440" first|strong = "H7223" month|strong = "H2320" (the|strong = "H6440" month|strong = "H2320" of|strong = "H4428" Nisan|strong = "H5212") in|strong = "H8141"

the|strong = "H6440" twelfth|strong = "H8147" year|strong = "H8141"  
of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440" reign|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H4428" King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325",  
Haman|strong = "H2001" had|strong = "H4428" "pur|strong = "H6332"  
(which|strong = "H1931" means|strong = "H3027" "lot|strong = "H1486"  
cast|strong = "H5307" before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440"  
to|strong = "H6440" determine|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H6440"  
best|strong = "H2459" day|strong = "H3117" and|strong = "H4428"  
best|strong = "H2459" month|strong = "H2320" for|strong = "H6440"  
his|strong = "H6440" actions|strong = "H5949". The|strong = "H6440"  
lot|strong = "H1486" fell|strong = "H5307" on|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H6440" thirteenth|strong = "H7969" day|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440" twelfth|strong = "H8147"  
month|strong = "H2320" – the|strong = "H6440" month|strong = "H2320"  
of|strong = "H4428" Adar|strong = "H0143".

8So|strong = "H6213" Haman|strong = "H2001" said|strong = "H0559"  
to|strong = "H6213" King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325",  
"There|strong = "H3426" is|strong = "H3426" a|strong = "H6213"  
certain|strong = "H0259" people|strong = "H5971"  
scattered|strong = "H6340" among|strong = "H5971" the|strong = "H3605"  
peoples|strong = "H5971" in|strong = "H6213" all|strong = "H3605"  
the|strong = "H3605" provinces|strong = "H4082" of|strong = "H4428"  
your|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4438", whose|strong = "H3605"  
laws|strong = "H1881" differ from|strong = "H5971" those|strong = "H3605"  
of|strong = "H4428" every|strong = "H3605" other|strong = "H3605"  
and|strong = "H4428" who|strong = "H3605" do|strong = "H6213"  
not|strong = "H6213" keep|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3605"  
king's|strong = "H4428" laws|strong = "H1881". Therefore|strong = "H5971"  
it|strong = "H6213" is|strong = "H3426" not|strong = "H6213"  
right|strong = "H3225" for|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3605"  
king|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H6213" tolerate|strong = "H3201"  
them|strong = "H6213".<sup>9</sup> If|strong = "H0518" it|strong = "H5921"  
seems|strong = "H3190" best|strong = "H2459" to|strong = "H6213"  
the|strong = "H5921" king|strong = "H4428", let|strong = "H7971"  
an|strong = "H6213" order|strong = "H3027" be|strong = "H3027"  
given|strong = "H3027" to|strong = "H6213" destroy|strong = "H6213"  
them|strong = "H5921", and|strong = "H3701" I|strong = "H5921"  
will|strong = "H4428" pay|strong = "H8254" ten|strong = "H6235"  
thousand|strong = "H0505" silver|strong = "H3701" coins  
into|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" royal|strong = "H4428"  
treasury|strong = "H0214".<sup>10</sup> So|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5921"  
king|strong = "H4428" took|strong = "H5493" off|strong = "H5493"  
his|strong = "H5414" signet|strong = "H2885" ring|strong = "H2885"  
from|strong = "H5493" his|strong = "H5414" hand|strong = "H3027"

and|strong = "H1121" gave|strong = "H5414" it|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H5921" Haman|strong = "H2001" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Hammedatha|strong = "H4099" the|strong = "H5921" Agagite|strong = "H0091", the|strong = "H5921" enemy|strong = "H6887" of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H5921" Jews|strong = "H3064". <sup>11</sup> "The|strong = "H5414" money|strong = "H3701" is|strong = "H2896" yours|strong = "H5414", the|strong = "H5414" king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H6213" Haman|strong = "H2001", 'and|strong = "H3701" the|strong = "H5414" people|strong = "H5971" also|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H6213" do|strong = "H6213" with|strong = "H6213" them|strong = "H5414" as|strong = "H6213" you|strong = "H5414" wish|strong = "H2896".' <sup>12</sup> And|strong = "H4428" so|strong = "H7121", on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" thirteenth|strong = "H7969" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" first|strong = "H7223" month|strong = "H2320", the|strong = "H3605" king's|strong = "H4428" secretaries|strong = "H5613" were|strong = "H5971" summoned|strong = "H7121" and|strong = "H4428" as|strong = "H3117" Haman|strong = "H2001" instructed|strong = "H6680" an|strong = "H7121" edict|strong = "H3791" was|strong = "H8034" issued|strong = "H6680" to|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" king's|strong = "H4428" satraps|strong = "H0324" and|strong = "H4428" provincial governors|strong = "H6346" and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" rulers|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H4428" each|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" peoples|strong = "H5971" in|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H3605" own|strong = "H5971" script|strong = "H3791" and|strong = "H4428" their|strong = "H3605" own|strong = "H5971" language|strong = "H3956". The|strong = "H3605" edict|strong = "H3791" was|strong = "H8034" written|strong = "H3789" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H4428" King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325" and|strong = "H4428" sealed|strong = "H2856" with|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H3605" ring|strong = "H2885". <sup>13</sup> Dispatches were|strong = "H3117" sent|strong = "H7971" by|strong = "H3027" couriers|strong = "H7323" to|strong = "H5704" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" king's|strong = "H4428" provinces|strong = "H4082", saying|strong = "H0559": Destroy|strong = "H8045", kill|strong = "H2026", put|strong = "H7971" an|strong = "H7971" end|strong = "H7093" to|strong = "H5704" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064", young|strong = "H5288" and|strong = "H7971" old|strong = "H2205", little|strong = "H2945" children|strong = "H2945" and|strong = "H7971" women|strong = "H2205", on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" thirteenth|strong = "H7969" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" twelfth|strong = "H8147" month|strong = "H2320", and|strong = "H7971" plunder|strong = "H7998" their|strong = "H3605" possessions|strong = "H7998". <sup>14</sup> A|strong = "H1961" copy|strong = "H6572"

of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" edict|strong = "H1881" was|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961" published|strong = "H1540" as|strong = "H3117" a|strong = "H1961" decree|strong = "H1881" in|strong = "H3117" every|strong = "H3605" province|strong = "H4082" – publicly|strong = "H3318" displayed|strong = "H5414" so|strong = "H1961" that|strong = "H5971" everyone|strong = "H3605" might|strong = "H5971" be|strong = "H1961" ready|strong = "H6264" for|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H5971" day|strong = "H3117". <sup>15</sup> By|strong = "H3318" command|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5414" king|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5414" couriers|strong = "H7323" raced off|strong = "H5414", and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5414" edict|strong = "H1697" was|strong = "H1697" published|strong = "H1540" in|strong = "H3427" Susa|strong = "H7800" itself|strong = "H0905".

T hen|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H5414" king|strong = "H4428" and|strong = "H4428" Haman|strong = "H2001" sat|strong = "H3427" down|strong = "H3427" to|strong = "H3318" drink|strong = "H8354", but|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5414" city|strong = "H5892" of|strong = "H4428" Susa|strong = "H7800" was|strong = "H1697" in|strong = "H3427" turmoil|strong = "H2001".

#### A Queen's Efforts to Save Her People

4When|strong = "H3318" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" learned|strong = "H3045" all|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H3045" had|strong = "H4782" been|strong = "H3605" done|strong = "H6213", he|strong = "H6213" tore|strong = "H7167" his|strong = "H3605" clothes|strong = "H3847" and|strong = "H1419" put|strong = "H3847" on|strong = "H3847" sackcloth|strong = "H8242" and|strong = "H1419" strewed ashes|strong = "H0665" on|strong = "H3847" his|strong = "H3605" head|strong = "H7218", and|strong = "H1419" went|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318" into|strong = "H8432" the|strong = "H3605" city|strong = "H5892" and|strong = "H1419" raised|strong = "H8432" a|strong = "H6213" loud|strong = "H1419" and|strong = "H1419" bitter|strong = "H4751" cry|strong = "H2199" of|strong = "H5892" lamentation|strong = "H7015". <sup>2</sup> He|strong = "H3588" went|strong = "H4428" as|strong = "H5704" far|strong = "H5704" as|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H6440" king's|strong = "H4428" gate|strong = "H8179", but|strong = "H3588" no|strong = "H6440" one|strong = "H3588" could|strong = "H3201" enter|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H6440" gate|strong = "H8179" clothed|strong = "H3830" with|strong = "H6440" sackcloth|strong = "H8242". <sup>3</sup> In|strong = "H4428" every|strong = "H3605" province|strong = "H4082", wherever|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" king's|strong = "H4428" command|strong = "H1697" and|strong = "H4428" decree|strong = "H1881"

went|strong = "H4428", there|strong = "H3605" was|strong = "H1697"  
 great|strong = "H1419" mourning|strong = "H4553",  
 fasting|strong = "H6685", weeping|strong = "H1065", and|strong = "H4428"  
 wailing|strong = "H4553" among|strong = "H7227" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Jews|strong = "H3064". Many|strong = "H7227" of|strong = "H4428"  
 them|strong = "H5060" sat|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H4428"  
 sackcloth|strong = "H8242" and|strong = "H4428" ashes|strong = "H0665".

4When|strong = "H7971" Esther's|strong = "H0635"  
 maids|strong = "H5291" and|strong = "H7971" attendants|strong = "H5650"  
 told|strong = "H5046" her|strong = "H7971" about|strong = "H5921"  
 Mordecai's|strong = "H4782" behaviour|strong = "H2940",  
 she|strong = "H5921" was|strong = "H5291" greatly|strong = "H3966"  
 troubled|strong = "H3966". She|strong = "H5921" sent|strong = "H7971"  
 garments|strong = "H0899" for|strong = "H5921" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"  
 to|strong = "H7971" put|strong = "H3847" on|strong = "H5921",  
 so|strong = "H7971" that|strong = "H3808" he|strong = "H3808"  
 could|strong = "H3201" take|strong = "H5493" off|strong = "H5493"  
 his|strong = "H7971" sack-cloth, but|strong = "H3808" he|strong = "H3808"  
 would|strong = "H5493" not|strong = "H3808" accept|strong = "H6901"  
 them|strong = "H5921". 5 So|strong = "H7121" Esther|strong = "H0635"  
 called|strong = "H7121" Hathach|strong = "H2047", one|strong = "H2088"  
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440" king's|strong = "H4428"  
 eunuchs|strong = "H5631" whom|strong = "H6440" he|strong = "H5921"  
 had|strong = "H4428" appointed|strong = "H5975" to|strong = "H5921"  
 attend|strong = "H6440" her|strong = "H5921", and|strong = "H4428"  
 ordered|strong = "H6680" him|strong = "H6440" to|strong = "H5921"  
 go|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H5921" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"  
 to|strong = "H5921" learn|strong = "H3045" what|strong = "H4100"  
 it|strong = "H7121" all|strong = "H3045" meant|strong = "H2803"  
 and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440" reason|strong = "H6440"  
 for|strong = "H5921" it|strong = "H7121".

6So|strong = "H3318" Hathach|strong = "H2047" went|strong = "H3318"  
 out|strong = "H3318" to|strong = "H3318" Mordecai|strong = "H4782",  
 to|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H6440" city|strong = "H5892"  
 square|strong = "H7339" in|strong = "H4428" front|strong = "H6440"  
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440" king's|strong = "H4428"  
 gate|strong = "H8179". 7 Mordecai|strong = "H4782" told|strong = "H5046"  
 him|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H3605"  
 had|strong = "H4428" happened|strong = "H7136" to|strong = "H5921"  
 him|strong = "H5921" and|strong = "H3701" the|strong = "H3605"  
 exact|strong = "H6575" amount|strong = "H6575" of|strong = "H4428"  
 money|strong = "H3701" that|strong = "H3605" Haman|strong = "H2001"  
 had|strong = "H4428" promised|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H5921"



pay|strong = "H8254" into|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"  
king's|strong = "H4428" treasury|strong = "H0214" for|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H3605" destruction|strong = "H7667" of|strong = "H4428"  
the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064". <sup>8</sup> Also|strong = "H4428"  
he|strong = "H5414" gave|strong = "H5414" him|strong = "H5414"  
a|strong = "H5414" copy|strong = "H6572" of|strong = "H4428"  
the|strong = "H6440" decree|strong = "H1881" to|strong = "H5921"  
destroy|strong = "H8045" them|strong = "H5414", that|strong = "H5971"  
had|strong = "H4428" been|strong = "H5046" published|strong = "H1540"  
in|strong = "H5921" Susa|strong = "H7800", to|strong = "H5921"  
show|strong = "H7200" to|strong = "H5921" Esther|strong = "H0635"  
for|strong = "H5921" her|strong = "H5414" information|strong = "H1697".  
He|strong = "H5414" also|strong = "H4428" told|strong = "H5046"  
her|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H5921" go|strong = "H5971"  
to|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428"  
and|strong = "H4428" implore|strong = "H2603" his|strong = "H5414"  
mercy|strong = "H2603" and|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H5921"  
plead|strong = "H1245" with|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5414"  
in|strong = "H5921" behalf|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H4428"  
her|strong = "H5414" people|strong = "H5971".

9When|strong = "H3588" Hathach|strong = "H2047"  
came|strong = "H1697" and|strong = "H1697" told|strong = "H5046"  
Esther|strong = "H0635" what|strong = "H1697" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"  
had|strong = "H4782" said|strong = "H1697", <sup>10</sup> she|strong = "H1931"  
instructed|strong = "H6680" Hathach|strong = "H2047" to|strong = "H6680"  
go|strong = "H1980" and|strong = "H2047" say|strong = "H0559"  
to|strong = "H6680" Mordecai|strong = "H4782", <sup>11</sup> 'All|strong = "H3605"  
the|strong = "H3605" king's|strong = "H4428" courtiers and|strong = "H4428"  
the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H4428"  
the|strong = "H3605" king's|strong = "H4428" provinces|strong = "H4082"  
know|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H3045" for|strong = "H7121"  
every|strong = "H3605" man|strong = "H4191" or|strong = "H3808"  
woman|strong = "H2088" who|strong = "H3605" goes|strong = "H1980"  
to|strong = "H4191" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"  
into|strong = "H3045" the|strong = "H3605" inner|strong = "H6442"  
court|strong = "H2691" without|strong = "H3808" being|strong = "H5971"  
called|strong = "H7121" there|strong = "H2088" is|strong = "H2088"  
one|strong = "H2088" penalty|strong = "H1780", death|strong = "H4191",  
unless|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"  
holds|strong = "H3447" out|strong = "H3447" the|strong = "H3605"  
golden|strong = "H2091" sceptre|strong = "H8275" signifying  
that|strong = "H3045" they|strong = "H3117" may|strong = "H5971"  
live|strong = "H2421". It|strong = "H7121" has|strong = "H4428"  
been|strong = "H5971" thirty|strong = "H7970" days|strong = "H3117"

since|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117" have|strong = "H5971"  
 been|strong = "H5971" called|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H4191"  
 go|strong = "H5971" in|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H4191"  
 the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428".'

12When|strong = "H3588" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"  
 was|strong = "H1697" told|strong = "H5046" what|strong = "H1697"  
 Esther|strong = "H0635" had|strong = "H4782" said|strong = "H1697", <sup>13</sup>  
 he|strong = "H3605" sent|strong = "H7725" back|strong = "H7725"  
 this|strong = "H7725" reply|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725"  
 Esther|strong = "H0635", 'Don't|strong = "H0408" imagine|strong = "H1819"  
 that|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H3605" alone|strong = "H4422"  
 of|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Jews|strong = "H3064" will|strong = "H4428" escape|strong = "H4422"  
 because|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H3605" belong|strong = "H1961"  
 to|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H3605" king's|strong = "H4428"  
 household|strong = "H1004". <sup>14</sup> If|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
 persist|strong = "H5975" in|strong = "H1004" remaining|strong = "H8300"  
 silent|strong = "H2790" at|strong = "H1004" this|strong = "H2063"  
 time|strong = "H6256", relief|strong = "H7305" and|strong = "H1004"  
 deliverance|strong = "H2020" will|strong = "H4310" come|strong = "H5060"  
 to|strong = "H6256" the|strong = "H3588" Jews|strong = "H3064"  
 from|strong = "H3064" another|strong = "H0312" quarter|strong = "H6285",  
 but|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" and|strong = "H1004"  
 your|strong = "H3045" family|strong = "H1004" will|strong = "H4310"  
 perish|strong = "H0006". Who|strong = "H4310" knows|strong = "H3045"?  
 Maybe|strong = "H0194" you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3045"  
 been|strong = "H1961" raised|strong = "H5975" to|strong = "H6256"  
 the|strong = "H3588" throne|strong = "H4438" for|strong = "H3588"  
 a|strong = "H3588" time|strong = "H6256" like|strong = "H1004"  
 this|strong = "H2063"!'

15Then|strong = "H7725" Esther|strong = "H0635" sent|strong = "H7725"  
 this|strong = "H7725" message|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H7725"  
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782": <sup>16</sup> 'Go|strong = "H3212",  
 gather|strong = "H3664" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Jews|strong = "H3064" in|strong = "H5921" Susa|strong = "H7800"  
 and|strong = "H4428" fast|strong = "H6684" for|strong = "H5921"  
 me|strong = "H5921". Don't|strong = "H3808" eat|strong = "H0398"  
 nor|strong = "H3808" drink|strong = "H8354" anything|strong = "H3605"  
 for|strong = "H5921" three|strong = "H7969" days|strong = "H3117"  
 and|strong = "H4428" nights|strong = "H3915". My|strong = "H3605"  
 maids|strong = "H5291" and|strong = "H4428" I|strong = "H3117"  
 will|strong = "H4428" fast|strong = "H6684" as|strong = "H3117"  
 well|strong = "H1571". Then|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H3117"

will|strong="H4428" go|strong="H3212" in|strong="H5921"  
to|strong="H3212" the|strong="H3605" king|strong="H4428",  
although|strong="H3808" it|strong="H5921" is|strong="H3117"  
contrary|strong="H5921" to|strong="H3212" the|strong="H3605"  
law|strong="H1881", and|strong="H4428" if|strong="H3651"  
I|strong="H3117" die|strong="H4191", I|strong="H3117"  
die|strong="H4191".<sup>1</sup> <sup>17</sup> Mordecai|strong="H4782" did|strong="H6213"  
everything|strong="H3605" Esther|strong="H0635" had|strong="H4782"  
directed|strong="H5090".

5 On|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" third|strong="H7992"  
day|strong="H3117", Esther|strong="H0635" put|strong="H3847"  
on|strong="H5921" her|strong="H5921" regalia and|strong="H4428"  
stood|strong="H5975" in|strong="H3427" the|strong="H5921"  
inner|strong="H6442" court|strong="H2691" of|strong="H4428"  
the|strong="H5921" royal|strong="H4438" palace|strong="H1004"  
opposite|strong="H5227" the|strong="H5921" king's|strong="H4428"  
house|strong="H1004". The|strong="H5921" king|strong="H4428"  
was|strong="H1961" sitting|strong="H3427" on|strong="H5921"  
his|strong="H5921" throne|strong="H3678" in|strong="H3427"  
the|strong="H5921" palace|strong="H1004", opposite|strong="H5227"  
the|strong="H5921" entrance|strong="H6607". <sup>2</sup> When|strong="H1961"  
he|strong="H3027" saw|strong="H7200" Esther|strong="H0635"  
the|strong="H7200" queen|strong="H4436" standing|strong="H5975"  
in|strong="H4428" the|strong="H7200" court|strong="H2691",  
she|strong="H1931" won|strong="H1589" his|strong="H5375"  
favour|strong="H2580", and|strong="H4428" he|strong="H3027"  
held|strong="H4428" out|strong="H7200" to|strong="H1961"  
her|strong="H5375" the|strong="H7200" golden|strong="H2091"  
sceptre|strong="H8275" that|strong="H7200" was|strong="H1961"  
in|strong="H4428" his|strong="H5375" hand|strong="H3027".  
So|strong="H1961" Esther|strong="H0635" approached|strong="H7126"  
and|strong="H4428" touched|strong="H5060" the|strong="H7200"  
top|strong="H7218" of|strong="H4428" the|strong="H7200"  
sceptre|strong="H8275". <sup>3</sup> Then|strong="H5414" the|strong="H5414"  
king|strong="H4428" said|strong="H0559" to|strong="H5704"  
her|strong="H5414", 'What|strong="H4100" is|strong="H4100"  
it|strong="H5414', Queen|strong="H4436" Esther|strong="H0635"?  
Whatever|strong="H4100" your|strong="H5414" request|strong="H1246"  
is|strong="H4100", it|strong="H5414" will|strong="H4428"  
be|strong="H5414" granted|strong="H5414", even|strong="H5704"  
if|strong="H0518" it|strong="H5414" is|strong="H4100"  
the|strong="H5414" half|strong="H2677" of|strong="H4428"  
the|strong="H5414" kingdom|strong="H4438".<sup>1</sup>

4 'If it seems best to the king, let the king and Haman come today to the banquet that I have prepared for him.' 5 Then the king ordered Haman quickly that Esther's wish may be gratified.'

So and to the king and Haman went to the banquet that Esther had prepared for the king. 6 While they were drinking wine, the king said, "Whatever petition will be granted. Your request will be done – even if it takes half of my kingdom." 7 Esther answered, "If I have won the king's favour and if it seems best to the king, grant my petition and to my request, my petition and request are that the Haman come to the banquet which I will prepare

for|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5414". Tomorrow|strong = "H4279"  
 I|strong = "H5414" will|strong = "H4428" answer|strong = "H1697"  
 the|strong = "H5921" king's|strong = "H4428" question|strong = "H1697"  
 as|strong = "H1697" he|strong = "H6213" wishes|strong = "H2654".'

9Haman|strong = "H2001" went|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318"  
 that|strong = "H7200" day|strong = "H3117" joyful|strong = "H8056"  
 and|strong = "H6965" elated, but|strong = "H3808" when|strong = "H3117"  
 he|strong = "H1931" saw|strong = "H7200" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"  
 in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" king's|strong = "H4428"  
 gate|strong = "H8179" and|strong = "H6965" noticed|strong = "H7200"  
 that|strong = "H7200" he|strong = "H1931" neither|strong = "H3808"  
 stood|strong = "H6965" up|strong = "H6965" nor|strong = "H3808"  
 moved|strong = "H2111" for|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921",  
 he|strong = "H1931" was|strong = "H3820" furiously|strong = "H2534"  
 angry|strong = "H2534" with|strong = "H4390" Mordecai|strong = "H4782".

<sup>10</sup> Nevertheless|strong = "H0389" Haman|strong = "H2001"  
 restrained|strong = "H3607" himself|strong = "H5315" and|strong = "H7971"  
 went|strong = "H1004" home|strong = "H1004". He|strong = "H1004"  
 called|strong = "H7121" together|strong = "H3162" his|strong = "H7971"  
 friends|strong = "H7453" and|strong = "H7971" Zeresh|strong = "H2238"  
 his|strong = "H7971" wife|strong = "H0802" <sup>11</sup> and|strong = "H1121"  
 recounted|strong = "H5608" to|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H1992"  
 the|strong = "H3605" greatness|strong = "H7230" of|strong = "H1121"  
 his|strong = "H3605" wealth|strong = "H6239", how|strong = "H1431"  
 many|strong = "H7230" children|strong = "H1121" he|strong = "H3605"  
 had|strong = "H4428", and|strong = "H1121" all|strong = "H3605"  
 the|strong = "H3605" ways|strong = "H1870" in|strong = "H5921"  
 which|strong = "H1992" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"  
 had|strong = "H4428" honoured|strong = "H3513" him|strong = "H5921",  
 and|strong = "H1121" how|strong = "H1431" he|strong = "H3605"  
 had|strong = "H4428" promoted|strong = "H1431" him|strong = "H5921"  
 above|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" officials|strong = "H8269"  
 and|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605" royal|strong = "H4428" courtiers.

<sup>12</sup> 'What|strong = "H6213" is|strong = "H1571" more|strong = "H3808",'  
 Haman|strong = "H2001" said|strong = "H7121", 'Queen|strong = "H4436"  
 Esther|strong = "H0635" brought|strong = "H6213" no|strong = "H3808"  
 one|strong = "H3808" in|strong = "H6213" with|strong = "H5973"  
 the|strong = "H3588" king|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H6213"  
 the|strong = "H3588" banquet|strong = "H4960" which|strong = "H4960"  
 she|strong = "H3588" had|strong = "H4428" prepared|strong = "H6213"  
 except|strong = "H3588" me|strong = "H7121", and|strong = "H4428"  
 tomorrow|strong = "H4279" also|strong = "H1571" I|strong = "H3588"  
 am|strong = "H1961" invited|strong = "H7121" by|strong = "H7121"  
 her|strong = "H7121" along|strong = "H5973" with|strong = "H5973"

the|strong = "H3588" king|strong = "H4428". <sup>13</sup> Yet|strong = "H3605"  
 all|strong = "H3605" this|strong = "H2088" does|strong = "H2088"  
 not|strong = "H2088" satisfy|strong = "H7737" me|strong = "H7200"  
 as|strong = "H3427" long|strong = "H3605" as|strong = "H3427"  
 I|strong = "H7200" see|strong = "H7200" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"  
 the|strong = "H3605" Jew|strong = "H3064" sitting|strong = "H3427"  
 at|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3605" king's|strong = "H4428"  
 gate|strong = "H8179".'

14Then|strong = "H6213" Zereh|strong = "H2238" his|strong = "H3605"  
 wife|strong = "H0802" and|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H3605"  
 his|strong = "H3605" friends|strong = "H7453" said|strong = "H1697"  
 to|strong = "H6213" him|strong = "H6440", 'Let|strong = "H8056"  
 a|strong = "H6213" gallows|strong = "H6086" seventy-five|strong = "H2572"  
 feet|strong = "H7272" high|strong = "H1364" be|strong = "H1697"  
 erected|strong = "H6965", and|strong = "H4428" in|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H3605" morning|strong = "H1242" speak|strong = "H1697"  
 to|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428"  
 and|strong = "H4428" let|strong = "H8056" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"  
 be|strong = "H1697" hanged|strong = "H8518" on|strong = "H5921"  
 it|strong = "H5921". Then|strong = "H6213" go|strong = "H3190"  
 merrily|strong = "H8056" with|strong = "H5973" the|strong = "H3605"  
 king|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3605"  
 banquet|strong = "H4960".' The|strong = "H3605" advice|strong = "H1697"  
 pleased|strong = "H3190" Haman|strong = "H2001", and|strong = "H4428"  
 so|strong = "H6213" he|strong = "H6213" had|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H3605" gallows|strong = "H6086" erected|strong = "H6965".

#### Downfall of a Conspirator

6On|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3117" night|strong = "H3915"  
 the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428" was|strong = "H1961"  
 unable|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H1961" sleep|strong = "H8142",  
 so|strong = "H1961" he|strong = "H1931" gave|strong = "H7121"  
 orders|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H1961" bring|strong = "H1961"  
 the|strong = "H6440" books|strong = "H5612" that|strong = "H3117"  
 recorded|strong = "H3789" memorable|strong = "H2146"  
 deeds|strong = "H1697", and|strong = "H4428" they|strong = "H3117"  
 were|strong = "H1961" read|strong = "H7121" before|strong = "H6440"  
 the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428". <sup>2</sup> It|strong = "H5921"  
 was|strong = "H4428" found|strong = "H4672" recorded|strong = "H3789"  
 how|strong = "H4100" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" had|strong = "H4428"  
 furnished|strong = "H2836" information|strong = "H1697"  
 regarding|strong = "H5921" Bigthan|strong = "H0904" and|strong = "H7971"  
 Teresh|strong = "H8657", two|strong = "H8147" of|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H5921" king's|strong = "H4428" attendants|strong = "H5650"

who|strong = "H8104" guarded|strong = "H8104" the|strong = "H5921"  
 entrance|strong = "H6607" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5921"  
 palace|strong = "H1004", who|strong = "H8104" had|strong = "H4428"  
 attempted|strong = "H3909" to|strong = "H7971" kill|strong = "H2026"  
 King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325". <sup>3</sup>  
 'What|strong = "H4100" honour|strong = "H3366" and|strong = "H4428"  
 dignity|strong = "H1420" have|strong = "H5288" been|strong = "H3808"  
 conferred|strong = "H1697" on|strong = "H5921" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"  
 for|strong = "H5921" this|strong = "H2088"?' the|strong = "H5921"  
 king|strong = "H4428" asked|strong = "H4100". When|strong = "H6213"  
 the|strong = "H5921" king's|strong = "H4428" pages who|strong = "H5288"  
 waited|strong = "H8334" on|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921"  
 replied|strong = "H0559" 'Nothing|strong = "H3808" has|strong = "H4428"  
 been|strong = "H3808" done|strong = "H6213" for|strong = "H5921"  
 him|strong = "H5921", <sup>4</sup> the|strong = "H5921" king|strong = "H4428"  
 said|strong = "H0559", 'Who|strong = "H4310" is|strong = "H4310"  
 in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" court|strong = "H2691"?'  
 Now|strong = "H4428" Haman|strong = "H2001" had|strong = "H4428"  
 just|strong = "H3512" entered|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H5921"  
 outer|strong = "H2435" court|strong = "H2691" of|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H5921" king's|strong = "H4428" house|strong = "H1004"  
 to|strong = "H5921" speak|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" king|strong = "H4428" about|strong = "H5921"  
 hanging|strong = "H8518" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" on|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" gallows|strong = "H6086" that|strong = "H4428"  
 he|strong = "H1004" had|strong = "H4428" prepared|strong = "H3559"  
 for|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921". <sup>5</sup> So|strong = "H5975"  
 the|strong = "H5975" king's|strong = "H4428" pages said|strong = "H0559"  
 to|strong = "H4428" him|strong = "H5975", 'Haman|strong = "H2001"  
 is|strong = "H2009" standing|strong = "H5975" there|strong = "H2009",  
 in|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5975" court|strong = "H2691".'  
 The|strong = "H5975" king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559",  
 'Let|strong = "H7971" him|strong = "H5975" enter|strong = "H5975".' <sup>6</sup>  
 So|strong = "H6213" Haman|strong = "H2001" entered|strong = "H0935",  
 and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6213" king|strong = "H4428"  
 said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H6213" him|strong = "H6213",  
 'What|strong = "H4100" should|strong = "H4100" be|strong = "H3820"  
 done|strong = "H6213" for|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H6213"  
 man|strong = "H3820" whom|strong = "H4310" the|strong = "H6213"  
 king|strong = "H4428" wishes|strong = "H2654" to|strong = "H6213"  
 honour|strong = "H3366"?' Haman|strong = "H2001" said|strong = "H0559"  
 to|strong = "H6213" himself|strong = "H3820", 'Whom|strong = "H4310"  
 besides|strong = "H4480" me|strong = "H4480" could|strong = "H4310"  
 the|strong = "H6213" king|strong = "H4428" wish|strong = "H2654"  
 to|strong = "H6213" honour|strong = "H3366"? <sup>7</sup> So|strong = "H3651"  
 he|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H4428"

the|strong="H2001" king|strong="H4428", 'For|strong="H4428"  
 the|strong="H2001" man|strong="H0376" whom|strong="H0834"  
 the|strong="H2001" king|strong="H4428" wishes|strong="H2654"  
 to|strong="H4428" honour|strong="H3366" <sup>8</sup> let|strong="H5414"  
 a|strong="H5414" royal|strong="H4438" garment|strong="H3830"  
 be|strong="H5414" brought|strong="H5414", which|strong="H5483"  
 the|strong="H5921" king|strong="H4428" has|strong="H4428"  
 worn|strong="H3847", and|strong="H4428" the|strong="H5921"  
 horse|strong="H5483" on|strong="H5921" which|strong="H5483"  
 the|strong="H5921" king|strong="H4428" has|strong="H4428"  
 ridden|strong="H7392" and|strong="H4428" on|strong="H5921"  
 whose|strong="H0834" head|strong="H7218" a|strong="H5414"  
 royal|strong="H4438" diadem|strong="H5921" has|strong="H4428"  
 been|strong="H1961" placed|strong="H5414". <sup>9</sup> Then|strong="H5414"  
 let|strong="H5414" the|strong="H6440" garment|strong="H3830"  
 and|strong="H4428" the|strong="H6440" horse|strong="H5483"  
 be|strong="H3027" placed|strong="H5414" in|strong="H5921"  
 charge|strong="H5921" of|strong="H4428" one|strong="H6213"  
 of|strong="H4428" the|strong="H6440" king's|strong="H4428"  
 noble|strong="H6579" officials|strong="H8269". Let|strong="H5414"  
 him|strong="H5414" clothe|strong="H3847" the|strong="H6440"  
 man|strong="H6440" whom|strong="H6440" the|strong="H6440"  
 king|strong="H4428" wishes|strong="H2654" to|strong="H6213"  
 honour|strong="H3366" and|strong="H4428" let|strong="H5414"  
 him|strong="H5414" lead|strong="H7392" that|strong="H5414"  
 man|strong="H6440" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H6440"  
 horse|strong="H5483" through|strong="H3027" the|strong="H6440"  
 city|strong="H5892" square|strong="H7339",  
 proclaiming|strong="H7121" before|strong="H6440"  
 him|strong="H5414", "This|strong="H6213" is|strong="H3027"  
 what|strong="H6213" is|strong="H3027" done|strong="H6213"  
 for|strong="H5921" the|strong="H6440" man|strong="H6440"  
 whom|strong="H6440" the|strong="H6440" king|strong="H4428"  
 wishes|strong="H2654" to|strong="H6213" honour|strong="H3366".”

10Then|strong="H1696" the|strong="H3605" king|strong="H4428"  
 said|strong="H1696" to|strong="H1696" Haman|strong="H2001",  
 'Make|strong="H6213" haste|strong="H4116" and|strong="H4428"  
 take|strong="H3947" the|strong="H3605" garment|strong="H3830"  
 and|strong="H4428" the|strong="H3605" horse|strong="H5483",  
 as|strong="H1697" you|strong="H3605" have|strong="H1697"  
 said|strong="H1696", and|strong="H4428" do|strong="H6213"  
 this|strong="H3651" to|strong="H1696" Mordecai|strong="H4782"  
 the|strong="H3605" Jew|strong="H3064", who|strong="H3605"  
 sits|strong="H3427" in|strong="H3427" the|strong="H3605"



king's|strong = "H4428" gate|strong = "H8179". Omit|strong = "H1639"  
 nothing|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H3605"  
 you|strong = "H3605" have|strong = "H1697" said|strong = "H1696".<sup>11</sup>  
 So|strong = "H6213" Haman|strong = "H2001" took|strong = "H3947"  
 the|strong = "H6440" garment|strong = "H3830" and|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H6440" horse|strong = "H5483" and|strong = "H4428"  
 clothed|strong = "H3847" Mordecai|strong = "H4782", and|strong = "H4428"  
 made|strong = "H6213" him|strong = "H6440" ride|strong = "H7392"  
 through|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H6440" city|strong = "H5892"  
 square|strong = "H7339" and|strong = "H4428" proclaimed|strong = "H7121"  
 before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440", "This|strong = "H6213"  
 is|strong = "H5892" what|strong = "H6213" is|strong = "H5892"  
 done|strong = "H6213" for|strong = "H7121" the|strong = "H6440"  
 man|strong = "H6440" whom|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440"  
 king|strong = "H4428" wishes|strong = "H2654" to|strong = "H6213"  
 honour|strong = "H3366".

12Mordecai|strong = "H4782" returned|strong = "H7725"  
 to|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H7725" king's|strong = "H4428"  
 gate|strong = "H8179", but|strong = "H7725" Haman|strong = "H2001"  
 hurried|strong = "H1765" to|strong = "H7725" his|strong = "H7725"  
 house|strong = "H1004", mourning|strong = "H0060", with|strong = "H1004"  
 his|strong = "H7725" head|strong = "H7218" covered|strong = "H2645".<sup>13</sup>  
 Haman|strong = "H2001" recounted|strong = "H5608" to|strong = "H3201"  
 Zeresh|strong = "H2238" his|strong = "H3605" wife|strong = "H0802"  
 and|strong = "H6440" to|strong = "H3201" all|strong = "H3605"  
 his|strong = "H3605" friends|strong = "H7453" everything|strong = "H3605"  
 that|strong = "H3588" had|strong = "H3588" happened|strong = "H7136"  
 to|strong = "H3201" him|strong = "H6440". Then|strong = "H5307"  
 his|strong = "H3605" wise|strong = "H2450" men|strong = "H2450"  
 and|strong = "H6440" Zeresh|strong = "H2238" his|strong = "H3605"  
 wife|strong = "H0802" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3201"  
 him|strong = "H6440", "If|strong = "H3588" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"  
 before|strong = "H6440" whom|strong = "H6440" you|strong = "H3588"  
 have|strong = "H3605" already|strong = "H3528" been|strong = "H3808"  
 humiliated|strong = "H6440" is|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H6440"  
 the|strong = "H3605" Jewish|strong = "H3064" people|strong = "H3808",  
 you|strong = "H3588" can|strong = "H3201" do|strong = "H3201"  
 nothing|strong = "H3808" against|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440"  
 but|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3808" surely|strong = "H3588"  
 fall|strong = "H5307" before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440".

14While|strong = "H5750" they|strong = "H6213" were|strong = "H4428"  
 still|strong = "H5750" talking|strong = "H1696" with|strong = "H5973"  
 him|strong = "H6213", the|strong = "H6213" king's|strong = "H4428"

attendants|strong = "H5650" came|strong = "H5060" and|strong = "H4428" quickly|strong = "H4116" took|strong = "H4428" Haman|strong = "H2001" to|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H6213" banquet|strong = "H4960" that|strong = "H4428" Esther|strong = "H0635" had|strong = "H4428" prepared|strong = "H6213".

7So|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H5973" king|strong = "H4428" and|strong = "H4428" Haman|strong = "H2001" went|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H4428" drink|strong = "H8354" with|strong = "H5973" Queen|strong = "H4436" Esther|strong = "H0635". <sup>2</sup> As|strong = "H5704" they|strong = "H3117" were|strong = "H3117" drinking|strong = "H4960" wine|strong = "H3196" on|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3117" second|strong = "H8145" day|strong = "H3117", the|strong = "H5414" king|strong = "H4428" again|strong = "H8145" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H5704" Esther|strong = "H0635", 'Whatever|strong = "H4100" your|strong = "H5414" petition|strong = "H7596" is|strong = "H4100", Queen|strong = "H4436" Esther|strong = "H0635", it|strong = "H5414" will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H1571" granted|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H5414". Whatever|strong = "H4100" you|strong = "H5414" request|strong = "H1246" it|strong = "H5414" will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H1571" done|strong = "H6213", even|strong = "H1571" if|strong = "H0518" it|strong = "H5414" takes|strong = "H5414" half|strong = "H2677" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5414" kingdom|strong = "H4438".' <sup>3</sup> Then|strong = "H6030" Queen|strong = "H4436" Esther|strong = "H0635" answered|strong = "H6030", 'Your|strong = "H5414" Majesty|strong = "H1926", if|strong = "H0518" I|strong = "H5414" have|strong = "H5869" won|strong = "H1589" your|strong = "H5414" favour|strong = "H2580", and|strong = "H6030" if|strong = "H0518" it|strong = "H5414" seems|strong = "H5869" best|strong = "H5869" to|strong = "H5921" Your|strong = "H5414" Majesty|strong = "H1926", let|strong = "H5414" my|strong = "H5414" life|strong = "H5315" be|strong = "H5315" given|strong = "H5414" me|strong = "H5414" as|strong = "H5315" my|strong = "H5414" petition|strong = "H7596", and|strong = "H6030" my|strong = "H5414" people|strong = "H5971" as|strong = "H5315" my|strong = "H5414" request|strong = "H1246", <sup>4</sup> for|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" and|strong = "H4428" my|strong = "H3588" people|strong = "H5971" have|strong = "H5971" been|strong = "H5971" sold|strong = "H4376" to|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H4428" destroyed|strong = "H8045", killed|strong = "H2026", and|strong = "H4428" completely|strong = "H8045" annihilated|strong = "H2763"! If|strong = "H3588" we|strong = "H3588" had|strong = "H4428" been|strong = "H5971" merely|strong = "H6680" sold|strong = "H4376" into|strong = "H4376" slavery|strong = "H5650" I|strong = "H3588" would|strong = "H5971" not|strong = "H3588"

have|strong = "H5971" disturbed|strong = "H1993" your|strong = "H3588"  
 peace|strong = "H2790", because|strong = "H3588" such|strong = "H2088"  
 a|strong = "H3588" fate|strong = "H4745" would|strong = "H5971"  
 not|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H5971" affected the|strong = "H3588"  
 interests of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3588" king|strong = "H4428".'

5Then|strong = "H2088" King|strong = "H4428"  
 Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325" said|strong = "H3651" to|strong = "H6213"  
 Queen|strong = "H4436" Esther|strong = "H0635", 'Who|strong = "H4310"  
 is|strong = "H2088" he|strong = "H1931" and|strong = "H4428"  
 where|strong = "H2088" is|strong = "H2088" he|strong = "H1931"  
 whose|strong = "H4310" heart|strong = "H3820" has|strong = "H4310"  
 impelled|strong = "H1765" him|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H6213"  
 do|strong = "H6213" this|strong = "H2088"?''

6'A|strong = "H2088" foe|strong = "H6862", an|strong = "H6440"  
 enemy|strong = "H6862": this|strong = "H2088" wicked|strong = "H7451"  
 Haman|strong = "H2001".' Esther|strong = "H0635"  
 answered|strong = "H6030". Haman|strong = "H2001"  
 shrank|strong = "H5384" in|strong = "H4428" terror|strong = "H2851"  
 before|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428"  
 and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440" queen|strong = "H4436". 7  
 In|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921" wrath|strong = "H2534"  
 the|strong = "H5921" king|strong = "H4428" rose|strong = "H6965"  
 from|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" place|strong = "H5975"  
 where|strong = "H5921" he|strong = "H3588" was|strong = "H4428"  
 drinking|strong = "H4960" wine|strong = "H3196" and|strong = "H6965"  
 went|strong = "H4428" into|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
 palace|strong = "H1055" garden|strong = "H1594". Haman|strong = "H2001"  
 stayed|strong = "H5975" to|strong = "H5921" beg|strong = "H1245"  
 Queen|strong = "H4436" Esther|strong = "H0635" for|strong = "H3588"  
 his|strong = "H5921" life|strong = "H5315", for|strong = "H3588"  
 he|strong = "H3588" saw|strong = "H7200" that|strong = "H3588"  
 the|strong = "H5921" king|strong = "H4428" was|strong = "H4428"  
 fully|strong = "H5921" determined|strong = "H3615" to|strong = "H5921"  
 bring|strong = "H7451" calamity|strong = "H7451" upon|strong = "H5921"  
 him|strong = "H5921". 8 As|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H6440"  
 king|strong = "H4428" returned|strong = "H7725" from|strong = "H7725"  
 the|strong = "H6440" palace|strong = "H1004" garden|strong = "H1594"  
 to|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H6440" banquet|strong = "H4960"  
 hall|strong = "H1004", Haman|strong = "H2001" had|strong = "H4428" flung  
 himself|strong = "H6440" on|strong = "H5921" Esther's|strong = "H0635"  
 couch|strong = "H4296". The|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428"  
 cried|strong = "H7121", 'Is|strong = "H1571" he|strong = "H1004"  
 going|strong = "H3318" to|strong = "H7725" rape|strong = "H3533"

my|strong = "H5921" queen|strong = "H4436" while|strong = "H5973"  
 I|strong = "H5921" am|strong = "H1961" present|strong = "H5307"  
 in|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H5921" own|strong = "H5973"  
 house|strong = "H1004"?"

A s|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428"  
 spoke|strong = "H1697" these|strong = "H6440" words|strong = "H1697",  
 the|strong = "H6440" attendants|strong = "H5650" covered|strong = "H2645"  
 Haman's|strong = "H2001" face|strong = "H6440" <sup>9</sup> and|strong = "H4428"  
 Harbonah|strong = "H2726", one|strong = "H4480" of|strong = "H4428"  
 those|strong = "H4480" who|strong = "H4428" waited|strong = "H5975"  
 on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428",  
 said|strong = "H1696", 'There|strong = "H2009" are|strong = "H1004"  
 the|strong = "H6440" gallows|strong = "H6086",  
 seventy-five|strong = "H2572" feet|strong = "H7272" high|strong = "H1364",  
 which|strong = "H1004" Hainan erected|strong = "H5975"  
 for|strong = "H5921" Mordecai|strong = "H4782", who|strong = "H4428"  
 spoke|strong = "H1696" a|strong = "H6213" good|strong = "H2896"  
 word|strong = "H1696" in|strong = "H5921" behalf|strong = "H5921"  
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428",  
 standing|strong = "H5975" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440"  
 house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H4428" Haman|strong = "H2001"!'  
 The|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H1696"  
 'Hang|strong = "H8518" him|strong = "H6440" on|strong = "H5921"  
 them|strong = "H5921".'<sup>10</sup> So|strong = "H5921" they|strong = "H5921"  
 hanged|strong = "H8518" Haman|strong = "H2001" on|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" gallows|strong = "H6086" that|strong = "H4428"  
 he|strong = "H5921" had|strong = "H4428" prepared|strong = "H3559"  
 for|strong = "H5921" Mordecai|strong = "H4782". Then|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H5921" wrath|strong = "H2534" of|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H5921" king|strong = "H4428" was|strong = "H4428"  
 pacified|strong = "H7918".

#### Deliverance of the Jews

8At|strong = "H1004" that|strong = "H3588" time|strong = "H3117"  
 King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325" gave|strong = "H5414"  
 the|strong = "H6440" property|strong = "H0272" of|strong = "H4428"  
 Haman|strong = "H2001" the|strong = "H6440" Jews'|strong = "H3064"  
 enemy|strong = "H6887" to|strong = "H5414" Queen|strong = "H4436"  
 Esther|strong = "H0635". Mordecai|strong = "H4782" was|strong = "H1931"  
 made|strong = "H5414" one|strong = "H1931" of|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H6440" king's|strong = "H4428" personal|strong = "H6440"  
 advisers|strong = "H6440", for|strong = "H3588" Esther|strong = "H0635"  
 had|strong = "H4428" disclosed|strong = "H5046" his|strong = "H5414"  
 relationship to|strong = "H5414" her|strong = "H5414". <sup>2</sup>

The|strong = "H5921" king|strong = "H4428" also|strong = "H4428"  
 drew|strong = "H5674" off|strong = "H5493" his|strong = "H5414"  
 signet|strong = "H2885" ring|strong = "H2885", which|strong = "H1004"  
 he|strong = "H1004" had|strong = "H4428" taken|strong = "H5493"  
 from|strong = "H5493" Haman|strong = "H2001". He|strong = "H1004"  
 gave|strong = "H5414" it|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H5921"  
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782", and|strong = "H4428" Esther|strong = "H0635"  
 placed|strong = "H5414" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" in|strong = "H5921"  
 charge|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H4428" Haman's|strong = "H2001"  
 property|strong = "H0272".

3Then|strong = "H1696" Esther|strong = "H0635" sought|strong = "H6440"  
 another|strong = "H3254" audience|strong = "H0241" with|strong = "H1696"  
 the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428" and|strong = "H4428"  
 fell|strong = "H5307" at|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H6440"  
 feet|strong = "H7272" and|strong = "H4428" with|strong = "H1696"  
 tears|strong = "H1058" begged|strong = "H2603" him|strong = "H6440"  
 to|strong = "H1696" avert|strong = "H5674" the|strong = "H6440"  
 evil|strong = "H7451" planned|strong = "H2803" by|strong = "H5921"  
 Haman|strong = "H2001" the|strong = "H6440" Agagite|strong = "H0091"  
 and|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H1696" frustrate|strong = "H6565"  
 his|strong = "H6440" designs|strong = "H4284" against|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H6440" Jews|strong = "H3064". <sup>4</sup> The|strong = "H6440"  
 king|strong = "H4428" held|strong = "H4428" out|strong = "H3447"  
 to|strong = "H6440" her|strong = "H6965" the|strong = "H6440"  
 golden|strong = "H2091" sceptre|strong = "H8275", and|strong = "H6965"  
 she|strong = "H6440" arose|strong = "H6965" and|strong = "H6965"  
 stood|strong = "H5975" before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440". <sup>5</sup>  
 'If|strong = "H1121" it|strong = "H5921" seems|strong = "H3605"  
 best|strong = "H2896" to|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H3605"  
 king|strong = "H4428",' she|strong = "H5921" said|strong = "H1697",  
 'and|strong = "H1121" if|strong = "H1121" I|strong = "H5921"  
 have|strong = "H5869" won|strong = "H1589" his|strong = "H3605"  
 favour|strong = "H2580" and|strong = "H1121" he|strong = "H3605"  
 thinks|strong = "H8176" it|strong = "H5921" right|strong = "H3787",  
 and|strong = "H1121" if|strong = "H1121" I|strong = "H5921"  
 please|strong = "H2896" him|strong = "H6440", let|strong = "H7725"  
 written|strong = "H3789" orders|strong = "H1697" be|strong = "H1697"  
 given|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H7725" revoke|strong = "H7725"  
 the|strong = "H3605" dispatches devised|strong = "H4284"  
 by|strong = "H5921" Haman|strong = "H2001" son|strong = "H1121"  
 of|strong = "H1121" Hammedatha|strong = "H4099" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Agagite|strong = "H0091", which|strong = "H1697" he|strong = "H3605"  
 wrote|strong = "H3789" ordering|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3605"  
 destruction|strong = "H7667" of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605"

Jews|strong = "H3064" who|strong = "H3605" are|strong = "H1121" in|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" king's|strong = "H4428" provinces|strong = "H4082". <sup>6</sup>

For|strong = "H3588" how|strong = "H3588" can|strong = "H3201" I|strong = "H3588" bear|strong = "H5375" to|strong = "H3201" look|strong = "H7200" upon|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200" evil|strong = "H7451" that|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5971" come|strong = "H4672" to|strong = "H3201" my|strong = "H7200" people|strong = "H5971"? How|strong = "H3588" can|strong = "H3201" I|strong = "H3588" bear|strong = "H5375" to|strong = "H3201" see|strong = "H7200" their|strong = "H7200" destruction|strong = "H7451"?"

<sup>7</sup> Then|strong = "H2009" King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H7971" Queen|strong = "H4436" Esther|strong = "H0635" and|strong = "H7971" to|strong = "H7971" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" the|strong = "H5921" Jew|strong = "H3064", 'See|strong = "H2009", I|strong = "H5414" have|strong = "H3027" given|strong = "H5414" Esther|strong = "H0635" the|strong = "H5921" property|strong = "H0272" of|strong = "H4428" Haman|strong = "H2001", and|strong = "H7971" they|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H3027" hanged|strong = "H8518" him|strong = "H5414" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" gallows|strong = "H6086", because|strong = "H5921" he|strong = "H1004" laid|strong = "H5414" hands|strong = "H3027" upon|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" Jews|strong = "H3064". <sup>8</sup>

Now|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" write|strong = "H3789" on|strong = "H5921" behalf|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5921" Jews|strong = "H3064", as|strong = "H3588" seems|strong = "H2896" best|strong = "H2896" to|strong = "H7725" you|strong = "H3588", in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" king's|strong = "H4428" name|strong = "H8034" and|strong = "H7725" seal|strong = "H2856" it|strong = "H5921" with|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" king's|strong = "H4428" signet|strong = "H2885" ring|strong = "H2885". For|strong = "H3588" a|strong = "H3588" document|strong = "H2856" that|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H8034" written|strong = "H3789" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" king's|strong = "H4428" name|strong = "H8034" and|strong = "H7725" sealed|strong = "H2856" with|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" king's|strong = "H4428" signet|strong = "H2885" ring|strong = "H2885" cannot|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H8034" revoked|strong = "H7725".'

<sup>9</sup> On|strong = "H7121" the|strong = "H3605" twenty-third|strong = "H6242" day|strong = "H2320" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" third|strong = "H7992" month|strong = "H2320" (that|strong = "H5971" is|strong = "H1931" the|strong = "H3605" month|strong = "H2320" of|strong = "H4428" Sivan|strong = "H5510"), the|strong = "H3605" king's|strong = "H4428" secretaries|strong = "H5613" were|strong = "H5971"

summoned|strong = "H7121" and|strong = "H3967" as|strong = "H5704"  
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782" instructed|strong = "H6680" an|strong = "H7121"  
 edict|strong = "H1697" was|strong = "H1931" issued|strong = "H6680"  
 to|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064",  
 to|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3605" satraps|strong = "H0324"  
 and|strong = "H3967" provincial governors|strong = "H6346"  
 and|strong = "H3967" the|strong = "H3605" rulers|strong = "H8269"  
 of|strong = "H4428" each|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H3605" one|strong = "H3605" hundred|strong = "H3967"  
 twenty-seven|strong = "H6242" provinces|strong = "H4082"  
 from|strong = "H5704" India|strong = "H1912" to|strong = "H5704"  
 Ethiopia|strong = "H3568" in|strong = "H4428" their|strong = "H3605"  
 own|strong = "H5971" script|strong = "H3791" and|strong = "H3967"  
 their|strong = "H3605" own|strong = "H5971" language|strong = "H3956",  
 and|strong = "H3967" to|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Jews|strong = "H3064" in|strong = "H4428" their|strong = "H3605"  
 own|strong = "H5971" script|strong = "H3791" and|strong = "H3967"  
 language|strong = "H3956".

10Mordecai|strong = "H3789" wrote|strong = "H3789" in|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H7971" name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H1121"  
 King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325". He|strong = "H3027"  
 sealed|strong = "H2856" it|strong = "H8034" with|strong = "H3027"  
 the|strong = "H7971" king's|strong = "H4428" signet|strong = "H2885"  
 ring|strong = "H2885". Dispatches were|strong = "H1121"  
 sent|strong = "H7971" by|strong = "H3027" mounted|strong = "H7392"  
 couriers|strong = "H7323" who|strong = "H1121" rode|strong = "H7392"  
 the|strong = "H7971" swift|strong = "H7409", noble|strong = "H5081"  
 steeds|strong = "H7409", bred|strong = "H7426" of|strong = "H1121"  
 the|strong = "H7971" royal|strong = "H4428" studs|strong = "H5351". <sup>11</sup>  
 In|strong = "H5921" this|strong = "H5414" way|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428" permitted|strong = "H5414"  
 the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064" who|strong = "H3605"  
 were|strong = "H5971" in|strong = "H5921" every|strong = "H3605"  
 city|strong = "H5892" to|strong = "H5921" gather|strong = "H6950"  
 together|strong = "H6950" and|strong = "H4428" make|strong = "H5414"  
 a|strong = "H5414" stand|strong = "H5975" for|strong = "H5921"  
 their|strong = "H3605" life|strong = "H5315", to|strong = "H5921"  
 destroy|strong = "H8045", to|strong = "H5921" kill|strong = "H2026",  
 and|strong = "H4428" annihilate|strong = "H0006" all|strong = "H3605"  
 the|strong = "H3605" armed|strong = "H2502" forces|strong = "H6696"  
 of|strong = "H4428" any|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971"  
 or|strong = "H5892" province|strong = "H4082" that|strong = "H5971"  
 might|strong = "H5971" be|strong = "H5315" hostile|strong = "H7489"  
 to|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5414", including|strong = "H3605"

their|strong = "H3605" children|strong = "H2945" and|strong = "H4428"  
 women|strong = "H0802", and|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H5921"  
 take|strong = "H5414" their|strong = "H3605" goods|strong = "H7399"  
 as|strong = "H5315" plunder|strong = "H7998"<sup>12</sup>  
 throughout|strong = "H3605" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 provinces|strong = "H4082" of|strong = "H4428" King|strong = "H4428"  
 Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325" on|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3605"  
 thirteenth|strong = "H7969" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H3605" twelfth|strong = "H8147" month|strong = "H2320"  
 (which|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931" called|strong = "H7121"  
 Adar|strong = "H0143").<sup>13</sup> A|strong = "H1961" copy|strong = "H6572"  
 of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" edict|strong = "H1881"  
 was|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961"  
 published|strong = "H1540" as|strong = "H3117" a|strong = "H1961"  
 decree|strong = "H1881" in|strong = "H3117" every|strong = "H3605"  
 province|strong = "H4082" – publicly|strong = "H3318"  
 displayed|strong = "H5414" so|strong = "H1961" that|strong = "H5971"  
 the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064" might|strong = "H5971"  
 be|strong = "H1961" ready|strong = "H3559" for|strong = "H3117"  
 that|strong = "H5971" day|strong = "H3117" and|strong = "H3117"  
 avenge|strong = "H5358" themselves|strong = "H5414".<sup>14</sup>  
 So|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414" couriers|strong = "H7323"  
 who|strong = "H4428" rode|strong = "H7392" the|strong = "H5414"  
 swift|strong = "H7409", noble|strong = "H5081" steeds|strong = "H7409"  
 went|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318", hastened|strong = "H1765"  
 and|strong = "H4428" impelled|strong = "H1765" by|strong = "H3318"  
 the|strong = "H5414" king's|strong = "H4428" commands|strong = "H1697"!

**M** eantime the|strong = "H5414" decree|strong = "H1881"  
 had|strong = "H4428" been|strong = "H1961" given|strong = "H5414"  
 out|strong = "H3318" in|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5414"  
 royal|strong = "H4428" palace|strong = "H1002" at|strong = "H4428"  
 Susa|strong = "H7800";<sup>15</sup> and|strong = "H4428" Mordecai|strong = "H4782"  
 had|strong = "H4428" gone|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318"  
 from|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H6440" presence|strong = "H6440"  
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428"  
 in|strong = "H4428" royal|strong = "H4438" garments|strong = "H3830"  
 of|strong = "H4428" violet|strong = "H8504" and|strong = "H4428"  
 white|strong = "H2353" and|strong = "H4428" with|strong = "H6440"  
 a|strong = "H3318" great|strong = "H1419" crown|strong = "H5850"  
 of|strong = "H4428" gold|strong = "H2091" and|strong = "H4428"  
 with|strong = "H6440" a|strong = "H3318" robe|strong = "H3830"  
 of|strong = "H4428" fine|strong = "H5560" linen|strong = "H8336"  
 and|strong = "H4428" purple|strong = "H8504". The|strong = "H6440"  
 people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H4428" Susa|strong = "H7800"



shouted|strong = "H6670" and|strong = "H4428" were|strong = "H1419"  
 glad|strong = "H8055". <sup>16</sup> To|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961"  
 Jews|strong = "H3064" there|strong = "H1961" came|strong = "H1961"  
 light|strong = "H0216" and|strong = "H8057" gladness|strong = "H8057"  
 and|strong = "H8057" joy|strong = "H8057" and|strong = "H8057"  
 honour|strong = "H3366". <sup>17</sup> And|strong = "H4428" in|strong = "H5921"  
 every|strong = "H3605" province|strong = "H4082" and|strong = "H4428"  
 city|strong = "H5892", wherever|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 king's|strong = "H4428" command|strong = "H1697" and|strong = "H4428"  
 decree|strong = "H1881" came|strong = "H5060", there|strong = "H3117"  
 was|strong = "H1697" gladness|strong = "H8057" and|strong = "H4428"  
 joy|strong = "H8057" among|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Jews|strong = "H3064" and|strong = "H4428" a|strong = "H3588"  
 holiday|strong = "H2896". Many|strong = "H7227" of|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H3605" peoples|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H0776" professed to|strong = "H5921"  
 be|strong = "H1697" Jews|strong = "H3064", for|strong = "H3588"  
 fear|strong = "H6343" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Jews|strong = "H3064" took|strong = "H4428" possession|strong = "H0272"  
 of|strong = "H4428" them|strong = "H5921".

<sup>9</sup>Now|strong = "H3117" in|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H6213"  
 twelfth|strong = "H8147" month|strong = "H2320" (that|strong = "H3117"  
 is|strong = "H1931" the|strong = "H6213" month|strong = "H2320"  
 of|strong = "H4428" Adar|strong = "H0143"), on|strong = "H3117"  
 the|strong = "H6213" thirteenth|strong = "H7969" day|strong = "H3117",  
 when|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H6213" king's|strong = "H4428"  
 command|strong = "H1697" and|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H6213"  
 decree|strong = "H1881" was|strong = "H1931" about|strong = "H1697"  
 to|strong = "H6213" put|strong = "H6213" into|strong = "H2015"  
 execution|strong = "H6213", on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H6213"  
 day|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H6213"  
 enemies|strong = "H8130" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6213"  
 Jews|strong = "H3064" hoped|strong = "H7663" to|strong = "H6213"  
 gain|strong = "H7980" the|strong = "H6213" mastery|strong = "H7980"  
 over|strong = "H4428" them|strong = "H1992", then|strong = "H6213"  
 the|strong = "H6213" tables|strong = "H7979" were|strong = "H3117"  
 turned|strong = "H2015" so|strong = "H6213" that|strong = "H3117"  
 the|strong = "H6213" Jews|strong = "H3064" had|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H6213" mastery|strong = "H7980" over|strong = "H4428"  
 those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H1931" hated|strong = "H8130"  
 them|strong = "H1992". <sup>2</sup> The|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064"  
 gathered|strong = "H6950" together|strong = "H6950" in|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H3605" cities|strong = "H5892" throughout|strong = "H3605"  
 all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" provinces|strong = "H4082"

of|strong = "H4428" King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325",  
 to|strong = "H7971" attack|strong = "H5221" anyone|strong = "H3605"  
 who|strong = "H3605" tried|strong = "H1245" to|strong = "H7971"  
 harm|strong = "H7451" them|strong = "H5921". No|strong = "H3808"  
 one|strong = "H3605" could|strong = "H5971" withstand|strong = "H5975"  
 them|strong = "H5921", for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605"  
 fear|strong = "H6343" of|strong = "H4428" them|strong = "H5921"  
 had|strong = "H4428" fallen|strong = "H5307" on|strong = "H5921"  
 all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" peoples|strong = "H5971". <sup>3</sup>  
 All|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" princes|strong = "H8269"  
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" provinces|strong = "H4082"  
 and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" satraps|strong = "H0324"  
 and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" governors|strong = "H6346"  
 and|strong = "H4428" they|strong = "H3588" who|strong = "H3605"  
 attended|strong = "H8334" to|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"  
 king's|strong = "H4428" business|strong = "H4399", helped|strong = "H5375"  
 the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064", because|strong = "H3588"  
 the|strong = "H3605" fear|strong = "H6343" of|strong = "H4428"  
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782" had|strong = "H4428" fallen|strong = "H5307"  
 on|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921". <sup>4</sup> For|strong = "H3588"  
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782" was|strong = "H4428" great|strong = "H1419"  
 in|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H3605" king's|strong = "H4428"  
 palace|strong = "H1004", and|strong = "H1980" as|strong = "H3588"  
 his|strong = "H3605" power|strong = "H3027" increased|strong = "H7235"  
 his|strong = "H3605" fame|strong = "H8089" spread|strong = "H1980"  
 throughout|strong = "H3605" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 provinces|strong = "H4082". <sup>5</sup> The|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064"  
 put|strong = "H6213" all|strong = "H3605" their|strong = "H3605"  
 enemies|strong = "H8130" to|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3605"  
 sword|strong = "H2719" and|strong = "H2719", with|strong = "H6213"  
 slaughter|strong = "H4347" and|strong = "H2719"  
 destruction|strong = "H7667", they|strong = "H6213" did|strong = "H6213"  
 what|strong = "H6213" they|strong = "H6213" wanted|strong = "H2654"  
 to|strong = "H6213" those|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605"  
 hated|strong = "H8130" them|strong = "H5221". <sup>6</sup> In|strong = "H1002"  
 Susa|strong = "H7800" the|strong = "H2026" capital|strong = "H3805"  
 the|strong = "H2026" Jews|strong = "H3064" killed|strong = "H2026"  
 five|strong = "H2568" hundred|strong = "H3967" people|strong = "H5971".  
<sup>7</sup> They|strong = "H1992" killed|strong = "H2026"  
 Parshandatha|strong = "H6577", Dalphon|strong = "H1813",  
 Aspatha|strong = "H0630", <sup>8</sup> Poratha|strong = "H6334",  
 Adalia|strong = "H0118", Aridatha|strong = "H0743", <sup>9</sup>  
 Parmashta|strong = "H6534", Arisia, Aridai|strong = "H0742",  
 and|strong = "H3967" Vaizatha|strong = "H2055", <sup>10</sup> the|strong = "H7971"  
 ten|strong = "H6235" sons|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"  
 Haman|strong = "H2001" the|strong = "H7971" son|strong = "H1121"

of|strong = "H1121" Hammedatha|strong = "H4099", the|strong = "H7971"  
 Jews'|strong = "H3064" enemy|strong = "H6887"; but|strong = "H3808"  
 they|strong = "H3808" did|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
 take|strong = "H1121" any|strong = "H2026" plunder|strong = "H0962".

11On|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117"  
 the|strong = "H6440" number|strong = "H4557" of|strong = "H4428"  
 those|strong = "H1931" who|strong = "H1931" were|strong = "H3117"  
 slain|strong = "H2026" in|strong = "H4428" Susa|strong = "H7800"  
 was|strong = "H1931" brought|strong = "H4428" before|strong = "H6440"  
 the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428", <sup>12</sup> and|strong = "H3967"  
 the|strong = "H5414" king|strong = "H4428" said|strong = "H0559"  
 to|strong = "H6213" Queen|strong = "H4436" Esther|strong = "H0635",  
 "The|strong = "H5414" Jews|strong = "H3064" have|strong = "H1121"  
 slain|strong = "H2026" five|strong = "H2568" hundred|strong = "H3967"  
 people|strong = "H1121" in|strong = "H6213" Susa|strong = "H7800",  
 and|strong = "H3967" the|strong = "H5414" ten|strong = "H6235"  
 sons|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Haman|strong = "H2001".  
 What|strong = "H4100" then|strong = "H5414" have|strong = "H1121"  
 they|strong = "H4100" done|strong = "H6213" in|strong = "H6213"  
 the|strong = "H5414" rest|strong = "H7605" of|strong = "H1121"  
 the|strong = "H5414" king's|strong = "H4428" provinces|strong = "H4082"?!  
 Now|strong = "H5414" what|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H4100"  
 your|strong = "H5414" petition|strong = "H7596"? It|strong = "H5414"  
 will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H5750" granted|strong = "H5414"  
 to|strong = "H6213" you|strong = "H5414". What|strong = "H4100"  
 is|strong = "H4100" your|strong = "H5414" request|strong = "H1246"?  
 It|strong = "H5414" will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H5750"  
 done|strong = "H6213".'

13'If|strong = "H1121" it|strong = "H5414" please|strong = "H2896"  
 the|strong = "H5921" king|strong = "H4428", Esther|strong = "H0635"  
 said|strong = "H0559", 'let|strong = "H5414" it|strong = "H5414"  
 be|strong = "H1121" granted|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H6213"  
 the|strong = "H5921" Jews|strong = "H3064" who|strong = "H1121"  
 are|strong = "H3117" in|strong = "H5921" Susa|strong = "H7800"  
 to|strong = "H6213" do|strong = "H6213" tomorrow|strong = "H4279"  
 also|strong = "H1571" according|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H6213"  
 this|strong = "H6213" day's|strong = "H3117" decree|strong = "H1881".  
 Let|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5921" bodies|strong = "H6297"  
 of|strong = "H1121" Haman's|strong = "H2001" ten|strong = "H6235"  
 sons|strong = "H1121" be|strong = "H1121" hanged|strong = "H8518"  
 on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" gallows|strong = "H6086".' <sup>14</sup>  
 And|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H5414" king|strong = "H4428"  
 commanded|strong = "H6680" it|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H6213"

be|strong = "H1121" done|strong = "H6213". A|strong = "H6213"  
 decree|strong = "H1881" was|strong = "H4428" given|strong = "H5414"  
 out|strong = "H5414" in|strong = "H6213" Susa|strong = "H7800"  
 and|strong = "H1121" they|strong = "H3651" hung|strong = "H8518"  
 the|strong = "H5414" bodies|strong = "H6297" of|strong = "H1121"  
 Haman's|strong = "H2001" ten|strong = "H6235" sons|strong = "H1121"  
 on|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H5414" gallows|strong = "H6086". <sup>15</sup>  
 The|strong = "H3117" Jews|strong = "H3064" who|strong = "H3808"  
 were|strong = "H3117" in|strong = "H3117" Susa|strong = "H7800"  
 gathered|strong = "H6950" themselves|strong = "H6950"  
 together|strong = "H6950" again|strong = "H7971" on|strong = "H3117"  
 the|strong = "H3117" fourteenth|strong = "H6240" day|strong = "H3117"  
 of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117" month|strong = "H2320"  
 of|strong = "H3117" Adar|strong = "H0143". They|strong = "H3117"  
 killed|strong = "H2026" three|strong = "H7969" hundred|strong = "H3967"  
 people|strong = "H3808" in|strong = "H3117" Susa|strong = "H7800".  
 But|strong = "H3808" they|strong = "H3117" did|strong = "H3808"  
 not|strong = "H3808" take|strong = "H3027" any|strong = "H1571"  
 plunder|strong = "H0962". <sup>16</sup> And|strong = "H7971" the|strong = "H5921"  
 other|strong = "H7605" Jews|strong = "H3064" who|strong = "H5315"  
 were|strong = "H3027" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
 king's|strong = "H4428" provinces|strong = "H4082"  
 gathered|strong = "H6950" themselves|strong = "H5315"  
 together|strong = "H6950" and|strong = "H7971" fought|strong = "H3898"  
 for|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H5921" lives|strong = "H5315"  
 and|strong = "H7971" overcame their|strong = "H5921"  
 enemies|strong = "H8130". They|strong = "H3808" killed|strong = "H2026"  
 seventy-five|strong = "H7657" thousand|strong = "H0505"  
 who|strong = "H5315" hated|strong = "H8130" them|strong = "H5921".  
 But|strong = "H3808" they|strong = "H3808" did|strong = "H3808"  
 not|strong = "H3808" take|strong = "H5975" any|strong = "H5315"  
 plunder|strong = "H0962". <sup>17</sup> This|strong = "H6213" was|strong = "H3117"  
 on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H6213" thirteenth|strong = "H7969"  
 day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117" Adar|strong = "H0143".

O n|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H6213" fourteenth|strong = "H6240"  
 day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H6213"  
 month|strong = "H2320" Adar|strong = "H0143" the|strong = "H6213"  
 Jews|strong = "H3064" rested|strong = "H5117" and|strong = "H3117"  
 made|strong = "H6213" it|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H6213"  
 day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117" feasting|strong = "H4960"  
 and|strong = "H3117" rejoicing|strong = "H8057". <sup>18</sup> (But|strong = "H3117"  
 the|strong = "H6213" Jews|strong = "H3064" in|strong = "H6213"  
 Susa|strong = "H7800" gathered|strong = "H6950" on|strong = "H3117"  
 both|strong = "H8147" the|strong = "H6213" thirteenth|strong = "H7969"

and|strong = "H3117" fourteenth|strong = "H6240" day|strong = "H3117" –  
 and|strong = "H3117" rested|strong = "H5117" on|strong = "H3117"  
 the|strong = "H6213" fifteenth|strong = "H2568" day|strong = "H3117"  
 of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H6213" same|strong = "H1931"  
 month|strong = "H2320" and|strong = "H3117" made|strong = "H6213"  
 it|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H6213" day|strong = "H3117"  
 of|strong = "H3117" feasting|strong = "H4960" and|strong = "H3117"  
 rejoicing|strong = "H8057".)

19This|strong = "H3651" is|strong = "H3117" why|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" Jews|strong = "H3064" who|strong = "H3427"  
 live|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H5921"  
 country|strong = "H6521" villages|strong = "H6519" keep|strong = "H6213"  
 the|strong = "H5921" fourteenth|strong = "H6240" day|strong = "H3117"  
 of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H5921" month|strong = "H2320"  
 of|strong = "H3117" Adar|strong = "H0143" as|strong = "H3117"  
 a|strong = "H6213" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
 rejoicing|strong = "H8057" and|strong = "H3117" feasting|strong = "H4960"  
 and|strong = "H3117" a|strong = "H6213" holiday|strong = "H2896",  
 and|strong = "H3117" a|strong = "H6213" day|strong = "H3117"  
 in|strong = "H3427" which|strong = "H3064" they|strong = "H3117"  
 send|strong = "H7971" gifts|strong = "H4490" of|strong = "H3117"  
 food|strong = "H4490" to|strong = "H6213" each|strong = "H3117"  
 other|strong = "H7453".  
 The|strong = "H5921" Establishment|strong = "H7760" of|strong = "H3117"  
 Purim|strong = "H6332"

20Mordecai|strong = "H4782" had|strong = "H4428"  
 these|strong = "H3789" things|strong = "H1697" recorded|strong = "H3789".  
 He|strong = "H3605" sent|strong = "H7971" letters|strong = "H5612"  
 to|strong = "H7971" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Jews|strong = "H3064" who|strong = "H3605" were|strong = "H1697"  
 in|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 provinces|strong = "H4082" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"  
 King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325", both|strong = "H3605"  
 near|strong = "H7138" and|strong = "H7971" far|strong = "H7350". <sup>21</sup>  
 He|strong = "H3117" told|strong = "H6213" them|strong = "H5921"  
 to|strong = "H1961" keep|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3605"  
 fourteenth|strong = "H6240" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
 the|strong = "H3605" month|strong = "H2320" of|strong = "H3117"  
 Adar|strong = "H0143" and|strong = "H6965" also|strong = "H6213"  
 the|strong = "H3605" fifteenth|strong = "H2568" day|strong = "H3117"  
 every|strong = "H3605" year|strong = "H8141", <sup>22</sup> as|strong = "H3117"  
 the|strong = "H6213" days|strong = "H3117" on|strong = "H3117"  
 which|strong = "H1992" the|strong = "H6213" Jews|strong = "H3064"

had|strong = "H3064" rest|strong = "H5117" from|strong = "H3117" their|strong = "H1992" enemies|strong = "H0341", and|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H6213" month|strong = "H2320" which|strong = "H1992" was|strong = "H3117" turned|strong = "H2015" from|strong = "H3117" sorrow|strong = "H3015" to|strong = "H6213" gladness|strong = "H8057" and|strong = "H3117" from|strong = "H3117" mourning|strong = "H0060" into|strong = "H2015" a|strong = "H6213" feast|strong = "H4960" day|strong = "H3117". They|strong = "H1992" should|strong = "H3117" make|strong = "H6213" them|strong = "H1992" days|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117" feasting|strong = "H4960" and|strong = "H3117" gladness|strong = "H8057" and|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117" sending|strong = "H4916" gifts|strong = "H4979" of|strong = "H3117" food|strong = "H4490" to|strong = "H6213" each|strong = "H3117" other|strong = "H7453" and|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117" gifts|strong = "H4979" to|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H6213" poor|strong = "H6041".

23So|strong = "H6213" what|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H6213" Jews|strong = "H3064" had|strong = "H4782" begun|strong = "H2490" to|strong = "H6213" do|strong = "H6213" they|strong = "H6213" adopted|strong = "H2388" as|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H6213" custom|strong = "H6901", just|strong = "H6213" as|strong = "H6213" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" had|strong = "H4782" written|strong = "H3789" to|strong = "H6213" them|strong = "H6213". <sup>24</sup> For|strong = "H3588" Haman|strong = "H2001" the|strong = "H3605" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Hammedatha|strong = "H4099", the|strong = "H3605" Agagite|strong = "H0091", the|strong = "H3605" enemy|strong = "H6887" of|strong = "H1121" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" Jews|strong = "H3064", had|strong = "H3588" plotted|strong = "H2803" to|strong = "H5921" destroy|strong = "H2000" them|strong = "H5921". He|strong = "H1931" had|strong = "H3588" cast|strong = "H5307" "Pur|strong = "H6332", that|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H1931" the|strong = "H3605" lot|strong = "H1486", intending|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H5921" consume|strong = "H2000" them|strong = "H5921" and|strong = "H1121" to|strong = "H5921" destroy|strong = "H2000" them|strong = "H5921". <sup>25</sup> But|strong = "H7725" when|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H6440" matter|strong = "H1697" came|strong = "H7725" before|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H4428", he|strong = "H5921" gave|strong = "H7725" written|strong = "H3789" orders|strong = "H5612" that|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H7725" wicked|strong = "H7451" plot|strong = "H2803", which|strong = "H3064" he|strong = "H5921" had|strong = "H4428" planned|strong = "H2803" against|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440" Jews|strong = "H3064", should|strong = "H4428" come|strong = "H7725" upon|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H7725" own|strong = "H5973" head|strong = "H7218",

and **"H1121"** that **"H4428"** he **"H5921"**  
 and **"H1121"** his **"H7725"** sons **"H1121"**  
 should **"H4428"** be **"H1121"** hanged **"H8518"**  
 on **"H5921"** the **"H6440"** gallows **"H6086"**. <sup>26</sup>  
 This **"H2063"** is **"H4100"** why **"H4100"**  
 these **"H2063"** days **"H3117"** are **"H3117"**  
 called **"H7121"** Purim **"H6332"**, after **"H5921"**  
 the **"H3605"** word **"H1697"** Pur **"H6332"**.  
 Therefore **"H3651"** because **"H5921"** of **"H3117"**  
 all **"H3605"** the **"H3605"** words **"H1697"**  
 of **"H3117"** this **"H2063"** letter **"H5612"**,  
 as **"H1697"** well **"H3651"** as **"H1697"**  
 all **"H3605"** they **"H3117"** had **"H4100"**  
 seen **"H7200"**, and **"H3117"** all **"H3605"**  
 they **"H3117"** had **"H4100"** experienced **"H3045"**,  
<sup>27</sup> the **"H3605"** Jews **"H3064"** established **"H6965"**  
 and **"H6965"** made **"H6213"** it **"H5921"**  
 a **"H1961"** custom **"H6901"** for **"H5921"**  
 them **"H5921"**, for **"H5921"** their **"H3605"**  
 descendants **"H2233"**, and **"H6965"** for **"H5921"**  
 all **"H3605"** who **"H3605"** should **"H8141"**  
 join **"H3867"** them **"H5921"**, so **"H6213"**  
 that **"H3605"** it **"H5921"** might **"H1369"**  
 not **"H3808"** be **"H1961"** repealed **"H5674"**,  
 that **"H3605"** they **"H3117"** should **"H8141"**  
 continue **"H1961"** to **"H1961"** observe **"H6213"**  
 these **"H6213"** two **"H8147"** days **"H3117"**  
 as **"H3117"** feasts **"H4150"** each **"H3605"**  
 year **"H8141"**, <sup>28</sup> and **"H3117"** that **"H3605"**  
 these **"H6213"** days **"H3117"** should **"H3117"**  
 be **"H3808"** remembered **"H2142"** and **"H3117"**  
 kept **"H6213"** throughout **"H3605"** every **"H3605"**  
 generation **"H1755"**, every **"H3605"**  
 family **"H4940"**, every **"H3605"** province **"H4082"**,  
 and **"H3117"** every **"H3605"** city **"H5892"**.  
 And **"H3117"** these **"H6213"** days **"H3117"**  
 of **"H3117"** Purim **"H6332"** should **"H3117"**  
 not **"H3808"** pass **"H5674"** away **"H5674"**  
 from **"H3117"** among **"H8432"** the **"H3605"**  
 Jews **"H3064"** nor **"H3808"** the **"H3605"**  
 remembrance **"H2142"** of **"H3117"** them **"H6213"**  
 disappear **"H0622"** among **"H8432"** their **"H3605"**  
 descendants **"H2233"**.

29Queen|strong = "H4436" Esther|strong = "H0635", the|strong = "H3605"  
 daughter|strong = "H1323" of|strong = "H1323" Abihail|strong = "H0032",  
 gave|strong = "H5414" Mordecai|strong = "H4782" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Jew|strong = "H3064" all|strong = "H3605" authority|strong = "H8633"  
 in|strong = "H3789" writing|strong = "H3789" to|strong = "H6965"  
 confirm|strong = "H6965" this|strong = "H2063" second|strong = "H8145"  
 letter|strong = "H5612" of|strong = "H1323" Purim|strong = "H6332". <sup>30</sup>  
 He|strong = "H3605" sent|strong = "H7971" letters|strong = "H5612"  
 to|strong = "H7971" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Jews|strong = "H3064", to|strong = "H7971" the|strong = "H3605"  
 hundred|strong = "H3967" and|strong = "H3967"  
 twenty-seven|strong = "H6242" provinces|strong = "H4082"  
 of|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H3605" kingdom|strong = "H4438"  
 of|strong = "H1697" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325", wishing|strong = "H7592"  
 them|strong = "H7971" peace|strong = "H7965" and|strong = "H3967"  
 security|strong = "H7965", <sup>31</sup> to|strong = "H5921" confirm|strong = "H6965"  
 these|strong = "H6965" days|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
 Purim|strong = "H6332" in|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H5921"  
 proper|strong = "H2896" times|strong = "H3117", to|strong = "H5921"  
 be|strong = "H1697" observed|strong = "H6965" as|strong = "H1697"  
 Mordecai|strong = "H4782" the|strong = "H5921" Jew|strong = "H3064"  
 and|strong = "H6965" Queen|strong = "H4436" Esther|strong = "H0635"  
 had|strong = "H4782" directed|strong = "H5090" and|strong = "H6965"  
 as|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H5921" Jews|strong = "H3064"  
 had|strong = "H4782" proscribed for|strong = "H5921"  
 themselves|strong = "H5315" and|strong = "H6965" their|strong = "H5921"  
 descendants|strong = "H2233", in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
 matter|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H5921"  
 fastings|strong = "H6685" and|strong = "H6965" their|strong = "H5921"  
 cry|strong = "H2201" of|strong = "H3117" lamentation|strong = "H7015". <sup>32</sup>  
 And|strong = "H6965" the|strong = "H6965" commands|strong = "H1697"  
 of|strong = "H1697" Esther|strong = "H0635" confirmed|strong = "H6965"  
 these|strong = "H3789" matters|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H1697"  
 Purim|strong = "H6332"; and|strong = "H6965" it|strong = "H3789"  
 was|strong = "H1697" written|strong = "H3789" in|strong = "H3789"  
 the|strong = "H6965" records|strong = "H1697".

10King|strong = "H4428" Ahasuerus|strong = "H0325"  
 imposed|strong = "H5414" a|strong = "H7760" tribute|strong = "H4522"  
 on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" land|strong = "H0776"  
 and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5921" coasts|strong = "H1366". <sup>2</sup>  
 All|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" acts|strong = "H1697"  
 of|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H3605" power|strong = "H1369"  
 and|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H3605"  
 might|strong = "H1369", and|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"



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Book One

Psalm 1 – The Way of Happiness

1 Happy are those

who do not follow  
of the counsel  
of the wicked,

not halting in  
ways frequented by  
sinners,

nor taking a  
seat in a  
gathering of scoffers.

2 But the law  
of the Lord  
is their joy,

they study it  
day and night.

3 They are like  
trees

planted by  
runlets of  
water,

yielding fruit  
in  
due season,

leaves never fading.

In all that  
they do, they  
prosper.

4Not|strong = "H3808" so|strong = "H3651" fare|strong = "H7939"  
the|strong = "H3588" wicked|strong = "H7563", not|strong = "H3808"  
so|strong = "H3651";

l ike|strong = "H3651" chaff|strong = "H4671" are|strong = "H7563"  
they|strong = "H3588", blown|strong = "H8628" by|strong = "H3808"  
the|strong = "H3588" wind|strong = "H7307".

5So|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H5921" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
will|strong = "H6662" not|strong = "H3808" stand|strong = "H6965"  
firm|strong = "H3559" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
judgment|strong = "H4941",

n or|strong = "H3808" sinners|strong = "H2400" appear|strong = "H7200",  
when|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" righteous|strong = "H6662"  
are|strong = "H7563" gathered|strong = "H6960".

6For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" way|strong = "H1870"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" righteous|strong = "H6662"  
is|strong = "H3068" dear|strong = "H3357" to|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

b ut|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" way|strong = "H1870"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
will|strong = "H3068" end|strong = "H7093" in|strong = "H3068"  
ruin|strong = "H2723".

Psalm 2 – The Lord's Chosen King

2Why|strong = "H4100" this|strong = "H4100" turmoil|strong = "H7267"  
of|strong = "H1471" nations|strong = "H1471",

t his|strong = "H4100" futile|strong = "H1892" plotting|strong = "H0696"  
of|strong = "H1471" peoples|strong = "H3816",

2with|strong = "H3068" kings|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428"  
the|strong = "H5921" earth|strong = "H0776" conspiring,

a nd|strong = "H3068" rulers|strong = "H7336" consulting|strong = "H7592"  
together|strong = "H3162",

a gainst|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* and|strong = "H3068" against|strong = "H5921"  
his|strong = "H3068" anointed|strong = "H4899",

3to|strong = "H4480" snap their|strong = "H7993" bonds|strong = "H4147"

a nd|strong = "H4480" fling|strong = "H7993" their|strong = "H7993"  
cords|strong = "H5688" away|strong = "H7993"?

4He|strong = "H3427" whose|strong = "H0834" throne|strong = "H3678"  
is|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427" heaven|strong = "H8064"  
laughs|strong = "H7832",

t he|strong = "H3427" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* mocks|strong = "H3932"  
them|strong = "H3427".

5Then|strong = "H1696" he|strong = "H1696" speaks|strong = "H1696"  
to|strong = "H1696" them|strong = "H5414" in|strong = "H1696"  
his|strong = "H1696" wrath|strong = "H2740",

a nd|strong = "H1696" in|strong = "H1696" his|strong = "H1696"  
hot|strong = "H2552" anger|strong = "H2740" confounds  
them|strong = "H5414".

6'This|strong = "H6944" my|strong = "H5921" king|strong = "H4428"  
is|strong = "H4428" installed|strong = "H5258" by|strong = "H5921"  
me|strong = "H5921",

o n|strong = "H5921" Zion|strong = "H6726" my|strong = "H5921"  
holy|strong = "H6944" mountain|strong = "H2022".

7I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068" tell|strong = "H5608"  
of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3205" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*'s  
decree|strong = "H2706".

H e|strong = "H3117" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3068"  
me|strong = "H3205": 'You|strong = "H3117" are|strong = "H3117"  
my|strong = "H3068" son|strong = "H1121",

t his|strong = "H3068" day|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117"  
became|strong = "H3205" your|strong = "H3068" father|strong = "H3205".

8Only|strong = "H0389" ask|strong = "H7592", and|strong = "H1471"  
I|strong = "H5414" make|strong = "H5414" you|strong = "H5414"  
the|strong = "H5414" heir|strong = "H3423" of|strong = "H4480"  
the|strong = "H5414" nations|strong = "H1471",

and|strong="H1471" lord|strong="H3068" of|strong="H4480"  
the|strong="H5414" world|strong="H8398" to|strong="H5414"  
its|strong="H5414" utmost|strong="H7097" bounds|strong="H1379".

9You|strong="H7489" will|strong="H3068" break|strong="H7489"  
them|strong="H1270" with|strong="H3627" sceptre|strong="H7626"  
of|strong="H7626" iron|strong="H1270",

s hatter|strong="H5310" them|strong="H1270" like|strong="H3644"  
pottery|strong="H3627".'

10So|strong="H6258" now|strong="H6258", you|strong="H3256"  
kings|strong="H4428", be|strong="H4428" wise|strong="H7919":

b e|strong="H4428" warned|strong="H3256", you|strong="H3256"  
rulers|strong="H8199" of|strong="H4428" earth|strong="H0776".

11Serve|strong="H5647" the|strong="H5647" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* in|strong="H3068" awe|strong="H1481",

k iss|strong="H5401" his|strong="H3068" feet|strong="H7272"  
with|strong="H3068" trembling|strong="H7461",

12lest|strong="H6435", angry|strong="H2734", he|strong="H3588"  
hurl|strong="H2904" you|strong="H3588" to|strong="H1870"  
ruin|strong="H2723";

f or|strong="H3588" soon|strong="H4592" will|strong="H3588"  
his|strong="H3605" fury|strong="H2534" blaze|strong="H8316".

H appy|strong="H0835" all|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605"  
take|strong="H2620" refuge|strong="H2620" in|strong="H1870"  
him|strong="H3605".

#### Psalm 3 – A Morning Prayer for Protection

3How|strong="H4100" many|strong="H7227", w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, are|strong="H1121" my|strong="H1732"  
foes|strong="H7796"!

T hose|strong="H1121" who|strong="H1121" rise|strong="H6965"  
up|strong="H1121" against|strong="H6440" me|strong="H6440"  
are|strong="H1121" many|strong="H7227".

2 Many are those who say of me,

‘ There is no help for him in his God.’  
Selah

3 But you, w Lord, are shield about me,

my glory, who lifts my head.

4 When loudly I call to the Lord,

from his holy hill he gives answer.  
Selah

5 I laid down and slept:

now I wake, for the Lord sustains me.

6 I fear not of people

who beset me on every side.

7 Arise, w Lord, save me, my God,

who strikes all  
my foes on  
the cheek,

and shatters the  
teeth of the  
wicked.

Victory belongs to  
the Lord:

Let your blessing  
descend on your  
people. w Selah  
Psalm 4 – An Evening Prayer

Answer my cry,

God, my defender.

Often from straits  
you have brought  
me

to spacious places.

So now show  
me your favour

and hear my  
prayer.

How long, you  
proud people,

will my honour  
be stained

by the slanders  
you love,



and the lies that you follow?  
Selah

3See! The w Lord w\*  
has shown me

his wonderful  
kindness:

the w Lord w\* hears,

when I call  
to him.

4Sin not in  
your anger:

but speak in  
your heart

on your bed,  
and be still.  
Selah

5Offer true sacrifice,

trust in the w  
Lord w\*.

6Many are longing

for fortune to  
smile.

Lift upon us

the light of  
your face.

7 You have put in my heart, w  
Lord w\*,

a deeper joy

than was theirs who had corn

and wine in abundance.

8 So in peace I will

lie down and sleep;

for you, w Lord w\*,  
keep me

safe.

Psalm 5 – A Prayer for Guidance

5 Hear my words, w  
Lord w\*:

give heed to my  
my whisper.

2 Attend to my  
loud cry for  
help,

my king and  
my God.

3 When I pray  
to you, w Lord w\*,  
in the morning,

hear my voice.

**I** |strong = "H3588" make|strong = "H6419" ready|strong = "H3559"  
for|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H4428"  
the|strong = "H3588" morning|strong = "H1242",

**a** nd|strong = "H4428" look|strong = "H7200" for|strong = "H3588"  
a|strong = "H3588" sign|strong = "H0226".

4For|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H6963" are|strong = "H3068"  
no|strong = "H3808" God|strong = "H3068" who|strong = "H3068"  
takes|strong = "H3947" pleasure|strong = "H2656" in|strong = "H3068"  
wickedness|strong = "H7451":

**n** o|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H8085" of|strong = "H3068"  
evil|strong = "H7451" can|strong = "H4310" be|strong = "H3068"  
your|strong = "H3068" guest|strong = "H0398".

5No|strong = "H3808" braggarts can|strong = "H7451"  
stand|strong = "H1481" in|strong = "H1481" your|strong = "H3588"  
presence|strong = "H6440",

**y** ou|strong = "H3588" hate|strong = "H8130" all|strong = "H3605"  
workers|strong = "H6466" of|strong = "H7451" wrong|strong = "H7451".

6You|strong = "H3605" destroy|strong = "H3605" all|strong = "H3605"  
speakers of|strong = "H5869" lies|strong = "H3577",

**p** eople|strong = "H3808" of|strong = "H5869" blood|strong = "H1818"  
and|strong = "H5869" deceit|strong = "H4820" you|strong = "H3605"  
abhor|strong = "H8581".

7But|strong = "H1696" I|strong = "H3068", through|strong = "H1696"  
your|strong = "H3068" kindness|strong = "H2617"  
abundant|strong = "H7227",

**m** ay|strong = "H3068" enter|strong = "H0935" your|strong = "H3068"  
house|strong = "H1004",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" towards the|strong = "H3068"  
shrine|strong = "H1354" of|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
temple|strong = "H1004"

**m** ay|strong = "H3068" reverently bow|strong = "H7198".

8Lead|strong="H5148" me|strong="H1004", w Lord|strong="H2617" w\*,  
in|strong="H1004" your|strong="H1004" righteousness|strong="H2617"

**b** ecause|strong="H7230" of|strong="H1004" my|strong="H7230"  
enemies|strong="H0341".

**M** ake|strong="H6213" your|strong="H1004" way|strong="H1870"  
level|strong="H4334" before|strong="H6440" me|strong="H1004".

9For|strong="H6440" their|strong="H3068" mouth|strong="H6440"  
is|strong="H3068" a|strong="H3068" stranger|strong="H1616"  
to|strong="H3068" truth|strong="H0571",

**t** heir|strong="H3068" heart|strong="H3820" is|strong="H3068"  
a|strong="H3068" pit|strong="H0953" of|strong="H3068"  
destruction|strong="H7667".

**T** heir|strong="H3068" throat|strong="H1627" is|strong="H3068"  
a|strong="H3068" wide|strong="H7341" open|strong="H6440"  
grave|strong="H6913",

**t** heir|strong="H3068" tongue|strong="H3956" the|strong="H6440"  
smooth|strong="H3474" tongue|strong="H3956" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H6440" hypocrite|strong="H2611".

10Condemn|strong="H7561" them|strong="H3588",  
God|strong="H0430";

**l** et|strong="H7971" their|strong="H3588" schemes|strong="H4284"  
bring|strong="H0935" them|strong="H3588" down|strong="H3588"  
to|strong="H6310" the|strong="H3588" ground|strong="H0776".

**F** or|strong="H3588" their|strong="H3588" numberless  
crimes|strong="H6588" thrust|strong="H1920" them|strong="H3588"  
down|strong="H3588"

**f** or|strong="H3588" playing|strong="H5059" the|strong="H3588"  
rebel|strong="H4775" against|strong="H3956" you|strong="H3588".

11But|strong="H3588" let|strong="H7971" all|strong="H7230"  
who|strong="H3588" take|strong="H3947" refuge|strong="H4733"  
in|strong="H5307" you|strong="H3588"

r ing|strong="H2885" out|strong="H5080" their|strong="H3588"  
gladness|strong="H8057" forever|strong="H5769".

P rotect|strong="H8104" those|strong="H3588" who|strong="H3588"  
love|strong="H0157" your|strong="H3588" name|strong="H8034",

s o|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" may|strong="H5307"  
exult|strong="H5937" in|strong="H5307" you|strong="H3588".

12For|strong="H5921" you|strong="H3605" give|strong="H8055"  
your|strong="H3605" blessing|strong="H1293", w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, to|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605"  
godly|strong="H2623",

a nd|strong="H5769" the|strong="H3605" shield|strong="H4043"  
of|strong="H8034" your|strong="H3605" favour|strong="H2580"  
protects|strong="H8104" them|strong="H5921".  
Psalm 6 – A Cry for Help in Time of Trouble

6Rebuke|strong="H1606" me|strong="H5921" not|strong="H1732", w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, in|strong="H5921" your|strong="H5921"  
anger|strong="H0639",

p unish|strong="H6485" me|strong="H5921" not|strong="H1732"  
in|strong="H5921" your|strong="H5921" wrath|strong="H2534".

2w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, be|strong="H3068"  
gracious|strong="H2603" to|strong="H3068" me|strong="H3256"

i n|strong="H3068" my|strong="H3068" weakness|strong="H4816".

H eal|strong="H7495" me|strong="H3256" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

f or|strong="H3068" racked is|strong="H3068" my|strong="H3068"  
body|strong="H1320";

3all|strong="H3068" of|strong="H3068" me|strong="H2603"  
utterly|strong="H2763" racked.

W hy|strong="H3588" do|strong="H3068" you|strong="H3588"  
wait|strong="H0693" so|strong="H3588" long|strong="H0753", w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*?

4Turn|strong="H7725", w Lord|strong="H3068"w\*,  
rescue|strong="H5315" me|strong="H5315";

s ave|strong="H5315" me|strong="H5315", because|strong="H3068"  
of|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" love|strong="H0157".

5For|strong="H3068" in|strong="H3068" death|strong="H5315"  
none|strong="H0369" can|strong="H4310" call|strong="H7725"  
you|strong="H7725" to|strong="H7725" mind|strong="H5315";

i n|strong="H3068" Sheol|strong="H7585" who|strong="H3068"  
can|strong="H4310" praise|strong="H1984" you|strong="H7725"?

6I|strong="H3588" am|strong="H1961" so|strong="H3588"  
weary|strong="H5889" of|strong="H4194" sighing|strong="H0585".

A ll|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3588" night|strong="H3915"  
I|strong="H3588" make|strong="H3588" my|strong="H3588"  
bed|strong="H4904" swim|strong="H7811",

a nd|strong="H3034" wet|strong="H6647" my|strong="H3588"  
couch|strong="H6210" with|strong="H7585" my|strong="H3588"  
tears|strong="H1832".

7My|strong="H3605" eyes|strong="H5869" swollen  
with|strong="H3605" grief|strong="H3708";

f rom|strong="H3915" weeping|strong="H1065" caused|strong="H5414"  
by|strong="H3915" my|strong="H3605" foes|strong="H7796".

8Begone, workers|strong="H6466" of|strong="H5869"  
wrong|strong="H7451",

f or|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068"w\*  
has|strong="H5869" heard|strong="H8085" my|strong="H3605"  
loud|strong="H1419" weeping|strong="H1065",

9the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068"w\* has|strong="H3068"  
heard|strong="H8085" my|strong="H8085" entreaty|strong="H6279",

t he|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068"w\*  
accepts|strong="H3947" my|strong="H8085" prayer|strong="H8605".

10 My|strong = "H8085" foes|strong = "H7796" will|strong = "H3068"  
 be|strong = "H3068" stricken|strong = "H0935" with|strong = "H3068"  
 terror|strong = "H2851",

**b** rought|strong = "H3947" to|strong = "H3068" shame|strong = "H0954"  
 and|strong = "H3068" dismay|strong = "H0928" in|strong = "H3068"  
 a|strong = "H3947" moment|strong = "H7281".

Psalm 7 – A Prayer to the God of Justice

7w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* my|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068",  
 I|strong = "H5921" take|strong = "H3947" refuge|strong = "H4733"  
 in|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H5921".

**D** eliver|strong = "H5337" me|strong = "H5921", save|strong = "H3467"  
 me|strong = "H5921" from|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H1697"  
 who|strong = "H3068" pursue|strong = "H7291" me|strong = "H5921";

2or|strong = "H3068" like|strong = "H3068" lions|strong = "H3715"  
 they|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" tear|strong = "H7167"  
 me|strong = "H7291" to|strong = "H3068" pieces|strong = "H5409",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" rend|strong = "H7167" me|strong = "H7291",  
 past|strong = "H7291" hope|strong = "H2620" of|strong = "H3068"  
 rescue|strong = "H5337".

3w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, my|strong = "H5337" God|strong = "H0430",  
 if|strong = "H6435" my|strong = "H5337" life|strong = "H5315"  
 has|strong = "H5315" been|strong = "H2963" such|strong = "H5315"

**i** f|strong = "H6435" my|strong = "H5337" hands|strong = "H3027"  
 have|strong = "H5337" been|strong = "H2963" stained|strong = "H1351"  
 with|strong = "H5315" guilt|strong = "H0817",

4if|strong = "H3426" friends|strong = "H7453" I|strong = "H3068"  
 paid|strong = "H5414" back|strong = "H7725" with|strong = "H3068"  
 evil|strong = "H6213",

**i** f|strong = "H3426" I|strong = "H3068" plundered|strong = "H0962"  
 my|strong = "H3068" foes|strong = "H7796" without|strong = "H6213"  
 cause|strong = "H6213",

5may|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H7999" enemy|strong = "H6887"  
 chase|strong = "H7291" and|strong = "H7451" find|strong = "H4672"  
 me|strong = "H1580",

**t** rample|strong = "H7429" my|strong = "H7999" life|strong = "H5315"  
 to|strong = "H7451" the|strong = "H7999" ground|strong = "H0776",

**m** y|strong = "H7999" honour|strong = "H3519" leave|strong = "H5800"  
 in|strong = "H7451" the|strong = "H7999" dirt|strong = "H6083"! w  
 Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

6Arise|strong = "H6965", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, in|strong = "H7931"  
 anger|strong = "H0639",

**a** gainst|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H7291" foes|strong = "H7796"  
 rise|strong = "H6965" in|strong = "H7931" fury|strong = "H2534".

**A** wake|strong = "H5782" for|strong = "H5315" my|strong = "H7291"  
 help|strong = "H5826":

**l** et|strong = "H5315" justice|strong = "H4941" be|strong = "H5315"  
 done|strong = "H6213".

7Gather|strong = "H6908" the|strong = "H5375" nations|strong = "H1471"  
 about|strong = "H5375" you|strong = "H6680",

**a** nd|strong = "H6965" sit|strong = "H3427" on|strong = "H3068"  
 your|strong = "H3068" lofty|strong = "H5375" throne|strong = "H3678",

8as|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
 the|strong = "H5921" judge|strong = "H8199" of|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" peoples|strong = "H3816".

**J** udge|strong = "H8199" me|strong = "H7725", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
 in|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H5921" innocence|strong = "H5356"

**a** nd|strong = "H7725" according|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H7725"  
 my|strong = "H5921" integrity|strong = "H8537".

9Put|strong = "H3068" an|strong = "H3068" end|strong = "H7093"  
 to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" wrong|strong = "H7451"  
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" wicked|strong = "H7563",



**p** rotect|strong = "H8104" the|strong = "H5921"  
righteous|strong = "H6664".

**S** earcher of|strong = "H3068" hearts|strong = "H3820"  
and|strong = "H3068" minds|strong = "H5315",

**r** ighteous|strong = "H6664" God|strong = "H3068".

10God|strong = "H0430" is|strong = "H7563" my|strong = "H3559"  
shield|strong = "H4043":

**h** e|strong = "H0834" saves|strong = "H3467" the|strong = "H3559"  
upright|strong = "H3477" in|strong = "H6662" heart|strong = "H3826".

11God|strong = "H0430" is|strong = "H3820" a|strong = "H5921"  
just|strong = "H3477" judge|strong = "H8199",

**c** onstant|strong = "H2956" in|strong = "H5921" righteous|strong = "H3477"  
anger|strong = "H0639".

12He|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H6662" sharpen|strong = "H3913"  
his|strong = "H3605" sword|strong = "H2719" without|strong = "H3117"  
fail|strong = "H3615",

**h** is|strong = "H3605" bow|strong = "H7198" is|strong = "H3117"  
bent|strong = "H1869" and|strong = "H3117" ready|strong = "H3559",

13his|strong = "H7725" deadly|strong = "H4194"  
weapons|strong = "H2719" are|strong = "H7198" ready|strong = "H3559",

**h** is|strong = "H7725" arrows|strong = "H7198" he|strong = "H3808"  
makes|strong = "H3559" of|strong = "H2719" flame|strong = "H3852".

14The|strong = "H3559" enemy|strong = "H0340" who|strong = "H0834"  
conceives|strong = "H2029" evil|strong = "H7451";

**p** regnant|strong = "H2030" with|strong = "H3627"  
mischief|strong = "H7451",

**g** iving|strong = "H5414" birth|strong = "H3205" to|strong = "H3559"  
lies|strong = "H3577",

15a |strong="H3205" pit|strong="H0953" they|strong="H2254"  
have|strong="H3205" made|strong="H6213" and|strong="H2029"  
dug|strong="H2658";

**b** ut|strong="H2009" into|strong="H0413" the|strong="H3205"  
hole|strong="H6310" that|strong="H2009" they|strong="H2254"  
made|strong="H6213" they|strong="H2254" will|strong="H5999"  
fall|strong="H5307".

16On|strong="H5307" their|strong="H5307" own|strong="H1961"  
heads|strong="H7218" their|strong="H5307" mischief|strong="H7451"  
comes|strong="H0935" back|strong="H7725";

**o** n|strong="H5307" their|strong="H5307" own|strong="H1961" skulls  
their|strong="H5307" violence|strong="H2555" comes|strong="H0935"  
down|strong="H5307".

17I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H7725" give|strong="H7725"  
thanks|strong="H3034" to|strong="H7725" the|strong="H5921" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* for|strong="H5921" his|strong="H7725"  
justice|strong="H4941",

**a** nd|strong="H7725" sing|strong="H7891" to|strong="H7725"  
the|strong="H5921" name|strong="H8034" of|strong="H7218"  
the|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* Most|strong="H6944"  
High|strong="H7218".

Psalm 8 – God’s Glory in Nature

8w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* our|strong="H5921" God|strong="H0430"!

**H** ow|strong="H4100" glorious|strong="H8597" in|strong="H5921"  
all|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" earth|strong="H0776"  
is|strong="H1732" your|strong="H5921" name|strong="H8034"!

**Y** our|strong="H5921" praise|strong="H1984" reaches|strong="H5927"  
as|strong="H5921" high|strong="H1116" as|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H5921" heavens|strong="H8064",

2from|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605" mouths|strong="H6310"  
of|strong="H3068" children|strong="H1121" and|strong="H3068"  
infants|strong="H5768".

**Y** ou|strong="H5414" have|strong="H3068" built|strong="H1129"  
a|strong="H5414" fortress|strong="H4581"

**a** gainst|strong="H5921" your|strong="H3068"  
enemies|strong="H0341",

**t** o|strong="H3068" silence|strong="H2790" the|strong="H3605"  
foe|strong="H6862" and|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605"  
rebel|strong="H4775".

**3**When|strong="H6310" I|strong="H0589" look|strong="H7200"  
at|strong="H3427" your|strong="H5797" heavens|strong="H8064",

**t** he|strong="H3245" work|strong="H3245" of|strong="H6310"  
your|strong="H5797" fingers|strong="H0676",

**t** he|strong="H3245" moon|strong="H3394" and|strong="H6310"  
the|strong="H3245" stars|strong="H3556",

**w** hich|strong="H3245" you|strong="H5768" have|strong="H6887"  
set|strong="H3245" there|strong="H8033",

**4**what|strong="H4639" are|strong="H8064" mortals|strong="H4172",

**t** hat|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" think|strong="H7200"  
of|strong="H4639" them|strong="H7200",

**h** umans,

**t** hat|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" visit|strong="H7200"  
them|strong="H7200"?

**5**Yet|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" made|strong="H6485"  
them|strong="H6485" little|strong="H4592" less|strong="H3588"  
than|strong="H3588" divine|strong="H7080",

**c** rowned|strong="H5849" them|strong="H6485" with|strong="H1121"  
glory|strong="H3519" and|strong="H1121" majesty|strong="H1926",

**6**made|strong="H2637" them|strong="H5414" lord|strong="H3068"  
of|strong="H3519" the|strong="H3519" works|strong="H4639"  
of|strong="H3519" your|strong="H3068" hands|strong="H3027",

put all things under their feet –

7sheep and oxen,

all of them;

and the wild beasts also:

8birds of the air,

and fish of the sea,

and all that crosses the paths of the ocean.

9w Lord w\* our God!

How glorious in  
all the earth  
is your name!  
Psalm 9 – A Song of Praise the Lord's Justice

9With all my heart  
I will praise  
the w Lord w\*,

all your wonders  
I will rehearse.

2I will rejoice  
and exult  
you,

singing praise to  
your name, Most  
High;

3because|strong = "H3588" backward|strong = "H0268"  
my|strong = "H8055" foes|strong = "H7796" were|strong = "H8034"  
turned|strong = "H2015",

t hey|strong = "H8034" stumbled|strong = "H3782" and|strong = "H8055"  
perished|strong = "H0006" before|strong = "H6440" you|strong = "H2167".

4My|strong = "H7725" right|strong = "H3225" and|strong = "H7725"  
my|strong = "H7725" claim|strong = "H0589" you|strong = "H6440"  
have|strong = "H1961" upheld|strong = "H5564",

y ou|strong = "H6440" did|strong = "H6213" sit|strong = "H3427"  
on|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" throne|strong = "H3678"  
as|strong = "H6440" a|strong = "H6440" fair|strong = "H3303"  
judge|strong = "H8199",

5rebuking|strong = "H1606" the|strong = "H3588"  
nations|strong = "H1471", destroying|strong = "H7843" the|strong = "H3588"  
wicked|strong = "H6213",

a nd|strong = "H4941" blotting their|strong = "H3588"  
name|strong = "H8034" out|strong = "H6213" forever|strong = "H3427"  
and|strong = "H4941" ever|strong = "H5769".

6The|strong = "H8034" foe|strong = "H6862" is|strong = "H8034"  
vanished|strong = "H5628", ruined|strong = "H7703"  
forever|strong = "H5769",

t heir|strong = "H4229" cities|strong = "H5892"  
destroyed|strong = "H4229", their|strong = "H4229"  
memory|strong = "H8034" perished|strong = "H0006".

7See|strong = "H7200"! The|strong = "H5892" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
is|strong = "H5892" seated|strong = "H3427" forever|strong = "H5331"

o n|strong = "H5892" the|strong = "H5892" throne|strong = "H3678"  
he|strong = "H5892" established|strong = "H3559" for|strong = "H5892"  
judgment|strong = "H4941",

8ruling|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3068" world|strong = "H5769"  
with|strong = "H3068" justice|strong = "H4941",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" judging|strong = "H8199" the|strong = "H3068"  
nations|strong = "H1471" with|strong = "H3068" equity|strong = "H4339".

9So|strong = "H1931" the|strong = "H8199" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
proves|strong = "H4480" a|strong = "H8199" haven|strong = "H2348"  
to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H8199" oppressed|strong = "H6231",

**a** |strong = "H8199" haven|strong = "H2348" in|strong = "H8398"  
times|strong = "H6471" of|strong = "H8199" trouble|strong = "H6869".

10Well|strong = "H3190" may|strong = "H1961" they|strong = "H3068"  
trust|strong = "H0982" you|strong = "H6256" who|strong = "H3068"  
know|strong = "H3045" your|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034",

**f** or|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H1961" who|strong = "H3068"  
seek|strong = "H1245" you|strong = "H6256", you|strong = "H6256"  
never|strong = "H3808" abandon|strong = "H5800".

11Sing|strong = "H7891" praise|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, whose|strong = "H8034"  
home|strong = "H8034" is|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H3068"  
Zion|strong = "H6726",

**d** eclare|strong = "H3045" his|strong = "H3068" deeds|strong = "H4611"  
among|strong = "H8034" the|strong = "H3588" nations|strong = "H1471".

12As|strong = "H3068" avenger|strong = "H1350" of|strong = "H3068"  
blood|strong = "H1818", he|strong = "H3068" keeps|strong = "H8104"  
them|strong = "H5046" in|strong = "H3427" mind|strong = "H3820",

**h** e|strong = "H3068" does|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H5971"  
forget|strong = "H7911" the|strong = "H3068" cry|strong = "H7121"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" wretched|strong = "H7451".

13Show|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H7911" favour|strong = "H2580",  
w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**s** ee|strong = "H7200" how|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H2142"  
foes|strong = "H7796" afflict|strong = "H6031" me|strong = "H7911",

**l** ift|strong = "H5375" me|strong = "H7911" up|strong = "H5927"  
from|strong = "H1818" the|strong = "H3588" gates|strong = "H8179"  
of|strong = "H1818" death|strong = "H1818";

14so I may  
in your help  
exulting,

t ell forth your  
praise at the  
gates of Zion.

15The nations are  
sunk in the  
pit which they  
made,

i n the net  
that they hid  
their own foot  
is entangled.

16The w Lord w\* is  
revealed in the  
judgment he wrought,

t he wicked are  
snared in their  
own handiwork. w  
Selah w\*

17Let the wicked  
depart to Sheol,

a ll the nations  
that live forgetful of  
God.

18For the needy  
will not be  
always forgotten,

n or the hope  
of the helpless  
be lost forever.

19 Arise, w Lord; don't let them triumph:

**b** efore your face let the nations be judged.

20 Strike them with fear, w Lord:

**s** how the nations how frail they are. w Selah  
Psalm 10 – A Prayer for Help

10 Why do you stand far,

**h** iding yourself in times of trouble?

2 The wicked, in their pride, are pursuing:

**l** et them be caught in their schemes plotted.

3 For the wicked boasts wanton greed;

**t** he robber despises the curses, and

4 in wicked pride, thinks:



**G** od|strong = "H0430" doesn't|strong = "H3808" care|strong = "H1875",

**G** od|strong = "H0430" doesn't|strong = "H3808" call|strong = "H7121"  
to|strong = "H7563" account|strong = "H5921".

5Never|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H6256" season|strong = "H6256"  
that|strong = "H3605" they|strong = "H6256" do|strong = "H1870"  
not|strong = "H1870" prosper|strong = "H2342";

**y** our|strong = "H3605" judgments|strong = "H4941" are|strong = "H1870"  
far|strong = "H5048" above|strong = "H4791" out|strong = "H3605"  
of|strong = "H1870" their|strong = "H3605" sight|strong = "H5048":

**t** hey|strong = "H6256" scoff|strong = "H3932" at|strong = "H4941"  
their|strong = "H3605" foes|strong = "H7796".

6Each|strong = "H0376" says|strong = "H0559" in|strong = "H3808"  
their|strong = "H3808" heart|strong = "H3820",

‘ I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3820" never|strong = "H3808"  
be|strong = "H3808" shaken|strong = "H4131";

**I** |strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3820" live|strong = "H3427"  
for|strong = "H7451" all|strong = "H1755" time|strong = "H1755"

**u** ntouched|strong = "H1077" by|strong = "H7451"  
misfortune|strong = "H7451".’

7Their|strong = "H4390" mouths|strong = "H6310" are|strong = "H6310"  
full|strong = "H4390" of|strong = "H4390" deceit|strong = "H4820"  
and|strong = "H6310" oppression|strong = "H8496":

**u** nder|strong = "H8478" their|strong = "H4390" tongues|strong = "H3956"  
lurks|strong = "H0693" mischief|strong = "H5999" and|strong = "H6310"  
wrong|strong = "H7451".

8Lying|strong = "H8267" in|strong = "H3427" secret|strong = "H4565"  
in|strong = "H3427" some|strong = "H4480" village|strong = "H1949"  
ambush|strong = "H3993",

and|strong="H5869" stealthily|strong="H6845"  
 watching|strong="H5869", they|strong="H2691" murder|strong="H2026"  
 the|strong="H2026" innocent|strong="H5355".

9Like|strong="H3644" a|strong="H4900" lion|strong="H0738"  
 that|strong="H6041" lurks|strong="H0693" in|strong="H6041"  
 a|strong="H4900" secret|strong="H4565" lair|strong="H5520"

t hey|strong="H6041" lurk|strong="H6845" intending|strong="H0559"  
 to|strong="H4900" catch|strong="H2414" the|strong="H4900"  
 defenceless;

t o|strong="H4900" seize|strong="H0962" them|strong="H5414",  
 to|strong="H4900" drag|strong="H4900" them|strong="H5414"  
 away|strong="H4900" in|strong="H6041" their|strong="H3605"  
 net|strong="H7568".

10Their|strong="H5307" victims|strong="H2491" are|strong="H6099"  
 crushed|strong="H1794",

s ink|strong="H2883" down|strong="H5307" to|strong="H5307"  
 the|strong="H5307" ground|strong="H0776".

U nder|strong="H8478" their|strong="H5307" claws|strong="H2953"

t he|strong="H5307" hapless fall|strong="H5307".

11The|strong="H6440" wicked|strong="H7563" say|strong="H0559"  
 in|strong="H6440" their|strong="H6440" hearts|strong="H3820"

t hat|strong="H7200" God|strong="H0430" has|strong="H3820"  
 forgotten|strong="H7911",

h as|strong="H3820" hidden|strong="H5641" his|strong="H6440"  
 face|strong="H6440",

w ill|strong="H3820" see|strong="H7200" nothing|strong="H1077".

12Arise|strong="H6965", w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,  
 lift|strong="H5375" up|strong="H6965" your|strong="H3068"  
 hand|strong="H3027",

**d** o|strong="H3068" not|strong="H5375" forget|strong="H7911"  
the|strong="H5375" cry|strong="H7121" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H5375" wretched|strong="H6041".

13Why|strong="H4100" do|strong="H4100" the|strong="H5921"  
wicked|strong="H7563" treat|strong="H5006" God|strong="H3808"  
with|strong="H5921" contempt|strong="H0937",

**a** nd|strong="H3820" say|strong="H0559" in|strong="H5921"  
their|strong="H5921" hearts|strong="H3820", 'God|strong="H3808"  
doesn't|strong="H3808" care'?

14You|strong="H3588" have|strong="H1961" seen|strong="H7200"  
the|strong="H5921" trouble|strong="H5999" and|strong="H3027"  
sorrow|strong="H3708";

**y** ou|strong="H3588" mark|strong="H7200" it|strong="H5414"  
all|strong="H7200", and|strong="H3027" will|strong="H1961"  
take|strong="H1961" it|strong="H5414" in|strong="H5921"  
hand|strong="H3027".

**T** he|strong="H5921" hapless can|strong="H7200"  
count|strong="H5414" on|strong="H5921" you|strong="H3588",

**h** elper|strong="H5826" of|strong="H3027" orphans|strong="H3490".

15Break|strong="H7665" the|strong="H1875" arm|strong="H2220"  
of|strong="H1875" the|strong="H1875" wicked|strong="H7563"  
and|strong="H7665" evil|strong="H7451":

**s** earch|strong="H1875" out|strong="H4672" their|strong="H7665"  
sin|strong="H2403", till|strong="H5705" no|strong="H4672"  
more|strong="H4672" be|strong="H7563" found|strong="H4672".

16The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* is|strong="H3068"  
king|strong="H4428" forever|strong="H5769" and|strong="H3068"  
ever|strong="H5769":

**t** he|strong="H3068" nations|strong="H1471" will|strong="H3068"  
vanish|strong="H3615" from|strong="H1471" his|strong="H3068"  
land|strong="H0776".

17w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, you|strong = "H3559"  
 have|strong = "H3068" heard|strong = "H8085" the|strong = "H8085"  
 desire|strong = "H8378" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8085"  
 humble|strong = "H6035",

i nclining your|strong = "H3068" ear|strong = "H8085",  
 strengthening|strong = "H2388" their|strong = "H3068"  
 hearts|strong = "H3820",

18rights|strong = "H1779" you|strong = "H4480" have|strong = "H3254"  
 won|strong = "H1589" for|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H4480"  
 crushed|strong = "H7533" and|strong = "H3254" the|strong = "H4480"  
 orphan|strong = "H3490",

s o|strong = "H4480" no|strong = "H4480" one|strong = "H4480"  
 on|strong = "H4480" earth|strong = "H0776" may|strong = "H3254"  
 strike|strong = "H5221" terror|strong = "H6206" again|strong = "H5750".  
 Psalm 11 – Trust in the Lord

11In|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 I|strong = "H5315" take|strong = "H2620" refuge|strong = "H2620".

H ow|strong = "H4100" can|strong = "H4310" you|strong = "H5315"  
 tell|strong = "H5046" me|strong = "H5315"

t o|strong = "H3068" flee|strong = "H5110" like|strong = "H2022"  
 a|strong = "H3068" bird|strong = "H6833" to|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" mountains|strong = "H2022"?

2'See|strong = "H2009"! The|strong = "H5921" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
 are|strong = "H7563" bending|strong = "H7817" the|strong = "H5921"  
 bow|strong = "H7198",

t heir|strong = "H5921" arrow|strong = "H2671" is|strong = "H3820"  
 set|strong = "H3559" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
 string|strong = "H3499",

t o|strong = "H5921" shoot|strong = "H3384" from|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" shadows|strong = "H6738" at|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" upright|strong = "H3477" in|strong = "H5921"  
 heart|strong = "H3820".

3In|strong = "H6662" this|strong = "H3588" tearing|strong = "H2963"  
down|strong = "H2040" of|strong = "H6466" foundations|strong = "H8356"

w hat|strong = "H4100" good|strong = "H4100" can|strong = "H4100"  
a|strong = "H3588" good|strong = "H4100" person|strong = "H5315"  
do|strong = "H6466"?"

4The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* in|strong = "H3068"  
his|strong = "H3068" holy|strong = "H6944" temple|strong = "H1964",

t he|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* in|strong = "H3068"  
heaven|strong = "H8064", enthroned|strong = "H3427".

H is|strong = "H3068" eyes|strong = "H5869" watch|strong = "H5869"  
the|strong = "H3068" world|strong = "H8398",

t hey|strong = "H3068" see|strong = "H2372" everyone|strong = "H3605".

5The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
examines|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H3068" righteous|strong = "H6662"  
and|strong = "H3068" wicked|strong = "H7563",

a nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" lover|strong = "H0157"  
of|strong = "H3068" violence|strong = "H2555" he|strong = "H3068"  
hates|strong = "H8130".

6On|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
he|strong = "H5921" rains|strong = "H1653" coals|strong = "H1513"  
of|strong = "H7307" fire|strong = "H0784" and|strong = "H7307"  
brimstone|strong = "H1614",

a nd|strong = "H7307" their|strong = "H5921" drink|strong = "H8354"  
will|strong = "H7563" be|strong = "H7563" scorching|strong = "H6703"  
wind|strong = "H7307".

7For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
is|strong = "H3068" just|strong = "H6662", and|strong = "H3068"  
justice|strong = "H6666" he|strong = "H3588" loves|strong = "H0157";

s o|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H6440" upright|strong = "H3477"  
will|strong = "H3068" see|strong = "H2372" his|strong = "H3068"  
face|strong = "H6440".

Psalm 12 – A Prayer for the Faithful in a False World

12 Help w Lord, for the good are all gone,

f aithful people have vanished.

2 One lies to another empty,

w ith flattering lips and they speak.

3 May the w Lord cut off all the flattering,

a nd that utters arrogance,

4 they declare, 'Our tongue is our strength,

o ur allies our lips: who is lord over us?'

5 'The poor are despoiled, and the needy are sighing;

s o now I will act, the w Lord declares

' And in they long for.'

6The words of  
the Lord are  
words that are  
pure,

silver smelted, seven  
times refined.

You will keep  
us, w Lord,

and guard us  
from this generation  
forever,

in a world  
where the wicked  
prowl,

and worthless people  
exalted.

Psalm 13 – A Prayer for Help in Trouble

13How long,  
Lord, will you  
forget me forever?

How long will  
you hide your  
face from me?

2How long  
I nurse grief  
inside me,

and in my  
heart a daily  
sorrow?

How long  
my foes to  
exult over me?

3 Look at me,  
 answer me, w<sup>\*</sup>  
 my God.

Fill my eyes  
 with your light,

I rest I sleep  
 in death,

lest my enemies  
 claim to have  
 triumphed,

I rest my foes  
 rejoice at my  
 downfall.

5 But I trust  
 in your kindness:

my heart will  
 rejoice in your  
 help.

6 I will sing  
 to the Lord w<sup>\*</sup>  
 who was good  
 to me.

Psalm 14 – The Folly of Denying God

14 Fools say  
 their heart,

‘ There is no  
 God.’

While hateful  
 their life  
 is;

not one does  
 good.



2From|strong = "H5921" heaven|strong = "H8064" the|strong = "H5921" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* looks|strong = "H7200" out|strong = "H8259"

o n|strong = "H5921" humans, to|strong = "H3068" see|strong = "H7200"

i f|strong = "H7200" any|strong = "H3426" are|strong = "H1121"  
wise|strong = "H7919",

a nd|strong = "H1121" care|strong = "H1875" for|strong = "H5921"  
God|strong = "H3068".

3But|strong = "H1571" all|strong = "H3605" have|strong = "H1571"  
turned|strong = "H5493" bad|strong = "H7451",

t he|strong = "H3605" taint is|strong = "H1571" on|strong = "H6213"  
all|strong = "H3605";

n ot|strong = "H6213" one|strong = "H3605" does|strong = "H6213"  
good|strong = "H2896",

n o|strong = "H6213", not|strong = "H6213" one|strong = "H3605".

4Have|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068" learned|strong = "H3045"  
their|strong = "H3605" lesson,

t hose|strong = "H3605" workers|strong = "H6466" of|strong = "H3068"  
evil|strong = "H7451"?

W ho|strong = "H3605" ate|strong = "H0398" up|strong = "H3605"  
my|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971",

e ating|strong = "H0398", devouring|strong = "H0398",

n ever|strong = "H3808" calling|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

5Sore|strong = "H3966" afraid|strong = "H6342" will|strong = "H6662"  
they|strong = "H3588" be|strong = "H6662";

f or|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H0430" is|strong = "H6662"  
among|strong = "H1755"

t hose|strong = "H3588" who|strong = "H6662" are|strong = "H6662"  
righteous|strong = "H6662",

6you|strong = "H3588" may|strong = "H3068" mock|strong = "H3932"  
the|strong = "H3588" plans|strong = "H6098" of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3588" poor|strong = "H6041",

b ut|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
is|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068" refuge|strong = "H4268".

7If|strong = "H0518" only|strong = "H0389" help|strong = "H3444"  
from|strong = "H7725" Zion|strong = "H6726"

w ould|strong = "H4310" come|strong = "H7725" for|strong = "H3068"  
Israel|strong = "H3478"!

W hen|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H5414" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
brings|strong = "H5414" his|strong = "H5414" people|strong = "H5971"

a |strong = "H5414" change|strong = "H7725" of|strong = "H3068"  
fortune|strong = "H7622",

h ow|strong = "H4310" glad|strong = "H8055" will|strong = "H3068"  
be|strong = "H3068" Jacob|strong = "H3290",

a nd|strong = "H3478" Israel|strong = "H3478" how|strong = "H4310"  
joyful|strong = "H1523"!  
Psalm 15 – Standing Firm

15w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, who|strong = "H4310"  
can|strong = "H4310" be|strong = "H3068" guest|strong = "H1481"  
in|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" tent|strong = "H0168"?

W ho|strong = "H4310" may|strong = "H3068" live|strong = "H7931"  
on|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" holy|strong = "H6944"  
mountain|strong = "H2022"?

2The|strong = "H1696" person|strong = "H1980" whose|strong = "H0834"  
walk|strong = "H1980" is|strong = "H6664" blameless|strong = "H8549",

w hose|strong = "H0834" conduct|strong = "H1870" is|strong = "H6664"  
right|strong = "H6664",

w hose|strong = "H0834" words|strong = "H1697" are|strong = "H3824"  
true|strong = "H0571" and|strong = "H1980" sincere|strong = "H3476";

3on|strong = "H5921" whose|strong = "H7453" tongue|strong = "H3956"  
there|strong = "H8033" sits|strong = "H3427" no|strong = "H3808"  
slander|strong = "H7270",

w ho|strong = "H7138" will|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
harm|strong = "H7451" a|strong = "H6213" friend|strong = "H7453",

4nor|strong = "H3808" cruelly|strong = "H7188" insult|strong = "H2781"  
a|strong = "H3068" neighbour|strong = "H7453",

w ho|strong = "H3068" regards|strong = "H5234" with|strong = "H3068"  
contempt|strong = "H0937" those|strong = "H1992"  
rejected|strong = "H3988" by|strong = "H7650" God|strong = "H3068";

b ut|strong = "H3808" honours those|strong = "H1992"  
who|strong = "H3068" obey|strong = "H8085" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

w ho|strong = "H3068" keeps|strong = "H8104" an|strong = "H7650"  
oath|strong = "H7650", whatever|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3068"  
cost|strong = "H4242",

5whose|strong = "H0834" money|strong = "H3701" is|strong = "H3701"  
lent|strong = "H7592" without|strong = "H3808" interest|strong = "H5392",

a nd|strong = "H3701" never|strong = "H3808" takes|strong = "H3947"  
a|strong = "H3947" bribe|strong = "H7810" to|strong = "H6213"  
hurt|strong = "H7451" the|strong = "H5921" innocent|strong = "H5355".

T he|strong = "H5921" person|strong = "H5315" who|strong = "H6213"  
does|strong = "H6213" these|strong = "H6213" things|strong = "H3808"  
will|strong = "H5414" always|strong = "H5769" stand|strong = "H5975"  
firm|strong = "H3559".

#### Psalm 16 – The Joy of Fellowship with God

16Keep|strong = "H8104" me|strong = "H8104", O|strong = "H3069"  
God|strong = "H0430", for|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H1732"  
you|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" take|strong = "H2620"  
refuge|strong = "H2620".

2I|strong="H5921" said|strong="H0559" to|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, 'You|strong="H5921"  
are|strong="H3068" my|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

**m** y|strong="H3068" happiness|strong="H2896" rests|strong="H5117"  
in|strong="H5921" you|strong="H5921" alone|strong="H0905".

3Those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H3605" are|strong="H1992"  
holy|strong="H6918" in|strong="H2656" the|strong="H3605"  
land|strong="H0776",

**t** hey|strong="H1992", they|strong="H1992" alone|strong="H0905",  
are|strong="H1992" the|strong="H3605" noble|strong="H5081"  
ones|strong="H6918";

**a** ll|strong="H3605" my|strong="H3605" delight|strong="H2656"  
is|strong="H3605" in|strong="H2656" them|strong="H1992".

4Those|strong="H5921" who|strong="H0834" choose|strong="H0977"  
other|strong="H8193" gods|strong="H0430"

**f** ind|strong="H4672" endless|strong="H7093" sorrow|strong="H6094".

**I** n|strong="H5921" their|strong="H5375" offerings|strong="H5262"  
of|strong="H8034" blood|strong="H1818" I|strong="H5921"  
will|strong="H8034" have|strong="H8193" no|strong="H1077"  
part|strong="H5921"

**n** or|strong="H1077" take|strong="H5375" their|strong="H5375"  
name|strong="H8034" on|strong="H5921" my|strong="H5921"  
lips|strong="H8193".

5The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* is|strong="H3068"  
my|strong="H3068" share|strong="H2506" and|strong="H3068"  
my|strong="H3068" portion|strong="H2506",

**m** y|strong="H3068" fate|strong="H4745" is|strong="H3068"  
in|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" strong|strong="H2388"  
hands|strong="H3027".

6The|strong="H5921" boundary|strong="H1366" lines|strong="H2256"  
of|strong="H5921" my|strong="H5921" life|strong="H5315"

**m** ark|strong = "H0226" out|strong = "H5921" delightful|strong = "H5273"  
country|strong = "H2256",

**m** y|strong = "H5921" heritage|strong = "H5159" pleases|strong = "H5921"  
me|strong = "H5921" well|strong = "H3190".

7I|strong = "H3068" praise|strong = "H1288" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* for|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068"  
counsel|strong = "H3289",

**w** hich|strong = "H3068" so|strong = "H3256" stirs|strong = "H1624"  
my|strong = "H3068" heart|strong = "H3629" in|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" night|strong = "H3915".

8I|strong = "H3588" keep|strong = "H8104" the|strong = "H3588" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* always|strong = "H8548" in|strong = "H3068"  
mind|strong = "H3820":

**w** ith|strong = "H3068" him|strong = "H5048" at|strong = "H3068"  
my|strong = "H3068" hand|strong = "H3225", I|strong = "H3588"  
can|strong = "H3225" never|strong = "H1077" be|strong = "H3068"  
moved|strong = "H4131".

9So|strong = "H3651" my|strong = "H3651" heart|strong = "H3820"  
is|strong = "H3820" glad|strong = "H8055", there|strong = "H8033"  
is|strong = "H3820" joy|strong = "H8055" inside|strong = "H8432"  
me|strong = "H3820";

**a** nd|strong = "H3820" in|strong = "H7931" safety|strong = "H0983"  
of|strong = "H3820" body|strong = "H1320" I|strong = "H3651"  
live|strong = "H7931".

10For|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H5414" will|strong = "H5315"  
not|strong = "H3808" give|strong = "H5414" me|strong = "H5414"  
up|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H5414" Sheol|strong = "H7585"

**n** or|strong = "H3808" let|strong = "H5414" any|strong = "H5315"  
who|strong = "H5315" love|strong = "H2623" you|strong = "H5414"  
see|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200" pit|strong = "H7845".

11 You will show me the path that leads to life,

to that which is the joy of your presence,

and the pleasures dispensed by your hand evermore.  
Psalm 17 – A Prayer for Deliverance

17 Listen, O Lord, to my innocence;

attend to my piercing cry.

Give heed to my prayer

so that I may not be unfeigned.

2 Let my vindication come from you,

your eyes see the truth.

3 When you test my heart when you visit at night,

and assay me like silver – you can find no evil.

I |strong="H4672" am|strong="H6485" determined|strong="H3820"  
that|strong="H6485" my|strong="H5674" mouth|strong="H6310"  
should|strong="H3068" not|strong="H1077" lie|strong="H7901".

4I|strong="H1697" gave|strong="H5414" earnest|strong="H8085"  
heed|strong="H8104" to|strong="H8104" the|strong="H8104"  
words|strong="H1697" of|strong="H1697" your|strong="H8104"  
lips|strong="H8193".

5My|strong="H8551" steps|strong="H6471" have|strong="H1961"  
held|strong="H8551" fast|strong="H8551" to|strong="H6471"  
the|strong="H8551" paths|strong="H4570" of|strong="H4570"  
your|strong="H3068" precepts|strong="H6490"

a nd|strong="H6471" in|strong="H6471" your|strong="H3068"  
tracks|strong="H4570" have|strong="H1961" my|strong="H8551"  
feet|strong="H6471" never|strong="H1077" stumbled|strong="H3782".

6So|strong="H7121" I|strong="H3588" call|strong="H7121"  
you|strong="H3588", O|strong="H8085" God|strong="H0430",  
with|strong="H8085" assurance|strong="H0539" of|strong="H8085"  
answer|strong="H6030";

b end|strong="H5186" down|strong="H5186" your|strong="H5186"  
ear|strong="H8085" to|strong="H8085" me|strong="H7121",  
hear|strong="H8085" what|strong="H8085" I|strong="H3588"  
say|strong="H0559".

7Show|strong="H6395" your|strong="H6965"  
marvellous|strong="H6395" love|strong="H2617", you|strong="H3467"  
who|strong="H3467" save|strong="H3467" from|strong="H6965"  
enemies|strong="H6965"

t hose|strong="H3467" who|strong="H3467" take|strong="H2620"  
refuge|strong="H2620" at|strong="H6965" your|strong="H6965"  
right|strong="H3225" hand|strong="H3225".

8Keep|strong="H8104" me|strong="H8104" as|strong="H5869"  
the|strong="H8104" apple|strong="H1323" of|strong="H1323"  
the|strong="H8104" eye|strong="H5869",

hide|strong = "H5641" me|strong = "H8104" in|strong = "H5869"  
the|strong = "H8104" shelter|strong = "H6738" of|strong = "H1323"  
your|strong = "H8104" wings|strong = "H3671".

9From|strong = "H6440" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
people|strong = "H5315" who|strong = "H5315" do|strong = "H6213"  
me|strong = "H6440" violence|strong = "H2555",

from|strong = "H6440" deadly|strong = "H5315" foes|strong = "H7796"  
who|strong = "H5315" crowd|strong = "H1995" around|strong = "H5921"  
me|strong = "H6440".

10They|strong = "H6310" have|strong = "H1696" closed|strong = "H5462"  
their|strong = "H5462" hearts|strong = "H3820" to|strong = "H1696"  
pity|strong = "H2347",

the|strong = "H1696" words|strong = "H6310" of|strong = "H6310"  
their|strong = "H5462" mouths|strong = "H6310" are|strong = "H6310"  
haughty|strong = "H7311".

11Now|strong = "H6258" they|strong = "H6258" dog|strong = "H3611"  
us|strong = "H5869" at|strong = "H5869" every|strong = "H3605"  
step|strong = "H6587",

keenly watching|strong = "H5869", to|strong = "H5869"  
hurl|strong = "H2904" us|strong = "H5869" to|strong = "H5869"  
the|strong = "H5437" ground|strong = "H0776",

12like|strong = "H1825" a|strong = "H3427" lion|strong = "H3715",  
longing|strong = "H8375" to|strong = "H3427" tear|strong = "H2963",

like|strong = "H1825" a|strong = "H3427" young|strong = "H3715"  
lion|strong = "H3715", lurking|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427"  
secret|strong = "H4565".

13Arise|strong = "H6965", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
face|strong = "H6440" them|strong = "H6440" and|strong = "H6965"  
fell|strong = "H3766" them|strong = "H6440".

By|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" sword|strong = "H2719"  
set|strong = "H6965" me|strong = "H6440" free|strong = "H2670"  
from|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" wicked|strong = "H7563",



14by|strong="H3027" your|strong="H3068" hand|strong="H3027",  
O|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, from|strong="H3027"  
those|strong="H1121" –

w hose|strong="H1121" portion|strong="H2506" of|strong="H1121"  
life|strong="H2416" is|strong="H3068" but|strong="H3068"  
of|strong="H1121" this|strong="H3068" world|strong="H2465".

B ut|strong="H3068" let|strong="H7971" your|strong="H3068"  
treasured|strong="H6845" ones|strong="H5768" have|strong="H3068"  
food|strong="H3899" in|strong="H3068" plenty|strong="H7646"

m ay|strong="H3068" their|strong="H3068" children|strong="H1121"  
be|strong="H3027" full|strong="H4390" and|strong="H1121"  
their|strong="H3068" children|strong="H1121" satisfied|strong="H7646".

15In|strong="H6440" my|strong="H6440" innocence|strong="H5356"  
I|strong="H6440" will|strong="H6664" see|strong="H2372"  
your|strong="H6440" face|strong="H6440",

a wake|strong="H6974" I|strong="H6440" am|strong="H1961"  
filled|strong="H7646" with|strong="H7646" a|strong="H6440"  
vision|strong="H2377" of|strong="H6440" you|strong="H6440".  
Psalm 18 – A King's Song of Gratitude

18I|strong="H3117" love|strong="H0157" you|strong="H3605",  
O|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, my|strong="H3605"  
strength|strong="H3027".

2The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* is|strong="H3068"  
my|strong="H3068" rock|strong="H6697", my|strong="H3068"  
fortress|strong="H4581", deliverer|strong="H6403",

m y|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068", my|strong="H3068"  
rock|strong="H6697", where|strong="H0834" I|strong="H3068"  
take|strong="H3947" refuge|strong="H4733",

m y|strong="H3068" shield|strong="H4043", my|strong="H3068"  
defender, my|strong="H3068" tower|strong="H4026".

3 Worthy of praise is the Lord whom I call on,

he rescues me from all my foes.

4 The waves of death broke about me,

fearful floods of chaos.

5 Sheol threw cords around me,

snares of death came to meet me.

6 In distress I cried to the Lord,

and he shouted for help; God

in his temple heard my voice,

into his ears came my cry.

7 Then the earth shook and quaked,

mountains trembled to their foundations,

a nd|strong="H3068" quaked|strong="H7493" because|strong="H6440"  
of|strong="H3068" his|strong="H3068" wrath|strong="H2534".

8Smoke|strong="H6227" went|strong="H1980" up|strong="H4146"  
from|strong="H2022" his|strong="H3588" nostrils|strong="H0639",

d evouring|strong="H0398" fire|strong="H0784" from|strong="H2022"  
his|strong="H3588" mouth|strong="H6310",

c oals|strong="H1513" were|strong="H2022" kindled|strong="H2734"  
by|strong="H3588" it|strong="H3588".

9Then|strong="H5927" he|strong="H4480" bent|strong="H1869"  
the|strong="H4480" sky|strong="H8064" and|strong="H5927"  
came|strong="H5927" down|strong="H3381",

t hick|strong="H6205" darkness|strong="H2822" was|strong="H6310"  
under|strong="H4480" his|strong="H4480" feet|strong="H7272".

10He|strong="H7272" rode|strong="H7392" on|strong="H8478"  
a|strong="H5186" cherub|strong="H3742" and|strong="H8064"  
flew|strong="H5774",

d arting|strong="H1980" on|strong="H8478" wings|strong="H3671"  
of|strong="H8478" wind|strong="H7307",

11with|strong="H5921" his|strong="H5921" screen|strong="H4539"  
of|strong="H7307" darkness|strong="H2822" about|strong="H5921"  
him|strong="H5921",

i n|strong="H5921" thick|strong="H6205" dark|strong="H2822"  
clouds|strong="H5645" of|strong="H7307" water|strong="H4325".

12At|strong="H4325" the|strong="H5439" radiance|strong="H5051"  
before|strong="H6440" him|strong="H7896" there|strong="H8033"  
passed|strong="H4325"

h ailstones|strong="H1259" and|strong="H4325" coals|strong="H1513"  
of|strong="H4325" fire|strong="H0784".

13The|strong = "H5674" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
thundered|strong = "H7481" from|strong = "H5674"  
heaven|strong = "H8064",

t he|strong = "H5674" Most|strong = "H6944" High|strong = "H1116"  
uttered|strong = "H5414" his|strong = "H5674" voice|strong = "H6963".

14He|strong = "H3068" shot|strong = "H3384" his|strong = "H5414"  
arrows|strong = "H2671" and|strong = "H3068" scattered|strong = "H6327"  
them|strong = "H5414",

f lashed|strong = "H1980" lightnings|strong = "H1300",  
and|strong = "H3068" routed|strong = "H2000" them|strong = "H5414".

15The|strong = "H7971" channels|strong = "H0650" of|strong = "H2671"  
the|strong = "H7971" sea|strong = "H3220" were|strong = "H0834"  
revealed|strong = "H1540",

t he|strong = "H7971" world|strong = "H8398" was|strong = "H1300"  
laid|strong = "H7971" bare|strong = "H3205" to|strong = "H7971"  
its|strong = "H6327" base|strong = "H3247",

a t|strong = "H7971" your|strong = "H7971" rebuke|strong = "H1606",  
O|strong = "H3069" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

a t|strong = "H7971" the|strong = "H7971" blast|strong = "H7307"  
of|strong = "H2671" the|strong = "H7971" breath|strong = "H7307"  
of|strong = "H2671" your|strong = "H7971" nostrils|strong = "H0639".

16He|strong = "H3068" stretched|strong = "H5186" from|strong = "H1540"  
on|strong = "H7200" high|strong = "H1116", he|strong = "H3068"  
seized|strong = "H8610" me|strong = "H7200",

d rew|strong = "H8025" me|strong = "H7200" up|strong = "H7200"  
from|strong = "H1540" the|strong = "H7200" mighty|strong = "H1368"  
waters|strong = "H4325",

17and|strong = "H7971" saved|strong = "H3467" me|strong = "H7971"  
from|strong = "H7971" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H7227"  
hated|strong = "H8130" me|strong = "H7971" -

f ierce|strong = "H2740" foes|strong = "H7796", too|strong = "H7227"  
mighty|strong = "H7227" for|strong = "H7971" me|strong = "H7971".

18In|strong = "H4480" my|strong = "H5337" day|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H4480" distress|strong = "H6869" they|strong = "H3588" assailed  
me|strong = "H8130",

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
proved|strong = "H0974" my|strong = "H5337" support|strong = "H2388".

19To|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H1961" spacious|strong = "H7304"  
place|strong = "H1961" he|strong = "H3117" brought|strong = "H1961"  
me|strong = "H1961",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068", for|strong = "H3068" love|strong = "H0157"  
of|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H1961", he|strong = "H3117"  
saved|strong = "H3467" me|strong = "H1961".

20The|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H2502" w\*  
repays|strong = "H7999" my|strong = "H3318" innocence|strong = "H5356",

**h** e|strong = "H3588" rewards|strong = "H5023" my|strong = "H3318"  
cleanness|strong = "H1252" of|strong = "H3318" hands|strong = "H3027".

21For|strong = "H3027" I|strong = "H3027" kept|strong = "H8104"  
the|strong = "H3068" ways|strong = "H1870" of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**n** or|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3068" wickedly|strong = "H7561"  
strayed|strong = "H5074" from|strong = "H7725" my|strong = "H3068"  
God|strong = "H3068".

22His|strong = "H8104" commandments|strong = "H4687"  
were|strong = "H1870" all|strong = "H3068" before|strong = "H3808"  
me|strong = "H8104",

**h** is|strong = "H8104" statutes|strong = "H2706" I|strong = "H3588"  
put|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" away|strong = "H1870".

23And|strong = "H4941" I|strong = "H3588" was|strong = "H3808"  
blameless|strong = "H8549" before|strong = "H4480" him|strong = "H3605",

**g** uarding|strong = "H8104" myself|strong = "H0589"  
from|strong = "H4480" sin|strong = "H2403".

24 So **w** Lord **w**\*  
repaid **m**y innocence,

**m**y cleanness of  
hands in his  
sight.

25 With the loyal  
you are loyal,

**a**nd with the  
blameless blameless.

26 With the pure  
you show yourself  
pure,

**b**ut shrewd with  
the devious.

27 For the lowly  
people you save,

**b**ut haughty eyes  
you abase.

28 You are my  
lamp, **w** Lord **w**\*,

**m**y God who  
enlightens my darkness.

29 With you I  
can storm a  
rampart,

**w**ith my God  
I can leap  
a wall.

30As **for** **God**,  
**his** **way** **is**  
**perfect**;

**t** **he** **word** **of**  
**the** **w** **Lord** **w\*** **is**  
**pure**.

**H** **e** **is** **shield**  
**to** **all** **who**  
**take** **refuge** **in**  
**him**.

31**For** **who** **is**  
**God** **but** **the** **w**  
**Lord** **w\***?

**A** **nd** **who** **is**  
**a** **rock** **but** **H1870**  
**our** **God**?

32**The** **God** **who**  
**arms** **me** **with**  
**strength**,

**w** **ho** **cleared** **and**  
**smoothed** **my** **way**.

33**He** **made** **my**  
**feet** **like** **hinds'**  
**feet**,

**a** **nd** **set** **me**  
**up** **on** **the**  
**heights**.

34**He** **taught** **my**  
**hands** **how** **to**  
**fight**,

**a** **nd** **my** **arms**  
**how** **to** **bend**  
**a** **bronze** **bow**.

35The|strong = "H3027" shield|strong = "H4043" of|strong = "H3027"  
 your|strong = "H3027" help|strong = "H4421" you|strong = "H3925"  
 gave|strong = "H5414" me|strong = "H3925",

y our|strong = "H3027" right|strong = "H3225" hand|strong = "H3027"  
 supports|strong = "H3802" me|strong = "H3925",

y ou|strong = "H3925" stoop|strong = "H7164" down|strong = "H5181"  
 to|strong = "H3027" make|strong = "H3027" me|strong = "H3925"  
 great|strong = "H1419".

36In|strong = "H5414" your|strong = "H5414" strength|strong = "H5797"  
 I|strong = "H5414" took|strong = "H5414" giant|strong = "H7497" strides,

a nd|strong = "H4043" my|strong = "H5414" feet|strong = "H7272"  
 never|strong = "H3808" slipped|strong = "H4571".

37So|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H3808" chased|strong = "H7291"  
 the|strong = "H8478" foe|strong = "H6862" till|strong = "H5705"  
 I|strong = "H3808" caught|strong = "H3920" them|strong = "H8478",

a nd|strong = "H8478" turned|strong = "H2015" not|strong = "H3808",  
 till|strong = "H5705" I|strong = "H3808" made|strong = "H7337"  
 an|strong = "H8478" end|strong = "H7093" of|strong = "H8478"  
 them|strong = "H8478".

38I|strong = "H5704" smashed|strong = "H7665" them|strong = "H7725",  
 they|strong = "H3808" could|strong = "H3201" not|strong = "H3808"  
 rise|strong = "H6965",

t hey|strong = "H3808" fell|strong = "H5307" beneath|strong = "H8478"  
 my|strong = "H7725" feet|strong = "H7272".

39You|strong = "H3808" did|strong = "H3808" arm|strong = "H2220"  
 me|strong = "H3808" with|strong = "H6965" strength|strong = "H5797"  
 for|strong = "H8478" war|strong = "H4421",

y ou|strong = "H3808" did|strong = "H3808" bow|strong = "H7198"  
 my|strong = "H6965" assailants|strong = "H6965" beneath|strong = "H8478"  
 me|strong = "H3808".



40 You made my foes turn their back to me,

a nd those who did hate me I finished.

41 They cried for help, but none saved them;

t o the w Lord, he answered them not.

42 I beat them like dust of the market-place,

s tamped mud of the streets.

43 From the strife of peoples you saved me,

y ou made me head of the nations,

p eoples I knew not did serve me.

44 On the instant they hear, they obey me,

f oreigners come to me cringing.

45 Foreigners|strong = "H1121" lose|strong = "H0622"  
courage|strong = "H2388",

and|strong = "H1121" come|strong = "H0935" out|strong = "H3318"  
of|strong = "H1121" their|strong = "H8085" strongholds|strong = "H4679"  
trembling|strong = "H2731".

46 The|strong = "H1121" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H1121"  
alive|strong = "H2416"! Blest be|strong = "H1121" my|strong = "H8104"  
rock|strong = "H6697"!

Exalted|strong = "H7311" be|strong = "H1121" God|strong = "H0430",  
my|strong = "H8104" protector|strong = "H6697"!

47 The|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068" who|strong = "H3068"  
gave|strong = "H7311" me|strong = "H7311" revenge|strong = "H5360",

and|strong = "H3068" brought|strong = "H3068" down|strong = "H1288"  
nations|strong = "H1471" beneath|strong = "H8478" me|strong = "H7311",

48 who|strong = "H5971" saved|strong = "H3467" me|strong = "H5414"  
from|strong = "H8478" angry|strong = "H2734" foes|strong = "H7796",

and|strong = "H5971" set|strong = "H5414" me|strong = "H5414"  
above|strong = "H4605" my|strong = "H5414" assailants|strong = "H6965",

safe|strong = "H7965" from|strong = "H8478" the|strong = "H5414"  
violent|strong = "H2555".

49 For|strong = "H6965" this|strong = "H6965" I|strong = "H6965"  
will|strong = "H2555" praise|strong = "H7311" you|strong = "H4480"  
among|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H4480" nations|strong = "H1471",

making|strong = "H7311" music|strong = "H2170", O|strong = "H3069" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, to|strong = "H6965" your|strong = "H4480"  
name|strong = "H8034":

50 for|strong = "H5921" great|strong = "H1419" triumphs  
he|strong = "H3651" grants|strong = "H1288" to|strong = "H3068"  
his|strong = "H3068" king|strong = "H5921",

and|strong = "H3068" faithful|strong = "H0539" love|strong = "H0157"  
 he|strong = "H3651" shows|strong = "H6213" his|strong = "H3068"  
 anointed|strong = "H4886",

to|strong = "H3068" David|strong = "H1732" and|strong = "H3068"  
 his|strong = "H3068" seed|strong = "H2233" evermore|strong = "H5769".  
 Psalm 19 – The Glory of God in the Heavens

19The|strong = "H1732" heavens|strong = "H8064"  
 declare|strong = "H5046" God's|strong = "H0430" glory|strong = "H3519",

the|strong = "H1732" sky|strong = "H8064" tells|strong = "H1696"  
 what|strong = "H1732" his|strong = "H1732" hands|strong = "H3027"  
 have|strong = "H1732" done|strong = "H6213".

2Day|strong = "H3117" tells|strong = "H5046" it|strong = "H8064"  
 to|strong = "H3027" day|strong = "H3117",

night|strong = "H3915" reveals|strong = "H1540" it|strong = "H8064"  
 to|strong = "H3027" night|strong = "H3915",

3without|strong = "H3117" speaking|strong = "H1696",  
 without|strong = "H3117" words|strong = "H1697";

without|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117" sound|strong = "H6963"  
 of|strong = "H3117" voices|strong = "H6963".

4But|strong = "H8085" through|strong = "H6963" all|strong = "H1697"  
 the|strong = "H8085" world|strong = "H8398" their|strong = "H8085"  
 voice|strong = "H6963" carries|strong = "H5375"

their|strong = "H8085" words|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H8085"  
 the|strong = "H8085" ends|strong = "H7098" of|strong = "H1697"  
 the|strong = "H8085" earth|strong = "H0776".

He|strong = "H1697" has|strong = "H1697" pitched|strong = "H2583"  
 a|strong = "H8085" tent|strong = "H0168" for|strong = "H1697"  
 the|strong = "H8085" sun|strong = "H8121" in|strong = "H8085"  
 the|strong = "H8085" sky|strong = "H8064",

5 It|strong = "H7760" comes|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318"  
 like|strong = "H3318" a|strong = "H7760" bridegroom|strong = "H2860"  
 from|strong = "H3318" his|strong = "H3605" bridal|strong = "H4119"  
 chamber|strong = "H3957",

i t|strong = "H7760" joyfully|strong = "H7321" runs|strong = "H7323"  
 its|strong = "H3605" course|strong = "H4256" like|strong = "H3318"  
 a|strong = "H7760" hero.

6 From|strong = "H3318" one|strong = "H1931" end|strong = "H3318"  
 of|strong = "H1368" the|strong = "H3318" heavens|strong = "H8064"  
 it|strong = "H1931" rises|strong = "H3318",

a nd|strong = "H3318" round|strong = "H5439" it|strong = "H1931"  
 runs|strong = "H7323" to|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H3318"  
 other|strong = "H0312",

a nd|strong = "H3318" nothing|strong = "H3808" hides|strong = "H5641"  
 from|strong = "H3318" its|strong = "H3318" heat|strong = "H2527".  
 In|strong = "H1368" Praise|strong = "H1984" of|strong = "H1368"  
 the|strong = "H3318" Law|strong = "H2860"

7 The|strong = "H5921" law|strong = "H8451" of|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H4161"  
 perfect|strong = "H8549",

r enewing life|strong = "H5315".

T he|strong = "H5921" decrees|strong = "H2711" of|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* are|strong = "H8064"  
 trusty|strong = "H0539",

m aking|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H5921" simple|strong = "H6612"  
 wise|strong = "H2450".

8 The|strong = "H3068" behests of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
 w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* are|strong = "H3068" right|strong = "H3068",

r ejoicing|strong = "H8057" the|strong = "H3068" heart|strong = "H5315".

T he|strong = "H3068" command|strong = "H6680" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
 pure|strong = "H2889",

g iving|strong="H5414" light|strong="H0216" to|strong="H7725"  
the|strong="H3068" eyes|strong="H5869".

9The|strong="H3068" fear|strong="H3372" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* is|strong="H3068"  
clean|strong="H1249",

i t|strong="H3068" endures|strong="H5769" forever|strong="H5769".

T he|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s  
judgments|strong="H4941" are|strong="H5869" true|strong="H3068"

a nd|strong="H3068" right|strong="H3477" altogether|strong="H3162".

10More|strong="H3254" precious|strong="H3368" are|strong="H3068"  
they|strong="H3068" than|strong="H3068" gold|strong="H2091" –

t han|strong="H3068" fine|strong="H5560" gold|strong="H2091"  
in|strong="H3068" plenty|strong="H7647",

a nd|strong="H3068" sweeter|strong="H4966" they|strong="H3068"  
are|strong="H3068" than|strong="H3068" honey|strong="H1706",

t hat|strong="H3068" drops|strong="H7447" from|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" comb|strong="H5317".

11By|strong="H2091" them|strong="H5414" is|strong="H2091"  
your|strong="H2530" servant|strong="H5650" warned|strong="H2094";

w ho|strong="H7227" keeps|strong="H8104" them|strong="H5414"  
has|strong="H2091" rich|strong="H6223" reward|strong="H7939".

12Who|strong="H5650" can|strong="H5650" know|strong="H3045"  
their|strong="H1571" flaws?

A bsolve me|strong="H8104" from|strong="H5650"  
those|strong="H6118" I|strong="H5650" know|strong="H3045"  
not|strong="H1571".

13Keep|strong="H8104" your|strong="H5641" servant|strong="H5650"  
from|strong="H5352" wilful sins|strong="H2403" –

f rom|strong = "H5352" falling|strong = "H5307" under|strong = "H8478"  
their|strong = "H5641" sway|strong = "H7493":

t hen|strong = "H0227" blameless|strong = "H5352" and|strong = "H5352"  
clear|strong = "H5352" will|strong = "H4310" I|strong = "H0589"  
be|strong = "H1961"

f rom|strong = "H5352" great|strong = "H1419" offence|strong = "H4383".

14May|strong = "H1571" the|strong = "H1571" words|strong = "H1697"  
of|strong = "H5650" my|strong = "H5650" mouth|strong = "H6310"  
and|strong = "H5650" the|strong = "H1571" thoughts|strong = "H4284"  
of|strong = "H5650" my|strong = "H5650" heart|strong = "H3820"

b e|strong = "H1571" pleasing|strong = "H2896" to|strong = "H5650"  
you|strong = "H5352", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

m y|strong = "H5650" rock|strong = "H6697" and|strong = "H5650"  
redeemer|strong = "H1350".

Psalm 20 – A Prayer for Victory

20The|strong = "H1732" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
answer|strong = "H6030" you|strong = "H0859" in|strong = "H1732"  
the|strong = "H1732" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H4210"  
distress|strong = "H6869",

t he|strong = "H1732" name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H4210"  
the|strong = "H1732" Jacob's|strong = "H3290" God|strong = "H0430"  
protect|strong = "H8104" you|strong = "H0859",

2sending|strong = "H7971" you|strong = "H3117" help|strong = "H6030"  
from|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3068" temple|strong = "H1004",

o ut|strong = "H3318" of|strong = "H3068" Zion|strong = "H6726"  
supporting|strong = "H5583" you|strong = "H3117".

3All|strong = "H7971" your|strong = "H7971" meal-offerings  
may|strong = "H1961" he|strong = "H7971" remember|strong = "H2142",

y our|strong = "H7971" burnt-offerings look|strong = "H7200"  
on|strong = "H7971" with|strong = "H6726" favour|strong = "H2580". w  
Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

4May|strong = "H2142" he|strong = "H3605" grant|strong = "H5414"  
 you|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605" heart's|strong = "H5315"  
 desire|strong = "H8378",

**a** nd|strong = "H5930" bring|strong = "H2142" all|strong = "H3605"  
 your|strong = "H3605" plans|strong = "H4284" to|strong = "H4503"  
 pass|strong = "H5674".

5We|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H5414" shout|strong = "H7321"  
 then|strong = "H5414" for|strong = "H3605" joy|strong = "H8057"  
 at|strong = "H5414" your|strong = "H3605" victory|strong = "H8668",

**a** nd|strong = "H6098" rejoice|strong = "H8055" in|strong = "H5414"  
 the|strong = "H3605" name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H4390"  
 our|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H5414".

**M** ay|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 grant|strong = "H5414" your|strong = "H3605" every|strong = "H3605"  
 request|strong = "H1246".

6Now|strong = "H6258" I|strong = "H3068" am|strong = "H3068"  
 sure|strong = "H0539" that|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*

**w** ill|strong = "H3068" help|strong = "H3444" his|strong = "H3605"  
 anointed|strong = "H4886".

**F** rom|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3605" temple|strong = "H1004"  
 in|strong = "H3068" heaven|strong = "H8064" he|strong = "H3068"  
 will|strong = "H3068" answer|strong = "H6030"

**b** y|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3605" mighty|strong = "H1368"  
 triumphant|strong = "H7311" right|strong = "H3068" hand|strong = "H3027".

7Some|strong = "H4480" in|strong = "H3068" chariots|strong = "H7393"  
 are|strong = "H8064" strong|strong = "H1369", some|strong = "H4480"  
 in|strong = "H3068" horses|strong = "H5483";

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" our|strong = "H3068" strength|strong = "H1369"  
 is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 our|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068".

8They|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" totter|strong = "H4131"  
and|strong = "H3068" fall|strong = "H5307",

w hile|strong = "H5704" we|strong = "H8034" rise|strong = "H6965"  
and|strong = "H3068" stand|strong = "H5975" firm|strong = "H3559".

9Give|strong = "H5307" victory|strong = "H8668", w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, to|strong = "H6965" the|strong = "H6965"  
king|strong = "H4428",

a nd|strong = "H6965" answer|strong = "H6030" us|strong = "H5414"  
when|strong = "H5307" we|strong = "H0587" call|strong = "H5749".  
Psalm 21 – A Prayer after a Victory

21The|strong = "H1732" king|strong = "H4428" rejoices|strong = "H8055",  
w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, in|strong = "H1732" your|strong = "H1732"  
might|strong = "H1369",

h ow|strong = "H4100" he|strong = "H1732" exults|strong = "H5970"  
because|strong = "H3588" of|strong = "H4210" your|strong = "H1732"  
help|strong = "H5826"!

2You|strong = "H4100" have|strong = "H3068" granted|strong = "H5414"  
to|strong = "H3068" him|strong = "H8055" his|strong = "H3068"  
heart's|strong = "H5315" desire|strong = "H8378",

y ou|strong = "H4100" have|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
withheld|strong = "H4513" his|strong = "H3068" lips'  
request|strong = "H1246". w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

3You|strong = "H5414" came|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H5414"  
meet|strong = "H7122" him|strong = "H5414" with|strong = "H3820"  
rich|strong = "H6223" blessings|strong = "H1293",

y ou|strong = "H5414" set|strong = "H5414" on|strong = "H5414"  
his|strong = "H5414" head|strong = "H7218" a|strong = "H5414"  
golden|strong = "H2091" crown|strong = "H5850".

4He|strong = "H3588" asked|strong = "H7592" you|strong = "H3588"  
for|strong = "H3588" life|strong = "H5315", you|strong = "H3588"  
gave|strong = "H5414" it|strong = "H3588" –



**m** any|strong = "H7227" long|strong = "H0753" days|strong = "H3117",  
forever|strong = "H5769" and|strong = "H7218" ever|strong = "H5769".

5Great|strong = "H1419" is|strong = "H3117" his|strong = "H5414"  
glory|strong = "H3519" because|strong = "H4480" of|strong = "H3117"  
your|strong = "H5414" help|strong = "H4480",

**h** onour|strong = "H3519" and|strong = "H3117" majesty|strong = "H1926"  
you|strong = "H5414" lay|strong = "H5414" upon|strong = "H5414"  
him|strong = "H5414".

6For|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H5921" make|strong = "H7737"  
him|strong = "H5921" most|strong = "H6944" blessed|strong = "H1288"  
forever|strong = "H5769",

**y** ou|strong = "H5921" make|strong = "H7737" him|strong = "H5921"  
glad|strong = "H8055" with|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
joy|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921"  
presence|strong = "H5921".

7For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H6440" king|strong = "H6440"  
puts|strong = "H7760" always|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H6440"  
trust|strong = "H0982" in|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*;

**t** he|strong = "H6440" Most|strong = "H1293" High|strong = "H1116",  
in|strong = "H6440" his|strong = "H6440" love|strong = "H0157",  
will|strong = "H1293" preserve|strong = "H5341" him|strong = "H6440"  
unshaken.

8Your|strong = "H3068" hand|strong = "H3027" will|strong = "H3068"  
reach|strong = "H5060" all|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
foes|strong = "H7796",

**y** our|strong = "H3068" right|strong = "H3068" hand|strong = "H3027",  
all|strong = "H3068" who|strong = "H3068" hate|strong = "H8130"  
you|strong = "H3588".

9You|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H3027" make|strong = "H3027"  
them|strong = "H3027" like|strong = "H4672" a|strong = "H4672"  
furnace|strong = "H3564" of|strong = "H3027" fire|strong = "H0784",

when you appear, w  
Lord w\*.

They w Lord w\* will  
swallow them up  
in his wrath.

They fire will  
devour them.

10 You will sweep  
their offspring from  
the earth,

their children from  
humanity.

11 When they  
scheme against you

and hatch evil  
plots – they will  
fail.

12 For you aim  
your bow at  
their faces,

make them turn  
in flight.

13 Be exalted, w  
Lord w\*, in your  
strength,

to your might  
we shall sing  
and make music.

Psalm 22 – The Sufferer's Triumph

22 My God, my  
God, why have  
you left me,

my|strong="H1732" rescue|strong="H5337" so|strong="H5921"  
 far|strong="H5921" from|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
 words|strong="H1697" of|strong="H4210" my|strong="H1732"  
 roaring|strong="H7581"?"

2I|strong="H1697" cry|strong="H7121" in|strong="H1697"  
 the|strong="H1697" day|strong="H3117", you|strong="H4100"  
 do|strong="H4100" not|strong="H3808" answer|strong="H1697",

I |strong="H1697" cry|strong="H7121" in|strong="H1697"  
 the|strong="H1697" night|strong="H3915" but|strong="H5800"  
 find|strong="H4672" no|strong="H3808" rest|strong="H5117".

3You|strong="H3808" are|strong="H3915" the|strong="H7121"  
 Holy|strong="H6944" One|strong="H3808",

t hroned on|strong="H7121" the|strong="H7121"  
 praises|strong="H2167" of|strong="H7121" Israel|strong="H3478".

4In|strong="H3427" you|strong="H8416" our|strong="H3478"  
 ancestors|strong="H0001" trusted|strong="H0982",

t hey|strong="H3478" trusted|strong="H0982" and|strong="H3478"  
 you|strong="H8416" delivered|strong="H5414" them|strong="H3427".

5They|strong="H1992" cried|strong="H7121" to|strong="H0413"  
 you|strong="H0859", and|strong="H3967" found|strong="H4672"  
 safety|strong="H0983",

i n|strong="H0935" you|strong="H0859" did|strong="H6213"  
 they|strong="H1992" trust|strong="H0982" and|strong="H3967"  
 were|strong="H0834" not|strong="H3808" put|strong="H5414"  
 to|strong="H0413" shame|strong="H0954".

6But|strong="H3808" I|strong="H3808" am|strong="H1961"  
 a|strong="H3808" worm|strong="H7415", not|strong="H3808"  
 a|strong="H3808" person|strong="H5315";

i nsulted|strong="H3637" by|strong="H3808" others|strong="H0312",  
 despised|strong="H0959" by|strong="H3808" the|strong="H3808"  
 people|strong="H3808".

7 All who see me mock me,

with mouths wide open  
and wagging heads:

8 He relies on the  
Lord who will save him.

Let him rescue the  
one he holds dear!

9 But you drew me  
from the womb,

and safely  
on my mother's  
breasts.

10 On your care  
was I cast  
from my very  
birth,

you are my  
God from my  
mother's womb.

11 Be not far  
from me, for  
trouble is  
nigh,

and there is  
none to help.

12 I am circled  
by many  
bulls,

**b** eset|strong="H5437" by|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588"  
mighty|strong="H1368" of|strong="H4480" Bashan|strong="H1316",

13who|strong="H7227" face|strong="H6440" me|strong="H5437"  
with|strong="H6499" gaping|strong="H3605" jaws|strong="H3895",

**l** ike|strong="H7227" ravening|strong="H2963" roaring|strong="H7581"  
lions|strong="H3715".

14Poured|strong="H8210" out|strong="H5921" am|strong="H1961"  
I|strong="H5921" like|strong="H5921" water|strong="H4325",

**a** nd|strong="H6310" all|strong="H5921" my|strong="H5921"  
bones|strong="H6106" are|strong="H6310" loosened.

**M** y|strong="H5921" heart|strong="H3820" is|strong="H6310"  
become|strong="H1961" like|strong="H5921" wax|strong="H1749",

**m** elted|strong="H4549" within|strong="H5921" me|strong="H5921".

15My|strong="H3605" palate|strong="H2441" is|strong="H3820"  
dry|strong="H3004" as|strong="H1961" a|strong="H1961"  
sherd|strong="H2789",

**m** y|strong="H3605" tongue|strong="H3956" sticks|strong="H6086"  
to|strong="H1961" my|strong="H3605" jaws|strong="H3895";

**i** n|strong="H8432" the|strong="H3605" dust|strong="H6083"  
of|strong="H4325" death|strong="H4194" you|strong="H3605"  
lay|strong="H1961" me|strong="H1961".

16For|strong="H6083" dogs|strong="H3611" are|strong="H2789"  
round|strong="H5439" about|strong="H5439" me|strong="H8239",

**a** |strong="H3956" band|strong="H1416" of|strong="H4194" knaves  
encircles me|strong="H8239",

**g** nawing|strong="H1501" my|strong="H3581" hands|strong="H3027"  
and|strong="H6083" my|strong="H3581" feet|strong="H7272".

17I|strong="H3588" can|strong="H4310" count|strong="H5608"  
my|strong="H3588" bones|strong="H6106", every|strong="H3588"  
one|strong="H3588".

A s|strong="H3588" for|strong="H3588" them|strong="H3027",  
they|strong="H3588" feast|strong="H2282" their|strong="H3588"  
eyes|strong="H5869" on|strong="H3027" me|strong="H5437".

18They|strong="H1992" divide|strong="H2505" my|strong="H3605"  
garments|strong="H0899" among|strong="H7200" them|strong="H1992",

a nd|strong="H7200" over|strong="H3605" my|strong="H3605"  
raiment|strong="H0899" cast|strong="H7993" lots|strong="H1486".

19But|strong="H1992" you|strong="H5921", O|strong="H3069" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, be|strong="H3830" not|strong="H5307"  
far|strong="H5921",

O |strong="H3069" my|strong="H5921" strength|strong="H5797",  
hasten|strong="H2363" to|strong="H5921" help|strong="H5826"  
me|strong="H5921".

20Deliver|strong="H5337" my|strong="H3068" life|strong="H5315"  
from|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" sword|strong="H2719"

m y|strong="H3068" life|strong="H5315" from|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" power|strong="H3027" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" dogs|strong="H3611".

21Save|strong="H5337" me|strong="H5315" from|strong="H5315"  
the|strong="H3027" jaws|strong="H3027" of|strong="H3027"  
the|strong="H3027" lion|strong="H0738",

f rom|strong="H5315" the|strong="H3027" horns|strong="H7161"  
of|strong="H3027" the|strong="H3027" wild|strong="H7704"  
oxen|strong="H1241" help|strong="H5826" me|strong="H5315".

22I|strong="H0589" will|strong="H6310" tell|strong="H6030"  
of|strong="H6310" your|strong="H3467" fame|strong="H8034"  
to|strong="H6310" my|strong="H3467" kindred|strong="H4138",

**a** nd|strong="H6030" in|strong="H6310" the|strong="H6030"  
assembly|strong="H6951" will|strong="H6310" praise|strong="H1984"  
you|strong="H3467".

23Praise|strong="H1984" the|strong="H8432" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, you|strong="H8432" who|strong="H0834"  
fear|strong="H3372" him|strong="H5608".

**A** ll|strong="H3605" Jacob's|strong="H3290" seed|strong="H2233",  
give|strong="H1984" him|strong="H5608" glory|strong="H1984".

**A** ll|strong="H3605" Israel's|strong="H3478" seed|strong="H2233",  
stand|strong="H5975" in|strong="H8432" awe|strong="H1481"  
of|strong="H8034" him|strong="H5608".

24For|strong="H3068" he|strong="H3068" has|strong="H3068"  
not|strong="H3373" despised|strong="H0959" nor|strong="H4480"  
abhorred|strong="H8581"

**t** he|strong="H3605" sorrow|strong="H3015" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3605" sorrowful|strong="H3510".

**H** e|strong="H3068" hid|strong="H5641" not|strong="H3373"  
his|strong="H3605" face|strong="H6440" from|strong="H4480"  
me|strong="H4480",

**b** ut|strong="H3513" he|strong="H3068" listened|strong="H8085"  
to|strong="H3478" my|strong="H3605" cry|strong="H7121"  
for|strong="H3068" help|strong="H4480".

25Of|strong="H6440" you|strong="H3588" is|strong="H6440"  
my|strong="H8085" praise|strong="H3588" in|strong="H8085"  
the|strong="H6440" great|strong="H6440" congregation|strong="H5712";

**m** y|strong="H8085" vows|strong="H5088" I|strong="H3588"  
will|strong="H3808" pay|strong="H8085" before|strong="H6440"  
those|strong="H4480" who|strong="H6041" fear|strong="H6440"  
him|strong="H6440".

26The|strong="H3373" afflicted|strong="H6041" will|strong="H7227"  
eat|strong="H0398" to|strong="H7227" their|strong="H5048"  
heart's|strong="H5315" desire|strong="H8378",

**a** nd|strong="H8416" those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H7227"  
seek|strong="H1245" after|strong="H0310" the|strong="H3373" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* will|strong="H7227" praise|strong="H8416"  
him|strong="H5048".

**L** ift|strong="H5375" up|strong="H5048" your|strong="H7999"  
hearts|strong="H3820" forever|strong="H5769".

27All|strong="H1875" will|strong="H3068" call|strong="H7121"  
it|strong="H3068" to|strong="H3068" mind|strong="H3824",  
to|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" ends|strong="H7098"  
of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" earth|strong="H0776",

**a** nd|strong="H3068" turn|strong="H3824" to|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*;

**a** nd|strong="H3068" all|strong="H1875" tribes|strong="H7626"  
of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" nations|strong="H1471"  
will|strong="H3068" bow|strong="H7198" down|strong="H3381"  
before|strong="H2421" you|strong="H3824".

28For|strong="H6440" the|strong="H3605" kingdom|strong="H6440"  
belongs|strong="H1961" to|strong="H7725" the|strong="H3605" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*:

**h** e|strong="H3068" is|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605"  
nations|strong="H1471".

29To|strong="H3068" him|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068"  
bow|strong="H7198" down|strong="H3588" all|strong="H3068"  
who|strong="H3068" sleep|strong="H8142" in|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3588" earth|strong="H0776",

**a** nd|strong="H3068" before|strong="H6440" him|strong="H3588"  
bend|strong="H1869" all|strong="H3068" who|strong="H3068"  
go|strong="H3068" down|strong="H3588" to|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3588" dust|strong="H6083",

**a** nd|strong="H3068" those|strong="H3588" who|strong="H3068"  
could|strong="H3201" not|strong="H3588" preserve|strong="H5341"  
their|strong="H3068" lives|strong="H5315".



30 My|strong = "H3605" descendants|strong = "H2233"  
 will|strong = "H5315" tell|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H6440"  
 the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*

t o|strong = "H3381" the|strong = "H3605" next|strong = "H4283"  
 generation|strong = "H1755";

31 they|strong = "H5608" will|strong = "H2233" declare|strong = "H5608"  
 his|strong = "H5647" righteousness|strong = "H6666"

t o|strong = "H1755" people|strong = "H5971" yet|strong = "H5750"  
 to|strong = "H1755" be|strong = "H5647" born|strong = "H3205":

H e|strong = "H2233" has|strong = "H2233" done|strong = "H5647"  
 it|strong = "H5414".

Psalm 23 – The Good Shepherd

23 The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
 my|strong = "H3068" shepherd|strong = "H7462": I|strong = "H3808"  
 am|strong = "H3068" never|strong = "H3808" in|strong = "H3068"  
 need|strong = "H2637".

2 He|strong = "H5921" lays|strong = "H8213" me|strong = "H5921"  
 down|strong = "H7257" in|strong = "H5921" green|strong = "H1877"  
 pastures|strong = "H4999".

H e|strong = "H5921" gently|strong = "H0328" leads|strong = "H5095"  
 me|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H5921" waters|strong = "H4325"  
 of|strong = "H4325" rest|strong = "H4496",

3 he|strong = "H5315" refreshes|strong = "H7725" my|strong = "H7725"  
 life|strong = "H5315".

H e|strong = "H5315" guides|strong = "H5148" me|strong = "H5315"  
 along|strong = "H5921" paths|strong = "H4570" that|strong = "H5315"  
 are|strong = "H4570" straight|strong = "H3474",

t rue|strong = "H0571" to|strong = "H7725" his|strong = "H7725"  
 name|strong = "H8034".

4And when my way  
lies through  
a valley of  
gloom,

I fear no  
evil, for you  
are with me.

Your rod and  
your staff  
comfort me.

You spread  
a table  
for me

in face of  
my foes;

with oil  
anoint my  
head,

and my  
cup runs  
over.

6Surely  
and love  
pursue me –

all the  
days of  
my life.

In the  
house of  
the Lord  
I will  
live

throughout  
the length  
of the  
days of  
my life.

24The|strong = "H3068" earth|strong = "H0776" is|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* 's and|strong = "H3068"  
 all|strong = "H4393" that|strong = "H3068" it|strong = "H4393"  
 holds|strong = "H4013",

t he|strong = "H3068" world|strong = "H8398" and|strong = "H3068"  
 those|strong = "H3427" who|strong = "H3068" live|strong = "H3427"  
 in|strong = "H3427" it|strong = "H4393".

2For|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H1931" founded|strong = "H3245"  
 it|strong = "H1931" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
 seas|strong = "H3220",

a nd|strong = "H3220" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
 floods|strong = "H5104" he|strong = "H1931" sustains|strong = "H5564"  
 it|strong = "H1931".

3Who|strong = "H4310" may|strong = "H3068" ascend|strong = "H5927"  
 the|strong = "H3068" hill|strong = "H2022" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*?

W ho|strong = "H4310" may|strong = "H3068" stand|strong = "H6965"  
 in|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" holy|strong = "H6944"  
 place|strong = "H4725"?

4The|strong = "H5375" clean|strong = "H1249" of|strong = "H3709"  
 hands|strong = "H3709", the|strong = "H5375" pure|strong = "H1249"  
 of|strong = "H3709" heart|strong = "H3824",

w ho|strong = "H5315" sets|strong = "H5375" not|strong = "H3808"  
 their|strong = "H5375" heart|strong = "H3824" upon|strong = "H5375"  
 sinful|strong = "H2400" things|strong = "H3808",

n or|strong = "H3808" swears|strong = "H7650" with|strong = "H5315"  
 intent|strong = "H3336" to|strong = "H3824" deceive|strong = "H5377":

5they|strong = "H3068" win|strong = "H6743" from|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H5375" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* a|strong = "H5375"  
 blessing|strong = "H1293":

G od|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068"  
 champion|strong = "H1368" and|strong = "H3068" saviour|strong = "H3467".

6Such|strong = "H2088" must|strong = "H4191" be|strong = "H6440"  
those|strong = "H2088" who|strong = "H2088" resort|strong = "H1875"  
to|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440",

a nd|strong = "H6440" seek|strong = "H1245" the|strong = "H6440"  
face|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440"  
God|strong = "H0430" of|strong = "H6440" Jacob|strong = "H3290". w  
Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

The|strong = "H6440" Lords's Triumphal Entry|strong = "H6607"  
into|strong = "H3290" the|strong = "H6440" Sanctuary|strong = "H6944"

7Lift|strong = "H5375" high|strong = "H5375" your|strong = "H5375"  
heads|strong = "H7218", you|strong = "H5375" gates|strong = "H8179" –

H igher|strong = "H1364", you|strong = "H5375" ancient|strong = "H5769"  
doors|strong = "H6607";

w elcome|strong = "H6923" the|strong = "H5375"  
glorious|strong = "H3519" king|strong = "H4428".

8'Who|strong = "H4310" is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
glorious|strong = "H3519" king|strong = "H4428"?'

' The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
strong|strong = "H1368" and|strong = "H3068" heroic,

t he|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* heroic  
in|strong = "H3068" battle|strong = "H4421".'

9Lift|strong = "H5375" high|strong = "H5375" your|strong = "H5375"  
heads|strong = "H7218", you|strong = "H5375" gates|strong = "H8179" –

H igher|strong = "H1364", you|strong = "H5375" ancient|strong = "H5769"  
doors|strong = "H6607";

w elcome|strong = "H6923" the|strong = "H5375"  
glorious|strong = "H3519" king|strong = "H4428".

10'Who|strong = "H4310" is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
glorious|strong = "H3519" king|strong = "H4428"?'

‘ The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, the|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068" of|strong = "H4428" hosts|strong = "H6635",

**h** e|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" glorious|strong = "H3519" king|strong = "H4428".’ w  
Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

Psalm 25 – A Prayer for Forgiveness and Protection

25 To|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H5375", O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, I|strong = "H5315" lift|strong = "H5375" up|strong = "H5375" my|strong = "H3068" heart|strong = "H5315":

**a** ll|strong = "H5375" the|strong = "H5375" day|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H5315" wait|strong = "H0693" for|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H5375".

2 In|strong = "H0935" you|strong = "H0859" I|strong = "H0589" trust|strong = "H0982", put|strong = "H5414" me|strong = "H0413" not|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H0413" shame|strong = "H0954";

l et|strong = "H5970" not|strong = "H3808" my|strong = "H8104" foes|strong = "H7796" exult|strong = "H5970" over|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H0413".

3 None|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H1571" be|strong = "H3808" shamed|strong = "H0954" who|strong = "H3605" wait|strong = "H6960" for|strong = "H6960" you|strong = "H3605",

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" shame|strong = "H0954" will|strong = "H1571" fall|strong = "H5307" upon|strong = "H5921" wanton|strong = "H8265" traitors.

4 Make|strong = "H3045" me|strong = "H3925", O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, to|strong = "H3068" know|strong = "H3045" your|strong = "H3068" ways|strong = "H1870":

**t** each|strong = "H3925" me|strong = "H3925" your|strong = "H3068" paths|strong = "H1870".

5 In|strong = "H3117" your|strong = "H3605" faithfulness|strong = "H0530" guide|strong = "H1869" me|strong = "H3925" and|strong = "H3117" teach|strong = "H3925" me|strong = "H3925",

**f** or you are my God and my saviour.

6 Remember your pity, O w Lord, and your kindness,

**f** or they have been ever of old.

7 Do not remember the sins of my youth;

**r** emember me in kindness,

**b** ecause of your goodness, w Lord.

8 Good is the w Lord and upright,

**s** o he teaches sinners the way.

9 The humble he guides in the right,

**h** e teaches the humble his way.

10 All his ways are loving and loyal

**t** o those who observe his charges and covenant.

11 Be |strong="H3068" true |strong="H3068" to |strong="H3068"  
your |strong="H3068" name |strong="H8034" w Lord |strong="H3068" w\*,

f orgive |strong="H5545" my |strong="H3068" many |strong="H7227"  
sins |strong="H5771".

12 Who |strong="H4310" then |strong="H2088" is |strong="H3068"  
the |strong="H3068" person |strong="H5315" who |strong="H4310"  
fears |strong="H3373" the |strong="H3068" w Lord |strong="H3068" w\*?

H e |strong="H3068" will |strong="H3068" teach |strong="H3384"  
them |strong="H3384" the |strong="H3068" way |strong="H1870"  
to |strong="H3068" choose |strong="H0977".

13 They |strong="H5315" will |strong="H5315" live |strong="H3427"  
in |strong="H5315" prosperity |strong="H2896",

t heir |strong="H3423" children |strong="H2233" will |strong="H5315"  
inherit |strong="H3423" the |strong="H3423" land |strong="H0776".

14 The |strong="H3068" w Lord |strong="H3068" w\*  
gives |strong="H5414" guidance |strong="H8458" to |strong="H3068"  
those |strong="H1992" who |strong="H3068" fear |strong="H3373"  
him |strong="H3045",

a nd |strong="H3068" with |strong="H3068" his |strong="H3068"  
covenant |strong="H1285" he |strong="H3068" makes |strong="H3068"  
them |strong="H3045" acquainted |strong="H3045".

15 My |strong="H3068" eyes |strong="H5869" are |strong="H5869"  
ever |strong="H8548" toward |strong="H3068" the |strong="H3588" w  
Lord |strong="H3068" w\*,

f or |strong="H3588" out |strong="H3318" of |strong="H3068"  
the |strong="H3588" net |strong="H7568" he |strong="H1931"  
brings |strong="H3318" my |strong="H3068" foot |strong="H7272".

16 Turn |strong="H6437" to |strong="H6437" me |strong="H2603"  
with |strong="H6041" your |strong="H3588" favour |strong="H2603",

f or |strong="H3588" I |strong="H3588" am |strong="H1961"  
lonely |strong="H3173" and |strong="H6041" crushed |strong="H7533"

17In|strong = "H3318" my|strong = "H3318" heart|strong = "H3824"  
are|strong = "H3824" strain and|strong = "H3318" storm|strong = "H2230";

**b** ring|strong = "H3318" me|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318"  
of|strong = "H3318" my|strong = "H3318" distresses|strong = "H4691".

18Look|strong = "H7200" on|strong = "H7200" my|strong = "H3605"  
misery|strong = "H5999" and|strong = "H7200" trouble|strong = "H5999",

**a** nd|strong = "H7200" pardon|strong = "H5375" all|strong = "H3605"  
my|strong = "H3605" sins|strong = "H2403",

19look|strong = "H7200" on|strong = "H7200" my|strong = "H7200"  
foes|strong = "H8130" oh|strong = "H4994", so|strong = "H3588"  
many|strong = "H7231"!

**A** nd|strong = "H7200" their|strong = "H7200" cruel|strong = "H2555"  
hatred|strong = "H8135" towards me|strong = "H7200".

20Deliver|strong = "H5337" me|strong = "H5315", keep|strong = "H8104"  
me|strong = "H5315", and|strong = "H8104" shame|strong = "H0954"  
not|strong = "H3588"

**o** ne|strong = "H3588" who|strong = "H5315" takes|strong = "H2620"  
refuge|strong = "H2620" in|strong = "H5315" you|strong = "H3588".

21May|strong = "H1961" integrity|strong = "H8537" and|strong = "H8537"  
innocence|strong = "H5356" preserve|strong = "H5341" me|strong = "H3588",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" wait|strong = "H6960"  
for|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588", O|strong = "H3069" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

22Redeem|strong = "H6299" Israel|strong = "H3478", O|strong = "H3069"  
God|strong = "H0430",

**f** rom|strong = "H3478" all|strong = "H3605" its|strong = "H3605"  
distresses|strong = "H6869".

Psalm 26 – Prayer of a Devout Worshipper



26Defend|strong = "H8199" me|strong = "H3808", O|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, for|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H3068"  
 walk|strong = "H1980" has|strong = "H3068" been|strong = "H3808"  
 blameless|strong = "H8537";

i n|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 have|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3588" trusted|strong = "H0982"  
 unswervingly:

2Examine|strong = "H0974" me|strong = "H3820", w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, and|strong = "H3068" test|strong = "H5254"  
 me|strong = "H3820";

t est|strong = "H5254" my|strong = "H3068" heart|strong = "H3820"  
 and|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" mind|strong = "H3820".

3For|strong = "H3588" your|strong = "H3588" love|strong = "H2617"  
 is|strong = "H2617" before|strong = "H5048" my|strong = "H3588"  
 eyes|strong = "H5869",

a nd|strong = "H1980" your|strong = "H3588" faithfulness|strong = "H2617"  
 governs my|strong = "H3588" way|strong = "H1980".

4I|strong = "H3808" never|strong = "H3808" sat|strong = "H3427"  
 down|strong = "H3427" with|strong = "H5973" the|strong = "H5973"  
 worthless|strong = "H7723",

n or|strong = "H3808" companied with|strong = "H5973"  
 dissemblers|strong = "H5956".

5I|strong = "H3808" hate|strong = "H8130" the|strong = "H5973"  
 assembly|strong = "H6951" of|strong = "H3427" knaves,

I |strong = "H3808" would|strong = "H0014" never|strong = "H3808"  
 sit|strong = "H3427" down|strong = "H3427" with|strong = "H5973"  
 the|strong = "H5973" wicked|strong = "H7563";

6but|strong = "H3068", with|strong = "H3068" hands|strong = "H3709"  
 washed|strong = "H7364" in|strong = "H3068" innocence|strong = "H5356",

I |strong = "H3068" would|strong = "H3068" march|strong = "H5437"  
 round|strong = "H4196" your|strong = "H3068" altar|strong = "H4196",  
 O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

7singing|strong = "H7440" loud|strong = "H8085" songs|strong = "H7892"  
of|strong = "H6963" thanks|strong = "H8426",

a nd|strong = "H6963" telling|strong = "H5608" of|strong = "H6963"  
all|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605" wonders|strong = "H6381".

8O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, I|strong = "H3068"  
love|strong = "H0157" your|strong = "H3068" house|strong = "H1004",

t he|strong = "H3068" place|strong = "H4725" where|strong = "H4725"  
your|strong = "H3068" glory|strong = "H3519" lives|strong = "H5315".

9Do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H5315" gather|strong = "H6908"  
me|strong = "H5315" up|strong = "H5927" with|strong = "H5973"  
sinners|strong = "H2400";

s lay|strong = "H2026" me|strong = "H5315" not|strong = "H5315"  
with|strong = "H5973" people|strong = "H5315" of|strong = "H1818"  
blood|strong = "H1818",

10whose|strong = "H0834" hands|strong = "H3027" are|strong = "H3027"  
stained|strong = "H4390" with|strong = "H4390" villainy,

a nd|strong = "H3027" whose|strong = "H0834" right|strong = "H3225"  
hand|strong = "H3027" is|strong = "H3027" filled|strong = "H4390"  
with|strong = "H4390" bribes|strong = "H7810".

11But|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H6299" walk|strong = "H3212"  
is|strong = "H0369" blameless|strong = "H8537"!

O |strong = "H3069" redeem|strong = "H6299" me|strong = "H2603",  
be|strong = "H2603" gracious|strong = "H2603" to|strong = "H3212"  
me|strong = "H2603".

12My|strong = "H3068" foot|strong = "H7272" stands|strong = "H5975"  
on|strong = "H3068" even|strong = "H3068" ground|strong = "H0776",

i n|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" choirs|strong = "H5975"  
I|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" bless|strong = "H1288"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

Psalm 27 – If God is for Me

27The w Lord w\* is my light and my saviour;

w hom then should I fear?

T he w Lord w\* protects my life;

w hom then should I dread?

2When the wicked drew near to assail me

a nd eat up my flesh,

i t was those who distressed and opposed me

w ho stumbled and fell.

3Though against me a host should encamp,

y et my heart would be fearless:

t hough battle should rise up against me,

s till would I be trustful.

- One thing have I asked of the w Lord w\*,
- and that do I long for –
- To live in the house of the w Lord w\*
- all the days of my life,
- to gaze on the grace of the w Lord w\*
- and inquire in his temple.
- For he will hide me in his shelter
- in the day of his misfortune.
- In his sheltering tent he hides me:
- he lifts me up on a rock.
- And now that my head has lifted
- above my foes,

- I** |strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3068" march|strong = "H1980"  
 round|strong = "H5439" the|strong = "H5921" altar|strong = "H4196"  
 and|strong = "H3068" sacrifice|strong = "H2077",
- s** houting|strong = "H8643" with|strong = "H3068" joy|strong = "H8643",  
 in|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H3068" tent|strong = "H0168",
- m** aking|strong = "H7311" music|strong = "H2170" and|strong = "H3068"  
 song|strong = "H2167" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.  
 The|strong = "H5921" Serenity of|strong = "H3068" Faith|strong = "H0539"
- 7Hear|strong = "H8085", O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
 my|strong = "H8085" loud|strong = "H8085" cry|strong = "H7121",
- a** nd|strong = "H3068" graciously|strong = "H2603"  
 answer|strong = "H6030" me|strong = "H7121".
- 8My|strong = "H3068" heart|strong = "H3820" has|strong = "H3068"  
 said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H6440",
- ‘ Your|strong = "H3068" face|strong = "H6440", O|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, I|strong = "H6440" seek|strong = "H1245”.’
- 9Hide|strong = "H5641" not|strong = "H1961" your|strong = "H5186"  
 face|strong = "H6440" from|strong = "H4480" me|strong = "H6440",
- r** eject|strong = "H5800" not|strong = "H1961" your|strong = "H5186"  
 servant|strong = "H5650" in|strong = "H6440" anger|strong = "H6440":
- f** or|strong = "H6440" you|strong = "H6440" have|strong = "H1961"  
 been|strong = "H1961" my|strong = "H1961" help|strong = "H5833".
- A** bandon|strong = "H5800" me|strong = "H6440" not|strong = "H1961",  
 nor|strong = "H4480" forsake|strong = "H5800" me|strong = "H6440",
- O** |strong = "H5203" God|strong = "H0430" of|strong = "H6440"  
 my|strong = "H1961" help|strong = "H5833":
- 10for|strong = "H3588" father|strong = "H0001" and|strong = "H3068"  
 mother|strong = "H0517" have|strong = "H3068" left|strong = "H5800"  
 me|strong = "H5800";

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
will|strong = "H3068" take|strong = "H3947" me|strong = "H5800"  
up|strong = "H5927".

11Teach|strong = "H3384" me|strong = "H5148" your|strong = "H3068"  
way|strong = "H1870", O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*:

**l** ead|strong = "H5148" me|strong = "H5148" in|strong = "H3068"  
an|strong = "H3384" even|strong = "H3068" path|strong = "H1870",

**b** ecause|strong = "H4616" of|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068"  
enemies|strong = "H8324".

12Give|strong = "H5414" me|strong = "H5414" not|strong = "H5414"  
up|strong = "H6965", O|strong = "H5315" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**u** nto|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H3588" rage|strong = "H2534"  
of|strong = "H5315" my|strong = "H5414" foes|strong = "H6862";

**f** or|strong = "H3588" against|strong = "H6965" me|strong = "H5414"  
have|strong = "H6862" risen|strong = "H6965" false|strong = "H8267"  
witnesses|strong = "H5707",

**b** reathing|strong = "H5301" out|strong = "H5414"  
cruelty|strong = "H2555".

13Firm|strong = "H7200" is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H7200"  
faith|strong = "H0539" I|strong = "H7200" cherish|strong = "H2436",

**t** hat|strong = "H7200" I|strong = "H7200", in|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H7200" land|strong = "H0776" of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H7200" living|strong = "H2416",

**w** ill|strong = "H3068" yet|strong = "H3068" see|strong = "H7200"  
the|strong = "H7200" goodness|strong = "H2898" of|strong = "H3068"  
God|strong = "H3068".

14Let|strong = "H7971" your|strong = "H3068" heart|strong = "H3820"  
be|strong = "H3068" courageous|strong = "H2388" and|strong = "H3068"  
strong|strong = "H2388",

and wait on  
the strong = "H3068" w Lord strong = "H3068" w\*.  
Psalm 28 – An Answered Prayer for Help

28 Unto you, O  
Lord strong = "H3068" w\*, do I strong = "H3068"  
cry strong = "H7121";

my rock, be  
not strong = "H6435" deaf strong = "H2790" to strong = "H3381"  
me strong = "H7121":

I rest, through holding  
your strong = "H3068" peace strong = "H2790", I strong = "H3068"  
become strong = "H4911"

I like those who  
go strong = "H3381" down strong = "H3381" to strong = "H3381"  
the strong = "H3068" pit strong = "H0953".

2 Hear my loud  
entreaty strong = "H6279",

as I cry  
for strong = "H3027" help strong = "H7768" to strong = "H3027"  
you strong = "H3027",

I lifting my hands  
O strong = "H8085" w Lord strong = "H3068" w\*,

towards your holy chancel.

3 Take me not  
off strong = "H5973" with strong = "H5973" the strong = "H1696"  
wicked strong = "H7563",

nor with the  
workers strong = "H6466" of strong = "H6466" wrong strong = "H7451",

whose speech to  
their strong = "H7563" neighbours strong = "H7453" is strong = "H7563"  
friendly strong = "H7965",

w hile|strong = "H5973" evil|strong = "H7451" is|strong = "H7563"  
in|strong = "H1696" their|strong = "H7563" heart|strong = "H3824".

4Give|strong = "H5414" them|strong = "H5414" as|strong = "H1992"  
they|strong = "H1992" have|strong = "H3027" done|strong = "H4639",

a s|strong = "H1992" their|strong = "H5414" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
deeds|strong = "H4611" deserve|strong = "H0376".

A s|strong = "H1992" their|strong = "H5414" hands|strong = "H3027"  
have|strong = "H3027" wrought|strong = "H4639", so|strong = "H5414"  
give|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H7725" them|strong = "H5414":

r equite|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H7725" them|strong = "H5414"  
their|strong = "H5414" deserts|strong = "H6160".

5They|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H3027" blind|strong = "H5787"  
to|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3068" that|strong = "H3588"  
the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* does|strong = "H3808",

t o|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3068" that|strong = "H3588"  
his|strong = "H3068" hands|strong = "H3027" have|strong = "H3068"  
wrought|strong = "H4639";

a nd|strong = "H3068" so|strong = "H3808" he|strong = "H3588"  
will|strong = "H3068" tear|strong = "H2040" them|strong = "H3027"  
down|strong = "H2040",

t o|strong = "H3068" build|strong = "H1129" them|strong = "H3027"  
up|strong = "H1129" no|strong = "H3808" more|strong = "H3808".

6Blest be|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8085" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, who|strong = "H3068" has|strong = "H3068"  
heard|strong = "H8085"

m y|strong = "H8085" voice|strong = "H6963" as|strong = "H3068"  
I|strong = "H3588" plead|strong = "H7378" for|strong = "H3588"  
mercy|strong = "H3068".

7The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
my|strong = "H3068" strength|strong = "H5797" and|strong = "H3068"  
my|strong = "H3068" shield|strong = "H4043";



**m** y|strong = "H3068" heart|strong = "H3820" trusts|strong = "H0982"  
in|strong = "H3068" him|strong = "H5826".

**I** |strong = "H3068" was|strong = "H3068" helped|strong = "H5826":  
so|strong = "H3651" my|strong = "H3068" heart|strong = "H3820"  
is|strong = "H3068" exultant|strong = "H5947",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068"  
song|strong = "H7892" I|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
praise|strong = "H3034" him|strong = "H5826".

**8**The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" strength|strong = "H5797" of|strong = "H3068"  
his|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H1931",

**t** he|strong = "H3068" fortress|strong = "H4581" who|strong = "H1931"  
saves|strong = "H3467" his|strong = "H3068" anointed|strong = "H4899".

**9**0|strong = "H3069" save|strong = "H3467" your|strong = "H5375"  
people|strong = "H5971",

**a** nd|strong = "H5971" bless|strong = "H1288" your|strong = "H5375"  
inheritance|strong = "H5159".

**B** e|strong = "H5769" their|strong = "H5375" shepherd|strong = "H7462"

**a** nd|strong = "H5971" carry|strong = "H5375" them|strong = "H5375"  
forever|strong = "H5769".

Psalm 29 – The Lord’s Glory in the Storm

**2**9Ascribe|strong = "H3051" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, you|strong = "H3051" heavenly|strong = "H8064"  
beings|strong = "H2421",

**a** scribe|strong = "H3051" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* glory|strong = "H3519" and|strong = "H1121"  
power|strong = "H5797"

**2**Ascribe|strong = "H3051" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* the|strong = "H3068" glory|strong = "H3519"  
he|strong = "H3068" manifests:

**b**ow|strong="H7812" to|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* in|strong="H3068" holy|strong="H6944"  
array|strong="H1927".

3The|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s  
voice|strong="H6963" peals on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
waters|strong="H4325".

**T** he|strong="H5921" God|strong="H3068" of|strong="H3068"  
glory|strong="H3519" has|strong="H3068" thundered|strong="H7481".

**H** e|strong="H3068" peals o'er the|strong="H5921"  
mighty|strong="H7227" waters|strong="H4325".

4The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s  
voice|strong="H6963" sounds|strong="H6963" with|strong="H3068"  
strength|strong="H3581",

**t** he|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s voice|strong="H6963"  
sounds|strong="H6963" with|strong="H3068" majesty|strong="H1926".

5The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s  
voice|strong="H6963" breaks|strong="H7665" the|strong="H3068"  
cedars|strong="H0730",

**h** e|strong="H3068" breaks|strong="H7665" the|strong="H3068"  
cedars|strong="H0730" of|strong="H3068" Lebanon|strong="H3844",

6making|strong="H6213" Lebanon|strong="H3844"  
dance|strong="H7540" like|strong="H3644" a|strong="H3644"  
calf|strong="H5695",

**S** irion|strong="H8303" like|strong="H3644" a|strong="H3644"  
young|strong="H1121" wild|strong="H7214" ox|strong="H7214".

7The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s  
voice|strong="H6963" hews|strong="H2672" out|strong="H2672"  
flames|strong="H3852" of|strong="H3068" fire|strong="H0784".

8The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s  
voice|strong="H6963" rends the|strong="H3068" desert|strong="H4057",

**h** e|strong="H3068" rends the|strong="H3068" desert|strong="H4057"  
of|strong="H3068" Kadesh|strong="H6946".

9The|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s  
voice|strong="H6963" whirls|strong="H8175" the|strong="H3605"  
oaks|strong="H0437",

**a** nd|strong="H3068" strips|strong="H2834" the|strong="H3605"  
forests|strong="H3293" bare|strong="H2834";

**a** nd|strong="H3068" all|strong="H3605" in|strong="H3068"  
his|strong="H3605" temple|strong="H1964" say|strong="H6963"  
'Glory|strong="H3519'.'

10The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* was|strong="H3068"  
king|strong="H4428" at|strong="H3427" the|strong="H3068"  
flood|strong="H3999",

**t** he|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* sits|strong="H3427"  
throned forever|strong="H5769".

11The|strong="H5414" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
gives|strong="H5414" strength|strong="H5797" to|strong="H3068"  
his|strong="H5414" people|strong="H5971",

**h** e|strong="H3068" blesses|strong="H1288" his|strong="H5414"  
people|strong="H5971" with|strong="H3068" peace|strong="H7965".  
Psalm 30 – A Song of Thanksgiving for Deliverance

30I|strong="H1004" will|strong="H1004" extol|strong="H7311"  
you|strong="H1004", O|strong="H1004" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

**b** ecause|strong="H3588" you|strong="H1004" have|strong="H1004"  
lifted|strong="H1732" me|strong="H1004" up|strong="H5927",

**a** nd|strong="H1004" not|strong="H1732" suffered|strong="H5414"  
my|strong="H1732" foes|strong="H7796" to|strong="H1004"  
rejoice|strong="H8055" over|strong="H1732" me|strong="H1004".

2I|strong="H3588" cried|strong="H7121" to|strong="H3068"  
you|strong="H3588" for|strong="H3588" help|strong="H5826",

**O** |strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068"w\* my|strong = "H3068"  
 God|strong = "H3068", and|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3588"  
 healed|strong = "H7495" me|strong = "H7311".

3You|strong = "H0859" have|strong = "H3068" brought|strong = "H3068"  
 me|strong = "H0413" up|strong = "H5927", w Lord|strong = "H3068"w\*,  
 from|strong = "H3068" Sheol|strong = "H7585",

f rom|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" way|strong = "H1870"  
 to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" pit|strong = "H0953"  
 back|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H3068" life|strong = "H5315"  
 you|strong = "H0859" have|strong = "H3068" called|strong = "H7121"  
 me|strong = "H0413".

4Sing|strong = "H7891" praise|strong = "H1984" to|strong = "H3381"  
 the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068"w\*, faithful|strong = "H0539"  
 people|strong = "H5315";

g ive|strong = "H2421" thanks|strong = "H3034" to|strong = "H3381"  
 his|strong = "H3068" holy|strong = "H6944" name|strong = "H8034".

5For|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" anger|strong = "H0639"  
 lasts|strong = "H5704" only|strong = "H0389" a|strong = "H3068"  
 moment|strong = "H7281",

h is|strong = "H3068" favour|strong = "H2580" endures|strong = "H5769"  
 for|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H3068" lifetime|strong = "H3117".

W eeping|strong = "H1065" may|strong = "H3068" lodge|strong = "H3885"  
 for|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" night|strong = "H3915",

b ut|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" morning|strong = "H1242"  
 brings|strong = "H0935" shouts|strong = "H7440" of|strong = "H3068"  
 joy|strong = "H8057".

6When|strong = "H3588" all|strong = "H3885" went|strong = "H1980"  
 well|strong = "H3190", I|strong = "H3588" imagined|strong = "H2803"

t hat|strong = "H3588" never|strong = "H3808" should|strong = "H3588"  
 I|strong = "H3588" be|strong = "H2416" shaken|strong = "H4131".

7For|strong = "H4131" by|strong = "H1077" your|strong = "H5769"  
 favour|strong = "H2580", O|strong = "H3069" w Lord|strong = "H3068"w\*,

you had set  
me on on mountains  
strong":

but you hide  
your face,

and I was  
confounded.

Then to you, w  
Lord w\*, I cried,

to the w Lord w\*  
I begged for  
mercy,

"What profit is  
there in my  
blood,

if I go  
down to the  
pit?"

Can you be  
praised by dust?"

Can it tell  
of your faithfulness?"

Hear, w Lord w\*,  
and show me  
your favour,

w Lord w\* be a  
helper to me.'

You have turned  
my mourning to  
dancing;

**m** y|strong = "H8085" sackcloth|strong = "H8242" you|strong = "H1961"  
have|strong = "H1961" unloosed,

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" clothed|strong = "H3847" me|strong = "H1961"  
with|strong = "H3068" joy|strong = "H8057":

12that|strong = "H0834" unceasingly|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H0589"  
should|strong = "H3068" sing|strong = "H7891" your|strong = "H6605"  
praise|strong = "H1984",

**a** nd|strong = "H8057" give|strong = "H2015" thanks|strong = "H3034"  
to|strong = "H2015" you|strong = "H8057", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
my|strong = "H6605" God|strong = "H0430", forever|strong = "H5769".  
Psalm 31 – A Prayer for Deliverance from Troubles

31In|strong = "H1732" you|strong = "H0859", O|strong = "H3069" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, I|strong = "H0589" take|strong = "H3947"  
refuge|strong = "H4733";

**I** et|strong = "H7971" me|strong = "H0413" never|strong = "H3808"  
be|strong = "H1732" put|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H1732"  
shame|strong = "H0954".

**R** escue|strong = "H5337" me|strong = "H0413" in|strong = "H1732"  
your|strong = "H1732" faithfulness|strong = "H0530";

2incline|strong = "H5186" to|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H5769"  
your|strong = "H3068" ear|strong = "H0241".

**D** eliver|strong = "H6403" me|strong = "H5769" speedily|strong = "H4120".

**B** e|strong = "H3068" to|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H5769"  
a|strong = "H3068" rock|strong = "H6697" of|strong = "H3068"  
defence|strong = "H4869",

**a** |strong = "H3068" fortified|strong = "H1219" house|strong = "H1004",  
to|strong = "H3068" save|strong = "H3467" me|strong = "H5769".

3For|strong = "H1004" my|strong = "H1961" rock|strong = "H6697"  
and|strong = "H1004" my|strong = "H1961" fortress|strong = "H4581"  
are|strong = "H1004" you|strong = "H3467";

Lead me and  
 guide me so  
 your name will  
 be honoured.

Draw me out  
 of the net  
 they have hid  
 for me,

For you yourself  
 are my refuge.

Into your hand  
 I commend my spirit:

You ransom me, w  
 Lord, faithful God.

I hate those  
 devoted to worthless  
 idols;

I trust in  
 the Lord.

I will rejoice  
 and be glad  
 in your love,

Because you have  
 looked on my  
 misery,

and cared for  
 me in my  
 distress.

You have not  
 given me into  
 the enemy's hand,

y ou|strong = "H3045" have|strong = "H3045" set|strong = "H7760"  
 my|strong = "H7200" feet|strong = "H7272" in|strong = "H5315"  
 a|strong = "H7200" spacious|strong = "H7304" place|strong = "H4725".

9Be|strong = "H3808" gracious|strong = "H2603" to|strong = "H3027"  
 me|strong = "H3027", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, for|strong = "H3027"  
 I|strong = "H3808" am|strong = "H1961" distressed|strong = "H6887";

m y|strong = "H3027" eye|strong = "H5869" is|strong = "H3027"  
 wasted|strong = "H6244" away|strong = "H5493" with|strong = "H3027"  
 sorrow|strong = "H3015".

10For|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H3068" life|strong = "H5315"  
 is|strong = "H3068" consumed|strong = "H6244" with|strong = "H3068"  
 grief|strong = "H3708",

a nd|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" years|strong = "H8141"  
 with|strong = "H3068" sighing|strong = "H0585".

M y|strong = "H3068" strength|strong = "H5315" is|strong = "H3068"  
 broken|strong = "H7665" with|strong = "H3068" misery|strong = "H5999",

m y|strong = "H3068" bones|strong = "H6106" waste|strong = "H2723"  
 away|strong = "H6244".

11The|strong = "H3588" scorn|strong = "H2781" of|strong = "H8141"  
 all|strong = "H3615" my|strong = "H3615" foes|strong = "H7796",

t he|strong = "H3588" butt|strong = "H0310" of|strong = "H8141"  
 my|strong = "H3615" neighbours|strong = "H7934" am|strong = "H1961"  
 I|strong = "H3588",

a |strong = "H3588" terror|strong = "H2851" to|strong = "H8141"  
 my|strong = "H3615" acquaintance|strong = "H3045".

A t|strong = "H3782" the|strong = "H3588" sight|strong = "H5869"  
 of|strong = "H8141" me|strong = "H2416" in|strong = "H8141"  
 the|strong = "H3588" street|strong = "H2351"

p eople|strong = "H5971" turn|strong = "H7725" quickly|strong = "H4116"  
 away|strong = "H3615".



12I|strong="H3045" am|strong="H1961" clean|strong="H2889"  
 forgotten|strong="H7911" like|strong="H1961" the|strong="H3605"  
 dead|strong="H4191",

**a** m|strong="H1961" become|strong="H1961" like|strong="H1961"  
 a|strong="H1961" ruined|strong="H7703" vessel|strong="H3627".

13I|strong="H1961" hear|strong="H8085" the|strong="H1961"  
 whispers of|strong="H3627" many|strong="H7227" –

**t** error|strong="H2851" on|strong="H1961" every|strong="H3605"  
 side|strong="H6285" –

**s** cheming together|strong="H3162" against|strong="H5921"  
 me|strong="H7911",

**p** lotting|strong="H0696" to|strong="H4191" take|strong="H1961"  
 my|strong="H1961" life|strong="H4191".

14But|strong="H3588" my|strong="H8085" trust|strong="H0982"  
 is|strong="H5315" in|strong="H5921" you|strong="H3588", w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

‘ You|strong="H3588" are|strong="H7227" my|strong="H8085"  
 God|strong="H0430”, I|strong="H3588" say|strong="H0559”;

15my|strong="H3068" times|strong="H6471" are|strong="H3068"  
 in|strong="H5921" your|strong="H3068" hand|strong="H3027",  
 save|strong="H3467" me|strong="H5921"

**f** rom|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" hand|strong="H3027"  
 of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5921" foes|strong="H7796"  
 who|strong="H3068" pursue|strong="H7291" me|strong="H5921".

16Make|strong="H3027" your|strong="H3027" face|strong="H6440"  
 to|strong="H6256" shine|strong="H0215" on|strong="H3027"  
 your|strong="H3027" servant|strong="H5650",

**s** ave|strong="H5337" me|strong="H7291" in|strong="H3027"  
 your|strong="H3027" love|strong="H0157".

17 Put me not, O Lord, to shame,

for I have called upon you.

Let the wicked be put to shame

silent in Sheol.

18 Strike the lips of the false,

that speak proudly against the righteous

with haughtiness and contempt.

19 How great is the goodness

you have treasured for those who fear you,

and wrought for those who take refuge in you,

in plain sight of all!

20 In your sheltering wings you hide them

from the plottings of people,

**y** ou|strong="H4100" keep|strong="H6845" them|strong="H1121"  
safe|strong="H7965" in|strong="H7227" a|strong="H4100" bower

**f** rom|strong="H1121" the|strong="H3373" chiding|strong="H7379"  
of|strong="H1121" tongues|strong="H3956".

21Blest be|strong="H6440" the|strong="H6440" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*

**f** or|strong="H6440" the|strong="H6440" wonderful|strong="H6381"  
love|strong="H0157" he|strong="H6440" has|strong="H7379"  
shown|strong="H7200" me|strong="H6440"

**i** n|strong="H6440" time|strong="H6440" of|strong="H6440"  
distress|strong="H6869".

22For|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" had|strong="H3068"  
said|strong="H0559" in|strong="H3068" panic|strong="H2865",

‘ I|strong="H3588" am|strong="H3068" driven|strong="H5080"  
clean|strong="H2617" out|strong="H3318" of|strong="H3068"  
your|strong="H3068" sight|strong="H5869”.’

**B** ut|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" heard|strong="H3588"  
my|strong="H3068" plea|strong="H1779",

**w** hen|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" cried|strong="H5892"  
to|strong="H3068" you|strong="H3588" for|strong="H3588"  
help|strong="H5826".

23Love|strong="H0157" the|strong="H8085" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, all|strong="H3605" you|strong="H5869"  
faithful|strong="H0539";

**t** he|strong="H8085" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
protects|strong="H8104" the|strong="H8085" loyal|strong="H0310",

**b** ut|strong="H8085" repays|strong="H7999" the|strong="H8085"  
haughty|strong="H7311" in|strong="H8085" full|strong="H4392".

24 Let your hearts be courageous and strong,  
 strong,

all you who wait on the Lord w  
 Lord w\*.

Psalm 32 – A Prayer of Confession and Joy

32 Happy those whose transgression is pardoned,

whose sin is covered.

2 Happy are those freed from the falseness of spirit,

to whom the Lord w reckons no debt of guilt.

3 When I held my peace, my bones wore away

with my endless groaning;

4 for day and night did your hand

lie heavy upon me.

The sap of my life was dried up

a s|strong="H3588" with|strong="H5921" fierce|strong="H3513"  
summer-heat. w Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

5I|strong="H5921" began|strong="H2490" to|strong="H3068"  
acknowledge|strong="H3045" my|strong="H3068" sin|strong="H2403",

n ot|strong="H3808" concealing my|strong="H3068"  
guilt|strong="H5771";

a nd|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5921" moment|strong="H7281"  
I|strong="H5921" vowed|strong="H5087" to|strong="H3068"  
confess|strong="H3034"

t o|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
my|strong="H3068" transgression|strong="H6588",

t hen|strong="H5375" you|strong="H5921" yourself|strong="H5921"  
did|strong="H3068" pardon|strong="H5375"

t he|strong="H5921" guilt|strong="H5771" of|strong="H3068"  
my|strong="H3068" sin|strong="H2403". w Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

6For|strong="H5921" this|strong="H2063" cause|strong="H2600"  
let|strong="H3808" all|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605"  
are|strong="H4325" faithful|strong="H0539"

p ray|strong="H6419" to|strong="H5921" you|strong="H3605"  
in|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605" time|strong="H6256"  
of|strong="H4325" distress|strong="H6869";

t hen|strong="H3808", when|strong="H6256" the|strong="H3605"  
great|strong="H7227" waters|strong="H4325" rush|strong="H8264",

t hey|strong="H3808" will|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"  
reach|strong="H5060" to|strong="H5921" him|strong="H5921".

7For|strong="H6862" you|strong="H0859" are|strong="H3117"  
my|strong="H5341" shelter|strong="H5643",

y ou|strong="H0859" protect|strong="H5341" me|strong="H5437"  
from|strong="H5437" trouble|strong="H6862",

**a** nd|strong="H5437" surround|strong="H5437" me|strong="H5437"  
with|strong="H5973" deliverance|strong="H6405". w  
Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

8'With|strong="H5921" my|strong="H5921" eye|strong="H5869"  
steadfastly upon|strong="H5921" you|strong="H5921",

**I** |strong="H5921" will|strong="H5869" instruct|strong="H3384"  
and|strong="H3212" teach|strong="H3384" you|strong="H5921"

**T** he|strong="H5921" way|strong="H1870" you|strong="H5921"  
should|strong="H3068" go|strong="H3212".

9Do|strong="H6213" not|strong="H1077" be|strong="H1961"  
like|strong="H1961" the|strong="H7126" horse|strong="H5483"  
or|strong="H5483" the|strong="H7126" mule|strong="H6505",

**t** hat|strong="H1961" have|strong="H1961" no|strong="H1077"  
understanding|strong="H8394",

**b** ut|strong="H1961" need|strong="H4270" bridle|strong="H7448"  
and|strong="H5483" halter to|strong="H1961" curb  
them|strong="H7126",

**e** lse|strong="H5750" they|strong="H1077" will|strong="H1961"  
not|strong="H1077" come|strong="H1961" near|strong="H7126"  
to|strong="H1961" you|strong="H7126".'

10The|strong="H3068" godless|strong="H2611" have|strong="H3068"  
many|strong="H7227" sorrows|strong="H4341",

**b** ut|strong="H7563" those|strong="H5437" who|strong="H3068"  
trust|strong="H0982" in|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*

**w** ill|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3068" compassed|strong="H5437"  
about|strong="H5437" by|strong="H3068" his|strong="H3068"  
kindness|strong="H2617".

11Be|strong="H3068" glad|strong="H8055" in|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, and|strong="H3068"  
rejoice|strong="H8055", you|strong="H3605" righteous|strong="H6662";

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" ring|strong = "H2885" out|strong = "H7442"  
 your|strong = "H3068" joy|strong = "H7442", all|strong = "H3605"  
 you|strong = "H3605" upright|strong = "H3477" in|strong = "H3068"  
 heart|strong = "H3820".

Psalm 33 – A Hymn of Thanksgiving

3Shout|strong = "H7442" for|strong = "H7442" joy|strong = "H7442"  
 in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
 you|strong = "H8416" righteous|strong = "H6662":

**p** raise|strong = "H8416" for|strong = "H7442" the|strong = "H3068"  
 upright|strong = "H3477" is|strong = "H3068" seemly|strong = "H5000".

2Give|strong = "H3034" thanks|strong = "H3034" to|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* on|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" lyre|strong = "H3658",

**p** lay|strong = "H2181" to|strong = "H3068" him|strong = "H3034"  
 on|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H3068" ten-stringed|strong = "H6218"  
 harp|strong = "H3658".

3Sing|strong = "H7891" to|strong = "H3190" him|strong = "H5414"  
 a|strong = "H7891" new|strong = "H2319" song|strong = "H7892",

**p** lay|strong = "H5059" skilfully|strong = "H3190" and|strong = "H7891"  
 shout|strong = "H8643" merrily|strong = "H8056".

4For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 is|strong = "H3068" straight|strong = "H3477" in|strong = "H3068"  
 his|strong = "H3605" promise|strong = "H1697";

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H3588"  
 he|strong = "H3588" does|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H3068"  
 in|strong = "H3068" faithfulness|strong = "H0530".

5Justice|strong = "H4941" and|strong = "H3068" right|strong = "H4941"  
 he|strong = "H3068" loves|strong = "H0157";

**t** he|strong = "H3068" earth|strong = "H0776" is|strong = "H3068"  
 full|strong = "H4390" of|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068"  
 kindness|strong = "H2617".

6By|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3605" word|strong = "H1697"  
the|strong = "H3605" heavens|strong = "H8064" were|strong = "H8064"  
made|strong = "H6213",

a ll|strong = "H3605" their|strong = "H3605" host|strong = "H6635"  
by|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" breath|strong = "H7307"  
of|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3605" mouth|strong = "H6310".

7He|strong = "H5414" gathers|strong = "H3664" the|strong = "H5414"  
sea|strong = "H3220" in|strong = "H5414" a|strong = "H5414"  
bottle|strong = "H4997",

t he|strong = "H5414" ocean|strong = "H8415" he|strong = "H5414"  
puts|strong = "H5414" into|strong = "H3220" store-houses.

8Let|strong = "H7971" the|strong = "H3605" whole|strong = "H3605"  
world|strong = "H8398" honour|strong = "H3519" the|strong = "H3605" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

l et|strong = "H7971" all|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605"  
live|strong = "H3427" on|strong = "H3427" earth|strong = "H0776"  
be|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H3427" awe|strong = "H1481".

9For|strong = "H3588" at|strong = "H5975" his|strong = "H6680"  
word|strong = "H1697" it|strong = "H1931" came|strong = "H1961"  
into|strong = "H1961" being|strong = "H1961",

a t|strong = "H5975" his|strong = "H6680" command|strong = "H6680"  
it|strong = "H1931" stood|strong = "H5975" forth|strong = "H5975".

10The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
frustrates|strong = "H5106" the|strong = "H3068" designs|strong = "H4284"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" nations|strong = "H1471",

w hat|strong = "H4284" the|strong = "H3068" peoples|strong = "H5971"  
have|strong = "H3068" purposed|strong = "H2161", he|strong = "H3068"  
brings|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H3068" nought|strong = "H6331",

11but|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*'s own|strong = "H5769" design|strong = "H4284"  
will|strong = "H3068" stand|strong = "H5975" forever|strong = "H5769",



and|strong="H3068" what|strong="H4284" his|strong="H3068"  
heart|strong="H3820" has|strong="H3068" purposed|strong="H2161",  
through|strong="H1755" all|strong="H1755"  
generations|strong="H1755".

12Happy|strong="H0835" the|strong="H3068" nation|strong="H1471"  
whose|strong="H1471" God|strong="H3068" is|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

the|strong="H3068" people|strong="H5971" he|strong="H3068"  
chose|strong="H0977" for|strong="H3068" himself|strong="H3068"  
as|strong="H3068" his|strong="H3068" own|strong="H5971".

13The|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
looks|strong="H7200" down|strong="H5027" from|strong="H1121"  
heaven|strong="H8064",

he|strong="H3068" sees|strong="H7200" all|strong="H3605"  
of|strong="H1121" humanity|strong="H0120";

14from|strong="H3427" where|strong="H0834" he|strong="H3605"  
rules|strong="H4910" he|strong="H3605" gazes|strong="H3885"

on|strong="H3427" all|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605"  
inhabit|strong="H3427" the|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0776".

15He|strong="H3605" fashions|strong="H3335" the|strong="H3605"  
hearts|strong="H3820" of|strong="H3820" them|strong="H3162"  
all|strong="H3605",

and|strong="H3820" gives|strong="H5414" heed|strong="H3820"  
to|strong="H3820" all|strong="H3605" that|strong="H3605"  
they|strong="H3605" do|strong="H4639".

16It|strong="H3808" is|strong="H4428" not|strong="H3808"  
by|strong="H3808" great|strong="H7230" armies|strong="H2428"  
that|strong="H4428" kings|strong="H4428" are|strong="H1368"  
victorious|strong="H3467",

it|strong="H3808" is|strong="H4428" not|strong="H3808"  
by|strong="H3808" great|strong="H7230" strength|strong="H3581"  
that|strong="H4428" a|strong="H3808" warrior|strong="H1368"  
saves|strong="H3467" himself|strong="H3808";

17false|strong = "H8267" hope|strong = "H8267" is|strong = "H5483"  
 the|strong = "H3808" war-horse to|strong = "H2428" usher  
 in|strong = "H3808" victory|strong = "H8668",

f or|strong = "H2428" all|strong = "H7230" its|strong = "H3808"  
 great|strong = "H7230" might|strong = "H2428" it|strong = "H3808"  
 can|strong = "H3808" provide|strong = "H6213" no|strong = "H3808"  
 escape|strong = "H4422".

18See|strong = "H2009"! The|strong = "H3068" eye|strong = "H5869"  
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 is|strong = "H3068" on|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H1992"  
 who|strong = "H3068" fear|strong = "H3373" him|strong = "H5869",

o n|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H3068"  
 hope|strong = "H3176" in|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068"  
 kindness|strong = "H2617";

19to|strong = "H5315" deliver|strong = "H5337" their|strong = "H5337"  
 life|strong = "H5315" from|strong = "H5315" death|strong = "H4194",

a nd|strong = "H5315" to|strong = "H5315" keep|strong = "H2421"  
 them|strong = "H2421" alive|strong = "H2421" in|strong = "H5315"  
 famine|strong = "H7458".

20We|strong = "H5315" wait|strong = "H2442" for|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*:

h e|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H3068" our|strong = "H3068"  
 help|strong = "H5828" and|strong = "H3068" our|strong = "H3068"  
 shield|strong = "H4043".

21For|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H8034" him|strong = "H8055"  
 our|strong = "H3588" heart|strong = "H3820" is|strong = "H3820"  
 glad|strong = "H8055",

w e|strong = "H3588" trust|strong = "H0982" in|strong = "H8034"  
 his|strong = "H3588" holy|strong = "H6944" name|strong = "H8034".

22Let|strong = "H1961" your|strong = "H3068" kindness|strong = "H2617",  
 O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, be|strong = "H1961"  
 upon|strong = "H5921" us|strong = "H5921",

**a** s|strong="H1961" is|strong="H3068" our|strong="H3068"  
 hope|strong="H3176" in|strong="H5921" you|strong="H5921".  
 Psalm 34 – The Lord is Mindful of His Own

34I|strong="H1980" will|strong="H6440" bless|strong="H1288"  
 the|strong="H6440" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* at|strong="H1732"  
 all|strong="H6440" times|strong="H6440",

**i** n|strong="H1980" my|strong="H1732" mouth|strong="H6440"  
 will|strong="H6440" his|strong="H1732" praise|strong="H1984"  
 be|strong="H6440" forever|strong="H5769".

2In|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
 will|strong="H3068" my|strong="H3605" heart|strong="H3820"  
 make|strong="H6213" her|strong="H3605" boast|strong="H1288",

**t** he|strong="H3605" humble|strong="H6035" will|strong="H3068"  
 hear|strong="H8085" and|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3068"  
 glad|strong="H8055".

3O|strong="H3068" magnify|strong="H1431" the|strong="H8085" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\* with|strong="H3068" me|strong="H5315"

**a** nd|strong="H3068" let|strong="H8055" us|strong="H8085"  
 extol|strong="H7311" his|strong="H3068" name|strong="H8034"  
 together|strong="H8085".

4I|strong="H3068" sought|strong="H1245" the|strong="H3068" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, and|strong="H3068", in|strong="H3068"  
 answer|strong="H6030",

**h** e|strong="H3068" saved|strong="H3467" me|strong="H7311"  
 from|strong="H3068" all|strong="H3162" my|strong="H3068"  
 terrors|strong="H1091".

5Look|strong="H3068" to|strong="H3068" him|strong="H3605"  
 and|strong="H3068" you|strong="H3605" will|strong="H3068"  
 be|strong="H3068" radiant|strong="H5102",

**w** ith|strong="H3068" faces|strong="H6440" unashamed.

6Here|strong="H6311" is|strong="H6440" one|strong="H0259"  
 who|strong="H2659" was|strong="H6440" crushed|strong="H7533",

**b** ut|strong="H3588" cried|strong="H7121" and|strong="H6440"  
was|strong="H6440" heard|strong="H8085" by|strong="H6440"  
the|strong="H6440" w Lord|strong="H3068"w\*,

**a** nd|strong="H6440" brought|strong="H0935" safe|strong="H7965"  
out|strong="H6440" of|strong="H6440" every|strong="H3605"  
trouble|strong="H6869".

7The|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068"w\*'s  
angel|strong="H4397" encamps|strong="H2583"

**a** bout|strong="H8085" those|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605"  
fear|strong="H3372" him|strong="H7121", and|strong="H3068"  
rescues|strong="H5337" them|strong="H7121".

8O|strong="H3068" taste|strong="H2938" and|strong="H3068"  
see|strong="H7200" that|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068"w\* is|strong="H3068" good|strong="H2896",

**h** appy|strong="H0835" those|strong="H2583" who|strong="H3068"  
take|strong="H2502" refuge|strong="H4733" in|strong="H2583"  
him|strong="H5439".

9Fear|strong="H3372" the|strong="H7200" w Lord|strong="H3068"w\*,  
all|strong="H7200" his|strong="H3068" people|strong="H7200",

**f** or|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" who|strong="H3068"  
fear|strong="H3372" him|strong="H7200" lack|strong="H2637"  
nothing|strong="H3808".

10Even|strong="H3588" young|strong="H5288" lions|strong="H3715"  
may|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3068" poor|strong="H4270"  
and|strong="H3068" hungry|strong="H7457",

**b** ut|strong="H3588" those|strong="H3588" who|strong="H3068"  
seek|strong="H1245" the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068"w\*

**w** ill|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3588" lack|strong="H4270"  
any|strong="H3588" good|strong="H2896" thing|strong="H3588".

11Come|strong="H0935", children|strong="H1121",  
listen|strong="H3605" to|strong="H3068" me|strong="H1875".

I will teach you the fear of the Lord.<sup>\*</sup>

12 Which of you is desirous of life,

loves many days?

13 Then guard your tongue from evil,

and your lips from speaking deceit.

14 Depart from evil, and do good,

seek peace, and pursue it.

15 The eyes of the Lord are towards the righteous,

his ears are towards their cry for help.

16 The Lord sets his face against those who do evil,

to root out their memory out of the earth.

17When righteous cry, they heard by the Lord

and he saves them from all their distresses.

18The w Lord is near to the broken-hearted,

he helps those whose spirit is crushed.

19Many misfortunes befall the righteous,

but the w Lord delivers them out of them.

20He guards all their bones,

none are broken.

21Misfortune will slay the ungodly;

those who hate the righteous are doomed.

22The w Lord ransoms the life of his servants,

**a** nd|strong = "H4191" none|strong = "H0369" will|strong = "H6662"  
 be|strong = "H4191" doomed|strong = "H1121" who|strong = "H6662"  
 takes|strong = "H3947" refuge|strong = "H4733" in|strong = "H4191"  
 him|strong = "H4191".

Psalm 35 – A Prayer for Deliverance from Malicious Foes

35Contend|strong = "H7378", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
 with|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H3068"  
 contend|strong = "H7378" with|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H0413",

**d** o|strong = "H3068" battle|strong = "H3898" with|strong = "H3068"  
 those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H3068" do|strong = "H3068"  
 battle|strong = "H3898" with|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H0413".

2Grasp|strong = "H2388" shield|strong = "H4043" and|strong = "H6965"  
 buckler|strong = "H4043",

**a** nd|strong = "H6965" rise|strong = "H6965" up|strong = "H6965"  
 as|strong = "H6965" my|strong = "H6965" help|strong = "H5833".

3Draw|strong = "H7324" spear|strong = "H2595" and|strong = "H5315"  
 battle-axe|strong = "H5462",

**c** onfront|strong = "H6923" those|strong = "H5315" who|strong = "H5315"  
 pursue|strong = "H7291" me|strong = "H5315".

**A** ssure|strong = "H5315" me|strong = "H5315" that|strong = "H5315"  
 you|strong = "H5315" will|strong = "H5315" help|strong = "H3444"  
 me|strong = "H5315".

4Dishonour|strong = "H3639" and|strong = "H5315"  
 shame|strong = "H3637" be|strong = "H5315" on|strong = "H7451"  
 those|strong = "H5315"

**w** ho|strong = "H5315" are|strong = "H5315" seeking|strong = "H1245"  
 my|strong = "H1245" life|strong = "H5315"!

**D** efeat|strong = "H5221" and|strong = "H5315" confusion|strong = "H2659"  
 on|strong = "H7451" those|strong = "H5315"

**w** ho|strong = "H5315" are|strong = "H5315" planning|strong = "H2803"  
 my|strong = "H1245" hurt|strong = "H7451"!

5As|strong = "H1961" chaff|strong = "H4671" before|strong = "H6440"  
wind|strong = "H7307" may|strong = "H1961" they|strong = "H3068"  
be|strong = "H1961",

w ith|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*s  
angel|strong = "H4397" pursuing|strong = "H7291" them|strong = "H6440".

6Slippery|strong = "H2519" and|strong = "H3068" dark|strong = "H2822"  
be|strong = "H1961" their|strong = "H3068" way|strong = "H1870",

w ith|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" angel|strong = "H4397"  
thrusting|strong = "H3238" them|strong = "H7291" on|strong = "H1870".

7For|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" wantonly  
hid|strong = "H2934" their|strong = "H3588" net|strong = "H7568"  
for|strong = "H3588" me|strong = "H5315",

a nd|strong = "H5315" dug|strong = "H2658" a|strong = "H3588"  
pit|strong = "H7845" to|strong = "H5315" destroy|strong = "H7843"  
me|strong = "H5315".

8Upon|strong = "H5307" them|strong = "H5307" may|strong = "H5307"  
ruin|strong = "H2723" come|strong = "H5307" unawares|strong = "H3045";

m ay|strong = "H5307" the|strong = "H3045" net|strong = "H7568"  
which|strong = "H0834" they|strong = "H3808" hid|strong = "H2934"  
catch|strong = "H3920" themselves|strong = "H3045",

a nd|strong = "H3045" into|strong = "H5307" the|strong = "H3045"  
pit|strong = "H0953" may|strong = "H5307" they|strong = "H3808"  
fall|strong = "H5307".

9Then|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H5315" will|strong = "H3068"  
exult|strong = "H7797" in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

a nd|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068" joyful|strong = "H1523"  
because|strong = "H3068" of|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068"  
help|strong = "H3444";

10and|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605" my|strong = "H3605"  
being|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" say|strong = "H0559",



‘ Who|strong = "H4310", O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
is|strong = "H3068" like|strong = "H3644" you|strong = "H3605",

w ho|strong = "H4310" save|strong = "H5337" the|strong = "H3605"  
helpless|strong = "H1800" from|strong = "H4480" those|strong = "H3605"  
too|strong = "H4480" strong|strong = "H2389" for|strong = "H3068"  
them|strong = "H4480",

t he|strong = "H3605" poor|strong = "H6041" and|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3605" helpless|strong = "H1800" from|strong = "H4480"  
those|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H4310" despoil|strong = "H7703"  
them|strong = "H4480"??

11 Violent|strong = "H2555" witnesses|strong = "H5707"  
rise|strong = "H6965",

a nd|strong = "H6965" ask|strong = "H7592" of|strong = "H7592"  
me|strong = "H7592" things|strong = "H7592" that|strong = "H3045"  
I|strong = "H3045" know|strong = "H3045" not|strong = "H3808".

12 Evil|strong = "H7451" for|strong = "H8478" good|strong = "H2896"  
they|strong = "H5315" requite|strong = "H7999" me|strong = "H5315",

I eaving|strong = "H5800" me|strong = "H5315" inwardly|strong = "H7130"  
comfortless.

13 But|strong = "H7725" when|strong = "H7725" they  
were|strong = "H5315" sick|strong = "H2470", I put|strong = "H7725"  
on|strong = "H5921" sackcloth|strong = "H8242",

a nd|strong = "H7725" chastened|strong = "H3198"  
myself|strong = "H5315" with|strong = "H5921" fasting|strong = "H6685".

I |strong = "H5921" prayed|strong = "H6419" with|strong = "H5921"  
head|strong = "H7218" bowed|strong = "H7812" low|strong = "H8213",

14 as|strong = "H1980" if|strong = "H0518" for|strong = "H7453"  
my|strong = "H1980" friend|strong = "H7453" or|strong = "H7453"  
my|strong = "H1980" brother|strong = "H7453".

I |strong = "H1980" went|strong = "H1980" about|strong = "H1980"  
bowed|strong = "H7817" and|strong = "H1980" in|strong = "H1980"  
mourning|strong = "H6937",

**a** s|strong="H1980" one|strong="H7453" who|strong="H1980"  
laments|strong="H5921" his|strong="H1980" mother|strong="H0517".

15When|strong="H5921" I|strong="H5921" stumbled|strong="H3782",  
they|strong="H3808" gleefully gathered|strong="H6960",

**s** trangers|strong="H2114" gathered|strong="H6960"  
around|strong="H5921" me|strong="H5921",

**a** nd|strong="H3045" tore|strong="H7167" at|strong="H5921"  
me|strong="H5921" without|strong="H3808" ceasing|strong="H1826",

16impiously mocking|strong="H6711" and|strong="H8127"  
mocking|strong="H6711",

**b** earing|strong="H5375" their|strong="H5921" teeth|strong="H8127"  
at|strong="H5921" me|strong="H5921".

17How|strong="H4100" long|strong="H4100", w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, will|strong="H5315" you|strong="H7725"  
look|strong="H7200" on|strong="H7200"?

**R** escue|strong="H7725" me|strong="H5315" from|strong="H7725"  
their|strong="H7725" roaring|strong="H7581",

**m** y|strong="H7200" precious|strong="H3368" life|strong="H5315"  
from|strong="H7725" the|strong="H7200" lions|strong="H3715".

18I|strong="H1984" will|strong="H5971" then|strong="H0227"  
give|strong="H3034" you|strong="H3034" thanks|strong="H3034"  
in|strong="H7227" the|strong="H1984" great|strong="H7227"  
congregation|strong="H6951",

**a** nd|strong="H5971" praise|strong="H1984" you|strong="H3034"  
before|strong="H5971" many|strong="H7227" people|strong="H5971".

19Suffer|strong="H5414" not|strong="H5869" those|strong="H8130"  
to|strong="H5869" rejoice|strong="H8055" over|strong="H5869"  
me|strong="H8130"

**w** ho|strong="H8130" are|strong="H5869" falsely|strong="H8267"  
my|strong="H8055" foes|strong="H8130",

suffer|strong="H5414" not|strong="H5869" those|strong="H8130"  
 who|strong="H8130" without|strong="H2600" cause|strong="H2600"  
 abhor|strong="H8581" me|strong="H8130"

to|strong="H5869" wink|strong="H7169" with|strong="H5869"  
 the|strong="H5869" eye|strong="H5869".

20For|strong="H3588" it|strong="H5921" is|strong="H1697"  
 not|strong="H3808" peace|strong="H7965" that|strong="H3588"  
 they|strong="H3588" speak|strong="H1696"

of|strong="H1697" those|strong="H5921" who|strong="H3588"  
 are|strong="H1697" quiet|strong="H7282" in|strong="H5921"  
 the|strong="H5921" land|strong="H0776";

but|strong="H3588" treacherous|strong="H4820"  
 charges|strong="H4931" they|strong="H3588" plot|strong="H1697".

21With|strong="H5921" wide|strong="H7337" open|strong="H7337"  
 mouths|strong="H6310" they|strong="H5921" shout|strong="H7321",

‘ Hurrah! Hurrah!

With|strong="H5921" our|strong="H7200" own|strong="H5869"  
 eyes|strong="H5869" we|strong="H7200" saw|strong="H7200"  
 it|strong="H5921".’

22But|strong="H7200" you|strong="H7200" have|strong="H3068"  
 seen|strong="H7200", too|strong="H4480", O|strong="H3068" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

keep|strong="H2790" not|strong="H7200" silence|strong="H2790",  
 O|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

be|strong="H3068" not|strong="H7200" far|strong="H7368"  
 from|strong="H4480" me|strong="H7200".

23Bestir|strong="H2782" you|strong="H0859", awake|strong="H5782",  
 for|strong="H4941" my|strong="H5782" right|strong="H4941"

**m** y|strong = "H5782" God|strong = "H0430", my|strong = "H5782" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, for|strong = "H4941" my|strong = "H5782"  
 cause|strong = "H7379".

24 You|strong = "H8055" are|strong = "H3068" just|strong = "H6664", w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*: win|strong = "H6743" for|strong = "H3068"  
 me|strong = "H8055" justice|strong = "H6664",

**I** et|strong = "H8055" them|strong = "H8055" not|strong = "H3808"  
 rejoice|strong = "H8055" over|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H8055",

25 inwardly|strong = "H7130" saying|strong = "H0559", 'Hurrah!

**T** he|strong = "H1104" desire|strong = "H5315" of|strong = "H3820"  
 our|strong = "H3068" hearts|strong = "H3820" at|strong = "H5315"  
 last|strong = "H0314"!

**N** ow|strong = "H6258" we|strong = "H5315" have|strong = "H1961"  
 swallowed|strong = "H1104" him|strong = "H5315" up|strong = "H1104".'

26 Shame|strong = "H1322" and|strong = "H1431"  
 confusion|strong = "H1322" together|strong = "H3162"

**o** n|strong = "H5921" those|strong = "H5921" who|strong = "H3639"  
 rejoice|strong = "H8056" at|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H5921"  
 hurt|strong = "H7451"!

**C** lothed|strong = "H3847" with|strong = "H3847" shame|strong = "H1322"  
 and|strong = "H1431" dishonour|strong = "H3639"

**b** e|strong = "H7451" those|strong = "H5921" who|strong = "H3639"  
 are|strong = "H3117" haughty|strong = "H7311" to|strong = "H5921"  
 me|strong = "H5921"!

27 Let|strong = "H8055" such|strong = "H2088" as|strong = "H3068"  
 delight|strong = "H2655" in|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068"  
 cause|strong = "H6664"

**r** ing|strong = "H2885" out|strong = "H7442" their|strong = "H3068"  
 gladness|strong = "H8057",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" say|strong = "H0559" evermore|strong = "H8548",

‘ Great|strong = "H1431" is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" whose|strong = "H5650" delight|strong = "H2655”

i s|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" well-being|strong = "H7965”  
of|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" servant|strong = "H5650”.’

28Then|strong = "H3117" my|strong = "H3605" tongue|strong = "H3956”  
will|strong = "H3117" tell|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H3117”  
your|strong = "H3605" justice|strong = "H6664”,

a nd|strong = "H3117" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605”  
day|strong = "H3117" long|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117”  
your|strong = "H3605" praise|strong = "H8416”.  
Psalm 36 – The Triumphant Power of God’s Love

36Sin|strong = "H2403" whispers within|strong = "H7130”  
the|strong = "H3068" heart|strong = "H3820" of|strong = "H3068”  
the|strong = "H3068" wicked|strong = "H7563”,

w ho|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068" no|strong = "H3808”  
dread|strong = "H6343" of|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068”  
before|strong = "H6440" their|strong = "H3068" eyes|strong = "H5869”.

2It|strong = "H7130" flatters|strong = "H2505" them|strong = "H5048”  
in|strong = "H7130" their|strong = "H7130" eyes|strong = "H5869”

t hat|strong = "H5869" their|strong = "H7130" sin|strong = "H6588”  
will|strong = "H5869" not|strong = "H5869" be|strong = "H3820”  
found|strong = "H4672" out|strong = "H7563”.

3First|strong = "H7223”, their|strong = "H3588” speech|strong = "H8193”  
becomes|strong = "H3588” wicked|strong = "H7563” and|strong = "H5869”  
false|strong = "H8267”,

t hey|strong = "H3588” give|strong = "H5414” up|strong = "H5927”  
acting|strong = "H4603” wisely|strong = "H2451” and|strong = "H5869”  
well|strong = "H5869”.

4Then|strong = "H0227” they|strong = "H6310” plot|strong = "H1697”  
deliberate wrong|strong = "H7451”,

take|strong="H3947" their|strong="H3605" stand|strong="H5975"  
on|strong="H1697" the|strong="H1697" wicked|strong="H7563"  
way|strong="H1697",

without|strong="H6310" the|strong="H1697" least|strong="H6996"  
shrinking from|strong="H1697" evil|strong="H7451".

5Your|strong="H5921" love|strong="H0157", O|strong="H3069" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, touches|strong="H5060" the|strong="H5921"  
heavens|strong="H8064",

your|strong="H5921" faithfulness|strong="H0530"  
reaches|strong="H5927" the|strong="H5921" clouds|strong="H5645".

6Your|strong="H3068" justice|strong="H4941" is|strong="H3068"  
like|strong="H5704" the|strong="H3068" great|strong="H1419"  
mountains|strong="H2022",

your|strong="H3068" judgments|strong="H4941" are|strong="H8064"  
like|strong="H5704" the|strong="H3068" broad|strong="H7341"  
sea|strong="H3220".

w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, you|strong="H5704" save|strong="H3467"  
people|strong="H5971" and|strong="H3068" animals|strong="H0929".

7How|strong="H4100" precious|strong="H3368" your|strong="H3068"  
love|strong="H0157", O|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068"!

All|strong="H3467" may|strong="H3068" seek|strong="H1245"  
shelter|strong="H4268" in|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"  
shadow|strong="H6738" of|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068"  
wings|strong="H3671".

8They|strong="H4100" feast|strong="H2282" on|strong="H3671"  
the|strong="H1121" fat|strong="H3368" of|strong="H1121"  
your|strong="H4100" house|strong="H1004",

they|strong="H4100" drink|strong="H8354" of|strong="H1121"  
your|strong="H4100" brook|strong="H5158" of|strong="H1121"  
delights|strong="H2654".

9For|strong = "H1004" with|strong = "H1004" you|strong = "H8248"  
is|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H8248" fountain|strong = "H4726"  
of|strong = "H1004" life|strong = "H5315",

i n|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H8248" light|strong = "H0216"  
that|strong = "H1004" is|strong = "H1004" yours|strong = "H4191"  
we|strong = "H0587" see|strong = "H7200" light|strong = "H0216".

10O|strong = "H3069" continue|strong = "H1961" your|strong = "H7200"  
grace|strong = "H2580" to|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200"  
faithful|strong = "H0539",

y our|strong = "H7200" love|strong = "H0157" to|strong = "H7200"  
the|strong = "H7200" upright|strong = "H3477" in|strong = "H7200"  
heart|strong = "H3820".

11Let|strong = "H7971" no|strong = "H3045" arrogant|strong = "H2086"  
foot|strong = "H7272" tread|strong = "H1869" upon|strong = "H3045"  
me|strong = "H4900",

n o|strong = "H3045" wicked|strong = "H7563" hand|strong = "H3027"  
drive|strong = "H3423" me|strong = "H4900" to|strong = "H3820"  
exile|strong = "H1540".

12There|strong = "H8033" the|strong = "H3027" workers|strong = "H6466"  
of|strong = "H3027" wrong|strong = "H7563" lie|strong = "H7901"  
prostrate|strong = "H7812",

t hrust|strong = "H1920" down|strong = "H3027" to|strong = "H3027"  
rise|strong = "H6965" up|strong = "H5927" no|strong = "H7563"  
more|strong = "H7563".

Psalm 37 – Trust in the Lord and Do Good

37Be|strong = "H1732" not|strong = "H6213" kindled|strong = "H2734"  
to|strong = "H6213" wrath|strong = "H2534" at|strong = "H1732"  
the|strong = "H6213" wicked|strong = "H7489",

n or|strong = "H7489" envious|strong = "H7065" of|strong = "H6213"  
those|strong = "H6213" who|strong = "H6213" work|strong = "H6213"  
wrong|strong = "H5766";

2for|strong = "H3588", like|strong = "H3644" grass|strong = "H2682",  
they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3588" speedily|strong = "H4120"  
wither|strong = "H5034",

a nd|strong = "H4120" fade|strong = "H5034" like|strong = "H3644"  
the|strong = "H3588" green|strong = "H3418" of|strong = "H1121"  
young|strong = "H5288" grass|strong = "H2682".

3Trust|strong = "H0982" in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6213" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, and|strong = "H3068" do|strong = "H6213"  
good|strong = "H2896";

r emain|strong = "H7931" in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6213"  
land|strong = "H0776", and|strong = "H3068" deal|strong = "H6213"  
faithfully|strong = "H0571":

4then|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
delight|strong = "H6026",

h e|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" grant|strong = "H5414"  
you|strong = "H5414" your|strong = "H3068" heart's|strong = "H3820"  
petitions|strong = "H4862".

5Commit|strong = "H6213" your|strong = "H3068" way|strong = "H1870"  
to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*;

t rust|strong = "H0982" in|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921",  
and|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H1931" will|strong = "H3068"  
act|strong = "H6213",

6making|strong = "H6213" clear|strong = "H3318" as|strong = "H3318"  
the|strong = "H3318" light|strong = "H0216" your|strong = "H3318"  
right|strong = "H4941",

a nd|strong = "H4941" your|strong = "H3318" just|strong = "H6664"  
cause|strong = "H4941" clear|strong = "H3318" as|strong = "H3318"  
the|strong = "H3318" noon-day.

7In|strong = "H3068" silence|strong = "H1826" and|strong = "H3068"  
patience|strong = "H3811" wait|strong = "H2342" on|strong = "H1870"  
the|strong = "H6213" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.



**B** e|strong="H3068" not|strong="H6213" kindled|strong="H2734"  
to|strong="H3068" anger|strong="H0639" at|strong="H3068"  
those|strong="H6213" who|strong="H3068" prosper|strong="H6743".

**A** t|strong="H3068" those|strong="H6213" who|strong="H3068"  
execute|strong="H6213" evil|strong="H6213" devices|strong="H4209".

8Desist|strong="H7725" from|strong="H2534" anger|strong="H2534",  
abandon|strong="H5800" wrath|strong="H2534":

**b** e|strong="H1961" not|strong="H3808" kindled|strong="H2734"  
to|strong="H2534" anger|strong="H2534" it|strong="H7503"  
leads|strong="H1869" but|strong="H5800" to|strong="H2534"  
evil|strong="H7489":

9for|strong="H3588" evildoers|strong="H7489" will|strong="H3068"  
be|strong="H3068" cut|strong="H3772" off|strong="H3772",

**b** ut|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" land|strong="H0776"  
will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3068" theirs|strong="H1992",  
who|strong="H3068" wait|strong="H6960" on|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

10Yet|strong="H5750" but|strong="H7563" a|strong="H5921"  
little|strong="H4592", and|strong="H4725" the|strong="H5921"  
wicked|strong="H7563" vanish|strong="H3615":

**l** ook|strong="H7200" at|strong="H5921" their|strong="H5921"  
place|strong="H4725": they|strong="H5921" are|strong="H7563"  
there|strong="H8033" no|strong="H7563" more|strong="H5750".

11But|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" humble|strong="H6035"  
will|strong="H6035" have|strong="H7965" the|strong="H5921"  
land|strong="H0776",

**a** nd|strong="H7965" the|strong="H5921" rapture of|strong="H7230"  
peace|strong="H7965" in|strong="H5921" abundance|strong="H7230".

12The|strong="H5921" wicked|strong="H7563" plots|strong="H2161"  
against|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" righteous|strong="H6662",

**s** narls like|strong="H5921" a|strong="H5921" wild|strong="H7704"  
animal|strong="H0929";

13the|strong = "H7200" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
laughs|strong = "H7832",

f or|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" sees|strong = "H7200"  
that|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H7200" day|strong = "H3117"  
is|strong = "H3117" coming|strong = "H0935".

14The|strong = "H1870" wicked|strong = "H7563" have|strong = "H7563"  
drawn|strong = "H6605" the|strong = "H1870" sword|strong = "H2719",  
and|strong = "H6041" bent|strong = "H1869" the|strong = "H1870"  
bow|strong = "H7198",

t o|strong = "H1870" fell|strong = "H5307" the|strong = "H1870"  
poor|strong = "H6041", to|strong = "H1870" slay|strong = "H2873"  
those|strong = "H2873" who|strong = "H6041" walk|strong = "H1869"  
uprightly|strong = "H3477";

15but|strong = "H3820" their|strong = "H7665" sword|strong = "H2719"  
will|strong = "H2719" pierce|strong = "H5344" their|strong = "H7665"  
own|strong = "H1961" heart|strong = "H3820",

a nd|strong = "H2719" their|strong = "H7665" bows|strong = "H7198"  
will|strong = "H2719" be|strong = "H3820" broken|strong = "H7665"  
in|strong = "H7665" pieces|strong = "H7665".

16Better|strong = "H2896" is|strong = "H7563" the|strong = "H2896"  
righteous|strong = "H6662" person's|strong = "H3820" little|strong = "H4592"

t han|strong = "H2896" the|strong = "H2896" wealth|strong = "H1995"  
of|strong = "H1995" many|strong = "H7227" wicked|strong = "H7563".

17For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" arms|strong = "H2220"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068" broken|strong = "H7665",

b ut|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
upholds|strong = "H8551" the|strong = "H3588" righteous|strong = "H6662".

18The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
watches|strong = "H3045" over|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
days|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
blameless|strong = "H8549",

**t** heir|strong = "H3068" heritage|strong = "H5159" will|strong = "H3068"  
continue|strong = "H1961" forever|strong = "H5769".

19They|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
be|strong = "H3808" shamed|strong = "H0954" in|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H3117" evil|strong = "H7451" time|strong = "H6256",

**i** n|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117" days|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H3117" famine|strong = "H7459" they|strong = "H3117"  
will|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808" satisfied|strong = "H7646".

20Because|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
wicked|strong = "H7563" will|strong = "H3068" perish|strong = "H3615":

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" foes|strong = "H7796"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
like|strong = "H3615" a|strong = "H3588" brand|strong = "H0181"  
in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" oven|strong = "H8574",

**w** ill|strong = "H3068" vanish|strong = "H3615", like|strong = "H3615"  
smoke|strong = "H6227" they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"  
vanish|strong = "H3615".

21The|strong = "H5414" wicked|strong = "H7563" must|strong = "H3808"  
borrow|strong = "H3867" and|strong = "H6662" cannot|strong = "H3808"  
pay|strong = "H7999" back|strong = "H7999",

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H5414" righteous|strong = "H6662"  
is|strong = "H7563" lavish|strong = "H2107" and|strong = "H6662"  
gives|strong = "H5414".

22For|strong = "H3588" those|strong = "H3588" blest by|strong = "H3588"  
the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* inherit|strong = "H3423"  
the|strong = "H3588" land|strong = "H0776",

**w** hile|strong = "H3588" those|strong = "H3588" whom|strong = "H3588"  
he|strong = "H3588" curses|strong = "H7043" will|strong = "H3588"  
be|strong = "H1288" cut|strong = "H3772" off|strong = "H3772".

23The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
supports|strong = "H3802" the|strong = "H3068" steps|strong = "H4703"

o f|strong="H3068" those|strong="H1992" with|strong="H3068"  
whom|strong="H1397" he|strong="H3068" is|strong="H3068"  
pleased|strong="H2654".

24Though|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" fall|strong="H5307",  
they|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808"  
be|strong="H3808" cast|strong="H5307" headlong|strong="H2904",

f or|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
holds|strong="H5564" their|strong="H3068" hands|strong="H3027".

25Never|strong="H3808", from|strong="H1961" youth|strong="H5288"  
to|strong="H1961" age|strong="H3117",

h ave|strong="H1961" I|strong="H7200" seen|strong="H7200"  
the|strong="H7200" righteous|strong="H6662" forsaken|strong="H5800",

o r|strong="H3808" their|strong="H1245" children|strong="H5288"  
begging|strong="H1245" bread|strong="H3899".

26They|strong="H3117" are|strong="H3117" ever|strong="H3117"  
lavishly lending|strong="H5383",

a nd|strong="H3117" their|strong="H3605" children|strong="H2233"  
are|strong="H3117" fountains|strong="H4599" of|strong="H3117"  
blessing|strong="H1293".

27Turn|strong="H5493" away|strong="H5493" from|strong="H5493"  
evil|strong="H7451" and|strong="H5769" do|strong="H6213"  
good|strong="H2896"

a nd|strong="H5769" you|strong="H6213" will|strong="H6213"  
live|strong="H7931" in|strong="H6213" the|strong="H6213"  
land|strong="H0776" forever|strong="H5769".

28For|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
loves|strong="H0157" justice|strong="H4941",

h e|strong="H3588" does|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"  
forsake|strong="H5800" his|strong="H8104" friends|strong="H7453".

**T** he|strong = "H3588" unrighteous|strong = "H0205" will|strong = "H3068"  
be|strong = "H3808" destroyed|strong = "H3772" forever|strong = "H5769",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" seed|strong = "H2233"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3808" cut|strong = "H3772"  
off|strong = "H3772".

29But|strong = "H6662" the|strong = "H5921" land|strong = "H0776"  
will|strong = "H6662" belong|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" righteous|strong = "H6662",

**t** hey|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H6662" live|strong = "H7931"  
upon|strong = "H5921" it|strong = "H5921" forever|strong = "H5703",

30The|strong = "H1696" mouth|strong = "H6310" of|strong = "H6310"  
the|strong = "H1696" righteous|strong = "H6662" murmurs|strong = "H3885"  
wisdom|strong = "H2451",

**a** nd|strong = "H4941" words|strong = "H6310" of|strong = "H6310"  
justice|strong = "H4941" are|strong = "H6662" on|strong = "H1696"  
their|strong = "H3956" tongues|strong = "H3956".

31The|strong = "H3808" law|strong = "H8451" of|strong = "H8451"  
their|strong = "H3808" God|strong = "H3808" is|strong = "H3820"  
in|strong = "H3808" their|strong = "H3808" heart|strong = "H3820",

**t** heir|strong = "H3808" steps|strong = "H4609" are|strong = "H3808"  
never|strong = "H3808" unsteady|strong = "H4571".

32The|strong = "H1245" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
watches|strong = "H8104" the|strong = "H1245" righteous|strong = "H6662",

**a** nd|strong = "H4191" seeks|strong = "H1245" to|strong = "H4191"  
put|strong = "H4191" them|strong = "H4191" to|strong = "H4191"  
death|strong = "H4191".

33But|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
leaves|strong = "H5800" them|strong = "H3027" not|strong = "H3808"  
in|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068" hand|strong = "H3027":

at|strong="H3068" their|strong="H3068" trial|strong="H4941"  
they|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808"  
be|strong="H3808" held|strong="H2388" guilty|strong="H7561".

34Wait|strong="H6960" on|strong="H1870" the|strong="H7200" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, and|strong="H3068" observe|strong="H8104"  
his|strong="H8104" way|strong="H1870":

he|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" lift|strong="H7311"  
you|strong="H7200" to|strong="H3068" honour|strong="H3519"  
the|strong="H7200" land|strong="H0776" will|strong="H3068"  
be|strong="H3068" yours|strong="H4191",

you|strong="H7200" will|strong="H3068" feast|strong="H2282"  
your|strong="H3068" eyes|strong="H5869" on|strong="H1870"  
the|strong="H7200" doom|strong="H6843" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H7200" wicked|strong="H7563".

35I|strong="H7200" have|strong="H7563" seen|strong="H7200"  
the|strong="H7200" wicked|strong="H7563" exultant|strong="H5947",

lifting|strong="H8641" themselves|strong="H0905"  
like|strong="H7488" a|strong="H7200" cedar|strong="H0730"  
of|strong="H7200" Lebanon|strong="H3844".

36But|strong="H3808" the|strong="H5674" moment|strong="H7281"  
I|strong="H2009" passed|strong="H5674", they|strong="H3808"  
vanished|strong="H5628"!

I|strong="H2009" sought|strong="H1245" for|strong="H1245"  
them|strong="H5674", but|strong="H3808" they|strong="H3808"  
could|strong="H3201" not|strong="H3808" be|strong="H3808"  
found|strong="H4672".

37Preserve|strong="H8104" your|strong="H8104"  
honour|strong="H3519" and|strong="H7200" practise|strong="H6213"  
uprightness|strong="H3477",

for|strong="H3588" such|strong="H2088" a|strong="H3588"  
person|strong="H7200" fares well|strong="H7965" in|strong="H3477"  
the|strong="H7200" end|strong="H7093".

38But transgressors will perish together.

Cut off are the wicked forever.

39The righteous are saved by the Lord,

who in time of distress is their refuge:

40the Lord helps them and rescue them,

from the wicked; he rescues and saves them,

because they take refuge in him.

Psalm 38 – A Confession and Prayer for Deliverance

38Reprove me not, Lord, in your anger,

and chasten me not in your wrath;

2for your arrows have sunk into me,

and your hand lies heavy upon me.

3 In|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H5921" flesh|strong = "H1320"  
is|strong = "H3027" no|strong = "H3808" soundness|strong = "H4974"

**b** ecause|strong = "H3588" of|strong = "H3027" your|strong = "H5921"  
anger|strong = "H0639",

**n** o|strong = "H3808" health|strong = "H4832" in|strong = "H5921"  
my|strong = "H5921" bones|strong = "H6106",

**b** ecause|strong = "H3588" of|strong = "H3027" my|strong = "H5921"  
sin|strong = "H2403".

4 For|strong = "H6440" that|strong = "H1320" my|strong = "H6440"  
guilt|strong = "H0817"

**i** s|strong = "H1320" gone|strong = "H1980" over|strong = "H6440"  
my|strong = "H6440" head|strong = "H6440":

**i** t|strong = "H6440" weighs|strong = "H8505" like|strong = "H2403"  
a|strong = "H6440" burden|strong = "H4853"

**t** oo|strong = "H4480" heavy|strong = "H3513" for|strong = "H6440"  
me|strong = "H6440".

5 My|strong = "H3588" wounds|strong = "H4347" stink|strong = "H0887"  
and|strong = "H7218" fester|strong = "H4743",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H3588" foolishness|strong = "H0200"  
I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961" tormented|strong = "H1204".

6 Bent|strong = "H1869" and|strong = "H6440" bowed|strong = "H7812"  
am|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H6440" utterly|strong = "H2763",

**a** ll|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" day|strong = "H3117"  
going|strong = "H1980" in|strong = "H6440" mourning|strong = "H0060".

7 My|strong = "H3605" loins|strong = "H4975" are|strong = "H3117"  
filled|strong = "H4390" with|strong = "H1980" burning|strong = "H1980",

**a** nd|strong = "H1980" in|strong = "H1980" my|strong = "H3605"  
flesh|strong = "H1320" is|strong = "H3117" no|strong = "H3605"  
soundness|strong = "H4974".



8I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961" utterly|strong = "H2763"  
crushed|strong = "H7533" and|strong = "H1320" numb;

I |strong = "H3588" cry|strong = "H7121" louder|strong = "H3966"  
than|strong = "H3588" lion|strong = "H0738" roars|strong = "H7580".

9w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, you|strong = "H5704"  
know|strong = "H3045" all|strong = "H5704" that|strong = "H5704"  
I|strong = "H5704" long|strong = "H5704" for|strong = "H5704",

m y|strong = "H5704" groans|strong = "H0584" are|strong = "H3820"  
not|strong = "H5704" hidden|strong = "H5641" from|strong = "H5704"  
you|strong = "H5704".

10My|strong = "H3605" heart|strong = "H3820" is|strong = "H3605"  
throbbing,

m y|strong = "H3605" strength|strong = "H5797" has|strong = "H3605"  
failed|strong = "H3808" me|strong = "H4480".

T he|strong = "H3605" light|strong = "H0216" of|strong = "H4480"  
my|strong = "H3605" eyes|strong = "H5869" –

e ven|strong = "H3808" it|strong = "H3808" is|strong = "H3605"  
gone|strong = "H4480" from|strong = "H4480" me|strong = "H4480".

11My|strong = "H5800" dear|strong = "H3357" ones|strong = "H1992"  
and|strong = "H5869" friends|strong = "H7453" keep|strong = "H8104"  
aloof|strong = "H4480",

a nd|strong = "H5869" my|strong = "H5800" neighbours|strong = "H7934"  
stand|strong = "H5869" afar|strong = "H5869" off|strong = "H5800".

12They|strong = "H5975" who|strong = "H7350" aim|strong = "H1245"  
at|strong = "H5975" my|strong = "H5048" life|strong = "H5315"  
lay|strong = "H7901" their|strong = "H5975" snares|strong = "H4170",

t hey|strong = "H5975" who|strong = "H7350" seek|strong = "H1245"  
my|strong = "H5048" hurt|strong = "H7451" speak|strong = "H1696"  
of|strong = "H5061" ruin|strong = "H2723",

**n** ursing|strong = "H3243" treachery|strong = "H4820" all|strong = "H3605"  
the|strong = "H5975" day|strong = "H3117" long|strong = "H7350".

13But|strong = "H1696" I|strong = "H3117" turn|strong = "H7725"  
a|strong = "H1696" deaf|strong = "H2795" ear|strong = "H0241"  
and|strong = "H3117" hear|strong = "H8085" not|strong = "H1696";

**I** ke|strong = "H1897" the|strong = "H3605" dumb|strong = "H0481"  
I|strong = "H3117" open|strong = "H6605" not|strong = "H1696"  
my|strong = "H3605" mouth|strong = "H5315".

14I|strong = "H8085" am|strong = "H1961" like|strong = "H3808"  
one|strong = "H3808" without|strong = "H3808" hearing|strong = "H8085",

**w** ith|strong = "H6310" no|strong = "H3808" arguments|strong = "H8433"  
in|strong = "H8085" my|strong = "H8085" mouth|strong = "H6310".

15For|strong = "H3808" my|strong = "H8085" hope|strong = "H3176",  
O|strong = "H8085" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, is|strong = "H1961"  
in|strong = "H8085" you|strong = "H3808".

**Y** ou|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H1961" answer|strong = "H6030",  
O|strong = "H8085" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* my|strong = "H8085"  
God|strong = "H3808",

16when|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" utter|strong = "H6030"  
the|strong = "H3588" hope|strong = "H3176" that|strong = "H3588"  
those|strong = "H3588"

**w** ho|strong = "H3068" made|strong = "H3068" scorn|strong = "H2781"  
of|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" tottering|strong = "H1760"  
feet|strong = "H7272"

**m** ay|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3588" rejoice|strong = "H8055"  
over|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H6030".

17For|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961"  
ready|strong = "H4131" to|strong = "H5921" fall|strong = "H4131",

**m** y|strong = "H5921" pain|strong = "H4341" forsakes|strong = "H5800"  
me|strong = "H5921" never|strong = "H6435".

18I|strong = "H3588" acknowledge|strong = "H3045" my|strong = "H3588"  
guilt|strong = "H0817",

I |strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961" anxious|strong = "H1672"  
because|strong = "H3588" of|strong = "H5048" my|strong = "H3588"  
sin|strong = "H2403":

19My|strong = "H5046" wanton|strong = "H8265"  
assailants|strong = "H6965" are|strong = "H2403" strong|strong = "H2388",

t hose|strong = "H3588" who|strong = "H3588"  
wrongfully|strong = "H8267" hate|strong = "H8130" me|strong = "H5046"  
are|strong = "H2403" many|strong = "H7227",

20who|strong = "H2416" render|strong = "H7725" me|strong = "H8130"  
evil|strong = "H7451" for|strong = "H2416" good|strong = "H2896",

a nd|strong = "H2416" oppose|strong = "H7853" me|strong = "H8130",  
because|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H0589" make|strong = "H6213"  
good|strong = "H2896" my|strong = "H8267" goal|strong = "H7093".

21Do|strong = "H7999" not|strong = "H7451" forsake|strong = "H5800"  
me|strong = "H7291", O|strong = "H3069" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*;

m y|strong = "H8478" God|strong = "H7999", be|strong = "H7451"  
not|strong = "H7451" far|strong = "H5704" from|strong = "H8478"  
me|strong = "H7291".

22Hasten|strong = "H2363" to|strong = "H3068" help|strong = "H5800"  
me|strong = "H4480",

O |strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* my|strong = "H3068"  
saviour|strong = "H3467".

Psalm 39 – The Pathos of Life

39I|strong = "H0589" vowed|strong = "H5087" to|strong = "H1732"  
watch|strong = "H8104" my|strong = "H1732" words|strong = "H1697",

a nd|strong = "H1732" sin|strong = "H2403" not|strong = "H1732"  
with|strong = "H1732" my|strong = "H1732" tongue|strong = "H3956",

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H1732" put|strong = "H5414"  
on|strong = "H5329" my|strong = "H1732" mouth|strong = "H6310"  
a|strong = "H1732" muzzle|strong = "H2629",

**w** hile|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H1732" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
were|strong = "H1732" in|strong = "H1732" my|strong = "H1732"  
presence|strong = "H6440".

2I|strong = "H5704" was|strong = "H6310" silent|strong = "H6310"  
and|strong = "H1870" dumb|strong = "H0481",

**s** peechless|strong = "H0481":

**b** ut|strong = "H7563" my|strong = "H8104" pain|strong = "H4341"  
was|strong = "H6310" stirred|strong = "H5782" up|strong = "H5704".

3My|strong = "H8104" heart|strong = "H3820" grew|strong = "H5916"  
hot|strong = "H2552" within|strong = "H7130" me|strong = "H0413";

**a** s|strong = "H0834" I|strong = "H0589" mused, the|strong = "H2896"  
fire|strong = "H0784" was|strong = "H3511" kindled|strong = "H2734",

**t** ill|strong = "H5705" at|strong = "H2896" last|strong = "H0314"  
the|strong = "H2896" words|strong = "H2896" came|strong = "H0935"  
to|strong = "H2896" my|strong = "H8104" tongue|strong = "H3956".

4Teach|strong = "H3925" me|strong = "H1696", O|strong = "H3069" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, my|strong = "H1696" end|strong = "H7093",

**a** nd|strong = "H3820" the|strong = "H1696" sum|strong = "H7218"  
of|strong = "H3820" my|strong = "H1696" days|strong = "H3117"  
what|strong = "H1696" it|strong = "H1696" is|strong = "H3820".

**L** et|strong = "H7971" me|strong = "H1696" know|strong = "H3045"  
how|strong = "H4100" transient|strong = "H2310" I|strong = "H3820"  
am|strong = "H1961".

5See|strong = "H3045"! My|strong = "H3068" days|strong = "H3117"  
you|strong = "H3117" have|strong = "H3068" made|strong = "H3045"  
but|strong = "H1931" a|strong = "H3117" span|strong = "H2239",

and my life  
is as nothing  
before you.

It is but  
as a breath  
that everyone stands:  
w Selah w\*

But is but  
in mere semblance we  
walk to and  
from,

and all our  
noise is for  
nothing.

We heap up,  
and know not  
who will gather.

7 And now, what  
wait I for, w  
Lord w\*?

My hope is  
in you.

8 From all my  
transgressions deliver  
me;

make me not  
the scorn of  
the fool.

9 I am dumb,  
never opening my  
mouth,

for this is  
your own doing.

10 Remove your  
stroke from  
me:

**b** y the  
of your hand  
I am spent:

11 When you rebuke  
someone to punish  
their sins,

**y** ou consume, like  
a moth, what  
they treasures.

**E** veryone is only  
a breath. w Selah w\*

12 Hear my prayer,  
O w Lord w\*;

**a** ttend to my  
cry for help.

**H** old not your  
peace at my  
tears.

**F** or I am  
but a guest  
of yours,

**a** stranger visiting,  
like all my  
ancestors.

13 Look away from  
me, let me  
smile again,

**b** efore|strong="H5973" I|strong="H3588" die|strong="H4191"  
and|strong="H3068" am|strong="H3068" gone|strong="H3068".

Psalm 40 – Thanksgiving and Petition

40For|strong="H1732" the|strong="H1732" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
I|strong="H0589" waited|strong="H3176" and|strong="H1732"  
waited|strong="H3176",

**t** ill|strong="H5705", inclining to|strong="H1732" me|strong="H0413",

**h** e|strong="H1732" heard|strong="H8085" my|strong="H1732"  
cry|strong="H7121".

2From|strong="H8085" the|strong="H8085" horrible|strong="H8186"  
pit|strong="H0953" he|strong="H3068" drew|strong="H8025"  
me|strong="H8085",

**u** p|strong="H5927" out|strong="H5186" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H8085" miry|strong="H3121" clay|strong="H2635";

**h** e|strong="H3068" set|strong="H7760" my|strong="H8085"  
feet|strong="H7272" on|strong="H3068" a|strong="H8085"  
rock|strong="H6697",

**a** nd|strong="H3068" my|strong="H8085" steps|strong="H4609"  
he|strong="H3068" made|strong="H3068" firm|strong="H3559".

3He|strong="H5921" put|strong="H5927" a|strong="H5927"  
new|strong="H2319" song|strong="H7892" in|strong="H5921"  
my|strong="H5921" mouth|strong="H6310",

**o** f|strong="H5921" praise|strong="H1984" to|strong="H5927"  
our|strong="H5921" God|strong="H0430".

**M** any|strong="H7227" see|strong="H7200" it|strong="H5921",  
and|strong="H6965", filled|strong="H4390" with|strong="H5921"  
awe|strong="H1481",

**p** ut|strong="H5927" their|strong="H5921" trust|strong="H0982"  
in|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

4Happy|strong = "H0835" the|strong = "H7200" person|strong = "H7227"  
 who|strong = "H3068" has|strong = "H3068" put|strong = "H5414"

i n|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H7200" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 their|strong = "H3068" trust|strong = "H0982",

n ot|strong = "H5414" looking|strong = "H7200" to|strong = "H3068"  
 false|strong = "H8267" gods|strong = "H0430"

o r|strong = "H7200" turning|strong = "H5437" to|strong = "H3068"  
 idols|strong = "H6310".

5With|strong = "H3068" us|strong = "H7760" you|strong = "H7760"  
 have|strong = "H3068" wrought|strong = "H7760" in|strong = "H3068"  
 rich|strong = "H6223" measure|strong = "H4058",

O |strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* our|strong = "H3068"  
 God|strong = "H3068",

y our|strong = "H3068" marvels|strong = "H4159" and|strong = "H3068"  
 purposes|strong = "H4284" for|strong = "H3068" us|strong = "H7760" –

n one|strong = "H3808" may|strong = "H3068" compare|strong = "H1819"  
 with|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H7760" –

w ere|strong = "H4009" I|strong = "H7760" to|strong = "H3068"  
 declare|strong = "H5046" or|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H3068"  
 tell|strong = "H5046" them|strong = "H7760",

p ast|strong = "H5674" counting|strong = "H4557" are|strong = "H3068"  
 they|strong = "H3068".

6In|strong = "H3068" offerings|strong = "H3068" bloody|strong = "H1818"  
 or|strong = "H3068" bloodless

y ou|strong = "H6213" have|strong = "H3068" no|strong = "H6213"  
 delight|strong = "H2654",

b ut|strong = "H1696" with|strong = "H3068" open|strong = "H6605"  
 ears|strong = "H0241" you|strong = "H6213" have|strong = "H3068"  
 made|strong = "H6213" me|strong = "H5046".



**B** urnt-offering and offering for sin

**a** re you not what you ask.

7Then I said I, 'Here I am,

**a** s the roll of the book has enjoined.

8My delight, O God, is to do your will,

**a** nd your law is within my heart.'

9Well, O w Lord, you know

**t** hat, with lips unrestrained,

**y** our righteousness I told

**i** n the great congregation,

10not hiding it in my heart.

**I** have told your steadfast help,

**f** rom|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" great|strong = "H7227"  
 congregation|strong = "H6951" I|strong = "H2009" hid|strong = "H5641"  
 not|strong = "H3808"

**y** our|strong = "H3068" love|strong = "H0157" and|strong = "H3068"  
 your|strong = "H3068" faithfulness|strong = "H0530".

11So|strong = "H3808" do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808"  
 restrain|strong = "H3607", w Lord|strong = "H2617" w\*,

**y** our|strong = "H3808" pity|strong = "H2617" from|strong = "H3820"  
 us|strong = "H6666".

**Y** our|strong = "H3808" love|strong = "H2617" and|strong = "H2617"  
 your|strong = "H3808" faithfulness|strong = "H2617" – ever|strong = "H3808"

**m** ay|strong = "H3820" they|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808"  
 our|strong = "H8432" shield|strong = "H4043".

12For|strong = "H3068" evils|strong = "H7451" that|strong = "H3068"  
 cannot|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808" numbered|strong = "H6485"

**h** ave|strong = "H3068" compassed|strong = "H5437" me|strong = "H4480"  
 round|strong = "H5439".

**M** y|strong = "H3068" transgressions|strong = "H6588"  
 have|strong = "H3068" followed|strong = "H0310" me|strong = "H4480"  
 up|strong = "H3607" –

**I** |strong = "H3808" can|strong = "H3808" bear|strong = "H5375"  
 it|strong = "H5341" no|strong = "H3808" more|strong = "H4480".

**T** hey|strong = "H3068" are|strong = "H3068" more|strong = "H4480"  
 than|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H3068" hairs|strong = "H7872"  
 of|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" head|strong = "H7218",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" heart|strong = "H3820"  
 has|strong = "H3068" forsaken|strong = "H5800" me|strong = "H4480".

13O|strong = "H3069" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, be|strong = "H3808"  
pleased|strong = "H3190" to|strong = "H5704" deliver|strong = "H5337"  
me|strong = "H7200",

**h** aste|strong = "H4116" to|strong = "H5704" my|strong = "H7200"  
help|strong = "H5800", O|strong = "H3069" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

14May|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H3068"  
are|strong = "H3068" seeking|strong = "H1245" my|strong = "H3068"  
life|strong = "H5315"

**b** e|strong = "H3068" ashamed|strong = "H0954" and|strong = "H3068"  
confounded|strong = "H0954" together|strong = "H3162";

**m** ay|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H3068"  
delight|strong = "H7521" in|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068"  
hurt|strong = "H7451"

**b** e|strong = "H3068" defeated|strong = "H5221" and|strong = "H3068"  
brought|strong = "H3068" to|strong = "H3068" dishonour|strong = "H3639".

15May|strong = "H5315" those|strong = "H5315" who|strong = "H5315"  
hurrah over|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5315"

**b** e|strong = "H5315" dumbfounded|strong = "H2717"  
because|strong = "H3588" of|strong = "H5315" their|strong = "H1245"  
shame|strong = "H3637".

16But|strong = "H5921" may|strong = "H1961" all|strong = "H5921"  
who|strong = "H0834" seek|strong = "H1245" after|strong = "H5921"  
you|strong = "H5921"

**r** ejoice|strong = "H8055" and|strong = "H8074" be|strong = "H1961"  
glad|strong = "H8055" in|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H5921".

**M** ay|strong = "H1961" all|strong = "H5921" those|strong = "H5921"  
eager|strong = "H1245" for|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921" aid,

**s** ay|strong = "H0559", 'Great|strong = "H1419" is|strong = "H8074"  
the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
evermore|strong = "H5769".

17I|strong="H3068" am|strong="H3068" weak|strong="H3605"  
and|strong="H3068" needy|strong="H0034",

y et|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
cares|strong="H1875" for|strong="H3068" me|strong="H1245".

Y ou|strong="H3605" are|strong="H3068" my|strong="H3605"  
help|strong="H8668" and|strong="H3068" deliverer|strong="H6403";

d on't|strong="H0408" delay|strong="H0309", my|strong="H3605"  
God|strong="H3068".

Psalm 41 – A Prayer for Healing and Vindication

41Happy|strong="H0835" are|strong="H3117" those|strong="H1992"  
who|strong="H0834" consider|strong="H7200" the|strong="H1732"  
weak|strong="H2470";

i n|strong="H1732" the|strong="H1732" day|strong="H3117"  
of|strong="H4210" misfortune|strong="H7463" the|strong="H1732" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* will|strong="H3068" deliver|strong="H5337"  
them|strong="H5414".

2He|strong="H3117" will|strong="H3068" keep|strong="H8104"  
them|strong="H3117" safe|strong="H7965", happy|strong="H0835",  
and|strong="H3068" long|strong="H3117" in|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" land|strong="H0776",

a nd|strong="H3068" not|strong="H7451" give|strong="H7919"  
them|strong="H3117" up|strong="H5927" to|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" rage|strong="H2534" of|strong="H3068"  
their|strong="H3068" foes|strong="H7796".

3The|strong="H5414" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* will|strong="H3068"  
sustain|strong="H3557" them|strong="H5414" on|strong="H3068"  
bed|strong="H4904" of|strong="H3068" languishing|strong="H0535";

t ending|strong="H7462" their|strong="H3068"  
sickness|strong="H2483", as|strong="H5315" long|strong="H5315"  
as|strong="H5315" they|strong="H3068" lie|strong="H5414".

4For|strong = "H5921" this|strong = "H3068" cause|strong = "H2600"  
I|strong = "H5921" say|strong = "H0559", 'w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
show|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H3068"  
favour|strong = "H2580";

h eal|strong = "H2015" me|strong = "H5921", because|strong = "H5921"  
I|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H3068" sinned|strong = "H2398"  
against|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H3605".'

5My|strong = "H3068" enemies|strong = "H0341" speak|strong = "H1696"  
of|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H5315" nothing|strong = "H3808"  
but|strong = "H3588" evil|strong = "H7451",

' When|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H3588"  
die|strong = "H4191", and|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068"  
name|strong = "H8034" pass|strong = "H5674" away|strong = "H5493"?'

6When|strong = "H4970" one|strong = "H8034" comes|strong = "H0935"  
to|strong = "H4191" see|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H4191",  
their|strong = "H4191" words|strong = "H1697" ring|strong = "H2885"  
hollow|strong = "H5014";

t heir|strong = "H4191" heart|strong = "H3820" keeps|strong = "H8104"  
gathering|strong = "H4723" mischief|strong = "H7451" the|strong = "H4191"  
while|strong = "H5704";

a nd|strong = "H4191" when|strong = "H4970" they|strong = "H7451"  
go|strong = "H1980" out|strong = "H7451", they|strong = "H7451"  
give|strong = "H5414" it|strong = "H8034" speech|strong = "H8193".

7In|strong = "H1696" secret|strong = "H5643" they|strong = "H7200"  
whisper|strong = "H6850" together|strong = "H6908"  
against|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H7200",

a ll|strong = "H7200" those|strong = "H3318" who|strong = "H7723"  
hate|strong = "H8130" me|strong = "H7200" plot|strong = "H2513"  
evil|strong = "H7451" against|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H7200".

8'Some|strong = "H3605" fatal disease|strong = "H2483"  
has|strong = "H3605" fastened|strong = "H8628" upon|strong = "H5921"  
him|strong = "H5921";

and now that he lies, he will rise up no more.

9 My most trusted friend, on whom I relied,

who ate of my bread, has turned against me.

10 But you, Lord, graciously raise me up,

that I may pay them their due reward.

11 By this will I know you delight in me:

if my foes may not shout over me in triumph.

12 For my innocence you uphold me,

and set me forever before your face.

13 Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel,

from everlasting to everlasting,

Amen and Amen.  
Book Two  
Psalm 42 – Yearning for God

42 Like the hart which longs

for brooks of water,

I long

for you, God.

I thirst for God,

for my living God.

When shall I enter in,

and see the face of God?

3 My tears have been my food

by day and night;

for they say to me all the day long,

‘Where is your God?’

4 My heart floods with sorrow,

a s|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117" call|strong = "H7121"  
to|strong = "H1961" mind|strong = "H3820":

h ow|strong = "H4100" I|strong = "H3117" used|strong = "H1961"  
to|strong = "H1961" pass|strong = "H1961" on|strong = "H3117"  
with|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" thron|strong = "H1980",

a t|strong = "H3117" their|strong = "H3605" head|strong = "H7218",  
to|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H3605" house|strong = "H1004"  
of|strong = "H3117" God|strong = "H0430",

w ith|strong = "H3117" glad|strong = "H8055" shouts|strong = "H7440"  
and|strong = "H3117" giving|strong = "H5414" of|strong = "H3117"  
thanks|strong = "H3034",

i n|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" thron|strong = "H1980"  
who|strong = "H3605" kept|strong = "H1961" festival|strong = "H2282".

5Why|strong = "H5921" am|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H3588"  
downcast?

W hy|strong = "H5921" this|strong = "H5674" moaning|strong = "H0592"  
within|strong = "H1004" me|strong = "H5315"?

H ope|strong = "H3176" in|strong = "H5921" God|strong = "H0430";

f or|strong = "H3588" yet|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5315"  
I|strong = "H3588" praise|strong = "H8426" him|strong = "H5921",

m y|strong = "H5921" help|strong = "H5826", my|strong = "H5921"  
God|strong = "H0430".

6I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961" sunk|strong = "H2883"  
in|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H5921" misery|strong = "H5999";

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5315" therefore|strong = "H5921"  
call|strong = "H7121" you|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H5921"  
mind|strong = "H5315"

f rom|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" land|strong = "H6440"  
of|strong = "H6440" Jordan|strong = "H3383" and|strong = "H6440"  
Hermon|strong = "H2768",



t he|strong="H6440" mountain|strong="H2022" Mizar|strong="H4706".

7Flood|strong="H3999" is|strong="H5315" calling|strong="H7121"  
to|strong="H5921" flood|strong="H3999"

a t|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" noise|strong="H6963"  
of|strong="H2022" your|strong="H5921" cataracts;

a ll|strong="H5921" your|strong="H5921" waves|strong="H1530"  
and|strong="H2022" your|strong="H5921" breakers|strong="H4867"

h ave|strong="H2022" passed|strong="H5674" over|strong="H5921"  
me|strong="H5315".

8In|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605" day|strong="H3117"  
I|strong="H5921" cry|strong="H7121" to|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*

t o|strong="H5921" summon|strong="H7121" his|strong="H3605"  
kindness|strong="H2617";

a nd|strong="H6963" the|strong="H3605" song|strong="H7892"  
that|strong="H3605" I|strong="H5921" sing|strong="H7891"  
in|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605" night|strong="H3915"

i s|strong="H3605" a|strong="H7121" prayer|strong="H8605"  
to|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605" living|strong="H3605"  
God|strong="H0430".

9I|strong="H6680" say|strong="H0559" to|strong="H3068"  
God|strong="H3068" my|strong="H3068" rock|strong="H6697",

‘ Why|strong="H4100" have|strong="H3068" you|strong="H6680"  
forgotten|strong="H7911" me|strong="H5973"?’

W hy|strong="H4100" must|strong="H4191" I|strong="H6680"  
walk|strong="H1980" so|strong="H6680" sadly|strong="H1897",

s o|strong="H6680" hard|strong="H7186" pressed|strong="H6555"  
by|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" foe|strong="H6862"?’

10It pierces me to the heart

to hear the enemy's taunts,

as all the day long they say to me,

'Where is your God?'

11Why am I downcast?

Why is this moaning within me?

Hope in God;

for yet will I praise him,

my help, my God.  
Psalm 43 – Plea for Help

43Right me, defend my cause

against a pitiless people.

From the crafty and crooked,

Oh God, deliver me.

2For you are my protector:

Why have you cast me off?

Why must I walk so sadly,

so hard pressed the foe?

Send forth your light and your truth,

let them be my guides:

to your holy hill let them bring me,

to the place where you live.

Then will I go to God's altar,

to God my rejoicing;

and with joy on I will praise you,

O God, my God.

Why am I downcast?

W hy|strong = "H4100" this|strong = "H3588" moaning|strong = "H0592"  
within|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H6440"?

H ope|strong = "H3176" in|strong = "H5921" God|strong = "H0430";

f or|strong = "H3588" yet|strong = "H5750" will|strong = "H5315"  
I|strong = "H3588" praise|strong = "H3034" him|strong = "H6440",

m y|strong = "H5921" help|strong = "H3444", my|strong = "H5921"  
God|strong = "H0430".

Psalm 44 – A Lament in Defeat

44O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H0430", we|strong = "H0587"  
have|strong = "H1121" heard|strong = "H8085" with|strong = "H1121"  
our|strong = "H3068" ears|strong = "H0241",

a ll|strong = "H3605" our|strong = "H3068" ancestors|strong = "H0001"  
have|strong = "H1121" told|strong = "H5046" us|strong = "H5414"

o f|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H1121" work|strong = "H4399"  
that|strong = "H1121" you|strong = "H0859" wrought|strong = "H6213"  
in|strong = "H1121" their|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117",

y our|strong = "H1121" wonders|strong = "H4159" in|strong = "H1121"  
days|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H1121" old|strong = "H1121",

2uprooting and|strong = "H3117" crushing|strong = "H7533"  
the|strong = "H8085" nations|strong = "H1471",

t hen|strong = "H8085" planting|strong = "H4302" and|strong = "H3117"  
settling|strong = "H2583" them|strong = "H8085".

F or|strong = "H3117" it|strong = "H3117" wasn't their|strong = "H8085"  
own|strong = "H1961" sword|strong = "H2719" that|strong = "H3117"  
won|strong = "H1589" them|strong = "H8085" the|strong = "H8085"  
land|strong = "H0776",

3it|strong = "H3423" was|strong = "H3027" not|strong = "H1471"  
their|strong = "H3423" own|strong = "H3027" arm|strong = "H3027"  
that|strong = "H1471" brought|strong = "H7489" them|strong = "H7971"  
the|strong = "H3423" victory|strong = "H8668".

**Y**ours|strong="H4191" was|strong="H3027" the|strong="H3423"  
hand|strong="H3027" and|strong="H7971" the|strong="H3423"  
arm|strong="H3027",

**y**ours|strong="H4191" was|strong="H3027" the|strong="H3423"  
face|strong="H6440" that|strong="H1471" shone|strong="H7160"  
on|strong="H3027" them|strong="H7971" with|strong="H3027"  
favour|strong="H2580".

4It|strong="H3588" was|strong="H6440" you|strong="H3588",  
my|strong="H3588" king|strong="H6440" and|strong="H6440"  
my|strong="H3588" God|strong="H3808",

**t**hat|strong="H3588" ordained|strong="H4390" the|strong="H6440"  
victories|strong="H3444" of|strong="H6440" Jacob|strong="H3290".

5Through|strong="H3027" you|strong="H6680" we|strong="H0587"  
can|strong="H4310" thrust|strong="H1920" back|strong="H7725"  
our|strong="H6680" foes|strong="H7796",

**a**nd|strong="H4428" by|strong="H4428" your|strong="H6680"  
name|strong="H8034" tread|strong="H1869" down|strong="H6680"  
our|strong="H6680" assailants|strong="H6965":

6for|strong="H8034" not|strong="H6965" in|strong="H8034"  
my|strong="H6965" bow|strong="H7198" do|strong="H6213"  
I|strong="H6862" trust|strong="H0982",

**n**or|strong="H8034" can|strong="H4310" my|strong="H6965"  
sword|strong="H2719" win|strong="H6743" me|strong="H6965"  
the|strong="H6965" victory|strong="H8668".

7Our|strong="H3588" victory|strong="H3467" comes|strong="H0935"  
from|strong="H2719" you|strong="H3588",

**a**nd|strong="H2719" confusion|strong="H1322" to|strong="H3808"  
those|strong="H3467" who|strong="H3588" hate|strong="H8130"  
us|strong="H3588".

8In|strong="H3588" God|strong="H0430" we|strong="H3588"  
boast|strong="H1984" all|strong="H8130" the|strong="H3588"  
day|strong="H3117" long|strong="H0753",

**a** nd|strong = "H6862" your|strong = "H3588" name|strong = "H8034"  
will|strong = "H3467" we|strong = "H3588" praise|strong = "H3588"  
forever|strong = "H5769". w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

9Yet|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H3605" have|strong = "H3117"  
spurned|strong = "H5006" and|strong = "H3117" disgraced|strong = "H0954"  
us|strong = "H3117",

**i** n|strong = "H3117" not|strong = "H3808" going|strong = "H1984"  
forth|strong = "H1984" with|strong = "H3117" our|strong = "H3605"  
armies|strong = "H6635",

10and|strong = "H3318" in|strong = "H6635" making|strong = "H6213"  
us|strong = "H2186" flee|strong = "H3318" from|strong = "H3318"  
the|strong = "H3318" foe|strong = "H6862",

**s** o|strong = "H3808" that|strong = "H3808" those|strong = "H3318"  
who|strong = "H6635" hated|strong = "H8130" us|strong = "H2186"  
plundered|strong = "H0962" us|strong = "H2186".

11You|strong = "H7725" have|strong = "H6862" let|strong = "H7725"  
us|strong = "H7725" be|strong = "H7725" eaten|strong = "H0398"  
like|strong = "H7725" sheep|strong = "H4480",

**y** ou|strong = "H7725" have|strong = "H6862" scattered|strong = "H6327"  
us|strong = "H7725" over|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H4480"  
world|strong = "H8398",

12sold|strong = "H4376" your|strong = "H5414" people|strong = "H1471"  
for|strong = "H5414" a|strong = "H5414" pittance,

**a** nd|strong = "H6629" getting|strong = "H7075" no|strong = "H5414"  
gain|strong = "H1215" from|strong = "H1471" their|strong = "H5414"  
price|strong = "H4242".

13You|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H5971" made|strong = "H7235"  
us|strong = "H5971" the|strong = "H3808" butt|strong = "H0310"  
of|strong = "H5971" our|strong = "H5971" neighbours|strong = "H7934",

**t** he|strong = "H3808" derision|strong = "H3933" and|strong = "H5971"  
scorn|strong = "H2781" of|strong = "H5971" all|strong = "H4376"  
round|strong = "H5971" us|strong = "H5971".

14O'er the|strong = "H7760" world|strong = "H8398" you|strong = "H7760"  
 have|strong = "H1961" made|strong = "H7760" us|strong = "H5439"  
 a|strong = "H7760" byword|strong = "H8148",

t he|strong = "H7760" nations|strong = "H1471" at|strong = "H2781"  
 us|strong = "H5439" shake|strong = "H7493" their|strong = "H7760"  
 heads|strong = "H7218".

15My|strong = "H7760" disgrace|strong = "H3639" is|strong = "H7218"  
 forever|strong = "H5769" before|strong = "H6440" me|strong = "H7760",

m y|strong = "H7760" face|strong = "H6440" is|strong = "H7218"  
 covered|strong = "H3680" with|strong = "H7218" shame|strong = "H0954",

16at|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" words|strong = "H1697"  
 of|strong = "H3117" blasphemer and|strong = "H3117"  
 scoffer|strong = "H3917",

a t|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" sight|strong = "H6440"  
 of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" foe|strong = "H6862"  
 and|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" vengeful.

17All|strong = "H6440" this|strong = "H6440" has|strong = "H3068"  
 come|strong = "H0935" upon|strong = "H6440" us|strong = "H6440",

y et|strong = "H5750" we|strong = "H0587" have|strong = "H1961"  
 not|strong = "H6440" forgotten|strong = "H7911" you|strong = "H6440"

n or|strong = "H3808" falsely|strong = "H8267" dealt|strong = "H6213"  
 with|strong = "H6440" your|strong = "H6440" covenant|strong = "H1285".

18Our|strong = "H3605" heart|strong = "H3820" has|strong = "H3605"  
 not|strong = "H3808" turned|strong = "H2015" back|strong = "H7725",

n or|strong = "H3808" our|strong = "H3605" steps|strong = "H4609"  
 declined|strong = "H5186" from|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605"  
 way|strong = "H2063",

19that|strong = "H4480" you|strong = "H3808" thus|strong = "H3808"  
 should|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3808" crushed|strong = "H7533"  
 us|strong = "H4480" down|strong = "H5186",

**a** nd|strong = "H3820" covered|strong = "H3680" us|strong = "H4480" over|strong = "H4480" with|strong = "H3820" gloom|strong = "H0653",

**i** n|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H4480" place|strong = "H4725" where|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H4480" jackals|strong = "H8565" roam|strong = "H5128".

20Had|strong = "H3588" we|strong = "H3588" forgotten|strong = "H7911" the|strong = "H5921" name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H5921" our|strong = "H5921" God|strong = "H0430",

**o** r|strong = "H3588" stretched|strong = "H5186" out|strong = "H5921" our|strong = "H5921" hands|strong = "H3027" to|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H3588" god|strong = "H0430" that|strong = "H3588" was|strong = "H4725" strange|strong = "H2114",

21would|strong = "H8034" God|strong = "H0430" not|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H2114" searched|strong = "H1245" this|strong = "H2088" out|strong = "H6566"?

**F** or|strong = "H8034" he|strong = "H8034" knows|strong = "H3045" the|strong = "H7911" heart|strong = "H3820" and|strong = "H3709" its|strong = "H3605" secrets|strong = "H5475".

22But|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H3808" your|strong = "H3045" cause|strong = "H2600" it|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931" we|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H3045" killed|strong = "H2026" all|strong = "H3045" the|strong = "H3588" day|strong = "H3117",

**a** nd|strong = "H3045" counted|strong = "H2803" as|strong = "H3588" sheep|strong = "H6629" for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" slaughter|strong = "H4347".

23Rouse|strong = "H5782" yourself|strong = "H5921",  
why|strong = "H5921" do|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H3588" sleep|strong = "H8142" Lord|strong = "H3068"?

**A** wake|strong = "H5782", cast|strong = "H7993" us|strong = "H5921" not|strong = "H3588" off|strong = "H5921" forever|strong = "H3605".

24Why|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H4100" you|strong = "H4100" hide|strong = "H5641" your|strong = "H4100" face|strong = "H6440",



f orgetting|strong = "H7911" our|strong = "H3068" stress|strong = "H3708"  
and|strong = "H3462" our|strong = "H3068" misery|strong = "H5999"?

25For|strong = "H6440" we|strong = "H0587" have|strong = "H6040"  
sunk|strong = "H2883" down|strong = "H6440" to|strong = "H6440"  
the|strong = "H6440" dust|strong = "H6083",

o ur|strong = "H6440" bodies|strong = "H6297" cling|strong = "H1692"  
to|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" ground|strong = "H6440".

26Arise|strong = "H6965", come|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H5315"  
our|strong = "H3588" help|strong = "H5826":

f or|strong = "H3588" your|strong = "H3588" love's sake|strong = "H4616",  
ransom|strong = "H3724" us|strong = "H3588".  
Psalm 45 – Song for the Marriage of a King

45My|strong = "H5921" heart|strong = "H3820" is|strong = "H1121" astir  
with|strong = "H5921" beautiful|strong = "H3303" words|strong = "H1697":

I |strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H1121" sing|strong = "H7892"  
a|strong = "H5921" song|strong = "H7892", concerning|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" king|strong = "H5921",

w ith|strong = "H5921" tongue|strong = "H3956" like|strong = "H1121"  
the|strong = "H5921" pen|strong = "H5842" of|strong = "H1121"  
a|strong = "H5921" ready|strong = "H3559" writer|strong = "H5608".

2Your|strong = "H1697" beauty|strong = "H3308" is|strong = "H3820"  
more|strong = "H3254" than|strong = "H2896" mortal|strong = "H0582",

g race|strong = "H2580" is|strong = "H3820" shed|strong = "H8210"  
over|strong = "H4428" your|strong = "H1697" lips|strong = "H8193":

t herefore|strong = "H3651" God|strong = "H0430" has|strong = "H4428"  
blessed|strong = "H1288" you|strong = "H1697" forever|strong = "H5769".

3Warrior|strong = "H1368", strap|strong = "H8288" your|strong = "H5921"  
sword|strong = "H2719" on|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921"  
thigh|strong = "H3409".

W hat|strong = "H3651" glory|strong = "H3519" and|strong = "H1121"  
splendour!

4Good|strong = "H2896" fortune|strong = "H7622"  
attend|strong = "H7181" you|strong = "H5921", as|strong = "H5921"  
forth|strong = "H3318" you|strong = "H5921" ride|strong = "H7392"

i n|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" cause|strong = "H2600"  
of|strong = "H1368" good|strong = "H2896" faith|strong = "H0539",  
and|strong = "H2719" as|strong = "H5921" champion|strong = "H1368"  
of|strong = "H1368" justice|strong = "H4941".

M ay|strong = "H2719" your|strong = "H5921" arm|strong = "H2220"  
instruct|strong = "H3384" you|strong = "H5921" in|strong = "H5921"  
deeds|strong = "H4611" of|strong = "H1368" dread|strong = "H6343".

5Sharp|strong = "H2299" are|strong = "H1697" your|strong = "H5921"  
arrows|strong = "H2671"; nations|strong = "H1471" fall|strong = "H5307"  
under|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H5921":

p ierced|strong = "H1856" to|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
heart|strong = "H3820" are|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H5921"  
foes|strong = "H7796" of|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H5921"  
king|strong = "H5921".

6Your|strong = "H5307" throne|strong = "H3678" shall|strong = "H5971"  
endure|strong = "H5975" for|strong = "H8478" ever|strong = "H5769"  
and|strong = "H4428" ever|strong = "H5769"

y our|strong = "H5307" royal|strong = "H4428" sceptre|strong = "H7626"  
a|strong = "H5971" sceptre|strong = "H7626" of|strong = "H4428"  
equity|strong = "H4339".

7Right|strong = "H4334" you|strong = "H5703" love|strong = "H0157"  
and|strong = "H5769" wrong|strong = "H7451" you|strong = "H5703"  
hate|strong = "H8130":

t herefore|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H7626" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* your|strong = "H5769" God|strong = "H0430"  
anoints you|strong = "H5703"

**W**ith|strong="H7626" oil|strong="H8081" of|strong="H7626"  
gladness|strong="H8057" above|strong="H4605" your|strong="H5769"  
fellows|strong="H2270".

8With|strong="H5921" myrrh|strong="H4753", aloes|strong="H0174",  
and|strong="H8081" cassia|strong="H6916" your|strong="H5921"  
robes|strong="H0899" are|strong="H2270" all|strong="H5921"  
fragrant|strong="H5561",

**y**ou|strong="H5921" are|strong="H2270" gladdened  
by|strong="H5921" music|strong="H2170" of|strong="H5921"  
ivory|strong="H8127" harps|strong="H3658".

9King's|strong="H4428" daughters|strong="H1323"  
stand|strong="H5975" ready|strong="H3559" with|strong="H3605"  
jewels|strong="H3627" for|strong="H3605" you|strong="H3605",

**a**t|strong="H1964" your|strong="H3605" right|strong="H3225"  
hand|strong="H3027" the|strong="H3605" queen|strong="H4436"  
in|strong="H8055" gold|strong="H2091" of|strong="H4480"  
Ophir|strong="H0211".

10Listen|strong="H8085", daughter|strong="H1323",  
and|strong="H4428" see|strong="H7200"; and|strong="H4428"  
incline|strong="H5186" your|strong="H4428" ear|strong="H0241":

**f**orget|strong="H7911" your|strong="H4428" folk|strong="H5971"  
and|strong="H4428" your|strong="H4428" father's|strong="H0001"  
house|strong="H1004".

11And|strong="H1004" when|strong="H7200" the|strong="H8085"  
king|strong="H4428" desires|strong="H0183" your|strong="H5186"  
beauty|strong="H3308",

**b**ow|strong="H5186" to|strong="H8085" him|strong="H7200",  
for|strong="H1004" he|strong="H1004" is|strong="H1004"  
your|strong="H5186" lord|strong="H3068".

12So|strong="H3588" shall|strong="H4428" the|strong="H3588"  
Tyrians|strong="H6876" come|strong="H0935" with|strong="H4428"  
gifts|strong="H4979",

and the strongest richest of strongest people will do strongest you strongest homage strongest.

13The strongest king's strongest daughter strongest is strongest glorious strongest altogether strongest,

with strongest dress strongest of strongest pearls strongest inwrought with strongest gold strongest.

14In strongest many-coloured robes strongest she strongest is strongest led strongest to strongest the strongest king strongest,

with strongest the strongest virgin strongest companions strongest she strongest brought strongest in strongest her strongest train strongest.

15The strongest king's strongest palace strongest they strongest enter strongest with strongest joy strongest and strongest rejoicing strongest.

16May strongest sons strongest of strongest yours strongest take strongest the strongest place strongest of strongest your strongest fathers strongest,

whom strongest you strongest will strongest make strongest princes strongest in strongest all strongest the strongest land strongest.

17Your strongest name strongest will strongest I strongest celebrate strongest world strongest without strongest end strongest,

so strongest that strongest nations strongest shall strongest praise strongest you strongest for strongest ever strongest and strongest ever strongest.

Psalm 46 – Our God is a Mighty Fortress

46God|strong = "H0430" is|strong = "H1121" our|strong = "H5921"  
refuge|strong = "H4733" and|strong = "H1121" strength|strong = "H5797",

**a** |strong = "H5921" very|strong = "H3966" present|strong = "H7126"  
help|strong = "H5826" in|strong = "H5921" trouble|strong = "H6869".

2So|strong = "H3966" we|strong = "H4672" have|strong = "H4672"  
no|strong = "H4672" fear|strong = "H3372", though|strong = "H3588"  
earth|strong = "H0776" should|strong = "H3068" change|strong = "H5162",

**a** nd|strong = "H5797" the|strong = "H4672" hills|strong = "H1389"  
totter|strong = "H4131" into|strong = "H5797" the|strong = "H4672"  
heart|strong = "H3820" of|strong = "H4672" the|strong = "H4672"  
ocean|strong = "H5437".

3Let|strong = "H3808" its|strong = "H5921" waters|strong = "H4325"  
roar|strong = "H7580" and|strong = "H2022" foam|strong = "H7110",

**l** et|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H5921" mountains|strong = "H2022"  
shake|strong = "H4131" with|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
swelling|strong = "H7613" thereof|strong = "H0753".

**O** n|strong = "H5921" our|strong = "H5921" side|strong = "H3220"  
is|strong = "H3820" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
of|strong = "H2022" hosts|strong = "H6635",

**o** ur|strong = "H5921" sure|strong = "H0539" defence|strong = "H4869"  
is|strong = "H3820" the|strong = "H5921" God|strong = "H3808"  
of|strong = "H2022" Jacob|strong = "H3290". w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

4A|strong = "H2022" river|strong = "H5104" there|strong = "H2022"  
is|strong = "H4325", whose|strong = "H0834" streams|strong = "H6388"  
make|strong = "H1993" glad|strong = "H8055"

**G** od's|strong = "H0430" city|strong = "H5892", the|strong = "H7493"  
home|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H7493" Most|strong = "H6944"  
High|strong = "H1116" has|strong = "H3068" hallowed|strong = "H6942".

5God|strong = "H0430" is|strong = "H5892" within|strong = "H7130"  
her|strong = "H3605": she|strong = "H5892" cannot|strong = "H3808"  
be|strong = "H5892" shaken|strong = "H4131".

**G**od|strong="H0430" helps|strong="H5826" her|strong="H3605"  
at|strong="H5892" the|strong="H8055" turn|strong="H7725"  
of|strong="H5892" the|strong="H8055" morning|strong="H1242".

6Nations|strong="H1471" roared|strong="H7580",  
kingdoms|strong="H4467" tottered|strong="H4131":

**h**e|strong="H1242" uttered|strong="H5414" his|strong="H7130"  
voice|strong="H6963", earth|strong="H0776" melted|strong="H4549"  
away|strong="H6437".

7On|strong="H5414" our|strong="H5414" side|strong="H6285"  
is|strong="H6963" the|strong="H5414" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
of|strong="H6963" hosts|strong="H6635",

**o**ur|strong="H5414" sure|strong="H0539" defence|strong="H4869"  
is|strong="H6963" the|strong="H5414" God|strong="H5414"  
of|strong="H6963" Jacob|strong="H3290".

8Come|strong="H6635" and|strong="H3068" see|strong="H7200"  
what|strong="H4100" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
has|strong="H3068" done|strong="H6213",

**w**orking|strong="H4639" appallingly in|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" earth|strong="H0776".

9He|strong="H3068" stills|strong="H7623" wars|strong="H4421"  
to|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" ends|strong="H7098"  
of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" earth|strong="H0776" –

**b**reaking|strong="H6524" the|strong="H3068" bow|strong="H7198",  
snapping the|strong="H3068" spear|strong="H2595",

**b**urning|strong="H2740" the|strong="H3068" chariots|strong="H7393"  
in|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" fire|strong="H0784".

10'Refrain|strong="H2308"; and|strong="H7198"  
know|strong="H3045" surely|strong="H4191" that|strong="H4421"  
I|strong="H5704" am|strong="H1961" God|strong="H0430",

**h**igh|strong="H1116" over|strong="H5704" the|strong="H5704"  
nations|strong="H1471", high|strong="H1116" over|strong="H5704"  
the|strong="H5704" world|strong="H8398".'

11 On|strong="H3045" our|strong="H3588" side|strong="H6285"  
is|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
of|strong="H3045" Hosts|strong="H6635",

o ur|strong="H3588" sure|strong="H3045" defence|strong="H4869"  
is|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" God|strong="H0430"  
of|strong="H3045" Jacob|strong="H3290". w Selah|strong="H5542" w\*  
Psalm 47 – The Lord’s Universal Sovereignty

47 Clap|strong="H8628" your|strong="H1121" hands|strong="H3027",  
all|strong="H3605" you|strong="H0859" peoples|strong="H5971":

s hout|strong="H7321" to|strong="H1121" God|strong="H0430"  
in|strong="H1121" ringing cries|strong="H2199".

2 For|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
is|strong="H3605" most|strong="H6944" high|strong="H1116"  
and|strong="H5971" dread|strong="H6343",

a |strong="H8628" great|strong="H1419" king|strong="H4428"  
over|strong="H3605" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605"  
earth|strong="H0776".

3 He|strong="H3588" subdues|strong="H1696" the|strong="H3605"  
peoples|strong="H5971" under|strong="H5921" us|strong="H5921",

t he|strong="H3605" nations|strong="H1471" under|strong="H5921"  
our|strong="H3068" feet|strong="H7272";

4 he|strong="H7272" chooses|strong="H0977" our|strong="H5971"  
heritage|strong="H5159" for|strong="H8478" us|strong="H3816",

t he|strong="H8478" glory|strong="H3519" of|strong="H5971"  
Jacob|strong="H3290" whom|strong="H5971" he|strong="H7272"  
loves|strong="H0157". w Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

5 God|strong="H0430" is|strong="H5159" gone|strong="H1980"  
up|strong="H5927" with|strong="H5159" a|strong="H3290"  
shout|strong="H7321",

t he|strong="H3290" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* with|strong="H5159"  
the|strong="H3290" sound|strong="H6963" of|strong="H1347"  
a|strong="H3290" trumpet|strong="H7782".

6Sing|strong="H7891" praise|strong="H1984" to|strong="H3068"  
our|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068", sing|strong="H7891"  
praises|strong="H3068":

s ing|strong="H7891" praise|strong="H1984" to|strong="H3068"  
our|strong="H3068" king|strong="H4428", sing|strong="H7891"  
praises|strong="H3068".

7For|strong="H4428" king|strong="H4428" of|strong="H4428"  
all|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0776" is|strong="H4428"  
he|strong="H4428":

p raise|strong="H2167" God|strong="H0430" in|strong="H4428"  
a|strong="H4428" skilful|strong="H3045" song|strong="H2167".

8God|strong="H0430" is|strong="H3605" king|strong="H4428"  
over|strong="H4428" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605"  
nations|strong="H1471",

G od|strong="H0430" sits|strong="H3427" on|strong="H3605"  
his|strong="H3605" holy|strong="H6944" throne|strong="H3678".

9Princes|strong="H8269" of|strong="H3427" nations|strong="H1471"  
gather|strong="H6908"

w ith|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" people|strong="H1471"  
of|strong="H3427" Abraham's|strong="H0085" God|strong="H0430":

f or|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" shields|strong="H4043"  
of|strong="H3427" the|strong="H5921" earth|strong="H0776"  
are|strong="H1471" God's|strong="H0430";

g reatly|strong="H3966" exalted|strong="H7311" is|strong="H3678"  
he|strong="H5921".

Psalm 48 – The Marvellous Deliverance of Zion

48Great|strong="H1419" is|strong="H1121" the|strong="H1121" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* and|strong="H1121" worthy|strong="H1121"  
all|strong="H3605" praise|strong="H1984"

i n|strong="H1121" the|strong="H1121" city|strong="H5892"  
of|strong="H1121" our|strong="H3068" God|strong="H0430".



**H** is|strong="H7141" holy|strong="H6944" mountain|strong="H2022",  
<sup>2</sup> that|strong="H3068" rises|strong="H6965" so|strong="H3966"  
 fair|strong="H3303",

**i** s|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" joy|strong="H8057"  
 of|strong="H3068" all|strong="H1419" the|strong="H3068"  
 world|strong="H8398".

**L** ike|strong="H2022" the|strong="H3068" mount|strong="H2022"  
 of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" gods|strong="H0430"  
 is|strong="H3068" Mount|strong="H2022" Zion|strong="H6726",

**t** he|strong="H3068" city|strong="H5892" of|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3068" great|strong="H1419" king|strong="H4428".

**3**Once|strong="H6471" God|strong="H0430" made|strong="H3605"  
 himself|strong="H5315" known|strong="H3045"

**a** s|strong="H3303" the|strong="H3605" defence|strong="H4869"  
 of|strong="H4428" her|strong="H3605" palaces|strong="H0759".

**4**For|strong="H3045" see|strong="H3045"! A|strong="H3045" concert  
 of|strong="H3045" kings|strong="H4428"

**p** assed|strong="H5674" over|strong="H3045" the|strong="H3045"  
 frontier|strong="H4136" together|strong="H3162".

**5**But|strong="H3588" one|strong="H3588" glance, and|strong="H4428"  
 they|strong="H3588" were|strong="H4428" astounded|strong="H8074";

**t** hey|strong="H3588" hastened|strong="H4116" away|strong="H5674"  
 in|strong="H4428" dismay|strong="H0928".

**6**Trembling|strong="H2731" took|strong="H3947"  
 hold|strong="H2388" of|strong="H7200" them|strong="H1992"  
 there|strong="H1992",

**l** ike|strong="H3651" the|strong="H7200" pains|strong="H6735"  
 of|strong="H7200" a|strong="H7200" woman|strong="H0802"  
 in|strong="H7200" labour|strong="H5999".

7They|strong = "H8033" were|strong = "H3205"  
shattered|strong = "H7665", as|strong = "H8033" east|strong = "H6921"  
wind|strong = "H7307" shatters|strong = "H7665"

t he|strong = "H3205" giant|strong = "H7497" ships|strong = "H0591"  
in|strong = "H8033" pieces|strong = "H5409".

8What|strong = "H4100" we|strong = "H0587" heard|strong = "H8085",  
we|strong = "H0587" now|strong = "H6258" have|strong = "H1961"  
seen|strong = "H7200"

i n|strong = "H7665" the|strong = "H7665" city|strong = "H5892"  
of|strong = "H7307" the|strong = "H7665" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
of|strong = "H7307" hosts|strong = "H6635",

t he|strong = "H7665" city|strong = "H5892" of|strong = "H7307"  
our|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H0430".

G od|strong = "H0430" will|strong = "H7307" uphold|strong = "H8551"  
her|strong = "H7665" forever|strong = "H5769". w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

9We|strong = "H5704" think|strong = "H7200", O|strong = "H3068"  
God|strong = "H3068", of|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
love|strong = "H0157",

i n|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8085" midst|strong = "H8432"  
of|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" temple|strong = "H1004".

10Your|strong = "H7130" fame|strong = "H8034", O|strong = "H3069"  
God|strong = "H0430", like|strong = "H1819" your|strong = "H7130"  
name|strong = "H8034", shall|strong = "H2617" extend|strong = "H4900"

t o|strong = "H2617" the|strong = "H7130" ends|strong = "H7098"  
of|strong = "H7130" the|strong = "H7130" earth|strong = "H0776".

V ictory|strong = "H8668" fills|strong = "H4390" your|strong = "H7130"  
hand|strong = "H3027".

11Let|strong = "H3651" mount|strong = "H4390" Zion|strong = "H6726"  
be|strong = "H8034" glad|strong = "H8055";

**l** et|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H5921" daughters|strong = "H1323"  
of|strong = "H8034" Judah|strong = "H3063" rejoice|strong = "H8055"

**b** ecause|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H8034" your|strong = "H5921"  
judgments|strong = "H4941".

12Walk|strong = "H1980" about|strong = "H2022" Zion|strong = "H6726",  
go|strong = "H1980" round|strong = "H3063" her|strong = "H1323";

**c** ount|strong = "H5608" her|strong = "H1323" towers|strong = "H4026".

13Set|strong = "H5437" your|strong = "H5608" mind|strong = "H3820"  
on|strong = "H5921" her|strong = "H5608" ramparts|strong = "H2426",

**c** onsider|strong = "H7200" her|strong = "H5608" palaces|strong = "H0759";

**t** hat|strong = "H0834" you|strong = "H6726" tell|strong = "H5608"  
to|strong = "H5437" the|strong = "H5437" next|strong = "H4283"  
generation|strong = "H1755"

14That|strong = "H4616" such|strong = "H2088" is|strong = "H3820"  
God|strong = "H0430",

**o** ur|strong = "H7896" God|strong = "H0430" he|strong = "H3820"  
it|strong = "H7896" is|strong = "H3820" who|strong = "H0834"  
shall|strong = "H3820" guide|strong = "H5148" us|strong = "H4616"

**f** or|strong = "H4616" ever|strong = "H5769" and|strong = "H3820"  
ever|strong = "H5769".

Psalm 49 – The Problem of the Prosperity of the Wicked

49Hear|strong = "H8085" this|strong = "H1121", you|strong = "H0859"  
peoples|strong = "H5971" all|strong = "H3605";

**a** ttend|strong = "H7181", all|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H0859"  
who|strong = "H1121" live|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H1121"  
the|strong = "H1121" world|strong = "H8398"

2people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H3427" low|strong = "H8213"  
degree|strong = "H4609" and|strong = "H5971" high|strong = "H1116",

the|strong="H3605" rich|strong="H6223" and|strong="H5971"  
the|strong="H3605" poor|strong="H6041" together|strong="H8085".

3My|strong="H1571" mouth|strong="H6310" shall|strong="H1121"  
utter|strong="H2435" wisdom|strong="H2451",

the|strong="H1571" thoughts|strong="H4284" of|strong="H1121"  
a|strong="H1571" seeing|strong="H7200" heart|strong="H3820".

I|strong="H3820" incline|strong="H5186" my|strong="H1696"  
ear|strong="H0241" to|strong="H1696" a|strong="H1696"  
proverb|strong="H4912",

on|strong="H1696" the|strong="H1696" lyre|strong="H3658"  
I|strong="H3820" will|strong="H3820" open|strong="H6605"  
my|strong="H1696" riddle|strong="H2420".

5Why|strong="H4100" should|strong="H3068" I|strong="H0589"  
be|strong="H1961" afraid|strong="H3372" in|strong="H4912"  
the|strong="H5186" days|strong="H3117" of|strong="H4912"  
misfortune|strong="H7463",

when|strong="H3588" circled|strong="H5437" by|strong="H0801"  
wicked|strong="H7563" and|strong="H3658" cunning|strong="H2803"  
foes|strong="H7796",

6who|strong="H4100" put|strong="H5414" their|strong="H3117"  
trust|strong="H0982" in|strong="H3117" their|strong="H3117"  
wealth|strong="H2428",

and|strong="H3117" boast|strong="H1984" of|strong="H3117"  
their|strong="H3117" boundless riches|strong="H6239"?

7For|strong="H5921" assuredly|strong="H3045" no|strong="H3808"  
one|strong="H0259" can|strong="H4310" ransom|strong="H3724"  
themselves|strong="H5921",

or|strong="H0176" give|strong="H1984" to|strong="H5921"  
God|strong="H0430" the|strong="H5921" price|strong="H4242"  
of|strong="H7230" their|strong="H5921" life|strong="H5315",

8for|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414" ransom|strong = "H3724"  
of|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H5414" life|strong = "H5315"  
is|strong = "H3724" costly|strong = "H3368",

n o|strong = "H3808" payment|strong = "H0868" is|strong = "H3724"  
ever|strong = "H3808" enough|strong = "H1767",

9to|strong = "H5315" keep|strong = "H8104" them|strong = "H5414"  
alive|strong = "H5315" for|strong = "H5315" ever|strong = "H5769"  
and|strong = "H5769" ever|strong = "H5769",

s o|strong = "H3651" as|strong = "H5315" never|strong = "H5769"  
to|strong = "H5315" see|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H5769"  
pit|strong = "H0953" at|strong = "H5315" all|strong = "H5769".

10But|strong = "H3808" see|strong = "H7200" it|strong = "H7200"  
they|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3808". Even|strong = "H5750"  
wise|strong = "H2450" people|strong = "H3808" die|strong = "H4191",

t he|strong = "H7200" fool|strong = "H3684" and|strong = "H7200"  
the|strong = "H7200" brutish|strong = "H1197" perish|strong = "H0006"  
alike|strong = "H3162",

a nd|strong = "H7200" abandon|strong = "H5800" their|strong = "H7200"  
wealth|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H7200" others|strong = "H0312".

11The|strong = "H7200" grave|strong = "H6913" is|strong = "H3684"  
their|strong = "H7200" everlasting|strong = "H5769" home|strong = "H1004",

t he|strong = "H7200" place|strong = "H4725" they|strong = "H3588"  
shall|strong = "H2450" live|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H4191"  
for|strong = "H3588" ever|strong = "H5769" and|strong = "H7200"  
ever|strong = "H5769",

t hough|strong = "H3588" after|strong = "H3588" their|strong = "H7200"  
own|strong = "H1961" names|strong = "H8034" they|strong = "H3588"  
called|strong = "H7121" whole|strong = "H3605" lands|strong = "H4054".

12Despite|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H5921"  
wealth|strong = "H2428",

t hey|strong = "H5921" perish|strong = "H0006" like|strong = "H1004"  
dumb|strong = "H0481" animals|strong = "H0929".

13This|strong = "H3885" is|strong = "H0369" the|strong = "H3885"  
fate|strong = "H4745" of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3885"  
confident|strong = "H0982" fool|strong = "H3684",

a nd|strong = "H3366" the|strong = "H3885" end|strong = "H7093"  
of|strong = "H1121" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H0834"  
are|strong = "H1077" pleased|strong = "H3190" with|strong = "H5973"  
their|strong = "H3605" portion|strong = "H2506". w  
Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

14Like|strong = "H1870" sheep|strong = "H6629" they|strong = "H6310"  
descend|strong = "H3381" to|strong = "H1870" Sheol|strong = "H7585"

w ith|strong = "H6310" Death|strong = "H4194" for|strong = "H2088"  
their|strong = "H1870" shepherd|strong = "H7462";

d own|strong = "H1870" they|strong = "H6310" go|strong = "H6310"  
straight|strong = "H3474" to|strong = "H1870" the|strong = "H1870"  
grave|strong = "H6913",

a nd|strong = "H1870" their|strong = "H1870" form|strong = "H8389"  
wastes|strong = "H2723" away|strong = "H1870" in|strong = "H1870"  
their|strong = "H1870" home|strong = "H1004" below|strong = "H8478".

15But|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H0430" will|strong = "H3477"  
assuredly|strong = "H3045" ransom|strong = "H3724" my|strong = "H7462"  
life|strong = "H5315"

f rom|strong = "H3477" the|strong = "H7462" hand|strong = "H3027"  
of|strong = "H4194" Sheol|strong = "H7585";

f or|strong = "H6629" he|strong = "H1242" will|strong = "H3477"  
receive|strong = "H3947" me|strong = "H0413". w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

16So|strong = "H3947" be|strong = "H3027" not|strong = "H3588"  
afraid|strong = "H3372" when|strong = "H3588" someone|strong = "H5315"  
grows|strong = "H3318" rich|strong = "H6223",

when the wealth of their house increases.

17Not a shred of it all can they take when they die,

wealth cannot follow them down.

18Though they count themselves happy, when they are alive,

and from many for so well,

19they must join their ancestors,

who see the light nevermore.

20The wealthy are without understanding,

they perish like dumb animals.

Psalm 50 – True Worship

50The w Lord w\*  
God has spoken:  
He summons the earth

from sunrise to sunset.

2From|strong = "H3313" Zion|strong = "H6726",  
perfection|strong = "H4359" of|strong = "H4359" beauty|strong = "H3308",

**G** od's|strong = "H0430" glory|strong = "H3519" shines|strong = "H3313"  
forth|strong = "H3313".

3Our|strong = "H6440" God|strong = "H0430" comes|strong = "H6440",  
he|strong = "H6440" cannot|strong = "H3808" keep|strong = "H2790"  
silence|strong = "H2790",

**d** evouring|strong = "H0398" fire|strong = "H0784" is|strong = "H6440"  
before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440",

**a** nd|strong = "H6440" furious|strong = "H2534" tempest|strong = "H5591"  
around|strong = "H5439" him|strong = "H6440".

4He|strong = "H7121" summons|strong = "H7121" the|strong = "H7121"  
heavens|strong = "H8064" above|strong = "H5920"

**a** nd|strong = "H8064" the|strong = "H7121" earth|strong = "H8064"  
to|strong = "H7121" judge|strong = "H1777" his|strong = "H7121"  
people|strong = "H5971".

5Gather|strong = "H6908" to|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921"  
his|strong = "H5921" saints|strong = "H2623"

**b** y|strong = "H5921" covenant-sacrifice bound|strong = "H0631"  
to|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921";

6that|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" heavens|strong = "H8064"  
may|strong = "H1931" declare|strong = "H5046" his|strong = "H5046"  
justice|strong = "H6664",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" a|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H8064"  
of|strong = "H8199" justice|strong = "H6664" is|strong = "H1931"  
he|strong = "H1931". w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

7Hear|strong = "H8085", O|strong = "H8085" my|strong = "H8085"  
people|strong = "H5971", and|strong = "H3478" I|strong = "H8085"  
will|strong = "H5971" speak|strong = "H1696",



and protest to you, O Israel:

I am the w Lord, your God.

8Not for your sacrifices will I reprove you

your burnt-offerings are ever before me

9Not a bullock will I take from your house,

nor male goats out of your folds;

10for all beasts of the forest are mine,

and the kine on a thousand hills.

11I know all the birds of the air,

all that moves on the fields is mine.

12Were I hungry, I would not tell you,

**f** or|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" world|strong = "H8398"  
and|strong = "H8398" its|strong = "H3588" fulness|strong = "H4393"  
are|strong = "H3808" mine|strong = "H5375".

13Am|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H1320" such|strong = "H2088"  
as|strong = "H0834" to|strong = "H1320" eat|strong = "H0398" bulls'  
flesh|strong = "H1320",

**o** r|strong = "H1320" drink|strong = "H8354" the|strong = "H8354"  
blood|strong = "H1818" of|strong = "H1818" goats|strong = "H6260"?

14Offer|strong = "H2076" to|strong = "H2076" God|strong = "H7999"  
a|strong = "H2076" thank-offering,

**p** ay|strong = "H7999" the|strong = "H2076" Most|strong = "H5945"  
High|strong = "H5945" your|strong = "H7999" vows|strong = "H5088".

15Summon|strong = "H7121" me|strong = "H7121" in|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
distress|strong = "H6869",

**I** |strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3117" rescue|strong = "H2502"  
you|strong = "H3117", so|strong = "H7121" will|strong = "H3117"  
you|strong = "H3117" honour|strong = "H3513" me|strong = "H7121".

16But|strong = "H7563" to|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
wicked|strong = "H7563" God|strong = "H0430" says|strong = "H6310":

‘ What|strong = "H4100" right|strong = "H3225" have|strong = "H7563"  
you|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H5921" talk|strong = "H5608"  
of|strong = "H6310" my|strong = "H5921" statutes|strong = "H2706",

**o** r|strong = "H6310" take|strong = "H5375" my|strong = "H5921"  
covenant|strong = "H1285" into|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921"  
mouth|strong = "H6310"

17while|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H8130" yourself|strong = "H0859"  
hate|strong = "H8130" correction|strong = "H4148",

**a** nd|strong = "H1697" cast|strong = "H7993" my|strong = "H7993"  
words|strong = "H1697" behind|strong = "H0310" you|strong = "H8130"?

18When you see  
a thief, you  
run with them;

with adulterers you  
keep company.

19You let your  
mouth loose for  
evil,

your tongue contrives  
deceit.

20You shamefully  
speak of your  
kin,

and slander your  
own mother's son.

21And because I  
kept silence at  
this,

you did take  
me for one  
like yourself.

But I will convict  
you and show  
you plainly.

22'Now you who  
forget God, mark  
this,

I lest I rend  
you, past hope  
of deliverance.

23Those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H0834" bring|strong = "H7760"  
 a|strong = "H7760" thank-offering honour|strong = "H3513"  
 me|strong = "H7200";

**b** ut|strong = "H7200" to|strong = "H1870" those|strong = "H1992":  
 who|strong = "H0834" follows|strong = "H3652" my|strong = "H7760"  
 way|strong = "H1870",

**I** |strong = "H7760" will|strong = "H1870" show|strong = "H7200"  
 the|strong = "H7200" salvation|strong = "H3468" of|strong = "H1870"  
 God|strong = "H0430".'

Psalm 51 – God be Merciful to Me, the Sinner

51In|strong = "H1732" your|strong = "H1732" kindness|strong = "H2617",  
 O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H0430", be|strong = "H1732"  
 gracious|strong = "H2603" to|strong = "H1732" me|strong = "H0413",

**i** n|strong = "H1732" your|strong = "H1732" own|strong = "H1961"  
 great|strong = "H1419" pity|strong = "H2347" blot|strong = "H4229"  
 out|strong = "H3318" my|strong = "H1732" transgressions|strong = "H6588".

2Wash|strong = "H3526" me|strong = "H0413" clean|strong = "H2889"  
 of|strong = "H5030" my|strong = "H8104" guilt|strong = "H0817",

**m** ake|strong = "H6213" me|strong = "H0413" pure|strong = "H2889"  
 of|strong = "H5030" my|strong = "H8104" sin|strong = "H2403".

3For|strong = "H2617" well|strong = "H3190" I|strong = "H6588"  
 know|strong = "H3045" my|strong = "H7230"  
 transgressions|strong = "H6588",

**m** y|strong = "H7230" sin|strong = "H6588" is|strong = "H2617"  
 ever|strong = "H5769" before|strong = "H6440" me|strong = "H2603".

4Against|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H7235", only|strong = "H7235"  
 you|strong = "H7235", have|strong = "H5771" I|strong = "H5771"  
 sinned|strong = "H2403",

**a** nd|strong = "H2403" done|strong = "H6213" that|strong = "H2403"  
 which|strong = "H2403" is|strong = "H5771" wrong|strong = "H5771"  
 in|strong = "H7235" your|strong = "H7235" sight|strong = "H5869":

**y** ou|strong="H7235" therefore|strong="H3651" are|strong="H2403"  
just|strong="H3512" when|strong="H7235" you|strong="H7235"  
speak|strong="H1696",

**a** nd|strong="H2403" clear|strong="H5352" when|strong="H7235"  
you|strong="H7235" utter|strong="H2435" judgment|strong="H4941".

5See|strong="H3045"! In|strong="H3045" guilt|strong="H0817"  
was|strong="H3068" I|strong="H3588" brought|strong="H0935"  
to|strong="H3045" the|strong="H3588" birth|strong="H3205",

**a** nd|strong="H3045" in|strong="H3045" sin|strong="H2403"  
did|strong="H6213" my|strong="H3045" mother|strong="H0517"  
conceive|strong="H2029" me|strong="H5048".

6It's the|strong="H6213" innermost|strong="H2315"  
truth|strong="H0571" you|strong="H6213" desire|strong="H8378",

**g** ive|strong="H1696" me|strong="H6213" therefore|strong="H6213"  
true|strong="H0571" wisdom|strong="H2451" of|strong="H5869"  
heart|strong="H3820".

7Purge|strong="H1197" me|strong="H0413" clean|strong="H2889"  
with|strong="H5771" hyssop|strong="H0231",

**w** ash|strong="H3526" me|strong="H0413" whiter|strong="H6705"  
than|strong="H4480" snow|strong="H7950".

8Fill|strong="H4390" me|strong="H3045" with|strong="H3045"  
joy|strong="H8057" and|strong="H2451" gladness|strong="H8057",

**l** et|strong="H7971" the|strong="H3045" bones|strong="H6106"  
you|strong="H3045" have|strong="H3045" broken|strong="H7665"  
rejoice|strong="H8055".

9Hide|strong="H5641" your|strong="H3526" face|strong="H6440"  
from|strong="H7950" my|strong="H8104" sins|strong="H2398",

**a** nd|strong="H2398" blot|strong="H4229" out|strong="H3318"  
my|strong="H8104" guilt|strong="H0817" altogether|strong="H3162".

10 Create|strong = "H1254" me|strong = "H8085" a|strong = "H8085"  
 clean|strong = "H2889" heart|strong = "H8085", O|strong = "H8085"  
 God|strong = "H0430",

**p** ut|strong = "H5414" a|strong = "H8085" new|strong = "H2319"  
 steadfast|strong = "H3559" spirit|strong = "H7307" within|strong = "H7130"  
 me|strong = "H8085".

11 Cast|strong = "H7993" me|strong = "H6440" not|strong = "H6440"  
 forth|strong = "H6440" from|strong = "H6440" your|strong = "H3605"  
 presence|strong = "H6440",

**w** ithdraw|strong = "H7725" not|strong = "H6440" your|strong = "H3605"  
 holy|strong = "H6944" spirit|strong = "H7307".

12 Give|strong = "H5414" me|strong = "H7130" back|strong = "H7725"  
 the|strong = "H3559" joy|strong = "H8057" of|strong = "H7307"  
 your|strong = "H3559" help|strong = "H5826",

**w** ith|strong = "H3820" a|strong = "H3559" willing|strong = "H0014"  
 spirit|strong = "H7307" sustain|strong = "H3559" me|strong = "H7130".

13 I|strong = "H4480" will|strong = "H7307" teach|strong = "H3925"  
 your|strong = "H3947" ways|strong = "H1870" to|strong = "H6440"  
 transgressors|strong = "H6586",

**a** nd|strong = "H6440" sinners|strong = "H2400" shall|strong = "H7307"  
 turn|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H6440" you|strong = "H6440".

14 Save|strong = "H3467" me|strong = "H7725" from|strong = "H7725"  
 blood|strong = "H1818", O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H0430",

**a** nd|strong = "H7725" my|strong = "H7725" tongue|strong = "H3956"  
 shall|strong = "H7307" ring|strong = "H2885" out|strong = "H7725"  
 your|strong = "H7725" faithfulness|strong = "H0530".

15 Open|strong = "H6605" my|strong = "H7725" lips|strong = "H8193",  
 O|strong = "H3069" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**a** nd|strong = "H7725" my|strong = "H7725" mouth|strong = "H6310"  
 shall|strong = "H1870" declare|strong = "H5046" your|strong = "H7725"  
 praise|strong = "H1984".

16For|strong = "H7442" in|strong = "H8668" sacrifice|strong = "H2077"  
 you|strong = "H5337" have|strong = "H5337" no|strong = "H3808"  
 pleasure|strong = "H2656",

**i** n|strong = "H8668" gifts|strong = "H4979" of|strong = "H1818"  
 burnt-offering no|strong = "H3808" delight|strong = "H2654".

17The|strong = "H5046" sacrifice|strong = "H2077"  
 pleasing|strong = "H2896" to|strong = "H6310" God|strong = "H0430"

**i** s|strong = "H6310" a|strong = "H5046" spirit|strong = "H7307"  
 that|strong = "H6310" is|strong = "H6310" broken|strong = "H7665";

**a** |strong = "H5046" heart|strong = "H8193" that|strong = "H6310"  
 is|strong = "H6310" crushed|strong = "H7533", O|strong = "H3069"  
 God|strong = "H0430",

**y** ou|strong = "H5046" will|strong = "H6310" not|strong = "H6605"  
 despise|strong = "H3988".

18Do|strong = "H6213" good|strong = "H2896" in|strong = "H2654"  
 your|strong = "H5414" pleasure|strong = "H7521" to|strong = "H5414"  
 Zion|strong = "H6726",

**b** uild|strong = "H1129" the|strong = "H3588" walls|strong = "H2346"  
 of|strong = "H2077" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389".

19Then|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3820" you|strong = "H3808"  
 welcome|strong = "H6923" the|strong = "H7665" due|strong = "H2706"  
 forms|strong = "H3335" of|strong = "H7307" sacrifice|strong = "H2077",

**t** hen|strong = "H3808" on|strong = "H7307" your|strong = "H3808"  
 altars|strong = "H4196" shall|strong = "H3820" bullocks|strong = "H6499"  
 be|strong = "H3808" offered|strong = "H5927".

Psalm 52 – The Doom of Arrogance

52Why|strong = "H4100" glory|strong = "H3519" in|strong = "H1732"  
 mischief|strong = "H7451", you|strong = "H0859" hero?

**G** od's|strong = "H0430" kindness|strong = "H2617" is|strong = "H1732"  
 all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H1732" day|strong = "H3117".

2Engulfing ruin|strong = "H2723" you|strong = "H5046"  
plot|strong = "H2513",

y our|strong = "H5046" tongue|strong = "H3956" like|strong = "H1004"  
a|strong = "H1732" razor|strong = "H8593" sharpened|strong = "H2300",

y ou|strong = "H5046" practiser of|strong = "H1004"  
deceit|strong = "H4820".

3Evil|strong = "H7451", not|strong = "H7451" good|strong = "H2617",  
you|strong = "H3605" love|strong = "H2617",

a nd|strong = "H3117" falsehood|strong = "H8267", not|strong = "H7451"  
words|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H3117" truth|strong = "H0571". w  
Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

4But|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H6213" love|strong = "H0157"  
all|strong = "H6213" words|strong = "H1697" that|strong = "H3956"  
devour|strong = "H0398",

a nd|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H6213" tongue|strong = "H3956"  
that|strong = "H3956" is|strong = "H3956" given|strong = "H6213"  
to|strong = "H6213" deceit|strong = "H7423".

5But|strong = "H1696" God|strong = "H0430", on|strong = "H1696"  
his|strong = "H1696" part|strong = "H7992", shall|strong = "H7451"  
destroy|strong = "H7843" you|strong = "H1696" forever|strong = "H5769",

g rasp|strong = "H2388" you|strong = "H1696" and|strong = "H2896"  
pluck|strong = "H6998" you|strong = "H1696" out|strong = "H1696"  
of|strong = "H1696" your|strong = "H1696" tent|strong = "H0168",

a nd|strong = "H2896" root|strong = "H8328" you|strong = "H1696"  
out|strong = "H1696" of|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H1696"  
land|strong = "H0776" of|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H1696"  
living|strong = "H2416". w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

6Smitten|strong = "H5221" with|strong = "H1697" awe|strong = "H1481"  
at|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" sight|strong = "H5869",

t he|strong = "H3605" righteous|strong = "H6662" shall|strong = "H3956"  
laugh|strong = "H7832" at|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H3605".



7‘Look’ (they|strong = "H1571" will|strong = "H1571"  
say|strong = "H0559") ‘at|strong = "H1571" the|strong = "H1571" hero

**w** ho|strong = "H2416" did|strong = "H1571" not|strong = "H1571"  
make|strong = "H6213" God|strong = "H0430" his|strong = "H5422"  
stronghold|strong = "H4869",

**b** ut|strong = "H1571" trusted|strong = "H0982" in|strong = "H1571"  
his|strong = "H5422" great|strong = "H1419" wealth|strong = "H2428"

**a** nd|strong = "H1571" in|strong = "H1571" the|strong = "H1571"  
strength|strong = "H5331" of|strong = "H2416" his|strong = "H5422"  
riches|strong = "H6239".’

8But|strong = "H7200" I|strong = "H5921" am|strong = "H1961"  
like|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H7200" fresh|strong = "H3892" olive-tree

**i** n|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" house|strong = "H1004"  
of|strong = "H5921" God|strong = "H0430".

**I** |strong = "H5921" trust|strong = "H0982" in|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" kindness|strong = "H2617" of|strong = "H5921"  
God|strong = "H0430"

**f** or|strong = "H5921" ever|strong = "H5769" and|strong = "H7200"  
evermore|strong = "H5769".

9I|strong = "H2009" will|strong = "H3808" render|strong = "H7760"  
you|strong = "H7760" thanks|strong = "H3034" for|strong = "H3808"  
ever|strong = "H3808"

**f** or|strong = "H3808" what|strong = "H4100" you|strong = "H7760"  
have|strong = "H3808" done|strong = "H7760".

**I** |strong = "H2009" will|strong = "H3808" tell|strong = "H5046"  
how|strong = "H2009" good|strong = "H2896" you|strong = "H7760"  
are|strong = "H1397"

**i** n|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H7760" presence|strong = "H6440"  
of|strong = "H7230" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H1397"  
love|strong = "H0157" you|strong = "H7760".

Psalm 53 – The Folly of Denying God

53Fools|strong="H3684" say|strong="H0559" in|strong="H5921"  
their|strong="H5921" heart|strong="H3820",

‘ There|strong="H8033" is|strong="H1732" no|strong="H3808"  
God|strong="H0430”.’

V ile|strong="H7043", hateful|strong="H8130" their|strong="H5921"  
life|strong="H5315" is|strong="H1732”;

n ot|strong="H1732" one|strong="H0259" does|strong="H6213"  
good|strong="H2896”.

2From|strong="H3820" heaven|strong="H8064" God|strong="H0430"  
looks|strong="H7200" out|strong="H6213”

o n|strong="H6213" humans, to|strong="H6213" see|strong="H7200”

i f|strong="H0518" any|strong="H6213" are|strong="H6213"  
wise|strong="H2450”,

a nd|strong="H6213" care|strong="H3027" for|strong="H6213"  
God|strong="H0430”.

3But|strong="H7200" all|strong="H7200" have|strong="H3426"  
turned|strong="H2015" bad|strong="H7451”,

t he|strong="H5921" taint is|strong="H3426" on|strong="H5921"  
all|strong="H7200”;

n ot|strong="H7200" one|strong="H1121" does|strong="H3426"  
good|strong="H2896”,

n o|strong="H7200”, not|strong="H7200" one|strong="H1121”.

4Have|strong="H1571" they|strong="H6213" learned|strong="H3925"  
their|strong="H3605" lesson,

t hose|strong="H3605" workers|strong="H6213" of|strong="H3605"  
evil|strong="H6213”?

W ho|strong="H3605" ate|strong="H0398" up|strong="H6213"  
my|strong="H3605" people|strong="H1571”,

- e ating|strong = "H0398", devouring|strong = "H0398",
- n ever|strong = "H3808" calling|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H6213"  
the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.
- 5Sore|strong = "H3966" afraid|strong = "H3372" will|strong = "H5971"  
they|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808",
- w here|strong = "H3808" no|strong = "H3808" fear|strong = "H3372"  
was|strong = "H3808";
- w hen|strong = "H3045" God|strong = "H3808" scatters|strong = "H6340"  
the|strong = "H3045" bones|strong = "H6106"
- o f|strong = "H5971" the|strong = "H3045" godless|strong = "H2611"  
people|strong = "H5971".
- T hey|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H5971" be|strong = "H3808"  
put|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H7121" shame|strong = "H0954",
- w hen|strong = "H3045" God|strong = "H3808" rejects|strong = "H5006"  
them|strong = "H7121".
- 6If|strong = "H3588" only|strong = "H3588" help|strong = "H1961"  
from|strong = "H1961" Zion|strong = "H6726"
- w ould|strong = "H0014" come|strong = "H1961" for|strong = "H3588"  
Israel|strong = "H3478"!
- W hen|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H3808" brings|strong = "H0935"  
his|strong = "H1961" people|strong = "H3808"
- a |strong = "H1961" change|strong = "H5162" of|strong = "H6106"  
fortune|strong = "H7622",
- h ow|strong = "H3588" glad|strong = "H8055" will|strong = "H1961"  
be|strong = "H1961" Jacob|strong = "H8033",
- a nd|strong = "H8033" Israel|strong = "H3478" how|strong = "H3588"  
joyful|strong = "H7440"!

54 Save|strong = "H3467" me|strong = "H0413", O|strong = "H3069"  
 God|strong = "H0430", by|strong = "H1732" your|strong = "H1732"  
 name|strong = "H8034",

**b** y|strong = "H1732" your|strong = "H1732" power|strong = "H3027"  
 secure|strong = "H0982" for|strong = "H1732" me|strong = "H0413"  
 justice|strong = "H4941".

2 Listen|strong = "H8085", O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H3808",  
 to|strong = "H1732" my|strong = "H1732" prayer|strong = "H8605",

**a** ttend|strong = "H7181" to|strong = "H1732" the|strong = "H5973"  
 words|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H3808" my|strong = "H1732"  
 mouth|strong = "H6310".

3 For|strong = "H8034" proud|strong = "H1343" men|strong = "H8034"  
 have|strong = "H8034" risen|strong = "H6965" against|strong = "H5921"  
 me|strong = "H3467",

**a** nd|strong = "H8034" terrible|strong = "H3372" men|strong = "H8034"  
 seek|strong = "H1245" my|strong = "H3467" life|strong = "H5315",

**m** en|strong = "H8034" who|strong = "H3467" do|strong = "H6213"  
 not|strong = "H3467" set|strong = "H7760" God|strong = "H0430"  
 before|strong = "H6440" them|strong = "H3467". w  
 Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

4 But|strong = "H8085" see|strong = "H7200"! God|strong = "H0430"  
 is|strong = "H6310" my|strong = "H8085" helper|strong = "H5826",

**t** he|strong = "H8085" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H6310"  
 sustaining my|strong = "H8085" life|strong = "H5315".

5 Let|strong = "H7760" their|strong = "H7760" evil|strong = "H7451"  
 fall|strong = "H5307" back|strong = "H7725" on|strong = "H5921"  
 my|strong = "H7760" foes|strong = "H7796":

**c** ut|strong = "H3772" them|strong = "H5921" off|strong = "H5921"  
 in|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921" faithfulness|strong = "H0530", w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

6Then|strong = "H2009" will|strong = "H5315" I|strong = "H2009"  
bring|strong = "H0935" you|strong = "H5315" glad|strong = "H8055"  
sacrifice|strong = "H2077",

**p** raising|strong = "H1984" your|strong = "H2009"  
gracious|strong = "H2603" name|strong = "H8034";

7for|strong = "H7451" from|strong = "H7725" all|strong = "H7725"  
distress|strong = "H7451" you|strong = "H7725" have|strong = "H7451"  
saved|strong = "H3467" me|strong = "H7725",

**a** nd|strong = "H7725" feasted|strong = "H8354" my|strong = "H7725"  
eyes|strong = "H5869" on|strong = "H7451" my|strong = "H7725"  
foes|strong = "H7796".

Psalm 55 – Betrayed by a Friend

55Listen|strong = "H8085", God|strong = "H0430", to|strong = "H1732"  
my|strong = "H1732" prayer|strong = "H8605".

**D** on't|strong = "H0408" hide|strong = "H5641" yourself|strong = "H0859"  
from|strong = "H4480" my|strong = "H1732" pleading|strong = "H1696".

2Hear|strong = "H8085" me|strong = "H0413", and|strong = "H8605"  
answer|strong = "H6030";

**f** or|strong = "H8605" bitter|strong = "H4751" is|strong = "H8467"  
my|strong = "H5956" lament|strong = "H5594".

3I|strong = "H0589" am|strong = "H1961" wild|strong = "H7704"  
with|strong = "H6030" the|strong = "H6030" noise|strong = "H1949"  
of|strong = "H6030" the|strong = "H6030" foe|strong = "H6862",

**w** ith|strong = "H6030" the|strong = "H6030" clamour of|strong = "H6030"  
the|strong = "H6030" ungodly|strong = "H7563";

**f** or|strong = "H6030" they|strong = "H1992" hurl|strong = "H2904"  
disaster|strong = "H7451" upon|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H6030",

**a** nd|strong = "H6030" attack|strong = "H5221" me|strong = "H6030"  
with|strong = "H6030" fury|strong = "H2534".

4My|strong="H5921" heart|strong="H3820" shudders  
within|strong="H5921" me|strong="H6440",

t errors|strong="H1091" of|strong="H6963" deaths|strong="H4463"  
press|strong="H1660" on|strong="H5921" me|strong="H6440",

5fear|strong="H2342" and|strong="H3820" trembling|strong="H2731"  
attack|strong="H5221" me|strong="H5921",

a nd|strong="H3820" horror|strong="H8047" wraps|strong="H6887"  
me|strong="H5921" round|strong="H5439".

6O|strong="H3069" for|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3680"  
wings|strong="H3671" of|strong="H3374" a|strong="H3680"  
dove|strong="H3123":

I |strong="H0589" would|strong="H0014" fly|strong="H5774"  
away|strong="H5493" and|strong="H3374" rest|strong="H5117".

7I|strong="H5414" would|strong="H4310" wander|strong="H8582"  
far|strong="H5704" away|strong="H5774",

f ind|strong="H5414" refuge|strong="H4733" in|strong="H7931"  
the|strong="H5414" wilderness|strong="H4057". w  
Selah|strong="H5542"w\*

8I|strong="H2009" would|strong="H0014" find|strong="H4672"  
myself|strong="H0589" a|strong="H4057" shelter|strong="H4268"

f rom|strong="H7368" raging|strong="H7264" wind|strong="H7307"  
and|strong="H4057" tempest|strong="H5591".

9Confuse|strong="H1104" them|strong="H7307", w  
Lord|strong="H3068"w\*, upset|strong="H8058" their|strong="H3605"  
plans|strong="H4284";

f or|strong="H3588" I|strong="H0589" see|strong="H7200"  
violence|strong="H2555" and|strong="H7307" strife|strong="H7379"  
in|strong="H7307" the|strong="H7307" city|strong="H5892".

10By|strong = "H5892" day|strong = "H3117" and|strong = "H5892"  
by|strong = "H5892" night|strong = "H3915" they|strong = "H3588"  
make|strong = "H7200" their|strong = "H7200" rounds|strong = "H5437"

- o n|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200" city|strong = "H5892"  
walls|strong = "H2346",

w hile|strong = "H3588" within|strong = "H7130" is|strong = "H5892"  
crime|strong = "H2154" and|strong = "H5892" trouble|strong = "H6869",

11within|strong = "H7130" is|strong = "H7130" ruin|strong = "H2723".

H er|strong = "H5921" market-place is|strong = "H7130"  
never|strong = "H3808" free|strong = "H2670"

- o f|strong = "H2346" deceit|strong = "H4820" and|strong = "H3119"  
tyranny.

The|strong = "H5921" Treacherous|strong = "H0898"  
Friend|strong = "H7453"

12The|strong = "H7130" taunts|strong = "H2778" were|strong = "H0834"  
not|strong = "H3808" those|strong = "H1992" of|strong = "H7130"  
a|strong = "H3808" foe|strong = "H6862"

t hat|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H3808" could|strong = "H3201"  
have|strong = "H3808" borne|strong = "H3205";

t he|strong = "H7130" disdain was|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
that|strong = "H3808" of|strong = "H7130" an|strong = "H1129"  
enemy|strong = "H0340"

I |strong = "H3808" could|strong = "H3201" have|strong = "H3808"  
shunned them|strong = "H7130":

13but|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H5921" was|strong = "H3808"  
you|strong = "H3588", my|strong = "H5921" equal|strong = "H8505",

m y|strong = "H5921" dear|strong = "H3357" and|strong = "H1431"  
familiar|strong = "H3045" friend|strong = "H7453".

14We|strong = "H0587" used|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H3045"  
be|strong = "H1961" so|strong = "H3651" close|strong = "H5980",

**t** ogether|strong = "H3162" we|strong = "H0587" walked|strong = "H1980"  
in|strong = "H3045" God's|strong = "H0430" house|strong = "H1004"  
with|strong = "H3045" the|strong = "H3045" crowd|strong = "H1995".

15May|strong = "H1004" death|strong = "H4194"  
suddenly|strong = "H6597" take|strong = "H1980" them|strong = "H3162",

**m** ay|strong = "H1004" they|strong = "H3162" go|strong = "H1980"  
down|strong = "H1980" to|strong = "H1980" Sheol|strong = "H7585"  
alive|strong = "H2416",

**f** or|strong = "H1004" evil|strong = "H7451" lives|strong = "H5315"  
in|strong = "H1980" their|strong = "H1980" homes|strong = "H1004"  
and|strong = "H1980" their|strong = "H1980" hearts|strong = "H3820".

16But|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H2416"  
call|strong = "H7121" on|strong = "H5921" God|strong = "H0430",

**t** he|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* will|strong = "H2416"  
save|strong = "H3467" me|strong = "H5921".

17Evening|strong = "H6153" and|strong = "H3068"  
morning|strong = "H1242" and|strong = "H3068" noon|strong = "H6672"

**I** |strong = "H3068" lament|strong = "H5594" and|strong = "H3068"  
moan|strong = "H1897".

**H** e|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" hear|strong = "H8085"  
my|strong = "H3068" voice|strong = "H6963";

18though|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H7878" am|strong = "H1961"  
attacked|strong = "H5221" by|strong = "H1242" many|strong = "H7227"

**h** e|strong = "H1242" will|strong = "H8085" rescue|strong = "H5337"  
me|strong = "H6963",

**u** nharmed|strong = "H7965" from|strong = "H8085" the|strong = "H8085"  
war|strong = "H4421".

19God|strong = "H0430", who|strong = "H5315" sits|strong = "H3427"  
on|strong = "H1961" his|strong = "H1961" ancient|strong = "H5769"  
throne|strong = "H3678"



**w** ill|strong = "H1961" hear|strong = "H8085" and|strong = "H7965"  
will|strong = "H1961" humble|strong = "H6035" them|strong = "H1961",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" never|strong = "H3808"  
change|strong = "H5162",

**t** hey|strong = "H3588" never|strong = "H3808" fear|strong = "H3372"  
God|strong = "H0430". w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

20My|strong = "H8085" friend|strong = "H7453" turned|strong = "H2015"  
against|strong = "H8085" me|strong = "H3372",

**b** etrayed|strong = "H0898" his|strong = "H8085" word|strong = "H1697".

21His|strong = "H7971" mouth|strong = "H6310" was|strong = "H3027"  
smoother|strong = "H2509" than|strong = "H4480" butter|strong = "H2529",

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" war|strong = "H4421" filled|strong = "H4390"  
his|strong = "H7971" heart|strong = "H3820".

**H** is|strong = "H7971" words|strong = "H1697" were|strong = "H3027"  
softer|strong = "H7401" than|strong = "H4480" oil|strong = "H8081",

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" sharper than|strong = "H4480"  
swords|strong = "H2719".

22Cast|strong = "H7993" your|strong = "H1697" burden|strong = "H4853"  
on|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H1697" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**a** nd|strong = "H8081" he|strong = "H6310" will|strong = "H3820"  
sustain|strong = "H3557" you|strong = "H6310".

**H** e|strong = "H6310" will|strong = "H3820" never|strong = "H3808"  
let|strong = "H7971" the|strong = "H1697" righteous|strong = "H6662"

**b** e|strong = "H1697" shaken|strong = "H4131".

23But|strong = "H3808" you|strong = "H5414", God|strong = "H3068",  
will|strong = "H3068" hurl|strong = "H7993" them|strong = "H5414"  
down|strong = "H7993"

**t** o|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" deepest pit|strong = "H0953".

**B** loody|strong = "H1818" and|strong = "H3068"  
treacherous|strong = "H0898" people|strong = "H3808"

**w** ill|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" live|strong = "H3427"  
out|strong = "H7993" half|strong = "H2677" their|strong = "H3068"  
days|strong = "H5769";

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H5414" will|strong = "H3068"  
trust|strong = "H0982" you|strong = "H5414".  
Psalm 56 – A Prayer of Trust in God

56O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H0430", be|strong = "H1732"  
gracious|strong = "H2603" to|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5921",

**f** or|strong = "H5921" people|strong = "H5971" trample|strong = "H7429"  
upon|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5921",

**a** ll|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" day|strong = "H3117" righting  
and|strong = "H1732" pressing|strong = "H4330" me|strong = "H5921".

2All|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117"  
enemies|strong = "H0341" trample|strong = "H7602" me|strong = "H2603";

**m** any|strong = "H7227" there|strong = "H3117" be|strong = "H3117"

**w** ho|strong = "H3605" contend|strong = "H7378" with|strong = "H3898"  
me|strong = "H2603" bitterly|strong = "H4751".

3In|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H3117" my|strong = "H3605" terror|strong = "H2851"

**I** |strong = "H3588" trust|strong = "H0982" in|strong = "H3117"  
you|strong = "H3588".

4In|strong = "H3117" God|strong = "H0430" I|strong = "H3117"  
maintain|strong = "H6213" my|strong = "H3372" cause|strong = "H2600",

**i** n|strong = "H3117" God|strong = "H0430" I|strong = "H3117" fearlessly  
trust|strong = "H0982".

**W** hat|strong = "H3372" can|strong = "H4310" flesh|strong = "H1320"  
do|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H3117" me|strong = "H3372"?

5They|strong = "H3808" torture me|strong = "H6213" all|strong = "H6213"  
the|strong = "H6213" day|strong = "H3117",

t hey|strong = "H3808" ceaselessly plan|strong = "H1697"  
to|strong = "H6213" hurt|strong = "H1697" me|strong = "H6213",

6banded together|strong = "H5921" in|strong = "H5921"  
secret|strong = "H5643",

w atching|strong = "H8245" my|strong = "H3605" every|strong = "H3605"  
step|strong = "H6587",

a s|strong = "H1697" those|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605"  
hope|strong = "H3176" for|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H3605"  
death|strong = "H4194".

7Pay|strong = "H8104" them|strong = "H1992" out|strong = "H3318"  
for|strong = "H6960" their|strong = "H1992" sin|strong = "H2403",  
O|strong = "H5315" God|strong = "H0430",

h url|strong = "H2904" down|strong = "H3381" the|strong = "H8104"  
strong|strong = "H2388" in|strong = "H5315" your|strong = "H8104"  
anger|strong = "H0639".

8You|strong = "H5921" yourself|strong = "H5921" count|strong = "H5608"  
my|strong = "H5921" wanderings|strong = "H5112".

P ut|strong = "H3381" in|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921"  
bottle|strong = "H4997" my|strong = "H5921" tears|strong = "H1832"

a re|strong = "H5971" they|strong = "H5921" not|strong = "H5971"  
in|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921" book|strong = "H5612"?

9Then|strong = "H7760" shall|strong = "H3808" my|strong = "H7760"  
foes|strong = "H7796" be|strong = "H3808" turned|strong = "H7760"  
back|strong = "H7725"

i n|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H7760" day|strong = "H3117"  
that|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H7760" call|strong = "H7121".

O f|strong = "H5612" this|strong = "H7760" I|strong = "H7760"  
am|strong = "H1961" sure|strong = "H0539",

**b** ecause|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H3808" is|strong = "H5612"  
for|strong = "H3808" me|strong = "H7760".

10In|strong = "H3117" God|strong = "H0430" I|strong = "H3588"  
maintain|strong = "H6213" my|strong = "H3045" cause|strong = "H7121",

**i** n|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
I|strong = "H3588" maintain|strong = "H6213" my|strong = "H3045"  
cause|strong = "H7121".

11In|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H1697" fearlessly  
trust|strong = "H0982",

**w** hat|strong = "H1697" can|strong = "H4310" people|strong = "H5971"  
do|strong = "H3068" to|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H1697"?

12Your|strong = "H6213" vows|strong = "H5088" are|strong = "H4100"  
upon|strong = "H6213" me|strong = "H6213", O|strong = "H4100"  
God|strong = "H3808",

**I** |strong = "H4100" will|strong = "H3808" render|strong = "H7725"  
thank-offerings to|strong = "H6213" you|strong = "H6213";

13because|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H5921"  
saved|strong = "H3467" me|strong = "H5921" from|strong = "H5921"  
death|strong = "H4194",

**m** y|strong = "H5921" feet|strong = "H7272" from|strong = "H5921"  
stumbling|strong = "H4383",

**t** o|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" end|strong = "H7999"  
that|strong = "H5921" I|strong = "H5921" walk|strong = "H1980"  
before|strong = "H5921" God|strong = "H7999"

**i** n|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" light|strong = "H0216"  
of|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" living|strong = "H2416".

Psalm 57 – A Prayer for Protection from Persecution

57Be|strong = "H6440" gracious|strong = "H2603", O|strong = "H3069"  
God|strong = "H0430", be|strong = "H6440" gracious|strong = "H2603"  
to|strong = "H6440" me|strong = "H6440",

f or|strong = "H6440" in|strong = "H6440" you|strong = "H6440"  
I|strong = "H6440" take|strong = "H3947" shelter|strong = "H4268".

I n|strong = "H6440" your|strong = "H6440" sheltering  
wings|strong = "H3671" I|strong = "H6440" take|strong = "H3947"  
refuge|strong = "H4733",

t ill|strong = "H6440" ruin|strong = "H2723" be|strong = "H6440"  
over|strong = "H6440" past|strong = "H6440".

2I|strong = "H3588" cry|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H5704"  
the|strong = "H3588" Most|strong = "H6944" High|strong = "H1116"  
God|strong = "H0430",

t o|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H0430"  
who|strong = "H5315" accomplishes|strong = "H1584" for|strong = "H3588"  
me|strong = "H5315".

3He|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H7121" send|strong = "H7971"  
me|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H7121" succour|strong = "H5826"  
from|strong = "H5921" heaven|strong = "H8064",

h e|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H7121" thrust|strong = "H1920"  
away|strong = "H5493" those|strong = "H5921" who|strong = "H7121"  
would|strong = "H0014" trample|strong = "H7429" me|strong = "H5921". w  
Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

4In|strong = "H8064" the|strong = "H7971" midst|strong = "H8432"  
of|strong = "H8064" lions|strong = "H3715" I|strong = "H7971"  
lie|strong = "H7901",

w ho|strong = "H3467" devour|strong = "H7602" human|strong = "H0120"  
prey|strong = "H2964".

T heir|strong = "H7971" teeth|strong = "H8127" are|strong = "H8064"  
spears|strong = "H7420" and|strong = "H7971" arrows|strong = "H2671",

a nd|strong = "H7971" their|strong = "H7971" tongue|strong = "H3956"  
is|strong = "H2617" a|strong = "H7971" sharpened|strong = "H2300"  
sword|strong = "H2719".

5Be|strong = "H1121" exalted|strong = "H7311", God|strong = "H0430",  
o'er the|strong = "H8432" heavens|strong = "H8064",

**a** nd|strong="H1121" your|strong="H5315" glory|strong="H3519" o'er  
all|strong="H7901" the|strong="H8432" earth|strong="H0776".

6They|strong="H5921" set|strong="H7311" a|strong="H5921"  
net|strong="H7568" for|strong="H5921" my|strong="H3605"  
feet|strong="H7272",

**b** ut|strong="H3605" in|strong="H5921" it|strong="H5921"  
was|strong="H8064" their|strong="H3605" own|strong="H1961"  
foot|strong="H7272" caught|strong="H3920".

**B** efore|strong="H5921" me|strong="H5921" they|strong="H5921"  
dug|strong="H2658" a|strong="H5921" pit|strong="H0953",

**b** ut|strong="H3605" they|strong="H5921" fell|strong="H5921"  
into|strong="H5921" it|strong="H5921" themselves|strong="H5921". w  
Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

7My|strong="H8432" heart|strong="H5315" is|strong="H5315"  
steadfast|strong="H3559", O|strong="H5315" God|strong="H0430",

**m** y|strong="H8432" heart|strong="H5315" is|strong="H5315"  
steadfast|strong="H3559".

**I** |strong="H5315" would|strong="H5315" sing|strong="H7891",  
I|strong="H5315" would|strong="H5315" make|strong="H3559"  
music|strong="H2170";

8awake|strong="H5782", my|strong="H3559" soul|strong="H5315".

**A** wake|strong="H5782", harp|strong="H3658" and|strong="H3820"  
lyre|strong="H3658";

**I** |strong="H3559" would|strong="H0014" wake|strong="H6974"  
the|strong="H3559" dawn|strong="H7837".

9I|strong="H5782" would|strong="H0014" praise|strong="H1984"  
you|strong="H0859" among|strong="H8432" the|strong="H5782"  
peoples|strong="H5971", O|strong="H3069" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

and|strong="H3658" make|strong="H6213" music|strong="H2170"  
among|strong="H8432" the|strong="H5782" nations|strong="H1471"  
to|strong="H3519" you|strong="H0859";

10for|strong="H5971" great|strong="H1419" to|strong="H5971"  
heaven|strong="H8064" is|strong="H5971" your|strong="H3034"  
love|strong="H0157",

and|strong="H5971" your|strong="H3034" faithfulness|strong="H0530"  
to|strong="H5971" the|strong="H3034" clouds|strong="H5645".

11Be|strong="H8064" exalted|strong="H7311", God|strong="H8064",  
o'er the|strong="H3588" heavens|strong="H8064",

and|strong="H1419" your|strong="H3588" glory|strong="H3519" o'er  
all|strong="H5704" the|strong="H3588" earth|strong="H8064".

Psalm 58 – A Prayer for Vengeance on Unjust Judges

58Do|strong="H6213" you|strong="H0859" speak|strong="H1696"  
what|strong="H1732" is|strong="H1732" right|strong="H3225",  
you|strong="H0859" gods|strong="H0430"?

With|strong="H1732" equity|strong="H4339" judge|strong="H8199"  
you|strong="H0859" your|strong="H1732" people|strong="H5971"?

2In|strong="H1696" the|strong="H8199" land|strong="H0776"  
you|strong="H1696" practise|strong="H6213" iniquity|strong="H5771" –  
all|strong="H3605" of|strong="H1121" you|strong="H1696";

violence|strong="H2555" do|strong="H6213" you|strong="H1696"  
dispense|strong="H8199" with|strong="H1696" your|strong="H8199"  
hands|strong="H3027".

3The|strong="H3027" wicked|strong="H5766" go|strong="H1980"  
astray|strong="H8582" from|strong="H3027" the|strong="H3027"  
womb|strong="H7358"

liars|strong="H0907" take|strong="H3027" the|strong="H3027"  
wrong|strong="H2555" path|strong="H0734" from|strong="H3027"  
their|strong="H3820" birth|strong="H3205".

4Venom|strong = "H2534" have|strong = "H7563" they|strong = "H1696"  
like|strong = "H8582" the|strong = "H1696" venom|strong = "H2534"  
of|strong = "H1696" snakes|strong = "H5175",

t hey|strong = "H1696" are|strong = "H7563" like|strong = "H8582"  
the|strong = "H1696" deaf|strong = "H2795" adder|strong = "H6620"  
that|strong = "H7563" stops|strong = "H0331" her|strong = "H3605"  
ears|strong = "H0241",

5and|strong = "H2534" refuses|strong = "H3985" to|strong = "H2534"  
listen|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H2534" the|strong = "H3644"  
voice|strong = "H6963" of|strong = "H2534" the|strong = "H3644"  
charmer|strong = "H1167",

o r|strong = "H0176" binder|strong = "H6014" of|strong = "H2534"  
spells|strong = "H2267", no|strong = "H3808" matter|strong = "H1697"  
how|strong = "H4100" cunning|strong = "H2803".

6O|strong = "H8085" God|strong = "H3808", break|strong = "H7665"  
to|strong = "H8085" pieces|strong = "H5409" the|strong = "H8085"  
teeth|strong = "H8127" in|strong = "H8085" their|strong = "H8085"  
mouth|strong = "H6310",

t ear|strong = "H7167" out|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H8085"  
great|strong = "H1419" teeth|strong = "H8127" of|strong = "H6963"  
the|strong = "H8085" young|strong = "H5288" lions|strong = "H3715", w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

7May|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068" melt|strong = "H4549"  
away|strong = "H5493" like|strong = "H3068" running|strong = "H7323"  
water|strong = "H4325"!

L ike|strong = "H3068" tender|strong = "H7390" grass|strong = "H2682",  
cut|strong = "H3772" down|strong = "H5422" may|strong = "H3068"  
they|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068"!

8Like|strong = "H3644" the|strong = "H1980" snail|strong = "H7642"  
that|strong = "H4325" dissolves|strong = "H4127" on|strong = "H1980"  
its|strong = "H3605" crawling|strong = "H2119" path|strong = "H0734",

l ike|strong = "H3644" the|strong = "H1980" birth|strong = "H3205"  
untimely|strong = "H2934" which|strong = "H4325" sees|strong = "H7200"  
not|strong = "H3988" the|strong = "H1980" sunlight|strong = "H0216".



9Faster|strong = "H3823" than|strong = "H4480" a|strong = "H3644"  
thorn-fire heats your|strong = "H2372" pots|strong = "H5518",

h e|strong = "H1980" will|strong = "H8121" come|strong = "H1980"  
with|strong = "H1980" his|strong = "H1980" tempest|strong = "H5591"  
and|strong = "H1980" sweep|strong = "H2498" them|strong = "H8121"  
away|strong = "H1980".

10The|strong = "H2962" sight|strong = "H5869" of|strong = "H2416"  
such|strong = "H3644" vengeance|strong = "H5360" will|strong = "H2416"  
gladden|strong = "H8055" the|strong = "H2962" righteous|strong = "H6662";

t heir|strong = "H3605" feet|strong = "H7272" they|strong = "H2962"  
will|strong = "H2416" wash|strong = "H3526" in|strong = "H5518"  
the|strong = "H2962" blood|strong = "H1818" of|strong = "H2416"  
the|strong = "H2962" wicked|strong = "H7563".

11People|strong = "H1818" will|strong = "H6662" say|strong = "H0559",  
'Yes|strong = "H3588", the|strong = "H3588" just|strong = "H6662"  
are|strong = "H7563" rewarded|strong = "H1580":

y es|strong = "H3588", on|strong = "H2372" the|strong = "H3588"  
earth|strong = "H0776" is|strong = "H7563" a|strong = "H3588"  
God|strong = "H0430" who|strong = "H6662" is|strong = "H7563"  
Judge|strong = "H8199".'

Psalm 59 – A Prayer for Safety

59Save|strong = "H8104" me|strong = "H7971", O|strong = "H1004"  
God|strong = "H7971", from|strong = "H7971" my|strong = "H8104"  
enemies|strong = "H0341";

s e cure|strong = "H8104" me|strong = "H7971" from|strong = "H7971"  
my|strong = "H8104" assailants|strong = "H6965".

2Save|strong = "H5337" me|strong = "H5337" from|strong = "H6965"  
those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H0834" do|strong = "H6213"  
wrong|strong = "H7451",

s ave|strong = "H5337" me|strong = "H5337" from|strong = "H6965"  
the|strong = "H6965" bloodthirsty|strong = "H0582".

3For|strong = "H3588" see|strong = "H7200"! They|strong = "H1992"  
lay|strong = "H7901" ambush|strong = "H0693" for|strong = "H3588"  
me|strong = "H3467",

s trong|strong = "H2388" men|strong = "H0376" are|strong = "H1818"  
banded against|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H3467"

n ot|strong = "H3467" for|strong = "H3588" sin|strong = "H2403"  
or|strong = "H1818" transgression|strong = "H6588" of|strong = "H1818"  
mine|strong = "H5375",

f or|strong = "H3588" no|strong = "H6466" guilt|strong = "H1818"  
of|strong = "H1818" mine|strong = "H5375", O|strong = "H3069" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

4they|strong = "H3588" run|strong = "H7323" and|strong = "H3068"  
make|strong = "H3588" ready|strong = "H3559". Awake|strong = "H5782"!

C ome|strong = "H0935" forth|strong = "H3318" to|strong = "H3068"  
meet|strong = "H7122" me|strong = "H5315", and|strong = "H3068"  
see|strong = "H2009"!

5You|strong = "H7200", O|strong = "H3069" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
of|strong = "H5771" hosts|strong = "H6635",

G od|strong = "H0430" of|strong = "H5771" Israel|strong = "H3478",  
awake|strong = "H5782"!

A nd|strong = "H7200" punish|strong = "H6485" the|strong = "H7200"  
proud|strong = "H1343", every|strong = "H7200" one|strong = "H1097";

s pare|strong = "H2550" none|strong = "H1097" of|strong = "H5771"  
the|strong = "H7200" traitors vile|strong = "H7043". w  
Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

6At|strong = "H3478" evening|strong = "H6153" they|strong = "H3068"  
come|strong = "H3478",

a nd|strong = "H3478", howling|strong = "H3215" like|strong = "H3478"  
dogs|strong = "H3611",

**m**ake|strong="H2603" their|strong="H3605" round|strong="H1471"  
in|strong="H3478" the|strong="H3605" city|strong="H5892".

7Look|strong="H7200" at|strong="H7725" their|strong="H7725"  
venomous mouths|strong="H6310",

**t**ongues|strong="H3956" like|strong="H1993" swords|strong="H2719",

**t**hey|strong="H3611" think|strong="H2803" no|strong="H3808"  
one|strong="H5892"

**h**ears|strong="H8085" them|strong="H7725".

8But|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588", w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,  
laugh|strong="H7832" at|strong="H3427" them|strong="H8085",

**y**ou|strong="H3588" mock|strong="H3932" all|strong="H2009"  
the|strong="H8085" insolent|strong="H5794".

9My|strong="H3605" strength|strong="H5797", I|strong="H3068"  
will|strong="H3068" sing|strong="H7891" to|strong="H3068"  
you|strong="H3605",

**f**or|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068" is|strong="H3068"  
my|strong="H3605" sure|strong="H0539" retreat|strong="H7725".

10My|strong="H8104" God|strong="H0430" with|strong="H3588"  
his|strong="H8104" love|strong="H0157" will|strong="H5797"  
meet|strong="H7122" me|strong="H8104",

**a**nd|strong="H5797" feast|strong="H2282" my|strong="H8104"  
eyes|strong="H5869" on|strong="H8104" my|strong="H8104"  
foes|strong="H7796".

11Slay|strong="H2026" them|strong="H7200" not|strong="H7200",  
lest|strong="H6435" my|strong="H7200" people|strong="H7200"  
forget|strong="H7911",

**l**et|strong="H7971" your|strong="H7200" hosts|strong="H6635"  
keep|strong="H7200" them|strong="H7200" roaming|strong="H7751"  
and|strong="H7200" wandering|strong="H8582".

12In|strong="H5971" their|strong="H2026" sinful|strong="H2400"  
speech|strong="H8193" snare|strong="H4170" them|strong="H3381",  
O|strong="H3069" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*;

a nd|strong="H5971" may|strong="H5971" they|strong="H5971"  
be|strong="H5971" trapped|strong="H0270" in|strong="H5971"  
their|strong="H2026" pride|strong="H1347",

f or|strong="H2428" the|strong="H7911" curses|strong="H7043"  
and|strong="H5971" lies|strong="H3577" that|strong="H5971"  
they|strong="H5971" utter|strong="H2435".

13In|strong="H1697" your|strong="H1697" wrath|strong="H2534"  
make|strong="H6213" a|strong="H3920" clean|strong="H2889"  
end|strong="H6310" of|strong="H1697" them|strong="H1697",

t hat|strong="H1697" people|strong="H5971", to|strong="H1697"  
the|strong="H1697" ends|strong="H7098" of|strong="H1697"  
the|strong="H1697" earth|strong="H0776",

m ay|strong="H8193" know|strong="H3045" that|strong="H1697"  
God|strong="H0430" rules|strong="H4910" in|strong="H1697"  
Jacob|strong="H5608". w Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

14At|strong="H3045" evening|strong="H6153" they|strong="H3588"  
come|strong="H3615",

a nd|strong="H3045", howling|strong="H3215" like|strong="H2534"  
dogs|strong="H3611",

m ake|strong="H3045" their|strong="H3588" round|strong="H5439"  
in|strong="H4910" the|strong="H3588" city|strong="H5892".

15They|strong="H3611" roam|strong="H5128" about|strong="H5437"  
for|strong="H5892" a|strong="H7725" feast|strong="H2282",

a nd|strong="H7725" snarl, if|strong="H0518" they|strong="H3611"  
get|strong="H7725" not|strong="H7725" their|strong="H7725"  
fill|strong="H4390".

16But|strong="H3808" I|strong="H3808" will|strong="H3808"  
sing|strong="H7891" of|strong="H7646" your|strong="H3808"  
might|strong="H1369";

**I** |strong="H3808" will|strong="H3808" ring|strong="H2885"  
out|strong="H3808" your|strong="H3808" love|strong="H0157"  
in|strong="H3885" the|strong="H3885" morning|strong="H1242".

**F** or|strong="H3808" to|strong="H3808" me|strong="H3808"  
you|strong="H3808" have|strong="H7646" been|strong="H3808"  
a|strong="H3808" sure|strong="H0539" refuge|strong="H4733",

**a** |strong="H3808" retreat|strong="H7725" in|strong="H3885"  
the|strong="H3885" day|strong="H3117" of|strong="H7646"  
my|strong="H3808" trouble|strong="H6869".

17My|strong="H1961" strength|strong="H5797", I|strong="H3588"  
will|strong="H1961" sing|strong="H7891" praise|strong="H3588"  
to|strong="H1961" you|strong="H3588",

**f** or|strong="H3588" God|strong="H0430" is|strong="H2617"  
my|strong="H1961" sure|strong="H0539" retreat|strong="H7725",

**m** y|strong="H1961" faithful|strong="H2617" God|strong="H0430".  
Psalm 60 – A Prayer after Defeat in Battle

60O|strong="H3069" God|strong="H0430", you|strong="H5921"  
have|strong="H1732" spurned|strong="H5006" and|strong="H1732"  
broken|strong="H7665" us|strong="H5921",

**r** outing us|strong="H5921" in|strong="H5921" your|strong="H5921"  
wrath|strong="H2534" – restore|strong="H7725" us|strong="H5921"!

2You|strong="H7725" have|strong="H8147" shaken|strong="H4131"  
the|strong="H5221" land|strong="H0776" and|strong="H7725"  
clef|strong="H5585" it|strong="H7725";

**h** eal|strong="H7495" its|strong="H7725" tottering|strong="H1760"  
breaches|strong="H0919".

3You|strong="H7725" have|strong="H1961" made|strong="H6555"  
your|strong="H7725" people|strong="H5971" drink|strong="H8354"  
hardship|strong="H8513",

**a** nd|strong="H7725" given|strong="H5414" us|strong="H7725"  
wine|strong="H3196" of|strong="H7725" reeling|strong="H8653".

4You have given those who fear you a banner,

a rallying-place from the bow, w Selah

5for the rescue of your beloved.

S ave by your right hand and answer us.

6God did solemnly swear:

‘ As victor will I divide Shechem,

and mete out the valley of Succoth.

7Mine is Gilead, mine is Manasseh,

E phraim is the defence of my head,

J udah my sceptre of rule,

8Moab the pot that I wash in,

E dom – I cast my shoe over it,

**I** |strong = "H0589" shout|strong = "H7321" o'er Philistia|strong = "H6429"  
in|strong = "H1696" triumph|strong = "H5937".'

9O|strong = "H3069" to|strong = "H3063" be|strong = "H3063"  
brought|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H3063" the|strong = "H4519"  
fortified|strong = "H1219" city|strong = "H5892"!

**O** |strong = "H3069" to|strong = "H3063" be|strong = "H3063"  
led|strong = "H1980" into|strong = "H3063" Edom|strong = "H0112"!

10Have|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H5921" not|strong = "H3808"  
spurned|strong = "H5006" us|strong = "H5921", O|strong = "H3069"  
God|strong = "H0430"?

**Y** ou|strong = "H5921" do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808"  
march|strong = "H1980" forth|strong = "H7993" with|strong = "H5921"  
our|strong = "H5921" armies|strong = "H6635".

11Grant|strong = "H5414" us|strong = "H5414" help|strong = "H5826"  
from|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H5704" foe|strong = "H6862",

**f** or|strong = "H5704" human|strong = "H0120" help|strong = "H5826"  
is|strong = "H4310" worthless|strong = "H1100".

12With|strong = "H3318" God|strong = "H3808" we|strong = "H0587"  
shall|strong = "H3808" yet|strong = "H3808" do|strong = "H3318" bravely:

**h** e|strong = "H3808" himself|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H6635"  
tread|strong = "H1869" down|strong = "H3381" our|strong = "H3318"  
foes|strong = "H7796".

Psalm 61 – Our God is a Strong Tower

61Hear|strong = "H8085" my|strong = "H1732" cry|strong = "H7121",  
O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H0430",

**b** e|strong = "H1732" attentive|strong = "H7183" to|strong = "H5921"  
my|strong = "H1732" prayer|strong = "H8605".

2From|strong = "H8085" the|strong = "H8085" ends|strong = "H7098"  
of|strong = "H8085" the|strong = "H8085" earth|strong = "H0776"  
I|strong = "H8085" call|strong = "H8085"

**u** nto|strong="H8085" you|strong="H8085", when|strong="H8085"  
my|strong="H8085" heart|strong="H8085" is|strong="H8085"  
faint|strong="H5889":

**l** ead|strong="H5148" me|strong="H8085" to|strong="H8085"  
the|strong="H8085" rock|strong="H6697"

**t** hat|strong="H8085" is|strong="H8085" high|strong="H1116"  
above|strong="H4605" me|strong="H8085".

**3**For|strong="H7121" you|strong="H4480" are|strong="H3820"  
a|strong="H7121" refuge|strong="H4733" to|strong="H3820"  
me|strong="H7121",

**a** |strong="H7121" strong|strong="H6697" tower|strong="H4026"  
in|strong="H7121" face|strong="H6440" of|strong="H4480"  
the|strong="H4480" foe|strong="H6862".

**4**O|strong="H3069" to|strong="H1961" be|strong="H1961"  
guest|strong="H0398" in|strong="H6440" your|strong="H6440"  
tent|strong="H0168" forever|strong="H5769",

**h** iding|strong="H5641" beneath|strong="H8478" your|strong="H6440"  
sheltering wings|strong="H3671"! w Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

**5**For|strong="H5643" you|strong="H5769", O|strong="H3069"  
God|strong="H0430", do|strong="H3671" hear|strong="H8085"  
my|strong="H8104" vows|strong="H5088",

**a** nd|strong="H5769" grant|strong="H5414" the|strong="H1481"  
desires|strong="H0183" of|strong="H3671" those|strong="H1992"  
who|strong="H0834" fear|strong="H1481" you|strong="H5769".

**6**Add|strong="H5414" many|strong="H7227" days|strong="H3117"  
to|strong="H5414" the|strong="H8085" life|strong="H5315"  
of|strong="H8034" the|strong="H8085" king|strong="H4428";

**m** ay|strong="H5414" his|strong="H5414" years|strong="H8141"  
endure|strong="H5975" throughout|strong="H8085" all|strong="H5414"  
generations|strong="H1755".



7In|strong="H8141" the|strong="H5921" presence|strong="H5921"  
of|strong="H4428" God|strong="H0430" be|strong="H3117"  
he|strong="H3117" throned forever|strong="H1755";

**m** ay|strong="H4428" kindness|strong="H2617" and|strong="H4428"  
faithfulness|strong="H0530" watch|strong="H8104" over|strong="H5921"  
him|strong="H5921".

8And|strong="H5769" I|strong="H6440" will|strong="H2617"  
sing|strong="H7891" praise|strong="H5769" to|strong="H6440"  
your|strong="H6440" name|strong="H8034" forever|strong="H5769",

**p** aying|strong="H1576" my|strong="H6440" vows|strong="H5088"  
day|strong="H3117" after|strong="H0310" day|strong="H3117".  
Psalm 62 – Quietness and Confidence

62I|strong="H5921" wait|strong="H0693" alone|strong="H0905"  
in|strong="H5921" silence|strong="H2790" for|strong="H5921"  
God|strong="H0430";

**F** rom|strong="H5921" him|strong="H5921" comes|strong="H0935"  
my|strong="H1732" help|strong="H5826".

2Yes|strong="H3588", he|strong="H4480" is|strong="H5315"  
my|strong="H4480" rock|strong="H6697", my|strong="H4480"  
help|strong="H3444", my|strong="H4480" retreat|strong="H7725",

**I** |strong="H5315" shall|strong="H5315" not|strong="H5315"  
be|strong="H5315" shaken|strong="H4131" too|strong="H4480"  
sorely|strong="H3966".

3How|strong="H3444" long|strong="H7227" will|strong="H3808"  
you|strong="H3808", all|strong="H3605" of|strong="H6697"  
you|strong="H3808", batter a|strong="H3808" man|strong="H0376",

**a** s|strong="H0834" one|strong="H3808" might|strong="H1369"  
a|strong="H3808" leaning|strong="H8172" wall|strong="H2346"?

4From|strong="H5921" his|strong="H3605" height|strong="H6967"

**t** hey|strong="H5921" are|strong="H3117" planning|strong="H2803"  
to|strong="H5704" topple|strong="H5307" him|strong="H5921".

**T** hey|strong = "H5921" take|strong = "H3947" pleasure|strong = "H2656"  
in|strong = "H5921" falsehood|strong = "H8267"; they|strong = "H5921"  
bless|strong = "H1288" with|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H3605"  
mouth|strong = "H6310",

**b** ut|strong = "H3605" inwardly|strong = "H7130" they|strong = "H5921"  
curse|strong = "H7045". w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

5I|strong = "H7613" wait|strong = "H0693" alone|strong = "H0905"  
in|strong = "H7130" silence|strong = "H2790" for|strong = "H7130"  
God|strong = "H0430";

**f** or|strong = "H7130" from|strong = "H4480" him|strong = "H7130"  
comes|strong = "H0935" my|strong = "H7130" hope|strong = "H3176".

6Yes|strong = "H3588", he|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H5315"  
my|strong = "H3588" rock|strong = "H6697", my|strong = "H3588"  
help|strong = "H4480", my|strong = "H3588" retreat|strong = "H7725",

**I** |strong = "H3588" shall|strong = "H5315" not|strong = "H3588"  
be|strong = "H5315" shaken|strong = "H4131" too|strong = "H4480"  
sorely|strong = "H3966".

7On|strong = "H3808" God|strong = "H6697" rests|strong = "H5117"  
my|strong = "H3808" honour|strong = "H3519" and|strong = "H6697"  
safety|strong = "H0983",

**i** n|strong = "H3808" God|strong = "H6697" is|strong = "H1931"  
my|strong = "H3808" strong|strong = "H6697" rock|strong = "H6697",  
my|strong = "H3808" refuge|strong = "H4869".

8Trust|strong = "H4268" in|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921",  
all|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H5921" people|strong = "H5971"  
assembled|strong = "H6950",

**p** our|strong = "H8210" out|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921"  
heart|strong = "H3820" in|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921"  
presence|strong = "H5921";

**G** od|strong = "H6697" is|strong = "H3519" a|strong = "H5921"  
refuge|strong = "H4268" for|strong = "H5921" us|strong = "H5921". w  
Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

9The|strong = "H3605" lowly|strong = "H8217" are|strong = "H5971"  
nought|strong = "H2600" but|strong = "H5971" a|strong = "H6440"  
breath|strong = "H7307",

t he|strong = "H3605" lofty|strong = "H7311" are|strong = "H5971"  
but|strong = "H5971" an|strong = "H6440" illusion:

i n|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H3605" balances|strong = "H3976"  
up|strong = "H8210" they|strong = "H6256" go|strong = "H5971",

t hey|strong = "H6256" are|strong = "H5971" lighter|strong = "H7043"  
than|strong = "H3605" breath|strong = "H7307" altogether|strong = "H3605".

10Trust|strong = "H0982" not|strong = "H5927" in|strong = "H1121"  
gain|strong = "H1215" of|strong = "H1121" extortion|strong = "H6233",

s et|strong = "H5927" no|strong = "H5927" vain|strong = "H1892"  
hopes|strong = "H4723" in|strong = "H1121" robbery|strong = "H1498".

A s|strong = "H5927" for|strong = "H1121" wealth|strong = "H2428",  
if|strong = "H1121" it|strong = "H5927" bears|strong = "H3205"  
fruit|strong = "H6529",

s et|strong = "H5927" not|strong = "H5927" your|strong = "H5927"  
heart|strong = "H3820" upon|strong = "H5927" it|strong = "H5927".

11One|strong = "H3588" thing|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H0430"  
has|strong = "H3820" uttered|strong = "H5414",

t wo|strong = "H8147" things|strong = "H1697" there|strong = "H8033"  
are|strong = "H3820" which|strong = "H2428" I|strong = "H3588"  
heard|strong = "H3588"

t hat|strong = "H3588" power|strong = "H2428" belongs|strong = "H1961"  
to|strong = "H3820" God|strong = "H0430",

12and|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H1696" you|strong = "H3588",  
too|strong = "H4480", O|strong = "H8085" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
belongs|strong = "H1961" kindness|strong = "H2617";

**f** or|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" requite|strong="H5414"  
each|strong="H8147" person|strong="H1696"

**a** ccording|strong="H5921" to|strong="H1696" what|strong="H8085"  
they|strong="H3588" have|strong="H1696" done|strong="H6213".  
Psalm 63 – Athirst for God

63O|strong="H3069" God|strong="H0430", my|strong="H1732"  
God|strong="H0430", you|strong="H1961", you|strong="H1961"  
do|strong="H3063" I|strong="H1961" seek|strong="H1245":

**m** y|strong="H1732" heart|strong="H3820" thirsts|strong="H6770"  
for|strong="H1961" you|strong="H1961",

**m** y|strong="H1732" body|strong="H1320" faints|strong="H3615"  
for|strong="H1961" you|strong="H1961"

**i** n|strong="H1732" a|strong="H1961" parched|strong="H7039"  
and|strong="H3063" waterless|strong="H2215" land|strong="H0776".

2As|strong="H5315" I|strong="H5315" in|strong="H1320"  
the|strong="H4325" temple|strong="H1004" have|strong="H4325"  
seen|strong="H7200" you|strong="H5315",

**b** eholding|strong="H7207" your|strong="H5315"  
power|strong="H3027" and|strong="H4325" your|strong="H5315"  
glory|strong="H3519",

3for|strong="H3651" better|strong="H2896" than|strong="H4480"  
life|strong="H5315" is|strong="H3651" your|strong="H7200"  
kindness|strong="H2617":

**m** y|strong="H7200" lips|strong="H8193" shall|strong="H5797"  
utter|strong="H2435" your|strong="H7200" praise|strong="H1984".

4So|strong="H3588", while|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588"  
live|strong="H2416", I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H2617"  
bless|strong="H1288" you|strong="H3588",

**a** nd|strong="H2617" lift|strong="H5375" up|strong="H5927"  
my|strong="H3588" hands|strong="H3027" in|strong="H2896"  
your|strong="H3588" name|strong="H8034".

5As|strong = "H3651" with|strong = "H3651" marrow|strong = "H2459"  
 and|strong = "H3709" fat|strong = "H2459" am|strong = "H1961"  
 I|strong = "H3651" feasted|strong = "H8354";

w ith|strong = "H3651" joyful|strong = "H7440" lips|strong = "H8193"  
 I|strong = "H3651" will|strong = "H8034" praise|strong = "H1288"  
 you|strong = "H1288".

6I|strong = "H5315" call|strong = "H7121" you|strong = "H3644"  
 to|strong = "H6310" mind|strong = "H5315" on|strong = "H6310"  
 my|strong = "H5315" bed|strong = "H4904",

a nd|strong = "H6310" muse|strong = "H7878" on|strong = "H6310"  
 you|strong = "H3644" in|strong = "H5315" the|strong = "H1984"  
 night|strong = "H3915" watches|strong = "H8104";

7for|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H5921"  
 been|strong = "H2142" my|strong = "H5921" help|strong = "H5826",

I |strong = "H5921" joyfully|strong = "H7321" sing|strong = "H7891"  
 in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" shadow|strong = "H6738"  
 of|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921" wings|strong = "H3671".

8I|strong = "H3588" cling|strong = "H1692" close|strong = "H5980"  
 after|strong = "H1961" you|strong = "H3588",

y our|strong = "H3588" right|strong = "H3225" hand|strong = "H3027"  
 holds|strong = "H4013" me|strong = "H1961" up|strong = "H1961".

9But|strong = "H3225" those|strong = "H5315" who|strong = "H5315"  
 seek|strong = "H1245" after|strong = "H5315" my|strong = "H8551"  
 life|strong = "H5315"

s hall|strong = "H5315" go|strong = "H1980" down|strong = "H3381"  
 to|strong = "H5315" the|strong = "H8551" depths|strong = "H8415"  
 of|strong = "H5315" the|strong = "H8551" earth|strong = "H0776",

10given|strong = "H5414" o'er to|strong = "H1245" the|strong = "H1245"  
 power|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H5315" the|strong = "H1245"  
 sword|strong = "H2719",

o r|strong="H0176" as|strong="H5315" prey|strong="H2964"  
for|strong="H5315" jackals|strong="H8565" to|strong="H1245"  
devour|strong="H0398".

11But|strong="H1961" the|strong="H5921" king|strong="H5921"  
shall|strong="H2719" rejoice|strong="H8055" in|strong="H5921"  
God|strong="H3027":

a ll|strong="H5921" who|strong="H0834" own|strong="H1961"  
his|strong="H5921" allegiance|strong="H3027" will|strong="H1961"  
glory|strong="H3519".

F or|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" mouth|strong="H6310"  
of|strong="H3027" the|strong="H5921" false|strong="H8267"  
shall|strong="H2719" be|strong="H1961" stopped|strong="H5975".  
Psalm 64 – A Prayer for Deliverance from Malicious Foes

64Hear|strong="H8085", O|strong="H3069" my|strong="H1732"  
God|strong="H0430", the|strong="H1732" voice|strong="H6963"  
of|strong="H4210" my|strong="H1732" lament|strong="H5594":

g uard|strong="H2876" my|strong="H1732" life|strong="H5315"  
from|strong="H4480" the|strong="H1732" dread|strong="H6343"  
of|strong="H4210" the|strong="H1732" foe|strong="H6862".

2Hide|strong="H5641" me|strong="H6963" from|strong="H8085"  
villains|strong="H1100" who|strong="H2416" secretly|strong="H5643"  
plot|strong="H2513",

f rom|strong="H8085" the|strong="H8085" blustering  
throng|strong="H1980" of|strong="H6963" the|strong="H8085"  
workers|strong="H6466" of|strong="H6963" evil|strong="H7451",

3who|strong="H7489" have|strong="H7489"  
sharpened|strong="H2300" their|strong="H5641" tongue|strong="H3956"  
like|strong="H3644" a|strong="H6466" sword|strong="H2719",

a nd|strong="H6466" aimed|strong="H1869" bitter|strong="H4751"  
words|strong="H1697" like|strong="H3644" arrows|strong="H2671",

4which|strong="H1697" from|strong="H1697" ambush|strong="H0693"  
they|strong="H1697" launch|strong="H1481" at|strong="H3427"  
the|strong="H1697" blameless|strong="H8549",

s hooting|strong = "H3372" swiftly|strong = "H7031" and|strong = "H2719" unafraid.

5They|strong = "H3808" strengthen|strong = "H2388" their|strong = "H3808" wicked|strong = "H7563" purpose|strong = "H6098",

t hey|strong = "H3808" tell|strong = "H5046" of|strong = "H3372" the|strong = "H3372" snares|strong = "H4170" they|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3808" hidden|strong = "H5641",

t hey|strong = "H3808" say|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3372" themselves|strong = "H0905", 'Who|strong = "H3808" can|strong = "H3808" see|strong = "H7200"?'

6They|strong = "H1697" think|strong = "H7200" out|strong = "H2388" their|strong = "H7200" crimes|strong = "H7451" full|strong = "H4392" cunningly

h idden|strong = "H2934" deep|strong = "H2388" in|strong = "H1697" their|strong = "H7200" crafty|strong = "H6175" hearts|strong = "H3820".

7But|strong = "H3820" God|strong = "H2664" with|strong = "H3820" his|strong = "H7130" arrow|strong = "H2671" will|strong = "H3820" shoot|strong = "H3384" them|strong = "H7130",

s wiftly|strong = "H7031" shall|strong = "H3820" they|strong = "H7130" be|strong = "H3820" smitten|strong = "H5221".

8For|strong = "H1961" their|strong = "H1961" tongue|strong = "H3956" he|strong = "H3384" will|strong = "H1961" bring|strong = "H1961" them|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H1961" ruin|strong = "H2723",

a ll|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H1961" shudder|strong = "H8175" with|strong = "H1961" horror|strong = "H8047" at|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" sight|strong = "H5869" of|strong = "H2671" them|strong = "H1961".

9Then|strong = "H7200" every|strong = "H3605" person|strong = "H7200", touched|strong = "H5060" to|strong = "H5921" awe|strong = "H1481",

a s|strong = "H3605" they|strong = "H5921" ponder|strong = "H6424" what|strong = "H7200" God|strong = "H0430" has|strong = "H3605" wrought|strong = "H6213",

w ill|strong = "H3956" tell|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
tale|strong = "H1899" of|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H3605"  
deeds|strong = "H4611".

10In|strong = "H7919" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
shall|strong = "H7919" the|strong = "H3605" righteous|strong = "H6662"  
rejoice|strong = "H8055",

i n|strong = "H7919" him|strong = "H5046" shall|strong = "H7919"  
they|strong = "H3605" take|strong = "H3947" refuge|strong = "H4733";

a nd|strong = "H3372" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
true-hearted shall|strong = "H7919" glory|strong = "H3519".  
Psalm 65 – Hymn for a Thanksgiving Festival

65It|strong = "H5414" is|strong = "H1732" seemly|strong = "H5000"  
to|strong = "H1732" praise|strong = "H1984" you|strong = "H0859",  
O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H0430", in|strong = "H1732"  
Zion|strong = "H6726",

a nd|strong = "H1732" to|strong = "H1732" you|strong = "H0859"  
shall|strong = "H1732" the|strong = "H1732" vow|strong = "H5088"  
be|strong = "H1732" performed|strong = "H6213" in|strong = "H1732"  
Jerusalem|strong = "H3389".

2O|strong = "H3069" you|strong = "H6726" who|strong = "H0834"  
hear|strong = "H8085" prayer|strong = "H8605",

u nto|strong = "H5088" you|strong = "H6726" shall|strong = "H5088"  
all|strong = "H3605" flesh|strong = "H1320" come|strong = "H0935".

3Our|strong = "H3605" sins|strong = "H2403" are|strong = "H1320"  
too|strong = "H4480" mighty|strong = "H1368" for|strong = "H5704"  
us|strong = "H8085",

o ur|strong = "H3605" transgressions|strong = "H6588"  
you|strong = "H3605" only|strong = "H5704" can|strong = "H1320"  
cover|strong = "H3680" them|strong = "H5704".

4Happy|strong = "H0835" the|strong = "H4480" person|strong = "H5315"  
who|strong = "H0834" you|strong = "H4480" choose|strong = "H0977"



t o|strong="H1697" live|strong="H3427" beside|strong="H4480"  
 you|strong="H4480" in|strong="H1697" your|strong="H4480"  
 courts|strong="H2691".

O |strong="H3069" may|strong="H4480" we|strong="H1697"  
 be|strong="H1697" filled|strong="H4390" with|strong="H1697"  
 the|strong="H4480" joys

o f|strong="H1697" your|strong="H4480" house|strong="H1004",  
 of|strong="H1697" your|strong="H4480" holy|strong="H6944"  
 temple|strong="H1004".

5In|strong="H1004" dread|strong="H6343" deeds|strong="H4611"  
 you|strong="H7126" loyally answer|strong="H6030" us|strong="H7646",

O |strong="H1004" God|strong="H0430" of|strong="H1004"  
 our|strong="H3068" salvation|strong="H3444",

w hom|strong="H0834" all|strong="H7931" ends|strong="H7098"  
 of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H7126" earth|strong="H0776"  
 put|strong="H5414" their|strong="H7126" trust|strong="H0982"  
 in|strong="H1004",

a nd|strong="H1004" islands|strong="H0339" far|strong="H5704"  
 away|strong="H5493".

6By|strong="H3605" your|strong="H3605" strength|strong="H5797"  
 you|strong="H3605" establish|strong="H6965" the|strong="H3605"  
 hills|strong="H1389",

y ou|strong="H3605" are|strong="H7350" armed|strong="H2502"  
 with|strong="H3220" might|strong="H1369";

7you|strong="H2022" still|strong="H5750" the|strong="H3559"  
 roaring|strong="H7581" of|strong="H2022" seas|strong="H3220",

a nd|strong="H2022" the|strong="H3559" turmoil|strong="H7267"  
 of|strong="H2022" nations|strong="H1471",

8so|strong="H3651" that|strong="H1995" those|strong="H1992"  
 who|strong="H0834" live|strong="H3427" at|strong="H3220"  
 earth's|strong="H0776" bounds|strong="H1379"

are awed at your signs:

the lands of the  
the sunrise and sunset

you make to ring  
with joy.

You visit and water  
the earth;

you greatly enrich  
her

with the river  
of God, which  
is full of water.

You prepare the  
corn thereof,

watering her  
furrows,

settling her ridges;

you make her  
soft with showers,

and bless what  
grows thereon.

You crown the  
year with your  
goodness,

your chariot tracks  
drip with fatness.

12The|strong="H8141" desert|strong="H6160"  
pastures|strong="H4999" are|strong="H8141" lush,

t he|strong="H8141" hills|strong="H1389" greened  
with|strong="H2896" joy|strong="H8057".

13The|strong="H4057" meadows|strong="H3733" are|strong="H1524"  
clothed|strong="H2296" with|strong="H2296" flocks|strong="H6629",

t he|strong="H4057" valleys|strong="H6010" are|strong="H1524"  
covered|strong="H3680" with|strong="H2296" corn|strong="H1715";

t hey|strong="H1992" shout|strong="H7321" to|strong="H4057"  
each|strong="H0376" other|strong="H0312" and|strong="H4057"  
sing|strong="H7891".

Psalm 66 – Thanksgiving for National Deliverance

66Shout|strong="H7321" to|strong="H3605" God|strong="H0430",  
all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0776",

2sing|strong="H2167" praise|strong="H8416" to|strong="H8034"  
his|strong="H7760" glorious|strong="H3519" name|strong="H8034",

s ing|strong="H2167" his|strong="H7760" glorious|strong="H3519"  
praise|strong="H8416".

3Say|strong="H0559" to|strong="H3372" God|strong="H0430",  
'How|strong="H4100" dread|strong="H3372" are|strong="H4100"  
your|strong="H3372" works|strong="H4639",

s o|strong="H7230" great|strong="H7230" is|strong="H4100"  
your|strong="H3372" might|strong="H5797" that|strong="H4100"  
your|strong="H3372" enemies|strong="H0341" cringe|strong="H3584"  
to|strong="H3372" you|strong="H4100".

4All|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0776"  
does|strong="H6213" homage|strong="H7812" to|strong="H8034"  
you|strong="H3605",

s inging|strong="H7440" praises|strong="H2167" to|strong="H8034"  
you|strong="H3605",

singing|strong="H7440" praise|strong="H2167" to|strong="H8034"  
your|strong="H3605" name|strong="H8034". w Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

5Come|strong="H3212" and|strong="H1121" see|strong="H7200"  
what|strong="H3372" God|strong="H0430" has|strong="H1121"  
done|strong="H5949",

a we-inspiring|strong="H4172" is|strong="H1121" he|strong="H5921"  
in|strong="H5921" his|strong="H5921" works|strong="H5949"  
among|strong="H5921" people|strong="H1121".

6He|strong="H8033" turns|strong="H2015" the|strong="H5674"  
sea|strong="H3220" into|strong="H2015" dry|strong="H3004"  
land|strong="H3004",

a nd|strong="H8033" people|strong="H5971" cross|strong="H5674"  
the|strong="H5674" river|strong="H5104" on|strong="H5674"  
foot|strong="H7272".

L et|strong="H8055" us|strong="H8055" therefore|strong="H3651"  
rejoice|strong="H8055" in|strong="H8055" him|strong="H8055",

7the|strong="H7311" mighty|strong="H1369" Ruler|strong="H4910"  
eternal|strong="H5769",

w hose|strong="H1471" eyes|strong="H5869" keep|strong="H6822"  
watch|strong="H6822" on|strong="H5869" the|strong="H7311"  
nations|strong="H1471",

t hat|strong="H1471" no|strong="H3808" rebel|strong="H4775"  
lift|strong="H7311" up|strong="H7311" his|strong="H7311"  
head|strong="H7218". w Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

8O|strong="H8085" bless|strong="H1288" our|strong="H1288"  
God|strong="H0430", you|strong="H1288" peoples|strong="H5971";

s ound|strong="H6963" aloud|strong="H6963" his|strong="H8085"  
praise|strong="H8416",

9who|strong="H5315" keeps|strong="H7760" us|strong="H5414"  
in|strong="H5315" life|strong="H5315",

**a** nd|strong="H5315" keeps|strong="H7760" our|strong="H5414"  
feet|strong="H7272" from|strong="H5315" slipping.

10For|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588", God|strong="H0430",  
have|strong="H3588" tested|strong="H6884" us|strong="H3588",

**h** ave|strong="H3588" tried|strong="H6884" us|strong="H3588",  
as|strong="H3588" silver|strong="H3701" is|strong="H3701"  
tried|strong="H6884".

11You|strong="H7760" did|strong="H6213" bring|strong="H7760"  
us|strong="H7760" into|strong="H7760" prison|strong="H1004",

**a** nd|strong="H4975" put|strong="H7760" chains|strong="H8333"  
upon|strong="H7760" us|strong="H7760",

12you|strong="H3318" did|strong="H6213" let|strong="H7971"  
people|strong="H5971" ride|strong="H7392" over|strong="H7218"  
our|strong="H3318" head|strong="H7218".

**W** e|strong="H0587" went|strong="H3318" through|strong="H3318"  
fire|strong="H0784" and|strong="H7218" through|strong="H3318"  
water|strong="H4325",

**b** ut|strong="H4325" you|strong="H3318" led|strong="H3318"  
us|strong="H5414" out|strong="H3318" to|strong="H3318"  
a|strong="H3318" spacious|strong="H7304" place|strong="H7218".

13I|strong="H7999" will|strong="H1004" enter|strong="H0935"  
your|strong="H7999" house|strong="H1004" with|strong="H1004"  
burnt-offerings,

**I** |strong="H7999" will|strong="H1004" pay|strong="H7999"  
to|strong="H1004" you|strong="H7999" my|strong="H7999"  
vows|strong="H5088",

14which|strong="H0834" my|strong="H1696" open|strong="H6475"  
lips|strong="H8193" have|strong="H6862" uttered|strong="H6475",

**a** rid my|strong="H1696" mouth|strong="H6310" has|strong="H1696"  
declared|strong="H1696" in|strong="H1696" my|strong="H1696"  
straits|strong="H4712".

15 I will offer you offerings of fatlings,

with the odour of burning rams,

I will sacrifice bullocks with goats. w  
Selah w\*

16 Come and hear my story

all who fear God –

of what he has done for me.

17 For my mouth had no sooner invoked him

than his praise was under my tongue.

18 Had I cherished sin in heart,

the Lord would never have listened.

19 But assuredly God has listened,

and attended to my loud prayer.

20 Blessed be God,  
 who turned not  
 aside

my prayer,  
 nor withdrew  
 his kindness  
 from me.

Psalm 67 – A Harvest Thanksgiving

67 Bless us, O  
 God, with your  
 favour,

Let the light  
 of your face  
 fall upon us;  
 w Selah

2 that the world  
 may know your  
 way,

and your power  
 to save.

3 Let the peoples  
 praise you, O  
 God;

1 Let the peoples  
 all of them  
 praise you.

4 Let the nations  
 ring out their  
 joy;

for you govern  
 the peoples  
 with equity,

**a** nd|strong="H5971" guide|strong="H5148" the|strong="H3605"  
nations|strong="H5971" on|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0776". w  
Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

5Let|strong="H8055" the|strong="H3588" peoples|strong="H5971"  
praise|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588", O|strong="H8055"  
God|strong="H0430",

**l** et|strong="H8055" the|strong="H3588" peoples|strong="H5971",  
all|strong="H3605" of|strong="H5971" them|strong="H5148",  
praise|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588".

6The|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0776" has|strong="H3605"  
yielded|strong="H2232" her|strong="H3605" increase|strong="H8393"

**b** y|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" blessing|strong="H1293"  
of|strong="H5971" God|strong="H0430", our|strong="H3605"  
God|strong="H0430".

7May|strong="H5414" this|strong="H5414" blessing|strong="H1288"  
of|strong="H1288" ours|strong="H6440" win|strong="H6743"  
people|strong="H5971" to|strong="H5414" him|strong="H5414"

**t** o|strong="H5414" all|strong="H5414" the|strong="H5414"  
ends|strong="H7098" of|strong="H1288" the|strong="H5414"  
earth|strong="H0776".

Psalm 68 – Victory

68God|strong="H0430" arises|strong="H6965", his|strong="H1732"  
enemies|strong="H0341" scatter|strong="H2219":

**t** hey|strong="H1992" who|strong="H0834" hate|strong="H8130"  
him|strong="H1732" flee|strong="H5127" before|strong="H6440"  
him|strong="H1732".

2As|strong="H6440" smoke|strong="H6227" before|strong="H6440"  
wind|strong="H7307" is|strong="H6440" driven|strong="H5127",

**a** s|strong="H6440" wax|strong="H1749" melts|strong="H4549"  
before|strong="H6440" fire|strong="H0784",

**s** o|strong="H6965" before|strong="H6440" God|strong="H0430"  
vanish|strong="H3615" the|strong="H6440" wicked|strong="H7563".



3But the righteous  
rejoice in God's  
presence,

they exult with  
exceeding joy.

4Sing to God,  
make music to  
his name,

his name is  
the Lord w<sup>\*</sup>, praise  
him who rides  
on the clouds,

and exult in  
his presence.

5Father of orphans,  
defender of widows,

his God in  
his holy abode.

6God brings home  
the lonely,

he leads forth  
the prisoner to  
comfort,

so that none  
but the rebel  
lives cheerless.

7God, when you  
went in front  
of your people

in your march  
through the desert, w  
Selah

8earth|strong="H0776" shook|strong="H1607", the|strong="H6440"  
heavens|strong="H8064" poured|strong="H8210" rain|strong="H4306"

**a** t|strong="H6440" the|strong="H6440" presence|strong="H6440"  
of|strong="H6440" God|strong="H0430", Sinai's God|strong="H0430"

**a** t|strong="H6440" the|strong="H6440" presence|strong="H6440"  
of|strong="H6440" God|strong="H0430", Israel's|strong="H3478"  
God|strong="H0430".

9Rain|strong="H4306" in|strong="H3478" abundance|strong="H7230",  
God|strong="H8064", you|strong="H6440" did|strong="H3478"  
sprinkle|strong="H5137",

**r** estoring|strong="H7725" the|strong="H6440"  
languishing|strong="H0535" land|strong="H6440" of|strong="H6440"  
your|strong="H6440" heritage|strong="H5159".

10A|strong="H3559" dwelling|strong="H3427" therein|strong="H4393"  
your|strong="H3559" people|strong="H5159" found|strong="H4672":

**i** n|strong="H5159" your|strong="H3559" goodness|strong="H2898",  
O|strong="H3069" God|strong="H0430", you|strong="H5159"  
did|strong="H6213" care|strong="H3027" for|strong="H3559"  
the|strong="H3559" poor|strong="H6041".

11The|strong="H3559" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
spoke|strong="H1696" the|strong="H3559" glad|strong="H2896"  
tidings|strong="H1319" of|strong="H3427" victory|strong="H8668",

**a** |strong="H3559" great|strong="H2896" army|strong="H3427"  
of|strong="H3427" women|strong="H0802" proclaim|strong="H7121"  
it|strong="H3559":

12Kings|strong="H4428" of|strong="H6635" armies|strong="H6635"  
they|strong="H5414" flee|strong="H5127", they|strong="H5414"  
flee|strong="H5127",

**a** nd|strong="H7227" the|strong="H5414" housewife  
divides|strong="H6536" the|strong="H5414" spoil|strong="H7998":

13dove's|strong="H3123" wings|strong="H3671"  
covered|strong="H3680" with|strong="H1004" silver|strong="H3701"

a nd|strong="H4428" pinions|strong="H0084" with|strong="H1004"  
shimmer of|strong="H4428" gold|strong="H2091",

14set|strong="H7760" with|strong="H7901" stones|strong="H0068",  
like|strong="H3701" snow|strong="H7950" upon|strong="H7901"  
Zalmon|strong="H6756".'

15A|strong="H6566" mountain|strong="H2022" of|strong="H4428"  
God|strong="H0430" is|strong="H4428" the|strong="H6566"  
mountain|strong="H2022" of|strong="H4428" Bashan|strong="H1316",

a |strong="H6566" mountain|strong="H2022" of|strong="H4428"  
peaks|strong="H1386" is|strong="H4428" the|strong="H6566"  
mountain|strong="H2022" of|strong="H4428" Bashan|strong="H1316".

16You|strong="H2022" high-peaked mountains|strong="H2022",  
why|strong="H4100" look|strong="H7200" you|strong="H2022" askance

a t|strong="H2022" the|strong="H2022" mountain|strong="H2022"  
which|strong="H2022" God|strong="H0430" has|strong="H3068"  
desired|strong="H2530" for|strong="H2022" his|strong="H3605"  
home|strong="H1004"

w hereon|strong="H0834" the|strong="H2022" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* will|strong="H2022" live|strong="H3427"  
forever|strong="H5769"?

17The|strong="H3068" chariots|strong="H7393" of|strong="H3068"  
God|strong="H3068" are|strong="H4100" twice|strong="H6471"  
ten|strong="H6235" thousand|strong="H0505":

t he|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* came|strong="H3068"  
from|strong="H3068" Sinai|strong="H5514", his|strong="H3068"  
holy|strong="H6944" place|strong="H7931".

18You|strong="H0859" did|strong="H6213" mount|strong="H2022"  
the|strong="H6944" height|strong="H6967" with|strong="H6944"  
trains|strong="H3925" of|strong="H7393" your|strong="H3068"  
captives|strong="H7617",

a nd|strong="H7393" gifts|strong="H6944" that|strong="H6944"  
you|strong="H0859" had|strong="H6944" received|strong="H3947"  
from|strong="H7393" the|strong="H6944" people|strong="H5971".

**T** he|strong = "H6944" rebels|strong = "H4784" shall|strong = "H7393"  
live|strong = "H3427" with|strong = "H6944" the|strong = "H6944" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* God|strong = "H0430".

19Blest be|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H3947" w  
Lord|strong = "H3050" w\* who|strong = "H0834" sustains|strong = "H5564"  
us|strong = "H5927" daily|strong = "H3117",

**t** he|strong = "H3947" God|strong = "H3050" who|strong = "H0834"  
is|strong = "H4791" also|strong = "H1571" our|strong = "H3947"  
saviour|strong = "H3467". w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

20Our|strong = "H1288" God|strong = "H0430" is|strong = "H3117"  
a|strong = "H3117" God|strong = "H0430" who|strong = "H0834"  
is|strong = "H3117" saviour|strong = "H3467".

**T** he|strong = "H3117" ways|strong = "H1870" of|strong = "H3117"  
escape|strong = "H4422" from|strong = "H3117" death|strong = "H4194"

**a** re|strong = "H3117" known|strong = "H3045" to|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H3117" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* God|strong = "H0430".

21Yes|strong = "H3588", God|strong = "H3069" will|strong = "H3069"  
shatter|strong = "H5310" the|strong = "H3069" head|strong = "H7218"  
of|strong = "H4194" his|strong = "H3605" foes|strong = "H7796"

**t** he|strong = "H3069" rough|strong = "H8181" scalp|strong = "H6936"  
of|strong = "H4194" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H0834"  
strut|strong = "H1980" on|strong = "H4194" in|strong = "H4194"  
their|strong = "H3605" sins|strong = "H2403".

22The|strong = "H1980" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
said|strong = "H0559": 'I|strong = "H1980" will|strong = "H3068"  
bring|strong = "H1980" you|strong = "H1980" home|strong = "H1004"  
from|strong = "H1980" Bashan|strong = "H1316",

**h** ome|strong = "H1004" from|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H1980"  
depths|strong = "H8415" of|strong = "H7218" the|strong = "H1980"  
sea|strong = "H3220",

23that|strong = "H7725" your|strong = "H7725" feet|strong = "H7272"  
you|strong = "H7725" may|strong = "H7725" bathe|strong = "H7364"  
in|strong = "H7725" blood|strong = "H1818",

**a** nd|strong="H7725" your|strong="H7725" dogs|strong="H3611"  
lick|strong="H3897" their|strong="H7725" share|strong="H2506"  
of|strong="H3220" the|strong="H7725" foe|strong="H6862".'

24In|strong="H7272" the|strong="H4480" temple|strong="H1004"  
appear|strong="H7200" God's|strong="H0430" triumphal processions,

**p** rocessions in|strong="H7272" praise|strong="H1984"  
of|strong="H4480" my|strong="H4480" king|strong="H4616"  
and|strong="H1818" my|strong="H4480" God|strong="H0430",

25with|strong="H4428" singers|strong="H7891" in|strong="H4428"  
front|strong="H6440", and|strong="H4428" minstrels  
behind|strong="H0310",

**a** nd|strong="H4428" maidens|strong="H5291" with|strong="H4428"  
timbrels|strong="H8596" between|strong="H0996" them|strong="H7200",  
singing|strong="H7440",

26'You|strong="H8432" of|strong="H8432" the|strong="H8432"  
well-spring of|strong="H8432" Israel|strong="H3478",

**b** less|strong="H1288" the|strong="H8432" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
God|strong="H0430" in|strong="H8432" the|strong="H8432"  
dance|strong="H4234".'

27There|strong="H3068", in|strong="H3478" front|strong="H6440",  
is|strong="H3068" Benjamin|strong="H1144" the|strong="H3068"  
little|strong="H4592",

**t** he|strong="H3068" princes|strong="H8269" of|strong="H3068"  
Judah|strong="H3063" beside|strong="H5921" them|strong="H3478",

**t** he|strong="H3068" princes|strong="H8269" of|strong="H3068"  
Zebulon, princes|strong="H8269" of|strong="H3068"  
Naphtali|strong="H5321".

28God|strong="H0430", show|strong="H7200" your|strong="H8033"  
strength|strong="H5797",

**y** our|strong="H8033" godlike might|strong="H1369",

a s|strong = "H3063" you|strong = "H0859" did|strong = "H3063"  
in|strong = "H3063" the|strong = "H8033" past|strong = "H5674",

29from|strong = "H6680" your|strong = "H6680" temple|strong = "H1004"  
that|strong = "H2098" crowns|strong = "H5850" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389".

**K** ings|strong = "H4428" shall|strong = "H5797" bring|strong = "H0935"  
tribute|strong = "H4503" to|strong = "H6680" you|strong = "H6680".

30Rebuke|strong = "H1606" the|strong = "H5921" beast|strong = "H0929"  
of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5921" reed|strong = "H7070",

t he|strong = "H5921" herd|strong = "H1241" of|strong = "H4428"  
bulls|strong = "H6499", with|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
calves|strong = "H5695" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5921"  
peoples|strong = "H5971".

**T** rample|strong = "H7429" down|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
lovers|strong = "H0157" of|strong = "H4428" lies|strong = "H3577".

**S** catter|strong = "H2219" the|strong = "H5921" nations|strong = "H1471"  
whose|strong = "H0834" joy|strong = "H5921" is|strong = "H4428"  
in|strong = "H5921" war|strong = "H4421".

31May|strong = "H5971" they|strong = "H5971" come|strong = "H5971"  
from|strong = "H2416" Egypt|strong = "H4714" with|strong = "H5971"  
gifts|strong = "H4979" of|strong = "H5971" oil|strong = "H8081",

**E** thiopia|strong = "H3568" haste|strong = "H4116" with|strong = "H5971"  
full|strong = "H4392" hands|strong = "H3027" to|strong = "H5971"  
God|strong = "H0430".

32Sing|strong = "H7891" to|strong = "H3027" God|strong = "H3027",  
O|strong = "H3069" you|strong = "H4480" kingdoms|strong = "H4467"  
of|strong = "H3027" earth|strong = "H0776",

**m** ake|strong = "H3027" melody|strong = "H2172" to|strong = "H3027"  
the|strong = "H4480" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*. w  
Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

33Praise|strong = "H2167" him|strong = "H5414" who|strong = "H7891"  
rides|strong = "H7392" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H2167"  
ancient|strong = "H5769" heavens|strong = "H8064".

**S** ee|strong = "H7200"! He|strong = "H0834" utters|strong = "H5414"  
his|strong = "H7891" voice|strong = "H6963", his|strong = "H7891"  
mighty|strong = "H1368" voice|strong = "H6963".

34Ascribe|strong = "H5414" strength|strong = "H5797"  
to|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414" God|strong = "H5414"  
over|strong = "H5414" Israel|strong = "H8064",

**w** hose|strong = "H0834" strength|strong = "H5797" and|strong = "H8064"  
majesty|strong = "H1926" live|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H6963"  
the|strong = "H5414" skies|strong = "H7834".

35Awe-inspiring|strong = "H4172" is|strong = "H3478"  
God|strong = "H5414" in|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5414"  
holy|strong = "H6944" place|strong = "H5414",

**i** t|strong = "H5414" is|strong = "H3478" Israel's|strong = "H3478"  
God|strong = "H5414"

**w** ho|strong = "H3478" gives|strong = "H5414" strength|strong = "H5797"  
and|strong = "H3478" might|strong = "H5797" to|strong = "H3478"  
his|strong = "H5414" people|strong = "H5971".

**B** lessed|strong = "H1288" be|strong = "H3478" God|strong = "H5414".  
Psalm 69 – A Prayer for Deliverance and Vengeance

69Save|strong = "H3467" me|strong = "H5921", O|strong = "H3069"  
God|strong = "H0430"; for|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
waters|strong = "H4325"

**a** re|strong = "H3117" threatening my|strong = "H1732"  
life|strong = "H5315".

2I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961" sunk|strong = "H2883"  
in|strong = "H5315" depths|strong = "H8415" of|strong = "H4325"  
mire|strong = "H2916",

**w** here|strong = "H0834" ground|strong = "H0776" there|strong = "H5704"  
is|strong = "H5315" none|strong = "H0369".

**I** |strong="H3588" am|strong="H1961" come|strong="H0935"  
into|strong="H4325" deep|strong="H8415" deep|strong="H8415"  
waters|strong="H4325",

**t** he|strong="H3588" flood|strong="H4325"  
overwhelms|strong="H0935" me|strong="H5315".

**I**|strong="H0589" am|strong="H1961" weary|strong="H5889"  
of|strong="H4325" crying|strong="H1058", my|strong="H8104"  
throat|strong="H1627" is|strong="H4325" parched|strong="H7039",

**m** y|strong="H8104" eyes|strong="H5869" are|strong="H4325"  
wasted|strong="H6244" with|strong="H4325" waiting|strong="H8104"  
for|strong="H4325" God|strong="H0430".

**4**More|strong="H3254" than|strong="H4480" the|strong="H7121"  
hairs|strong="H7872" of|strong="H5869" my|strong="H3615"  
head|strong="H7218"

**a** re|strong="H5869" those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H7121"  
wantonly hate|strong="H8130" me|strong="H7121".

**M** ore|strong="H3254" than|strong="H4480" my|strong="H3615"  
bones|strong="H6106" in|strong="H7121" number|strong="H4557"

**a** re|strong="H5869" those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H7121"  
are|strong="H5869" falsely|strong="H8267" my|strong="H3615"  
foes|strong="H7796".

**T** hat|strong="H7121" which|strong="H5869" I|strong="H5869"  
never|strong="H3808" robbed|strong="H1497",

**h** ow|strong="H4100" am|strong="H1961" I|strong="H5869"  
then|strong="H7121" to|strong="H7121" restore|strong="H7725"?"

**5**0|strong="H3069" God|strong="H3808", you|strong="H7725"  
know|strong="H3045" my|strong="H7725" folly|strong="H0200",

**m** y|strong="H7725" guilt|strong="H0817" is|strong="H7218"  
not|strong="H3808" hidden|strong="H5641" from|strong="H7725"  
you|strong="H7725".



6Through|strong = "H4480" me|strong = "H4480" let|strong = "H3808"  
not|strong = "H3808" any|strong = "H4480" be|strong = "H3808"  
shamed|strong = "H0954",

w ho|strong = "H3045" wait|strong = "H0693" for|strong = "H3045"  
you|strong = "H3045", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* God|strong = "H3808"  
of|strong = "H4480" hosts|strong = "H6635".

T hrough|strong = "H4480" me|strong = "H4480" let|strong = "H3808"  
not|strong = "H3808" those|strong = "H4480" be|strong = "H3808"  
confounded|strong = "H0954"

w ho|strong = "H3045" seek|strong = "H3808" you|strong = "H3045",  
O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H3808" of|strong = "H4480"  
Israel|strong = "H3478".

7It's in|strong = "H3478" your|strong = "H1245" cause|strong = "H2600"  
that|strong = "H3478" I|strong = "H3478" have|strong = "H3478"  
borne|strong = "H3205" taunts|strong = "H2778",

a nd|strong = "H3478" my|strong = "H1245" face|strong = "H6440"  
has|strong = "H3478" been|strong = "H1961" covered|strong = "H3680"  
with|strong = "H3478" shame|strong = "H3637";

8I|strong = "H3588" became|strong = "H3205" to|strong = "H5921"  
my|strong = "H5921" kindred|strong = "H4138" a|strong = "H3588"  
foreigner|strong = "H5237",

t o|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H5921" mother's|strong = "H0517"  
sons|strong = "H1121" a|strong = "H3588" stranger|strong = "H1616".

9It|strong = "H1961" was|strong = "H1961" zeal|strong = "H7068"  
for|strong = "H1121" your|strong = "H1961" house|strong = "H1004"  
that|strong = "H1121" consumed|strong = "H3615" me|strong = "H1961",

a nd|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H1961" insults|strong = "H3639"  
they|strong = "H1992" hurled|strong = "H2904" at|strong = "H1961"  
you|strong = "H2114" fell|strong = "H1961" upon|strong = "H1961"  
me|strong = "H1961".

10When|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" chastened|strong = "H3198"  
myself|strong = "H0589" with|strong = "H1004" fasting|strong = "H6685",

t hey|strong="H3588" took|strong="H3947" occasion|strong="H5921"  
to|strong="H5921" taunt|strong="H2778" me|strong="H5921".

11When|strong="H1961" I|strong="H5315" put|strong="H5414"  
on|strong="H1961" a|strong="H1961" garment|strong="H0899"  
of|strong="H5315" sackcloth|strong="H8242",

t hey|strong="H5315" made|strong="H1961" me|strong="H5315"  
the|strong="H1961" theme|strong="H1697" of|strong="H5315"  
a|strong="H1961" taunt-song|strong="H4912".

12Those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H1992" sit|strong="H5414"  
in|strong="H5414" the|strong="H5414" gate|strong="H8179"  
make|strong="H5414" sport|strong="H7832" of|strong="H4912"  
me|strong="H5414"

i n|strong="H5414" the|strong="H5414" music|strong="H2170"  
of|strong="H4912" drunken|strong="H7937" songs|strong="H7892".

13But|strong="H3588" I|strong="H7878" pray|strong="H7878"  
to|strong="H3427" you|strong="H3427", w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

f or|strong="H3427" a|strong="H3427" time|strong="H6256"  
of|strong="H3427" favour|strong="H2580".

I n|strong="H3427" your|strong="H8354" great|strong="H1419"  
love|strong="H0157" answer|strong="H6030" me|strong="H0413";

w ith|strong="H3427" your|strong="H8354" loyal|strong="H0310"  
help|strong="H5826", save|strong="H3467" me|strong="H0413"

14from|strong="H3068" sinking down|strong="H6256"  
in|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" mire|strong="H2916".

L ift|strong="H3068" me|strong="H6030" out|strong="H3318"  
of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" deep|strong="H8415"  
deep|strong="H8415" waters|strong="H4325",

15that|strong="H4325" the|strong="H5337" rushing|strong="H7494"  
flood|strong="H4325" may|strong="H4325" not|strong="H4325"  
drown|strong="H7857" me|strong="H8130",

**t** hat|strong="H4325" the|strong="H5337" deep|strong="H4615"  
may|strong="H4325" not|strong="H4325" swallow|strong="H1104"  
me|strong="H8130" up|strong="H5927",

**n** or|strong="H3808" the|strong="H5337" pit|strong="H0953"  
close|strong="H5980" her|strong="H8130" mouth|strong="H6310"  
upon|strong="H5921" me|strong="H8130".

16Answer|strong="H6030" me|strong="H5921", w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, in|strong="H5921" your|strong="H5921"  
gracious|strong="H2603" kindness|strong="H2617",

**t** urn|strong="H7725" to|strong="H5921" me|strong="H5921"  
in|strong="H5921" your|strong="H5921" great|strong="H1419"  
compassion|strong="H7355".

17Hide|strong="H5641" not|strong="H3588" your|strong="H3068"  
face|strong="H6437" from|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068"  
servant|strong="H5650",

**f** or|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" am|strong="H3068"  
in|strong="H3068" trouble|strong="H6869"; O|strong="H3068"  
answer|strong="H6030" me|strong="H6030" speedily|strong="H4120".

18Draw|strong="H7579" near|strong="H6440" to|strong="H6440"  
me|strong="H6440", redeem|strong="H6299" me|strong="H6440";

**b** ecause|strong="H3588" of|strong="H6440" my|strong="H5641"  
enemies|strong="H6887", ransom|strong="H3724" me|strong="H6440".

19You|strong="H5315" know|strong="H3045" how|strong="H4100"  
I|strong="H5315" am|strong="H1961" insulted|strong="H3637";

**i** n|strong="H5315" your|strong="H7126" sight|strong="H5869"  
are|strong="H5315" all|strong="H1350" my|strong="H6299"  
foes|strong="H7796".

20Insult|strong="H2781" has|strong="H3045" broken|strong="H7665"  
my|strong="H3605" heart|strong="H3820",

**p** ast|strong="H5674" cure|strong="H0622" are|strong="H3045"  
my|strong="H3605" shame|strong="H1322" and|strong="H3045"  
confusion|strong="H1322".

**F** or|strong="H3605" pity|strong="H2347" I|strong="H3045"  
looked|strong="H7200" – there|strong="H3605" was|strong="H3605"  
none|strong="H3605"!

**A** nd|strong="H3045" for|strong="H3605" comforters|strong="H5162",  
but|strong="H3605" I|strong="H3045" found|strong="H3045"  
none|strong="H3605".

21Poison|strong="H2534" they|strong="H3808" gave|strong="H5414"  
me|strong="H4672" for|strong="H6960" food|strong="H3899",

**a** nd|strong="H3820" to|strong="H3820" slake my|strong="H4672"  
thirst|strong="H6772" they|strong="H3808" gave|strong="H5414"  
vinegar|strong="H2558".

22May|strong="H5414" their|strong="H5414" table|strong="H7979",  
outspread, be|strong="H5414" a|strong="H5414" trap|strong="H4170"  
to|strong="H5414" them|strong="H5414",

**a** nd|strong="H7219" their|strong="H5414" peace-offerings  
be|strong="H5414" a|strong="H5414" snare|strong="H4170".

23May|strong="H1961" their|strong="H6440" eyes|strong="H5869"  
be|strong="H1961" darkened|strong="H2821" and|strong="H6440"  
blind|strong="H5787",

**m** ake|strong="H6213" them|strong="H6440" shake|strong="H7493"  
without|strong="H6440" ceasing|strong="H2308".

24Pour|strong="H8210" your|strong="H7200"  
indignation|strong="H2195" upon|strong="H7200" them|strong="H7200",

**l** et|strong="H7971" your|strong="H7200" burning|strong="H2740"  
wrath|strong="H2534" overtake|strong="H5381" them|strong="H7200".

25May|strong="H1961" their|strong="H5921" camp|strong="H4264"  
be|strong="H2195" a|strong="H5921" desolation|strong="H8077",

**i** n|strong="H5921" their|strong="H5921" tents|strong="H0168"  
be|strong="H2195" there|strong="H8033" none|strong="H0369"  
to|strong="H5921" live|strong="H3427".

26For|strong="H3427" those|strong="H3427" whom|strong="H0834"  
you|strong="H8074" struck|strong="H5221", they|strong="H1992"  
persecute|strong="H7291",

and|strong="H3427" those|strong="H3427" whom|strong="H0834"  
you|strong="H8074" wounded|strong="H2491", they|strong="H1992"  
pain|strong="H4341" yet|strong="H5750" more|strong="H1961".

27Charge|strong="H4931" them|strong="H5221" with|strong="H2491"  
sin|strong="H2403" upon|strong="H5921" sin|strong="H2403",

may|strong="H1961" they|strong="H3588" not|strong="H3588"  
be|strong="H3588" acquitted|strong="H5352" by|strong="H2491"  
you|strong="H3588".

28From|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" book|strong="H5612"  
of|strong="H5921" life|strong="H5315" be|strong="H5414"  
they|strong="H5921" blotted|strong="H4229",

may|strong="H5414" their|strong="H5414" names|strong="H8034"  
not|strong="H5414" be|strong="H5414" written|strong="H3789"  
with|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" righteous|strong="H6666".

29Lift|strong="H5375" me|strong="H5973", O|strong="H3069"  
God|strong="H0430", by|strong="H5973" your|strong="H5973"  
help|strong="H5826"

above|strong="H4605" my|strong="H5973" pain|strong="H4341"  
and|strong="H6662" misery|strong="H5999".

30Then|strong="H0227" will|strong="H3444" I|strong="H3444"  
praise|strong="H1984" God|strong="H0430" in|strong="H3444"  
song|strong="H7892"

and|strong="H6041" magnify|strong="H1431" him|strong="H3510"  
with|strong="H6041" thanksgiving|strong="H8426",

31which|strong="H0834" shall|strong="H8034" please|strong="H4994"  
the|strong="H1984" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* better|strong="H2896"  
than|strong="H4480" ox|strong="H7794",

o r|strong = "H0176" than|strong = "H4480" bullock|strong = "H6499"  
with|strong = "H1984" horns|strong = "H7161" and|strong = "H8034"  
hoofs|strong = "H6541".

32The|strong = "H3068" oppressed|strong = "H6231"  
shall|strong = "H3068" rejoice|strong = "H8055" at|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" sight|strong = "H5869".

Y ou|strong = "H3190" who|strong = "H3068" seek|strong = "H1245"  
after|strong = "H0310" God|strong = "H3068", let|strong = "H7971"  
your|strong = "H3068" heart|strong = "H3820" revive|strong = "H2421".

33For|strong = "H2421" the|strong = "H7200" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
listens|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H3824" the|strong = "H7200"  
poor|strong = "H6035",

h e|strong = "H7200" does|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H7200"  
despise|strong = "H3988" his|strong = "H7200" prisoners|strong = "H0615".

34Let|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H8085" heavens|strong = "H8064"  
and|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8085" earth|strong = "H0776"  
sing|strong = "H7891" his|strong = "H3068" praises|strong = "H3068",

t he|strong = "H8085" seas|strong = "H3220", and|strong = "H3068"  
all|strong = "H3068" creatures|strong = "H2416" that|strong = "H3588"  
move|strong = "H5472" in|strong = "H3068" them|strong = "H8085".

35For|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H8064" will|strong = "H8064"  
bring|strong = "H0935" help|strong = "H5826" to|strong = "H3220"  
Zion|strong = "H6726",

a nd|strong = "H8064" build|strong = "H1129" up|strong = "H3220"  
the|strong = "H3605" cities|strong = "H5892" of|strong = "H3605"  
Judah|strong = "H3063",

h is|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971" shall|strong = "H8064"  
live|strong = "H3427" there|strong = "H3605" in|strong = "H3220"  
possession|strong = "H0272".

36His|strong = "H3588" servants'|strong = "H5650"  
children|strong = "H1129" shall|strong = "H5892" have|strong = "H3063"  
it|strong = "H3588" for|strong = "H3588" heritage|strong = "H5159",

**a** nd|strong="H3063" those|strong="H3427" who|strong="H3427"  
love|strong="H0157" him|strong="H3588" shall|strong="H5892"  
live|strong="H3427" therein|strong="H8033".

Psalm 70 – A Cry for Help in Persecution

70Quickly|strong="H4116", God|strong="H0430",  
deliver|strong="H5337" me|strong="H2142",

**h** asten|strong="H2363" to|strong="H1732" help|strong="H5826"  
me|strong="H2142", w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

2May|strong="H3068" those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H3068"  
are|strong="H3068" seeking|strong="H1245" my|strong="H3068"  
life|strong="H5315",

**b** e|strong="H3068" ashamed|strong="H0954" and|strong="H3068"  
confounded|strong="H0954".

3May|strong="H5315" those|strong="H5315" who|strong="H5315"  
delight|strong="H2655" in|strong="H5315" my|strong="H1245"  
hurt|strong="H7451"

**b** e|strong="H5315" defeated|strong="H5221" and|strong="H5315"  
brought|strong="H3637" to|strong="H1245" dishonour|strong="H3639".

4But|strong="H7725" may|strong="H7725" all|strong="H5921"  
who|strong="H0834" seek|strong="H1245" after|strong="H5921"  
you|strong="H5921"

**r** ejoice|strong="H8055" and|strong="H7725" be|strong="H7725"  
glad|strong="H8055" in|strong="H5921" you|strong="H5921".

**M** ay|strong="H7725" all|strong="H5921" who|strong="H0834"  
love|strong="H0157" your|strong="H5921" salvation|strong="H3444"

**s** ay|strong="H7725", 'Glory|strong="H3519" to|strong="H7725"  
God|strong="H0430", evermore|strong="H5769".

5I|strong="H3605" am|strong="H1961" weak|strong="H3605"  
and|strong="H8055" needy|strong="H0034":

**m** ake|strong="H1431" haste|strong="H4116", God|strong="H0430",  
to|strong="H1245" me|strong="H1245".

**Y** ou|strong="H3605" are|strong="H1245" my|strong="H3605"  
help|strong="H3444" and|strong="H8055" deliverer|strong="H3444";

w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, don't|strong="H0408"  
delay|strong="H0309".

Psalm 71 – Forsake me not, when I am Old

71 In|strong="H3068" you|strong="H5769", O|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, I|strong="H3068" take|strong="H2620"  
refuge|strong="H2620",

**l** et|strong="H7971" me|strong="H5769" never|strong="H5769"  
be|strong="H3068" put|strong="H3068" to|strong="H3068"  
shame|strong="H0954".

2 In|strong="H5186" your|strong="H5186" faithfulness|strong="H0530"  
save|strong="H3467" me|strong="H3467" and|strong="H6666"  
rescue|strong="H5337" me|strong="H3467",

**b** end|strong="H5186" your|strong="H5186" ear|strong="H0241"  
to|strong="H5186" me|strong="H3467" and|strong="H6666"  
save|strong="H3467" me|strong="H3467".

3 Be|strong="H1961" to|strong="H1961" me|strong="H3467"  
a|strong="H1961" rock|strong="H6697" of|strong="H6697"  
defence|strong="H4686",

**a** |strong="H1961" fortified|strong="H1219" house|strong="H1004",  
to|strong="H1961" save|strong="H3467" me|strong="H3467";

**f** or|strong="H3588" my|strong="H1961" rock|strong="H6697"  
and|strong="H6697" my|strong="H1961" fortress|strong="H4686"  
are|strong="H1961" you|strong="H3588".

4 Save|strong="H3467" me|strong="H3027", my|strong="H3027"  
God|strong="H3027", from|strong="H3027" the|strong="H3027"  
hand|strong="H3027" of|strong="H3027" the|strong="H3027"  
wicked|strong="H7563",



f rom|strong="H3027" the|strong="H3027" grasp|strong="H3709"  
of|strong="H3027" the|strong="H3027" unjust|strong="H5766"  
and|strong="H3027" cruel|strong="H7563".

5For|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588", w Lord|strong="H3069" w\*,  
are|strong="H3117" my|strong="H3588" hope|strong="H8615",

i n|strong="H3588" whom|strong="H4009" from|strong="H4480"  
my|strong="H3588" youth|strong="H5271" I|strong="H3588"  
have|strong="H3588" trusted|strong="H0982".

6On|strong="H5921" you|strong="H5921" have|strong="H5921"  
I|strong="H5921" leaned|strong="H5564" from|strong="H5921"  
my|strong="H5921" birth|strong="H3205";

f rom|strong="H5921" my|strong="H5921" mother's|strong="H0517"  
womb|strong="H4578" it|strong="H5921" was|strong="H3068"  
you|strong="H5921" who|strong="H0834" did|strong="H6213"  
draw|strong="H7579" me|strong="H5921".

I n|strong="H5921" you|strong="H5921" is|strong="H4578"  
my|strong="H5921" hope|strong="H3176" evermore|strong="H8548".

7I|strong="H1961" have|strong="H1961" been|strong="H1961"  
as|strong="H1961" a|strong="H1961" wonder|strong="H4159"  
to|strong="H1961" many|strong="H7227",

f or|strong="H1961" you|strong="H1961" are|strong="H7227"  
my|strong="H1961" refuge|strong="H4268" and|strong="H5797"  
strength|strong="H5797".

8All|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" day|strong="H3117"  
long|strong="H3117" my|strong="H3605" mouth|strong="H6310"

i s|strong="H3117" filled|strong="H4390" with|strong="H4390"  
your|strong="H3605" praise|strong="H8416" and|strong="H3117"  
your|strong="H3605" glory|strong="H8597".

9Cast|strong="H7993" me|strong="H7993" not|strong="H6256"  
off|strong="H5800" in|strong="H3615" the|strong="H5800"  
time|strong="H6256" of|strong="H6256" old|strong="H2209"  
age|strong="H2209";

**w** hen|strong="H6256" my|strong="H3615" strength|strong="H3581"  
is|strong="H3581" spent|strong="H3615", forsake|strong="H5800"  
me|strong="H7993" not|strong="H6256".

10For|strong="H3588" my|strong="H8104" foes|strong="H7796"  
whisper|strong="H6850" against|strong="H3289" me|strong="H5315",

**t** hey|strong="H3588" who|strong="H5315" watch|strong="H8104"  
me|strong="H5315" take|strong="H8104" counsel|strong="H3289"  
together|strong="H3162";

11'God|strong="H0430" has|strong="H3588" left|strong="H5800"  
him|strong="H7291", they|strong="H3588" say|strong="H0559":  
'pursue|strong="H7291"

**a** nd|strong="H7291" seize|strong="H8610" him|strong="H7291",  
for|strong="H3588" he|strong="H3588" is|strong="H3588"  
helpless|strong="H1800".'

12O|strong="H3069" God|strong="H0430", be|strong="H4480"  
not|strong="H4480" far|strong="H7368" from|strong="H4480"  
me|strong="H4480",

**h** aste|strong="H4116", O|strong="H3069" my|strong="H4480"  
God|strong="H0430", to|strong="H4480" my|strong="H4480"  
help|strong="H5833".

13Put|strong="H3615" my|strong="H1245" foes|strong="H7796"  
to|strong="H1245" shame|strong="H3639" and|strong="H5315"  
dishonour|strong="H3639",

**w** ith|strong="H5315" insult|strong="H2781" and|strong="H5315"  
shame|strong="H3639" be|strong="H5315" they|strong="H5315"  
covered|strong="H5844".

14But|strong="H3605" I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H3605"  
never|strong="H8548" stop|strong="H2308" hoping|strong="H6960",

**a** nd|strong="H3254" more|strong="H3254" and|strong="H3254"  
yet|strong="H3254" more|strong="H3254" will|strong="H3605"  
I|strong="H5921" praise|strong="H8416" you|strong="H3605".

15All|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117"  
 long|strong = "H3117" shall|strong = "H3117" my|strong = "H3605"  
 mouth|strong = "H6310"

**t** ell|strong = "H5608" your|strong = "H3605" faithfulness|strong = "H0530"  
 and|strong = "H3117" your|strong = "H3605" salvation|strong = "H8668",

**t** hough|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" know|strong = "H3045"  
 not|strong = "H3808" how|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588"  
 may|strong = "H3117" be|strong = "H3808" counted|strong = "H5608".

16I|strong = "H2142" will|strong = "H3069" tell|strong = "H5046"  
 of|strong = "H3069" the|strong = "H3069" might|strong = "H1369"  
 of|strong = "H3069" the|strong = "H3069" w Lord|strong = "H3069" w\*,

**a** nd|strong = "H6666" your|strong = "H2142" faithfulness|strong = "H0530"  
 praise|strong = "H1984", you|strong = "H2142" alone|strong = "H0905".

17You|strong = "H5704" have|strong = "H1961" taught|strong = "H3925"  
 me|strong = "H5046", O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H0430",  
 from|strong = "H5704" my|strong = "H5046" youth|strong = "H5271",

**a** nd|strong = "H5046" till|strong = "H5704" now|strong = "H2008"  
 have|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H5704" told|strong = "H5046"  
 of|strong = "H5704" your|strong = "H5046" wonders|strong = "H6381".

18Even|strong = "H1571" in|strong = "H1755" old|strong = "H2209"  
 age|strong = "H7872" and|strong = "H1571" grey hair|strong = "H7872",

**O** |strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H0430", do|strong = "H3605"  
 not|strong = "H1571" forsake|strong = "H5800" me|strong = "H5046".

**S** till|strong = "H5704" would|strong = "H3605" I|strong = "H5704"  
 tell|strong = "H5046" of|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605"  
 might|strong = "H1369"

**u** nto|strong = "H5046" all|strong = "H3605" generations|strong = "H1755"  
 to|strong = "H5704" come|strong = "H0935".

19Your|strong = "H6213" power|strong = "H3027" and|strong = "H1419"  
 your|strong = "H6213" justice|strong = "H6666", O|strong = "H4310"  
 God|strong = "H4310",

**e** xtend|strong="H6213" as|strong="H5704" far|strong="H5704"  
as|strong="H5704" the|strong="H6213" heavens|strong="H4791":

**f** or|strong="H5704" great|strong="H1419" are|strong="H4310"  
the|strong="H6213" things|strong="H1419" you|strong="H5704"  
have|strong="H1961" done|strong="H6213".

**W** ho|strong="H4310" is|strong="H4310" like|strong="H3644"  
you|strong="H5704", O|strong="H4310" God|strong="H4310"?

20You|strong="H7725" have|strong="H7200" caused|strong="H5414"  
us|strong="H7725" to|strong="H7725" see|strong="H7200"  
troubles|strong="H6869" many|strong="H7227",

**b** ut|strong="H7200" you|strong="H7725" will|strong="H7227"  
revive|strong="H2421" us|strong="H7725" again|strong="H7725".

**F** rom|strong="H7725" the|strong="H7200" depths|strong="H8415"  
of|strong="H7227" the|strong="H7200" earth|strong="H5927"

**y** ou|strong="H7725" will|strong="H7227" bring|strong="H7725"  
me|strong="H7725" up|strong="H5927" again|strong="H7725".

21You|strong="H7235" will|strong="H3068" multiply|strong="H7235"  
my|strong="H7235" greatness|strong="H1420",

**a** nd|strong="H5437" comfort|strong="H5162" me|strong="H5437"  
again|strong="H5437".

22So|strong="H1571" with|strong="H3627" harp|strong="H3658"  
I|strong="H1571" will|strong="H3478" praise|strong="H3034"  
you|strong="H3034",

**a** nd|strong="H3478" your|strong="H3034"  
faithfulness|strong="H0530", O|strong="H3034" my|strong="H3478"  
God|strong="H0430";

**a** nd|strong="H3478" make|strong="H6213" music|strong="H2170"  
to|strong="H3478" you|strong="H3034" on|strong="H3627"  
the|strong="H1571" lyre|strong="H3658",

**O** |strong = "H3034" you|strong = "H3034" Holy|strong = "H6918"  
One|strong = "H6918" of|strong = "H3627" Israel|strong = "H3478".

23My|strong = "H6299" lips|strong = "H8193" shall|strong = "H5315"  
ring|strong = "H2885" out|strong = "H7442" their|strong = "H3588"  
joy|strong = "H7442",

**m** y|strong = "H6299" mouth|strong = "H5315" shall|strong = "H5315"  
sing|strong = "H2167" praises|strong = "H2167" to|strong = "H5315"  
you|strong = "H3588";

**a** ll|strong = "H6299" of|strong = "H5315" me|strong = "H5315",  
which|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H8193"  
redeemed|strong = "H6299".

24Yes|strong = "H3588", all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
day|strong = "H3117" long|strong = "H3117" shall|strong = "H3117"  
my|strong = "H3605" tongue|strong = "H3956"

**u** tter|strong = "H1897" your|strong = "H3605"  
righteousness|strong = "H6666";

**f** or|strong = "H3588" ashamed|strong = "H2659" and|strong = "H3117"  
confounded|strong = "H2659" are|strong = "H3117" they|strong = "H3588"

**w** ho|strong = "H3605" were|strong = "H3117" seeking|strong = "H1245"  
my|strong = "H3605" hurt|strong = "H7451".

Psalm 72 – A Prayer for a Just and Glorious Reign

72Give|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414" king|strong = "H4428",  
O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H5414", your|strong = "H5414"  
own|strong = "H1961" spirit|strong = "H7307" of|strong = "H1121"  
justice|strong = "H4941"

**y** our|strong = "H5414" spirit|strong = "H7307" of|strong = "H1121"  
right|strong = "H4941" to|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414"  
son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H5414"  
king|strong = "H4428",

2that|strong = "H5971" with|strong = "H5971" right|strong = "H4941"  
he|strong = "H5971" may|strong = "H5971" judge|strong = "H1777"  
your|strong = "H1777" people|strong = "H5971",

**a** nd|strong = "H4941" your|strong = "H1777" downtrodden  
ones|strong = "H4941" with|strong = "H5971" justice|strong = "H4941".

3May|strong = "H5971" the|strong = "H5375" mountains|strong = "H2022"  
bear|strong = "H5375" weal for|strong = "H5971" the|strong = "H5375"  
people|strong = "H5971",

**a** nd|strong = "H5971" the|strong = "H5375" hills|strong = "H1389"  
yield|strong = "H5375" fruits|strong = "H1061" of|strong = "H2022"  
justice|strong = "H6666".

4The|strong = "H8199" weak|strong = "H2470" may|strong = "H5971"  
he|strong = "H5971" help|strong = "H3467" to|strong = "H1121"  
their|strong = "H5971" rights|strong = "H1779",

**m** ay|strong = "H5971" he|strong = "H5971" save|strong = "H3467"  
the|strong = "H8199" sons|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"  
the|strong = "H8199" needy|strong = "H6041"

**a** nd|strong = "H1121" crush|strong = "H1792" the|strong = "H8199"  
oppressor|strong = "H6231" in|strong = "H1121" pieces|strong = "H1792".

5May|strong = "H1755" he|strong = "H6440" live|strong = "H3427"  
as|strong = "H6440" long|strong = "H6440" as|strong = "H6440"  
the|strong = "H6440" sun|strong = "H8121",

**w** hile|strong = "H5973" the|strong = "H6440" moon|strong = "H3394"  
shines|strong = "H2224" – for|strong = "H6440" ages|strong = "H5769"  
and|strong = "H6440" ages|strong = "H5769".

6May|strong = "H1961" he|strong = "H5921" be|strong = "H1961"  
like|strong = "H3381" the|strong = "H5921" rain|strong = "H4306"  
on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" meadow|strong = "H0260",

**l** ike|strong = "H3381" showers|strong = "H7241" that|strong = "H4306"  
water|strong = "H2222" the|strong = "H5921" earth|strong = "H0776".

7In|strong = "H3117" his|strong = "H3117" days|strong = "H3117"  
may|strong = "H7965" justice|strong = "H4941" flourish|strong = "H6524",

**a** nd|strong = "H3117" welfare|strong = "H7965" abound|strong = "H8317",  
till|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3117" moon|strong = "H3394"  
be|strong = "H3117" no|strong = "H1097" more|strong = "H7230".

8May|strong="H3220" he|strong="H5704" reign|strong="H7287"  
 from|strong="H5704" ocean|strong="H5437" to|strong="H5704"  
 ocean|strong="H5437",

f rom|strong="H5704" the|strong="H5704" river|strong="H5104"  
 to|strong="H5704" the|strong="H5704" ends|strong="H5704"  
 of|strong="H5104" the|strong="H5704" earth|strong="H0776".

9May|strong="H1961" his|strong="H6440" foes|strong="H7796"  
 bow|strong="H3766" down|strong="H3766" before|strong="H6440"  
 him|strong="H6440",

h is|strong="H6440" enemies|strong="H0341" lick|strong="H3897"  
 the|strong="H6440" dust|strong="H6083".

10May|strong="H4428" tribute|strong="H4503" be|strong="H4428"  
 rendered|strong="H7725" by|strong="H7126" kings|strong="H4428"

o f|strong="H4428" the|strong="H7725" isles|strong="H0339"  
 and|strong="H7725" of|strong="H4428" Tarshish|strong="H8659";

m ay|strong="H4428" gifts|strong="H4503" be|strong="H4428"  
 brought|strong="H7725" by|strong="H7126" the|strong="H7725"  
 kings|strong="H4428"

o f|strong="H4428" Sheba|strong="H7614" and|strong="H7725"  
 Seba|strong="H5434".

11May|strong="H1471" all|strong="H3605" kings|strong="H4428"  
 fall|strong="H5307" prostrate|strong="H7812" before|strong="H6440"  
 him|strong="H5647",

a nd|strong="H4428" all|strong="H3605" nations|strong="H1471"  
 yield|strong="H5414" him|strong="H5647" their|strong="H3605"  
 service|strong="H5647".

12For|strong="H3588" he|strong="H3588" saves|strong="H5337"  
 the|strong="H3588" poor|strong="H6041" when|strong="H3588"  
 he|strong="H3588" cries|strong="H7768",

t he|strong="H3588" helpless|strong="H1800" and|strong="H6041"  
 the|strong="H3588" downtrodden.

13He|strong = "H5921" pities the|strong = "H5921" weak|strong = "H1800"  
and|strong = "H5315" the|strong = "H5921" poor|strong = "H1800",

h e|strong = "H5921" saves|strong = "H3467" the|strong = "H5921"  
lives|strong = "H5315" of|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
poor|strong = "H1800".

14He|strong = "H5315" redeems|strong = "H1350" them|strong = "H5414"  
from|strong = "H5315" wrong|strong = "H2555" and|strong = "H5869"  
from|strong = "H5315" violence|strong = "H2555",

f or|strong = "H5315" dear|strong = "H3357" is|strong = "H5315"  
their|strong = "H1350" blood|strong = "H1818" in|strong = "H5315"  
his|strong = "H1350" sight|strong = "H5869".

15Long|strong = "H3117" may|strong = "H5414" he|strong = "H3117"  
live|strong = "H2421";

a nd|strong = "H3117" may|strong = "H5414" gold|strong = "H2091"  
of|strong = "H3117" Sheba|strong = "H7614" be|strong = "H3117"  
given|strong = "H5414" him|strong = "H5414";

p rayer|strong = "H6419", too|strong = "H4480", be|strong = "H3117"  
made|strong = "H5414" for|strong = "H1157" him|strong = "H5414"  
ceaselessly,

a ll|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117"  
long|strong = "H3117" may|strong = "H5414" men|strong = "H3605"  
bless|strong = "H1288" him|strong = "H5414".

16May|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" land|strong = "H0776"  
have|strong = "H1961" abundance|strong = "H6451" of|strong = "H5892"  
corn|strong = "H1250",

t o|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" tops|strong = "H7218"  
of|strong = "H5892" the|strong = "H1961" hills|strong = "H2022"  
may|strong = "H1961" it|strong = "H1961" wave|strong = "H7493".

M ay|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" fruit|strong = "H6529"  
thereof|strong = "H5892" flourish|strong = "H6692" like|strong = "H1961"  
Lebanon|strong = "H3844",



**m** ay|strong="H1961" men|strong="H7218" spring|strong="H6779"  
 from|strong="H1961" the|strong="H1961" city|strong="H5892"  
 like|strong="H1961" grass|strong="H6212" of|strong="H5892"  
 the|strong="H1961" earth|strong="H0776".

17May|strong="H1961" his|strong="H3605" name|strong="H8034"  
 be|strong="H1961" blessed|strong="H1288" forever|strong="H5769",

**m** ay|strong="H1961" his|strong="H3605" fame|strong="H8034"  
 endure|strong="H1961" as|strong="H1961" the|strong="H3605"  
 sun|strong="H8121".

**M** ay|strong="H1961" all|strong="H3605" nations|strong="H1471"  
 envy|strong="H7065" his|strong="H3605" blessedness,

**a** ll|strong="H3605" tribes|strong="H7626" of|strong="H6440"  
 the|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H8121" call|strong="H7121"  
 him|strong="H6440" happy|strong="H0835".

18Blest be the nd Lordnd\* God, Israel's God,

who alone does wonders;

19And blest be forever his glorious name.

Let all the earth be filled with his glory.

Amen and Amen.

20Here|strong="H6311" end|strong="H3615" the|strong="H1732"  
 prayers|strong="H8605" of|strong="H1121" David|strong="H1732",  
 son|strong="H1121" of|strong="H1121" Jesse|strong="H3448".

Book Three

Psalms 73 – Fellowship with God Here and Hereafter

73Yes|strong="H3588", God|strong="H0430" is|strong="H2896"  
 good|strong="H2896" to|strong="H3478" the|strong="H3478"  
 upright|strong="H2896",

**t** he|strong="H3478" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* to|strong="H3478"  
 the|strong="H3478" pure|strong="H1249" in|strong="H3478"  
 heart|strong="H3824".

2But|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H8210" feet|strong = "H7272"  
were|strong = "H7272" almost|strong = "H4592" gone|strong = "H5186",

m y|strong = "H8210" steps|strong = "H7272" had|strong = "H3068"  
nearly|strong = "H1241" slipped|strong = "H8210",

3through|strong = "H7200" envy|strong = "H7065" of|strong = "H7965"  
godless|strong = "H2611" braggarts,

w hen|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" saw|strong = "H7200"  
how|strong = "H3588" well|strong = "H7965" they|strong = "H3588"  
fared|strong = "H1961".

4For|strong = "H3588" never|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H3588" pang  
have|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588",

t heir|strong = "H3588" body|strong = "H1320" is|strong = "H4194"  
sound|strong = "H6963" and|strong = "H1277" sleek|strong = "H3303".

5They|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3808" no|strong = "H3808"  
trouble|strong = "H5999" like|strong = "H5973" mortals|strong = "H4172",

n o|strong = "H3808" share|strong = "H2506" in|strong = "H3808"  
human|strong = "H0120" pain|strong = "H5999".

6So|strong = "H3651" they|strong = "H3651" wear|strong = "H3847"  
their|strong = "H3651" pride|strong = "H1346" like|strong = "H3651"  
a|strong = "H3651" necklace|strong = "H6059",

t hey|strong = "H3651" put|strong = "H5414" on|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H3651" garment|strong = "H7897" of|strong = "H2555"  
wrong|strong = "H2555",

7their|strong = "H3318" eyes|strong = "H5869" stand|strong = "H5869"  
out|strong = "H3318" with|strong = "H3318" fatness|strong = "H2459",

t heir|strong = "H3318" heart|strong = "H3824" swells  
with|strong = "H3318" riotous|strong = "H7588" fancies.

8Their|strong = "H7451" speech|strong = "H1696" is|strong = "H7451"  
mocking|strong = "H6711" and|strong = "H1696" evil|strong = "H7451",

c ondescending and|strong = "H1696" crooked|strong = "H6141"  
their|strong = "H7451" speech|strong = "H1696".

9They|strong = "H6310" have|strong = "H1980" set|strong = "H1980"  
their|strong = "H8064" mouth|strong = "H6310" in|strong = "H1980"  
the|strong = "H1980" heavens|strong = "H8064",

w hile|strong = "H5704" their|strong = "H8064" tongue|strong = "H3956"  
struts about|strong = "H1980" on|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H1980"  
earth|strong = "H8064".

10Small|strong = "H6996" wonder|strong = "H4159" that|strong = "H5971"  
people|strong = "H5971" resort|strong = "H1875" to|strong = "H7725"  
them|strong = "H7725",

a nd|strong = "H7725" drink|strong = "H8354" deep|strong = "H8415"  
draughts of|strong = "H4325" their|strong = "H7725" lore.

11'How|strong = "H3045" does|strong = "H3426" God|strong = "H0430"  
know|strong = "H3045"?' they|strong = "H3045" say|strong = "H0559",

' And|strong = "H3045" has|strong = "H3426" the|strong = "H3045"  
Most|strong = "H5945" High|strong = "H5945" any|strong = "H3426"  
knowledge|strong = "H3045"?'

12See|strong = "H2009"! These|strong = "H0428" are|strong = "H7563"  
the|strong = "H2009" godless|strong = "H2611",

w ith|strong = "H2428" wealth|strong = "H2428" and|strong = "H5769"  
ease|strong = "H7961" ever|strong = "H5769" increasing|strong = "H3254".

13Yes|strong = "H3588", in|strong = "H7364" vain|strong = "H7385"  
have|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H2135" kept|strong = "H2135"  
my|strong = "H7364" heart|strong = "H3824" pure|strong = "H2135",

a nd|strong = "H3709" washed|strong = "H7364" my|strong = "H7364"  
hands|strong = "H3709" in|strong = "H7364" innocence|strong = "H5356";

14for|strong = "H3117" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
day|strong = "H3117" long|strong = "H3117" was|strong = "H1961"  
I|strong = "H3117" plagued|strong = "H5060"

**n** ot|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961" morning|strong = "H1242"  
but|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H3117" was|strong = "H1961"  
chastised|strong = "H3256".

15But|strong = "H2009" to|strong = "H1121" resolve to|strong = "H1121"  
speak|strong = "H5608" like|strong = "H3644" they|strong = "H5608"  
do|strong = "H6213"

**w** ould|strong = "H0014" be|strong = "H1121" treachery|strong = "H4820"  
to|strong = "H1121" your|strong = "H5608" children|strong = "H1121".

16So|strong = "H2063" I|strong = "H3045" sought|strong = "H1245"  
to|strong = "H2803" understand|strong = "H3045" it|strong = "H1931",

**b** ut|strong = "H1931" a|strong = "H2803" wearisome|strong = "H5999"  
task|strong = "H6045" it|strong = "H1931" seemed|strong = "H5869":

17till|strong = "H5704" I|strong = "H5704" entered|strong = "H5704"  
the|strong = "H5704" holy|strong = "H4720" world|strong = "H8398"  
of|strong = "H4720" God|strong = "H0430"

**a** nd|strong = "H5704" saw|strong = "H7200" clearly|strong = "H3045"  
their|strong = "H5704" destiny|strong = "H5769".

18Yes|strong = "H3588", you|strong = "H0859" set|strong = "H7896"  
them|strong = "H7896" on|strong = "H5307" slippery|strong = "H2513"  
places|strong = "H2513";

**d** own|strong = "H5307" to|strong = "H5307" destruction|strong = "H4876"  
you|strong = "H0859" hurl|strong = "H2904" them|strong = "H7896".

19One|strong = "H4480" moment|strong = "H7281" and|strong = "H8047"  
then|strong = "H1961" what|strong = "H4100" a|strong = "H1961"  
horror|strong = "H8047" of|strong = "H4480" ruin|strong = "H2723"!

**T** hey|strong = "H7281" are|strong = "H1961" finished|strong = "H8552"  
and|strong = "H8047" ended|strong = "H1961" in|strong = "H1961"  
terrors|strong = "H1091".

20Like|strong = "H3644" a|strong = "H5782" dream|strong = "H2472",  
when|strong = "H2472" one|strong = "H0259" wakes, shall|strong = "H3548"  
they|strong = "H6754" be|strong = "H1961",

w hose|strong = "H0834" phantoms the|strong = "H5782" waker  
despises|strong = "H0959".

21So|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H3588" bitterness|strong = "H4751"  
of|strong = "H3824" mind|strong = "H3824"

a nd|strong = "H3824" the|strong = "H3588" pain|strong = "H4341"  
that|strong = "H3588" stabbed|strong = "H1856" my|strong = "H3588"  
heart|strong = "H3824"

22show|strong = "H3045" how|strong = "H3045" dull|strong = "H3513"  
I|strong = "H3045" was|strong = "H1961" and|strong = "H3045"  
stupid|strong = "H1198"

j ust|strong = "H3512" like|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"  
beast|strong = "H0929" before|strong = "H5973" you|strong = "H3045".

23But|strong = "H3225" I|strong = "H3027" am|strong = "H1961"  
always|strong = "H8548" with|strong = "H5973" you|strong = "H5973",

y ou|strong = "H5973" have|strong = "H3027" hold|strong = "H2388"  
of|strong = "H3027" my|strong = "H3027" right|strong = "H3225"  
hand|strong = "H3027".

24By|strong = "H3947" a|strong = "H3947" plan|strong = "H6098"  
of|strong = "H6098" yours|strong = "H4191" you|strong = "H3947"  
guide|strong = "H5148" me|strong = "H3947"

a nd|strong = "H3947" will|strong = "H3519" afterward|strong = "H0310"  
take|strong = "H3947" me|strong = "H3947" to|strong = "H3947"  
glory|strong = "H3519".

25Whom|strong = "H4310" have|strong = "H2654" I|strong = "H3808"  
in|strong = "H2654" the|strong = "H5973" heavens|strong = "H8064"  
but|strong = "H3808" you|strong = "H5973"?

A nd|strong = "H8064" on|strong = "H5973" earth|strong = "H8064"  
there|strong = "H8033" is|strong = "H4310" none|strong = "H3808"  
I|strong = "H3808" desire|strong = "H2654" beside|strong = "H5973"  
you|strong = "H5973".

26Though|strong = "H3588" flesh|strong = "H7607" and|strong = "H5769"  
heart|strong = "H3824" waste|strong = "H3615" away|strong = "H3615",

y et|strong="H5750" God|strong="H6697" is|strong="H3824"  
 the|strong="H3615" rock|strong="H6697" of|strong="H3615"  
 my|strong="H3615" heart|strong="H3824",

y et|strong="H5750" God|strong="H6697" is|strong="H3824"  
 my|strong="H3615" portion|strong="H2506" forever|strong="H5769".

27For|strong="H3588" see|strong="H2009"! Those|strong="H3605"  
 who|strong="H3605" are|strong="H4480" far|strong="H4480"  
 from|strong="H4480" you|strong="H3588" must|strong="H4191"  
 perish|strong="H0006",

y ou|strong="H3588" destroy|strong="H6789" all|strong="H3605"  
 who|strong="H3605" are|strong="H4480" false|strong="H8267"  
 to|strong="H4480" you|strong="H3588".

28But|strong="H3605" I|strong="H3605" am|strong="H1961"  
 happy|strong="H2896" when|strong="H3588" close|strong="H7896"  
 to|strong="H2896" God|strong="H3069";

t he|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3069" w\* my|strong="H3605"  
 God|strong="H3069" I|strong="H3605" have|strong="H3605"  
 made|strong="H7896" my|strong="H3605" refuge|strong="H4268",

t hat|strong="H3605" I|strong="H3605" may|strong="H1961"  
 recount|strong="H5608" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605"  
 things|strong="H3605" you|strong="H3605" have|strong="H3605"  
 done|strong="H3605".

Psalm 74 – Lament on the Devastation of the Temple

74Why|strong="H4100", O|strong="H2186" God|strong="H0430",  
 have|strong="H6629" you|strong="H4100" spurned|strong="H5006"  
 us|strong="H6629" forever|strong="H5331"?"

W hy|strong="H4100" smokes your|strong="H4100"  
 wrath|strong="H2534" against|strong="H5921" the|strong="H4100"  
 sheep|strong="H6629" of|strong="H6629" your|strong="H4100"  
 pasture|strong="H4830"?"

2Remember|strong="H2142" the|strong="H2142"  
 community|strong="H5712" you|strong="H2022"  
 purchased|strong="H7069" of|strong="H7626" old|strong="H6924"

t o|strong="H5159" become|strong="H1961" by|strong="H5159"  
redemption|strong="H1353" the|strong="H2142" tribe|strong="H7626"  
of|strong="H7626" your|strong="H2142" heritage|strong="H5159",

Z ion|strong="H6726", the|strong="H2142" mountain|strong="H2022"  
you|strong="H2022" made|strong="H7069" your|strong="H2142"  
home|strong="H1004".

3Rouse|strong="H5782" yourself|strong="H0859", visit|strong="H6485"  
its|strong="H3605" ruins|strong="H4876" complete|strong="H3605".

I n|strong="H6471" the|strong="H3605" temple|strong="H1004"  
the|strong="H3605" foe|strong="H6862" has|strong="H3605"  
made|strong="H3605" havoc of|strong="H3605" all|strong="H3605"  
things|strong="H6944".

4Like|strong="H7130" lions|strong="H3715" your|strong="H7760"  
enemies|strong="H6887" roared|strong="H7580"  
through|strong="H7130" your|strong="H7760" house|strong="H1004",

r eplacing our|strong="H7760" symbols|strong="H2903"  
by|strong="H0801" signs|strong="H0226" of|strong="H7130"  
their|strong="H7760" own|strong="H1961",

5hacking, like|strong="H6086" woodsmen|strong="H2404"  
who|strong="H3045" lift|strong="H5375"

a xes|strong="H7134" on|strong="H4605" thickets|strong="H5442"  
of|strong="H6086" trees|strong="H6086",

6smashing|strong="H7667" with|strong="H1986" hatchets  
and|strong="H6258" hammers|strong="H3597"

a ll|strong="H3162" of|strong="H6603" its|strong="H3162"  
carved|strong="H6603" work|strong="H6603" together|strong="H3162".

7They|strong="H2490" have|strong="H8034" set|strong="H7971"  
your|strong="H7971" temple|strong="H4720" on|strong="H7971"  
fire|strong="H0784",

t o|strong="H7971" the|strong="H7971" very|strong="H3966"  
ground|strong="H0776" they|strong="H2490" have|strong="H8034"  
outraged

t he|strong="H7971" place|strong="H4908" where|strong="H4908"  
lives|strong="H5315" your|strong="H7971" name|strong="H8034".

8They|strong="H3605" have|strong="H3605" said|strong="H0559"  
in|strong="H3162" their|strong="H3605" heart|strong="H3820",  
'Let|strong="H7971" us|strong="H5414" utterly|strong="H8313"  
crush|strong="H1792" them|strong="H8313".'

T hey|strong="H3605" have|strong="H3605" burned|strong="H8313"  
all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" houses|strong="H1004"  
of|strong="H3820" God|strong="H0430" in|strong="H3162"  
the|strong="H3605" land|strong="H0776".

9No|strong="H3808" symbol|strong="H4159" of|strong="H5030"  
ours|strong="H6440" do|strong="H4100" we|strong="H5704"  
see|strong="H7200" any|strong="H5750" more|strong="H5750":

n o|strong="H3808" prophet|strong="H5030" is|strong="H4100"  
there|strong="H3045" any|strong="H5750" more|strong="H5750",

n one|strong="H3808" is|strong="H4100" with|strong="H3045"  
us|strong="H3045" who|strong="H5030" knows|strong="H3045"  
how|strong="H4100" long|strong="H5704".

10How|strong="H4970" long|strong="H5704", O|strong="H4970"  
God|strong="H0430", is|strong="H8034" the|strong="H5704"  
foe|strong="H6862" to|strong="H5704" insult|strong="H2778"?

S hall|strong="H8034" the|strong="H5704" enemy|strong="H6862"  
spurn|strong="H5006" your|strong="H5704" name|strong="H8034"  
forever|strong="H5704"?

11Why|strong="H4100", O|strong="H4100" w Lord|strong="H3225" w\*,  
do|strong="H4100" you|strong="H7725" hold|strong="H2388"  
back|strong="H7725" your|strong="H7725" hand|strong="H3027",

w hy|strong="H4100" keep|strong="H8104" your|strong="H7725"  
right|strong="H3225" hand|strong="H3027" in|strong="H7130"  
the|strong="H7725" folds|strong="H1448" of|strong="H3027"  
your|strong="H7725" robe|strong="H4598"?



12 Yet God is our king from the ancient days,

in the midst of the earth working deeds of salvation.

13 It was you who did cleave the sea by your might,

and shatter the heads of the ocean monsters.

14 It was you who did crush many-headed Leviathan,

and give him as food the beasts of the wilderness.

15 It was you who did cleave the fountains and torrents;

it was you who did dry the perennial streams.

16 Yours is the day; yours, too, is the night,

it|strong = "H3559" was|strong = "H3117" you|strong = "H3117"  
 who|strong = "H0834" did|strong = "H3117" establish|strong = "H3559"  
 the|strong = "H3117" sun|strong = "H8121" and|strong = "H3117"  
 the|strong = "H3117" star|strong = "H3556".

17It|strong = "H3335" was|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H3605"  
 who|strong = "H3605" did|strong = "H6213" fix|strong = "H5324"  
 all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" borders|strong = "H1367"  
 of|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H0776":

s ummer|strong = "H7019" and|strong = "H3605" winter|strong = "H2779"  
 it's you|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" have|strong = "H3605"  
 made|strong = "H3335" them|strong = "H5414".

18Yet|strong = "H3068", for|strong = "H8034" all|strong = "H3068"  
 this|strong = "H2063", the|strong = "H3068" foe|strong = "H6862"  
 has|strong = "H3068" insulted|strong = "H3637" you|strong = "H5971", w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

a nd|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H3068" nation|strong = "H5971"  
 of|strong = "H3068" fools|strong = "H5036" has|strong = "H3068"  
 reviled|strong = "H2778" your|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034".

19Do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H5414" give|strong = "H5414"  
 your|strong = "H5414" dove|strong = "H3123" to|strong = "H5414"  
 the|strong = "H5414" beasts|strong = "H2416",

d o|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H5414" forget|strong = "H7911"  
 your|strong = "H5414" afflicted|strong = "H6041" forever|strong = "H5331".

20Look|strong = "H5027" to|strong = "H1285" the|strong = "H3588"  
 sleek|strong = "H3303" ones|strong = "H2945" – how|strong = "H3588"  
 full|strong = "H4390" they|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H4390":

t he|strong = "H3588" dark|strong = "H4285" places|strong = "H4285"  
 of|strong = "H4390" earth|strong = "H0776" are|strong = "H4390"  
 the|strong = "H3588" dwellings|strong = "H4186" of|strong = "H4390"  
 violence|strong = "H2555".

21O|strong = "H8034" let|strong = "H7725" not|strong = "H7725"  
 the|strong = "H7725" downtrodden turn|strong = "H7725"  
 back|strong = "H7725" ashamed|strong = "H3637":

Let the poor sing  
and the needy  
praise to  
your name.

22 Arise, God, and defend  
your cause:

Remember how fools  
all the day  
insult you.

23 Do not forget  
the uproar of  
your enemies,

the din of  
your foes that  
ascends evermore.

Psalm 75 – God the Judge

75 We praise you,  
God, we praise you,  
you:

We would call  
on your name  
and declare  
your wonders.

2 At the time  
I choose,

I will judge  
fairly.

3 Though earth melt  
and all her  
inhabitants,

it is I who keep  
steady her  
pillars. w Selah w\*

4I|strong = "H3605" say|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3427"  
the|strong = "H3605" boasters|strong = "H0907", 'Boast|strong = "H1984"  
not';

t o|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3605" wicked|strong = "H7563",  
'Lift|strong = "H5375" not|strong = "H3808" up|strong = "H3427"  
your|strong = "H3605" horn|strong = "H7161":

5lift|strong = "H7311" not|strong = "H3808" your|strong = "H7311"  
horn|strong = "H7161" on|strong = "H7161" high|strong = "H7311",

s peak|strong = "H1696" not|strong = "H3808" boldly|strong = "H7311"  
against|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H1984" Rock|strong = "H6697".'

6For|strong = "H7311" not|strong = "H1696" from|strong = "H4480"  
east|strong = "H6921" nor|strong = "H3808" west|strong = "H3220",

n ot|strong = "H1696" from|strong = "H4480" desert|strong = "H6160"  
nor|strong = "H3808" mountains|strong = "H2022";

7but|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H3808" himself|strong = "H3808"  
is|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H3588" judge|strong = "H8199",

h umbling|strong = "H6031" one|strong = "H3808" and|strong = "H4057"  
exalting|strong = "H5375" another|strong = "H3808".

8In|strong = "H2088" the|strong = "H3588" hand|strong = "H3027"  
of|strong = "H8199" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
is|strong = "H2088" a|strong = "H3588" cup|strong = "H3563"

f oaming wine|strong = "H3196", richly|strong = "H3966"  
spiced|strong = "H7544".

O ut|strong = "H3318" of|strong = "H8199" this|strong = "H2088"  
he|strong = "H3588" pours|strong = "H8210" a|strong = "H3588" draught,

a nd|strong = "H2088" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3588"  
wicked|strong = "H7563" of|strong = "H8199" earth|strong = "H0776"

m ust|strong = "H4191" drain|strong = "H4680" it|strong = "H3588"  
down|strong = "H8213" to|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
dregs|strong = "H8105".

9But I will  
rejoice forever,

singing praise to  
the God of  
Jacob.

10I will hew  
all the horns  
of the wicked,

but the horns  
of the just  
shall be lifted.

Psalm 76 – A Song of Victory

76God has made  
himself known  
in Judah,

his name is  
great in Israel.

2His tent is  
in Salem,

his dwelling is  
in Zion.

3There he broke  
the lightning  
arrows,

shield, sword, and  
weapons of war.  
Selah

4Terrible is  
your splendour

on the everlasting  
mountains.

5 Despoiled **were** the **heart** of **stout**;

**in** the **sleep** into **which** they **had** fallen,

**none** of the **warriors**

**could** lift **a** hand.

6 At **your** **rebuke**, **God** of **Jacob**,

**sank** **chariot** and **horse** to **sleep**.

7 **Awful** are **you**: **who** can stand

**before** **you**, **when** **once** **you** are **angry**?

8 The **judgment** **you** gave **from** **heaven**

**rightened** the **earth** into **silence**,

9 **when** **God** arose **to** **judgment**

**to** **save** the **oppressed** of the **earth**. **w** Selah **w\***

10 The **fiercest** **will** **praise** **you**,

t o|strong="H6965" you|strong="H3605" will|strong="H6035"  
the|strong="H3605" remnant|strong="H7611" hold|strong="H6965"  
festival|strong="H2282".

11Vow|strong="H5088" and|strong="H3034" pay|strong="H7999"  
to|strong="H2534" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* your|strong="H3588"  
God|strong="H0430",

a nd|strong="H3034" let|strong="H7971" all|strong="H3605"  
who|strong="H3588" are|strong="H3117" round|strong="H5439"  
him|strong="H3588" bring|strong="H0935" presents|strong="H7126".

12He|strong="H3068" lops off|strong="H3772" the|strong="H3605"  
courage|strong="H2388" of|strong="H3068" princes|strong="H8269",

a nd|strong="H3068" with|strong="H3068" terror|strong="H4172"  
fills|strong="H4390" kings|strong="H4428" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0776".

Psalm 77 – A Prayer for Preservation as in the Days of Old

77Loudly|strong="H6963" will|strong="H3068" I|strong="H5921"  
lift|strong="H5375" my|strong="H5921" cry|strong="H7121"  
to|strong="H5921" God|strong="H0430",

l oudly|strong="H6963" to|strong="H5921" God|strong="H0430",  
so|strong="H5921" he|strong="H5921" hears|strong="H8085"  
to|strong="H5921" me|strong="H5921".

2In|strong="H6963" the|strong="H6963" day|strong="H3117"  
of|strong="H6963" my|strong="H6963" trouble|strong="H6869"  
I|strong="H6963" seek|strong="H1245" the|strong="H6963" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*;

i n|strong="H6963" the|strong="H6963" night|strong="H3915"  
I|strong="H6963" lift|strong="H5375" my|strong="H6963"  
hands|strong="H3027" in|strong="H6963" prayer|strong="H8605",

r efusing|strong="H3985" all|strong="H6817" comfort|strong="H5162".

3When|strong="H3117" I|strong="H3117" think|strong="H5162"  
of|strong="H3117" God|strong="H3808", I|strong="H3117"  
moan|strong="H1897";

w hen|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117" muse|strong = "H7878",  
my|strong = "H3027" spirit|strong = "H5315" is|strong = "H5315"  
faint|strong = "H5889". w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

4When|strong = "H2142" you|strong = "H7307" hold|strong = "H2142"  
my|strong = "H2142" eyes|strong = "H5869" awake|strong = "H5782",

a nd|strong = "H7307" I|strong = "H7878" am|strong = "H1961"  
restless|strong = "H7300" and|strong = "H7307" speechless|strong = "H0481",

5I|strong = "H3808" think|strong = "H5869" of|strong = "H5869"  
the|strong = "H1696" days|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H5869"  
old|strong = "H1121",

c all|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H1696" mind|strong = "H3808"  
distant|strong = "H7350" years|strong = "H8141".

6I|strong = "H3117" commune|strong = "H1696" with|strong = "H3117"  
my|strong = "H2803" heart|strong = "H3820" in|strong = "H8141"  
the|strong = "H3117" night|strong = "H3915",

I |strong = "H3117" muse|strong = "H7878" with|strong = "H3117"  
inquiring spirit|strong = "H7307".

7'Will|strong = "H7307" the|strong = "H2142" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
cast|strong = "H7993" us|strong = "H2142" off|strong = "H5973"  
forever|strong = "H5769",

w ill|strong = "H7307" he|strong = "H7307" be|strong = "H7307"  
gracious|strong = "H2603" no|strong = "H3808" more|strong = "H3254"?

8Has|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3808" love|strong = "H0157"  
vanished|strong = "H5628" forever|strong = "H5769"?

I s|strong = "H3808" his|strong = "H3808" faithfulness|strong = "H0530"  
utterly|strong = "H2763" gone|strong = "H3808"?

9Has|strong = "H5331" God|strong = "H0430" forgotten|strong = "H7911"  
to|strong = "H1755" be|strong = "H5331" gracious|strong = "H2603",



o r|strong="H0176" in|strong="H1755" anger|strong="H0639"  
withheld|strong="H4513" his|strong="H3605"  
compassion|strong="H7355"? w Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

10Then|strong="H0227" I|strong="H0589" said|strong="H0559",  
'This|strong="H2088" it|strong="H5414" is|strong="H0369"  
that|strong="H0834" grieves me|strong="H7911",

t hat|strong="H0834" the|strong="H7911" hand|strong="H3027"  
of|strong="H1121" the|strong="H7911" Most|strong="H6944"  
High|strong="H1116" has|strong="H3068" changed|strong="H8133".

11I|strong="H8141" will|strong="H1931" think|strong="H2803"  
of|strong="H8141" the|strong="H8141" deeds|strong="H4611"  
of|strong="H8141" the|strong="H8141" w Lord|strong="H3225" w\*,

a nd|strong="H8141" remember|strong="H2142" your|strong="H2470"  
wonders|strong="H4159" of|strong="H8141" old|strong="H8141".

12I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3588" muse|strong="H7878"  
on|strong="H6924" all|strong="H3605" you|strong="H3588"  
have|strong="H3588" wrought|strong="H6213",

a nd|strong="H2142" meditate|strong="H7878" on|strong="H6924"  
your|strong="H3588" deeds|strong="H4611".

13Then|strong="H3605" your|strong="H3605" way|strong="H3605",  
O|strong="H3069" God|strong="H0430", was|strong="H3605"  
majestic|strong="H0117":

w hat|strong="H6467" God|strong="H0430" was|strong="H3605"  
great|strong="H1419" as|strong="H3605" our|strong="H3605"  
God|strong="H0430"?

14You|strong="H1870" were|strong="H1419" a|strong="H1419"  
God|strong="H4310" who|strong="H4310" did|strong="H6213"  
marvels|strong="H4159",

y ou|strong="H1870" did|strong="H6213" show|strong="H7200"  
your|strong="H1870" power|strong="H3027" to|strong="H1870"  
the|strong="H1870" world|strong="H8398"

15by|strong="H6213" your|strong="H3045" arm|strong="H2220"  
you|strong="H6213" rescued|strong="H5337" your|strong="H3045"  
people|strong="H5971",

t he|strong="H6213" children|strong="H1121" of|strong="H5971"  
Jacob|strong="H3290" and|strong="H5971" Joseph|strong="H5971". w  
Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

16The|strong="H1121" waters|strong="H4325" saw|strong="H3290"  
you|strong="H5971", O|strong="H3069" God|strong="H0430".

T he|strong="H1121" waters|strong="H4325" saw|strong="H3290"  
you|strong="H5971" and|strong="H1121" shivered;

t o|strong="H1121" their|strong="H3290" depths|strong="H8415"  
they|strong="H5971" trembled|strong="H2729".

17Clouds|strong="H5645" poured|strong="H8210"  
torrents|strong="H5158" of|strong="H4325" water|strong="H4325",

t hunder|strong="H6963" rolled|strong="H1556" in|strong="H7200"  
the|strong="H7200" sky|strong="H8064",

y our|strong="H7200" arrows|strong="H2671" sped|strong="H1675"  
to|strong="H4325" and|strong="H7200" fro|strong="H7751".

18Loud|strong="H1419" was|strong="H6963" the|strong="H5414"  
roll|strong="H4039" of|strong="H6963" your|strong="H5414"  
thunder|strong="H6963",

l ightnings|strong="H1300" lit|strong="H0215" up|strong="H5414"  
the|strong="H5414" world|strong="H8398".

E arth|strong="H0776" quaked|strong="H7493" and|strong="H1980"  
trembled|strong="H2729".

19In|strong="H6963" your|strong="H3068" way|strong="H1870", w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, through|strong="H6963" the|strong="H6963"  
sea|strong="H3220",

**i** n|strong="H6963" your|strong="H3068" path|strong="H0734"  
through|strong="H6963" the|strong="H6963" mighty|strong="H1368"  
waters|strong="H4325",

**y** our|strong="H3068" footsteps|strong="H1870" were|strong="H8398"  
all|strong="H7493" unseen.

20You|strong="H3045" did|strong="H3808" guide|strong="H5148"  
your|strong="H3045" folk|strong="H5971" like|strong="H1870"  
a|strong="H3808" flock|strong="H6629"

**b** y|strong="H1870" the|strong="H3045" hand|strong="H3027"  
of|strong="H1870" Moses|strong="H3808" and|strong="H1870"  
Aaron|strong="H0175".

Psalm 78 – The Warnings of History

78My|strong="H5186" people|strong="H5971", attend|strong="H7181"  
to|strong="H6310" my|strong="H5186" teaching|strong="H8451":

**b** end|strong="H5186" your|strong="H5186" ears|strong="H0241"  
to|strong="H6310" the|strong="H5186" words|strong="H6310"  
of|strong="H6310" my|strong="H5186" mouth|strong="H6310",

2a|strong="H6310" I|strong="H4480" open|strong="H6605"  
my|strong="H6605" mouth|strong="H6310" in|strong="H6310"  
a|strong="H4480" poem

**o** n|strong="H4480" the|strong="H4480" riddling story|strong="H4605"  
of|strong="H6310" the|strong="H4480" past|strong="H6924".

3What|strong="H3045" we|strong="H8085" have|strong="H3045"  
heard|strong="H8085" and|strong="H8085" known|strong="H3045",

**a** nd|strong="H8085" what|strong="H3045" our|strong="H8085"  
ancestors|strong="H0001" have|strong="H3045" told|strong="H5608"  
us|strong="H3045",

4we|strong="H6213" will|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808"  
hide|strong="H3582" from|strong="H1121" their|strong="H3068"  
children|strong="H1121".

W e|strong = "H6213" will|strong = "H3068" tell|strong = "H5608"  
to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6213" next|strong = "H4283"  
generation|strong = "H1755"

t he|strong = "H6213" praises|strong = "H8416" and|strong = "H1121"  
might|strong = "H3068" of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H6213" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

a nd|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H6213" wonders|strong = "H6381"  
that|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H6213" has|strong = "H3068"  
done|strong = "H6213".

5He|strong = "H3478" set|strong = "H7760" up|strong = "H6965"  
a|strong = "H7760" testimony|strong = "H5715" in|strong = "H3478"  
Jacob|strong = "H3290",

a |strong = "H7760" law|strong = "H8451" he|strong = "H3478"  
appointed|strong = "H7760" in|strong = "H3478" Israel|strong = "H3478",

w hich|strong = "H3478" he|strong = "H3478"  
commanded|strong = "H6680" our|strong = "H6680"  
ancestors|strong = "H0001"

t o|strong = "H3478" make|strong = "H7760" known|strong = "H3045"  
to|strong = "H3478" their|strong = "H7760" children|strong = "H1121",

6that|strong = "H3045" the|strong = "H3205" next|strong = "H4283"  
generation|strong = "H1755" should|strong = "H5608"  
know|strong = "H3045" it|strong = "H3045",

t hat|strong = "H3045" the|strong = "H3205" children|strong = "H1121"  
yet|strong = "H5750" to|strong = "H3205" be|strong = "H1121"  
born|strong = "H3205"

s hould|strong = "H5608" arise|strong = "H6965" and|strong = "H1121"  
tell|strong = "H5608" their|strong = "H3045" children|strong = "H1121";

7that|strong = "H3808" in|strong = "H3808" God|strong = "H3808"  
they|strong = "H3808" might|strong = "H1369" put|strong = "H7760"  
their|strong = "H7760" confidence|strong = "H3689",

a nd|strong = "H4687" not|strong = "H3808" forget|strong = "H7911"  
God's|strong = "H0430" works|strong = "H4611";

**b** ut|strong="H3808" that|strong="H3808" they|strong="H3808" might|strong="H1369" keep|strong="H5341" his|strong="H7760" commandments|strong="H4687",

and|strong="H3820" not|strong="H3808" be|strong="H1961" like|strong="H1961" their|strong="H3559" ancestors|strong="H0001",

**a** |strong="H1961" generation|strong="H1755" defiant and|strong="H3820" stubborn|strong="H5637",

**a** |strong="H1961" generation|strong="H1755" with|strong="H3820" heart|strong="H3820" unsteady|strong="H4571",

**a** nd|strong="H3820" spirit|strong="H7307" unfaithful|strong="H4603" towards God|strong="H3808".

9Ephraimites|strong="H0669", armed|strong="H5401" bowmen|strong="H7198",

**t** urned|strong="H2015" back|strong="H2015" in|strong="H3117" the|strong="H3117" day|strong="H3117" of|strong="H1121" battle|strong="H7128".

10They|strong="H3808" did|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808" keep|strong="H8104" God's|strong="H0430" covenant|strong="H1285",

**t** hey|strong="H3808" refused|strong="H3985" to|strong="H3212" walk|strong="H3212" in|strong="H3212" his|strong="H8104" law|strong="H8451".

11They|strong="H7911" forgot|strong="H7911" what|strong="H7200" he|strong="H7200" had|strong="H3068" done|strong="H5949",

**a** nd|strong="H7200" the|strong="H7200" wonders|strong="H6381" he|strong="H7200" had|strong="H3068" shown|strong="H7200" them|strong="H7200".

12He|strong="H6213" did|strong="H6213" wonders|strong="H6382" before|strong="H5048" their|strong="H6213" ancestors|strong="H0001"

i n|strong="H6213" the|strong="H6213" country|strong="H7704"  
of|strong="H7704" Zoan|strong="H6814" in|strong="H6213"  
Egypt|strong="H4714".

13Through|strong="H5674" the|strong="H5674" sea|strong="H3220"  
which|strong="H4325" he|strong="H3220" split|strong="H1234"  
he|strong="H3220" brought|strong="H5674" them|strong="H5674",

m aking|strong="H6213" waters|strong="H4325" stand|strong="H5324"  
up|strong="H5324" like|strong="H3644" a|strong="H3644"  
heap|strong="H5067";

14he|strong="H3605" led|strong="H5148" them|strong="H5148"  
by|strong="H6051" day|strong="H3119" with|strong="H3605"  
a|strong="H3605" cloud|strong="H6051",

a ll|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" night|strong="H3915"  
with|strong="H3605" a|strong="H3605" light|strong="H0216"  
of|strong="H3605" fire|strong="H0784".

15From|strong="H7227" the|strong="H8248" rocks|strong="H6697"  
which|strong="H4057" he|strong="H4057" split|strong="H1234"  
in|strong="H7227" the|strong="H8248" wilderness|strong="H4057",

h e|strong="H4057" gave|strong="H8248" them|strong="H8248"  
to|strong="H7227" drink|strong="H8248" as|strong="H4057"  
of|strong="H4057" ocean's abundance|strong="H7227".

16He|strong="H3318" brought|strong="H3318"  
streams|strong="H5104" out|strong="H3318" of|strong="H4325"  
the|strong="H3318" rock|strong="H5553",

a nd|strong="H3318" made|strong="H6213" water|strong="H4325"  
run|strong="H3381" down|strong="H3381" like|strong="H3318"  
rivers|strong="H5104".

17Yet|strong="H5750" they|strong="H1992" still|strong="H5750"  
went|strong="H3254" on|strong="H5921" sinning|strong="H2398"  
against|strong="H2398" him|strong="H2398",

t hey|strong="H1992" defied|strong="H2778" the|strong="H3254"  
Most|strong="H5945" High|strong="H5945" in|strong="H5750"  
the|strong="H3254" desert|strong="H6723".

18They wilfully challenged God,

demanding the food that they longed for.

19'Is God able,' such was their challenge,

'to spread in the desert a table?'

20From the rock that he struck there gushed water,

and torrents that overflowed;

but can he also give bread,

or provide his people with meat?'

21When the Lord heard this, he was furious,

and fire was kindled on Jacob,

anger flared up against Israel.

22For they put no trust in God,

**n** o|strong = "H3808" confidence|strong = "H4009" in|strong = "H3808"  
his|strong = "H3588" help|strong = "H3444".

23So|strong = "H6680" he|strong = "H6680" summoned|strong = "H7121"  
the|strong = "H6680" clouds|strong = "H7834" above|strong = "H4605";

**a** nd|strong = "H8064", opening|strong = "H1817" the|strong = "H6680"  
doors|strong = "H1817" of|strong = "H1817" heaven|strong = "H8064",

24he|strong = "H5414" rained|strong = "H4305" manna|strong = "H4478"  
upon|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5414" for|strong = "H5921"  
food|strong = "H1715",

**a** nd|strong = "H8064" grain|strong = "H1715" of|strong = "H5921"  
heaven|strong = "H8064" he|strong = "H5414" gave|strong = "H5414"  
them|strong = "H5414".

25Everyone|strong = "H3605" ate|strong = "H0398" the|strong = "H7971"  
bread|strong = "H3899" of|strong = "H3899" angels|strong = "H4397";

**h** e|strong = "H7971" sent|strong = "H7971" them|strong = "H1992"  
food|strong = "H3899" to|strong = "H7971" the|strong = "H7971"  
full|strong = "H7648".

26He|strong = "H8064" launched|strong = "H0631" the|strong = "H5090"  
east|strong = "H6921" wind|strong = "H6921" in|strong = "H8064"  
the|strong = "H5090" heavens|strong = "H8064",

**a** nd|strong = "H8064" guided|strong = "H5090" the|strong = "H5090"  
south|strong = "H8486" by|strong = "H8064" his|strong = "H5090"  
power|strong = "H5797".

27He|strong = "H5921" rained|strong = "H4305" meat|strong = "H7607"  
upon|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921" like|strong = "H5921"  
dust|strong = "H6083",

**w** inged|strong = "H3671" bird|strong = "H5775" like|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" sand|strong = "H2344" of|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" sea|strong = "H3220".

28In|strong = "H7130" the|strong = "H5439" midst|strong = "H7130"  
of|strong = "H4264" their|strong = "H7130" camp|strong = "H4264"  
he|strong = "H7130" dropped|strong = "H5307" it|strong = "H5439",



**a** ll|strong = "H5439" around|strong = "H5439" their|strong = "H7130"  
tents|strong = "H4264".

29They|strong = "H1992" ate|strong = "H0398" and|strong = "H3966"  
were|strong = "H1992" more|strong = "H3966" than|strong = "H4480"  
filled|strong = "H7646";

**h** e|strong = "H8378" had|strong = "H7646" brought|strong = "H0935"  
them|strong = "H1992" the|strong = "H7646" thing|strong = "H1697"  
they|strong = "H1992" desired|strong = "H8378".

30But|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H3808" thing|strong = "H2114"  
they|strong = "H3808" desired|strong = "H8378" became|strong = "H3205"  
loathsome|strong = "H8441":

**w** hile|strong = "H5750" their|strong = "H3808" food|strong = "H3899"  
was|strong = "H6310" still|strong = "H5750" in|strong = "H5750"  
their|strong = "H3808" mouths|strong = "H6310",

31the|strong = "H5927" wrath|strong = "H2534" of|strong = "H5927"  
God|strong = "H0430" rose|strong = "H5927" against|strong = "H5927"  
them|strong = "H2026".

**H** e|strong = "H3478" slew|strong = "H2026" the|strong = "H5927"  
stoutest|strong = "H4924" among|strong = "H3478" them|strong = "H2026",

**a** nd|strong = "H3478" laid|strong = "H5927" low|strong = "H3766"  
the|strong = "H5927" young|strong = "H5288" men|strong = "H3478"  
of|strong = "H5927" Israel|strong = "H3478".

32Yet|strong = "H5750" for|strong = "H3605" all|strong = "H3605"  
this|strong = "H2063" they|strong = "H3808" sinned|strong = "H2398"  
yet|strong = "H5750" more|strong = "H5750",

**a** nd|strong = "H2398" refused|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H3808"  
believe|strong = "H0539" in|strong = "H5750" his|strong = "H3605"  
wonders|strong = "H6381".

33So|strong = "H3651" he|strong = "H3117" ended|strong = "H3615"  
their|strong = "H3117" days|strong = "H3117" in|strong = "H8141"  
a|strong = "H3117" breath|strong = "H1892",

and|strong = "H3117" their|strong = "H3117" years|strong = "H8141"  
in|strong = "H8141" sudden|strong = "H6597" dismay|strong = "H0928".

34When|strong = "H7725" he|strong = "H7725" slew|strong = "H2026"  
them|strong = "H7725", then|strong = "H7725" they|strong = "H1992"  
sought|strong = "H1875" after|strong = "H1875" him|strong = "H7725",

they|strong = "H1992" turned|strong = "H7725" and|strong = "H7725"  
sought|strong = "H1875" God|strong = "H0430" with|strong = "H7725"  
diligence|strong = "H4929".

35They|strong = "H3588" remembered|strong = "H2142"  
that|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H6697" was|strong = "H3068"  
their|strong = "H3588" rock|strong = "H6697",

and|strong = "H6697" the|strong = "H3588" Most|strong = "H5945"  
High|strong = "H5945" God|strong = "H6697" their|strong = "H3588"  
redeemer|strong = "H1350".

36But|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H6310" flattered  
him|strong = "H5414" with|strong = "H6310" their|strong = "H3956"  
mouth|strong = "H6310",

and|strong = "H6310" lied|strong = "H3576" to|strong = "H6310"  
him|strong = "H5414" with|strong = "H6310" their|strong = "H3956"  
tongue|strong = "H3956".

37Their|strong = "H3559" heart|strong = "H3820" was|strong = "H3820"  
not|strong = "H3808" steady|strong = "H0530" with|strong = "H5973"  
him|strong = "H5973",

they|strong = "H3808" were|strong = "H3820" faithless|strong = "H4878"  
to|strong = "H3820" his|strong = "H3559" covenant|strong = "H1285".

38But|strong = "H3808" he|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931"  
full|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H3605" pity|strong = "H2347":

he|strong = "H1931" pardons|strong = "H5545" sin|strong = "H5771"  
and|strong = "H7725" destroys|strong = "H7843" not|strong = "H3808".

Often|strong = "H7235" he|strong = "H1931" turns|strong = "H7725"  
his|strong = "H3605" anger|strong = "H2534" away|strong = "H7725",

**w** ithout|strong = "H3808" stirring|strong = "H6696" his|strong = "H3605"  
wrath|strong = "H2534" at|strong = "H7725" all|strong = "H3605".

39So|strong = "H1980" he|strong = "H3588" remembered|strong = "H2142"  
that|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H1992" were|strong = "H1992"  
but|strong = "H3588" flesh|strong = "H1320",

**b** reath|strong = "H7307" that|strong = "H3588" passes|strong = "H1980"  
and|strong = "H1980" does|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
return|strong = "H7725".

40But|strong = "H4100" how|strong = "H4100" often|strong = "H4100"  
they|strong = "H4100" rebelled|strong = "H4784" in|strong = "H6087"  
the|strong = "H4100" desert|strong = "H4057",

**a** nd|strong = "H4057" caused|strong = "H5414" him|strong = "H4057"  
grief|strong = "H3708" in|strong = "H6087" the|strong = "H4100"  
wilderness|strong = "H4057",

41tempting God|strong = "H0430" again|strong = "H7725"  
and|strong = "H3478" again|strong = "H7725",

**p** rovoking|strong = "H3707" the|strong = "H7725" Holy|strong = "H6918"  
One|strong = "H6918" of|strong = "H6918" Israel|strong = "H3478".

42They|strong = "H3117" did|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
remember|strong = "H2142" his|strong = "H3027" strength|strong = "H3027",

**n** or|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H4480" day|strong = "H3117"  
he|strong = "H3117" redeemed|strong = "H6299" from|strong = "H4480"  
the|strong = "H4480" foe|strong = "H6862",

43how|strong = "H4100" he|strong = "H7760" set|strong = "H7760"  
his|strong = "H7760" signs|strong = "H0226" in|strong = "H4714"  
Egypt|strong = "H4714",

**i** n|strong = "H4714" the|strong = "H7760" country|strong = "H7704"  
of|strong = "H7704" Zoan|strong = "H6814" his|strong = "H7760"  
wonders|strong = "H4159".

44He|strong = "H1818" turned|strong = "H2015" their|strong = "H2015"  
canals|strong = "H2975" into|strong = "H2015" blood|strong = "H1818",

t heir|strong = "H2015" streams|strong = "H5140" undrinkable.

45He|strong = "H7971" sent|strong = "H7971" forth|strong = "H7971"  
flies|strong = "H6157", which|strong = "H6854" devoured|strong = "H0398"  
them|strong = "H7971";

f rogs|strong = "H6854", too|strong = "H4480", which|strong = "H6854"  
destroyed|strong = "H7843" them|strong = "H7971".

46Their|strong = "H5414" crops|strong = "H2981" he|strong = "H5414"  
gave|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414"  
caterpillar|strong = "H2625",

a nd|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414" fruits|strong = "H1061"  
of|strong = "H3018" their|strong = "H5414" toil|strong = "H3018"  
to|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414" locust|strong = "H2625".

47He|strong = "H0834" slew|strong = "H2026" their|strong = "H2026"  
vines|strong = "H1612" with|strong = "H8256" hail|strong = "H1259",

a nd|strong = "H1612" their|strong = "H2026" sycamore|strong = "H8256"  
trees|strong = "H8256" with|strong = "H8256" frost|strong = "H2602".

48He|strong = "H0834" delivered|strong = "H5462" their|strong = "H5462"  
cattle|strong = "H4735" to|strong = "H5462" the|strong = "H5462"  
hail|strong = "H1259",

a nd|strong = "H4735" their|strong = "H5462" flocks|strong = "H4735"  
to|strong = "H5462" bolts|strong = "H7565" of|strong = "H4735"  
fire|strong = "H0784".

49He|strong = "H7971" let|strong = "H7971" loose|strong = "H7971"  
his|strong = "H7971" hot|strong = "H2552" anger|strong = "H5678"  
among|strong = "H8432" them|strong = "H7971",

f ury|strong = "H5678" and|strong = "H7971" wrath|strong = "H5678"  
and|strong = "H7971" distress|strong = "H6869",

a |strong = "H7971" band|strong = "H4917" of|strong = "H4397"  
destroying|strong = "H7451" angels|strong = "H4397".

50He|strong = "H3808" cleared|strong = "H6437" a|strong = "H3808"  
 path|strong = "H5410" for|strong = "H5315" his|strong = "H2820"  
 anger|strong = "H0639",

**d** id|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808" spare|strong = "H2820"  
 them|strong = "H5414" from|strong = "H5315" death|strong = "H4194",

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" gave|strong = "H5462" them|strong = "H5414"  
 over|strong = "H5462" to|strong = "H5315" pestilence|strong = "H1698".

51He|strong = "H3605" struck|strong = "H5221" down|strong = "H5221"  
 all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" firstborn|strong = "H1060"  
 in|strong = "H4714" Egypt|strong = "H4714",

**t** he|strong = "H3605" first|strong = "H7225" fruits|strong = "H7225"  
 of|strong = "H1060" their|strong = "H3605" strength|strong = "H5797"  
 in|strong = "H4714" the|strong = "H3605" tents|strong = "H0168"  
 of|strong = "H1060" Ham|strong = "H2526".

52He|strong = "H5971" led|strong = "H5090" forth|strong = "H5265"  
 his|strong = "H5971" people|strong = "H5971" like|strong = "H4057"  
 sheep|strong = "H6629",

**h** e|strong = "H5971" was|strong = "H6629" guide|strong = "H5090"  
 to|strong = "H5971" his|strong = "H5971" flock|strong = "H6629"  
 in|strong = "H6629" the|strong = "H5971" desert|strong = "H4057".

53Securely|strong = "H0983" he|strong = "H3808" led|strong = "H5148"  
 them|strong = "H5148", and|strong = "H3220" free|strong = "H2670"  
 from|strong = "H3680" fear|strong = "H6342",

**w** hile|strong = "H5704" their|strong = "H3680" foes|strong = "H7796"  
 were|strong = "H0834" drowned|strong = "H2883" in|strong = "H3220"  
 the|strong = "H3680" sea|strong = "H3220".

54To|strong = "H2022" his|strong = "H3605" holy|strong = "H6944"  
 realm|strong = "H4437" he|strong = "H2088" brought|strong = "H0935"  
 them|strong = "H2088",

**t** o|strong = "H2022" the|strong = "H7069" mountain|strong = "H2022"  
 his|strong = "H3605" right|strong = "H3225" hand|strong = "H3225"  
 had|strong = "H3225" purchased|strong = "H7069".

55He|strong = "H6440" drove|strong = "H1644" out|strong = "H1644"  
the|strong = "H6440" nations|strong = "H1471" before|strong = "H6440"  
them|strong = "H6440",

a nd|strong = "H3478" allotted|strong = "H5307" their|strong = "H6440"  
land|strong = "H5159" for|strong = "H6440" possession|strong = "H5159",

a nd|strong = "H3478" their|strong = "H6440" tents|strong = "H0168"  
for|strong = "H6440" Israel|strong = "H3478" to|strong = "H3478"  
live|strong = "H7931" in|strong = "H3478".

56Yet|strong = "H3808" they|strong = "H3808" tempted|strong = "H5254"  
and|strong = "H8104" angered|strong = "H2734" the|strong = "H8104"  
Most|strong = "H5945" High|strong = "H5945" God|strong = "H3808",

t hey|strong = "H3808" did|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
observe|strong = "H8104" his|strong = "H8104" decrees|strong = "H2711".

57They|strong = "H1992" drew|strong = "H8025" back|strong = "H5472",  
false|strong = "H7423" like|strong = "H2015" their|strong = "H2015"  
ancestors|strong = "H0001";

t hey|strong = "H1992" failed|strong = "H5307" like|strong = "H2015"  
a|strong = "H2015" treacherous|strong = "H7423" bow|strong = "H7198".

58Their|strong = "H3605" shrines|strong = "H1354"  
stirred|strong = "H5782" him|strong = "H7065" to|strong = "H1116"  
anger|strong = "H3707",

t heir|strong = "H3605" idols|strong = "H6456" moved|strong = "H4131"  
him|strong = "H7065" to|strong = "H1116" jealousy|strong = "H7065".

59When|strong = "H8085" God|strong = "H0430" heard|strong = "H8085"  
of|strong = "H8085" this|strong = "H5674", he|strong = "H3478"  
was|strong = "H3478" furious|strong = "H2534",

a nd|strong = "H3478" he|strong = "H3478" spurned|strong = "H5006"  
Israel|strong = "H3478" utterly|strong = "H3966".

60He|strong = "H0834" abandoned|strong = "H5203" his|strong = "H7931"  
home|strong = "H1004" in|strong = "H7931" Shiloh|strong = "H7887",

the|strong="H5203" tent|strong="H0168" he|strong="H0834"  
had|strong="H3068" pitched|strong="H7931" among|strong="H7931"  
people|strong="H5971".

61He|strong="H5414" gave|strong="H5414" his|strong="H5414"  
strength|strong="H5797" up|strong="H5414" to|strong="H5414"  
captivity|strong="H7628",

his|strong="H5414" glory|strong="H8597" to|strong="H5414"  
the|strong="H5414" hands|strong="H3027" of|strong="H3027"  
the|strong="H5414" foe|strong="H6862".

62He|strong="H5971" gave|strong="H5462" his|strong="H5674"  
people|strong="H5971" to|strong="H5674" the|strong="H5674"  
sword|strong="H2719",

he|strong="H5971" was|strong="H5159" furious|strong="H2534"  
with|strong="H5971" his|strong="H5674" own|strong="H5971".

63Fire|strong="H0784" devoured|strong="H0398"  
their|strong="H3808" young|strong="H5288" men|strong="H0376",

and|strong="H1984" their|strong="H3808" maidens|strong="H1330"  
had|strong="H3808" no|strong="H3808" marriage-song.

64Their|strong="H3808" priests|strong="H3548" fell|strong="H5307"  
by|strong="H3808" the|strong="H3548" sword|strong="H2719",

and|strong="H3548" their|strong="H3808" widows|strong="H0490"  
could|strong="H3201" not|strong="H3808" weep|strong="H1058".

65Then|strong="H0227" the|strong="H3605" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* awoke|strong="H3364" as|strong="H3364"  
from|strong="H3196" sleep|strong="H3463",

like|strong="H1368" a|strong="H1961" warrior|strong="H1368"  
flushed|strong="H2560" with|strong="H7442" wine|strong="H3196";

66and|strong="H5769" he|strong="H5414" beat|strong="H5221"  
back|strong="H7725" his|strong="H5414" foes|strong="H6862",

putting|strong="H5414" them|strong="H5414" to|strong="H5414"  
perpetual|strong="H5769" scorn|strong="H2781".

67He|strong="H3808" disowned the|strong="H3808"  
tent|strong="H0168" of|strong="H7626" Joseph|strong="H3130",

he|strong="H3808" rejected|strong="H3988" the|strong="H3808"  
tribe|strong="H7626" of|strong="H7626" Ephraim|strong="H0669";

68but|strong="H3588" he|strong="H3063" chose|strong="H0977"  
the|strong="H3063" tribe|strong="H7626" of|strong="H7626"  
Judah|strong="H3063",

Mount|strong="H2022" Zion|strong="H6726", which|strong="H2022"  
he|strong="H3063" loves|strong="H0157".

69And|strong="H5769" he|strong="H1129" built|strong="H1129"  
like|strong="H3644" the|strong="H1129" heights|strong="H7311"  
his|strong="H1129" sanctuary|strong="H4720",

like|strong="H3644" the|strong="H1129" earth|strong="H0776"  
which|strong="H4720" he|strong="H1129" founded|strong="H3245"  
forever|strong="H5769".

70And|strong="H1732" he|strong="H1732" chose|strong="H0977"  
David|strong="H1732" his|strong="H3947" servant|strong="H5650",

taking|strong="H3947" him|strong="H3947" from|strong="H3947"  
the|strong="H3947" sheepfolds|strong="H6629".

71From|strong="H3478" the|strong="H7462" mother-ewes  
he|strong="H5971" brought|strong="H3478" him|strong="H5414",

to|strong="H3478" be|strong="H3478" shepherd|strong="H7462"  
to|strong="H3478" Jacob|strong="H3290" his|strong="H3478"  
people|strong="H5971",

and|strong="H3478" to|strong="H3478" Israel|strong="H3478"  
his|strong="H3478" inheritance|strong="H5159".



72With|strong="H3709" upright|strong="H8537" heart|strong="H3824"  
 did|strong="H3824" he|strong="H8394" shepherd|strong="H7462"  
 them|strong="H5148",

**a** nd|strong="H3824" with|strong="H3709" skilful|strong="H3045"  
 hands|strong="H3709" did|strong="H3824" he|strong="H8394"  
 guide|strong="H5148" them|strong="H5148".  
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79Heathen|strong="H1471", O|strong="H3069" God|strong="H0430",  
 have|strong="H1471" come|strong="H0935" into|strong="H7760"  
 your|strong="H7760" land|strong="H5159",

**d** efilng|strong="H2930" your|strong="H7760" holy|strong="H6944"  
 temple|strong="H1964",

**a** nd|strong="H3389" laying|strong="H2934"  
 Jerusalem|strong="H3389" in|strong="H1471" ruins|strong="H5856".

2They|strong="H5414" have|strong="H5650" given|strong="H5414"  
 the|strong="H5414" bodies|strong="H5038" of|strong="H5650"  
 your|strong="H5414" dead|strong="H5038" servants|strong="H5650"

**t** o|strong="H5414" the|strong="H5414" birds|strong="H5775"  
 of|strong="H5650" the|strong="H5414" air|strong="H8064"  
 to|strong="H5414" devour|strong="H0398",

**a** nd|strong="H8064" the|strong="H5414" flesh|strong="H1320"  
 of|strong="H5650" your|strong="H5414" faithful|strong="H0539"  
 to|strong="H5414" the|strong="H5414" beasts|strong="H2416"  
 of|strong="H5650" the|strong="H5414" field|strong="H7704".

3Round|strong="H5439" about|strong="H5439"  
 Jerusalem|strong="H3389"

**t** hey|strong="H3389" have|strong="H3389" poured|strong="H8210"  
 out|strong="H8210" their|strong="H5439" blood|strong="H1818"  
 like|strong="H8210" water|strong="H4325";

**a** nd|strong="H3389" there|strong="H8033" was|strong="H3389"  
 no|strong="H8210" one|strong="H5439" to|strong="H3389"  
 bury|strong="H6912" them|strong="H5439".

4 On|strong = "H1961" every|strong = "H5439" side|strong = "H5439"  
our|strong = "H1961" neighbours|strong = "H7934"

r evile|strong = "H2778" us|strong = "H5439" and|strong = "H5439"  
mock|strong = "H3932" us|strong = "H5439" and|strong = "H5439" jeer  
at|strong = "H1961" us|strong = "H5439".

5 How|strong = "H4100" long|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H3068"  
you|strong = "H5704" be|strong = "H3068" angry|strong = "H2734",  
O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*?

W ill|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" jealousy|strong = "H7068"  
burn|strong = "H1197" like|strong = "H3644" fire|strong = "H0784"  
forever|strong = "H5704"?

6 Pour|strong = "H8210" out|strong = "H8210" your|strong = "H5921"  
wrath|strong = "H2534" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
nations|strong = "H1471" that|strong = "H3045" don't|strong = "H3808"  
know|strong = "H3045" you|strong = "H5921",

o n|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" kingdoms|strong = "H4467"  
that|strong = "H3045" do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808"  
call|strong = "H7121" on|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921"  
name|strong = "H8034".

7 For|strong = "H3588" Jacob|strong = "H3290" they|strong = "H3588"  
devoured|strong = "H0398",

t hey|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3588" desolated|strong = "H8074"  
his|strong = "H3588" home|strong = "H1004".

8 Do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3588" remember|strong = "H2142"  
against|strong = "H3966" us|strong = "H3588" our|strong = "H3588"  
ancestors' sins|strong = "H5771";

O |strong = "H2142" meet|strong = "H6923" us|strong = "H3588"  
soon|strong = "H4118" with|strong = "H5771" your|strong = "H3588"  
pity|strong = "H7356",

f or|strong = "H3588" utterly|strong = "H3966" weak|strong = "H2470"  
are|strong = "H7356" we|strong = "H3588".

9 Help|strong = "H5826" us|strong = "H5921", O|strong = "H8034"  
 God|strong = "H0430" our|strong = "H5921" saviour|strong = "H3467",

f or|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" renown|strong = "H8034"  
 of|strong = "H1697" your|strong = "H5921" name|strong = "H8034":

f or|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921" reputation|strong = "H8034"  
 deliver|strong = "H5337" us|strong = "H5921"

a nd|strong = "H1697" cover|strong = "H3722" over|strong = "H5921"  
 our|strong = "H5921" sins|strong = "H2403".

10 Why|strong = "H4100" should|strong = "H4100" the|strong = "H3045"  
 nations|strong = "H1471" say|strong = "H0559",

‘ Where|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H4100" their|strong = "H3045"  
 God|strong = "H0430"?’

L et|strong = "H7971" revenge|strong = "H5360" for|strong = "H5650"  
 the|strong = "H3045" outpoured blood|strong = "H1818" of|strong = "H5869"  
 your|strong = "H3045" servants|strong = "H5650"

b e|strong = "H1471" shown|strong = "H3045" on|strong = "H5869"  
 the|strong = "H3045" heathen|strong = "H1471" before|strong = "H5869"  
 our|strong = "H5650" eyes|strong = "H5869".

11 May|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H6440" groans|strong = "H0584"  
 of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H6440" prisoner|strong = "H0615"  
 come|strong = "H0935" before|strong = "H6440" you|strong = "H6440";

f ree|strong = "H2670" the|strong = "H6440" children|strong = "H1121"  
 of|strong = "H1121" death|strong = "H8546" by|strong = "H6440"  
 your|strong = "H6440" mighty|strong = "H2220" arm|strong = "H2220".

12 Pay|strong = "H7725" our|strong = "H7725"  
 neighbours|strong = "H7934" back|strong = "H7725"  
 sevenfold|strong = "H7659"

f or|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H7725" scorn|strong = "H2781"  
 they|strong = "H2778" have|strong = "H1961" heaped upon|strong = "H5921"  
 you|strong = "H7725", O|strong = "H3069" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

13Then|strong = "H0227" we|strong = "H0587", your|strong = "H3034"  
people|strong = "H5971", the|strong = "H3034" flock|strong = "H6629"  
of|strong = "H5971" your|strong = "H3034" pasture|strong = "H4830",

w ill|strong = "H5971" give|strong = "H3034" thanks|strong = "H3034"  
to|strong = "H1755" you|strong = "H3034" for|strong = "H5971"  
evermore|strong = "H5769",

a nd|strong = "H5971" tell|strong = "H5608" your|strong = "H3034"  
praise|strong = "H8416" to|strong = "H1755" all|strong = "H1755"  
generations|strong = "H1755".

Psalm 80 – A Prayer for the Preservation of Israel

80Listen|strong = "H8085", Shepherd|strong = "H7462"  
of|strong = "H4210" Israel|strong = "H3478",

w ho|strong = "H0834" leads|strong = "H1869" Joseph|strong = "H3130"  
like|strong = "H3644" a|strong = "H1961" flock|strong = "H6629"  
of|strong = "H4210" sheep|strong = "H6629";

f rom|strong = "H4480" your|strong = "H3068" throne|strong = "H3678"  
on|strong = "H5329" the|strong = "H5329" cherubs|strong = "H3742"  
shine|strong = "H0215" forth|strong = "H3318"

2before|strong = "H3427" Ephraim|strong = "H0669",  
Manasseh|strong = "H4519", and|strong = "H3478"  
Benjamin|strong = "H1144".

S tir|strong = "H5782" up|strong = "H7462" your|strong = "H7462"  
mighty|strong = "H1368" power|strong = "H3478",

c ome|strong = "H3478" to|strong = "H3478" our|strong = "H3478"  
help|strong = "H5826".

3God|strong = "H0430", restore|strong = "H7725" us|strong = "H6440":

s how|strong = "H7200" us|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440"  
light|strong = "H0216" of|strong = "H6440" your|strong = "H6440"  
face|strong = "H6440",

s o|strong = "H5782" we|strong = "H0587" may|strong = "H3444"  
be|strong = "H6440" saved|strong = "H3467".

4O|strong = "H3069" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H6440"  
hosts|strong = "H6635",

h ow|strong = "H4100" long|strong = "H6440" is|strong = "H6440"  
your|strong = "H6440" anger|strong = "H6440" to|strong = "H7725"  
smoke|strong = "H6227",

d espite|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440" prayer|strong = "H8605"  
of|strong = "H6440" your|strong = "H6440" people|strong = "H5971"?

5You|strong = "H5704" have|strong = "H3068" fed|strong = "H7462"  
them|strong = "H5704" with|strong = "H3068" bread|strong = "H3899"  
of|strong = "H3068" tears|strong = "H1832",

y ou|strong = "H5704" have|strong = "H3068" made|strong = "H3068"  
them|strong = "H5704" drink|strong = "H8354" tears|strong = "H1832"  
by|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" measure|strong = "H4058".

6The|strong = "H8248" scorn|strong = "H2781" of|strong = "H3899"  
our|strong = "H8248" neighbours|strong = "H7934" you|strong = "H8248"  
make|strong = "H8248" us|strong = "H8248",

t he|strong = "H8248" laughing-stock of|strong = "H3899"  
our|strong = "H8248" foes|strong = "H7796".

7God|strong = "H0430" of|strong = "H7760" hosts|strong = "H6635",  
restore|strong = "H7725" us|strong = "H7760":

s how|strong = "H7760" us|strong = "H7760" the|strong = "H7760"  
light|strong = "H7760" of|strong = "H7760" your|strong = "H7760"  
face|strong = "H6440",

s o|strong = "H7760" we|strong = "H0587" may|strong = "H1961"  
be|strong = "H7760" saved|strong = "H3467".

8A|strong = "H7725" vine|strong = "H1612" out|strong = "H6440"  
of|strong = "H6440" Egypt|strong = "H4714" you|strong = "H6440"  
brought|strong = "H7725";

y ou|strong = "H6440" did|strong = "H6635" drive|strong = "H3423"  
out|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" nations|strong = "H6440",  
and|strong = "H7725" plant|strong = "H5193" her|strong = "H7725";

9in|strong="H1471" the|strong="H1644" ground|strong="H0776"  
 you|strong="H1471" did|strong="H1612" clear|strong="H5352"  
 she|strong="H1931" struck|strong="H5221" root|strong="H8328",

a nd|strong="H4714" she|strong="H1931" filled|strong="H4390"  
 all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H1644" land|strong="H0776".

10The|strong="H6440" shade|strong="H6738" of|strong="H6440"  
 her|strong="H4390" covered|strong="H4390" the|strong="H6440"  
 mountains|strong="H2022",

h er|strong="H4390" branches|strong="H7070" the|strong="H6440"  
 cedars|strong="H0730" of|strong="H6440" God|strong="H0430".

11She|strong="H1931" sent|strong="H7971" forth|strong="H3318"  
 her|strong="H3680" shoots|strong="H3127" to|strong="H2022"  
 the|strong="H3680" sea|strong="H3220",

a nd|strong="H2022" her|strong="H3680" branches|strong="H6057"  
 as|strong="H2022" far|strong="H5704" as|strong="H2022"  
 the|strong="H3680" River|strong="H5104".

12Why|strong="H4100" have|strong="H5104" you|strong="H7971"  
 torn|strong="H7167" down|strong="H7971" her|strong="H7971" fences,  
 and|strong="H7971" left|strong="H7971" her|strong="H7971"

t o|strong="H5704" be|strong="H3220" plucked|strong="H5428"  
 at|strong="H3220" by|strong="H5704" all|strong="H5704"  
 who|strong="H0834" pass|strong="H5674" by|strong="H5704",

13to|strong="H1870" be|strong="H1870" gnawed by|strong="H5674"  
 the|strong="H3605" boar|strong="H2386" from|strong="H5674"  
 the|strong="H3605" forest|strong="H3293",

a nd|strong="H1870" devoured|strong="H0398" by|strong="H5674"  
 the|strong="H3605" beasts|strong="H0929" of|strong="H1870"  
 the|strong="H3605" field|strong="H7704"?

14O|strong="H3069" God|strong="H0430" of|strong="H7704"  
 hosts|strong="H6635", return|strong="H7725":

l ook|strong="H7200" down|strong="H3381" from|strong="H7704"  
 heaven|strong="H8064" and|strong="H7704" see|strong="H7200"

**a** nd|strong="H7704" visit|strong="H6485" this|strong="H2088"  
vine|strong="H1612", and|strong="H7704" restore|strong="H7725"  
her|strong="H3605"

15the|strong="H7200" vine|strong="H1612" which|strong="H6635"  
your|strong="H7200" right|strong="H5027" hand|strong="H3027"  
has|strong="H6635" planted|strong="H5193".

16She|strong="H5921" is|strong="H1121" burned|strong="H8313"  
with|strong="H5921" fire|strong="H0784" and|strong="H1121"  
cut|strong="H3772" down|strong="H5921"

**b** efore|strong="H5921" your|strong="H5921" stern|strong="H5797"  
face|strong="H6440" they|strong="H5921" are|strong="H1121"  
perishing|strong="H0006".

17Support|strong="H2388" the|strong="H6440" one|strong="H0259"  
you|strong="H6440" have|strong="H1961" chosen|strong="H0977",

**t** he|strong="H6440" one|strong="H0259" you|strong="H6440"  
have|strong="H1961" raised|strong="H6965" for|strong="H6440"  
yourself|strong="H0859";

18then|strong="H1961" from|strong="H5921" you|strong="H5921"  
we|strong="H0587" will|strong="H1961" never|strong="H3808"  
draw|strong="H7579" back|strong="H7725".

**P** reserve|strong="H5341" us|strong="H5921", and|strong="H1121"  
we|strong="H0587" will|strong="H1961" call|strong="H7121"  
on|strong="H5921" your|strong="H5921" name|strong="H8034".

19w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, God|strong="H3808" of|strong="H8034"  
hosts|strong="H6635", restore|strong="H7725" us|strong="H2421":

**S** how|strong="H7200" us|strong="H2421" the|strong="H4480"  
light|strong="H0216" of|strong="H8034" your|strong="H4480"  
face|strong="H6440",

**s** o|strong="H4480" we|strong="H4480" may|strong="H8034"  
be|strong="H3808" saved|strong="H2421".

Psalm 81 – For the Feast of Tabernacles

81Sing|strong = "H7891" aloud|strong = "H7442" to|strong = "H5921"  
God|strong = "H0430" our|strong = "H5921" strength|strong = "H5797",

s hout|strong = "H7321" for|strong = "H5921" joy|strong = "H5921"  
to|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" God|strong = "H0430"  
of|strong = "H5921" Jacob|strong = "H3290".

2Raise|strong = "H7321" a|strong = "H3290" song|strong = "H7892",  
sound|strong = "H7321" the|strong = "H7321" timbrel|strong = "H8596",

s weet|strong = "H5207" lyre|strong = "H3658" and|strong = "H3290"  
harp|strong = "H3658".

3On|strong = "H5375" the|strong = "H5414" new|strong = "H2319"  
moon|strong = "H3394" blow|strong = "H8628" the|strong = "H5414"  
horn|strong = "H7161",

a t|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414" full|strong = "H4392"  
moon|strong = "H3394", the|strong = "H5414" day|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H5035" our|strong = "H5414" festival|strong = "H2282".

4For|strong = "H3117" this|strong = "H3117" is|strong = "H3117"  
a|strong = "H3117" statute|strong = "H2708" for|strong = "H3117"  
Israel|strong = "H3478",

a |strong = "H3117" ruling|strong = "H4910" of|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H3117" God|strong = "H0430" of|strong = "H3117"  
Jacob|strong = "H3290",

5a|strong = "H3588" witness|strong = "H5707" he|strong = "H1931"  
set|strong = "H3478" up|strong = "H4941" in|strong = "H3478"  
Joseph|strong = "H3130",

w hen|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H1931" marched|strong = "H5973"  
against|strong = "H3290" Egypt's|strong = "H4714" land|strong = "H0776",

w here|strong = "H0834" he|strong = "H1931" heard|strong = "H3588"  
an|strong = "H3588" unknown|strong = "H3045" voice|strong = "H6963"  
say|strong = "H3478":

6'I|strong = "H5921" removed|strong = "H3318" from|strong = "H3318"  
your|strong = "H5921" shoulder|strong = "H3802" the|strong = "H5921"  
burden|strong = "H4853",



and freed your hands from the basket

7 At your call of distress I delivered you,

from the thundercloud answered you.

At Meribah's waters I tested you. w Selah w\*

8 Listen, my people, to my warning,

O Israel, if you would but listen!

9 There must not be a strange god among you,

you must bow to no foreign god.

10 I am the w Lord your God

who brought you up out of Egypt.

O pen your mouth, that I fill it.

11'But|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971" did|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H5927" listen|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" voice|strong = "H6963",

I srael|strong = "H3478" would|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068" none|strong = "H0369" of|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H7337".

12So|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H3478" their|strong = "H8085" own|strong = "H5971" hard|strong = "H5971" hearts|strong = "H3820" I|strong = "H8085" left|strong = "H3478" them|strong = "H8085",

t o|strong = "H3478" follow|strong = "H0310" their|strong = "H8085" own|strong = "H5971" devices|strong = "H4284".

13O|strong = "H3069" that|strong = "H3212" my|strong = "H7971" people|strong = "H3820" would|strong = "H0014" listen|strong = "H8085",

t hat|strong = "H3212" Israel|strong = "H3478" would|strong = "H0014" walk|strong = "H3212" in|strong = "H3212" my|strong = "H7971" ways|strong = "H1870".

14Soon|strong = "H3512" would|strong = "H3478" I|strong = "H8085" humble|strong = "H6035" their|strong = "H8085" enemies|strong = "H0341",

a nd|strong = "H1980" turn|strong = "H5971" my|strong = "H8085" hand|strong = "H3027" on|strong = "H1980" their|strong = "H8085" foes|strong = "H7796".

15Those|strong = "H5921" who|strong = "H6862" hate|strong = "H8130" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* would|strong = "H6862" cringe|strong = "H3584" before|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921"

i n|strong = "H5921" everlasting|strong = "H5769" terror|strong = "H2851".

16But|strong = "H1961" you|strong = "H8130" would|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H6256" feed|strong = "H7462" with|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" richest|strong = "H4924" wheat|strong = "H2406",

a nd|strong = "H3068" with|strong = "H3068" honey|strong = "H1706"  
 from|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" rock|strong = "H6697"  
 to|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" heart's|strong = "H5315"  
 desire|strong = "H8378".'

Psalm 82 – God the Upholder of Justice

82God|strong = "H0430" has|strong = "H8199" taken|strong = "H3947"  
 his|strong = "H7130" stand|strong = "H5324"

i n|strong = "H7130" the|strong = "H8199" divine|strong = "H7080"  
 assembly|strong = "H5712":

i n|strong = "H7130" the|strong = "H8199" midst|strong = "H7130"  
 of|strong = "H4210" the|strong = "H8199" gods|strong = "H0430"  
 he|strong = "H7130" holds|strong = "H4013" judgment|strong = "H8199".

2'How|strong = "H4970" long|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H7563"  
 you|strong = "H6440" crookedly judge|strong = "H8199",

a nd|strong = "H6440" favour|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440"  
 wicked|strong = "H7563"? w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

3Do|strong = "H7326" right|strong = "H6663" by|strong = "H8199"  
 the|strong = "H8199" weak|strong = "H1800" and|strong = "H6041"  
 the|strong = "H8199" orphan|strong = "H3490",

a cquit|strong = "H6663" the|strong = "H8199" innocent|strong = "H6663"  
 poor|strong = "H6041".

4Rescue|strong = "H5337" the|strong = "H3027" weak|strong = "H1800"  
 and|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3027" needy|strong = "H1800",

s ave|strong = "H5337" them|strong = "H3027" from|strong = "H3027"  
 the|strong = "H3027" hand|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H3027"  
 the|strong = "H3027" wicked|strong = "H7563".

5'They|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3045" neither|strong = "H3808"  
 knowledge|strong = "H3045" nor|strong = "H3808" insight|strong = "H7919",

i n|strong = "H1980" darkness|strong = "H2825" they|strong = "H3808"  
 walk|strong = "H1980" to|strong = "H1980" and|strong = "H1980"  
 fro|strong = "H1980",

**w** hile|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3605" earth's|strong = "H0776"  
foundations|strong = "H4144" totter|strong = "H4131".

6It|strong = "H3605" was|strong = "H1121" I|strong = "H1121"  
who|strong = "H3605" appointed|strong = "H1121" you|strong = "H3605"  
gods|strong = "H0430",

**c** hildren|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605"  
Most|strong = "H5945" High|strong = "H5945" all|strong = "H3605"  
of|strong = "H1121" you|strong = "H3605".

7Yet|strong = "H5750" like|strong = "H4191" mortals|strong = "H4172"  
you|strong = "H0859" will|strong = "H8269" surely|strong = "H4191"  
die|strong = "H4191",

**y** ou|strong = "H0859" will|strong = "H8269" fall|strong = "H5307"  
like|strong = "H4191" any|strong = "H4191" prince|strong = "H8269".

8Arise|strong = "H6965", O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H0430",  
judge|strong = "H8199" the|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H0776",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" all|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471"  
are|strong = "H1471" yours|strong = "H4191" by|strong = "H6965"  
inheritance|strong = "H5157".

Psalm 83 – A Prayer for the Destruction of the Enemies of Judah

83Do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808" keep|strong = "H8104"  
silent|strong = "H2790", O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H0430":

**h** old|strong = "H2388" not|strong = "H3808" your|strong = "H3068"  
peace|strong = "H7965", be|strong = "H7892" not|strong = "H3808"  
still|strong = "H5750", God|strong = "H0430".

2For|strong = "H8252" see|strong = "H7200"! Your|strong = "H3068"  
enemies|strong = "H0341" roar|strong = "H7580",

**t** hose|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H0834" hate|strong = "H8130"  
you|strong = "H0859" lift|strong = "H5375" up|strong = "H5927"  
their|strong = "H3605" heads|strong = "H7218",

3laying|strong = "H2934" crafty|strong = "H6175" plans|strong = "H4284"  
for|strong = "H3588" your|strong = "H5375" people|strong = "H5971",

and plotting against those you treasure.

4Come, let us wipe them out as a nation,

so Israel's name will be mentioned no more.'

5For, conspiring with  
 one accord,

they have made a league against you

6Tents of Edom, and Ishmaelites,

Moab, and the Hagrites.

7Geba! and Ammon  
 and Amalek,

Philistia, with the people of Tyre;

8Syria, too, is confederate,

they have strengthened the children of Lot. w  
 Selah w\*

9Deal with them as you dealt with Midian,

with|strong="H5973" Sisera|strong="H5516", with|strong="H5973"  
 Jabin|strong="H2985", at|strong="H1961" the|strong="H1961"  
 torrent|strong="H5158" of|strong="H1121" Kishon|strong="H7028",

10who|strong="H1992" at|strong="H6213" Endor|strong="H5874"  
 were|strong="H1992" destroyed|strong="H4229",

and|strong="H6213" became|strong="H3205" dung|strong="H1828"  
 for|strong="H6213" the|strong="H6213" field|strong="H7704".

11Make|strong="H6213" their|strong="H1961" nobles|strong="H2715"  
 like|strong="H1961" Oreb|strong="H6159" and|strong="H1961"  
 Zeeb|strong="H2062",

all|strong="H3605" their|strong="H1961" princes|strong="H8269"  
 like|strong="H1961" Zebah|strong="H2078" and|strong="H1961"  
 Zalmunna|strong="H6759",

12who|strong="H3605" said|strong="H0559", 'Let|strong="H7971"  
 us|strong="H5414" take|strong="H7896" for|strong="H3605"  
 ourselves|strong="H0587"

the|strong="H3605" meadows|strong="H3733" of|strong="H3605"  
 God|strong="H0430".'

13Whirl|strong="H2342" them|strong="H3423", my|strong="H3423"  
 God|strong="H0430", like|strong="H3644" dust|strong="H6083",

like|strong="H3644" stubble|strong="H7179" before|strong="H6440"  
 the|strong="H3423" wind|strong="H7307".

14As|strong="H6440" the|strong="H6440" fire|strong="H0784"  
 that|strong="H7307" kindles|strong="H1397" the|strong="H6440"  
 forest|strong="H3293",

as|strong="H6440" flame|strong="H3852" that|strong="H7307"  
 sets|strong="H7896" mountains|strong="H2022" ablaze|strong="H3857",

15so|strong="H3651" with|strong="H1197" your|strong="H3068"  
 tempest|strong="H5591" pursue|strong="H7291" them|strong="H3857",

t errify|strong = "H1204" them|strong = "H3857" with|strong = "H1197"  
your|strong = "H3068" hurricane.

16Make|strong = "H6213" them|strong = "H7291" blush|strong = "H3637"  
with|strong = "H3651" shame|strong = "H0954";

u ntil|strong = "H5704" they|strong = "H3651" seek|strong = "H1245"  
your|strong = "H7291" name|strong = "H8034", O|strong = "H3069" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

17Everlasting|strong = "H5769" shame|strong = "H7036"  
and|strong = "H3068" confusion|strong = "H7036",

d isgrace|strong = "H7036" and|strong = "H3068"  
destruction|strong = "H7667" be|strong = "H3068" theirs|strong = "H1992".

18Teach|strong = "H3925" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H2659"  
you|strong = "H5704" alone|strong = "H0905"

a re|strong = "H3117" most|strong = "H6944" high|strong = "H1116"  
over|strong = "H5704" all|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H5704"  
earth|strong = "H0776".

Psalm 84 – The Song of the Pilgrims

84How|strong = "H4100" dearly|strong = "H0157" loved|strong = "H0157"  
is|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H5921" place|strong = "H4725"  
where|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H5921" live|strong = "H3427",

w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H1121" hosts|strong = "H6635"!

2How|strong = "H4100" I|strong = "H4100" long|strong = "H4100"  
and|strong = "H3068" yearn|strong = "H3616"

f or|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" courts|strong = "H2691"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

N ow|strong = "H6258" heart|strong = "H3820" and|strong = "H3068"  
flesh|strong = "H1320" cry|strong = "H7121" for|strong = "H3068"  
joy|strong = "H8057"

t o|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" living|strong = "H2416"  
God|strong = "H3068".

3Even|strong="H1571" the|strong="H3068" sparrow|strong="H6833"  
 has|strong="H3068" found|strong="H1571" her|strong="H1571"  
 a|strong="H3068" home|strong="H3068"

a nd|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" swallow|strong="H1104"  
 a|strong="H3068" nest|strong="H7064",

t o|strong="H3068" lay|strong="H5315" her|strong="H1571"  
 young|strong="H5288",

n ear|strong="H7126" your|strong="H3068" altar|strong="H4196",

w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* of|strong="H3068" hosts|strong="H6635",

m y|strong="H3068" king|strong="H4428" and|strong="H3068"  
 my|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068".

4Happy|strong="H0835" those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H3068"  
 live|strong="H3427" in|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068"  
 house|strong="H1004",

p raising|strong="H1984" you|strong="H4672"  
 evermore|strong="H5769". w Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

5Happy|strong="H0835" those|strong="H3427" whose|strong="H0834"  
 strength|strong="H5797" is|strong="H1004" in|strong="H3427"  
 you|strong="H1004",

p eople|strong="H3427" with|strong="H1004" pilgrim  
 hearts|strong="H3820".

6As|strong="H3824" they|strong="H4546" pass|strong="H5674"  
 through|strong="H3027" the|strong="H5797" valley|strong="H6010"  
 of|strong="H3824" tears|strong="H1832",

t hey|strong="H4546" make|strong="H6213" it|strong="H5414"  
 a|strong="H1961" place|strong="H4725" of|strong="H3824"  
 fountains|strong="H4599",

c lothed|strong="H3847" with|strong="H3824" the|strong="H5797"  
 blessings|strong="H1293" of|strong="H3824" early|strong="H7925"  
 rain|strong="H4306".



7From|strong = "H5674" rampart|strong = "H2426" to|strong = "H5674"  
rampart|strong = "H2426" on|strong = "H5674" they|strong = "H1571"  
march|strong = "H1980",

t ill|strong = "H5705" at|strong = "H1571" last|strong = "H0314"  
God|strong = "H0430" reveals|strong = "H1540" himself|strong = "H5844"  
in|strong = "H1571" Zion|strong = "H6726".

8w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, God|strong = "H0430" of|strong = "H2428"  
hosts|strong = "H2428", hear|strong = "H8085" my|strong = "H7200"  
prayer|strong = "H8605",

a ttend|strong = "H7181", O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H0430"  
of|strong = "H2428" Jacob|strong = "H3290". w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

9Behold|strong = "H2009", O|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068",  
our|strong = "H3068" defender,

a nd|strong = "H3068" look|strong = "H3068" upon|strong = "H5921"  
your|strong = "H3068" anointed|strong = "H4886",

10for|strong = "H6440" better|strong = "H2896" a|strong = "H7200"  
single|strong = "H0259" day|strong = "H3117" in|strong = "H6440"  
your|strong = "H6440" courts|strong = "H2691"

t han|strong = "H6440" a|strong = "H7200" thousand|strong = "H0505"  
in|strong = "H6440" my|strong = "H7200" own|strong = "H6440"  
chambers|strong = "H3957":

b etter|strong = "H2896" stand|strong = "H5975" at|strong = "H7200"  
the|strong = "H6440" door|strong = "H6607" of|strong = "H6440"  
the|strong = "H6440" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H6440"  
my|strong = "H7200" God|strong = "H0430"

t han|strong = "H6440" live|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H6440"  
the|strong = "H6440" tents|strong = "H0168" of|strong = "H6440"  
ungodliness|strong = "H1100",

11for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
is|strong = "H3117" sun|strong = "H8121" and|strong = "H3117"  
shield|strong = "H4043",

**t** he|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* gives|strong = "H5414" grace|strong = "H2580" and|strong = "H3117" glory|strong = "H3519".

**H** e|strong = "H3588" withholds|strong = "H2820" no|strong = "H3808" good|strong = "H2896" thing|strong = "H2896" from|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3588" life|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H3117" blameless|strong = "H8549".

12w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635",

**h** appy|strong = "H2896" those|strong = "H1980" whose|strong = "H0834" trust|strong = "H0982" is|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H1980" you|strong = "H5414".

Psalm 85 – A Prayer for National Restoration

85Once|strong = "H6471", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, you|strong = "H0859" did|strong = "H6213" favour|strong = "H2580" your|strong = "H1121" land|strong = "H0776",

**g** ranting change|strong = "H5162" of|strong = "H1121" fortune|strong = "H7622" to|strong = "H1121" Jacob|strong = "H3290",

2forgiving|strong = "H5375" the|strong = "H3068" guilt|strong = "H0817" of|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971",

**p** ardoning|strong = "H5493" all|strong = "H7725" their|strong = "H3068" sin|strong = "H2403", w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

3withdrawing all|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605" fury|strong = "H2534",

**t** urning|strong = "H5437" from|strong = "H5971" your|strong = "H3605" hot|strong = "H2552" anger|strong = "H5375".

4Restore|strong = "H7725" us|strong = "H7725", O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H0430" our|strong = "H3605" saviour|strong = "H3467",

**p** ut|strong = "H7725" away|strong = "H7725" your|strong = "H3605" displeasure|strong = "H2740" against|strong = "H3605" us|strong = "H7725".

5Will|strong="H7725" you|strong="H7725" cherish|strong="H2436"  
 your|strong="H7725" anger|strong="H3708" against|strong="H5973"  
 us|strong="H7725" forever|strong="H5769",

**p**rolonging|strong="H0754" your|strong="H7725"  
 wrath|strong="H3708" to|strong="H7725" all|strong="H7725"  
 generations|strong="H1755"?

6Will|strong="H3068" you|strong="H1755" not|strong="H3808"  
 revive|strong="H2421" us|strong="H5414" again|strong="H7725",

**t**hat|strong="H5769" your|strong="H4900" people|strong="H5971"  
 may|strong="H1755" be|strong="H5769" glad|strong="H8055"  
 in|strong="H1755" you|strong="H1755"?

7Show|strong="H7200" us|strong="H7725" your|strong="H7725"  
 kindness|strong="H2617", O|strong="H8055" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

**g**rant|strong="H5414" us|strong="H7725" your|strong="H7725"  
 salvation|strong="H3444".

8Let|strong="H5414" me|strong="H5414" hear|strong="H8085"  
 what|strong="H7200" God|strong="H3068" the|strong="H7200" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\* will|strong="H3068" speak|strong="H1696";

**f**or|strong="H3068" he|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068"  
 speak|strong="H1696" of|strong="H3068" peace|strong="H7965"

**t**o|strong="H3068" his|strong="H5414" people|strong="H7200",  
 to|strong="H3068" those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H3068"  
 love|strong="H2617" him|strong="H5414",

**a**nd|strong="H3068" turn|strong="H5414" their|strong="H3068"  
 hearts|strong="H3820" to|strong="H3068" him|strong="H5414".

9Soon|strong="H3588" those|strong="H8085" who|strong="H5971"  
 fear|strong="H3372" him|strong="H7725" shall|strong="H3068"  
 see|strong="H7200" how|strong="H4100" he|strong="H3588"  
 saves|strong="H3467",

**a**nd|strong="H3068" glory|strong="H3519" shall|strong="H3068"  
 live|strong="H3427" in|strong="H3068" our|strong="H3068"  
 land|strong="H0776".

10Kindness|strong = "H2617" and|strong = "H3519"  
loyalty|strong = "H2617" meet|strong = "H7122";

**p** eace|strong = "H7965" and|strong = "H3519"  
righteousness|strong = "H6666" kiss|strong = "H5401".

11Loyalty|strong = "H2617" springs|strong = "H4599"  
from|strong = "H7965" the|strong = "H7965" earth|strong = "H0776";

**r** ighteousness|strong = "H6664" looks|strong = "H7200"  
from|strong = "H7965" the|strong = "H7965" sky|strong = "H8064".

12The|strong = "H8064" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
shall|strong = "H8064" give|strong = "H5414" all|strong = "H3605"  
that|strong = "H8064" is|strong = "H6664" good|strong = "H2896",

- o ur|strong = "H3068" land|strong = "H8064" yielding|strong = "H2232"  
its|strong = "H3605" increase|strong = "H8393",

13righteousness|strong = "H6666" marching|strong = "H5265"  
before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H5414",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" peace|strong = "H7965" on|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H5414" path|strong = "H0734" he|strong = "H3068"  
treads|strong = "H1869".

Psalm 86 – A Prayer for Divine Guidance and Favour

86Incline|strong = "H5186" your|strong = "H3068" ear|strong = "H0241",  
w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, and|strong = "H3068" answer|strong = "H6030"  
me|strong = "H6030",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H3068"  
afflicted|strong = "H6041" and|strong = "H3068" needy|strong = "H6041".

2Guard|strong = "H8104" me|strong = "H5315", for|strong = "H3588"  
I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961" loyal|strong = "H2623":

- s** ave|strong = "H3467" your|strong = "H8104" servant|strong = "H5650",  
who|strong = "H5315" trusts|strong = "H0982" in|strong = "H5315"  
you|strong = "H3588".

3w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, be|strong = "H3117"  
 gracious|strong = "H2603" to|strong = "H3117" me|strong = "H7121",  
 for|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H3117"  
 my|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H0430";

I |strong = "H3588" cry|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H3117"  
 you|strong = "H3588" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 day|strong = "H3117".

4Gladden|strong = "H8055" the|strong = "H3588" heart|strong = "H5315"  
 of|strong = "H5650" your|strong = "H5375" servant|strong = "H5650";

f or|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H5650" you|strong = "H3588", w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, I|strong = "H3588" set|strong = "H5375"  
 my|strong = "H5375" hope|strong = "H3176".

5For|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588", w Lord|strong = "H2617" w\*,  
 are|strong = "H7227" good|strong = "H2896" and|strong = "H2617"  
 forgiving|strong = "H5375",

r ich|strong = "H6223" in|strong = "H7227" love|strong = "H2617" towards  
 all|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" call|strong = "H7121"  
 on|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H3588".

6Listen|strong = "H7181", O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
 to|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" prayer|strong = "H8605";

a ttend|strong = "H7181" to|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068"  
 plea|strong = "H1779" for|strong = "H3068" mercy|strong = "H3068".

7In|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3588" day|strong = "H3117"  
 of|strong = "H3117" my|strong = "H3588" trouble|strong = "H6869"  
 I|strong = "H3588" call|strong = "H7121" on|strong = "H3117"  
 you|strong = "H3588",

w ith|strong = "H3117" assurance|strong = "H0539" that|strong = "H3588"  
 you|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3117" answer|strong = "H6030"  
 me|strong = "H7121".

8None|strong = "H0369" of|strong = "H4639" the|strong = "H3644"  
 gods|strong = "H0430" is|strong = "H4639" like|strong = "H3644"  
 you|strong = "H3644", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**n** or|strong = "H3808" are|strong = "H4639" any|strong = "H3605"  
works|strong = "H4639" like|strong = "H3644" yours|strong = "H4191".

9All|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471"  
you|strong = "H6440" have|strong = "H1471" made|strong = "H6213"

**w** ill|strong = "H1471" come|strong = "H0935" and|strong = "H6440"  
bow|strong = "H7812" down|strong = "H7812" before|strong = "H6440"  
you|strong = "H6440",

**g** iving|strong = "H5414" glory|strong = "H3513", O|strong = "H8034" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, to|strong = "H6213" your|strong = "H3605"  
name|strong = "H8034".

10For|strong = "H3588" great|strong = "H1419" are|strong = "H6213"  
you|strong = "H3588", and|strong = "H1419" a|strong = "H6213"  
doer|strong = "H6213" of|strong = "H6213" wonders|strong = "H6381";

**y** ou|strong = "H3588" alone|strong = "H6213" are|strong = "H6213"  
God|strong = "H0430".

11Teach|strong = "H3384" me|strong = "H3372", O|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, your|strong = "H3068" way|strong = "H1870",

**t** hat|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3068" may|strong = "H3068"  
walk|strong = "H1980" in|strong = "H1980" your|strong = "H3068"  
truth|strong = "H0571":

**s** o|strong = "H1980" my|strong = "H3068" heart|strong = "H3824"  
shall|strong = "H3068" rejoice|strong = "H8055" in|strong = "H1980"  
your|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034".

12I|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H3824" give|strong = "H3034"  
you|strong = "H3605" thanks|strong = "H3034", O|strong = "H3034" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**w** ith|strong = "H3513" all|strong = "H3605" my|strong = "H3605"  
heart|strong = "H3824", my|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H0430",

**I** |strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H3824" honour|strong = "H3513"  
your|strong = "H3605" name|strong = "H8034" forever|strong = "H5769".

13For|strong = "H3588" great|strong = "H1419" is|strong = "H2617"  
your|strong = "H5921" love|strong = "H2617" towards me|strong = "H5315",

f rom|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" depths|strong = "H8482"  
of|strong = "H5921" Sheol|strong = "H7585" you|strong = "H3588"  
have|strong = "H3588" saved|strong = "H5337" me|strong = "H5315".

14Haughty|strong = "H7311" men|strong = "H6184" have|strong = "H2086"  
risen|strong = "H6965" up|strong = "H6965" against|strong = "H5921"  
me|strong = "H5315", O|strong = "H5315" God|strong = "H3808",

a |strong = "H7760" band|strong = "H5712" of|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" violent|strong = "H6184" seeking|strong = "H1245"  
my|strong = "H7760" life|strong = "H5315",

w ho|strong = "H5315" think|strong = "H7760" nothing|strong = "H3808"  
of|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H5921".

15But|strong = "H7227" you|strong = "H0859" are|strong = "H7227"  
a|strong = "H7227" God|strong = "H0430" of|strong = "H7227"  
pity|strong = "H2617" and|strong = "H2617" grace|strong = "H2580",

p atient|strong = "H0750" and|strong = "H2617" rich|strong = "H6223"  
in|strong = "H7227" kindness|strong = "H2617" and|strong = "H2617"  
faithfulness|strong = "H2617";

t urn|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H2617" me|strong = "H0413"  
with|strong = "H7227" your|strong = "H3068" grace|strong = "H2580",  
O|strong = "H3069" w Lord|strong = "H2617" w\*.

16Grant|strong = "H5414" your|strong = "H5414"  
strength|strong = "H5797" to|strong = "H5414" your|strong = "H5414"  
servant|strong = "H5650",

a nd|strong = "H1121" save|strong = "H3467" the|strong = "H5414"  
child|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" your|strong = "H5414"  
handmaid|strong = "H8198".

17Show|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H7200" a|strong = "H6213"  
sign|strong = "H0226" of|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
favour|strong = "H2896",

w hich|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H6213" who|strong = "H3068"  
 hate|strong = "H8130" me|strong = "H7200" may|strong = "H3068"  
 see|strong = "H7200" with|strong = "H5973" confusion|strong = "H1322",

s ince|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
 are|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" helper|strong = "H5826"  
 and|strong = "H3068" comforter|strong = "H5162".  
 Psalm 87 – Zion, City of God

87On|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H1121" holy|strong = "H6944"  
 mountain|strong = "H2042" stands|strong = "H5975"

t he|strong = "H1121" city|strong = "H5892" he|strong = "H1121"  
 founded|strong = "H3245".

2The|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* loves|strong = "H0157"  
 the|strong = "H3605" gates|strong = "H8179" of|strong = "H3068"  
 Zion|strong = "H6726"

m ore|strong = "H3254" than|strong = "H3605" all|strong = "H3605"  
 the|strong = "H3605" dwellings|strong = "H4908" of|strong = "H3068"  
 Jacob|strong = "H3290".

3Glorious|strong = "H3513" things|strong = "H3513" he|strong = "H1696"  
 is|strong = "H5892" speaking|strong = "H1696" of|strong = "H5892"  
 you|strong = "H1696",

y ou|strong = "H1696" city|strong = "H5892" of|strong = "H5892"  
 God|strong = "H0430". w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

4'Among|strong = "H5973" those|strong = "H2088" who|strong = "H2088"  
 are|strong = "H3045" mine|strong = "H3045" I|strong = "H2009"  
 name|strong = "H8034" Rahab|strong = "H7294" and|strong = "H8033"  
 Babylon|strong = "H0894",

P hilistia|strong = "H6429", Tyre|strong = "H6865",  
 Ethiopia|strong = "H3568",

t heir|strong = "H2142" people|strong = "H3045" will|strong = "H2088"  
 say|strong = "H0559" I|strong = "H2009" was|strong = "H2088"  
 born|strong = "H3205" in|strong = "H8033" Zion|strong = "H6726".



5As for Zion  
it will be  
said

each and all  
were born in  
her.

The w Lord w\* will  
preserve her.

6The w Lord w\* will  
count, when enrolling  
the peoples,

‘ This one was  
born there, and  
that one was  
born there.’ w Selah w\*

7Singers and dancers  
alike will say

‘ All my springs  
are in you.’  
Psalm 88 – The Prayer of Despair

88O w Lord w\* my  
God,

I cry for  
help in the day-time,

in the night  
my cry is  
before you;

2let my prayer  
come into your  
presence,

**i** ncline|strong = "H5186" your|strong = "H3068" ear|strong = "H0241"  
to|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" cry|strong = "H6817".

3For|strong = "H6440" I|strong = "H6440" am|strong = "H1961"  
sated|strong = "H7649" with|strong = "H6440" sorrow|strong = "H3015",

**m** y|strong = "H5186" life|strong = "H5315" draws|strong = "H7138"  
near|strong = "H6440" to|strong = "H6440" Sheol|strong = "H7585".

4I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961" counted|strong = "H2803"  
with|strong = "H7646" those|strong = "H5315" who|strong = "H5315"  
go|strong = "H1980" down|strong = "H5060" to|strong = "H5315"  
the|strong = "H3588" pit|strong = "H7585";

**w** ithout|strong = "H3588" strength|strong = "H5315" am|strong = "H1961"  
I|strong = "H3588".

5My|strong = "H1961" home|strong = "H1004" is|strong = "H1961"  
among|strong = "H5973" the|strong = "H1961" dead|strong = "H4191",

**l** ike|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" slain|strong = "H2491"  
that|strong = "H1397" lie|strong = "H1961" in|strong = "H1961"  
the|strong = "H1961" grave|strong = "H6913",

**w** hom|strong = "H1397" you|strong = "H5973"  
remember|strong = "H2142" no|strong = "H1961" more|strong = "H1961"

**c** ut|strong = "H3772" off|strong = "H3381" as|strong = "H1961"  
they|strong = "H1992" are|strong = "H1961" from|strong = "H3381"  
your|strong = "H1961" hand|strong = "H3027".

6In|strong = "H4191" the|strong = "H2142" deepest pit|strong = "H0953"  
you|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3027" put|strong = "H4191"  
me|strong = "H4191",

**i** n|strong = "H4191" shadows|strong = "H6738" deep|strong = "H8415"  
and|strong = "H3027" dark|strong = "H2822".

7Your|strong = "H7896" wrath|strong = "H2534" lies|strong = "H3577"  
heavy|strong = "H3513" upon|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H7896",

waves|strong="H1530" of|strong="H8482" your|strong="H7896"  
anger|strong="H0639" roll|strong="H4039" over|strong="H5921"  
me|strong="H7896". w Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

8You|strong="H3605" have|strong="H3605" put|strong="H5564"  
my|strong="H3605" friends|strong="H7453" far|strong="H5921"  
from|strong="H5921" me|strong="H5921",

you|strong="H3605" have|strong="H3605" made|strong="H3605"  
them|strong="H5921" shun|strong="H7368" me|strong="H5921".

I |strong="H5921" am|strong="H1961" shut|strong="H5462"  
in|strong="H5921", and|strong="H3605" cannot|strong="H3808"  
escape|strong="H4422",

9my|strong="H3045" eyes|strong="H5869" are|strong="H3045"  
wasted|strong="H6244" with|strong="H3318" sorrow|strong="H3015".

I |strong="H3045" call|strong="H7121" on|strong="H3318"  
you|strong="H3045", w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, every|strong="H3318"  
day|strong="H3117",

s preading|strong="H6566" my|strong="H3045" hands|strong="H3027"  
out|strong="H3318" to|strong="H3318" you|strong="H3045".

10For|strong="H7121" the|strong="H3605" dead|strong="H4191"  
can|strong="H5869" you|strong="H3605" work|strong="H4399"  
wonders|strong="H4159"?

C an|strong="H5869" the|strong="H3605" shades rise|strong="H6965"  
again|strong="H7725" to|strong="H3068" praise|strong="H1984"  
you|strong="H3605"? w Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

11Can|strong="H6213" your|strong="H6213" kindness|strong="H2617"  
be|strong="H4191" told|strong="H6213" in|strong="H6213"  
the|strong="H6213" grave|strong="H6913",

y our|strong="H6213" faithfulness|strong="H0530" in|strong="H6213"  
the|strong="H6213" tomb|strong="H6913"?

12Can|strong="H4310" your|strong="H5608" wonders|strong="H4159"  
be|strong="H2617" known|strong="H3045" in|strong="H6913"  
the|strong="H5608" darkness|strong="H2822",

o r|strong="H5608" your|strong="H5608" help|strong="H5826"  
in|strong="H6913" the|strong="H5608" land|strong="H0776"  
of|strong="H6913" forgetfulness|strong="H5388"?

13I|strong="H3045" cry|strong="H7121" for|strong="H3045"  
help|strong="H5826" to|strong="H3045" you|strong="H3045",

i n|strong="H3045" the|strong="H3045" morning|strong="H1242"  
my|strong="H3045" prayer|strong="H8605" comes|strong="H0935"  
before|strong="H3045" you|strong="H3045".

14Why|strong="H4100", O|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,  
do|strong="H3068" you|strong="H1242" spurn|strong="H5006"  
me|strong="H6923",

a nd|strong="H3068" hide|strong="H5641" your|strong="H3068"  
face|strong="H6440" from|strong="H3068" me|strong="H6923"?

15From|strong="H4480" my|strong="H3068" youth|strong="H5271"  
I|strong="H5315" am|strong="H3068" wretched|strong="H7451"  
and|strong="H3068" dying|strong="H0006",

I |strong="H5315" am|strong="H3068" numbed by|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H6440" terrors|strong="H1091" I|strong="H5315"  
bear|strong="H5375".

16The|strong="H5375" fires|strong="H0784" of|strong="H5375"  
your|strong="H5375" wrath|strong="H2534" have|strong="H5375"  
passed|strong="H5674" over|strong="H5375" me|strong="H0413",

y our|strong="H5375" terrors|strong="H1091" destroy|strong="H7843"  
me|strong="H0413",

17surging|strong="H7227" around|strong="H5921" me|strong="H5921"  
forever|strong="H5769",

h emming me|strong="H5921" in|strong="H5921"  
altogether|strong="H3162".

18Those|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605" love|strong="H0157"  
me|strong="H5921" you|strong="H3605" put|strong="H5414"  
far|strong="H5921" from|strong="H5921" me|strong="H5921";

the|strong="H3605" dark|strong="H2822" is|strong="H3117"  
 my|strong="H3605" only|strong="H3162" friend|strong="H7453".  
 Psalm 89 – The Promise to David

89I|strong="H0589" will|strong="H3068" sing|strong="H7891"  
 evermore|strong="H5769" of|strong="H4905" the|strong="H3605"  
 love|strong="H0157" of|strong="H4905" the|strong="H3605" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

**p** roclaiming|strong="H7121" to|strong="H0413" all|strong="H3605"  
 generations|strong="H1755" his|strong="H3605"  
 faithfulness|strong="H0530".

2For|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" love|strong="H2617"  
 you|strong="H3045" did|strong="H3068" promise|strong="H3068"  
 to|strong="H3068" build|strong="H1129" up|strong="H5927"  
 forever|strong="H5769",

**y** our|strong="H3068" faithfulness|strong="H2617"  
 firm|strong="H3559" as|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"  
 heavens|strong="H8064" themselves|strong="H3045".

3'I|strong="H3588" have|strong="H1129" made|strong="H3559"  
 with|strong="H8064" my|strong="H3588" chosen|strong="H0977"  
 a|strong="H3588" covenant|strong="H1285",

**a** nd|strong="H8064" sworn|strong="H7650" to|strong="H3559"  
 David|strong="H1732" my|strong="H3588" servant|strong="H5650",

4to|strong="H1732" establish|strong="H6965" his|strong="H1732"  
 seed|strong="H2233" forever|strong="H5769",

**a** nd|strong="H5650" to|strong="H1732" build|strong="H1129"  
 up|strong="H5927" his|strong="H1732" throne|strong="H3678"  
 to|strong="H1732" all|strong="H3772" ages|strong="H5769".' w  
 Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

5Then|strong="H1129" the|strong="H1129" holy|strong="H6944"  
 assembly|strong="H6951" in|strong="H1129" heaven|strong="H8064"

**p** raised|strong="H1984" your|strong="H3559"  
 marvellous|strong="H6381" faithfulness|strong="H3559", w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

6For|strong = "H3068" who|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" skies|strong = "H7834" may|strong = "H3068"  
 compare|strong = "H1819" with|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*?

W ho|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H3068" like|strong = "H8064"  
 the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* among|strong = "H8432"  
 the|strong = "H3068" gods|strong = "H0430"?

7A|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H3068" to|strong = "H3068"  
 be|strong = "H3068" feared|strong = "H3372" in|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3588" holy|strong = "H6944" assembly|strong = "H6951",

a wful and|strong = "H1121" great|strong = "H1419"  
 above|strong = "H4605" all|strong = "H3068" who|strong = "H4310"  
 are|strong = "H1121" round|strong = "H5439" him|strong = "H3588".

8O|strong = "H3069" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* God|strong = "H0430"  
 of|strong = "H6918" hosts|strong = "H6635", who|strong = "H3605"  
 is|strong = "H3605" mighty|strong = "H7227" as|strong = "H3605"  
 you|strong = "H3605"?

Y our|strong = "H3605" strength|strong = "H5797" and|strong = "H3372"  
 faithfulness|strong = "H0530", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
 surround|strong = "H5439" you|strong = "H3605".

9You|strong = "H3644" are|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
 raging|strong = "H7264" sea|strong = "H3220":

w hen|strong = "H3068" its|strong = "H5439" waves|strong = "H1530"  
 surge|strong = "H1607", it|strong = "H5439" is|strong = "H3068"  
 you|strong = "H3644" who|strong = "H4310" still|strong = "H5750"  
 them|strong = "H5439".

10It|strong = "H7623" was|strong = "H3220" you|strong = "H0859"  
 who|strong = "H0834" did|strong = "H6213" pierce|strong = "H5344"  
 and|strong = "H3220" crush|strong = "H1792" Rahab|strong = "H7343"  
 in|strong = "H4910" pieces|strong = "H5409",

a nd|strong = "H3220" scatter|strong = "H2219" your|strong = "H7623"  
 foes|strong = "H7796" by|strong = "H0801" your|strong = "H7623"  
 mighty|strong = "H1368" arm|strong = "H2220".

11 Yours are the heavens, yours also the earth,

the world and its fulness, it's you who did find them.

12 The north and the south, it's you have created them;

They labor and Hermon shout praise to you your name.

13 You have an arm with the might of a hero;

strong is your hand, high is your right hand.

14 Justice and right are the base of your throne,

kindness and faithfulness ever attend you.

15 Happy the people who know the glad shout,

who walk, O Lord, in the light of your face.

16 They exult in  
 your name all  
 the day,

and your  
 righteousness they extol.

17 For you are  
 our strength and  
 our pride.

Your favour will  
 lift us to  
 honour.

18 For the holy  
 Lord of  
 Israel

keeps our  
 defender  
 and king.

19 In a  
 of old  
 did you speak

in this way  
 to the one  
 whom you loved:

‘A crown I  
 have set on  
 the hero

I chose to  
 be over the  
 people

20 ‘I found my  
 servant David,

and anointed  
 with  
 holy oil.



21 My hand will be with him forever,

my arm will give him strength.

22 No enemy will dare to assail him,

nor the wicked to oppress him;

but his foes I will shatter before him,

I will strike down those who hate him.

24 My loyal love shall attend him,

and I will lift him to honour.

25 I will set his hand on the sea,

and his right hand on the rivers.

26 As for him, he will call me "My father",

**m** y|strong = "H7760" God|strong = "H3027", and|strong = "H3027"  
 my|strong = "H7760" rock|strong = "H6697" of|strong = "H3027"  
 salvation|strong = "H3444".

27And|strong = "H7121" I|strong = "H6697" will|strong = "H1931"  
 make|strong = "H7121" him|strong = "H7121" my|strong = "H7121"  
 firstborn|strong = "H1060",

**h** ighest|strong = "H8064" of|strong = "H6697" kings|strong = "H4428"  
 on|strong = "H7121" the|strong = "H7121" earth|strong = "H0776".

28'My|strong = "H5414" love|strong = "H0157" will|strong = "H4428"  
 I|strong = "H5414" keep|strong = "H8104" for|strong = "H4428"  
 him|strong = "H5414" ever|strong = "H5769",

**m** y|strong = "H5414" covenant|strong = "H1285" with|strong = "H4428"  
 him|strong = "H5414" shall|strong = "H4428" stand|strong = "H5975"  
 fast|strong = "H6685".

29His|strong = "H8104" line|strong = "H6957" will|strong = "H2617"  
 I|strong = "H0589" make|strong = "H6213" everlasting|strong = "H5769",

**a** nd|strong = "H5769" his|strong = "H8104" throne|strong = "H3678"  
 as|strong = "H2617" the|strong = "H8104" days|strong = "H5769"  
 of|strong = "H1285" the|strong = "H8104" heavens|strong = "H8064".

30'If|strong = "H7760" his|strong = "H7760" children|strong = "H2233"  
 forsake|strong = "H5800" my|strong = "H7760" law|strong = "H8451",

**a** nd|strong = "H3117" walk|strong = "H1980" not|strong = "H7760"  
 as|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117" have|strong = "H3117"  
 ordained|strong = "H7760";

31if|strong = "H1121" they|strong = "H3808" profane|strong = "H2490"  
 my|strong = "H5800" statutes|strong = "H2706",

**a** nd|strong = "H1121" do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808"  
 keep|strong = "H8104" my|strong = "H5800"  
 commandments|strong = "H4687";

32'I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3808" punish|strong = "H6485"  
 their|strong = "H3808" sin|strong = "H2403" with|strong = "H2708"  
 the|strong = "H8104" rod|strong = "H7626",

**t** heir|strong = "H3808" iniquity|strong = "H5771" with|strong = "H2708"  
scourges|strong = "H7850".

33But|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H6485" love|strong = "H0157"  
will|strong = "H5771" I|strong = "H5771" not|strong = "H3808"  
take|strong = "H6485" from|strong = "H7626" him|strong = "H6485",

**n** or|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H5771" I|strong = "H5771" belie  
my|strong = "H6485" faithfulness|strong = "H0530".

34'I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
profane|strong = "H2490" my|strong = "H3808" covenant|strong = "H1285"

**b** y|strong = "H5973" changing|strong = "H8545" the|strong = "H5973"  
word|strong = "H1697" that|strong = "H3808" has|strong = "H5973"  
passed|strong = "H5674" my|strong = "H3808" lips|strong = "H8193".

35Once|strong = "H6471" have|strong = "H8193" I|strong = "H3808"  
solemnly|strong = "H7650" sworn|strong = "H7650"

**a** nd|strong = "H1285" I|strong = "H3808" would|strong = "H0014"  
not|strong = "H3808" lie|strong = "H7901" to|strong = "H2490"  
David|strong = "H1732",

36'that|strong = "H1732" his|strong = "H1732" line|strong = "H6957"  
should|strong = "H1732" endure|strong = "H5975" forever|strong = "H5769",

**a** nd|strong = "H1732" his|strong = "H1732" throne|strong = "H3678"  
as|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H1732" sun|strong = "H8121"  
before|strong = "H6440" me|strong = "H0413",

37firm|strong = "H3559" as|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961"  
moon|strong = "H3394" which|strong = "H0834" for|strong = "H1961"  
ever|strong = "H5769"

**a** nd|strong = "H5769" ever|strong = "H5769" is|strong = "H1961"  
fixed|strong = "H3559" in|strong = "H2233" the|strong = "H1961"  
sky|strong = "H8064".' w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

38But|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H5769" have|strong = "H5707"  
cast|strong = "H7993" off|strong = "H3772" in|strong = "H3559"  
contempt|strong = "H0937",

and|strong="H5769" been|strong="H5769" furious|strong="H2534"  
with|strong="H5973" your|strong="H3559" anointed|strong="H4886".

39You|strong="H5973" have|strong="H5973" spurned|strong="H5006"  
the|strong="H5674" covenant|strong="H1285" with|strong="H5973"  
your|strong="H5674" servant|strong="H5650",

and|strong="H5674" his|strong="H5674" sacred|strong="H6944"  
crown|strong="H5850" dashed|strong="H7376" to|strong="H5674"  
the|strong="H5674" ground|strong="H0776".

40You|strong="H0859" have|strong="H5650" broken|strong="H2490"  
down|strong="H3381" all|strong="H3605" his|strong="H2490"  
walls|strong="H2346",

and|strong="H5650" laid|strong="H7760" his|strong="H2490"  
bulwarks|strong="H2426" in|strong="H5650" ruins|strong="H2723".

41All|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605" pass|strong="H5674"  
on|strong="H7760" their|strong="H3605" way|strong="H3605"  
despoil|strong="H7703" him|strong="H7760",

the|strong="H3605" scorn|strong="H2781" of|strong="H3605"  
his|strong="H3605" neighbours|strong="H7934" is|strong="H3605"  
he|strong="H3605" now|strong="H7760".

42You|strong="H3605" have|strong="H1961" given|strong="H5414"  
his|strong="H3605" foes|strong="H7796" the|strong="H3605"  
victory|strong="H8668",

and|strong="H1870" made|strong="H1961" all|strong="H3605"  
his|strong="H3605" enemies|strong="H0341" glad|strong="H8055".

43You|strong="H3605" have|strong="H6862" turned|strong="H2015"  
back|strong="H7725" his|strong="H3605" sword|strong="H2719"  
from|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" foe|strong="H6862",

you|strong="H3605" did|strong="H3225" not|strong="H3808"  
lift|strong="H7311" him|strong="H3605" up|strong="H7311"  
in|strong="H8055" the|strong="H3605" battle|strong="H4421".

44The|strong = "H7725" sceptre|strong = "H7626" you|strong = "H7725"  
took|strong = "H7725" from|strong = "H7725" his|strong = "H7725"  
hand|strong = "H3027",

a nd|strong = "H6965" his|strong = "H7725" throne|strong = "H3678"  
you|strong = "H7725" did|strong = "H3808" hurl|strong = "H2904"  
to|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H7725" ground|strong = "H0776".

45You|strong = "H7673" have|strong = "H7673"  
shortened|strong = "H7114" the|strong = "H7673" days|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H3678" his|strong = "H4048" youth|strong = "H5271",

a nd|strong = "H7673" covered|strong = "H3680" him|strong = "H5414"  
with|strong = "H5973" shame|strong = "H0954". w  
Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

46How|strong = "H4100" long|strong = "H3117", w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* will|strong = "H3117" you|strong = "H5921"  
hide|strong = "H5641" you|strong = "H5921" forever|strong = "H3117"?

H ow|strong = "H4100" long|strong = "H3117" are|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H5921" fires|strong = "H0784" of|strong = "H3117"  
your|strong = "H5921" wrath|strong = "H2534" to|strong = "H5921"  
burn|strong = "H8313"?

47Remember|strong = "H2142", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
the|strong = "H3068" shortness of|strong = "H3068" life|strong = "H5315"

h ow|strong = "H4100" fleeting|strong = "H1892" you|strong = "H5704"  
made|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H5704" people|strong = "H5971".

48Who|strong = "H3605" can|strong = "H4100" live|strong = "H3427"  
without|strong = "H3808" seeing|strong = "H7200" death|strong = "H4194"?

W ho|strong = "H3605" can|strong = "H4100" rescue|strong = "H5337"  
their|strong = "H3605" life|strong = "H2465" from|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H3605" clutch of|strong = "H1121" Sheol|strong = "H7585"? w  
Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

49Where|strong = "H3027", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
is|strong = "H4310" your|strong = "H7200" kindness|strong = "H2617"  
of|strong = "H3027" old|strong = "H1121",

**w** hich|strong = "H4310" you|strong = "H3808" in|strong = "H5315"  
your|strong = "H7200" faithfulness|strong = "H0530" swore|strong = "H7650"  
to|strong = "H3027" David|strong = "H3027"?

50Remember|strong = "H2142", O|strong = "H3069" w  
Lord|strong = "H2617" w\*, how|strong = "H4100" your|strong = "H1732"  
servants|strong = "H5650" are|strong = "H3117" mocked|strong = "H3932",

**h** ow|strong = "H4100" I|strong = "H7650" bear|strong = "H5375"  
in|strong = "H1732" my|strong = "H1732" heart|strong = "H3820"  
the|strong = "H1732" scorn|strong = "H2781" of|strong = "H2617"  
all|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471"

51The|strong = "H3605" scorn|strong = "H2781" which|strong = "H5971"  
your|strong = "H3605" enemies|strong = "H0341" hurl|strong = "H2904",  
O|strong = "H2142" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**w** hich|strong = "H5971" they|strong = "H5971" hurl|strong = "H2904"  
at|strong = "H5971" the|strong = "H3605" footsteps|strong = "H1870"  
of|strong = "H5650" your|strong = "H3605" anointed|strong = "H4886".

52Blest be the nd Lordnd\*, for ever and ever.

Amen and Amen.

Book Four

Psalm 90 – Hymn of Eternity

90w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, you|strong = "H1755"  
have|strong = "H1961" been|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"  
home|strong = "H1004" to|strong = "H1961" us|strong = "H1961"

**o** ne|strong = "H1961" generation|strong = "H1755" after|strong = "H1961"  
another|strong = "H1755".

2Before|strong = "H2962" the|strong = "H3205"  
mountains|strong = "H2022" were|strong = "H2022" born|strong = "H3205",

**o** r|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3205" earth|strong = "H0776"  
and|strong = "H5769" the|strong = "H3205" world|strong = "H8398"  
were|strong = "H2022" brought|strong = "H3205" forth|strong = "H3205",

**f** rom|strong = "H5704" everlasting|strong = "H5769" to|strong = "H5704"  
everlasting|strong = "H5769"

y ou|strong = "H5704" are|strong = "H2022" God|strong = "H0430".

3You|strong = "H5704" bring|strong = "H7725" us|strong = "H7725"  
back|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H7725"  
dust|strong = "H1793",

y ou|strong = "H5704" summon|strong = "H7121" mortals|strong = "H4172"  
to|strong = "H5704" return|strong = "H7725".

4For|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" see|strong = "H5869"  
a|strong = "H3588" thousand|strong = "H0505" years|strong = "H8141"

a s|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3588" passing|strong = "H5674"  
of|strong = "H3117" yesterday|strong = "H3117",

a s|strong = "H3117" a|strong = "H3588" watch|strong = "H5869"  
in|strong = "H8141" the|strong = "H3588" night|strong = "H3915".

5Your|strong = "H1961" floods|strong = "H5104" sweep|strong = "H2498"  
them|strong = "H1961" away|strong = "H2498";

t hey|strong = "H1242" are|strong = "H1961" like|strong = "H1961"  
a|strong = "H1961" dream|strong = "H2472",

o r|strong = "H0176" like|strong = "H1961" grass|strong = "H2682"  
which|strong = "H2682" sprouts|strong = "H2498" in|strong = "H1961"  
the|strong = "H1961" morning|strong = "H1242",

6which|strong = "H0834" blossoms|strong = "H6692" and|strong = "H1242"  
sprouts|strong = "H2498" in|strong = "H6153" the|strong = "H1242"  
morning|strong = "H1242",

b ut|strong = "H3588" by|strong = "H1242" evening|strong = "H6153"  
is|strong = "H1242" cut|strong = "H4135" and|strong = "H1242"  
withered|strong = "H3001".

7For|strong = "H3588" your|strong = "H3588" anger|strong = "H2534"  
consumes|strong = "H0398" us|strong = "H3588",

t he|strong = "H3588" heat|strong = "H2534" of|strong = "H3615"  
your|strong = "H3588" wrath|strong = "H2534" confounds  
us|strong = "H3588".

8Our|strong="H7896" sins|strong="H5771" you|strong="H6440"  
have|strong="H5771" set|strong="H7896" before|strong="H6440"  
you|strong="H6440",

o ur|strong="H7896" secrets|strong="H5475" in|strong="H6440"  
the|strong="H6440" light|strong="H3974" of|strong="H6440"  
your|strong="H6440" face|strong="H6440".

9For|strong="H3588" through|strong="H3605" your|strong="H3605"  
wrath|strong="H5678" our|strong="H3605" days|strong="H3117"  
are|strong="H3117" declining,

w e|strong="H3588" bring|strong="H0935" our|strong="H3605"  
years|strong="H8141" to|strong="H3117" an|strong="H3588"  
end|strong="H3615" as|strong="H3117" a|strong="H3588"  
sigh|strong="H1899".

10The|strong="H3588" span|strong="H8141" of|strong="H3117"  
our|strong="H3588" life|strong="H3117" is|strong="H3117"  
seventy|strong="H7657" years|strong="H8141",

o r|strong="H3117", if|strong="H3588" we|strong="H3588"  
are|strong="H3117" strong|strong="H1369", maybe|strong="H0194"  
eighty|strong="H8084";

y et|strong="H3588" is|strong="H3117" their|strong="H3588"  
breadth|strong="H7341" but|strong="H3588" empty|strong="H7387"  
toil|strong="H5999",

f or|strong="H3588" swiftly|strong="H7031" they|strong="H3588"  
go|strong="H1980", and|strong="H3117" we|strong="H3588"  
fly|strong="H5774" away|strong="H5774".

11Who|strong="H4310" lays|strong="H8213" to|strong="H3045"  
heart|strong="H3820" the|strong="H3045" power|strong="H5797"  
of|strong="H3045" your|strong="H3045" anger|strong="H5678"?

O r|strong="H4310" who|strong="H4310" stands|strong="H5975"  
in|strong="H3045" reverent awe|strong="H1481" of|strong="H3045"  
your|strong="H3045" wrath|strong="H5678"?



12O|strong = "H3069" teach|strong = "H3045" us|strong = "H3045"  
to|strong = "H3117" count|strong = "H4487" our|strong = "H3045"  
days|strong = "H3117"

s o|strong = "H3651" our|strong = "H3045" minds|strong = "H3824"  
may|strong = "H3117" learn|strong = "H3045" wisdom|strong = "H2451".

13Return|strong = "H7725", O|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*; why|strong = "H5921" so|strong = "H7725"  
long|strong = "H5704"?

R elent|strong = "H5162" on|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H3068"  
servants|strong = "H5650".

14Grant|strong = "H5414" us|strong = "H3117" your|strong = "H3605"  
love|strong = "H2617" to|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605"  
full|strong = "H7646" in|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605"  
morning|strong = "H1242",

t hat|strong = "H3605" all|strong = "H3605" our|strong = "H3605"  
days|strong = "H3117" we|strong = "H3117" may|strong = "H3117"  
shout|strong = "H7442" for|strong = "H7442" joy|strong = "H7442".

15Make|strong = "H8055" us|strong = "H7200" glad|strong = "H8055"  
for|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H7200" days|strong = "H3117"  
you|strong = "H3117" have|strong = "H3117" humbled|strong = "H6031"  
us|strong = "H7200",

f or|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H7200" evil|strong = "H7451"  
years|strong = "H8141" we|strong = "H3117" have|strong = "H3117"  
seen|strong = "H7200".

16Let|strong = "H7971" your|strong = "H5921" servants|strong = "H5650"  
see|strong = "H7200" you|strong = "H5921" in|strong = "H5921"  
action|strong = "H6213",

s how|strong = "H7200" your|strong = "H5921" majesty|strong = "H1926"  
to|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H7200" children|strong = "H1121".

17Let|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H5921" grace|strong = "H2580"  
of|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
our|strong = "H5921" God|strong = "H3027" be|strong = "H1961"  
upon|strong = "H5921" us|strong = "H5921",

**u** phold|strong="H8551" what|strong="H4639" our|strong="H5921"  
hands|strong="H3027" are|strong="H3027" striving|strong="H7469"  
to|strong="H1961" do|strong="H4639".

Psalm 91 – In the Shelter of the Most High

91 You|strong="H3427" whose|strong="H0834" home|strong="H1004"  
is|strong="H6738" the|strong="H3885" shelter|strong="H5643"  
of|strong="H3427" God|strong="H0430" Most|strong="H5945"  
High|strong="H5945",

**w** hose|strong="H0834" abode|strong="H3427" is|strong="H6738"  
the|strong="H3885" shadow|strong="H6738" of|strong="H3427"  
God|strong="H0430" Almighty|strong="H7706",

2 can|strong="H4310" say|strong="H0559" to|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, 'My|strong="H3068"  
refuge|strong="H4268", my|strong="H3068" fortress|strong="H4686",

**m** y|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068", in|strong="H3068"  
whom|strong="H0834" I|strong="H3068" trust|strong="H4268".'

3 For|strong="H3588" he|strong="H1931" saves|strong="H5337"  
you|strong="H3588" from|strong="H5337" fowler's  
snare|strong="H6341",

**f** rom|strong="H5337" deadly|strong="H1942" plague|strong="H1698",

4 he|strong="H8478" shelters|strong="H5521" you|strong="H8478"  
with|strong="H5526" his|strong="H8478" pinions|strong="H0084",

**a** nd|strong="H6793" under|strong="H8478" his|strong="H8478"  
wings|strong="H3671" you|strong="H8478" can|strong="H4310"  
hide|strong="H5641".

**H** is|strong="H8478" truth|strong="H0571" will|strong="H3671"  
be|strong="H1961" a|strong="H8478" shield|strong="H6793"  
and|strong="H6793" buckler|strong="H6793".

5 You|strong="H3808" need|strong="H4270" not|strong="H3808"  
fear|strong="H3372" the|strong="H3372" terror|strong="H6343"  
of|strong="H3372" night|strong="H3915",

**n** or the arrow that flies by day,

nor the plague that stalks in darkness,

**n** or the pestilence raging at noon.

7A thousand may fall at your side,

**t** en thousand at your right hand:

**b** ut it will not draw near to you.

8You will only look on with your eyes,

**a** nd see how the wicked are punished.

9You have made the Lord your refuge,

**y** ou have made High your defence.

10You will never be met by misfortune,

**n** o|strong="H3808" plague|strong="H5061" will|strong="H3808"  
come|strong="H7126" near|strong="H7126" your|strong="H3808"  
tent|strong="H0168",

11 for|strong="H3588" he|strong="H3588" orders|strong="H6680"  
his|strong="H3605" angels|strong="H4397" to|strong="H8104"  
guard|strong="H8104" you|strong="H3588",

**w** herever|strong="H3605" you|strong="H3588" go|strong="H4397".

12 They|strong="H5921" will|strong="H7272" carry|strong="H5375"  
you|strong="H5921" with|strong="H5921" their|strong="H5375"  
hands|strong="H3709",

**s** o|strong="H6435" you|strong="H5921" don't|strong="H0408"  
hurt|strong="H5062" your|strong="H5921" foot|strong="H7272"  
on|strong="H5921" a|strong="H5375" stone|strong="H0068".

13 You|strong="H5921" will|strong="H3068" trample|strong="H7429"  
down|strong="H7429" lions|strong="H3715" and|strong="H5921"  
snakes|strong="H8577",

**t** read|strong="H1869" on|strong="H5921" young|strong="H3715"  
lions|strong="H3715" and|strong="H5921" cobras|strong="H6620".

14 'Because|strong="H3588" of|strong="H8034" their|strong="H3588"  
love|strong="H2836" for|strong="H3588" me|strong="H7682",  
I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H8034" deliver|strong="H6403"  
them|strong="H3588",

**I** |strong="H3588" will|strong="H8034" protect|strong="H7682"  
those|strong="H3588" who|strong="H3588" trust|strong="H0982"  
my|strong="H3045" name|strong="H8034".

15 I|strong="H6869" will|strong="H6869" answer|strong="H6030"  
their|strong="H7121" cry|strong="H7121" and|strong="H6030"  
be|strong="H1961" with|strong="H5973" them|strong="H7121"  
in|strong="H7121" trouble|strong="H6869",

**b** ringing|strong="H0935" them|strong="H7121" forth|strong="H7121"  
into|strong="H0413" safety|strong="H0983" and|strong="H6030"  
honour|strong="H3513".

16I will give them a life of many days,

I will show them my salvation.’

Psalm 92 – The Ways of God

92It is good to give thanks to the Lord,

to sing your praise,  
to tell your name,  
O Most High,

to declare your love  
in the morning,

and your faithfulness  
in the night,

with your voice and  
a ten-stringed harp,

with music that throbs  
on the lyre.

4For you make me  
glad by your  
deeds, w Lord,

at the work of your hands  
I will ring out  
my joy.

5How great are your  
works, O w  
Lord;

how deep are your thoughts!

The insensitive cannot know,

nor can a fool understand,

that, though the wicked flourish like grass,

and evildoers all blossom,

they will perish forever.

But you are exalted forever.

For see! Your enemies, w

For see! Your enemies, perish,

all evildoers are scattered.

But you lift me to honour,

and anoint me afresh with oil.

My eyes will feast on my foes,

**a** nd|strong = "H8081" my|strong = "H7311" ears|strong = "H0241"  
 will|strong = "H3068" hear|strong = "H8085" of|strong = "H7161"  
 the|strong = "H7311" doom|strong = "H6843" of|strong = "H7161"  
 the|strong = "H7311" wicked|strong = "H7563".

12The|strong = "H5921" righteous|strong = "H6662" will|strong = "H5869"  
 sprout|strong = "H6779" like|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
 palm|strong = "H8561",

**w** ill|strong = "H5869" grow|strong = "H6779" like|strong = "H5921"  
 a|strong = "H8085" cedar|strong = "H0730" of|strong = "H5869"  
 Lebanon|strong = "H3844".

13In|strong = "H6662" the|strong = "H7685" house|strong = "H1004"  
 of|strong = "H6662" the|strong = "H7685" w Lord|strong = "H6662" w\*  
 are|strong = "H6662" they|strong = "H1992" planted|strong = "H5193",

**i** n|strong = "H6662" the|strong = "H7685" courts|strong = "H2691"  
 of|strong = "H6662" our|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H0430"  
 they|strong = "H1992" will|strong = "H6662" sprout|strong = "H6524".

14They|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" still|strong = "H5750"  
 bear|strong = "H5375" fruit|strong = "H6529" in|strong = "H3068"  
 old|strong = "H1121" age|strong = "H3117",

**a** ll|strong = "H3068" sappy and|strong = "H3068" fresh|strong = "H3892"  
 will|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068"

15So|strong = "H1961" they|strong = "H1992" proclaim|strong = "H7121"  
 the|strong = "H1961" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* to|strong = "H1961"  
 be|strong = "H1961" just|strong = "H3512",

**m** y|strong = "H1961" rock|strong = "H6697", in|strong = "H5750"  
 whom|strong = "H0834" is|strong = "H1961" no|strong = "H1961"  
 wrong|strong = "H7451".

Psalm 93 – The Lord, King of all the World

93The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* has|strong = "H3068"  
 taken|strong = "H3947" his|strong = "H3068" seat|strong = "H3727"  
 on|strong = "H3847" the|strong = "H3068" throne|strong = "H4427",

clothed|strong = "H3847" with|strong = "H3847"  
 majesty|strong = "H1348", armed|strong = "H3847" with|strong = "H3847"  
 might|strong = "H5797".

Now|strong = "H3847" the|strong = "H3068" world|strong = "H8398"  
 stands|strong = "H5975" firm|strong = "H3559", to|strong = "H3068"  
 be|strong = "H3068" shaken|strong = "H4131" no|strong = "H1077"  
 more|strong = "H3254",

firm|strong = "H3559" stands|strong = "H5975" your|strong = "H3559"  
 throne|strong = "H3678" from|strong = "H3678" all|strong = "H5769"  
 eternity|strong = "H5769".

You|strong = "H5769" are|strong = "H3678" from|strong = "H3678"  
 everlasting|strong = "H5769".

3The|strong = "H5375" floods|strong = "H5104", O|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, have|strong = "H3068" lifted|strong = "H5375",

the|strong = "H5375" floods|strong = "H5104" have|strong = "H3068"  
 lifted|strong = "H5375" their|strong = "H3068" voice|strong = "H6963",

the|strong = "H5375" floods|strong = "H5104" lift|strong = "H5375"  
 up|strong = "H5375" their|strong = "H3068" roar|strong = "H5375".

4But|strong = "H3068" more|strong = "H7227" grand  
 than|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" great|strong = "H7227"  
 roaring|strong = "H7581" waters|strong = "H4325",

more|strong = "H7227" grand than|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
 ocean|strong = "H4325" waves|strong = "H4867",

grand on|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" height|strong = "H4791"  
 stands|strong = "H5975" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

5What|strong = "H4100" you|strong = "H3117" have|strong = "H3068"  
 ordained|strong = "H4390" is|strong = "H3068" most|strong = "H6944"  
 sure|strong = "H0539";

most|strong = "H6944" sure|strong = "H0539" shall|strong = "H3068"  
 your|strong = "H3068" house|strong = "H1004" stand|strong = "H5975"  
 inviolate,



**O** |strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, for|strong = "H3068" ever|strong = "H3117" and|strong = "H3068" ever|strong = "H3117".

Psalm 94 – A Prayer for Vengeance on the Cruel

94w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, God|strong = "H3068" of|strong = "H3068" vengeance|strong = "H5360",

**G** od|strong = "H3068" of|strong = "H3068" vengeance|strong = "H5360",  
shine|strong = "H3313" forth|strong = "H3313".

2Rise|strong = "H5375" up|strong = "H5375", judge|strong = "H8199" of|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" earth|strong = "H0776",

**p** ay|strong = "H7725" back|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H5921" proud|strong = "H1343" what|strong = "H5921" they|strong = "H5921" deserve|strong = "H0376".

3w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, how|strong = "H4970" long|strong = "H5704" shall|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" wicked|strong = "H7563",

**h** ow|strong = "H4970" long|strong = "H5704" shall|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" wicked|strong = "H7563" exult|strong = "H5937",

4with|strong = "H1696" their|strong = "H3605" blustering arrogant|strong = "H2086" words|strong = "H1697",

**t** heir|strong = "H3605" braggart and|strong = "H1696" wicked|strong = "H7563" speech|strong = "H1696",

5crushing|strong = "H1792" your|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" afflicting your|strong = "H3068" heritage|strong = "H5159",

6murdering widows|strong = "H0490" and|strong = "H3490" strangers|strong = "H1616",

**s** laying|strong = "H2026" the|strong = "H2026" fatherless|strong = "H3490"?

7They think that the  
the w Lord w\* does  
not see,

n or the God  
of Jacob regard  
it.

8Take heed, you  
dullest of people;

w hen will you  
be wise, you  
fools?

9Is he deaf,  
who shaped the  
ear?

I s he blind,  
who fashioned the  
eye?

10Can he who  
trains nations not  
punish them?

h e who teaches  
knowledge to people?

11The w Lord w\*  
knows the thoughts  
of people,

t hat only a  
breath are they.

12Happy are those  
whom you chasten,

a nd teach out  
of your law,

13keeping|strong = "H8104" them|strong = "H5704"  
 calm|strong = "H8252" in|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117"  
 day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117" misfortune|strong = "H7451",

t ill|strong = "H5704" a|strong = "H3117" pit|strong = "H7845"  
 be|strong = "H3117" dug|strong = "H3738" for|strong = "H5704"  
 the|strong = "H3117" wicked|strong = "H7563".

14For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" leave|strong = "H5800"  
 his|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971",

h e|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
 forsake|strong = "H5800" his|strong = "H3068" inheritance|strong = "H5159".

15For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" righteous|strong = "H6664"  
 shall|strong = "H3820" come|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H5704"  
 their|strong = "H3605" rights|strong = "H4941",

a nd|strong = "H7725" all|strong = "H3605" true-hearted  
 people|strong = "H3820" shall|strong = "H3820" follow|strong = "H0310"  
 them|strong = "H7725".

16Who|strong = "H4310" will|strong = "H4310" rise|strong = "H6965"  
 up|strong = "H6965" for|strong = "H6965" me|strong = "H5973"  
 against|strong = "H5973" those|strong = "H5973" who|strong = "H4310"  
 do|strong = "H6466" evil|strong = "H7489"?

W ho|strong = "H4310" will|strong = "H4310" stand|strong = "H6965"  
 up|strong = "H6965" for|strong = "H6965" me|strong = "H5973"  
 against|strong = "H5973" workers|strong = "H6466" of|strong = "H6466"  
 wrong|strong = "H7489"?

17Were|strong = "H5315" it|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3884"  
 for|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" help|strong = "H5833"  
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

I |strong = "H5315" would|strong = "H3068" soon|strong = "H4592"  
 have|strong = "H3068" gone|strong = "H3068" to|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" silent|strong = "H2790" grave|strong = "H6913".

18When I thought that my foot was slipping,

your kindness, w  
 Lord w\*, held me  
 up.

19When with cares  
 my heart was  
 crowded,

your comforts make  
 me glad.

20Can corrupt  
 justice be your  
 ally,

framing mischief by  
 statute?

21They assail the  
 life of the  
 righteous,

and innocent blood  
 condemn.

22But the w Lord w\*  
 is my sure  
 retreat,

my God is  
 the rock of  
 my refuge.

23He will bring  
 back their sin  
 upon them,

**f** or|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H3068" wickedness|strong = "H7451"  
 he|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" destroy|strong = "H6789"  
 them|strong = "H5921";

**t** he|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* our|strong = "H3068"  
 God|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" destroy|strong = "H6789"  
 them|strong = "H5921".

Psalm 95 – For a Festival. A Hymn of Praise and a Solemn Warning

95Come|strong = "H3212"! Let|strong = "H3212" us|strong = "H5414"  
 ring|strong = "H2885" out|strong = "H7442" our|strong = "H3068"  
 joy|strong = "H7442" to|strong = "H3212" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**l** et|strong = "H3212" us|strong = "H5414" merrily|strong = "H8056"  
 shout|strong = "H7321" to|strong = "H3212" our|strong = "H3068"  
 rock|strong = "H6697" of|strong = "H3068" salvation|strong = "H3468".

2Before|strong = "H6440" his|strong = "H6440" face|strong = "H6440"  
 let|strong = "H7971" us|strong = "H6440" come|strong = "H6923"  
 with|strong = "H6440" thanks|strong = "H8426",

**w** ith|strong = "H6440" songs|strong = "H2158" of|strong = "H6440"  
 praise|strong = "H8426" let|strong = "H7971" us|strong = "H6440"  
 shout|strong = "H7321" to|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440".

3For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 is|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H3588" great|strong = "H1419"  
 God|strong = "H3068",

**k** ing|strong = "H4428" above|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605"  
 gods|strong = "H0430".

4In|strong = "H3027" his|strong = "H3027" hand|strong = "H3027"  
 are|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3027" depths|strong = "H4278"  
 of|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3027" earth|strong = "H0776",

**t** he|strong = "H3027" heights|strong = "H4791" of|strong = "H3027"  
 the|strong = "H3027" mountains|strong = "H2022" are|strong = "H3027"  
 his|strong = "H3027".

5The|strong = "H6213" sea|strong = "H3220" is|strong = "H1931"  
his|strong = "H3027", for|strong = "H6213" he|strong = "H1931"  
made|strong = "H6213" it|strong = "H1931":

t he|strong = "H6213" dry|strong = "H3006" land|strong = "H3006"  
was|strong = "H1931" formed|strong = "H3335" by|strong = "H3027"  
his|strong = "H3027" hands|strong = "H3027".

6Come|strong = "H0935"! Let|strong = "H7971" us|strong = "H6213"  
worship|strong = "H7812" and|strong = "H3068" bow|strong = "H7812"

o n|strong = "H3068" our|strong = "H3068" knees|strong = "H1290"  
to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
our|strong = "H3068" creator|strong = "H1254".

7For|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931"  
our|strong = "H8085" God|strong = "H3027"; and|strong = "H3117"  
we|strong = "H3588"

a re|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H8085" people|strong = "H5971"  
he|strong = "H1931" tends|strong = "H5341", the|strong = "H8085"  
sheep|strong = "H6629" in|strong = "H8085" his|strong = "H8085"  
care|strong = "H3027".

I f|strong = "H3588" only|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
would|strong = "H5971" heed|strong = "H8085" his|strong = "H8085"  
voice|strong = "H6963" today|strong = "H3117":

8Do|strong = "H4057" not|strong = "H3808" harden|strong = "H7185"  
your|strong = "H7185" hearts|strong = "H3824" as|strong = "H3117"  
at|strong = "H3117" Meribah|strong = "H4809",

o r|strong = "H3117" at|strong = "H3117" Massah|strong = "H4532",  
that|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" in|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H3117" desert|strong = "H4057",

9when|strong = "H7200" your|strong = "H7200"  
ancestors|strong = "H0001" tempted|strong = "H5254" and|strong = "H7200"  
tried|strong = "H5254" me|strong = "H7200",

t hough|strong = "H1571" they|strong = "H1571" had|strong = "H3068"  
seen|strong = "H7200" my|strong = "H7200" deeds|strong = "H6467".

10 For|strong = "H3045" forty|strong = "H0705" years|strong = "H8141"  
 I|strong = "H3045" was|strong = "H3824" filled|strong = "H4390"  
 with|strong = "H3045" loathing|strong = "H8441"

f or|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H3045" generation|strong = "H1755",  
 so|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H3045" said|strong = "H0559":

“ A|strong = "H3808" people|strong = "H5971" with|strong = "H3045"  
 wandering|strong = "H8582" hearts|strong = "H3824" are|strong = "H1992"  
 they|strong = "H1992",

a nd|strong = "H5971" ignorant|strong = "H3045" of|strong = "H8141"  
 my|strong = "H3045" ways|strong = "H1870".”

11 So|strong = "H7650" I|strong = "H7650" solemnly|strong = "H7650"  
 swore|strong = "H7650" to|strong = "H7650" them|strong = "H7650"  
 in|strong = "H7650" my|strong = "H7650" anger|strong = "H0639",

t hat|strong = "H0834" never|strong = "H3808" would|strong = "H0014"  
 they|strong = "H1992" enter|strong = "H0935" my|strong = "H7650"  
 place|strong = "H4496" of|strong = "H1121" rest|strong = "H4496".’

Psalm 96 – The Lord’s Rule

96 Sing|strong = "H7891" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* a|strong = "H3068" new|strong = "H2319"  
 song|strong = "H7892",

s ing|strong = "H7891" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 earth|strong = "H0776".

2 Sing|strong = "H7891" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, bless|strong = "H1288" his|strong = "H3068"  
 name|strong = "H8034",

f rom|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" to|strong = "H3068"  
 day|strong = "H3117" herald|strong = "H3744" his|strong = "H3068"  
 victory|strong = "H3444".

3 Tell|strong = "H5608" his|strong = "H3605" glory|strong = "H3519"  
 among|strong = "H6381" the|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471",

**h** is|strong = "H3605" wonders|strong = "H6381" among|strong = "H6381" all|strong = "H3605" peoples|strong = "H5971".

4For|strong = "H3588" great|strong = "H1419" is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* and|strong = "H3068" worthy|strong = "H4941" all|strong = "H3605" praise|strong = "H1984";

**h** eld|strong = "H2388" in|strong = "H5921" awe|strong = "H3372", above|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605" gods|strong = "H0430":

5for|strong = "H3588" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" gods|strong = "H0430" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H5971" are|strong = "H5971" idols|strong = "H1544",

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* created|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3605" heavens|strong = "H8064".

6Before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440" are|strong = "H6440" splendour and|strong = "H6440" majesty|strong = "H1926",

**b** eauty|strong = "H8597" and|strong = "H6440" strength|strong = "H5797" in|strong = "H6440" his|strong = "H6440" holy|strong = "H4720" place|strong = "H4720".

7Ascribe|strong = "H3051" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, you|strong = "H5971" tribes|strong = "H4940" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" nations|strong = "H5971",

**a** scribe|strong = "H3051" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* glory|strong = "H3519" and|strong = "H3068" strength|strong = "H5797".

8Ascribe|strong = "H3051" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5375" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* the|strong = "H5375" glory|strong = "H3519" he|strong = "H3068" manifests:

**b** ring|strong = "H5375" you|strong = "H5375" an|strong = "H5375" offering|strong = "H4503", enter|strong = "H0935" his|strong = "H5375" courts|strong = "H2691".

9Bow|strong = "H7812" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* in|strong = "H3068" holy|strong = "H6944" array|strong = "H1927":



t remble|strong="H2342" before|strong="H6440" him|strong="H6440",  
all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0776".

10Say|strong="H0559" to|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"  
nations|strong="H1471", 'The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
is|strong="H3068" king|strong="H4427".'

T he|strong="H3068" world|strong="H8398" stands|strong="H5975"  
firm|strong="H3559" to|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3068"  
shaken|strong="H4131" no|strong="H1077" more|strong="H3254".

H e|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" judge|strong="H1777"  
the|strong="H3068" peoples|strong="H5971" with|strong="H3068"  
equity|strong="H4339".

11Let|strong="H7481" the|strong="H8055" heavens|strong="H8064"  
be|strong="H8064" glad|strong="H8055" and|strong="H8064"  
the|strong="H8055" earth|strong="H8064" rejoice|strong="H8055",

l et|strong="H7481" the|strong="H8055" sea|strong="H3220"  
and|strong="H8064" its|strong="H3220" fulness|strong="H4393"  
thunder|strong="H7481".

12Let|strong="H7971" the|strong="H3605" field|strong="H7704",  
and|strong="H6086" all|strong="H3605" that|strong="H3605"  
is|strong="H3605" in|strong="H6086" it|strong="H3605",  
exult|strong="H5937";

l et|strong="H7971" the|strong="H3605" trees|strong="H6086"  
of|strong="H7704" the|strong="H3605" forest|strong="H3293"  
ring|strong="H2885" out|strong="H7442" their|strong="H3605"  
joy|strong="H7442"

13before|strong="H6440" the|strong="H6440" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*: for|strong="H3588" he|strong="H3588"  
comes|strong="H6440",

h e|strong="H3588" comes|strong="H6440" to|strong="H3068"  
judge|strong="H8199" the|strong="H6440" earth|strong="H0776".

H e|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" judge|strong="H8199"  
the|strong="H6440" world|strong="H8398" with|strong="H3068"  
justice|strong="H6664"

**a** nd|strong="H3068" the|strong="H6440" nations|strong="H5971"  
with|strong="H3068" faithfulness|strong="H0530".

Psalm 97 – The Lord’s Judgment

97The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* is|strong="H3068"  
king|strong="H4427", let|strong="H8055" the|strong="H3068"  
earth|strong="H0776" rejoice|strong="H8055":

**l** et|strong="H8055" her|strong="H4427" many|strong="H7227"  
isles|strong="H0339" be|strong="H3068" glad|strong="H8055".

2Clouds|strong="H6051" and|strong="H4941"  
darkness|strong="H6205" are|strong="H4941" round|strong="H5439"  
about|strong="H5439" him|strong="H5439",

**j** ustice|strong="H4941" and|strong="H4941" right|strong="H4941"  
are|strong="H4941" the|strong="H5439" base|strong="H3247"  
of|strong="H3678" his|strong="H5439" throne|strong="H3678".

3Fire|strong="H3857" goes|strong="H6440" before|strong="H6440"  
him|strong="H6440",

**a** nd|strong="H3212" blazes|strong="H3857" around|strong="H5439"  
his|strong="H6440" steps|strong="H4609",

4his|strong="H7200" lightnings|strong="H1300"  
illumine|strong="H0215" the|strong="H7200" world|strong="H8398":

**t** he|strong="H7200" earth|strong="H0776" quakes|strong="H7264"  
at|strong="H7200" the|strong="H7200" sight|strong="H7200".

5Mountains|strong="H2022" melt|strong="H4549" like|strong="H2022"  
wax|strong="H1749"

**b** efore|strong="H6440" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
of|strong="H3068" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605"  
earth|strong="H0776".

6The|strong="H3605" heavens|strong="H8064"  
proclaim|strong="H5046" his|strong="H3605" justice|strong="H6664",

**a** ll|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H5971" behold|strong = "H7200"  
his|strong = "H3605" glory|strong = "H3519".

7Shamed|strong = "H0954" are|strong = "H6459" all|strong = "H3605"  
image-worshippers,

w ho|strong = "H3605" make|strong = "H5647" a|strong = "H3605"  
boast|strong = "H1984" of|strong = "H3605" their|strong = "H3605"  
idols|strong = "H6459".

**A** ll|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" gods|strong = "H0430"  
bow|strong = "H7812" before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H5647".

8Zion|strong = "H6726" is|strong = "H3068" glad|strong = "H8055"  
at|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8085" tidings|strong = "H1319",

**t** he|strong = "H8085" towns|strong = "H1323" of|strong = "H3068"  
Judah|strong = "H3063" rejoice|strong = "H8055"

**b** ecause|strong = "H4616" of|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
judgments|strong = "H4941", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

9For|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H3068"  
most|strong = "H5945" high|strong = "H5945" over|strong = "H5921"  
all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H5927",

**g** reatly|strong = "H3966" exalted|strong = "H5927"  
above|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605" gods|strong = "H0430".

10The|strong = "H8104" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
loves|strong = "H0157" those|strong = "H5315" who|strong = "H3068"  
hate|strong = "H8130" evil|strong = "H7451",

**h** e|strong = "H3068" guards|strong = "H8104" the|strong = "H8104"  
lives|strong = "H5315" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8104"  
faithful|strong = "H0539":

**f** rom|strong = "H5315" the|strong = "H8104" hand|strong = "H3027"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8104" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
he|strong = "H3068" saves|strong = "H5337" them|strong = "H3027".

11Light|strong = "H0216" arises|strong = "H6965" for|strong = "H6662"  
the|strong = "H2232" righteous|strong = "H6662",

a nd|strong = "H8057" joy|strong = "H8057" for|strong = "H6662"  
the|strong = "H2232" upright|strong = "H3477" in|strong = "H3477"  
heart|strong = "H3820".

12Rejoice|strong = "H8055" in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, you|strong = "H3034" righteous|strong = "H6662":

g ive|strong = "H3034" thanks|strong = "H3034" to|strong = "H3068"  
his|strong = "H3068" holy|strong = "H6944" name|strong = "H2143".  
Psalm 98 – A Song of Praise to the Lord

98Sing|strong = "H7891" a|strong = "H6213" new|strong = "H2319"  
song|strong = "H7892" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

f or|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" has|strong = "H3068"  
done|strong = "H6213" wonders|strong = "H6381";

h is|strong = "H3068" right|strong = "H3225" hand|strong = "H3225"  
and|strong = "H3068" holy|strong = "H6944" arm|strong = "H2220"

h ave|strong = "H3068" won|strong = "H1589" him|strong = "H6213"  
the|strong = "H3588" victory|strong = "H3467".

2The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* has|strong = "H3068"  
made|strong = "H3045" his|strong = "H3068" victory|strong = "H3444"  
known|strong = "H3045",

a nd|strong = "H3068" revealed|strong = "H1540" to|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" eyes|strong = "H5869" of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" nations|strong = "H1471" his|strong = "H3068"  
righteousness|strong = "H6666".

3Mindful|strong = "H2142" he|strong = "H3605" was|strong = "H3478"  
of|strong = "H1004" his|strong = "H3605" kindness|strong = "H2617"  
to|strong = "H3478" Jacob|strong = "H3290",

**f** aithful|strong = "H2617" he|strong = "H3605" was|strong = "H3478"  
to|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3605" house|strong = "H1004"  
of|strong = "H1004" Israel|strong = "H3478".

**A** ll|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" ends|strong = "H7098"  
of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H0776"  
have|strong = "H3478" seen|strong = "H7200"

**t** he|strong = "H3605" victory|strong = "H3444" of|strong = "H1004"  
our|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H0430".

4Shout|strong = "H7321", all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
earth|strong = "H0776", to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*:

**b** reak|strong = "H6476" into|strong = "H6476" cries|strong = "H7442"  
and|strong = "H3068" music|strong = "H2170".

5Play|strong = "H2181" on|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
lyre|strong = "H3658" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**o** n|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" lyre|strong = "H3658"  
and|strong = "H3068" with|strong = "H3068" loud|strong = "H1419"  
melody|strong = "H2172".

6With|strong = "H3068" trumpet|strong = "H7782" and|strong = "H3068"  
sound|strong = "H6963" of|strong = "H4428" horn|strong = "H7782",

**s** hout|strong = "H7321" before|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440"  
king|strong = "H4428".

7Let|strong = "H7481" the|strong = "H3427" sea|strong = "H3220"  
and|strong = "H3427" its|strong = "H3220" fulness|strong = "H4393"  
roar|strong = "H7481",

**t** he|strong = "H3427" world|strong = "H8398" and|strong = "H3427"  
the|strong = "H3427" dwellers|strong = "H7931" upon|strong = "H3427"  
it|strong = "H4393".

8Let|strong = "H7971" the|strong = "H2022" streams|strong = "H5104"  
clap|strong = "H4222" their|strong = "H4222" hands|strong = "H3709",

Let the hills shout for gladness together

before the Lord who for he comes,

he comes to judge the earth.

He will judge the world with justice

and the nations with equity.  
Psalm 99 – The Lord's Just and Holy Rule

The Lord is king; let the nations tremble:

he is throned upon cherubs; let earth quake.

The Lord is great in Zion,

he is high over all the nations.

Let them praise your great and terrible name.

Holy is he.

You are a king who loves justice,

**e** quity|strong = "H4339" you|strong = "H6213" have|strong = "H4428"  
established|strong = "H3559":

**j** ustice|strong = "H4941" and|strong = "H4428" right|strong = "H4941"  
you|strong = "H6213" have|strong = "H4428" wrought|strong = "H6213"  
for|strong = "H6213" Jacob|strong = "H3290".

5Exalt|strong = "H7311" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
our|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068",

**b** ow|strong = "H7812" down|strong = "H7812" at|strong = "H3068"  
his|strong = "H3068" footstool|strong = "H1916".

**H** oly|strong = "H6918" is|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H1931".

6Among|strong = "H8034" his|strong = "H3068" priests|strong = "H3548"  
were|strong = "H3068" Moses|strong = "H4872" and|strong = "H4872"  
Aaron|strong = "H0175",

**S** amuel|strong = "H8050" among|strong = "H8034" those|strong = "H1931"  
who|strong = "H1931" called|strong = "H7121" on|strong = "H3068"  
his|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034".

**T** hey|strong = "H3068" called|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, and|strong = "H4872"  
he|strong = "H1931" gave|strong = "H7121" them|strong = "H7121"  
answer|strong = "H6030".

7He|strong = "H5414" spoke|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H1696"  
them|strong = "H5414" in|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H5414"  
pillar|strong = "H5982" of|strong = "H5982" cloud|strong = "H6051",

**t** hey|strong = "H1696" kept|strong = "H8104" his|strong = "H5414"  
commands|strong = "H6680" and|strong = "H2706" the|strong = "H5414"  
statute|strong = "H2706" he|strong = "H5414" gave|strong = "H5414"  
them|strong = "H5414".

8w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* our|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068",  
you|strong = "H5921" gave|strong = "H1961" them|strong = "H1992"  
answer|strong = "H6030".

**A** forgiveness|strong = "H5547" were|strong = "H1961" you|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H3068" them|strong = "H1992",

**w** ho|strong = "H3068" suffered|strong = "H5375" their|strong = "H3068" deeds|strong = "H5949" to|strong = "H3068" go|strong = "H1961" unpunished|strong = "H5352".

**9**Exalt|strong = "H7311" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* our|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068";

**b** ow|strong = "H7812" down|strong = "H7812" at|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" holy|strong = "H6944" mountain|strong = "H2022".

**F** or|strong = "H3588" holy|strong = "H6944" is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* our|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068".

Psalm 100 – A Call to Worship

**100**Shout|strong = "H7321", all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H0776", to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

**2**Serve|strong = "H5647" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* with|strong = "H3068" gladness|strong = "H8057",

**a** pproach|strong = "H7126" him|strong = "H6440" with|strong = "H3068" ringing cries|strong = "H2199".

**3**Be|strong = "H3808" sure|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* alone|strong = "H3045" is|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068".

**I** t|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H1931" who|strong = "H1931" has|strong = "H3068" made|strong = "H6213" us|strong = "H6213", and|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" we|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H5971"

**h** is|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971", the|strong = "H3588" sheep|strong = "H6629" of|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" pasture|strong = "H4830".



4Enter|strong = "H0935" his|strong = "H1288" gates|strong = "H8179"  
with|strong = "H8034" thanksgiving|strong = "H8426",

**h** is|strong = "H1288" courts|strong = "H2691" with|strong = "H8034"  
praise|strong = "H8416".

**G** ive|strong = "H3034" thanks|strong = "H3034" to|strong = "H8034"  
him|strong = "H1288", bless|strong = "H1288" his|strong = "H1288"  
name|strong = "H8034".

5For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
is|strong = "H3068" good|strong = "H2896", his|strong = "H3068"  
love|strong = "H2617" is|strong = "H3068" forever|strong = "H5769",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" to|strong = "H5704" all|strong = "H1755"  
ages|strong = "H5769" endures|strong = "H5769" his|strong = "H3068"  
faithfulness|strong = "H2617".

Psalm 101 – A Model King

101If|strong = "H0518" kindness|strong = "H2617" and|strong = "H3068"  
justice|strong = "H4941" I|strong = "H3068" sing|strong = "H7891",

**m** aking|strong = "H6213" melody|strong = "H2172" to|strong = "H3068"  
you|strong = "H2167", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

2I|strong = "H1980" would|strong = "H1980" look|strong = "H7200"  
to|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H1870" way|strong = "H1870"  
that|strong = "H1004" is|strong = "H1870" blameless|strong = "H8549",

**a** nd|strong = "H1980" make|strong = "H6213" it|strong = "H1980"  
my|strong = "H7130" own|strong = "H1961".

**W** ithin|strong = "H7130" my|strong = "H7130" own|strong = "H1961"  
house|strong = "H1004" I|strong = "H1980" would|strong = "H1980"  
walk|strong = "H1980"

**w** ith|strong = "H1980" an|strong = "H1004" innocent|strong = "H8549"  
heart|strong = "H3824".

3I|strong = "H1697" would|strong = "H1697" never|strong = "H3808"  
direct|strong = "H7896" my|strong = "H6213" eyes|strong = "H5869"

to|strong="H6213" a|strong="H6213" thing|strong="H1697"  
that|strong="H1697" is|strong="H1697" base|strong="H1100".

The|strong="H6213" impulse to|strong="H6213" stray|strong="H8582"  
I|strong="H1697" abhor|strong="H8581"

it|strong="H6213" shall|strong="H5869" not|strong="H3808"  
cling|strong="H1692" to|strong="H6213" me|strong="H8130".

Far|strong="H4480" from|strong="H4480" me|strong="H4480"  
be|strong="H3808" perverseness|strong="H5558" of|strong="H4480"  
heart|strong="H3824",

or|strong="H3808" kinship with|strong="H3045" evil|strong="H7451".

Who|strong="H3808" slanders|strong="H3960" their|strong="H3808"  
neighbour|strong="H7453" in|strong="H5869" secret|strong="H5643",

I |strong="H3201" bring|strong="H0935" them|strong="H6789"  
to|strong="H3201" silence|strong="H2790":

haughty|strong="H7311" looks|strong="H5869" and|strong="H5869"  
proud|strong="H7342" hearts|strong="H3824"

I |strong="H3201" will|strong="H5869" not|strong="H3808"  
abide|strong="H3427".

I|strong="H1980" will|strong="H5869" favour|strong="H2580"  
the|strong="H1870" true|strong="H0571" in|strong="H3427"  
the|strong="H1870" land|strong="H0776",

they|strong="H1931" shall|strong="H5869" live|strong="H3427"  
in|strong="H3427" my|strong="H1870" court|strong="H2691".

Those|strong="H1931" who|strong="H1931" walk|strong="H1980"  
in|strong="H3427" a|strong="H3427" way|strong="H1870"  
that|strong="H1931" is|strong="H1931" blameless|strong="H8549"

will|strong="H5869" be|strong="H5869" my|strong="H1870"  
attendant|strong="H8334".

7No|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H5869"  
 live|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427" my|strong = "H6213"  
 house|strong = "H1004"

w ho|strong = "H3427" practises guile|strong = "H7423".

N o|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H3808" that|strong = "H5869"  
 speaks|strong = "H1696" a|strong = "H6213" lie|strong = "H8267"

w ill|strong = "H5869" abide|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427"  
 my|strong = "H6213" presence|strong = "H5869".

8Morn by|strong = "H3068" morn I|strong = "H3772" will|strong = "H3068"  
 wholly|strong = "H3605" wipe|strong = "H4229" out|strong = "H3605"

a ll|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" bad|strong = "H7451"  
 in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" land|strong = "H0776",

a nd|strong = "H3068" cut|strong = "H3772" off|strong = "H3772"  
 from|strong = "H3772" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*'s  
 own|strong = "H1961" city|strong = "H5892"

a ll|strong = "H3605" workers|strong = "H6466" of|strong = "H3068"  
 evil|strong = "H7563".

Psalm 102 – A Prayer for Pity and for the Restoration of Zion

102Hear|strong = "H8085" my|strong = "H3068" prayer|strong = "H8605",  
 O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*;

l et|strong = "H7971" my|strong = "H3068" cry|strong = "H7121"  
 for|strong = "H3588" help|strong = "H5826" come|strong = "H0935"  
 to|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3588".

2Hide|strong = "H5641" not|strong = "H8085" your|strong = "H3068"  
 face|strong = "H6440" from|strong = "H8085" me|strong = "H8085"

i n|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8085" day|strong = "H3117"  
 of|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H8085" distress|strong = "H6869".

I ncline|strong = "H5186" your|strong = "H3068" ear|strong = "H8085"  
 to|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H8085":

w hen|strong="H8085" I|strong="H8085" call|strong="H8085",  
answer|strong="H6030" me|strong="H8085" speedily|strong="H4120".

3For|strong="H7121" my|strong="H5641" days|strong="H3117"  
pass|strong="H5674" away|strong="H5186" like|strong="H3117"  
smoke|strong="H6227":

m y|strong="H5641" bones|strong="H6106" are|strong="H3117"  
burned|strong="H8313" through|strong="H4480" as|strong="H3117"  
with|strong="H6440" fire|strong="H0784".

4My|strong="H3615" heart|strong="H3820" is|strong="H3117"  
scorched|strong="H2787", withered|strong="H3001" like|strong="H3615"  
grass|strong="H2682";

I |strong="H3588" forget|strong="H7911" to|strong="H3117"  
eat|strong="H0398" my|strong="H3615" bread|strong="H3899".

5By|strong="H3588" reason|strong="H6440" of|strong="H3820"  
my|strong="H3588" loud|strong="H1419" groaning|strong="H0603",

m y|strong="H3588" flesh|strong="H1320" clings|strong="H1692"  
to|strong="H3820" my|strong="H3588" bones|strong="H6106".

6Like|strong="H3644" a|strong="H1320" desert-owl of|strong="H6963"  
the|strong="H6963" wilderness|strong="H4057",

l ike|strong="H3644" an|strong="H6963" owl|strong="H3244"  
among|strong="H8432" ruins|strong="H2723" am|strong="H1961"  
I|strong="H1320".

7I|strong="H1961" make|strong="H1819" my|strong="H1961" sleepless  
lament|strong="H5594"

l ike|strong="H1819" a|strong="H1961" bird|strong="H6833"  
on|strong="H1961" the|strong="H1961" house-top alone|strong="H0905".

8All|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" day|strong="H3117"  
wild|strong="H7704" foes|strong="H7796" revile|strong="H2778"  
me|strong="H5921",

**u** sing|strong = "H5927" my|strong = "H5921" name|strong = "H8034"  
for|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H1961" curse|strong = "H7045".

9For|strong = "H3117" ashes|strong = "H0665" have|strong = "H3117"  
been|strong = "H3605" my|strong = "H3605" bread|strong = "H3899",

**a** nd|strong = "H3117" tears|strong = "H1832" have|strong = "H3117"  
been|strong = "H3605" mixed|strong = "H1101" with|strong = "H3117"  
my|strong = "H3605" cup|strong = "H3563".

10Because|strong = "H3588" of|strong = "H3899" your|strong = "H3588"  
passionate anger|strong = "H0639",

**y** ou|strong = "H3588" did|strong = "H6213" raise|strong = "H6965"  
me|strong = "H3588", then|strong = "H3588" hurl|strong = "H2904"  
me|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H3899" the|strong = "H3588"  
ground|strong = "H0776".

11My|strong = "H5375" days|strong = "H3117" come|strong = "H0935"  
to|strong = "H6440" an|strong = "H5375" end|strong = "H7093",  
shadows|strong = "H6738" lengthen|strong = "H0748",

**I** |strong = "H3588" wither|strong = "H3001" like|strong = "H6440"  
grass|strong = "H2682".

12But|strong = "H3117" you|strong = "H3117", O|strong = "H3069" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, are|strong = "H3117" enthroned|strong = "H3427"  
forever|strong = "H3117",

**y** our|strong = "H5186" fame|strong = "H8034" endures|strong = "H5769"  
to|strong = "H3117" all|strong = "H3117" generations|strong = "H1755".

13You|strong = "H3427" will|strong = "H3068" arise|strong = "H6965"  
and|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068" pity|strong = "H2347"  
on|strong = "H3427" Zion|strong = "H6726";

**i** t's time|strong = "H5769" to|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068"  
gracious|strong = "H2603"; her|strong = "H3605" hour|strong = "H8160"  
has|strong = "H3068" come|strong = "H0935".

14For|strong = "H3588" even|strong = "H3588" her|strong = "H6965"  
stones|strong = "H0068" are|strong = "H6726" dear|strong = "H3357"  
to|strong = "H6256" your|strong = "H3588" servants|strong = "H5650",

e ven|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" dust|strong="H6083"  
of|strong="H6256" her|strong="H6965" ruins|strong="H2723"  
they|strong="H3588" look|strong="H7200" on|strong="H7355"  
with|strong="H6726" love|strong="H7355".

15Then|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" nations|strong="H1471"  
will|strong="H5650" revere|strong="H3372" the|strong="H3588"  
name|strong="H8034" of|strong="H5650" the|strong="H3588" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*

a nd|strong="H5650" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3588"  
kings|strong="H4428" of|strong="H5650" the|strong="H3588"  
earth|strong="H6083" his|strong="H3588" glory|strong="H3519",

16when|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* shall|strong="H3068" have|strong="H3068"  
built|strong="H1129" up|strong="H4428" Zion|strong="H6726",

a nd|strong="H3068" revealed|strong="H1540" himself|strong="H3068"  
in|strong="H3068" his|strong="H3605" glory|strong="H3519",

17in|strong="H3068" response|strong="H7182" to|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H7200" prayer|strong="H8605" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H7200" destitute|strong="H6199",

w hose|strong="H0834" prayer|strong="H8605" he|strong="H3588"  
will|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3588" despise|strong="H3988".

18Let|strong="H3808" this|strong="H6437" be|strong="H3808"  
recorded|strong="H3789" for|strong="H8605" ages|strong="H5769"  
to|strong="H6437" come|strong="H0935",

t hat|strong="H3808" the|strong="H3808" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
may|strong="H3808" be|strong="H3808" praised|strong="H1984"  
by|strong="H3808" a|strong="H3808" people|strong="H3808"  
yet|strong="H3808" unborn.

19For|strong="H5971" he|strong="H5971" shall|strong="H5971"  
look|strong="H7200" down|strong="H3789" from|strong="H5971"  
his|strong="H5971" holy|strong="H6944" height|strong="H6967",

from the heavens the Lord will gaze on the earth,

that he will hear the groans of the prisoner,

those who are doomed to die;

that the people may recount the fame of the Lord in Zion,

and that he will praise of him in Jerusalem,

when the nations are gathered together,

and that the kingdoms will worship the Lord.

He has broken my strength on the way,

he has shortened my days.

I will say, 'My God, take me not hence'

in the midst of my days.

‘ Your|strong = "H6031" years|strong = "H3117" endure|strong = "H5975"  
age|strong = "H3117" after|strong = "H3117" age|strong = "H3117".

25Of|strong = "H3117" old|strong = "H8141" you|strong = "H3117"  
have|strong = "H3117" founded|strong = "H3245" the|strong = "H3117"  
earth|strong = "H5927",

a nd|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117" heavens|strong = "H8064"  
are|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117" work|strong = "H4399"  
of|strong = "H3117" your|strong = "H5927" hands|strong = "H3027".

26They|strong = "H6440" shall|strong = "H3027" perish|strong = "H0006";  
but|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H6440" do|strong = "H4639"  
stand|strong = "H5975".

T hey|strong = "H6440" shall|strong = "H3027" all|strong = "H6440"  
wax|strong = "H3027" old|strong = "H6440" like|strong = "H8064"  
a|strong = "H6440" garment|strong = "H0899",

a nd|strong = "H8064" change|strong = "H5162" as|strong = "H6440"  
a|strong = "H6440" robe|strong = "H4598" you|strong = "H6440"  
will|strong = "H8064" change|strong = "H5162" them|strong = "H6440".

27But|strong = "H1992" you|strong = "H3605" are|strong = "H1992"  
the|strong = "H3605" same|strong = "H1992", your|strong = "H3605"  
years|strong = "H8141" are|strong = "H1992" endless|strong = "H7093".

28The|strong = "H3808" children|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H8141"  
your|strong = "H3808" servants|strong = "H5650" abide|strong = "H3427",

e vermore|strong = "H5769" shall|strong = "H3808" their|strong = "H3808"  
seed|strong = "H2233" be|strong = "H3808" before|strong = "H3808"  
you|strong = "H3808".’

Psalm 103 – Bless the Lord, O my Soul

103O|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3605" soul|strong = "H5315",  
bless|strong = "H1288" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*;

a nd|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H3605"  
is|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H5315",  
his|strong = "H3605" holy|strong = "H6944" name|strong = "H8034".



2O|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3605" soul|strong = "H5315",  
bless|strong = "H1288" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*;

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" forget|strong = "H7911" not|strong = "H5315"  
one|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3605"  
benefits|strong = "H1576".

3He|strong = "H3605" pardons|strong = "H5545" all|strong = "H3605"  
your|strong = "H3605" sins|strong = "H5771",

**h** e|strong = "H3605" heals|strong = "H7495" all|strong = "H3605"  
your|strong = "H3605" diseases|strong = "H8463".

4He|strong = "H2416" ransoms your|strong = "H1350"  
life|strong = "H2416" from|strong = "H2416" the|strong = "H1350"  
pit|strong = "H7845",

**h** e|strong = "H2416" crowns|strong = "H5849" you|strong = "H7356"  
with|strong = "H2416" kindness|strong = "H2617" and|strong = "H2617"  
pity|strong = "H2617".

5He|strong = "H5271" gives|strong = "H5414" you|strong = "H2896"  
your|strong = "H7646" heart's|strong = "H5315" desire|strong = "H8378",

**r** enewing your|strong = "H7646" youth|strong = "H5271"  
like|strong = "H2896" the|strong = "H2318" eagle's|strong = "H5404".

6The|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
executes|strong = "H6213" justice|strong = "H4941" –

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" right|strong = "H4941" for|strong = "H6213"  
all|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" are|strong = "H3068"  
wronged|strong = "H6231".

7He|strong = "H3478" revealed|strong = "H3045" his|strong = "H3045"  
ways|strong = "H1870" to|strong = "H3478" Moses|strong = "H4872",

**h** is|strong = "H3045" acts|strong = "H5949" to|strong = "H3478"  
the|strong = "H3045" children|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"  
Israel|strong = "H3478".

8 Full of pity and the grace of the Lord,

patient, and rich in kindness:

He will not always chide,

nor cherish his anger forever.

Not after our sins has he dealt with us,

nor required us after our wickedness.

For high as the heavens over the earth

is his love over those who fear him.

Far as east from the west

has he put our transgressions from us.

As a father pities his children,

so will the Lord pity those who fear him;

14for|strong="H3588" well|strong="H3045" he|strong="H1931"  
knows|strong="H3045" our|strong="H3588" frame|strong="H3336",

**h** e|strong="H1931" remembers|strong="H2142" that|strong="H3588"  
we|strong="H3588" are|strong="H3045" dust|strong="H6083".

15A|strong="H3117" person's|strong="H3820" days|strong="H3117"  
are|strong="H3117" as|strong="H3117" grass|strong="H2682";

**b** lossoms|strong="H6731" like|strong="H3651" a|strong="H3117"  
flower|strong="H6731" of|strong="H3117" the|strong="H3117"  
meadow|strong="H0260".

16At|strong="H3808" the|strong="H3588" breath|strong="H7307"  
of|strong="H7307" the|strong="H3588" wind|strong="H7307"  
it|strong="H3588" is|strong="H7307" gone|strong="H5674",

**a** nd|strong="H4725" the|strong="H3588" place|strong="H4725"  
thereof|strong="H0753" knows|strong="H5234" it|strong="H3588"  
no|strong="H3808" more|strong="H5750".

17But|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5921" love|strong="H2617"  
of|strong="H1121" the|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
is|strong="H3068" eternal|strong="H5769",

**a** nd|strong="H1121" his|strong="H3068" kindness|strong="H2617"  
to|strong="H5704" children's|strong="H1121" children|strong="H1121",

18to|strong="H6213" those|strong="H6213" who|strong="H8104"  
keep|strong="H8104" his|strong="H8104" covenant|strong="H1285"

**a** nd|strong="H6213" mindfully do|strong="H6213" his|strong="H8104"  
behests.

19The|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* has|strong="H3068"  
set|strong="H3559" his|strong="H3605" throne|strong="H3678"  
in|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605" heavens|strong="H8064";

**t** he|strong="H3605" whole|strong="H3605" world|strong="H8398"  
is|strong="H3068" under|strong="H3605" his|strong="H3605"  
sway|strong="H7493".

20 Bless the Lord with  
 his angels,  
 his mighty heroes  
 performing his word.

21 Bless the Lord with  
 his hosts,  
 his servants  
 who do his will.

22 Bless the Lord with  
 his works,  
 his servants  
 who do his will.

23 Bless the Lord with  
 his works,  
 his servants  
 who do his will.

24 Bless the Lord with  
 his works,  
 his servants  
 who do his will.

O Lord, my soul,  
 bless the Lord with  
 his works,  
 his servants  
 who do his will.

104 Bless the Lord with  
 his works,  
 his servants  
 who do his will.

O Lord, my soul,  
 bless the Lord with  
 his works,  
 his servants  
 who do his will.

105 Bless the Lord with  
 his works,  
 his servants  
 who do his will.

106 Bless the Lord with  
 his works,  
 his servants  
 who do his will.

107 Bless the Lord with  
 his works,  
 his servants  
 who do his will.

3He|strong = "H5921" lays|strong = "H7760" the|strong = "H5921"  
beams|strong = "H7136" of|strong = "H7307" his|strong = "H7760"  
chambers|strong = "H5944" on|strong = "H5921" water|strong = "H4325".

H e|strong = "H5921" takes|strong = "H7760" dark|strong = "H2822"  
clouds|strong = "H5645" for|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H7760"  
chariot|strong = "H7398",

a nd|strong = "H1980" rides|strong = "H7392" on|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" wings|strong = "H3671" of|strong = "H7307"  
the|strong = "H5921" wind|strong = "H7307".

4He|strong = "H6213" takes|strong = "H3947" the|strong = "H6213"  
winds|strong = "H7307" for|strong = "H6213" his|strong = "H6213"  
messengers|strong = "H4397",

t he|strong = "H6213" fire|strong = "H3857" and|strong = "H6213"  
the|strong = "H6213" flame|strong = "H3852" for|strong = "H6213"  
his|strong = "H6213" servants|strong = "H8334".

5He|strong = "H5921" founded|strong = "H3245" the|strong = "H5921"  
earth|strong = "H0776" upon|strong = "H5921" pillars|strong = "H5982",

t o|strong = "H5921" sustain|strong = "H3557" it|strong = "H5921"  
unshaken forever|strong = "H5769".

6With|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" garment|strong = "H3830"  
of|strong = "H2022" ocean|strong = "H8415" he|strong = "H5921"  
covered|strong = "H3680" it|strong = "H5921",

w aters|strong = "H4325" towered over|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" mountains|strong = "H2022".

7But|strong = "H5127" at|strong = "H1606" your|strong = "H4480"  
rebuke|strong = "H1606" they|strong = "H1606" fled|strong = "H5127",

s cared by|strong = "H1606" the|strong = "H4480" roar|strong = "H7580"  
of|strong = "H6963" your|strong = "H4480" thunder|strong = "H6963",

8mountains|strong = "H2022" rose|strong = "H5927",  
valleys|strong = "H1237" sank|strong = "H3381" down|strong = "H3381"

**t** o|strong = "H3381" the|strong = "H5927" place|strong = "H4725"  
appointed|strong = "H3245" for|strong = "H4725" them|strong = "H1992".

9They|strong = "H1077" dared|strong = "H3956" not|strong = "H1077"  
pass|strong = "H5674" the|strong = "H7725" bounds|strong = "H1366"  
set|strong = "H7760" for|strong = "H7725" them|strong = "H7725",

**o** r|strong = "H1077" cover|strong = "H3680" the|strong = "H7725"  
earth|strong = "H0776" any|strong = "H7760" more|strong = "H5674".

10He|strong = "H7971" sent|strong = "H7971" brooks|strong = "H5158"  
into|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H7971" valleys|strong = "H5158",

**t** hey|strong = "H1992" meander between|strong = "H0996"  
the|strong = "H7971" mountains|strong = "H2022".

11The|strong = "H3605" wild|strong = "H7704" beasts|strong = "H2416"  
all|strong = "H3605" drink|strong = "H8248" from|strong = "H2416"  
them|strong = "H8248",

**a** nd|strong = "H7704" the|strong = "H3605" wild|strong = "H7704"  
asses|strong = "H6501" quench|strong = "H7665" their|strong = "H3605"  
thirst|strong = "H6772".

12The|strong = "H5921" birds|strong = "H5775" have|strong = "H5414"  
their|strong = "H5414" home|strong = "H1004" by|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" banks|strong = "H1415",

**a** nd|strong = "H8064" sing|strong = "H5414" in|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" branches|strong = "H6073".

13From|strong = "H2022" his|strong = "H7646"  
chambers|strong = "H5944" above|strong = "H4605" he|strong = "H0834"  
gives|strong = "H5414" drink|strong = "H8248" to|strong = "H2022"  
the|strong = "H8248" mountains|strong = "H2022",

**a** nd|strong = "H2022" satisfies|strong = "H7646" earth|strong = "H0776"  
with|strong = "H7646" the|strong = "H8248" vials of|strong = "H2022"  
heaven|strong = "H8064".

14He|strong = "H4480" makes|strong = "H6213" grass|strong = "H2682"  
grow|strong = "H6779" for|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H4480"  
cattle|strong = "H4735",

**a** nd|strong="H3899" herbs|strong="H6212" for|strong="H3318"  
people|strong="H5971".

**H** e|strong="H4480" brings|strong="H3318" bread|strong="H3899"  
out|strong="H3318" of|strong="H4480" the|strong="H4480"  
earth|strong="H0776";

15wine|strong="H3196", to|strong="H6440" gladden|strong="H8055"  
hearts|strong="H3824";

**o** il|strong="H8081", to|strong="H6440" make|strong="H8055"  
faces|strong="H6440" shine|strong="H6670";

**b** read|strong="H3899", to|strong="H6440" strengthen|strong="H5582"  
hearts|strong="H3824".

16The|strong="H3068" trees|strong="H6086" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* drink|strong="H7646"  
their|strong="H3068" fill|strong="H7646"

**t** he|strong="H3068" cedars|strong="H0730" he|strong="H3068"  
planted|strong="H5193" on|strong="H3068" Lebanon|strong="H3844",

17where|strong="H8033" the|strong="H8033" little|strong="H4592"  
birds|strong="H6833" build|strong="H7077" their|strong="H8033"  
nest|strong="H7077",

**a** nd|strong="H1004" the|strong="H8033" stork|strong="H2624"  
whose|strong="H8033" home|strong="H1004" is|strong="H1004"  
the|strong="H8033" cypress|strong="H1265".

18The|strong="H8227" high|strong="H1364" hills|strong="H2022"  
are|strong="H2022" for|strong="H5553" the|strong="H8227"  
wild|strong="H3277" goats|strong="H3277",

**a** nd|strong="H2022" the|strong="H8227" rocks|strong="H5553"  
are|strong="H2022" for|strong="H5553" coney to|strong="H2022"  
hide|strong="H5641" in|strong="H2022".

19He|strong="H6213" created|strong="H6213" the|strong="H6213"  
moon|strong="H3394" to|strong="H6213" mark|strong="H3045"  
seasons|strong="H4150",

and told the sun when it set.

You make it dark: night comes,

when all the wild beasts creep out.

Young lions that roar for their prey,

s seeking their meat from God.

At sunrise they slink away,

and lie down in their dens.

Then people go forth to work,

and toil till evening.

How many, O Lord, are your works,

all of them made in wisdom!

The earth is filled with your creatures.



25And there is the  
the great sea,

w here are countless things in motion,

l iving creatures, both great and small.

26There go the ships,

a nd the Leviathan you made to play there.

27They all look in hope to you,

t o give them their food in due season.

28And you open hand;

t hey gather and eat their heart's desire.

29When you hide your face, they are terrified;

w hen you take their breath away,

t hey die and go back to their dust.

30But a breath  
from your lips  
creates them,

**a** nd renews the face  
of the earth.

31May the glory  
of the w Lord  
be forever,

**m** ay the w Lord  
rejoice in his  
works.

32A glance of his  
makes the earth  
tremble,

**a** touch of  
his makes the  
hills smoke.

33I will sing  
to the w Lord  
while I live,

**I** will play  
to my God  
while I am.

34May my musing  
be sweet to  
him,

**f** or I rejoice  
in the w Lord.

35But may sinners  
be swept from  
the earth,

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
vanish|strong = "H3615" forever|strong = "H4480".

**O** |strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" soul|strong = "H5315",  
bless|strong = "H1288" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068"w\*.

### **H** allelujah.

#### Psalm 105 – The Inspiration of the Past

105Give|strong = "H3034" thanks|strong = "H3034" to|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068"w\*, call|strong = "H7121"  
on|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034":

**m** ake|strong = "H3045" known|strong = "H3045" his|strong = "H3068"  
deeds|strong = "H5949" among|strong = "H8034" the|strong = "H3068"  
nations|strong = "H5971".

2Sing|strong = "H7891" to|strong = "H2167" him|strong = "H3605",  
make|strong = "H6381" music|strong = "H2170" to|strong = "H2167"  
him|strong = "H3605",

**t** ell|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H3605" all|strong = "H3605"  
his|strong = "H3605" wondrous|strong = "H6381" works|strong = "H6381".

3Make|strong = "H8055" your|strong = "H3068" boast|strong = "H1984"  
in|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" holy|strong = "H6944"  
name|strong = "H8034",

**b** e|strong = "H3068" glad|strong = "H8055" at|strong = "H3068"  
heart|strong = "H3820", you|strong = "H1245" who|strong = "H3068"  
seek|strong = "H1245" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068"w\*.

4Seek|strong = "H1245" after|strong = "H1875" the|strong = "H6440" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068"w\* and|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068"  
strength|strong = "H5797",

**s** eek|strong = "H1245" his|strong = "H3068" face|strong = "H6440"  
evermore|strong = "H8548".

5Remember|strong = "H2142" the|strong = "H6213"  
wonders|strong = "H4159" he|strong = "H6213" did|strong = "H6213",

his judgments portents, the utterances he uttered,

you who are offspring of Abraham, his servant,

the children of Jacob, his chosen ones.

He is the Lord our God:

in all the earth his judgments.

He forever remembers his covenant,

his promise for a thousand generations

The covenant he made with Abraham,

the oath he swore to Isaac,

and confirmed as a statute to Jacob,

a pact everlasting to Israel

to give them the land of Canaan

a s|strong = "H5159" the|strong = "H5414" lot|strong = "H2256"  
which|strong = "H0834" they|strong = "H5414" should|strong = "H3068"  
inherit|strong = "H5159".

12And|strong = "H1961" when|strong = "H1961" they|strong = "H1992"  
were|strong = "H1961" very|strong = "H4592" few|strong = "H4592",

f ew|strong = "H4592" and|strong = "H1961" but|strong = "H1961" pilgrims  
therein|strong = "H4393",

13wandering|strong = "H1980" from|strong = "H1980"  
nation|strong = "H1471" to|strong = "H1980" nation|strong = "H1471",

j ourneying|strong = "H5265" from|strong = "H1980"  
people|strong = "H5971" to|strong = "H1980" people|strong = "H5971",

14he|strong = "H3808" allowed|strong = "H5414" no|strong = "H3808"  
one|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H5921" oppress|strong = "H6231"  
them|strong = "H5921",

e ven|strong = "H3808" punishing|strong = "H7725" kings|strong = "H4428"  
for|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H5921" sakes|strong = "H5921".

15He|strong = "H0834" forbade them|strong = "H5060"  
to|strong = "H5060" touch|strong = "H5060" his|strong = "H5060"  
anointed|strong = "H4899",

o r|strong = "H7489" do|strong = "H7489" any|strong = "H5060"  
hurt|strong = "H7489" to|strong = "H5060" his|strong = "H5060"  
prophets|strong = "H5030".

16When|strong = "H5921" he|strong = "H3605" called|strong = "H7121"  
down|strong = "H7665" famine|strong = "H7458" on|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H3605" land|strong = "H0776",

a nd|strong = "H3899" cut|strong = "H3772" off|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H3605" bread|strong = "H3899" which|strong = "H3899"  
sustained|strong = "H5564" them|strong = "H5921",

17he|strong = "H7971" sent|strong = "H7971" before|strong = "H6440"  
them|strong = "H7971" a|strong = "H7971" man|strong = "H6440",

**J** oseph|strong = "H3130", who|strong = "H5650" was|strong = "H3130"  
 sold|strong = "H4376" as|strong = "H6440" a|strong = "H7971"  
 slave|strong = "H5650".

18His|strong = "H6031" feet|strong = "H7272" were|strong = "H7272"  
 galled with|strong = "H5315" fetters|strong = "H3525",

**h** e|strong = "H7272" was|strong = "H5315" laid|strong = "H7760"  
 in|strong = "H5315" chains|strong = "H1270" of|strong = "H5315"  
 iron|strong = "H1270",

19till|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3068" time|strong = "H6256"  
 that|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" word|strong = "H1697"  
 came|strong = "H3068" to|strong = "H5704" pass|strong = "H5674",

**t** he|strong = "H3068" word|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* that|strong = "H3068"  
 had|strong = "H3068" tried|strong = "H6884" him|strong = "H5704".

20The|strong = "H7971" king|strong = "H4428" sent|strong = "H7971"  
 and|strong = "H7971" freed|strong = "H8199" him|strong = "H7971",

**t** he|strong = "H7971" ruler|strong = "H4910" of|strong = "H4428"  
 nations|strong = "H5971" released|strong = "H7971" him|strong = "H7971".

21He|strong = "H3605" made|strong = "H7760" him|strong = "H7760"  
 lord|strong = "H3068" of|strong = "H1004" his|strong = "H3605"  
 household|strong = "H1004",

**a** nd|strong = "H1004" ruler|strong = "H4910" of|strong = "H1004"  
 all|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605" possessions|strong = "H7075",

22to|strong = "H5315" admonish|strong = "H5749" his|strong = "H2449"  
 princes|strong = "H8269" at|strong = "H5315" will|strong = "H5315"

**a** nd|strong = "H2205" instruct|strong = "H3384" his|strong = "H2449"  
 elders|strong = "H2205" in|strong = "H5315" wisdom|strong = "H2449".

23Thus|strong = "H3541" Israel|strong = "H3478" came|strong = "H3478"  
 into|strong = "H4714" Egypt|strong = "H4714",

**J** acob|strong="H3290" sojourned|strong="H1481" in|strong="H3478"  
the|strong="H3478" land|strong="H0776" of|strong="H4714"  
Ham|strong="H2526".

24His|strong="H5971" people|strong="H5971" he|strong="H5971"  
made|strong="H6509" very|strong="H3966" fruitful|strong="H6509",

**a** nd|strong="H5971" mightier|strong="H6105" than|strong="H4480"  
their|strong="H5971" foes|strong="H6862".

25He|strong="H5971" inspired|strong="H7307" them|strong="H8130"  
to|strong="H3820" hate|strong="H8130" his|strong="H8130"  
people|strong="H5971",

**a** nd|strong="H5971" to|strong="H3820" deal|strong="H5230"  
with|strong="H5971" his|strong="H8130" servants|strong="H5650"  
craftily|strong="H5230".

26He|strong="H7971" sent|strong="H7971" his|strong="H7971"  
servant|strong="H5650" Moses|strong="H4872",

**a** nd|strong="H4872" Aaron|strong="H0175" whom|strong="H0834"  
he|strong="H7971" had|strong="H4872" chosen|strong="H0977",

27portents|strong="H4159" he|strong="H7760"  
wrought|strong="H7760" in|strong="H1697" Egypt|strong="H4714",

**a** nd|strong="H1697" signs|strong="H0226" in|strong="H1697"  
the|strong="H7760" land|strong="H0776" of|strong="H1697"  
Ham|strong="H2526".

28Darkness|strong="H2822" he|strong="H3808" sent|strong="H7971",  
and|strong="H7971" it|strong="H7971" fell|strong="H5307":

**y** et|strong="H3808" they|strong="H3808" gave|strong="H7971"  
no|strong="H3808" heed|strong="H8104" to|strong="H7971"  
his|strong="H7971" word|strong="H1697".

29He|strong="H1818" turned|strong="H2015" their|strong="H2015"  
waters|strong="H4325" into|strong="H2015" blood|strong="H1818",

t hus|strong="H4191" causing|strong="H7462" their|strong="H2015"  
fish|strong="H1710" to|strong="H4191" die|strong="H4191".

30Their|strong="H3605" land|strong="H0776" was|strong="H4428"  
alive|strong="H2416" with|strong="H4428" frogs|strong="H6854",

s warming|strong="H8318" even|strong="H1571" in|strong="H4428"  
the|strong="H4428" royal|strong="H4428" chambers|strong="H2315".

31At|strong="H3605" his|strong="H3605" command|strong="H6680"  
came|strong="H1366" flies|strong="H6157",

a nd|strong="H3605" lice|strong="H3654" in|strong="H3605"  
all|strong="H3605" their|strong="H3605" borders|strong="H1366".

32He|strong="H5414" gave|strong="H5414" them|strong="H5414"  
hail|strong="H1259" for|strong="H5414" rain|strong="H1653"

a nd|strong="H1259" fire|strong="H0784" that|strong="H5414"  
flashed|strong="H1980" through|strong="H3027" the|strong="H5414"  
land|strong="H0776",

33smiting|strong="H5221" their|strong="H7665" vines|strong="H1612"  
and|strong="H6086" figs|strong="H8384",

b reaking|strong="H7665" the|strong="H5221" trees|strong="H6086"  
of|strong="H1366" their|strong="H7665" border|strong="H1366".

34At|strong="H3427" his|strong="H3605" command|strong="H6680"  
came|strong="H0935" locusts|strong="H3218",

y oung|strong="H3218" locusts|strong="H3218"  
beyond|strong="H5676" all|strong="H4557" counting|strong="H4557",

35which|strong="H3605" ate|strong="H0398" every|strong="H3605"  
herb|strong="H6212" in|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605"  
land|strong="H0776",

a te|strong="H0398" up|strong="H3605", too|strong="H4480",  
the|strong="H3605" fruit|strong="H6529" of|strong="H3605"  
their|strong="H3605" ground|strong="H0776".



36He|strong = "H3605" struck|strong = "H5221" down|strong = "H5221"  
 in|strong = "H1060" their|strong = "H3605" land|strong = "H0776"  
 all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" firstborn|strong = "H1060",

t he|strong = "H3605" firstlings|strong = "H1060" of|strong = "H1060"  
 all|strong = "H3605" their|strong = "H3605" strength|strong = "H5797"

37Then|strong = "H3318" forth|strong = "H3318" he|strong = "H3318"  
 led|strong = "H3318" Israel|strong = "H3478" with|strong = "H3318"  
 silver|strong = "H3701" and|strong = "H3701" gold|strong = "H2091",

a nd|strong = "H3701" among|strong = "H8432" his|strong = "H3318"  
 tribes|strong = "H7626" no|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H0259"  
 was|strong = "H3701" weary|strong = "H5889".

38Egypt|strong = "H4714" was|strong = "H4714" glad|strong = "H8055"  
 when|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" left|strong = "H3318",

f or|strong = "H3588" terror|strong = "H6343" had|strong = "H3588"  
 fallen|strong = "H5307" upon|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921".

39He|strong = "H0834" spread|strong = "H6566" out|strong = "H6566"  
 a|strong = "H6566" cloud|strong = "H6051" to|strong = "H6051"  
 screen|strong = "H4539" them|strong = "H3915",

a nd|strong = "H3915" fire|strong = "H0784" to|strong = "H6051"  
 give|strong = "H5414" light|strong = "H0216" in|strong = "H3915"  
 the|strong = "H6566" night|strong = "H3915".

40He|strong = "H8064" sent|strong = "H7971" quails|strong = "H7958"  
 at|strong = "H3427" their|strong = "H8064" entreaty|strong = "H6279",

a nd|strong = "H8064" heavenly|strong = "H8064" bread|strong = "H3899"  
 in|strong = "H3899" abundance|strong = "H7646".

41He|strong = "H1980" opened|strong = "H6605" the|strong = "H1980"  
 rock|strong = "H6697"; waters|strong = "H4325" gushed|strong = "H4325":

i n|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H1980" desert|strong = "H6723"  
 they|strong = "H1992" ran|strong = "H1980" like|strong = "H1980"  
 a|strong = "H1980" river|strong = "H5104".

42For|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588"  
remembered|strong = "H2142" his|strong = "H2142" holy|strong = "H6944"  
promise|strong = "H1697"

t o|strong = "H1697" Abraham|strong = "H0085" his|strong = "H2142"  
servant|strong = "H5650".

43So|strong = "H3318" he|strong = "H3318" led|strong = "H3318"  
out|strong = "H3318" his|strong = "H3318" people|strong = "H5971"  
with|strong = "H3318" joy|strong = "H8342",

h is|strong = "H3318" elect|strong = "H0972" with|strong = "H3318"  
a|strong = "H3318" ringing cry|strong = "H7440".

44And|strong = "H1471" he|strong = "H5414" gave|strong = "H5414"  
them|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414" lands|strong = "H4054"  
of|strong = "H1471" the|strong = "H5414" nations|strong = "H1471",

t he|strong = "H5414" fruit|strong = "H5999" of|strong = "H1471"  
their|strong = "H5414" toil|strong = "H5999" for|strong = "H5414"  
possession|strong = "H3423",

45that|strong = "H5668" so|strong = "H5668" they|strong = "H1992"  
might|strong = "H1369" keep|strong = "H8104" his|strong = "H8104"  
statutes|strong = "H2706",

a nd|strong = "H2706" be|strong = "H2706" of|strong = "H8451"  
his|strong = "H8104" laws|strong = "H8451" observant.

**H** allelujah.

Psalm 106 – The Nation’s Sin against the Lord

106Hallelujah!

G ive|strong = "H3034" thanks|strong = "H3034" to|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* for|strong = "H3588"  
his|strong = "H3068" goodness|strong = "H2896",

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H3068" kindness|strong = "H2617"  
endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

2Who|strong="H4310" can|strong="H4310" describe|strong="H3789"  
his|strong="H3605" heroic deeds|strong="H1369",

o r|strong="H8085" publish|strong="H8085" all|strong="H3605"  
his|strong="H3605" praise|strong="H8416"?

3Happy|strong="H0835" they|strong="H6256" who|strong="H3605"  
act|strong="H6213" justly|strong="H4941",

a nd|strong="H4941" do|strong="H6213" righteousness|strong="H6666"  
evermore|strong="H5769".

4Remember|strong="H2142" me|strong="H2142", w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, as|strong="H3068" you|strong="H6485"  
remember|strong="H2142" your|strong="H3068" people|strong="H5971",

a nd|strong="H3068" visit|strong="H6485" me|strong="H2142"  
with|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" gracious|strong="H2603"  
help|strong="H3444".

5May|strong="H1471" I|strong="H7200" see|strong="H7200"  
the|strong="H7200" good|strong="H2896" fortune|strong="H7622"  
of|strong="H5159" your|strong="H7200" elect|strong="H0972",

m ay|strong="H1471" I|strong="H7200" share|strong="H5159"  
in|strong="H8055" the|strong="H7200" joy|strong="H8057"  
of|strong="H5159" your|strong="H7200" nation|strong="H1471",

a nd|strong="H1471" in|strong="H8055" the|strong="H7200"  
pride|strong="H1347" of|strong="H5159" your|strong="H7200"  
heritage|strong="H5159".

6We|strong="H0587", like|strong="H5973" our|strong="H5973"  
fathers|strong="H0001", have|strong="H5973" sinned|strong="H2398",

w e|strong="H0587" have|strong="H5973" done|strong="H2398"  
perversely|strong="H5753" and|strong="H2398"  
wickedly|strong="H7561"

7In|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" land|strong="H0776"  
of|strong="H7230" Egypt|strong="H4714" our|strong="H5921"  
fathers|strong="H0001",

a ll|strong = "H5921" heedless of|strong = "H7230" your|strong = "H5921"  
wonders|strong = "H6381",

a nd|strong = "H4714" unmindful|strong = "H7876" of|strong = "H7230"  
your|strong = "H5921" great|strong = "H7230" kindness|strong = "H2617",

a t|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" Red|strong = "H5488"  
Sea|strong = "H3220" defied|strong = "H2778" the|strong = "H5921"  
Most|strong = "H7230" High|strong = "H6381".

8But|strong = "H3588" true|strong = "H0571" to|strong = "H4616"  
his|strong = "H3045" name|strong = "H8034" he|strong = "H8034"  
saved|strong = "H3467" them|strong = "H4616",

i n|strong = "H8034" order|strong = "H4616" to|strong = "H4616"  
show|strong = "H3045" his|strong = "H3045" might|strong = "H1369".

9He|strong = "H3220" rebuked|strong = "H1605" the|strong = "H1605"  
Red|strong = "H5488" Sea|strong = "H3220", and|strong = "H3212"  
it|strong = "H3212" dried|strong = "H2717";

t hey|strong = "H1992" marched|strong = "H5973"  
through|strong = "H3212" the|strong = "H1605" depths|strong = "H8415"  
as|strong = "H8415" through|strong = "H3212" desert|strong = "H4057",

10saved|strong = "H3467" from|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3027"  
hand|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3027"  
hostile|strong = "H7489",

r edeemed|strong = "H1350" from|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3027"  
hand|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3027"  
foe|strong = "H6862".

11The|strong = "H3680" waters|strong = "H4325"  
covered|strong = "H3680" their|strong = "H1992" enemies|strong = "H6862":

n ot|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H3808" of|strong = "H4325"  
them|strong = "H1992" was|strong = "H4325" left|strong = "H3498".

12So|strong = "H1697" then|strong = "H0227" they|strong = "H1697"  
believed|strong = "H0539" in|strong = "H1697" his|strong = "H7891"  
words|strong = "H1697",

**a** nd|strong = "H1697" began|strong = "H2490" to|strong = "H1697"  
sing|strong = "H7891" his|strong = "H7891" praise|strong = "H8416".

13But|strong = "H3808" soon|strong = "H4116" they|strong = "H3808"  
forgot|strong = "H7911" his|strong = "H7911" deeds|strong = "H4639":

**t** hey|strong = "H3808" did|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
wait|strong = "H2442" for|strong = "H4639" his|strong = "H7911"  
counsel|strong = "H6098".

14Their|strong = "H3605" greed|strong = "H1942" was|strong = "H3068"  
ravenous|strong = "H5861" in|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H5254"  
desert|strong = "H4057";

**t** hey|strong = "H1992" put|strong = "H5254" God|strong = "H0430"  
to|strong = "H4057" the|strong = "H5254" test|strong = "H5254"  
in|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H5254" wilderness|strong = "H4057".

15He|strong = "H5414" gave|strong = "H5414" them|strong = "H5414"  
the|strong = "H5414" thing|strong = "H5315" they|strong = "H1992"  
had|strong = "H5414" asked|strong = "H7971" for|strong = "H7971",

**b** ut|strong = "H1992" sent|strong = "H7971" wasting|strong = "H7332"  
disease|strong = "H7332" among|strong = "H8432" them|strong = "H5414".

16The|strong = "H3068" camp|strong = "H4264" grew|strong = "H1431"  
jealous|strong = "H7065" of|strong = "H3068" Moses|strong = "H4872"

**a** nd|strong = "H4872" of|strong = "H3068" Aaron|strong = "H0175",  
holy|strong = "H6918" one|strong = "H6918" of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

17The|strong = "H5921" earth|strong = "H0776" opened|strong = "H6605"  
and|strong = "H1885" swallowed|strong = "H1104" up|strong = "H1104"  
Dathan|strong = "H1885",

**a** nd|strong = "H1885" covered|strong = "H3680" Abiram's  
company|strong = "H5712".

18Fire|strong = "H3857" broke|strong = "H7665" out|strong = "H7563"  
on|strong = "H3857" their|strong = "H7563" company|strong = "H5712",

f lame|strong = "H3852" kindled|strong = "H1197" upon|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H1197" wicked|strong = "H7563".

19They|strong = "H6213" made|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H6213" calf|strong = "H5695" in|strong = "H6213" Horeb|strong = "H2722",

a nd|strong = "H6213" bowed|strong = "H7812" to|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H6213" molten|strong = "H4541" image|strong = "H4541".

20They|strong = "H4171" exchanged|strong = "H4171" their|strong = "H4171" glorious|strong = "H3519" God|strong = "H8403"

f or|strong = "H7794" the|strong = "H3519" image|strong = "H8403" of|strong = "H3519" ox|strong = "H7794" that|strong = "H7794" eats|strong = "H0398" grass|strong = "H6212".

21They|strong = "H6213" forgot|strong = "H7911" the|strong = "H6213" God|strong = "H0430" who|strong = "H7911" had|strong = "H4714" saved|strong = "H3467" them|strong = "H6213"

b y|strong = "H6213" mighty|strong = "H1419" deeds|strong = "H1419" in|strong = "H6213" Egypt|strong = "H4714"

22Wonders|strong = "H6381" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" land|strong = "H0776" of|strong = "H5921" Ham|strong = "H2526",

t errors|strong = "H1091" by|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" Red|strong = "H5488" Sea|strong = "H3220".

23So|strong = "H7725" he|strong = "H4872" vowed|strong = "H5087", and|strong = "H4872" would|strong = "H4872" have|strong = "H1961" destroyed|strong = "H8045" them|strong = "H7725",

b ut|strong = "H7725" for|strong = "H6440" Moses|strong = "H4872" his|strong = "H7725" elect|strong = "H0972",

w ho|strong = "H5975" stepped|strong = "H3318" into|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H6440" breach|strong = "H6556" before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440",

t o|strong = "H7725" divert his|strong = "H7725" deadly|strong = "H4194" wrath|strong = "H2534".

24They|strong = "H3808" spurned|strong = "H5006" the|strong = "H1697"  
delightful|strong = "H2656" land|strong = "H0776",

t hey|strong = "H3808" refused|strong = "H3988" to|strong = "H1697"  
believe|strong = "H0539" in|strong = "H1697" his|strong = "H3808"  
word|strong = "H1697".

25They|strong = "H3068" grumbled|strong = "H7279" in|strong = "H3068"  
their|strong = "H3068" tents|strong = "H0168",

w ould|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" listen|strong = "H8085"  
to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8085" voice|strong = "H6963"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8085" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

26So|strong = "H5375" he|strong = "H3027" swore|strong = "H5375"  
with|strong = "H3027" uplifted|strong = "H7311" hand|strong = "H3027"

t o|strong = "H3027" lay|strong = "H5307" them|strong = "H1992"  
low|strong = "H8213" in|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H5375"  
wilderness|strong = "H4057";

27to|strong = "H1471" disperse|strong = "H2219" their|strong = "H5307"  
seed|strong = "H2233" among|strong = "H8432" heathen|strong = "H1471",

t o|strong = "H1471" scatter|strong = "H2219" them|strong = "H5307"  
over|strong = "H5307" the|strong = "H5307" world|strong = "H8398".

28Then|strong = "H4191" they|strong = "H1992" joined|strong = "H6775"  
them|strong = "H4191" to|strong = "H4191" Baal|strong = "H1187"  
of|strong = "H2077" Peor|strong = "H1187",

a nd|strong = "H2077" ate|strong = "H0398" what|strong = "H4100"  
was|strong = "H3068" offered|strong = "H5927" the|strong = "H4191"  
dead|strong = "H4191".

29They|strong = "H1992" provoked|strong = "H3707"  
him|strong = "H3707" to|strong = "H4611" wrath|strong = "H3707"  
by|strong = "H3707" their|strong = "H6555" deeds|strong = "H4611",

a nd|strong = "H3707" plague|strong = "H4046" broke|strong = "H6555"  
out|strong = "H6555" among|strong = "H8432" them|strong = "H5414".

30Then|strong = "H5975" Phinehas|strong = "H6372"  
stood|strong = "H5975" between|strong = "H0996",

**a** nd|strong = "H5975" so|strong = "H5975" the|strong = "H5975"  
plague|strong = "H4046" was|strong = "H4046" stayed|strong = "H5975";

31and|strong = "H5769" it|strong = "H5704" was|strong = "H3068"  
counted|strong = "H2803" to|strong = "H5704" him|strong = "H2803"  
for|strong = "H5704" righteousness|strong = "H6666"

**u** nto|strong = "H6666" all|strong = "H1755" generations|strong = "H1755"  
forever|strong = "H5769".

32They|strong = "H5921" angered|strong = "H7107" him|strong = "H5921"  
at|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" waters|strong = "H4325"  
of|strong = "H4325" Meribah|strong = "H4809",

**t** hrough|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921" it|strong = "H5921"  
went|strong = "H4872" ill|strong = "H7489" with|strong = "H5921"  
Moses|strong = "H4872".

33They|strong = "H3588" rebelled|strong = "H4784"  
against|strong = "H4784" his|strong = "H3588" spirit|strong = "H7307",

**a** nd|strong = "H7307" he|strong = "H3588" uttered|strong = "H5414"  
speech|strong = "H8193" that|strong = "H3588" was|strong = "H7307"  
rash|strong = "H4008".

34They|strong = "H1992" did|strong = "H5971" not|strong = "H3808"  
destroy|strong = "H8045" the|strong = "H3068" nations|strong = "H5971",

**a** s|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
had|strong = "H3068" commanded|strong = "H6680" them|strong = "H1992";

35but|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H1471" mingled|strong = "H6148"  
with|strong = "H4639" the|strong = "H3925" heathen|strong = "H1471",

**a** nd|strong = "H1471" learned|strong = "H3925" to|strong = "H1471"  
do|strong = "H4639" as|strong = "H4639" they|strong = "H1471"  
did|strong = "H4639".



36 Their|strong = "H1992" idol|strong = "H6459" gods|strong = "H0430"  
they|strong = "H1992" worshipped|strong = "H7812",

and|strong = "H5647" they|strong = "H1992" were|strong = "H1961"  
ensnared|strong = "H4170" by|strong = "H1961" them|strong = "H1992".

37 They|strong = "H1992" sacrificed|strong = "H2076"  
their|strong = "H2076" sons|strong = "H1121"

and|strong = "H1121" their|strong = "H2076" daughters|strong = "H1323"  
to|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H2076" demons|strong = "H7700".

38 They|strong = "H3667" poured|strong = "H8210" out|strong = "H8210"  
innocent|strong = "H5355" blood|strong = "H1818"

the|strong = "H2076" blood|strong = "H1818" of|strong = "H1121"  
their|strong = "H2076" sons|strong = "H1121" and|strong = "H1121"  
daughters|strong = "H1323"

whom|strong = "H0834" they|strong = "H3667" offered|strong = "H2076"  
to|strong = "H1121" Canaan's|strong = "H3667" idols|strong = "H6091",

and|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H2076" land|strong = "H0776"  
was|strong = "H1121" polluted|strong = "H2610" with|strong = "H2076"  
blood|strong = "H1818".

39 They|strong = "H1992" became|strong = "H2930"  
unclean|strong = "H2930" by|strong = "H0801" their|strong = "H2930"  
works|strong = "H4639",

and|strong = "H4639" adulterous|strong = "H2181" in|strong = "H4639"  
their|strong = "H2930" deeds|strong = "H4611".

40 Then|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*'s fury|strong = "H2534" was|strong = "H3068"  
on|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971",

filled|strong = "H4390" with|strong = "H3068" horror|strong = "H8047"  
at|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" inheritance|strong = "H5159".

41 He|strong = "H5414" delivered|strong = "H5414" them|strong = "H5414"  
to|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414" heathen|strong = "H1471",

to the sway of those who hated them.

42 Their enemies oppressed them,

and subdued them under their hand.

43 Many a time he saved them,

but they rebelled at his counsel,

and were brought low by their wrongdoing.

44 Yet he looked upon their distress,

when he heard their cry.

45 He remembered his covenant,

and, in his great kindness, relented.

46 He caused them to be pitied

by all who carried them captive.

47 Save us, O Lord, with our God,

and gather us out of the nations,

to give thanks to your holy name,

and to make our boast of your praise.

48 Blessed be the Lord\*, the God of Israel,

from everlasting to everlasting.

And let all the people say ‘Amen.’

Praise the Lord\*.

Book Five

Psalm 107 – The Song of the Redeemed

107 Give thanks to the Lord his goodness

for he endures forever.

2 Let this be the song of the ransomed,

whom the Lord has redeemed from distress,

gathering them from all lands,

east, west, north, and south.

4In|strong = "H5892" the|strong = "H1870" wastes|strong = "H2723"  
of|strong = "H5892" the|strong = "H1870" desert|strong = "H4057"  
some|strong = "H4480" wandered|strong = "H8582",

f inding|strong = "H4672" no|strong = "H3808" way|strong = "H1870"  
to|strong = "H1870" a|strong = "H4672" city|strong = "H5892"  
inhabited|strong = "H4186".

5Full|strong = "H4392" of|strong = "H5315" hunger|strong = "H5315"  
and|strong = "H5315" thirst|strong = "H5315",

t heir|strong = "H1571" spirit|strong = "H5315" failed|strong = "H5307".

6Then|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H1992" cried|strong = "H6817"  
to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
in|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068" trouble|strong = "H6862",

a nd|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H3068" saved|strong = "H5337"  
them|strong = "H1992" from|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068"  
distresses|strong = "H4691",

7guiding|strong = "H7919" them|strong = "H1869"  
straight|strong = "H3477" on|strong = "H1870" the|strong = "H1870"  
way|strong = "H1870",

t ill|strong = "H5705" they|strong = "H1870" reached|strong = "H0935"  
an|strong = "H5892" inhabited|strong = "H4186" city|strong = "H5892".

8Let|strong = "H7971" them|strong = "H1121" thank|strong = "H3034"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* for|strong = "H3068"  
his|strong = "H3068" kindness|strong = "H2617",

f or|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" wonderful|strong = "H6381"  
deeds|strong = "H6381" for|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H1121";

9for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" thirsty|strong = "H8264"  
he|strong = "H3588" satisfies|strong = "H7646",

a nd|strong = "H2896" the|strong = "H3588" hungry|strong = "H7457"  
he|strong = "H3588" fills|strong = "H4390" with|strong = "H4390"  
good|strong = "H2896" things|strong = "H2896".

10Some|strong = "H4480" sat|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427"  
darkness|strong = "H2822" and|strong = "H3427" gloom|strong = "H6757"

**p** risoners|strong = "H0615" in|strong = "H3427" irons|strong = "H1270"  
and|strong = "H3427" misery|strong = "H6040",

11for|strong = "H3588" rebelling|strong = "H4784"  
against|strong = "H4784" God's|strong = "H0430" word|strong = "H1697",

**a** nd|strong = "H6098" spurning the|strong = "H3588"  
Most|strong = "H5945" High's counsel|strong = "H6098".

12Their|strong = "H3665" heart|strong = "H3820" was|strong = "H3820"  
bowed|strong = "H7812" with|strong = "H3820" toil|strong = "H5999";

**t** here|strong = "H8033" was|strong = "H3820" no|strong = "H3808"  
one|strong = "H0259" to|strong = "H3820" help|strong = "H5826"  
when|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3820" stumbled|strong = "H3782".

13Then|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H1992" cried|strong = "H2199"  
to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
in|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068" trouble|strong = "H6862",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H3068" saved|strong = "H3467"  
them|strong = "H1992" from|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068"  
distresses|strong = "H4691".

14Out|strong = "H3318" of|strong = "H3318" darkness|strong = "H2822"  
and|strong = "H3318" gloom|strong = "H6757" he|strong = "H3318"  
brought|strong = "H3318" them|strong = "H3318",

**a** nd|strong = "H3318" burst|strong = "H5423" their|strong = "H3318"  
chains|strong = "H4147".

15Let|strong = "H7971" them|strong = "H1121" praise|strong = "H3034"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* for|strong = "H3068"  
his|strong = "H3068" kindness|strong = "H2617",

**f** or|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" wonderful|strong = "H6381"  
deeds|strong = "H6381" for|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H1121".

16For **he** shattered the gates of bronze,

**and** he broke bars of iron.

17Some were sick from their wicked ways,

**and** because of their sins

18All manner of food they hated;

**they** had come to the gates of death.

19Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble,

**and** he saved them from their distresses.

20He sent his word and healed them,

**and** he delivered their life from the pit.

21Let them praise the Lord for his kindness,

**f** or|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" wonderful|strong = "H6381"  
deeds|strong = "H6381" for|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H1121".

22Let|strong = "H7971" them|strong = "H2076" offer|strong = "H2076"  
to|strong = "H2077" him|strong = "H5608" thankofferings,

**a** nd|strong = "H2077" with|strong = "H2077" joy|strong = "H7440"  
tell|strong = "H5608" what|strong = "H4639" things|strong = "H4639"  
he|strong = "H0834" has|strong = "H3068" done|strong = "H4639".

23Some|strong = "H7227" crossed|strong = "H5674" the|strong = "H6213"  
sea|strong = "H3220" in|strong = "H6213" ships|strong = "H0591",

**d** oing|strong = "H6213" business|strong = "H4399" in|strong = "H6213"  
great|strong = "H7227" waters|strong = "H4325".

24They|strong = "H1992" have|strong = "H3068" seen|strong = "H7200"  
what|strong = "H4639" the|strong = "H7200" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
can|strong = "H7200" do|strong = "H3068",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" wonderful|strong = "H6381"  
deeds|strong = "H4639" on|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200"  
deep|strong = "H4688".

25At|strong = "H5975" his|strong = "H7311" command|strong = "H6680"  
rose|strong = "H5975" a|strong = "H5975" tempest|strong = "H5591",

**w** hich|strong = "H7307" lifted|strong = "H7311" the|strong = "H5975"  
waves|strong = "H1530" on|strong = "H5975" high|strong = "H7311".

26Up|strong = "H5927" to|strong = "H3381" heaven|strong = "H8064"  
they|strong = "H5315" went|strong = "H5927", down|strong = "H3381"  
to|strong = "H3381" the|strong = "H5927" depths|strong = "H8415";

**t** heir|strong = "H8064" courage|strong = "H2388" failed|strong = "H5307"  
them|strong = "H3381".

27They|strong = "H3605" staggered|strong = "H5128"  
and|strong = "H2451" reeled|strong = "H2287" like|strong = "H3644"  
drunkards|strong = "H7910";

a ll|strong="H3605" their|strong="H3605" skills  
useless|strong="H1892".

28Then|strong="H3318" they|strong="H1992" cried|strong="H6817"  
to|strong="H3318" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
in|strong="H3068" their|strong="H3068" trouble|strong="H6862",

a nd|strong="H3068" he|strong="H3068" saved|strong="H3467"  
them|strong="H1992" from|strong="H3318" their|strong="H3068"  
distresses|strong="H4691".

29He|strong="H0834" stilled|strong="H2814" the|strong="H6965"  
storm|strong="H5591" to|strong="H6965" a|strong="H6965"  
whisper|strong="H6850",

a nd|strong="H6965" the|strong="H6965" waves|strong="H1530"  
of|strong="H1530" the|strong="H6965" sea|strong="H3220"  
were|strong="H0834" hushed|strong="H2814".

30They|strong="H3588" were|strong="H0834" glad|strong="H8055",  
because|strong="H3588" it|strong="H3588" was|strong="H3068"  
quiet|strong="H8367";

t hey|strong="H3588" were|strong="H0834" led|strong="H5148"  
to|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" haven|strong="H4231"  
they|strong="H3588" longed|strong="H3615" for|strong="H3588".

31Let|strong="H7971" them|strong="H1121" praise|strong="H3034"  
the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, for|strong="H3068"  
his|strong="H3068" kindness|strong="H2617",

f or|strong="H3068" his|strong="H3068" wonderful|strong="H6381"  
deeds|strong="H6381" for|strong="H3068" people|strong="H1121".

32Where|strong="H4186" the|strong="H1984" people|strong="H5971"  
assemble|strong="H6908", extol|strong="H7311" him|strong="H1984",

a nd|strong="H5971" praise|strong="H1984" him|strong="H1984"  
in|strong="H5971" council|strong="H5475" of|strong="H2205"  
elders|strong="H2205".

33He|strong="H7760" turns|strong="H7725" streams|strong="H5104"  
into|strong="H4161" a|strong="H7760" wilderness|strong="H4057",



s prings|strong = "H4161" of|strong = "H4325" water|strong = "H4325"  
into|strong = "H4161" thirsty|strong = "H6774" land|strong = "H6774",

34fruitful|strong = "H6529" land|strong = "H4420" into|strong = "H0413"  
a|strong = "H3427" salt|strong = "H4420" waste|strong = "H4420",

b ecause|strong = "H3588" of|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3427"  
sin|strong = "H2403" of|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3427"  
people|strong = "H3427".

35A|strong = "H7760" desert|strong = "H4057" he|strong = "H7760"  
makes|strong = "H7760" pools|strong = "H1295" of|strong = "H4325"  
water|strong = "H4325",

a |strong = "H7760" land|strong = "H6723" of|strong = "H4325"  
drought|strong = "H6723" into|strong = "H4161" springs|strong = "H4161"  
of|strong = "H4325" water|strong = "H4325".

36He|strong = "H8033" settles|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H8033"  
hungry|strong = "H7457" therein|strong = "H8033",

t hey|strong = "H8033" establish|strong = "H3559" a|strong = "H3559"  
city|strong = "H5892" to|strong = "H8033" live|strong = "H3427"  
in|strong = "H3427".

37They|strong = "H6213" sow|strong = "H2232" fields|strong = "H7704"  
and|strong = "H6213" plant|strong = "H5193" vineyards|strong = "H3754",

w hich|strong = "H7704" furnish|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H6213"  
fruitful|strong = "H6529" yield|strong = "H6213".

38By|strong = "H3808" his|strong = "H1288" blessing|strong = "H1288"  
they|strong = "H3808" multiply|strong = "H7235" greatly|strong = "H3966",

a nd|strong = "H7235" he|strong = "H3808" lets|strong = "H7971"  
not|strong = "H3808" their|strong = "H3808" cattle|strong = "H4735"  
decrease|strong = "H4591".

39Yet|strong = "H5750" when|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H7451"  
are|strong = "H7817" bowed|strong = "H7817" and|strong = "H7451"  
diminished|strong = "H4591"

**b** y|strong = "H7451" oppression|strong = "H6115",  
misfortune|strong = "H7451", or|strong = "H0176" sorrow|strong = "H3015",

40he|strong = "H3808" pours|strong = "H8210" contempt|strong = "H0937"  
upon|strong = "H5921" princes|strong = "H5081",

**a** nd|strong = "H1870" on|strong = "H5921" trackless  
wastes|strong = "H2723" leads|strong = "H8582" them|strong = "H5921"  
astray|strong = "H8582"

41He|strong = "H7760" lifts|strong = "H7311" the|strong = "H7760"  
poor|strong = "H6040" out|strong = "H7760" of|strong = "H4940"  
misery|strong = "H6040",

**a** nd|strong = "H6629" makes|strong = "H7760" families|strong = "H4940"  
fruitful|strong = "H6509" as|strong = "H7760" flocks|strong = "H6629".

42At|strong = "H7200" this|strong = "H7200" sight|strong = "H7200"  
shall|strong = "H3477" the|strong = "H3605" upright|strong = "H3477"  
be|strong = "H6310" glad|strong = "H8055",

**a** nd|strong = "H7200" all|strong = "H3605" wicked|strong = "H5766"  
mouths|strong = "H6310" shall|strong = "H3477" be|strong = "H6310"  
stopped|strong = "H5975".

43Let|strong = "H7971" those|strong = "H2450" who|strong = "H4310"  
are|strong = "H3068" wise|strong = "H2450" observe|strong = "H8104"  
this|strong = "H3068",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" consider|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H8104"  
love|strong = "H2617" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8104" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*

Psalm 108 – A Prayer for Victory

108My|strong = "H1732" heart|strong = "H3820" is|strong = "H1732"  
steadfast|strong = "H3559", O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H0430",

**m** y|strong = "H1732" heart|strong = "H3820" is|strong = "H1732"  
steadfast|strong = "H3559".

**I** |strong = "H0589" would|strong = "H1732" sing|strong = "H7892",  
I|strong = "H0589" would|strong = "H1732" make|strong = "H6213"  
music|strong = "H7892";

**a** wake|strong = "H5782", my|strong = "H1732" soul|strong = "H5315".

2Awake|strong = "H5782", harp|strong = "H3658" and|strong = "H3820"  
lyre|strong = "H3658";

**I** |strong = "H3559" would|strong = "H0014" wake|strong = "H6974"  
the|strong = "H3559" dawn|strong = "H7837".

3I|strong = "H5782" would|strong = "H0014" praise|strong = "H1984"  
you|strong = "H0859" among|strong = "H8432" the|strong = "H5782"  
peoples|strong = "H5971", O|strong = "H3069" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*;

**m** ake|strong = "H6213" music|strong = "H2170" among|strong = "H8432"  
the|strong = "H5782" nations|strong = "H1471" to|strong = "H7837"  
you|strong = "H0859".

4For|strong = "H3068" great|strong = "H1419" to|strong = "H3068"  
heaven|strong = "H8064" is|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
love|strong = "H0157",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" faithfulness|strong = "H0530"  
to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" clouds|strong = "H5645".

5Be|strong = "H8064" exalted|strong = "H7311", O|strong = "H3069"  
God|strong = "H8064", o'er the|strong = "H5921" heavens|strong = "H8064",

**a** nd|strong = "H1419" your|strong = "H5921" glory|strong = "H3519" o'er  
all|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H5921" earth|strong = "H8064".

6So|strong = "H5921" those|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H3605"  
love|strong = "H0157" may|strong = "H3519" be|strong = "H8064"  
rescued|strong = "H5337",

**s** ave|strong = "H3467" by|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H3605"  
right|strong = "H3225" hand|strong = "H3027" and|strong = "H8064"  
answer|strong = "H6030" us|strong = "H5921".

7God|strong = "H0430" did|strong = "H3225" solemnly|strong = "H7650"  
swear|strong = "H7650":

‘ As|strong = "H3225" victor will|strong = "H4616" I|strong = "H0589"  
divide|strong = "H2505" Shechem|strong = "H7927",

portion out the valley of Succoth.

8 Mine is Gilead, mine is Manasseh,

Ephraim is my helmet,

Judah my sceptre of rule,

9 Moab the pot that I wash in,

on Edom I hurl my sandal,

I shout o'er Philistia in triumph.

10 O to be brought to the fortified city!

O to be led into Edom!

11 Have you not spurned us, O God?

You do not march forth with our armies.

12 Grant us help from the foe,

for is human help is worthless.

13With|strong = "H5973" God|strong = "H0430" we|strong = "H0587"  
shall|strong = "H6862" yet|strong = "H5750" do|strong = "H6213" bravely,

h e|strong = "H0834" himself|strong = "H5315" will|strong = "H6862"  
tread|strong = "H1869" down|strong = "H3381" our|strong = "H3068"  
foes|strong = "H6862".

Psalm 109 – A Prayer for the Lord’s Help

109O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H0430" whom|strong = "H0834"  
I|strong = "H8416" praise|strong = "H8416", keep|strong = "H2790"  
not|strong = "H1732" silence|strong = "H2790";

2for|strong = "H3588" their|strong = "H5921" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
mouths|strong = "H6310" they|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H7563"  
opened|strong = "H6605" against|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5921",

t hey|strong = "H3588" speak|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H1696"  
me|strong = "H5921" with|strong = "H1696" tongues|strong = "H3956"  
that|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H7563" false|strong = "H8267",

3they|strong = "H1697" beset|strong = "H5437" me|strong = "H5437"  
with|strong = "H3898" words|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H1697"  
hatred|strong = "H8135",

a nd|strong = "H1697" fight|strong = "H3898" without|strong = "H2600"  
cause|strong = "H2600" against|strong = "H3898" me|strong = "H5437".

4My|strong = "H8478" love|strong = "H0157" they|strong = "H8478"  
requite|strong = "H5414" with|strong = "H8478" hostility|strong = "H7147",

w hile|strong = "H8478" for|strong = "H8478" them|strong = "H8478"  
I|strong = "H8478" lift|strong = "H5375" up|strong = "H5927"  
my|strong = "H8478" prayer|strong = "H8605".

5Evil|strong = "H7451" for|strong = "H5921" good|strong = "H2896"  
they|strong = "H5921" reward|strong = "H7939" me|strong = "H5921",

a nd|strong = "H2896" hatred|strong = "H8135" for|strong = "H5921"  
my|strong = "H7760" love|strong = "H0157".

6‘Set|strong = "H5975" over|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921"  
one|strong = "H7563" who|strong = "H5975" is|strong = "H7563"  
godless|strong = "H2611",’ they|strong = "H5921" say|strong = "H0559",

‘ an|strong = "H5921" opponent|strong = "H7453" at|strong = "H5921"  
his|strong = "H5921" right|strong = "H3225" hand|strong = "H3225".

7From|strong = "H3318" his|strong = "H1961" trial|strong = "H4941"  
let|strong = "H1961" him|strong = "H3318" come|strong = "H1961"  
forth|strong = "H3318" guilty|strong = "H7563",

m ay|strong = "H1961" his|strong = "H1961" prayer|strong = "H8605"  
be|strong = "H1961" counted|strong = "H2803" as|strong = "H1961"  
sin|strong = "H2401".

8Grant|strong = "H5414" that|strong = "H3117" his|strong = "H3947"  
days|strong = "H3117" may|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961"  
few|strong = "H4592",

t hat|strong = "H3117" his|strong = "H3947" office|strong = "H6486"  
be|strong = "H1961" seized|strong = "H3947" by|strong = "H3117"  
another|strong = "H0312".

9Grant|strong = "H5414" that|strong = "H1121" his|strong = "H1961"  
children|strong = "H1121" be|strong = "H1961" fatherless|strong = "H3490",

a nd|strong = "H1121" that|strong = "H1121" his|strong = "H1961"  
wife|strong = "H0802" be|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"  
widow|strong = "H0490".

10Up|strong = "H1121" and|strong = "H1121" down|strong = "H5128"  
may|strong = "H1121" his|strong = "H5128" children|strong = "H1121"  
go|strong = "H1980" begging|strong = "H1245",

e xpelled|strong = "H3423" from|strong = "H1121" their|strong = "H5128"  
desolate|strong = "H2723" home|strong = "H1004".

11May|strong = "H5367" all|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H3605"  
he|strong = "H3605" owns|strong = "H3426" be|strong = "H2114"  
seized|strong = "H8610" by|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
creditor|strong = "H5383"

m ay|strong = "H5367" strangers|strong = "H2114"  
plunder|strong = "H0962" the|strong = "H3605" fruits|strong = "H1061"  
of|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605" toil|strong = "H3018".

12'May|strong = "H1961" none|strong = "H0369" extend|strong = "H1961"  
to|strong = "H1961" him|strong = "H2603" kindness|strong = "H2617",

- o r|strong = "H0176" pity|strong = "H2603" his|strong = "H1961"  
fatherless|strong = "H3490" children|strong = "H3490".

13His|strong = "H1961" descendants|strong = "H2233"  
be|strong = "H1961" doomed|strong = "H1121" to|strong = "H1961"  
destruction|strong = "H7667"!

- B** lotted|strong = "H4229" out|strong = "H4229" be|strong = "H1961"  
his|strong = "H1961" name|strong = "H8034" in|strong = "H8034"  
one|strong = "H1961" generation|strong = "H1755"!

14May|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" father's|strong = "H0001"  
guilt|strong = "H5771" be|strong = "H3068" remembered|strong = "H2142",

- a** nd|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" mother's|strong = "H0517"  
sin|strong = "H2403" not|strong = "H2142" blotted|strong = "H4229"  
out|strong = "H4229":

15on|strong = "H3068" record|strong = "H3789" always|strong = "H8548"  
before|strong = "H5048" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

- a** nd|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" memory|strong = "H2143"  
root|strong = "H8328" from|strong = "H3772" the|strong = "H3068"  
earth|strong = "H0776";

16for|strong = "H6213" he|strong = "H6213" gave|strong = "H6213"  
no|strong = "H3808" thought|strong = "H3824" to|strong = "H4191"  
show|strong = "H6213" kindness|strong = "H2617",

- b** ut|strong = "H3808" pursued|strong = "H7291" the|strong = "H6213"  
poor|strong = "H6041" and|strong = "H6041" the|strong = "H6213"  
needy|strong = "H6041",

- d** rove|strong = "H3423" the|strong = "H6213" downhearted  
to|strong = "H4191" death|strong = "H4191".

17'May|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H4480" curses|strong = "H7045"  
he|strong = "H4480" loved|strong = "H0157" light|strong = "H0216"  
upon|strong = "H1293" him|strong = "H4480",

**m** ay|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H4480" blessings|strong = "H1293"  
 he|strong = "H4480" loathed|strong = "H1602" be|strong = "H3808"  
 afar|strong = "H7350".

18Like|strong = "H7130" a|strong = "H3847" garment|strong = "H4055"  
 he|strong = "H7130" clothed|strong = "H3847" him|strong = "H7130"  
 with|strong = "H3847" curses|strong = "H7045";

**m** ay|strong = "H4325" they|strong = "H7130" pierce|strong = "H5344"  
 to|strong = "H4325" his|strong = "H7130" inwards|strong = "H7130"  
 like|strong = "H7130" water|strong = "H4325",

**a** nd|strong = "H8081" cling|strong = "H1692" to|strong = "H4325"  
 his|strong = "H7130" bones|strong = "H6106" like|strong = "H7130"  
 oil|strong = "H8081".

19Let|strong = "H1961" them|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961"  
 like|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" robe|strong = "H4598"  
 he|strong = "H0834" wraps|strong = "H5844" round|strong = "H5439"  
 him|strong = "H1961",

**l** ike|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" belt|strong = "H4206"  
 he|strong = "H0834" wears|strong = "H7833" every|strong = "H8548"  
 day|strong = "H3117".'

20Be|strong = "H3068" this|strong = "H2063" the|strong = "H5921"  
 reward|strong = "H6468" of|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068"  
 adversaries|strong = "H7853",

**o** f|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H5921" who|strong = "H3068"  
 speak|strong = "H1696" evil|strong = "H7451" against|strong = "H5921"  
 me|strong = "H5315".

21But|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588", w  
 Lord|strong = "H3069" w\* my|strong = "H5337" w God|strong = "H3069" w\*,

**b** e|strong = "H8034" true|strong = "H0571" to|strong = "H6213"  
 your|strong = "H6213" name|strong = "H8034",

**d** eal|strong = "H6213" kindly|strong = "H2617" with|strong = "H6213"  
 me|strong = "H6213";



i n|strong="H6213" your|strong="H6213" gracious|strong="H2896"  
kindness|strong="H2617"

s ave|strong="H5337" me|strong="H6213".

22For|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" am|strong="H1961"  
poor|strong="H6041" and|strong="H6041" needy|strong="H6041",

a nd|strong="H6041" my|strong="H2490" heart|strong="H3820"  
is|strong="H3820" wounded|strong="H2490" within|strong="H7130"  
me|strong="H7130".

23I|strong="H1980" am|strong="H1980" gone|strong="H1980"  
like|strong="H1980" a|strong="H5186" lengthening|strong="H0754"  
shadow|strong="H6738",

I |strong="H1980" am|strong="H1980" shaken|strong="H5287"  
off|strong="H5287" like|strong="H1980" a|strong="H5186"  
locust|strong="H0697".

24My|strong="H1320" knees|strong="H1290" totter|strong="H4131"  
from|strong="H8081" fasting|strong="H6685",

m y|strong="H1320" flesh|strong="H1320" is|strong="H1320" shrivelled  
and|strong="H8081" spare|strong="H2550".

25They|strong="H1992" heap|strong="H1530" insults|strong="H2781"  
upon|strong="H7200" me|strong="H7200":

w hen|strong="H1961" they|strong="H1992" see|strong="H7200"  
me|strong="H7200", they|strong="H1992" shake|strong="H5128"  
their|strong="H1992" head|strong="H7218".

26Help|strong="H5826" me|strong="H3467", O|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* my|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068",

a nd|strong="H3068" save|strong="H3467" me|strong="H3467"  
in|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" kindness|strong="H2617".

27Teach|strong="H3045" them|strong="H3027" that|strong="H3588"  
this|strong="H2063" is|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068"  
hand|strong="H3027",

and your own doing, O Lord w\*.

Let them curse, if only you bless.

Put my assailants to shame,

and make your servant glad.

My opponents be clothed with dishonour,

and wrapped in a robe of shame.

I give thanks to you, w\*, with loud voice,

I give praise in the midst of the throng;

for he stands by the poor, at his right hand,

to save them from those who condemn them.

Psalm 110 – A Promise of Victory to the King

This w\* concerning my lord,

‘ Sit at my hand,

until I set your foot on the neck of your foes.’

2 On Zion the Lord w<sup>\*</sup> is wielding

your sceptre of might, and you surround

the foes that surround you.

3 The day that you march to battle

your people will follow you gladly

young warriors in holy array,

like dew-drops, born of the morning.

4 The Lord w<sup>\*</sup> has sworn not to repent,

‘ As for you, you are priest for ever’

as Melchizedek was.’

5By|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921" side|strong = "H3225"  
will|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3225" w\*  
shatter|strong = "H4272" kings|strong = "H4428"

o n|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" day|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H5921" wrath|strong = "H2534".

6He|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H1471" execute|strong = "H1777"  
judgment|strong = "H1777"

f illing|strong = "H4390" the|strong = "H5921" valleys|strong = "H6010"  
with|strong = "H4390" dead|strong = "H1472",

t he|strong = "H5921" broad|strong = "H7227" fields|strong = "H7704"  
with|strong = "H4390" shattered|strong = "H4272" heads|strong = "H7218".

7He|strong = "H3651" will|strong = "H5158" drink|strong = "H8354"  
of|strong = "H7218" the|strong = "H5921" brook|strong = "H5158"  
by|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" way|strong = "H1870",

a nd|strong = "H7218" march|strong = "H1980" onward|strong = "H1973"  
with|strong = "H5921" uplifted|strong = "H7311" head|strong = "H7218".  
Psalm 111 – In Praise of the Divine Goodness

### 111 Hallelujah.

I |strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" thank|strong = "H3034"  
the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* with|strong = "H3068"  
all|strong = "H3605" my|strong = "H3605" heart|strong = "H3824",

i n|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" assembled|strong = "H3605"  
congregation|strong = "H5712" of|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3605"  
people|strong = "H5712".

2Great|strong = "H1419" are|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605"  
things|strong = "H1419" that|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* has|strong = "H3068" done|strong = "H4639",

w orthy|strong = "H4941" of|strong = "H3068" study|strong = "H1875"  
by|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605"  
love|strong = "H0157" them|strong = "H3068".

3Majestic|strong = "H1935" and|strong = "H5975"  
 glorious|strong = "H1935" is|strong = "H6467" his|strong = "H5975"  
 work|strong = "H6467",

a nd|strong = "H5975" his|strong = "H5975"  
 righteousness|strong = "H6666" abides|strong = "H3427"  
 forever|strong = "H5703".

4For|strong = "H6213" his|strong = "H3068" marvellous|strong = "H6381"  
 deeds|strong = "H6381" he|strong = "H6213" has|strong = "H3068"  
 won|strong = "H1589" renown|strong = "H2143";

t he|strong = "H6213" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
 gracious|strong = "H2587" and|strong = "H3068" full|strong = "H4392"  
 of|strong = "H3068" compassion|strong = "H7349".

5Food|strong = "H2964" he|strong = "H5414" gives|strong = "H5414"  
 to|strong = "H5414" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H0834"  
 fear|strong = "H3373" him|strong = "H5414",

a lways|strong = "H5769" he|strong = "H5414"  
 remembers|strong = "H2142" his|strong = "H5414"  
 covenant|strong = "H1285".

6His|strong = "H5414" mighty|strong = "H3581" works|strong = "H4639"  
 he|strong = "H5414" has|strong = "H1471" shown|strong = "H5046"  
 to|strong = "H5414" his|strong = "H5414" people|strong = "H5971",

i n|strong = "H5414" giving|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H5414"  
 them|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414" nations|strong = "H1471"  
 for|strong = "H5971" heritage|strong = "H5159".

7All|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H3605" he|strong = "H3605"  
 does|strong = "H4639" is|strong = "H3027" faithful|strong = "H0539"  
 and|strong = "H3027" right|strong = "H4941",

a ll|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605" behests are|strong = "H3027"  
 firm|strong = "H3559" and|strong = "H3027" sure|strong = "H0539".

8They|strong = "H6213" are|strong = "H6213"  
 established|strong = "H5564" for|strong = "H6213" ever|strong = "H5769"  
 and|strong = "H5769" ever|strong = "H5769",

e xecuted|strong = "H6213" with|strong = "H6213" truth|strong = "H0571"  
and|strong = "H5769" uprightness|strong = "H3477".

9To|strong = "H7971" his|strong = "H7971" people|strong = "H5971"  
he|strong = "H7971" sent|strong = "H7971" redemption|strong = "H6304",

h e|strong = "H7971" has|strong = "H5971" appointed|strong = "H6680"  
his|strong = "H7971" covenant|strong = "H1285" forever|strong = "H5769".

H is|strong = "H7971" name|strong = "H8034" is|strong = "H8034"  
holy|strong = "H6918" and|strong = "H7971" awe-inspiring|strong = "H4172".

10The|strong = "H3605" fear|strong = "H3374" of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3605" beginning|strong = "H7225" of|strong = "H3068"  
wisdom|strong = "H2451"

t hose|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" keep|strong = "H6213"  
it|strong = "H6213" are|strong = "H3068" wise|strong = "H2451"  
indeed|strong = "H6213".

H is|strong = "H3605" praise|strong = "H8416" abides|strong = "H3427"  
for|strong = "H6213" ever|strong = "H5703" and|strong = "H3068"  
ever|strong = "H5703".

Psalm 112 – The Blessings of Godliness

112Hallelujah. Happy|strong = "H0835" are|strong = "H3068"  
those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H3068" fear|strong = "H3372"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

a nd|strong = "H3068" greatly|strong = "H3966" delight|strong = "H2654"  
in|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" commandments|strong = "H4687".

2Mighty|strong = "H1368" on|strong = "H1961" earth|strong = "H0776"  
shall|strong = "H2233" be|strong = "H1961" their|strong = "H1961"  
seed|strong = "H2233";

a |strong = "H1961" blessing|strong = "H1288" shall|strong = "H2233"  
rest|strong = "H1961" on|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1288"  
race|strong = "H2233" of|strong = "H2233" the|strong = "H1288"  
upright|strong = "H3477".

3Wealth|strong="H1952" and|strong="H1004" riches|strong="H6239"  
are|strong="H1004" in|strong="H1004" their|strong="H5975"  
houses|strong="H1004",

t heir|strong="H5975" prosperity|strong="H7965"  
stands|strong="H5975" forever|strong="H5703".

4To|strong="H6662" the|strong="H3477" upright|strong="H3477"  
arises|strong="H2224" light|strong="H0216" in|strong="H3477"  
the|strong="H3477" darkness|strong="H2822";

f ull|strong="H4392" of|strong="H6662" favour|strong="H2580"  
and|strong="H2587" pity|strong="H2347" and|strong="H2587"  
kindness|strong="H2617" are|strong="H6662" they|strong="H2224".

5It|strong="H4941" is|strong="H1697" well|strong="H2896"  
with|strong="H1697" those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H2896"  
show|strong="H2603" pity|strong="H2603" and|strong="H4941"  
lend|strong="H3867",

w ho|strong="H2896" support|strong="H2388" all|strong="H1697"  
their|strong="H3605" affairs|strong="H1697" upon|strong="H4941"  
justice|strong="H4941".

6For|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" will|strong="H1961"  
never|strong="H3808" be|strong="H1961" shaken|strong="H4131";

t he|strong="H3588" just|strong="H6662" will|strong="H1961"  
be|strong="H1961" forever|strong="H5769"  
remembered|strong="H2143".

7They|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808"  
be|strong="H3808" afraid|strong="H3372" of|strong="H3068"  
evil|strong="H7451" tidings|strong="H8052",

w ith|strong="H3068" steady|strong="H0530" heart|strong="H3820"  
they|strong="H3068" trust|strong="H0982" the|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

8Their|strong="H5564" heart|strong="H3820" is|strong="H3820"  
firm|strong="H7200" and|strong="H7200" unafraid:

**t** hey|strong="H3808" know|strong="H3045" they|strong="H3808"  
will|strong="H3820" feast|strong="H2282" their|strong="H5564"  
eyes|strong="H5869" on|strong="H7200" their|strong="H5564"  
enemies|strong="H6862".

9With|strong="H7161" lavish|strong="H2107" hands|strong="H3027"  
they|strong="H5414" give|strong="H5414" to|strong="H5414"  
the|strong="H5414" poor|strong="H6041",

**a** nd|strong="H5975" their|strong="H5414" prosperity|strong="H7965"  
stands|strong="H5975" forever|strong="H5703".

**T** hey|strong="H5414" are|strong="H5975" lifted|strong="H7311"  
to|strong="H5414" heights|strong="H7311" of|strong="H7161"  
triumph|strong="H7321" and|strong="H5975" honour|strong="H3519".

10The|strong="H7200" sight|strong="H7200" of|strong="H7200"  
them|strong="H7200" fills|strong="H4390" the|strong="H7200"  
wicked|strong="H7563" with|strong="H3707" anger|strong="H3707".

**g** rinding|strong="H2912" their|strong="H7200" teeth|strong="H8127"  
with|strong="H3707" despair|strong="H2976".

**T** he|strong="H7200" hopes|strong="H4723" of|strong="H7200"  
the|strong="H7200" wicked|strong="H7563" will|strong="H7563"  
come|strong="H0935" to|strong="H7200" nothing|strong="H3808".  
Psalm 113 – The Lord loves the Humble

### 113Hallelujah.

**P** raise|strong="H1984" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,  
you|strong="H0859" his|strong="H3068" servants|strong="H5650",

**p** raise|strong="H1984" the|strong="H3068" name|strong="H8034"  
of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

2The|strong="H3068" name|strong="H8034" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* be|strong="H1961"  
blessed|strong="H1288"

**f** rom|strong="H5704" now|strong="H6258" and|strong="H3068"  
for|strong="H5704" evermore|strong="H5769".



3From|strong="H5704" sunrise|strong="H4217" to|strong="H5704"  
sunset|strong="H8121"

i s|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" name|strong="H8034"  
of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
to|strong="H5704" be|strong="H3068" praised|strong="H1984".

4High|strong="H7311" is|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* above|strong="H5921" all|strong="H3605"  
nations|strong="H1471",

a bove|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605" heavens|strong="H8064"  
is|strong="H3068" his|strong="H3605" glory|strong="H3519".

5Who|strong="H4310" is|strong="H3068" like|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* our|strong="H3068"  
God|strong="H3068",

s eated|strong="H3427" on|strong="H3427" high|strong="H1361"?"

6He|strong="H7200" bends|strong="H2342" down|strong="H8213"  
to|strong="H7200" look|strong="H7200"

a t|strong="H7200" the|strong="H7200" heavens|strong="H8064"  
and|strong="H8064" earth|strong="H8064".

7He|strong="H0834" raises|strong="H6965" the|strong="H6965"  
weak|strong="H1800" from|strong="H6965" the|strong="H6965"  
dust|strong="H6083",

h e|strong="H0834" lifts|strong="H7311" the|strong="H6965"  
poor|strong="H1800" from|strong="H6965" the|strong="H6965"  
dunhill|strong="H5122",

8and|strong="H5971" sets|strong="H0935" them|strong="H3427"  
beside|strong="H5973" the|strong="H5973" princes|strong="H5081",

e ven|strong="H1571" the|strong="H5973" princes|strong="H5081"  
of|strong="H3427" his|strong="H5973" people|strong="H5971".

9He|strong="H1004" gives|strong="H5414" the|strong="H1984"  
childless|strong="H6135" woman|strong="H6135" a|strong="H3427"  
home|strong="H1004",

a nd|strong="H1121" makes|strong="H1984" her|strong="H1984"  
the|strong="H1984" happy|strong="H8056" mother|strong="H0517"  
of|strong="H1121" children|strong="H1121".

### H allelujah.

#### Psalm 114 – The Marvel of the Exodus

114When|strong="H3318" Israel|strong="H3478" went|strong="H3318"  
out|strong="H3318" of|strong="H1004" Egypt|strong="H4714",

J acob's|strong="H3290" house|strong="H1004" from|strong="H3318"  
a|strong="H3318" barbarous people|strong="H5971",

2God|strong="H0430" chose|strong="H0977" Judah|strong="H3063"  
for|strong="H3478" himself|strong="H5315",

I srael|strong="H3478" became|strong="H1961" his|strong="H3478"  
kingdom|strong="H4475".

3The|strong="H7200" sea|strong="H3220" saw|strong="H7200"  
it|strong="H7200", and|strong="H7200" fled|strong="H5127",

J ordan|strong="H3383" river|strong="H5104" ran|strong="H5127"  
backwards.

4Mountains|strong="H2022" skipped|strong="H7540"  
like|strong="H7540" rams|strong="H0352",

h ills|strong="H1389" like|strong="H7540" the|strong="H1121"  
young|strong="H1121" of|strong="H1121" the|strong="H1121"  
flock|strong="H6629".

5Why|strong="H4100", sea|strong="H3220", do|strong="H4100"  
you|strong="H3588" flee|strong="H5127"?

J ordan|strong="H3383", why|strong="H4100" run|strong="H5127"  
backwards?

6Mountains|strong = "H2022", why|strong = "H4100"  
skip|strong = "H7540" ram-like?

W hy|strong = "H4100", hills|strong = "H1389", like|strong = "H7540"  
the|strong = "H1121" young|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"  
the|strong = "H1121" flock|strong = "H6629"?

7Earth|strong = "H0776", tremble|strong = "H2342"  
before|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

a t|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" presence|strong = "H6440"  
of|strong = "H6440" Jacob's|strong = "H3290" God|strong = "H0430",

8who|strong = "H6697" turns|strong = "H2015" rocks|strong = "H6697"  
into|strong = "H2015" pools|strong = "H1295" of|strong = "H4325"  
water|strong = "H4325",

a nd|strong = "H4325" flint|strong = "H2496" into|strong = "H2015"  
fountains|strong = "H4599" of|strong = "H4325" water|strong = "H4325".  
Psalm 115 – Israel's Incomparable God

115Not|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H3068" us|strong = "H5414", w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, not|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H3068"  
us|strong = "H5414",

b ut|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
name|strong = "H8034" give|strong = "H5414" glory|strong = "H3519",

f or|strong = "H3588" your|strong = "H3068" kindness'  
and|strong = "H3068" faithfulness' sake|strong = "H5921".

2Why|strong = "H4100" should|strong = "H4100" the|strong = "H4100"  
heathen|strong = "H1471" say|strong = "H0559",

‘ Where|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H4100" now|strong = "H4994"  
their|strong = "H1471" God|strong = "H0430"?’

3Our|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H8064" he|strong = "H6213"  
is|strong = "H3605" in|strong = "H6213" heaven|strong = "H8064";

w hatever|strong = "H3605" he|strong = "H6213" wishes|strong = "H2654",  
he|strong = "H6213" does|strong = "H6213".

4Their|strong = "H6091" idols|strong = "H6091" are|strong = "H3027"  
silver|strong = "H3701" and|strong = "H3701" gold|strong = "H2091",

**m** ade|strong = "H4639" by|strong = "H3027" human|strong = "H3027"  
hands|strong = "H3027".

5They|strong = "H1992" have|strong = "H5869" mouths|strong = "H6310",  
but|strong = "H3808" cannot|strong = "H3808" speak|strong = "H1696";

**t** hey|strong = "H1992" have|strong = "H5869" eyes|strong = "H5869",  
but|strong = "H3808" cannot|strong = "H3808" see|strong = "H7200".

6They|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3808" ears|strong = "H0241",  
but|strong = "H3808" cannot|strong = "H3808" hear|strong = "H8085";

**t** hey|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3808" noses|strong = "H0639",  
but|strong = "H3808" cannot|strong = "H3808" smell|strong = "H7306".

7They|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3027" hands|strong = "H3027",  
but|strong = "H3808" cannot|strong = "H3808" feel|strong = "H4184";

**t** hey|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3027" feet|strong = "H7272",  
but|strong = "H3808" cannot|strong = "H3808" walk|strong = "H1980":

**n** o|strong = "H3808" sound|strong = "H1897" comes|strong = "H1980"  
from|strong = "H1980" their|strong = "H3808" throats.

8Their|strong = "H3605" makers|strong = "H2803"  
become|strong = "H1961" like|strong = "H3644" them|strong = "H6213",

**s** o|strong = "H6213" do|strong = "H6213" all|strong = "H3605"  
who|strong = "H3605" trust|strong = "H0982" in|strong = "H6213"  
them|strong = "H6213".

9O|strong = "H3068" Israel|strong = "H3478", trust|strong = "H0982"  
in|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*:

**h** e|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068"  
help|strong = "H5828" and|strong = "H3478" their|strong = "H3068"  
shield|strong = "H4043".

10 House of Aaron, trust in the Lord w/

he is their help and their shield.

11 You who fear the Lord w/ trust in the Lord w/

he is their help and their shield.

12 The Lord w/ mindful, will bless us:

he will bless the house of Israel,

he will bless the house of Aaron.

13 He will bless those who fear the Lord w/

the small and the great together.

14 May the Lord w/ add to your numbers

to you and to your children.

15 Blessed are you who  
of the Lord's,

**c** reator of heaven and  
earth.

16 The heavens are  
the heavens of  
the Lord's,

**b** ut the earth  
has he given  
to people.

17 The dead cannot  
praise the Lord's,

**n** or those who  
go down into  
silence.

18 But we will  
bless the Lord's

**f** rom now and  
for evermore.

### H allelujah.

#### Psalm 116 – Song of Thanksgiving for Deliverance

116 I love the Lord's  
for he hears  
hears

**m** y voice, my pleas  
for mercy.

2 For he has  
inclined his ear  
to me:

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3117" call|strong = "H7121"  
upon|strong = "H7121" him|strong = "H7121" as|strong = "H3117"  
long|strong = "H3117" as|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3588"  
live|strong = "H3117".

3About|strong = "H5439" me|strong = "H4672" were|strong = "H4672"  
snares|strong = "H4170" of|strong = "H4194" death|strong = "H4194",

t he|strong = "H4672" anguish|strong = "H6869" of|strong = "H4194"  
Sheol|strong = "H7585" was|strong = "H3068" upon|strong = "H5921"  
me|strong = "H4672":

d istress|strong = "H6869" and|strong = "H6869" sorrow|strong = "H3015"  
were|strong = "H4672" mine|strong = "H5375".

4Then|strong = "H7121" I|strong = "H5315" called|strong = "H7121"  
on|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*:

‘ I|strong = "H5315" beseech|strong = "H0577" you|strong = "H5315",  
O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, deliver|strong = "H4422"  
me|strong = "H5315”.’

5Gracious|strong = "H2587" and|strong = "H3068" just|strong = "H6662"  
is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

c ompassionate|strong = "H7355" is|strong = "H3068" our|strong = "H3068"  
God|strong = "H3068".

6The|strong = "H8104" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
preserves|strong = "H8104" the|strong = "H8104" simple|strong = "H6612";

w hen|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3068" was|strong = "H3068"  
drooping, he|strong = "H3068" saved|strong = "H3467" me|strong = "H8104".

7Be|strong = "H3068" at|strong = "H5921" peace|strong = "H7965",  
my|strong = "H3068" heart|strong = "H5315", once|strong = "H7725"  
more|strong = "H3588",

f or|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
has|strong = "H3068" been|strong = "H3068" good|strong = "H1580"  
to|strong = "H7725" you|strong = "H3588".

8You|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H5869" rescued|strong = "H2502"  
me|strong = "H5315" from|strong = "H4480" death|strong = "H4194",

m y|strong = "H3588" eyes|strong = "H5869" from|strong = "H4480"  
tears|strong = "H1832",

m y|strong = "H3588" feet|strong = "H7272" from|strong = "H4480"  
stumbling|strong = "H1762".

9Before|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* I|strong = "H6440" will|strong = "H3068"  
walk|strong = "H1980"

i n|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H6440" land|strong = "H6440"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440" living|strong = "H2416".

10I|strong = "H3588" held|strong = "H2388" fast|strong = "H3966"  
my|strong = "H3588" faith|strong = "H0539", though|strong = "H3588"  
I|strong = "H3588" said|strong = "H1696",

‘ Ah|strong = "H1945" me|strong = "H1696"! I|strong = "H3588"  
am|strong = "H1961" sore|strong = "H3966" afflicted|strong = "H6031",’

11though|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H3605" my|strong = "H3605"  
alarm|strong = "H2648" I|strong = "H3605" said|strong = "H0559",

‘ Everyone|strong = "H3605" is|strong = "H3605" a|strong = "H3605"  
liar|strong = "H3576".’

12What|strong = "H4100" shall|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H5921"  
render|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*

f or|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605"  
bounty|strong = "H3027" to|strong = "H7725" me|strong = "H7725"?

13I|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" lift|strong = "H5375"  
up|strong = "H5375" the|strong = "H5375" cup|strong = "H3563"  
of|strong = "H3068" salvation|strong = "H3444",

a nd|strong = "H3068" call|strong = "H7121" on|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H5375" name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H5375" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.



14I|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" pay|strong = "H7999"  
 my|strong = "H3605" vows|strong = "H5088" to|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*

i n|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" presence|strong = "H5048"  
 of|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605"  
 people|strong = "H5971".

15Grave|strong = "H6913" in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
 eyes|strong = "H5869" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*

i s|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" death|strong = "H4194"  
 of|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" loyal|strong = "H3068"  
 and|strong = "H3068" loved|strong = "H0157" ones|strong = "H2623".

16Ah|strong = "H1945", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*! I|strong = "H3588"  
 am|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" servant|strong = "H5650",

y our|strong = "H3068" servant|strong = "H5650", child|strong = "H1121"  
 of|strong = "H1121" your|strong = "H3068" handmaid|strong = "H8198".

Y ou|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068" loosened  
 my|strong = "H3068" bonds|strong = "H4147".

17I|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" offer|strong = "H2076"  
 to|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H7121" a|strong = "H7121"  
 thank-offering,

a nd|strong = "H3068" call|strong = "H7121" on|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

18I|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" pay|strong = "H7999"  
 my|strong = "H3605" vows|strong = "H5088" to|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*

i n|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" presence|strong = "H5048"  
 of|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605"  
 people|strong = "H5971",

19 In the courts of the  
 of the house of  
 of the w Lord w\*,

i n the midst of  
 of you, O  
 Jerusalem.

**H** allelujah.  
 Psalm 117 – A Call to Praise

117 Praise the w  
 Lord w\*, all you  
 nations:

I aud him, all  
 you peoples.

2 For his mighty  
 love is over  
 us:

t he w Lord w\* is  
 faithful forever.

**H** allelujah.  
 Psalm 118 – Thanksgiving for Victory

118 Give thanks to  
 the w Lord w\* for  
 his goodness,

h is kindness endures  
 forever.

2 Let the house of  
 of Israel now  
 say:

h is kindness endures  
 forever.

3Let the house of Aaron now say:

h is kindness endures forever.

4Let those who fear the Lord now say:

h is kindness endures forever.

5Out of the straits I called on the Lord,

t he w Lord answered and gave me room.

6The w Lord is mine; I am fearless.

W hat can mere people do to me?

7The w Lord is mine, as my help:

I shall feast my eyes on my foes.

8It is better to hide in the w Lord

t han to trust in mortals.

9It is better  
to hide in  
the w Lord w\*

t han to put  
any trust in  
princes.

10Everywhere heathen  
swarmed round me;

i n the name  
of the w Lord w\*  
I cut them  
down.

11They swarmed,  
swarmed around me;

i n the name  
of the w Lord w\*  
I cut them  
down,

12they swarmed  
around me like  
bees,

t hey blazed like  
a fire of  
thorns:

i n the name  
of the w Lord w\*  
I cut them  
down.

13Sore they pushed  
me, to make  
me fall;

**b** ut|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
gave|strong="H5414" me|strong="H1760" his|strong="H3068"  
help|strong="H5826".

14The|strong="H1961" w Lord|strong="H3050" w\* is|strong="H1961"  
my|strong="H1961" strength|strong="H5797" and|strong="H5797"  
my|strong="H1961" song|strong="H2176",

**a** nd|strong="H5797" he|strong="H5797" is|strong="H1961"  
become|strong="H1961" my|strong="H1961" salvation|strong="H3444".

15Hark! In|strong="H3068" the|strong="H6213" tents|strong="H0168"  
of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H6213" righteous|strong="H6662"

**g** lad|strong="H8055" cries|strong="H6963" of|strong="H3068"  
victory|strong="H3444" are|strong="H3068" ringing.

**T** he|strong="H6213" hand|strong="H3225" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H6213" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* has|strong="H3068"  
wrought|strong="H6213" bravely,

16the|strong="H6213" hand|strong="H3225" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H6213" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* is|strong="H3068"  
exalted|strong="H7426",

**t** he|strong="H6213" hand|strong="H3225" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H6213" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* has|strong="H3068"  
wrought|strong="H6213" bravely.

17I|strong="H3588" shall|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"  
die|strong="H4191": nay|strong="H3808", I|strong="H3588"  
shall|strong="H3808" live|strong="H2421",

**t** o|strong="H4191" declare|strong="H5608" the|strong="H3588"  
works|strong="H4639" of|strong="H4639" the|strong="H3588" w  
Lord|strong="H3050" w\*.

18Though|strong="H3588" the|strong="H5414" w  
Lord|strong="H3050" w\* has|strong="H3050" chastened|strong="H3256"  
me|strong="H5414" sore|strong="H3256",

h e|strong="H5414" has|strong="H3050" not|strong="H3808"  
given|strong="H5414" me|strong="H5414" over|strong="H5414"  
to|strong="H5414" death|strong="H4194".

(The Procession arrives at the Temple)

19'Open|strong="H6605" to|strong="H8179" me|strong="H0413"  
the|strong="H3050" gates|strong="H8179" of|strong="H8179"  
victory|strong="H8668".

I |strong="H0589" would|strong="H0014" enter|strong="H0935"  
therein|strong="H4393" and|strong="H6664" give|strong="H3034"  
thanks|strong="H3034" to|strong="H8179" the|strong="H3050" w  
Lord|strong="H3050" w\*.'

(The Welcome)

20'This|strong="H2088" is|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"  
gate|strong="H8179" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*:

t he|strong="H3068" righteous|strong="H6662" may|strong="H3068"  
enter|strong="H0935" therein|strong="H4393";'

21I|strong="H3588" thank|strong="H3034" you|strong="H3588"  
because|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" have|strong="H1961"  
heard|strong="H6030" me|strong="H6030",

a nd|strong="H6030" are|strong="H1961" become|strong="H1961"  
my|strong="H1961" salvation|strong="H3444".

22The|strong="H1129" stone|strong="H0068" which|strong="H3988"  
the|strong="H1129" builders|strong="H1129" despised|strong="H3988"

i s|strong="H1961" become|strong="H1961" the|strong="H1129"  
head-stone of|strong="H7218" the|strong="H1129"  
corner|strong="H6438".

23This|strong="H2063" has|strong="H3068" been|strong="H1961"  
wrought|strong="H6213" by|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*;

**i** t|strong="H1931" is|strong="H3068" marvellous|strong="H6381"  
in|strong="H3068" our|strong="H3068" eyes|strong="H5869".

24This|strong="H2088" day|strong="H3117" is|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H6213" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s own|strong="H1961"  
creation|strong="H1254":

**i** n|strong="H3068" it|strong="H6213" let|strong="H8055"  
us|strong="H6213" joy|strong="H8055" and|strong="H3068"  
be|strong="H3068" glad|strong="H8055".

25O|strong="H4994" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, save|strong="H3467"  
us|strong="H4994", we|strong="H4994" pray|strong="H4994",

**O** |strong="H4994" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,  
prosper|strong="H6743", we|strong="H4994" pray|strong="H4994".

26Blessed|strong="H1288" the|strong="H3068" one|strong="H8034"  
who|strong="H3068" enters|strong="H0935"

**i** n|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" name|strong="H8034"  
of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

**F** rom|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" house|strong="H1004"  
of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
we|strong="H8034" bless|strong="H1288" you|strong="H1288".

27The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* is|strong="H3068"  
God|strong="H3068",

**h** e|strong="H5704" has|strong="H3068" given|strong="H5414"  
us|strong="H5414" light|strong="H0216".

**W** reathe the|strong="H3068" dance|strong="H4234"  
with|strong="H3068" boughs|strong="H5688",

**t** ill|strong="H5704" they|strong="H3068" touch|strong="H5060"  
the|strong="H3068" horns|strong="H7161" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" altar|strong="H4196".

28 You are my God, I will thank you;

**O** my God, I will exalt you.

29 Give thanks to the Lord his goodness:

**h** is kindness endures forever.

Psalm 119 – The Power and Comfort of the Word of God

119 Happy they whose life is blameless,

**w** ho walk by the law of the Lord.

2 Happy they who keep his charges,

**a** nd seek him with all their hearts;

3 who have done no wrong,

**b** ut walk in his ways.

4 You yourself have appointed precepts

**t** o be kept with diligence.



5O|strong = "H3069" to|strong = "H8104" be|strong = "H1870"  
steadily|strong = "H1980" guided|strong = "H5148"

i n|strong = "H1870" the|strong = "H8104" keeping|strong = "H8104"  
of|strong = "H1870" your|strong = "H8104" statutes|strong = "H2706"!

6Then|strong = "H3808" unashamed shall|strong = "H3808"  
I|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808",

w hen|strong = "H5027" I|strong = "H3808" look|strong = "H5027" towards  
all|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605"  
commandments|strong = "H4687".

7I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H3824" thank|strong = "H3034"  
you|strong = "H3034" with|strong = "H4941" heart|strong = "H3824"  
unfeigned,

w hen|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H0589" learn|strong = "H3925"  
your|strong = "H3034" righteous|strong = "H6664"  
judgments|strong = "H4941".

8I|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H5704" observe|strong = "H8104"  
your|strong = "H8104" statutes|strong = "H2706":

O |strong = "H3069" forsake|strong = "H5800" me|strong = "H8104"  
not|strong = "H5704" utterly|strong = "H3966".

9How|strong = "H4100" can|strong = "H4100" a|strong = "H5288"  
young|strong = "H5288" person|strong = "H5315" keep|strong = "H8104"  
their|strong = "H8104" life|strong = "H5315" pure|strong = "H2135"?

B y|strong = "H8104" giving|strong = "H8104" heed|strong = "H8104"  
to|strong = "H8104" your|strong = "H8104" word|strong = "H1697".

10With|strong = "H3820" all|strong = "H3605" my|strong = "H3605"  
heart|strong = "H3820" have|strong = "H3605" I|strong = "H3605"  
sought|strong = "H1875" you|strong = "H3605",

l et|strong = "H7971" me|strong = "H1875" not|strong = "H1875"  
stray|strong = "H7686" from|strong = "H3820" your|strong = "H3605"  
commandments|strong = "H4687".

11 In|strong = "H3808" my|strong = "H6845" heart|strong = "H3820"  
have|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H3808" treasured|strong = "H6845"  
your|strong = "H3808" word|strong = "H1697",

t o|strong = "H3820" keep|strong = "H6845" from|strong = "H3820"  
sinning|strong = "H2398" against|strong = "H2398" you|strong = "H3808".

12 Blessed|strong = "H1288" are|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H1288",  
O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*;

t each|strong = "H3925" me|strong = "H1288" your|strong = "H3068"  
statutes|strong = "H2706".

13 With|strong = "H6310" my|strong = "H3605" lips|strong = "H8193"  
have|strong = "H3605" I|strong = "H3605" rehearsed|strong = "H1696"

a ll|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" judgments|strong = "H4941"  
of|strong = "H6310" your|strong = "H3605" mouth|strong = "H6310".

14 I|strong = "H5921" delight|strong = "H7797" in|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H3605" way|strong = "H1870" of|strong = "H1870"  
your|strong = "H3605" charges|strong = "H4931",

m ore|strong = "H5921" than|strong = "H5921" in|strong = "H5921"  
riches|strong = "H1952" of|strong = "H1870" all|strong = "H3605"  
sorts|strong = "H4358".

15 I|strong = "H7878" will|strong = "H3068" muse|strong = "H7878"  
upon|strong = "H5027" your|strong = "H3068" precepts|strong = "H6490",

a nd|strong = "H5027" look|strong = "H5027" to|strong = "H6490"  
your|strong = "H3068" paths|strong = "H0734".

16 In|strong = "H1697" your|strong = "H7911" statutes|strong = "H2708"  
I|strong = "H1697" delight|strong = "H8173",

I |strong = "H1697" will|strong = "H1697" not|strong = "H3808"  
forget|strong = "H7911" your|strong = "H7911" word|strong = "H1697".

17 Grant|strong = "H5414" that|strong = "H1697" your|strong = "H5921"  
servant|strong = "H5650" may|strong = "H2421" live|strong = "H2421",

**a** nd|strong="H5650" I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H5650"  
observe|strong="H8104" your|strong="H5921" word|strong="H1697".

18Open|strong="H1540" my|strong="H1540" eyes|strong="H5869",  
that|strong="H5869" I|strong="H5869" see|strong="H5027"

**w** ondrous|strong="H6381" things|strong="H6381" out|strong="H3318"  
of|strong="H5869" your|strong="H1540" law|strong="H8451".

19But|strong="H4687" a|strong="H4480" guest|strong="H0398"  
am|strong="H1961" I|strong="H4480" on|strong="H4480"  
the|strong="H4480" earth|strong="H0776":

**h** ide|strong="H5641" not|strong="H4480" your|strong="H5641"  
commandments|strong="H4687" from|strong="H4480"  
me|strong="H4480".

20My|strong="H3605" heart|strong="H5315" is|strong="H5315"  
crushed|strong="H1638" with|strong="H5315" longing|strong="H8375"

**f** or|strong="H4941" your|strong="H3605" ordinances|strong="H4941",  
at|strong="H5315" all|strong="H3605" times|strong="H6256".

21You|strong="H7686" rebuke|strong="H1605" the|strong="H1605"  
proud|strong="H2086", the|strong="H1605" accused|strong="H2764",

**w** ho|strong="H0834" wander|strong="H7686" from|strong="H4480"  
your|strong="H1605" commandments|strong="H4687".

22Roll|strong="H1556" away|strong="H1556" from|strong="H5921"  
me|strong="H5921" scorn|strong="H2781" and|strong="H2781"  
contempt|strong="H2781",

**f** or|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" have|strong="H3588"  
observed|strong="H5341" your|strong="H5921" charges|strong="H4931".

23Though|strong="H1571" princes|strong="H8269" sit|strong="H3427"  
plotting|strong="H0696" against|strong="H1696" me|strong="H1696",

your servant will muse on your statutes.

24Your charges are my delight,

they are my counsellors.

25I lie grovelling in the dust;

revive me, as you have promised.

26I told of my ways, you made answer;

teach me your statutes.

27Grant me insight into your precepts,

and I will muse on your wonders.

28I am overcome with sorrow;

raise me up, as you have promised.

29Put the way of falsehood from me,

**a** nd|strong="H1870" graciously|strong="H2603" grant|strong="H2603"  
me|strong="H4480" your|strong="H4480" law|strong="H8451".

30I|strong="H1870" have|strong="H1961" chosen|strong="H0977"  
the|strong="H1870" way|strong="H1870" of|strong="H1870"  
fidelity|strong="H2617",

**y** our|strong="H1870" ordinances|strong="H4941" I|strong="H1870"  
long|strong="H0753" for|strong="H4941".

31I|strong="H3068" hold|strong="H1692" fast|strong="H1692"  
to|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" charges|strong="H4931":

**O** |strong="H3068" put|strong="H3068" me|strong="H0413"  
not|strong="H3808", w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, to|strong="H3068"  
shame|strong="H0954".

32I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3820" run|strong="H7323"  
in|strong="H1870" the|strong="H3588" way|strong="H1870"  
of|strong="H1870" your|strong="H3588"  
commandments|strong="H4687",

**f** or|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" give|strong="H5414"  
me|strong="H7337" room|strong="H7337" of|strong="H1870"  
heart|strong="H3820".

33Teach|strong="H3384" me|strong="H0413", O|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, the|strong="H3068" way|strong="H1870"  
of|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" statutes|strong="H2706",

**a** nd|strong="H3068" I|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068"  
keep|strong="H5341" it|strong="H5341" to|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" end|strong="H6118",

34instruct|strong="H3384" me|strong="H8104" to|strong="H3820"  
keep|strong="H8104" your|strong="H3605" law|strong="H8451",

**a** nd|strong="H8104" I|strong="H3605" will|strong="H3820"  
observe|strong="H8104" it|strong="H5341" with|strong="H3605"  
all|strong="H3605" my|strong="H8104" heart|strong="H3820".

35Guide|strong = "H1869" me|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H2654"  
the|strong = "H3588" path|strong = "H5410" of|strong = "H4687"  
your|strong = "H3588" commandments|strong = "H4687",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" therein|strong = "H4393" do|strong = "H6213"  
I|strong = "H3588" delight|strong = "H2654".

36Incline|strong = "H5186" my|strong = "H5186" heart|strong = "H3820"  
to|strong = "H3820" your|strong = "H5186" charges|strong = "H4931",

**a** nd|strong = "H3820" not|strong = "H5186" to|strong = "H3820"  
greed|strong = "H1942" of|strong = "H3820" gain|strong = "H1215".

37Turn|strong = "H5674" away|strong = "H5674" my|strong = "H7200"  
eyes|strong = "H5869" from|strong = "H5869" vain|strong = "H7723" sights,

**r** evive|strong = "H2421" me|strong = "H7200" by|strong = "H5674"  
your|strong = "H7200" word|strong = "H1697".

38Confirm|strong = "H6965" to|strong = "H6965" your|strong = "H6965"  
servant|strong = "H5650" the|strong = "H6965" promise|strong = "H1697"

**w** hich|strong = "H0834" is|strong = "H5650" given|strong = "H5650"  
to|strong = "H6965" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H5650"  
fear|strong = "H3374" you|strong = "H6965".

39Remove|strong = "H5674" the|strong = "H3588"  
reproach|strong = "H2781" which|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
dread|strong = "H3025",

**b** ecause|strong = "H3588" your|strong = "H3588"  
judgments|strong = "H4941" are|strong = "H4941" good|strong = "H2896".

40Behold|strong = "H2009", I|strong = "H2009" long|strong = "H8373"  
for|strong = "H2421" your|strong = "H2009" precepts|strong = "H6490".

**Q** uicken|strong = "H2421" me|strong = "H2421" in|strong = "H6666"  
your|strong = "H2009" righteousness|strong = "H6666".

41Visit|strong = "H6485" me|strong = "H0413", w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w<sup>s</sup>, with|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
love|strong = "H2617"

**a** nd|strong="H3068" salvation|strong="H8668", as|strong="H3068" you|strong="H0859" have|strong="H3068" promised|strong="H3068".

42So|strong="H3588" shall|strong="H1697" I|strong="H3588" answer|strong="H6030" my|strong="H3588" slanderers,

**f** or|strong="H3588" my|strong="H3588" trust|strong="H0982" is|strong="H1697" in|strong="H1697" your|strong="H3588" word|strong="H1697".

43Snatch|strong="H1504" not|strong="H3588" from|strong="H5704" my|strong="H5337" mouth|strong="H6310" the|strong="H3588" word|strong="H1697" of|strong="H1697" truth|strong="H0571",

**f** or|strong="H3588" in|strong="H1697" your|strong="H3588" judgments|strong="H4941" I|strong="H3588" hope|strong="H3176".

44I|strong="H0589" will|strong="H8451" keep|strong="H8104" your|strong="H8104" law|strong="H8451" continually|strong="H8548",

**f** or|strong="H8104" ever|strong="H5769" and|strong="H5769" evermore|strong="H5769".

45So|strong="H1980" shall|strong="H3548" I|strong="H3588" walk|strong="H1980" in|strong="H1980" wide|strong="H7342" spaces|strong="H4054",

**f** or|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" give|strong="H5414" my|strong="H3588" mind|strong="H3820" to|strong="H1980" your|strong="H3588" precepts|strong="H6490".

46I|strong="H3808" will|strong="H4428" speak|strong="H1696" of|strong="H4428" your|strong="H3808" charge|strong="H4931" before|strong="H5048" kings|strong="H4428",

**a** nd|strong="H4428" will|strong="H4428" not|strong="H3808" be|strong="H3808" ashamed|strong="H0954" thereof|strong="H0753".

47Your|strong="H3068" commandments|strong="H4687" are|strong="H4687" my|strong="H8173" delight|strong="H8173",

**I** |strong="H0589" love|strong="H0157" them|strong="H5414" exceedingly|strong="H3966".

48I|strong="H7878" will|strong="H3068" lift|strong="H5375" up|strong="H5375" my|strong="H5375" hands|strong="H3709" to|strong="H5375" your|strong="H5375" commandments|strong="H4687",

**a** nd|strong="H2706" muse|strong="H7878" upon|strong="H5375" your|strong="H5375" statutes|strong="H2706".

49Remember|strong="H2142" your|strong="H5921" word|strong="H1697" to|strong="H5921" your|strong="H5921" servant|strong="H5650",

**o** n|strong="H5921" which|strong="H1697" you|strong="H5921" have|strong="H5650" made|strong="H6213" me|strong="H5921" to|strong="H5921" hope|strong="H3176".

50This|strong="H2063" is|strong="H3588" my|strong="H3588" comfort|strong="H5165" in|strong="H3588" trouble|strong="H6040",

**t** hat|strong="H3588" your|strong="H3588" word|strong="H1697" gives|strong="H2421" life|strong="H2421" to|strong="H2421" me|strong="H2421".

51The|strong="H5704" arrogant|strong="H2086" utterly|strong="H3966" scorn|strong="H3887" me|strong="H3808",

**b** ut|strong="H3808" I|strong="H5704" have|strong="H2086" not|strong="H3808" declined|strong="H5186" from|strong="H5704" your|strong="H5186" law|strong="H8451".

52When|strong="H3068" I|strong="H3068" think|strong="H2142" of|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" judgments|strong="H4941" of|strong="H3068" old|strong="H5769",

**O** |strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, I|strong="H3068" take|strong="H2142" to|strong="H3068" me|strong="H5769" comfort|strong="H5162".

53I|strong="H0589" am|strong="H1961" seized|strong="H8610" with|strong="H8451" glowing|strong="H2830" anger|strong="H0639"



a t|strong="H3427" the|strong="H5800" wicked|strong="H7563"  
who|strong="H7563" forsake|strong="H5800" your|strong="H5800"  
law|strong="H8451".

54Your|strong="H1961" statutes|strong="H2706" have|strong="H1961"  
been|strong="H1961" to|strong="H1961" me|strong="H1961"  
songs|strong="H2158"

i n|strong="H1004" the|strong="H1961" house|strong="H1004"  
of|strong="H1004" my|strong="H1961" pilgrimage|strong="H4033".

55I|strong="H2142" remember|strong="H2142" your|strong="H3068"  
name|strong="H8034" in|strong="H3068" the|strong="H8104"  
night|strong="H3915",

O |strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* and|strong="H3068"  
observe|strong="H8104" your|strong="H3068" law|strong="H8451".

56My|strong="H1961" lot|strong="H1486" has|strong="H1961"  
been|strong="H1961" this|strong="H2063",

t hat|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" have|strong="H1961"  
kept|strong="H5341" your|strong="H3588" precepts|strong="H6490".

57My|strong="H8104" portion|strong="H2506" are|strong="H1697"  
you|strong="H8104", O|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*:

I |strong="H1697" have|strong="H3068" promised|strong="H3068"  
to|strong="H3068" keep|strong="H8104" your|strong="H3068"  
words|strong="H1697".

58I|strong="H6440" entreat|strong="H2470" you|strong="H6440"  
with|strong="H6440" all|strong="H3605" my|strong="H3605"  
heart|strong="H3820";

g rant|strong="H2603" me|strong="H6440" your|strong="H3605"  
promised|strong="H1696" favour|strong="H2603".

59I|strong="H1870" have|strong="H7272" thought|strong="H2803"  
upon|strong="H1870" my|strong="H7725" ways|strong="H1870",

**a** nd|strong = "H7725" turned|strong = "H7725" my|strong = "H7725"  
feet|strong = "H7272" to|strong = "H7725" your|strong = "H7725"  
charges|strong = "H4931".

60I|strong = "H3808" hasted|strong = "H2363" and|strong = "H8104"  
tarried|strong = "H4102" not|strong = "H3808"

**t** o|strong = "H8104" give|strong = "H8104" heed|strong = "H8104"  
to|strong = "H8104" your|strong = "H8104"  
commandments|strong = "H4687".

61Though|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H7911"  
godless|strong = "H2611" have|strong = "H7563" wound|strong = "H4347"  
their|strong = "H3808" cords|strong = "H2256" round|strong = "H5439"  
me|strong = "H7911",

**I** |strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H7563" not|strong = "H3808"  
forgotten|strong = "H7911" your|strong = "H7911" law|strong = "H8451".

62At|strong = "H5921" midnight|strong = "H2676" I|strong = "H5921"  
rise|strong = "H6965" to|strong = "H5921" praise|strong = "H3034"  
you|strong = "H5921"

**b** ecause|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921"  
righteous|strong = "H6664" judgments|strong = "H4941".

63With|strong = "H3605" all|strong = "H3605" those|strong = "H3605"  
who|strong = "H3605" fear|strong = "H3372" you|strong = "H3605"  
I|strong = "H3605" company|strong = "H6951",

**a** id with|strong = "H3605" those|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605"  
observe|strong = "H8104" your|strong = "H3605" precepts|strong = "H6490".

64The|strong = "H3068" earth|strong = "H0776", w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, is|strong = "H3068" full|strong = "H4390"  
of|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" kindness|strong = "H2617";

**t** each|strong = "H3925" me|strong = "H3925" your|strong = "H3068"  
Statutes|strong = "H2706".

65Well|strong = "H2896" have|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H6213"  
dealt|strong = "H6213" with|strong = "H5973" your|strong = "H3068"  
servant|strong = "H5650",

**a** s|strong = "H1697" you|strong = "H6213" have|strong = "H3068"  
promised|strong = "H3068", O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

66Teach|strong = "H3925" me|strong = "H3925"  
discretion|strong = "H2940" and|strong = "H4687"  
knowledge|strong = "H1847",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3588"  
believed|strong = "H0539" your|strong = "H3588"  
commandments|strong = "H4687".

67Till|strong = "H5705" trouble|strong = "H6869" came|strong = "H0935"  
I|strong = "H2962" was|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H8104"  
wanderer|strong = "H5110",

**b** ut|strong = "H6258" now|strong = "H6258" I|strong = "H2962"  
observe|strong = "H8104" your|strong = "H8104" word|strong = "H1697".

68You|strong = "H3925" are|strong = "H2896" good|strong = "H2896"  
and|strong = "H2706" do|strong = "H2895" good|strong = "H2896";

**t** each|strong = "H3925" me|strong = "H3925" your|strong = "H3925"  
statutes|strong = "H2706".

69The|strong = "H3605" proud|strong = "H2086" have|strong = "H2086"  
forged|strong = "H2950" lies|strong = "H8267" against|strong = "H5921"  
me|strong = "H5921",

**b** ut|strong = "H3605" I|strong = "H5921" keep|strong = "H5341"  
your|strong = "H3605" precepts|strong = "H6490" with|strong = "H5921"  
all|strong = "H3605" my|strong = "H3605" heart|strong = "H3820".

70Their|strong = "H3820" heart|strong = "H3820" is|strong = "H3820"  
gross like|strong = "H3820" fat|strong = "H2459",

**b** ut|strong = "H3820" I|strong = "H3820" delight|strong = "H8173"  
in|strong = "H3820" your|strong = "H3068" law|strong = "H8451".

71It|strong = "H3588" was|strong = "H2896" good|strong = "H2896"  
for|strong = "H3588" me|strong = "H3925" to|strong = "H4616"  
be|strong = "H2896" humbled|strong = "H6031",

**t** hat|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" should|strong = "H3588"  
learn|strong = "H3925" your|strong = "H3588" statutes|strong = "H2706".

72The|strong = "H2896" law|strong = "H8451" of|strong = "H6310"  
your|strong = "H3701" mouth|strong = "H6310" is|strong = "H2896"  
better|strong = "H2896" to|strong = "H6310" me|strong = "H0413"

**t** han|strong = "H2896" thousands|strong = "H0505" of|strong = "H6310"  
pieces|strong = "H5409" of|strong = "H6310" silver|strong = "H3701"  
and|strong = "H3701" gold|strong = "H2091".

73Your|strong = "H6213" hands|strong = "H3027" have|strong = "H3027"  
made|strong = "H6213" me|strong = "H6213" and|strong = "H3027"  
fashioned|strong = "H3559" me|strong = "H6213";

**m** ake|strong = "H6213" me|strong = "H6213" wise|strong = "H2450"  
to|strong = "H6213" learn|strong = "H3925" your|strong = "H6213"  
commandments|strong = "H4687".

74Those|strong = "H3588" who|strong = "H3588" fear|strong = "H3373"  
you|strong = "H3588" shall|strong = "H1697" see|strong = "H7200"  
me|strong = "H7200" with|strong = "H1697" joy|strong = "H8055",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H1697" your|strong = "H7200"  
word|strong = "H1697" have|strong = "H7200" I|strong = "H3588"  
hoped|strong = "H3176".

75I|strong = "H3588" know|strong = "H3045", O|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, that|strong = "H3588" your|strong = "H3068"  
judgments|strong = "H4941" are|strong = "H3068" right|strong = "H4941",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H3068" faithfulness|strong = "H0530"  
you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068" afflicted|strong = "H6031"  
me|strong = "H4941".

76Let|strong = "H4994" your|strong = "H1961" love|strong = "H2617"  
be|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961" comfort|strong = "H5162"  
to|strong = "H1961" me|strong = "H4994",

**f** or|strong = "H5650" so|strong = "H1961" have|strong = "H1961"  
you|strong = "H4994" promised|strong = "H1696" your|strong = "H1961"  
servant|strong = "H5650".

77Visit|strong="H6485" me|strong="H2421" with|strong="H8451"  
your|strong="H3588" quickening pity|strong="H7356",

f or|strong="H3588" your|strong="H3588" law|strong="H8451"  
is|strong="H8451" my|strong="H3588" delight|strong="H8191".

78Put|strong="H5414" the|strong="H3588" proud|strong="H2086"  
to|strong="H3588" shame|strong="H0954", who|strong="H3588"  
have|strong="H2086" wronged|strong="H5791" me|strong="H5791"  
falsely|strong="H8267":

I |strong="H3588" will|strong="H3588" muse|strong="H7878"  
on|strong="H6490" your|strong="H3588" precepts|strong="H6490".

79Let|strong="H7725" those|strong="H1992" turn|strong="H7725"  
to|strong="H7725" me|strong="H7725" who|strong="H3045"  
fear|strong="H3373" you|strong="H7725",

t hat|strong="H3045" they|strong="H3045" may|strong="H7725"  
learn|strong="H3045" your|strong="H3045" charges|strong="H4931".

80Let|strong="H3808" my|strong="H1961" heart|strong="H3820"  
be|strong="H1961" sound|strong="H8549" in|strong="H8549"  
your|strong="H1961" statutes|strong="H2706",

t hat|strong="H4616" I|strong="H3808" may|strong="H1961"  
not|strong="H3808" be|strong="H1961" put|strong="H5414"  
to|strong="H1961" shame|strong="H0954".

81My|strong="H3615" long|strong="H5315" for|strong="H5315"  
you|strong="H5315" to|strong="H1697" rescue|strong="H5315"  
me|strong="H5315",

I |strong="H1697" put|strong="H3615" my|strong="H3615"  
hope|strong="H3176" in|strong="H5315" your|strong="H3615"  
word|strong="H1697".

82My|strong="H3615" eyes|strong="H5869" pine|strong="H1992"  
away|strong="H3615" for|strong="H5869" your|strong="H3615"  
promise|strong="H1697":

s aying|strong="H0559", 'When|strong="H4970" will|strong="H5869"  
you|strong="H5869" comfort|strong="H5162" me|strong="H5869"?'

83Though|strong = "H3588" shrivelled like|strong = "H1961" wine-skin  
in|strong = "H3808" smoke|strong = "H7008",

y our|strong = "H3588" statutes|strong = "H2706" I|strong = "H3588"  
have|strong = "H1961" not|strong = "H3808" forgotten|strong = "H7911".

84How|strong = "H4100" few|strong = "H4592" are|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H6213" days|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
your|strong = "H6213" servant|strong = "H5650"!

W hen|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H5650" you|strong = "H3117"  
judge|strong = "H6213" those|strong = "H6213" who|strong = "H5650"  
harass|strong = "H6696" me|strong = "H6213"?

85Proud|strong = "H2086" people|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H2086"  
dug|strong = "H3738" for|strong = "H3808" me|strong = "H3808"  
pits|strong = "H7882"

p eople|strong = "H3808" who|strong = "H3808" do|strong = "H6213"  
not|strong = "H3808" conform to|strong = "H3808" your|strong = "H3808"  
law|strong = "H8451".

86All|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605"  
commandments|strong = "H4687" are|strong = "H4687"  
trusty|strong = "H0539".

W ith|strong = "H3605" falsehood|strong = "H8267" they|strong = "H3605"  
harass|strong = "H6696" me|strong = "H7291": help|strong = "H5826"  
me|strong = "H7291".

87They|strong = "H3808" had|strong = "H3808" nearly|strong = "H1241"  
made|strong = "H3615" an|strong = "H3615" end|strong = "H3615"  
of|strong = "H3615" me|strong = "H5800",

y et|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H3808" did|strong = "H3808"  
not|strong = "H3808" forget|strong = "H7911" your|strong = "H3808"  
precepts|strong = "H6490".

88Spare|strong = "H2421" me|strong = "H8104" in|strong = "H6310"  
your|strong = "H8104" kindness|strong = "H2617",

**a** nd I will charge the mouth of your mouth.

89Forever, O w Lord w\*, is your word

**f** ixed firmly in the heavens.

90Your truth endures age after age;

**i** t is established on earth, and it stands.

91By your appointment stand this day,

**f** or all are your servants.

92Had not your law been my joy,

**i** n my misery then had I perished.

93I will never forget your precepts,

**f** or through them you have put life in me.

94I am yours, O save me,

**f** or|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" give|strong = "H5414"  
my|strong = "H3588" mind|strong = "H3820" to|strong = "H3588"  
your|strong = "H3588" precepts|strong = "H6490".

95The|strong = "H7563" wicked|strong = "H7563" lay|strong = "H7901"  
wait|strong = "H6960" to|strong = "H7563" destroy|strong = "H7843"  
me|strong = "H0413",

**b** ut|strong = "H7563" I|strong = "H0589" give|strong = "H5414"  
heed|strong = "H8104" to|strong = "H7563" your|strong = "H3068"  
charge|strong = "H4931".

96I|strong = "H7200" have|strong = "H7200" seen|strong = "H7200"  
a|strong = "H7200" limit|strong = "H7093" to|strong = "H7200"  
all|strong = "H3605" things|strong = "H3605":

**b** ut|strong = "H7200" your|strong = "H3605"  
commandment|strong = "H4687" is|strong = "H3605"  
spacious|strong = "H7342" exceedingly|strong = "H3966".

97O|strong = "H4100" how|strong = "H4100" I|strong = "H3117"  
love|strong = "H0157" your|strong = "H3605" law|strong = "H8451"!

**A** ll|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117"  
long|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117" muse|strong = "H7878"  
on|strong = "H3117" it|strong = "H1931".

98Your|strong = "H3588" commandment|strong = "H4687"  
makes|strong = "H2449" me|strong = "H5769" wiser|strong = "H2449"  
than|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H3588" enemies|strong = "H0341":

**f** or|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931"  
mine|strong = "H5375" forever|strong = "H5769".

99I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961" prudent|strong = "H7919"  
above|strong = "H4605" all|strong = "H3605" my|strong = "H3605"  
teachers|strong = "H3925",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" your|strong = "H3605" charges|strong = "H4931"  
are|strong = "H5715" my|strong = "H3605" meditation|strong = "H7881".



100I|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3588" insight|strong = "H7919"  
 more|strong = "H3588" than|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
 aged|strong = "H2205",

- b** ecause|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" observe|strong = "H5341"  
 your|strong = "H3588" precepts|strong = "H6490".

101I|strong = "H1697" refrain|strong = "H2308" my|strong = "H8104"  
 foot|strong = "H7272" from|strong = "H7451" all|strong = "H3605"  
 wicked|strong = "H7451" ways|strong = "H1697",

**t** hat|strong = "H3605" I|strong = "H1697" may|strong = "H7272"  
 keep|strong = "H8104" your|strong = "H3605" word|strong = "H1697".

102I|strong = "H3588" turn|strong = "H5493" not|strong = "H3808"  
 aside|strong = "H5493" from|strong = "H5493" your|strong = "H3588"  
 judgments|strong = "H4941",

- f** or|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" yourself|strong = "H0859"  
 are|strong = "H4941" my|strong = "H5493" teacher|strong = "H3384".

103How|strong = "H4100" sweet|strong = "H4452" are|strong = "H4100"  
 your|strong = "H4100" words|strong = "H6310" to|strong = "H6310"  
 my|strong = "H4100" taste|strong = "H2441",

- s** weeter|strong = "H4966" than|strong = "H4480" honey|strong = "H1706"  
 to|strong = "H6310" my|strong = "H4100" mouth|strong = "H6310"!

104Insight|strong = "H7919" I|strong = "H5921" win|strong = "H6743"  
 through|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H3605" precepts|strong = "H6490",

- t** herefore|strong = "H3651" every|strong = "H3605" false|strong = "H8267"  
 way|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H5921" hate|strong = "H8130".

105Your|strong = "H1697" word|strong = "H1697" is|strong = "H1697"  
 a|strong = "H1697" lamp|strong = "H5216" to|strong = "H1697"  
 my|strong = "H7272" feet|strong = "H7272",

- a** nd|strong = "H1697" a|strong = "H1697" light|strong = "H5216"  
 to|strong = "H1697" my|strong = "H7272" path|strong = "H5410".

106I|strong = "H6965" have|strong = "H8104" sworn|strong = "H7650"  
an|strong = "H7650" oath|strong = "H7650", and|strong = "H6965"  
will|strong = "H6664" keep|strong = "H8104" it|strong = "H8104",

**t** o|strong = "H8104" observe|strong = "H8104" your|strong = "H8104"  
righteous|strong = "H6664" judgments|strong = "H4941".

107I|strong = "H5704" am|strong = "H3068" afflicted|strong = "H6031"  
sorely|strong = "H3966":

**r** evive|strong = "H2421" me|strong = "H2421", O|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, as|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H5704"  
said|strong = "H1697".

108Accept|strong = "H7521", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
my|strong = "H3068" willing|strong = "H5071" praise|strong = "H1984",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" teach|strong = "H3925" me|strong = "H4994"  
your|strong = "H3068" judgments|strong = "H4941".

109My|strong = "H7911" life|strong = "H5315" is|strong = "H5315"  
in|strong = "H5315" ceaseless peril;

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H5315" do|strong = "H6213"  
not|strong = "H3808" forget|strong = "H7911" your|strong = "H7911"  
law|strong = "H8451".

110The|strong = "H5414" wicked|strong = "H7563" set|strong = "H5414"  
traps|strong = "H6341" for|strong = "H5414" me|strong = "H5414",

**y** et|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H5414" do|strong = "H6213"  
not|strong = "H3808" stray|strong = "H8582" from|strong = "H8582"  
your|strong = "H5414" precepts|strong = "H6490".

111In|strong = "H5715" your|strong = "H3588" charges|strong = "H4931"  
are|strong = "H1992" my|strong = "H3588" everlasting|strong = "H5769"  
inheritance|strong = "H5157",

**t** hey|strong = "H1992" are|strong = "H1992" the|strong = "H3588"  
joy|strong = "H8342" of|strong = "H3820" my|strong = "H3588"  
heart|strong = "H3820".

112I am resolved to perform your statutes

f orever, to the utmost

113I hate people of divided heart,

b ut your law do I love

114You are my shelter and shield:

i n your word do I hope

115Begone, you wicked people,

I will keep the commands of my God

116Uphold me and spare me, as you have promised:

O do not disappoint me

117Hold me up, and I shall be saved:

a nd your statutes shall be unceasing delight

118All|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" swerve|strong = "H5493"  
 from|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605" statutes|strong = "H2706"  
 you|strong = "H3588" spurn|strong = "H5006":

**t** heir|strong = "H3605" cunning|strong = "H2803" is|strong = "H3605"  
 in|strong = "H2706" vain|strong = "H8267".

119All|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
 of|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H0776" you|strong = "H3605"  
 count|strong = "H5608" as|strong = "H3651" dross|strong = "H5509",

**t** herefore|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H3651" love|strong = "H0157"  
 your|strong = "H3605" charges|strong = "H4931".

120My|strong = "H3372" flesh|strong = "H1320", for|strong = "H4941"  
 fear|strong = "H3372" of|strong = "H4941" you|strong = "H3372", shudders,

**a** nd|strong = "H4941" I|strong = "H1320" stand|strong = "H3372"  
 in|strong = "H1320" awe|strong = "H6343" of|strong = "H4941"  
 your|strong = "H3372" judgments|strong = "H4941".

121Justice|strong = "H4941" and|strong = "H4941" right|strong = "H4941"  
 have|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H6213" practised|strong = "H6213",

**d** o|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H6213" leave|strong = "H3240"  
 me|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H6213" my|strong = "H6213"  
 oppressors|strong = "H6231".

122Be|strong = "H5650" your|strong = "H6231" servant's|strong = "H5650"  
 surety|strong = "H6148" for|strong = "H5650" good|strong = "H2896",

**l** et|strong = "H7971" not|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H5650"  
 proud|strong = "H2086" oppress|strong = "H6231" me|strong = "H5650".

123My|strong = "H3615" eyes|strong = "H5869" pine|strong = "H1992"  
 for|strong = "H5869" your|strong = "H3615" salvation|strong = "H3444",

**a** nd|strong = "H5869" for|strong = "H5869" your|strong = "H3615"  
 righteous|strong = "H6664" promise|strong = "H1697".

124 Deal|strong = "H6213" in|strong = "H6213" your|strong = "H6213"  
love|strong = "H2617" with|strong = "H5973" your|strong = "H6213"  
servant|strong = "H5650",

a nd|strong = "H5650" teach|strong = "H3925" me|strong = "H6213"  
your|strong = "H6213" statutes|strong = "H2706".

125 Your|strong = "H3045" servant|strong = "H5650" am|strong = "H1961"  
I|strong = "H3045"; instruct|strong = "H3045" me|strong = "H5650",

t hat|strong = "H3045" I|strong = "H3045" may|strong = "H1961"  
know|strong = "H3045" your|strong = "H3045" charges|strong = "H4931".

126 It|strong = "H6213" is|strong = "H3068" time|strong = "H6256"  
for|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H6213" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
to|strong = "H3068" act|strong = "H6213":

t hey|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068" violated|strong = "H6565"  
your|strong = "H3068" law|strong = "H8451".

127 Therefore|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H5921" love|strong = "H0157"  
your|strong = "H5921" commandments|strong = "H4687"

a bove|strong = "H5921" gold|strong = "H2091", above|strong = "H5921"  
fine|strong = "H6337" gold|strong = "H2091".

128 So|strong = "H3651" by|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605"  
your|strong = "H3605" precepts|strong = "H6490" I|strong = "H5921"  
guide|strong = "H5148" me|strong = "H8130",

a nd|strong = "H3605" every|strong = "H3605" false|strong = "H8267"  
way|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H5921" hate|strong = "H8130".

129 Your|strong = "H5921" decrees|strong = "H2711" are|strong = "H5715"  
wonderful|strong = "H6382",

g ladly|strong = "H8055" I|strong = "H5921" keep|strong = "H5341"  
them|strong = "H5921".

130 When|strong = "H3588" your|strong = "H1697" word|strong = "H1697"  
is|strong = "H1697" unfolded, light|strong = "H0216"  
breaks|strong = "H7665";

it|strong="H5414" imparts|strong="H3925" to|strong="H1697"  
the|strong="H1697" simple|strong="H6612" wisdom|strong="H2451".

131With|strong="H6310" open|strong="H6605" mouth|strong="H6310"  
I|strong="H3588" pant|strong="H7602"

with|strong="H6310" longing|strong="H7602" for|strong="H3588"  
your|strong="H3588" commandments|strong="H4687".

132Turn|strong="H6437" to|strong="H8034" me|strong="H2603"  
with|strong="H4941" your|strong="H6437" favour|strong="H2603",

as|strong="H4941" is|strong="H8034" just|strong="H4941"  
to|strong="H8034" those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H0834"  
love|strong="H0157" you|strong="H6437".

133Steady|strong="H0530" my|strong="H3605" steps|strong="H6471"  
by|strong="H3559" your|strong="H3605" word|strong="H1697",

so|strong="H3559" that|strong="H3605" sin|strong="H2403"  
have|strong="H3605" no|strong="H3605" power|strong="H7980"  
over|strong="H7980" me|strong="H3605".

134Set|strong="H7760" me|strong="H8104" free|strong="H2670"  
from|strong="H8104" those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H8104"  
oppress|strong="H6231" me|strong="H8104",

and|strong="H8104" I|strong="H6490" shall|strong="H3548"  
observe|strong="H8104" your|strong="H8104" precepts|strong="H6490".

135Shine|strong="H0215" with|strong="H6440" your|strong="H6440"  
face|strong="H6440" on|strong="H6440" your|strong="H6440"  
servant|strong="H5650",

and|strong="H5650" teach|strong="H3925" me|strong="H6440"  
your|strong="H6440" statutes|strong="H2706".

136My|strong="H8104" eyes|strong="H5869" run|strong="H3381"  
down|strong="H3381" with|strong="H5921" rills of|strong="H5869"  
water|strong="H4325",

**b** ecause|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921" law|strong = "H8451"  
is|strong = "H5869" not|strong = "H3808" kept|strong = "H8104".

137Righteous|strong = "H6662" are|strong = "H3068"  
you|strong = "H0859", O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" right|strong = "H3477" are|strong = "H3068"  
your|strong = "H3068" ordinances|strong = "H4941".

138The|strong = "H6680" laws|strong = "H8451" you|strong = "H6680"  
has|strong = "H3068" ordered|strong = "H6680" are|strong = "H5713"  
just|strong = "H6664",

**a** nd|strong = "H6664" trusty|strong = "H0539"  
exceedingly|strong = "H3966".

139My|strong = "H3588" jealousy|strong = "H7068" has|strong = "H3588"  
undone|strong = "H1820" me|strong = "H7911",

**t** hat|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H3588" foes|strong = "H6862"  
have|strong = "H6862" forgotten|strong = "H7911" your|strong = "H3588"  
words|strong = "H1697".

140Your|strong = "H3068" word|strong = "H1697" has|strong = "H5650"  
been|strong = "H1961" tested|strong = "H6884" well|strong = "H3966";

**a** nd|strong = "H5650" your|strong = "H3068" servant|strong = "H5650"  
loves|strong = "H0157" it|strong = "H5650".

141I|strong = "H3808" am|strong = "H1961" little|strong = "H6810"  
and|strong = "H6810" held|strong = "H2388" in|strong = "H3808"  
contempt|strong = "H0937",

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" your|strong = "H7911" precepts|strong = "H6490"  
I|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
forgotten|strong = "H7911".

142Just|strong = "H6664" is|strong = "H6664" your|strong = "H6666"  
justice|strong = "H6664" forever|strong = "H5769",

**a** nd|strong = "H5769" trusty|strong = "H0539" is|strong = "H6664"  
your|strong = "H6666" law|strong = "H8451".

143Stress|strong = "H3708" and|strong = "H4687" strain  
are|strong = "H4687" upon|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H4672",

**b** ut|strong = "H4687" your|strong = "H4672"  
commandments|strong = "H4687" are|strong = "H4687" my|strong = "H4672"  
delight|strong = "H8191".

144Right|strong = "H6664" are|strong = "H5715" your|strong = "H5769"  
charges|strong = "H4931" forever|strong = "H5769",

**i** nstruct|strong = "H3384" me|strong = "H2421" that|strong = "H5769"  
I|strong = "H0589" may|strong = "H2421" live|strong = "H2421".

145With|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3605" whole|strong = "H3605"  
heart|strong = "H3820" I|strong = "H3068" cry|strong = "H7121";  
O|strong = "H3068" answer|strong = "H6030" me|strong = "H7121".

**I** |strong = "H3068" would|strong = "H3068" keep|strong = "H5341"  
your|strong = "H3068" statutes|strong = "H2706", O|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

146I|strong = "H7121" cry|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H8104"  
you|strong = "H3467": O|strong = "H3069" save|strong = "H3467"  
me|strong = "H7121",

**a** nd|strong = "H8104" I|strong = "H7121" will|strong = "H3467"  
observe|strong = "H8104" your|strong = "H8104" charges|strong = "H4931".

147Ere|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H1697" dawn|strong = "H5399"  
I|strong = "H1697" cry|strong = "H7768" for|strong = "H7768"  
your|strong = "H1697" help|strong = "H7768":

**i** n|strong = "H1697" your|strong = "H1697" word|strong = "H1697"  
do|strong = "H1697" I|strong = "H1697" hope|strong = "H3176".

148Awake|strong = "H5782" I|strong = "H7878" meet|strong = "H6923"  
the|strong = "H5869" night-watches,

**t** o|strong = "H5869" muse|strong = "H7878" upon|strong = "H5869"  
your|strong = "H5869" sayings|strong = "H1697".



149Hear|strong = "H8085" my|strong = "H8085" voice|strong = "H6963"  
in|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" kindness|strong = "H2617":

**O** |strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, by|strong = "H3068"  
your|strong = "H3068" judgments|strong = "H4941" revive|strong = "H2421"  
me|strong = "H6963".

150Near|strong = "H7126" me|strong = "H7291" are|strong = "H2154"  
wicked|strong = "H2154" tormentors|strong = "H8437",

**w** ho|strong = "H0834" are|strong = "H2154" far|strong = "H7368"  
from|strong = "H7368" thoughts|strong = "H4284" of|strong = "H8451"  
your|strong = "H7126" law|strong = "H8451";

151but|strong = "H3605" near|strong = "H7138", too|strong = "H4480",  
are|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3605", **O**|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3068"  
commandments|strong = "H4687" are|strong = "H3068"  
trusty|strong = "H0539".

152Long|strong = "H5769" have|strong = "H3045" I|strong = "H3588"  
known|strong = "H3045" from|strong = "H3045" your|strong = "H3045"  
charges|strong = "H4931"

**t** hat|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3045"  
founded|strong = "H3245" them|strong = "H3588" for|strong = "H3588"  
all|strong = "H3045" time|strong = "H5769".

153Look|strong = "H7200" on|strong = "H7200" my|strong = "H7200"  
misery|strong = "H6040", and|strong = "H7200" rescue|strong = "H2502"  
me|strong = "H7200";

**f** or|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" do|strong = "H6213"  
not|strong = "H3808" forget|strong = "H7911" your|strong = "H7200"  
law|strong = "H8451".

154Defend|strong = "H7379" my|strong = "H7378" cause|strong = "H7379"  
and|strong = "H2421" redeem|strong = "H1350" me|strong = "H2421":

**r** evive|strong = "H2421" me|strong = "H2421", as|strong = "H0834"  
you|strong = "H2421" have|strong = "H7378" promised|strong = "H1696".

155 Salvation is far from the wicked,

for their mind is not in your statutes.

156 Great is your pity, O Lord w\*:

Revive me, as you have ordained.

157 My foes and tormentors are many,

but I have not declined from your charges.

158 I behold the traitors with loathing,

for they do not observe your word.

159 Behold how I love your precepts:

revive me, O Lord w\*, in your kindness.

160 The sum of your word is truth,

all your laws are just and eternal.

161 Princes have harassed me wantonly:

**b** ut my heart stands in awe of your word.

162 Over your word I rejoice

**a** s one who finds great spoil.

163 Falsehood I hate and

**b** ut your law do I love.

164 Seven times a day I praise you

**b** ecause of your righteous judgments.

165 Right well do they love your law:

**t** hey go on their way without stumbling.

166 I hope for your salvation;

**O** w Lord I do your commandments.

167I|strong = "H5315" observe|strong = "H8104" your|strong = "H8104"  
charges|strong = "H4931":

I |strong = "H5315" love|strong = "H0157" them|strong = "H8104"  
greatly|strong = "H3966".

168I|strong = "H3588" observe|strong = "H8104" your|strong = "H3605"  
precepts|strong = "H6490" and|strong = "H1870" charges|strong = "H4931":

a ll|strong = "H3605" my|strong = "H8104" ways|strong = "H1870"  
are|strong = "H1870" before|strong = "H5048" you|strong = "H3588".

169Let|strong = "H7971" my|strong = "H3068" cry|strong = "H7440"  
come|strong = "H7126" before|strong = "H6440" you|strong = "H6440",  
O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*:

g ive|strong = "H5414" me|strong = "H6440" insight|strong = "H7919",  
as|strong = "H1697" you|strong = "H6440" have|strong = "H3068"  
promised|strong = "H3068".

170Let|strong = "H7971" my|strong = "H5337" prayer|strong = "H8605"  
enter|strong = "H0935" into|strong = "H0413" your|strong = "H6440"  
presence|strong = "H6440":

d eliver|strong = "H5337" me|strong = "H6440", as|strong = "H6440"  
you|strong = "H6440" have|strong = "H5337" said|strong = "H0559".

171My|strong = "H3588" lips|strong = "H8193" shall|strong = "H8193"  
be|strong = "H8193" fountains|strong = "H4599" of|strong = "H8193"  
praise|strong = "H8416",

t hat|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" teach|strong = "H3925"  
me|strong = "H3925" your|strong = "H3588" statutes|strong = "H2706".

172My|strong = "H3605" tongue|strong = "H3956" shall|strong = "H3956"  
sing|strong = "H6030" of|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605"  
word|strong = "H3956",

f or|strong = "H3588" all|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605"  
commandments|strong = "H4687" are|strong = "H4687"  
right|strong = "H6664".

173Let|strong="H1961" your|strong="H3588" hand|strong="H3027"  
 be|strong="H1961" ready|strong="H3559" to|strong="H1961"  
 help|strong="H5826" me|strong="H3027",

f or|strong="H3588" your|strong="H3588" precepts|strong="H6490"  
 have|strong="H1961" been|strong="H1961" my|strong="H1961"  
 choice|strong="H4022".

174I|strong="H3068" long|strong="H8373", w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,  
 for|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" salvation|strong="H3444",

a nd|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" law|strong="H8451"  
 is|strong="H3068" my|strong="H3068" delight|strong="H8191".

175Revive|strong="H2421" me|strong="H5315" that|strong="H5315"  
 I|strong="H5315" may|strong="H5315" praise|strong="H1984"  
 you|strong="H5315",

a nd|strong="H4941" let|strong="H5315" your|strong="H1984"  
 precepts|strong="H6490" help|strong="H5826" me|strong="H5315".

176I|strong="H3588" have|strong="H5650" strayed|strong="H8582"  
 like|strong="H3808" a|strong="H3588" wandering|strong="H8582"  
 sheep|strong="H7716"

s eek|strong="H1245" your|strong="H3588" servant|strong="H5650",  
 because|strong="H3588"

I |strong="H3588" do|strong="H6213" not|strong="H3808"  
 forget|strong="H7911" your|strong="H3588"  
 commandments|strong="H4687".

Psalms 120 – Prayer for Deliverance from Slander and Treachery

120In|strong="H3068" distress|strong="H6869" I|strong="H6869"  
 cried|strong="H7121" to|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

a nd|strong="H3068" he|strong="H3068" answered|strong="H6030"  
 me|strong="H7121".

2'Deliver|strong="H5337" me|strong="H5315", w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

f rom|strong = "H5315" the|strong = "H3068" lip|strong = "H8193"  
that|strong = "H5315" is|strong = "H3068" false|strong = "H8267"

a nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" tongue|strong = "H3956"  
that|strong = "H5315" is|strong = "H3068" crafty|strong = "H6175".

3What|strong = "H4100" shall|strong = "H3956" he|strong = "H5414"  
give|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H5414" you|strong = "H5414",

y ou|strong = "H5414" tongue|strong = "H3956" that|strong = "H5414"  
is|strong = "H4100" crafty|strong = "H6175"?

W hat|strong = "H4100" yet|strong = "H3254" shall|strong = "H3956"  
he|strong = "H5414" give|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H5414"  
you|strong = "H5414"?

4Arrows|strong = "H2671" of|strong = "H1368" warrior|strong = "H1368",  
sharpened|strong = "H8150",

w ith|strong = "H5973" glowing|strong = "H2830" broom|strong = "H7574"  
coals|strong = "H1513" together|strong = "H5973".

5Woe|strong = "H1945" is|strong = "H3588" me|strong = "H5973"  
that|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" sojourn|strong = "H1481"  
in|strong = "H7931" Meshech|strong = "H4902",

t hat|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" live|strong = "H7931"  
by|strong = "H5973" the|strong = "H3588" tents|strong = "H0168"  
of|strong = "H7931" Kedar|strong = "H6938".

6Already|strong = "H3528" too|strong = "H7227" long|strong = "H7227"  
have|strong = "H7965" I|strong = "H5315" dwelt|strong = "H7931"

a mong|strong = "H5973" those|strong = "H5973" who|strong = "H5315"  
hate|strong = "H8130" peace|strong = "H7965".

7I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961" for|strong = "H3588"  
peace|strong = "H7965":

b ut|strong = "H3588" when|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
speak|strong = "H1696" of|strong = "H1696" it|strong = "H3588",

t hey|strong="H1992" are|strong="H1992" for|strong="H3588"  
war|strong="H4421".

Psalm 121 – The Lord Our Protector

121I|strong="H5869" will|strong="H5869" lift|strong="H5375"  
up|strong="H5375" my|strong="H5375" eyes|strong="H5869"  
to|strong="H5869" the|strong="H5375" mountains|strong="H2022".

O |strong="H3069" whence|strong="H0370" shall|strong="H5869"  
help|strong="H5828" for|strong="H5869" me|strong="H5869"  
come|strong="H4609"?

2From|strong="H3068" the|strong="H6213" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
comes|strong="H5973" help|strong="H5828" to|strong="H3068"  
me|strong="H6213"

t he|strong="H6213" creator|strong="H1254" of|strong="H3068"  
heaven|strong="H8064" and|strong="H3068" earth|strong="H8064".

3Your|strong="H5414" foot|strong="H7272" he|strong="H5414"  
will|strong="H5414" not|strong="H5414" let|strong="H5414"  
totter|strong="H4131":

h e|strong="H5414" who|strong="H8104" guards|strong="H8104"  
you|strong="H5414" will|strong="H5414" not|strong="H5414"  
sleep|strong="H5123".

4The|strong="H8104" guardian|strong="H8104" of|strong="H3808"  
Israel|strong="H3478"

w ill|strong="H3478" neither|strong="H3808" slumber|strong="H5123"  
nor|strong="H3808" sleep|strong="H3462".

5The|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* is|strong="H3068"  
he|strong="H3068" who|strong="H3068" guards|strong="H8104"  
you|strong="H5921"

y our|strong="H3068" shelter|strong="H6738" upon|strong="H5921"  
your|strong="H3068" right|strong="H3225" hand|strong="H3027".

6The|strong="H5221" sun|strong="H8121" by|strong="H3808"  
day|strong="H3119" shall|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"  
strike|strong="H5221" you|strong="H3808",

n or the moon  
by night

7From all evil  
the w Lord w\* will  
guard you,

h e will guard  
your life

8The w Lord w\* will  
guard your going  
and coming

f rom now and  
for evermore.  
Psalm 122 – The Joy and the Prayer of the Pilgrims

122I was glad  
when they said  
to me,

‘ We will go  
to the house  
of the w Lord w\*.’

2Now we are  
standing,

w ithin your gates,  
O Jerusalem.

3O Jerusalem, built  
close-packed,

l ike a city  
without breach or  
gap,

4to you do  
the tribes come,



t he|strong="H3068" tribes|strong="H7626" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

a s|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" law|strong="H8451"  
has|strong="H3068" ordained|strong="H4390" for|strong="H8034"  
Israel|strong="H3478",

t here|strong="H8033" to|strong="H3478" give|strong="H3034"  
thanks|strong="H3034" to|strong="H3478" the|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

5There|strong="H8033" once|strong="H6471" stood|strong="H5975"  
thrones|strong="H3678" of|strong="H1004" justice|strong="H4941"

e ven|strong="H3588" thrones|strong="H3678" of|strong="H1004"  
the|strong="H3588" household|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004"  
David|strong="H1732".

6Pray|strong="H7592" that|strong="H3389" all|strong="H3605"  
may|strong="H7965" be|strong="H3389" well|strong="H7965"  
with|strong="H3389" Jerusalem|strong="H3389",

a nd|strong="H3389" well|strong="H7965" with|strong="H3389"  
those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H3389" love|strong="H0157"  
you|strong="H7592",

7well|strong="H7965" within|strong="H7130" your|strong="H1961"  
ramparts|strong="H2426",

a nd|strong="H7965" well|strong="H7965" within|strong="H7130"  
your|strong="H1961" palaces|strong="H0759".

8For|strong="H4616" the|strong="H1696" sake|strong="H4616"  
of|strong="H4616" my|strong="H1696" brethren|strong="H0251"  
and|strong="H7965" friends|strong="H7453",

I |strong="H7965" will|strong="H4616" wish|strong="H2896"  
you|strong="H1696" now|strong="H4994" prosperity|strong="H7965":

9for|strong="H4616" the|strong="H3068" sake|strong="H4616"  
of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H3068" house|strong="H1004"  
of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*

o ur|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068", I|strong = "H3068"  
will|strong = "H3068" seek|strong = "H1245" your|strong = "H3068"  
good|strong = "H2896".

Psalm 123 – A Prayer for Mercy

123I|strong = "H5869" Lift|strong = "H5375" up|strong = "H5375"  
my|strong = "H5375" eyes|strong = "H5869" to|strong = "H5869"  
you|strong = "H5375",

w ho|strong = "H3427" are|strong = "H5869" throned in|strong = "H3427"  
the|strong = "H5375" heavens|strong = "H8064".

2As|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3068" eyes|strong = "H5869"  
of|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H3068" servant|strong = "H5650"

t urn|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3068"  
hand|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068"  
master|strong = "H0113",

o r|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3068" eyes|strong = "H5869"  
of|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H3068" maid|strong = "H8198"

t o|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3068" hand|strong = "H3027"  
of|strong = "H3068" her|strong = "H3651" mistress|strong = "H1404",

s o|strong = "H3651" do|strong = "H3068" our|strong = "H3068"  
eyes|strong = "H5869" turn|strong = "H7725"

t o|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
our|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068",

u ntil|strong = "H5704" he|strong = "H5704" is|strong = "H3068"  
gracious|strong = "H2603" to|strong = "H5704" us|strong = "H5869".

3Be|strong = "H3068" gracious|strong = "H2603", be|strong = "H3068"  
gracious|strong = "H2603" to|strong = "H3068" us|strong = "H3588", w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

S corn|strong = "H2781" enough|strong = "H7227", and|strong = "H3068"  
more|strong = "H7227", have|strong = "H3068" we|strong = "H3588"  
borne|strong = "H3205"

4 More than enough have we borne

o f derision from those at their ease,

o f scorn from those who are haughty.

Psalm 124 – A Magnificent Deliverance

124 Had it not been the w Lord who was for us

l et Israel say

2 Had it not been the w Lord who was for us

w hen enemies rose against us,

3 then alive they'd have swallowed us up,

w hen their anger was kindled against us.

4 Then the waters would've swept us away,

a nd the torrent passed clean:

5then|strong="H5674" most|strong="H6944" sure|strong="H0539"  
 would've passed|strong="H5674" over|strong="H5921"  
 us|strong="H5921" clean|strong="H2889"

t he|strong="H5921" wild|strong="H7704" seething|strong="H5301"  
 waters|strong="H4325".'

6Blest be|strong="H3808" the|strong="H5414" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\* who|strong="H3068" has|strong="H3068"  
 given|strong="H5414" us|strong="H5414" not|strong="H3808"

t o|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3808" torn|strong="H2964"  
 by|strong="H3068" their|strong="H3068" teeth|strong="H8127".

7We|strong="H5315" are|strong="H5315" like|strong="H5315"  
 a|strong="H7665" bird|strong="H6833" just|strong="H3512"  
 escaped|strong="H4422"

f rom|strong="H5315" the|strong="H7665" snare|strong="H6341"  
 of|strong="H5315" the|strong="H7665" fowler|strong="H3353".

T he|strong="H7665" snare|strong="H6341" is|strong="H5315"  
 broken|strong="H7665",

a nd|strong="H5315" we|strong="H5315" are|strong="H5315"  
 escaped|strong="H4422".

8Our|strong="H3068" help|strong="H5828" is|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H6213" name|strong="H8034" of|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H6213" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

t he|strong="H6213" Creator|strong="H1254" of|strong="H3068"  
 heaven|strong="H8064" and|strong="H3068" earth|strong="H8064".

Psalm 125 – A Sure Defence

125Those|strong="H3427" who|strong="H3068" trust|strong="H0982"  
 in|strong="H3427" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*

a re|strong="H3068" like|strong="H3808" Mount|strong="H2022"  
 Zion|strong="H6726",

**t** hat|strong="H3068" cannot|strong="H3808" be|strong="H3808"  
moved|strong="H4131",

**b** ut|strong="H3808" abides|strong="H3427" forever|strong="H5769".

2Round|strong="H5439" Jerusalem|strong="H3389"  
are|strong="H5971" the|strong="H3068" mountains|strong="H2022",

**a** nd|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
is|strong="H3068" round|strong="H5439" his|strong="H3068"  
people|strong="H5971"

**f** rom|strong="H5704" now|strong="H6258" and|strong="H3068"  
for|strong="H5704" evermore|strong="H5769".

3For|strong="H3588" he|strong="H3588" will|strong="H6662"  
not|strong="H3808" suffer|strong="H5414"

**t** he|strong="H5921" sceptre|strong="H7626" of|strong="H3027"  
wrong|strong="H5766"

**t** o|strong="H7971" rest|strong="H5117" on|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H5921" land|strong="H1486"

**a** llotted|strong="H1486" to|strong="H7971" the|strong="H5921"  
righteous|strong="H6662";

**e** lse|strong="H3027" the|strong="H5921" righteous|strong="H6662"  
might|strong="H4616" put|strong="H7971" forth|strong="H7971"

**t** heir|strong="H5921" own|strong="H3027" hand|strong="H3027"  
to|strong="H7971" evil|strong="H7562".

4Do|strong="H3068" good|strong="H2896", O|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

**t** o|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" good|strong="H2896",

**a** nd|strong="H3068" to|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"  
true-hearted.

5But those who  
swerve

into crooked ways

will the w Lord w\*  
lead away

with the workers  
of evil

Peace be upon  
Israel

Psalm 126 – Sowing in Tears

126When the w  
Lord w\* turned the  
fortunes of Zion,

we were like  
dreamers

2Then was our  
mouth filled with  
laughter,

our tongue with  
glad shouts;

then among the  
nations they said,

‘ The w Lord w\* has  
dealt greatly with  
them.’

3The w Lord w\* had  
dealt greatly with  
us,

and we were  
rejoicing

4 Turn our fortunes,  
O w Lord w\*,

a s the streams  
in the Negreb.

5 They who sow  
in tears

s hall reap with  
glad shouts.

6 Forth they fare,  
with their burden  
of seed,

a nd they weep  
as they go.

B ut home, home,  
with glad shouts  
they shall come

w ith their arms  
full of sheaves.

Psalm 127 – The Need of Heavenly Help

127 Unless the w  
Lord w\* builds the  
house,

t hose who build  
it in  
vain.

U nless the w Lord w\*  
guards the city,

t he watchman wakes  
in vain.

2In|strong = "H3427" vain|strong = "H7723" you|strong = "H5414"  
rise|strong = "H6965" early|strong = "H7925",

a nd|strong = "H6965" finish|strong = "H3615" so|strong = "H3651"  
late|strong = "H0309",

a nd|strong = "H6965" so|strong = "H3651" eat|strong = "H3899" sorrow's  
bread|strong = "H3899";

f or|strong = "H3427" he|strong = "H3651" cares|strong = "H1875"  
for|strong = "H3427" his|strong = "H5414" loved|strong = "H0157"  
ones|strong = "H2945"

i n|strong = "H3427" their|strong = "H5414" sleep|strong = "H8142".

3Children|strong = "H1121" are|strong = "H1121" a|strong = "H3068"  
gift|strong = "H3068" of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

t he|strong = "H3068" fruit|strong = "H6529" of|strong = "H1121"  
the|strong = "H3068" womb|strong = "H7358", a|strong = "H3068"  
reward|strong = "H7939".

4Like|strong = "H3651" arrows|strong = "H2671"  
wielded|strong = "H4048" by|strong = "H3027" warriors|strong = "H1368",

a re|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3027" children|strong = "H1121"  
of|strong = "H1121" youth|strong = "H5271".

5Happy|strong = "H0835" the|strong = "H3588" man|strong = "H1397"  
who|strong = "H1992" has|strong = "H3588" filled|strong = "H4390"

h is|strong = "H3588" quiver|strong = "H0827" full|strong = "H4390"  
of|strong = "H8179" them|strong = "H1992".

H e|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
be|strong = "H3808" ashamed|strong = "H0954" when|strong = "H3588"  
he|strong = "H3588" speaks|strong = "H1696"

w ith|strong = "H4390" enemies|strong = "H0341" in|strong = "H1696"  
the|strong = "H3588" gate|strong = "H8179".



128 Happy all who  
fear the w Lord w\*,

w ho walk in  
his ways.

2 You will eat  
what your hands  
have toiled for,

and be happy  
and prosperous!

3 Like a fruitful  
vine shall your  
wife be

in the innermost  
room of your  
house:

your children, like  
olive shoots,

round about your  
table.

4 See! This is  
the blessing

of the man  
who fears the w  
Lord w\*.

5 The w Lord w\* shall  
bless you from  
Zion.

You will see  
Jerusalem nourish

**a** ll|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" days|strong="H3117"  
of|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" life|strong="H2416".

6You|strong="H5921" will|strong="H3478" see|strong="H7200"  
your|strong="H5921" children's|strong="H1121"  
children|strong="H1121".

**P** eace|strong="H7965" upon|strong="H5921" Israel|strong="H3478".  
Psalm 129 – A Prayer for the Discomfiture of the Enemies of Zion

129'Sore|strong="H3966" have|strong="H3478" they|strong="H3478"  
vexed|strong="H6887" me|strong="H4994" from|strong="H3478" youth'

**t** hus|strong="H3541" let|strong="H4994" Israel|strong="H3478"  
say|strong="H3478"

2'Sore|strong="H3966" have|strong="H1571" they|strong="H3808"  
vexed|strong="H6887" me|strong="H3808" from|strong="H1571"  
youth|strong="H5271",

**b** ut|strong="H3808" they|strong="H3808" have|strong="H1571"  
not|strong="H3808" prevailed|strong="H3201" against|strong="H1571"  
me|strong="H3808".

3'The|strong="H5921" ploughers ploughed on|strong="H5921"  
my|strong="H5921" back|strong="H1354",

**t** hey|strong="H5921" made|strong="H6213" their|strong="H5921"  
furrows|strong="H4618" long|strong="H5921".

4But|strong="H7563" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,  
who|strong="H3068" is|strong="H3068" righteous|strong="H6662",  
has|strong="H3068" cut|strong="H7112"

**t** he|strong="H3068" cords|strong="H5688" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" wicked|strong="H7563".'

5Let|strong="H7971" all|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605"  
are|strong="H6726" haters|strong="H8130" of|strong="H3605"  
Zion|strong="H6726"

**b** e|strong="H6726" put|strong="H5414" to|strong="H3605"  
shame|strong="H0954" and|strong="H6726" defeated|strong="H5221".

6May|strong="H1961" they|strong="H1406" be|strong="H1961"  
as|strong="H1961" the|strong="H1961" grass|strong="H2682"  
on|strong="H1961" the|strong="H1961" house-top,

**w** hich|strong="H2682" withers|strong="H3001" before|strong="H6927"  
it|strong="H1961" shoots|strong="H3127" up|strong="H3001";

7which|strong="H0834" fills|strong="H4390" not|strong="H3808"  
the|strong="H4390" arms|strong="H2220" of|strong="H4390"  
the|strong="H4390" reaper|strong="H7114",

**n** or|strong="H3808" the|strong="H4390" lap|strong="H2436"  
of|strong="H4390" the|strong="H4390" binder|strong="H6014"  
of|strong="H4390" sheaves|strong="H6014"

8whereof|strong="H4948" no|strong="H3808" one|strong="H3808"  
says|strong="H0559" as|strong="H3068" they|strong="H3068"  
pass|strong="H5674",

‘ The|strong="H3068" blessing|strong="H1293" of|strong="H3068"  
God|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3808" upon|strong="H5674"  
you|strong="H1288".’

**I** n|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" name|strong="H8034"  
of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
we|strong="H8034" bless|strong="H1288" you|strong="H1288".  
Psalm 130 – Out of the Depths

130Out|strong="H3318" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"  
depths|strong="H4615"

**I** |strong="H3068" call|strong="H7121" to|strong="H3068"  
you|strong="H7121", w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

2w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, hear|strong="H8085" my|strong="H8085"  
voice|strong="H6963":

**g** ive|strong="H8085" heed|strong="H8085" with|strong="H8085"  
your|strong="H8085" ears|strong="H0241"

t o|strong="H1961" my|strong="H8085" loud|strong="H8085"  
plea|strong="H1779".

3If|strong="H0518" you|strong="H8104" should|strong="H8104"  
mark|strong="H8104" sin|strong="H5771", w Lord|strong="H3050" w\*,

O |strong="H4310" w Lord|strong="H3050" w\*, who|strong="H4310"  
could|strong="H4310" stand|strong="H5975"?

4But|strong="H3588" with|strong="H5973" you|strong="H3588"  
is|strong="H4616" forgiveness|strong="H5547",

t hat|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" may|strong="H4616"  
be|strong="H3372" feared|strong="H3372".

5I|strong="H1697" wait|strong="H3176" for|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

I |strong="H1697" wait|strong="H3176" for|strong="H3068"  
his|strong="H3068" word|strong="H1697",

6I|strong="H5315" look|strong="H7200" for|strong="H5315"  
the|strong="H8104" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*

m ore|strong="H5315" than|strong="H4480" watchman|strong="H8104"  
for|strong="H5315" morning|strong="H1242",

t han|strong="H4480" watchman|strong="H8104" for|strong="H5315"  
morning|strong="H1242".

7Israel|strong="H3478", hope|strong="H3176" in|strong="H3478"  
the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*:

w ith|strong="H5973" the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
there|strong="H3068" is|strong="H3068" love|strong="H2617"

w ith|strong="H5973" him|strong="H5973" plenteous|strong="H7235"  
redemption|strong="H6304".

8And|strong="H3478" he|strong="H1931" redeems|strong="H6299"  
Israel|strong="H3478"

f rom|strong = "H3478" all|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605"  
iniquities|strong = "H5771".

Psalm 131 – As a Little Child

131O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, my|strong = "H3068"  
heart|strong = "H3820" is|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
haughty|strong = "H7311",

m y|strong = "H3068" eyes|strong = "H5869" are|strong = "H5869"  
not|strong = "H3808" lofty|strong = "H7311",

I |strong = "H3808" walk|strong = "H1980" not|strong = "H3808"  
among|strong = "H4480" great|strong = "H1419" things|strong = "H1419",

t hings|strong = "H1419" too|strong = "H4480" wonderful|strong = "H6381"  
for|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H4480".

2Yes|strong = "H3588", I|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H3808" soothed  
and|strong = "H5315" stilled|strong = "H2013" myself|strong = "H5315",

l ike|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H5921" young|strong = "H5288"  
child|strong = "H1580" on|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921"  
mother's|strong = "H0517" lap|strong = "H2436";

l ike|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H5921" young|strong = "H5288"  
child|strong = "H1580" am|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H5921".

3O|strong = "H3068" Israel|strong = "H3478", hope|strong = "H3176"  
in|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*

f rom|strong = "H3478" now|strong = "H6258" and|strong = "H3478"  
for|strong = "H5704" evermore|strong = "H5769".

Psalm 132 – The Ancient Promise to David and Zion

132Remember|strong = "H2142", O|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, David|strong = "H1732"

a ll|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605" sufferings|strong = "H4341",

2the|strong = "H3068" oath|strong = "H7650" that|strong = "H3068"  
he|strong = "H3068" swore|strong = "H7650" to|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

a nd|strong="H3068" his|strong="H3068" vow|strong="H5087"  
to|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" Strong|strong="H2388"  
One|strong="H3068" of|strong="H3068" Jacob|strong="H3290",

3never|strong="H3808" to|strong="H5927" enter|strong="H5927"  
his|strong="H5921" tent|strong="H0168",

n ever|strong="H3808" to|strong="H5927" lie|strong="H5927"  
on|strong="H5921" his|strong="H5921" bed|strong="H3326",

4never|strong="H3808" to|strong="H5414" give|strong="H5414"  
his|strong="H5414" eyes|strong="H5869" sleep|strong="H8153"

o r|strong="H0176" his|strong="H5414" eyelids|strong="H6079"  
slumber|strong="H8572",

5still|strong="H5704" he|strong="H5704" had|strong="H3068"  
found|strong="H4672" a|strong="H4672" place|strong="H4725"  
for|strong="H5704" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

f or|strong="H5704" the|strong="H3068" Strong|strong="H2388"  
One|strong="H3068" of|strong="H3068" Jacob|strong="H3290"  
to|strong="H5704" live|strong="H3427" in|strong="H3068".

6We|strong="H8085" heard|strong="H8085" of|strong="H7704"  
it|strong="H4672" in|strong="H8085" Ephrathah|strong="H0672",

i n|strong="H8085" the|strong="H8085" fields|strong="H7704"  
of|strong="H7704" Jaar|strong="H3293" we|strong="H8085"  
found|strong="H4672" it|strong="H4672".

7We|strong="H0587" went|strong="H1980" to|strong="H7812"  
the|strong="H7812" place|strong="H4908" where|strong="H4908"  
he|strong="H7272" dwelt|strong="H3427",

w e|strong="H0587" bowed|strong="H7812" ourselves|strong="H7812"  
low|strong="H8213" at|strong="H4908" his|strong="H7812"  
footstool|strong="H1916".

8'Arise|strong="H6965", w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,  
and|strong="H6965" enter|strong="H0935" your|strong="H3068"  
resting-place,

**y** ou|strong="H6965" and|strong="H6965" your|strong="H3068"  
mighty|strong="H5797" ark|strong="H0727".

9Let|strong="H7971" your|strong="H3068" priests|strong="H3548"  
wear|strong="H3847" a|strong="H3847" garment|strong="H0899"  
of|strong="H3548" righteousness|strong="H6664",

**y** our|strong="H3068" faithful|strong="H0539" shout|strong="H7442"  
aloud|strong="H7442" for|strong="H7442" joy|strong="H7442".

10For|strong="H6440" the|strong="H6440" sake|strong="H5668"  
of|strong="H6440" David|strong="H1732" your|strong="H6440"  
servant|strong="H5650",

**d** o|strong="H4899" not|strong="H1732" reject|strong="H7725"  
your|strong="H6440" Anointed|strong="H4899".

11The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
swore|strong="H7650" an|strong="H7650" oath|strong="H7650"  
to|strong="H7725" David|strong="H1732"

**a** n|strong="H7650" oath|strong="H7650" that|strong="H3068"  
he|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808"  
break|strong="H7725";

‘ I|strong="H3808" will|strong="H3068" set|strong="H7896"  
on|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" throne|strong="H3678"

**a** |strong="H4480" prince|strong="H5387" of|strong="H3068"  
your|strong="H3068" line|strong="H6957".

12If|strong="H1121" your|strong="H8104" sons|strong="H1121"  
keep|strong="H8104" my|strong="H8104" covenant|strong="H1285"

**a** nd|strong="H1121" the|strong="H8104" statutes|strong="H2706"  
I|strong="H1571" teach|strong="H3925" them|strong="H3925",

**t** hen|strong="H1571" their|strong="H3925" sons|strong="H1121",  
too|strong="H1571", forever|strong="H5703",

**w** ill|strong="H1571" sit|strong="H3427" on|strong="H3427"  
your|strong="H8104" throne|strong="H3678".

13 For the choice of the LORD is Zion;

she is the home of his heart.

14 This is forever my resting-place,

his is the home of my heart.

15 I will royally bless her provision,

and give bread to her poor in abundance.

16 Her priests I will clothe with salvation;

her faithful will shout for joy.

17 There will I raise David

a dynasty of power.

I shall set my anointed lamp

that shall never go out.



18Robes|strong="H0899" of|strong="H5921" shame|strong="H1322"  
 I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H3068" put|strong="H3847"  
 on|strong="H5921" his|strong="H5921" foes|strong="H7796",

**b** ut|strong="H5921" on|strong="H5921" his|strong="H5921"  
 head|strong="H7218" a|strong="H5921" glittering|strong="H1300"  
 crown|strong="H5145".'

Psalm 133 – Family together

133Behold|strong="H2009"! How|strong="H4100"  
 good|strong="H2896" and|strong="H1732" how|strong="H4100"  
 pleasant|strong="H5273"

**i** s|strong="H4100" the|strong="H1571" dwelling|strong="H3427"  
 of|strong="H3427" kindred|strong="H4138" together|strong="H3162"!

2Like|strong="H3381" precious|strong="H2896" oil|strong="H8081"  
 on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" head|strong="H7218"

**t** hat|strong="H8081" ran|strong="H7218" down|strong="H3381"  
 on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" beard|strong="H2206",

**t** he|strong="H5921" beard|strong="H2206" of|strong="H7218"  
 Aaron|strong="H0175", running|strong="H7323"

**o** ver|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" collar|strong="H6310"  
 of|strong="H7218" his|strong="H5921" robe|strong="H4598":

3like|strong="H3381" the|strong="H5921" dew|strong="H2919"  
 upon|strong="H5921" Hermon|strong="H2768" which|strong="H3068"  
 falls|strong="H3381"

**o** n|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" mountains|strong="H2042"  
 of|strong="H3068" Zion|strong="H6726".

**F** or|strong="H3588" there|strong="H8033" has|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* ordained|strong="H6680"  
 blessing|strong="H1293" –

**l** ife|strong="H2416" that|strong="H3588" is|strong="H3068"  
 endless|strong="H7093".

Psalm 134 – An Evening Invocation

134 Come |strong="H4609", praise |strong="H1288" the |strong="H3605"  
w Lord |strong="H3068" w\*,

**a** ll |strong="H3605" you |strong="H3605" the |strong="H3605" w  
Lord |strong="H3068" w\*'s servants |strong="H5650",

**w** ho |strong="H3605" stand |strong="H5975" by |strong="H3068"  
night |strong="H3915"

**i** n |strong="H3068" the |strong="H3605" house |strong="H1004"  
of |strong="H1004" the |strong="H3605" w Lord |strong="H3068" w\*.

2 Lift |strong="H5375" your |strong="H3068" hands |strong="H3027"  
to |strong="H3068" the |strong="H5375" holy |strong="H6944"  
place |strong="H3027",

**p** raise |strong="H1288" the |strong="H5375" w Lord |strong="H3068" w\*.

3 The |strong="H6213" w Lord |strong="H3068" w\* who |strong="H3068"  
made |strong="H6213" heaven |strong="H8064" and |strong="H3068"  
earth |strong="H8064",

**b** less |strong="H1288" you |strong="H6213" from |strong="H3068"  
Zion |strong="H6726".

Psalm 135 – The Lord’s Power Revealed in Nature and History

### 135 Hallelujah.

**P** raise |strong="H1984" the |strong="H3068" name |strong="H8034"  
of |strong="H3068" the |strong="H3068" w Lord |strong="H3068" w\*.

**P** raise |strong="H1984" the |strong="H3068" w Lord |strong="H3068" w\*,  
you |strong="H0859" his |strong="H3068" servants |strong="H5650",

2 who |strong="H3068" stand |strong="H5975" in |strong="H3068"  
the |strong="H3068" house |strong="H1004" of |strong="H1004"  
the |strong="H3068" w Lord |strong="H3068" w\*,

**i** n |strong="H3068" the |strong="H3068" courts |strong="H2691"  
of |strong="H1004" the |strong="H3068" house |strong="H1004"  
of |strong="H1004" our |strong="H3068" God |strong="H3068".

3Praise|strong="H1984" the|strong="H3588" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, for|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\* is|strong="H3068" good|strong="H2896":

S ing|strong="H2167" praise|strong="H1984" to|strong="H3068"  
 his|strong="H3068" name|strong="H8034" it|strong="H3588"  
 is|strong="H3068" pleasant|strong="H5273".

4The|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3050" w\* for|strong="H3588"  
 himself|strong="H5315" chose|strong="H0977" Jacob|strong="H3290",

I srael|strong="H3478" as|strong="H3588" his|strong="H3478"  
 own|strong="H1961" special|strong="H5459" treasure|strong="H5459".

5For|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" know|strong="H3045"  
 that|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
 is|strong="H3068" great|strong="H1419",

t hat|strong="H3588" our|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
 is|strong="H3068" above|strong="H4605" all|strong="H3605"  
 gods|strong="H0430".

6All|strong="H3605" that|strong="H3605" he|strong="H6213"  
 wills|strong="H5157" he|strong="H6213" does|strong="H6213"

i n|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605" heavens|strong="H8064"  
 and|strong="H3068" on|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605"  
 earth|strong="H8064",

i n|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605" seas|strong="H3220"  
 and|strong="H3068" in|strong="H3068" all|strong="H3605"  
 the|strong="H3605" abysses.

7Clouds|strong="H5387" he|strong="H6213" brings|strong="H3318"  
 up|strong="H5927" from|strong="H3318" the|strong="H6213"  
 ends|strong="H7097" of|strong="H7307" the|strong="H6213"  
 earth|strong="H5927",

l ightnings|strong="H1300" he|strong="H6213" makes|strong="H6213"  
 for|strong="H6213" the|strong="H6213" rain|strong="H4306",

**w** ind|strong = "H7307" he|strong = "H6213" brings|strong = "H3318"  
out|strong = "H3318" of|strong = "H7307" his|strong = "H6213"  
storehouses|strong = "H0214".

8The|strong = "H5221" firstborn|strong = "H1060" of|strong = "H1060"  
Egypt|strong = "H4714" he|strong = "H5704" struck|strong = "H5221",

**b** oth|strong = "H8147" humans and|strong = "H4714"  
animals|strong = "H0929".

9Signs|strong = "H0226" and|strong = "H7971" wonders|strong = "H4159"  
he|strong = "H3605" sent|strong = "H7971"

**i** nto|strong = "H8432" your|strong = "H3605" midst|strong = "H8432",  
O|strong = "H3069" Egypt|strong = "H4714",

**u** pon|strong = "H4159" Pharaoh|strong = "H6547" and|strong = "H7971"  
all|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605" servants|strong = "H5650".

10Many|strong = "H7227" nations|strong = "H1471" he|strong = "H5221"  
struck|strong = "H5221",

**m** ighty|strong = "H6099" kings|strong = "H4428" he|strong = "H5221"  
slew|strong = "H2026"

11Sihon|strong = "H5511", king|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428"  
the|strong = "H3605" Amorites|strong = "H0567",

**O** g|strong = "H5747", king|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428"  
Bashan|strong = "H1316",

**a** nd|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
kingdoms|strong = "H4467" of|strong = "H4428" Canaan|strong = "H3667".

12He|strong = "H5414" gave|strong = "H5414" their|strong = "H5414"  
land|strong = "H5159" for|strong = "H3478" possession|strong = "H5159",

**p** ossession|strong = "H5159" to|strong = "H3478" Israel|strong = "H3478"  
his|strong = "H5414" people|strong = "H5971".

13Your|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034", O|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, is|strong = "H3068" forever|strong = "H5769";

y our memorial world without end.

14For the w Lord w\*  
secures right for his  
people,

and takes pity  
upon his servants.

15The idols of  
heathen are silver

made by human  
hands.

16They have  
mouths, but cannot  
speak:

they have eyes,  
but cannot see.

17They have  
ears, but cannot  
hear:

there is no  
breath in their  
mouths.

18Their makers  
become like them,

so do all  
who trust in  
them.

19House of Israel,  
praise the w Lord w\*:

house of Aaron,  
praise the w Lord w\*.

20House|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004" Levi|strong = "H3878",  
praise|strong = "H1288" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*:

y ou|strong = "H1288" who|strong = "H3068" fear|strong = "H3373"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, praise|strong = "H1288"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

21Blest be|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* out|strong = "H3318" of|strong = "H3068"  
Zion|strong = "H6726",

w ho|strong = "H3068" lives|strong = "H7931" in|strong = "H3068"  
Jerusalem|strong = "H3389".

**H** allelujah.

Psalm 136 – The Lord’s Love Revealed in Nature and History

136Give|strong = "H3034" thanks|strong = "H3034" to|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* for|strong = "H3588"  
his|strong = "H3068" goodness|strong = "H2896":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H3068" kindness|strong = "H2617"  
endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

2Give|strong = "H3034" thanks|strong = "H3034" to|strong = "H2617"  
the|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H0430" of|strong = "H2617"  
gods|strong = "H0430":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H3588" kindness|strong = "H2617"  
endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

3Give|strong = "H3034" thanks|strong = "H3034" to|strong = "H2617"  
the|strong = "H3588" Lord|strong = "H2617" of|strong = "H2617"  
lords|strong = "H5633":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H3588" kindness|strong = "H2617"  
endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

4To|strong = "H6213" him|strong = "H6213" who|strong = "H3588"  
alone|strong = "H6213" does|strong = "H6213" great|strong = "H1419"  
wonders|strong = "H6381":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H6213" kindness|strong = "H2617"  
endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

5Whose|strong = "H0834" wisdom|strong = "H8394"  
created|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3588" heavens|strong = "H8064":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H6213" kindness|strong = "H2617"  
endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

6Who|strong = "H3588" spread|strong = "H7554" forth|strong = "H7554"  
the|strong = "H5921" earth|strong = "H0776" on|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" waters|strong = "H4325":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H5921" kindness|strong = "H2617"  
endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

7Who|strong = "H3588" made|strong = "H6213" great|strong = "H1419"  
lights|strong = "H3974":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H6213" kindness|strong = "H2617"  
endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

8The|strong = "H3588" sun|strong = "H8121" to|strong = "H3117"  
rule|strong = "H4475" over|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3588"  
day|strong = "H3117":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H3588" kindness|strong = "H2617"  
endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

9Moon|strong = "H3394" and|strong = "H5769" stars|strong = "H3556"  
to|strong = "H2617" rule|strong = "H4475" over|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H3588" night|strong = "H3915":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H3588" kindness|strong = "H2617"  
endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

10Who|strong = "H3588" struck|strong = "H5221" the|strong = "H3588"  
firstborn|strong = "H1060" of|strong = "H1060" Egypt|strong = "H4714":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H5221" kindness|strong = "H2617"  
endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

11 And brought Israel out from their midst:

f or his kindness endures forever.

12 With hand and outstretched arm:

f or his kindness endures forever.

13 Who cut the Red Sea in pieces:

f or his kindness endures forever.

14 And brought Israel right through the midst:

f or his kindness endures forever.

15 And Pharaoh his host into the sea

f or his kindness endures forever.

16 Who led his people through the desert:

f or his kindness endures forever.



17Who|strong = "H4428" struck|strong = "H5221" down|strong = "H5221" great|strong = "H1419" kings|strong = "H4428":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H5221" kindness|strong = "H2617" endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

18And|strong = "H4428" slew|strong = "H2026" noble|strong = "H5081" kings|strong = "H4428":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H3588" kindness|strong = "H2617" endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

19Sihon|strong = "H5511", king|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3588" Amorites|strong = "H0567":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H3588" kindness|strong = "H2617" endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

20And|strong = "H4428" Og|strong = "H5747", king|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428" Bashan|strong = "H1316":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H3588" kindness|strong = "H2617" endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

21Who|strong = "H3588" gave|strong = "H5414" their|strong = "H5414" land|strong = "H5159" for|strong = "H3588" possession|strong = "H5159":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H5414" kindness|strong = "H2617" endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

22Possession|strong = "H5159" to|strong = "H3478" Israel|strong = "H3478" his|strong = "H3478" servant|strong = "H5650":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H3478" kindness|strong = "H2617" endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

23Who|strong = "H3588" remembered|strong = "H2142" our|strong = "H3588" low|strong = "H8216" estate|strong = "H8216":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H2142" kindness|strong = "H2617" endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

24And|strong = "H5769" rescued|strong = "H6561" us|strong = "H3588" from|strong = "H6862" our|strong = "H3588" foes|strong = "H6862":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H3588" kindness|strong = "H2617" endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

25Who|strong = "H3605" gives|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H5414" all|strong = "H3605" flesh|strong = "H1320" food|strong = "H3899":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H3605" kindness|strong = "H2617" endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

26Give|strong = "H3034" thanks|strong = "H3034" to|strong = "H2617" the|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H8064" of|strong = "H8064" heaven|strong = "H8064":

f or|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H3588" kindness|strong = "H2617" endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

Psalm 137 – By the Waters of Babylon

137By|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" waters|strong = "H4325" of|strong = "H3427" Babylon|strong = "H0894" there|strong = "H8033" we|strong = "H8033" sat|strong = "H3427",

a nd|strong = "H8033" we|strong = "H8033" wept|strong = "H1058" at|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H5921" thought|strong = "H2142" of|strong = "H3427" Zion|strong = "H6726".

2There|strong = "H8432" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" poplars|strong = "H6155" we|strong = "H0587" hung|strong = "H8518" our|strong = "H5921" harps|strong = "H3658".

3For|strong = "H3588" there|strong = "H8033" our|strong = "H3588" captors|strong = "H7617" called|strong = "H8033" for|strong = "H3588" a|strong = "H3588" song|strong = "H7892":

o ur|strong = "H3588" tormentors|strong = "H8437", rejoicing|strong = "H8057", saying|strong = "H1697":

‘ Sing|strong = "H7891" us|strong = "H3588" one|strong = "H3588" of|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H3588" songs|strong = "H7892" of|strong = "H1697" Zion|strong = "H6726”.’

4How|strong="H4100" can|strong="H4310" we|strong="H7891"  
sing|strong="H7891" the|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*s  
song|strong="H7892"

i n|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" foreigner's  
land|strong="H0776"?

5If|strong="H0518" I|strong="H0589" forget|strong="H7911"  
you|strong="H0859", Jerusalem|strong="H3389",

m ay|strong="H1961" my|strong="H7911" right|strong="H3225"  
hand|strong="H3225" wither|strong="H3001".

6May|strong="H2142" my|strong="H5921" tongue|strong="H3956"  
stick|strong="H1692" to|strong="H5927" the|strong="H5921"  
roof|strong="H2441" of|strong="H7218" my|strong="H5921"  
mouth|strong="H2441",

i f|strong="H0518" I|strong="H5921" am|strong="H1961"  
unmindful|strong="H7876" of|strong="H7218" you|strong="H5921",

o r|strong="H3808" don't|strong="H3808" set|strong="H5927"  
Jerusalem|strong="H3389"

a bove|strong="H5921" my|strong="H5921" chief|strong="H7218"  
joy|strong="H8057".

7Remember|strong="H2142" the|strong="H3068"  
Edomites|strong="H0123", w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

t he|strong="H3068" day|strong="H3117" of|strong="H1121"  
Jerusalem's|strong="H3389" fall|strong="H5307",

w hen|strong="H3117" they|strong="H3117" said|strong="H0559",  
'Lay|strong="H1121" her|strong="H6168" bare|strong="H6168",  
lay|strong="H1121" her|strong="H6168" bare|strong="H6168",

r ight|strong="H3068" down|strong="H3381" to|strong="H5704"  
her|strong="H6168" very|strong="H5704" foundation|strong="H3247".'

8Babylon|strong="H0894", despoiler,

**h** appy|strong = "H0835" are|strong = "H1323" those|strong = "H1992"  
 who|strong = "H1323" pay|strong = "H7999" you|strong = "H1580"  
 back|strong = "H7999"

**f** or|strong = "H7999" all|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H1580"  
 have|strong = "H1323" done|strong = "H1580" to|strong = "H1323"  
 us|strong = "H5414".

9Happy|strong = "H0835" are|strong = "H5768" they|strong = "H1992"  
 who|strong = "H0834" seize|strong = "H0962" and|strong = "H5768"  
 dash|strong = "H5310"

**y** our|strong = "H5310" children|strong = "H5768" against|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5310" rocks|strong = "H5553".  
 Psalm 138 – The Constancy of the Lord's Care

138I|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H3820" thank|strong = "H3034"  
 you|strong = "H3605", O|strong = "H3034" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
 with|strong = "H1732" all|strong = "H3605" my|strong = "H3605"  
 heart|strong = "H3820":

**i** n|strong = "H1732" the|strong = "H3605" sight|strong = "H5048"  
 of|strong = "H3820" the|strong = "H3605" gods|strong = "H0430"  
 I|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H3820" sing|strong = "H2167"  
 your|strong = "H3605" praise|strong = "H3034",

2and|strong = "H2617" prostrate|strong = "H7812"  
 before|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H3605" holy|strong = "H6944"  
 temple|strong = "H1964",

**w** ill|strong = "H8034" praise|strong = "H3034" your|strong = "H3605"  
 name|strong = "H8034" for|strong = "H3588" your|strong = "H3605"  
 constant|strong = "H2956" love|strong = "H2617",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3605"  
 exulted|strong = "H5782" your|strong = "H3605" promise|strong = "H1697"  
 above|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605".

3When|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117" called|strong = "H7121"  
 you|strong = "H3117", you|strong = "H3117" answered|strong = "H6030";

you|strong="H3117" gave|strong="H7121" me|strong="H5315"  
strength|strong="H5797", you|strong="H3117" inspired|strong="H7307"  
me|strong="H5315".

4All|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" kings|strong="H4428"  
of|strong="H4428" the|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0776"  
shall|strong="H3068" praise|strong="H3034" you|strong="H3588",  
O|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

w hen|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" shall|strong="H3068"  
have|strong="H3068" heard|strong="H8085" the|strong="H3605"  
words|strong="H6310" you|strong="H3588" have|strong="H3068"  
uttered|strong="H5414";

5and|strong="H3068" they|strong="H3588" shall|strong="H3068"  
sing|strong="H7891" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3588"  
ways|strong="H1870" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3588" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

a nd|strong="H3068" tell|strong="H5046" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s transcendent  
glory|strong="H3519".

6For|strong="H3588", high|strong="H1364" though|strong="H3588"  
the|strong="H7200" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* is|strong="H3068",  
he|strong="H3588" looks|strong="H7200" on|strong="H7200"  
the|strong="H7200" lowly|strong="H8217",

a nd|strong="H3068" strikes|strong="H5221" down|strong="H3588"  
the|strong="H7200" haughty|strong="H7311" from|strong="H3068"  
far|strong="H4801" away|strong="H7311".

7Though|strong="H3588" my|strong="H5921" way|strong="H3212"  
be|strong="H3027" distressful, yet|strong="H3212" you|strong="H7971"  
preserve|strong="H2421" me|strong="H7971":

y ou|strong="H7971" lay|strong="H7971" your|strong="H5921"  
hand|strong="H3027" on|strong="H5921" my|strong="H5921"  
angry|strong="H2734" foes|strong="H7796",

a nd|strong="H7971" your|strong="H5921" right|strong="H3225"  
hand|strong="H3027" gives|strong="H2421" me|strong="H7971"  
victory|strong="H3467".

8The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* will|strong = "H3068" accomplish|strong = "H1584" all|strong = "H5769" that|strong = "H3068" which|strong = "H3068" concerns|strong = "H1157" me|strong = "H1157".

Y our|strong = "H3068" kindness|strong = "H2617", O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, endures|strong = "H5769" forever|strong = "H5769".

O |strong = "H3068" do|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" abandon|strong = "H7503" the|strong = "H3068" work|strong = "H4639" of|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" hands|strong = "H3027".  
Psalm 139 – The Ever-Present God

139O|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, you|strong = "H3045" search|strong = "H2713" and|strong = "H3068" know|strong = "H3045" me|strong = "H3045";

2when|strong = "H3427" I|strong = "H3045" sit|strong = "H3427",  
when|strong = "H3427" I|strong = "H3045" rise|strong = "H6965"  
you|strong = "H3045" know|strong = "H3045" it|strong = "H3045",

y ou|strong = "H3045" perceive|strong = "H3045" my|strong = "H3045" thoughts|strong = "H7454" from|strong = "H6965" afar|strong = "H7350".

3When|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3605" walk|strong = "H1870",  
when|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3605" lie|strong = "H7901"  
you|strong = "H3605" sift|strong = "H5130" it|strong = "H2219",

f amiliar|strong = "H3045" with|strong = "H3605" all|strong = "H3605" my|strong = "H3605" ways|strong = "H1870".

4There|strong = "H3605" is|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3045" a|strong = "H3588" word|strong = "H4405" on|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3605" tongue|strong = "H3956",

b ut|strong = "H3588" see|strong = "H2005"! w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
you|strong = "H3588" know|strong = "H3045" it|strong = "H3588" all|strong = "H3605".

5Behind|strong = "H6696" and|strong = "H3709" before|strong = "H5921"  
you|strong = "H5921" beset|strong = "H6696" me|strong = "H5921",

u pon|strong="H5921" me|strong="H5921" you|strong="H5921"  
lay|strong="H7896" your|strong="H5921" hand|strong="H3709".

6It's too|strong="H4480" wonderful|strong="H6383"  
for|strong="H3808" me|strong="H4480" to|strong="H3201"  
know|strong="H1847"

t oo|strong="H4480" lofty|strong="H7682" I|strong="H3201"  
cannot|strong="H3808" attain|strong="H3201" it|strong="H3808".

7Whither|strong="H0575" shall|strong="H7307" I|strong="H6440"  
go|strong="H3212" from|strong="H6440" your|strong="H6440"  
spirit|strong="H7307"?

O r|strong="H0176" whither|strong="H0575" shall|strong="H7307"  
I|strong="H6440" flee|strong="H1272" from|strong="H6440"  
your|strong="H6440" face|strong="H6440"?

8If|strong="H2005" I|strong="H2005" climb|strong="H5927"  
up|strong="H5266" to|strong="H8033" heaven|strong="H8064",  
you|strong="H0859" are|strong="H8064" there|strong="H8033":

o r|strong="H0176" make|strong="H3331" Sheol|strong="H7585"  
my|strong="H3331" bed|strong="H3331", you|strong="H0859"  
are|strong="H8064" there|strong="H8033".

9If|strong="H0518" I|strong="H3671" lift|strong="H5375"  
up|strong="H5375" the|strong="H5375" wings|strong="H3671"  
of|strong="H3220" the|strong="H5375" morning|strong="H7837"

a nd|strong="H3220" fly|strong="H5774" to|strong="H3220"  
the|strong="H5375" end|strong="H7093" of|strong="H3220"  
the|strong="H5375" sea|strong="H3220",

10there|strong="H8033" also|strong="H1571" your|strong="H3027"  
hand|strong="H3027" would|strong="H0014" grasp|strong="H2388"  
me|strong="H5148",

a nd|strong="H3027" your|strong="H3027" right|strong="H3225"  
hand|strong="H3027" take|strong="H3027" hold|strong="H2388"  
of|strong="H3027" me|strong="H5148".

11 If I say,  
 'Let the darkness  
 cover me,

and night be  
 the light about  
 me,'

12 The dark is  
 not dark for  
 you,

but as night is  
 as light as  
 the day.

13 For you did  
 put me together;

in my mother's  
 womb you did  
 weave me.

14 I give you  
 praise for my  
 fashioning

so full of  
 awe, so wonderful.

Your works are  
 wonderful.

You knew me  
 right well;

15 my bones were  
 not hidden from  
 you,

when I was  
 made in secret,



and woven in the depths of the earth.

16Your eyes saw all my days:

they stood on your book every one

written down, before they were fashioned,

while none of them yet was mine.

17But how far, O God, beyond measure

are your thoughts! How mighty their sum!

18Should I count, they are more than the sand.

When I wake, I am still with you.

19Will you slay the wicked, O God?

And remove from me the bloodthirsty,

20who maliciously defy you

**a** nd|strong="H7723" take|strong="H5375" your|strong="H5375"  
name|strong="H8034" in|strong="H5375" vain|strong="H7723".

21Do|strong="H3068" I|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"  
hate|strong="H8130" those|strong="H8130" who|strong="H3068"  
hate|strong="H8130" you|strong="H3808", w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*?

**D** o|strong="H3068" I|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"  
loathe|strong="H6962" those|strong="H8130" who|strong="H3068"  
resist|strong="H2388" you|strong="H3808"?

22With|strong="H1961" perfect|strong="H8503"  
hatred|strong="H8135" I|strong="H1961" hate|strong="H8130"  
them|strong="H8130",

**I** |strong="H1961" count|strong="H5608" them|strong="H8130"  
my|strong="H1961" enemies|strong="H8130".

23Search|strong="H2713" me|strong="H3824", O|strong="H3069"  
God|strong="H0430", know|strong="H3045" my|strong="H3045"  
heart|strong="H3824":

**t** est|strong="H5254" me|strong="H3824", and|strong="H3045"  
know|strong="H3045" my|strong="H3045" thoughts|strong="H8312",

24and|strong="H5769" see|strong="H7200" if|strong="H7200"  
guile|strong="H4820" be|strong="H5769" in|strong="H1870"  
me|strong="H7200";

**a** nd|strong="H5769" lead|strong="H5148" me|strong="H7200"  
in|strong="H1870" the|strong="H7200" way|strong="H1870"  
everlasting|strong="H5769".

Psalm 140 – A Prayer for Preservation

140Rescue|strong="H5337" me|strong="H0413", w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, from|strong="H4480" evil|strong="H7451"  
people|strong="H5971";

**f** rom|strong="H4480" the|strong="H1732" violent|strong="H2555"  
guard|strong="H2876" me|strong="H0413"

2from|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H3068"  
 plot|strong = "H2513" evil|strong = "H7451" in|strong = "H3068"  
 their|strong = "H3068" heart|strong = "H3820",

a nd|strong = "H3068" stir|strong = "H5782" up|strong = "H5927"  
 war|strong = "H4421" continually|strong = "H3068":

3who|strong = "H3605" make|strong = "H2803" their|strong = "H3605"  
 tongue|strong = "H3956" as|strong = "H3117" sharp|strong = "H2299"  
 as|strong = "H3117" a|strong = "H3117" serpent's|strong = "H5175",

a nd|strong = "H3117" under|strong = "H3605" whose|strong = "H3605"  
 lips|strong = "H8193" is|strong = "H3820" the|strong = "H3605"  
 poison|strong = "H2534" of|strong = "H3117" adders|strong = "H6848". w  
 Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

4Preserve|strong = "H5341" me|strong = "H8478", O|strong = "H3069" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, from|strong = "H8478" the|strong = "H8478"  
 hands|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H8478" the|strong = "H8478"  
 wicked|strong = "H8478",

f rom|strong = "H8478" the|strong = "H8478" violent|strong = "H2555"  
 guard|strong = "H2876" me|strong = "H8478"

f rom|strong = "H8478" those|strong = "H3644" who|strong = "H0834"  
 are|strong = "H8193" plotting|strong = "H0696" to|strong = "H2534"  
 trip|strong = "H1760" up|strong = "H5927" my|strong = "H8478"  
 feet|strong = "H7272".

5The|strong = "H8104" proud|strong = "H1343" have|strong = "H3068"  
 hidden|strong = "H5341" a|strong = "H3068" trap|strong = "H4170"  
 for|strong = "H3027" me|strong = "H8104",

c ords|strong = "H4340" they|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068"  
 spread|strong = "H6566" as|strong = "H2803" a|strong = "H3068"  
 net|strong = "H7568" for|strong = "H3027" my|strong = "H8104"  
 feet|strong = "H6471":

s nares|strong = "H3027" they|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068"  
 set|strong = "H7760" at|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8104"  
 side|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H8104"  
 track|strong = "H5112". w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

6I have said  
to the w Lord w\*,  
'My God are  
you';

**a** ttend, w Lord w\*, to  
my loud plea.

7O w Lord w\* my w  
Lord w\*, my saviour  
mighty,

**y** ou did cover  
my head in  
the day of  
battle.

8Grant not, O w  
Lord w\*, the desires  
of the wicked;

**a** nd what they  
have purposed,  
promote you not.  
Selah w\*

9Let them not  
lift up their  
heads against me.

**M** ay the mischief  
they prate bring  
themselves to  
destruction,

10may he rain  
upon them coals  
of fire,

**m** ay he strike  
them down swiftly,  
to rise no  
more,

11no|strong = "H1077" place|strong = "H4725" in|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" land|strong = "H0776" may|strong = "H5307"  
 there|strong = "H6965" be|strong = "H1077" for|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" slanderer|strong = "H7400":

**m** ay|strong = "H5307" the|strong = "H5921" violent|strong = "H2555"  
 be|strong = "H1077" hunted|strong = "H6679" from|strong = "H5921"  
 sorrow|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H5921" sorrow|strong = "H5921".

12I|strong = "H3559" know|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H7451"  
 the|strong = "H3559" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* will|strong = "H3956"  
 do|strong = "H6213" right|strong = "H3559" by|strong = "H3559"  
 the|strong = "H3559" weak|strong = "H2470",

**a** nd|strong = "H2555" will|strong = "H3956" execute|strong = "H6213"  
 justice|strong = "H4941" for|strong = "H3559" those|strong = "H1992"  
 who|strong = "H0834" are|strong = "H1077" needy|strong = "H0034".

13Surely|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
 righteous|strong = "H6662" shall|strong = "H3068" praise|strong = "H3588"  
 your|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3588" who|strong = "H3068"  
 are|strong = "H3068" upright|strong = "H3477" shall|strong = "H3068"  
 live|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
 presence|strong = "H6440".

Psalms 141 – A Prayer for Protection from Persecutors

141w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, I|strong = "H3068" call|strong = "H7121"  
 to|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H6963": hasten|strong = "H2363",  
 to|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H6963",

**a** ttend|strong = "H7181" to|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068"  
 voice|strong = "H6963", when|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3068"  
 call|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H6963".

2Let|strong = "H7971" my|strong = "H3559" prayer|strong = "H8605"  
 be|strong = "H6440" presented|strong = "H7126" as|strong = "H6440"  
 incense|strong = "H7004" before|strong = "H6440" you|strong = "H6440",

**a** nd|strong = "H6440" my|strong = "H3559" uplifted|strong = "H7311"  
 hands|strong = "H3709" as|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440"  
 evening|strong = "H6153" meal-offering.

3Set|strong="H7896", O|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,  
a|strong="H3068" watch|strong="H5341" on|strong="H5921"  
my|strong="H3068" mouth|strong="H6310",

p ut|strong="H7896" a|strong="H3068" guard|strong="H5341"  
on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" door|strong="H1817"  
of|strong="H3068" my|strong="H3068" lips|strong="H8193".

4Incline|strong="H5186" not|strong="H1077" my|strong="H5186"  
heart|strong="H3820" to|strong="H3820" an|strong="H1129"  
evil|strong="H7451" matter|strong="H1697",

t o|strong="H3820" busy|strong="H6213" myself|strong="H3820"  
in|strong="H1697" deeds|strong="H5949" of|strong="H1697"  
wickedness|strong="H7451",

i n|strong="H1697" company|strong="H6951" with|strong="H3898"  
workers|strong="H6466" of|strong="H1697" evil|strong="H7451":

n ever|strong="H1077" may|strong="H3820" I|strong="H1697" partake  
of|strong="H1697" their|strong="H5186" dainties|strong="H4516".

5A|strong="H3588" wound|strong="H4347" or|strong="H7218"  
reproof|strong="H3198" from|strong="H7451" a|strong="H3588"  
good|strong="H2617" person|strong="H3198" in|strong="H5750"  
kindness|strong="H2617"

i s|strong="H2617" oil|strong="H8081" which|strong="H7451"  
my|strong="H3588" head|strong="H7218" shall|strong="H6662"  
never|strong="H3808" refuse|strong="H5106".

I n|strong="H5750" their|strong="H3588" misfortune|strong="H7451"  
my|strong="H3588" prayer|strong="H8605" is|strong="H2617"  
still|strong="H5750" with|strong="H3198" them|strong="H3588".

6Abandoned|strong="H5800" they|strong="H3588" are|strong="H3027"  
to|strong="H3027" the|strong="H8085" hands|strong="H3027"  
of|strong="H3027" their|strong="H8085" judges|strong="H8199":

t hey|strong="H3588" shall|strong="H3027" learn|strong="H8085"  
that|strong="H3588" my|strong="H8085" words|strong="H1697"  
are|strong="H3027" true|strong="H0571".

7Like|strong = "H3644" stones|strong = "H0068" on|strong = "H6310"  
a|strong = "H3644" country|strong = "H2022" road|strong = "H1870"  
cleft|strong = "H1234" and|strong = "H6310" broken|strong = "H1234"

s o|strong = "H3644" lie|strong = "H7901" our|strong = "H3068"  
bones|strong = "H6106" scattered|strong = "H6340" for|strong = "H6310"  
Death|strong = "H7585" to|strong = "H6310" devour|strong = "H0398".

8But|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H3588" eyes|strong = "H5869"  
are|strong = "H5869" turned|strong = "H2015" towards  
you|strong = "H3588", O|strong = "H3069" w Lord|strong = "H3069" w\*.

D o|strong = "H5869" not|strong = "H3588" pour|strong = "H8210"  
out|strong = "H6168" my|strong = "H3588" life|strong = "H5315",  
for|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H5315" you|strong = "H3588"  
I|strong = "H3588" take|strong = "H2620" refuge|strong = "H2620".

9Keep|strong = "H8104" me|strong = "H8104" safe|strong = "H7965"  
from|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H8104" trap|strong = "H4170"  
they|strong = "H3027" have|strong = "H3027" laid|strong = "H3369"  
for|strong = "H3027" me|strong = "H8104",

f rom|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H8104" snares|strong = "H4170"  
of|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H8104" workers|strong = "H6466"  
of|strong = "H3027" trouble|strong = "H6869".

10Into|strong = "H5307" their|strong = "H5307" own|strong = "H1961"  
nets|strong = "H4364" let|strong = "H7971" wicked|strong = "H7563"  
people|strong = "H7563" fall|strong = "H5307";

w hile|strong = "H5704" I|strong = "H5704" pass|strong = "H5674"  
by|strong = "H5674" in|strong = "H5307" safety|strong = "H0983".  
Psalm 142 – A Prayer for Deliverance from Persecutors

142Loudly|strong = "H6963" I|strong = "H1961" cry|strong = "H7121"  
to|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*:

t o|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
plead|strong = "H7378" loudly|strong = "H6963" for|strong = "H1961"  
mercy|strong = "H2617",

2I|strong = "H3068" pour|strong = "H8210" my|strong = "H3068"  
complaint|strong = "H7879" before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6963",

**I** |strong="H3068" tell|strong="H5046" my|strong="H3068" troubles|strong="H6869" to|strong="H3068" him|strong="H6963".

3When|strong="H3588" my|strong="H8210" spirit|strong="H7307" is|strong="H6440" faint|strong="H5889" within|strong="H6440" me|strong="H6440",

**m** y|strong="H8210" path|strong="H0734" is|strong="H6440" known|strong="H5046" to|strong="H6440" you|strong="H6440".

**I** n|strong="H6440" the|strong="H6440" way|strong="H6440" I|strong="H6869" am|strong="H1961" wont|strong="H2370" to|strong="H6440" walk|strong="H1980" in|strong="H6440",

**t** hey|strong="H6440" have|strong="H6869" hidden|strong="H5641" a|strong="H6440" trap|strong="H4170" for|strong="H6440" me|strong="H6440".

4I|strong="H5921" look|strong="H7200" to|strong="H1980" the|strong="H5921" right|strong="H3045" and|strong="H1980" the|strong="H5921" left|strong="H1980";

**b** ut|strong="H5921" not|strong="H3045" a|strong="H5921" friend|strong="H3045" have|strong="H3045" I|strong="H5921".

**N** o|strong="H3045" place|strong="H4725" of|strong="H7307" refuge|strong="H4733" is|strong="H7307" left|strong="H1980" me|strong="H5921",

**n** ot|strong="H3045" a|strong="H5921" man|strong="H3045" to|strong="H1980" care|strong="H5921" for|strong="H5921" me|strong="H5921".

5So|strong="H4480" I|strong="H5315" cry|strong="H7121" to|strong="H7200" you|strong="H4480", O|strong="H5315" w Lord|strong="H3225" w\*:

**I** |strong="H5315" say|strong="H0559", 'My|strong="H7200" refuge|strong="H4498" are|strong="H5315" you|strong="H4480",

**a** ll|strong="H7200" I|strong="H5315" have|strong="H7200" in|strong="H5315" the|strong="H7200" land|strong="H0776" of|strong="H4480" the|strong="H7200" living|strong="H5315".'



6Attend|strong = "H7181" to|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068"  
piercing|strong = "H1281" cry|strong = "H2199",

f or|strong = "H3068" very|strong = "H3966" weak|strong = "H2470"  
am|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3068".

S ave|strong = "H3467" me|strong = "H2416" from|strong = "H3068"  
those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H3068" pursue|strong = "H7291"  
me|strong = "H2416",

f or|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068" are|strong = "H3068"  
too|strong = "H4480" strong|strong = "H2388" for|strong = "H3068"  
me|strong = "H2416".

7Free|strong = "H2670" me|strong = "H4480" from|strong = "H4480"  
prison|strong = "H1004",

t hat|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" may|strong = "H4480"  
give|strong = "H7181" thanks|strong = "H3034" to|strong = "H4480"  
your|strong = "H3588" name|strong = "H8034",

f or|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" righteous|strong = "H6662"  
are|strong = "H7291" patiently|strong = "H6960" waiting|strong = "H8104"

t ill|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" show|strong = "H7200"  
your|strong = "H3588" bounty|strong = "H3027" to|strong = "H4480"  
me|strong = "H4480".

Psalm 143 – A Prayer for Deliverance and Guidance

143Listen|strong = "H8085", O|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, to|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H8085"  
prayer|strong = "H8605";

a ttend|strong = "H7181" to|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H8085"  
plea|strong = "H1779".

I n|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" faithfulness|strong = "H0530"  
give|strong = "H6030" me|strong = "H6030" answer|strong = "H6030",

a nd|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
righteousness|strong = "H6666".

2With|strong = "H6440" your|strong = "H3605" servant|strong = "H5650"  
 O|strong = "H3069" enter|strong = "H0935" you|strong = "H3588"  
 not|strong = "H3808" into|strong = "H4941" judgment|strong = "H4941",

f or|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H6440" your|strong = "H3605"  
 sight|strong = "H6440" can|strong = "H5650" no|strong = "H3808"  
 one|strong = "H3605" alive|strong = "H2416" be|strong = "H3808"  
 justified|strong = "H6663".

3For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" enemy|strong = "H0340"  
 persecutes me|strong = "H5315",

c rushing|strong = "H1792" my|strong = "H3588" life|strong = "H5315"  
 to|strong = "H4191" the|strong = "H3588" ground|strong = "H0776",

m aking|strong = "H6213" me|strong = "H5315" live|strong = "H3427"  
 in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3588" darkness|strong = "H4285",

a s|strong = "H5315" those|strong = "H3427" who|strong = "H5315"  
 have|strong = "H3588" long|strong = "H5769" been|strong = "H5769"  
 dead|strong = "H4191".

4My|strong = "H5921" spirit|strong = "H7307" is|strong = "H3820"  
 faint|strong = "H5848" within|strong = "H8432" me|strong = "H5921",

m y|strong = "H5921" heart|strong = "H3820" is|strong = "H3820"  
 bewildered|strong = "H2398" within|strong = "H8432" me|strong = "H5921".

5I|strong = "H3117" remember|strong = "H2142" the|strong = "H3605"  
 days|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117" old|strong = "H6924",

a nd|strong = "H3117" brood|strong = "H8635" over|strong = "H3027"  
 all|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H3605" have|strong = "H3027"  
 done|strong = "H4639",

m using|strong = "H1901" on|strong = "H3117" all|strong = "H3605"  
 that|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605" hands|strong = "H3027"  
 have|strong = "H3027" wrought|strong = "H4639".

6I|strong = "H5315" spread|strong = "H6566" out|strong = "H6566"  
 my|strong = "H6566" hands|strong = "H3027" to|strong = "H3027"  
 you|strong = "H3027":

I |strong = "H5315" thirst|strong = "H5315" for|strong = "H3027"  
you|strong = "H3027",

l ike|strong = "H5315" parched|strong = "H5889" earth|strong = "H0776".  
w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

7Answer|strong = "H6030" me|strong = "H6440" soon|strong = "H4118", w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

b ecause|strong = "H6440" my|strong = "H3068" spirit|strong = "H7307"  
is|strong = "H3068" spent|strong = "H3615".

H ide|strong = "H5641" not|strong = "H6440" your|strong = "H3068"  
face|strong = "H6440" from|strong = "H4480" me|strong = "H6440",

e lse|strong = "H5750" become|strong = "H4911" I|strong = "H6440"  
like|strong = "H4911" those|strong = "H4480" who|strong = "H3068"  
go|strong = "H3381" down|strong = "H3381" to|strong = "H3381"  
the|strong = "H6440" pit|strong = "H0953".

8Let|strong = "H5315" me|strong = "H5315" learn|strong = "H3045"  
of|strong = "H1870" your|strong = "H5375" love|strong = "H2617"  
in|strong = "H8085" the|strong = "H8085" morning|strong = "H1242",

f or|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H8085" trust|strong = "H0982"  
is|strong = "H2617" in|strong = "H8085" you|strong = "H3588".

T each|strong = "H3045" me|strong = "H5315" the|strong = "H8085"  
way|strong = "H1870" I|strong = "H3588" should|strong = "H3588"  
go|strong = "H3212":

f or|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H8085" heart|strong = "H5315"  
longs|strong = "H6165" for|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588".

9Save|strong = "H5337" me|strong = "H5337", O|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, from|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068"  
foes|strong = "H7796":

f or|strong = "H3068" to|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H5337"  
I|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068" fled|strong = "H5127"  
for|strong = "H3068" refuge|strong = "H3680".

10 Teach|strong = "H3925" me|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H6213"  
do|strong = "H6213" your|strong = "H6213" will|strong = "H7522",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" yourself|strong = "H6213"  
are|strong = "H6213" my|strong = "H6213" God|strong = "H0430".

**G** uide|strong = "H5148" me|strong = "H6213" by|strong = "H6213"  
your|strong = "H6213" good|strong = "H2896" spirit|strong = "H7307",

**O** |strong = "H3069" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, on|strong = "H6213"  
a|strong = "H6213" way|strong = "H1870" that|strong = "H3588"  
is|strong = "H2896" smooth|strong = "H3474".

11 Be|strong = "H3068" true|strong = "H3068" to|strong = "H3318"  
your|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
spare|strong = "H2421" me|strong = "H5315",

**b** ring|strong = "H3318" me|strong = "H5315" out|strong = "H3318"  
of|strong = "H3068" distress|strong = "H6869" in|strong = "H3068"  
your|strong = "H3068" faithfulness|strong = "H0530".

12 In|strong = "H5315" your|strong = "H3605" kindness|strong = "H2617"  
extinguish|strong = "H3518" my|strong = "H3605" enemies|strong = "H6887",

**a** nd|strong = "H5650" all|strong = "H3605" those|strong = "H3605"  
who|strong = "H3605" vex|strong = "H6887" me|strong = "H5315"  
destroy|strong = "H6789";

**f** or|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961"  
your|strong = "H3605" servant|strong = "H5650".

Psalm 144 – The Warrior’s Song

144 Blest be|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* my|strong = "H3068" rock|strong = "H6697",

**w** ho|strong = "H3068" trains|strong = "H3925" my|strong = "H3068"  
hands|strong = "H3027" for|strong = "H3027" war|strong = "H4421",

**m** y|strong = "H3068" fingers|strong = "H0676" for|strong = "H3027"  
fighting|strong = "H4421".

2My|strong = "H8478" rock|strong = "H6697" and|strong = "H5971"  
my|strong = "H8478" fortress|strong = "H4686",

**m** y|strong = "H8478" tower|strong = "H4869", my|strong = "H8478"  
deliverer|strong = "H6403",

**m** y|strong = "H8478" shield|strong = "H4043", behind|strong = "H0310"  
whom|strong = "H5971" I|strong = "H8478" take|strong = "H2620"  
refuge|strong = "H2620",

**w** ho|strong = "H5971" lays|strong = "H8213" nations|strong = "H5971"  
low|strong = "H8213" at|strong = "H5971" my|strong = "H8478"  
feet|strong = "H7272".

3w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, what|strong = "H4100" are|strong = "H1121"  
mortals|strong = "H4172"

**t** hat|strong = "H3045" you|strong = "H3045" care|strong = "H3027"  
for|strong = "H3068" them|strong = "H1121",

**h** umans,

**t** hat|strong = "H3045" you|strong = "H3045" think|strong = "H2803"  
of|strong = "H1121" them|strong = "H1121"?

4They|strong = "H3117" are|strong = "H3117" like|strong = "H1819"  
a|strong = "H3117" breath|strong = "H1892",

**t** heir|strong = "H3117" days|strong = "H3117" as|strong = "H3117"  
a|strong = "H3117" shadow|strong = "H6738" that|strong = "H3117"  
passes|strong = "H5674".

5w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, bow|strong = "H5186"  
your|strong = "H3068" heavens|strong = "H8064" and|strong = "H3068"  
come|strong = "H3381" down|strong = "H3381":

**t** ouch|strong = "H5060" the|strong = "H3068" hills|strong = "H2022",  
so|strong = "H3381" that|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068"  
smoke|strong = "H6225".

6Flash|strong = "H1299" forth|strong = "H7971"  
lightning|strong = "H1300" and|strong = "H7971" scatter|strong = "H6327"  
them|strong = "H7971",

y our|strong = "H7971" arrows|strong = "H2671" send|strong = "H7971"  
forth|strong = "H7971" and|strong = "H7971" confound|strong = "H1101"  
them|strong = "H7971".

7Stretch|strong = "H7971" out|strong = "H7971" your|strong = "H7971"  
hand|strong = "H3027" from|strong = "H3027" on|strong = "H3027"  
high|strong = "H4791";

p luck|strong = "H6998" me|strong = "H7971" out|strong = "H7971"  
of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H7971" mighty|strong = "H7227"  
waters|strong = "H4325",

o ut|strong = "H7971" of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H7971"  
hands|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H1121" foreigners|strong = "H1121",

8who|strong = "H7723" speak|strong = "H1696" with|strong = "H1696"  
the|strong = "H1696" mouth|strong = "H6310" of|strong = "H6310"  
falsehood|strong = "H8267",

a nd|strong = "H6310" lift|strong = "H5375" their|strong = "H3225"  
right|strong = "H3225" hand|strong = "H3225" to|strong = "H1696"  
swear|strong = "H7650" lies|strong = "H8267".

9O|strong = "H3069" God|strong = "H0430", a|strong = "H7891"  
new|strong = "H2319" song|strong = "H7892" I|strong = "H7891"  
would|strong = "H0014" sing|strong = "H7891" you|strong = "H2167",

o n|strong = "H5035" a|strong = "H7891" ten-stringed|strong = "H6218"  
harp|strong = "H5035" make|strong = "H6213" you|strong = "H2167"  
music|strong = "H7892".

10For|strong = "H5650" to|strong = "H5414" kings|strong = "H4428"  
you|strong = "H5414" give|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414"  
victory|strong = "H8668",

a nd|strong = "H4428" David|strong = "H1732" your|strong = "H5414"  
servant|strong = "H5650" you|strong = "H5414" save|strong = "H3467".

11 Snatch|strong = "H1504" me|strong = "H1696" from|strong = "H3027"  
the|strong = "H3027" cruel|strong = "H0394" sword|strong = "H3027",

**r** escue|strong = "H5337" me|strong = "H1696" from|strong = "H3027"  
the|strong = "H3027" hand|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H1121"  
foreigners|strong = "H1121",

**w** ho|strong = "H1121" speak|strong = "H1696" with|strong = "H1696"  
the|strong = "H3027" mouth|strong = "H6310" of|strong = "H1121"  
falsehood|strong = "H8267",

**a** nd|strong = "H1121" lift|strong = "H5375" their|strong = "H5337"  
right|strong = "H3225" hand|strong = "H3027" to|strong = "H1696"  
swear|strong = "H7650" lies|strong = "H8267".  
The|strong = "H3027" Prosperity|strong = "H7965" of|strong = "H1121"  
the|strong = "H3027" Lord's|strong = "H3068" People|strong = "H1121"

12 May|strong = "H1121" our|strong = "H3068" sons|strong = "H1121"  
in|strong = "H1121" their|strong = "H1431" youth|strong = "H5271"

**b** e|strong = "H1121" as|strong = "H1121" plants|strong = "H5195"  
well|strong = "H3190" tended:

**o** ur|strong = "H3068" daughters|strong = "H1323" like|strong = "H1121"  
cornices

**c** arved|strong = "H2404" as|strong = "H1121" in|strong = "H1121"  
palaces|strong = "H1964".

13 May|strong = "H1961" our|strong = "H3068" barns|strong = "H0618"  
be|strong = "H4200" bursting|strong = "H1518"

**w** ith|strong = "H6629" produce|strong = "H6529" of|strong = "H4392"  
all|strong = "H3605" kinds|strong = "H2177".

**I** n|strong = "H6629" the|strong = "H2351" fields|strong = "H2351"  
may|strong = "H1961" our|strong = "H3068" sheep|strong = "H6629"  
bear|strong = "H5375"

**b** y|strong = "H6629" thousands|strong = "H7231" and|strong = "H6629"  
ten|strong = "H6235" thousands|strong = "H7231".

14 May|strong = "H1961" our|strong = "H3318" cattle|strong = "H4735"  
be|strong = "H3318" fat|strong = "H2459",

o ur|strong = "H3318" walls|strong = "H2346" unbreached,

m ay|strong = "H1961" no|strong = "H3808" cry|strong = "H6682"  
of|strong = "H3318" distress|strong = "H6869"

r ing|strong = "H2885" in|strong = "H3318" our|strong = "H3318"  
streets|strong = "H7339".

15 Happy|strong = "H0835" the|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971"

w ho|strong = "H5971" fares so|strong = "H3602" well|strong = "H3190":

a nd|strong = "H3068" so|strong = "H3602" fares the|strong = "H3068"  
people|strong = "H5971"

w hose|strong = "H0834" God|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.  
Psalm 145 – The Kingdom Everlasting

145 I|strong = "H7311" will|strong = "H4428" exalt|strong = "H7311"  
you|strong = "H1288", my|strong = "H1732" God|strong = "H0430",  
O|strong = "H8034" king|strong = "H4428":

I |strong = "H7311" will|strong = "H4428" praise|strong = "H8416"  
your|strong = "H7311" name|strong = "H8034" for|strong = "H8034"  
ever|strong = "H5769" and|strong = "H4428" ever|strong = "H5769".

2 I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3117" bless|strong = "H1288"  
you|strong = "H3605" every|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117":

I |strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3117" praise|strong = "H1984"  
your|strong = "H3605" name|strong = "H8034" for|strong = "H8034"  
ever|strong = "H5769" and|strong = "H3117" ever|strong = "H5769".

3 Great|strong = "H1419" is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* and|strong = "H3068" worthy|strong = "H4941"  
all|strong = "H1419" praise|strong = "H1984",



**h** is|strong = "H3068" greatness|strong = "H1420" is|strong = "H3068"  
unsearchable|strong = "H2714".

4One|strong = "H1755" age|strong = "H1755" to|strong = "H1755"  
another|strong = "H5046" shall|strong = "H1755" praise|strong = "H7623"  
your|strong = "H5046" deeds|strong = "H4639",

**d** eclaring|strong = "H5046" the|strong = "H5046" mighty|strong = "H1369"  
things|strong = "H4639" you|strong = "H5046" have|strong = "H1961"  
done|strong = "H4639".

5Of|strong = "H1697" your|strong = "H1697" glorious|strong = "H3519"  
majesty|strong = "H1926" they|strong = "H1697" shall|strong = "H1697"  
tell|strong = "H5046",

**a** nd|strong = "H1697" I|strong = "H1697" will|strong = "H1697"  
muse|strong = "H7878" of|strong = "H1697" your|strong = "H1697"  
many|strong = "H7227" wonders|strong = "H6381".

6Of|strong = "H3372" the|strong = "H3372" might|strong = "H5807"  
of|strong = "H3372" your|strong = "H3372" terrible|strong = "H3372"  
acts|strong = "H3372" they|strong = "H5608" shall|strong = "H3548"  
speak|strong = "H5608",

**a** nd|strong = "H3372" the|strong = "H3372" tale|strong = "H1899"  
of|strong = "H3372" your|strong = "H3372" great|strong = "H1420"  
deeds|strong = "H4611" I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H3068"  
tell|strong = "H5608".

7The|strong = "H6666" fame|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H2898"  
your|strong = "H6666" abundant|strong = "H7227"  
goodness|strong = "H2898"

**a** nd|strong = "H6666" righteousness|strong = "H6666"  
they|strong = "H1992" shall|strong = "H7227" pour|strong = "H5042"  
forth|strong = "H5042" in|strong = "H7227" song|strong = "H7892".

8The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
full|strong = "H4392" of|strong = "H3068" grace|strong = "H2580"  
and|strong = "H3068" pity|strong = "H2617",

**p** atient|strong = "H0750" and|strong = "H3068" rich|strong = "H1419"  
in|strong = "H3068" loving-kindness.

9The **w** Lord **is** **good** **to** **all** **the**,  
**the** **world**,

**a** **nd** **his** **pity** **is** **over** **all** **things** **that** **he** **made**.

10All **your** **works** **give** **you** **thanks**,  
**O** **w** Lord **w**,

**a** **nd** **you** **are** **blessed** **of** **those**,  
**who** **love** **you**.

11They **shall** **speak** **of** **your** **glorious**,  
**kingdom**,

**a** **nd** **of** **your** **might** **shall** **they** **discourse**,

12**making** **known** **to** **all** **his** **mighty** **acts**,

**a** **nd** **the** **glorious** **majesty** **of** **his** **kingdom**.

13**Yours** **is** **a** **kingdom** **that** **lives** **through** **all** **ages**:

**t** **hrough** **all** **generations** **extends** **your** **dominion**.

14The|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
upholds|strong = "H8551" all|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605"  
fall|strong = "H5307";

h e|strong = "H3068" lifts|strong = "H2210" up|strong = "H5564"  
all|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" are|strong = "H3068"  
bowed|strong = "H3721" down|strong = "H5307".

15The|strong = "H3605" eyes|strong = "H5869" of|strong = "H5869"  
all|strong = "H3605" look|strong = "H5869" in|strong = "H5414"  
hope|strong = "H7663" to|strong = "H6256" you|strong = "H5414",

a nd|strong = "H5869" you|strong = "H5414" give|strong = "H5414"  
them|strong = "H5414" their|strong = "H3605" food|strong = "H3899"  
in|strong = "H5414" due|strong = "H2706" season|strong = "H6256".

16You|strong = "H3605" yourself|strong = "H0859" open|strong = "H6605"  
your|strong = "H3605" hand|strong = "H3027",

a nd|strong = "H3027" fill|strong = "H7646" with|strong = "H7646"  
your|strong = "H3605" favour|strong = "H7522" all|strong = "H3605"  
things|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H3605" live|strong = "H2416".

17The|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
righteous|strong = "H6662" in|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605"  
his|strong = "H3605" ways|strong = "H1870",

g racious|strong = "H2623" is|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H3068"  
in|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H3605"  
he|strong = "H3068" does|strong = "H3068".

18The|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
near|strong = "H7138" to|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605"  
who|strong = "H3605" call|strong = "H7121" him|strong = "H7121",

t o|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605"  
call|strong = "H7121" upon|strong = "H7121" him|strong = "H7121"  
in|strong = "H3068" truth|strong = "H0571".

19He|strong = "H6213" will|strong = "H7522" fulfil|strong = "H6213"  
the|strong = "H8085" desires|strong = "H7522" of|strong = "H6213"  
those|strong = "H8085" who|strong = "H6213" fear|strong = "H3373"  
him|strong = "H6213";

**h** e|strong="H6213" will|strong="H7522" hear|strong="H8085"  
 their|strong="H8085" cry|strong="H7775" for|strong="H6213"  
 help|strong="H3467" and|strong="H8085" save|strong="H3467"  
 them|strong="H6213".

20The|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* is|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3605" keeper|strong="H8104" of|strong="H3068"  
 all|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605" love|strong="H0157"  
 him|strong="H3605",

**b** ut|strong="H7563" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605"  
 wicked|strong="H7563" will|strong="H3068" he|strong="H3068"  
 destroy|strong="H8045".

21My|strong="H3605" mouth|strong="H6310" will|strong="H3068"  
 utter|strong="H1696" the|strong="H3605" praise|strong="H8416"  
 of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

**a** nd|strong="H3068" all|strong="H3605" life|strong="H3605"  
 will|strong="H3068" bless|strong="H1288" his|strong="H3605"  
 holy|strong="H6944" name|strong="H8034"

**f** or|strong="H8034" ever|strong="H5769" and|strong="H3068"  
 ever|strong="H5769".

Psalm 146 – The Great Protector

146My|strong="H3068" soul|strong="H5315", praise|strong="H1984"  
 the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

2I|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" praise|strong="H1984"  
 the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, while|strong="H5750"  
 I|strong="H3068" live|strong="H2416";

**I** |strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" sing|strong="H2167"  
 to|strong="H3068" my|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068",  
 while|strong="H5750" I|strong="H3068" am|strong="H3068".

3Put|strong="H5414" not|strong="H1121" your|strong="H1121"  
 trust|strong="H0982" in|strong="H1121" princes|strong="H5081"

**m** ortals|strong="H4172", in|strong="H1121" whom|strong="H0834"  
 is|strong="H1121" no|strong="H3808" help|strong="H8668".

4When|strong = "H3117" their|strong = "H7725" breath|strong = "H7307"  
goes|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318",

t hey|strong = "H3117" go|strong = "H3318" back|strong = "H7725"  
to|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H7725" dust|strong = "H6083":

o n|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3117" very|strong = "H3966"  
day|strong = "H3117"

t heir|strong = "H7725" purposes|strong = "H4284"  
perish|strong = "H0006".

5Happy|strong = "H0835" those|strong = "H5921" whose|strong = "H0834"  
help|strong = "H5828"

i s|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" God|strong = "H3068"  
of|strong = "H3068" Jacob|strong = "H3290":

w hose|strong = "H0834" hope|strong = "H7664" is|strong = "H3068"  
set|strong = "H3290"

o n|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
their|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068",

6the|strong = "H3605" Creator|strong = "H1254" of|strong = "H3605"  
heaven|strong = "H8064" and|strong = "H8064" earth|strong = "H8064",

t he|strong = "H3605" sea|strong = "H3220", and|strong = "H8064"  
all|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H3605" is|strong = "H3605"  
in|strong = "H6213" them|strong = "H6213".

H e|strong = "H6213" remains|strong = "H8104" eternally|strong = "H5331"  
loyal|strong = "H0310".

7For|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H5414" wronged|strong = "H6231"  
he|strong = "H6213" executes|strong = "H6213" justice|strong = "H4941";

h e|strong = "H6213" gives|strong = "H5414" bread|strong = "H3899"  
to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5414" hungry|strong = "H7457";

t he|strong = "H5414" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
releases|strong = "H5425" the|strong = "H5414" prisoners|strong = "H0615".

8The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* gives|strong="H5414"  
sight|strong="H5869" to|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"  
blind|strong="H5787":

t he|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* raises|strong="H2210"  
those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H3068" are|strong="H3068"  
bowed|strong="H3721".

T he|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* loves|strong="H0157"  
the|strong="H3068" righteous|strong="H6662".

9The|strong="H8104" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
preserves|strong="H8104" the|strong="H8104" stranger|strong="H1616",

u pholds|strong="H8551" the|strong="H8104" widow|strong="H0490"  
and|strong="H3068" orphan|strong="H3490",

b ut|strong="H7563" the|strong="H8104" wicked|strong="H7563"  
he|strong="H3068" leads|strong="H1869" to|strong="H3068"  
disaster|strong="H7451".

10The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
shall|strong="H3068" reign|strong="H4427" forever|strong="H5769",

y our|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068", O|strong="H3068"  
Zion|strong="H6726", to|strong="H3068" all|strong="H1755"  
generations|strong="H1755".

**H** allelujah.

Psalm 147 – The Lord’s Love and Power Revealed in Nature

147Hallelujah.

I t|strong="H3588" is|strong="H2896" good|strong="H2896"  
to|strong="H2896" sing|strong="H2167" praise|strong="H1984"  
to|strong="H2896" our|strong="H3588" God|strong="H3050",

f or|strong="H3588" praise|strong="H1984" is|strong="H2896"  
sweet|strong="H5273" and|strong="H2896" seemly|strong="H5000".

2The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
builds|strong="H1129" up|strong="H1129" Jerusalem|strong="H3389",

t he|strong="H3068" outcasts|strong="H1760" of|strong="H3068"  
Israel|strong="H3478" he|strong="H3068" gathers|strong="H3664".

3He|strong="H3820" heals|strong="H7495" the|strong="H7665"  
broken|strong="H7665" in|strong="H7665" heart|strong="H3820",

a nd|strong="H3820" binds|strong="H2280" up|strong="H2280"  
their|strong="H7665" wounds|strong="H6094".

4He|strong="H3605" counts|strong="H4487" the|strong="H3605"  
numberless stars|strong="H3556",

h e|strong="H3605" gives|strong="H7121" names|strong="H8034"  
to|strong="H7121" them|strong="H7121" all|strong="H3605".

5Great|strong="H1419" is|strong="H3581" our|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, rich|strong="H1419" in|strong="H7227"  
power|strong="H3581",

a nd|strong="H1419" measureless is|strong="H3581"  
his|strong="H3605" wisdom|strong="H8394".

6The|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* lifts|strong="H5749"  
up|strong="H5749" the|strong="H3068" down-trodden,

t he|strong="H3068" wicked|strong="H7563" he|strong="H3068"  
brings|strong="H8213" to|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"  
ground|strong="H0776".

7Sing|strong="H2167" songs|strong="H7892" of|strong="H3068"  
thanks|strong="H8426" to|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

a nd|strong="H3068" play|strong="H2181" on|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" lyre|strong="H3658" to|strong="H3068"  
our|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068".

8For|strong="H3559" he|strong="H8064" covers|strong="H3680"  
the|strong="H3680" sky|strong="H8064" with|strong="H3680"  
clouds|strong="H5645",

h e|strong = "H8064" prepares|strong = "H3559" rain|strong = "H4306"  
for|strong = "H3559" the|strong = "H3680" earth|strong = "H8064",

m akes|strong = "H3559" grass|strong = "H2682" to|strong = "H3559"  
grow|strong = "H6779" on|strong = "H2022" the|strong = "H3680"  
mountains|strong = "H2022".

9He|strong = "H5414" gives|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414"  
cattle|strong = "H4735" their|strong = "H5414" food|strong = "H3899"

t he|strong = "H5414" young|strong = "H1121" ravens|strong = "H6158"  
when|strong = "H1121" they|strong = "H5414" cry|strong = "H7121".

10His|strong = "H3808" pleasure|strong = "H7521" is|strong = "H3808"  
not|strong = "H3808" in|strong = "H2654" the|strong = "H3808"  
strength|strong = "H1369" of|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H3808"  
horse|strong = "H5483",

h is|strong = "H3808" joy|strong = "H8057" is|strong = "H3808"  
not|strong = "H3808" in|strong = "H2654" the|strong = "H3808"  
speed|strong = "H4120" of|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H3808"  
runner|strong = "H7323";

11but|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
has|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" pleasure|strong = "H7521"  
in|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H3068"  
fear|strong = "H3373" him|strong = "H3068",

i n|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H3068"  
wait|strong = "H3176" for|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068"  
kindness|strong = "H2617".

12Praise|strong = "H1984" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, then|strong = "H3068", O|strong = "H3068"  
Jerusalem|strong = "H3389":

s ing|strong = "H1984" praise|strong = "H1984" to|strong = "H3068"  
your|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068", O|strong = "H3068"  
Zion|strong = "H6726".

13For|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" strengthens|strong = "H5797"  
the|strong = "H3588" bars|strong = "H1280" of|strong = "H1121"  
your|strong = "H3588" gates|strong = "H8179",



**a** nd|strong="H1121" blesses|strong="H1288" your|strong="H3588"  
children|strong="H1121" within|strong="H7130" you|strong="H3588".

14He|strong="H7760" brings|strong="H7760" peace|strong="H7965"  
to|strong="H1366" your|strong="H7760" borders|strong="H1366",

**a** nd|strong="H7965" choicest|strong="H4005" of|strong="H1366"  
wheat|strong="H2406" in|strong="H7760" abundance|strong="H7646".

15He|strong="H5704" sends|strong="H7971" his|strong="H7971"  
command|strong="H1697" to|strong="H5704" the|strong="H5704"  
earth|strong="H0776":

**h** is|strong="H7971" word|strong="H1697" runs|strong="H7323"  
very|strong="H5704" swiftly|strong="H4120".

16Snow|strong="H7950" he|strong="H5414" gives|strong="H5414"  
like|strong="H7950" wool|strong="H6785",

**f** rost|strong="H3713" he|strong="H5414" scatters|strong="H6340"  
like|strong="H7950" ashes|strong="H0665".

17He|strong="H6440" casts|strong="H7993" forth|strong="H7993"  
his|strong="H6440" ice|strong="H7140" like|strong="H7140"  
morsels|strong="H6595":

**w** ho|strong="H4310" can|strong="H4310" stand|strong="H5975"  
before|strong="H6440" his|strong="H6440" cold|strong="H7135"?

18He|strong="H7971" sends|strong="H7971" forth|strong="H7971"  
his|strong="H7971" word|strong="H1697", and|strong="H7971"  
melts|strong="H4529" them|strong="H7971":

**h** is|strong="H7971" wind|strong="H7307" blows|strong="H5380"  
the|strong="H7971" waters|strong="H4325" flow|strong="H5140".

19He|strong="H3478" declares|strong="H5046" his|strong="H5046"  
word|strong="H1697" to|strong="H3478" Jacob|strong="H3290",

**h** is|strong="H5046" statutes|strong="H2706" and|strong="H3478"  
judgments|strong="H4941" to|strong="H3478" Israel|strong="H3478".

20No|strong = "H3808" other|strong = "H3605" nation|strong = "H1471"  
 did|strong = "H6213" he|strong = "H3651" do|strong = "H6213"  
 this|strong = "H3651" for|strong = "H6213",

t hey|strong = "H3651" know|strong = "H3045" nothing|strong = "H3808"  
 of|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605" judgments|strong = "H4941".

### H allelujah.

#### Psalm 148 – The Universal Chorus of Praise

148Praise|strong = "H1984" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* from|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H3068"  
 heavens|strong = "H8064",

p raise|strong = "H1984" him|strong = "H4480" in|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" heights|strong = "H4791".

2Praise|strong = "H1984" him|strong = "H3605", all|strong = "H3605"  
 his|strong = "H3605" angels|strong = "H4397";

p raise|strong = "H1984" him|strong = "H3605", all|strong = "H3605"  
 his|strong = "H3605" hosts|strong = "H6635".

3Praise|strong = "H1984" him|strong = "H3605", sun|strong = "H8121"  
 and|strong = "H8121" moon|strong = "H3394";

p raise|strong = "H1984" him|strong = "H3605", all|strong = "H3605"  
 stars|strong = "H3556" of|strong = "H3605" light|strong = "H0216".

4Praise|strong = "H1984" him|strong = "H5921", you|strong = "H5921"  
 highest|strong = "H8064" heavens|strong = "H8064",

a nd|strong = "H8064" you|strong = "H5921" waters|strong = "H4325"  
 above|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" heavens|strong = "H8064".

5Let|strong = "H7971" them|strong = "H6680" praise|strong = "H1984"  
 the|strong = "H3588" name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

f or|strong = "H3588" at|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068"  
 command|strong = "H6680" they|strong = "H3588" were|strong = "H3068"  
 made|strong = "H3068".

6And he fixed them  
for ever  
and ever

**b** y a law  
which they dare  
not transgress.

7Praise the  
Lord w\* from the  
earth:

y ou depths, with  
your monsters, all.

8Fire, hail, snow  
and ice,

**a** nd stormy wind  
doing his word.

9All you mountains  
and hills,

**a** ll you fruit  
trees and cedars,

10all you wild  
beasts and tame,

**c** reeping things,  
birds on the  
wing.

11All you kings  
and nations of  
earth;

**a** ll you princes  
and judges of  
earth:

12young men and maidens together,

- o ld men and children together.

13Let them praise the name of the Lord,

for his name alone is exalted.

- O ver heaven and earth is his glory.

14He has lifted his people to honour.

W herefore this chorus of praise from his saints,

from Israel, the people who stand in his fellowship.

H allelujah.

Psalm 149 – Song of Victory

149Hallelujah.

S ing to the Lord with a new song,

s ound his praise where the faithful are gathered.

2Let|strong="H8055" Israel|strong="H3478" rejoice|strong="H8055"  
in|strong="H3478" its|strong="H6213" maker|strong="H6213",

s ons|strong="H1121" of|strong="H1121" Zion|strong="H6726"  
exult|strong="H1523" in|strong="H3478" their|strong="H6213"  
king|strong="H4428".

3Let|strong="H7971" them|strong="H5414" praise|strong="H1984"  
his|strong="H1984" name|strong="H8034" in|strong="H8034"  
the|strong="H1984" dance|strong="H4234",

m aking|strong="H1984" music|strong="H2170" with|strong="H1984"  
lyre|strong="H3658" and|strong="H3658" with|strong="H1984"  
timbrel|strong="H8596".

4For|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
delights|strong="H7521" in|strong="H3068" his|strong="H3068"  
people|strong="H5971",

a dorning the|strong="H3588" humble|strong="H6035"  
with|strong="H3068" victory|strong="H3444".

5Let|strong="H7971" the|strong="H5921" faithful|strong="H0539"  
exult|strong="H5937" and|strong="H3519" extol|strong="H7311"  
him|strong="H5921"

w ith|strong="H5921" glad|strong="H8055" ringing  
cries|strong="H7442" all|strong="H5921" night|strong="H3915"  
long|strong="H5921".

6High|strong="H7319" praises|strong="H2167" of|strong="H3027"  
God|strong="H3027" in|strong="H3027" their|strong="H3027"  
mouth|strong="H1627",

a nd|strong="H3027" a|strong="H3027" two-edged|strong="H6310"  
sword|strong="H2719" in|strong="H3027" their|strong="H3027"  
hand|strong="H3027":

7on|strong="H6213" the|strong="H6213" heathen|strong="H1471"  
to|strong="H6213" execute|strong="H6213" vengeance|strong="H5360",

and chastisement  
sore on the  
nations,

binding their kings  
with chains,

and their nobles  
with fetters of  
iron,

to execute on  
them the doom  
that is written.

This is the  
glory of all  
his faithful.

Hallelujah.  
Psalm 150 – Hallelujah

150Hallelujah.

Praise God in  
his holy place.

Praise him in  
the sky, his  
stronghold.

2Praise him for  
his deeds of  
power.

Praise him for  
his boundless greatness.

3Praise him with  
blast of horn;

# Hosea





# Hosea

## Introduction

1The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*'s  
message|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H3478" Hosea|strong = "H1954"  
son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Beer|strong = "H0882"  
during|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3068" reigns|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H1121" Kings|strong = "H4428" Uzziah|strong = "H5818",  
Jotham|strong = "H3147", Ahaz|strong = "H0271", and|strong = "H1121"  
Hezekiah|strong = "H2396" of|strong = "H1121" Judah|strong = "H3063"  
and|strong = "H1121" during|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3068"  
reign|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H1121" King|strong = "H4428"  
Jeroboam|strong = "H3379", son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"  
Joash|strong = "H3101" of|strong = "H1121" Israel|strong = "H3478".  
The|strong = "H3068" adultery|strong = "H5003" of|strong = "H1121" Hosea's  
wife|strong = "H0802"

2When|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
began|strong = "H8462" to|strong = "H1696" speak|strong = "H1696"  
through|strong = "H3212" Hosea|strong = "H1954", he|strong = "H3588"  
said|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H1696" him|strong = "H3947":

‘ Go|strong = "H3212" marry|strong = "H3947" an|strong = "H3947"  
unfaithful|strong = "H2181" woman|strong = "H0802"

w ho|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" bear|strong = "H3212"  
you|strong = "H3588" children|strong = "H3206" by|strong = "H3068"  
her|strong = "H3947" adultery|strong = "H2181",

f or|strong = "H3588" like|strong = "H3212" an|strong = "H3947"  
adulterous|strong = "H2181" wife|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H3588"  
land|strong = "H0776" is|strong = "H3068" unfaithful|strong = "H2181"  
to|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.’

3So|strong = "H3947" he|strong = "H3212" married|strong = "H3947"  
Gomer|strong = "H1586", the|strong = "H3947" daughter|strong = "H1323"  
of|strong = "H1121" Diblaim, and|strong = "H1121" when|strong = "H1121"  
she|strong = "H1931" conceived|strong = "H2029" and|strong = "H1121"  
bore|strong = "H3205" him|strong = "H3205" a|strong = "H3947"  
son|strong = "H1121", <sup>4</sup> the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
said|strong = "H7121":

‘ Call|strong = "H7121" him|strong = "H7121" "Jezreel|strong = "H3157",  
for|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H3588"  
little|strong = "H4592" while|strong = "H5750"

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" punish|strong = "H6485"  
the|strong = "H5921" dynasty|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"  
Jehu|strong = "H3058"

f or|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H5921" blood|strong = "H1818"  
shed|strong = "H1818" at|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
valley|strong = "H6010" of|strong = "H1004" Jezreel|strong = "H3157",

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" cause|strong = "H7121"  
the|strong = "H5921" kingdom|strong = "H4468" of|strong = "H1004"  
Israel|strong = "H3478" to|strong = "H3478" cease|strong = "H7673".

5On|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117",  
I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H1961" break|strong = "H7665"  
Israel's|strong = "H3478" bows|strong = "H7198" and|strong = "H3478"  
arrows|strong = "H7198"

i n|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3117" valley|strong = "H6010"  
of|strong = "H3117" Jezreel|strong = "H3157".’

6When|strong = "H3588" she|strong = "H3588"  
conceived|strong = "H2029" again|strong = "H5750" and|strong = "H3478"  
bore|strong = "H3205" a|strong = "H3588" daughter|strong = "H1323",  
the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* said|strong = "H7121"  
to|strong = "H3478" Hosea|strong = "H7121":

‘ Call|strong = "H7121" her|strong = "H5375"  
Lo-Ruhamah|strong = "H3819" – "No-Compassion"

f or|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3478"  
no|strong = "H3808" longer|strong = "H5750" have|strong = "H7355"  
compassion|strong = "H7355" on|strong = "H7355" Israel|strong = "H3478",

c ertainly|strong = "H3588" not|strong = "H3808" spare|strong = "H5375"  
them|strong = "H7121".

7But|strong = "H3808" on|strong = "H3068" Judah|strong = "H3063"  
I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H7355"  
compassion|strong = "H7355",

**I** |strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3068" deliver|strong = "H3467"  
 them|strong = "H3068" by|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* their|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068",

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" deliver|strong = "H3467" them|strong = "H3068"  
 by|strong = "H3068" bow|strong = "H7198" nor|strong = "H3808"  
 by|strong = "H3068" sword|strong = "H2719",

**n** or|strong = "H3808" by|strong = "H3068" battle|strong = "H4421"  
 nor|strong = "H3808" by|strong = "H3068" horses|strong = "H5483"  
 nor|strong = "H3808" by|strong = "H3068" horsemen|strong = "H6571".'

8After|strong = "H0310" she|strong = "H1931" had|strong = "H3205"  
 weaned|strong = "H1580" No-Compassion, and|strong = "H1121"  
 when|strong = "H1121" she|strong = "H1931" conceived|strong = "H2029"  
 and|strong = "H1121" bore|strong = "H3205" a|strong = "H3205"  
 son|strong = "H1121", he|strong = "H1121" said|strong = "H0559":

9'Call|strong = "H7121" him|strong = "H7121" Lo-Ammi|strong = "H3818"  
 – "Not-My-People"

**f** or|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588", Israel|strong = "H5971",  
 are|strong = "H5971" not|strong = "H3808" my|strong = "H1961"  
 people|strong = "H5971",

**a** nd|strong = "H5971" I|strong = "H3588" indeed|strong = "H3588"  
 am|strong = "H1961" not|strong = "H3808" your|strong = "H3588"  
 God|strong = "H3808".'

10Yet|strong = "H5750" the|strong = "H3605" number|strong = "H4557"  
 of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605" Israelites|strong = "H3478"

**w** ill|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961" as|strong = "H0834"  
 the|strong = "H3605" sand|strong = "H2344" of|strong = "H1121"  
 the|strong = "H3605" sea|strong = "H3220",

**w** hich|strong = "H0834" cannot|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H1961"  
 measured|strong = "H4058" or|strong = "H0176" counted|strong = "H2803",

and where they were told, ‘You are not my people’,

they will be called ‘children of the living God.’

11The Judeans and the Israelites

will join together again,

will appoint for themselves one leader,

will return to their own land.

Great will be the day of Jezreel!

2So call your brothers, My People,

and your sisters, Compassion.

2Accuse, accuse your mother:

for she is not my wife,

and I will not be her husband.

L et|strong = "H7760" her|strong = "H7760" put|strong = "H7760"  
 her|strong = "H7760" acts|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H1121" infidelity  
 out|strong = "H4480" of|strong = "H1121" her|strong = "H7760"  
 sight|strong = "H5869",

a nd|strong = "H1121" her|strong = "H7760" lovers|strong = "H0157"  
 from|strong = "H4480" between|strong = "H4480" her|strong = "H7760"  
 breasts|strong = "H7699",

3else|strong = "H5750" I|strong = "H5971" will|strong = "H5971"  
 strip|strong = "H6584" her|strong = "H3605" bare|strong = "H3205",

e xpose|strong = "H1540" her|strong = "H3605" as|strong = "H5971"  
 she|strong = "H1931" was|strong = "H5971" on|strong = "H7355"  
 the|strong = "H5971" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H5971"  
 her|strong = "H3605" birth|strong = "H3205",

m ake|strong = "H6213" her|strong = "H3605" like|strong = "H5971"  
 the|strong = "H5971" wilderness|strong = "H4057",

l et|strong = "H7971" her|strong = "H3605" become|strong = "H1961"  
 like|strong = "H5971" a|strong = "H5971" parched|strong = "H7039"  
 land|strong = "H0776",

a nd|strong = "H5971" let|strong = "H7971" her|strong = "H3605"  
 die|strong = "H4191" of|strong = "H5971" thirst|strong = "H6772".

4And|strong = "H6440" on|strong = "H6440" her|strong = "H5493"  
 children|strong = "H1121" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3808"  
 have|strong = "H3588" no|strong = "H3808" pity|strong = "H2347",

s ince|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H6440"  
 children|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H6440" adultery|strong = "H5005",

5for|strong = "H3117" their|strong = "H7760" mother|strong = "H0517"  
 has|strong = "H3117" become|strong = "H3205" a|strong = "H7760"  
 prostitute|strong = "H2181",

s he|strong = "H1931" who|strong = "H3205" conceived|strong = "H2029"  
 them|strong = "H7760" has|strong = "H3117" behaved|strong = "H7737"  
 shamefully|strong = "H0954".

**S** he|strong = "H1931" has|strong = "H3117" said|strong = "H0559",

‘ I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3117" go|strong = "H1980"  
after|strong = "H3117" my|strong = "H7760" lovers|strong = "H0157"

**w** ho|strong = "H3205" gave|strong = "H3205" me|strong = "H7760"  
my|strong = "H7760" bread|strong = "H3899" and|strong = "H3117"  
my|strong = "H7760" water|strong = "H4325",

**m** y|strong = "H7760" wool|strong = "H6785", my|strong = "H7760"  
flax|strong = "H6593", my|strong = "H7760" oil|strong = "H8081",  
and|strong = "H3117" my|strong = "H7760" drink|strong = "H8354".'

6That|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H1121" why|strong = "H3588"  
I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961" going|strong = "H1980"  
to|strong = "H1121" hedge|strong = "H7753" up|strong = "H1121"  
her|strong = "H3588" ways|strong = "H1870" with|strong = "H1121"  
thorns|strong = "H6975",

**a** nd|strong = "H1121" build|strong = "H1129" a|strong = "H3588"  
wall|strong = "H2346" about|strong = "H5439" her|strong = "H3588",

**s** o|strong = "H3808" that|strong = "H3588" she|strong = "H3588"  
cannot|strong = "H3808" find|strong = "H7355" her|strong = "H3588"  
paths|strong = "H0734".

7She|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5414" pursue|strong = "H3212"  
her|strong = "H5414" lovers|strong = "H0157",

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5414" not|strong = "H5414"  
overtake|strong = "H5381" them|strong = "H5414".

**S** he|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5414" seek|strong = "H1245"  
them|strong = "H5414",

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" not|strong = "H5414" find|strong = "H5414"  
them|strong = "H5414".

**I** n|strong = "H3212" time|strong = "H6256" she|strong = "H3588"  
will|strong = "H5414" say|strong = "H0559",

‘ I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5414" go|strong = "H3212"  
back|strong = "H3212" to|strong = "H3212" my|strong = "H5414"  
first|strong = "H7223" husband|strong = "H0376",

I |strong = "H3588" was|strong = "H4325" better|strong = "H2896"  
off|strong = "H5414" then|strong = "H5414" than|strong = "H3588"  
now|strong = "H3588".’

8She|strong = "H3651" herself|strong = "H5315" did|strong = "H3651"  
not|strong = "H3808" know|strong = "H3045"

t hat|strong = "H3651" it|strong = "H3651" was|strong = "H1870"  
I|strong = "H2005" who|strong = "H4672" gave|strong = "H5414"  
her|strong = "H4672"

t he|strong = "H1870" grain|strong = "H1715", the|strong = "H1870"  
sweet|strong = "H5207" wine|strong = "H3196", and|strong = "H1870"  
the|strong = "H1870" oil|strong = "H8081",

w ho|strong = "H4672" lavished|strong = "H7235" on|strong = "H1870"  
her|strong = "H4672" silver|strong = "H3701" and|strong = "H1870"  
gold|strong = "H2091" –

t hat|strong = "H3651" they|strong = "H3651" used|strong = "H6213"  
in|strong = "H4672" worshipping|strong = "H7812" Baal|strong = "H1168"!

9So|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3808"  
take|strong = "H7725" back|strong = "H7725" my|strong = "H1245"  
grain|strong = "H1715" at|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H3588"  
harvest|strong = "H7105",

a nd|strong = "H7725" my|strong = "H1245" sweet|strong = "H2896"  
wine|strong = "H3196" in|strong = "H3212" its|strong = "H7725"  
season|strong = "H6256".

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3808" withdraw|strong = "H7725"  
my|strong = "H1245" wool|strong = "H6785" and|strong = "H7725"  
my|strong = "H1245" flax|strong = "H6593",

g iven|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H7725" cover|strong = "H3680"  
her|strong = "H4672" nakedness|strong = "H6172";

10and|strong = "H3701" so|strong = "H6213" I|strong = "H3588"  
will|strong = "H5414" strip|strong = "H6584" her|strong = "H5414"  
naked|strong = "H6174" before|strong = "H3808" her|strong = "H5414"  
lovers|strong = "H0157",

a nd|strong = "H3701" no|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H3808"  
shall|strong = "H3808" deliver|strong = "H5414" her|strong = "H5414"  
out|strong = "H5414" of|strong = "H6213" my|strong = "H5414"  
hand|strong = "H5414".

11I|strong = "H3651" will|strong = "H7725" end|strong = "H7093"  
all|strong = "H5337" her|strong = "H3947" celebrations|strong = "H4885",

h er|strong = "H3947" yearly|strong = "H3117" feasts|strong = "H4150",  
her|strong = "H3947" new|strong = "H8492" moons|strong = "H2320",  
and|strong = "H7725" her|strong = "H3947" sabbaths|strong = "H7676",

a ll|strong = "H5337" her|strong = "H3947" festivals|strong = "H4150".

12I|strong = "H6258" will|strong = "H5869" lay|strong = "H1540"  
waste|strong = "H2723" her|strong = "H1540" vines|strong = "H1612"  
and|strong = "H3027" her|strong = "H1540" fig|strong = "H8384"  
trees|strong = "H6086",

o f|strong = "H3027" which|strong = "H5869" she|strong = "H3808"  
says|strong = "H0559", "These|strong = "H0428" are|strong = "H5869"  
my|strong = "H5337" wages|strong = "H7939"

w hich|strong = "H5869" my|strong = "H5337" lovers|strong = "H0157"  
have|strong = "H5869" given|strong = "H3027" me|strong = "H5337".'

I |strong = "H6258" will|strong = "H5869" make|strong = "H3027"  
them|strong = "H3027" a|strong = "H3808" thicket|strong = "H1347",

a nd|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3027" wild|strong = "H7704"  
animals|strong = "H0929" will|strong = "H5869" eat|strong = "H0398"  
them|strong = "H3027".

13In|strong = "H2320" this|strong = "H3605" way|strong = "H3605"  
I|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H7673" punish|strong = "H6485"  
her|strong = "H3605" for|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
days|strong = "H2282" of|strong = "H2282" the|strong = "H3605"  
Baals|strong = "H1168",



i n|strong = "H2320" which|strong = "H2282" she|strong = "H2320"  
made|strong = "H3605" offerings|strong = "H8002" to|strong = "H4150"  
them|strong = "H5414",

a nd|strong = "H4150" decked|strong = "H5710" herself|strong = "H5315"  
with|strong = "H4150" earrings|strong = "H5141" and|strong = "H4150"  
jewels|strong = "H3627",

a nd|strong = "H4150" went|strong = "H1980" after|strong = "H0310"  
her|strong = "H3605" lovers|strong = "H0157",

b ut|strong = "H3605" forgot|strong = "H7911" me|strong = "H3605",

- declares|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H3605" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

14So|strong = "H5414" I|strong = "H5414" am|strong = "H1961"  
going|strong = "H1980" to|strong = "H5414" court|strong = "H2691"  
her|strong = "H5414",

b ring|strong = "H5414" her|strong = "H5414" into|strong = "H5414"  
the|strong = "H5414" wilderness|strong = "H4057",

a nd|strong = "H7704" speak|strong = "H1696" tenderly|strong = "H3820"  
to|strong = "H5414" her|strong = "H5414".

15I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068" give|strong = "H5414"  
her|strong = "H5921" from|strong = "H5921" there|strong = "H1992"  
her|strong = "H5921" vineyards|strong = "H3754",

a nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002" valley|strong = "H6010"  
of|strong = "H3068" Achor|strong = "H5911" as|strong = "H3117"  
a|strong = "H3117" door|strong = "H6607" of|strong = "H3068"  
hope|strong = "H3176".

T here|strong = "H1992" she|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3068"  
respond|strong = "H6030" as|strong = "H3117" in|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5002" days|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3068"  
her|strong = "H5921" youth|strong = "H5271",

and she will be in the days when she came up from the land of Egypt.

16 At that time, declares the Lord, you will call me your husband,

and you will no longer call me your master.

17 I will remove the name of Baal from her mouth,

and her names will never be uttered again.

18 On that day I will make for them a covenant

with the wild animals,

the birds of the sky,

and the creatures that crawl on the earth.

I will break the bow and the sword,

**b** anish|strong = "H5080" battle|strong = "H3117" from|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H5002" land|strong = "H0776",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068"  
make|strong = "H7121" them|strong = "H7121" lie|strong = "H1961"  
down|strong = "H7121" in|strong = "H3068" safety|strong = "H0983".

19I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3808" take|strong = "H5493"  
you|strong = "H3808" for|strong = "H8034" my|strong = "H2142"  
wife|strong = "H0802" forever|strong = "H5769",

**I** |strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3808" take|strong = "H5493"  
you|strong = "H3808" for|strong = "H8034" my|strong = "H2142"  
wife|strong = "H0802" in|strong = "H5493" righteousness|strong = "H6666",

**i** n|strong = "H5493" justice|strong = "H4941", in|strong = "H5493"  
kindness|strong = "H2617", and|strong = "H6310" in|strong = "H5493"  
mercy|strong = "H2617".

20I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H2719" take|strong = "H7901"  
you|strong = "H3117" for|strong = "H3117" my|strong = "H4480"  
wife|strong = "H2416" in|strong = "H3117" faithfulness|strong = "H0530",

**a** nd|strong = "H3117" you|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H2719"  
know|strong = "H3045" the|strong = "H4480" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

21On|strong = "H4941" that|strong = "H5769" day|strong = "H3117"  
I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H6664" answer|strong = "H6030"

- declares|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H4941" w  
Lord|strong = "H2617" w\*,

**I** |strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H6664" answer|strong = "H6030"  
the|strong = "H4941" empty|strong = "H7387" skies|strong = "H7834",

**a** nd|strong = "H4941" they|strong = "H1992" will|strong = "H6664"  
answer|strong = "H6030" the|strong = "H4941" dry|strong = "H3004"  
earth|strong = "H0776".

22The|strong = "H3068" earth|strong = "H0776" will|strong = "H3068"  
answer|strong = "H3045" with|strong = "H3068" grain|strong = "H1715",

a nd|strong="H3068" new|strong="H2319" wine|strong="H3196"  
and|strong="H3068" oil|strong="H8081",

a nd|strong="H3068" they|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068"  
answer|strong="H3045" Jezreel|strong="H3157",

23and|strong="H3068" I|strong="H3117" will|strong="H3068"  
plant|strong="H5193" her|strong="H1931" in|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H5002" land|strong="H8064".

I |strong="H3117" will|strong="H3068" have|strong="H1961"  
compassion|strong="H7355" to|strong="H3068" No-Compassion,

I |strong="H3117" will|strong="H3068" say|strong="H0559"  
to|strong="H3068" Not-My-People, 'You|strong="H3117"  
are|strong="H3117" my|strong="H3068" people|strong="H1931",'

a nd|strong="H3068" they|strong="H1992" will|strong="H3068"  
say|strong="H0559", 'You|strong="H3117" are|strong="H3117"  
my|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068".'

3Then|strong="H6437" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
said|strong="H0559" to|strong="H3478" me|strong="H3212",  
'Go|strong="H3212" again|strong="H5750", show|strong="H7200"  
love|strong="H0157" to|strong="H3478" this|strong="H3068"  
woman|strong="H0802", who|strong="H3068" is|strong="H3068"  
loved|strong="H0157" by|strong="H3068" another|strong="H7453",  
who|strong="H3068" commits|strong="H5003" adultery|strong="H5003".  
Love|strong="H0157" her|strong="H3212" as|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* loves|strong="H0157"  
the|strong="H3068" Israelites|strong="H3478", though|strong="H3588"  
they|strong="H1992" turn|strong="H6437" to|strong="H3478"  
other|strong="H5750" gods|strong="H0430", and|strong="H1121"  
love|strong="H0157" the|strong="H3068" raisin|strong="H0809"  
cakes|strong="H2471" offered|strong="H5927" to|strong="H3478"  
idols|strong="H1544".

2So|strong="H3651" I|strong="H0589" redeemed|strong="H1350"  
her|strong="H3605" for|strong="H3701" fifteen|strong="H2568"  
pieces|strong="H5409" of|strong="H3701" silver|strong="H3701"  
and|strong="H3701" a|strong="H3701" homer|strong="H2563"  
and|strong="H3701" a|strong="H3701" lethek of|strong="H3701"  
barley|strong="H8184". <sup>3</sup> And|strong="H3117" I|strong="H3117"  
told|strong="H5046" her|strong="H1571", 'You|strong="H3117"

must|strong="H1571" live|strong="H3427" with|strong="H3427"  
 me|strong="H1961" for|strong="H3427" many|strong="H7227"  
 days|strong="H3117" and|strong="H3117" you|strong="H3117"  
 must|strong="H1571" not|strong="H3808" sleep|strong="H8142"  
 around|strong="H5439" or|strong="H3808" marry|strong="H1961"  
 another|strong="H1571". And|strong="H3117" I|strong="H3117"  
 will|strong="H1961" do|strong="H6213" the|strong="H3117"  
 same|strong="H1931" for|strong="H3427" you|strong="H3117".

4And|strong="H1121" like|strong="H3478" this|strong="H3588"  
 the|strong="H3588" Israelites|strong="H3478" will|strong="H4428"  
 live|strong="H3427" for|strong="H3588" a|strong="H3588"  
 long|strong="H3117" time|strong="H3117" without|strong="H3427"  
 king|strong="H4428" and|strong="H1121" without|strong="H3427"  
 prince|strong="H8269", without|strong="H3427"  
 sacrifice|strong="H2077" and|strong="H1121" without|strong="H3427"  
 pillar|strong="H4676", without|strong="H3427" ephod|strong="H0646"  
 and|strong="H1121" without|strong="H3427" teraphim|strong="H8655".  
<sup>5</sup> Yet|strong="H3068" afterward|strong="H0310" the|strong="H3068"  
 Israelites|strong="H3478" will|strong="H3068" return|strong="H7725",  
 and|strong="H1121" seek|strong="H1245" the|strong="H3068" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\* their|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068"  
 and|strong="H1121" their|strong="H3068" Davidic king|strong="H4428",  
 and|strong="H1121" in|strong="H3478" the|strong="H3068"  
 days|strong="H3117" to|strong="H7725" come|strong="H7725"  
 they|strong="H3117" will|strong="H3068" turn|strong="H7725"  
 with|strong="H3068" awe|strong="H6342" to|strong="H7725"  
 the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* and|strong="H1121"  
 his|strong="H3068" goodness|strong="H2898".

The Lord's case against Israel

4Hear|strong="H8085" the|strong="H8085" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s message|strong="H1697",  
 Israelites|strong="H3478",

f or|strong="H3588" the|strong="H8085" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
 has|strong="H3068" brought|strong="H3478" charges|strong="H4931"  
 against|strong="H5973" the|strong="H8085" inhabitants|strong="H3427"  
 of|strong="H1121" the|strong="H8085" land|strong="H0776",

f or|strong="H3588" there|strong="H3427" is|strong="H3068"  
 no|strong="H3478" fidelity|strong="H2617", nor|strong="H1121"  
 true|strong="H3068" love|strong="H2617",

n or|strong = "H1121" knowledge|strong = "H1847" of|strong = "H1121"  
 God|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H8085"  
 land|strong = "H0776",

2but|strong = "H3588" cursing|strong = "H7045", lying|strong = "H3584",  
 and|strong = "H1818" murder|strong = "H7523",

s tealing|strong = "H1589", committing|strong = "H5003"  
 adultery|strong = "H5003", and|strong = "H1818" deeds|strong = "H4611"  
 of|strong = "H1818" violence|strong = "H6555",

a nd|strong = "H1818" acts|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H1818"  
 bloodshed|strong = "H1818" quickly|strong = "H4116"  
 follow|strong = "H0310" each|strong = "H0376" other|strong = "H0312".

3Therefore|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H3605" land|strong = "H7704"  
 mourns|strong = "H0056",

a ll|strong = "H3605" its|strong = "H3605" inhabitants|strong = "H3427"  
 languish|strong = "H0535",

t he|strong = "H3605" wild|strong = "H7704" animals|strong = "H2416"  
 and|strong = "H8064" the|strong = "H3605" birds|strong = "H5775"  
 of|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3605" skies|strong = "H5921",

e ven|strong = "H1571" the|strong = "H3605" fish|strong = "H1709"  
 of|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3605" sea|strong = "H3220"  
 are|strong = "H8064" dying|strong = "H0006".

4Yet|strong = "H3198" let|strong = "H7971" no|strong = "H3808"  
 one|strong = "H0259" bring|strong = "H0935" charges|strong = "H4931",

l et|strong = "H7971" none|strong = "H0369" accuse|strong = "H7378",

f or|strong = "H7378" your|strong = "H7378" people|strong = "H5971"  
 are|strong = "H5971" like|strong = "H5971" those|strong = "H1992",

w ho|strong = "H5971" bring|strong = "H0935" charges|strong = "H4931"  
 against|strong = "H7378" a|strong = "H3198" priest|strong = "H3548"<sup>2</sup>.

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<sup>2</sup>+ 4.4 Heb. uncertain.

5 You stumble by day,

and the prophet stumbles with you by night,

and I will destroy your mother.

6 My people are being destroyed for lack of knowledge;

because you have rejected knowledge

I reject you from being priest to me.

Since you have forgotten the teaching of your God,

I also will forget your children.

7 The more priests there are, the more they sin against me.

I will change their dignity to dishonour.

8 They feed on the sin offerings of my people,

so they hunger after their guilt.

9Thus|strong = "H1961" it|strong = "H5921" comes|strong = "H1961"  
to|strong = "H7725" be|strong = "H1961", like|strong = "H1961"  
people|strong = "H5971", like|strong = "H1961" priest|strong = "H3548":

I |strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H1961" visit|strong = "H6485"  
upon|strong = "H5921" each|strong = "H5971" punishment|strong = "H6485"  
for|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H7725" ways|strong = "H1870",

a nd|strong = "H7725" their|strong = "H7725" deeds|strong = "H4611"  
I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H1961" repay|strong = "H7725"  
them|strong = "H5921".

10They|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" eat|strong = "H0398"  
and|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808"  
satisfied|strong = "H7646",

t hey|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" sleep|strong = "H8142"  
around|strong = "H5439" but|strong = "H3588" stay|strong = "H3427"  
childless|strong = "H6185",

b ecause|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068"  
abandoned|strong = "H5800" the|strong = "H3588" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*

t o|strong = "H3068" give|strong = "H8104" themselves|strong = "H0905"  
to|strong = "H3068" <sup>11</sup> prostitution|strong = "H2184".

O ld|strong = "H2184" and|strong = "H3196" new|strong = "H8492"  
wine|strong = "H3196" take|strong = "H3947" away|strong = "H3947"  
the|strong = "H3947" understanding|strong = "H3820".

12My|strong = "H5046" own|strong = "H5971" people|strong = "H5971"  
ask|strong = "H7592" counsel|strong = "H7592" of|strong = "H7307"  
a|strong = "H3588" piece|strong = "H6595" of|strong = "H7307"  
wood|strong = "H6086"!

A |strong = "H3588" stick|strong = "H6086" gives|strong = "H5414"  
them|strong = "H8582" advice|strong = "H6098"!

F or|strong = "H3588" a|strong = "H3588" spirit|strong = "H7307"  
of|strong = "H7307" prostitution|strong = "H2184" has|strong = "H3588"  
led|strong = "H8582" them|strong = "H8582" astray|strong = "H8582",



they|strong="H3588" commit|strong="H2181"  
 adultery|strong="H2181" against|strong="H7307" their|strong="H3588"  
 God|strong="H0430".

13On|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" heights|strong="H4791"  
 of|strong="H1323" the|strong="H5921" mountains|strong="H2022"  
 they|strong="H3588" sacrifice|strong="H2076",

and|strong="H7218" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
 hills|strong="H1389" they|strong="H3588" burn|strong="H6999"  
 incense|strong="H6999"

under|strong="H8478" oaks|strong="H0437" and|strong="H7218"  
 poplars|strong="H3839" and|strong="H7218" terebinths,

for|strong="H3588" their|strong="H5921" shade|strong="H6738"  
 is|strong="H2896" so|strong="H3651" pleasant|strong="H2896".

Therefore|strong="H3651" your|strong="H5921"  
 daughters|strong="H1323" become|strong="H2181" cult|strong="H6945"  
 prostitutes|strong="H2181",

and|strong="H7218" your|strong="H5921"  
 daughters-in-law|strong="H3618" commit|strong="H5003"  
 adultery|strong="H5003".

14I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H5971" not|strong="H3808"  
 punish|strong="H6485" your|strong="H5921" daughters|strong="H1323"  
 for|strong="H3588" committing|strong="H5003"  
 prostitution|strong="H2184",

nor|strong="H3808" your|strong="H5921"  
 daughters-in-law|strong="H3618" for|strong="H3588"  
 adultery|strong="H5003".

Your|strong="H5921" men|strong="H5971" visit|strong="H6485"  
 prostitutes|strong="H2181",

sacrifice|strong="H2076" with|strong="H5973" cult|strong="H6945"  
 prostitutes|strong="H2181".

**S** o|strong="H3808" a|strong="H3588" people|strong="H5971"  
without|strong="H3808" understanding|strong="H8394"  
come|strong="H5971" to|strong="H5921" ruin|strong="H2723"!

15Though|strong="H3588" you|strong="H5927"  
commit|strong="H2181" adultery|strong="H2181",  
Israel|strong="H3478",

**I** et|strong="H7971" not|strong="H5927" Judah|strong="H3063"  
become|strong="H2181" guilty|strong="H0816".

**D** o|strong="H3068" not|strong="H5927" go|strong="H5927"  
to|strong="H3478" Gilgal|strong="H1537",

**d** o|strong="H3068" not|strong="H5927" go|strong="H5927"  
up|strong="H5927" to|strong="H3478" Beth-aven|strong="H1007",

**n** or|strong="H3808" swear|strong="H7650" an|strong="H7650"  
oath|strong="H7650", 'As|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* lives|strong="H2416".'

16Like|strong="H3478" a|strong="H3588" wilful  
heifer|strong="H6510",

**I** srael|strong="H3478" is|strong="H3068" stubborn|strong="H5637".

**C** an|strong="H4310" the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
now|strong="H6258" feed|strong="H7462" them|strong="H7462"

**a** s|strong="H3068" he|strong="H3588" would|strong="H3068"  
a|strong="H3588" lamb|strong="H3532" in|strong="H3478"  
a|strong="H3588" broad|strong="H4800" pasture|strong="H7462"?

17Ephraim|strong="H0669" is|strong="H2266" wedded  
to|strong="H2266" idols|strong="H6091".

**L** eave|strong="H3240" them|strong="H3240" alone|strong="H3240"!

18When|strong="H3588" their|strong="H5493"  
drinking|strong="H8354" is|strong="H4043" over|strong="H5921"

t hey|strong="H5493" sleep|strong="H8142" with|strong="H2181"  
the|strong="H5493" cult|strong="H6945" prostitutes|strong="H2181",

t heir|strong="H5493" rulers|strong="H4043" love|strong="H0157"  
shameful|strong="H1322" ways|strong="H1870".<sup>3</sup>

19A|strong="H7307" windstorm|strong="H8178" will|strong="H7307"  
wrap|strong="H3664" them|strong="H7307" in|strong="H2077"  
its|strong="H3605" wings|strong="H3671"

a nd|strong="H2077" they|strong="H1992" will|strong="H7307"  
be|strong="H7307" ashamed|strong="H0954" of|strong="H7307"  
their|strong="H3605" sacrifices|strong="H2077"<sup>4</sup>.  
The guilt of priests and princes

5Hear|strong="H8085" this|strong="H2063", priests|strong="H3548"!

A ttend|strong="H7181", Israelites|strong="H3478"!

L isten|strong="H8085", royal|strong="H4428" family|strong="H1004"!

F or|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" is|strong="H3478"  
the|strong="H5921" judgment|strong="H4941":

a |strong="H1961" snare|strong="H6341" you|strong="H3588"  
have|strong="H1961" become|strong="H1961" at|strong="H5921"  
Mizpeh|strong="H4709",

a nd|strong="H3478" a|strong="H1961" net|strong="H7568"  
spread|strong="H6566" out|strong="H6566" on|strong="H5921"  
Tabor|strong="H8396",

2the|strong="H3605" rebels|strong="H4784" are|strong="H7846"  
deep|strong="H6009" in|strong="H3605" slaughter|strong="H7819",

b ut|strong="H3605" I|strong="H3605" will|strong="H3605"  
discipline|strong="H4148" all|strong="H3605".

3I|strong="H3588" know|strong="H3045" Ephraim|strong="H0669",

<sup>3</sup>+ 4.18 Heb. uncertain.

<sup>4</sup>+ 4.19 LXX: altars.

**I** srael|strong = "H3478" is|strong = "H3478" not|strong = "H3808"  
hidden|strong = "H3582" from|strong = "H4480" me|strong = "H4480",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588", Ephraim|strong = "H0669",  
have|strong = "H3045" committed|strong = "H3478"  
prostitution|strong = "H2184"

**a** nd|strong = "H3478" Israel|strong = "H3478" is|strong = "H3478"  
defiled|strong = "H2930".

**4**Their|strong = "H3068" deeds|strong = "H4611" do|strong = "H3068"  
not|strong = "H3808" permit|strong = "H5414" them|strong = "H5414"

**t** o|strong = "H7725" return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725"  
their|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068".

**F** or|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" spirit|strong = "H7307"  
of|strong = "H3068" prostitution|strong = "H2184" is|strong = "H3068"  
within|strong = "H7130" them|strong = "H5414",

**t** hey|strong = "H3588" do|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
know|strong = "H3045" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

**5**Israel's|strong = "H3478" arrogance|strong = "H1347"  
testifies|strong = "H6030" against|strong = "H5973" them|strong = "H6440",

**I** srael|strong = "H3478", even|strong = "H1571" Ephraim|strong = "H0669",  
stumble|strong = "H3782" in|strong = "H3478" their|strong = "H6440"  
sin|strong = "H5771",

**a** nd|strong = "H3063" Judah|strong = "H3063" also|strong = "H1571"  
stumbles|strong = "H3782" with|strong = "H5973" them|strong = "H6440".

**6**With|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068" sheep|strong = "H6629"  
and|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068" cattle|strong = "H1241"

**t** hey|strong = "H1992" will|strong = "H3068" go|strong = "H3212"  
to|strong = "H3068" seek|strong = "H1245" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" they|strong = "H1992" will|strong = "H3068"  
not|strong = "H3808" find|strong = "H4672" him|strong = "H4672",

**h** e|strong = "H3068" has|strong = "H3068" withdrawn|strong = "H2502"  
from|strong = "H3068" them|strong = "H1992",

7for|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068"  
been|strong = "H6258" untrue to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**t** heir|strong = "H3068" children|strong = "H1121" are|strong = "H1121"  
strangers|strong = "H2114".

**T** heir|strong = "H3068" new|strong = "H2320" moon|strong = "H2320"  
festivals|strong = "H4150" will|strong = "H3068" soon|strong = "H6258"  
destroy|strong = "H7843" them|strong = "H3205" and|strong = "H1121"  
their|strong = "H3068" fields|strong = "H7704".

8Blow|strong = "H8628" the|strong = "H8628" trumpet|strong = "H7782"  
in|strong = "H7782" Gibeah|strong = "H1390",

**t** he|strong = "H8628" clarion in|strong = "H7782"  
Ramah|strong = "H7414"!

**R**aise|strong = "H7321" the|strong = "H8628" alarm|strong = "H7321"  
in|strong = "H7782" Beth-aven|strong = "H1007":

**w**e|strong = "H0587" are|strong = "H3117" with|strong = "H8628"  
you|strong = "H0859", Benjamin|strong = "H1144"! <sup>5</sup>

9Ephraim|strong = "H0669" will|strong = "H1961"  
become|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961" desolation|strong = "H8047"

**i**n|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H3117" punishment|strong = "H8433",

**c**oncerning|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3117" tribes|strong = "H7626"  
of|strong = "H3117" Israel|strong = "H3478"

**I**|strong = "H3117" make|strong = "H3045" known|strong = "H3045"  
what|strong = "H3045" is|strong = "H3117" certain|strong = "H3045".

10The|strong = "H5921" princes|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H8269"  
Israel|strong = "H3478" have|strong = "H1961" become|strong = "H1961"

<sup>5</sup> + 5.8 LXX: make Benjamin tremble

like|strong = "H1961" thieves|strong = "H1590" who|strong = "H3063"  
 move|strong = "H5253" boundary|strong = "H1366" stones|strong = "H0068".

On|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921" I|strong = "H5921"  
 will|strong = "H1961" pour|strong = "H8210" out|strong = "H8210"  
 my|strong = "H5921" wrath|strong = "H5678" like|strong = "H1961"  
 a|strong = "H1961" flood|strong = "H4325".

11Ephraim|strong = "H0669" will|strong = "H3588" be|strong = "H3588"  
 oppressed|strong = "H6231", crushed|strong = "H7533" by|strong = "H1980"  
 judgment|strong = "H4941",

for|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H4941"  
 determined|strong = "H2974" to|strong = "H1980" go|strong = "H1980"  
 after|strong = "H3588" vanity|strong = "H1892"<sup>6</sup>.

12So|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H1004" am|strong = "H1961"  
 like|strong = "H1004" a|strong = "H3063" moth|strong = "H6211"  
 to|strong = "H1004" Ephraim|strong = "H0669",

like|strong = "H1004" rottenness|strong = "H7538" to|strong = "H1004"  
 the|strong = "H1004" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"  
 Judah|strong = "H3063".

13For|strong = "H7971" when|strong = "H7200" Ephraim|strong = "H0669"  
 saw|strong = "H7200" their|strong = "H7200" sickness|strong = "H2483"

and|strong = "H3063" Israel|strong = "H3478" their|strong = "H7200"  
 wound|strong = "H4205",

Ephraim|strong = "H0669" turned|strong = "H2015" to|strong = "H3201"  
 Assyria|strong = "H0804",

to|strong = "H3201" its|strong = "H7495" patron king|strong = "H4428".

But|strong = "H3808" he|strong = "H1931" cannot|strong = "H3808"  
 heal|strong = "H7495" you|strong = "H7971"

nor|strong = "H3808" relieve|strong = "H7725" you|strong = "H7971"  
 of|strong = "H4428" your|strong = "H7200" wound|strong = "H4205".

<sup>6</sup>+ 5.11 So LXX. Heb. uncertain.

14For I myself  
will be like  
a lion to  
Ephraim,

I like a young  
lion to the  
house of Judah.

I, yes I,  
will rend and  
go to my way,

I will carry  
off and none  
will rescue.  
The lack of  
repentance and reform

15I will return  
to my place,

until in remorse  
they seek my  
presence.

When they are  
in distress they  
will quickly seek  
me,

6saying, 'Come let  
us return to  
the w Lord',

for he has  
torn us

but he will  
heal us,

**h** e|strong="H1931" has|strong="H3068" injured|strong="H8295"  
us|strong="H7725"

**b** ut|strong="H3588" he|strong="H1931" will|strong="H3068"  
bandage|strong="H2280" our|strong="H3068" wounds|strong="H5221",

2he|strong="H3117" will|strong="H3117" revive|strong="H2421"  
in|strong="H3117" a|strong="H3117" couple|strong="H6776"  
of|strong="H3117" days|strong="H3117",

**o** n|strong="H3117" the|strong="H6440" third|strong="H7992"  
day|strong="H3117" he|strong="H3117" will|strong="H3117"  
raise|strong="H6965" us|strong="H6440" up|strong="H6965"  
again|strong="H6965",

**t** o|strong="H6440" live|strong="H2421" in|strong="H3117"  
his|strong="H6440" presence|strong="H6440".

3Let|strong="H7971" us|strong="H3045" know|strong="H3045",  
let|strong="H7971" us|strong="H3045" eagerly|strong="H6960"  
seek|strong="H1245" to|strong="H3068" know|strong="H3045"  
the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

**H** is|strong="H3068" coming|strong="H0935" is|strong="H3068"  
as|strong="H3068" sure|strong="H3045" as|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" sunrise|strong="H4217".

**H** e|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" come|strong="H3045"  
to|strong="H3068" us|strong="H3045" like|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" winter|strong="H2779" rain|strong="H1653",

**a** s|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" spring|strong="H4456"  
rain|strong="H1653" that|strong="H3045" waters|strong="H4325"  
the|strong="H3068" earth|strong="H0776".'

4What|strong="H4100" can|strong="H4100" I|strong="H4100"  
make|strong="H6213" of|strong="H6213" you|strong="H6213",  
Ephraim|strong="H0669"!

**W** hat|strong="H4100" can|strong="H4100" I|strong="H4100"  
make|strong="H6213" of|strong="H6213" you|strong="H6213",  
Judah|strong="H3063"!



**Y** our|strong = "H6213" love|strong = "H2617" is|strong = "H2617"  
like|strong = "H1980" a|strong = "H6213" morning|strong = "H1242"  
cloud|strong = "H6051",

**I** ke|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H6213" dew|strong = "H2919"  
which|strong = "H4100" early|strong = "H7925" goes|strong = "H1980"  
away|strong = "H1980".

**5**That|strong = "H3651" is|strong = "H3651" why|strong = "H5921"  
I|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H5030" hewn|strong = "H2672"  
them|strong = "H5921" by|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
prophets|strong = "H5030",

**I** |strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H5030" slain|strong = "H2026"  
them|strong = "H5921" by|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
words|strong = "H6310" of|strong = "H6310" my|strong = "H5921"  
mouth|strong = "H6310".

**M** y|strong = "H5921" judgment|strong = "H4941" is|strong = "H3651"  
like|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H5921" light|strong = "H0216"  
that|strong = "H3651" goes|strong = "H3318" forth|strong = "H3318",

**6**for|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H2617"  
love|strong = "H2617" that|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
delight|strong = "H2654" in|strong = "H2654" and|strong = "H5930"  
not|strong = "H3808" sacrifice|strong = "H2077",

**a** nd|strong = "H5930" knowledge|strong = "H1847" of|strong = "H2077"  
God|strong = "H3808" and|strong = "H5930" not|strong = "H3808"  
burnt|strong = "H5930" offerings|strong = "H5930".

**7**But|strong = "H1992" they|strong = "H1992" after|strong = "H1992"  
the|strong = "H5674" manner|strong = "H4941" of|strong = "H1285"  
men|strong = "H1992" have|strong = "H1992" transgressed|strong = "H5674"  
the|strong = "H5674" covenant|strong = "H1285",

**t** here|strong = "H8033" they|strong = "H1992" have|strong = "H1992"  
played|strong = "H2181" me|strong = "H5674" false|strong = "H8267".

**8**Gilead|strong = "H1568" is|strong = "H1818" a|strong = "H6466"  
city|strong = "H7151" of|strong = "H1818" evildoers|strong = "H6466",

t racked|strong = "H6121" with|strong = "H7151" bloody|strong = "H1818"  
 footprints|strong = "H6119",

9and|strong = "H3548" as|strong = "H6213" bandits|strong = "H1416"  
 lie|strong = "H7901" in|strong = "H6213" wait|strong = "H2442"  
 for|strong = "H3588" a|strong = "H6213" man|strong = "H0376",

s o|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H6213" band|strong = "H1416"  
 of|strong = "H1870" priests|strong = "H3548" murder|strong = "H7523"  
 on|strong = "H1870" the|strong = "H3588" way|strong = "H1870"  
 to|strong = "H6213" Shechem|strong = "H7927".

H ow|strong = "H3588" terrible|strong = "H6213" is|strong = "H1870"  
 the|strong = "H3588" evil|strong = "H6213" they|strong = "H3588"  
 do|strong = "H6213"!

10In|strong = "H3478" Bethel|strong = "H1008" I|strong = "H7200"  
 have|strong = "H3478" seen|strong = "H7200" a|strong = "H7200"  
 horrible|strong = "H8186" thing|strong = "H8186".

T here|strong = "H8033" Ephraim|strong = "H0669" plays|strong = "H2181"  
 the|strong = "H7200" prostitute|strong = "H2181",

I srael|strong = "H3478" is|strong = "H3478" defiled|strong = "H2930".

11Judah|strong = "H3063" for|strong = "H5971" you|strong = "H7725"  
 also|strong = "H1571" a|strong = "H7725" harvest|strong = "H7105"  
 is|strong = "H1571" set|strong = "H7896".

W hen|strong = "H7725" I|strong = "H1571" would|strong = "H5971"  
 restore|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H7725" fortunes|strong = "H7622"  
 of|strong = "H5971" my|strong = "H7725" people|strong = "H5971",

7when|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" would|strong = "H3478"  
 heal|strong = "H7495" Israel|strong = "H3478",

t hen|strong = "H3588" Ephraim's guilt|strong = "H5771"  
 is|strong = "H3478" revealed|strong = "H1540",

a nd|strong = "H3478" Samaria's|strong = "H8111" crimes|strong = "H7451"  
 are|strong = "H3478" seen|strong = "H7200",

**h** ow|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" practise|strong = "H6213"  
fraud|strong = "H1892"

**a** nd|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3588" thief|strong = "H1590"  
enters|strong = "H0935" in|strong = "H3478",

**w** hile|strong = "H3588" outside|strong = "H2351"  
bandits|strong = "H1416" plunder|strong = "H0962".

**2**But|strong = "H1961" it|strong = "H6440" never|strong = "H1077" crosses  
their|strong = "H3605" minds|strong = "H3824"

**t** hat|strong = "H3605" I|strong = "H6258" remember|strong = "H2142"  
their|strong = "H3605" wickedness|strong = "H7451".

**N** ow|strong = "H6258" their|strong = "H3605" misdeeds  
surround|strong = "H5437" them|strong = "H6440",

**t** hey|strong = "H1077" are|strong = "H1961" always|strong = "H3605"  
before|strong = "H6440" my|strong = "H3605" face|strong = "H6440".

**3**Their|strong = "H7451" wickedness|strong = "H7451" amuses  
the|strong = "H8055" king|strong = "H4428",

**a** nd|strong = "H4428" their|strong = "H7451" lying|strong = "H3585"  
gladdens the|strong = "H8055" princes|strong = "H8269",

**4**since|strong = "H5704" they|strong = "H5704" are|strong = "H3117"  
all|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H3605" them|strong = "H5704"  
adulterers|strong = "H5003".

**T** heir|strong = "H3605" desire|strong = "H8378" to|strong = "H5704"  
do|strong = "H3605" evil|strong = "H7451"

**b** urns|strong = "H1197" like|strong = "H3644" an|strong = "H7673"  
oven|strong = "H8574" heated|strong = "H1197" by|strong = "H5704"  
the|strong = "H3605" baker|strong = "H0644",

**s** o|strong = "H3644" hot|strong = "H2552" that|strong = "H3605"  
he|strong = "H5704" need|strong = "H4270" not|strong = "H5704"  
stir|strong = "H5782" the|strong = "H3605" fire|strong = "H0784",

**f** rom|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3605" kneading|strong = "H3888"  
of|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" dough|strong = "H1217",  
until|strong = "H5704" it|strong = "H5704" rises|strong = "H6965".

5On|strong = "H3117" our|strong = "H3027" king's|strong = "H4428"  
festival|strong = "H2282" day|strong = "H3117",

**t** he|strong = "H3117" princes|strong = "H8269" are|strong = "H3117"  
flushed|strong = "H2560" with|strong = "H3117" fever|strong = "H6920"  
from|strong = "H3027" wine|strong = "H3196".

**H** e|strong = "H3117" stretched|strong = "H3027" forth|strong = "H3318"  
his|strong = "H3027" hand|strong = "H3027" with|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H3117" contemptuous <sup>7</sup> ,

6for|strong = "H3588" like|strong = "H1197" an|strong = "H7126"  
oven|strong = "H8574" their|strong = "H3605" heart|strong = "H3820"  
burns|strong = "H1197" with|strong = "H1197" treachery|strong = "H4820",

**a** ll|strong = "H3605" night|strong = "H3915" their|strong = "H3605"  
anger|strong = "H0639" smoulders,

**i** n|strong = "H3820" the|strong = "H3605" morning|strong = "H1242"  
it|strong = "H1931" blazes|strong = "H3857" into|strong = "H3915"  
a|strong = "H3588" flame|strong = "H3852" of|strong = "H3820"  
fire|strong = "H0784".

7All|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H4428" them|strong = "H7121"  
glow|strong = "H2830" like|strong = "H5307" an|strong = "H7121"  
oven|strong = "H8574",

**t** hey|strong = "H3605" devour|strong = "H0398" their|strong = "H3605"  
rulers|strong = "H8199".

**A** ll|strong = "H3605" their|strong = "H3605" kings|strong = "H4428"  
have|strong = "H3605" fallen|strong = "H5307".

**T** here|strong = "H3605" is|strong = "H3605" none|strong = "H3605"  
among|strong = "H8199" them|strong = "H7121" who|strong = "H3605"  
calls|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H4428" me|strong = "H7121".  
Evidence|strong = "H5612" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605"  
nation's iniquity|strong = "H5771"

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<sup>7</sup> + 7.5 Heb. uncertain

8Ephraim|strong = "H0669" – he|strong = "H1931" lets|strong = "H7971"  
 himself|strong = "H1931" be|strong = "H1961" mixed|strong = "H1101"  
 among|strong = "H5971" the|strong = "H1961" peoples|strong = "H5971",

E phraim|strong = "H0669" – he|strong = "H1931" has|strong = "H1961"  
 become|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961" cake|strong = "H5692"  
 unturned.

9Strangers|strong = "H2114" have|strong = "H3045"  
 devoured|strong = "H0398" his|strong = "H3045" strength|strong = "H3581",  
 but|strong = "H3808" he|strong = "H1931" does|strong = "H3808"  
 not|strong = "H3808" know|strong = "H3045" it|strong = "H1931".

H is|strong = "H3045" hair|strong = "H7872" is|strong = "H1931"  
 sprinkled|strong = "H2236" with|strong = "H3045" grey,  
 but|strong = "H3808" he|strong = "H1931" does|strong = "H3808"  
 not|strong = "H3808" notice|strong = "H3045".

10Israel's|strong = "H3478" arrogance|strong = "H1347"  
 testifies|strong = "H6030" against|strong = "H6440" them|strong = "H7725"

y et|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068" do|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725"  
 the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* their|strong = "H3605"  
 God|strong = "H3068",

a nd|strong = "H3478" in|strong = "H3478" all|strong = "H3605"  
 this|strong = "H2063" they|strong = "H3068" do|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" seek|strong = "H1245" him|strong = "H6440".

11Ephraim|strong = "H0669" is|strong = "H3820" like|strong = "H1961"  
 a|strong = "H1961" simple|strong = "H6601", silly|strong = "H6601"  
 dove|strong = "H3123":

t o|strong = "H1980" Egypt|strong = "H4714" they|strong = "H3820"  
 call|strong = "H7121", after|strong = "H1961" Assyria|strong = "H0804"  
 they|strong = "H3820" go|strong = "H1980",

12wherever|strong = "H5921" they|strong = "H5921"  
 turn|strong = "H7725" I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H8064"  
 spread|strong = "H6566" my|strong = "H5921" net|strong = "H7568"  
 over|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921",

I like birds of the sky I will bring them down,

I will catch them when I hear them gathering.

13 Woe to them, for they have strayed from me!

Destruction to them, for they have been untrue to me.

Although it was I who redeemed them,

they speak lies about me.

14 They have never cried with their hearts,

but they always wailing on their beds.

They gather to beg and new wine,

but they turn away from me.

15 Although it was I who trained and strengthened their arms,

**c** oncerning|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H2388" they|strong = "H7451"  
plan|strong = "H2803" only|strong = "H0389" evil|strong = "H7451".

16They|strong = "H3808" turn|strong = "H7725" away|strong = "H7725"  
from|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H7725" Most|strong = "H6944"  
High|strong = "H5920"<sup>8</sup> .

**T** hey|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H1961" become|strong = "H1961"  
like|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961" bow|strong = "H7198"  
that|strong = "H5307" swerves.

**T** heir|strong = "H7725" princes|strong = "H8269" will|strong = "H1961"  
fall|strong = "H5307" by|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H7725"  
sword|strong = "H2719",

**b** ecause|strong = "H3588" of|strong = "H8269" the|strong = "H7725"  
insolence|strong = "H2195" of|strong = "H8269" their|strong = "H7725"  
tongues|strong = "H3956".

**T** he|strong = "H7725" land|strong = "H0776" of|strong = "H8269"  
Egypt|strong = "H4714" will|strong = "H1961" mock|strong = "H3932"  
them|strong = "H7725".

8Put|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" horn|strong = "H7782"  
to|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" mouth|strong = "H2441"!

**A** n|strong = "H3068" eagle|strong = "H5404" swoops|strong = "H1675"  
down|strong = "H5921" upon|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H5921" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*<sup>9</sup>

**b** ecause|strong = "H5921" they|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068"  
transgressed|strong = "H6586" my|strong = "H3068"  
covenant|strong = "H1285",

**t** respassed|strong = "H6586" against|strong = "H5921"  
my|strong = "H3068" law|strong = "H8451".

2To|strong = "H3478" me|strong = "H3045" they|strong = "H3045"  
continually|strong = "H8548" cry|strong = "H2199",

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<sup>8</sup>+ 7.16 Heb. uncertain.

<sup>9</sup>+ 8.1 Heb. uncertain

‘ My|strong = "H3045" God|strong = "H0430", we|strong = "H0587"  
Israel|strong = "H3478", we|strong = "H0587" know|strong = "H3045"  
you|strong = "H3045"!’

3But|strong = "H2186" Israel|strong = "H3478" has|strong = "H3478"  
spurned|strong = "H5006" that|strong = "H3478" which|strong = "H3478"  
is|strong = "H2896" good|strong = "H2896",

s o|strong = "H3651" let|strong = "H7971" the|strong = "H7291"  
foe|strong = "H6862" pursue|strong = "H7291" him|strong = "H7291".  
The|strong = "H7291" Lord’s|strong = "H3068" rejection|strong = "H5007"  
of|strong = "H2896" Israel’s|strong = "H3478" rulers|strong = "H8269"  
and|strong = "H3478" idols|strong = "H1544"

4They|strong = "H1992" themselves|strong = "H1992"  
have|strong = "H3045" made|strong = "H6213" kings|strong = "H4427"

b ut|strong = "H3808" without|strong = "H3808" my|strong = "H3045"  
consent|strong = "H0014".

T hey|strong = "H1992" have|strong = "H3045" made|strong = "H6213"  
princes|strong = "H8323"

b ut|strong = "H3808" without|strong = "H3808" my|strong = "H3045"  
knowledge|strong = "H3045".

O ut|strong = "H4480" of|strong = "H4480" their|strong = "H1992"  
silver|strong = "H3701" and|strong = "H3701" gold|strong = "H2091",

t hey|strong = "H1992" have|strong = "H3045" made|strong = "H6213"  
idols|strong = "H6091" to|strong = "H6213" their|strong = "H1992"  
destruction|strong = "H7667"!

5Your|strong = "H3808" calf|strong = "H5695" idol|strong = "H6459",  
O|strong = "H4970" Samaria|strong = "H8111", is|strong = "H3808"  
distasteful.

M y|strong = "H5704" anger|strong = "H0639" is|strong = "H3808"  
kindled|strong = "H2734" against|strong = "H2734" them|strong = "H5704".

H ow|strong = "H4970" long|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H3808"  
they|strong = "H3808" escape|strong = "H4422"  
punishment|strong = "H5771"?



6Israel|strong = "H3478" made|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3588"  
thing|strong = "H3588":

a |strong = "H1961" workman|strong = "H2796" made|strong = "H6213"  
it|strong = "H1931".

I t|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931" not|strong = "H3808"  
a|strong = "H1961" god|strong = "H3808"!

S amaria's|strong = "H8111" calf|strong = "H5695" will|strong = "H1961"  
become|strong = "H1961" mere|strong = "H1892" splinters|strong = "H7111".

7They|strong = "H3588" sow|strong = "H2232" the|strong = "H3588"  
wind|strong = "H7307" and|strong = "H6213" will|strong = "H7307"  
reap|strong = "H7114" the|strong = "H3588" whirlwind|strong = "H5492".

A |strong = "H6213" shoot|strong = "H3384" which|strong = "H7307"  
has|strong = "H3588" no|strong = "H6213" stalk|strong = "H7054",  
yields|strong = "H6213" no|strong = "H6213" fruit|strong = "H6529"

I f|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H3588" should|strong = "H3588"  
yield|strong = "H6213", strangers|strong = "H2114" would|strong = "H6213"  
devour|strong = "H0398" it|strong = "H3588".

8Israel|strong = "H3478" is|strong = "H3478" devoured|strong = "H1104".

A lready|strong = "H6258" it|strong = "H1961" lies|strong = "H1961"  
discarded|strong = "H3988" among|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H1961"  
nations|strong = "H1471"

l ike|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961" worthless|strong = "H1100"  
pot|strong = "H3627".

9For|strong = "H3588" by|strong = "H5927" themselves|strong = "H1992"  
they|strong = "H1992" have|strong = "H3588" gone|strong = "H5927"  
up|strong = "H5927" to|strong = "H5927" Assyria|strong = "H0804"

l ike|strong = "H5927" a|strong = "H3588" wild|strong = "H6501"  
donkey|strong = "H6501" which|strong = "H1992" wanders|strong = "H5074"  
by|strong = "H5927" itself|strong = "H0905".

**E** phraim|strong = "H0669" pays|strong = "H7999" for|strong = "H3588"  
love|strong = "H0157"

10but|strong = "H3588" even|strong = "H1571" if|strong = "H3588"  
they|strong = "H3588" sell|strong = "H4376" themselves|strong = "H6908"  
among|strong = "H8432" the|strong = "H3588" nations|strong = "H1471",

**I** |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1471" round|strong = "H1471"  
them|strong = "H2490" up|strong = "H6908".

**S** oon|strong = "H4592" the|strong = "H3588" kings|strong = "H4428"  
and|strong = "H4428" princes|strong = "H8269" will|strong = "H1471"  
writhe|strong = "H2342" under|strong = "H8478" the|strong = "H3588"  
burden|strong = "H4853" of|strong = "H4428" tribute|strong = "H4853"!

11For|strong = "H3588" as|strong = "H1961" many|strong = "H7235"  
altars|strong = "H4196" as|strong = "H1961" Ephraim|strong = "H0669"  
has|strong = "H1961" erected|strong = "H6965",

**t** hey|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H1961"  
him|strong = "H7235" altars|strong = "H4196" for|strong = "H3588"  
sinning|strong = "H2398",

12were|strong = "H3644" I|strong = "H3644" to|strong = "H2803"  
write|strong = "H3789" for|strong = "H2803" him|strong = "H3644"  
ever|strong = "H5769" so|strong = "H3644" many|strong = "H7227"  
instructions|strong = "H8451",

**t** hey|strong = "H3789" would|strong = "H2114" be|strong = "H2114"  
regarded|strong = "H2803" as|strong = "H2803" from|strong = "H4480"  
a|strong = "H3644" stranger|strong = "H2114".

13The|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H1320" love|strong = "H0157"  
sacrifice|strong = "H2077", and|strong = "H3068" so|strong = "H3808"  
they|strong = "H1992" offer|strong = "H2076" sacrifices|strong = "H2077",

**m** eat|strong = "H1320", and|strong = "H3068" so|strong = "H3808"  
they|strong = "H1992" eat|strong = "H0398" it|strong = "H7725",

**a** lthough|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
pleased|strong = "H7521" with|strong = "H3068" them|strong = "H1992",

s o|strong="H3808" now|strong="H6258" he|strong="H3068"  
will|strong="H3068" remember|strong="H2142" their|strong="H3068"  
guilt|strong="H5771",

a nd|strong="H3068" punish|strong="H6485" their|strong="H3068"  
sins|strong="H2403".

B ack|strong="H7725" to|strong="H7725" Egypt|strong="H4714"  
with|strong="H3068" them|strong="H1992"!

14For|strong="H6213" Israel|strong="H3478" forgot|strong="H7911"  
his|strong="H7971" Maker|strong="H6213" and|strong="H3063"  
built|strong="H1129" palaces|strong="H1964",

a nd|strong="H3063" Judah|strong="H3063"  
multiplied|strong="H7235" fortified|strong="H1219"  
cities|strong="H5892".

B ut|strong="H7911" I|strong="H3478" will|strong="H3478"  
send|strong="H7971" fire|strong="H0784" upon|strong="H6213"  
her|strong="H7971" cities|strong="H5892",

a nd|strong="H3063" it|strong="H6213" will|strong="H3478"  
devour|strong="H0398" her|strong="H7971"  
strongholds|strong="H4679".  
The horrors of the coming exile

9Rejoice|strong="H8055" not|strong="H3588" too|strong="H5921"  
loudly|strong="H6963", Israel|strong="H3478",

l ike|strong="H3478" the|strong="H3605" nations|strong="H5971",

f or|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" have|strong="H5971"  
committed adultery|strong="H2181",

b eing|strong="H5971" untrue to|strong="H3478" your|strong="H3605"  
God|strong="H0430".

Y ou|strong="H3588" have|strong="H5971" loved|strong="H0157"  
a|strong="H3588" prostitute's wages|strong="H7939"

o n|strong = "H5921" every|strong = "H3605" threshing|strong = "H1637"  
floor|strong = "H1637".

2Threshing|strong = "H1637" floor|strong = "H1637" and|strong = "H8492"  
wine|strong = "H8492" vat|strong = "H3342" won't|strong = "H3808"  
feed|strong = "H7462" them|strong = "H7462",

t he|strong = "H3808" new|strong = "H8492" wine|strong = "H8492"  
will|strong = "H3808" fail|strong = "H3584" them|strong = "H7462".

3They|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
stay|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*'s land|strong = "H0776",

b ut|strong = "H3808" Ephraim|strong = "H0669" will|strong = "H3068"  
return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725" Egypt|strong = "H4714",

a nd|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H3427" Assyria|strong = "H0804"  
they|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" eat|strong = "H0398"  
what|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H3068" unclean|strong = "H2931".

4They|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
pour|strong = "H5258" out|strong = "H5258" libations|strong = "H5262"  
of|strong = "H1004" wine|strong = "H3196" to|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

n or|strong = "H3808" please|strong = "H6148" him|strong = "H2930"  
with|strong = "H1004" their|strong = "H3605" sacrifices|strong = "H2077".

T heir|strong = "H3605" bread|strong = "H3899" will|strong = "H3068"  
be|strong = "H3808" like|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605"  
bread|strong = "H3899" of|strong = "H1004" mourners|strong = "H0057":

a ll|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" eat|strong = "H3899"  
it|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" defile|strong = "H2930"  
themselves|strong = "H5315".

F or|strong = "H3588" their|strong = "H3605" bread|strong = "H3899"  
will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3808" only|strong = "H3588"  
for|strong = "H3588" their|strong = "H3605" hunger|strong = "H5315",

**i** t|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808"  
come|strong="H0935" into|strong="H0413" the|strong="H3605" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s temple|strong="H1004".

5What|strong="H4100" will|strong="H3068" you|strong="H3117"  
do|strong="H6213" on|strong="H3117" the|strong="H6213"  
day|strong="H3117" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H6213"  
festival|strong="H2282"?

**O** r|strong="H3117" on|strong="H3117" the|strong="H6213"  
day|strong="H3117" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H6213" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s feast|strong="H2282"?

6Even|strong="H3588" if|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588"  
flee|strong="H5127" from|strong="H1980" destruction|strong="H7701",

**E** gyp|strong="H4714" will|strong="H4714" gather|strong="H6908"  
them|strong="H3423",

**M** emphis|strong="H4644" will|strong="H4714" bury|strong="H6912"  
them|strong="H3423".

**N** ettles|strong="H7057" will|strong="H4714" take|strong="H3423"  
possession|strong="H3423" of|strong="H3423" their|strong="H3588"  
treasure|strong="H0214" of|strong="H3423" silver|strong="H3701",

**t** horns|strong="H2336" will|strong="H4714" push|strong="H5055"  
into|strong="H1980" their|strong="H3588" tents|strong="H0168".

7The|strong="H5921" days|strong="H3117" of|strong="H3117"  
punishment|strong="H5771" are|strong="H3117" come|strong="H3478",

**t** he|strong="H5921" days|strong="H3117" of|strong="H3117"  
recompense|strong="H7966" are|strong="H3117" at|strong="H5921"  
hand|strong="H3027",

**a** s|strong="H3117" soon|strong="H3512" the|strong="H5921"  
Israelites|strong="H3478" will|strong="H3478" know|strong="H3045"!

‘ The|strong="H5921" prophet|strong="H5030" is|strong="H3117"  
a|strong="H3117" fool|strong="H3684",

**t** he|strong = "H5921" inspired|strong = "H7307" man|strong = "H7696"  
is|strong = "H3117" raving mad|strong = "H7696"!

**I** t|strong = "H5921" is|strong = "H3117" because|strong = "H5921"  
of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H5921" greatness|strong = "H7230"  
of|strong = "H3117" your|strong = "H5921" iniquity|strong = "H5771"

**a** nd|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H5921" greatness|strong = "H7230"  
of|strong = "H3117" your|strong = "H5921" hatred|strong = "H4895".

8Ephraim|strong = "H0669" acts|strong = "H1870" the|strong = "H3605"  
spy|strong = "H7270" with|strong = "H5973" my|strong = "H3605"  
God|strong = "H0430",

**a** |strong = "H5921" prophet|strong = "H5030" finds|strong = "H4672"  
the|strong = "H3605" snares|strong = "H6341" of|strong = "H1004"  
a|strong = "H5921" fowler|strong = "H3352" are|strong = "H5030"  
in|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605"  
ways|strong = "H1870".

**I** n|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" house|strong = "H1004"  
of|strong = "H1004" his|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H0430"  
they|strong = "H5921" lay|strong = "H7901" hostile|strong = "H7489"  
plots|strong = "H4284",

9they|strong = "H3117" commit|strong = "H6485" crimes|strong = "H6588"  
as|strong = "H3117" in|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117"  
days|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117" Gibeah|strong = "H1390",

**G** od|strong = "H0430" will|strong = "H3117" remember|strong = "H2142"  
their|strong = "H2142" iniquity|strong = "H5771".

**H** e|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3117" punish|strong = "H6485"  
their|strong = "H2142" sin|strong = "H2403".  
Israel's|strong = "H3478" corruption|strong = "H7845"

10I|strong = "H7200" found|strong = "H4672" Israel|strong = "H3478"

**I** ke|strong = "H1961" finding|strong = "H4672" grapes|strong = "H6025"  
in|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H7200" wilderness|strong = "H4057".

**I** |strong = "H7200" saw|strong = "H7200" your|strong = "H7200"  
ancestors|strong = "H0001"

**l** ike|strong="H1961" they|strong="H1992" were|strong="H3478"  
 the|strong="H7200" first|strong="H7225" fruit|strong="H1063"  
 on|strong="H7200" a|strong="H1961" fig|strong="H8384"  
 tree|strong="H8384",

**b** ut|strong="H1961" as|strong="H1961" soon|strong="H3512"  
 as|strong="H1961" they|strong="H1992" came|strong="H1961"  
 to|strong="H3478" Baal-peor|strong="H1187",

**t** hey|strong="H1992" consecrated|strong="H6942"  
 themselves|strong="H1992" to|strong="H3478" shamefulness,

**a** nd|strong="H3478" became|strong="H1961" as|strong="H1961"  
 abominable|strong="H8251" as|strong="H1961" the|strong="H7200"  
 object|strong="H8047" of|strong="H4057" their|strong="H1992"  
 love|strong="H0157".

**11** Ephraim|strong="H0669" – like|strong="H5774" a|strong="H3205"  
 bird|strong="H5775" his|strong="H3205" glory|strong="H3519"  
 flies|strong="H5774" away|strong="H5774".

**T** here|strong="H8033" will|strong="H3519" be|strong="H3519"  
 no|strong="H3808" more|strong="H3205" birth|strong="H3205",

**n** o|strong="H3808" more|strong="H3205" motherhood,

**n** o|strong="H3808" more|strong="H3205" conception|strong="H2032".

**12** Even|strong="H1571" though|strong="H3588" they|strong="H1992"  
 bring|strong="H1431" up|strong="H1431" their|strong="H1992"  
 children|strong="H1121",

**I** |strong="H3588" will|strong="H1571" bereave|strong="H7921"  
 them|strong="H1992" until|strong="H3588" not|strong="H3588"  
 one|strong="H1121" is|strong="H1571" left|strong="H5493".

**W** oe|strong="H1945" to|strong="H1121" them|strong="H1992"  
 when|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" turn|strong="H5493"  
 away|strong="H5493" from|strong="H5493" them|strong="H1992"!

13Ephraim|strong = "H0669" – planted|strong = "H8362"  
 like|strong = "H3318" Tyre|strong = "H6865" in|strong = "H1121"  
 a|strong = "H7200" meadow|strong = "H5116"<sup>10</sup> ,

**B** ut|strong = "H7200" Ephraim|strong = "H0669" too|strong = "H4480"  
 must|strong = "H1121" lead|strong = "H3318" forth|strong = "H3318"  
 their|strong = "H7200" children|strong = "H1121" to|strong = "H3318"  
 slaughter|strong = "H2026".

14Give|strong = "H5414" them|strong = "H5414", w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* – what|strong = "H4100" will|strong = "H3068"  
 you|strong = "H5414" give|strong = "H5414"?

**G** ive|strong = "H5414" them|strong = "H5414" a|strong = "H5414"  
 miscarrying|strong = "H7921" womb|strong = "H7358" and|strong = "H3068"  
 shrivelled up|strong = "H5414" breasts|strong = "H7699"!

15All|strong = "H3605" their|strong = "H3605" evil|strong = "H7451"  
 began|strong = "H2490" in|strong = "H5921" Gilgal|strong = "H1537",

**t** here|strong = "H8033" I|strong = "H3588" learned|strong = "H3925"  
 to|strong = "H5921" hate|strong = "H8130" them|strong = "H5921".

**B** ecause|strong = "H3588" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605"  
 evil|strong = "H7451" of|strong = "H1004" their|strong = "H3605"  
 deeds|strong = "H4611"

**I** |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1004" drive|strong = "H1644"  
 them|strong = "H5921" out|strong = "H1644" of|strong = "H1004"  
 my|strong = "H3605" house|strong = "H1004".

**I** |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1004" no|strong = "H3808"  
 longer|strong = "H3254" love|strong = "H0157" them|strong = "H5921",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" all|strong = "H3605" their|strong = "H3605"  
 princes|strong = "H8269" are|strong = "H1004" rebels|strong = "H5637".

16Ephraim|strong = "H0669" is|strong = "H1571" blighted,

**t** heir|strong = "H3588" root|strong = "H8328" withered|strong = "H3001".

<sup>10</sup> + 9.13 Heb. uncertain. LXX: as I have seen, his sons are destined to be a prey



**I** f|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" do|strong="H6213"  
bear|strong="H3205" children|strong="H3205",

**I** |strong="H3588" will|strong="H1571" slay|strong="H4191"  
the|strong="H3588" darlings of|strong="H3205" their|strong="H3588"  
womb|strong="H7358",

17My|strong="H8085" God|strong="H3808" will|strong="H1961"  
reject|strong="H3988" them|strong="H1961"

**b** ecause|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" have|strong="H1961"  
not|strong="H3808" listened|strong="H8085" to|strong="H1961"  
him|strong="H8085",

**a** nd|strong="H8085" they|strong="H3588" will|strong="H1961"  
become|strong="H1961" wanderers|strong="H5074"  
among|strong="H3808" the|strong="H8085" nations|strong="H1471".

10A|strong="H3478" luxuriant|strong="H1238" vine|strong="H1612"  
is|strong="H2896" Israel|strong="H3478".

**H** e|strong="H3478" bore|strong="H3205" fruit|strong="H6529"  
lavishly.

**I** n|strong="H3478" proportion|strong="H6310" to|strong="H3478"  
the|strong="H3190" increase|strong="H7235" of|strong="H4196"  
his|strong="H3478" fruit|strong="H6529"

**h** e|strong="H3478" increased|strong="H7235" altars|strong="H4196"  
to|strong="H3478" idols|strong="H1544".

**I** n|strong="H3478" proportion|strong="H6310" to|strong="H3478"  
the|strong="H3190" beauty|strong="H3308" of|strong="H4196"  
his|strong="H3478" land|strong="H0776"

**h** e|strong="H3478" made|strong="H7235" beautiful|strong="H2896"  
the|strong="H3190" sacred|strong="H6944" pillars|strong="H4676".

2Their|strong="H7703" heart|strong="H3820" is|strong="H1931"  
false|strong="H8267",

**n** ow|strong = "H6258" they|strong = "H1931" must|strong = "H4191"  
be|strong = "H3820" punished|strong = "H6485".

**G** od|strong = "H0430" himself|strong = "H1931" will|strong = "H3820"  
break|strong = "H6202" the|strong = "H6258" necks|strong = "H6677"  
of|strong = "H4196" their|strong = "H7703" altars|strong = "H4196",

**h** e|strong = "H1931" will|strong = "H3820" destroy|strong = "H7703"  
their|strong = "H7703" sacred|strong = "H6944" pillars|strong = "H4676".

3Yes|strong = "H3588", soon|strong = "H6258" they|strong = "H3588"  
will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3808" saying|strong = "H0559",

‘ We|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068" no|strong = "H3808"  
king|strong = "H4428",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" we|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068"  
not|strong = "H3808" revered|strong = "H3372" the|strong = "H3588" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H6213" king|strong = "H4428",  
what|strong = "H4100" could|strong = "H4100" he|strong = "H3588"  
do|strong = "H6213" for|strong = "H3588" us|strong = "H6213" anyway?

4Speaking|strong = "H1696" words|strong = "H1697", perjuring  
themselves|strong = "H5921", making|strong = "H3772" agreements,

**a** nd|strong = "H4941" litigation springs|strong = "H4599"  
up|strong = "H5921" like|strong = "H1697" a|strong = "H3772"  
poisonous|strong = "H7219" weed in|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H3772"  
ploughed field|strong = "H7704".

5The|strong = "H5921" inhabitants|strong = "H7934" of|strong = "H4480"  
Samaria|strong = "H8111" will|strong = "H5971" tremble|strong = "H7264"  
with|strong = "H5921" fear|strong = "H1481"

**f** or|strong = "H3588" their|strong = "H5921" calf|strong = "H5697"  
of|strong = "H4480" Beth-aven|strong = "H1007".

**I** ts|strong = "H5921" people|strong = "H5971" will|strong = "H5971"  
mourn|strong = "H5921" over|strong = "H5921" it|strong = "H5921",

- and|strong = "H5971" so|strong = "H4480" will|strong = "H5971"  
its|strong = "H5921" priests|strong = "H3649",
- who|strong = "H5971" had|strong = "H3588" rejoiced|strong = "H1523"  
for|strong = "H3588" its|strong = "H5921" glory|strong = "H3519",
- now|strong = "H3588" departed|strong = "H1540" from|strong = "H4480"  
it|strong = "H5921".
- It|strong = "H3947" will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H3478"  
carried|strong = "H2986" off|strong = "H4428" to|strong = "H3478"  
Assyria|strong = "H0804"
- as|strong = "H1571" a|strong = "H3947" present|strong = "H4503"  
to|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3947" patron king|strong = "H4428".
- Disgrace|strong = "H3639" will|strong = "H4428"  
Ephraim|strong = "H0669" bear|strong = "H5375"
- and|strong = "H3478" Israel|strong = "H3478" will|strong = "H4428"  
be|strong = "H3478" ashamed|strong = "H0954" of|strong = "H4428"  
its|strong = "H3947" idol|strong = "H3478".
- As|strong = "H6440" for|strong = "H5921" Samaria|strong = "H8111",  
her|strong = "H5921" king|strong = "H4428" will|strong = "H4428"  
disappear|strong = "H0622",
- Like|strong = "H5921" foam|strong = "H7110" on|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H6440" face|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H4428"  
the|strong = "H6440" waters|strong = "H4325".
- And|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H5921" high|strong = "H1116"  
places|strong = "H1116" of|strong = "H2022" Aven|strong = "H0206"  
will|strong = "H3478" be|strong = "H3478" destroyed|strong = "H8045",
- the|strong = "H5921" shrines|strong = "H1354" of|strong = "H2022"  
Israel's|strong = "H3478" sin|strong = "H2403",
- horns|strong = "H6975" and|strong = "H3478" thistles|strong = "H1863"  
will|strong = "H3478" grow|strong = "H5927" on|strong = "H5921"  
their|strong = "H5921" altars|strong = "H4196",

**a** nd|strong="H3478" they|strong="H5921" will|strong="H3478"  
say|strong="H3478" to|strong="H3478" the|strong="H5921"  
mountains|strong="H2022", 'Cover|strong="H3680" us|strong="H5921",'

**a** nd|strong="H3478" to|strong="H3478" the|strong="H5921"  
hills|strong="H1389", 'Fall|strong="H5307" upon|strong="H5921"  
us|strong="H5921".'

What|strong="H5927" a|strong="H5927" nation|strong="H1471"  
sows|strong="H2232", it|strong="H5921" will|strong="H3478"  
reap|strong="H7114"

9From|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" time|strong="H3117"  
of|strong="H1121" Gibeah|strong="H1390", Israel|strong="H3478"  
has|strong="H3478" sinned|strong="H2398".

**T** here|strong="H8033" they|strong="H3117" took|strong="H5975"  
their|strong="H5921" stand|strong="H5975".

**W** ill|strong="H3478" not|strong="H3808" war|strong="H4421"  
overtake|strong="H5381" them|strong="H5921" in|strong="H5921"  
Gibeah|strong="H1390"

**b** ecause|strong="H5921" of|strong="H1121" the|strong="H5921"  
wicked|strong="H7563"?

10When|strong="H5921" I|strong="H5921" please|strong="H4994",  
I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H5971" punish|strong="H3256"  
them|strong="H5921".

**N** ations|strong="H5971" will|strong="H5971" gather|strong="H6908"  
against|strong="H5921" them|strong="H5921"

**t** o|strong="H5921" chain|strong="H7242" them|strong="H5921"  
for|strong="H5921" their|strong="H5921" double|strong="H8147"  
crimes|strong="H6588".

11Ephraim|strong="H0669" indeed|strong="H2790"  
was|strong="H3063" a|strong="H5921" trained|strong="H3925"  
heifer|strong="H5697" that|strong="H3063" loved|strong="H0157"  
to|strong="H5921" thresh|strong="H1758" grain|strong="H1715",

**a** nd|strong="H3063" I|strong="H5921" myself|strong="H0589"  
 laid|strong="H5674" a|strong="H5921" yoke|strong="H5923"  
 upon|strong="H5921" his|strong="H5921" fair|strong="H2898"  
 neck|strong="H6676"<sup>11</sup> ,

**I** |strong="H5921" made|strong="H5674" Ephraim|strong="H0669"  
 draw|strong="H7579" and|strong="H3063" Judah|strong="H3063"  
 must|strong="H4191" plough,

**J** acob|strong="H3290" must|strong="H4191" turn|strong="H5674"  
 the|strong="H5921" soil|strong="H0127" for|strong="H5921"  
 himself|strong="H5315".

12Sow|strong="H2232" for|strong="H5704" yourselves|strong="H3068"  
 righteousness|strong="H6666",

**r** eap|strong="H7114" the|strong="H3068" fruits|strong="H1061"  
 of|strong="H3068" love|strong="H2617".

**B** reak|strong="H5214" up|strong="H5704" your|strong="H3068"  
 fallow|strong="H5215" ground|strong="H5215",

**f** or|strong="H5704" it|strong="H5704" is|strong="H3068"  
 time|strong="H6256" to|strong="H5704" seek|strong="H1875"  
 the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

**s** o|strong="H3384" righteousness|strong="H6666" may|strong="H3068"  
 come|strong="H0935" to|strong="H5704" you|strong="H5704"<sup>12</sup> .

13But|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" have|strong="H3588"  
 ploughed wickedness|strong="H7562",

**i** niquity|strong="H5766" have|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588"  
 reaped|strong="H7114".

**Y** ou|strong="H3588" have|strong="H3588" eaten|strong="H0398"  
 the|strong="H3588" fruit|strong="H6529" of|strong="H1870"  
 lies|strong="H3585".

<sup>11</sup> + 10.11 Heb. uncertain.

<sup>12</sup> + 10.12 Heb. uncertain

**B** ecause|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3588"  
 trusted|strong = "H0982" in|strong = "H1870" your|strong = "H3588"  
 own|strong = "H1961" path|strong = "H1870"<sup>13</sup>,

**i** n|strong = "H1870" the|strong = "H3588" multitude|strong = "H7230"  
 of|strong = "H1870" your|strong = "H3588" warriors|strong = "H1368",

14the|strong = "H3605" alarm|strong = "H8643" of|strong = "H1121"  
 war|strong = "H4421" will|strong = "H5971" sound|strong = "H6963"  
 in|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H3605" cities|strong = "H4013"

**a** nd|strong = "H1121" all|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605"  
 fortresses|strong = "H4013" will|strong = "H5971" be|strong = "H1121"  
 ruined|strong = "H7703",

**a** s|strong = "H3117" Shalman|strong = "H8020" laid|strong = "H7760"  
 in|strong = "H5921" ruins|strong = "H2723" Beth-arbel|strong = "H1009"  
 in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117"  
 of|strong = "H1121" battle|strong = "H4421",

**w** hen|strong = "H3117" mothers|strong = "H0517" were|strong = "H5971"  
 dashed|strong = "H7376" to|strong = "H5921" pieces|strong = "H7376"  
 over|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H3605" children|strong = "H1121".

15Thus|strong = "H3602" will|strong = "H4428" I|strong = "H6440"  
 do|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H3478" you|strong = "H6440",  
 Bethel|strong = "H1008",

**b** ecause|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440"  
 enormity of|strong = "H4428" your|strong = "H6440"  
 wickedness|strong = "H7451".

**W** hen|strong = "H6213" dawn|strong = "H7837" breaks|strong = "H7665",  
 so|strong = "H6213" will|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440"  
 king|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428" Israel|strong = "H3478"  
 be|strong = "H3478" broken|strong = "H7665".  
 The Lord's love for his faithless people

11When|strong = "H3588" Israel|strong = "H3478" was|strong = "H3478"  
 young|strong = "H5288", then|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
 began|strong = "H3478" to|strong = "H3478" love|strong = "H0157"  
 him|strong = "H7121",

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<sup>13</sup> + 10.13 LXX: chariots

and out of Egypt I called my son.

2The more I called them,

the further they went away from me.

They kept sacrificing to Baals

and making offerings to idols.

3Yet it was I who Ephraim

took them up in my arms,

but they did not know that I healed them.

4With humane cords I drew them,

with bands of love.

I was to them as one who lifts up the yoke off their jaws,

a nd|strong = "H4900" bending|strong = "H7817" toward|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921", I|strong = "H5921" gave|strong = "H7311" them|strong = "H5921" food|strong = "H3899" to|strong = "H1961" eat|strong = "H0398".

5No|strong = "H3808"! They|strong = "H3588" return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H3588" land|strong = "H0776" of|strong = "H4428" Egypt|strong = "H4714",

A ssyria|strong = "H0804" will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H3808" their|strong = "H7725" king|strong = "H4428",

f or|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H4714" refused|strong = "H3985" to|strong = "H7725" return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725" me|strong = "H7725".

6Therefore|strong = "H4156" the|strong = "H3615" swords|strong = "H2719" will|strong = "H2719" whirl|strong = "H2342" in|strong = "H5892" their|strong = "H3615" cities|strong = "H5892",

w ill|strong = "H2719" devour|strong = "H0398" in|strong = "H5892" their|strong = "H3615" fortresses|strong = "H0759"<sup>14</sup> .

7For|strong = "H7121" my|strong = "H7311" people|strong = "H5971" are|strong = "H5971" bent|strong = "H8511" in|strong = "H7121" rebellion|strong = "H4805" against|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H7121",

e ven|strong = "H3808" if|strong = "H0518" they|strong = "H3808" call|strong = "H7121" on|strong = "H7121" the|strong = "H7121" Most|strong = "H6944" High|strong = "H7311" he|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H5971" not|strong = "H3808" raise|strong = "H7311" them|strong = "H7121"<sup>15</sup> .

8How|strong = "H4100" can|strong = "H4310" I|strong = "H5414" give|strong = "H5414" you|strong = "H5414" up|strong = "H5414", Ephraim|strong = "H0669"!

G ive|strong = "H5414" you|strong = "H5414" over|strong = "H5921", Israel|strong = "H3478"!

<sup>14</sup> + 11.6 Heb. uncertain

<sup>15</sup> + 11.7 Heb. uncertain.



**H**ow am I |strong="H4100" am|strong="H1961" I|strong="H5414"  
to|strong="H3478" give|strong="H5414" you|strong="H5414"  
up|strong="H5414" as|strong="H5414" Admah|strong="H0126"!

**M**ake you|strong="H5414" like|strong="H3478"  
Zeboim|strong="H6636"!

**M**y heart|strong="H3820" asserts|strong="H0559"  
itself|strong="H0905",

**m**y|strong="H5414" sympathies are|strong="H3478"  
all|strong="H3162" aglow.

9I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H5892" not|strong="H3808"  
carry|strong="H6213" into|strong="H7725" effect|strong="H6213"  
the|strong="H3588" fierceness|strong="H2740" of|strong="H5892"  
my|strong="H7725" anger|strong="H2740",

**I** |strong="H3588" will|strong="H5892" not|strong="H3808"  
turn|strong="H7725" to|strong="H7725" destroy|strong="H7843"  
Ephraim|strong="H0669",

**f**or|strong="H3588" God|strong="H3808" am|strong="H1961"  
I|strong="H3588", and|strong="H7725" not|strong="H3808"  
man|strong="H0376",

**h**oly|strong="H6918" in|strong="H6213" the|strong="H3588"  
midst|strong="H7130" of|strong="H5892" you|strong="H3588",

**t** herefore|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H5892"  
not|strong="H3808" consume|strong="H0398".

10They|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" follow|strong="H3212"  
after|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

**L**ike|strong="H1121" a|strong="H3588" lion|strong="H0738"  
he|strong="H1931" will|strong="H3068" roar|strong="H7580",

**a**nd|strong="H1121" when|strong="H3588" he|strong="H1931"  
roars|strong="H7580"

**h** is|strong="H3068" children|strong="H1121" will|strong="H3068" come|strong="H3212" trembling|strong="H2729" from|strong="H1121" the|strong="H3588" west|strong="H3220".

11They|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" come|strong="H2729" trembling|strong="H2729" like|strong="H1004" the|strong="H5002" birds|strong="H6833" from|strong="H5921" Egypt|strong="H4714",

**l** ike|strong="H1004" doves|strong="H3123" from|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5002" land|strong="H0776" of|strong="H1004" Assyria|strong="H0804".

**A** nd|strong="H3068" I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H3068" bring|strong="H0935" them|strong="H5921" back|strong="H1004" to|strong="H3068" their|strong="H3068" houses|strong="H1004",

- declares|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

Israel's|strong="H3478" faithlessness|strong="H4878" from|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5002" first|strong="H7223"

12Ephraim|strong="H0669" has|strong="H3068" encompassed|strong="H0661" me|strong="H0413" with|strong="H5973" falsehood|strong="H8267",

**a** nd|strong="H3967" the|strong="H3605" house|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1121" Israel|strong="H3478" with|strong="H5973" deceit|strong="H4820".

**B** ut|strong="H3588" Judah|strong="H3063" still|strong="H5750" wanders|strong="H5074" with|strong="H5973" God|strong="H0430"

**f** aithful|strong="H0539" to|strong="H0413" the|strong="H3605" Holy|strong="H6944" One|strong="H0259"<sup>16</sup> .

12Ephraim|strong="H0669" herds|strong="H1241" the|strong="H5437" wind|strong="H7307" and|strong="H3063" hunts|strong="H6679" the|strong="H5437" sirocco.

**A** ll|strong="H5437" day|strong="H3117" long|strong="H5750" they|strong="H4820" heap|strong="H1530" up|strong="H5927" falsehood|strong="H8267" and|strong="H3063" fraud|strong="H1892",

<sup>16</sup> + 11.12 Heb. uncertain. Or "Judah is still restless against God"

- m** ake|strong = "H5437" a|strong = "H3478" treaty|strong = "H1285"  
with|strong = "H5973" Assyria|strong = "H0804",
- a** nd|strong = "H3063" sends|strong = "H7971" tribute|strong = "H4503"  
of|strong = "H1004" olive|strong = "H2132" oil|strong = "H8081"  
to|strong = "H3478" Egypt|strong = "H4714".
- 2The|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* has|strong = "H3117"  
a|strong = "H3772" charge|strong = "H4931" to|strong = "H3117"  
bring|strong = "H2986" against|strong = "H5973" Israel|strong = "H3478",
- t** o|strong = "H3117" punish|strong = "H6485" Jacob|strong = "H3290"  
for|strong = "H4714" his|strong = "H3605" acts|strong = "H1697",
- a** ccording|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H3117" his|strong = "H3605"  
deeds|strong = "H4714" will|strong = "H4714" he|strong = "H3117"  
requite|strong = "H5414" him|strong = "H5973",
- 3In|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" womb|strong = "H7358"  
he|strong = "H3068" supplanted|strong = "H6117" his|strong = "H3068"  
brother|strong = "H0251",
- i** n|strong = "H5921" manhood|strong = "H0979" he|strong = "H3068"  
wrestled|strong = "H0079" with|strong = "H5973" God|strong = "H3068",
- 4He|strong = "H0834" wrestled|strong = "H8280" with|strong = "H8280"  
the|strong = "H3605" angel|strong = "H4397" and|strong = "H3967"  
prevailed|strong = "H1396",
- h** e|strong = "H0834" wept|strong = "H1058" and|strong = "H3967"  
sought|strong = "H1245" his|strong = "H6117" blessing|strong = "H1293".
- A** t|strong = "H3427" Bethel|strong = "H1008" the|strong = "H3605" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* found|strong = "H4672" him|strong = "H5414",
- a** nd|strong = "H3967" there|strong = "H8033" he|strong = "H0834"  
spoke|strong = "H1696" with|strong = "H8280" us|strong = "H5414".
- 5And|strong = "H8033" the|strong = "H1696" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
is|strong = "H8033" the|strong = "H1696" God|strong = "H1008"  
of|strong = "H4397" hosts|strong = "H6635",

**t** he|strong="H1696" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* is|strong="H8033"  
his|strong="H4672" name|strong="H8034"!

6So|strong="H3651" now|strong="H6258", by|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" help|strong="H5826" of|strong="H3068"  
your|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068", return|strong="H7725".

**K** eep|strong="H8104" true|strong="H3068" love|strong="H0157"  
and|strong="H3068" justice|strong="H4941".

**T** rust|strong="H0982" in|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068"  
God|strong="H3068" without|strong="H3808" ceasing|strong="H2308".

7A|strong="H7725" merchant|strong="H7402" uses|strong="H5647"  
false|strong="H8267" scales|strong="H3976":

**T** hey|strong="H1992" love|strong="H2617" to|strong="H7725"  
defraud|strong="H6231".

8Ephraim|strong="H0669" says|strong="H0559", 'Yes|strong="H3588",  
I|strong="H3027" have|strong="H3027" become|strong="H3027"  
rich|strong="H6223",

**I** |strong="H3027" have|strong="H3027" secured|strong="H2388"  
wealth|strong="H2428" for|strong="H3027" myself|strong="H0589".

**B** ut|strong="H3588" despite|strong="H5921" my|strong="H3027"  
gains|strong="H8551"

**n** o|strong="H3808" one|strong="H3027" will|strong="H3027"  
find|strong="H4672" a|strong="H3027" crime|strong="H2154"  
I|strong="H3027" can|strong="H4310" be|strong="H3027" convicted  
of|strong="H3027"!

9I|strong="H3808" am|strong="H1961" the|strong="H3605" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* your|strong="H3605" God|strong="H3808",

**e** ver|strong="H3808" since|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3605"  
land|strong="H0776" of|strong="H3605" Egypt|strong="H4714".

I |strong="H3808" will|strong="H3808" make|strong="H6213"  
you|strong="H3605" again|strong="H7725" dwell|strong="H3427"  
in|strong="H4672" tents|strong="H0168",

a s|strong="H3605" in|strong="H4672" days|strong="H3117"  
of|strong="H3605" old|strong="H1121".

10I|strong="H3117" spoke|strong="H1696"  
continually|strong="H3117" by|strong="H3117" the|strong="H3068"  
prophets|strong="H5030".

I t|strong="H3117" was|strong="H3068" I|strong="H3117"  
who|strong="H3068" multiplied|strong="H7235" visions|strong="H2376",

a nd|strong="H3068" spoke|strong="H1696" in|strong="H3427"  
parables|strong="H4912" through|strong="H3027" the|strong="H3068"  
prophets|strong="H5030".

11In|strong="H5921" Gilead|strong="H1568" is|strong="H3027"  
iniquity|strong="H5771",

t hey|strong="H5921" will|strong="H3027" come|strong="H0935"  
to|strong="H1696" nothing|strong="H3808".

I n|strong="H5921" Gilgal|strong="H1537" they|strong="H5921"  
sacrifice|strong="H2077" bulls|strong="H6499",

s o|strong="H1696" their|strong="H5921" altars|strong="H4196"  
will|strong="H3027" be|strong="H3027" as|strong="H1696"  
stone|strong="H0068" heaps|strong="H6194",

a mong|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" furrows|strong="H8525"  
of|strong="H3027" the|strong="H5921" field|strong="H7704".

12And|strong="H4196" Jacob|strong="H3290" fled|strong="H5127"  
to|strong="H1961" the|strong="H5921" territory|strong="H7704"  
of|strong="H7704" Aram|strong="H0758",

a nd|strong="H4196" Israel|strong="H3478" worked|strong="H2388"  
to|strong="H1961" earn a|strong="H1961" wife|strong="H0802":

**f** or|strong="H5921" a|strong="H1961" wife|strong="H0802"  
he|strong="H5921" herded sheep|strong="H6629".

13The|strong="H5647" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
brought|strong="H3478" Israel|strong="H3478" up|strong="H5927"  
from|strong="H3478" Egypt|strong="H4714" by|strong="H3478"  
a|strong="H3478" prophet|strong="H5030",

**a** nd|strong="H3478" by|strong="H3478" a|strong="H3478"  
prophet|strong="H5030" Israel|strong="H3478" was|strong="H3478"  
guarded|strong="H8104".

14Ephraim|strong="H0669" has|strong="H3068" given|strong="H5414"  
bitter|strong="H4751" provocation|strong="H3708".

**H** is|strong="H8104" Lord|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068"  
leave|strong="H5927" upon|strong="H5927" him|strong="H5927"  
his|strong="H8104" guilt|strong="H0817" of|strong="H3068"  
bloodshed|strong="H1818",

**a** nd|strong="H3478" for|strong="H3068" his|strong="H8104"  
contempt|strong="H0937" he|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068"  
repay|strong="H7999" him|strong="H5927".  
The Lord's final destruction of the guilty nation

13When|strong="H1696" Ephraim|strong="H0669"  
used|strong="H6213" to|strong="H1696" speak|strong="H1696"  
there|strong="H8033" was|strong="H3478" trembling|strong="H7578";

**a** |strong="H5375" prince|strong="H5387" was|strong="H3478"  
he|strong="H1931" in|strong="H3478" Israel|strong="H3478".

**B** ut|strong="H1696" he|strong="H1931" incurred|strong="H0816"  
guilt|strong="H0817" through|strong="H1696" Baal|strong="H1168"  
and|strong="H3478" died|strong="H4191".

2And|strong="H3701" now|strong="H6258" they|strong="H1992"  
go|strong="H3254" on|strong="H6213" sinning|strong="H2398".

**T** hey|strong="H1992" make|strong="H6213" for|strong="H6213"  
themselves|strong="H1992" molten|strong="H4541"  
gods|strong="H0430" –

i dols|strong = "H6091" of|strong = "H4639" silver|strong = "H3701",  
skilfully|strong = "H3190" made|strong = "H6213",

w holly|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" work|strong = "H4639"  
of|strong = "H4639" smiths|strong = "H4525".

Y et|strong = "H3254" to|strong = "H6213" such|strong = "H6213"  
they|strong = "H1992" sacrifice|strong = "H2076"!

A nd|strong = "H3701" they|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H3605"  
sacrifice|strong = "H2076" kiss|strong = "H5401" calf|strong = "H5695"  
idols|strong = "H6091" <sup>17</sup> !

3Therefore|strong = "H3651" they|strong = "H3651" shall|strong = "H6051"  
be|strong = "H1961" like|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961"  
morning|strong = "H1242" mist|strong = "H6051",

I ike|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" dew|strong = "H2919"  
that|strong = "H3651" early|strong = "H7925" disappears|strong = "H1980",

I ike|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" chaff|strong = "H4671"  
which|strong = "H2919" blows|strong = "H4112" away|strong = "H1980"  
from|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H1961" threshing|strong = "H1637"  
floor|strong = "H1637",

I ike|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" smoke|strong = "H6227"  
from|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H1961" window|strong = "H2474".

4Yet|strong = "H3068" it|strong = "H3045" was|strong = "H3068"  
I|strong = "H3045", the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
your|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068",

e ver|strong = "H3808" since|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3068"  
land|strong = "H0776" of|strong = "H3068" Egypt|strong = "H4714",

y ou|strong = "H3045" know|strong = "H3045" no|strong = "H3808"  
other|strong = "H1115" god|strong = "H3068" but|strong = "H3808"  
me|strong = "H3467",

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<sup>17</sup> + 13.2 Heb. uncertain

n or has there been any saviour except me.

5It was I who in the wilderness,

in the land of burning heat.

6When they were pastured

they became full,

when they were full

their hearts became proud.

T herefore they forgot me!

7So now I will tell them like a lion,

like a leopard will I lay in wait on the path.

8I will fall upon them like a bear robbed of her cubs,

I will open their chests,



l ike|strong = "H3820" a|strong = "H8033" lion|strong = "H3833"  
will|strong = "H3820" devour|strong = "H0398" them|strong = "H6298",

a nd|strong = "H8033" like|strong = "H3820" a|strong = "H8033"  
wild|strong = "H7704" beast|strong = "H2416" will|strong = "H3820"  
tear|strong = "H7167" them|strong = "H6298" in|strong = "H8033"  
pieces|strong = "H1234".

9You|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H3478" destroyed|strong = "H7843",  
Israel|strong = "H3478",

b y|strong = "H3478" me|strong = "H3588", your|strong = "H3588"  
only|strong = "H3588" helper|strong = "H5828".

10I|strong = "H5414" want|strong = "H4270" to|strong = "H5414"  
rule|strong = "H4428" you|strong = "H5414"!

W here|strong = "H0834" are|strong = "H5892" your|strong = "H3605"  
princes|strong = "H8269" in|strong = "H4428" your|strong = "H3605"  
cities|strong = "H5892",

t hose|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H4428" whom|strong = "H0834"  
you|strong = "H5414" demanded|strong = "H7592",

‘ Give|strong = "H5414" me|strong = "H5414" kings|strong = "H4428"  
and|strong = "H4428" princes|strong = "H8269”.’

11I|strong = "H5414" give|strong = "H5414" you|strong = "H5414"  
kings|strong = "H4428" in|strong = "H4428" my|strong = "H5414"  
anger|strong = "H5678",

a nd|strong = "H4428" take|strong = "H3947" them|strong = "H5414"  
away|strong = "H3947" in|strong = "H4428" my|strong = "H5414"  
wrath|strong = "H5678".

12Ephrahn’s iniquity|strong = "H5771" is|strong = "H5771"  
gathered|strong = "H6960" up|strong = "H6845",

h is|strong = "H6845" sin|strong = "H2403" is|strong = "H5771"  
laid|strong = "H7760" by|strong = "H5771" in|strong = "H2403"  
store|strong = "H6845".

13The pangs of  
childbirth come upon  
him,

but he is  
an unwise child.

For this is  
no time to  
refuse to leave  
the womb!

14Should I deliver  
them from the  
power of Sheol?

Should I redeem  
them from death?

Death, where  
your plagues?

Sheol, where  
your pestilence?

Compassion is  
forever hidden  
from my eyes.

15Though he is  
flourishing among  
brothers<sup>18</sup>,

there will come  
an east wind,

the wind  
of the Lord,

coming up  
from the  
wilderness.

<sup>18</sup> + 13.15 Or: in the midst of the reeds

**H** is|strong = "H3605" fountain|strong = "H4726" will|strong = "H3068"  
dry|strong = "H2717" up|strong = "H5927",

**h** is|strong = "H3605" spring|strong = "H4599" shall|strong = "H3068"  
be|strong = "H3068" parched|strong = "H2717".

**T** he|strong = "H3605" wind|strong = "H7307" will|strong = "H3068"  
strip|strong = "H6584" the|strong = "H3605" treasury|strong = "H0214",

**a** ll|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" precious|strong = "H2532"  
things|strong = "H3605".

16Samaria|strong = "H8111" will|strong = "H3068" bear|strong = "H5375"  
her|strong = "H3605" guilt|strong = "H0817",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" she|strong = "H1931" has|strong = "H3068"  
rebelled|strong = "H4784" against|strong = "H5921" her|strong = "H3605"  
God|strong = "H0430".

**T** hey|strong = "H1992" will|strong = "H3068" fall|strong = "H5307"  
by|strong = "H0801" the|strong = "H3605" sword|strong = "H2719",

**t** heir|strong = "H3605" children|strong = "H1121" dashed|strong = "H7376"  
to|strong = "H0413" pieces|strong = "H5409",

**t** heir|strong = "H3605" pregnant|strong = "H2030"  
women|strong = "H0802" ripped|strong = "H1234" open|strong = "H6605".  
Words of exhortation and promise

14Return|strong = "H7725", Israel|strong = "H3478", to|strong = "H5307"  
the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* your|strong = "H3588"  
God|strong = "H0430",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3588"  
stumbled|strong = "H3782" in|strong = "H5307" your|strong = "H3588"  
iniquity|strong = "H5771".

2Take|strong = "H7725" words|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H3068"  
repentance|strong = "H5164" with|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3588",

and return to the  
the Lord your God.

Say to him:

Willingly pardon our  
iniquity,

accept that which  
is good,

instead of sacrificing  
bulls,

we offer our  
praise.

Assyria will not  
save us,

nor Egyptian  
warhorses,

and we will  
no more call

the work of  
our hands  
our gods.

For in you  
orphan Israel finds  
mercy.

I will heal  
their apostasy,

I will love  
them freely,

**n** ow|strong="H5921" that|strong="H3027" my|strong="H5921"  
 anger|strong="H0639" is|strong="H3027" turned|strong="H2015"  
 away|strong="H5750" from|strong="H5921" them|strong="H5921",

5I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H7725" be|strong="H7725"  
 as|strong="H3588" dew|strong="H2919" to|strong="H7725"  
 Israel|strong="H3478".

**H** e|strong="H3588" will|strong="H7725" blossom|strong="H6525"  
 like|strong="H7725" the|strong="H3588" lily|strong="H7799",

**h** e|strong="H3588" will|strong="H7725" plant|strong="H5193"  
 his|strong="H7725" roots|strong="H8328" like|strong="H7725"  
 the|strong="H3588" cedars|strong="H0730" of|strong="H4480"  
 Lebanon|strong="H3844",

6his|strong="H5221" saplings will|strong="H1961"  
 spread|strong="H6566" out|strong="H6524",

**h** is|strong="H5221" beauty|strong="H3308" will|strong="H1961"  
 be|strong="H1961" like|strong="H1961" that|strong="H3478"  
 of|strong="H5221" the|strong="H5221" olive|strong="H2132"  
 tree|strong="H6086",

**h** is|strong="H5221" fragrance|strong="H7381" like|strong="H1961"  
 the|strong="H5221" cedars|strong="H0730" of|strong="H5221"  
 Lebanon|strong="H3844".

7People|strong="H5971" will|strong="H1961" return|strong="H7725"  
 and|strong="H3212" dwell|strong="H3427" in|strong="H3212"  
 my|strong="H1961" shade|strong="H6738",

**t** hey|strong="H1992" will|strong="H1961" bring|strong="H3212"  
 life|strong="H5315" to|strong="H3212" new|strong="H2319"  
 grain|strong="H1715".

**T** hey|strong="H1992" shall|strong="H2132" sprout|strong="H6779"  
 like|strong="H1961" the|strong="H1961" vine|strong="H1612",

**a** nd|strong="H3212" their|strong="H1961" renown|strong="H8034"  
 will|strong="H1961" be|strong="H1961" like|strong="H1961"  
 that|strong="H1961" of|strong="H7381" the|strong="H1961"  
 wine|strong="H3196" of|strong="H7381" Lebanon|strong="H3844".

# Joel

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1The w Lord w\*'s  
message that came  
to Joel, son  
of Pethuel.  
Locust plague and  
drought

2Hear this, elders,

pay attention, all  
inhabitants of the  
land.

Has anything like  
this happened in  
your days,

or in  
days of your  
ancestors?

3Recount it to  
your children;

let your children  
tell it to  
their children,

and their children  
to the generation  
that follows.

4That which the  
cutting locust has  
left,

the swarming locust  
has eaten,

that which the  
 swarming locust has  
 left,

the hopping locust  
 has eaten,

and that which  
 the hopping locust has  
 left,

the destroying locust  
 has eaten.

5Awake, drunkards,  
 and weep,

and wail, all  
 drinkers of wine;

the new wine  
 is cut off  
 from your mouth.

6For a nation  
 has come up  
 on my land,

powerful, and  
 numberless;

its teeth are  
 the teeth of  
 a lion,

and its jaw-teeth are  
 like those of  
 a lioness.

7It has laid  
 waste my vines,



**a** nd|strong = "H1612" barked|strong = "H7111" my|strong = "H7760"  
fig|strong = "H8384" tree|strong = "H8384";

**i** t|strong = "H7760" has|strong = "H1612" peeled|strong = "H4178"  
and|strong = "H1612" cast|strong = "H7993" it|strong = "H7760"  
away|strong = "H7993",

**b** leached are|strong = "H8299" the|strong = "H7760"  
branches|strong = "H8299".

8Wail|strong = "H3213" as|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H5921"  
bride|strong = "H3618", clad|strong = "H3680" in|strong = "H5921"  
sack-cloth,

**f** or|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" husband|strong = "H1167"  
of|strong = "H5921" her|strong = "H5921" youth|strong = "H5271".

9Cut|strong = "H3772" off|strong = "H3772" are|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" cereal and|strong = "H3068" drink-offerings

**f** rom|strong = "H3772" the|strong = "H3068" house|strong = "H1004"  
of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*;

**i** n|strong = "H3068" mourning|strong = "H0060" are|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" priests|strong = "H3548",

**w** ho|strong = "H3068" minister|strong = "H8334" at|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*'s altar|strong = "H4196".

10The|strong = "H3588" fields|strong = "H7704" are|strong = "H7703"  
blasted|strong = "H7710",

**t** he|strong = "H3588" land|strong = "H7704" is|strong = "H7704"  
in|strong = "H3588" mourning|strong = "H0060",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" ruined|strong = "H7703" is|strong = "H7704"  
the|strong = "H3588" corn|strong = "H1715",

**t** he|strong = "H3588" new|strong = "H8492" wine|strong = "H8492"  
fails|strong = "H3615"

and the oil is dried up.

The 11Be farmers,

will, vine-dressers.

For the wheat and barley;

for the harvest is lost from the fields.

The vine fails to bear fruit,

and the fig tree is drooping;

the pomegranate, palm, and apple,

all the trees of the field are dried up.

The people's joy withers.

Put on sackcloth, and beat your breasts, priests;

will, ministers of the altar;

come, lie all night, ministers of God;

**f** or|strong = "H3588" cereal-offering and|strong = "H1004" drink-offering

**a** re|strong = "H1004" cut|strong = "H3772" off|strong = "H3772"  
from|strong = "H4513" the|strong = "H3588" house|strong = "H1004"  
of|strong = "H1004" your|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H0430".

14Sanctify|strong = "H6942" a|strong = "H7121" fast|strong = "H6685",

**s** ummon|strong = "H7121" an|strong = "H7121"  
assembly|strong = "H6116",

**g** ather|strong = "H6908" the|strong = "H3605" elders|strong = "H2205"  
and|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
inhabitants|strong = "H3427" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605"  
land|strong = "H0776"

**i** nto|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605" house|strong = "H1004"  
of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
your|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068",

**c** ry|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*:

15Alas|strong = "H1945" for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
day|strong = "H3117"!

**N** ear|strong = "H7138" at|strong = "H3068" hand|strong = "H7138"  
is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" day|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" as|strong = "H3117" destruction|strong = "H7701"  
from|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3588" Almighty|strong = "H7706"  
it|strong = "H3588" comes|strong = "H3117".

16Is|strong = "H1004" not|strong = "H3808" food|strong = "H1004"  
cut|strong = "H3772" off|strong = "H3772"

**f** rom|strong = "H3772" before|strong = "H5048" us|strong = "H5869",

**g** ladness|strong = "H8057" and|strong = "H1004" joy|strong = "H8057"

from the house of our God?

The grains shrivel under their hoes,

the storehouses are desolate,

the barns broken down,

for the corn is withered.

How the herds of cattle bellow in distress,

for they have no pasture!

The flocks of sheep are forlorn.

To you, the Lord, I cry.

For fire has devoured

the pastures of the wilderness,

and flame has scorched

all the trees of the field.

20The|strong="H3588" wild|strong="H7704" animals|strong="H0929"  
 also|strong="H1571" look|strong="H7200" up|strong="H3001"  
 to|strong="H4325" you|strong="H3588" longingly|strong="H5333",

f or|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" water-courses  
 are|strong="H4325" dried|strong="H3001" up|strong="H3001",

a nd|strong="H7704" fire|strong="H0784" has|strong="H3588"  
 devoured|strong="H0398" the|strong="H3588" pastures|strong="H4999"  
 of|strong="H4325" the|strong="H3588" wilderness|strong="H4057".

2Blow|strong="H8628" a|strong="H3588" horn|strong="H7782"  
 in|strong="H3427" Zion|strong="H6726",

s ound|strong="H7321" an|strong="H8628" alarm|strong="H7321"  
 in|strong="H3427" my|strong="H3605" holy|strong="H6944"  
 mountain|strong="H2022",

l et|strong="H7971" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605"  
 inhabitants|strong="H3427" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605"  
 land|strong="H0776" tremble|strong="H7264",

f or|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3605" day|strong="H3117"  
 of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
 comes|strong="H3117",

f or|strong="H3588" near|strong="H7138" is|strong="H3068" <sup>2</sup>  
 the|strong="H5921" day|strong="H3117" of|strong="H3117"  
 darkness|strong="H2822" and|strong="H3117" gloom|strong="H6205",

t he|strong="H5921" day|strong="H3117" of|strong="H3117"  
 cloud|strong="H6051" and|strong="H3117" thick|strong="H6205"  
 darkness|strong="H2822"!

L ike|strong="H3644" the|strong="H5921" light|strong="H7837"  
 of|strong="H3117" dawn|strong="H7837" scattered|strong="H6566"  
 over|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" mountains|strong="H2022",

a |strong="H1961" people|strong="H5971" great|strong="H7227"  
 and|strong="H3117" powerful|strong="H6099";

its like has not been from of old”,

neither will be any more after it”,

even to the years of coming ages”.

3Before them the fire devours”,

and behind them a flame burns”;

like the garden of Eden is the land before them”,

and after them it is a desolate desert”,

nothing escapes them”.

4Their appearance is as the appearance of horses”,

and like horsemen they charge”.

5Like the sound of chariots on the tops of mountains they leap”,

1 like|strong = "H7540" the|strong = "H5921" crackle of|strong = "H2022"  
 flames|strong = "H3851" devouring|strong = "H0398"  
 stubble|strong = "H7179",

1 like|strong = "H7540" a|strong = "H5921" mighty|strong = "H6099"  
 people|strong = "H5971" preparing|strong = "H6213" for|strong = "H5921"  
 battle|strong = "H4421".

6Peoples|strong = "H5971" are|strong = "H5971" in|strong = "H6440"  
 anguish|strong = "H2342" before|strong = "H6440" them|strong = "H6440",

a ll|strong = "H3605" faces|strong = "H6440" grow|strong = "H6779"  
 pale|strong = "H6289".

7Like|strong = "H1870" mighty|strong = "H1368" men|strong = "H1368"  
 they|strong = "H3808" run|strong = "H7323",

1 like|strong = "H1870" warriors|strong = "H1368" they|strong = "H3808"  
 mount|strong = "H5927" up|strong = "H5927" a|strong = "H5927"  
 wall|strong = "H2346",

t hey|strong = "H3808" march|strong = "H3212" each|strong = "H0376"  
 by|strong = "H1870" himself|strong = "H3808",

t hey|strong = "H3808" break|strong = "H5670" not|strong = "H3808"  
 their|strong = "H3808" ranks|strong = "H6471",

8none|strong = "H3808" jostles the|strong = "H3808"  
 other|strong = "H0312".

T hey|strong = "H3808" march|strong = "H3212" each|strong = "H0376"  
 in|strong = "H3212" his|strong = "H3808" path|strong = "H4546".

T hey|strong = "H3808" fall|strong = "H5307" upon|strong = "H5307"  
 the|strong = "H3808" weapons|strong = "H7973" without|strong = "H3808"  
 breaking|strong = "H6524".

9They|strong = "H7323" scour|strong = "H4838" the|strong = "H5927"  
 city|strong = "H5892", they|strong = "H7323" run|strong = "H7323"  
 on|strong = "H5927" the|strong = "H5927" wall|strong = "H2346".

**T**hey|strong="H7323" climb|strong="H5927" up|strong="H5927"  
into|strong="H5927" the|strong="H5927" houses|strong="H1004".

**L**ike|strong="H1004" a|strong="H5927" thief|strong="H1590"  
they|strong="H7323" enter|strong="H5927" the|strong="H5927"  
windows|strong="H2474".

10Earth|strong="H8121" trembles|strong="H7264"  
before|strong="H6440" them|strong="H6440",

**t**he|strong="H6440" sky|strong="H8064" quakes|strong="H7264",

**t**he|strong="H6440" sun|strong="H8121" and|strong="H8064"  
moon|strong="H3394" become|strong="H6937" dark|strong="H6937",

**a**nd|strong="H8064" the|strong="H6440" stars|strong="H3556"  
withdraw|strong="H7725" their|strong="H6440" shining|strong="H5051";

11and|strong="H3068" the|strong="H6440" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
utters|strong="H5414" his|strong="H5414" voice|strong="H6963"  
before|strong="H6440" his|strong="H5414" army|strong="H4264",

**f**or|strong="H3588" his|strong="H5414" host|strong="H4264"  
is|strong="H3068" exceedingly|strong="H3966" great|strong="H1419".

**M**ighty|strong="H6099" is|strong="H3068" he|strong="H3588"  
who|strong="H4310" performs|strong="H6213" his|strong="H5414"  
word|strong="H1697".

**F**or|strong="H3588" great|strong="H1419" is|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H6440" day|strong="H3117" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H6440" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

**i**t|strong="H5414" is|strong="H3068" terrible|strong="H3372",  
who|strong="H4310" can|strong="H4310" endure|strong="H3557"  
it|strong="H5414"?

12But|strong="H1571" now|strong="H6258" this|strong="H6258"  
is|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605" message|strong="H3068"  
of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*:



Turn|strong="H7725" to|strong="H5704" me|strong="H7725"  
with|strong="H3068" all|strong="H3605" your|strong="H3068"  
heart|strong="H3824",

and|strong="H3068" with|strong="H3068" fasting|strong="H6685"  
and|strong="H3068" weeping|strong="H1065" and|strong="H3068"  
mourning|strong="H4553",

13rend|strong="H7167" your|strong="H3068" hearts|strong="H3824"  
and|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3588" your|strong="H3068"  
garments|strong="H0899",

and|strong="H3068" turn|strong="H7725" to|strong="H7725"  
the|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* your|strong="H3068"  
God|strong="H3068";

for|strong="H3588" he|strong="H1931" indeed|strong="H3588"  
is|strong="H3068" gracious|strong="H2587" and|strong="H3068"  
merciful|strong="H7349",

slow|strong="H0750" to|strong="H7725" anger|strong="H3824"  
and|strong="H3068" plenteous|strong="H7227" in|strong="H5921"  
love|strong="H2617",

and|strong="H3068" relents|strong="H5162" of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H5921" evil|strong="H7451".

14Who|strong="H4310" knows|strong="H3045" but|strong="H7725"  
he|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" turn|strong="H7725"  
and|strong="H3068" relent|strong="H5162",

and|strong="H3068" leave|strong="H7604" a|strong="H3068"  
blessing|strong="H1293" behind|strong="H7604" him|strong="H7725",

a |strong="H3068" cereal and|strong="H3068" drink-offering  
for|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
your|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068".

15Blow|strong="H8628" a|strong="H7121" horn|strong="H7782"  
in|strong="H7121" Zion|strong="H6726",

s anctify|strong="H6942" a|strong="H7121" fast|strong="H6685",  
summon|strong="H7121" an|strong="H7121" assembly|strong="H6116",

16gather|strong="H6908" the|strong="H3318" people|strong="H5971",  
 make|strong="H6213" holy|strong="H6942" the|strong="H3318"  
 congregation|strong="H6951",

**a** ssemble|strong="H6908" the|strong="H3318" elders|strong="H2205",

**g** ather|strong="H6908" the|strong="H3318" children|strong="H5768",

**a** nd|strong="H5971" the|strong="H3318" infants|strong="H5768"  
 at|strong="H6908" the|strong="H3318" breast|strong="H7699".

**L** et|strong="H7971" the|strong="H3318" bridegroom|strong="H2860"  
 come|strong="H3318" forth|strong="H3318" from|strong="H3318"  
 his|strong="H6942" chamber|strong="H2315",

**a** nd|strong="H5971" the|strong="H3318" bride|strong="H3618"  
 from|strong="H3318" her|strong="H3318" bridal|strong="H4119"  
 tent|strong="H0168".

17Between|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" porch|strong="H0197"  
 and|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5921" altar|strong="H4196",

**l** et|strong="H5414" the|strong="H5921" priests|strong="H3548",  
 the|strong="H5921" ministers|strong="H8334" of|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* weep|strong="H1058"  
 aloud|strong="H5414",

**l** et|strong="H5414" them|strong="H5414" say|strong="H0559":

**S** pare|strong="H2347", the|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,  
 your|strong="H3068" people|strong="H5971".

**M** ake|strong="H5414" not|strong="H5414" your|strong="H3068"  
 heritage|strong="H5159" an|strong="H5414" object|strong="H8047"  
 of|strong="H3068" reproach|strong="H2781",

**f** or|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" heathen|strong="H1471"  
 to|strong="H3068" mock|strong="H3932" them|strong="H5414".

Why should it be said among the nations, “Where is their God?”  
 Future blessings

18Then the w  
 Lord w\* became deeply concerned for his land, and took pity upon his people, <sup>19</sup> and the w  
 Lord w\* answered and said to his people:

I will send you corn, wine, and oil.

You will be satisfied.

I will not make you again

an object of scorn among the nations,

20I will remove far from you the northern foe,

and I will drive it into a barren and desolate,

its front into the eastern sea,

and its rear  
to the western  
sea.

And from it  
a stench will  
arise.

He has done  
great things!

21 Fear not, land,  
exult.

Rejoice for the  
Lord who has done  
great things!

22 Fear not, animals  
of the field.

For the pastures  
of the wilderness  
are putting forth  
new grass,

for the trees  
bear their fruit,

fig tree and  
vine yield full  
harvest.

23 Be glad, then,  
children of Zion,

and rejoice in  
the Lord your  
God,

f or|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" has|strong = "H3068"  
 given|strong = "H5414" you|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
 early|strong = "H4175" rain|strong = "H1653" in|strong = "H3068"  
 just|strong = "H6666" measure|strong = "H4058",

a nd|strong = "H1121" poured|strong = "H3381" down|strong = "H3381"  
 upon|strong = "H3381" you|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
 winter|strong = "H2779" rain|strong = "H1653",

a nd|strong = "H1121" sent|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H3588"  
 latter|strong = "H4456" rain|strong = "H1653" as|strong = "H3068"  
 before|strong = "H7223".

24The|strong = "H4390" threshing|strong = "H1637"  
 floors|strong = "H1637" will|strong = "H3342" be|strong = "H1961"  
 full|strong = "H4390" of|strong = "H4390" grain|strong = "H1250",

a nd|strong = "H8492" the|strong = "H4390" vats|strong = "H3342"  
 will|strong = "H3342" overflow|strong = "H7783" with|strong = "H4390"  
 new|strong = "H8492" wine|strong = "H8492" and|strong = "H8492"  
 oil|strong = "H3323".

25I|strong = "H8141" will|strong = "H2428" repay|strong = "H7999"  
 you|strong = "H7971" for|strong = "H7971" the|strong = "H7971"  
 years|strong = "H8141"

w hich|strong = "H2428" the|strong = "H7971" swarming|strong = "H8318"  
 locust|strong = "H3218" has|strong = "H3218" eaten|strong = "H0398".

T he|strong = "H7971" hopping, the|strong = "H7971"  
 destroying|strong = "H7843", and|strong = "H7971" the|strong = "H7971"  
 cutting|strong = "H2799" locusts|strong = "H3218",

m y|strong = "H7971" great|strong = "H1419" army|strong = "H2428"  
 which|strong = "H2428" I|strong = "H8141" sent|strong = "H7971"  
 among|strong = "H8432" you|strong = "H7971",

a nd|strong = "H7971" my|strong = "H7971" people|strong = "H5971"  
 will|strong = "H2428" never|strong = "H3808" again|strong = "H7971"  
 be|strong = "H8141" put|strong = "H7971" to|strong = "H7971"  
 shame|strong = "H0954".

26 You will eat  
 your food and  
 be satisfied,

and praise the  
 name of the  
 Lord with your God,

who has dealt  
 so wonderfully  
 by you,

and you will  
 know that I  
 am in the  
 midst of Israel,

that I am  
 the Lord with your  
 God and none  
 else,

and my people  
 will never again  
 be put to  
 shame.

28 Afterwards,

I will pour  
 out my spirit  
 on everyone.

Your sons and  
 your daughters  
 will prophesy,

your old men  
 will dream dreams.

Your young men  
 will see visions,

29and|strong = "H3967" even|strong = "H1571" on|strong = "H5921"  
your|strong = "H3068" male|strong = "H2145" and|strong = "H3967"  
female|strong = "H5347" slaves|strong = "H5650"

i n|strong = "H0935" those|strong = "H1992" days|strong = "H3117",  
I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H3068" pour|strong = "H8210"  
out|strong = "H3318" my|strong = "H8104" spirit|strong = "H7307".

30And|strong = "H3967" I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H3068"  
show|strong = "H7200" signs|strong = "H0226" in|strong = "H0935"  
the|strong = "H3605" sky|strong = "H8064" and|strong = "H3967"  
on|strong = "H5921" earth|strong = "H0776":

B lood|strong = "H1818" and|strong = "H3967" fire|strong = "H0784"  
and|strong = "H3967" pillars|strong = "H5982" of|strong = "H1121"  
smoke|strong = "H6227".

31The|strong = "H3605" sun|strong = "H8121" will|strong = "H3068"  
be|strong = "H1961" turned|strong = "H2015" into|strong = "H0413"  
darkness|strong = "H2822",

a nd|strong = "H3967" the|strong = "H3605" moon|strong = "H3394"  
into|strong = "H0413" blood|strong = "H1818"

b efore|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H3605" coming|strong = "H0935"  
of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605" great|strong = "H1419"  
and|strong = "H3967" terrible|strong = "H3372" day|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

32But|strong = "H3588" whoever|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H3068"  
call|strong = "H7121" upon|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"  
name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961"  
saved|strong = "H3467". For|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H0935"  
Mount|strong = "H2022" Zion|strong = "H6726" and|strong = "H3967"  
in|strong = "H0935" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" there|strong = "H8033"  
will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961" those|strong = "H1992"  
who|strong = "H0834" escape|strong = "H4422", even|strong = "H1571"  
as|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
has|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H0559", and|strong = "H3967"  
among|strong = "H8432" the|strong = "H3605" fugitives|strong = "H6412"  
those|strong = "H1992" whom|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H3605" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* calls|strong = "H7121".

3For|strong = "H5921", in|strong = "H5921" those|strong = "H3605" days|strong = "H3117" and|strong = "H1121" in|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H7200" time|strong = "H1961", when|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H5921" bring|strong = "H1323" back|strong = "H7725" again|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H3605" captivity|strong = "H7622" of|strong = "H1121" Judah|strong = "H3063" and|strong = "H1121" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389", <sup>2</sup> I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H5650" also|strong = "H1571" gather|strong = "H6908" all|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" nations|strong = "H1471" and|strong = "H3117" bring|strong = "H0935" them|strong = "H1992" down|strong = "H5921" into|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" Valley|strong = "H6010" of|strong = "H3117" Jehoshaphat|strong = "H3092", and|strong = "H3117" there|strong = "H1992" I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H5650" enter|strong = "H0935" into|strong = "H5921" judgment|strong = "H4941" with|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H1992" for|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H5921" people|strong = "H1571" and|strong = "H3117" my|strong = "H5921" heritage|strong = "H5159" Israel|strong = "H3478", whom|strong = "H1992" they|strong = "H1992" have|strong = "H1571" scattered|strong = "H6327" among|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" nations|strong = "H1471", and|strong = "H3117" divided|strong = "H0914" my|strong = "H5921" land|strong = "H0776".

3They|strong = "H5414" have|strong = "H5414" cast|strong = "H5414" lots|strong = "H1486" for|strong = "H8064" my|strong = "H5414" people|strong = "H1818".

**T** hey|strong = "H5414" have|strong = "H5414" traded|strong = "H5414" boys|strong = "H3206"

**f** or|strong = "H8064" prostitutes|strong = "H6945",

**a** nd|strong = "H8064" sold|strong = "H4376" girls|strong = "H3207" for|strong = "H8064" wine|strong = "H3196",

**a** nd|strong = "H8064" drunk|strong = "H8354" it|strong = "H5414".

4What|strong = "H3372" are|strong = "H3117" you|strong = "H6440" to|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H6440", Tyre|strong = "H6865" and|strong = "H3068" Sidon|strong = "H6721" and|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H1419" the|strong = "H6440" districts|strong = "H1366" of|strong = "H3068" Philistia|strong = "H6429"? Were|strong = "H3117" you|strong = "H6440" repaying any|strong = "H6440" deed|strong = "H4639" of|strong = "H3068" mine|strong = "H6440", or|strong = "H3117" were|strong = "H3117" you|strong = "H6440" doing|strong = "H6213"



something|strong = "H1697" for|strong = "H6440" me|strong = "H6440"?  
 Quickly|strong = "H4116" will|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3117"  
 return|strong = "H7725" your|strong = "H3068" deed|strong = "H4639"  
 upon|strong = "H6440" your|strong = "H3068" heads|strong = "H7218". <sup>5</sup>  
 You|strong = "H3588" who|strong = "H3605" have|strong = "H1961"  
 taken|strong = "H1961" my|strong = "H3605" silver|strong = "H3701"  
 and|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3605" gold|strong = "H2091",  
 and|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H1961"  
 brought|strong = "H1961" my|strong = "H3605" goodly|strong = "H2896"  
 jewels|strong = "H3627" into|strong = "H1961" your|strong = "H3068"  
 palaces|strong = "H0759", <sup>6</sup> you|strong = "H0859" have|strong = "H1961"  
 sold|strong = "H4376" the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971"  
 of|strong = "H1121" Judah|strong = "H3063" and|strong = "H3967"  
 of|strong = "H1121" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" to|strong = "H0413"  
 the|strong = "H3605" Greeks|strong = "H3125", so|strong = "H3651"  
 that|strong = "H0834" you|strong = "H0859" might|strong = "H1369"  
 remove|strong = "H5493" them|strong = "H5414" far|strong = "H5704"  
 from|strong = "H4480" their|strong = "H3605" own|strong = "H1961"  
 borders|strong = "H1366". <sup>7</sup> I|strong = "H0589" am|strong = "H1961"  
 about|strong = "H5439" to|strong = "H0413" stir|strong = "H5782"  
 them|strong = "H5414" up|strong = "H5927" from|strong = "H4480"  
 the|strong = "H3605" place|strong = "H4725" to|strong = "H0413"  
 which|strong = "H0834" you|strong = "H0859" have|strong = "H1961"  
 sold|strong = "H4376" them|strong = "H5414", and|strong = "H3967"  
 I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H3068" turn|strong = "H7725"  
 your|strong = "H3068" deeds|strong = "H4611" upon|strong = "H5921"  
 your|strong = "H3068" own|strong = "H1961" head|strong = "H7218". <sup>8</sup>  
 I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H3068" sell|strong = "H4376"  
 your|strong = "H3068" sons|strong = "H1121" and|strong = "H3967"  
 your|strong = "H3068" daughters|strong = "H1323" into|strong = "H0413"  
 the|strong = "H3605" hands|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H1121"  
 the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H1121"  
 Judah|strong = "H3063", and|strong = "H3967" they|strong = "H1992"  
 will|strong = "H3068" sell|strong = "H4376" them|strong = "H5414"  
 to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605" Sabians|strong = "H5436",  
 to|strong = "H0413" a|strong = "H1961" nation|strong = "H1471"  
 far|strong = "H5704" off|strong = "H3772", for|strong = "H3588"  
 the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* has|strong = "H3068"  
 spoken|strong = "H1696".

9Proclaim|strong = "H7121" this|strong = "H2088"  
 among|strong = "H8432" the|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471",  
 sanctify|strong = "H6942" war|strong = "H4421".

A rouse|strong = "H5782" the|strong = "H3605" warriors|strong = "H1368",

**l** et|strong="H7971" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605"  
fighting|strong="H3898" men|strong="H0376" muster|strong="H6486"  
and|strong="H3967" go|strong="H1980" up|strong="H5927".

**l**0Beat|strong="H5221" your|strong="H3068" ploughshares  
into|strong="H0413" swords|strong="H2719",

**a** nd|strong="H3967" your|strong="H3068" pruning-hooks  
into|strong="H0413" lances|strong="H7420";

**l** et|strong="H7971" the|strong="H3605" weak|strong="H2470"  
say|strong="H0559", I|strong="H0589", indeed|strong="H3588",  
am|strong="H1961" strong|strong="H2388".

**l**1Bestir|strong="H2782" yourselves|strong="H5315"  
and|strong="H3967" come|strong="H0935",

**a** ll|strong="H3605" you|strong="H0859" nations|strong="H1471"  
round|strong="H5439" about|strong="H5439".

**Q** uickly|strong="H4116" gather|strong="H6908"  
yourselves|strong="H5315" together|strong="H3162",

**a** sk|strong="H7592" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
to|strong="H0413" bring|strong="H0935" his|strong="H3605"  
warriors|strong="H1368".

**l**2Let|strong="H7971" the|strong="H3605" nations|strong="H1471"  
rouse|strong="H5782" themselves|strong="H0905"

**a** nd|strong="H3967" come|strong="H0935" up|strong="H5927"  
to|strong="H0413" the|strong="H3605" Valley|strong="H6010"  
of|strong="H1121" Jehoshaphat|strong="H3092",

**f** or|strong="H3588" there|strong="H8033" will|strong="H3068"  
I|strong="H0589" sit|strong="H3427" to|strong="H0413"  
judge|strong="H8199"

**a** ll|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" surrounding|strong="H5439"  
nations|strong="H1471".

13Put **in** the **sickle**,

**for** the **harvest** **is** **ripe**;

**go** **in**, **tread**,

**for** the **wine** **press** **is** **full**.

**The** **vats** **overflow**,

**for** **great** **is** **their** **wickedness**.

14Noisy **multitudes**,  
noisy **multitudes**

**in** the **valley** **of** **decision**.

**For** **near** **is** **the** **in** **the** **valley** **of** **decision**!

15Sun **and** **moon** **have** **turned** **dark**,

**and** the **stars** **withdrawn** **their** **shining**.

16Whenever the **w** **Lord** **roars** **from** **Zion**

**and** **utters** **his** **voice** **from** **Jerusalem**,

e arth|strong = "H0776" and|strong = "H3967" sky|strong = "H8064"  
quake|strong = "H7493";

b ut|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
is|strong = "H0369" a|strong = "H1961" refuge|strong = "H4733"  
to|strong = "H0413" his|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971",

a nd|strong = "H3967" a|strong = "H1961" fortress|strong = "H4581"  
to|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971"  
of|strong = "H1121" Israel|strong = "H3478".

17And|strong = "H3967" you|strong = "H0859" will|strong = "H3068"  
know|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H0834" I|strong = "H0589"  
am|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
your|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H0430",

I |strong = "H0589" who|strong = "H0834" dwells|strong = "H3427"  
in|strong = "H0935" Zion|strong = "H6726", my|strong = "H8104"  
holy|strong = "H6944" mountain|strong = "H2022",

a nd|strong = "H3967" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" will|strong = "H3068"  
be|strong = "H1961" holy|strong = "H6944",

a nd|strong = "H3967" strangers|strong = "H2114" will|strong = "H3068"  
not|strong = "H3808" pass|strong = "H5674" through|strong = "H3027"  
her|strong = "H3605" any|strong = "H3605" more|strong = "H3254".

18In|strong = "H0935" that|strong = "H0834" day|strong = "H3117",

t he|strong = "H3605" mountains|strong = "H2022" will|strong = "H3068"  
drop|strong = "H5197" sweet|strong = "H5207" wine|strong = "H3196",

t he|strong = "H3605" hills|strong = "H1389" will|strong = "H3068"  
flow|strong = "H1980" with|strong = "H5973" milk|strong = "H2461",

a ll|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" channels|strong = "H0650"  
of|strong = "H1121" Judah|strong = "H3063" will|strong = "H3068"  
flow|strong = "H1980" with|strong = "H5973" water|strong = "H4325",

a |strong = "H1961" fountain|strong = "H4726" will|strong = "H3068"  
spring|strong = "H6779" from|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H3605"  
house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1121" Judah|strong = "H3063",

# Amos



# Amos

1The message of Amos, one of the sheep breeders of Tekoa, which he saw concerning Israel in the King of Judah in the reign of Jeroboam son Joash of Israel, two years before the earthquake.<sup>2</sup>  
Amos said:

Whenever the Lord w<sup>\*</sup> roars from Zion,

and utters his voice from Jerusalem,

the pastures of the shepherds dry up,

the top of Carmel becomes arid.  
God's Judgment on Israel's Neighbours

3The Lord w<sup>\*</sup> says:

For Damascus' three crimes – no, four! –

I will not rescind my judgment.

**T** hey|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068" threshed|strong = "H1758"  
Gilead|strong = "H1568"

**w** ith|strong = "H3068" threshing|strong = "H1758"  
instruments|strong = "H2742" of|strong = "H3068" iron|strong = "H1270".

4Therefore|strong = "H7971" I|strong = "H1004" will|strong = "H1004"  
send|strong = "H7971" fire|strong = "H0784" on|strong = "H1004"  
Hazeal's|strong = "H2371" house|strong = "H1004",

**i** t|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H1004" devour|strong = "H0398"  
the|strong = "H7971" palaces|strong = "H0759" of|strong = "H1004"  
Ben-hadad|strong = "H1130".

5I|strong = "H3772" will|strong = "H3068" break|strong = "H7665"  
open|strong = "H1540" the|strong = "H3068" gate|strong = "H8179"  
of|strong = "H1004" Damascus|strong = "H1834",

**I** |strong = "H3772" will|strong = "H3068" wipe|strong = "H4229"  
out|strong = "H3427" those|strong = "H3427" who|strong = "H5971"  
live|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3068"  
valley|strong = "H1237" of|strong = "H1004" Aven|strong = "H0206"

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" sceptred  
ruler|strong = "H3427" of|strong = "H1004" Beth-Eden|strong = "H1040".

**T** he|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H1004"  
Aram|strong = "H0758" will|strong = "H3068" go|strong = "H1540"  
into|strong = "H1540" captivity|strong = "H1540" in|strong = "H3427"  
Kir|strong = "H7024",

**s** ays|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

6The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* says|strong = "H3541":

**F** or|strong = "H5921" Gaza's|strong = "H5804" three|strong = "H7969"  
crimes|strong = "H6588" – no|strong = "H3808", four|strong = "H7969"! –

**I** |strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" rescind  
my|strong = "H3068" judgment|strong = "H4941".



**T** hey|strong = "H3068" carried|strong = "H1540" away|strong = "H7725"  
 captive|strong = "H1540" a|strong = "H3068" whole|strong = "H8003"  
 nation|strong = "H1471",

**s** old|strong = "H4376" them|strong = "H5921" as|strong = "H3068"  
 slaves|strong = "H5650" to|strong = "H7725" Edom|strong = "H0112".

**7**Therefore|strong = "H7971" I|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H2346"  
 send|strong = "H7971" fire|strong = "H0784" on|strong = "H7971"  
 the|strong = "H7971" wall|strong = "H2346" of|strong = "H2346"  
 Gaza|strong = "H5804",

**a** nd|strong = "H7971" it|strong = "H7971" shall|strong = "H2346"  
 devour|strong = "H0398" her|strong = "H7971" palaces|strong = "H0759".

**8**And|strong = "H7725" I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3027"  
 wipe|strong = "H4229" out|strong = "H5921" those|strong = "H5921"  
 who|strong = "H3427" live|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427"  
 Ashdod|strong = "H0795",

**a** nd|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H5921" sceptred  
 ruler|strong = "H3427" of|strong = "H3027" Askelon|strong = "H0831".

**I** |strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3027" turn|strong = "H7725"  
 my|strong = "H5921" hand|strong = "H3027" against|strong = "H5921"  
 Ekron|strong = "H6138",

**a** nd|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H5921" remnant|strong = "H7611"  
 of|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H5921" Philistines|strong = "H6430"  
 will|strong = "H3027" perish|strong = "H3772",

**s** ays|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3069" w\*.

**9**The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* says|strong = "H3541".

**F** or|strong = "H5921" Tyre's three|strong = "H7969"  
 crimes|strong = "H6588" – no|strong = "H3808", four|strong = "H7969"! –

**I** |strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" rescind  
 my|strong = "H3068" judgment|strong = "H4941".

**T** hey|strong = "H3068" carried|strong = "H3068" away|strong = "H7725"  
 captive|strong = "H1546" a|strong = "H3068" whole|strong = "H8003"  
 people|strong = "H3808" into|strong = "H7725" exile|strong = "H1546"  
 in|strong = "H5921" Edom|strong = "H0112",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" did|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
 remember|strong = "H2142" the|strong = "H5921"  
 brotherly|strong = "H0251" covenant|strong = "H1285".

10So|strong = "H7971" I|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H2346"  
 send|strong = "H7971" fire|strong = "H0784" on|strong = "H7971"  
 the|strong = "H7971" walls|strong = "H2346" of|strong = "H2346"  
 Tyre|strong = "H6865".

**I** t|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H2346" devour|strong = "H0398"  
 her|strong = "H7971" palaces|strong = "H0759".

11The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 says|strong = "H3541":

**F** or|strong = "H5921" Edom's|strong = "H2015" three|strong = "H7969"  
 crimes|strong = "H6588" – no|strong = "H3808", four|strong = "H7969"! –

**I** |strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" rescind  
 my|strong = "H8104" judgment|strong = "H4941".

**T** hey|strong = "H3068" pursued|strong = "H7291" their|strong = "H3068"  
 relatives|strong = "H0251" with|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921"  
 sword|strong = "H2719",

**s** tilled|strong = "H2013" their|strong = "H3068" pity|strong = "H7356",

**c** herished|strong = "H5532" their|strong = "H3068" anger|strong = "H5678"  
 continually|strong = "H5703",

**r** etained|strong = "H6113" their|strong = "H3068" fury|strong = "H5678"  
 forever|strong = "H5703".

12So|strong = "H7971" I|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H1224"  
 send|strong = "H7971" a|strong = "H7971" fire|strong = "H0784"  
 into|strong = "H0413" Teman|strong = "H8487".

**I** t|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H1224" destroy|strong = "H7843"  
the|strong = "H7971" palaces|strong = "H0759" of|strong = "H1121"  
Bozrah|strong = "H1224".

13The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
says|strong = "H3541":

**F** or|strong = "H5921" Ammonites' three|strong = "H7969"  
crimes|strong = "H6588" – no|strong = "H3808", four|strong = "H7969"! –

**I** |strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" rescind  
my|strong = "H3068" judgment|strong = "H4941".

**T** hey|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068" ripped|strong = "H1234"  
open|strong = "H1234" pregnant|strong = "H2030" women|strong = "H2030"  
in|strong = "H5921" Gilead|strong = "H1568",

**i** n|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H3068" lust|strong = "H5315"  
for|strong = "H5921" land|strong = "H1366".

14So|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3117"  
kindle|strong = "H3341" a|strong = "H3117" fire|strong = "H3341"  
on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117" wall|strong = "H2346"  
of|strong = "H3117" Rabbah|strong = "H7237".

**I** t|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3117" destroy|strong = "H7843"  
her|strong = "H3341" palaces|strong = "H0759",

**w** ith|strong = "H3117" a|strong = "H3117" war-cry in|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
battle|strong = "H4421",

**w** ith|strong = "H3117" a|strong = "H3117" tempest|strong = "H5591"  
in|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117" whirlwind|strong = "H5591".

15Their|strong = "H3068" king|strong = "H4428" will|strong = "H3068"  
go|strong = "H1980" into|strong = "H1980" exile|strong = "H1473",

**h** e|strong = "H1931" and|strong = "H1980" his|strong = "H3068"  
nobles|strong = "H2715" together|strong = "H3162",

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s ays|strong="H0559" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

2The|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* says|strong="H3541":

F or|strong="H5921" Moab's|strong="H4124" three|strong="H7969" crimes|strong="H6588" – no|strong="H3808", four|strong="H7969"! –

I |strong="H3541" will|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808" rescind  
my|strong="H3068" judgment|strong="H4941".

T hey|strong="H3068" have|strong="H3068" burned|strong="H8313"  
to|strong="H7725" lime|strong="H7875" the|strong="H5921"  
bones|strong="H6106" of|strong="H4428" the|strong="H5921"  
king|strong="H4428" of|strong="H4428" Edom|strong="H0112",

2to|strong="H4191" desecrate|strong="H2490" the|strong="H7971"  
dead|strong="H4191".

S o|strong="H7971" I|strong="H6963" will|strong="H4124"  
send|strong="H7971" a|strong="H7971" fire|strong="H0784"  
into|strong="H0413" Moab|strong="H4124".

I t|strong="H7971" will|strong="H4124" devour|strong="H0398"  
the|strong="H7971" palaces|strong="H0759" of|strong="H6963" Kiriath,

w ith|strong="H4191" a|strong="H7971" war-cry,

w ith|strong="H4191" the|strong="H7971" sound|strong="H6963"  
of|strong="H6963" trumpets|strong="H7782".

3I|strong="H3772" will|strong="H3068" kill|strong="H2026"  
the|strong="H3605" ruler|strong="H8269",

a ll|strong="H3605" his|strong="H3605" nobles|strong="H2715"  
I|strong="H3772" will|strong="H3068" slay|strong="H2026"  
with|strong="H5973" him|strong="H5973",

s ays|strong="H0559" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

4The|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* says|strong="H3541":

For Judah's three crimes – no, four –

I will not rescind my judgment.

They have rejected the law of the Lord

and have not kept his statutes.

Instead of their gods their ancestors followed,

have led them astray.

So I will send fire on Judah.

It will devour the palaces of Jerusalem.  
God's Judgment on Israel

6The Lord says:

For Israel's three crimes – no, four –

I will not rescind my judgment.

They sell the righteous for money,

t he|strong="H5921" needy|strong="H0034" for|strong="H5921"  
a|strong="H3478" pair|strong="H8147" of|strong="H3068"  
shoes|strong="H5275".

7They|strong="H5921" trample|strong="H7602" on|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H5921" head|strong="H7218" of|strong="H7218"  
the|strong="H5921" poor|strong="H1800",

p ush|strong="H5186" the|strong="H5921" humble|strong="H6035"  
out|strong="H5186" of|strong="H7218" the|strong="H5921"  
way|strong="H1870".

F ather|strong="H0001" and|strong="H3212" son|strong="H1121"  
go|strong="H3212" to|strong="H3212" the|strong="H5921"  
same|strong="H8034" temple|strong="H1004" girl|strong="H5291",

a nd|strong="H3212" so|strong="H4616" profane|strong="H2490"  
my|strong="H5921" holy|strong="H6944" name|strong="H8034".

8They|strong="H5921" stretch|strong="H5186"  
themselves|strong="H5921"

o n|strong="H5921" garments|strong="H0899" taken|strong="H2254"  
in|strong="H5921" pledges|strong="H2254" beside|strong="H5921"  
every|strong="H3605" altar|strong="H4196",

a nd|strong="H1004" they|strong="H5921" drink|strong="H8354"  
the|strong="H3605" wine|strong="H3196"

o f|strong="H1004" those|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605"  
have|strong="H3605" been|strong="H3605" fined|strong="H6064"  
in|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605" house|strong="H1004"  
of|strong="H1004" their|strong="H3605" God|strong="H0430".

9It|strong="H1931" was|strong="H1931" I|strong="H6440"  
who|strong="H1931" destroyed|strong="H8045" the|strong="H6440"  
Amorites|strong="H0567" for|strong="H8478" your|strong="H6440"  
sake|strong="H4616",

w hose|strong="H0834" height|strong="H1363" was|strong="H1931"  
like|strong="H6440" that|strong="H1931" of|strong="H6440"  
the|strong="H6440" cedars|strong="H0730",

a s|strong="H8478" strong|strong="H2634" as|strong="H8478"  
oaks|strong="H0437".

I |strong="H6440" destroyed|strong="H8045" their|strong="H6440"  
fruit|strong="H6529" from|strong="H6440" above|strong="H4605"

a nd|strong="H6440" their|strong="H6440" roots|strong="H8328"  
from|strong="H6440" below|strong="H8478".

10It|strong="H5927" was|strong="H8141" I|strong="H4714"  
who|strong="H4057" brought|strong="H5927" you|strong="H3212"  
up|strong="H5927" from|strong="H5927" the|strong="H3423"  
land|strong="H0776" of|strong="H8141" Egypt|strong="H4714",

l ed|strong="H3212" you|strong="H3212" forty|strong="H0705"  
years|strong="H8141" in|strong="H8141" the|strong="H3423"  
wilderness|strong="H4057",

b rought|strong="H5927" you|strong="H3212" here|strong="H6311"  
to|strong="H3212" possess|strong="H3423" the|strong="H3423"  
land|strong="H0776" of|strong="H8141" the|strong="H3423"  
Amorites|strong="H0567".

11I|strong="H6965" raised|strong="H6965" up|strong="H6965"  
some|strong="H4480" of|strong="H1121" your|strong="H3068"  
sons|strong="H1121" to|strong="H3478" be|strong="H3068"  
prophets|strong="H5030"

s ome|strong="H4480" of|strong="H1121" your|strong="H3068"  
youths|strong="H1121" to|strong="H3478" be|strong="H3068"  
Nazirites|strong="H5139".

I s|strong="H3068" not|strong="H1121" this|strong="H2063"  
indeed|strong="H3068" so|strong="H6965", Israelites|strong="H3478"?"

s ays|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

12But|strong="H3808" you|strong="H6680" made|strong="H8248"  
the|strong="H5921" Nazirites|strong="H5139" drink|strong="H8248"  
wine|strong="H3196"

**a** nd|strong = "H3196" banned|strong = "H2764" the|strong = "H5921"  
 prophets|strong = "H5030" from|strong = "H5921"  
 prophesying|strong = "H5012".

13Listen|strong = "H2009"!

**I** t|strong = "H2009" is|strong = "H2009" I|strong = "H2009"  
 who|strong = "H0834" will|strong = "H3068" make|strong = "H6213"  
 you|strong = "H8478" groan|strong = "H0584" in|strong = "H8478"  
 your|strong = "H8478" places|strong = "H8478",

**a** s|strong = "H8478" a|strong = "H8478" wagon|strong = "H5699"  
 groans|strong = "H0584" under|strong = "H8478" its|strong = "H8478"  
 load|strong = "H4853" of|strong = "H8478" grain|strong = "H1715".

14Then|strong = "H3808" flight|strong = "H4498" will|strong = "H5315"  
 fail|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H3808" swift|strong = "H7031",

**a** nd|strong = "H5315" the|strong = "H3808" strength|strong = "H3581"  
 of|strong = "H1368" the|strong = "H3808" strongest|strong = "H1368"  
 will|strong = "H5315" be|strong = "H3808" useless|strong = "H3808".

**T** he|strong = "H3808" warrior|strong = "H1368" will|strong = "H5315"  
 not|strong = "H3808" save|strong = "H4422" his|strong = "H3808"  
 life|strong = "H5315",

15the|strong = "H5975" archer|strong = "H1869" will|strong = "H5315"  
 not|strong = "H3808" stand|strong = "H5975" firm|strong = "H5975",

**t** he|strong = "H5975" swift|strong = "H7031" of|strong = "H5315"  
 foot|strong = "H7272" will|strong = "H5315" not|strong = "H3808"  
 escape|strong = "H4422",

**t** he|strong = "H5975" horseman|strong = "H7392" will|strong = "H5315"  
 not|strong = "H3808" save|strong = "H4422" his|strong = "H3808"  
 life|strong = "H5315".

16The|strong = "H5002" bravest|strong = "H0533" of|strong = "H3068"  
 warriors|strong = "H1368"

**w** ill|strong = "H3068" flee|strong = "H5127" away|strong = "H5127"  
 naked|strong = "H6174" in|strong = "H3068" that|strong = "H3117"  
 day|strong = "H3117",



s ays|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068"w\*.  
A Warning to Israel

3Listen|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H1696" this|strong = "H2088"  
message|strong = "H1697", Israelites|strong = "H3478",

w hich|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068"w\*  
has|strong = "H3068" spoken|strong = "H1696" against|strong = "H5921"  
you|strong = "H3605",

a gainst|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" whole|strong = "H3605"  
nation|strong = "H4940" that|strong = "H3605" I|strong = "H5921"  
brought|strong = "H5927" out|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H1121"  
Egypt|strong = "H4714":

2You|strong = "H3605" alone|strong = "H3045" have|strong = "H3045"  
I|strong = "H5921" cared|strong = "H3045" for|strong = "H5921"  
of|strong = "H4940" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
nations|strong = "H1471" of|strong = "H4940" the|strong = "H3605"  
world|strong = "H8398",

t his|strong = "H3651" is|strong = "H3651" why|strong = "H5921"  
I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H5771" punish|strong = "H6485"  
you|strong = "H3605" for|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H3605"  
crimes|strong = "H6588".

3Do|strong = "H6213" two|strong = "H8147" walk|strong = "H3212"  
together|strong = "H3162"

u nless|strong = "H1115" they|strong = "H3162" agreed|strong = "H3259"  
to|strong = "H3212" meet|strong = "H3259"?

4Does|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H5414" lion|strong = "H3715"  
roar|strong = "H7580" in|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414"  
forest|strong = "H3293"

w hen|strong = "H6963" there|strong = "H8033" is|strong = "H6963"  
no|strong = "H1115" prey|strong = "H2964" for|strong = "H5414"  
him|strong = "H5414"?

D oes|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H5414" young|strong = "H3715"  
lion|strong = "H3715" cry|strong = "H6963" out|strong = "H5414"  
in|strong = "H5414" his|strong = "H5414" den|strong = "H4585"

**u** nless|strong = "H1115" he|strong = "H5414" has|strong = "H3293"  
caught|strong = "H3920" something|strong = "H1697"?

5Does|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H5927" bird|strong = "H6833"  
swoop|strong = "H5774" down|strong = "H5307" into|strong = "H5927"  
a|strong = "H5927" trap|strong = "H4170"

**i** f|strong = "H4170" no|strong = "H3808" bait|strong = "H4170"  
is|strong = "H3808" set|strong = "H5927" for|strong = "H5921"  
it|strong = "H5921"?

**D** oes|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H5927" trap|strong = "H4170"  
spring|strong = "H5927" up|strong = "H5927" from|strong = "H4480"  
the|strong = "H5921" ground|strong = "H0776"

**i** f|strong = "H4170" nothing|strong = "H3808" sets|strong = "H5927"  
it|strong = "H5921" off|strong = "H5921"?

6Can|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H1961" trumpet|strong = "H7782"  
be|strong = "H1961" blown|strong = "H8628" in|strong = "H3068"  
a|strong = "H1961" city|strong = "H5892"

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6213" people|strong = "H5971"  
not|strong = "H3808" tremble|strong = "H2729"?

**C** an|strong = "H6213" disaster|strong = "H7451" strike|strong = "H8628"  
a|strong = "H1961" city|strong = "H5892"

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6213" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
not|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H1961" caused|strong = "H1961"  
it|strong = "H6213"?

7Surely|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" Lord|strong = "H3069" w  
God|strong = "H3069" w\* does|strong = "H6213" nothing|strong = "H3808"

**w** ithout|strong = "H3808" revealing|strong = "H1540" his|strong = "H1540"  
purpose|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H6213" his|strong = "H1540"  
servants|strong = "H5650" the|strong = "H3588" prophets|strong = "H5030".

8The|strong = "H3069" lion|strong = "H0738" has|strong = "H4310"  
roared|strong = "H7580"; who|strong = "H4310" does|strong = "H3808"  
not|strong = "H3808" fear|strong = "H3372"?

**T** he|strong="H3069" Lord|strong="H3069" w God|strong="H3069" w\*  
has|strong="H4310" spoken|strong="H1696"; who|strong="H4310"  
will|strong="H4310" not|strong="H3808" prophesy|strong="H5012"?

9Proclaim|strong="H8085" over|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
palaces|strong="H0759" in|strong="H5921" Ashdod|strong="H0795",

**a** nd|strong="H4714" over|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
palaces|strong="H0759" in|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
land|strong="H7130" of|strong="H2022" Egypt|strong="H4714":

**G** ather|strong="H6908" upon|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
mountain|strong="H2022" of|strong="H2022" Samaria|strong="H8111",

**a** nd|strong="H4714" see|strong="H7200" the|strong="H5921"  
violent|strong="H2555" turmoil|strong="H4103",

**t** he|strong="H5921" acts|strong="H6217" of|strong="H2022"  
oppression|strong="H6217" in|strong="H5921" her|strong="H5921"  
midst|strong="H8432".

10For|strong="H6213" they|strong="H3068" do|strong="H6213"  
not|strong="H3808" know|strong="H3045" how|strong="H3045"  
to|strong="H3068" do|strong="H6213" right|strong="H5229".

**T** hey|strong="H3068" are|strong="H3068" heaping up|strong="H6213"  
violence|strong="H2555"

**a** nd|strong="H3068" oppression|strong="H7701" in|strong="H3068"  
their|strong="H3068" palaces|strong="H0759",

**s** ays|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

11Therefore|strong="H3651" the|strong="H3069" Lord|strong="H3069"  
w God|strong="H3069" w\* says|strong="H3541":

**A** n|strong="H4480" enemy|strong="H6862" will|strong="H3069"  
surround|strong="H5439" the|strong="H3069" land|strong="H0776",

**h** e|strong="H3651" will|strong="H3069" strip|strong="H6584"  
your|strong="H4480" strength|strong="H5797" from|strong="H4480"  
you|strong="H4480".

and your palaces will be looted.

12The w Lord says:

Just as a shepherd rescues from the jaws of a lion

two shinbones or a piece of an ear,

so the Israelites living in Samaria will be rescued –

with the corner of a couch,

and the damask of a divan!

13Listen and testify against the house of Jacob,

says the Lord w God, the God of hosts.

14On the day when I punish Israel for their crimes,

I will also visit in judgment the altars of Bethel,

the horns of  
the altar will  
be hacked off,

and they will  
fall to the  
ground.

I will destroy  
the winter houses

together with the  
summer houses

and the houses  
of ivory will  
perish.

Many great houses  
will be swept  
away,

says the Lord.

Listen to this  
message, women of  
Sameria,

you well-fed cows  
of Bashan,

who oppress the  
poor and crush  
the needy,

who say to  
your husbands, 'Bring  
us another drink!'

The Lord w God w  
has sworn by  
his holiness:

**T** he|strong="H5921" time|strong="H3117" is|strong="H3117"  
 coming|strong="H2009" when|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588"  
 will|strong="H3117" be|strong="H3117" carried|strong="H5375"  
 away|strong="H5375" in|strong="H5921" baskets|strong="H5536",

**y** our|strong="H5921" children|strong="H1121" carried|strong="H5375"  
 away|strong="H5375" in|strong="H5921" fish-baskets,

**3**and|strong="H3068" through|strong="H3318" the|strong="H5002"  
 breaches|strong="H6556" in|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5002"  
 city|strong="H5892" wall|strong="H2346" you|strong="H3318"  
 will|strong="H3068" go|strong="H3318",

**t** hrown|strong="H7993" out|strong="H3318" on|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H5002" garbage dump|strong="H8210",

**s** ays|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

**4**Come|strong="H0935" to|strong="H3117" Bethel|strong="H1008"  
 and|strong="H3117" transgress|strong="H6586",

**a** t|strong="H3117" Gilgald increase|strong="H7235"  
 your|strong="H7235" transgression|strong="H6586".

**B** ring|strong="H0935" your|strong="H7235" sacrifices|strong="H2077"  
 in|strong="H3117" the|strong="H3117" morning|strong="H1242",

**e** very|strong="H1242" third|strong="H7969" day|strong="H3117"  
 your|strong="H7235" tithes|strong="H4643"!

**5**Burn|strong="H6999" some|strong="H4480"  
 leavened|strong="H2557" bread|strong="H2557" as|strong="H3651"  
 a|strong="H3588" thank-offering,

**p** roclaim|strong="H7121" aloud|strong="H3651" your|strong="H8085"  
 voluntary|strong="H5071" offerings|strong="H5071",

**f** or|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" love|strong="H0157"  
 to|strong="H3478" do|strong="H8085" this|strong="H3651",  
 Israelites|strong="H3478"!

s ays|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" Lord|strong = "H3069" w  
God|strong = "H3069" w\*.

6But|strong = "H3808" it|strong = "H5414" was|strong = "H3068"  
I|strong = "H5414" who|strong = "H3605" gave|strong = "H5414"  
to|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H5414"

e mpty|strong = "H7387" stomachs|strong = "H4578" in|strong = "H3068"  
all|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3068" cities|strong = "H5892",

a nd|strong = "H3068" lack|strong = "H2640" of|strong = "H3068"  
bread|strong = "H3899" in|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605"  
your|strong = "H3068" towns|strong = "H5892",

y et|strong = "H1571" you|strong = "H5414" have|strong = "H3068"  
not|strong = "H3808" returned|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H5704"  
me|strong = "H5414",

s ays|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

7It|strong = "H5921" was|strong = "H5892" I|strong = "H5921"  
who|strong = "H3808" withheld|strong = "H4513" from|strong = "H4480"  
you|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" rain|strong = "H1653",

s ending|strong = "H7971" rain|strong = "H1653" on|strong = "H5921"  
one|strong = "H3808" city|strong = "H5892",

w hile|strong = "H5750" on|strong = "H5921" another|strong = "H5750"  
I|strong = "H5921" allowed|strong = "H5414" no|strong = "H3808"  
rain|strong = "H1653".

O ne|strong = "H3808" field|strong = "H2513" received|strong = "H5921"  
rain|strong = "H1653",

w hile|strong = "H5750" a|strong = "H4480" field|strong = "H2513"  
without|strong = "H3808" rain|strong = "H1653" withered|strong = "H3001".

8People|strong = "H3808" from|strong = "H7725" two|strong = "H8147"  
or|strong = "H3808" three|strong = "H7969" cities|strong = "H5892"

r angled as|strong = "H5704" far|strong = "H5704" as|strong = "H5704"  
another|strong = "H3808" city|strong = "H5892"

f or|strong = "H5704" drinking|strong = "H8354" water|strong = "H4325",

a nd|strong = "H3068" still|strong = "H7725" they|strong = "H3068"  
did|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3068"  
enough|strong = "H7646",

y et|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H5704" did|strong = "H3068"  
not|strong = "H3808" return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H5704"  
me|strong = "H7725",

s ays|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

9I|strong = "H5704" struck|strong = "H5221" you|strong = "H5704"  
with|strong = "H3068" blight|strong = "H7711" and|strong = "H3068"  
mildew|strong = "H3420",

I |strong = "H5704" laid|strong = "H7760" waste|strong = "H2723"  
your|strong = "H3068" gardens|strong = "H1593" and|strong = "H3068"  
vineyards|strong = "H3754".

T he|strong = "H5002" swarming|strong = "H8318" locust|strong = "H1501"  
devoured|strong = "H0398" your|strong = "H3068" fig|strong = "H8384"  
and|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" olive|strong = "H2132"  
trees|strong = "H2132",

y et|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H5704" did|strong = "H3068"  
not|strong = "H3808" return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H5704"  
me|strong = "H7725",

s ays|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

10I|strong = "H5704" sent|strong = "H7971" plague|strong = "H1698"  
among|strong = "H5973" you|strong = "H7971" like|strong = "H5973"  
the|strong = "H5002" plagues|strong = "H1870" of|strong = "H3068"  
Egypt|strong = "H4714",

I |strong = "H5704" slew|strong = "H2026" your|strong = "H3068"  
youths|strong = "H3206" with|strong = "H5973" the|strong = "H5002"  
sword|strong = "H2719", your|strong = "H3068" horses|strong = "H5483"  
raided|strong = "H6584" away|strong = "H7971",



**I** |strong = "H5704" caused|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5002"  
 stench|strong = "H0889" of|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
 camps|strong = "H4264" to|strong = "H5704" rise|strong = "H5927"  
 in|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" nostrils|strong = "H0639",

**y** et|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H7971" did|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H5704"  
 me|strong = "H7971",

**s** ays|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

11I|strong = "H5704" wrought|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H1961"  
 destruction|strong = "H7667" among|strong = "H3808" you|strong = "H5704",

**a** s|strong = "H5704" God|strong = "H3068" destroyed|strong = "H2015"  
 Sodom|strong = "H5467" and|strong = "H3068" Gomorrah|strong = "H6017".

**Y** ou|strong = "H5704" were|strong = "H1961" like|strong = "H1961"  
 a|strong = "H1961" stick|strong = "H6086" snatched|strong = "H5337"  
 from|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H5002" fire|strong = "H8316",

**y** et|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H5704" did|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H5704"  
 me|strong = "H7725",

**s** ays|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

12Therefore|strong = "H3651" this|strong = "H2063" is|strong = "H3651"  
 what|strong = "H6213" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3478"  
 do|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H3478" you|strong = "H3588",  
 Israel|strong = "H3478",

**a** nd|strong = "H3478" because|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
 am|strong = "H1961" about|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H3478"  
 do|strong = "H6213" this|strong = "H2063" to|strong = "H3478"  
 you|strong = "H3588",

**p** repare|strong = "H3559" to|strong = "H3478" meet|strong = "H7125"  
 your|strong = "H6213" God|strong = "H0430", Israel|strong = "H3478".

13He|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H3068" here|strong = "H2009"!

**H**e|strong="H3588" who|strong="H3068" forms|strong="H3335"  
the|strong="H5921" mountains|strong="H2022",

**c**reates|strong="H1254" the|strong="H5921" wind|strong="H7307",

**d**eclares|strong="H5046" to|strong="H3068" his|strong="H3068"  
thoughts|strong="H7808" to|strong="H3068" mortals|strong="H4172",

**m**akes|strong="H6213" dawn|strong="H7837" and|strong="H3068"  
darkness|strong="H5890",

**t**reads|strong="H1869" upon|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
heights|strong="H1116" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5921"  
earth|strong="H0776",

**t**he|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, the|strong="H5921"  
God|strong="H3068" of|strong="H3068" hosts|strong="H6635",  
is|strong="H3068" his|strong="H3068" name|strong="H8034"!  
A Funeral Song for Israel

5Listen|strong="H8085" to|strong="H3478" the|strong="H5921"  
words|strong="H1697" of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H5921" funeral  
song|strong="H1697"

**I**|strong="H5921" am|strong="H1961" singing|strong="H7440"  
for|strong="H5921" you|strong="H5921", Israel|strong="H3478":

2Fallen|strong="H5307", no|strong="H3808" more|strong="H3254"  
to|strong="H3478" rise|strong="H6965", is|strong="H3478"  
the|strong="H5921" virgin|strong="H1330" Israel|strong="H3478"!

**H**urled|strong="H2904" down|strong="H5307" upon|strong="H5921"  
her|strong="H5921" own|strong="H1961" soil|strong="H0127"  
she|strong="H5921" lies|strong="H3577",

**w**ith|strong="H5921" no|strong="H3808" one|strong="H3808"  
to|strong="H3478" lift|strong="H6965" her|strong="H5921"  
up|strong="H6965"!

3For|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" Lord|strong="H3069" w  
God|strong="H3069" w\* says|strong="H3541" this|strong="H3541":

**T** he|strong = "H3588" city|strong = "H5892" that|strong = "H3588"  
marches|strong = "H1980" out|strong = "H3318" with|strong = "H1004"  
a|strong = "H3588" thousand|strong = "H0505" soldiers|strong = "H6235"

**h** as|strong = "H3478" only|strong = "H3588" a|strong = "H3588"  
hundred|strong = "H3967" left|strong = "H7604",

**a** nd|strong = "H3967" the|strong = "H3588" one|strong = "H3588"  
that|strong = "H3588" marches|strong = "H1980" out|strong = "H3318"  
with|strong = "H1004" a|strong = "H3588" hundred|strong = "H3967"

**h** as|strong = "H3478" only|strong = "H3588" ten|strong = "H6235"  
left|strong = "H7604".

4For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
says|strong = "H3541" this|strong = "H3541" to|strong = "H3478"  
Israel|strong = "H3478":

**S** eek|strong = "H1875" me|strong = "H1875" and|strong = "H3478"  
live|strong = "H2421",

5But|strong = "H3588" do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808"  
seek|strong = "H1875" Bethel|strong = "H1008",

**d** o|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808" enter|strong = "H5674"  
Gilgal|strong = "H1537",

**d** o|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808" go|strong = "H5674"  
over|strong = "H5674" to|strong = "H1961" Beer-sheba|strong = "H0884".

**F** or|strong = "H3588" Gilgal|strong = "H1537" will|strong = "H1961"  
enter|strong = "H5674" exile|strong = "H1540",

**a** nd|strong = "H1008" Bethel|strong = "H1008" will|strong = "H1961"  
go|strong = "H5674" to|strong = "H1961" destruction|strong = "H7667".

6Seek|strong = "H1875" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
and|strong = "H3068" live|strong = "H2421",

**o** r|strong = "H6435" he|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
cast|strong = "H3068" fire|strong = "H0784" on|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"  
Joseph|strong = "H3130",

a nd|strong = "H3068" it|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
devour|strong = "H0398"

a nd|strong = "H3068" there|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
be|strong = "H3068" no|strong = "H6435" one|strong = "H2421"  
to|strong = "H3068" quench|strong = "H3518" it|strong = "H3068"  
for|strong = "H3068" Bethel|strong = "H1008".

7You|strong = "H0859" who|strong = "H0834" turn|strong = "H2015"  
judgment|strong = "H4941" to|strong = "H4941" bitter|strong = "H4751"  
wormwood|strong = "H3939",

a nd|strong = "H4941" cast|strong = "H7993"  
righteousness|strong = "H6666" into|strong = "H2015" the|strong = "H2015"  
dirt|strong = "H6083":

8He|strong = "H3117" who|strong = "H3068" made|strong = "H6213"  
the|strong = "H6440" Pleiades|strong = "H3598" and|strong = "H3068"  
Orion|strong = "H3685",

w ho|strong = "H3068" turns|strong = "H2015" deep|strong = "H6757"  
darkness|strong = "H6757" into|strong = "H2015" dawn|strong = "H1242",

w ho|strong = "H3068" darkens|strong = "H2821" day|strong = "H3117"  
again|strong = "H6440" into|strong = "H2015" night|strong = "H3915",

w ho|strong = "H3068" summons|strong = "H7121" the|strong = "H6440"  
waters|strong = "H4325" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440"  
sea|strong = "H3220",

a nd|strong = "H3068" pours|strong = "H8210" them|strong = "H5921"  
out|strong = "H8210" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440"  
earth's|strong = "H0776" surface|strong = "H6440",

t he|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
his|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034"!

9He|strong = "H5921" causes|strong = "H5414"  
destruction|strong = "H7701" to|strong = "H5921" burst|strong = "H1234"  
over|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" strong|strong = "H5794".

**H** e|strong="H5921" brings|strong="H0935"  
devastation|strong="H7701" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
fortress|strong="H4013".

10 You|strong="H1696" who|strong="H8130" hate|strong="H8130"  
the|strong="H1696" arbiters at|strong="H8179" the|strong="H1696"  
city|strong="H8179" gate|strong="H8179",

**a** nd|strong="H1696" abhor|strong="H8581" anyone|strong="H3605"  
who|strong="H8130" speaks|strong="H1696" the|strong="H1696"  
truth|strong="H0571":

11 Because|strong="H5921" you|strong="H5921"  
trample|strong="H7429" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
weak|strong="H1800",

**a** nd|strong="H1004" tax|strong="H4864" their|strong="H3947"  
grain|strong="H1250",

**a** lthough|strong="H3808" you|strong="H5921" have|strong="H1129"  
built|strong="H1129" houses|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004"  
hewn|strong="H1496" stone|strong="H1496",

**y** ou|strong="H5921" will|strong="H1004" not|strong="H3808"  
live|strong="H3427" in|strong="H3427" them|strong="H5921",

**a** lthough|strong="H3808" you|strong="H5921" have|strong="H1129"  
planted|strong="H5193" charming|strong="H2580"  
vineyards|strong="H3754",

**y** ou|strong="H5921" will|strong="H1004" not|strong="H3808"  
drink|strong="H8354" their|strong="H3947" wine|strong="H3196".

12 For|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" know|strong="H3045"  
how|strong="H3588" many|strong="H7227" are|strong="H6588"  
your|strong="H3947" crimes|strong="H6588",

**a** nd|strong="H3045" how|strong="H3588" great|strong="H7227"  
are|strong="H6588" your|strong="H3947" sins|strong="H2403"!

**Y** ou|strong="H3588" persecutors|strong="H7291" of|strong="H8179"  
the|strong="H3588" righteous|strong="H6662", takers of|strong="H8179"  
bribes|strong="H3724"!

**Y**ou|strong = "H3588" deny|strong = "H3584" the|strong = "H3588"  
 poor|strong = "H6041" their|strong = "H3947" justice|strong = "H4941"  
 at|strong = "H8179" the|strong = "H3588" city|strong = "H8179"  
 gate|strong = "H8179".

13It|strong = "H1931" would|strong = "H7451" be|strong = "H7451"  
 wise|strong = "H7919" to|strong = "H6256" keep|strong = "H8104"  
 quiet|strong = "H8252" in|strong = "H7919" such|strong = "H3651"  
 an|strong = "H3588" evil|strong = "H7451" time|strong = "H6256".

14Seek|strong = "H1875" good|strong = "H2896" and|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H1961" evil|strong = "H7451",

**t** hat|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3651" may|strong = "H1961"  
 live|strong = "H2421",

**s** o|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
 God|strong = "H3068" of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635",

**m** ay|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961" with|strong = "H3068"  
 you|strong = "H3651", as|strong = "H1961" you|strong = "H3651"  
 have|strong = "H1961" claimed|strong = "H7121" he|strong = "H3651"  
 is|strong = "H3068".

15Hate|strong = "H8130" evil|strong = "H7451" and|strong = "H3068"  
 love|strong = "H0157" good|strong = "H2896",

**e** stablish|strong = "H3322" justice|strong = "H4941" at|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" city|strong = "H8179" gate|strong = "H8179".

**P** erhaps|strong = "H0194" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, the|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068"  
 of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635",

**w** ill|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068" gracious|strong = "H2603"  
 to|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H3068" surviving|strong = "H3498"  
 remnant|strong = "H7611" of|strong = "H3068" Joseph|strong = "H3130".

16Therefore|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H3605" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, the|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H3068"  
 of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635", says|strong = "H3541":

**I**n|strong="H3068" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605"  
public|strong="H1121" squares|strong="H7339" there|strong="H3605"  
will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3068" wailing|strong="H4553",

**i**n|strong="H3068" every|strong="H3605" street|strong="H2351"  
the|strong="H3605" sound|strong="H6963" of|strong="H3068"  
mourning|strong="H4553".

**T**hey|strong="H3651" will|strong="H3068" summon|strong="H7121"  
the|strong="H3605" farmers|strong="H0406" to|strong="H3068"  
mourning|strong="H4553",

**a**nd|strong="H3068" professional|strong="H3045"  
mourners|strong="H3045" to|strong="H3068" wailing|strong="H4553".

**17**In|strong="H3068" all|strong="H3605" vineyards|strong="H3754"  
there|strong="H3605" will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3068"  
lamenting|strong="H8386",

**w**hen|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" pass|strong="H5674"  
through|strong="H5674" your|strong="H3068" midst|strong="H7130",

**s**ays|strong="H0559" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

**18**Fools|strong="H3684" who|strong="H1931" long|strong="H3117"  
for|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" day|strong="H3117"  
of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*!

**W**hat|strong="H4100" does|strong="H4100" the|strong="H3068"  
day|strong="H3117" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* mean|strong="H2823" to|strong="H3068"  
you|strong="H3117"?

**I**t|strong="H1931" is|strong="H3068" darkness|strong="H2822",  
and|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808" light|strong="H0216".

**19**It|strong="H5921" is|strong="H3027" as|strong="H6440"  
when|strong="H5127" one|strong="H3027" flees|strong="H5127"  
from|strong="H6440" a|strong="H5921" lion|strong="H0738",

**a**nd|strong="H3027" is|strong="H3027" attacked|strong="H3027"  
by|strong="H3027" a|strong="H5921" bear|strong="H1677",

**a** s|strong="H6440" when|strong="H5127" one|strong="H3027"  
reaches|strong="H5927" home|strong="H1004", leans|strong="H5564"  
his|strong="H6440" hand|strong="H3027" on|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H6440" wall|strong="H7023",

**a** nd|strong="H3027" a|strong="H5921" snake|strong="H5175"  
bites|strong="H5391" him|strong="H6440".

20Won't|strong="H3808" the|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s day|strong="H3117" be|strong="H3808"  
darkness|strong="H2822" and|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808"  
light|strong="H5051",

**m** urky darkness|strong="H2822" without|strong="H3808"  
a|strong="H3117" ray of|strong="H3068" light|strong="H5051"  
in|strong="H3068" it|strong="H3117"?

21I|strong="H3808" hate|strong="H8130", I|strong="H3808"  
despise|strong="H3988" your|strong="H3808" feasts|strong="H2282",

**I** |strong="H3808" will|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"  
smell|strong="H7306" the|strong="H3808" savour|strong="H7381"  
of|strong="H2282" your|strong="H3808" festivals|strong="H2282",

22I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"  
be|strong="H3808" pleased|strong="H7521" with|strong="H5927"  
your|strong="H3588" burnt|strong="H5930" offerings|strong="H8002",

**y** our|strong="H3588" grain|strong="H1715" offerings|strong="H8002",

**I** |strong="H3588" will|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"  
accept|strong="H7521" the|strong="H3588" peace|strong="H8002"  
offerings|strong="H8002"

**o** f|strong="H4503" your|strong="H3588" fattened|strong="H0075"  
calves|strong="H5695".

23Spare|strong="H2550" me|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
noise|strong="H1995" of|strong="H5921" your|strong="H5921"  
songs|strong="H7892",



I will not  
listen to  
melody of  
lyres.

24But let justice  
roll on  
a flood of  
waters,

and  
like  
an un  
failing  
stream.

25Was it only  
sacrifices and  
offerings

you brought me

during the forty  
years in the  
wilderness, Israel?

26But now you  
will lift up  
your “king” Sikkuth

and “star” god  
Kiyyun,

your idols which  
you have made  
for yourselves,

27as I drive  
you into exile  
beyond Damascus,

says the w Lord w\*,  
 whose name is  
 the God of  
 hosts.  
 The Destruction of Israel

Sorrow awaits who  
 are carefree in  
 Zion,

o verconfident on the  
 mountain of Samaria!

The elite of  
 this, the best  
 of nations,

o n whom the  
 people of Israel  
 rest their hopes!

2You say to  
 the people:

Cross over to  
 Calneh and see,

go from there  
 to Hamath the  
 great,

then go down  
 to Gath of  
 the Philistines:

Are they better  
 than these kingdoms?

Is their territory  
 larger than yours?

3You|strong = "H3117" push|strong = "H5055" away|strong = "H7451"  
all|strong = "H3117" thoughts|strong = "H4284" of|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H3117" evil|strong = "H7451" day|strong = "H3117",

y et|strong = "H3117" have|strong = "H3117" instituted|strong = "H6213"  
a|strong = "H3117" rule|strong = "H4910" of|strong = "H3117"  
violence|strong = "H2555".

4They|strong = "H5921" lie|strong = "H7901" on|strong = "H5921"  
ivory|strong = "H8127" couches|strong = "H4296",

s prawl|strong = "H5628" on|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H5921"  
divans,

e at|strong = "H0398" choice|strong = "H4022" lambs|strong = "H3733"  
from|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" flock|strong = "H6629",

a nd|strong = "H6629" fattened|strong = "H4770" calves|strong = "H5695"  
from|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" stall|strong = "H4770".

5They|strong = "H1992" idly|strong = "H1818" sing|strong = "H7892"  
to|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" sound|strong = "H6310"  
of|strong = "H3627" the|strong = "H5921" lyre|strong = "H3658",

t hinking|strong = "H0559" themselves|strong = "H1992" songwriters  
like|strong = "H2803" David|strong = "H1732",

6they|strong = "H3808" drink|strong = "H8354" bowlfuls  
of|strong = "H5921" wine|strong = "H3196",

a nd|strong = "H8081" anoint|strong = "H4886"  
themselves|strong = "H2470" with|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
finest|strong = "H7225" of|strong = "H5921" oil|strong = "H8081".

B ut|strong = "H3808" they|strong = "H3808" do|strong = "H6213"  
not|strong = "H3808" grieve|strong = "H6087" over|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" ruin|strong = "H7667" of|strong = "H5921"  
Joseph|strong = "H3130".

7Therefore|strong = "H3651" now|strong = "H6258" they|strong = "H3651"  
must|strong = "H4191" go|strong = "H1540" into|strong = "H1540"  
exile|strong = "H1540"

a t|strong="H7218" the|strong="H5493" head|strong="H7218"  
of|strong="H7218" the|strong="H5493" captives|strong="H1540",

a nd|strong="H7218" hushed|strong="H2244" will|strong="H3068"  
be|strong="H6258" the|strong="H5493" revelry of|strong="H7218"  
the|strong="H5493" sprawlers.

8The|strong="H5002" Lord|strong="H3068" w God|strong="H3068" w\*,

t he|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, the|strong="H5002"  
God|strong="H3068" of|strong="H3068" hosts|strong="H6635",  
has|strong="H3068" sworn|strong="H7650" by|strong="H7650"  
himself|strong="H5315":

I |strong="H5315" abhor|strong="H8374" the|strong="H5002"  
pride|strong="H1347" of|strong="H3068" Jacob|strong="H3290",

I |strong="H5315" hate|strong="H8130" his|strong="H3068"  
palaces|strong="H0759",

t herefore|strong="H3068" I|strong="H5315" will|strong="H3068"  
deliver|strong="H5462" up|strong="H5462" the|strong="H5002"  
city|strong="H5892"

a nd|strong="H3068" all|strong="H4393" that|strong="H5315"  
is|strong="H3068" in|strong="H3068" it|strong="H4393"  
to|strong="H3068" their|strong="H3068" enemies|strong="H8130".

9If|strong="H1961" ten|strong="H6235" people|strong="H5971"  
remain|strong="H3498" in|strong="H1004" one|strong="H1961"  
house|strong="H1004", then|strong="H1961" they|strong="H1992"  
will|strong="H1961" die|strong="H4191". <sup>10</sup> When|strong="H3588"  
the|strong="H3588" uncle|strong="H1730" and|strong="H3068"  
another|strong="H5750" member|strong="H1995" of|strong="H1004"  
the|strong="H3588" family|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004"  
a|strong="H3588" dead|strong="H4191" man|strong="H5375"  
come|strong="H3318" to|strong="H3318" carry|strong="H5375"  
the|strong="H3588" body|strong="H6106" out|strong="H3318"  
of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H3588" house|strong="H1004"  
for|strong="H3588" burial|strong="H6900", they|strong="H3588"  
will|strong="H3068" call|strong="H2142" to|strong="H3318"  
someone|strong="H0376" in|strong="H3068" a|strong="H3588"

corner|strong = "H6438" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3588"  
 house|strong = "H1004", "Any|strong = "H4480" more|strong = "H4480"  
 there|strong = "H4480"?" and|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H3588"  
 will|strong = "H3068" answer|strong = "H6030", "No|strong = "H3808"  
 and|strong = "H3068" then|strong = "H3318" he|strong = "H3588"  
 will|strong = "H3068" add|strong = "H3254", "Be|strong = "H3808"  
 quiet|strong = "H2013"!" – for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
 name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3588" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* must|strong = "H5375" not|strong = "H3808"  
 be|strong = "H3808" mentioned|strong = "H2142".

11 Look|strong = "H2009"! The|strong = "H3588" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068" giving|strong = "H6680"  
 the|strong = "H3588" command|strong = "H6680"!

H e|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" smash|strong = "H7665"  
 the|strong = "H3588" large|strong = "H1419" house|strong = "H1004"  
 to|strong = "H3068" bits|strong = "H6595",

t he|strong = "H3588" small|strong = "H6996" house|strong = "H1004"  
 into|strong = "H0413" fragments|strong = "H1233".

12 Do|strong = "H2790" horses|strong = "H5483" gallop|strong = "H6335"  
 on|strong = "H7323" crags|strong = "H5553"?

D oes|strong = "H6213" one|strong = "H3588" plough the|strong = "H3588"  
 sea|strong = "H3220" with|strong = "H4941" oxen|strong = "H1241"?

Y et|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" turn|strong = "H2015"  
 justice|strong = "H4941" into|strong = "H2015" poison|strong = "H7219"  
 weed,

a nd|strong = "H4941" the|strong = "H3588" fruit|strong = "H6529"  
 of|strong = "H4941" righteousness|strong = "H6666" into|strong = "H2015"  
 bitter|strong = "H4751" wormwood|strong = "H3939".

13 You|strong = "H3947" who|strong = "H3808" are|strong = "H1697"  
 so|strong = "H3947" proud|strong = "H1343"

o f|strong = "H1697" capturing Lo-debar|strong = "H3810",

w ho|strong="H3808" say|strong="H1697", "Have|strong="H1697"  
we|strong="H1697" not|strong="H3808" by|strong="H3808"  
our|strong="H3947" own|strong="H1961" strength|strong="H2392"

t aken|strong="H3947" Karnaim|strong="H7163" for|strong="H3808"  
ourselves|strong="H0587"?"

14I|strong="H3588" am|strong="H3068" now|strong="H3588"  
raising|strong="H6965" up|strong="H6965" against|strong="H5921"  
you|strong="H3588",

I srael|strong="H3478", a|strong="H3588" nation|strong="H1471",

s ays|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,  
the|strong="H5002" God|strong="H3068" of|strong="H1004"  
hosts|strong="H6635".

T hey|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" oppress|strong="H3905"  
you|strong="H3588",

f rom|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5002" entrance|strong="H6607"  
of|strong="H1004" Hamath|strong="H2574"

t o|strong="H5704" the|strong="H5002" brook|strong="H5158"  
of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H5002" Arabah|strong="H6160".

A Vision of Locusts

7This|strong="H3541" is|strong="H2009" what|strong="H3541"  
the|strong="H7200" Lord|strong="H3069" w God|strong="H3069" w\*  
showed|strong="H7200" me|strong="H7200": he|strong="H3541"  
was|strong="H4428" forming|strong="H3335" a|strong="H7200"  
swarm|strong="H8317" of|strong="H4428" locusts|strong="H1462",  
when|strong="H7200" the|strong="H7200" late|strong="H0309"  
spring|strong="H5927" grass|strong="H2682" began|strong="H8462"  
to|strong="H5927" come|strong="H5927" up|strong="H5927"  
after|strong="H5927" the|strong="H7200" king's|strong="H4428"  
share|strong="H2506" had|strong="H4428" been|strong="H5927"  
harvested|strong="H1219". <sup>2</sup> And|strong="H6965"  
when|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" had|strong="H1961"  
finished|strong="H3615" devouring|strong="H0398" all|strong="H6996"  
the|strong="H3588" land's vegetation|strong="H6212", I|strong="H3588"  
said|strong="H0559":

‘ Lord|strong = "H3069" w God|strong = "H3069" w\*,  
 forgive|strong = "H5545", I|strong = "H3588" beg|strong = "H4994"  
 you|strong = "H3588"!

H ow|strong = "H3588" can|strong = "H4310" Jacob|strong = "H3290"  
 survive|strong = "H6965",

f or|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931"  
 so|strong = "H1961" helpless|strong = "H1800"?

3The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 relented|strong = "H5162". This|strong = "H2063" will|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" happen|strong = "H1961", ' said|strong = "H0559"  
 the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.  
 A|strong = "H1961" Vision|strong = "H2377" of|strong = "H3068"  
 Fire|strong = "H0784"

4This|strong = "H3541" is|strong = "H2009" what|strong = "H3541"  
 he|strong = "H7121" showed|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H7200":  
 the|strong = "H7200" Lord|strong = "H3069" w God|strong = "H3069" w\*  
 was|strong = "H7227" giving|strong = "H5414" command|strong = "H6680"  
 to|strong = "H7200" execute|strong = "H6213" judgment|strong = "H4941"  
 by|strong = "H7121" fire|strong = "H0784". It|strong = "H7121"  
 burned|strong = "H8313" up|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200"  
 great|strong = "H7227" deep|strong = "H8415", and|strong = "H7200"  
 had|strong = "H3068" begun|strong = "H2490" to|strong = "H7200"  
 devour|strong = "H0398" the|strong = "H7200" fields|strong = "H7704",  
 and|strong = "H7200" I|strong = "H3541" said|strong = "H7121":

5'Lord|strong = "H3069" w God|strong = "H3069" w\*,  
 forgive|strong = "H5545", I|strong = "H3588" beg|strong = "H4994"  
 you|strong = "H3588"!

H ow|strong = "H3588" can|strong = "H4310" Jacob|strong = "H3290"  
 survive|strong = "H6965",

f or|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931"  
 so|strong = "H6965" helpless|strong = "H1800"?

6The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 relented|strong = "H5162". "This|strong = "H2063" will|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" happen|strong = "H1961" either|strong = "H1571",  
 said|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

A vision of  
a Plumb Line

This is what  
the Lord w God  
showed me: the  
Lord was standing  
beside a wall  
built with a  
plumb line, with  
a plumb line  
in his hand.<sup>8</sup>  
And the w Lord  
said to me,

‘ What do you  
see?’

And I answered,

‘ A plumb line,’

Then the Lord  
said,

‘ Watch: I am  
setting a plumb  
line

in the midst  
of my people  
Israel,

I will no  
longer overlook  
their  
crookedness.

And the high  
places of Isaac

will be desolate,



the|strong="H5921" sanctuaries|strong="H4720" of|strong="H1004"  
Israel|strong="H3478"

will|strong="H3478" be|strong="H3478" laid|strong="H8074"  
waste|strong="H2717",

and|strong="H6965" I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H3478"  
rise|strong="H6965" up|strong="H6965" against|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H5921" house|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004"  
Jeroboam|strong="H3379"

with|strong="H1004" the|strong="H5921" sword|strong="H2719".  
Amaziah|strong="H0558" and|strong="H6965" Amos|strong="H5986"

10Then|strong="H7971" Amaziah|strong="H0558",  
chief|strong="H3478" priest|strong="H3548" of|strong="H4428"  
Bethel|strong="H1008" sent|strong="H7971" this|strong="H1697"  
message|strong="H1697" to|strong="H3478" King|strong="H4428"  
Jeroboam|strong="H3379" of|strong="H4428" Israel|strong="H3478":  
'Amos|strong="H5986" has|strong="H3478" conspired|strong="H7194"  
against|strong="H5921" you|strong="H3605" right|strong="H3478"  
in|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605" heart|strong="H7130"  
of|strong="H4428" Israel|strong="H3478". The|strong="H3605"  
country|strong="H2022" cannot|strong="H3808" survive|strong="H3557"  
all|strong="H3605" his|strong="H3605" words|strong="H1697". <sup>11</sup>  
Amos|strong="H5986" has|strong="H3478" said|strong="H0559",  
'Jeroboam|strong="H3379" will|strong="H3478" die|strong="H4191"  
by|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" sword|strong="H2719",  
and|strong="H3478" Israel|strong="H3478" will|strong="H3478"  
be|strong="H4191" led|strong="H1540" away|strong="H1540"  
captive|strong="H1540" out|strong="H5921" of|strong="H5921"  
their|strong="H5921" land|strong="H0776".'

12And|strong="H3063" Amaziah|strong="H0558" said|strong="H0559"  
to|strong="H3212" Amos|strong="H5986", 'Leave|strong="H5800",  
you|strong="H3212" who|strong="H3063" see|strong="H2374"  
visions|strong="H2376", go|strong="H3212" to|strong="H3212"  
the|strong="H8033" land|strong="H0776" of|strong="H3899"  
Judah|strong="H3063". Earn your|strong="H8033"  
bread|strong="H3899" there|strong="H8033" and|strong="H3063"  
prophecy|strong="H5012" there|strong="H8033", <sup>13</sup> but|strong="H3588"  
don't|strong="H3808" prophecy|strong="H5012" any|strong="H5750"  
more|strong="H3254" at|strong="H1004" Bethel|strong="H1008",  
for|strong="H3588" it|strong="H1931" is|strong="H1931"

the|strong = "H3588" king's|strong = "H4428" sanctuary|strong = "H4720",  
and|strong = "H4428" it|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931"  
the|strong = "H3588" royal|strong = "H4428" residence|strong = "H1004".'

14'I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961" no|strong = "H3808"  
prophet|strong = "H5030", ' Amos|strong = "H5986"  
answered|strong = "H6030" Amaziah|strong = "H0558",  
'nor|strong = "H3808" trained|strong = "H2593" as|strong = "H3588"  
one|strong = "H3808". I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961"  
a|strong = "H3588" shepherd|strong = "H7462" and|strong = "H1121"  
a|strong = "H3588" keeper|strong = "H8104" of|strong = "H1121"  
sycamores|strong = "H8256" fig|strong = "H8384" trees|strong = "H8256".  
<sup>15</sup> But|strong = "H3947" the|strong = "H3947" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
took|strong = "H3947" me|strong = "H3947" away|strong = "H3947"  
from|strong = "H3478" following|strong = "H3212" the|strong = "H3947"  
flock|strong = "H6629", and|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3947" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3478"  
me|strong = "H3947", "Go|strong = "H3212", prophesy|strong = "H5012"  
to|strong = "H3478" my|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971"  
Israel|strong = "H3478"."  
<sup>16</sup> Now|strong = "H6258"  
therefore|strong = "H5921" listen|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H3478"  
the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*'s  
message|strong = "H1697":

“ You|strong = "H5921" say|strong = "H1697" not|strong = "H3808"  
to|strong = "H3478" prophesy|strong = "H5012" against|strong = "H5921"  
Israel|strong = "H3478",

n or|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H3478" preach|strong = "H5197"  
against|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" house|strong = "H1004"  
of|strong = "H1004" Isaac|strong = "H3446".

17But|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
says|strong = "H3541":

Y our|strong = "H3068" wife|strong = "H0802" will|strong = "H3068"  
become|strong = "H2181" a|strong = "H3478" prostitute|strong = "H2181"  
in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" city|strong = "H5892",

y our|strong = "H3068" sons|strong = "H1121" and|strong = "H1121"  
your|strong = "H3068" daughters|strong = "H1323" will|strong = "H3068"  
fall|strong = "H5307" by|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
sword|strong = "H2719",

your land will be divided up,

you will die on unclean soil,

and Israel will be led away captive out of their land.”

The Time is Ripe

8The Lord w God w\* showed me this: a basket of summer fruit. <sup>2</sup> ‘What do you see,’ Amos H5986?’ he asked. I replied, ‘A basket of summer fruit.’ Then the Lord w\* said to H3478 me:

The time is ripe for my people Israel,

I will no longer overlook their crimes.

3The singing women in the palace will howl on that day,

says the Lord w\*:

Corpses everywhere,

thrown out in silence.

4 Listen to this, you who trample on the needy,

who oppress the poor of the earth, <sup>5</sup> saying:

When will the feast new moon be over

so that we may sell grain?

And the sabbath ended

so that we may offer wheat for sale?

Reducing the measure and increasing the price,

cheating with false scales,

mixing the sweepings in with the wheat.

Then we can buy the poor for money,

the needy for a pair of shoes.

7 Now the w Lord w\*  
has taken an  
oath

**b** y the Pride  
of Jacob:

**I** will never  
forget all their  
deeds!

8 Because of this  
won't the land  
quake,

**a** nd all its  
inhabitants mourn?

**W** on't the whole  
of it rise  
like the Nile,

**c** hurn and subside  
like the Nile  
in Egypt?

9 On that day,  
says the Lord w  
God w\*,

**I** will make  
the sun set  
at noon

**a** nd darken the  
earth in broad  
daylight.

10 I will turn  
your feasts into  
mourning,

a ll|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605" songs|strong = "H7892"  
into|strong = "H2015" dirges.

I |strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3117" cause|strong = "H2600"  
you|strong = "H3605" to|strong = "H5927" dress|strong = "H6213"  
in|strong = "H5921" sackcloth|strong = "H8242",

e very|strong = "H3605" head|strong = "H7218" shaved|strong = "H1548".

I |strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3117" make|strong = "H7760"  
you|strong = "H3605" mourn|strong = "H5921" like|strong = "H5927"  
you|strong = "H3605" have|strong = "H3117" lost|strong = "H0006"  
your|strong = "H3605" only|strong = "H3173" son|strong = "H3173",

a ll|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H3605" happens|strong = "H3117"  
will|strong = "H3117" end|strong = "H7093" in|strong = "H5921"  
bitterness|strong = "H4751".

11The|strong = "H5002" day|strong = "H3117" is|strong = "H3068"  
coming|strong = "H2009", says|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002"  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w God|strong = "H3068" w\*,

w hen|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"  
send|strong = "H7971" hunger|strong = "H7458" in|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H5002" land|strong = "H0776".

N ot|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H3588" famine|strong = "H7458"  
of|strong = "H3068" bread|strong = "H3899" or|strong = "H3808"  
thirst|strong = "H6772" for|strong = "H3588" water|strong = "H4325",

b ut|strong = "H3588" for|strong = "H3588" hearing|strong = "H8085"  
the|strong = "H5002" message|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

12Then|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
wander|strong = "H5128" from|strong = "H5704" sea|strong = "H3220"  
to|strong = "H5704" sea|strong = "H3220",

f rom|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3068" north|strong = "H6828"  
to|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3068" east|strong = "H4217",

**t** o|strong="H5704" seek|strong="H1245" a|strong="H4672"  
message|strong="H1697" from|strong="H5704" the|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

**b** ut|strong="H3808" they|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068"  
not|strong="H3808" find|strong="H4672" it|strong="H5704".

13 In|strong="H3117" that|strong="H3117" day|strong="H3117"  
beautiful|strong="H3303" girls|strong="H3207" and|strong="H3117"  
strong|strong="H2388" young|strong="H3117" men|strong="H0376"

**w** ill|strong="H1931" faint|strong="H5968" from|strong="H3117"  
thirst|strong="H6772".

14 Those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H2416" take|strong="H7650"  
oaths|strong="H7650" by|strong="H7650" the|strong="H6965"  
shameful|strong="H1322" idol|strong="H6459" of|strong="H1870"  
Samaria|strong="H8111",

**w** ho|strong="H2416" swear|strong="H7650", "As|strong="H6965"  
surely|strong="H6965" as|strong="H6965" your|strong="H3808"  
God|strong="H3808" lives|strong="H2416", O|strong="H3069"  
Dan|strong="H1835"!"

**a** nd|strong="H6965", "By|strong="H7650" the|strong="H6965"  
sacred|strong="H6944" way|strong="H1870" to|strong="H1870"  
Beer-sheba|strong="H0884"!" –

**t** hey|strong="H3808" will|strong="H3808" fall|strong="H5307"  
and|strong="H6965" never|strong="H3808" rise|strong="H6965"  
again|strong="H5750".

9 I|strong="H5921" saw|strong="H7200" the|strong="H3605"  
Lord|strong="H3068" towering above|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H3605" altar|strong="H4196", and|strong="H7218"  
he|strong="H3605" commanded|strong="H6680":

**S** trike|strong="H5221" the|strong="H3605" tops|strong="H7218"  
of|strong="H7218" the|strong="H3605" pillars|strong="H3730"

**s** o|strong="H3808" that|strong="H7200" the|strong="H3605"  
foundations|strong="H4144" may|strong="H2719"  
shake|strong="H7493",

**b** ring|strong="H0935" them|strong="H5921" down|strong="H5221"  
 on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605" heads|strong="H7218"  
 of|strong="H7218" the|strong="H3605" people|strong="H3808"  
 below|strong="H8478".

**T** he|strong="H3605" rest|strong="H5117" of|strong="H7218"  
 them|strong="H5921" I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H2719"  
 slay|strong="H2026" with|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605"  
 sword|strong="H2719":

**n** o|strong="H3808" one|strong="H3605" will|strong="H2719"  
 get|strong="H1214" away|strong="H5127",

**n** o|strong="H3808" one|strong="H3605" will|strong="H2719"  
 escape|strong="H4422".

2If|strong="H0518" they|strong="H8033" dig|strong="H2864"  
 down|strong="H3381" to|strong="H3381" Sheol|strong="H7585",

**t** here|strong="H8033" will|strong="H8064" my|strong="H3947"  
 hand|strong="H3027" take|strong="H3947" them|strong="H3027".

**I** f|strong="H0518" they|strong="H8033" climb|strong="H5927"  
 up|strong="H5927" to|strong="H3381" the|strong="H3947"  
 heavens|strong="H8064",

**f** rom|strong="H3381" there|strong="H8033" will|strong="H8064"  
 I|strong="H3027" bring|strong="H5927" them|strong="H3027"  
 down|strong="H3381".

3If|strong="H0518" they|strong="H8033" hide|strong="H5641"  
 themselves|strong="H2244" on|strong="H5869" the|strong="H3947"  
 top|strong="H7218" of|strong="H7218" Carmel|strong="H3760",

**t** here|strong="H8033" will|strong="H5869" I|strong="H6680"  
 search|strong="H2664" them|strong="H6680" out|strong="H3947"  
 and|strong="H5869" take|strong="H3947" them|strong="H6680".

**I** f|strong="H0518" they|strong="H8033" hide|strong="H5641"  
 out|strong="H3947" of|strong="H7218" my|strong="H3947"  
 sight|strong="H5869" at|strong="H7218" the|strong="H3947"  
 bottom|strong="H7172" of|strong="H7218" the|strong="H3947"  
 sea|strong="H3220",



**t** here|strong = "H8033" will|strong = "H5869" I|strong = "H6680"  
 command|strong = "H6680" the|strong = "H3947" sea|strong = "H3220"  
 serpent|strong = "H5175" to|strong = "H6680" bite|strong = "H5391"  
 them|strong = "H6680".

4If|strong = "H7760" they|strong = "H8033" are|strong = "H5869"  
 taken|strong = "H7760" into|strong = "H3212" captivity|strong = "H7628"  
 by|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H7760" enemies|strong = "H0341",

**t** here|strong = "H8033" will|strong = "H5869" I|strong = "H5921"  
 command|strong = "H6680" the|strong = "H6440" sword|strong = "H2719"  
 to|strong = "H3212" slay|strong = "H2026" them|strong = "H5921".

**I** |strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H5869" keep|strong = "H8104"  
 my|strong = "H7760" eye|strong = "H5869" on|strong = "H5921"  
 them|strong = "H5921"

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" for|strong = "H5921" evil|strong = "H7451"  
 and|strong = "H3212" not|strong = "H3808" for|strong = "H5921"  
 good|strong = "H2896".

5It|strong = "H5927" is|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Lord|strong = "H3069" the|strong = "H3605" w God|strong = "H3069" w\*  
 of|strong = "H3427" hosts|strong = "H6635",

**w** ho|strong = "H3605" touches|strong = "H5060" the|strong = "H3605"  
 earth|strong = "H5927" and|strong = "H4714" it|strong = "H5927"  
 trembles|strong = "H2729",

**a** ll|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" live|strong = "H3427"  
 on|strong = "H3427" it|strong = "H5927" mourn|strong = "H5594".

**T** he|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H5927" rises|strong = "H5927"  
 up|strong = "H5927" like|strong = "H5927" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Nile|strong = "H2975",

**a** nd|strong = "H4714" sinks|strong = "H7743" like|strong = "H5927"  
 the|strong = "H3605" Nile|strong = "H2975" of|strong = "H3427"  
 Egypt|strong = "H4714".

6The|strong = "H6440" one|strong = "H3068" who|strong = "H3068"  
 builds|strong = "H1129" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440"  
 heavens|strong = "H8064",

**w** ho|strong = "H3068" sets|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H6440"  
dome|strong = "H0092" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440"  
sky|strong = "H8064" over|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440"  
earth|strong = "H8064",

**w** ho|strong = "H3068" summons|strong = "H7121" the|strong = "H6440"  
waters|strong = "H4325" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440"  
sea|strong = "H3220"

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" pours|strong = "H8210" them|strong = "H5921"  
out|strong = "H8210" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440"  
face|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440"  
earth|strong = "H8064":

**t** he|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
his|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034".

7To|strong = "H3478" me|strong = "H3808", Israelites|strong = "H3478",  
you|strong = "H3808" are|strong = "H1121"

**j** ust|strong = "H3512" like|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H5002"  
Cushites,

**s** ays|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

**Y** es|strong = "H3588", I|strong = "H4714" brought|strong = "H5927"  
Israel|strong = "H3478" up|strong = "H5927" out|strong = "H3808"  
of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H5002" land|strong = "H0776"  
of|strong = "H1121" Egypt|strong = "H4714",

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" also|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002"  
Philistines|strong = "H6430" from|strong = "H5927"  
Caphtor|strong = "H3731",

**a** nd|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H5002" Arameans|strong = "H0758"  
from|strong = "H5927" Kir|strong = "H7024"!

8Behold|strong = "H2009" the|strong = "H6440" eyes|strong = "H5869"  
of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H6440" Lord|strong = "H3068" w  
God|strong = "H3068" w\*

**a** re|strong = "H5869" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440"  
sinful|strong = "H2400" kingdom|strong = "H4467":

**I** |strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" destroy|strong="H8045"  
it|strong="H5921" from|strong="H6440" the|strong="H6440"  
face|strong="H6440" of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H6440"  
earth|strong="H0776"!

**B** ut|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068"  
not|strong="H3808" completely|strong="H8045" destroy|strong="H8045"  
the|strong="H6440" house|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004"  
Jacob|strong="H3290",

**s** ays|strong="H5002" the|strong="H6440" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

**9**For|strong="H3588" behold|strong="H2009" I|strong="H3588"  
am|strong="H1961" about|strong="H3478" to|strong="H3478"  
give|strong="H6680" the|strong="H3605" command|strong="H6680",

**a** nd|strong="H3478" I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H1471"  
shake|strong="H5128" the|strong="H3605" house|strong="H1004"  
of|strong="H1004" Israel|strong="H3478" among|strong="H3808"  
all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" nations|strong="H1471"

**j** ust|strong="H3605" as|strong="H3588" one|strong="H3605"  
shakes|strong="H5128" grain|strong="H3605" in|strong="H3478"  
a|strong="H3588" sieve|strong="H3531",

**b** ut|strong="H3588" not|strong="H3808" a|strong="H3588" pebble  
shall|strong="H3478" fall|strong="H5307" to|strong="H3478"  
the|strong="H3605" ground|strong="H0776".

**10**All|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" sinners|strong="H2400"  
of|strong="H5971" my|strong="H3605" people|strong="H5971",

**w** ho|strong="H3605" deny|strong="H3584" that|strong="H5971"  
disaster|strong="H7451" will|strong="H5971" touch|strong="H5066"  
or|strong="H3808" befall|strong="H7122" them|strong="H5704",

**w** ill|strong="H5971" die|strong="H4191" by|strong="H4191"  
the|strong="H3605" sword|strong="H2719".

A|strong="H5704" Promise|strong="H1697" of|strong="H5971"  
Restoration

11 On|strong="H3117" that|strong="H3117" day|strong="H3117"  
 I|strong="H3117" will|strong="H1931" raise|strong="H6965"  
 up|strong="H6965" the|strong="H3117" fallen|strong="H5307"  
 house|strong="H1004" of|strong="H3117" David|strong="H1732",

I |strong="H3117" will|strong="H1931" wall|strong="H1443"  
 up|strong="H6965" its|strong="H6965" gaps|strong="H6556"  
 and|strong="H6965" raise|strong="H6965" up|strong="H6965"  
 its|strong="H6965" ruins|strong="H2034",

I |strong="H3117" will|strong="H1931" rebuild|strong="H1129"  
 it|strong="H1931" as|strong="H3117" it|strong="H1931"  
 was|strong="H1732" long|strong="H3117" ago|strong="H5769".

12 They|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" possess|strong="H3423"  
 again|strong="H7725" the|strong="H3605" rest|strong="H7611"  
 of|strong="H3068" Edom|strong="H0112",

a nd|strong="H3068" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605"  
 nations|strong="H1471" which|strong="H3068" once|strong="H6471"  
 you|strong="H3605" ruled|strong="H4427" for|strong="H5921"  
 me|strong="H5921",

s ays|strong="H5002" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,  
 who|strong="H3605" will|strong="H3068" do|strong="H6213"  
 this|strong="H2063".

13 Listen|strong="H3605"! The|strong="H3605" days|strong="H3117"  
 are|strong="H3117" coming|strong="H2009", says|strong="H5002"  
 the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

w hen|strong="H3117" the|strong="H3605" harvest|strong="H7114"  
 is|strong="H3068" too|strong="H4480" big|strong="H0931"  
 to|strong="H3068" reap|strong="H7114"

b efore|strong="H3117" it|strong="H3117" is|strong="H3068"  
 time|strong="H3117" to|strong="H3068" plough,

w hen|strong="H3117" the|strong="H3605" grapes|strong="H6025"  
 cannot|strong="H3808" be|strong="H3068" all|strong="H3605"  
 trod|strong="H1869"

# Obadiah



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1The vision of Obadiah; what the Lord w  
said about Edom:

We have heard  
a report from the  
the Lord,

a messenger has  
been sent among  
the nations;

Rise up, let  
us rise against  
Edom in battle!

I will make  
you small among  
the nations,

and despised  
all!

Your proud heart  
has misled you,

you who live  
in the clefts  
of the rock,

you who build  
on high your  
dwelling.

You say to  
yourselves,

“ Who can bring me down to earth?”

4Though you build high as the eagle,

though between the stars you set your nest,

from there will I bring you down,

says the Lord w\*.

5If thieves had come, marauders by night

would they not have stolen as they needed?

If grape-gatherers had come to you

would they not have left some gleanings?

6Descendants of Esau,

all your treasures are looted.

7To your border they have driven you,



**a** ll|strong="H3605" your|strong="H3605" allies|strong="H2266"  
have|strong="H7965" betrayed|strong="H0898" you|strong="H3605".

**Y** our|strong="H3605" avowed friends|strong="H7453"  
have|strong="H7965" overpowered|strong="H3201" you|strong="H3605",

**t** hey|strong="H5704" have|strong="H7965" set|strong="H7760"  
a|strong="H7760" trap|strong="H4170" for|strong="H5704"  
you|strong="H3605".

**W** here|strong="H8478" is|strong="H3605" your|strong="H3605"  
wisdom|strong="H8394" now|strong="H7971"?

8The|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* says|strong="H5002":

**O** n|strong="H3117" that|strong="H3117" day|strong="H3117",

**I** |strong="H3117" will|strong="H3068" destroy|strong="H7843"  
the|strong="H5002" wise|strong="H2450" of|strong="H3068"  
Edom|strong="H0112",

**d** rive|strong="H3808" wisdom|strong="H8394" out|strong="H3808"  
of|strong="H3068" Mount|strong="H2022" Esau|strong="H6215".

9Your|strong="H3772" warriors|strong="H1368" will|strong="H2022"  
be|strong="H2022" filled|strong="H4390" with|strong="H3772"  
terror|strong="H2851", Teman|strong="H8487",

**n** one|strong="H0369" will|strong="H2022" be|strong="H2022"  
left|strong="H7604" alive|strong="H2416" on|strong="H2022"  
Mount|strong="H2022" Esau|strong="H6215".

10Because|strong="H2555" of|strong="H2555" the|strong="H3680"  
violence|strong="H2555" done|strong="H6213" to|strong="H5769"  
your|strong="H3772" relatives|strong="H0251", the|strong="H3680"  
people|strong="H5971" of|strong="H2555" Jacob|strong="H3290",

**s** hame|strong="H0954" covers|strong="H3680" you|strong="H3772",

you are cut off forever.

In the day when you stood aloof,

in the day when strangers carried away their wealth,

and strangers entered into their gates,

and over Jerusalem cast lots,

you were as one of those strangers.

You should not have gloated over your relatives,

in the day of their misfortune.

You should not have exulted over the land of Judah

in the day of their destruction.

You should not have laughed loudly

at their distress.

13 You should not have entered at the gate of my people

in the day of their disaster.

You should not have gloated over their calamity,

in the day of their disaster,

nor stretched out your hand after their wealth

in the day of their disaster,

14 nor stood at the crossroads

to cut down their fugitives,

nor should you have betrayed their refugees

in the day of their distress.

15 Near at hand is the Lord's day for all the nations.

As you have done so will it be done to you.

Your deeds will come back on your own head.

As you have drunk upon my holy mountain,

so all the nations will drink in turn;

They will drink deep

and though they had not been

17But on Mount Zion some will escape,

it will be again holy,

and those of the house of Jacob

will again enter into their possessions.

18For the house of Jacob will be a fire,

**a** nd|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3588" house|strong="H1004"  
of|strong="H1004" Joseph|strong="H3130" a|strong="H1961"  
flame|strong="H3852",

**b** ut|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" house|strong="H1004"  
of|strong="H1004" Esau|strong="H6215" will|strong="H3068"  
become|strong="H1961" stubble|strong="H7179".

**T** hey|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" kindle|strong="H1814"  
and|strong="H3068" devour|strong="H0398" it|strong="H3588".

**N** ot|strong="H3808" even|strong="H3588" one|strong="H3808"  
of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H3588" house|strong="H1004"  
of|strong="H1004" Esau|strong="H6215" will|strong="H3068"  
escape|strong="H4422",

**f** or|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
has|strong="H3068" spoken|strong="H1696".

19They|strong="H6430" will|strong="H7704" possess|strong="H3423"  
the|strong="H3423" Negeb and|strong="H2022" Mount|strong="H2022"  
Esau|strong="H6215",

**a** nd|strong="H2022" the|strong="H3423" Shephelah|strong="H8219"  
of|strong="H2022" the|strong="H3423" Philistines|strong="H6430".

**T** hey|strong="H6430" will|strong="H7704" possess|strong="H3423"  
the|strong="H3423" territory|strong="H7704" of|strong="H2022"  
Ephraim|strong="H0669" and|strong="H2022" Samaria|strong="H8111",

**a** nd|strong="H2022" Benjamin|strong="H1144" will|strong="H7704"  
possess|strong="H3423" Gilead|strong="H1568".

20The|strong="H5704" exiles|strong="H1546" of|strong="H1121"  
Israel|strong="H3478" will|strong="H3478" possess|strong="H3423"  
the|strong="H5704" land|strong="H0776" of|strong="H1121"  
the|strong="H5704" Canaanites|strong="H3669"

**a** s|strong="H5704" far|strong="H5704" as|strong="H5704"  
Zarephath|strong="H6886".

# Jonah

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Jonah runs away

1 This message from the Lord w<sup>\*</sup> came to the son of Amittai: <sup>2</sup>  
‘Arise, go to the great city, Nineveh, and preach against it; for its wickedness is known to me.’ <sup>3</sup>  
But Jonah started to flee from the presence of the Lord w<sup>\*</sup>. He went down to Joppa and found a ship going to Tarshish. So he paid and went aboard to go to Tarshish from the presence of the Lord w<sup>\*</sup>. <sup>4</sup> But the Lord w<sup>\*</sup> made a furious wind blow over the sea, and there was such a great storm that the ship was in danger of breaking to pieces. <sup>5</sup>  
The sailors were terrified and cried for help to his own god. They threw the ship’s cargo into the sea to make the ship

lighter|strong = "H7043". Meanwhile|strong = "H3541"  
 Jonah|strong = "H3124" had|strong = "H3124" gone|strong = "H3381"  
 down|strong = "H3381" into|strong = "H3381" the|strong = "H5921"  
 bottom|strong = "H3247" of|strong = "H3627" the|strong = "H5921"  
 ship|strong = "H5600" and|strong = "H3381" lay|strong = "H7901"  
 fast|strong = "H6685" asleep|strong = "H7290". <sup>6</sup> The|strong = "H7121"  
 captain|strong = "H7227" of|strong = "H7227" the|strong = "H7121"  
 ship|strong = "H8392" went|strong = "H7126" and|strong = "H6965"  
 said|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H6965" him|strong = "H7121",  
 'How|strong = "H4100" can|strong = "H4100" you|strong = "H3808"  
 sleep|strong = "H7290"? Call|strong = "H7121" on|strong = "H6965"  
 your|strong = "H3808" god|strong = "H3808"; perhaps|strong = "H0194"  
 that|strong = "H7121" god|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3808"  
 think|strong = "H6245" of|strong = "H7227" us|strong = "H7121",  
 so|strong = "H7121" that|strong = "H7121" we|strong = "H0587"  
 may|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808"  
 lost|strong = "H0006".'

<sup>7</sup>The|strong = "H5921" sailors|strong = "H4419" said|strong = "H0559"  
 to|strong = "H3212" one|strong = "H2063" another|strong = "H7453",  
 'Come|strong = "H3212", let|strong = "H3212" us|strong = "H5921"  
 cast|strong = "H5307" lots|strong = "H1486" to|strong = "H3212"  
 discover|strong = "H1540" on|strong = "H5921" whose|strong = "H4310"  
 account|strong = "H5921" this|strong = "H2063" evil|strong = "H7451"  
 has|strong = "H4310" come|strong = "H3212" upon|strong = "H5921"  
 us|strong = "H5921".' So|strong = "H2063" they|strong = "H5921"  
 cast|strong = "H5307" lots|strong = "H1486", and|strong = "H3212"  
 the|strong = "H5921" lot|strong = "H1486" indicated  
 Jonah|strong = "H3124". <sup>8</sup> So|strong = "H2088" they|strong = "H4100"  
 said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H5971" him|strong = "H5046",  
 'Are|strong = "H5971" you|strong = "H5046" to|strong = "H5971"  
 blame|strong = "H2398" for|strong = "H7451" this|strong = "H2088"?  
 Tell|strong = "H5046" us|strong = "H4994", what|strong = "H4100"  
 is|strong = "H2088" your|strong = "H4994" business|strong = "H4399",  
 and|strong = "H5971" where|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H4100"  
 you|strong = "H5046" come|strong = "H4994" from|strong = "H7451"?  
 What|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H2088" your|strong = "H4994"  
 country|strong = "H2022" and|strong = "H5971" to|strong = "H5971"  
 what|strong = "H4100" people|strong = "H5971" do|strong = "H4100"  
 you|strong = "H5046" belong|strong = "H1961"?'  
<sup>9</sup> He|strong = "H6213" replied|strong = "H0559", 'I|strong = "H3068" am|strong = "H3068"  
 a|strong = "H6213" Hebrew|strong = "H5680", and|strong = "H3068"  
 a|strong = "H6213" worshipper of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6213" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, the|strong = "H6213" God|strong = "H3068"  
 of|strong = "H3068" heaven|strong = "H8064", who|strong = "H3068"



made|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H6213" sea|strong = "H3220"  
 and|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6213" dry|strong = "H3004"  
 land|strong = "H3004".<sup>10</sup> Then|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H6440"  
 men|strong = "H1419" were|strong = "H1992" greatly|strong = "H1419"  
 frightened|strong = "H3372" and|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H0559"  
 to|strong = "H3068" him|strong = "H6440", 'What|strong = "H4100"  
 have|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3588" done|strong = "H6213"?'  
 For|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H1992" knew|strong = "H3045"  
 that|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H1931" was|strong = "H3068"  
 fleeing|strong = "H1272" from|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440"  
 presence|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, because|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H1931"  
 had|strong = "H3068" told|strong = "H5046" them|strong = "H1992".

11 Then|strong = "H1980" they|strong = "H3588" said|strong = "H0559"  
 to|strong = "H1980" him|strong = "H5921", 'What|strong = "H4100"  
 should|strong = "H4100" we|strong = "H3588" do|strong = "H6213"  
 to|strong = "H1980" you|strong = "H3588", to|strong = "H1980"  
 make|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H5921" sea|strong = "H3220"  
 calm|strong = "H8367" for|strong = "H3588" us|strong = "H5921"?'  
 For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H5921" sea|strong = "H3220"  
 grew|strong = "H1980" more|strong = "H3588" and|strong = "H1980"  
 more|strong = "H3588" stormy|strong = "H5590".<sup>12</sup> He|strong = "H3588"  
 said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921",  
 'Take|strong = "H5375" me|strong = "H5921" up|strong = "H5375"  
 and|strong = "H1419" throw|strong = "H2904" me|strong = "H5921"  
 into|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" sea|strong = "H3220",  
 and|strong = "H1419" the|strong = "H5921" sea|strong = "H3220"  
 will|strong = "H7945" be|strong = "H3220" calm|strong = "H8367"  
 for|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588", for|strong = "H3588"  
 I|strong = "H3588" know|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H3588"  
 it|strong = "H5921" is|strong = "H2088" because|strong = "H3588"  
 of|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5921" this|strong = "H2088"  
 fierce|strong = "H2740" storm|strong = "H5591" has|strong = "H3588"  
 overtaken|strong = "H5381" you|strong = "H3588".'

13 But|strong = "H3588" instead|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H5921"  
 men|strong = "H1980" rowed|strong = "H2864" hard|strong = "H2864"  
 to|strong = "H1980" get|strong = "H1980" back|strong = "H7725"  
 to|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H5921" land|strong = "H3004";  
 they|strong = "H3588" could|strong = "H3201" not|strong = "H3808",  
 however|strong = "H3588", for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H5921"  
 sea|strong = "H3220" grew|strong = "H1980" more|strong = "H3808"  
 and|strong = "H1980" more|strong = "H3808" stormy|strong = "H5590"  
 ahead|strong = "H6440".<sup>14</sup> So|strong = "H6213" they|strong = "H3588"

cried|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* and|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H7121",  
 'We|strong = "H3588" beg|strong = "H4994" you|strong = "H3588", w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, we|strong = "H3588" beg|strong = "H4994"  
 you|strong = "H3588", don't|strong = "H0408" let|strong = "H4994"  
 us|strong = "H5414" die|strong = "H4191" for|strong = "H3588"  
 this|strong = "H2088" man's|strong = "H5315" life|strong = "H5315",  
 and|strong = "H3068" don't|strong = "H0408" let|strong = "H4994"  
 us|strong = "H5414" be|strong = "H3068" guilty|strong = "H0816"  
 of|strong = "H3068" shedding|strong = "H8210" innocent|strong = "H5355"  
 blood|strong = "H1818", for|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
 are|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*;  
 you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068" done|strong = "H6213"  
 as|strong = "H6213" it|strong = "H5414" pleases|strong = "H2654"  
 you|strong = "H3588".' <sup>15</sup> And|strong = "H5975" they|strong = "H5375"  
 took|strong = "H5375" up|strong = "H5375" Jonah|strong = "H3124",  
 and|strong = "H5975" threw|strong = "H2904" him|strong = "H5975"  
 into|strong = "H3220" the|strong = "H5375" sea|strong = "H3220";  
 and|strong = "H5975" the|strong = "H5375" sea|strong = "H3220"  
 became|strong = "H3205" calm|strong = "H8367". <sup>16</sup> Then|strong = "H3372"  
 the|strong = "H3068" men|strong = "H1419" greatly|strong = "H1419"  
 feared|strong = "H3372" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
 and|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068" offered|strong = "H2076"  
 a|strong = "H5087" sacrifice|strong = "H2077" and|strong = "H3068"  
 made|strong = "H5087" vows|strong = "H5088" to|strong = "H3068"  
 him|strong = "H3372".

17But|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 arranged|strong = "H6186" for|strong = "H3588" a|strong = "H1961"  
 great|strong = "H1419" fish|strong = "H1710" to|strong = "H0413"  
 swallow|strong = "H1104" Jonah|strong = "H3124", and|strong = "H3967"  
 Jonah|strong = "H3124" was|strong = "H3068" inside|strong = "H8432"  
 the|strong = "H3605" fish|strong = "H1710" three|strong = "H7969"  
 days|strong = "H3117" and|strong = "H3967" three|strong = "H7969"  
 nights|strong = "H3915".

Jonah's|strong = "H3124" song|strong = "H7892"

2Jonah|strong = "H3124" prayed|strong = "H6419" to|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* his|strong = "H3068"  
 God|strong = "H3068", out|strong = "H1419" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" belly|strong = "H4578" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" fish|strong = "H1709", <sup>2</sup> and|strong = "H3068"  
 said|strong = "H0559":

I cried out of my distress, to the Lord w\*

and he answered me

out of the midst of Sheol. I cried aloud,

and you heard my voice.

For you cast me deep,

into heart of the seas,

and the great flood rolled me;

all your breakers and waves

passed over me.

Then I said, I am driven out,

away from your sight;

How will I ever again

look towards your holy temple?

5The|strong = "H3254" waters|strong = "H4325"  
surrounded|strong = "H5437" me|strong = "H3254",

t he|strong = "H3254" great|strong = "H1419" deep|strong = "H8415"  
engulfed|strong = "H3680" me|strong = "H3254",

t he|strong = "H3254" sea|strong = "H3220" weeds|strong = "H5488"  
were|strong = "H5869" wrapped|strong = "H3874" about|strong = "H5027"  
my|strong = "H5048" head|strong = "H7218".

6I|strong = "H5704" went|strong = "H5437" down|strong = "H5437"  
to|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H5704" roots|strong = "H8328"  
of|strong = "H7218" the|strong = "H5704" mountains|strong = "H2022";

t he|strong = "H5704" prison|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H7218"  
the|strong = "H5704" earth|strong = "H0776" closed|strong = "H5462"  
over|strong = "H7218" me|strong = "H5315" forever|strong = "H5704".

Y et|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H5704" brought|strong = "H5437"  
up|strong = "H2280" my|strong = "H5704" life|strong = "H5315"  
from|strong = "H5315" destruction|strong = "H7667",

O |strong = "H5315" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* my|strong = "H5704"  
God|strong = "H0430".

7As|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" life|strong = "H2416"  
slipped|strong = "H4571" away|strong = "H5927",

I |strong = "H3068" remembered|strong = "H2142" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*;

a nd|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" prayer|strong = "H8605"  
reached|strong = "H5927" you|strong = "H3381",

i n|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" holy|strong = "H6944"  
temple|strong = "H1004".

8Those|strong = "H5921" who|strong = "H3068" worship|strong = "H7812"  
worthless|strong = "H1100" idols|strong = "H1544"

a bandon|strong = "H5800" their|strong = "H3068" own|strong = "H5315"  
mercy|strong = "H3068",

9but I will sacrifice to you

with loud thanksgiving!

I will pay that which I have vowed.

Salvation is the w Lord's.

10And the w Lord spoke to the fish, and it threw up Jonah upon the dry land.  
The message to Nineveh

3This message from the w Lord came to the second time, <sup>2</sup> 'Arise, go, great city, Nineveh, and proclaim to it that I tell you.' <sup>3</sup> So Jonah started, as the w Lord commanded. Now Nineveh was so large that it took three days' journey to cross it. <sup>4</sup> Jonah began by going a day's journey into the city, and he proclaimed, 'Forty days

more|strong = "H5750" and|strong = "H3117" Nineveh|strong = "H5210"  
shall|strong = "H3117" be|strong = "H5750" overthrown|strong = "H2015".'

5And|strong = "H1419" the|strong = "H5704" people|strong = "H5971"  
of|strong = "H7121" Nineveh|strong = "H5210" believed|strong = "H0539"  
God|strong = "H0430"; and|strong = "H1419" they|strong = "H5704"  
ordered|strong = "H6680" a|strong = "H7121" fast|strong = "H6685"  
and|strong = "H1419" put|strong = "H3847" on|strong = "H3847"  
sackcloth|strong = "H8242", from|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H5704"  
greatest|strong = "H1419" to|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H5704"  
least|strong = "H6996" of|strong = "H7121" them|strong = "H7121". <sup>6</sup>  
And|strong = "H6965" when|strong = "H3427" word|strong = "H1697"  
came|strong = "H5060" to|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
king|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428" Nineveh|strong = "H5210",  
he|strong = "H5921" rose|strong = "H6965" from|strong = "H5921"  
his|strong = "H5921" throne|strong = "H3678", took|strong = "H4428"  
off|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921" robe|strong = "H4598",  
dressed|strong = "H3847" in|strong = "H3427" sackcloth|strong = "H8242",  
and|strong = "H6965" sat|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427"  
ashes|strong = "H0665". <sup>7</sup> And|strong = "H4428" he|strong = "H1241"  
made|strong = "H6213" this|strong = "H4428"  
proclamation|strong = "H2199" and|strong = "H4428"  
published|strong = "H1540" it|strong = "H8354" in|strong = "H4428"  
Nineveh|strong = "H5210": 'By|strong = "H4325" the|strong = "H8354"  
decree|strong = "H2940" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H8354"  
king|strong = "H4428" and|strong = "H4428" his|strong = "H4428"  
nobles|strong = "H1419": People|strong = "H2199", beast|strong = "H0929",  
herd|strong = "H1241", and|strong = "H4428" flock|strong = "H6629"  
shall|strong = "H4428" not|strong = "H4325" taste|strong = "H2938"  
anything|strong = "H3972"; let|strong = "H7971" them|strong = "H7462"  
not|strong = "H4325" eat|strong = "H7462" nor|strong = "H1241"  
drink|strong = "H8354" water|strong = "H4325". <sup>8</sup> Let|strong = "H7725"  
both|strong = "H4480" people|strong = "H3709" and|strong = "H7725"  
animals|strong = "H0929" put|strong = "H7725" on|strong = "H1870"  
sackcloth|strong = "H8242" and|strong = "H7725" let|strong = "H7725"  
them|strong = "H7725" cry|strong = "H7121" earnestly|strong = "H2394"  
to|strong = "H7725" God|strong = "H0430"; let|strong = "H7725"  
them|strong = "H7725" each|strong = "H0376" turn|strong = "H7725"  
from|strong = "H4480" their|strong = "H7725" evil|strong = "H7451"  
ways|strong = "H1870" and|strong = "H7725" from|strong = "H4480"  
the|strong = "H4480" deeds|strong = "H1870" of|strong = "H1870"  
violence|strong = "H2555" which|strong = "H7451" they|strong = "H7121"  
are|strong = "H1870" doing|strong = "H1870". <sup>9</sup> Who|strong = "H4310"  
knows|strong = "H3045"? God|strong = "H3808" may|strong = "H4310"  
relent|strong = "H5162" and|strong = "H7725" avert|strong = "H5674"

his|strong = "H7725" fierce|strong = "H2740" anger|strong = "H2740",  
 so|strong = "H3808" that|strong = "H3045" we|strong = "H7725"  
 may|strong = "H4310" not|strong = "H3808" die|strong = "H4191".'

10When|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H3808" saw|strong = "H7200"  
 that|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H1992" turned|strong = "H7725"  
 from|strong = "H7725" their|strong = "H1992" evil|strong = "H7451"  
 course|strong = "H1870", he|strong = "H3588" relented|strong = "H5162"  
 the|strong = "H5921" evil|strong = "H7451" which|strong = "H1992"  
 he|strong = "H3588" said|strong = "H1696" he|strong = "H3588"  
 would|strong = "H6213" do|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H1696"  
 them|strong = "H1992", and|strong = "H7725" did|strong = "H6213"  
 not|strong = "H3808" do|strong = "H6213" it|strong = "H5921".

Jonah sulks

4But|strong = "H7451" this|strong = "H7489" seemed|strong = "H5869"  
 very|strong = "H1419" wrong|strong = "H7451" to|strong = "H7451"  
 Jonah|strong = "H3124" and|strong = "H1419" he|strong = "H0834"  
 became|strong = "H2734" angry|strong = "H2734". <sup>2</sup> He|strong = "H3588"  
 prayed|strong = "H6419" to|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H5921" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* and|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H1697",  
 'Ah|strong = "H1945", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, wasn't  
 this|strong = "H2088" what|strong = "H1697" I|strong = "H3588"  
 said|strong = "H1697" when|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
 was|strong = "H3068" still|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H5921"  
 my|strong = "H3068" own|strong = "H1961" country|strong = "H2022"?  
 That|strong = "H3588" was|strong = "H3068" why|strong = "H5921"  
 I|strong = "H3588" fled|strong = "H1272" at|strong = "H5921"  
 once|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H5704" Tarshish|strong = "H8659";  
 for|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" knew|strong = "H3045"  
 that|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H1697"  
 a|strong = "H1961" gracious|strong = "H2587" and|strong = "H3068"  
 merciful|strong = "H7349" God|strong = "H3068", patient|strong = "H0750",  
 and|strong = "H3068" loving|strong = "H0157" and|strong = "H3068"  
 ready|strong = "H3559" to|strong = "H5704" forgive|strong = "H5545". <sup>3</sup>  
 Therefore|strong = "H6258", w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, I|strong = "H3588"  
 beg|strong = "H4994" you|strong = "H3588", take|strong = "H3947"  
 my|strong = "H3068" life|strong = "H5315" from|strong = "H4480"  
 me|strong = "H4994"; for|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H3588"  
 is|strong = "H3068" better|strong = "H2896" for|strong = "H3588"  
 me|strong = "H4994" to|strong = "H3068" die|strong = "H4194"  
 than|strong = "H4480" to|strong = "H3068" live|strong = "H2416"! <sup>4</sup>  
 But|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 said|strong = "H0559", 'Are|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3190"

doing|strong = "H3190" right|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H3068"  
being|strong = "H3068" angry|strong = "H2734"?"

5Then|strong = "H1961" Jonah|strong = "H3124" went|strong = "H3318"  
out|strong = "H3318" of|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H7200"  
city|strong = "H5892" and|strong = "H5892" sat|strong = "H3427"  
down|strong = "H3427" on|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200"  
east|strong = "H6924" side|strong = "H6924", and|strong = "H5892"  
there|strong = "H8033" made|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H1961"  
hut|strong = "H5521" for|strong = "H5704" himself|strong = "H6213"  
and|strong = "H5892" sat|strong = "H3427" under|strong = "H8478"  
it|strong = "H6213", waiting|strong = "H5704" to|strong = "H5704"  
see|strong = "H7200" what|strong = "H4100" would|strong = "H6213"  
become|strong = "H1961" of|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H7200"  
city|strong = "H5892". <sup>6</sup> And|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* arranged|strong = "H6186" for|strong = "H5921"  
a|strong = "H1961" bush|strong = "H5572" to|strong = "H3068"  
grow|strong = "H5927" up|strong = "H5927" over|strong = "H5921"  
Jonah|strong = "H3124" as|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"  
shade|strong = "H6738" for|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H3068"  
head|strong = "H7218" to|strong = "H3068" make|strong = "H8055"  
him|strong = "H5921" comfortable|strong = "H4496". The|strong = "H5921"  
bush|strong = "H5572" gave|strong = "H1961" Jonah|strong = "H3124"  
great|strong = "H1419" pleasure|strong = "H8057"; <sup>7</sup> but|strong = "H5221"  
at|strong = "H5927" dawn|strong = "H7837" the|strong = "H5221"  
next|strong = "H4283" day|strong = "H4283" God|strong = "H0430"  
arranged|strong = "H6186" for|strong = "H4487" a|strong = "H5927"  
worm|strong = "H8438" which|strong = "H0834" attacked|strong = "H5221"  
the|strong = "H5221" bush|strong = "H5572", so|strong = "H5927"  
that|strong = "H5927" it|strong = "H5927" wilted|strong = "H5968". <sup>8</sup>  
And|strong = "H7218" when|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H5921"  
sun|strong = "H8121" rose|strong = "H2224", God|strong = "H0430"  
arranged|strong = "H6186" a|strong = "H1961" hot|strong = "H2552"  
east|strong = "H6921" wind|strong = "H7307". And|strong = "H7218"  
the|strong = "H5921" sun|strong = "H8121" beat|strong = "H5221"  
upon|strong = "H5921" Jonah's|strong = "H3124" head|strong = "H7218",  
so|strong = "H1961" that|strong = "H5315" he|strong = "H5921"  
was|strong = "H1961" faint|strong = "H5968" and|strong = "H7218"  
begged|strong = "H7592" that|strong = "H5315" he|strong = "H5921"  
might|strong = "H2416" die|strong = "H4191", saying|strong = "H0559",  
'It|strong = "H5921" is|strong = "H5315" better|strong = "H2896"  
for|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5315" to|strong = "H4191"  
die|strong = "H4191" than|strong = "H2896" to|strong = "H4191"  
live|strong = "H2416".' <sup>9</sup> But|strong = "H5921" God|strong = "H3190"  
said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H5704" Jonah|strong = "H3124",



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## The Superscription to Micah's Sermons

1The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*'s  
message|strong = "H1697" which|strong = "H3068" came|strong = "H1961"  
to|strong = "H3068" Micah|strong = "H4318" of|strong = "H4428" Morsheth  
in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" reigns|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H4428" Jotham|strong = "H3147", Ahaz|strong = "H0271"  
and|strong = "H3063" Hezekiah|strong = "H2396", kings|strong = "H4428"  
of|strong = "H4428" Judah|strong = "H3063". The|strong = "H5921"  
visions|strong = "H2372" he|strong = "H3117" saw|strong = "H2372"  
about|strong = "H1961" Samaria|strong = "H8111" and|strong = "H3063"  
Jerusalem|strong = "H3389".  
The|strong = "H5921" Lord's|strong = "H3068" Judgment|strong = "H1697"  
on|strong = "H5921" Guilty|strong = "H0816" Samaria|strong = "H8111"  
and|strong = "H3063" Judah|strong = "H3063"

2Listen|strong = "H8085", all|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H3605"  
peoples|strong = "H5971"!

**P** ay|strong = "H7181" attention|strong = "H7181", all|strong = "H3605"  
you|strong = "H3605" inhabitants|strong = "H3427" of|strong = "H5971"  
the|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H0776"!

**F** or|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" Lord|strong = "H3069" w  
God|strong = "H3069" w\* will|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961"  
a|strong = "H1961" witness|strong = "H5707" against|strong = "H8085"  
you|strong = "H3605",

**t** he|strong = "H3605" Lord|strong = "H3069" from|strong = "H8085"  
his|strong = "H3605" holy|strong = "H6944" temple|strong = "H1964"!

3The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
coming|strong = "H3318" from|strong = "H3318" his|strong = "H3068"  
holy|strong = "H6944" place|strong = "H4725",

**h** e|strong = "H3588" descends|strong = "H3381" and|strong = "H3068"  
treads|strong = "H1869" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
heights|strong = "H1116" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921"  
earth|strong = "H0776",

4so|strong = "H6440" that|strong = "H4325" the|strong = "H6440"  
mountains|strong = "H2022" melt|strong = "H4549"  
beneath|strong = "H8478"

1 ike|strong = "H2022" wax|strong = "H1749" in|strong = "H6440"  
the|strong = "H6440" presence|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H2022"  
the|strong = "H6440" fire|strong = "H0784",

a nd|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" valleys|strong = "H6010"  
break|strong = "H1234" apart|strong = "H0914"

1 ike|strong = "H2022" water|strong = "H4325" poured|strong = "H5064"  
down|strong = "H5064" a|strong = "H6440" steep|strong = "H4174"  
descent|strong = "H4174".

5All|strong = "H3605" this|strong = "H2063" is|strong = "H4310"  
because|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605"  
crime|strong = "H2154" of|strong = "H1004" Jacob|strong = "H3290",

a nd|strong = "H3063" for|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605"  
sin|strong = "H2403" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605"  
house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004" Israel|strong = "H3478".

W hat|strong = "H4310" was|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3605"  
crime|strong = "H2154" of|strong = "H1004" Jacob|strong = "H3290"?

W as|strong = "H3478" it|strong = "H2063" not|strong = "H3808"  
Samaria|strong = "H8111"?

W hat|strong = "H4310" is|strong = "H4310" the|strong = "H3605"  
sin|strong = "H2403" of|strong = "H1004" Judah|strong = "H3063"?

I s|strong = "H4310" it|strong = "H2063" not|strong = "H3808"  
Jerusalem|strong = "H3389"?

6I|strong = "H7760" will|strong = "H7704" make|strong = "H7760"  
Samaria|strong = "H8111" a|strong = "H7760" ruin|strong = "H2723"  
in|strong = "H7760" an|strong = "H7760" open|strong = "H1540"  
field|strong = "H7704",

a nd|strong = "H7704" a|strong = "H7760" place|strong = "H7760"  
where|strong = "H4302" a|strong = "H7760" vineyard|strong = "H3754"  
is|strong = "H7704" planted|strong = "H4302",

**I** |strong="H7760" will|strong="H7704" hurl|strong="H2904" down|strong="H5064" her|strong="H1540" stones|strong="H0068" into|strong="H1540" the|strong="H7760" valley|strong="H1516",

**a** nd|strong="H7704" lay|strong="H7760" bare|strong="H1540" her|strong="H1540" foundations|strong="H3247".

7'All|strong="H3605" her|strong="H3605" images|strong="H6456" will|strong="H5704" be|strong="H7725" shattered|strong="H3807",

**a** nd|strong="H7725" all|strong="H3605" her|strong="H3605" statues|strong="H2088" will|strong="H5704" be|strong="H7725" burned|strong="H8313" with|strong="H8313" fire|strong="H0784",

**a** nd|strong="H7725" all|strong="H3605" her|strong="H3605" idols|strong="H6091" I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H5704" lay|strong="H7760" in|strong="H7725" ruins|strong="H2723".

**F** or|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" were|strong="H3605" acquired|strong="H6213" by|strong="H5704" prostitution|strong="H2184",

**a** nd|strong="H7725" to|strong="H5704" prostitution|strong="H2184" they|strong="H3588" will|strong="H5704" return|strong="H7725".'

8This|strong="H2063" is|strong="H1323" why|strong="H5921" I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H1323" mourn|strong="H5594" and|strong="H3212" wail|strong="H3213",

**I** |strong="H5921" will|strong="H1323" go|strong="H3212" barefoot|strong="H7758" and|strong="H3212" naked|strong="H6174",

**I** |strong="H5921" will|strong="H1323" howl|strong="H3213" like|strong="H6213" the|strong="H5921" jackals|strong="H8577"

**a** nd|strong="H3212" mourn|strong="H5594" like|strong="H6213" the|strong="H5921" desert|strong="H6160" owl|strong="H1323".

9For|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" blow|strong="H4347" that|strong="H3588" Samaria|strong="H8111" has|strong="H3063" received|strong="H3947" is|strong="H4347" incurable|strong="H0605".

**I** t|strong="H3588" has|strong="H3063" spread|strong="H6566"  
over|strong="H8179" Judah|strong="H3063",

**i** t|strong="H3588" extends|strong="H5704" even|strong="H5704"  
to|strong="H5704" the|strong="H3588" gate|strong="H8179"  
of|strong="H8179" my|strong="H3588" people|strong="H5971",

**e** ven|strong="H5704" to|strong="H5704" Jerusalem|strong="H3389".

10Don't|strong="H0408" tell|strong="H5046" this|strong="H5046"  
in|strong="H5046" Gath|strong="H1661"!

**D** on't|strong="H0408" even|strong="H1571" cry|strong="H7121" –  
but|strong="H3588" sit|strong="H6428" in|strong="H5046"  
the|strong="H5046" dust|strong="H6083" at|strong="H6083"  
Beth-leaphrah.

11Pass|strong="H5674" by|strong="H5674",  
inhabitants|strong="H3427" of|strong="H3427" Shaphir|strong="H8208",  
naked|strong="H6181" and|strong="H3318" ashamed|strong="H1322"!

**T** he|strong="H3947" inhabitants|strong="H3427" of|strong="H3427"  
Zaanan|strong="H6630" cannot|strong="H3808" leave|strong="H3318"  
their|strong="H3947" city|strong="H5892".

**B** eth-ezel|strong="H1018" laments|strong="H5921"  
and|strong="H3318" removes|strong="H4185" its|strong="H3947"  
support|strong="H5979" from|strong="H4480" you|strong="H3947".

12The|strong="H3588" inhabitants|strong="H3427" of|strong="H3068"  
Maroth|strong="H4796" wait|strong="H2342" anxiously|strong="H1674"  
for|strong="H3588" good|strong="H2896"!

**B** ut|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
has|strong="H3068" sent|strong="H3068" disaster|strong="H7451"  
to|strong="H3381" the|strong="H3588" gates|strong="H8179"  
of|strong="H3068" Jerusalem|strong="H3389".

13Harness|strong="H7573" the|strong="H3588" horse|strong="H5483"  
to|strong="H3478" the|strong="H3588" chariot|strong="H4818",  
inhabitants|strong="H3427" of|strong="H1323" Lachish|strong="H3923".

**Y**ou led the daughter of Jerusalem, into sin,

in which you are found the crimes of Israel.

14Therefore you must give parting gifts to Moresheth-gath.

**B**eth-achzib will betray the kings of Israel.

15I will hand you to a conqueror, people of Mareshah,

the leaders of Israel will hide in Adullam Cave!

16Shave your head in the morning for the children you love,

until you are bald, because they have left you in exile.

#### The Oppression of the Poor

2Woe to those who lie awake planning evil,

**w** ho|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
light|strong = "H0216" of|strong = "H3027" morning|strong = "H1242"  
carry|strong = "H6213" out|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H5921"  
plan|strong = "H2803"

**b** ecause|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3426"  
the|strong = "H5921" power|strong = "H3027" to|strong = "H6213"  
do|strong = "H6213" it|strong = "H5921".

2They|strong = "H5375" covet|strong = "H2530" fields|strong = "H7704"  
and|strong = "H1004" seize|strong = "H1497" them|strong = "H5375",

**d** esire|strong = "H2530" houses|strong = "H1004" and|strong = "H1004"  
take|strong = "H5375" them|strong = "H5375",

**t** hey|strong = "H5375" crush|strong = "H1792" householder  
and|strong = "H1004" his|strong = "H5375" household|strong = "H1004",

**p** eople|strong = "H5159" and|strong = "H1004" their|strong = "H5375"  
possessions|strong = "H7399".

3Therefore|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H5921" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* says|strong = "H3541":

‘ I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H3068" planning|strong = "H2803"  
disaster|strong = "H7451" from|strong = "H5921" which|strong = "H1931"  
you|strong = "H3588" cannot|strong = "H3808" save|strong = "H3467"  
your|strong = "H3068" neck|strong = "H6677",

**n** or|strong = "H3808" walk|strong = "H3212" proudly|strong = "H7317"  
because|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H1931" will|strong = "H3068"  
be|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H3588" terrible|strong = "H7451"  
time|strong = "H6256".

4On|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H5971" day|strong = "H3117"  
they|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H5971" sing|strong = "H5375"  
a|strong = "H5375" taunt-song|strong = "H4912" to|strong = "H5921"  
you|strong = "H5921",

**t** his|strong = "H1931" mocking|strong = "H6711" lament|strong = "H5091":



“ My|strong = "H5921" people's|strong = "H5971" estate|strong = "H3653"  
is|strong = "H1931" being|strong = "H5971" measured|strong = "H4058"  
for|strong = "H5921" sale|strong = "H4465",

o ur|strong = "H5921" captors|strong = "H7617" are|strong = "H3117"  
dividing|strong = "H2505" our|strong = "H5921" fields|strong = "H7704".

W e|strong = "H3117" are|strong = "H3117" completely|strong = "H7703"  
undone|strong = "H1820".

5There|strong = "H1961" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961"  
no|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H3068"  
measure|strong = "H4058" out|strong = "H7993" land|strong = "H1486"  
for|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3808"

f rom|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*'s  
community|strong = "H6951".

6“Don't|strong = "H3808" rant!” they|strong = "H3808"  
urge|strong = "H6293”, “Of|strong = "H3808" such|strong = "H3808"  
things|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H3808" does|strong = "H3808"  
not|strong = "H3808" prophesy|strong = "H5197”!

S hame|strong = "H3639" will|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
overtake|strong = "H5381" us|strong = "H5414”!

7Is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
impatient|strong = "H7114”, or|strong = "H3808" are|strong = "H1697"  
such|strong = "H1697" things|strong = "H1697" his|strong = "H3068"  
deeds|strong = "H4611”?

A re|strong = "H1697" not|strong = "H3808" his|strong = "H3068"  
words|strong = "H1697" favourable|strong = "H7521" to|strong = "H1980"  
the|strong = "H3068" family|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"  
Jacob|strong = "H3290”?”

A ren't|strong = "H0369" my|strong = "H3068" commands|strong = "H1697"  
good|strong = "H3190" for|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H1980"  
who|strong = "H3068" obey|strong = "H1980" them|strong = "H3190”?

8But you stand up as a foe against those who are peaceful;

you strip the robe from those who pass by quietly, averse to conflict.

9Women of my people you drive out from their happy homes,

from their young children you take away my glory forever.

10Rise and begone, for this is no place to rest.

Your uncleanness brings severe destruction.

11If a person walking in wine and falsehood were to say,

“ I will prophesy of you of wine and drink,”

t hen|strong = "H1961" he|strong = "H1980" would|strong = "H3863"  
 be|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H1961" perfect|strong = "H8549"  
 prophet|strong = "H5197" for|strong = "H5971" this|strong = "H2088"  
 people|strong = "H5971"!'  
 The|strong = "H1961" Lord|strong = "H3068" Leading|strong = "H7218"  
 Back|strong = "H1980" His|strong = "H1961" Scattered|strong = "H5971"  
 People|strong = "H5971"

12'I|strong = "H7760" will|strong = "H3478" assuredly|strong = "H3045"  
 assemble|strong = "H6908" all|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H8432"  
 Jacob|strong = "H3290",

I |strong = "H7760" will|strong = "H3478" surely|strong = "H6908"  
 gather|strong = "H6908" the|strong = "H3605" survivors|strong = "H7611"  
 of|strong = "H8432" Israel|strong = "H3478".

I |strong = "H7760" will|strong = "H3478" herd|strong = "H5739"  
 them|strong = "H7760" together|strong = "H3162" as|strong = "H3605"  
 sheep|strong = "H6629" in|strong = "H3478" a|strong = "H7760"  
 fold|strong = "H1699",

I ke|strong = "H3478" a|strong = "H7760" flock|strong = "H6629"  
 in|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3605" pasture|strong = "H1699",

a nd|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3605" land|strong = "H0776"  
 will|strong = "H3478" resound with|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3605"  
 sounds|strong = "H6963" of|strong = "H8432" multitudes|strong = "H1995".

13'The|strong = "H6440" one|strong = "H4428" who|strong = "H3068"  
 breaks|strong = "H6555" out|strong = "H3318" goes|strong = "H3318"  
 first|strong = "H7218".

T hey|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068" broken|strong = "H6555"  
 forth|strong = "H3318" and|strong = "H3068" passed|strong = "H5674"  
 by|strong = "H5674" the|strong = "H6440" gate|strong = "H8179"

a nd|strong = "H3068" through|strong = "H5674" it|strong = "H6440"  
 have|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068" gone|strong = "H3318"  
 out|strong = "H3318".

T heir|strong = "H3068" king|strong = "H4428" leads|strong = "H3318"  
 before|strong = "H6440" them|strong = "H6440",

the w Lord w\* at their head.  
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3I also said:

‘ Listen now, leaders of Jacob,

judges of the house of Israel.

I s it not your duty to know what is the right?

2Haters of that which is good and lovers of evil!

3‘They devour the flesh of my people,

and their hide they strip off them,

and break in pieces and serve up their bones,

like meat in a pot or cooking pan!

4‘Then they will cry out to the Lord,

**b** ut|strong="H3808" he|strong="H1931" will|strong="H3068"  
not|strong="H3808" pay|strong="H7999" attention|strong="H6440"  
to|strong="H3068" them|strong="H1992".

**H** e|strong="H1931" will|strong="H3068" hide|strong="H5641"  
his|strong="H3068" face|strong="H6440" from|strong="H6440"  
them|strong="H1992" at|strong="H3068" that|strong="H1931"  
time|strong="H6256"

**b** ecause|strong="H6440" they|strong="H1992" have|strong="H3068"  
committed|strong="H6213" such|strong="H1931"  
crimes|strong="H6588".'

5Therefore|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* says|strong="H3541":

‘ To|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5921" prophets|strong="H5030"  
who|strong="H5971" lead|strong="H8582" my|strong="H5414"  
people|strong="H5971" astray|strong="H8582",

**w** ho|strong="H5971" when|strong="H3068" they|strong="H3068"  
have|strong="H3068" food|strong="H3899" between|strong="H4421"  
their|strong="H3068" teeth|strong="H8127" declare|strong="H6942"  
peace|strong="H7965",

**b** ut|strong="H3808" against|strong="H5921" one|strong="H3808"  
who|strong="H5971" puts|strong="H5414" nothing|strong="H3808"  
in|strong="H5921" their|strong="H3068" mouths|strong="H6310",

**t** hey|strong="H3068" proclaim|strong="H7121" an|strong="H5414"  
open|strong="H5414" war|strong="H4421"!

6‘Night|strong="H3915" will|strong="H3117" overtake|strong="H5921"  
you|strong="H5921" so|strong="H3651" that|strong="H3117"  
you|strong="H5921" have|strong="H5030" no|strong="H5030"  
vision|strong="H2377",

**a** nd|strong="H3117" darkness|strong="H2821" so|strong="H3651"  
that|strong="H3117" there|strong="H3117" will|strong="H3117"  
be|strong="H3117" no|strong="H5030" divination|strong="H7080",

a nd|strong="H3117" the|strong="H5921" sun|strong="H8121" will|strong="H3117" go|strong="H8121" down|strong="H5921" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" prophets|strong="H5030",

a nd|strong="H3117" the|strong="H5921" day|strong="H3117" shall|strong="H3117" be|strong="H3117" dark|strong="H2821" over|strong="H5921" them|strong="H5921".

7'The|strong="H3605" seers|strong="H2374" will|strong="H3588" be|strong="H2374" ashamed|strong="H2659",

a nd|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" diviners|strong="H7080" will|strong="H3588" turn|strong="H7725" pale|strong="H6289",

a ll|strong="H3605" of|strong="H5921" them|strong="H5921" will|strong="H3588" cover|strong="H5844" their|strong="H3605" mouths|strong="H8222".

F or|strong="H3588" there|strong="H3605" will|strong="H3588" be|strong="H2374" no|strong="H3605" answer|strong="H4617" from|strong="H5921" God|strong="H0430".

8'But|strong="H3068" I|strong="H3478", on|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" contrary|strong="H7147" am|strong="H3068" full|strong="H4390" of|strong="H3068" power|strong="H3581",

a nd|strong="H3478" the|strong="H3068" sense|strong="H3820" of|strong="H3068" justice|strong="H4941" and|strong="H3478" strength|strong="H3581",

t o|strong="H3478" make|strong="H5046" known|strong="H5046" to|strong="H3478" Jacob|strong="H3290" his|strong="H3068" crime|strong="H2154",

a nd|strong="H3478" to|strong="H3478" Israel|strong="H3478" his|strong="H3068" sin|strong="H2403".

9'Hear|strong="H8085" this|strong="H2063", leaders|strong="H7218" of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H3605" house|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004" Jacob|strong="H3290",

j udges|strong="H8199" of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H3605" house|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004" Israel|strong="H3478",

y ou|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" spurn|strong = "H5006"  
justice|strong = "H4941",

a nd|strong = "H3478" make|strong = "H8085" all|strong = "H3605"  
that|strong = "H3605" is|strong = "H3478" straight|strong = "H3477"  
crooked|strong = "H6140",

10who|strong = "H3389" build|strong = "H1129" Zion|strong = "H6726"  
with|strong = "H3389" acts|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H1818"  
bloodshed|strong = "H1818",

a nd|strong = "H3389" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" with|strong = "H3389"  
crime|strong = "H1818".

11“The|strong = "H5921" leaders|strong = "H7218"  
render|strong = "H7725" judgment|strong = "H8199" for|strong = "H5921"  
a|strong = "H3068" bribe|strong = "H7810",

a nd|strong = "H3068" her|strong = "H5921" priests|strong = "H3548"  
give|strong = "H5414" oracles|strong = "H3384" for|strong = "H5921"  
a|strong = "H3068" reward|strong = "H7810",

a nd|strong = "H3068" her|strong = "H5921" prophets|strong = "H5030"  
divine|strong = "H7080" for|strong = "H5921" silver|strong = "H3701".

Y et|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068" claim|strong = "H0589"  
to|strong = "H3068" rely|strong = "H8172" on|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

“ The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
they|strong = "H3068" say|strong = "H0559", “is|strong = "H3068"  
in|strong = "H5921" our|strong = "H3068" midst|strong = "H7130".

E vil|strong = "H7451" cannot|strong = "H3808" overtake|strong = "H5921"  
us|strong = "H5921".”

12“Therefore|strong = "H3651" for|strong = "H1004"  
your|strong = "H1961" sakes|strong = "H1558”

Z ion|strong = "H6726" will|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961"  
plowed|strong = "H2790" as|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"  
field|strong = "H7704”,

a nd|strong="H1004" Jerusalem|strong="H3389" will|strong="H1961"  
become|strong="H1961" a|strong="H1961" heap|strong="H5856"  
of|strong="H1004" ruins|strong="H5856",

a nd|strong="H1004" the|strong="H1961" temple|strong="H1004"  
mount|strong="H2022" a|strong="H1961" wooded|strong="H2793"  
height|strong="H6967".'

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4In|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" days|strong="H3117"  
to|strong="H3068" come|strong="H1961"

t he|strong="H5921" mountain|strong="H2022" of|strong="H1004"  
the|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* will|strong="H3068"  
be|strong="H1961" established|strong="H3559",

t he|strong="H5921" house|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004"  
our|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068" on|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H5921" top|strong="H7218" of|strong="H1004"  
the|strong="H5921" mountain|strong="H2022",

l ifted|strong="H5375" above|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
hills|strong="H1389".

A ll|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" nations|strong="H5971"  
will|strong="H3068" flow|strong="H5102" to|strong="H3068"  
it|strong="H1931",

2and|strong="H1980" many|strong="H7227" peoples|strong="H5971"  
will|strong="H3068" go|strong="H1980" and|strong="H1980"  
say|strong="H1697",

‘ Come|strong="H1980", let|strong="H3212" us|strong="H3384"  
go|strong="H1980" up|strong="H5927" to|strong="H1980"  
the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s mount|strong="H2022",

t o|strong="H1980" the|strong="H3588" house|strong="H1004"  
of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H3588" God|strong="H3068"  
of|strong="H1004" Jacob|strong="H3290",

s o|strong="H1980" that|strong="H3588" he|strong="H3588"  
may|strong="H3068" instruct|strong="H3384" us|strong="H3384"  
in|strong="H1980" his|strong="H3068" ways|strong="H1870",



s o|strong = "H1980" that|strong = "H3588" we|strong = "H3588"  
 may|strong = "H3068" walk|strong = "H1980" in|strong = "H1980"  
 his|strong = "H3068" paths|strong = "H1870".'

F or|strong = "H3588" from|strong = "H3318" Zion|strong = "H6726"  
 proceeds|strong = "H3318" instruction|strong = "H8451"

a nd|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*'s  
 word|strong = "H1697" from|strong = "H3318" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389".

3He|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H1471" arbitrate  
 between|strong = "H4421" many|strong = "H7227" peoples|strong = "H5971",

a nd|strong = "H5971" render|strong = "H3198" decisions|strong = "H3198"  
 for|strong = "H5704" numerous|strong = "H7227" nations|strong = "H1471",

T hey|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H1471" beat|strong = "H3807"  
 their|strong = "H5375" swords|strong = "H2719" into|strong = "H8199"  
 ploughshares,

a nd|strong = "H5971" their|strong = "H5375" spears|strong = "H2595"  
 into|strong = "H8199" pruning|strong = "H4211" hooks|strong = "H4211".

N ation|strong = "H1471" will|strong = "H1471" not|strong = "H3808"  
 lift|strong = "H5375" up|strong = "H5375" sword|strong = "H2719"  
 against|strong = "H4421" nation|strong = "H1471",

t hey|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H1471" learn|strong = "H3925"  
 war|strong = "H4421" no|strong = "H3808" more|strong = "H5750".

4They|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" live|strong = "H3427"  
 each|strong = "H0376" under|strong = "H8478" his|strong = "H3068"  
 vine|strong = "H1612",

a nd|strong = "H3068" under|strong = "H8478" his|strong = "H3068"  
 fig|strong = "H8384" tree|strong = "H8384", with|strong = "H3068"  
 none|strong = "H6635" to|strong = "H1696" terrify|strong = "H2729"  
 them|strong = "H8478".

**F** or|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" mouth|strong = "H6310"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635" has|strong = "H3068"  
spoken|strong = "H1696".

5Each|strong = "H3605" nation|strong = "H5971" trusts|strong = "H0982"  
in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" names|strong = "H8034"  
of|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3605" gods|strong = "H0430",

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" we|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"  
worship|strong = "H7812" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
our|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068" forever|strong = "H5769".

6'On|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117",  
says|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

‘ I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068" assemble|strong = "H6908"  
the|strong = "H5002" lame|strong = "H6760".

**I** |strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068" gather|strong = "H6908"  
exiles|strong = "H1473" I|strong = "H3117" punished|strong = "H6485".

7I|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H3068" restore|strong = "H7725"  
the|strong = "H5921" lame|strong = "H6760" as|strong = "H5704"  
a|strong = "H7760" remnant|strong = "H7611",

**t** he|strong = "H5921" exiles|strong = "H1473" into|strong = "H5921"  
a|strong = "H7760" great|strong = "H6099" nation|strong = "H1471".

**T** he|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* will|strong = "H3068"  
rule|strong = "H4427" over|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921"

**o** n|strong = "H5921" Mount|strong = "H2022" Zion|strong = "H6726"  
from|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H3068" time|strong = "H6258"  
forever|strong = "H5769".

8But|strong = "H7223" you|strong = "H5704",  
watchtower|strong = "H4026" for|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H5704"  
flock|strong = "H5739",

**h** ill|strong = "H6076" of|strong = "H1323" the|strong = "H5704"  
daughter|strong = "H1323" of|strong = "H1323" Zion|strong = "H6726",

t o|strong="H5704" you|strong="H5704" will|strong="H3389"  
return|strong="H7725" your|strong="H5704" former|strong="H7223"  
rule|strong="H4475".

9So|strong="H6258" why|strong="H4100" do|strong="H4100"  
you|strong="H3588" now|strong="H6258" cry|strong="H7321"  
aloud|strong="H7321"? Haven't|strong="H3808" you|strong="H3588"  
any|strong="H3588" king|strong="H4428"?

O r|strong="H4428" has|strong="H4428" your|strong="H3588"  
counsellor|strong="H3289" perished|strong="H0006", so|strong="H6258"  
you|strong="H3588" writhe|strong="H2342" in|strong="H4428"  
pain|strong="H2427" like|strong="H3644" a|strong="H3588"  
woman|strong="H3205" in|strong="H4428" labour|strong="H3205"?

10Writhe|strong="H2342" and|strong="H3068" scream,  
daughter|strong="H1323" of|strong="H3068" Zion|strong="H6726",  
like|strong="H3318" a|strong="H3588" woman|strong="H1323"  
in|strong="H3068" labour|strong="H3205"!

F or|strong="H3588" now|strong="H6258" you|strong="H3588"  
must|strong="H4191" leave|strong="H3318" the|strong="H3588"  
city|strong="H7151" and|strong="H3068" camp|strong="H4264"  
in|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3588" open|strong="H6605"  
field|strong="H7704".

Y ou|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3068"  
taken|strong="H5337" to|strong="H5704" Babylon|strong="H0894",  
but|strong="H3588" there|strong="H8033" will|strong="H3068"  
be|strong="H3068" rescued|strong="H5337".

T here|strong="H8033" the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
will|strong="H3068" save|strong="H5337" you|strong="H3588"  
from|strong="H3318" the|strong="H3588" hands|strong="H3709"  
of|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" foes|strong="H7796".

11But|strong="H6258" now|strong="H6258" many|strong="H7227"  
nations|strong="H1471" gather|strong="H6908" against|strong="H5921"  
you|strong="H5921".

T hey|strong="H5921" say|strong="H0559", 'Let|strong="H6258"  
her|strong="H5921" be|strong="H1471" defiled|strong="H2610",  
we|strong="H6258" will|strong="H1471" gloat|strong="H2372"  
over|strong="H5921" Zion|strong="H6726".'

12But they do not know the thoughts of the Lord w\*.

They do not understand his plan,

for he has gathered them like sheaves of threshing floor.

13'Arise, thresh, daughter of Zion,

I will make your horns iron,

and your hoofs brass,

so you might beat in pieces many peoples,

and devote to the Lord w\* their spoil,

and their wealth to the ruler of all the earth.

5'Now cut yourself in bitter grief,

daughter besieged by soldiers.

**T** hey|strong="H3117" have|strong="H1961" set|strong="H3478"  
a|strong="H1961" wall|strong="H2346" around|strong="H5439"  
you|strong="H3117".

**T** hey|strong="H3117" strike|strong="H5221" the|strong="H4480"  
ruler|strong="H4910" of|strong="H3117" Israel|strong="H3478",

i n|strong="H3478" the|strong="H4480" face|strong="H6440"  
with|strong="H3117" a|strong="H1961" rod|strong="H7626".

2'Bethlehem|strong="H1035" in|strong="H5921"  
Ephrathah|strong="H0672",

s mall|strong="H6996" among|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
tribes|strong="H7626" of|strong="H1121" Judah|strong="H3063",

f rom|strong="H7725" you|strong="H5414" will|strong="H3478"  
come|strong="H7725" a|strong="H5414" king|strong="H5921"

w ho|strong="H1121" will|strong="H3478" rule|strong="H4910"  
for|strong="H5704" me|strong="H5414" over|strong="H5921"  
Israel|strong="H3478",

w hose|strong="H1121" family|strong="H4940" line|strong="H6957"  
goes|strong="H1980" back|strong="H7725" to|strong="H5704"  
the|strong="H5921" distant|strong="H7350" past|strong="H7725".'

3So|strong="H6258" the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
will|strong="H3068" only|strong="H3588" abandon|strong="H5800"  
Israel|strong="H3478" to|strong="H5704" its|strong="H5975"  
enemies|strong="H0341"

**u** ntil|strong="H5704" the|strong="H3588" woman|strong="H8034"  
in|strong="H3427" labour|strong="H5999" gives|strong="H5975"  
birth|strong="H3205".

**T** hen|strong="H6258" the|strong="H3588" survivors|strong="H8300"  
will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3068" reunited with|strong="H3068"  
their|strong="H3068" own|strong="H1961" people|strong="H3427".

4And he will stand by the strength of the Lord, w<sup>\*</sup>,

In the exalted name of the Lord w<sup>\*</sup> his God;

And they will live in security, for now he will be great,

even to the ends of the earth.

5This will be our peace:

When Assyria comes into our land

and treads on our soil,

we will raise up against him seven shepherds,

eight leaders of men.

6They will shepherd Assyria with a sword,

and the land of Nimrod with bared blades.

They will deliver us from Assyria,

when they come into our land,

and tread within our borders.

7And the survivors of Jacob will be dispersed among the nations,

in the midst of many peoples,

like dew from the heavens,  
like showers on the grass,

which don't wait for people to come

or linger for mortals.

8And the survivors of Jacob will be dispersed among the nations,

in the midst of many peoples,

like a lion among the beasts  
of the forest,

l ike|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H3772" young|strong = "H5288"  
lion|strong = "H0738" among|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"  
sheep-folds,

w ho|strong = "H3605", when|strong = "H5921" he|strong = "H3605"  
passes|strong = "H5674" through|strong = "H3027", pounces.

H e|strong = "H3605" savages his|strong = "H3605" prey|strong = "H2964".  
There|strong = "H3605" is|strong = "H3027" no|strong = "H3605" rescuer.

9Let|strong = "H1961" your|strong = "H3068" hand|strong = "H3027"  
triumph|strong = "H7321" over|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
adversaries|strong = "H6862",

l et|strong = "H1961" all|strong = "H3772" your|strong = "H3068"  
enemies|strong = "H0341" be|strong = "H1961" cut|strong = "H3772"  
off|strong = "H3772".

10On|strong = "H5892" that|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117",  
says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*:

‘ I|strong = "H3772" will|strong = "H5892" slaughter|strong = "H4347"  
your|strong = "H3605" horses|strong = "H5483" from|strong = "H3772"  
your|strong = "H3605" midst|strong = "H8432",

a nd|strong = "H5892" destroy|strong = "H3772" your|strong = "H3605"  
chariots|strong = "H7393".

11I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H1961" devastate|strong = "H7703"  
the|strong = "H3772" cities|strong = "H5892" in|strong = "H3027"  
your|strong = "H3808" land|strong = "H0776",

a nd|strong = "H3027" tear|strong = "H7167" down|strong = "H3772"  
your|strong = "H3808" fortresses|strong = "H0759".

12I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3027" destroy|strong = "H3772"  
your|strong = "H3808" magic charms|strong = "H8588",

a nd|strong = "H3027" you|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3027"  
have|strong = "H3027" no|strong = "H3808" soothsayers|strong = "H1505".



13I will cut down your idols and sacred pillars,

and you will not worship any more the work of your hands.

14I will uproot your sacred poles,

and destroy your idols.

15In my wrath and my anger

I will seek vengeance on the nations that ignore me.

Israel's False Conception of the Lord's Character and Demands

6Hear now what the Lord says:

Arise, present your complaint before the mountains,

let the hills hear your voice!

2Hear, mountains, the Lord's accusation,

listen, foundations of the earth.

**F** or the w Lord w\*  
has a case  
against his people.

**H** e has a  
dispute with Israel.

3'My people', what  
have I done  
to you.

**H** ow have I  
displeased you?  
Answer me!

4For I brought  
you up from  
the land of  
Egypt,

f rom the land  
of slavery I  
redeemed you.

**I** sent Moses,  
Aaron, and Miriam  
to lead you.

5My people, what  
did Balak, king  
of Moab counsel?

**A** nd how did  
Balaam, the son  
of Beor, answer  
him?

**R** emember now the  
journey from Shittim  
to Gilgal,

s o|strong="H4616" that|strong="H3045" you|strong="H5704"  
might|strong="H3068" realise the|strong="H3068" just|strong="H6666"  
deeds|strong="H6666" of|strong="H1121" the|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.'

6With|strong="H3068" what|strong="H4100" should|strong="H3068"  
I|strong="H4100" come|strong="H6923" before|strong="H6923"  
the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*?

**B** ow|strong="H3721" myself|strong="H0589" before|strong="H6923"  
the|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068" on|strong="H3068"  
high|strong="H4791"?"

**S** hould|strong="H3068" I|strong="H4100" come|strong="H6923"  
before|strong="H6923" him|strong="H3068" with|strong="H3068"  
burnt-offerings,

**w** ith|strong="H3068" calves|strong="H5695" a|strong="H3068"  
year|strong="H8141" old|strong="H1121"?"

7Will|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5414" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
be|strong="H3068" pleased|strong="H7521" with|strong="H3068"  
thousands|strong="H7233" of|strong="H3068" rams|strong="H0352",

**W** ith|strong="H3068" ten|strong="H7233" thousand|strong="H7233"  
streams|strong="H5158" of|strong="H3068" oil|strong="H8081"?"

**S** hould|strong="H3068" I|strong="H5414" give|strong="H5414"  
him|strong="H5414" my|strong="H5414" firstborn|strong="H1060"  
son|strong="H1060" for|strong="H3068" my|strong="H5414"  
guilt|strong="H0817",

**t** he|strong="H5414" fruit|strong="H6529" of|strong="H3068"  
my|strong="H5414" body|strong="H5315" for|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H5414" sin|strong="H2403" of|strong="H3068"  
my|strong="H5414" soul|strong="H5315"?"

8The|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* has|strong="H3068"  
told|strong="H5046" you|strong="H3588" what|strong="H4100"  
is|strong="H3068" good|strong="H2896",

**w** hat|strong="H4100" he|strong="H3588" demands|strong="H4941"  
of|strong="H3068" you|strong="H3588":

O nly|strong="H3588" to|strong="H3068" do|strong="H6213"  
justice|strong="H4941" and|strong="H3068" love|strong="H2617"  
mercy|strong="H2617",

a nd|strong="H3068" to|strong="H3068" walk|strong="H3212"  
humbly|strong="H6800" with|strong="H5973" your|strong="H3068"  
God|strong="H3068".  
Guilt|strong="H0817" and|strong="H3068" Punishment|strong="H5771"  
of|strong="H3068" Jerusalem|strong="H3389"

9Listen|strong="H8085"! The|strong="H8085" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* calls|strong="H7121" to|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H8085" city|strong="H5892"!

L isten|strong="H8085", tribe|strong="H4294" and|strong="H3068"  
assembly|strong="H6951" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H8085"  
city|strong="H5892"!

10'Can|strong="H1004" I|strong="H1004" forget|strong="H7911"  
the|strong="H1004" hoarded|strong="H8104" treasures|strong="H0214"  
in|strong="H1004" the|strong="H1004" houses|strong="H1004"  
of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H1004" wicked|strong="H7563",

a nd|strong="H1004" the|strong="H1004" accursed|strong="H2764"  
scant|strong="H7332" measure|strong="H4058"?

11Can|strong="H4310" I|strong="H2135" leave|strong="H5800"  
her|strong="H3605" unpunished|strong="H5352"  
because|strong="H3588" of|strong="H3599" evil|strong="H7562"  
scales|strong="H3976",

a nd|strong="H4820" the|strong="H3605" bag|strong="H3599"  
of|strong="H3599" false|strong="H4820" weights|strong="H0068"?

12Whose|strong="H0834" rich|strong="H6223" people|strong="H3427"  
are|strong="H6310" full|strong="H4390" of|strong="H3427"  
violence|strong="H2555",

h er|strong="H4390" inhabitants|strong="H3427" liars|strong="H8267",

w hose|strong="H0834" tongues|strong="H3956" speak|strong="H1696"  
deceit|strong="H8267"?

13'But I indeed, have begun to punish you,

to lay you in ruins because of your sins.

14You will eat but not be satisfied,

your stomach empty within you.

You will store up but lose everything,

because you save I will give to the sword.

15You will sow but not reap.

You will tread the olives but have no oil for rubbing,

to read grapes but drink no wine!

16'For you have followed the commands of Omri,

and all the practices of the house of Ahab.

**Y**ou have acted in their counsels,

so I will give you up to ruin,

the city's inhabitants to derision.

**T**he nations will treat you with contempt!

The Utter Degeneracy of the People

Woe, woe is me, for I have become

like a field after harvest,

like a vineyard after gathering;

not a cluster of grapes to eat,

not a fig that anyone desires.

The honest have perished from the land,

of the upright among people there is none.

All of them  
lie in wait  
to shed blood.

They hunt one  
another with the  
net.

Their hands know  
well how to  
do evil,

the officer and  
judge demands a  
bribe,

the high official  
decides as he  
pleases

and they conspire  
to pervert justice.

The best of them  
are like  
a thorn thicket,

their most upright  
like a prickly hedge.

The day of  
their punishment has  
come,

now will be  
their confusion!

Do not trust  
your neighbour,

do not rely  
on a friend.

**F**rom|strong="H8104" the|strong="H8104" wife|strong="H0802"  
 who|strong="H8104" lies|strong="H7901" in|strong="H7901"  
 your|strong="H8104" arms|strong="H2436"

**g**uard|strong="H8104" your|strong="H8104" tongue|strong="H3956".

6For|strong="H3588" son|strong="H1121" insults|strong="H3639"  
 father|strong="H1121",

**d**aughter|strong="H1323" rises|strong="H6965" up|strong="H6965"  
 against|strong="H6965" mother|strong="H0517",

**d**aughter-in-law|strong="H3618" against|strong="H6965"  
 mother-in-law|strong="H2545",

**a**|strong="H3588" man's|strong="H0376" enemies|strong="H6965"  
 are|strong="H1121" the|strong="H3588" people|strong="H1121"  
 of|strong="H1121" his|strong="H6965" own|strong="H1961"  
 household|strong="H1004".

Zion's|strong="H1004" Ultimate Vindication|strong="H6666"  
 and|strong="H1121" Exaltation|strong="H7311"

7But|strong="H8085" I|strong="H8085" will|strong="H3068"  
 look|strong="H3068" to|strong="H3068" the|strong="H8085" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

**I**|strong="H8085" will|strong="H3068" wait|strong="H3176"  
 for|strong="H3068" the|strong="H8085" God|strong="H3068"  
 of|strong="H3068" my|strong="H8085" salvation|strong="H3468".

**M**y|strong="H8085" God|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068"  
 hear|strong="H8085" me|strong="H3468"!

8Do|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3588" rejoice|strong="H8055"  
 over|strong="H5307" me|strong="H6965", my|strong="H3068"  
 enemy|strong="H0340".

**I**f|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" have|strong="H3068"  
 fallen|strong="H5307", I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068"  
 rise|strong="H6965".



I f|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" sit|strong="H3427"  
 in|strong="H3427" darkness|strong="H2822", the|strong="H3588" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\* is|strong="H3068" my|strong="H3068"  
 light|strong="H0216".

9The|strong="H7200" anger|strong="H5375" of|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H7200" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* I|strong="H3588"  
 will|strong="H3068" bear|strong="H5375",

f or|strong="H3588" against|strong="H2398" him|strong="H6213"  
 have|strong="H3068" I|strong="H3588" sinned|strong="H2398" –

u ntil|strong="H5704" he|strong="H3588" champions  
 my|strong="H3068" cause|strong="H7379"

a nd|strong="H3068" gives|strong="H5414" judgment|strong="H4941"  
 for|strong="H3588" me|strong="H7200".

H e|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" bring|strong="H3318"  
 me|strong="H7200" into|strong="H6213" to|strong="H5704"  
 the|strong="H7200" light|strong="H5375",

I |strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" see|strong="H7200"  
 his|strong="H5375" justice|strong="H4941".

10So|strong="H1961" my|strong="H3068" enemy|strong="H0340"  
 will|strong="H3068" see|strong="H7200", and|strong="H3068"  
 shame|strong="H0954" will|strong="H3068" cover|strong="H3680"  
 them|strong="H7200",

t hey|strong="H3068" who|strong="H3068" said|strong="H0559",  
 ‘Where|strong="H0834" is|strong="H3068" the|strong="H7200" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\* your|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068"?’

I |strong="H6258" will|strong="H3068" look|strong="H7200"  
 upon|strong="H7200" them|strong="H7200",

t hey|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H1961"  
 trampled|strong="H4823" on|strong="H7200" like|strong="H1961"  
 mud|strong="H2916" in|strong="H3068" the|strong="H7200"  
 street|strong="H2351"!

11It is a day for rebuilding your walls,

his day will your boundary will be extended.

12This day they will come to you,

from Assyria and the cities of Egypt,

and from Egypt even to the Euphrates River,

from sea to sea, and from mountain to mountain.

13Though the land has become a desolation

because of its inhabitants, because of their deeds.

14Shepherd your flock with your staff that you

who live alone in the forest, in the midst of meadows;

s o|strong="H3651" that|strong="H5971" they|strong="H3117"  
 may|strong="H5971" pasture|strong="H7462" in|strong="H7931" Bashon  
 and|strong="H3117" Gilead|strong="H1568" as|strong="H3117"  
 in|strong="H7931" the|strong="H8432" days|strong="H3117"  
 of|strong="H3117" old|strong="H5769",

15as|strong="H3117" in|strong="H3117" the|strong="H7200"  
 days|strong="H3117" when|strong="H3117" you|strong="H3117"  
 came|strong="H3318" from|strong="H3318" Egypt|strong="H4714",  
 gave|strong="H3318" us|strong="H7200" wonders|strong="H6381"  
 to|strong="H3318" see|strong="H7200".

16Nations|strong="H1471" will|strong="H1471" see|strong="H7200"  
 and|strong="H3027" be|strong="H3027" ashamed|strong="H0954"  
 of|strong="H3027" all|strong="H3605" their|strong="H3605"  
 might|strong="H1369";

t hey|strong="H5921" will|strong="H1471" put|strong="H7760"  
 their|strong="H3605" hands|strong="H3027" to|strong="H5921"  
 their|strong="H3605" mouth|strong="H6310", their|strong="H3605"  
 ears|strong="H0241" will|strong="H1471" become|strong="H3027"  
 deaf|strong="H2790",

17they|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" lick|strong="H3897"  
 the|strong="H3068" dust|strong="H6083" like|strong="H4526"  
 snakes|strong="H5175", like|strong="H4526" creatures|strong="H2416"  
 that|strong="H3068" crawl on|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"  
 earth|strong="H6083";

t hey|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" come|strong="H6342"  
 trembling|strong="H7264" and|strong="H3068" in|strong="H3068"  
 terror|strong="H2851" from|strong="H4480" their|strong="H3068"  
 hiding|strong="H5641" places|strong="H4526", in|strong="H3068"  
 dread|strong="H6342" and|strong="H3068" fear|strong="H3372".

18Who|strong="H4310" is|strong="H1931" a|strong="H3588"  
 God|strong="H3808" like|strong="H3644" you|strong="H3588",  
 forgiving|strong="H5375" iniquity|strong="H5771"

a nd|strong="H2388" passing|strong="H5674" by|strong="H5921"  
 the|strong="H5921" rebellion|strong="H6588" of|strong="H7611"  
 the|strong="H5921" remnant|strong="H7611" of|strong="H7611"  
 your|strong="H5921" people|strong="H3808"?

# Nahum

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1 A message about  
Nineveh, a vision  
which came to  
Nahum from Elkosh.  
God's wrath

2 The Lord  
w\* tolerates  
no rivals.

The Lord  
w\* is  
vengeful and fierce  
in  
wrath.

The Lord  
w\* does  
not fail  
to  
punish  
his foes;

the Lord  
w\* is  
vengeful against  
his  
enemies.

3 The Lord  
w\* is  
slow  
to  
anger,

great  
in  
power.

The Lord  
guilty  
will  
not  
escape

his  
punishment.

Storm  
tempest  
is  
his  
path

and  
cloud  
is  
the  
dust  
of  
his  
feet.

4He|strong = "H3605" rebukes|strong = "H1605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 sea|strong = "H3220" and|strong = "H3220" dries|strong = "H3001"  
 it|strong = "H3001" up|strong = "H3001"

a nd|strong = "H3220" makes|strong = "H3001" all|strong = "H3605"  
 the|strong = "H3605" streams|strong = "H5104" run|strong = "H3001"  
 dry|strong = "H3001".

B ashan|strong = "H1316" and|strong = "H3220" Carmel|strong = "H3760"  
 are|strong = "H5104" languishing|strong = "H0535"

a nd|strong = "H3220" the|strong = "H3605" bloom|strong = "H6524"  
 of|strong = "H3605" Lebanon|strong = "H3844" is|strong = "H3605"  
 withered|strong = "H3001".

5The|strong = "H3605" mountains|strong = "H2022"  
 tremble|strong = "H7493" before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440"

a nd|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H3605" hills|strong = "H1389"  
 dissolve|strong = "H4127".

T he|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H0776" heaves  
 before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440",

t he|strong = "H3605" world|strong = "H8398" and|strong = "H6440"  
 all|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" live|strong = "H3427"  
 in|strong = "H3427" it|strong = "H5375".

6Who|strong = "H4310" can|strong = "H4310" stand|strong = "H5975"  
 before|strong = "H6440" his|strong = "H6440" wrath|strong = "H2534"?

W ho|strong = "H4310" can|strong = "H4310" withstand|strong = "H5975"  
 the|strong = "H6440" heat|strong = "H2534" of|strong = "H6440"  
 his|strong = "H6440" anger|strong = "H2534"?

H is|strong = "H6440" fierce|strong = "H2740" fury|strong = "H2534"  
 pours|strong = "H8210" forth|strong = "H5413" like|strong = "H2534"  
 fire|strong = "H0784",

h e|strong = "H4480" shatters|strong = "H7665" rocks|strong = "H6697".

7The w Lord w\* is  
 good to those  
 who hope in  
 him,

**a** place of  
 refuge in the  
 day of trouble.

8With rushing flood  
 an end he  
 makes

**o** f those who  
 rise against him,

**h** e drives his  
 enemies into darkness.

9Why do you  
 plot against the  
 Lord w\*?

**H** e will end  
 you.

**H** e only takes  
 vengeance once.

10Thorns, tangled  
 and drenched,

**t** hey are consumed  
 like dry stubble.

11Nineveh! From  
 you has arisen

**o** ne who plots  
 evil against the  
 Lord w\*,

**a** |strong = "H3318" counsellor|strong = "H3289" of|strong = "H3068" wickedness|strong = "H7451".  
 Good|strong = "H2896" news|strong = "H1319" for|strong = "H5921" Judah|strong = "H3063"

12The|strong = "H3541" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* says|strong = "H3541":

‘ Though|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3651" are|strong = "H3068" many|strong = "H7227" and|strong = "H3068" strong|strong = "H2388",

**t** hey|strong = "H3651" will|strong = "H3068" pass|strong = "H5674" away|strong = "H5674" and|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3808" gone|strong = "H5674".

**T** hough|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3541" have|strong = "H3068" afflicted|strong = "H6031" you|strong = "H3808",

**I** |strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" afflict|strong = "H6031" you|strong = "H3808" no|strong = "H3808" more|strong = "H5750",

13and|strong = "H7665" now|strong = "H6258" I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3068" break|strong = "H7665" his|strong = "H5921" yoke|strong = "H4132" from|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921" necks|strong = "H6677"

**a** nd|strong = "H7665" snap your|strong = "H5921" chains|strong = "H4147".’

14The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* has|strong = "H3068" given|strong = "H6680" this|strong = "H3588" command|strong = "H6680" concerning|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H3588",  
 Nineveh|strong = "H5210":

‘ Your|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034" will|strong = "H3068" no|strong = "H3808" longer|strong = "H5750" be|strong = "H3808" remembered|strong = "H2142".

**I** |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" destroy|strong = "H3772" every|strong = "H7760" idol|strong = "H6459" and|strong = "H3068" image|strong = "H6459"



**i** n|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" house|strong = "H1004"  
of|strong = "H1004" your|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068".

**I** |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" destroy|strong = "H3772"  
even|strong = "H3588" your|strong = "H3068" tomb|strong = "H6913",

**f** or|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H3068"  
worthless|strong = "H3808".'

15Look|strong = "H7200"! On|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"  
mountains|strong = "H2022" a|strong = "H1961" messenger|strong = "H4397"

**b** ringing|strong = "H0935" good|strong = "H2896" news|strong = "H1319",

**a** nnouncing peace|strong = "H7965"!

‘ Celebrate|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3605" feasts|strong = "H4150",  
Judah|strong = "H3063",

**f** ulfil|strong = "H4390" your|strong = "H3068" vows|strong = "H5088".

**N** ever|strong = "H3808" again|strong = "H7725" will|strong = "H3068"  
these|strong = "H0428" enemies|strong = "H0341" invade|strong = "H0935"  
your|strong = "H3068" land|strong = "H0776",

**t** hey|strong = "H1992" are|strong = "H3117" destroyed|strong = "H4229"!  
Destruction of the city

2Nineveh|strong = "H5210"! The|strong = "H3605"  
destroyer|strong = "H7703" has|strong = "H3063" come|strong = "H5674"  
up|strong = "H5921" against|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H3588";

**m** ount|strong = "H2022" guard|strong = "H2876" upon|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H3605" rampart|strong = "H2426";

**w** atch|strong = "H2009" the|strong = "H3605" road|strong = "H1870";  
brace yourselves|strong = "H3605";

**s** trengthen|strong = "H2388" your|strong = "H3605"  
might|strong = "H2022" to|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"  
utmost|strong = "H7097".

2For the w Lord w\*  
 is restoring the  
 majesty of Jacob

and of Israel,

though the  
 devastators have  
 plundered them

and destroyed their  
 vines.

3The shields of  
 his warriors are  
 dyed red,

his soldiers are  
 clothed in scarlet,

his chariots gleam  
 like fire

on the day  
 he prepares for  
 battle

spear are shaken.

4Chariots rush across  
 the fields,

sword through the  
 squares;

they flame like  
 torches,

they dart like  
 lightning.

5A leader rallies his nobles,

they hurl themselves forward.

They speed on toward the wall;

the storming-shield is set up.

The water-gates are thrown open,

and the palace dissolves in ruins.

The queen is stripped,

she is carried off.

Her maids moan like doves,

beating upon their breasts.

Like a pool of water is Nineveh,

her waters fast ebbing away.

'Stand firm! Stand firm! someone cries,

but no one turns back.

9'Loot|strong="H0961" the|strong="H3117" silver|strong="H3701",  
loot|strong="H0961" the|strong="H3117" gold|strong="H2091",

f or|strong="H4325" there|strong="H1992" is|strong="H1931"  
no|strong="H5975" end|strong="H7093" to|strong="H3117"  
the|strong="H3117" treasure|strong="H0214",

t he|strong="H3117" wealth|strong="H2428" and|strong="H3117"  
precious|strong="H3368" things|strong="H1992".'

10Nineveh|strong="H5210" is|strong="H3701" empty|strong="H7387",  
desolate|strong="H8074", devastated|strong="H7703",

w ith|strong="H3627" faint|strong="H5889" heart|strong="H3820"  
and|strong="H3701" knocking|strong="H6375" knee|strong="H1290".

T here|strong="H3605" is|strong="H3701" weakness|strong="H4816"  
in|strong="H3701" every|strong="H3605" limb|strong="H1917",

a nd|strong="H3701" faces|strong="H6440" grow|strong="H6779"  
pale|strong="H6289".

11Where|strong="H0834" now|strong="H6258" is|strong="H3820"  
the|strong="H3605" den|strong="H1358" of|strong="H6440"  
lions|strong="H3715"?

W here|strong="H0834" now|strong="H6258" the|strong="H3605"  
lair|strong="H5520" of|strong="H6440" their|strong="H3605"  
young|strong="H5288"?

W here|strong="H0834" the|strong="H3605" lion|strong="H0738"  
used|strong="H3605" to|strong="H3820" withdraw|strong="H7725",

w ith|strong="H6440" his|strong="H3605" cubs|strong="H1482",  
with|strong="H6440" none|strong="H3605" to|strong="H3820"  
disturb|strong="H2729" them|strong="H6440"?

12The|strong="H8033" lion|strong="H3715" tore|strong="H7167"  
enough|strong="H1767" for|strong="H8033" his|strong="H1980"  
cubs|strong="H1482",

**a** nd|strong = "H1980" strangled|strong = "H2614" prey|strong = "H2964"  
for|strong = "H8033" his|strong = "H1980" lionesses|strong = "H3833".

**H** e|strong = "H1931" filled|strong = "H4390" his|strong = "H1980"  
caves|strong = "H4631" with|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H8033"  
kill|strong = "H2026",

**h** e|strong = "H1931" filled|strong = "H4390" his|strong = "H1980"  
lairs|strong = "H2356" with|strong = "H1980" fresh|strong = "H3892"  
meat|strong = "H1320".

13'But|strong = "H3588" see|strong = "H7200", I|strong = "H1767"  
am|strong = "H1961" against|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H1767",'

**t** he|strong = "H4390" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H4390"  
hosts|strong = "H6635" declares|strong = "H5002",

' I|strong = "H1767" will|strong = "H3068" burn|strong = "H8313"  
your|strong = "H4390" chariots|strong = "H7393" in|strong = "H2963"  
smoke|strong = "H6227" and|strong = "H3833" fire|strong = "H0784".

**T** he|strong = "H4390" sword|strong = "H2719" will|strong = "H3068"  
devour|strong = "H0398" your|strong = "H4390" young|strong = "H3833"  
lions|strong = "H3833".

**Y** ou|strong = "H1767" will|strong = "H3068" never|strong = "H3808"  
again|strong = "H7725" prey|strong = "H2964" on|strong = "H1767"  
the|strong = "H4390" land|strong = "H0776".

**N** o|strong = "H3808" more|strong = "H3254" will|strong = "H3068"  
your|strong = "H4390" messengers|strong = "H4390" be|strong = "H1961"  
heard|strong = "H8085".'

Ruin

3Woe|strong = "H1945" to|strong = "H5892" the|strong = "H3605"  
bloody|strong = "H1818" city|strong = "H5892"!

**F** ull|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H5892" lies|strong = "H3585"  
and|strong = "H5892" plunder|strong = "H0962",

**w** ithout|strong = "H3808" end|strong = "H7093" is|strong = "H3605"  
the|strong = "H3605" spoil|strong = "H2964".

2Hear|strong="H6963" the|strong="H6963" crack of|strong="H6963"  
the|strong="H6963" whip|strong="H7752",

**h** ear|strong="H6963" the|strong="H6963" rattle of|strong="H6963"  
wheels|strong="H0212".

**G** alloping|strong="H1725" horses|strong="H5483",

**j** olting chariots|strong="H4818".

3Horsemen|strong="H6571" charging|strong="H5927",

**s** words|strong="H2719" flashing|strong="H3851",

**s** pears|strong="H2595" glittering|strong="H1300",

**a** |strong="H5927" multitude|strong="H7230" of|strong="H7230"  
slain|strong="H2491",

**a** |strong="H5927" heap|strong="H1530" of|strong="H7230"  
bodies|strong="H6297",

**n** o|strong="H5927" end|strong="H7097" to|strong="H5927"  
the|strong="H5927" corpses|strong="H6297"

**o** ver|strong="H3782" which|strong="H2719" people|strong="H5971"  
stumble|strong="H3782"!

4'Because|strong="H7230" you|strong="H1471" acted|strong="H6213"  
like|strong="H2896" a|strong="H4376" whore|strong="H2181",

**b** ewitching the|strong="H2181" nations|strong="H1471",

**e** nticing the|strong="H2181" peoples|strong="H5971",

5I|strong="H2005" am|strong="H3068" against|strong="H5921"  
you|strong="H6440", Nineveh'

**t** he|strong="H6440" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* of|strong="H3068"  
hosts|strong="H6635" declares|strong="H5002".

- ‘ I|strong = "H2005" will|strong = "H3068" strip|strong = "H1540"  
your|strong = "H3068" clothes|strong = "H0899"
- a nd|strong = "H3068" show|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H6440"  
nations|strong = "H1471" your|strong = "H3068"  
nakedness|strong = "H4626",
- a nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440" kingdoms|strong = "H4467"  
your|strong = "H3068" shame|strong = "H7036".
- 6‘I|strong = "H7760" will|strong = "H3068" fling|strong = "H7993"  
loathsome|strong = "H8441" filth|strong = "H8251" at|strong = "H5921"  
you|strong = "H5921",
- a nd|strong = "H5921" make|strong = "H7760" you|strong = "H5921"  
an|strong = "H7760" object|strong = "H8047" of|strong = "H5921"  
contempt|strong = "H0937",
- a |strong = "H7760" spectacle|strong = "H7210",
- 7so|strong = "H4480" that|strong = "H7200" everyone|strong = "H3605"  
who|strong = "H4310" sees|strong = "H7200" you|strong = "H3605"
- w ill|strong = "H4310" flee|strong = "H5074" from|strong = "H4480"  
you|strong = "H3605" and|strong = "H7200" say|strong = "H0559":
- “ Nineveh|strong = "H5210" is|strong = "H4310" laid|strong = "H7760"  
waste|strong = "H7703",
- w ho|strong = "H4310" will|strong = "H4310" mourn|strong = "H5110"  
for|strong = "H1245" her|strong = "H3605"?”
- 8‘Are|strong = "H4325" you|strong = "H3190" any|strong = "H3605"  
better|strong = "H3190" than|strong = "H3190" Thebes|strong = "H4996",
- w hich|strong = "H4325" stood|strong = "H5975" on|strong = "H3427"  
the|strong = "H5439" banks|strong = "H1415" of|strong = "H3427"  
the|strong = "H5439" Nile|strong = "H2975",
- w ith|strong = "H3427" waters|strong = "H4325" around|strong = "H5439"  
as|strong = "H3427" a|strong = "H3427" rampart|strong = "H2426",

**w** hose|strong = "H0834" wall|strong = "H2346" was|strong = "H4325"  
the|strong = "H5439" sea|strong = "H3220" of|strong = "H3427"  
waters|strong = "H4325"?

**9**Her|strong = "H1961" strength|strong = "H6109" was|strong = "H1961"  
Ethiopia|strong = "H3568" and|strong = "H4714" Egypt|strong = "H4714".

**T** he|strong = "H1961" Libyans|strong = "H3864" were|strong = "H1961"  
her|strong = "H1961" helpers|strong = "H5833",

**a** nd|strong = "H4714" Put|strong = "H6316" with|strong = "H4714"  
its|strong = "H1961" countless|strong = "H0369" people|strong = "H5971".

**10**Yet|strong = "H1571" she|strong = "H1931" was|strong = "H1931"  
exiled|strong = "H1540"

**a** nd|strong = "H1980" made|strong = "H3513" captive|strong = "H7628".

**O** n|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605" corners|strong = "H6285"  
of|strong = "H7218" the|strong = "H3605" streets|strong = "H2351"

**h** er|strong = "H3605" infants|strong = "H5768" were|strong = "H1419"  
dashed|strong = "H7376" to|strong = "H1980" pieces|strong = "H7376".

**L** ots|strong = "H1486" were|strong = "H1419" cast|strong = "H3032"  
for|strong = "H5921" her|strong = "H3605" nobles|strong = "H3513",

**a** ll|strong = "H3605" her|strong = "H3605" great|strong = "H1419"  
ones|strong = "H5768" were|strong = "H1419" bound|strong = "H7576"  
in|strong = "H5921" chains|strong = "H2131".

**11**'You|strong = "H1571" too|strong = "H1571", Nineveh|strong = "H5210",  
will|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961" drunk|strong = "H7937"  
with|strong = "H1571" fear|strong = "H3372";

**y** ou|strong = "H1571" too|strong = "H1571" will|strong = "H1961"  
seek|strong = "H1245" a|strong = "H1961" place|strong = "H1961"  
of|strong = "H4581" escape|strong = "H4422" from|strong = "H1961"  
the|strong = "H1245" foe|strong = "H6862".



12 All your fortresses are  
 with the first ripe  
 fig trees are  
 eaten!

if shaken, they  
 fall into the  
 mouth of the  
 eater!

13 Your troops are  
 weak as women  
 before your foes;

the gates of  
 your land are  
 wide open;

your defenses  
 burned down.

14 Draw water for  
 the siege,

strengthen your  
 forts.

Go to the  
 clay pits and  
 tread the clay;

take up the  
 brick moulds.

15 There the fire  
 will consume you,

the sword will  
 cut you down.

Multiply like the  
 locust

o r|strong="H2719" a|strong="H3772" swarm|strong="H8317"  
of|strong="H2719" grasshoppers|strong="H3218".

16Increase|strong="H7235" the|strong="H6584"  
numbers|strong="H7230" of|strong="H3556" your|strong="H7235"  
merchants|strong="H7402"

u ntil|strong="H5704" they|strong="H1992" are|strong="H8064"  
more|strong="H7235" than|strong="H7235" the|strong="H6584"  
stars|strong="H3556" of|strong="H3556" heaven|strong="H8064",

17until|strong="H3117" your|strong="H3045"  
watchmen|strong="H8104" are|strong="H3117" locusts|strong="H1462",

a nd|strong="H3117" your|strong="H3045" scribes|strong="H5608"  
like|strong="H3808" grasshoppers|strong="H1462",

w hich|strong="H4725" swarm|strong="H8317" in|strong="H2583"  
the|strong="H3117" hedges|strong="H1448" on|strong="H3117"  
a|strong="H3117" cold|strong="H7135" day|strong="H3117";

b ut|strong="H3808" when|strong="H3117" the|strong="H3117"  
sun|strong="H8121" rises|strong="H2224"

t hey|strong="H3117" fly|strong="H5774" away|strong="H5074",

n o|strong="H3808" one|strong="H3808" knows|strong="H3045"  
where|strong="H4725".

18'King|strong="H4428" of|strong="H4428" Assyria|strong="H0804":

y our|strong="H5921" princes|strong="H8269"  
slumber|strong="H5123",

y our|strong="H5921" nobles|strong="H2715" sleep|strong="H5123"!

Y our|strong="H5921" people|strong="H5971" are|strong="H5971"  
scattered|strong="H6335" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
mountains|strong="H2022"

w ith|strong="H5921" no|strong="H3808" one|strong="H4428"  
to|strong="H5921" gather|strong="H6908" them|strong="H5921"!

# Habakkuk



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Habakkuk's message

1 The message seen by the prophet Habakkuk.  
(Habakkuk)

2 How long, w Lord, have I cried out

a nd hearing without you!

I cry to you, 'Violence!

b ut you do not help.

3 Why do you make me look upon wickedness

a nd behold trouble?

Destruction and violence are before my eyes,

a nd fighting and quarrelling.

4 Therefore the law is weak,

a nd justice is never rendered;

**f** or **the** wicked **surround** **the** righteous,

**s** o **that** justice **is** perverted.  
(**The** **Lord**)

**5** **Look** at **the** **nations**, **look** well,

**b** e **shocked** and **amazed**.

**F** or **I** **am** **about** **to** **do** **a** **work** **in** **your** **days**;

**y** ou **will** **not** **believe** **it** **when** **it** **is** **told**.

**6** **For** **I** **am** **about** **to** **raise** **up** **the** **Chaldeans**,

**a** **nation** **grim** and **quick** **of** **action**

**w** ho **sweep** **over** **the** **whole** **breadth** **of** **the** **earth**

**t** o **seize** **dwellings** **not** **their** **own**.

**7** **They** **bring** **fear** **and** **terror**.

**T** hey **write** **their** **own** **rules**.

8 Their horses are swifter than leopards,

quicker than wolves hunting at dusk.

From afar they come swooping down,

like an eagle attacking its prey.

9 They all come to do violence,

as if a horde like a desert wind,

they gather up captives like sand.

10 At kings they scoff,

and princes are sport to them.

They laugh at every fortress,

and heap up earth to take it.

11 Then they sweep on like the wind,

Their strength is their god.  
(Habakkuk)

12 Are you not eternal, w Lord w\*,

my holy one, who does not die?

w Lord w\* you have appointed them to execute judgment,

my rock, you have established them to punish.

13 Your eyes are too pure to look at evil,

you cannot condone iniquity.

So why do you regard the treacherous in silence,

while the wicked swallows the upright?

14 You have made people like the fish of the sea,

like reptiles that have no ruler.

15 The wicked sweep them all into their nets,

and gather them into their drag-nets,



a nd|strong = "H5927" rejoice|strong = "H8055" and|strong = "H5927"  
celebrate|strong = "H6213".

16Therefore|strong = "H3651" they|strong = "H1992"  
sacrifice|strong = "H2076" to|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H1992"  
net|strong = "H2764",

a nd|strong = "H2076" burn|strong = "H6999" offerings|strong = "H3588"  
to|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H1992" drag-net;

f or|strong = "H3588" by|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H1992"  
nets|strong = "H2764" are|strong = "H1992" their|strong = "H1992"  
portions|strong = "H2506" generous|strong = "H6340",

a nd|strong = "H2076" their|strong = "H1992" food|strong = "H3978"  
is|strong = "H3651" rich|strong = "H8082".

17Will|strong = "H1471" they|strong = "H3651" empty|strong = "H7324"  
their|strong = "H5921" nets|strong = "H2764" continually|strong = "H8548",

s laughter|strong = "H2026" nations|strong = "H1471" unpityingly?

2I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H4100" take|strong = "H7725"  
my|strong = "H7200" stand|strong = "H5975" on|strong = "H5921"  
my|strong = "H7200" watch-tower|strong = "H0975",

a nd|strong = "H7725" station|strong = "H3320" myself|strong = "H0589"  
on|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H7200" turret.

I |strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H4100" watch|strong = "H6822"  
to|strong = "H1696" see|strong = "H7200" what|strong = "H4100"  
the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* will|strong = "H4100"  
say|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H7725",

w hat|strong = "H4100" answer|strong = "H7725" he|strong = "H5921"  
will|strong = "H4100" make|strong = "H7200" to|strong = "H1696"  
my|strong = "H7200" complaint|strong = "H7879".  
(The|strong = "H5921" Lord|strong = "H3068")

2Then|strong = "H6030" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
answered|strong = "H6030" me|strong = "H5921" and|strong = "H3068"  
said|strong = "H6030":

**I** nscribe|strong = "H3789" the|strong = "H5921" vision|strong = "H2377"  
plainly|strong = "H5046" on|strong = "H5921" tablets|strong = "H3871",

**s** o|strong = "H4616" that|strong = "H3068" even|strong = "H3068"  
someone|strong = "H0376" running|strong = "H7323" by|strong = "H5921"  
could|strong = "H3201" read|strong = "H7121" it|strong = "H7121".

**3**Though|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" vision|strong = "H2377"  
waits|strong = "H2442" for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
time|strong = "H4150" set|strong = "H6315",

**i** t|strong = "H3588" hastens|strong = "H6315" to|strong = "H3808"  
fulfilment and|strong = "H4150" will|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
fail|strong = "H3576";

**T** hough|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H3588" linger|strong = "H0309"  
long|strong = "H5750", wait|strong = "H2442" for|strong = "H3588"  
it|strong = "H3588".

**F** or|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H3588" surely|strong = "H3588"  
will|strong = "H3808" come|strong = "H5750" and|strong = "H4150"  
will|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808"  
delayed|strong = "H4102".

**4**The|strong = "H3808" strength|strong = "H5315" of|strong = "H5315"  
the|strong = "H3808" proud|strong = "H6075" fails|strong = "H3615",

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H3808" upright|strong = "H3474"  
lives|strong = "H5315" by|strong = "H3808" their|strong = "H3808"  
faithfulness|strong = "H0530".

**5**Wealth|strong = "H3808" is|strong = "H1931"  
treacherous|strong = "H0898",

**t** he|strong = "H3605" arrogant|strong = "H2086" never|strong = "H3808"  
have|strong = "H5971" enough|strong = "H7646".

**T** hey|strong = "H3588" make|strong = "H7337" their|strong = "H3605"  
desire|strong = "H5315" as|strong = "H5315" wide|strong = "H7337"  
as|strong = "H5315" Sheol|strong = "H7585",

**a** re|strong = "H5971" like|strong = "H3808" death|strong = "H4194",  
unsatisfied|strong = "H7385",

**F** or|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" gather|strong = "H6908"  
to|strong = "H5315" themselves|strong = "H5315" all|strong = "H3605"  
the|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471",

**b** ring|strong = "H0935" together|strong = "H6908" to|strong = "H5315"  
themselves|strong = "H5315" all|strong = "H3605" peoples|strong = "H5971".

6Shouldn't everyone|strong = "H3605" mock|strong = "H3932"  
them|strong = "H5921"?

**s** ing|strong = "H5375" a|strong = "H5375" taunt-song|strong = "H4912"  
against|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921", and|strong = "H4912"  
say|strong = "H0559":

**W** oe|strong = "H1945" to|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3605"  
person|strong = "H5315" who|strong = "H3605" amasses|strong = "H6651"  
what|strong = "H5921" is|strong = "H3605" not|strong = "H3808"  
theirs|strong = "H5921",

**a** nd|strong = "H4912" loads|strong = "H4853" them|strong = "H5921" self  
down|strong = "H5921" with|strong = "H5921" goods|strong = "H7399"  
taken|strong = "H5375" in|strong = "H5921" pledge|strong = "H2254"!

7Won't|strong = "H3808" your|strong = "H3808"  
creditors|strong = "H5391" suddenly|strong = "H6621" rise|strong = "H6965",

**a** nd|strong = "H6965" those|strong = "H1961" who|strong = "H3808"  
will|strong = "H1961" overthrow|strong = "H2015" you|strong = "H3808"  
awake|strong = "H6974",

**a** nd|strong = "H6965" you|strong = "H3808" become|strong = "H1961"  
their|strong = "H1961" prey|strong = "H2964"?

8For|strong = "H3588" as|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
have|strong = "H5971" plundered|strong = "H7997" many|strong = "H7227"  
peoples|strong = "H5971",

**t** he|strong = "H3605" survivors|strong = "H8300" will|strong = "H1471"  
prey|strong = "H7997" upon|strong = "H3427" you|strong = "H3588".

Y ou|strong="H3588" have|strong="H5971" shed|strong="H1818"  
blood|strong="H1818" and|strong="H5971" committed|strong="H6213"  
violence|strong="H2555"

t o|strong="H5971" the|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0776",  
peoples|strong="H5971" and|strong="H5971" their|strong="H3605"  
cities|strong="H7151".

9Woe|strong="H1945" to|strong="H1004" you|strong="H7760"  
who|strong="H1945" seeks|strong="H1245" unjust|strong="H1215"  
gain|strong="H1215" for|strong="H1004" your|strong="H7760"  
dynasty|strong="H1004",

w ho|strong="H1945" sets|strong="H7760" your|strong="H7760"  
nest|strong="H7064" on|strong="H7760" high|strong="H4791"  
to|strong="H1004" be|strong="H1004" safe|strong="H7965"  
from|strong="H5337" the|strong="H7760" reach|strong="H5060"  
of|strong="H1004" misfortune|strong="H7451"!

10You|strong="H3289" have|strong="H5971" planned|strong="H3289"  
only|strong="H0389" shame|strong="H1322" for|strong="H1004"  
your|strong="H1004" dynasty|strong="H1004".

Y ou|strong="H3289" have|strong="H5971" destroyed|strong="H4229"  
many|strong="H7227" peoples|strong="H5971",

a nd|strong="H1004" brought|strong="H0935" guilt|strong="H0817"  
upon|strong="H3289" yourself|strong="H5315";

11the|strong="H3588" stone|strong="H0068" will|strong="H2199"  
cry|strong="H2199" out|strong="H2199" from|strong="H6086"  
the|strong="H3588" wall|strong="H7023",

a nd|strong="H6030" the|strong="H3588" beam|strong="H4500"  
from|strong="H6086" the|strong="H3588" timber|strong="H6086"  
will|strong="H2199" answer|strong="H6030" it|strong="H3588".

12Woe|strong="H1945" to|strong="H5892" the|strong="H1129"  
person|strong="H1818" who|strong="H1945" builds|strong="H1129"  
a|strong="H1129" city|strong="H5892" by|strong="H3559"  
bloodshed|strong="H1818",

and founds a town by crime

13 while the peoples toil for what fires will consume,

and the nations weary themselves for nothing!

This the w Lord w\* of hosts has said, and the earth as full of the knowledge of the glory of the w Lord as the seas are full of water.

15 Woe to him who gives drink to his neighbor

to make him drunk, and see him naked.

16 You are filled with shame, not glory;

drink yourself and be uncovered.

The cup from the w Lord w\*'s hand

will pass in turn to you,

**a** nd|strong="H3068" shame|strong="H7036" will|strong="H3068" cover|strong="H3680" your|strong="H3068" glory|strong="H3519"!

17For|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3605" violence|strong="H2555" done|strong="H3605" to|strong="H3427" Lebanon|strong="H3844" will|strong="H3844" overwhelm|strong="H3680" you|strong="H3588",

t he|strong="H3605" destruction|strong="H7701" of|strong="H3427" animals|strong="H0929" will|strong="H3844" terrify|strong="H2865" you|strong="H3588",

**b** ecause|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" shed|strong="H1818" people's|strong="H5971" blood|strong="H1818" on|strong="H3427" the|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0776",

**d** estroyed|strong="H7701" people|strong="H3427" and|strong="H1818" their|strong="H3605" cities|strong="H7151".

18What|strong="H4100" use|strong="H6213" is|strong="H4100" an|strong="H6213" idol|strong="H6459"?

**A** |strong="H6213" human|strong="H0120" made|strong="H6213" it|strong="H5921",

**a** |strong="H6213" metal|strong="H6213" image|strong="H6459".

**I** t|strong="H5921" cannot|strong="H3808" speak|strong="H1696",

**i** t|strong="H5921" cannot|strong="H3808" teach|strong="H3384" truth|strong="H0571",

**W** hy|strong="H4100" does|strong="H6213" its|strong="H5921" maker|strong="H6213" trust|strong="H0982" it|strong="H5921"?

19Woe|strong="H1945" to|strong="H7307" the|strong="H3605" person|strong="H5315" who|strong="H3605" says|strong="H1748" to|strong="H7307" a|strong="H5782" block|strong="H4383",  
awake|strong="H5782"!

**t** o|strong="H7307" a|strong="H5782" dumb|strong="H1748" stone|strong="H0068", arise|strong="H5782"!

W hat|strong = "H4100" can|strong = "H7307" it|strong = "H1931"  
teach|strong = "H3384"?

I t|strong = "H1931" may|strong = "H1931" be|strong = "H6086"  
set|strong = "H3384" with|strong = "H3605" gold|strong = "H2091"  
and|strong = "H3701" silver|strong = "H3701",

b ut|strong = "H2009" there|strong = "H2009" is|strong = "H1931"  
no|strong = "H3605" breath|strong = "H7307" at|strong = "H7307"  
all|strong = "H3605" within|strong = "H7130" it|strong = "H1931".

20The|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
in|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3605" holy|strong = "H6944"  
temple|strong = "H1964".

L et|strong = "H7971" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
earth|strong = "H0776" be|strong = "H3068" silent|strong = "H2013"  
before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440"!  
Habakkuk's psalm

3A|strong = "H5921" prayer|strong = "H8605" of|strong = "H5921"  
Habakkuk|strong = "H2265" the|strong = "H5921" prophet|strong = "H5030",  
according|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
Shigionoth|strong = "H7692".

2I|strong = "H3045" have|strong = "H7355" heard|strong = "H8085", w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, of|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
fame|strong = "H8088",

I |strong = "H3045" have|strong = "H7355" seen|strong = "H7200", w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, your|strong = "H3068" work|strong = "H6467";

t hrough|strong = "H7130" the|strong = "H8085" years|strong = "H8141"  
you|strong = "H3045" have|strong = "H7355" make|strong = "H3045"  
yourself|strong = "H3045" known|strong = "H3045",

i n|strong = "H8141" wrath|strong = "H7267" you|strong = "H3045"  
remember|strong = "H2142" mercy|strong = "H7355".

3God|strong = "H8064" comes|strong = "H4390" from|strong = "H8064"  
Teman|strong = "H8487",

**a** nd|strong="H8064" the|strong="H3680" Holy|strong="H6918"  
 One|strong="H6918" from|strong="H8064" the|strong="H3680"  
 mountain-land of|strong="H2022" Paran|strong="H6290". w  
 Selah|strong="H5542" w\*

**H** is|strong="H4390" glory|strong="H1935" covers|strong="H3680"  
 the|strong="H3680" heavens|strong="H8064",

**a** nd|strong="H8064" his|strong="H4390" splendour  
 fills|strong="H4390" the|strong="H3680" earth|strong="H8064".

**4** Before|strong="H1961" him|strong="H3027" it|strong="H8033"  
 is|strong="H3027" like|strong="H1961" the|strong="H3027"  
 light|strong="H5051",

**r** ays|strong="H7161" he|strong="H8033" has|strong="H1961"  
 at|strong="H1961" his|strong="H3027" side|strong="H3027",

**w** here|strong="H8033" his|strong="H3027" power|strong="H3027"  
 is|strong="H3027" hidden|strong="H5641".

**5** Before|strong="H6440" him|strong="H6440"  
 pestilence|strong="H1698" stalks|strong="H6086",

**a** fter|strong="H7272" him|strong="H6440" plague|strong="H1698"  
 follows|strong="H3652".

**6** He|strong="H7200" stands|strong="H5975", and|strong="H5769"  
 the|strong="H7200" earth|strong="H0776" trembles|strong="H2729",

**h** e|strong="H7200" looks|strong="H7200", and|strong="H5769"  
 the|strong="H7200" nations|strong="H1471" melt|strong="H4549"  
 away|strong="H5493",

**a** nd|strong="H5769" the|strong="H7200" mountains|strong="H2042"  
 of|strong="H1389" old|strong="H5769" are|strong="H1471"  
 scattered|strong="H6327",

**t** he|strong="H7200" everlasting|strong="H5769" hills|strong="H1389"  
 bow|strong="H7817" down|strong="H7817".



These are his ways from of old.

7The tents of Cushan are afraid,

the curtains of Midian tremble.

8Is your wrath, w Lord w\*, with the rivers?

Is your anger against the streams?

Or your rage against the sea?

Is that why you ride on your war-steeds?

Why you mount your chariots of victory?

9Why you bare your bow?

Why you fill your quiver with shafts?

You split the earth with torrents.

10The mountains see you and writhe.

The tempest of waters sweeps by.

The great deep sends forth its voice,

and lifts up its hands.

11 The sun forgets to rise.

The moon stands still in its place.

Your arrows go forth to give light.

Your glittering spear is as lightning.

12 In rage you stride over the earth.

In wrath you trample the nations.

13 You go forth to save your people.

You go to help your anointed.

You crush the head of the wicked nation,

**l** aying|strong = "H6168" him|strong = "H3318" bare|strong = "H6168"  
 from|strong = "H3318" thigh|strong = "H3247" to|strong = "H5704"  
 neck|strong = "H6677". w Selah|strong = "H5542" w\*

14 You|strong = "H3644" pierced|strong = "H5344" his|strong = "H5344"  
 head|strong = "H7218" with|strong = "H6041" his|strong = "H5344"  
 spears|strong = "H4294",

**a** s|strong = "H3644" his|strong = "H5344" champions  
 storm|strong = "H5590" out|strong = "H6327" to|strong = "H7218"  
 scatter|strong = "H6327" us|strong = "H5414",

**a** s|strong = "H3644" they|strong = "H3644" rejoice|strong = "H8055"  
 to|strong = "H7218" devour|strong = "H0398" the|strong = "H6327"  
 poor|strong = "H6041" secretly|strong = "H4565".

15 You|strong = "H4325" tread|strong = "H1869" the|strong = "H1869"  
 sea|strong = "H3220" with|strong = "H4325" your|strong = "H3068"  
 horses|strong = "H5483",

**w** hile|strong = "H7227" the|strong = "H1869" mighty|strong = "H7227"  
 waters|strong = "H4325" roar|strong = "H7580".

16 I|strong = "H3117" hear|strong = "H8085", and|strong = "H3117"  
 my|strong = "H8085" body|strong = "H6106" trembles|strong = "H7264",

**a** nd|strong = "H3117" at|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H8085"  
 sound|strong = "H6963" my|strong = "H8085" lips|strong = "H8193"  
 quiver|strong = "H6750".

**M** y|strong = "H8085" bones|strong = "H6106" begin|strong = "H2490"  
 to|strong = "H5927" decay|strong = "H7538",

**a** nd|strong = "H3117" my|strong = "H8085" footsteps|strong = "H1870"  
 totter|strong = "H4131" beneath|strong = "H8478" me|strong = "H6963",

**w** hile|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117" long|strong = "H3117"  
 for|strong = "H8478" the|strong = "H8085" day|strong = "H3117"  
 of|strong = "H3117" distress|strong = "H6869"

**t** o|strong = "H5927" come|strong = "H5927" upon|strong = "H5927"  
 those|strong = "H8085" who|strong = "H5971" attack|strong = "H5927"  
 us|strong = "H3117".

17Though the fig tree bears no fruit,

and there are no grapes on the vines,

though the olive fails to harvest,

and the fields produce no food,

though the flock is cut off from the fold,

and there is no herd in the stalls,

yet I will exult in the Lord,

and rejoice in the Lord who saves me.

19The Lord with God is my strength;

he makes my feet as sure as of deer,

and causes me to walk on the heights!

# Zephaniah



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The LORD's message, which came to Zephaniah, son of Cushi, son of Gedaliah, son of Amariah, son of Hezekiah, in the time of Josiah of Judah, who was the son of Amon.

The Day of Judgment on Judah

I will utterly destroy everything

from the face of the earth,

says the LORD.

I will sweep away human and animal,

the birds of the sky

and the fish of the sea.

I will cause the wicked to stumble,

and I will cut off humanity from the face of the earth,

s ays|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

4I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3063" stretch|strong = "H5186"  
out|strong = "H5186" my|strong = "H3605" hand|strong = "H3027"  
over|strong = "H5921" Judah|strong = "H3063"

a nd|strong = "H3063" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
inhabitants|strong = "H3427" of|strong = "H3027"  
Jerusalem|strong = "H3389",

a nd|strong = "H3063" I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3063"  
cut|strong = "H3772" off|strong = "H3772" from|strong = "H4480"  
this|strong = "H2088" place|strong = "H4725" the|strong = "H3605"  
last|strong = "H0314" remnant|strong = "H7605" of|strong = "H3027"  
Baal|strong = "H1168"

a nd|strong = "H3063" the|strong = "H3605" name|strong = "H8034"  
of|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3605" heathen|strong = "H1471"  
priests|strong = "H3548",

5and|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H5921" who|strong = "H3068"  
worship|strong = "H7812" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
housetops|strong = "H1406"

t o|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" stars|strong = "H3556"  
in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" sky|strong = "H8064",

a nd|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H5921"  
worshippers|strong = "H5647" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*

w ho|strong = "H3068" also|strong = "H3068" pay|strong = "H7999"  
homage|strong = "H7812" to|strong = "H3068" Milcom|strong = "H4445",

6and|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H3068"  
turn|strong = "H5472" back|strong = "H5472"

f rom|strong = "H3068" following|strong = "H0310" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

A nd|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H3068"  
do|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" seek|strong = "H1245"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*



n or|strong = "H3808" strive|strong = "H1245" to|strong = "H3068"  
find|strong = "H1245" him|strong = "H1245".

7Be|strong = "H3068" silent|strong = "H2013" before|strong = "H6440"  
the|strong = "H6440" Lord|strong = "H3068" w God|strong = "H3068" w\*,

f or|strong = "H3588" near|strong = "H7138" is|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H6440" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

f or|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
has|strong = "H3068" prepared|strong = "H3559" a|strong = "H3588"  
sacrifice|strong = "H2077",

h e|strong = "H3588" has|strong = "H3068" sanctified|strong = "H6942"  
his|strong = "H3068" guests|strong = "H7121".

8On|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord's|strong = "H3068" w\*  
sacrifice|strong = "H2077":

I |strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068" punish|strong = "H6485"  
the|strong = "H3605" officers|strong = "H8269" and|strong = "H1121"  
the|strong = "H3605" royal|strong = "H4428" princes|strong = "H8269",

a nd|strong = "H1121" all|strong = "H3605" those|strong = "H3605"  
who|strong = "H3605" clothe|strong = "H3847" themselves|strong = "H5921"  
in|strong = "H5921" foreign|strong = "H5237" apparel|strong = "H4403".

9On|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117":

I |strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H1004" punish|strong = "H6485"  
all|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" leap|strong = "H1801"  
over|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" threshold|strong = "H4670",

w ho|strong = "H3605" fill|strong = "H4390" the|strong = "H3605"  
house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004" their|strong = "H3605"  
lord|strong = "H3068" with|strong = "H4390" violence|strong = "H2555"  
and|strong = "H3117" deceit|strong = "H4820".

10Listen|strong = "H6963" on|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3117"  
day|strong = "H3117", says|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*:

A |strong="H1961" cry|strong="H6818" will|strong="H3068"  
be|strong="H1961" heard|strong="H6963" from|strong="H4480"  
the|strong="H5002" Fish|strong="H1709" Gate|strong="H8179",

a nd|strong="H3068" a|strong="H1961" wailing|strong="H3215"  
from|strong="H4480" the|strong="H5002" New|strong="H2319"  
Quarter|strong="H6285",

a nd|strong="H3068" a|strong="H1961" great|strong="H1419"  
din|strong="H7588" from|strong="H4480" the|strong="H5002"  
hills|strong="H1389".

11Those|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605" live|strong="H3427"  
in|strong="H3427" the|strong="H3605" Mortar|strong="H4389"  
wail|strong="H3213",

f or|strong="H3588" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605"  
traders|strong="H3667" are|strong="H5971" silenced|strong="H1820",

t he|strong="H3605" money|strong="H3701" counters  
wiped|strong="H3772" out|strong="H3605".

12I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H3068" search|strong="H2664"  
Jerusalem|strong="H3389" with|strong="H3068" a|strong="H1961"  
lamp|strong="H5216",

I |strong="H5921" will|strong="H3068" punish|strong="H6485"  
those|strong="H5921" who|strong="H1931" are|strong="H3068"  
at|strong="H5921" ease|strong="H7600",

w ho|strong="H1931" sit|strong="H3427" comfortably|strong="H3824"  
with|strong="H3068" their|strong="H3068" wine|strong="H8105",

w ho|strong="H1931" say|strong="H0559" to|strong="H3068"  
themselves|strong="H5921",

‘ the|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* brings|strong="H0935"  
neither|strong="H3808" prosperity|strong="H7965" nor|strong="H3808"  
calamity|strong="H7489”.’

13Their|strong="H1961" wealth|strong="H2428" will|strong="H1961"  
become|strong="H1961" a|strong="H1961" prey|strong="H2964"

- a** nd|strong = "H1004" their|strong = "H1961" houses|strong = "H1004"  
a|strong = "H1961" desolation|strong = "H8077".
- T** hough|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3808" build|strong = "H1129"  
houses|strong = "H1004",
- t** hey|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H1961" not|strong = "H3808"  
inhabit|strong = "H3427" them|strong = "H1961";
- t** hough|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3808" plant|strong = "H5193"  
vineyards|strong = "H3754",
- t** hey|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H1961" not|strong = "H3808"  
drink|strong = "H8354" wine|strong = "H3196" from|strong = "H1961"  
them|strong = "H1961".
- 14Near|strong = "H7138" is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*!
- N** ear|strong = "H7138" and|strong = "H3068" rapidly|strong = "H3966"  
approaching|strong = "H0935"!
- N** ear|strong = "H7138" is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
bitter|strong = "H4751" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,
- a** nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" scream of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" warrior|strong = "H1368".
- 15That|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" is|strong = "H1931"  
a|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
wrath|strong = "H5678",
- a** |strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
trouble|strong = "H6869" and|strong = "H3117" distress|strong = "H6869",
- a** |strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
destruction|strong = "H7722" and|strong = "H3117"  
desolation|strong = "H7722",

a |strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
darkness|strong = "H2822" and|strong = "H3117" gloom|strong = "H6205",

a |strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
clouds|strong = "H6051" and|strong = "H3117" thick|strong = "H6205"  
darkness|strong = "H2822",

16a|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H5921" trumpet|strong = "H7782" and|strong = "H3117"  
battle-cry,

a gainst|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" fortified|strong = "H1219"  
cities|strong = "H5892"

a nd|strong = "H3117" against|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
high|strong = "H1364" battlements|strong = "H8121".

17And|strong = "H1980" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"  
bring|strong = "H1980" distress|strong = "H6887" upon|strong = "H1980"  
the|strong = "H3588" people|strong = "H1818"

a nd|strong = "H1980" they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"  
walk|strong = "H1980" as|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588"  
blind|strong = "H5787",

b ecause|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068"  
sinned|strong = "H2398" against|strong = "H2398" the|strong = "H3588" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

a nd|strong = "H1980" their|strong = "H3068" blood|strong = "H1818"  
will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068" poured|strong = "H8210"  
out|strong = "H8210" as|strong = "H3068" dust|strong = "H6083"

a nd|strong = "H1980" their|strong = "H3068" flesh|strong = "H3894"  
as|strong = "H3068" dung|strong = "H1561".

18Neither|strong = "H3808" their|strong = "H3605"  
silver|strong = "H3701" nor|strong = "H3808" their|strong = "H3605"  
gold|strong = "H2091" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3808"  
able|strong = "H3201" to|strong = "H3201" save|strong = "H5337"  
them|strong = "H6213". For|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H3427"  
the|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3605" wrath|strong = "H5678" of|strong = "H3068"

the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* and|strong = "H3068"  
 in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3605" fire|strong = "H0784"  
 of|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3605" fury|strong = "H5678"  
 the|strong = "H3605" whole|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H0776"  
 will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3808" consumed|strong = "H3617".  
 For|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"  
 make|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H6213" speedy|strong = "H2363"  
 end|strong = "H3617" of|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605"  
 the|strong = "H3605" inhabitants|strong = "H3427" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H0776".  
 The Imminent Judgment upon the Nations

2Be|strong = "H3808" ashamed|strong = "H0954" within|strong = "H7130"  
 yourselves|strong = "H5315", be|strong = "H3808"  
 ashamed|strong = "H0954",

2before|strong = "H2962" you|strong = "H5921" become|strong = "H3205"  
 as|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H5921" drifting|strong = "H5674"  
 chaff|strong = "H4671",

**b** efore|strong = "H2962" the|strong = "H5921" anger|strong = "H2740"  
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 comes|strong = "H5674" upon|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H5921",

**b** efore|strong = "H2962" the|strong = "H5921" day|strong = "H3117"  
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*'s  
 wrath|strong = "H2740" comes|strong = "H5674" upon|strong = "H5921"  
 you|strong = "H5921".

3Seek|strong = "H1245" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 all|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H3605" meek|strong = "H6035"  
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H0776",

**y** ou|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" obey|strong = "H8085"  
 his|strong = "H3605" law|strong = "H4941";

**S** eek|strong = "H1245" righteousness|strong = "H6664",  
 seek|strong = "H1245" meekness|strong = "H6038";

**p** erhaps|strong = "H0194" you|strong = "H3605" may|strong = "H3068"  
 be|strong = "H3068" hidden|strong = "H5641" in|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*'s wrath|strong = "H2534".

4For|strong = "H3588" Gaza|strong = "H5804" will|strong = "H1961"  
be|strong = "H1961" forsaken|strong = "H5800";

A shkelon|strong = "H0831" a|strong = "H1961"  
desolation|strong = "H8077";

A shdod|strong = "H0795" – by|strong = "H1961" noon|strong = "H6672"  
will|strong = "H1961" they|strong = "H3588" rout|strong = "H5086"  
her|strong = "H5800"

a nd|strong = "H1961" Ekron|strong = "H6138" be|strong = "H1961"  
torn|strong = "H7167" up|strong = "H6131"!

5Woe|strong = "H1945" to|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H1945"  
who|strong = "H3068" live|strong = "H3427" by|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" sea|strong = "H3220" coast|strong = "H2256",

p eople|strong = "H1471" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921"  
Cherethites|strong = "H3774"!

T he|strong = "H5921" word|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
against|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H5921",

C anaan|strong = "H3667", land|strong = "H0776" of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H5921" Philistines|strong = "H6430"!

I |strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3068" destroy|strong = "H7843"  
you|strong = "H5921" so|strong = "H1697" that|strong = "H3068"  
you|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1697"  
without|strong = "H3427" inhabitants|strong = "H3427", <sup>6</sup>  
and|strong = "H6629" you|strong = "H1961" will|strong = "H1961"  
become|strong = "H1961" shepherds'|strong = "H7462" cots  
and|strong = "H6629" folds|strong = "H1448" for|strong = "H1961"  
flocks|strong = "H6629". <sup>7</sup> The|strong = "H5921" sea|strong = "H3220"  
coast|strong = "H2256" will|strong = "H3068" belong|strong = "H1961"  
to|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H5921" survivors|strong = "H7611"  
of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H5921" house|strong = "H1004"  
of|strong = "H1004" Judah|strong = "H3063". They|strong = "H3588"  
will|strong = "H3068" pasture|strong = "H7462" their|strong = "H3068"  
flocks|strong = "H6629" there|strong = "H1961". In|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"  
Ashkelon|strong = "H0831" they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"

lie|strong = "H7257" down|strong = "H7257" at|strong = "H5921"  
 evening|strong = "H6153". The|strong = "H5921" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* their|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068"  
 will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961" with|strong = "H1004"  
 them|strong = "H5921" and|strong = "H3063" restore|strong = "H7725"  
 their|strong = "H3068" fortunes|strong = "H7622".

8I|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H5971" heard|strong = "H8085"  
 the|strong = "H5921" taunts|strong = "H2778" of|strong = "H1121"  
 Moab|strong = "H4124",

a nd|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H5921" revilings|strong = "H1421"  
 of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H5921" Ammonites|strong = "H1121",

h ow|strong = "H8085" they|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H5971"  
 taunted|strong = "H2778" my|strong = "H8085" people|strong = "H5971",

a nd|strong = "H1121" spoken|strong = "H1431" boastfully  
 concerning|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H8085"  
 border|strong = "H1366".

9Therefore|strong = "H3651" as|strong = "H5704" I|strong = "H3588"  
 live|strong = "H2416", says|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H1121" hosts|strong = "H6635",  
 the|strong = "H5002" God|strong = "H3068" of|strong = "H1121"  
 Israel|strong = "H3478":

M oab|strong = "H4124" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961"  
 like|strong = "H1961" Sodom|strong = "H5467",

a nd|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H5002" Ammonites|strong = "H1121"  
 like|strong = "H1961" Gomorrah|strong = "H6017",

a |strong = "H1961" pile|strong = "H1530" of|strong = "H1121"  
 nettles|strong = "H2738" and|strong = "H1121" saltpits|strong = "H4379",

a nd|strong = "H1121" a|strong = "H1961" desolation|strong = "H8077",  
 forever|strong = "H5769".

T he|strong = "H5002" residue|strong = "H7611" of|strong = "H1121"  
 my|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971" will|strong = "H3068"  
 plunder|strong = "H0962" them|strong = "H1961",

**a** nd|strong="H1121" the|strong="H5002" survivors|strong="H7611"  
of|strong="H1121" my|strong="H3068" nation|strong="H1471"  
will|strong="H3068" inherit|strong="H5157" them|strong="H1961".

10This|strong="H2063" will|strong="H3068" they|strong="H1992"  
have|strong="H3068" for|strong="H3588" their|strong="H3068"  
pride|strong="H1347",

**b** ecause|strong="H3588" they|strong="H1992" have|strong="H3068"  
taunted|strong="H2778" and|strong="H3068" spoken|strong="H1431"  
boastfully

**a** gainst|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" people|strong="H5971"  
of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
of|strong="H3068" hosts|strong="H6635".

11The|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* will|strong="H3068"  
terrify|strong="H1204" them|strong="H5921";

**h** e|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" reduce|strong="H1639"  
all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" gods|strong="H0430"  
of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0776";

**t** hen|strong="H3588" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605"  
peoples|strong="H5971" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605"  
nations|strong="H1471" will|strong="H3068" worship|strong="H7812"  
him|strong="H5921",

**e** ach|strong="H3605" in|strong="H5921" their|strong="H3605"  
own|strong="H1961" land|strong="H4725".

12You|strong="H1571", also|strong="H1571",  
Ethiopians|strong="H3569",

**s** lain|strong="H2491" by|strong="H1571" his|strong="H1571"  
sword|strong="H2719" are|strong="H1992" you|strong="H1571"!

13And|strong="H3027" he|strong="H3027" will|strong="H3027"  
stretch|strong="H5186" out|strong="H5186" his|strong="H7760"  
hand|strong="H3027"

**a** gainst|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" north|strong="H6828"  
and|strong="H3027" destroy|strong="H7843" Assyria|strong="H0804";



And he will make Nineveh a desolation,

dry as the wilderness.

Herds will lie down in it,

every beast of the earth,

Desert owl and screech owl

will lodge in its capitals.

The owl will hoot in the window,

the raven on the doorstep,

all stripped bare of cedar.

This is the city which sat secure. The city who said to herself, I am and there is none else!  
How has she become a desolation!  
A lair of beasts!  
Every passerby hisses at her, shakes their hand.

Jerusalem's Deep-seated Corruption

3Woe|strong = "H1945" to|strong = "H5892" the|strong = "H5892"  
 rebellious|strong = "H4805" and|strong = "H5892" unclean|strong = "H1351"  
 city|strong = "H5892" of|strong = "H5892" oppression|strong = "H3238",

2She|strong = "H3808" has|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
 obeyed|strong = "H8085" the|strong = "H8085" voice|strong = "H6963",

s he|strong = "H3808" has|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
 accepted|strong = "H3947" instruction|strong = "H4148",

I n|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8085" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 she|strong = "H3808" has|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
 trusted|strong = "H0982",

t o|strong = "H3068" her|strong = "H3947" God|strong = "H3068"  
 she|strong = "H3808" has|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
 drawn|strong = "H3947" near|strong = "H7126".

3Her|strong = "H7130" rulers|strong = "H8269" in|strong = "H7130"  
 her|strong = "H7130" midst|strong = "H7130" are|strong = "H8199"  
 roaring|strong = "H7580" lions|strong = "H3715".

H er|strong = "H7130" judges|strong = "H8199" are|strong = "H8199"  
 evening|strong = "H6153" wolves|strong = "H2061",

w ho|strong = "H8269" leave|strong = "H1633" nothing|strong = "H3808"  
 over|strong = "H8269" until|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H8199"  
 morning|strong = "H1242",

4Her|strong = "H2490" prophets|strong = "H5030" are|strong = "H5030"  
 braggarts, faithless|strong = "H4878" men|strong = "H2490".

H er|strong = "H2490" priests|strong = "H3548" profane|strong = "H2490"  
 what|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H8451" holy|strong = "H6944"

a nd|strong = "H3548" do|strong = "H2554" violence|strong = "H2554"  
 to|strong = "H2490" the|strong = "H3548" law|strong = "H8451".

5The|strong = "H5414" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
 righteous|strong = "H6662" in|strong = "H3068" her|strong = "H5414"  
 midst|strong = "H7130",

h e|strong = "H6213" does|strong = "H6213" no|strong = "H3808"  
wrong|strong = "H5767",

M orning|strong = "H1242" by|strong = "H3068" morning|strong = "H1242"

h e|strong = "H6213" establishes|strong = "H6213" his|strong = "H5414"  
decree|strong = "H2942",

L ight|strong = "H0216" is|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
lacking|strong = "H5737",

a n|strong = "H6213" oversight|strong = "H5414" is|strong = "H3068"  
unknown|strong = "H3045".

B ut|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H5414" unjust|strong = "H5766"  
know|strong = "H3045" no|strong = "H3808" shame|strong = "H1322".

6'I|strong = "H3772" have|strong = "H1471" cut|strong = "H3772"  
off|strong = "H3772" nations|strong = "H1471",

t heir|strong = "H3772" turrets are|strong = "H1471"  
destroyed|strong = "H3772";

I |strong = "H3772" have|strong = "H1471" laid|strong = "H8074"  
waste|strong = "H2717" their|strong = "H3772" broad|strong = "H7341"  
streets|strong = "H2351",

s o|strong = "H5674" that|strong = "H1471" none|strong = "H1097"  
passes|strong = "H5674" over|strong = "H5674" them|strong = "H5674".

D esolate|strong = "H8074" are|strong = "H1471" their|strong = "H3772"  
cities|strong = "H5892" without|strong = "H2351" people|strong = "H1471",

w ithout|strong = "H2351" inhabitants|strong = "H3427".'

7I|strong = "H5921" said|strong = "H0559":

' Surely|strong = "H6485" the|strong = "H3605" city|strong = "H5892"  
will|strong = "H3808" fear|strong = "H3372" me|strong = "H5921",

s he|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3808" accept|strong = "H3947"  
instruction|strong = "H4148".

Nothing will vanish from her eyes

that I have impressed upon her;

But the more zealously they made deeds.<sup>9</sup>  
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8 Wait for me, is the word of the Lord, until the day when I stand upon a witness for it, is my fixed purpose to gather to the nations, to collect the kingdoms, to pour upon them my wrath and my hot anger; for by the fire of my fury will the earth be consumed.

9 For then I will purify the lips of peoples, so that they will call on the word of the Lord, his name, to serve him with one accord.<sup>10</sup> From beyond the rivers of Cush my

worshippers|strong = "H6282" will|strong = "H1323" bring|strong = "H2986"  
me|strong = "H2986" offerings|strong = "H4503".

11 On|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3588" day|strong = "H3117"  
you|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3808" no|strong = "H3808"  
longer|strong = "H5750" be|strong = "H3808" ashamed|strong = "H0954"  
of|strong = "H3117" all|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605"  
deeds|strong = "H5949" by|strong = "H3117" which|strong = "H1931"  
you|strong = "H3588" rebelled|strong = "H6586" against|strong = "H6586"  
me|strong = "H3254". For|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
will|strong = "H3808" rid|strong = "H5337" you|strong = "H3588"  
of|strong = "H3117" your|strong = "H3605" proudly|strong = "H1346"  
arrogant|strong = "H1346" ones|strong = "H5947", and|strong = "H3117"  
you|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3808" never|strong = "H3808"  
again|strong = "H5750" be|strong = "H3808" haughty|strong = "H1361"  
on|strong = "H3117" my|strong = "H3605" holy|strong = "H6944"  
mountain|strong = "H2022". <sup>12</sup> But|strong = "H5971" I|strong = "H3068"  
will|strong = "H3068" leave|strong = "H7604" in|strong = "H3068"  
your|strong = "H3068" midst|strong = "H7130" a|strong = "H3068"  
people|strong = "H5971" humble|strong = "H6041" and|strong = "H3068"  
poor|strong = "H6041", and|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
remnant|strong = "H7604" of|strong = "H3068" Israel|strong = "H5971"  
will|strong = "H3068" trust|strong = "H2620" in|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*. <sup>13</sup>  
They|strong = "H1992" will|strong = "H3478" not|strong = "H3808"  
do|strong = "H6213" evil|strong = "H6213", nor|strong = "H3808"  
speak|strong = "H1696" falsehood|strong = "H3577", and|strong = "H3478"  
a|strong = "H6213" deceitful|strong = "H8649" tongue|strong = "H3956"  
will|strong = "H3478" not|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808"  
found|strong = "H4672" in|strong = "H3478" their|strong = "H1992"  
mouth|strong = "H6310"; but|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H1992"  
will|strong = "H3478" pasture|strong = "H7462" and|strong = "H3478"  
lie|strong = "H7257" down|strong = "H7257", and|strong = "H3478"  
no|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3478"  
make|strong = "H6213" them|strong = "H1992" afraid|strong = "H2729".

14 Cry|strong = "H7321" out|strong = "H7321" with|strong = "H3389"  
joy|strong = "H7442", daughter|strong = "H1323" of|strong = "H1323"  
Zion|strong = "H6726",

**s** hout|strong = "H7321" aloud|strong = "H7442", Israel|strong = "H3478"!

**R** ejoice|strong = "H8055" and|strong = "H3478" exult|strong = "H5937"  
with|strong = "H3389" all|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605"

heart|strong = "H3820",

**d** aughter|strong = "H1323" of|strong = "H1323"  
Jerusalem|strong = "H3389".

15The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* has|strong = "H3068"  
put|strong = "H5493" away|strong = "H5493" your|strong = "H3068"  
adversaries|strong = "H6862",

**h** e|strong = "H3068" has|strong = "H3068" turned|strong = "H6437"  
away|strong = "H5493" your|strong = "H3068" foes|strong = "H7796";

**t** he|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
king|strong = "H4428" in|strong = "H3478" your|strong = "H3068"  
midst|strong = "H7130",

**y** ou|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3068" fear|strong = "H3372"  
evil|strong = "H7451" no|strong = "H3808" more|strong = "H5750".

16In|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117"  
it|strong = "H1931" will|strong = "H3389" be|strong = "H3027"  
said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3027" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389":

**F** ear|strong = "H3372" not|strong = "H3372"!

**Z** ion|strong = "H6726", let|strong = "H7503" not|strong = "H3372"  
your|strong = "H3372" hands|strong = "H3027" grow|strong = "H6779"  
weak|strong = "H7503"!

17The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
your|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H3068"  
in|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H3068" midst|strong = "H7130",

**a** |strong = "H3068" victorious|strong = "H3467" hero.

**H** e|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" rejoice|strong = "H1523"  
over|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H5921" with|strong = "H3068"  
joy|strong = "H8057",

**h** e|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" renew|strong = "H2318"  
his|strong = "H3068" love|strong = "H0157",

**h** e|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" exult|strong="H7797"  
over|strong="H5921" you|strong="H5921" with|strong="H3068"  
singing|strong="H7440",

18a|strong="H1961" on|strong="H5921" a|strong="H1961"  
day|strong="H3117" of|strong="H4480" festival|strong="H4150".

**I** |strong="H5921" will|strong="H1961" take|strong="H1961"  
away|strong="H4480" from|strong="H4480" you|strong="H5921"  
your|strong="H5921" disgrace|strong="H2781",

**a** nd|strong="H4150" put|strong="H5414" away|strong="H4480"  
from|strong="H4480" you|strong="H5921" your|strong="H5921"  
reproach|strong="H2781".

19I|strong="H2005" will|strong="H1931" destroy|strong="H6213"  
at|strong="H6213" that|strong="H3605" time|strong="H6256"

**a** ll|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605" afflict|strong="H6031"  
you|strong="H3605".

**I** |strong="H2005" will|strong="H1931" deliver|strong="H3467"  
the|strong="H3605" lame|strong="H6760",

**a** nd|strong="H6213" gather|strong="H6908" the|strong="H3605"  
outcast|strong="H5080",

**I** |strong="H2005" will|strong="H1931" make|strong="H6213"  
them|strong="H6213" an|strong="H6213" object|strong="H8047"  
of|strong="H8034" renown|strong="H8034"

**a** nd|strong="H6213" fame|strong="H8034" in|strong="H6213"  
all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0776".

20I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" do|strong="H3068"  
good|strong="H5869" to|strong="H7725" you|strong="H3588",

**a** t|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3605" time|strong="H6256"  
when|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" gather|strong="H6908"  
you|strong="H3588".

# Haggai



# Haggai

The call to rebuild the Temple

1 In the second year of the king of Darius the first day of the sixth month, this message from the Lord came through Haggai the prophet to Zerubbabel the son of Shealtiel, governor of Judah, and to Joshua the son of Jehozadak, the high priest:

2 The Lord says:

The people say that the time has not yet come to rebuild the temple of the Lord.

3 Then this message from the Lord came to Haggai the prophet:

4 Is it time for you yourselves to live in well-roofed houses,

while this temple lies in ruins?

5The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068"  
hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H3541":

**C** onsider|strong = "H7760" your|strong = "H3068" past|strong = "H5674"  
experiences|strong = "H3045".

6You|strong = "H3847" sow|strong = "H2232" much|strong = "H7235",

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" bring|strong = "H0935" in|strong = "H3847"  
little|strong = "H4592";

**y** ou|strong = "H3847" eat|strong = "H0398",

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3847" do|strong = "H6213"  
not|strong = "H8354" have|strong = "H4592" enough|strong = "H4592";

**y** ou|strong = "H3847" drink|strong = "H8354",

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H3117" not|strong = "H8354"  
filled|strong = "H7654";

**y** ou|strong = "H3847" clothe|strong = "H3847"  
yourselves|strong = "H3847",

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" not|strong = "H8354" enough|strong = "H4592"  
to|strong = "H7235" be|strong = "H4592" warm|strong = "H2527";

**a** nd|strong = "H8354" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H8354" earn  
wages|strong = "H7936",

**p** ut|strong = "H3847" those|strong = "H1992" wages|strong = "H7936"  
in|strong = "H3847" a|strong = "H7936" bag|strong = "H6872"  
with|strong = "H3847" holes|strong = "H5344".

7The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068"  
hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H3541":

**C** onsider|strong = "H7760" your|strong = "H3068"  
experiences|strong = "H3045".

8Go|strong = "H5927" up|strong = "H5927" to|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" mountains|strong = "H2022",

and bring wood

and rebuild the temple;

then I will be pleased with it,

and I will reveal my glory.

The Lord says:

You looked for much,

and it came to little;

and when you brought the harvest home,

I blew it away.

Why?

The Lord of hosts says:

Because my temple lies in ruins,

while you shelter in your own houses.

The heavens withhold the dew,

a nd|strong="H8064" the|strong="H5921" earth|strong="H8064"  
withholds|strong="H2820" its|strong="H5921" fruit|strong="H2981",

11and|strong="H2022" I|strong="H5921" have|strong="H3605"  
called|strong="H7121" forth|strong="H3318" a|strong="H7121"  
drought|strong="H2721" upon|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605"  
land|strong="H0776"

a nd|strong="H2022" upon|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605"  
mountains|strong="H2022",

a nd|strong="H2022" upon|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605"  
grain|strong="H1715" and|strong="H2022" the|strong="H3605"  
new|strong="H8492" wine|strong="H8492" and|strong="H2022"  
the|strong="H3605" oil|strong="H3323"

a nd|strong="H2022" upon|strong="H5921" that|strong="H3605"  
which|strong="H2022" the|strong="H3605" ground|strong="H0776"  
brings|strong="H3318" forth|strong="H3318",

a nd|strong="H2022" upon|strong="H5921" people|strong="H3709"  
and|strong="H2022" animals|strong="H0929",

a nd|strong="H2022" upon|strong="H5921" all|strong="H3605"  
the|strong="H3605" labor|strong="H3018" of|strong="H2022"  
your|strong="H3605" hands|strong="H3709".

12Then|strong="H7971" Zerubbabel|strong="H2216"  
the|strong="H3605" son|strong="H1121" of|strong="H1121"  
Shealtiel|strong="H7597" and|strong="H1121" Joshua|strong="H3091"  
the|strong="H3605" son|strong="H1121" of|strong="H1121"  
Jehozadak|strong="H3087" the|strong="H3605" high|strong="H1419"  
priest|strong="H3548", with|strong="H3068" all|strong="H3605"  
the|strong="H3605" rest|strong="H7611" of|strong="H1121"  
the|strong="H3605" people|strong="H5971", obeyed|strong="H8085"  
the|strong="H3605" command|strong="H1697" of|strong="H1121"  
the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* their|strong="H3605"  
God|strong="H3068" and|strong="H1121" the|strong="H3605"  
words|strong="H1697" of|strong="H1121" Haggai|strong="H2292"  
the|strong="H3605" prophet|strong="H5030", as|strong="H1697"  
the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* their|strong="H3605"  
God|strong="H3068" had|strong="H3068" sent|strong="H7971"  
him|strong="H6440" to|strong="H3068" them|strong="H5921".  
They|strong="H3068" showed|strong="H3372" proper|strong="H2896"

respect|strong = "H5921" for|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

13Haggai|strong = "H2292", the|strong = "H5002"  
prophet|strong = "H5030" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, as|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* commanded|strong = "H6680"  
him|strong = "H3068", told|strong = "H5046" the|strong = "H5002"  
people|strong = "H5971": "The|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
says|strong = "H5002": I|strong = "H3068" am|strong = "H3068"  
with|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H5971".'

14And|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
stirred|strong = "H5782" up|strong = "H5782" the|strong = "H3605"  
spirit|strong = "H7307" of|strong = "H1121" Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216"  
the|strong = "H3605" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"  
Shealtiel|strong = "H7597", governor|strong = "H6346" of|strong = "H1121"  
Judah|strong = "H3063", and|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605"  
spirit|strong = "H7307" of|strong = "H1121" Joshua|strong = "H3091"  
the|strong = "H3605" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"  
Jehozadak|strong = "H3087" the|strong = "H3605" high|strong = "H1419"  
priest|strong = "H3548", and|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605"  
spirit|strong = "H7307" of|strong = "H1121" all|strong = "H3605"  
the|strong = "H3605" rest|strong = "H7611" of|strong = "H1121"  
the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971", so|strong = "H6213"  
that|strong = "H5971" they|strong = "H3068" came|strong = "H3068"  
and|strong = "H1121" worked|strong = "H6213" on|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3605" temple|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1121"  
the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H1121"  
hosts|strong = "H6635", their|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H3068", <sup>15</sup>  
in|strong = "H8141" the|strong = "H3117" twenty-fourth|strong = "H6242"  
day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3117"  
sixth|strong = "H8345" month|strong = "H2320".  
The|strong = "H3117" future|strong = "H0319" glory|strong = "H3519"  
of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3117" new|strong = "H2320"  
Temple|strong = "H1004"

I n|strong = "H8141" the|strong = "H3117" second|strong = "H8147"  
year|strong = "H8141" of|strong = "H4428" Darius|strong = "H1867"  
the|strong = "H3117" king|strong = "H4428",

2on|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3068" twenty-first|strong = "H6242"  
day|strong = "H2320" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
seventh|strong = "H7637" month|strong = "H2320", this|strong = "H1697"

message|strong = "H1697" from|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* came|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H3068"  
 Haggai|strong = "H2292" the|strong = "H3068" prophet|strong = "H5030", <sup>2</sup>  
 telling|strong = "H1696" him|strong = "H3091" to|strong = "H1121"  
 speak|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H1121" Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216"  
 son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Shealtiel|strong = "H7597",  
 governor|strong = "H6346" of|strong = "H1121" Judah|strong = "H3063",  
 and|strong = "H1121" to|strong = "H1121" Joshua|strong = "H3091",  
 the|strong = "H3091" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"  
 Jehozadak|strong = "H3087", the|strong = "H3091" high|strong = "H1419"  
 priest|strong = "H3548", and|strong = "H1121" to|strong = "H1121"  
 all|strong = "H1419" the|strong = "H3091" rest|strong = "H7611"  
 of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3091" people|strong = "H5971":

3Who|strong = "H4310" is|strong = "H2088" left|strong = "H7604"  
 among|strong = "H4310" you|strong = "H3808" that|strong = "H7200"  
 saw|strong = "H7200" this|strong = "H2088" temple|strong = "H1004"  
 in|strong = "H1004" its|strong = "H7604" former|strong = "H7223"  
 glory|strong = "H3519"?

A nd|strong = "H1004" how|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H4100"  
 you|strong = "H3808" see|strong = "H7200" it|strong = "H7200"  
 now|strong = "H6258"?

D oesn't|strong = "H3808" it|strong = "H7200" seem|strong = "H5869"  
 as|strong = "H3644" though|strong = "H3588" there|strong = "H2088"  
 is|strong = "H2088" nothing|strong = "H3808" there|strong = "H2088"?

4The|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* says|strong = "H5002":

Y et|strong = "H3588" now|strong = "H6258" be|strong = "H3068"  
 strong|strong = "H2388", Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216",

**b** e|strong = "H3068" strong|strong = "H2388", Joshua|strong = "H3091",  
 son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Jehozadak|strong = "H3087",  
 the|strong = "H3605" high|strong = "H1419" priest|strong = "H3548",

**b** e|strong = "H3068" strong|strong = "H2388", all|strong = "H3605"  
 you|strong = "H3588" people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H1121"  
 the|strong = "H3605" land|strong = "H0776".

T he|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* says|strong = "H5002":

**B**egin the work for, with you.

**T**he w Lord w\* of hosts says:

5When your ancestors left Egypt I made a promise to you,

and I am still with you.

**D**o not be afraid!

6The w Lord w\* of hosts says:

**I**n while shake,

and and,

7And shake,

and the precious things of all nations shall come here;

and I will fill with glory.

**T**he w Lord w\* of hosts says:

8The silver mine is  
mine,

and the gold is  
is mine,

9The later glory  
of this temple

shall be greater  
than the former.

The Lord w<sup>o</sup> of  
hosts says:

In this place  
I will grant  
prosperity.

This is the  
message of the  
Lord w<sup>o</sup> of  
hosts. Former  
displeasure and  
the new promise  
of blessings

10In the  
twenty-fourth day  
of the ninth month,  
in the second  
year of Darius,  
this message from  
the Lord w<sup>o</sup> came  
to the prophet  
Haggai: <sup>11</sup> The Lord w<sup>o</sup>  
of hosts says: ‘Ask  
the priests for  
a ruling: <sup>12</sup> “If  
one carries  
consecrated  
meat in the  
fold of his  
garment, and with  
that garment touches



bread|strong = "H3899", or|strong = "H3808" stew|strong = "H5138",  
 or|strong = "H3808" wine|strong = "H3196", or|strong = "H3808"  
 oil|strong = "H8081", or|strong = "H3808" any|strong = "H3605"  
 food|strong = "H3899", will|strong = "H1320" it|strong = "H5375"  
 become|strong = "H6942" holy|strong = "H6944"?"

A nd|strong = "H6030" the|strong = "H3605" priests|strong = "H3548"  
 answered|strong = "H6030": 'No|strong = "H3808".'

13Then|strong = "H6030" said|strong = "H6030" Haggai|strong = "H2292",  
 'If|strong = "H0518" one|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605"  
 is|strong = "H5315" unclean|strong = "H2931" by|strong = "H3605"  
 reason|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H3605" a|strong = "H5060"  
 dead|strong = "H5315" body|strong = "H5315" touches|strong = "H5060"  
 any|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H3605" these|strong = "H3605",  
 will|strong = "H5315" it|strong = "H2930" be|strong = "H5315"  
 unclean|strong = "H2931"?"

A nd|strong = "H6030" the|strong = "H3605" priests|strong = "H3548"  
 answered|strong = "H6030": 'It|strong = "H2930" would|strong = "H5315"  
 be|strong = "H5315" unclean|strong = "H2931".'

14Haggai|strong = "H2292" replied|strong = "H6030":  
 "So|strong = "H3651" is|strong = "H3068" this|strong = "H2088"  
 people|strong = "H5971" and|strong = "H3068" so|strong = "H3651"  
 is|strong = "H3068" this|strong = "H2088" nation|strong = "H1471"  
 before|strong = "H6440" me|strong = "H6440", the|strong = "H3605" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* declares|strong = "H5002", and|strong = "H3068"  
 so|strong = "H3651" is|strong = "H3068" every|strong = "H3605"  
 work|strong = "H4639" of|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3605"  
 hands|strong = "H3027"; and|strong = "H3068" that|strong = "H5971"  
 which|strong = "H1931" they|strong = "H3651" offer|strong = "H7126"  
 there|strong = "H8033" is|strong = "H3068" unclean|strong = "H2931". <sup>15</sup>  
 Think|strong = "H3824" back|strong = "H7725" from|strong = "H4480"  
 this|strong = "H2088" day|strong = "H3117", before|strong = "H4480"  
 a|strong = "H7760" stone|strong = "H0068" was|strong = "H3068"  
 laid|strong = "H7760" upon|strong = "H7760" a|strong = "H7760"  
 stone|strong = "H0068" in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
 temple|strong = "H1964" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*. <sup>16</sup> How|strong = "H4100" were|strong = "H1961"  
 you|strong = "H1961"? When|strong = "H1961" you|strong = "H1961"  
 came|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"  
 heap|strong = "H6194" of|strong = "H6194" grain|strong = "H6194" expecting  
 twenty|strong = "H6242" measures|strong = "H6333", there|strong = "H1961"

were|strong="H1961" only|strong="H0389" ten|strong="H6235";  
 when|strong="H1961" you|strong="H1961" came|strong="H1961"  
 to|strong="H1961" the|strong="H1961" wine|strong="H3342"  
 vat|strong="H3342" to|strong="H1961" draw|strong="H2834"  
 out|strong="H2834" fifty|strong="H2572" vessels|strong="H3627",  
 there|strong="H1961" were|strong="H1961" only|strong="H0389"  
 twenty|strong="H6242". <sup>17</sup> "I|strong="H3027" struck|strong="H5221"  
 all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" work|strong="H4639"  
 of|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" hands|strong="H3027"  
 with|strong="H3068" blasting|strong="H7711" and|strong="H3068"  
 blight|strong="H7711", with|strong="H3068" mildew|strong="H3420"  
 and|strong="H3068" with|strong="H3068" hail|strong="H1259".  
 Yet|strong="H3068" you|strong="H3605" didn't|strong="H3808"  
 turn|strong="H7725" to|strong="H3068" me|strong="H5221",  
 says|strong="H5002" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, <sup>18</sup>  
 "Think|strong="H3824" back|strong="H7725" from|strong="H4480"  
 this|strong="H2088" day|strong="H3117", think|strong="H3824"!  
 From|strong="H4480" the|strong="H3068" twenty-fourth|strong="H6242"  
 day|strong="H3117" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"  
 ninth|strong="H8671" month|strong="H2320", from|strong="H4480"  
 the|strong="H3068" day|strong="H3117" when|strong="H3117"  
 the|strong="H3068" foundations|strong="H3245" of|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3068" temple|strong="H1964" of|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* were|strong="H3117"  
 laid|strong="H7760", and|strong="H3068" consider|strong="H7760". <sup>19</sup>  
 The|strong="H5375" seed|strong="H2233" is|strong="H2088"  
 in|strong="H3117" the|strong="H5375" granary, but|strong="H3808"  
 the|strong="H5375" vine|strong="H1612" and|strong="H3117"  
 the|strong="H5375" fig|strong="H8384" tree|strong="H6086"  
 and|strong="H3117" the|strong="H5375" pomegranate|strong="H7416"  
 and|strong="H3117" the|strong="H5375" olive|strong="H2132"  
 tree|strong="H6086" have|strong="H3117" not|strong="H3808"  
 yet|strong="H5750" brought|strong="H5375" forth|strong="H5375"  
 fruit|strong="H6086". From|strong="H4480" this|strong="H2088"  
 day|strong="H3117" will|strong="H3808" I|strong="H3117"  
 bless|strong="H1288" you|strong="H3117"."  
 Zerubbabel|strong="H2216"

20This|strong="H1697" message|strong="H1697" from|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* came|strong="H1961"  
 to|strong="H3068" Haggai|strong="H2292" a|strong="H1961"  
 second|strong="H8145" time|strong="H8145" on|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3068" twenty-fourth|strong="H6242" day|strong="H2320"  
 of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" month|strong="H2320":

21 Tell|strong = "H5046" Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216",  
governor|strong = "H6346" of|strong = "H6346" Judah|strong = "H3063":

I |strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H8064" shake|strong = "H7493"  
the|strong = "H2216" heavens|strong = "H8064" and|strong = "H3063"  
the|strong = "H2216" earth|strong = "H8064";

22 and|strong = "H2719" I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H1471"  
overthrow|strong = "H2015" the|strong = "H3381" throne|strong = "H3678"  
of|strong = "H3678" kingdoms|strong = "H4467";

a nd|strong = "H2719" I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H1471"  
destroy|strong = "H8045" the|strong = "H3381" strength|strong = "H2392"  
of|strong = "H3678" the|strong = "H3381" kingdoms|strong = "H4467"  
of|strong = "H3678" the|strong = "H3381" nations|strong = "H1471";

a nd|strong = "H2719" I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H1471"  
overthrow|strong = "H2015" the|strong = "H3381" chariots|strong = "H4818",

a nd|strong = "H2719" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H1471"  
ride|strong = "H7392" in|strong = "H1471" them|strong = "H3381";

a nd|strong = "H2719" the|strong = "H3381" horses|strong = "H5483"  
and|strong = "H2719" their|strong = "H2015" riders|strong = "H7392"  
shall|strong = "H1471" come|strong = "H3381" down|strong = "H3381",

e ach|strong = "H1471" by|strong = "H3678" the|strong = "H3381"  
sword|strong = "H2719" of|strong = "H3678" his|strong = "H2015"  
fellow|strong = "H7453".

23 In|strong = "H3068" that|strong = "H3588" day|strong = "H3117",

t he|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H1121"  
hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H5002",

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" take|strong = "H3947"  
you|strong = "H3588", Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216", my|strong = "H3068"  
servant|strong = "H5650", the|strong = "H5002" son|strong = "H1121"  
of|strong = "H1121" Shealtiel|strong = "H7597",

t he|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* says|strong = "H5002",

# Zechariah

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The Lesson from the Past

1 In the eighth month of the second year of Darius, this message of the Lord came to the prophet Zechariah, the son of Berechiah, the son of Iddo:

2 The Lord was furious with your ancestors.<sup>3</sup> So tell the people this message of the Lord: ‘Return to me,’ says the Lord of hosts, ‘and I will return to you’ says the Lord of hosts. <sup>4</sup> ‘Do not be like your ancestors whom the former prophets cried, “The Lord of hosts says to turn your evil from, and evil deeds.” They did not heed nor listen to me,’ says the Lord of hosts. <sup>5</sup> ‘Your ancestors, where are they?’ And the prophets, do they live forever? <sup>6</sup> But

did|strong="H6213" not|strong="H3808" my|strong="H3068"  
 words|strong="H1697" and|strong="H3068" my|strong="H3068"  
 statutes|strong="H2706" with|strong="H3068" which|strong="H3068"  
 I|strong="H1697" charged|strong="H6680" my|strong="H3068"  
 servants|strong="H5650" the|strong="H6213" prophets|strong="H5030"  
 overtake|strong="H5381" your|strong="H3068"  
 ancestors|strong="H0001"? And|strong="H3068" they|strong="H3651"  
 repented|strong="H7725" and|strong="H3068" said|strong="H1697",  
 "Just|strong="H1697" as|strong="H1697" the|strong="H6213" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\* of|strong="H3068" hosts|strong="H6635"  
 planned|strong="H2161" to|strong="H7725" do|strong="H6213"  
 to|strong="H7725" us|strong="H7725", according|strong="H5921"  
 to|strong="H7725" our|strong="H3068" ways|strong="H1870",  
 and|strong="H3068" according|strong="H5921" to|strong="H7725"  
 our|strong="H3068" deeds|strong="H4611", so|strong="H3651"  
 he|strong="H3651" has|strong="H3068" dealt|strong="H6213"  
 with|strong="H3068" us|strong="H7725"."  
 The|strong="H6213" Lord's|strong="H3068" Jealous|strong="H7065"  
 Love|strong="H0157" for|strong="H6213" Zion|strong="H6726"

7In|strong="H8141" the|strong="H3068"  
 twenty-fourth|strong="H6242" day|strong="H3117" of|strong="H1121"  
 the|strong="H3068" eleventh|strong="H6249" month|strong="H2320",  
 which|strong="H1931" is|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"  
 month|strong="H2320" Shebat|strong="H7627", in|strong="H8141"  
 the|strong="H3068" second|strong="H8147" year|strong="H8141"  
 of|strong="H1121" Darius|strong="H1867", this|strong="H1931"  
 message|strong="H1697" of|strong="H1121" the|strong="H3068" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\* came|strong="H1961" to|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3068" prophet|strong="H5030" Zechariah|strong="H2148",  
 the|strong="H3068" son|strong="H1121" of|strong="H1121"  
 Berechiah|strong="H1296", the|strong="H3068" son|strong="H1121"  
 of|strong="H1121" Iddo|strong="H5714":

8I|strong="H2009" saw|strong="H7200" in|strong="H5921"  
 the|strong="H5921" night|strong="H3915" a|strong="H7200"  
 man|strong="H7200" on|strong="H5921" a|strong="H7200"  
 red|strong="H5488" horse|strong="H5483", among|strong="H5921"  
 the|strong="H5921" myrtle|strong="H1918" trees|strong="H1918"  
 that|strong="H7200" were|strong="H5483" in|strong="H5921"  
 the|strong="H5921" valley-bottom. Behind|strong="H5975"  
 him|strong="H5921" there|strong="H2009" were|strong="H5483"  
 horses|strong="H5483", red|strong="H5488", sorrel|strong="H8320",  
 and|strong="H3915" white|strong="H3836". <sup>9</sup> Then|strong="H1696"  
 said|strong="H1696" I|strong="H7200", 'My|strong="H7200"

Lord|strong = "H3068", what|strong = "H4100" are|strong = "H1992"  
 these|strong = "H1992"? And|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200"  
 messenger|strong = "H4397" who|strong = "H1992" was|strong = "H4397"  
 talking|strong = "H1696" with|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H7200"  
 said|strong = "H1696", 'I|strong = "H7200" will|strong = "H4100"  
 show|strong = "H7200" you|strong = "H4100" what|strong = "H4100"  
 they|strong = "H1992" are|strong = "H1992".' <sup>10</sup> And|strong = "H1980"  
 the|strong = "H3068" man|strong = "H6030" who|strong = "H3068"  
 was|strong = "H3068" standing|strong = "H5975" among|strong = "H8432"  
 the|strong = "H3068" myrtle|strong = "H1918" trees|strong = "H1918"  
 answered|strong = "H6030", 'They|strong = "H3068" are|strong = "H3068"  
 those|strong = "H1980" whom|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* has|strong = "H3068" sent|strong = "H7971"  
 to|strong = "H1980" patrol|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H3068"  
 earth|strong = "H0776".' <sup>11</sup> And|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H3605"  
 riders|strong = "H7392" answered|strong = "H6030" the|strong = "H3605"  
 messenger|strong = "H4397" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* who|strong = "H3605" was|strong = "H3068"  
 standing|strong = "H5975" among|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3605"  
 myrtle|strong = "H1918" trees|strong = "H1918", 'We|strong = "H1980"  
 have|strong = "H3068" gone|strong = "H1980" up|strong = "H5975"  
 and|strong = "H1980" down|strong = "H3427" through|strong = "H1980"  
 the|strong = "H3605" world|strong = "H8398" and|strong = "H1980"  
 behold|strong = "H2009", all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 earth|strong = "H0776" is|strong = "H3068" still|strong = "H5975"  
 and|strong = "H1980" at|strong = "H3427" peace|strong = "H8252".'

12Then|strong = "H6030" the|strong = "H3068"  
 messenger|strong = "H4397" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* said|strong = "H6030", 'w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635",  
 how|strong = "H4970" long|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H3068"  
 you|strong = "H5704" have|strong = "H7355" no|strong = "H3808"  
 pity|strong = "H7355" for|strong = "H5704" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389"  
 and|strong = "H3063" the|strong = "H3068" cities|strong = "H5892"  
 of|strong = "H3068" Judah|strong = "H3063" with|strong = "H3068"  
 which|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H5704" have|strong = "H7355"  
 been|strong = "H3808" angry|strong = "H2194" for|strong = "H5704"  
 seventy|strong = "H7657" years|strong = "H8141"?' <sup>13</sup>  
 And|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 answered|strong = "H6030" the|strong = "H3068"  
 messenger|strong = "H4397" who|strong = "H3068" was|strong = "H3068"  
 talking|strong = "H1696" with|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H1696"  
 with|strong = "H3068" kind|strong = "H2896" and|strong = "H3068"  
 comforting|strong = "H5150" words|strong = "H1697". <sup>14</sup>

So|strong="H3541" the|strong="H3541" messenger|strong="H4397" who|strong="H3068" was|strong="H3068" talking|strong="H1696" with|strong="H3068" me|strong="H7121" said|strong="H1696" to|strong="H1696" me|strong="H7121", 'Proclaim|strong="H7121" now|strong="H7121" that|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3541" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* of|strong="H3068" hosts|strong="H6635" says|strong="H3541": I|strong="H3541" am|strong="H3068" deeply|strong="H6009" concerned|strong="H6485" for|strong="H7121" Jerusalem|strong="H3389". <sup>15</sup> But|strong="H1992" I|strong="H5921" am|strong="H1961" deeply|strong="H6009" angry|strong="H7107" with|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" arrogant|strong="H2086", complacent|strong="H0982" nations|strong="H1471". I|strong="H5921" was|strong="H7451" only|strong="H0389" a|strong="H5921" little|strong="H4592" angry|strong="H7107" with|strong="H5921" Israel|strong="H3478" but|strong="H1992" they|strong="H1992" made|strong="H6213" the|strong="H5921" suffering|strong="H6040" worse|strong="H7451". <sup>16</sup> Therefore|strong="H3651", says|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, I|strong="H3541" am|strong="H3068" turning|strong="H7725" to|strong="H7725" show|strong="H7356" mercy|strong="H7356" to|strong="H7725" Jerusalem|strong="H3389". My|strong="H3068" temple|strong="H1004" will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3068" rebuilt|strong="H1129" in|strong="H5921" it|strong="H5921", says|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* of|strong="H1004" hosts|strong="H6635", and|strong="H3068" a|strong="H1129" measuring|strong="H4060" line|strong="H6957" will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3068" stretched|strong="H5186" over|strong="H5921" Jerusalem|strong="H3389". <sup>17</sup> Proclaim|strong="H7121" again|strong="H5750": Thus|strong="H3541" says|strong="H3541" the|strong="H3541" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* of|strong="H3068" hosts|strong="H6635": My|strong="H3068" cities|strong="H5892" will|strong="H3068" again|strong="H5750" overflow|strong="H6327" with|strong="H3068" prosperity|strong="H2896" and|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3541" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* will|strong="H3068" again|strong="H5750" comfort|strong="H5162" Zion|strong="H6726" and|strong="H3068" choose|strong="H0977" Jerusalem|strong="H3389".' Destruction|strong="H7667" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3541" Heathen|strong="H1471" Powers

18 Now|strong="H6258" I|strong="H0589" looked|strong="H7200" up|strong="H5927" and|strong="H3967" saw|strong="H7200" four|strong="H0702" horns|strong="H7161". <sup>19</sup> I|strong="H0589" said|strong="H0559" to|strong="H0413" the|strong="H3605" messenger|strong="H4397" who|strong="H0834" was|strong="H3068"



talking|strong = "H1696" with|strong = "H5973" me|strong = "H0413",  
 'What|strong = "H4100" are|strong = "H3117" these|strong = "H0428"?'  
 He|strong = "H0834" answered|strong = "H6030", 'These|strong = "H0428"  
 are|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" horns|strong = "H7161"  
 which|strong = "H0834" scattered|strong = "H6327" Judah|strong = "H3063",  
 Israel|strong = "H3478" and|strong = "H3967" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389".'

20Then|strong = "H0227" the|strong = "H3605" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* showed|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H0413"  
 four|strong = "H0702" smiths|strong = "H4525". 21 I|strong = "H0589"  
 said|strong = "H0559", 'What|strong = "H4100" are|strong = "H3117"  
 these|strong = "H0428" coming|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0413"  
 do|strong = "H6213"?' He|strong = "H0834" answered|strong = "H6030",  
 'The|strong = "H3605" horns|strong = "H7161" scattered|strong = "H6327"  
 Judah|strong = "H3063", so|strong = "H3651" that|strong = "H0834"  
 no|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H0259" dared|strong = "H3956"  
 lift|strong = "H5375" their|strong = "H3605" head|strong = "H7218".  
 But|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" smiths|strong = "H4525"  
 have|strong = "H1961" come|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0413"  
 terrify|strong = "H1204" them|strong = "H5414", to|strong = "H0413"  
 crush|strong = "H1792" the|strong = "H3605" horns|strong = "H7161"  
 of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471"  
 which|strong = "H0834" lifted|strong = "H5375" up|strong = "H5927"  
 their|strong = "H3605" horn|strong = "H7161" against|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H3605" land|strong = "H0776" of|strong = "H1121"  
 Judah|strong = "H3063" to|strong = "H0413" scatter|strong = "H2219"  
 its|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971".'

Promise that Jerusalem Will be Gloriously Restored

2Then|strong = "H2009" I|strong = "H2009" looked|strong = "H7200"  
 up|strong = "H5375" and|strong = "H5869" saw|strong = "H7200"  
 a|strong = "H5375" man|strong = "H5375" with|strong = "H5869"  
 a|strong = "H5375" measuring|strong = "H4060" line|strong = "H6957"  
 in|strong = "H5869" his|strong = "H5375" hand|strong = "H3027". 2  
 I|strong = "H4100" said|strong = "H1696", 'Where|strong = "H4100"  
 are|strong = "H3478" you|strong = "H4100" going|strong = "H1980"?'  
 He|strong = "H3389" replied|strong = "H1696", 'To|strong = "H1696"  
 measure|strong = "H4058" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389", to|strong = "H1696"  
 see|strong = "H7200" what|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H4100"  
 its|strong = "H7161" breadth|strong = "H7341" and|strong = "H3063"  
 length|strong = "H0753".' 3 Then|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200"  
 messenger|strong = "H4397" who|strong = "H3068" talked|strong = "H1696"  
 with|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H7200" stepped|strong = "H3318"  
 forward|strong = "H5265", and|strong = "H3068" another|strong = "H7200"  
 messenger|strong = "H4397" went|strong = "H3068" out|strong = "H7200"

to|strong = "H3068" meet|strong = "H7200" him|strong = "H7200",<sup>4</sup>  
 and|strong = "H3063" said|strong = "H6310" to|strong = "H6213"  
 him|strong = "H6213", 'Run|strong = "H7323" and|strong = "H3063"  
 tell|strong = "H5046" to|strong = "H6213" that|strong = "H1471"  
 young|strong = "H5288" man|strong = "H5375" that|strong = "H1471"  
 Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" will|strong = "H1471" be|strong = "H3808"  
 inhabited|strong = "H3427" like|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H6213"  
 village|strong = "H1949" without|strong = "H3808" walls|strong = "H2346",  
 because|strong = "H3588" so|strong = "H6213" many|strong = "H4100"  
 people|strong = "H1471" and|strong = "H3063" cattle|strong = "H4735"  
 will|strong = "H1471" live|strong = "H3427" there|strong = "H8033".<sup>5</sup>  
 For|strong = "H3027" I|strong = "H2009", says|strong = "H0559"  
 the|strong = "H7200" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, will|strong = "H5869"  
 be|strong = "H3027" a|strong = "H5375" wall|strong = "H2346"  
 of|strong = "H3027" fire|strong = "H0784" her|strong = "H5375",  
 and|strong = "H3027" I|strong = "H2009" will|strong = "H5869"  
 be|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H7200" glory|strong = "H3519"  
 in|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H7200" midst|strong = "H8432"  
 of|strong = "H3027" her|strong = "H5375".

6Up|strong = "H7200"! Away|strong = "H1980"! Flee|strong = "H5127"  
 from|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H7200" land|strong = "H0776"  
 of|strong = "H7341" the|strong = "H7200" north|strong = "H6828",  
 says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H7200" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

F or|strong = "H3389" I|strong = "H7200" have|strong = "H7200"  
 spread|strong = "H1980" you|strong = "H7200" abroad|strong = "H1980"  
 as|strong = "H3389" the|strong = "H7200" four|strong = "H0702"  
 winds|strong = "H7307" of|strong = "H7341" the|strong = "H7200"  
 heavens|strong = "H8064", says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H7200" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

7Up|strong = "H3318", escape|strong = "H3318" to|strong = "H1696"  
 Zion|strong = "H6726", you|strong = "H1696" who|strong = "H4397"  
 live|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H1696" Babylon|strong = "H0894".

8This|strong = "H1696" is|strong = "H3389" what|strong = "H1696"  
 the|strong = "H8432" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3427"  
 hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H1696"  
 the|strong = "H8432" nations|strong = "H1471" which|strong = "H0834"  
 plundered|strong = "H0962" you|strong = "H8432":

W hoever|strong = "H3605" touches|strong = "H5060"  
 you|strong = "H8432" touches|strong = "H5060" the|strong = "H8432"

apple|strong = "H8598" of|strong = "H3427" my|strong = "H8432"  
eye|strong = "H5869".

9I|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" raise|strong = "H6965"  
my|strong = "H3068" hand|strong = "H3027" against|strong = "H3068"  
them|strong = "H5439".

T hey|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961"  
plunder|strong = "H0962" for|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068"  
own|strong = "H1961" slaves|strong = "H5650"; and|strong = "H3068"  
you|strong = "H8432" will|strong = "H3068" know|strong = "H3045"  
that|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635" has|strong = "H3068"  
sent|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H1961".

10'Sing|strong = "H7891" and|strong = "H3068" rejoice|strong = "H8055",  
daughter|strong = "H1323" of|strong = "H3068" Zion|strong = "H6566"!  
I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H3068" coming|strong = "H0935",

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" live|strong = "H3427"  
among|strong = "H8432" you|strong = "H3588", says|strong = "H5002"  
the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

11Many|strong = "H7227" nations|strong = "H1471" will|strong = "H1323"  
join|strong = "H3427" themselves|strong = "H0905" to|strong = "H1323"  
the|strong = "H3427" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* in|strong = "H3427"  
that|strong = "H4422" day|strong = "H3117",

a nd|strong = "H3427" will|strong = "H1323" be|strong = "H6726"  
his|strong = "H4422" people|strong = "H3427", and|strong = "H3427"  
he|strong = "H3427" will|strong = "H1323" live|strong = "H3427"  
among|strong = "H3427" you|strong = "H6726".

Y ou|strong = "H6726" will|strong = "H1323" know|strong = "H3045"  
that|strong = "H4422" the|strong = "H3427" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
of|strong = "H1323" hosts|strong = "H6635" has|strong = "H6726"  
sent|strong = "H7971" me|strong = "H0413" to|strong = "H1323"  
you|strong = "H6726".

12The|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* will|strong = "H3068"  
inherit|strong = "H5157" Judah|strong = "H3063" as|strong = "H3068"  
his|strong = "H3068" portion|strong = "H2506" in|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3588" holy|strong = "H6944" land|strong = "H0776".

He will again choose Jerusalem.

13Be silent, everyone, in the presence of the Lord,

because he is coming from his holy dwelling.  
Purification of the Priesthood and Nation

3Then he showed me Joshua, the high priest, standing before the Lord and his Adversary standing at his right hand to accuse him. <sup>2</sup> And the messenger of the Lord said to the Adversary, 'May the Lord rebuke you, Adversary! The Lord, who has chosen Jerusalem, rebuke you! Is not this man a brand plucked out of the fire?' <sup>3</sup> Now Joshua was clothed with filthy garments and was standing before the messenger. <sup>4</sup> The messenger said to those who stood before him, 'Take off his filthy garments.' Then to Joshua he said, 'I have taken

your|strong = "H5921" guilt|strong = "H5771" from|strong = "H5493"  
 you|strong = "H6440" and|strong = "H6030" I|strong = "H5921"  
 will|strong = "H5771" clothe|strong = "H3847" you|strong = "H6440"  
 in|strong = "H5921" priestly|strong = "H3548" robes|strong = "H4254".<sup>5</sup>  
 And|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H3068" ordered|strong = "H6680":  
 ‘Set|strong = "H7760" a|strong = "H7760" clean|strong = "H2889"  
 turban|strong = "H6797" upon|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H7760"  
 head|strong = "H7218".’ So|strong = "H5975" they|strong = "H3068"  
 set|strong = "H7760" a|strong = "H7760" clean|strong = "H2889"  
 turban|strong = "H6797" on|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H7760"  
 head|strong = "H7218", and|strong = "H3068" clothed|strong = "H3847"  
 him|strong = "H5921" with|strong = "H3847" garments|strong = "H0899".  
 The|strong = "H5921" messenger|strong = "H4397" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* was|strong = "H3068"  
 standing|strong = "H5975" by|strong = "H5921".

6And|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" messenger|strong = "H4397"  
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 testified|strong = "H5749" to|strong = "H3068" Joshua|strong = "H3091":<sup>7</sup>  
 The|strong = "H5414" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H1004"  
 hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H3541": ‘If|strong = "H0518"  
 you|strong = "H5414" walk|strong = "H3212" in|strong = "H3068"  
 my|strong = "H8104" ways|strong = "H1870", and|strong = "H3068"  
 if|strong = "H0518" you|strong = "H5414" will|strong = "H3068"  
 keep|strong = "H8104" my|strong = "H8104" instructions|strong = "H1870",  
 then|strong = "H1571" you|strong = "H5414" will|strong = "H3068"  
 rule|strong = "H4910" my|strong = "H8104" house|strong = "H1004"  
 and|strong = "H3068" keep|strong = "H8104" my|strong = "H8104"  
 courts|strong = "H2691" and|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H5414"  
 will|strong = "H3068" give|strong = "H5414" you|strong = "H5414"  
 a|strong = "H5414" place|strong = "H5414" of|strong = "H1004"  
 access|strong = "H5324" among|strong = "H8432" these|strong = "H1004"  
 that|strong = "H3068" stand|strong = "H5975" by|strong = "H3068".<sup>8</sup>  
 Hear|strong = "H8085" now|strong = "H4994", Joshua|strong = "H3091"  
 the|strong = "H6440" high|strong = "H1419" priest|strong = "H3548",  
 you|strong = "H3588" and|strong = "H1419" your|strong = "H6440"  
 associates|strong = "H4962" who|strong = "H3548" sit|strong = "H3427"  
 before|strong = "H6440" me|strong = "H6440"; for|strong = "H3588"  
 they|strong = "H1992" are|strong = "H1992" men|strong = "H1419"  
 who|strong = "H3548" are|strong = "H1992" a|strong = "H3588"  
 sign|strong = "H4159"; for|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
 am|strong = "H2005" going|strong = "H2005" to|strong = "H6440"  
 bring|strong = "H0935" forth|strong = "H8085" my|strong = "H8085"  
 servant|strong = "H5650" the|strong = "H6440" Branch|strong = "H6780".<sup>9</sup>  
 On|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440" stone|strong = "H0068"

that|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068"  
 set|strong = "H5414" before|strong = "H6440" Joshua|strong = "H3091",  
 on|strong = "H5921" one|strong = "H1931" stone|strong = "H0068",  
 are|strong = "H3117" seven|strong = "H7651" facets. I|strong = "H3588"  
 will|strong = "H3068" engrave|strong = "H6605" it|strong = "H5414",  
 says|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635", 'and|strong = "H3068"  
 I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" remove|strong = "H4185"  
 the|strong = "H6440" guilt|strong = "H5771" of|strong = "H3068"  
 that|strong = "H3588" land|strong = "H6440" in|strong = "H5921"  
 one|strong = "H1931" day|strong = "H3117". <sup>10</sup> On|strong = "H3117"  
 that|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117", ' says|strong = "H5002"  
 the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068"  
 hosts|strong = "H6635", 'you|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068"  
 each|strong = "H3117" invite|strong = "H7121" your|strong = "H3068"  
 neighbour|strong = "H7453" under|strong = "H8478" the|strong = "H5002"  
 vine|strong = "H1612" and|strong = "H3068" under|strong = "H8478"  
 the|strong = "H5002" fig|strong = "H8384" tree|strong = "H8384".'

#### The Supporters of the Temple Service

<sup>4</sup>Then|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H7725" messenger|strong = "H4397"  
 who|strong = "H4397" talked|strong = "H1696" with|strong = "H1696"  
 me|strong = "H7725" came|strong = "H7725" again|strong = "H7725"  
 and|strong = "H7725" woke|strong = "H3364" me|strong = "H7725",  
 as|strong = "H1696" someone|strong = "H0376" who|strong = "H4397"  
 is|strong = "H1696" woken from|strong = "H7725" sleep|strong = "H8142".

<sup>2</sup> He|strong = "H3605" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H5921"  
 me|strong = "H7200", 'What|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H4100"  
 you|strong = "H3605" see|strong = "H7200"? I|strong = "H2009"  
 said|strong = "H0559", 'I|strong = "H2009" see|strong = "H7200"  
 a|strong = "H7200" candlestick|strong = "H4501", all|strong = "H3605"  
 of|strong = "H7218" gold|strong = "H2091", with|strong = "H5921"  
 a|strong = "H7200" bowl|strong = "H1543" on|strong = "H5921"  
 its|strong = "H3605" top|strong = "H7218", and|strong = "H2091"  
 seven|strong = "H7651" lamps|strong = "H5216" on|strong = "H5921"  
 it|strong = "H5921". There|strong = "H2009" are|strong = "H4100"  
 seven|strong = "H7651" pipes|strong = "H4166" to|strong = "H5921"  
 each|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H7218" the|strong = "H3605"  
 lamps|strong = "H5216", which|strong = "H4100" are|strong = "H4100"  
 on|strong = "H5921" its|strong = "H3605" top|strong = "H7218", <sup>3</sup>  
 and|strong = "H8147" two|strong = "H8147" olive|strong = "H2132"  
 trees|strong = "H2132" next|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H5921"  
 it|strong = "H5921", one|strong = "H8147" on|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" right|strong = "H3225" side|strong = "H3225"  
 of|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" bowl|strong = "H1543",

and|strong="H8147" the|strong="H5921" other|strong="H8147"  
 on|strong="H5921" its|strong="H5921" left|strong="H8040"  
 side|strong="H3225".<sup>4</sup> I|strong="H4100" said|strong="H1696"  
 to|strong="H1696" the|strong="H1696" messenger|strong="H4397"  
 who|strong="H4397" talked|strong="H1696" with|strong="H1696"  
 me|strong="H1696", 'What|strong="H4100" are|strong="H4100"  
 these|strong="H1696", my|strong="H1696" lord|strong="H3068"?'<sup>5</sup>  
 Then|strong="H6030" the|strong="H3045" messenger|strong="H4397"  
 who|strong="H1992" talked|strong="H1696" with|strong="H1696"  
 me|strong="H1696" answered|strong="H6030", 'Don't|strong="H3808"  
 you|strong="H3045" know|strong="H3045" what|strong="H4100"  
 these|strong="H1992" are|strong="H1992"? And|strong="H6030"  
 I|strong="H3045" said|strong="H1696". 'No|strong="H3808",  
 my|strong="H3045" lord|strong="H3068".'<sup>6</sup> He|strong="H3588"  
 said|strong="H1697" to|strong="H3068" me|strong="H6030",  
 'This|strong="H2088" is|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3588"  
 message|strong="H1697" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3588" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\* regarding|strong="H2088"  
 Zerubbabel|strong="H2216": Not|strong="H3808" by|strong="H3068"  
 might|strong="H3581", nor|strong="H3808" by|strong="H3068"  
 power|strong="H3581", but|strong="H3588" by|strong="H3068"  
 my|strong="H3068" spirit|strong="H7307", says|strong="H1697"  
 the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* of|strong="H3068"  
 hosts|strong="H6635",<sup>7</sup> will|strong="H4310" I|strong="H6440"  
 make|strong="H6213" the|strong="H6440" great|strong="H1419"  
 mountain|strong="H2022" before|strong="H6440"  
 Zerubbabel|strong="H2216" a|strong="H3318" plain|strong="H4334".  
 He|strong="H6440" will|strong="H4310" bring|strong="H3318"  
 forth|strong="H3318" the|strong="H6440" top|strong="H7222"  
 stones|strong="H0068" with|strong="H6440" shoutings|strong="H8663"  
 of|strong="H2022", "Grace|strong="H2580", grace|strong="H2580",  
 to|strong="H3318" it|strong="H6440"."<sup>8</sup> Moreover|strong="H1961"  
 this|strong="H1697" message|strong="H1697" of|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* came|strong="H1961"  
 to|strong="H3068" me|strong="H1961":<sup>9</sup> The|strong="H3588"  
 hands|strong="H3027" of|strong="H1004" Zerubbabel|strong="H2216"  
 have|strong="H3068" laid|strong="H3245" the|strong="H3588"  
 foundation|strong="H3245" of|strong="H1004" this|strong="H2088"  
 house|strong="H1004". His|strong="H3068" hands|strong="H3027"  
 will|strong="H3068" also|strong="H3068" finish|strong="H1214"  
 it|strong="H3588". Then|strong="H2088" you|strong="H3588"  
 will|strong="H3068" know|strong="H3045" that|strong="H3588"  
 the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* of|strong="H1004"  
 hosts|strong="H6635" has|strong="H3068" sent|strong="H7971"  
 me|strong="H7971" to|strong="H3068" you|strong="H3588".<sup>10</sup>  
 For|strong="H3588" who|strong="H4310" has|strong="H3068"

despised|strong = "H0959" the|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117"  
 of|strong = "H3068" small|strong = "H6996" things|strong = "H3605"?  
 They|strong = "H1992" will|strong = "H3068" rejoice|strong = "H8055",  
 and|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" see|strong = "H7200"  
 the|strong = "H3605" plumb|strong = "H0594" line|strong = "H6957"  
 in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" hand|strong = "H3027"  
 of|strong = "H3068" Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216". (The|strong = "H3605"  
 seven|strong = "H7651" lamps|strong = "H5216" are|strong = "H3117"  
 the|strong = "H3605" eyes|strong = "H5869" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* that|strong = "H3588"  
 search|strong = "H7200" all|strong = "H3605" around|strong = "H3027"  
 the|strong = "H3605" world|strong = "H8398".) <sup>11</sup> Again|strong = "H6030"  
 I|strong = "H5921" asked|strong = "H4100", 'What|strong = "H4100"  
 are|strong = "H4100" these|strong = "H8147" two|strong = "H8147"  
 olive|strong = "H2132" trees|strong = "H2132" on|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" right|strong = "H3225" side|strong = "H3225"  
 of|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" candlestick|strong = "H4501"  
 and|strong = "H6030" on|strong = "H5921" its|strong = "H5921"  
 left|strong = "H8040" side|strong = "H3225"? <sup>12</sup> Again|strong = "H8145",  
 'What|strong = "H4100" are|strong = "H3027" these|strong = "H8147"  
 two|strong = "H8147" branches|strong = "H7641" of|strong = "H3027"  
 the|strong = "H5921" olive|strong = "H2132" trees|strong = "H2132",  
 which|strong = "H4100" are|strong = "H3027" pouring|strong = "H5258"  
 out|strong = "H7324" the|strong = "H5921" golden|strong = "H2091"  
 oil|strong = "H7324" through|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H5921"  
 two|strong = "H8147" golden|strong = "H2091" pipes|strong = "H6804"? <sup>13</sup>  
 He|strong = "H3808" answered|strong = "H6030" me|strong = "H3808",  
 'Don't|strong = "H3808" you|strong = "H3045" now|strong = "H6258"  
 what|strong = "H4100" these|strong = "H0428" are|strong = "H4100"?'  
 And|strong = "H3045" I|strong = "H3045" said|strong = "H0559",  
 'No|strong = "H3808", my|strong = "H3045" lord|strong = "H3068".' <sup>14</sup>  
 Then|strong = "H5975" he|strong = "H3605" explained|strong = "H0560",  
 'They|strong = "H5921" are|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605"  
 two|strong = "H8147" anointed|strong = "H3323" ones|strong = "H1121"  
 who|strong = "H3605" attend|strong = "H5975" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" of|strong = "H1121" all|strong = "H3605"  
 the|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H0776".'

#### The Flying Scroll

5Then|strong = "H2009" again|strong = "H7725" I|strong = "H2009"  
 looked|strong = "H7200" up|strong = "H5375" and|strong = "H7725"  
 saw|strong = "H7200" a|strong = "H5375" flying|strong = "H5774"  
 scroll|strong = "H4039". <sup>2</sup> He|strong = "H6242" said|strong = "H0559"  
 to|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H7200", 'What|strong = "H4100"  
 do|strong = "H4100" you|strong = "H4100" see|strong = "H7200"?



I|strong = "H7200" answered|strong = "H6030", 'I|strong = "H7200"  
 see|strong = "H7200" a|strong = "H7200" flying|strong = "H5774"  
 scroll|strong = "H4039"; twenty|strong = "H6242" cubits|strong = "H0520"  
 long|strong = "H4100", ten|strong = "H6235" cubits|strong = "H0520"  
 wide|strong = "H7341".' <sup>3</sup> Then|strong = "H3318" he|strong = "H3588"  
 said|strong = "H3318" to|strong = "H3318" me|strong = "H6440",  
 'This|strong = "H2088" is|strong = "H2088" the|strong = "H3605"  
 curse|strong = "H7650" that|strong = "H3588" goes|strong = "H3318"  
 over|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" whole|strong = "H3605"  
 land|strong = "H6440". Every|strong = "H3605" thief|strong = "H1590"  
 will|strong = "H2088" be|strong = "H6440" banished|strong = "H5080"  
 according|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H3605"  
 writing|strong = "H3791" on|strong = "H5921" one|strong = "H2088"  
 side|strong = "H2088" and|strong = "H6440" everyone|strong = "H3605"  
 who|strong = "H3605" lies|strong = "H3577" under|strong = "H5921"  
 oath|strong = "H7650" shall|strong = "H6440" be|strong = "H6440"  
 banished|strong = "H5080" according|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H3318"  
 the|strong = "H3605" writing|strong = "H3791" on|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H3605" other|strong = "H2088" side|strong = "H2088". <sup>4</sup>  
 I|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068" sent|strong = "H3318"  
 it|strong = "H8432" out|strong = "H3318", says|strong = "H5002"  
 the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H1004"  
 hosts|strong = "H6635", and|strong = "H3068" it|strong = "H8432"  
 will|strong = "H3068" enter|strong = "H0935" into|strong = "H8432"  
 the|strong = "H5002" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"  
 the|strong = "H5002" thief|strong = "H1590", and|strong = "H3068"  
 into|strong = "H8432" the|strong = "H5002" house|strong = "H1004"  
 of|strong = "H1004" anyone|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3068"  
 swears|strong = "H7650" falsely|strong = "H8267" by|strong = "H7650"  
 my|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034". It|strong = "H8432"  
 will|strong = "H3068" remain|strong = "H3885" in|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H5002" midst|strong = "H8432" of|strong = "H1004"  
 his|strong = "H3068" house|strong = "H1004" and|strong = "H3068"  
 will|strong = "H3068" consume|strong = "H3615" it|strong = "H8432"  
 with|strong = "H1004" its|strong = "H3318" timber|strong = "H6086"  
 and|strong = "H3068" its|strong = "H3318" stones|strong = "H0068".'  
 The|strong = "H5002" Woman|strong = "H8034" in|strong = "H3068"  
 an|strong = "H7650" Ephah|strong = "H0374"

<sup>5</sup>Then|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H7200" messenger|strong = "H4397"  
 who|strong = "H4397" talked|strong = "H1696" with|strong = "H1696"  
 me|strong = "H4994" came|strong = "H3318" forward|strong = "H3318",  
 and|strong = "H5869" said|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H1696"  
 me|strong = "H4994", 'Look|strong = "H7200" up|strong = "H5375"  
 and|strong = "H5869" see|strong = "H7200" what|strong = "H4100"

is|strong = "H4100" now|strong = "H4994" coming|strong = "H3318".<sup>6</sup>  
 I|strong = "H4100" said|strong = "H3318". 'What|strong = "H4100"  
 is|strong = "H1931" it|strong = "H1931"?' He|strong = "H1931"  
 said|strong = "H3318", 'It|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931"  
 a|strong = "H3318" measuring|strong = "H4060" basket|strong = "H5536",  
 full|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H5869" the|strong = "H3605"  
 guilt|strong = "H0817" of|strong = "H5869" the|strong = "H3605"  
 land|strong = "H0776".<sup>7</sup> A|strong = "H5375" round|strong = "H3603"  
 leaden cover|strong = "H3603" was|strong = "H3427" lifted|strong = "H5375"  
 up|strong = "H5375", and|strong = "H3427" there|strong = "H2009"  
 was|strong = "H3427" a|strong = "H5375" woman|strong = "H0802"  
 sitting|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H5375"  
 middle|strong = "H8432" of|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H5375"  
 basket|strong = "H5536".<sup>8</sup> He|strong = "H6310" said|strong = "H6310",  
 'This|strong = "H2063" is|strong = "H6310" Wickedness|strong = "H7564".  
 He|strong = "H6310" thrust|strong = "H1920" her|strong = "H2063"  
 down|strong = "H7993" into|strong = "H8432" the|strong = "H8432"  
 midst|strong = "H8432" of|strong = "H6310" the|strong = "H8432"  
 basket|strong = "H5536" and|strong = "H6310" he|strong = "H6310"  
 pushed|strong = "H1920" the|strong = "H8432" round|strong = "H5439"  
 leaden cover|strong = "H3680" back|strong = "H7725" on|strong = "H6310"  
 its|strong = "H7993" mouth|strong = "H6310".<sup>9</sup> Then|strong = "H3318"  
 I|strong = "H2009" looked|strong = "H7200" up|strong = "H5375"  
 and|strong = "H8064" saw|strong = "H7200" two|strong = "H8147"  
 women|strong = "H0802", and|strong = "H8064" the|strong = "H7200"  
 wind|strong = "H7307" was|strong = "H7307" in|strong = "H8064"  
 their|strong = "H5375" wings|strong = "H3671". They|strong = "H2007"  
 had|strong = "H5869" wings|strong = "H3671" like|strong = "H3318"  
 the|strong = "H7200" wings|strong = "H3671" of|strong = "H7307"  
 a|strong = "H5375" stork|strong = "H2624" and|strong = "H8064"  
 they|strong = "H2007" lifted|strong = "H5375" up|strong = "H5375"  
 the|strong = "H7200" basket|strong = "H5536" between|strong = "H7307"  
 them|strong = "H7200".<sup>10</sup> Then|strong = "H1696" I|strong = "H3212"  
 said|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H1696"  
 messenger|strong = "H4397" who|strong = "H1992" talked|strong = "H1696"  
 with|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H1696", 'Where|strong = "H1992"  
 are|strong = "H1992" they|strong = "H1992" taking|strong = "H3947"  
 the|strong = "H1696" basket|strong = "H5536"?<sup>11</sup> He|strong = "H8033"  
 said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5921",  
 'To|strong = "H5921" build|strong = "H1129" her|strong = "H5921"  
 a|strong = "H1129" house|strong = "H1004" in|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" land|strong = "H0776" of|strong = "H1004"  
 Shinar|strong = "H8152". When|strong = "H5921" it|strong = "H5921"  
 is|strong = "H8033" prepared|strong = "H3559", they|strong = "H8033"  
 will|strong = "H1004" rest|strong = "H5117" the|strong = "H5921"  
 basket|strong = "H5536" there|strong = "H8033".



he|strong = "H1696" cried|strong = "H2199" out|strong = "H3318"  
to|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H7200", "The|strong = "H7200"  
horses|strong = "H5483" that|strong = "H7200" went|strong = "H3318"  
to|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H7200" north|strong = "H6828"  
country|strong = "H2022" will|strong = "H7307" quiet|strong = "H5117"  
my|strong = "H7200" spirit|strong = "H7307" in|strong = "H1696"  
the|strong = "H7200" north|strong = "H6828" country|strong = "H2022".'  
Preparations|strong = "H3559" for|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H7200"  
Crowning|strong = "H5849" of|strong = "H7307"  
Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216"

9Now|strong = "H1961" this|strong = "H1697" message|strong = "H1697"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
came|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H1961": <sup>10</sup>  
Take|strong = "H3947" the|strong = "H3947" gifts|strong = "H4979"  
from|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3947" exiles|strong = "H1473"  
Heldai|strong = "H2469", Tobijah|strong = "H2900" and|strong = "H1121"  
Jedaiah|strong = "H3048" who|strong = "H1931" have|strong = "H1121"  
come|strong = "H0935" from|strong = "H1121" Babylon|strong = "H0894"  
and|strong = "H1121" go|strong = "H1980" at|strong = "H1004"  
once|strong = "H3117" to|strong = "H3117" Josiah|strong = "H2977"  
the|strong = "H3947" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"  
Zephaniah|strong = "H6846". <sup>11</sup> Take|strong = "H3947"  
their|strong = "H3947" silver|strong = "H3701" and|strong = "H1121"  
gold|strong = "H2091" and|strong = "H1121" make|strong = "H6213"  
a|strong = "H3947" crown|strong = "H5850" and|strong = "H1121"  
set|strong = "H7760" it|strong = "H7760" on|strong = "H7760"  
the|strong = "H3947" head|strong = "H7218" of|strong = "H1121"  
the|strong = "H3947" high|strong = "H1419" priest|strong = "H3548",  
Joshua|strong = "H3091" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"  
Jehozadak|strong = "H3087".

12Tell|strong = "H5046" him|strong = "H8478": "Thus|strong = "H3541"  
says|strong = "H3541" the|strong = "H3541" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635": Behold|strong = "H2009",  
the|strong = "H3541" man|strong = "H0376" whose|strong = "H8034"  
name|strong = "H8034" is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541"  
Branch|strong = "H6780". He|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
branch|strong = "H6780" out|strong = "H6779" from|strong = "H8478"  
his|strong = "H3068" place|strong = "H8478" and|strong = "H3068"  
rebuild|strong = "H1129" the|strong = "H3541" temple|strong = "H1964"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*. <sup>13</sup>  
He|strong = "H1931" will|strong = "H3068" rebuild|strong = "H1129"  
the|strong = "H5921" temple|strong = "H1964" and|strong = "H3068"  
will|strong = "H3068" sit|strong = "H3427" and|strong = "H3068"

rule|strong = "H4910" upon|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5375"  
 throne|strong = "H3678", receiving|strong = "H3947" the|strong = "H5921"  
 honour|strong = "H1935" due|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H3068"  
 a|strong = "H1961" king|strong = "H3678". A|strong = "H1961"  
 priest|strong = "H3548" will|strong = "H3068" stand|strong = "H3427"  
 by|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5375" throne|strong = "H3678"  
 and|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
 work|strong = "H4399" together|strong = "H5921" in|strong = "H3427"  
 peace|strong = "H7965" and|strong = "H3068" harmony. <sup>14</sup>  
 The|strong = "H3068" crown|strong = "H5850" will|strong = "H3068"  
 be|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961" memorial|strong = "H2146"  
 in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" temple|strong = "H1964"  
 of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 for|strong = "H3068" Heldai|strong = "H2469" and|strong = "H1121"  
 Tobijah|strong = "H2900" and|strong = "H1121" Jedaiah|strong = "H3048",  
 and|strong = "H1121" Josiah|strong = "H2977" the|strong = "H3068"  
 son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Zephaniah|strong = "H6846". <sup>15</sup>  
 People|strong = "H3045" from|strong = "H8085" far|strong = "H7350"  
 away|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H3068" come|strong = "H1961"  
 and|strong = "H3068" build|strong = "H1129" in|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H8085" temple|strong = "H1964" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H8085" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* and|strong = "H3068"  
 you|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" know|strong = "H3045"  
 that|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H8085" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635" has|strong = "H3068"  
 sent|strong = "H7971" me|strong = "H7971" to|strong = "H3068"  
 you|strong = "H3588". This|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"  
 happen|strong = "H1961" if|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
 diligently|strong = "H8085" obey|strong = "H8085" the|strong = "H8085"  
 voice|strong = "H6963" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8085" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* your|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068".'

#### The Lord's Real Demands

7In|strong = "H8141" the|strong = "H3068" fourth|strong = "H7243"  
 year|strong = "H8141" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3068"  
 reign|strong = "H4427" of|strong = "H4428" King|strong = "H4428"  
 Darius|strong = "H1867", on|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
 fourth|strong = "H7243" day|strong = "H2320" of|strong = "H4428"  
 Chislev|strong = "H3691", the|strong = "H3068" ninth|strong = "H8671"  
 month|strong = "H2320", the|strong = "H3068" message|strong = "H1697"  
 of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 came|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H3068" Zechariah|strong = "H2148". <sup>2</sup>  
 The|strong = "H6440" city|strong = "H5892" of|strong = "H3068"  
 Bethel|strong = "H1008" had|strong = "H3068" sent|strong = "H7971"  
 Sharezer|strong = "H8272" and|strong = "H3068"

Regem-melech|strong="H7278" and|strong="H3068"  
 their|strong="H3068" men|strong="H0376", to|strong="H3068"  
 entreat|strong="H2470" the|strong="H6440" favour|strong="H6440"  
 of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H6440" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, <sup>3</sup>  
 and|strong="H3068" to|strong="H3068" ask|strong="H7592"  
 the|strong="H6213" priests|strong="H3548" of|strong="H1004"  
 the|strong="H6213" house|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004"  
 the|strong="H6213" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* of|strong="H1004"  
 hosts|strong="H6635", and|strong="H3068" the|strong="H6213"  
 prophets|strong="H5030" 'Should|strong="H3068" I|strong="H2088"  
 continue|strong="H1961" to|strong="H3068" mourn|strong="H1058"  
 in|strong="H8141" the|strong="H6213" fifth|strong="H2549"  
 month|strong="H2320", separating|strong="H5144"  
 myself|strong="H0589", as|strong="H6213" I|strong="H2088"  
 have|strong="H3068" done|strong="H6213" for|strong="H6213"  
 many|strong="H4100" years|strong="H8141"?' <sup>4</sup> Then|strong="H1961"  
 this|strong="H1697" message|strong="H1697" of|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* of|strong="H3068"  
 hosts|strong="H6635" came|strong="H1961" to|strong="H3068"  
 me|strong="H1961": <sup>5</sup> Tell|strong="H3605" all|strong="H3605"  
 the|strong="H3605" people|strong="H5971" of|strong="H8141"  
 the|strong="H3605" land|strong="H0776" and|strong="H3548"  
 the|strong="H3605" priests|strong="H3548", 'When|strong="H3588"  
 you|strong="H3588" fasted|strong="H6684" and|strong="H3548"  
 mourned|strong="H5594" in|strong="H8141" the|strong="H3605"  
 fifth|strong="H2549" and|strong="H3548" in|strong="H8141"  
 the|strong="H3605" seventh|strong="H7637" month|strong="H2320",  
 for|strong="H3588" these|strong="H2088" seventy|strong="H7657"  
 years|strong="H8141", did|strong="H5971" you|strong="H3588"  
 really|strong="H2088" fast|strong="H6684" for|strong="H3588"  
 me|strong="H3588"? <sup>6</sup> When|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588"  
 eat|strong="H0398" and|strong="H8354" when|strong="H3588"  
 you|strong="H3588" drink|strong="H8354", do|strong="H6213"  
 you|strong="H3588" not|strong="H3808" eat|strong="H0398"  
 for|strong="H3588" yourselves|strong="H5315", and|strong="H8354"  
 drink|strong="H8354" for|strong="H3588" yourselves|strong="H5315"?  
<sup>7</sup> Wasn't it|strong="H7121" this|strong="H1697" which|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
 proclaimed|strong="H7121" by|strong="H3027" the|strong="H3068"  
 earlier|strong="H7223" prophets|strong="H5030", when|strong="H1961"  
 Jerusalem|strong="H3389" was|strong="H3068"  
 inhabited|strong="H3427" and|strong="H3068"  
 prosperous|strong="H7961", and|strong="H3068" her|strong="H5439"  
 towns|strong="H5892" surrounding|strong="H5439" her|strong="H5439"  
 and|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" Negreb and|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3068" Shephelah|strong="H8219" were|strong="H1961"

inhabited|strong = "H3427"?'

8The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068"w\* gave|strong = "H1961"  
 this|strong = "H1697" message|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H3068"  
 Zechariah|strong = "H2148": <sup>9</sup> The|strong = "H3541" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068"w\* of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635"  
 says|strong = "H3541", execute|strong = "H6213" true|strong = "H3068"  
 judgments|strong = "H4941". Show|strong = "H6213"  
 kindness|strong = "H2617" and|strong = "H3068" mercy|strong = "H2617"  
 to|strong = "H3068" each|strong = "H3541" other|strong = "H3541". <sup>10</sup>  
 Do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H2803" oppress|strong = "H6231"  
 the|strong = "H6231" widow|strong = "H0490" or|strong = "H1616"  
 the|strong = "H6231" orphan|strong = "H3490", the|strong = "H6231"  
 resident|strong = "H8453" foreigner|strong = "H1616" or|strong = "H1616"  
 the|strong = "H6231" poor|strong = "H6041". Let|strong = "H7971"  
 none|strong = "H0369" of|strong = "H3824" you|strong = "H6231"  
 devise|strong = "H2803" evil|strong = "H7451" against|strong = "H3824"  
 another|strong = "H7451" in|strong = "H1616" your|strong = "H6231"  
 hearts|strong = "H3824".

11But|strong = "H3513" they|strong = "H5414" refused|strong = "H3985"  
 to|strong = "H5414" listen|strong = "H8085", and|strong = "H8085"  
 turned|strong = "H5414" a|strong = "H5414" stubborn|strong = "H5637"  
 shoulder|strong = "H3802", and|strong = "H8085" stopped|strong = "H3513"  
 their|strong = "H5414" ears|strong = "H0241" so|strong = "H5414"  
 they|strong = "H5414" wouldn't hear|strong = "H8085". <sup>12</sup>  
 They|strong = "H3068" made|strong = "H7760" their|strong = "H3068"  
 hearts|strong = "H3820" as|strong = "H1697" hard|strong = "H1419"  
 as|strong = "H1697" stone|strong = "H8068" so|strong = "H7971"  
 they|strong = "H3068" wouldn't accept|strong = "H8085"  
 the|strong = "H8085" teaching|strong = "H8451" and|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H8085" words|strong = "H1697" that|strong = "H8085"  
 the|strong = "H8085" w Lord|strong = "H3068"w\* of|strong = "H3068"  
 hosts|strong = "H6635" had|strong = "H3068" sent|strong = "H7971"  
 by|strong = "H3027" his|strong = "H7760" spirit|strong = "H7307"  
 through|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H8085" earlier|strong = "H7223"  
 prophets|strong = "H5030". Great|strong = "H1419" was|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H8085" anger|strong = "H7110" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H8085" w Lord|strong = "H3068"w\* of|strong = "H3068"  
 hosts|strong = "H6635": <sup>13</sup> I|strong = "H3651" called|strong = "H7121"  
 and|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3651" would|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" hear|strong = "H8085", so|strong = "H3651"  
 they|strong = "H3651" call|strong = "H7121" and|strong = "H3068"  
 I|strong = "H3651" do|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
 hear|strong = "H8085", says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H8085" w

Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635". <sup>14</sup>

I|strong = "H5921" scattered|strong = "H5590" them|strong = "H5921"  
by|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H7760" whirlwind|strong = "H5590"  
out|strong = "H5921" among|strong = "H5921" nations|strong = "H1471"  
unknown|strong = "H3045" to|strong = "H7725" them|strong = "H5921".

The|strong = "H3605" land|strong = "H0776" was|strong = "H3605"  
left|strong = "H7725" desolate|strong = "H8047" behind|strong = "H5921"  
them|strong = "H5921", with|strong = "H5921" no|strong = "H3808"  
one|strong = "H3605" crossing|strong = "H5674" or|strong = "H3808"  
returning|strong = "H7725", for|strong = "H5921" they|strong = "H3808"  
made|strong = "H7760" the|strong = "H3605" pleasant|strong = "H2532"  
land|strong = "H0776" a|strong = "H7760" desolation|strong = "H8047".  
Promises that the Scattered Exiles Will Return and the Lord's Rule be Widely  
Acknowledged

8Now|strong = "H1961" this|strong = "H1697" message|strong = "H1697"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635" came|strong = "H1961"  
to|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H1961":

2The|strong = "H3541" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068"  
hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H3541":

I |strong = "H3541" passionately care|strong = "H3027"  
for|strong = "H3068" Zion|strong = "H6726",

a nd|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3541" am|strong = "H3068"  
fiercely|strong = "H1481" protective|strong = "H2622" of|strong = "H3068"  
her|strong = "H7065".

3The|strong = "H3541" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* says|strong = "H3541",  
I|strong = "H3541" have|strong = "H3068" returned|strong = "H7725"  
to|strong = "H7725" Zion|strong = "H6726",

a nd|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" dwell|strong = "H7931"  
in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541" midst|strong = "H8432"  
of|strong = "H3068" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389"

a nd|strong = "H3068" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" will|strong = "H3068"  
be|strong = "H3068" called|strong = "H7121", "The|strong = "H3541"  
City|strong = "H5892" of|strong = "H3068" Truth|strong = "H0571"



**a** nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541" mountain|strong = "H2022"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635", "The|strong = "H3541"  
Holy|strong = "H6944" Mountain|strong = "H2022".

4The|strong = "H3541" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068"  
hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H3541":

**O** ld|strong = "H2205" men|strong = "H2205" and|strong = "H3068"  
old|strong = "H2205" women|strong = "H2205" will|strong = "H3068"  
sit|strong = "H3427" again|strong = "H5750" in|strong = "H3427"  
the|strong = "H3541" squares|strong = "H7339" of|strong = "H3068"  
Jerusalem|strong = "H3389",

**e** ach|strong = "H3117" leaning|strong = "H8172" on|strong = "H3117"  
a|strong = "H3117" staff|strong = "H4938" because|strong = "H7230"  
of|strong = "H3068" old|strong = "H2205" age|strong = "H3117".

5And|strong = "H5892" the|strong = "H4390" streets|strong = "H7339"  
of|strong = "H5892" the|strong = "H4390" city|strong = "H5892"  
will|strong = "H5892" be|strong = "H5892" full|strong = "H4390"  
of|strong = "H5892" boys|strong = "H3206",

**a** nd|strong = "H5892" of|strong = "H5892" girls|strong = "H3207"  
playing|strong = "H7832" in|strong = "H5892" its|strong = "H4390"  
squares|strong = "H7339".

6The|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068"  
hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H5002":

**J** ust|strong = "H2088" because|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H3588"  
seems|strong = "H5869" impossible|strong = "H1219" to|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H5002" remnant|strong = "H7611" of|strong = "H3068"  
this|strong = "H2088" people|strong = "H5971" in|strong = "H3068"  
these|strong = "H2088" days|strong = "H3117",

**i** s|strong = "H3068" it|strong = "H3588" also|strong = "H1571"  
impossible|strong = "H1219" for|strong = "H3588" me|strong = "H5869"?  
says|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635".

7The|strong = "H3541" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068"  
hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H3541":

I |strong = "H2005" will|strong = "H3068" rescue|strong = "H3467"  
my|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971"

f rom|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541" land|strong = "H0776"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541" east|strong = "H4217"  
and|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541" land|strong = "H0776"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541" west|strong = "H3996".

8I|strong = "H8432" will|strong = "H1961" bring|strong = "H1961"  
them|strong = "H8432" and|strong = "H5971" they|strong = "H5971"  
will|strong = "H1961" live|strong = "H7931" in|strong = "H7931"  
Jerusalem|strong = "H3389",

a nd|strong = "H5971" they|strong = "H5971" will|strong = "H1961"  
be|strong = "H1961" my|strong = "H1961" people|strong = "H5971",

a nd|strong = "H5971" I|strong = "H8432" will|strong = "H1961"  
be|strong = "H1961" their|strong = "H8432" God|strong = "H0430",

i n|strong = "H7931" truth|strong = "H0571" and|strong = "H5971"  
righteousness|strong = "H6666".

9The|strong = "H8085" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H1004"  
hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H3541": Let|strong = "H7971"  
your|strong = "H3068" hands|strong = "H3027" be|strong = "H1697"  
strong|strong = "H2388", you|strong = "H3117" who|strong = "H3068"  
hear|strong = "H8085" in|strong = "H3068" these|strong = "H8085"  
days|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H8085" words|strong = "H1697"  
of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H8085" prophets|strong = "H5030"  
spoken|strong = "H1697" when|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H8085"  
foundations|strong = "H3245" for|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H8085"  
house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H8085" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H1004" hosts|strong = "H6635"  
were|strong = "H3117" laid|strong = "H3245". <sup>10</sup> For|strong = "H3588"  
before|strong = "H6440" those|strong = "H1992" days|strong = "H3117"  
there|strong = "H1961" were|strong = "H1961" no|strong = "H3808"  
wages|strong = "H7939" for|strong = "H3588" people|strong = "H3808"  
or|strong = "H3808" animals|strong = "H1961". No|strong = "H3808"  
one|strong = "H3605" could|strong = "H3201" go|strong = "H3318"  
out|strong = "H3318" or|strong = "H3808" return|strong = "H7725"  
safe|strong = "H7965" from|strong = "H4480" enemies|strong = "H6862",  
because|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" set|strong = "H7971"  
each|strong = "H3605" against|strong = "H6440" their|strong = "H3605"  
neighbour|strong = "H7453". <sup>11</sup> But|strong = "H3808"

now I will  
 treat the remnant  
 of the people  
 differently from  
 former days, says  
 the Lord w\* of hosts.

Peace will be  
 sown.

The vine will  
 bear its fruit  
 and the ground  
 will yield its  
 produce,

and the skies  
 will give their  
 dew.

I will give  
 the remnant  
 of this people  
 these things.

Just as you  
 were accursed  
 among nations,

house of Judah  
 and house of  
 Israel,

so I will  
 save you and  
 you will be  
 a blessing.

Do not be  
 afraid, but let  
 your hands be  
 strong.

14 For the w Lord w\* of hosts says: As I planned to do evil when your ancestors provoked me, I am angry, says the Lord w\* of hosts, and I did not relent, <sup>15</sup> so again I planned in these days to do good and to Jerusalem and house of Judah. Do not be afraid.

16 These are the things that you should do: Speak the truth to each peaceful decision in your gates. <sup>17</sup> Let none devise evil in your heart against one another. Do not love perjury. All these are things that I hate, says the Lord w\* of hosts.

18 And this message of the Lord w\* of hosts came to me: <sup>19</sup> The Lord w\* of hosts says: The fast of the fourth month, and the fast of the fast of the fourth month, and the fast of the fourth month, and the fast of the fourth month.

fifth|strong = "H2549", and|strong = "H3063" the|strong = "H3541" fast|strong = "H6685" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3541" seventh|strong = "H7637", and|strong = "H3063" the|strong = "H3541" fast|strong = "H6685" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3541" tenth|strong = "H6224", will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961" festivals|strong = "H4150" of|strong = "H1004" joy|strong = "H8057" and|strong = "H3063" gladness|strong = "H8057", and|strong = "H3063" cheerful|strong = "H2896" feasts|strong = "H4150" for|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004" Judah|strong = "H3063". Therefore|strong = "H3068" love|strong = "H0157" truth|strong = "H0571" and|strong = "H3063" peace|strong = "H7965".

20The|strong = "H3541" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H3541": Peoples|strong = "H5971", and|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541" inhabitants|strong = "H3427" of|strong = "H3068" many|strong = "H7227" cities|strong = "H5892" will|strong = "H3068" come|strong = "H5971", <sup>21</sup> and|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H6440" inhabitants|strong = "H3427" of|strong = "H3068" one|strong = "H1571" city|strong = "H5892" will|strong = "H3068" go|strong = "H1980" to|strong = "H1980" another|strong = "H1571", saying|strong = "H0559", 'Let|strong = "H3212" us|strong = "H6440" go|strong = "H1980" speedily|strong = "H1980" to|strong = "H1980" entreat|strong = "H2470" the|strong = "H6440" favour|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, and|strong = "H1980" to|strong = "H1980" seek|strong = "H1245" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635"; I|strong = "H1571" will|strong = "H3068" go|strong = "H1980" also|strong = "H1571".' <sup>22</sup> Many|strong = "H7227" peoples|strong = "H5971" and|strong = "H3068" strong|strong = "H6099" nations|strong = "H1471" will|strong = "H3068" come|strong = "H5971" to|strong = "H3068" seek|strong = "H1245" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635" in|strong = "H3068" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389", and|strong = "H3068" to|strong = "H3068" entreat|strong = "H2470" the|strong = "H6440" favour|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*. <sup>23</sup> The|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H3541": In|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H1992" days|strong = "H3117" ten|strong = "H6235" people|strong = "H1471" from|strong = "H8085" all|strong = "H3605" languages|strong = "H3956" and|strong = "H3068" nations|strong = "H1471" will|strong = "H3068" take|strong = "H2388" hold|strong = "H2388" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" robe|strong = "H4598" of|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H3588" Jew|strong = "H3064", saying|strong = "H0559", 'We|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" go|strong = "H3212"

with|strong = "H5973" you|strong = "H3588", for|strong = "H3588"  
 we|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068" heard|strong = "H8085"  
 that|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H3068"  
 with|strong = "H5973" you|strong = "H3588".'  
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9An|strong = "H3588" oracle|strong = "H4853":

**T** he|strong = "H3605" message|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* concerns|strong = "H1157"  
 the|strong = "H3605" land|strong = "H0776" of|strong = "H3068"  
 Hadrach|strong = "H2317",

**i** t|strong = "H3588" rests|strong = "H5117" upon|strong = "H4853"  
 Damascus|strong = "H1834".

**F** or|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" capital|strong = "H3805"  
 of|strong = "H3068" Aram|strong = "H0758" belongs|strong = "H1961"  
 to|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,

**a** s|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H3605" tribes|strong = "H7626"  
 of|strong = "H3068" Israel|strong = "H3478" do|strong = "H3068",

2and|strong = "H3966" also|strong = "H1571" Hamath|strong = "H2574"  
 which|strong = "H3588" borders|strong = "H1379" on|strong = "H1571"  
 it|strong = "H3588".

**T** yre|strong = "H6865" and|strong = "H3966" Sidon|strong = "H6721",  
 for|strong = "H3588" all|strong = "H3966" their|strong = "H3588"  
 wisdom|strong = "H2449".

3Tyre|strong = "H6865" built|strong = "H1129" for|strong = "H1129"  
 herself|strong = "H5315" a|strong = "H1129" fortress|strong = "H4692".

**H** eaped up|strong = "H1129" silver|strong = "H3701" as|strong = "H2351"  
 dust|strong = "H6083",

**a** nd|strong = "H3701" gold|strong = "H2742" like|strong = "H3701"  
 the|strong = "H1129" dirt|strong = "H6083" of|strong = "H2351"  
 the|strong = "H1129" streets|strong = "H2351".

4But Lord now the  
 Lord will dispossess  
 her,

cast down her  
 rampart into the  
 sea.

She will be  
 consumed in fire.

5Ashkelon will see  
 and fear,

and Gaza will  
 writhe in anguish,

Ekron, also for  
 her hope will  
 be put to  
 shame.

The king will  
 perish from Gaza,

Ashkelon will remain  
 uninhabited.

6A foreign people  
 will settle in  
 Ashdod,

and I will  
 humble the  
 pride of  
 the Philistines.

7I will take  
 their blood from  
 their mouth,

and their  
 abominations from  
 between their  
 teeth.

**T** hey|strong="H6310" also|strong="H1571" will|strong="H1961"  
 be|strong="H1961" a|strong="H1961" remnant|strong="H7604"  
 for|strong="H8127" our|strong="H1961" God|strong="H0430",

**l** ike|strong="H1961" a|strong="H1961" clan|strong="H4940"  
 in|strong="H7604" Judah|strong="H3063",

**a** nd|strong="H3063" Ekron|strong="H6138" will|strong="H1961"  
 be|strong="H1961" like|strong="H1961" the|strong="H5493"  
 Jebusites|strong="H2983".

**8**But|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H5869"  
 encamp|strong="H2583" as|strong="H3588" a|strong="H3588"  
 guard|strong="H1004" about|strong="H5921" my|strong="H7200"  
 house|strong="H1004",

**s** o|strong="H3808" that|strong="H3588" none|strong="H3808"  
 will|strong="H5869" pass|strong="H5674" through|strong="H5674"  
 or|strong="H3808" return|strong="H7725",

**a** nd|strong="H7725" no|strong="H3808" oppressor|strong="H5065"  
 will|strong="H5869" pass|strong="H5674" through|strong="H5674"  
 them|strong="H5921" again|strong="H7725",

**f** or|strong="H3588" now|strong="H6258" I|strong="H3588"  
 have|strong="H5869" seen|strong="H7200" with|strong="H1004"  
 my|strong="H7200" own|strong="H5869" eyes|strong="H5869".

**9**Rejoice|strong="H1523" greatly|strong="H3966",  
 daughter|strong="H1323" of|strong="H1121" Zion|strong="H6726"!

**S** hout|strong="H7321" aloud|strong="H7321",  
 daughter|strong="H1323" of|strong="H1121" Jerusalem|strong="H3389"!

**L** ook|strong="H2009", your|strong="H5921" king|strong="H4428"  
 comes|strong="H0935" to|strong="H5921" you|strong="H5921".

**V** indicated|strong="H5360" and|strong="H1121"  
 victorious|strong="H3467" is|strong="H1931" he|strong="H1931",

**h** umble|strong="H6041", and|strong="H1121" riding|strong="H7392"  
 on|strong="H5921" a|strong="H5921" donkey|strong="H2543",



o n|strong="H5921" a|strong="H5921" colt|strong="H5895",  
the|strong="H5921" foal|strong="H5895" of|strong="H1121"  
a|strong="H5921" donkey|strong="H2543".

10He|strong="H5704" will|strong="H1471" cut|strong="H3772"  
off|strong="H3772" chariots|strong="H7393" from|strong="H3772"  
Ephraim|strong="H0669",

a nd|strong="H3389" war|strong="H4421" horses|strong="H5483"  
from|strong="H3772" Jerusalem|strong="H3389".

T he|strong="H5704" battle|strong="H4421" bow|strong="H7198"  
will|strong="H1471" be|strong="H1471" cut|strong="H3772"  
off|strong="H3772",

a nd|strong="H3389" he|strong="H5704" will|strong="H1471"  
speak|strong="H1696" peace|strong="H7965" to|strong="H1696"  
the|strong="H5704" nations|strong="H1471".

H is|strong="H3772" rule|strong="H4910" will|strong="H1471"  
be|strong="H1471" from|strong="H3772" sea|strong="H3220"  
to|strong="H1696" sea|strong="H3220",

f rom|strong="H3772" the|strong="H5704" river|strong="H5104"  
to|strong="H1696" the|strong="H5704" ends|strong="H5704"  
of|strong="H7393" the|strong="H5704" earth|strong="H0776".

11And|strong="H7971" you|strong="H7971", too|strong="H1571" –  
because|strong="H3588" of|strong="H4325" your|strong="H7971"  
blood|strong="H1818" covenant|strong="H1285",

I |strong="H1571" have|strong="H1571" set|strong="H7971"  
free|strong="H7971" your|strong="H7971" prisoners|strong="H0615"  
from|strong="H7971" the|strong="H7971" waterless|strong="H2215"  
pit|strong="H0953".

12To|strong="H7725" the|strong="H3117" stronghold|strong="H1225"  
will|strong="H1571" the|strong="H3117" prisoners|strong="H0615"  
of|strong="H3117" hope|strong="H8615" return|strong="H7725".

**T** his|strong = "H7725" day|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117"  
 declare|strong = "H5046", I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H1571"  
 restore|strong = "H7725" double|strong = "H4932" to|strong = "H7725"  
 you|strong = "H3117".

13For|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H1121"  
 bent|strong = "H1869" Judah|strong = "H3063" to|strong = "H5921"  
 me|strong = "H5921",

I like|strong = "H1121" a|strong = "H3588" bow|strong = "H7198"  
 which|strong = "H1368" I|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H1121"  
 filled|strong = "H4390" with|strong = "H4390" Ephraim|strong = "H0669"  
 like|strong = "H1121" an|strong = "H7760" arrow|strong = "H1121".

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H2719" urge|strong = "H6293"  
 your|strong = "H5921" sons|strong = "H1121", Zion|strong = "H6726",  
 against|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" sons|strong = "H1121"  
 of|strong = "H1121" Greece|strong = "H3120",

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H2719" make|strong = "H7760"  
 you|strong = "H3588" like|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H5921"  
 sword|strong = "H2719" of|strong = "H1121" a|strong = "H3588" hero.

14Then|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H5921" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068"  
 seen|strong = "H7200" above|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921"

a nd|strong = "H1980" his|strong = "H3068" arrow|strong = "H2671"  
 will|strong = "H3068" go|strong = "H1980" forth|strong = "H3318"  
 like|strong = "H3318" lightning|strong = "H1300".

**T** he|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* will|strong = "H3068"  
 blow|strong = "H8628" a|strong = "H7200" blast|strong = "H7307"  
 upon|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H7200" trumpet|strong = "H7782",

a nd|strong = "H1980" travel|strong = "H1980" on|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" whirlwinds|strong = "H5591" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H5921" south|strong = "H8486".

15The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068"  
 hosts|strong = "H6635" will|strong = "H3068" defend|strong = "H1598"  
 them|strong = "H5921".

**T** hey|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" devour|strong="H0398"  
and|strong="H3068" tread|strong="H3533" down|strong="H8354"  
the|strong="H5921" slingstones|strong="H7050",

**t** hey|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" drink|strong="H8354"  
their|strong="H3068" blood|strong="H1818" like|strong="H3644"  
wine|strong="H3196",

**t** hey|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3068"  
full|strong="H4390" like|strong="H3644" a|strong="H3644"  
bowl|strong="H4219",

**l** ike|strong="H3644" the|strong="H5921" crevices of|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H5921" altar|strong="H4196".

16And|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
their|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068"  
save|strong="H3467" them|strong="H5921" on|strong="H5921"  
that|strong="H3588" day|strong="H3117",

**a** s|strong="H3117" the|strong="H5921" flock|strong="H6629"  
of|strong="H3068" his|strong="H3068" people|strong="H5971",

**a** s|strong="H3117" the|strong="H5921" jewel|strong="H5141"  
of|strong="H3068" a|strong="H3588" crown|strong="H5145"

**s** hining|strong="H5051" in|strong="H5921" his|strong="H3068"  
land|strong="H0776".

17How|strong="H4100" good|strong="H2898" and|strong="H1715"  
how|strong="H4100" beautiful|strong="H3308" will|strong="H4100"  
it|strong="H3588" be|strong="H1330"!

**C** orn|strong="H1715" will|strong="H4100" make|strong="H3588"  
the|strong="H3588" young|strong="H5288" men|strong="H0376"  
flourish|strong="H5107"

**a** nd|strong="H1715" new|strong="H8492" wine|strong="H8492"  
the|strong="H3588" young|strong="H5288" women|strong="H1330"!  
Victory and Restoration for the Lord's Betrayed but Loyal People

10Ask|strong="H7592" from|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5414" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* rain|strong="H4306",

a t|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5414" time|strong="H6256"  
of|strong="H3068" spring|strong="H4456" rain|strong="H4306",

f rom|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5414" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*  
who|strong="H3068" forms|strong="H3335" the|strong="H5414"  
storm|strong="H2385" clouds|strong="H2385",

a nd|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5414" showers|strong="H1653"  
of|strong="H3068" rain|strong="H4306" he|strong="H6213"  
gives|strong="H5414" to|strong="H3068" you|strong="H5414",

a nd|strong="H3068" green|strong="H7488" in|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H5414" field|strong="H7704".

2But|strong="H3588" the|strong="H5921" household|strong="H8655"  
gods|strong="H7723" speak|strong="H1696" nonsense|strong="H5039",

a nd|strong="H6629" the|strong="H5921" diviners|strong="H7080"  
see|strong="H2372" lies|strong="H8267",

a nd|strong="H6629" relate|strong="H5608" idle|strong="H7503"  
dreams|strong="H2472".

I n|strong="H5921" vain|strong="H7723" they|strong="H3588"  
offer|strong="H7126" comfort|strong="H5162",

s o|strong="H3651" the|strong="H5921" people|strong="H1696"  
wander|strong="H7462" like|strong="H3644" sheep|strong="H6629",

T hey|strong="H3588" suffer|strong="H5414" because|strong="H3588"  
there|strong="H8033" is|strong="H3651" no|strong="H1696"  
shepherd|strong="H7462".

3My|strong="H3068" wrath|strong="H2534" is|strong="H3068"  
hot|strong="H2734" against|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
shepherds|strong="H7462",

a nd|strong="H3063" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
leaders|strong="H6260" will|strong="H3068" I|strong="H3588"  
bring|strong="H7760" punishment|strong="H6485".

**F** or|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
cares|strong = "H1875" for|strong = "H3588" his|strong = "H7760"  
flock|strong = "H5739",

**t** he|strong = "H5921" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"  
Judah|strong = "H3063",

**a** nd|strong = "H3063" will|strong = "H3068" make|strong = "H7760"  
them|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H7760" splendid|strong = "H1935"  
war|strong = "H4421" steeds|strong = "H7409".

**4**From|strong = "H4480" Judah|strong = "H3063" will|strong = "H7198"  
come|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H3605" cornerstone|strong = "H6438"  
and|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H3605" stay|strong = "H6438",

**f** rom|strong = "H4480" them|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H3605"  
battle|strong = "H4421" bow|strong = "H7198",

**f** rom|strong = "H4480" them|strong = "H3318" goes|strong = "H3318"  
forth|strong = "H3318" every|strong = "H3605"  
commander|strong = "H8269".

**5**Together|strong = "H5973" they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"  
trample|strong = "H7429" on|strong = "H7392" warriors|strong = "H1368",

**a** s|strong = "H1961" on|strong = "H7392" the|strong = "H3588"  
dirt|strong = "H2916" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588"  
streets|strong = "H2351" in|strong = "H3068" battle|strong = "H4421".

**T** hey|strong = "H3588" fight|strong = "H3898", for|strong = "H3588"  
the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
with|strong = "H5973" them|strong = "H1961",

**p** utting|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H3588" riders|strong = "H7392"  
on|strong = "H7392" horses|strong = "H5483" to|strong = "H3068"  
shame|strong = "H0954".

**6**I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" make|strong = "H7725"  
strong|strong = "H2388" the|strong = "H3588" house|strong = "H1004"  
of|strong = "H1004" Judah|strong = "H3063",

**I** |strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" bring|strong="H7725" deliverance|strong="H3467" to|strong="H7725" the|strong="H3588" house|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004" Joseph|strong="H3130",

**I** |strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" bring|strong="H7725" them|strong="H7725" back|strong="H7725" for|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" have|strong="H1961" compassion|strong="H7355" on|strong="H3068" them|strong="H7725",

**t** hey|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H1961" as|strong="H1961" if|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" had|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808" driven|strong="H5080" them|strong="H7725" away|strong="H7725".

**F** or|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" am|strong="H1961" the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* their|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068" and|strong="H3063" will|strong="H3068" answer|strong="H6030" them|strong="H7725".

**7**The|strong="H7200" Ephraimites|strong="H0669" will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H1961" like|strong="H3644" warriors|strong="H1368",

**t** heir|strong="H3068" hearts|strong="H3820" will|strong="H3068" rejoice|strong="H8055" as|strong="H1961" with|strong="H3068" wine|strong="H3196",

**t** heir|strong="H3068" children|strong="H1121" will|strong="H3068" see|strong="H7200" and|strong="H1121" rejoice|strong="H8055".

**T** heir|strong="H3068" hearts|strong="H3820" will|strong="H3068" exult|strong="H1523" in|strong="H3068" the|strong="H7200" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

**8**I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3588" whistle|strong="H8319" for|strong="H3588" them|strong="H3588", and|strong="H8319" gather|strong="H6908" them|strong="H3588",

**a** nd|strong="H8319" they|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3588" be|strong="H3588" as|strong="H3644" many|strong="H7235" as|strong="H3644" they|strong="H3588" once|strong="H6471" were|strong="H3644".

9I|strong="H2142" will|strong="H5971" sow|strong="H2232"  
them|strong="H7725" among|strong="H5971" the|strong="H7725"  
peoples|strong="H5971",

**b** ut|strong="H7725" in|strong="H1121" distant|strong="H4801"  
lands|strong="H4054" they|strong="H5971" will|strong="H5971"  
remember|strong="H2142" me|strong="H7725",

**a** nd|strong="H1121" they|strong="H5971" will|strong="H5971"  
bring|strong="H7725" up|strong="H2421" their|strong="H7725"  
children|strong="H1121" and|strong="H1121" come|strong="H7725"  
back|strong="H7725".

10I|strong="H4714" will|strong="H4714" bring|strong="H7725"  
them|strong="H7725" home|strong="H7725" from|strong="H7725"  
the|strong="H7725" land|strong="H0776" of|strong="H3808"  
Egypt|strong="H4714",

**a** nd|strong="H7725" from|strong="H7725" Assyria|strong="H0804"  
will|strong="H4714" I|strong="H4714" gather|strong="H6908"  
them|strong="H7725".

**I** nto|strong="H7725" the|strong="H7725" land|strong="H0776"  
of|strong="H3808" Gilead|strong="H1568" and|strong="H7725"  
Lebanon|strong="H3844" I|strong="H4714" will|strong="H4714"  
bring|strong="H7725" them|strong="H7725",

**u** ntil|strong="H5704" the|strong="H7725" land|strong="H0776"  
overflows|strong="H1097" with|strong="H4714" them|strong="H7725".

11And|strong="H4714" when|strong="H5674" they|strong="H3605"  
pass|strong="H5674" through|strong="H5674" the|strong="H3605"  
sea|strong="H3220" of|strong="H7626" distress|strong="H6869",

**I** |strong="H4714" will|strong="H4714" strike|strong="H5221"  
down|strong="H3381" the|strong="H3605" waves|strong="H1530"  
of|strong="H7626" the|strong="H3605" sea|strong="H3220",

**a** nd|strong="H4714" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605"  
deeps|strong="H4688" of|strong="H7626" the|strong="H3605"  
Nile|strong="H2975" will|strong="H4714" be|strong="H3220"  
dried|strong="H3001" up|strong="H3001".

The pride of Assyria will be brought low

and the sceptre of Egypt turned aside.

I will make them strong in the land of the living Lord,

they will walk in his name,

says the Lord.  
Fate of Judah's Traitorous Rulers and the Ultimate Deliverance

11 Open your doors,  
Lebanon,

so that fire may devour your cedars.

2 Wail, pine-tree, for the cedar is fallen.

Wail, oaks of Bashan,

for the inaccessible forest has fallen.

3 Listen to the wailing of the shepherds!

Their glory is destroyed.



L listen|strong = "H6963" to|strong = "H3383" the|strong = "H3588"  
 roaring|strong = "H7581" of|strong = "H6963" young|strong = "H3715"  
 lions|strong = "H3715"!

B lasted|strong = "H7710" is|strong = "H6963" the|strong = "H3588"  
 thick|strong = "H6205" forest|strong = "H3293" of|strong = "H6963"  
 the|strong = "H3588" Jordan|strong = "H3383".

4The|strong = "H3541" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* said|strong = "H0559"  
 to|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H0413": shepherd|strong = "H7462"  
 the|strong = "H3541" flock|strong = "H6629" destined|strong = "H3651"  
 for|strong = "H3068" slaughter|strong = "H2028", <sup>5</sup> whose|strong = "H0834"  
 possessors|strong = "H7069" slaughter|strong = "H2026"  
 them|strong = "H5921", and|strong = "H3068" hold|strong = "H2550"  
 themselves|strong = "H7462" not|strong = "H3808" guilty|strong = "H0816"!  
 The|strong = "H5921" people|strong = "H3808" who|strong = "H3068"  
 sell|strong = "H4376" them|strong = "H5921" say|strong = "H0559",  
 Blessed|strong = "H1288" be|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H5921" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, for|strong = "H5921" I|strong = "H5921" w  
 am|strong = "H3068" rich|strong = "H6238"! And|strong = "H3068"  
 their|strong = "H3068" own|strong = "H1961" shepherds|strong = "H7462"  
 have|strong = "H3068" no|strong = "H3808" compassion|strong = "H2550"  
 for|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921". <sup>6</sup> I|strong = "H3588"  
 will|strong = "H3068" no|strong = "H3808" longer|strong = "H5750"  
 have|strong = "H3068" pity|strong = "H2550" on|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5002" people|strong = "H3427" of|strong = "H4428"  
 this|strong = "H3588" earth|strong = "H0776", says|strong = "H5002"  
 the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*. I|strong = "H3588"  
 will|strong = "H3068" turn|strong = "H7725" neighbour|strong = "H7453"  
 against|strong = "H5921" neighbour|strong = "H7453", and|strong = "H3068"  
 put|strong = "H3068" everyone|strong = "H3605" under|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5002" power|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H4428"  
 a|strong = "H3588" king|strong = "H4428", and|strong = "H3068"  
 when|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H5002" land|strong = "H0776"  
 is|strong = "H3068" devastated|strong = "H7703" I|strong = "H3588"  
 will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" rescue|strong = "H5337"  
 them|strong = "H5921". <sup>7</sup> So|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H3651"  
 shepherded|strong = "H7462" the|strong = "H3947" flock|strong = "H6629"  
 of|strong = "H6629" slaughter|strong = "H2028" for|strong = "H7121"  
 the|strong = "H3947" sheep-merchants. I|strong = "H3651"  
 took|strong = "H3947" two|strong = "H8147" staffs|strong = "H4731":  
 one|strong = "H8147" I|strong = "H3651" called|strong = "H7121"  
 Mercy|strong = "H2617" and|strong = "H6041" the|strong = "H3947"  
 other|strong = "H8147" I|strong = "H3651" called|strong = "H7121"  
 Union|strong = "H2260". So|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H3651"

shepherded|strong="H7462" the|strong="H3947" sheep|strong="H6629".

<sup>8</sup> I|strong="H5315" set|strong="H7760" aside|strong="H5493" three|strong="H7969" of|strong="H5315" the|strong="H1571" shepherds|strong="H7462" in|strong="H5315" one|strong="H5315" month|strong="H3391"; for|strong="H5315" I|strong="H5315" was|strong="H5315" indignant|strong="H2194" against|strong="H1571" them|strong="H7462", and|strong="H5315" they|strong="H5315" also|strong="H1571" were|strong="H5315" displeased|strong="H3415" at|strong="H5315" me|strong="H5315". <sup>9</sup> I|strong="H3808" said|strong="H0559", I|strong="H3808" will|strong="H1320" not|strong="H3808" shepherd|strong="H7462" you|strong="H3808". What|strong="H4100" is|strong="H1320" dead|strong="H4191", let|strong="H7604" it|strong="H3808" die|strong="H4191". What|strong="H4100" is|strong="H1320" set|strong="H7760" aside|strong="H5493", let|strong="H7604" it|strong="H3808" be|strong="H4191" set|strong="H7760" aside|strong="H5493". And|strong="H4191" let|strong="H7604" those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H7604" are|strong="H1320" left|strong="H7604" devour|strong="H7462" one|strong="H3808" another's|strong="H7468" flesh|strong="H1320". <sup>10</sup> And|strong="H5971" I|strong="H3772" took|strong="H3947" my|strong="H3605" staff|strong="H4731", Mercy|strong="H2617", and|strong="H5971" broke|strong="H6565" it|strong="H3947", so|strong="H3947" as|strong="H5971" to|strong="H5971" break|strong="H6565" my|strong="H3605" covenant|strong="H1285" which|strong="H5971" I|strong="H3772" had|strong="H5971" made|strong="H3772" with|strong="H1285" all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" peoples|strong="H5971".

<sup>11</sup> In|strong="H3068" that|strong="H3588" day|strong="H3117" it|strong="H1931" was|strong="H3068" broken|strong="H6565", and|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3588" sheep-merchants who|strong="H1931" watched|strong="H8104" me|strong="H8104" knew|strong="H3045" that|strong="H3588" it|strong="H1931" was|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s message|strong="H1697". <sup>12</sup> And|strong="H3701" I|strong="H3808" said|strong="H0559" to|strong="H5869" them|strong="H5414", 'If|strong="H0518" it|strong="H3808" is|strong="H2896" good|strong="H2896" in|strong="H3701" your|strong="H3808" sight|strong="H5869", give|strong="H3051" me|strong="H3051" my|strong="H2308" wage|strong="H7939". If|strong="H0518" not|strong="H3808", don't|strong="H3808".' So|strong="H3808" they|strong="H3808" weighed|strong="H8254" out|strong="H8254" my|strong="H2308" wage|strong="H7939", thirty|strong="H7970" pieces|strong="H5409" of|strong="H5869" silver|strong="H3701". <sup>13</sup> And|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*

said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H5921",  
 Cast|strong = "H7993" it|strong = "H5921" into|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" treasury|strong = "H1004" – the|strong = "H5921"  
 precious|strong = "H3365" wage|strong = "H6633" that|strong = "H3068"  
 at|strong = "H5921" which|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H5921"  
 was|strong = "H3068" valued|strong = "H3365" by|strong = "H5921"  
 them|strong = "H5921"! So|strong = "H3947" I|strong = "H5921"  
 took|strong = "H3947" the|strong = "H5921" thirty|strong = "H7970"  
 pieces|strong = "H5409" of|strong = "H1004" silver|strong = "H3701"  
 and|strong = "H3068" cast|strong = "H7993" them|strong = "H5921"  
 into|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" house|strong = "H1004"  
 of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
 into|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" treasury|strong = "H1004".

14 Then|strong = "H3063" I|strong = "H3478" broke|strong = "H6565"  
 my|strong = "H6565" second|strong = "H8145" staff|strong = "H4731"  
 called|strong = "H7121" Union|strong = "H2260" so|strong = "H3651"  
 as|strong = "H3063" to|strong = "H3478" dissolve|strong = "H4127"  
 the|strong = "H6565" brotherhood|strong = "H0264"  
 between|strong = "H0996" Judah|strong = "H3063" and|strong = "H3063"  
 Jerusalem|strong = "H3389". <sup>15</sup> And|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3947"  
 w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3068"  
 me|strong = "H3947": Take|strong = "H3947" again|strong = "H5750"  
 the|strong = "H3947" implements|strong = "H3627" of|strong = "H3068"  
 a|strong = "H3947" worthless|strong = "H1100" shepherd|strong = "H7462".

<sup>16</sup> For|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H6485"  
 about|strong = "H2009" to|strong = "H1245" appoint|strong = "H6485"  
 a|strong = "H3588" shepherd|strong = "H7462" over|strong = "H6965"  
 the|strong = "H3588" land|strong = "H0776". Those|strong = "H3588"  
 who|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H1245" thrust|strong = "H1920"  
 down|strong = "H7665" he|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1320"  
 not|strong = "H3808" visit|strong = "H6485". Those|strong = "H3588"  
 who|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H1245" scattered|strong = "H5289"  
 he|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1320" not|strong = "H3808"  
 seek|strong = "H1245" out|strong = "H1245". The|strong = "H3588"  
 wounded|strong = "H2491" he|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1320"  
 not|strong = "H3808" heal|strong = "H7495", the|strong = "H3588"  
 sick|strong = "H2470" he|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1320"  
 not|strong = "H3808" make|strong = "H6965" whole|strong = "H7495",  
 but|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" flesh|strong = "H1320"  
 of|strong = "H1320" the|strong = "H3588" fat|strong = "H1277"  
 he|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1320" devour|strong = "H7462"  
 and|strong = "H6965" even|strong = "H3588" their|strong = "H1245"  
 hoofs|strong = "H6541" he|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1320"  
 tear|strong = "H6561".

17Woe|strong = "H1945" to|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H5921"  
worthless|strong = "H1100" shepherd|strong = "H7473",  
who|strong = "H1945" deserts|strong = "H6160" the|strong = "H5921"  
flock|strong = "H6629"!

**M** ay|strong = "H2719" the|strong = "H5921" sword|strong = "H2719"  
strike|strong = "H5221" his|strong = "H5921" arm|strong = "H2220"  
and|strong = "H5869" his|strong = "H5921" right|strong = "H3225"  
eye|strong = "H5869".

**M** ay|strong = "H2719" his|strong = "H5921" arm|strong = "H2220"  
completely|strong = "H3001" wither|strong = "H3001".

**A** nd|strong = "H5869" his|strong = "H5921" right|strong = "H3225"  
eye|strong = "H5869" be|strong = "H5869" blinded|strong = "H5786".  
Jerusalem's Deliverance from Heathen Attack

12An|strong = "H3068" oracle|strong = "H4853". This|strong = "H1697"  
is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002" message|strong = "H1697"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
about|strong = "H5921" Israel|strong = "H3478". The|strong = "H5002" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* who|strong = "H3068" stretches|strong = "H5186"  
out|strong = "H5186" the|strong = "H5002" heavens|strong = "H8064",  
and|strong = "H3478" lays|strong = "H3245" the|strong = "H5002"  
foundation|strong = "H3245" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002"  
earth|strong = "H8064", and|strong = "H3478" forms|strong = "H3335"  
the|strong = "H5002" human|strong = "H0120" spirit|strong = "H7307"  
within|strong = "H7130" people|strong = "H5971" says|strong = "H5002":

2Look|strong = "H2009"! I|strong = "H2009" am|strong = "H1961"  
about|strong = "H5439" to|strong = "H1961" make|strong = "H7760"  
Jerusalem|strong = "H3389"

**a** |strong = "H1961" cup|strong = "H5592" of|strong = "H5971"  
drunkenness|strong = "H7943" for|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605"  
the|strong = "H3605" surrounding|strong = "H5439"  
peoples|strong = "H5971".

**T** here|strong = "H2009" will|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961"  
a|strong = "H1961" siege|strong = "H4692" of|strong = "H5971"  
Jerusalem|strong = "H3389".

3On|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H5971" day|strong = "H3117"  
that|strong = "H5971" I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H1961"  
make|strong = "H7760" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389"

**a** |strong = "H1961" stone|strong = "H0068" to|strong = "H1961"  
be|strong = "H1961" lifted|strong = "H5971" up|strong = "H7760"  
by|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
peoples|strong = "H5971".

**A** ll|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" lift|strong = "H6006"  
it|strong = "H7760" up|strong = "H7760" will|strong = "H1961"  
surely|strong = "H1961" hurt|strong = "H7451" themselves|strong = "H7760"!

**A** nd|strong = "H3117" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
nations|strong = "H1471" of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605"  
earth|strong = "H0776" will|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961"  
gathered|strong = "H1471" together|strong = "H5921"  
against|strong = "H5921" it|strong = "H7760".

4On|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H5971" day|strong = "H3117",  
says|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068" strike|strong = "H5221"

**e** very|strong = "H3605" horse|strong = "H5483" with|strong = "H1004"  
panic|strong = "H2865" and|strong = "H3063" its|strong = "H3605"  
rider|strong = "H7392" with|strong = "H1004" madness|strong = "H7697".

**B** ut|strong = "H5221" over|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"  
house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004" Judah|strong = "H3063"  
I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068" keep|strong = "H8104"  
watch|strong = "H5869",

**t** hough|strong = "H1931" I|strong = "H3117" strike|strong = "H5221"  
every|strong = "H3605" horse|strong = "H5483" belonging  
to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" peoples|strong = "H5971"  
with|strong = "H1004" blindness|strong = "H5788".

5And|strong = "H3063" the|strong = "H3068" chieftains  
of|strong = "H3068" Judah|strong = "H3063" will|strong = "H3068"  
say|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3068" themselves|strong = "H0905",

‘ The|strong = "H3068" strength|strong = "H5797" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" inhabitants|strong = "H3427" is|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635" their|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068".’

6In|strong = "H3427" that|strong = "H5971" day|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H5971" make|strong = "H7760" the|strong = "H3605" chieftains of|strong = "H3117" Judah|strong = "H3063"

l ike|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H7760" pan|strong = "H3595" of|strong = "H3117" fire|strong = "H0784" in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3605" woods|strong = "H3293",

l ike|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H7760" torch|strong = "H3940" among|strong = "H5921" sheaves|strong = "H5995",

t hey|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H5971" devour|strong = "H0398" right|strong = "H3225" and|strong = "H3063" left|strong = "H8040" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" surrounding|strong = "H5439" peoples|strong = "H5971".

B ut|strong = "H1931" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" will|strong = "H5971" abide|strong = "H3427" on|strong = "H5921" its|strong = "H3605" own|strong = "H5971" site|strong = "H8478".

7And|strong = "H3063" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* will|strong = "H3068" first|strong = "H7223" give|strong = "H5414" victory|strong = "H3467" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" tents|strong = "H0168" of|strong = "H1004" Judah|strong = "H3063",

s o|strong = "H4616" that|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" glory|strong = "H8597" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H5921" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004" David|strong = "H1732", and|strong = "H3063" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H5921" inhabitants|strong = "H3427" of|strong = "H1004" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" be|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808" exalted|strong = "H1431" above|strong = "H5921" Judah|strong = "H3063".

8In|strong = "H3427" that|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* will|strong = "H3068" protect|strong = "H1598" the|strong = "H6440" inhabitants|strong = "H3427" of|strong = "H1004" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389",

and|strong="H3068" the|strong="H6440" feeblest  
among|strong="H3427" them|strong="H6440" will|strong="H3068"  
in|strong="H3427" that|strong="H3117" day|strong="H3117"  
be|strong="H1961" like|strong="H1961" David|strong="H1732",

and|strong="H3068" the|strong="H6440" house|strong="H1004"  
of|strong="H1004" David|strong="H1732" like|strong="H1961"  
God|strong="H3068", like|strong="H1961" the|strong="H6440"  
messenger|strong="H4397" of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H6440" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\* before|strong="H6440" them|strong="H6440".

9And|strong="H3117" in|strong="H5921" that|strong="H3605"  
day|strong="H3117" I|strong="H3117" will|strong="H1961"  
seek|strong="H1245" to|strong="H1961" destroy|strong="H8045"  
all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" nations|strong="H1471"  
who|strong="H3605" have|strong="H1961" come|strong="H1961"  
up|strong="H5921" against|strong="H5921" Jerusalem|strong="H3389".

10And|strong="H1004" I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H1004"  
pour|strong="H8210" out|strong="H8210" on|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H5921" house|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004"  
David|strong="H1732" and|strong="H1004" the|strong="H5921"  
inhabitants|strong="H3427" of|strong="H1004"  
Jerusalem|strong="H3389"

the|strong="H5921" spirit|strong="H7307" of|strong="H1004"  
pity|strong="H2347" and|strong="H1004" compassion|strong="H7355".  
They|strong="H5921" will|strong="H1004" look|strong="H5027"  
on|strong="H5921" him|strong="H5921" whom|strong="H0834"  
they|strong="H5921" have|strong="H3389" pierced|strong="H1856"

and|strong="H1004" they|strong="H5921" will|strong="H1004"  
lament|strong="H5594" for|strong="H5921" him|strong="H5921"  
as|strong="H3389" one|strong="H3173" laments|strong="H5921"  
for|strong="H5921" an|strong="H3427" only|strong="H3173"  
son|strong="H3173".

They|strong="H5921" will|strong="H1004" bitterly|strong="H4843"  
grieve|strong="H6087" for|strong="H5921" him|strong="H5921"  
as|strong="H3389" one|strong="H3173" grieves for|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H5921" firstborn|strong="H1060".

11 In that day mourning will be as great in Jerusalem

as for the mourning for Hadad-rimmon in the plain of Megiddo.

12 And the land will mourn, each family by itself:

the family of the house of David by itself,

and their wives by themselves,

and the family of the house of Nathan by itself,

and their wives by themselves,

13 and the family of the house of Levi by itself,

and their wives by themselves,

the family of the Shimeites by itself,

and their wives by themselves,



14and|strong = "H3605" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
families|strong = "H4940" who|strong = "H3605" are|strong = "H3117"  
left|strong = "H7604", each|strong = "H3605" by|strong = "H3605"  
itself|strong = "H0905",

a nd|strong = "H3605" their|strong = "H3605" wives|strong = "H0802"  
by|strong = "H3605" themselves|strong = "H0905".

13On|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117"  
a|strong = "H1961" fountain|strong = "H4726" will|strong = "H1961"  
be|strong = "H1961" opened|strong = "H6605" for|strong = "H3427"  
the|strong = "H3117" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"  
David|strong = "H1732",

a nd|strong = "H3117" for|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3117"  
inhabitants|strong = "H3427" of|strong = "H1004"  
Jerusalem|strong = "H3389", for|strong = "H3427" sin|strong = "H2403"  
and|strong = "H3117" for|strong = "H3427" uncleanness|strong = "H5079".

2And|strong = "H3068" it|strong = "H1931" will|strong = "H3068"  
be|strong = "H1961" on|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3117"  
day|strong = "H3117", says|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635",

I |strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068" cut|strong = "H3772"  
off|strong = "H3772" the|strong = "H5002" names|strong = "H8034"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002" idols|strong = "H6091"  
from|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H5002" land|strong = "H0776"  
and|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068"  
be|strong = "H1961" remembered|strong = "H2142" no|strong = "H3808"  
more|strong = "H4480".

A nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002" prophets|strong = "H5030"  
and|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002" unclean|strong = "H2932"  
spirit|strong = "H7307" I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068"  
banish|strong = "H5080" from|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H5002"  
land|strong = "H0776".

3If|strong = "H3588" any|strong = "H5750" man|strong = "H0376"  
prophecy|strong = "H5012" any|strong = "H5750" more|strong = "H5750",

h is|strong="H3068" father|strong="H3205" and|strong="H3068"  
 his|strong="H3068" mother|strong="H0517" who|strong="H3068"  
 bore|strong="H3205" him|strong="H3205", will|strong="H3068"  
 say|strong="H1696" to|strong="H1696" him|strong="H3205",

‘ You|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808"  
 live|strong="H2421", for|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588"  
 speak|strong="H1696" falsehood|strong="H8267" in|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3588" name|strong="H8034" of|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3588" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.’

A nd|strong="H3068" his|strong="H3068" father|strong="H3205"  
 and|strong="H3068" his|strong="H3068" mother|strong="H0517"  
 who|strong="H3068" bore|strong="H3205" him|strong="H3205"  
 will|strong="H3068" stab|strong="H1856" him|strong="H3205"  
 through|strong="H1856" when|strong="H3588" he|strong="H3588"  
 is|strong="H3068" seized|strong="H8610" by|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H3588" prophetic|strong="H6544" frenzy|strong="H5927”.

4And|strong="H3117" it|strong="H1931" will|strong="H1961"  
 be|strong="H1961" in|strong="H3117" that|strong="H3117"  
 day|strong="H3117" that|strong="H3117" the|strong="H3117"  
 prophets|strong="H5030" will|strong="H1961" be|strong="H1961"  
 ashamed|strong="H0954", each|strong="H3117" of|strong="H3117"  
 his|strong="H1961" vision|strong="H2384”,

a nd|strong="H3117" will|strong="H1961" not|strong="H3808"  
 wear|strong="H3847" the|strong="H3117" hairy|strong="H8181"  
 mantle|strong="H4598" in|strong="H3117" order|strong="H4616"  
 to|strong="H1961" deceive|strong="H3584”.

5Each|strong="H0376" will|strong="H3808" say|strong="H0559”,  
 ‘I|strong="H3588" am|strong="H1961" not|strong="H3808"  
 a|strong="H3588" prophet|strong="H5030”,

a |strong="H3588" tiller|strong="H5647" of|strong="H5030"  
 the|strong="H3588" ground|strong="H0776" am|strong="H1961"  
 I|strong="H3588”, for|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588"  
 ground|strong="H0776" is|strong="H5030" my|strong="H3588"  
 possession|strong="H0272" from|strong="H5030" my|strong="H3588"  
 youth|strong="H5271”.’

6And they will say to him, "What are these scars on your back?"

And he will say, "The scars which I received in the house of my friends."

7Awake, sword,  
against my shepherd,

against the man who stands near to me,

says the w<sup>\*</sup> Lord of hosts.

I will strike the shepherd so that the sheep may be scattered,

I will turn my hand against the little ones.

8In all the land, says the w<sup>\*</sup> Lord,

two-thirds in it will be cut off and die,

but a third will be left in it.

9I|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" bring|strong = "H7121"  
the|strong = "H3068" third|strong = "H7992" into|strong = "H3701"  
the|strong = "H3068" fire|strong = "H0784",

a nd|strong = "H3068" melt|strong = "H6884" it|strong = "H1931"  
as|strong = "H3068" one|strong = "H7992" melts|strong = "H4549"  
silver|strong = "H3701",

a nd|strong = "H3068" test|strong = "H6884" it|strong = "H1931"  
as|strong = "H3068" one|strong = "H7992" tests|strong = "H0974"  
gold|strong = "H2091".

T hen|strong = "H6030" they|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
call|strong = "H7121" on|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068"  
name|strong = "H8034",

a nd|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3068" myself|strong = "H0589"  
will|strong = "H3068" answer|strong = "H6030" them|strong = "H7121".

I |strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" say|strong = "H0559",  
"They|strong = "H3068" are|strong = "H5971" my|strong = "H3068"  
people|strong = "H5971".'

T hey|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" say|strong = "H0559",  
"The|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
our|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068".'

The Judgment upon the Heathen and the Exaltation of the Lord

14A|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" is|strong = "H3068"  
coming|strong = "H2009" for|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, when|strong = "H3117" your|strong = "H3068"  
plundered|strong = "H0962" possessions|strong = "H7998"  
will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068" divided|strong = "H2505"  
while|strong = "H3117" you|strong = "H3117" watch|strong = "H2009". <sup>2</sup>  
And|strong = "H1004" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
nations|strong = "H1471" will|strong = "H1471" gather|strong = "H6908"  
to|strong = "H3318" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389", to|strong = "H3318"  
fight|strong = "H4421" against|strong = "H4480" it|strong = "H3808".  
The|strong = "H3605" city|strong = "H5892" will|strong = "H1471"  
be|strong = "H3808" taken|strong = "H3920" and|strong = "H1004"  
the|strong = "H3605" houses|strong = "H1004" plundered|strong = "H8155"  
and|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605" women|strong = "H0802"  
raped|strong = "H7693". Half|strong = "H2677" of|strong = "H1004"  
the|strong = "H3605" city|strong = "H5892" will|strong = "H1471"

go|strong = "H3318" into|strong = "H3318" captivity|strong = "H1473",  
 and|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605" rest|strong = "H3499"  
 of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971"  
 left|strong = "H3318" in|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605"  
 ruins|strong = "H5892". <sup>3</sup> Then|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* will|strong = "H3068" go|strong = "H3318"  
 forth|strong = "H3318" and|strong = "H3068" fight|strong = "H3898"  
 against|strong = "H3898" these|strong = "H1992" nations|strong = "H1471",  
 as|strong = "H3117" once|strong = "H3117" he|strong = "H3117"  
 fought|strong = "H3898" in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
 day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3068" battle|strong = "H7128". <sup>4</sup>  
 On|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117"  
 his|strong = "H6440" feet|strong = "H7272" will|strong = "H3389"  
 stand|strong = "H5975" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440"  
 Mount|strong = "H2022" of|strong = "H3117" Olives|strong = "H2132",  
 (which|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931" opposite|strong = "H5921"  
 Jerusalem|strong = "H3389", on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440"  
 east|strong = "H4217"). The|strong = "H6440" Mount|strong = "H2022"  
 of|strong = "H3117" Olives|strong = "H2132" will|strong = "H3389"  
 be|strong = "H3117" split|strong = "H1234" into|strong = "H5921" halves,  
 from|strong = "H6440" east|strong = "H4217" to|strong = "H5921"  
 west|strong = "H3220", by|strong = "H5921" an|strong = "H6440"  
 exceedingly|strong = "H3966" great|strong = "H1419"  
 valley|strong = "H1516"; and|strong = "H3117" half|strong = "H2677"  
 of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H6440" mountain|strong = "H2022"  
 will|strong = "H3389" slide|strong = "H4571" northwards  
 and|strong = "H3117" half|strong = "H2677" southwards. <sup>5</sup>  
 You|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" escape|strong = "H5127"  
 through|strong = "H3605" my|strong = "H3605" valley|strong = "H1516" –  
 the|strong = "H3605" valley|strong = "H1516" between|strong = "H5973"  
 the|strong = "H3605" hills|strong = "H2022" will|strong = "H3068"  
 extend|strong = "H4900" as|strong = "H3117" far|strong = "H5127"  
 as|strong = "H3117" Azel|strong = "H0682", and|strong = "H3063"  
 you|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" flee|strong = "H5127"  
 as|strong = "H3117" you|strong = "H3588" fled|strong = "H5127"  
 from|strong = "H6440" before|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H3605"  
 earthquake|strong = "H7494", in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605"  
 days|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H4428" Uzziah|strong = "H5818"  
 king|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428" Judah|strong = "H3063".  
 But|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 your|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
 come|strong = "H5060", and|strong = "H3063" all|strong = "H3605"  
 the|strong = "H3605" holy|strong = "H6918" ones|strong = "H6918"  
 with|strong = "H5973" him|strong = "H6440".

6 And in that day, there will be no heat nor cold, frost, nor will day – it is known to Lord with neither day nor night. Even time will be light. <sup>7</sup> And on living waters will flow from Jerusalem, half of them to the eastern sea and half of them to the western sea; in both summer and winter. <sup>8</sup> The Lord will be king over all the earth. On that day, the Lord will be one name. <sup>9</sup> The land will be changed, from Geba to Rimmon, south of Jerusalem, but Jerusalem will be high and inhabited as from the Benjamin Gate up to the place of the first gate, and Tower of Hananel to Corner Gate, and as

far|strong = "H5704" as|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3605"  
king's|strong = "H4428" winepresses|strong = "H3342". <sup>11</sup>  
Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" will|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961"  
inhabited|strong = "H3427", for|strong = "H3427" never|strong = "H3808"  
again|strong = "H5750" will|strong = "H1961" it|strong = "H1961"  
be|strong = "H1961" doomed|strong = "H1121" to|strong = "H1961"  
destruction|strong = "H2764", and|strong = "H3389" its|strong = "H1961"  
people|strong = "H3427" will|strong = "H1961" abide|strong = "H3427"  
in|strong = "H3427" security|strong = "H0983".

<sup>12</sup>This|strong = "H2063" is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605"  
plague|strong = "H4046" with|strong = "H3068" which|strong = "H1931"  
the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* will|strong = "H3068"  
strike|strong = "H5062" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
peoples|strong = "H5971" who|strong = "H3605" array|strong = "H6635"  
themselves|strong = "H5921" against|strong = "H5921"  
Jerusalem|strong = "H3389": he|strong = "H1931" will|strong = "H3068"  
make|strong = "H7272" their|strong = "H3605" flesh|strong = "H1320"  
rot|strong = "H4743" while|strong = "H1961" they|strong = "H3068"  
stand|strong = "H5975" on|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H3605"  
feet|strong = "H7272", and|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3605"  
eyes|strong = "H5869" will|strong = "H3068" rot|strong = "H4743"  
in|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H3605" sockets|strong = "H2356",  
and|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3605" tongues|strong = "H3956"  
will|strong = "H3068" rot|strong = "H4743" in|strong = "H5921"  
their|strong = "H3605" mouth|strong = "H6310". <sup>13</sup> On|strong = "H5921"  
that|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" a|strong = "H1961"  
great|strong = "H7227" panic|strong = "H4103" sent|strong = "H3068"  
by|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H5921" Lord|strong = "H3068"  
will|strong = "H3068" fall|strong = "H1961" on|strong = "H5921"  
them|strong = "H5921". Everyone|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H3068"  
seize|strong = "H2388" their|strong = "H3068" neighbours|strong = "H7453"  
and|strong = "H3068" attack|strong = "H5927" them|strong = "H5921". <sup>14</sup>  
Even|strong = "H1571" Judah|strong = "H3063" will|strong = "H1471"  
fight|strong = "H3898" at|strong = "H3898" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389",  
and|strong = "H3063" the|strong = "H3605" wealth|strong = "H2428"  
of|strong = "H7230" the|strong = "H3605" surrounding|strong = "H5439"  
nations|strong = "H1471" will|strong = "H1471" be|strong = "H1571"  
gathered|strong = "H1471" up|strong = "H3605" – gold|strong = "H2091"  
and|strong = "H3063" silver|strong = "H3701" and|strong = "H3063"  
piles|strong = "H6651" of|strong = "H7230" clothing|strong = "H3830". <sup>15</sup>  
Plague|strong = "H4046" will|strong = "H1961" fall|strong = "H1961"  
upon|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H3605" horses|strong = "H5483",  
mules|strong = "H6505", camels|strong = "H1581", and|strong = "H5483"  
asses|strong = "H2543", and|strong = "H5483" on|strong = "H1961"

all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" animals|strong = "H1961"  
 in|strong = "H1961" all|strong = "H3605" those|strong = "H1992"  
 camps|strong = "H4264".

16 All|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" are|strong = "H1471"  
 left|strong = "H3498" of|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H3605"  
 the|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471" which|strong = "H3068"  
 fought|strong = "H3898" against|strong = "H5921"  
 Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" will|strong = "H3068" come|strong = "H5927"  
 up|strong = "H5927" from|strong = "H5921" year|strong = "H8141"  
 to|strong = "H3068" year|strong = "H8141" to|strong = "H3068"  
 worship|strong = "H7812" the|strong = "H3605" King|strong = "H4428",  
 the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H4428"  
 hosts|strong = "H6635", and|strong = "H3068" to|strong = "H3068"  
 keep|strong = "H2287" the|strong = "H3605" pilgrim-feast  
 of|strong = "H4428" tabernacles|strong = "H5521". <sup>17</sup>  
 Whoever|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H4428" all|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" peoples|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H5921" earth|strong = "H5927" will|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" come|strong = "H5927" up|strong = "H5927"  
 to|strong = "H3068" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" to|strong = "H3068"  
 worship|strong = "H7812" the|strong = "H5921" King|strong = "H4428",  
 the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H4428"  
 hosts|strong = "H6635", on|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921"  
 there|strong = "H1961" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961"  
 no|strong = "H3808" rain|strong = "H1653". <sup>18</sup> If|strong = "H1961"  
 the|strong = "H5921" family|strong = "H4940" of|strong = "H3068"  
 Egypt|strong = "H4714" does|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
 go|strong = "H5927" up|strong = "H5927" nor|strong = "H3808"  
 enter|strong = "H5927" in|strong = "H5921", on|strong = "H5921"  
 them|strong = "H5921" also|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
 come|strong = "H5927" the|strong = "H5921" plague|strong = "H4046"  
 with|strong = "H3068" which|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* will|strong = "H3068" strike|strong = "H5062"  
 the|strong = "H5921" nations|strong = "H1471". <sup>19</sup> This|strong = "H2063"  
 will|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H3605"  
 punishment|strong = "H2403" for|strong = "H4714" the|strong = "H3605"  
 sin|strong = "H2403" of|strong = "H2282" Egypt|strong = "H4714"  
 and|strong = "H4714" the|strong = "H3605" punishment|strong = "H2403"  
 for|strong = "H4714" the|strong = "H3605" sin|strong = "H2403"  
 of|strong = "H2282" all|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471"  
 which|strong = "H1471" do|strong = "H2403" not|strong = "H3808"  
 come|strong = "H5927" up|strong = "H5927" to|strong = "H5927"  
 keep|strong = "H2287" the|strong = "H3605" feast|strong = "H2282"  
 of|strong = "H2282" the|strong = "H3605" tabernacles|strong = "H5521".



# Malachi



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## The Lord's Love for Israel

1 An oracle of the Lord to Israel through Malachi.

2 'I have loved you,' says the Lord with you. 'But you ask, "How have you shown us love to us?" Was Esau Jacob's brother?' explains the Lord with you of hosts, 'yet I loved Jacob',<sup>3</sup> but Esau hated Esau, and made his mountains a desolation transformed his ancestral land into a wilderness. 4 When Edom says, "We are beaten down, but we will return and rebuild the places ruined by the Lord with you of hosts," says the Lord, "They may build, but I will throw down." They will be called "The border of wickedness," the people against whom the Lord is angry forever. 5 Your own eyes will see this, and you will say,

“the|strong = ”H5921” w Lord|strong = ”H3068”w\*s  
 greatness|strong = ”H1433” reaches|strong = ”H5927”  
 beyond|strong = ”H5921” the|strong = ”H5921” border|strong = ”H1366”  
 of|strong = ”H3068” Israel|strong = ”H3478”.”  
 Against|strong = ”H5921” the|strong = ”H5921” Priests|strong = ”H3548”

6‘A|strong = ”H3068” son|strong = ”H1121” honours his|strong = ”H3068”  
 father|strong = ”H1121” and|strong = ”H1121” servant|strong = ”H5650”  
 their|strong = ”H3068” master|strong = ”H0113”. If|strong = ”H1121”  
 I|strong = ”H5650” am|strong = ”H3068” a|strong = ”H3068”  
 father|strong = ”H1121”, where|strong = ”H4100” is|strong = ”H3068”  
 my|strong = ”H3068” honour|strong = ”H3519”? And|strong = ”H1121”  
 if|strong = ”H1121” I|strong = ”H5650” am|strong = ”H3068”  
 a|strong = ”H3068” master|strong = ”H0113”, where|strong = ”H4100”  
 is|strong = ”H3068” the|strong = ”H3068” one|strong = ”H1121”  
 who|strong = ”H3068” fears|strong = ”H3372” me|strong = ”H5650”?  
 So|strong = ”H5650” says|strong = ”H0559” the|strong = ”H3068” w  
 Lord|strong = ”H3068”w\* to|strong = ”H3068” you|strong = ”H4100”,  
 priests|strong = ”H3548” who|strong = ”H3068” despise|strong = ”H3988”  
 my|strong = ”H3068” name|strong = ”H8034”. You|strong = ”H4100”  
 ask|strong = ”H7592”, “How|strong = ”H4100” have|strong = ”H3068”  
 we|strong = ”H8034” despised|strong = ”H0959” your|strong = ”H3068”  
 name|strong = ”H8034”?” <sup>7</sup> You|strong = ”H5921” offer|strong = ”H5066”  
 on|strong = ”H5921” my|strong = ”H3068” altar|strong = ”H4196”  
 bread|strong = ”H3899” that|strong = ”H1931” is|strong = ”H3068”  
 polluted|strong = ”H1351”. You|strong = ”H5921” ask|strong = ”H7592”,  
 “How|strong = ”H4100” have|strong = ”H3068” we|strong = ”H0587”  
 polluted|strong = ”H1351” it|strong = ”H1931”?” Because|strong = ”H5921”  
 you|strong = ”H5921” say|strong = ”H0559”, “The|strong = ”H5921”  
 table|strong = ”H7979” of|strong = ”H3068” the|strong = ”H5921” w  
 Lord|strong = ”H3068”w\* is|strong = ”H3068”  
 contemptible|strong = ”H0959”.” <sup>8</sup> When|strong = ”H3588”  
 you|strong = ”H3588” offer|strong = ”H7126” the|strong = ”H6440”  
 blind|strong = ”H5787” animal|strong = ”H0929” for|strong = ”H3588”  
 sacrifice|strong = ”H2076”, “It|strong = ”H7126” doesn’t|strong = ”H3808”  
 matter|strong = ”H1697”!” And|strong = ”H3068” when|strong = ”H3588”  
 you|strong = ”H3588” offer|strong = ”H7126” the|strong = ”H6440”  
 lame|strong = ”H6455” and|strong = ”H3068” the|strong = ”H6440”  
 sick|strong = ”H2470” “It|strong = ”H7126” doesn’t|strong = ”H3808”  
 matter|strong = ”H1697”!” Give|strong = ”H5375” an|strong = ”H7126”  
 animal|strong = ”H0929” like|strong = ”H3068” that|strong = ”H3588”  
 to|strong = ”H3068” your|strong = ”H3068” governor|strong = ”H6346”;  
 will|strong = ”H3068” he|strong = ”H3588” be|strong = ”H3068”  
 pleased|strong = ”H7521” with|strong = ”H3068” it|strong = ”H7126”?  
 Will|strong = ”H3068” he|strong = ”H3588” receive|strong = ”H5375”

you|strong = "H3588" favourably?' says|strong = "H0559"  
 the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068"  
 hosts|strong = "H6635". <sup>9</sup> Now|strong = "H6258", plead|strong = "H2470"  
 for|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" favour|strong = "H2603"  
 of|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068" with|strong = "H3068"  
 such|strong = "H2063" an|strong = "H1961" offering|strong = "H3068",  
 so|strong = "H4480" that|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H3068"  
 may|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961" gracious|strong = "H2603"  
 to|strong = "H3068" us|strong = "H4994". 'Would|strong = "H3068"  
 I|strong = "H6258" receive|strong = "H5375" any|strong = "H4480"  
 of|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H6440" favourably?'  
 says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635".

10'If|strong = "H0518" only|strong = "H1571" one|strong = "H3808"  
 of|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3808" would|strong = "H4310"  
 shut|strong = "H5462" the|strong = "H3068" temple|strong = "H1004"  
 doors|strong = "H1817", so|strong = "H3808" that|strong = "H3068"  
 you|strong = "H3808" could|strong = "H4310" not|strong = "H3808"  
 kindle|strong = "H3341" useless|strong = "H2600" fires|strong = "H0784"  
 on|strong = "H3027" my|strong = "H3068" altar|strong = "H4196"!  
 I|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3068" no|strong = "H3808"  
 pleasure|strong = "H2656" in|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3808",'  
 says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635", 'Nor|strong = "H3808"  
 will|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3808" accept|strong = "H7521"  
 an|strong = "H3068" offering|strong = "H4503" from|strong = "H3027"  
 your|strong = "H3068" hand|strong = "H3027". <sup>11</sup> For|strong = "H3588"  
 from|strong = "H1471" the|strong = "H3605" rising|strong = "H4217"  
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" sun|strong = "H8121"  
 to|strong = "H5704" its|strong = "H3605" setting|strong = "H3996"  
 my|strong = "H3605" name|strong = "H8034" is|strong = "H3068"  
 great|strong = "H1419" among|strong = "H8034" the|strong = "H3605"  
 nations|strong = "H1471", and|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H3068"  
 every|strong = "H3605" place|strong = "H4725" they|strong = "H3588"  
 offer|strong = "H6999" to|strong = "H5704" my|strong = "H3605"  
 name|strong = "H8034" a|strong = "H3588" pure|strong = "H2889"  
 offering|strong = "H4503". For|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H3605"  
 name|strong = "H8034" is|strong = "H3068" great|strong = "H1419"  
 among|strong = "H8034" the|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471",'  
 says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635".

12'But|strong = "H1931" you|strong = "H0859" profane|strong = "H2490"  
 me|strong = "H0413" when|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H0859"

say|strong = "H0559", "The|strong = "H2490" table|strong = "H7979"  
of|strong = "H7979" the|strong = "H2490" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
is|strong = "H1931" polluted|strong = "H2490", and|strong = "H7979"  
its|strong = "H2490" food|strong = "H3899" is|strong = "H1931"  
contemptible|strong = "H0959".” <sup>13</sup> You|strong = "H3027"  
say|strong = "H0559" also|strong = "H3068", "How|strong = "H2009"  
tired|strong = "H3021" we|strong = "H2009" are|strong = "H3027"  
of|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H2009" this|strong = "H3068"!"  
and|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3027" sniff|strong = "H5301"  
contemptuously|strong = "H5034" at|strong = "H3068" it|strong = "H5301".  
You|strong = "H3027" have|strong = "H3068" brought|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" blind|strong = "H5787", the|strong = "H3068"  
lame|strong = "H6455" and|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
sick|strong = "H2470" as|strong = "H3068" offerings|strong = "H4503".  
Should|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H2009" accept|strong = "H7521"  
this|strong = "H3068" from|strong = "H3027" your|strong = "H3068"  
hand|strong = "H3027"?” says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635”. <sup>14</sup>  
‘Cursed|strong = "H0779" be|strong = "H3426" the|strong = "H3588"  
cheat|strong = "H5791", who|strong = "H3068" has|strong = "H3068"  
in|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068" flock|strong = "H5739"  
a|strong = "H3588" valuable|strong = "H3368" male|strong = "H2145",  
but|strong = "H3588" vows|strong = "H5087" and|strong = "H3068"  
sacrifices|strong = "H2076" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588"  
Lord|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H3588" blemished|strong = "H7843"  
animal|strong = "H7843"! For|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
am|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H3588" great|strong = "H1419"  
king|strong = "H4428”,’ says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3588" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H4428" hosts|strong = "H6635”,  
‘and|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034"  
is|strong = "H3068" feared|strong = "H3372" among|strong = "H8034"  
the|strong = "H3588" nations|strong = "H1471”.’

2‘Now|strong = "H6258", you|strong = "H6258" priests|strong = "H3548”,  
this|strong = "H2063" command|strong = "H4687" is|strong = "H3548"  
for|strong = "H3548" you|strong = "H6258”. <sup>2</sup> If|strong = "H3588"  
you|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
hear|strong = "H8085", and|strong = "H3068" if|strong = "H3588"  
you|strong = "H3588" do|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
take|strong = "H7760" it|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H3068"  
heart|strong = "H3820", to|strong = "H3068" give|strong = "H5414"  
glory|strong = "H3519" to|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H8085"  
name|strong = "H8034”,’ says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H5921" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635”,  
‘Then|strong = "H7971" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"

lay|strong="H5414" a|strong="H5414" curse|strong="H3994"  
 on|strong="H5921" you|strong="H3588". I|strong="H3588"  
 will|strong="H3068" turn|strong="H7760" your|strong="H3068"  
 blessings|strong="H1293" into|strong="H5921" curses|strong="H3994".  
 Indeed|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" have|strong="H3068"  
 already|strong="H3528" done|strong="H7760" so|strong="H7971",  
 because|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" pay|strong="H5414"  
 no|strong="H3808" attention|strong="H3820". <sup>3</sup> I|strong="H2005"  
 will|strong="H2233" punish|strong="H6485" your|strong="H5921"  
 descendants|strong="H2233"! I|strong="H2005" will|strong="H2233"  
 spread|strong="H2219" offal|strong="H6569" upon|strong="H5921"  
 your|strong="H5921" faces|strong="H6440", even|strong="H5921"  
 the|strong="H6440" offal|strong="H6569" of|strong="H6440"  
 your|strong="H5921" pilgrim feasts|strong="H2282",  
 you|strong="H6440" will|strong="H2233" be|strong="H6440"  
 discarded|strong="H3988". <sup>4</sup> You|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068"  
 then|strong="H1961" know|strong="H3045" that|strong="H3588"  
 I|strong="H3588" have|strong="H1961" sent|strong="H7971"  
 this|strong="H2063" command|strong="H4687" to|strong="H3068"  
 you|strong="H3588", so|strong="H7971" that|strong="H3588"  
 my|strong="H3068" covenant|strong="H1285" with|strong="H3068"  
 Levi|strong="H3878" may|strong="H1961" be|strong="H1961"  
 preserved|strong="H8104", says|strong="H0559" the|strong="H3588" w  
 Lord|strong="H3068" w\* of|strong="H3068" hosts|strong="H6635".

<sup>5</sup> My|strong="H5414" covenant|strong="H1285" with|strong="H1285"  
 him|strong="H5414" was|strong="H8034" to|strong="H1961"  
 give|strong="H5414" life|strong="H2416" and|strong="H6440"  
 peace|strong="H7965". I|strong="H5414" gave|strong="H5414"  
 them|strong="H5414" to|strong="H1961" him|strong="H5414"  
 so|strong="H1961" that|strong="H1931" he|strong="H1931"  
 might|strong="H2416" revere|strong="H3372" me|strong="H5414".  
 He|strong="H1931" revered|strong="H3372" me|strong="H5414",  
 and|strong="H6440" stood|strong="H2865" in|strong="H6440"  
 awe|strong="H2865" of|strong="H6440" my|strong="H5414"  
 name|strong="H8034". <sup>6</sup> The|strong="H7725" true|strong="H0571"  
 instruction|strong="H8451" was|strong="H1961" in|strong="H1980"  
 his|strong="H7725" mouth|strong="H6310", and|strong="H1980"  
 injustice|strong="H5766" was|strong="H1961" not|strong="H3808"  
 found|strong="H4672" in|strong="H1980" his|strong="H7725"  
 lips|strong="H8193"; He|strong="H3808" walked|strong="H1980"  
 with|strong="H1980" me|strong="H7725" in|strong="H1980"  
 peace|strong="H7965" and|strong="H1980" uprightness|strong="H4334",  
 and|strong="H1980" turned|strong="H7725" many|strong="H7227"  
 away|strong="H7725" from|strong="H7725" iniquity|strong="H5771". <sup>7</sup>

For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" priest's|strong = "H3548"  
lips|strong = "H8193" should|strong = "H3068" keep|strong = "H8104"  
knowledge|strong = "H1847", and|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H1931"  
should|strong = "H3068" seek|strong = "H1245" the|strong = "H3588"  
law|strong = "H8451" from|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H8104"  
mouth|strong = "H6310", because|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H1931"  
is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" messenger|strong = "H4397"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635".

8'But|strong = "H1870" you|strong = "H4480" have|strong = "H3068"  
turned|strong = "H5493" aside|strong = "H5493" from|strong = "H4480"  
that|strong = "H3068" way|strong = "H1870". You|strong = "H4480"  
have|strong = "H3068" caused|strong = "H5414" many|strong = "H7227"  
to|strong = "H3068" stumble|strong = "H3782" in|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" law|strong = "H8451". You|strong = "H4480"  
have|strong = "H3068" corrupted|strong = "H7843" the|strong = "H3068"  
covenant|strong = "H1285" of|strong = "H3068" Levi|strong = "H3878",  
says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635". <sup>9</sup> 'So|strong = "H5414"  
I|strong = "H5414" have|strong = "H5971" I|strong = "H5414"  
made|strong = "H5414" you|strong = "H5414" contemptible|strong = "H0959"  
and|strong = "H5971" degraded|strong = "H7034" before|strong = "H6440"  
all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971",  
because|strong = "H6440" you|strong = "H5414" have|strong = "H5971"  
not|strong = "H5414" kept|strong = "H8104" my|strong = "H8104"  
ways|strong = "H1870", and|strong = "H5971" have|strong = "H5971"  
had|strong = "H5414" no|strong = "H3605" respect|strong = "H5375"  
for|strong = "H6440" me|strong = "H5414" in|strong = "H6440" imparting  
the|strong = "H3605" law|strong = "H8451".  
Unfaithfulness|strong = "H4604"

10Don't|strong = "H3808" we|strong = "H3605" have|strong = "H3605"  
all|strong = "H3605" one|strong = "H3605" father|strong = "H0001"?  
Didn't|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H3808"  
created|strong = "H1254" us|strong = "H5414"? Why|strong = "H4069"  
do|strong = "H3605" we|strong = "H3605" deal|strong = "H6213" faithlessly  
with|strong = "H1285" one|strong = "H3605" another|strong = "H3808",  
profaning|strong = "H2490" the|strong = "H3605" covenant|strong = "H1285"  
of|strong = "H3605" our|strong = "H3605" ancestors|strong = "H0001"? <sup>11</sup>  
Judah|strong = "H3063" is|strong = "H3068" treacherous|strong = "H0898",  
and|strong = "H3063" abominations|strong = "H8441" are|strong = "H3478"  
committed|strong = "H6213" in|strong = "H3478" Israel|strong = "H3478"  
and|strong = "H3063" in|strong = "H3478" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389"  
because|strong = "H3588" Judah|strong = "H3063" has|strong = "H3068"



profaned|strong = "H2490" the|strong = "H3588" holy|strong = "H6944"  
 things|strong = "H6944" loved|strong = "H0157" by|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, and|strong = "H3063"  
 has|strong = "H3068" married|strong = "H1166" the|strong = "H3588"  
 daughter|strong = "H1323" of|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H6213"  
 foreign|strong = "H5236" god|strong = "H3068". <sup>12</sup> May|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H6213" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* banish|strong = "H5080"  
 from|strong = "H3772" the|strong = "H6213" community|strong = "H5712"  
 of|strong = "H3068" Jacob|strong = "H3290" anyone|strong = "H3605"  
 who|strong = "H3068" does|strong = "H6213" this|strong = "H6213",  
 anyone|strong = "H3605" awaking, testifying, and|strong = "H3068"  
 making|strong = "H6213" an|strong = "H6213" offering|strong = "H4503"  
 to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6213" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635". <sup>13</sup> And|strong = "H3068"  
 you|strong = "H6213" also|strong = "H3068" do|strong = "H6213"  
 this|strong = "H2063": You|strong = "H6213" cover|strong = "H3680"  
 the|strong = "H3947" altar|strong = "H4196" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3947" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* with|strong = "H3068"  
 tears|strong = "H1832", because|strong = "H3027" he|strong = "H6213"  
 doesn't|strong = "H3808" accept|strong = "H3947" the|strong = "H3947"  
 offering|strong = "H4503" any|strong = "H5750" more|strong = "H5750",  
 doesn't|strong = "H3808" accept|strong = "H3947" it|strong = "H6213"  
 from|strong = "H3027" your|strong = "H3068" hand|strong = "H3027". <sup>14</sup>  
 Yet|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" ask|strong = "H7592",  
 'Why|strong = "H4100"?' Because|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H5921" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068" testifying  
 against|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H3588" on|strong = "H5921"  
 behalf|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921"  
 wife|strong = "H0802" you|strong = "H3588" married|strong = "H3947"  
 when|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" were|strong = "H5921"  
 young|strong = "H5288". You|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068"  
 been|strong = "H3068" unfaithful|strong = "H4603" to|strong = "H3068"  
 her|strong = "H5921", even|strong = "H3588" though|strong = "H3588"  
 she|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
 companion|strong = "H2278", and|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
 legal|strong = "H1779" wife|strong = "H0802".

<sup>15</sup> Did|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H6213"  
 one|strong = "H3808" God|strong = "H3808" make|strong = "H6213"  
 everyone|strong = "H3605", so|strong = "H6213" that|strong = "H6213"  
 all|strong = "H6213" both|strong = "H8147" flesh|strong = "H1320"  
 and|strong = "H6213" spirit|strong = "H7307" is|strong = "H4100"  
 his|strong = "H8104"? And|strong = "H6213" what|strong = "H4100"  
 does|strong = "H6213" that|strong = "H6213" one|strong = "H3808"  
 God|strong = "H3808" seek|strong = "H1245" but|strong = "H3808"

godly|strong = "H2623" children|strong = "H2233"?  
 Therefore|strong = "H6213" keep|strong = "H8104" watch|strong = "H8104"  
 over|strong = "H6213" your|strong = "H8104" spirit|strong = "H7307",  
 and|strong = "H6213" let|strong = "H3808" none|strong = "H3808"  
 of|strong = "H7307" you|strong = "H6213" deal|strong = "H6213" faithlessly  
 with|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H6213" wife|strong = "H0802"  
 of|strong = "H7307" your|strong = "H8104" youth|strong = "H5271". <sup>16</sup>  
 'A|strong = "H3588" man|strong = "H0376" who|strong = "H3068"  
 divorces|strong = "H7971" or|strong = "H3808" puts|strong = "H7971"  
 away|strong = "H7971" his|strong = "H8104" wife|strong = "H0802",  
 says|strong = "H0559" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, the|strong = "H5921"  
 God|strong = "H3068" of|strong = "H3068" Israel|strong = "H3478",  
 'overwhelms|strong = "H3680" her|strong = "H7971" with|strong = "H3068"  
 cruelty|strong = "H2555". The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H0559":  
 'Keep|strong = "H8104" watch|strong = "H8104" over|strong = "H5921"  
 your|strong = "H3068" spirit|strong = "H7307", do|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808" unfaithful|strong = "H4603".'  
 The|strong = "H5921" Lord's|strong = "H3068" Coming|strong = "H0935"  
 Judgment|strong = "H4941"

17 You|strong = "H3605" have|strong = "H3068" wearied|strong = "H3021"  
 the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* with|strong = "H3068"  
 your|strong = "H3068" words|strong = "H1697". You|strong = "H3605"  
 ask|strong = "H7592", 'How|strong = "H4100" have|strong = "H3068"  
 we|strong = "H6213" wearied|strong = "H3021" him|strong = "H6213"?'  
 By|strong = "H3068" saying|strong = "H1697", 'Everyone|strong = "H3605"  
 who|strong = "H3605" does|strong = "H6213" evil|strong = "H7451"  
 is|strong = "H3068" good|strong = "H2896" in|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3605" sight|strong = "H5869" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, and|strong = "H3068"  
 he|strong = "H1931" delights|strong = "H2654" in|strong = "H3068"  
 them|strong = "H6213".' Or|strong = "H2896", 'Where|strong = "H4100"  
 is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H3068"  
 of|strong = "H3068" justice|strong = "H4941"?'

3 'I|strong = "H2005" am|strong = "H3068" about|strong = "H1870"  
 to|strong = "H3068" send|strong = "H7971" my|strong = "H3068"  
 messenger|strong = "H4397" and|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H3068"  
 will|strong = "H3068" clear|strong = "H6437" a|strong = "H7971"  
 path|strong = "H1870" before|strong = "H6440" me|strong = "H6440":  
 And|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
 who|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H6440" are|strong = "H3068"  
 seeking|strong = "H1245", will|strong = "H3068" suddenly|strong = "H6597"  
 come|strong = "H6635" to|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068"

temple|strong = "H1964". The|strong = "H6440" messenger|strong = "H4397"  
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440" covenant|strong = "H1285"  
 who|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H6440" long|strong = "H6440"  
 for|strong = "H6440" is|strong = "H3068" already|strong = "H3528"  
 coming|strong = "H2009", says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H6440" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635". <sup>2</sup>  
 But|strong = "H3588" who|strong = "H4310" can|strong = "H4310"  
 endure|strong = "H5975" the|strong = "H7200" day|strong = "H3117"  
 of|strong = "H3117" his|strong = "H3526" coming|strong = "H0935"?  
 And|strong = "H3117" who|strong = "H4310" will|strong = "H4310"  
 stand|strong = "H5975" firm|strong = "H7200" when|strong = "H3588"  
 he|strong = "H1931" appears|strong = "H7200"? He|strong = "H1931"  
 is|strong = "H1931" like|strong = "H6884" a|strong = "H3588"  
 refiner's|strong = "H6884" fire|strong = "H0784", and|strong = "H3117"  
 like|strong = "H6884" a|strong = "H3588" launderer's soap|strong = "H1287",  
<sup>3</sup> and|strong = "H1121" he|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
 sit|strong = "H3427" as|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"  
 refiner|strong = "H6884" and|strong = "H1121" purifier|strong = "H2891".  
 He|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" purify|strong = "H2891"  
 the|strong = "H3068" descendants|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"  
 Levi|strong = "H3878", and|strong = "H1121" refine|strong = "H6884"  
 them|strong = "H1961" like|strong = "H1961" gold|strong = "H2091"  
 and|strong = "H1121" silver|strong = "H3701", until|strong = "H3068"  
 they|strong = "H3068" are|strong = "H1121" fit|strong = "H6257"  
 to|strong = "H3068" bring|strong = "H5066" offerings|strong = "H4503"  
 to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*. <sup>4</sup>  
 Then|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
 offerings|strong = "H4503" of|strong = "H3068" Judah|strong = "H3063"  
 and|strong = "H3063" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" be|strong = "H3068"  
 pleasant|strong = "H6149" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, as|strong = "H3117" in|strong = "H8141"  
 the|strong = "H3068" days|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3068"  
 old|strong = "H5769", and|strong = "H3063" as|strong = "H3117"  
 in|strong = "H8141" former|strong = "H6931" years|strong = "H8141".

<sup>5</sup> I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3068" come|strong = "H1961"  
 to|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3808" in|strong = "H3068"  
 judgment|strong = "H4941". I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3068"  
 be|strong = "H1961" quick|strong = "H4116" to|strong = "H3068"  
 testify|strong = "H6030" against|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"  
 sorcerers|strong = "H3784", adulterers|strong = "H5003", perjurers,  
 those|strong = "H1961" who|strong = "H3068" cheat|strong = "H5791"  
 workers|strong = "H7916", or|strong = "H3808" widows|strong = "H0490",  
 or|strong = "H3808" orphans|strong = "H3490", deny|strong = "H3584"  
 justice|strong = "H4941" to|strong = "H3068" immigrants|strong = "H1616",

and|strong = "H3068" do|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
 fear|strong = "H3372" me|strong = "H3372", ' says|strong = "H0559"  
 the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068"  
 hosts|strong = "H6635". <sup>6</sup> 'For|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588",  
 the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, do|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" change|strong = "H8138"; and|strong = "H1121"  
 you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
 ceased|strong = "H3615" to|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3808"  
 descendants|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Jacob|strong = "H3290".'  
 Paying|strong = "H1576" the|strong = "H3588" Tithe|strong = "H4643"

<sup>7</sup>From|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H8104" days|strong = "H3117"  
 of|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" ancestors|strong = "H0001",  
 you|strong = "H3117" have|strong = "H3068" turned|strong = "H7725"  
 aside|strong = "H5493" from|strong = "H7725" my|strong = "H8104"  
 statutes|strong = "H2706", and|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3117"  
 have|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" kept|strong = "H8104"  
 them|strong = "H7725". Turn|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725"  
 me|strong = "H7725" and|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3117"  
 will|strong = "H3068" turn|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725"  
 you|strong = "H3117", ' says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H8104" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*. 'You|strong = "H3117" say|strong = "H7725",  
 "How|strong = "H4100" should|strong = "H3068" we|strong = "H3117"  
 turn|strong = "H7725"?" <sup>8</sup> Can|strong = "H4100" a|strong = "H3588"  
 human|strong = "H0120" rob|strong = "H6906" God|strong = "H0430"?  
 Yet|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" robbed|strong = "H6906"  
 me|strong = "H4100". You|strong = "H3588" ask|strong = "H7592",  
 "How|strong = "H4100" have|strong = "H3588" we|strong = "H3588"  
 robbed|strong = "H6906" you|strong = "H3588"?" In|strong = "H4643"  
 tithes|strong = "H4643" and|strong = "H4643" gifts|strong = "H8641"! <sup>9</sup>  
 You|strong = "H3605" – your|strong = "H3605" entire|strong = "H3605"  
 nation|strong = "H1471" – are|strong = "H1471" all|strong = "H3605"  
 cursed|strong = "H0779", because|strong = "H3605" you|strong = "H3605"  
 rob|strong = "H6906" me|strong = "H3605".

<sup>10</sup>Bring|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H3605" whole|strong = "H3605"  
 tithe|strong = "H4643" into|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H3605"  
 storehouse|strong = "H0214", so|strong = "H1961" that|strong = "H3605"  
 there|strong = "H1961" is|strong = "H3068" food|strong = "H2964"  
 in|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3605" house|strong = "H1004".  
 Test|strong = "H5254" me|strong = "H4994" in|strong = "H3068"  
 this|strong = "H2063" way|strong = "H2063". See|strong = "H7200"  
 if|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" open|strong = "H6605" to|strong = "H5704"  
 you|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" windows|strong = "H2474"

of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3605" sky|strong = "H8064",  
 and|strong = "H3068" pour|strong = "H8210" you|strong = "H3605"  
 out|strong = "H7324" a|strong = "H1961" blessing|strong = "H1293",  
 until|strong = "H5704" there|strong = "H1961" is|strong = "H3068"  
 more|strong = "H3808" than|strong = "H3808" enough|strong = "H1767". <sup>11</sup>  
 I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3068" rebuke|strong = "H1605"  
 for|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" sakes|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H3068" devouring|strong = "H0398" locust|strong = "H0697"  
 and|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" destroy|strong = "H7843" your|strong = "H3068"  
 crops|strong = "H8393", nor|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" vine|strong = "H1612" fail|strong = "H3808"  
 to|strong = "H3068" ripen its|strong = "H7843" fruit|strong = "H6529"  
 in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" field|strong = "H7704",  
 says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635", <sup>12</sup> and|strong = "H3068"  
 all|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471" will|strong = "H3068"  
 call|strong = "H7121" you|strong = "H3588" happy|strong = "H0835",  
 for|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"  
 be|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961" delightful|strong = "H2656"  
 land|strong = "H0776", says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3605" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635".  
 Future|strong = "H0319" Reward|strong = "H7939" of|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3605" Godless|strong = "H2611" and|strong = "H3068"  
 Faithful|strong = "H0539"

13'You|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H1696"  
 terrible|strong = "H3372" things|strong = "H1697" about|strong = "H5921"  
 me|strong = "H5921", says|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H5921" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*. 'You|strong = "H5921" ask|strong = "H7592",  
 "What|strong = "H4100" have|strong = "H3068" we|strong = "H1697"  
 said|strong = "H1696" about|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H5921"?' <sup>14</sup>  
 You|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H0559",  
 "It|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H3068" useless|strong = "H1892"  
 to|strong = "H1980" serve|strong = "H5647" God|strong = "H3068",  
 and|strong = "H1980" what|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H5647"  
 we|strong = "H3588" gain|strong = "H1215" from|strong = "H6440"  
 the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H3068"  
 hosts|strong = "H6635" by|strong = "H3068" keeping|strong = "H8104"  
 his|strong = "H8104" commands|strong = "H6680", and|strong = "H1980"  
 walking|strong = "H1980" mournfully|strong = "H6941" in|strong = "H1980"  
 funeral garb before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440"? <sup>15</sup>  
 So|strong = "H6213" now|strong = "H6258" we|strong = "H6213"  
 call|strong = "H7121" the|strong = "H6213" proud|strong = "H2086"  
 happy|strong = "H0835", evildoers|strong = "H6213"

thrive|strong = "H6743": they|strong = "H6213" dare|strong = "H6148"  
 God|strong = "H0430" and|strong = "H6213" escape|strong = "H4422"  
 unharmed|strong = "H7965".”

16Such|strong = "H1696" things|strong = "H3372" those|strong = "H8085"  
 who|strong = "H3068" revered|strong = "H3372" the|strong = "H6440" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* spoke|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H1696"  
 one|strong = "H3068" another|strong = "H7453", and|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* took|strong = "H3947"  
 notice|strong = "H3045", and|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H8085"  
 record|strong = "H3789" was|strong = "H3068" written|strong = "H3789"  
 before|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H3068"  
 those|strong = "H8085" who|strong = "H3068" revered|strong = "H3372"  
 the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* and|strong = "H3068"  
 those|strong = "H8085" who|strong = "H3068" keep|strong = "H8085"  
 in|strong = "H3068" mind|strong = "H6440" his|strong = "H3068"  
 name|strong = "H8034". <sup>17</sup> ‘They|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068"  
 be|strong = "H1961" mine|strong = "H5375”,’ says|strong = "H0559"  
 the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H1121"  
 hosts|strong = "H6635”, ‘my|strong = "H3068" special|strong = "H5459"  
 possession|strong = "H5459" on|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H3117"  
 day|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117"  
 am|strong = "H1961" preparing|strong = "H6213". I|strong = "H3117"  
 will|strong = "H3068" spare|strong = "H2550" them|strong = "H5921"  
 as|strong = "H3117" a|strong = "H1961" man|strong = "H1121"  
 spares|strong = "H2550" his|strong = "H3068" son|strong = "H1121"  
 who|strong = "H3068" serves|strong = "H5647" him|strong = "H5921". <sup>18</sup>  
 Once|strong = "H7725" again|strong = "H7725" my|strong = "H7200"  
 people|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H6662" see|strong = "H7200"  
 the|strong = "H7200" difference|strong = "H0914" between|strong = "H0996"  
 the|strong = "H7200" righteous|strong = "H6662" and|strong = "H7725"  
 the|strong = "H7200" wicked|strong = "H7563”, between|strong = "H0996"  
 the|strong = "H7200" person|strong = "H7200" who|strong = "H6662"  
 serves|strong = "H5647" God|strong = "H3808" and|strong = "H7725"  
 the|strong = "H7200" person|strong = "H7200" who|strong = "H6662"  
 does|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808”.’

4‘The|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117" is|strong = "H0369"  
 coming|strong = "H0935" that|strong = "H0834" will|strong = "H3068"  
 burn|strong = "H8313" like|strong = "H3644" a|strong = "H1961"  
 furnace|strong = "H3564”, and|strong = "H3967" all|strong = "H3605"  
 the|strong = "H3605" proud|strong = "H1343" and|strong = "H3967"  
 all|strong = "H3605" evildoers|strong = "H7489" will|strong = "H3068"  
 be|strong = "H1961" stubble|strong = "H7179”, and|strong = "H3967"  
 the|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H0834”

is|strong = "H0369" coming|strong = "H0935" will|strong = "H3068"  
 burn|strong = "H8313" them|strong = "H5414" up|strong = "H5927",  
 says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 of|strong = "H1121" hosts|strong = "H6635", 'leaving|strong = "H5800"  
 neither|strong = "H3808" root|strong = "H8328" nor|strong = "H3808"  
 branch|strong = "H6780". <sup>2</sup> But|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H0413"  
 you|strong = "H0859" who|strong = "H0834" revere|strong = "H3372"  
 my|strong = "H8104" name|strong = "H8034" there|strong = "H8033"  
 will|strong = "H3068" arise|strong = "H6965" the|strong = "H3605"  
 sun|strong = "H8121" of|strong = "H1121" righteousness|strong = "H6666"  
 with|strong = "H5973" healing|strong = "H4832" in|strong = "H0935"  
 its|strong = "H3605" wings|strong = "H3671", and|strong = "H3967"  
 you|strong = "H0859" will|strong = "H3068" run|strong = "H7323"  
 free|strong = "H2670" like|strong = "H3644" calves|strong = "H5695"  
 let|strong = "H7971" out|strong = "H3318" from|strong = "H4480"  
 their|strong = "H3605" stall|strong = "H4770". <sup>3</sup> In|strong = "H0935"  
 the|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117" when|strong = "H3588"  
 I|strong = "H0589" act|strong = "H6213" you|strong = "H0859"  
 will|strong = "H3068" tread|strong = "H1869" down|strong = "H3381"  
 the|strong = "H3605" wicked|strong = "H7563", they|strong = "H1992"  
 will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961" as|strong = "H0834"  
 ashes|strong = "H0665" under|strong = "H8478" the|strong = "H3605"  
 soles|strong = "H3709" of|strong = "H1121" your|strong = "H3068"  
 feet|strong = "H7272", ' says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3605" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* of|strong = "H1121" hosts|strong = "H6635".

<sup>4</sup> Remember|strong = "H2142" the|strong = "H3605" law|strong = "H8451"  
 of|strong = "H1121" Moses|strong = "H4872" my|strong = "H8104"  
 servant|strong = "H5650", statutes|strong = "H2706" and|strong = "H3967"  
 judgments|strong = "H4941" which|strong = "H0834" I|strong = "H0589"  
 gave|strong = "H5414" him|strong = "H5414" at|strong = "H3427"  
 Horeb|strong = "H2722" for|strong = "H3588" all|strong = "H3605"  
 Israel|strong = "H3478". <sup>5</sup> I|strong = "H0589" am|strong = "H1961"  
 about|strong = "H5439" to|strong = "H0413" send|strong = "H7971"  
 to|strong = "H0413" you|strong = "H0859" Elijah|strong = "H0452"  
 the|strong = "H3605" prophet|strong = "H5030", before|strong = "H6440"  
 the|strong = "H3605" great|strong = "H1419" and|strong = "H3967"  
 terrible|strong = "H3372" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H1121"  
 the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* comes|strong = "H0935".

<sup>6</sup> He|strong = "H0834" will|strong = "H3068" turn|strong = "H7725"  
 fathers'|strong = "H0001" hearts|strong = "H3820" to|strong = "H0413"  
 their|strong = "H3605" sons|strong = "H1121" and|strong = "H3967"  
 sons'|strong = "H1121" hearts|strong = "H3820" to|strong = "H0413"  
 their|strong = "H3605" fathers|strong = "H0001", so|strong = "H3651"  
 that|strong = "H0834" I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H3068"

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The Birth, Parentage and Infancy

1A|strong = "G5547" genealogy|strong = "G1078" of|strong = "G5207"  
Jesus|strong = "G2424" Christ|strong = "G5547", a|strong = "G5547"  
descendant|strong = "H2233" of|strong = "G5207" David|strong = "G1138"  
and|strong = "G2424" Abraham|strong = "H0085". <sup>2</sup>

Abraham|strong = "H0085" was|strong = "G3588" the|strong = "G2532"  
father|strong = "G1080" of|strong = "G2532" Isaac|strong = "G2464",  
Isaac|strong = "G2464" of|strong = "G2532" Jacob|strong = "G2384",  
Jacob|strong = "G2384" of|strong = "G2532" Judah|strong = "G2455"  
and|strong = "G2532" his|strong = "G2532" brothers|strong = "H0251", <sup>3</sup>  
Judah|strong = "G2455" of|strong = "G1537" Perez|strong = "G5329"  
and|strong = "G2532" Zerah|strong = "G2196", whose|strong = "G3588"  
mother|strong = "H0517" was|strong = "G3588" Tamar|strong = "G2283",  
Perez|strong = "G5329" of|strong = "G1537" Hezron|strong = "G2074",  
Hezron|strong = "G2074" of|strong = "G1537" Aram|strong = "H0758", <sup>4</sup>

Aram|strong = "H0758" of|strong = "G1080" Aminadab, Aminadab  
of|strong = "G1080" Nahshon|strong = "G3476", Nahshon|strong = "G3476"  
of|strong = "G1080" Salmon|strong = "G4533", <sup>5</sup> Salmon|strong = "G4533"  
of|strong = "G1537" Boaz|strong = "G1003", whose|strong = "G3588"  
mother|strong = "H0517" was|strong = "G3588" Rahab|strong = "G4477",  
Boaz|strong = "G1003" of|strong = "G1537" Obed|strong = "G5601",  
whose|strong = "G3588" mother|strong = "H0517" was|strong = "G3588"  
Ruth|strong = "G4503", Obed|strong = "G5601" of|strong = "G1537"  
Jesse|strong = "G2421", <sup>6</sup> Jesse|strong = "G2421" of|strong = "G1537"  
David|strong = "G1138" the|strong = "G1537" King|strong = "G3588".  
David|strong = "G1138" was|strong = "G3588" the|strong = "G1537"  
father|strong = "G1080" of|strong = "G1537" Solomon|strong = "G4672",  
whose|strong = "G3588" mother|strong = "H0517" was|strong = "G3588"

Uriah's|strong = "H0223" widow|strong = "H0490", <sup>7</sup>  
Solomon|strong = "G4672" of|strong = "G1080" Rehoboam|strong = "G4497",  
Rehoboam|strong = "G4497" of|strong = "G1080" Abijah|strong = "H0029",  
Abijah|strong = "H0029" of|strong = "G1080" Asa|strong = "H0609", <sup>8</sup>  
Asa|strong = "H0609" of|strong = "G1080" Jehoshaphat|strong = "G2498",  
Jehoshaphat|strong = "G2498" of|strong = "G1080" Joram|strong = "G2496",  
Joram|strong = "G2496" of|strong = "G1080" Uzziah|strong = "G3604", <sup>9</sup>  
Uzziah|strong = "G3604" of|strong = "G1080" Jotham|strong = "G2488",  
Jotham|strong = "G2488" of|strong = "G1080" Ahaz|strong = "H0271",  
Ahaz|strong = "H0271" of|strong = "G1080" Hezekiah|strong = "G1478", <sup>10</sup>  
Hezekiah|strong = "G1478" of|strong = "G1080" Manasseh|strong = "G3128",

Manasseh|strong = "G3128" of|strong = "G1080" Amon|strong = "H0526",  
 Amon|strong = "H0526" of|strong = "G1080" Josiah|strong = "G2502", <sup>11</sup>  
 Josiah|strong = "G2502" of|strong = "G2532" Jechoniah  
 and|strong = "G2532" his|strong = "G1909" brothers|strong = "H0251",  
 at|strong = "G1909" the|strong = "G2532" time|strong = "G1909"  
 of|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532" Exile|strong = "H1540"  
 to|strong = "G2532" Babylon|strong = "H0894". <sup>12</sup> After|strong = "G3326"  
 the|strong = "G1161" Exile|strong = "H1540" to|strong = "G1161"  
 Babylon|strong = "H0894" – Jechoniah was|strong = "G3588"  
 the|strong = "G1161" father|strong = "G1080" of|strong = "G1080"  
 Salathiel|strong = "G4528", Salathiel|strong = "G4528" of|strong = "G1080"  
 Zerubbabel|strong = "G2216", <sup>13</sup> Zerubbabel|strong = "G2216"  
 of|strong = "G1080" Abiud, Abiud of|strong = "G1080"  
 Eliakim|strong = "G1662", Eliakim|strong = "G1662" of|strong = "G1080"  
 Azor, <sup>14</sup> Azor of|strong = "G1080" Zadok|strong = "G4524",  
 Zadok|strong = "G4524" of|strong = "G1080" Achim, Achim  
 of|strong = "G1080" Eliud|strong = "G1664", <sup>15</sup> Eliud|strong = "G1664"  
 of|strong = "G1080" Eleazar|strong = "G1648", Eleazar|strong = "G1648"  
 of|strong = "G1080" Matthan|strong = "G3157", Matthan|strong = "G3157"  
 of|strong = "G1080" Jacob|strong = "G2384", <sup>16</sup> Jacob|strong = "G2384"  
 of|strong = "G1537" Joseph|strong = "G2501", the|strong = "G1537"  
 husband|strong = "H0376" of|strong = "G1537" Mary|strong = "G3137",  
 who|strong = "G3739" was|strong = "G3588" the|strong = "G1537"  
 mother|strong = "H0517" of|strong = "G1537" Jesus|strong = "G2424",  
 who|strong = "G3739" is|strong = "G3588" called|strong = "G3004"  
 "Christ|strong = "G5547"". <sup>17</sup> So|strong = "G3767" the|strong = "G2532"  
 whole|strong = "G3956" number|strong = "H4557" of|strong = "G2532"  
 generations|strong = "G1074" from|strong = "G2532"  
 Abraham|strong = "H0085" to|strong = "G2532" David|strong = "G1138"  
 is|strong = "G3588" fourteen|strong = "G1180"; from|strong = "G2532"  
 David|strong = "G1138" to|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532"  
 Exile|strong = "H1540" to|strong = "G2532" Babylon|strong = "H0894"  
 fourteen|strong = "G1180"; and|strong = "G2532" from|strong = "G2532"  
 the|strong = "G2532" Exile|strong = "H1540" to|strong = "G2532"  
 Babylon|strong = "H0894" to|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532"  
 Christ|strong = "G5547" fourteen|strong = "G1180".

<sup>18</sup>This|strong = "G3588" is|strong = "G1510" how|strong = "G3779"  
 Jesus|strong = "G2424" Christ|strong = "G5547" was|strong = "G1510"  
 born|strong = "H3205":

**H** is|strong = "G1438" mother|strong = "G3384" Mary|strong = "G3137"  
 was|strong = "G1510" engaged|strong = "G3423" to|strong = "G1722"  
 Joseph|strong = "G2501", but|strong = "G1161", before|strong = "G4250"  
 the|strong = "G1722" marriage|strong = "H0802" took|strong = "G2192"

place|strong = "G1722", she|strong = "G1161" found|strong = "G2147"  
herself|strong = "G1438" to|strong = "G1722" be|strong = "G1510"  
pregnant|strong = "G1064" by|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722"  
power|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G1722"  
Holy|strong = "G4151" Spirit|strong = "G4151". <sup>19</sup> Her|strong = "G1438"  
husband|strong = "H0376", Joseph|strong = "G2501", was|strong = "G1510"  
a|strong = "G2532" just|strong = "G1342" man|strong = "G1342"  
and|strong = "G2532", since|strong = "G1161" he|strong = "G2532"  
did|strong = "G2532" not|strong = "G3361" want|strong = "G2309"  
to|strong = "G2532" disgrace|strong = "G1165" her|strong = "G1438"  
publicly|strong = "H3318", he|strong = "G2532" resolved|strong = "H0559"  
to|strong = "G2532" put|strong = "G2532" an|strong = "G2532"  
end|strong = "H7093" to|strong = "G2532" their|strong = "G1438"  
engagement privately|strong = "G2977". <sup>20</sup> He|strong = "G1161"  
had|strong = "G1510" been|strong = "G1510" thinking|strong = "G1760"  
this|strong = "G3778" over|strong = "G1537", when|strong = "G1161"  
an|strong = "G1722" angel|strong = "H4397" of|strong = "G1537"  
the|strong = "G1722" Lord|strong = "G2962" appeared|strong = "G3708"  
to|strong = "G2596" him|strong = "G3588" in|strong = "G1722"  
a|strong = "G1722" dream|strong = "G3677".

‘ Joseph|strong = "G2501", son|strong = "G5207" of|strong = "G1537"  
David|strong = "G1138",’ the|strong = "G1722" angel|strong = "H4397"  
said|strong = "G3004", ‘do|strong = "G3004" not|strong = "G3361"  
be|strong = "G1510" afraid|strong = "G5399" to|strong = "G2596"  
take|strong = "G3880" Mary|strong = "G3137" for|strong = "G1063"  
your|strong = "G2962" wife|strong = "G1135", for|strong = "G1063"  
her|strong = "G3708" child|strong = "G1722" has|strong = "G2962"  
been|strong = "G1510" conceived|strong = "G1080" by|strong = "G1722"  
the|strong = "G1722" power|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "G1537"  
the|strong = "G1722" Holy|strong = "G4151" Spirit|strong = "G4151". <sup>21</sup>  
She|strong = "G2532" will|strong = "G2532" give|strong = "G5088"  
birth|strong = "G5088" to|strong = "G2532" a|strong = "G2532"  
son|strong = "G5207"; name|strong = "G3686" him|strong = "G3588"  
Jesus|strong = "G2424", for|strong = "G1063" he|strong = "G2532"  
will|strong = "G2532" save|strong = "G4982" his|strong = "G2532"  
people|strong = "G2992" from|strong = "G2532" their|strong = "G2532"  
sins|strong = "H2403".’

22All|strong = "G3650" this|strong = "G3778" happened|strong = "G1096"  
in|strong = "G1223" fulfilment of|strong = "G5259" these|strong = "G3778"  
words|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "G5259" the|strong = "G1161"  
Lord|strong = "G2962" through|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G1161"  
prophet|strong = "G4396", where|strong = "H0834" he|strong = "G1161"  
says|strong = "G3004" –

23“The|strong = "G1722" virgin|strong = "G3933" will|strong = "G2316" conceive|strong = "H2029" and|strong = "G2532" will|strong = "G2316" give|strong = "G5088" birth|strong = "G5088" to|strong = "G2532" a|strong = "G2192" son|strong = "G5207", and|strong = "G2532" they|strong = "G2532" will|strong = "G2316" give|strong = "G5088" him|strong = "G3588" the|strong = "G1722" name|strong = "G3686" Immanuel|strong = "G1694" – a|strong = "G2192" word|strong = "G3588" which|strong = "G3739" means|strong = "G1510" “God|strong = "G2316" is|strong = "G1510" with|strong = "G3326" us|strong = "G2249”.” <sup>24</sup> When|strong = "G1161" Joseph|strong = "G2501" woke|strong = "G1453" up|strong = "G1453", he|strong = "G2532" did|strong = "G4160" as|strong = "G5613" the|strong = "G2532" angel|strong = "H4397" of|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532" Lord|strong = "G2962" had|strong = "G2532" directed|strong = "H5090" him|strong = "G3588”. <sup>25</sup> He|strong = "G2532" made|strong = "G3756" Mary his|strong = "G1438" wife|strong = "H0802", but|strong = "G2532" they|strong = "G2532" did|strong = "G2532" not|strong = "G3756" sleep|strong = "H8142" together|strong = "G2532" before|strong = "G2193" the|strong = "G2532" birth|strong = "G5088" of|strong = "G5207" her|strong = "G1438" son|strong = "G5207”; and|strong = "G2532" to|strong = "G2532" this|strong = "G3588" son|strong = "G5207" he|strong = "G2532" gave|strong = "G5088" the|strong = "G2532" name|strong = "G3686" Jesus|strong = "G2424”.

2After|strong = "G1161" the|strong = "G1722" birth|strong = "G1080" of|strong = "G2250" Jesus|strong = "G2424" at|strong = "G1722" Bethlehem|strong = "H1035" in|strong = "G1722" Judea|strong = "G2449”, in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722" reign|strong = "H4427" of|strong = "G2250" King|strong = "G3588" Herod|strong = "G2264”, some|strong = "G3588" astrologers|strong = "H0826" from|strong = "G3588" the|strong = "G1722" East|strong = "H6921" arrived|strong = "G3854" in|strong = "G1722" Jerusalem|strong = "G2414”, asking|strong = "H7592”, <sup>2</sup> “Where|strong = "G4226" is|strong = "G1510" the|strong = "G1722" newborn king|strong = "G3588" of|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G1722" Jews|strong = "G2453”? For|strong = "G1063" we|strong = "G1063" saw|strong = "G3708" his|strong = "G1722" star|strong = "H3556" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722" east|strong = "H6921”, and|strong = "G2532" have|strong = "G2532" come|strong = "G2064" to|strong = "G2532" worship|strong = "G4352" him|strong = "G3588”.’ <sup>3</sup> When|strong = "G1161" King|strong = "G3588" Herod|strong = "G2264" heard|strong = "H8085" of|strong = "G2532" this|strong = "G3588”, he|strong = "G2532" was|strong = "G3588" much|strong = "H7227" troubled|strong = "G5015”, and|strong = "G2532" so|strong = "G2532" too|strong = "G2532" was|strong = "G3588" all|strong = "G3956" Jerusalem|strong = "G2414”. <sup>4</sup> He|strong = "G2532" called|strong = "G3588”

together|strong = "G4863" all|strong = "G3956" the|strong = "G2532"  
 chief|strong = "G2532" priests|strong = "H3548" and|strong = "G2532"  
 teachers|strong = "H3384" of|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532"  
 Law|strong = "H8451" in|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532"  
 nation|strong = "H1471", and|strong = "G2532" questioned|strong = "H7592"  
 them|strong = "G3588" as|strong = "G2532" to|strong = "G2532"  
 where|strong = "G4226" the|strong = "G2532" Christ|strong = "G5547"  
 was|strong = "G3588" to|strong = "G2532" be|strong = "G2532"  
 born|strong = "G1080".

5'At|strong = "G1722" Bethlehem|strong = "H1035" in|strong = "G1722"  
 Judea|strong = "G2449", was|strong = "G3588" their|strong = "G1722"  
 answer|strong = "H6030", 'for|strong = "G1063" it|strong = "G1161"  
 is|strong = "G3588" said|strong = "G3004" in|strong = "G1722"  
 the|strong = "G1722" prophet|strong = "G4396" –

6'And|strong = "G2532" you|strong = "G4771",  
 Bethlehem|strong = "H1035" in|strong = "G1722" Judah's|strong = "H3063"  
 land|strong = "G1093",

a re|strong = "G1510" in|strong = "G1722" no|strong = "G2532"  
 way|strong = "G1722" least|strong = "G1646" among|strong = "G1722"  
 the|strong = "G1722" chief|strong = "G2233" cities|strong = "H5892"  
 of|strong = "G1537" Judah|strong = "G2455",

f or|strong = "G1063" out|strong = "G1831" of|strong = "G1537"  
 you|strong = "G4771" will|strong = "G1510" come|strong = "G1831"  
 a|strong = "G2532" ruler|strong = "G2233" –

w ho|strong = "G3588" will|strong = "G1510" shepherd|strong = "G4165"  
 my|strong = "G1722" people|strong = "G2992" Israel|strong = "G2474"."

7Then|strong = "G5119" Herod|strong = "G2264" secretly|strong = "G2977"  
 sent|strong = "G3844" for|strong = "G3844" the|strong = "G3588"  
 astrologers|strong = "H0826". He|strong = "G3588" found|strong = "H4672"  
 out|strong = "G3844" from|strong = "G3844" them|strong = "G3588"  
 the|strong = "G3588" time|strong = "G5550" of|strong = "G3844"  
 the|strong = "G3588" appearance|strong = "H4758" of|strong = "G3844"  
 the|strong = "G3588" star|strong = "H3556". <sup>8</sup> Sending|strong = "G3992"  
 them|strong = "G3588" to|strong = "G1519" Bethlehem|strong = "H1035"  
 he|strong = "G2532" said|strong = "G3004", 'Go|strong = "G4198"  
 and|strong = "G2532" make|strong = "G1519" a|strong = "G2532"  
 careful|strong = "H8104" search|strong = "G1833" for|strong = "G1519"  
 the|strong = "G2532" child|strong = "G3813". When|strong = "G1161"

you|strong = "G3004" have|strong = "G2532" found|strong = "G2147"  
 him|strong = "G3588", bring|strong = "G2532" word|strong = "G3588"  
 back|strong = "G1519" to|strong = "G1519" me|strong = "G1473",  
 so|strong = "G2532" that|strong = "G3588" I|strong = "G1473",  
 too|strong = "G2532", can|strong = "G3004" go|strong = "G4198"  
 and|strong = "G2532" worship|strong = "G4352" him|strong = "G3588".<sup>9</sup>  
 The|strong = "G1722" astrologers|strong = "H0826" heard|strong = "H8085"  
 what|strong = "G3739" the|strong = "G1722" king|strong = "G3588"  
 had|strong = "G2532" to|strong = "G2532" say|strong = "G2532",  
 and|strong = "G2532" then|strong = "G2532" continued|strong = "H5674"  
 their|strong = "G1438" journey|strong = "G4198". The|strong = "G1722"  
 star|strong = "H3556" which|strong = "G3739" they|strong = "G2532"  
 had|strong = "G2532" seen|strong = "G3708" in|strong = "G1722"  
 the|strong = "G1722" east|strong = "H6921" led|strong = "G4254"  
 them|strong = "G3588" on|strong = "G1722", until|strong = "G2193"  
 it|strong = "G2532" reached|strong = "G2064" and|strong = "G2532"  
 stood|strong = "G2476" over|strong = "G1883" the|strong = "G1722"  
 place|strong = "G1722" where|strong = "G3757" the|strong = "G1722"  
 child|strong = "G3813" was|strong = "G1510".<sup>10</sup> At|strong = "G1161"  
 the|strong = "G1161" sight|strong = "G3588" of|strong = "G3588"  
 the|strong = "G1161" star|strong = "H3556" they|strong = "G1161"  
 were|strong = "G3588" filled|strong = "H4390" with|strong = "G3588"  
 joy|strong = "G5479".<sup>11</sup> Entering|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "G2532"  
 house|strong = "G3614", they|strong = "G2532" saw|strong = "G3708"  
 the|strong = "G2532" child|strong = "G3813" with|strong = "G3326"  
 his|strong = "G1519" mother|strong = "G3384", Mary|strong = "G3137",  
 and|strong = "G2532" fell|strong = "G4098" at|strong = "G1519"  
 his|strong = "G1519" feet|strong = "H7272" and|strong = "G2532"  
 worshipped|strong = "G4352" him|strong = "G3588". Then|strong = "G2532"  
 they|strong = "G2532" opened|strong = "H6605" their|strong = "G2532"  
 treasure|strong = "G2344" chests|strong = "H5458", and|strong = "G2532"  
 offered|strong = "G4374" to|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G2532"  
 child|strong = "G3813" presents|strong = "H7126" of|strong = "G2532"  
 gold|strong = "G5557", frankincense|strong = "G3030", and|strong = "G2532"  
 myrrh|strong = "G4666".<sup>12</sup> But|strong = "G2532"  
 afterwards|strong = "H0310", having|strong = "G2532"  
 been|strong = "G2532" warned|strong = "G5537" in|strong = "G1519"  
 a|strong = "G2532" dream|strong = "G3677" not|strong = "G3361"  
 to|strong = "G1519" go|strong = "G1519" back|strong = "G1519"  
 to|strong = "G1519" Herod|strong = "G2264", they|strong = "G2532"  
 returned|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "G1519" their|strong = "G2532"  
 own|strong = "H1961" country|strong = "G5561" by|strong = "G1223"  
 another|strong = "G2596" road|strong = "G3598".

13 After they had left, an angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream, and said, 'Get up, take the child and his mother, and go to Egypt; and stay there until I tell you, for Herod is about to search for the child, to put him to death.' <sup>14</sup> Joseph woke, and taking the child and his mother by night, went into Egypt; <sup>15</sup> and there until Herod's death. This was in fulfilment of these words of the Lord in the prophet, where he says –

“ Out of Egypt I called my Son.”

16 When Herod found out that the astrologers had tricked him, he flew into a rage. He sent and put to death all the boys in Bethlehem and the whole of

that|strong = "G3754" region|strong = "G3725", who|strong = "G3739" were|strong = "G3588" two|strong = "G1332" years|strong = "G1332" old|strong = "G1332" or|strong = "G2532" under|strong = "G5259", guided|strong = "H5148" by|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722" time|strong = "G5550" which|strong = "G3739" he|strong = "G2532" had|strong = "G2532" learned|strong = "H3925" from|strong = "G3844" the|strong = "G1722" astrologers|strong = "H0826". <sup>17</sup>  
 Then|strong = "G5119" were|strong = "G3588" fulfilled|strong = "G4137" these|strong = "G3588" words|strong = "H1697" spoken|strong = "G3004" in|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G1223" prophet|strong = "G4396" Jeremiah|strong = "G2408", where|strong = "H0834" he|strong = "G3588" says|strong = "G3004" –

18“A|strong = "G2532" voice|strong = "G5456" was|strong = "G1510" heard|strong = "H8085" in|strong = "G1722" Ramah|strong = "G4471”,

w eeping|strong = "G2799" and|strong = "G2532" mourning|strong = "G3602" loudly|strong = "G4183”;

R achel|strong = "G4478”, weeping|strong = "G2799" for|strong = "G3754" her|strong = "G3754" children|strong = "G5043”,

r efusing|strong = "H3985" all|strong = "G2532" comfort|strong = "G3870" for|strong = "G3754" they|strong = "G2532" were|strong = "G1510" dead|strong = "H4191”.”

19But|strong = "G1161”, on|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722" death|strong = "H4194" of|strong = "G2962" Herod|strong = "G2264”, an|strong = "G1722" angel|strong = "H4397" of|strong = "G2962" the|strong = "G1722" Lord|strong = "G2962" appeared|strong = "G3708" in|strong = "G1722" a|strong = "G1722" dream|strong = "G3677" to|strong = "G2596" Joseph|strong = "G2501" in|strong = "G1722" Egypt|strong = "H4714”, and|strong = "G1161" said|strong = "G1161”, <sup>20</sup>  
 ‘Get|strong = "G1453" up|strong = "G1453”, take|strong = "G3880" the|strong = "G2532" child|strong = "G3813" and|strong = "G2532" his|strong = "G1519" mother|strong = "G3384”, and|strong = "G2532" go|strong = "G4198" into|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G2532" Land|strong = "G1093" of|strong = "G2532" Israel|strong = "G2474”, for|strong = "G1063" those|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588" sought|strong = "G2212" to|strong = "G1519" take|strong = "G3880" the|strong = "G2532" child’s|strong = "G3813" life|strong = "G5590" are|strong = "G3588" dead|strong = "G2348”.’ <sup>21</sup> He|strong = "G2532" woke|strong = "G1453" up|strong = "G1453”, and|strong = "G2532" taking|strong = "G3880" the|strong = "G2532" child|strong = "G3813”



and|strong = "G2532" his|strong = "G1519" mother|strong = "G3384",  
 went|strong = "G1525" into|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G2532"  
 Land|strong = "G1093" of|strong = "G2532" Israel|strong = "G2474". <sup>22</sup>  
 But|strong = "G1161", hearing|strong = "H0241" that|strong = "G3754"  
 Archelaus had|strong = "G3588" succeeded|strong = "H8478"  
 his|strong = "G1519" father|strong = "G3962" Herod|strong = "G2264"  
 as|strong = "G1519" king|strong = "G3588" of|strong = "G3962"  
 Judea|strong = "G2449", he|strong = "G1161" was|strong = "G3588"  
 afraid|strong = "G5399" to|strong = "G1519" go|strong = "G1519"  
 back|strong = "G1519" there|strong = "G1563"; and|strong = "G1161"  
 having|strong = "H0369" been|strong = "H1961" warned|strong = "G5537"  
 in|strong = "G1519" a|strong = "G1519" dream|strong = "G3677",  
 he|strong = "G1161" went|strong = "G3588" into|strong = "G1519"  
 the|strong = "G1519" part|strong = "G3313" of|strong = "G3962"  
 the|strong = "G1519" country|strong = "G3313" called|strong = "G5537"  
 Galilee|strong = "G1056". <sup>23</sup> There|strong = "G2532" he|strong = "G2532"  
 settled|strong = "G2730" in|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G2532"  
 town|strong = "G4172" of|strong = "G1223" Nazareth|strong = "G3478",  
 in|strong = "G1519" fulfilment of|strong = "G1223" these|strong = "G3588"  
 words|strong = "G2532" in|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G2532"  
 prophets|strong = "G4396" – "He|strong = "G2532" will|strong = "G2532"  
 be|strong = "G2532" called|strong = "G2564" a|strong = "G2532"  
 Nazarene|strong = "G3480"."

#### The Preparation

3About|strong = "G1722" that|strong = "G3588" time|strong = "G2250"  
 John|strong = "G2491" the|strong = "G1722" Baptist first|strong = "G3588"  
 appeared|strong = "G3854", proclaiming|strong = "G2784"  
 in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722" wilderness|strong = "G2048"  
 of|strong = "G2250" Judea|strong = "G2449": <sup>2</sup> 'Repent|strong = "G3340",  
 for|strong = "G1063" the|strong = "G2532" kingdom|strong = "H4467"  
 of|strong = "G2532" heaven|strong = "G3772" is|strong = "G3588"  
 at|strong = "G3588" hand|strong = "G1448".' <sup>3</sup> John|strong = "G3004"  
 was|strong = "G1510" the|strong = "G1722" one|strong = "G3588"  
 who|strong = "G3588" was|strong = "G1510" spoken|strong = "G3004"  
 of|strong = "G1223" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722"  
 prophet|strong = "G4396" Isaiah|strong = "G2268", where|strong = "G1722"  
 he|strong = "G3778" says|strong = "G3004" –

“ The|strong = "G1722" voice|strong = "G5456" of|strong = "G1223"  
 one|strong = "G3588" crying|strong = "H1058" aloud|strong = "H7442"  
 in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722" wilderness|strong = "G2048":

‘ Make|strong = "G4160" ready|strong = "G2090" the|strong = "G1722"  
 way|strong = "G3598" of|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G1722"

Lord|strong = "G2962",

m|strong = "G4160" ake|strong = "G4160" his|strong = "G1223" paths|strong = "G5147"  
straight|strong = "G2117"."

4John's|strong = "G2491" clothes|strong = "G1742" were|strong = "G1510"  
made|strong = "G1161" of|strong = "G4012" camels'|strong = "H1581"  
hair|strong = "G2359", with|strong = "G2532" a|strong = "G2192"  
leather|strong = "G1193" strap|strong = "H8288" round|strong = "G2532"  
his|strong = "G4012" waist|strong = "G3751", and|strong = "G2532"  
his|strong = "G4012" food|strong = "G5160" was|strong = "G1510"  
locusts|strong = "H0697" and|strong = "G2532" wild|strong = "G2532"  
honey|strong = "G3192". <sup>5</sup> At|strong = "G4314" that|strong = "G3588"  
time|strong = "G5119" Jerusalem|strong = "G2414", and|strong = "G2532"  
all|strong = "G3956" Judea|strong = "G2449", as|strong = "G2532"  
well|strong = "G2532" as|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532"  
whole|strong = "G3956" district|strong = "G4066" of|strong = "G2532"  
the|strong = "G2532" Jordan|strong = "G2446", went|strong = "G2532"  
out|strong = "G1607" to|strong = "G4314" him|strong = "G3588" <sup>6</sup>  
and|strong = "G2532" were|strong = "G3588" baptized by|strong = "G1722"  
him|strong = "G3588" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722"  
Jordan|strong = "G2446" River|strong = "G4215",  
confessing|strong = "G1843" their|strong = "G2532" sins|strong = "H2403".

<sup>7</sup>But|strong = "G1161" when|strong = "G1161" John|strong = "G3004"  
saw|strong = "G3708" many|strong = "G4183" of|strong = "G2532"  
the|strong = "G2532" Pharisees|strong = "G5330" and|strong = "G2532"  
Sadducees|strong = "G4523" coming|strong = "G2064" to|strong = "G2532"  
receive|strong = "H3947" his|strong = "G1909" baptism, he|strong = "G2532"  
said|strong = "G3004" to|strong = "G2532" them|strong = "G3588",  
'You|strong = "G5210" children|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "G2532"  
snakes|strong = "H5175"! Who|strong = "G5101" has|strong = "G5101"  
prompted|strong = "H7971" you|strong = "G5210" to|strong = "G2532"  
seek|strong = "G5101" refuge|strong = "H4733" from|strong = "G2064"  
the|strong = "G2532" coming|strong = "G2064" judgment|strong = "H4941"?  
<sup>8</sup> Let|strong = "G3767" your|strong = "G4160" life|strong = "H5315",  
then|strong = "G3767", prove|strong = "H5254" your|strong = "G4160"  
repentance|strong = "G3341"; <sup>9</sup> and|strong = "G2532" do|strong = "G2532"  
not|strong = "G3361" think|strong = "G1380" that|strong = "G3754"  
you|strong = "G5210" can|strong = "G1410" say|strong = "G3004"  
among|strong = "G1722" yourselves|strong = "G1438"  
'Abraham|strong = "H0085" is|strong = "G3588" our|strong = "G2316"  
ancestor|strong = "G3962", for|strong = "G1063" I|strong = "G2532"  
tell|strong = "G3004" you|strong = "G5210" that|strong = "G3754"  
out|strong = "G1537" of|strong = "G1537" these|strong = "G3778"

stones|strong = "G3037" God|strong = "G2316" is|strong = "G3588"  
able|strong = "G1410" to|strong = "G2532" raise|strong = "G1453"  
descendants|strong = "H2233" for|strong = "G1063"  
Abraham|strong = "H0085"! <sup>10</sup> Already|strong = "G2235"  
the|strong = "G2532" axe|strong = "H1631" is|strong = "G3588"  
lying|strong = "G2749" at|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G2532"  
root|strong = "G4491" of|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532"  
trees|strong = "G1186". Therefore|strong = "G3767" every|strong = "G3956"  
tree|strong = "G1186" that|strong = "G3588" fails|strong = "H3615"  
to|strong = "G1519" bear|strong = "G4160" good|strong = "G2570"  
fruit|strong = "G2590" will|strong = "G2532" be|strong = "G2532"  
cut|strong = "G1581" down|strong = "G1581" and|strong = "G2532"  
thrown|strong = "H7993" into|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G2532"  
fire|strong = "G4442". <sup>11</sup> I|strong = "G1473", indeed|strong = "G2532",  
baptize you|strong = "G5210" with|strong = "G1722" water|strong = "G5204"  
to|strong = "G1519" teach|strong = "H3925" repentance|strong = "G3341";  
but|strong = "G1161" he|strong = "G2532" who|strong = "G3739"  
is|strong = "G1510" coming|strong = "G2064" after|strong = "G3694"  
me|strong = "G1473" is|strong = "G1510" more|strong = "G2532"  
powerful|strong = "G2478" than|strong = "G2478" I|strong = "G1473",  
and|strong = "G2532" I|strong = "G1473" am|strong = "G1510"  
not|strong = "G3756" fit|strong = "G2425" even|strong = "G2532"  
to|strong = "G1519" carry|strong = "H5375" his|strong = "G1519"  
sandals|strong = "G5266". He|strong = "G2532" will|strong = "G1510"  
baptize you|strong = "G5210" with|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722"  
Holy|strong = "G4151" Spirit|strong = "G4151" and|strong = "G2532"  
with|strong = "G1722" fire|strong = "G4442". <sup>12</sup> His|strong = "G1519"  
winnowing-fan is|strong = "G3588" in|strong = "G1722" his|strong = "G1519"  
hand|strong = "G5495", and|strong = "G2532" he|strong = "G2532"  
will|strong = "G2532" clear|strong = "G1245" his|strong = "G1519"  
threshing-floor, and|strong = "G2532" store|strong = "G4863"  
his|strong = "G1519" grain|strong = "G4621" in|strong = "G1722"  
the|strong = "G1722" barn|strong = "H4035", but|strong = "G1161"  
the|strong = "G1722" chaff|strong = "H4671" he|strong = "G2532"  
will|strong = "G2532" burn|strong = "G2618" with|strong = "G1722"  
a|strong = "G2532" fire|strong = "G4442" that|strong = "G3739"  
cannot|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "G2532" put|strong = "G2532"  
out|strong = "G2532".'

<sup>13</sup>Then|strong = "G5119" Jesus|strong = "G2424" came|strong = "G3854"  
from|strong = "G5259" Galilee|strong = "G1056" to|strong = "G4314"  
the|strong = "G1909" Jordan|strong = "G2446", to|strong = "G4314"  
John|strong = "G2491", to|strong = "G4314" be|strong = "G3588" baptized  
by|strong = "G5259" him|strong = "G3588". <sup>14</sup> But|strong = "G1161"  
John|strong = "G2491" tried|strong = "H6884" to|strong = "G4314"

prevent|strong="G1254" him|strong="G3588".

‘ I|strong="G1473" need|strong="G5532" to|strong="G4314" be|strong="G2532" baptized by|strong="G5259" you|strong="G4771",’  
 he|strong="G2532" said|strong="G3004", ‘so|strong="G2532" why|strong="H4100" have|strong="G2192" you|strong="G4771" come|strong="G2064" to|strong="G4314" me|strong="G1473"?’

15‘w This|strong="G3588" w\* w is|strong="G1510" w\* w the|strong="G3956" w\* w way|strong="G3779" w\* w it|strong="G1161" w\* w should|strong="G3588" w\* w be|strong="G1510" w\* w for|strong="G1063" w\* w now|strong="G1161" w\*,’ Jesus|strong="G2424" answered|strong="G3004”, ‘w because|strong="G1063" w\* w we|strong="G2249" w\* w should|strong="G3588" w\* w do|strong="G3004" w\* w everything|strong="G3956" w\* w that|strong="G3588" w\* w God|strong="G3004" w\* w requires|strong="H4147" w\*.’ So|strong="G3779" John|strong="G3004" agreed|strong="H8085".

16After|strong="G1161" the|strong="G2532" baptism of|strong="G4151" Jesus|strong="G2424", and|strong="G2532" just|strong="G2532" as|strong="G1161" he|strong="G2532" came|strong="G2064" up|strong="G2532" from|strong="G2064" the|strong="G2532" water|strong="G5204", the|strong="G2532" heavens|strong="G3772" opened|strong="H6605", and|strong="G2532" he|strong="G2532" saw|strong="G3708" the|strong="G2532" Spirit|strong="G4151" of|strong="G4151" God|strong="G2316" coming|strong="G2064" down|strong="G2597" like|strong="G5616" a|strong="G2532" dove|strong="G4058" and|strong="G2532" resting|strong="H4496" on|strong="G1909" him|strong="G3588", <sup>17</sup> and|strong="G2532" from|strong="G1537" the|strong="G1722" heavens|strong="G3772" there|strong="G2532" came|strong="G2532" a|strong="G2532" voice|strong="G5456" which|strong="G3739" said|strong="G3004”, ‘This|strong="G3778" is|strong="G1510" my|strong="G3708" dearly|strong="H0157" loved|strong="H0157" son|strong="G5207”, who|strong="G3739" brings|strong="G1510" me|strong="G1473" great|strong="G2532" joy|strong="H8057”.’

4Then|strong="G5119" Jesus|strong="G2424" was|strong="G3588" led|strong="G2424" up|strong="G1519" into|strong="G1519" the|strong="G1519" wilderness|strong="G2048" by|strong="G5259" the|strong="G1519" Spirit|strong="G4151" to|strong="G1519" be|strong="G1519" tempted|strong="G3985" by|strong="G5259" the|strong="G1519" devil|strong="G1228". <sup>2</sup> And|strong="G2532”,

after|strong = "G2532" he|strong = "G2532" had|strong = "G2532"  
 fasted|strong = "G3522" for|strong = "G2532" forty|strong = "G5062"  
 days|strong = "G2250" and|strong = "G2532" forty|strong = "G5062"  
 nights|strong = "G3571", he|strong = "G2532" became|strong = "G5306"  
 hungry|strong = "G3983". <sup>3</sup> The|strong = "G2532"  
 Tempter|strong = "G3985" came|strong = "G4334" to|strong = "G2443"  
 him|strong = "G3588", and|strong = "G2532" said|strong = "G3004":

‘ If|strong = "G1487" you|strong = "G1487" are|strong = "G1510"  
 God’s|strong = "G2316" Son|strong = "G5207", tell|strong = "G3004"  
 these|strong = "G3778" stones|strong = "G3037" to|strong = "G2443"  
 become|strong = "G1096" loaves|strong = "H3899" of|strong = "G5207"  
 bread|strong = "H3899”.’ <sup>4</sup> But|strong = "G1161" Jesus|strong = "G3004"  
 answered|strong = "G3004", ‘w Scripture|strong = "G1125”w\* w  
 says|strong = "G3004”w\* –

“w It|strong = "G1161”w\* w is|strong = "G3588”w\* w  
 not|strong = "G3756”w\* w on|strong = "G1909”w\* w  
 bread|strong = "H3899”w\* w alone|strong = "G3441”w\* w  
 that|strong = "G3588”w\* w a|strong = "G1909”w\* w  
 person|strong = "H5315”w\* w is|strong = "G3588”w\* w  
 to|strong = "G1909”w\* w live|strong = "G2198”w\*, w  
 but|strong = "G1161”w\* w on|strong = "G1909”w\* w  
 every|strong = "G3956”w\* w word|strong = "G4487”w\* w  
 that|strong = "G3588”w\* w comes|strong = "G1607”w\* w  
 from|strong = "G3756”w\* w the|strong = "G3956”w\* w  
 mouth|strong = "G4750”w\* w of|strong = "G1223”w\* w  
 God|strong = "G2316”w\*.” <sup>5</sup> Then|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532"  
 devil|strong = "G1228" took|strong = "G3880" him|strong = "G3588"  
 to|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G2532" Holy|strong = "G2413"  
 City|strong = "G4172", and|strong = "G2532", placing|strong = "H5414"  
 him|strong = "G3588" on|strong = "G1909" the|strong = "G2532"  
 parapet|strong = "H4624" of|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532"  
 temple|strong = "G2413", said|strong = "G5119" to|strong = "G1519"  
 him|strong = "G3588”, <sup>6</sup> ‘If|strong = "G1487" you|strong = "G4771"  
 are|strong = "G1510" God’s|strong = "G2316" Son|strong = "G5207",  
 throw|strong = "H7993" yourself|strong = "G4572" down|strong = "G2736",  
 for|strong = "G1063" scripture|strong = "G1125" says|strong = "G3004" –

“ He|strong = "G2532" will|strong = "G2316" give|strong = "G3004"  
 his|strong = "G4012" angels|strong = "H4397" commands|strong = "H6680"  
 about|strong = "G4012" you|strong = "G4771”,

a nd|strong = "G2532" on|strong = "G1909" their|strong = "G2532"  
 hands|strong = "G5495" they|strong = "G2532" will|strong = "G2316"

lift|strong = "H5375" you|strong = "G4771" up|strong = "G2532",

s o|strong = "G2532" you|strong = "G4771" do|strong = "G2532"  
not|strong = "G1510" even|strong = "G2532" strike|strong = "G4350"  
your|strong = "G2532" foot|strong = "G4228" against|strong = "G1909"  
a|strong = "G2532" stone|strong = "G3037".” <sup>7</sup> ‘w  
Scripture|strong = "G1125" w\* w also|strong = "G2316" w\* w  
says|strong = "G5346" w\*,’ answered|strong = "G5346"  
Jesus|strong = "G2424",

“w You|strong = "G4771" w\* w must|strong = "G3588" w\* w  
not|strong = "G3756" w\* w tempt|strong = "G1598" w\* w  
the|strong = "G3588" w\* w Lord|strong = "G2962" w\* w  
your|strong = "G2962" w\* w God|strong = "G2316" w\* w.” <sup>8</sup>  
The|strong = "G2532" third|strong = "H7992" time|strong = "H6256",  
the|strong = "G2532" devil|strong = "G1228" took|strong = "G3880"  
Jesus|strong = "G2532" to|strong = "G1519" a|strong = "G2532"  
very|strong = "G3029" high|strong = "G5308" mountain|strong = "G3735",  
and|strong = "G2532", showing|strong = "H6213" him|strong = "G3588"  
all|strong = "G3956" the|strong = "G2532" kingdoms|strong = "H4467"  
of|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532" world|strong = "G2889"  
and|strong = "G2532" their|strong = "G2532" splendour,  
said|strong = "G2532" to|strong = "G1519" him|strong = "G3588":

9‘All|strong = "G3956" these|strong = "G3778" I|strong = "G1473"  
will|strong = "G2532" give|strong = "G1325" you|strong = "G4771",  
if|strong = "G1437" you|strong = "G4771" will|strong = "G2532"  
fall|strong = "G4098" at|strong = "G2532" my|strong = "G3956"  
feet|strong = "H7272" and|strong = "G2532" worship|strong = "G4352"  
me|strong = "G1325".’ <sup>10</sup> Then|strong = "G2532" Jesus|strong = "G2424"  
said|strong = "G3004" to|strong = "G2532" him|strong = "G3588", ‘w  
Go|strong = "G5217" w\* w away|strong = "G5217" w\*, w  
Satan|strong = "G4567" w\*! w For|strong = "G1063" w\* w  
scripture|strong = "G1125" w\* w says|strong = "G3004" w\* –

“w You|strong = "G4771" w\* w must|strong = "G3588" w\* w  
worship|strong = "G4352" w\* w the|strong = "G2532" w\* w  
Lord|strong = "G2962" w\* w your|strong = "G2962" w\* w  
God|strong = "G2316" w\*, w and|strong = "G2532" w\* w  
worship|strong = "G4352" w\* w him|strong = "G3588" w\* w  
only|strong = "G3441" w\* w.” <sup>11</sup> Then|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532"  
devil|strong = "G1228" left|strong = "H7604" him|strong = "G3588"  
alone|strong = "H0905", and|strong = "G2532" angels|strong = "H4397"  
came|strong = "G4334" and|strong = "G2532" helped|strong = "H5826"  
him|strong = "G3588".

The|strong = "G2532" Work|strong = "H4399" in|strong = "G2532"  
Galilee|strong = "H1551"

12When|strong = "G1161" Jesus heard|strong = "H8085"  
that|strong = "G3754" John|strong = "G2491" had|strong = "G3588"  
been|strong = "H1961" arrested|strong = "H8610", he|strong = "G1161"  
returned|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "G1519" Galilee|strong = "G1056". <sup>13</sup>

Afterwards|strong = "G1722", leaving|strong = "G2641"  
Nazareth|strong = "G3478", he|strong = "G2532" went|strong = "G2064"  
and|strong = "G2532" settled|strong = "G2730" at|strong = "G1722"  
Capernaum|strong = "G2584", which|strong = "G3588" is|strong = "G3588"  
by|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722" side|strong = "H6285"  
of|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G1722" sea|strong = "G3864",  
within|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722" borders|strong = "G3725"  
of|strong = "G2532" Zebulun|strong = "G2194" and|strong = "G2532"  
Naphtali|strong = "G3508"; <sup>14</sup> in|strong = "G1223" fulfilment  
of|strong = "G1223" these|strong = "G3588" words|strong = "H1697"  
in|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G1223" prophet|strong = "G4396"  
Isaiah|strong = "G2268" –

15“The|strong = "G2532" land|strong = "G1093" of|strong = "G2532"  
Zebulun|strong = "G2194" and|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532"  
land|strong = "G1093" of|strong = "G2532" Naphtali|strong = "G3508",

t he|strong = "G2532" land|strong = "G1093" of|strong = "G2532"  
the|strong = "G2532" Road|strong = "G3598" by|strong = "G2532"  
the|strong = "G2532" sea|strong = "G2281", and|strong = "G2532"  
beyond|strong = "G4008" the|strong = "G2532" Jordan|strong = "G2446",

w ith|strong = "G2532" Galilee|strong = "G1056" of|strong = "G2532"  
the|strong = "G2532" Gentiles|strong = "G1484" –

16The|strong = "G1722" people|strong = "G2992" who|strong = "G3588"  
were|strong = "G3588" living|strong = "H2416" in|strong = "G1722"  
darkness|strong = "G4655"

h ave|strong = "G2532" seen|strong = "G3708" a|strong = "G2532"  
great|strong = "G3173" light|strong = "G5457",

a nd|strong = "G2532", for|strong = "G1722" those|strong = "G3588"  
who|strong = "G3588" were|strong = "G3588" living|strong = "H2416"  
in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722" shadow-land of|strong = "G2532"  
death|strong = "G2288",

a |strong = "G2532" light|strong = "G5457" has|strong = "G3708"  
dawned|strong = "H0215"!"

17At|strong = "G3588" that|strong = "G3588" time|strong = "G5119"  
Jesus|strong = "G2424" began|strong = "G5119" to|strong = "G2532"  
proclaim|strong = "G2784" –

‘w Repent|strong = "G3340" w\*, w for|strong = "G1063" w\* w  
the|strong = "G2532" w\* w kingdom|strong = "H4467" w\* w  
of|strong = "G2532" w\* w heaven|strong = "G3772" w\* w  
is|strong = "G3588" w\* w at|strong = "G3588" w\* w  
hand|strong = "G1448" w\*.’

18As|strong = "G1519" Jesus|strong = "G3004" was|strong = "G1510"  
walking|strong = "G4043" along|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532"  
shore|strong = "H8193" of|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532"  
Sea|strong = "G2281" of|strong = "G2532" Galilee|strong = "G1056",  
he|strong = "G2532" saw|strong = "G3708" two|strong = "G1417"  
brothers|strong = "H0251" – Simon|strong = "G4613", also|strong = "G2532"  
known|strong = "H3045" as|strong = "G1519" Peter|strong = "G4074",  
and|strong = "G2532" his|strong = "G1519" brother|strong = "H0251" Andrew  
– casting|strong = "H4165" a|strong = "G2532" net|strong = "H7568"  
into|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G2532" sea|strong = "G2281";  
for|strong = "G1063" they|strong = "G2532" were|strong = "G1510"  
fishermen|strong = "H1728".

19‘w Come|strong = "G1205" w\* w and|strong = "G2532" w\* w  
follow|strong = "G3694" w\* w me|strong = "G1473" w\*’,  
Jesus|strong = "G3004" said|strong = "G3004", ‘w and|strong = "G2532" w\* w  
I|strong = "G1473" w\* w will|strong = "G2532" w\* w  
teach|strong = "H3925" w\* w you|strong = "G5210" w\* w  
to|strong = "G2532" w\* w fish|strong = "H1710" w\* w for|strong = "G2532" w\*  
w people|strong = "G4160" w\*.’ <sup>20</sup> The|strong = "G1161"  
two|strong = "H8147" men|strong = "G3588" left|strong = "H7604"  
their|strong = "G3588" nets|strong = "G1350" at|strong = "G1161"  
once|strong = "H6471" and|strong = "G1161" followed|strong = "H0310"  
him|strong = "G3588". <sup>21</sup> Going|strong = "G2532" further|strong = "H5750"  
on|strong = "G1722", he|strong = "G2532" saw|strong = "G3708"  
two|strong = "G1417" other|strong = "G1438" men|strong = "G1417"  
who|strong = "G3588" were|strong = "G3588" also|strong = "G2532"  
brothers|strong = "H0251", James|strong = "G2385",  
Zebedee’s|strong = "G2199" son|strong = "H1121", and|strong = "G2532"  
his|strong = "G1438" brother|strong = "H0251" John|strong = "G2491",  
in|strong = "G1722" their|strong = "G1438" boat|strong = "G4143"



with|strong = "G3326" their|strong = "G1438" father|strong = "G3962",  
 mending|strong = "G2675" their|strong = "G1438" nets|strong = "G1350".  
 Jesus|strong = "G2532" called|strong = "G2564" them|strong = "G3588", <sup>22</sup>  
 and|strong = "G2532" they|strong = "G2532" at|strong = "G1161"  
 once|strong = "H6471" left|strong = "H7604" their|strong = "G2532"  
 boat|strong = "G4143" and|strong = "G2532" their|strong = "G2532"  
 father|strong = "G3962", and|strong = "G2532" followed|strong = "H0310"  
 him|strong = "G3588".

23Jesus|strong = "G2532" went|strong = "G2532" all|strong = "G3956"  
 through|strong = "G1722" Galilee|strong = "G1056",  
 teaching|strong = "G1321" in|strong = "G1722" their|strong = "G2532"  
 synagogues|strong = "G4864", proclaiming|strong = "G2784"  
 the|strong = "G1722" good|strong = "G3956" news|strong = "G2098"  
 of|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G1722" kingdom|strong = "H4467",  
 and|strong = "G2532" curing every|strong = "G3956" kind|strong = "G3956"  
 of|strong = "G2532" disease|strong = "G3119" and|strong = "G2532"  
 every|strong = "G3956" kind|strong = "G3956" of|strong = "G2532"  
 sickness|strong = "G3119" among|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722"  
 people|strong = "G2992"; <sup>24</sup> and|strong = "G2532" his|strong = "G1438"  
 fame|strong = "H8034" spread|strong = "G1519" all|strong = "G3956"  
 through|strong = "H3027" Syria|strong = "G4947". They|strong = "G2532"  
 brought|strong = "G4374" to|strong = "G1519" him|strong = "G3588"  
 all|strong = "G3956" who|strong = "G3588" were|strong = "G3588"  
 ill|strong = "G2192" with|strong = "G2532" any|strong = "G3956"  
 form|strong = "G3956" of|strong = "G2532" disease|strong = "G3554",  
 or|strong = "G2532" who|strong = "G3588" were|strong = "G3588"  
 suffering|strong = "G4912" pain|strong = "H4341" – any|strong = "G3956"  
 who|strong = "G3588" were|strong = "G3588" either|strong = "G2532"  
 possessed|strong = "G2192" by|strong = "G2532" demons|strong = "H7700",  
 or|strong = "G2532" were|strong = "G3588" lunatic|strong = "G4583",  
 or|strong = "G2532" paralysed; and|strong = "G2532" he|strong = "G2532"  
 cured|strong = "G2323" them|strong = "G3588". <sup>25</sup> He|strong = "G2532"  
 was|strong = "G3588" followed|strong = "H0310" by|strong = "G2532"  
 large|strong = "G4183" crowds|strong = "G3793" from|strong = "G2532"  
 Galilee|strong = "G1056", the|strong = "G2532" district|strong = "H6418"  
 of|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532" Ten|strong = "H6235"  
 Towns|strong = "H1323", Jerusalem|strong = "G2414",  
 Judea|strong = "G2449", and|strong = "G2532" from|strong = "G2532"  
 beyond|strong = "G4008" the|strong = "G2532" Jordan|strong = "G2446".

50n|strong = "G1519" seeing|strong = "G3708" the|strong = "G2532"  
 crowds|strong = "G3793" of|strong = "G2532" people|strong = "G3793",  
 Jesus|strong = "G2532" went|strong = "G4334" up|strong = "G1519"  
 the|strong = "G2532" hill|strong = "G3735"; and|strong = "G2532",

when|strong="G1161" he|strong="G2532" had|strong="G2532"  
 taken|strong="G2523" his|strong="G1519" seat|strong="G2523",  
 his|strong="G1519" disciples|strong="G3101" came|strong="G4334"  
 up|strong="G1519" to|strong="G1519" him|strong="G3588"; <sup>2</sup>  
 and|strong="G2532" he|strong="G2532" began|strong="H2490"  
 to|strong="G2532" teach|strong="G1321" them|strong="G3588",  
 saying|strong="G3004":

3'w Blessed|strong="G3107" w\* w are|strong="G1510" w\* w  
 the|strong="G3588" w\* w poor|strong="G4434" w\* w  
 in|strong="G3588" w\* w spirit|strong="G4151" w\*,

w for|strong="G3754" w\* w theirs|strong="H1992" w\* w  
 is|strong="G1510" w\* w the|strong="G3588" w\* w  
 kingdom|strong="H4467" w\* w of|strong="G4151" w\* w  
 heaven|strong="G3772" w\*.

4w Blessed|strong="G3107" w\* w are|strong="G3588" w\* w  
 the|strong="G3588" w\* w mourners|strong="H0057" w\*,

w for|strong="G3754" w\* w they|strong="G3588" w\* w  
 will|strong="G1093" w\* w be|strong="G3588" w\* w  
 comforted|strong="G3870" w\*.

5w Blessed|strong="G3107" w\* w are|strong="G3588" w\* w  
 the|strong="G3588" w\* w gentle|strong="G4239" w\*,

w for|strong="G3754" w\* w they|strong="G3588" w\* w  
 will|strong="G1093" w\* w inherit|strong="G2816" w\* w  
 the|strong="G3588" w\* w earth|strong="G1093" w\*.

6w Blessed|strong="G3107" w\* w are|strong="G3588" w\* w  
 those|strong="G3588" w\* w who|strong="G3588" w\* w  
 hunger|strong="G3983" w\* w and|strong="G2532" w\* w  
 thirst|strong="G1372" w\* w for|strong="G3754" w\* w  
 righteousness|strong="G1343" w\*,

w for|strong="G3754" w\* w they|strong="G2532" w\* w  
 will|strong="G2532" w\* w be|strong="G2532" w\* w  
 satisfied|strong="G5526" w\*.

7w Blessed|strong="G3107" w\* w are|strong="G3588" w\* w  
 the|strong="G3588" w\* w merciful|strong="G1655" w\*,