

# Hosea



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This book contains the account of Hosea telling about the Israeli people rejecting God, and foretelling about God punishing and restoring them.

## We call this book Hosea

1 w I|strong = "H3117" w\* w am|strong = "H1961" w\*  
Hosea|strong = "H1954", the|strong = "H3068" son|strong = "H1121"  
of|strong = "H1121" Beer|strong = "H0882". Yahweh|strong = "H3068"  
gave|strong = "H1961" me|strong = "H1961" these|strong = "H3117"  
messages|strong = "H1697" w at|strong = "H3478" w\* w  
various|strong = "H2921" w\* w times|strong = "H3117" w\*  
during|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3068" years|strong = "H3117"  
that|strong = "H3117" Uzziah|strong = "H5818", Jotham|strong = "H3147",  
Ahaz|strong = "H0271", and|strong = "H1121" Hezekiah|strong = "H2396"  
were|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3068" kings|strong = "H4428"  
of|strong = "H1121" Judah|strong = "H3063", and|strong = "H1121"  
Jeroboam|strong = "H3379" the|strong = "H3068" son|strong = "H1121"  
of|strong = "H1121" Jehoash|strong = "H3060" was|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" King|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H1121"  
Israel|strong = "H3478".  
Hosea's wife|strong = "H0802" and|strong = "H1121"  
children|strong = "H1121"

2 When|strong = "H3588" Yahweh|strong = "H3068" first|strong = "H8462"  
w began|strong = "H8462" w\* w to|strong = "H1696" w\*  
give|strong = "H1696" messages|strong = "H2372" to|strong = "H1696"  
me|strong = "H3947" w to|strong = "H1696" w\* w tell|strong = "H1696" w\* w  
to|strong = "H1696" w\* w the|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
people|strong = "H1696" w\* w of|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
Israel|strong = "H3478" w\*, he|strong = "H3588" said|strong = "H1696"  
to|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H3947", "Go|strong = "H3212"  
and|strong = "H3068" marry|strong = "H3947" a|strong = "H3947"  
prostitute|strong = "H2181". But|strong = "H3588" w  
some|strong = "H4480" w\* w of|strong = "H3068" w\* her|strong = "H3947"  
children|strong = "H3206" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068"  
born|strong = "H3205" as|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H3947"  
result|strong = "H6903" of|strong = "H3068" her|strong = "H3947"  
having|strong = "H3588" sex|strong = "H7901" with|strong = "H3068"  
men|strong = "H3206" to|strong = "H1696" whom|strong = "H3588"

she|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3588"  
 married|strong = "H3947". That|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"  
 illustrate how|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
 people|strong = "H1696" of|strong = "H3068" Israel|strong = "H3478"  
 have|strong = "H3068" turned|strong = "H3068" away|strong = "H3947"  
 from|strong = "H3947" me|strong = "H3947" and|strong = "H3068"  
 worship|strong = "H7812" □ idols|strong = "H1544"/other|strong = "H0312"  
 gods|strong = "H0430"□." <sup>3</sup> So|strong = "H3947" I|strong = "H1121"  
 married|strong = "H3947" Gomer|strong = "H1586", the|strong = "H3947"  
 daughter|strong = "H1323" of|strong = "H1121" Diblaim|strong = "H1691".  
 She|strong = "H1931" became|strong = "H3205" pregnant|strong = "H2029"  
 and|strong = "H1121" gave|strong = "H3205" birth|strong = "H3205"  
 to|strong = "H3212" my|strong = "H3947" son|strong = "H1121".

4Yahweh|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H3478"  
 me|strong = "H5921", "Give|strong = "H5414" him|strong = "H7121"  
 the|strong = "H5921" name|strong = "H8034" Jezreel|strong = "H3157", w  
 which|strong = "H3068" w\* w means|strong = "H6485" w\* 'w  
 God|strong = "H3068" w\* scatters', because|strong = "H3588"  
 I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" soon|strong = "H4592"  
 punish|strong = "H6485" the|strong = "H5921" descendants|strong = "H2233"  
 [MTY] of|strong = "H1004" w King|strong = "H5921" w\*  
 Jehu|strong = "H3058" w by|strong = "H5921" w\* w  
 scattering|strong = "H6327" w\* w them|strong = "H5921" w\*,  
 because|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" killed|strong = "H2026"  
 many|strong = "H7227" of|strong = "H1004" my|strong = "H3068"  
 people|strong = "H1818" at|strong = "H5921" Jezreel|strong = "H3157" w  
 town|strong = "H7151" w\*. w Some|strong = "H4592" w\* w  
 day|strong = "H3117" w\* I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"  
 end|strong = "H7673" the|strong = "H5921" kingdom|strong = "H4468"  
 of|strong = "H1004" Israel|strong = "H3478", <sup>5</sup> by|strong = "H3117"  
 destroying|strong = "H7843" the|strong = "H3117" power|strong = "H3478"  
 [MTY] of|strong = "H3117" w the|strong = "H3117" w\* w  
 army|strong = "H6010" w\* w of|strong = "H3117" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478"  
 in|strong = "H3478" Jezreel|strong = "H3157" Valley|strong = "H6010"."

6w Later|strong = "H0310" w\* Gomer|strong = "H1586"  
 became|strong = "H3205" pregnant|strong = "H2029" w  
 again|strong = "H5750" w\*, and|strong = "H3478" she|strong = "H3588"  
 gave|strong = "H3205" birth|strong = "H3205" to|strong = "H3478"  
 a|strong = "H3588" daughter|strong = "H1323". Yahweh|strong = "H3068"  
 said|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H3478" me|strong = "H7121"  
 "Give|strong = "H3205" her|strong = "H5375" the|strong = "H3588"  
 name|strong = "H8034" Lo-ruhamah|strong = "H3819", w  
 which|strong = "H1004" w\* w means|strong = "H3027" w\* 'w

not|strong = "H3808" w\* w loved|strong = "H0157" w\*,'  
 because|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3478"  
 no|strong = "H3808" longer|strong = "H5750" w show|strong = "H5375" w\* w  
 that|strong = "H3588" w\* w I|strong = "H3588" w\* love|strong = "H7355"  
 the|strong = "H3588" people|strong = "H3808" [MET|strong = "H5375"]  
 of|strong = "H1004" Israel|strong = "H3478", and|strong = "H3478"  
 I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3478" not|strong = "H3808"  
 forgive|strong = "H5375" them|strong = "H7121" w for|strong = "H3588" w\*  
 w the|strong = "H3588" w\* w sins|strong = "H2403" w\* w  
 that|strong = "H3588" w\* w they|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
 have|strong = "H7355" w\* w committed|strong = "H8034" w\*. 7  
 But|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3068" w  
 show|strong = "H7355" w\* w that|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 I|strong = "H3808" w\* love|strong = "H7355" the|strong = "H3068"  
 people|strong = "H3808" [MTY] of|strong = "H1004" Judah|strong = "H3063"  
 w by|strong = "H3068" w\* w saving|strong = "H3468" w\* w  
 them|strong = "H3068" w\* w from|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 their|strong = "H3068" w\* w enemies|strong = "H0341" w\*.  
 However|strong = "H0389", it|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808" by|strong = "H3068"  
 weapons|strong = "H4421" and|strong = "H3063" armies|strong = "H3808"  
 or|strong = "H3808" horses|strong = "H5483" and|strong = "H3063"  
 chariots|strong = "H7393" that|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3808"  
 will|strong = "H3068" save|strong = "H3467" them|strong = "H3068".  
 Instead|strong = "H3808", it|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3068"  
 be|strong = "H3808" by|strong = "H3068" w the|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 power|strong = "H3027" w\* w that|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 I|strong = "H3808" w\*, Yahweh|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068"  
 God|strong = "H3068", w have|strong = "H7355" w\*."

8After|strong = "H0310" Gomer|strong = "H1586" had|strong = "H3205"  
 □weaned|strong = "H1580"/stopped|strong = "H5975" breast-feeding□  
 Lo-ruhamah|strong = "H3819", she|strong = "H1931"  
 became|strong = "H3205" pregnant|strong = "H2029"  
 again|strong = "H2029", and|strong = "H1121" she|strong = "H1931"  
 gave|strong = "H3205" birth|strong = "H3205" to|strong = "H3205"  
 another|strong = "H0312" son|strong = "H1121". 9  
 Yahweh|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H7121" "Give|strong = "H1961"  
 him|strong = "H7121" the|strong = "H3588" name|strong = "H8034"  
 Lo-ammi|strong = "H3818", w which|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
 means|strong = "H3027" w\* 'not w my|strong = "H1961" w\* people',  
 because|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" people|strong = "H5971"  
 of|strong = "H8034" Israel|strong = "H5971" are|strong = "H5971"  
 no|strong = "H3808" w longer|strong = "H3808" w\* w  
 my|strong = "H1961" w\* w people|strong = "H5971" w\*, and|strong = "H5971"

I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961" not|strong = "H3808"  
 their|strong = "H3588" God|strong = "H3808".

10But|strong = "H3588" w some|strong = "H4480"w\* w  
 day|strong = "H3117"w\* the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971"  
 of|strong = "H1121" Israel|strong = "H3478" will|strong = "H3068"  
 be|strong = "H1961" w as|strong = "H0834"w\* w  
 numerous|strong = "H7227"w\* as|strong = "H0834" [SIM]  
 the|strong = "H3605" w grains|strong = "H4579"w\* w of|strong = "H1121"w\*  
 sand|strong = "H2344" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"  
 seashore|strong = "H3220"; no|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H0259"  
 will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961" able|strong = "H3201"  
 to|strong = "H0413" count|strong = "H5608" them|strong = "H5414".  
 Now|strong = "H6258" w I|strong = "H0589"w\* am|strong = "H1961"  
 saying|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0413" them|strong = "H5414",  
 'You|strong = "H0859" are|strong = "H3117" not|strong = "H3808"  
 my|strong = "H8104" people|strong = "H5971", but|strong = "H3588"  
 then|strong = "H0227" people|strong = "H5971" will|strong = "H3068"  
 say|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0413" them|strong = "H5414", 'w  
 You|strong = "H0859"w\* w are|strong = "H3117"w\* w  
 the|strong = "H3605"w\* children|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"  
 God|strong = "H0430" who|strong = "H0834" is|strong = "H0369"  
 all-powerful.' <sup>11</sup> w At|strong = "H3427"w\* w that|strong = "H0834"w\* w  
 time|strong = "H6256"w\*, the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971"  
 of|strong = "H1121" Judah|strong = "H3063" and|strong = "H3967"  
 the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H1121"  
 Israel|strong = "H3478" will|strong = "H3068" unite|strong = "H3161".  
 They|strong = "H1992" will|strong = "H3068" appoint|strong = "H6485"  
 one|strong = "H0259" leader|strong = "H5387" for|strong = "H3588"  
 all|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H1121" them|strong = "H5414",  
 and|strong = "H3967" they|strong = "H1992" will|strong = "H3068"  
 return|strong = "H7725" from|strong = "H4480" the|strong = "H3605"  
 countries|strong = "H0776" w to|strong = "H0413"w\* w  
 which|strong = "H0834"w\* w they|strong = "H1992"w\* w  
 have|strong = "H1961"w\* w been|strong = "H1961"w\* □w  
 exiled|strong = "H1540"w\*/w forced|strong = "H4522"w\* w  
 to|strong = "H0413"w\* w go|strong = "H1980"w\*□. That|strong = "H0834"  
 will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"  
 great|strong = "H1419" time|strong = "H6256"; Jezreel|strong = "H3157" w  
 also|strong = "H1571"w\* w means|strong = "H3027"w\* 'w  
 God|strong = "H0430"w\* plants', w and|strong = "H3967"w\* w  
 it|strong = "H5414"w\* w will|strong = "H3068"w\* w be|strong = "H1961"w\*  
 w as|strong = "H0834"w\* w though|strong = "H3588"w\* w  
 God|strong = "H0430"w\* w will|strong = "H3068"w\* w  
 plant|strong = "H5193"w\* w them|strong = "H5414"w\* w



in|strong="H0935" w\* w this|strong="H2088" w\* w  
country|strong="H2022" w\* w again|strong="H7725" w\*."

2w At|strong="H3478" w\* w that|strong="H5971" w\* w  
time|strong="H4557" w\*, you|strong="H3808" will|strong="H1961"  
say|strong="H3478" to|strong="H3478" your|strong="H1961"  
fellow-Israeli men|strong="H1121", "w You|strong="H3808" w\* w  
are|strong="H1992" w\* God's|strong="H0430" people|strong="H5971",  
and|strong="H1121" w you|strong="H3808" w\* w will|strong="H1961" w\*  
w say|strong="H3478" w\* to|strong="H3478" your|strong="H1961"  
fellow-Israeli women|strong="H1992", "You|strong="H3808"  
are|strong="H1992" ones|strong="H1121" whom|strong="H1992"  
God|strong="H3808" loves|strong="H0157".  
Israel|strong="H3478" will|strong="H1961" be|strong="H1961"  
punished|strong="H6485" and|strong="H1121" later|strong="H1961"  
restored|strong="H7725"

2w Yahweh|strong="H3068" w\* w also|strong="H3478" w\* w  
said|strong="H0559" w\* w to|strong="H3478" w\* w  
me|strong="H7760" w\*, "I|strong="H3588" want|strong="H4270"  
you|strong="H3588" to|strong="H3478" accuse|strong="H7760"  
the|strong="H3588" Israeli people|strong="H1121".

w It|strong="H7760" w\* w is|strong="H3117" w\* w  
as|strong="H3117" w\* w though|strong="H3588" w\*  
[MET|strong="H6298"] this|strong="H3588" nation|strong="H1471"  
is|strong="H3117" your|strong="H7760" mother|strong="H0517",

**b** ut|strong="H3588" this|strong="H3588" nation|strong="H1471"  
is|strong="H3117" w no|strong="H4480" w\* w longer|strong="H5750" w\*  
w as|strong="H3117" w\* w though|strong="H3588" w\* w  
it|strong="H7760" w\* w is|strong="H3117" w\* [MET|strong="H6298"]  
my|strong="H7760" wife|strong="H0802",

**a** nd|strong="H1121" it|strong="H7760" is|strong="H3117" w  
no|strong="H4480" w\* w longer|strong="H5750" w\* w  
as|strong="H3117" w\* w though|strong="H3588" w\*  
[MET|strong="H6298"] I|strong="H3588" am|strong="H1961"  
its|strong="H7760" husband|strong="H0376".

**T** ell|strong="H5046" the|strong="H3588" Israeli  
people|strong="H1121" that|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588"  
must|strong="H1121" stop|strong="H2308" w acting|strong="H4603" w\*  
w like|strong="H3478" w\* a|strong="H3588" prostitute|strong="H2181" w

by|strong = "H3117" w\* w worshipping|strong = "H7812" w\* w  
other|strong = "H3162" w\* w gods|strong = "H0430" w\*;

t hey|strong = "H3588" must|strong = "H1121" stop|strong = "H2308"  
showing|strong = "H6213" by|strong = "H3117" their|strong = "H7760"  
behavior|strong = "H3027" that|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588"  
□are|strong = "H3117" unfaithful|strong = "H4603"  
to|strong = "H3478"/have|strong = "H1121" abandoned|strong = "H5800"□ w  
me|strong = "H7760" w\* [MET|strong = "H6298"].

3If|strong = "H0518" they|strong = "H5971" do|strong = "H6213"  
not|strong = "H5971" do|strong = "H6213" that|strong = "H5971",

I |strong = "H5971" will|strong = "H5971" not|strong = "H5971"  
give|strong = "H5414" them|strong = "H7355" w food|strong = "H3899" w\* w  
and|strong = "H5971" w\* clothes|strong = "H0899" w as|strong = "H5971" w\*  
w a|strong = "H5971" w\* w husband|strong = "H0376" w\* w  
should|strong = "H3068" w\* w give|strong = "H5414" w\* w  
to|strong = "H5971" w\* w his|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
wife|strong = "H0802" w\*;

I |strong = "H5971" will|strong = "H5971" take|strong = "H3947"  
away|strong = "H5493" those|strong = "H1992" things|strong = "H1697",

a nd|strong = "H5971" I|strong = "H5971" will|strong = "H5971"  
cause|strong = "H5971" their|strong = "H5971" nation|strong = "H5971"  
to|strong = "H5971" become|strong = "H1961" w as|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
deserted|strong = "H5307" w\* as|strong = "H5971" it|strong = "H5414"  
was|strong = "H5971" on|strong = "H7355" the|strong = "H5971"  
day|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H5971" I|strong = "H5971" w  
brought|strong = "H0935" w\* w their|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
ancestors|strong = "H0001" w\* w out|strong = "H3318" w\* w  
of|strong = "H5971" w\* w Egypt|strong = "H4714" w\* w  
and|strong = "H5971" w\* w caused|strong = "H5414" w\* w  
them|strong = "H7355" w\* w to|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
become|strong = "H1961" w\* w a|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
nation|strong = "H5971" w\* [MET|strong = "H6298"].

I |strong = "H5971" will|strong = "H5971" cause|strong = "H5971"  
their|strong = "H5971" country|strong = "H2022" to|strong = "H5971"  
be|strong = "H5971" like|strong = "H5971" [SIM] a|strong = "H5971"  
desert|strong = "H6160";

t here|strong = "H8033" will|strong = "H5971" be|strong = "H5971"  
 no|strong = "H3808" rain|strong = "H4306" to|strong = "H5971"  
 water|strong = "H4325" the|strong = "H5971" ground|strong = "H0776"  
 [MET|strong = "H6298"].

4I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
 pity|strong = "H2347" the|strong = "H6440" people|strong = "H3808",

b ecause|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3588" w  
 abandoned|strong = "H5800" w\* w me|strong = "H6440" w\*  
 as|strong = "H3588" [MET|strong = "H6298"] prostitutes|strong = "H6945"  
 abandon|strong = "H5493" their|strong = "H6440"  
 husbands|strong = "H1167".

5Their|strong = "H7760" parents|strong = "H0001" are|strong = "H3117"  
 like|strong = "H4057" prostitutes|strong = "H6945" [MET|strong = "H6298"]:  
 they|strong = "H3117" have|strong = "H3117" been|strong = "H1961"  
 unfaithful|strong = "H4603" w to|strong = "H4191" w\* w  
 me|strong = "H7760" w\*,

a nd|strong = "H3117" they|strong = "H3117" have|strong = "H3117"  
 done|strong = "H7760" w very|strong = "H3966" w\*  
 disgraceful|strong = "H5039" things|strong = "H1697".

T hey|strong = "H3117" said|strong = "H0559", 'We|strong = "H3117"  
 will|strong = "H3117" run|strong = "H7323" to|strong = "H4191" w  
 our|strong = "H7760" w\* w idols|strong = "H1544" w\*/w  
 gods|strong = "H0430" w\* who|strong = "H3205" love|strong = "H0157"  
 us|strong = "H7760";

w they|strong = "H3117" w\* w are|strong = "H3117" w\* w  
 the|strong = "H3205" w\* w ones|strong = "H2945" w\* who|strong = "H3205"  
 give|strong = "H7760" us|strong = "H7760" food|strong = "H3899"  
 and|strong = "H3117" water|strong = "H4325"

a nd|strong = "H3117" wool|strong = "H6785" and|strong = "H3117"  
 linen|strong = "H8336" and|strong = "H3117" w olive|strong = "H2132" w\*  
 oil|strong = "H8081", and|strong = "H3117" w wine|strong = "H3196" w\* w  
 to|strong = "H4191" w\* drink|strong = "H8354".'

6So w it w will w\* w will  
 w be w\* w as w\* w  
 though w\* [MET] I  
 am blocking their road  
 with thornbushes,

**a** nd putting put  
 a wall around  
 them

**s** o that they  
 do not know  
 which way to  
 go.

7They will run  
 to their  
 idols/gods that w  
 they w\* w think w\* love  
 them,

**b** ut they will  
 not find them.

**T** hey will search  
 for their false  
 gods,

**b** ut they will  
 not find them.

**T** hen they will  
 say, 'w Perhaps w\* we  
 should return to w  
 Yahweh w\*, whom we  
 worshiped previously  
 [MET],

**b** ecause things were  
 better for us  
 then than they  
 are now.'

8But they do not realize that I, the one who gave them and wine olive<sup>w\*</sup> oil<sup>w\*</sup>;

I am the one who gave them silver and gold<sup>w\*</sup>

w<sup>w\*</sup> hich they used to worship Baal.

9Therefore I will return and take my grain and grapes from them when they are ripe.

I will take from them wool and linen that to<sup>w\*</sup> them w<sup>w\*</sup> to<sup>w\*</sup> make<sup>w\*</sup> w their<sup>w\*</sup> w clothes<sup>w\*</sup> [MTY].

10I will show those gods what are doing is disgusting [MET],

and no one will be able to hinder me from<sup>w\*</sup> w<sup>w\*</sup> them<sup>w\*</sup>.

11I will cause their religious celebrations to cease,

the festivals that they celebrate every year and at every new moon and on Sabbath days of rest.

I will cause all their religious celebrations to cease.

12I will destroy w all w\* their grapevines and fig trees,

which they said were what their w idols w\*/w gods w\* who loved them paid them for worshiping those idols.

I will cause those places to become a desert,

and wild animals will eat the fruit w that w\* w remains w\*.

13I will punish my people for all w\* the times that they burned incense to w honor w\* the idols of Baal.

**T** hey|strong = "H2320" decorated|strong = "H5927"  
 themselves|strong = "H0905" with|strong = "H4150" rings|strong = "H2885"  
 and|strong = "H4150" jewelry|strong = "H3627",

**a** nd|strong = "H4150" they|strong = "H2320" went|strong = "H1980"  
 to|strong = "H4150" worship|strong = "H7812" those|strong = "H3605" w  
 false|strong = "H8267" w\* w gods|strong = "H0430" w\*/w  
 idols|strong = "H1544" w\* that|strong = "H3605" w they|strong = "H2320" w\*  
 w thought|strong = "H0559" w\* [IRO] loved|strong = "H0157"  
 them|strong = "H5414",

**b** ut|strong = "H3605" they|strong = "H2320"  
 abandoned|strong = "H5800"/forgot|strong = "H7911" me|strong = "H3605"!

w That|strong = "H3605" w\* w is|strong = "H3605" w\* w  
 what|strong = "H4100" w\* w I|strong = "H3605" w\*,  
 Yahweh|strong = "H3068", say|strong = "H0559".

14But|strong = "H1992" listen|strong = "H8085"! w  
 Some|strong = "H1992" w\* w day|strong = "H3117" w\* I|strong = "H5414"  
 will|strong = "H5414" persuade|strong = "H6601" my|strong = "H5414"  
 people|strong = "H5971" w to|strong = "H5414" w\* w  
 worship|strong = "H7812" w\* w me|strong = "H5414" w\* w  
 again|strong = "H7725" w\*;

**I** |strong = "H5414" will|strong = "H5414" lead|strong = "H5148"  
 them|strong = "H5414" w out|strong = "H5414" w\* into|strong = "H5414"  
 the|strong = "H5414" desert|strong = "H6160"

**a** nd|strong = "H7704" speak|strong = "H1696" kindly|strong = "H3820"  
 to|strong = "H5414" them|strong = "H5414" w there|strong = "H1992" w\*.

15I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068" give|strong = "H5414"  
 their|strong = "H3068" vineyards|strong = "H3754" w  
 back|strong = "H3212" w\* to|strong = "H3068" them|strong = "H1992",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068"  
 cause|strong = "H2600" Achor|strong = "H5911" Valley|strong = "H6010", w  
 which|strong = "H3068" w\* w means|strong = "H6485" w\* 'w  
 valley|strong = "H6010" w\* w of|strong = "H3068" w\* trouble',  
 to|strong = "H3068" become|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H3117"  
 valley|strong = "H6010" where|strong = "H5921" they|strong = "H1992"  
 will|strong = "H3068" confidently|strong = "H2388" expect|strong = "H6960"

w me|strong = "H5921" w\* w to|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
do|strong = "H3068" w\* w good|strong = "H2896" w\* w  
things|strong = "H1992" w\* w for|strong = "H5921" w\* w  
them|strong = "H1992" w\* .

T hey|strong = "H1992" will|strong = "H3068" □ respond|strong = "H6030"  
to|strong = "H3068"/want|strong = "H6485" to|strong = "H3068"  
please|strong = "H4994" □ me|strong = "H5921" there|strong = "H1992"

l ike|strong = "H5921" they|strong = "H1992" did|strong = "H3068"  
long|strong = "H3117" ago|strong = "H3117",

w hen|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117" freed|strong = "H8199"  
them|strong = "H1992" from|strong = "H5921" w being|strong = "H3068" w\*  
w slaves|strong = "H5650" w\* w in|strong = "H5921" w\*  
Egypt|strong = "H4714".

16At|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H3651" time|strong = "H3820",

t hey|strong = "H3651" will|strong = "H3820" say|strong = "H1696"  
to|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H5921", 'w It|strong = "H5921" w\* w  
is|strong = "H3820" w\* w as|strong = "H3651" w\* w  
though|strong = "H3588" w\* [MET|strong = "H6298"] you|strong = "H5921"  
are|strong = "H3820" our|strong = "H5921" husband|strong = "H0376".'

T hey|strong = "H3651" will|strong = "H3820" not|strong = "H1696"  
say|strong = "H1696" that|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H2009"  
am|strong = "H1961" their|strong = "H5921" w master|strong = "H0113" w\*,  
w like|strong = "H3651" w\* w they|strong = "H3651" w\* w  
considered|strong = "H3820" w\* w that|strong = "H3651" w\*  
Baal|strong = "H1168" w was|strong = "H3820" w\* .

17I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H4714" not|strong = "H5414"  
allow|strong = "H5414" them|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H5927"  
speak|strong = "H6030" [MTY] the|strong = "H5414"  
names|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H3117" Baal|strong = "H1168";

t hey|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H4714" never|strong = "H3808"  
use|strong = "H4399" those|strong = "H1992" names|strong = "H8034"  
again|strong = "H6030".



18At|strong="H3068" that|strong="H3117" time|strong="H3117" w  
it|strong="H1931" w\* w will|strong="H3068" w\* w be|strong="H1961" w\*  
w as|strong="H3117" w\* w though|strong="H1931" w\* I|strong="H3117"  
will|strong="H3068" make|strong="H7121" an|strong="H1961"  
agreement|strong="H7284"

w ith|strong="H3068" w all|strong="H3117" w\* the|strong="H5002"  
wild|strong="H7704" animals|strong="H1961" and|strong="H3068"  
birds|strong="H5775",

a nd|strong="H3068" w even|strong="H5750" w\* w  
with|strong="H3068" w\* the|strong="H5002" little|strong="H4592"  
animals|strong="H1961" that|strong="H3117" scurry  
across|strong="H5676" the|strong="H5002" ground|strong="H0776",

s o|strong="H1961" that|strong="H3117" they|strong="H3117"  
will|strong="H3068" never|strong="H3808" harm|strong="H7463"  
my|strong="H3068" people|strong="H3808" w again|strong="H5750" w\*.

A nd|strong="H3068" I|strong="H3117" will|strong="H3068"  
remove|strong="H5493" from|strong="H3117" their|strong="H3068"  
nation|strong="H1471" all|strong="H3117" the|strong="H5002"  
weapons|strong="H3627" w for|strong="H7121" w\* w  
fighting|strong="H3898" w\* battles|strong="H4421",

w like|strong="H1961" w\* swords|strong="H2719" and|strong="H3068"  
bows|strong="H7198" w and|strong="H3068" w\* w  
arrows|strong="H2671" w\*.

T he|strong="H5002" result|strong="H6903" will|strong="H3068"  
be|strong="H1961" that|strong="H3117" my|strong="H3068"  
people|strong="H3808" will|strong="H3068" live|strong="H3117"  
peacefully|strong="H7965" and|strong="H3068" safely|strong="H0983",

a nd|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808"  
be|strong="H1961" afraid|strong="H3372".

19I|strong="H3808" will|strong="H3808" cause|strong="H6310"  
them|strong="H5493" to|strong="H6310" be|strong="H3808" w  
as|strong="H5750" w\* w though|strong="H3588" w\* w  
they|strong="H3808" w\* w are|strong="H6310" w\* [MET|strong="H6298"]  
my|strong="H2142" bride|strong="H3618" forever|strong="H5769".

I |strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808"  
righteous|strong = "H6662" and|strong = "H6310"  
fair|strong = "H3303"/just|strong = "H6310";

I |strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3808" faithfully|strong = "H0571"  
love|strong = "H0157" them|strong = "H5493" and|strong = "H6310"  
be|strong = "H3808" kind|strong = "H4327" to|strong = "H6310"  
them|strong = "H5493".

20I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H2719" not|strong = "H4480"  
abandon|strong = "H5800" them|strong = "H7665",

a nd|strong = "H3117" they|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H2719"  
realize|strong = "H3045" w that|strong = "H3117" w\* w I|strong = "H3117" w\*  
Yahweh|strong = "H3068", w have|strong = "H3117" w\* w  
the|strong = "H4480" w\* w power|strong = "H3027" w\* w  
to|strong = "H3117" w\* w do|strong = "H6213" w\* w  
what|strong = "H4100" w\* w I|strong = "H3117" w\* w  
say|strong = "H0559" w\* w that|strong = "H3117" w\* w I|strong = "H3117" w\*  
w will|strong = "H2719" w\* w do|strong = "H6213" w\*.

21At|strong = "H4941" that|strong = "H5769" time|strong = "H5769", w  
when|strong = "H3588" w\* w they|strong = "H1992" w\* w  
request|strong = "H1246" w\* w me|strong = "H4941" w\* w  
to|strong = "H4941" w\* w do|strong = "H6213" w\* w  
things|strong = "H1697" w\* w for|strong = "H4941" w\* w  
them|strong = "H5414" w\*,

w I|strong = "H0589" w\* w will|strong = "H6664" w\* w  
do|strong = "H6213" w\* w those|strong = "H1992" w\* w  
things|strong = "H1697" w\*.

W hen|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H1992" request|strong = "H1246"  
clouds|strong = "H5645" and|strong = "H4941" rain|strong = "H4306"  
to|strong = "H4941" fall|strong = "H5307" on|strong = "H4941"  
their|strong = "H3605" land|strong = "H0776",

I |strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H6664" speak|strong = "H1696"  
to|strong = "H4941" the|strong = "H4941" clouds|strong = "H5645",  
and|strong = "H4941" rain|strong = "H4306" will|strong = "H6664"  
fall|strong = "H5307" on|strong = "H4941" the|strong = "H4941"  
earth|strong = "H0776",

22and|strong="H3068" grain|strong="H1715" will|strong="H3068"  
 grow|strong="H6779", and|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"  
 vineyards|strong="H3754" and|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"  
 olive|strong="H2132" trees|strong="H6086" will|strong="H3068"  
 grow|strong="H6779" in|strong="H3068" Jezreel|strong="H3157" w  
 Valley|strong="H6010"w\*.

23w At|strong="H3068"w\* w that|strong="H3117"w\* w  
 time|strong="H3117"w\*, I|strong="H3117" will|strong="H3068"  
 take|strong="H1961" care|strong="H3027" of|strong="H3068"  
 the|strong="H5002" Israeli people|strong="H1931"

w like|strong="H1961"w\* w a|strong="H1961"w\* w  
 farmer|strong="H0127"w\* w plants|strong="H6212"w\* w  
 and|strong="H3068"w\* w takes|strong="H3947"w\* w  
 care|strong="H3027"w\* w of|strong="H3068"w\* w  
 his|strong="H3068"w\* w crops|strong="H8393"w\*  
 [MET|strong="H6298"].

I |strong="H3117" will|strong="H3068" love|strong="H0157"  
 those|strong="H1992" people|strong="H1931" that|strong="H3117"  
 I|strong="H3117" previously|strong="H8543" said|strong="H5002"  
 were|strong="H1961" ones|strong="H1992" I|strong="H3117"  
 did|strong="H3068" not|strong="H1961" love|strong="H0157",

a nd|strong="H3068" I|strong="H3117" previously|strong="H8543"  
 said|strong="H5002", 'You|strong="H3117" are|strong="H3117"  
 not|strong="H1961" my|strong="H3068" people|strong="H1931",'

a nd|strong="H3068" w then|strong="H6030"w\* they|strong="H1992"  
 will|strong="H3068" say|strong="H0559" to|strong="H3068"  
 me|strong="H6030", 'You|strong="H3117" are|strong="H3117"  
 our|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068".'  
 Hosea bought his wife again

3Then|strong="H6437" Yahweh|strong="H3068" said|strong="H0559"  
 to|strong="H3478" me|strong="H3212", "Go|strong="H3212"  
 and|strong="H1121" show|strong="H7200" to|strong="H3478"  
 your|strong="H3068" wife|strong="H0802" that|strong="H3068"  
 you|strong="H6437" still|strong="H5750" love|strong="H0157"  
 her|strong="H3212", even|strong="H5750" though|strong="H3588"  
 she|strong="H1931" has|strong="H3068" been|strong="H3068"  
 committing|strong="H5003" adultery|strong="H5003"  
 with|strong="H3068" another|strong="H7453" man|strong="H1121"

who|strong = "H3068" loves|strong = "H0157" her|strong = "H3212". w  
 That|strong = "H3068" w\* w will|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 show|strong = "H7200" w\* w that|strong = "H3068" w\* I|strong = "H1121"  
 still|strong = "H5750" love|strong = "H0157" the|strong = "H3068"  
 people|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Israel|strong = "H3478",  
 even|strong = "H5750" though|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H1992"  
 worship|strong = "H3478" other|strong = "H5750"  
 gods|strong = "H0430"/idols|strong = "H1544" and|strong = "H1121"  
 eat|strong = "H0398" raisin|strong = "H0809" cakes|strong = "H2471" w  
 in|strong = "H3478" w\* w feasts|strong = "H4150" w\* w  
 that|strong = "H3068" w\* w honor|strong = "H3519" w\* w  
 those|strong = "H1992" w\* w gods|strong = "H0430" w\*."

2w My|strong = "H8104" w\* w wife|strong = "H0802" w\* w  
 had|strong = "H3068" w\* w become|strong = "H1961" w\* w  
 a|strong = "H3701" w\* w slave|strong = "H5650" w\*, but|strong = "H3588"  
 I|strong = "H0589" bought|strong = "H3739" her|strong = "H3605"  
 for|strong = "H3701" 6 ounces/179 grams of|strong = "H2563"  
 silver|strong = "H3701" and|strong = "H3701" ten|strong = "H6235" bushels  
 of|strong = "H2563" barley|strong = "H8184". <sup>3</sup> Then|strong = "H1961"  
 I|strong = "H3117" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H1961"  
 her|strong = "H1571", "You|strong = "H3117" must|strong = "H1571"  
 wait|strong = "H3427" for|strong = "H3427" many|strong = "H7227"  
 days|strong = "H3117" w before|strong = "H3808" w\* w  
 we|strong = "H3117" w\* w sleep|strong = "H8142" w\* w  
 together|strong = "H1571" w\* [EUP]. During|strong = "H3117"  
 that|strong = "H3117" time|strong = "H3117", you|strong = "H3117"  
 must|strong = "H1571" not|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H1961"  
 a|strong = "H1961" prostitute|strong = "H2181", and|strong = "H3117"  
 you|strong = "H3117" must|strong = "H1571" not|strong = "H3808"  
 have|strong = "H1961" sex|strong = "H7901" with|strong = "H3427"  
 any|strong = "H1571" other|strong = "H0312" man|strong = "H0376";  
 but|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H1961"  
 live|strong = "H3427" with|strong = "H3427" you|strong = "H3117"."

4w Our|strong = "H3588" w\* w doing|strong = "H6213" w\* w  
 that|strong = "H3588" w\* w will|strong = "H4428" w\* w  
 show|strong = "H7200" w\* w that|strong = "H3588" w\* in|strong = "H3427"  
 the|strong = "H3588" same|strong = "H1931" way|strong = "H1870",  
 the|strong = "H3588" people|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"  
 Israel|strong = "H3478" will|strong = "H4428" not|strong = "H3588"  
 have|strong = "H1121" a|strong = "H3588" king|strong = "H4428"  
 and|strong = "H1121" w other|strong = "H0312" w\* leaders|strong = "H8269"  
 for|strong = "H3588" many|strong = "H7227" years|strong = "H3117".  
 They|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H4428" not|strong = "H3588"

offer|strong = "H2077" sacrifices|strong = "H2077" or|strong = "H3117" w  
 have|strong = "H1121" w\* w sacred|strong = "H6944" w\* w  
 stone|strong = "H0068" w\* pillars|strong = "H4676", no|strong = "H3478"  
 sacred|strong = "H6944" vest w for|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
 the|strong = "H3588" w\* Supreme w Priest|strong = "H3548" w\*,  
 and|strong = "H1121" no|strong = "H3478" idols|strong = "H8655"! 5  
 But|strong = "H7725" later|strong = "H0310", the|strong = "H3068"  
 people|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Israel|strong = "H3478"  
 will|strong = "H3068" return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725"  
 Yahweh|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068"  
 and|strong = "H1121" w be|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 guided|strong = "H5148" w\* w by|strong = "H3117" w\* w  
 him|strong = "H7725" w\* w and|strong = "H1121" w\* by|strong = "H3117"  
 a|strong = "H3117" king|strong = "H4428" who|strong = "H3068"  
 is|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H3117" descendant|strong = "H1121"  
 of|strong = "H1121" w King|strong = "H4428" w\* David|strong = "H1732".  
 In|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3068"  
 last|strong = "H0314"/future|strong = "H0319" days|strong = "H3117"  
 they|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068" come|strong = "H7725"  
 to|strong = "H7725" Yahweh|strong = "H3068", revering  
 him|strong = "H7725" and|strong = "H1121" trembling|strong = "H6342" w  
 in|strong = "H3478" w\* w his|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 presence|strong = "H6440" w\*, and|strong = "H1121" he|strong = "H3117"  
 will|strong = "H3068" bless|strong = "H1288" them|strong = "H7725".  
 Yahweh's accusation against Israel

4You|strong = "H3588" Israeli people|strong = "H1121",  
 listen|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H3478" this|strong = "H1697"  
 message|strong = "H1697" from|strong = "H3478" Yahweh|strong = "H3068"!

H e|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H3068" accusing|strong = "H7760"  
 you|strong = "H3588" people|strong = "H1121" who|strong = "H3068"  
 live|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427" this|strong = "H1697"  
 country|strong = "H2022",

w saying|strong = "H1697" w\* "The|strong = "H8085"  
 people|strong = "H1121" are|strong = "H1121" not|strong = "H3588"  
 faithfully|strong = "H2617" w doing|strong = "H6213" w\* w  
 what|strong = "H1697" w\* w pleases|strong = "H2654" w\* w  
 me|strong = "H5973" w\*,

t hey|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H1121" not|strong = "H3588"  
 kind|strong = "H4327" w to|strong = "H3478" w\* w  
 others|strong = "H0312" w\*,

and they do not  
 even know  
 me!

2Everywhere in this  
 land they curse  
 others, they murder  
 others, they steal,  
 and they commit  
 adultery.

They act violently  
 toward others

and commit one  
 murder after another.

3It is because  
 of their doing  
 those things that  
 there is no  
 rain [MTY], the land  
 has become dry,

the people are  
 mourning,

and the people  
 are dying from  
 hunger.

Even the wild  
 animals and the  
 birds and the  
 fish in the  
 sea are dying.

4But no one  
 should accuse  
 someone else

and say it  
 is his fault.

I t|strong = "H5414" is|strong = "H5971" you|strong = "H3198"  
priests|strong = "H3548" whom|strong = "H5971" I|strong = "H5971"  
am|strong = "H1961" accusing|strong = "H7760".

5So|strong = "H1571" I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H1571"  
punish|strong = "H6485" [MTY] you|strong = "H3117"  
priests|strong = "H3548", night|strong = "H3915" and|strong = "H3117"  
day|strong = "H3117",

a nd|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H1571"  
punish|strong = "H6485" the|strong = "H3117" prophets|strong = "H5030"  
with|strong = "H5973" you|strong = "H3117".

I |strong = "H3117" am|strong = "H1961" going|strong = "H1980"  
to|strong = "H3117" destroy|strong = "H1820" w Israel|strong = "H3478" w\*,  
w the|strong = "H3117" w\* w nation|strong = "H1471" w\* w  
that|strong = "H3117" w\* w is|strong = "H3117" w\* w  
like|strong = "H5973" w\* [MET|strong = "H6298"] a|strong = "H3117"  
mother|strong = "H0517" to|strong = "H3117" you|strong = "H3117".

6It|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H1571" because|strong = "H3588"  
my|strong = "H3588" people|strong = "H5971" do|strong = "H6213"  
not|strong = "H3588" know|strong = "H1847" w about|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
me|strong = "H7911" w\* that|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588"  
will|strong = "H5971" be|strong = "H1121" destroyed|strong = "H1820".

A nd|strong = "H1121" their|strong = "H3588" not|strong = "H3588"  
knowing|strong = "H3045" about|strong = "H5971" me|strong = "H7911"  
is|strong = "H1571" because|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
priests|strong = "H3547" have|strong = "H5971" refused|strong = "H3988" w  
to|strong = "H1121" w\* w teach|strong = "H3925" w\* w  
them|strong = "H1121" w\* w about|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
me|strong = "H7911" w\*;

s o|strong = "H1571" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5971"  
no|strong = "H1097" longer|strong = "H5750" allow|strong = "H5414"  
you|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H1121" be|strong = "H1121"  
my|strong = "H3588" priests|strong = "H3547".

Y ou|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H5971" forgotten|strong = "H7911"  
the|strong = "H3588" things|strong = "H1697" that|strong = "H3588"  
I|strong = "H3588" taught|strong = "H3925" you|strong = "H3588",

s o|strong="H1571" I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H5971"  
 forget|strong="H7911" w to|strong="H1121" w\* w  
 bless|strong="H1288" w\* your|strong="H3588" children|strong="H1121".

7As|strong="H3651" there|strong="H8033" are|strong="H3117"  
 more|strong="H7235" and|strong="H2398" more|strong="H7235"  
 priests|strong="H3548",

t hey|strong="H3651" have|strong="H1961" sinned|strong="H2398"  
 against|strong="H2398" me|strong="H7235" more|strong="H7235"  
 and|strong="H2398" more|strong="H7235".

S o|strong="H3651" I|strong="H3651" will|strong="H2398"  
 no|strong="H3808" longer|strong="H5750" allow|strong="H5414"  
 them|strong="H5414" to|strong="H3519" be|strong="H3519"  
 honored|strong="H3519";

i nstead|strong="H8478", I|strong="H3651" will|strong="H2398"  
 cause|strong="H3651" them|strong="H5414" to|strong="H3519"  
 be|strong="H3519" disgraced|strong="H0954".

8The|strong="H5375" priests|strong="H3548" get|strong="H3947"  
 food|strong="H3899" from|strong="H5315" w the|strong="H5375" w\* w  
 offerings|strong="H2403" w\* w that|strong="H5971" w\* w  
 the|strong="H5375" w\* people|strong="H5971" w  
 bring|strong="H5375" w\* w in|strong="H5315" w\* w  
 order|strong="H4616" w\* w to|strong="H5315" w\* w  
 be|strong="H5315" w\* w forgiven|strong="H5375" w\* w  
 for|strong="H5315" w\* w having|strong="H5315" w\* w  
 sinned|strong="H2403" w\*,

w so|strong="H5375" w\* the|strong="H5375" priests|strong="H3548"  
 want|strong="H5315" the|strong="H5375" people|strong="H5971"  
 to|strong="H5315" sin|strong="H2403" more|strong="H5315"  
 and|strong="H5971" more|strong="H5315"

w in|strong="H5315" w\* w order|strong="H4616" w\* w  
 that|strong="H5971" w\* w the|strong="H5375" w\* w  
 people|strong="H5971" w\* w will|strong="H5971" w\* w  
 bring|strong="H5375" w\* w them|strong="H5375" w\* w  
 more|strong="H5315" w\* w and|strong="H5971" w\* w  
 more|strong="H5315" w\* w offerings|strong="H2403" w\*.



9The|strong="H5921" priests|strong="H3548" w are|strong="H5971" w\*  
w as|strong="H1961" w\* w sinful|strong="H2400" w\* as|strong="H1961"  
the|strong="H5921" w other|strong="H0312" w\* people|strong="H5971",

a nd|strong="H7725" I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H1961"  
punish|strong="H6485" w all|strong="H6485" w\* w of|strong="H1870" w\*  
them|strong="H5921" for|strong="H5921" what|strong="H1870"  
they|strong="H5921" have|strong="H1961" done|strong="H1961";

I |strong="H5921" will|strong="H1961" pay|strong="H7725"  
them|strong="H5921" back|strong="H7725" for|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H5921" w evil|strong="H7451" w\* things|strong="H1961"  
that|strong="H5971" they|strong="H5921" have|strong="H1961"  
done|strong="H1961".

10w The|strong="H3588" w\* w priests|strong="H3808" w\*  
will|strong="H3068" eat|strong="H0398", but|strong="H3588"  
they|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" still|strong="H3588"  
be|strong="H3808" hungry|strong="H7457";

t hey|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" have|strong="H3068"  
sex|strong="H7901" with|strong="H7646" prostitutes|strong="H2181",  
but|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068"  
not|strong="H3808" have|strong="H3068" any|strong="H3588"  
children|strong="H1121",

b ecause|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" have|strong="H3068"  
abandoned|strong="H5800" w me|strong="H8104" w\*,  
Yahweh|strong="H3068",

11and|strong="H3196" they|strong="H3947" are|strong="H3820"  
devoting themselves|strong="H0905" to|strong="H3820"  
sleeping|strong="H3463" with|strong="H3947"  
prostitutes|strong="H6945",

a nd|strong="H3196" to|strong="H3820" w drinking|strong="H8354" w\*  
old|strong="H2184" wine|strong="H3196" and|strong="H3196"  
new|strong="H8492" wine|strong="H3196",

w hich|strong="H3196" results|strong="H6529" in|strong="H3947"  
their|strong="H3947" not|strong="H3947" being|strong="H1961"  
able|strong="H3201" to|strong="H3820" think|strong="H3820"  
clearly|strong="H3045".

The|strong = "H3947" people|strong = "H3820" are|strong = "H3820"  
condemned|strong = "H7561" for|strong = "H3947" idolatry|strong = "H8655"

12“w You|strong = "H3588" w\* my|strong = "H5046"  
people|strong = "H5971" request|strong = "H7592" wooden|strong = "H6086"  
idols|strong = "H1544"

w to|strong = "H5971" w\* w tell|strong = "H5046" w\* w  
you|strong = "H3588" w\* w what|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
you|strong = "H3588" w\* w should|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
do|strong = "H6213" w\*!

L ike|strong = "H7307" prostitutes|strong = "H2181" who|strong = "H5971"  
have|strong = "H5971" left|strong = "H7604"/abandoned|strong = "H5800"  
their|strong = "H3588" husbands|strong = "H1167",

13you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H1323"  
abandoned|strong = "H5800" w me|strong = "H5921" w\*  
your|strong = "H5921" God|strong = "H0430", and|strong = "H7218"  
you|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H2022" chasing|strong = "H0310"  
after|strong = "H5921" w other|strong = "H0312" w\* w  
gods|strong = "H0430" w\* on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
tops|strong = "H7218" of|strong = "H1323" hills|strong = "H1389"  
and|strong = "H7218" mountains|strong = "H2022";

y ou|strong = "H3588" burn|strong = "H6999" incense|strong = "H6999"  
under|strong = "H8478" oak|strong = "H0424" w trees|strong = "H6086" w\*,  
poplar|strong = "H3839" w trees|strong = "H6086" w\*, and|strong = "H7218"  
other|strong = "H0312" trees|strong = "H6086"

w here|strong = "H8478" there|strong = "H2022" is|strong = "H2896"  
nice|strong = "H2896"/pleasing|strong = "H2896" shade|strong = "H6738".

S o|strong = "H3651" your|strong = "H5921" daughters|strong = "H1323"  
have|strong = "H1323" become|strong = "H2181"  
prostitutes|strong = "H2181",

a nd|strong = "H7218" your|strong = "H5921"  
daughters-in-law|strong = "H3618" have|strong = "H1323"  
committed|strong = "H5003" adultery|strong = "H5003".

14But it is  
not w only your  
daughters

w whom w I w  
will w w punish w for  
having become  
prostitutes,

and it is  
not w only your  
daughters-in-law

w hom I will  
punish w for  
adultery committing  
adultery,

because the men  
also are having  
sex with prostitutes,

and they offer  
sacrifices

w ith the prostitutes  
w who w search w  
for w men w  
at w the w shrines  
w of w the w  
idols.

w They w are w  
all w foolish people,  
and w they w  
all w be w ruined.

15You Israeli w people  
have abandoned me

I like [MET] those  
who commit adultery  
have abandoned their  
spouses.

**B** ut|strong="H3068" do|strong="H3068" not|strong="H5927"  
 cause|strong="H2600" w the|strong="H3068" w\* w  
 people|strong="H5971" w\* w of|strong="H3068" w\*  
 Judah|strong="H3063" to|strong="H3478" sin|strong="H2403" w  
 also|strong="H3068" w\*.

**D** o|strong="H3068" not|strong="H5927" go|strong="H5927"  
 to|strong="H3478" Gilgal|strong="H1537" or|strong="H3068"  
 go|strong="H5927" up|strong="H5927" to|strong="H3478"  
 Beth-Aven|strong="H1007" w towns|strong="H1323" w\*

w to|strong="H3478" w\* w worship|strong="H3478" w\* w  
 idols|strong="H1544" w\* w there|strong="H5927" w\*.

**D** o|strong="H3068" not|strong="H5927" make|strong="H2181"  
 solemn|strong="H7650" promises|strong="H7650" w  
 there|strong="H5927" w\*, w saying|strong="H0559" w\* w  
 Just|strong="H3512" w\* w as|strong="H3068" w\* w  
 surely|strong="H5927" w\* as|strong="H3068" Yahweh|strong="H3068"  
 lives|strong="H2416", w I|strong="H3478" w\* w will|strong="H3068" w\*  
 w do|strong="H3068" w\* w what|strong="H5927" w\* w  
 I|strong="H3478" w\* w am|strong="H3068" w\* w  
 promising|strong="H1696" w\*.'

16You|strong="H3588" w people|strong="H5971" w\* w  
 of|strong="H3068" w\* w Israel|strong="H3478" w\* are|strong="H3478"  
 as|strong="H3068" stubborn|strong="H5637" as|strong="H3068" [SIM]  
 a|strong="H3588" young|strong="H5288" cow|strong="H6510".

**S** o|strong="H6258" there|strong="H6258" is|strong="H3068"  
 no|strong="H3478" way|strong="H1870" [RHQ] that|strong="H3588" w  
 I|strong="H3588" w\*, Yahweh|strong="H3068", will|strong="H3068" w  
 provide|strong="H6213" w\* w food|strong="H3899" w\* w  
 for|strong="H3588" w\* w them|strong="H7462" w\*

w like|strong="H3478" w\* w a|strong="H3588" w\* w  
 shepherd|strong="H7462" w\* w provides|strong="H3559" w\* w  
 food|strong="H3899" w\* w for|strong="H3588" w\* w  
 his|strong="H3068" w\* lambs|strong="H3532"

w by|strong="H3068" w\* w leading|strong="H7218" w\* w  
 them|strong="H7462" w\* to|strong="H3478" a|strong="H3588"  
 nice|strong="H2899" meadow|strong="H0260".

17The|strong = "H2266" people|strong = "H3240" of|strong = "H6091"  
 Israel|strong = "H3478" have|strong = "H6091" chosen|strong = "H0977"  
 to|strong = "H2266" worship|strong = "H7812" idols|strong = "H6091"  
 [MET|strong = "H6298"],

w so|strong = "H3651" w\* allow|strong = "H3240" them|strong = "H3240"  
 w to|strong = "H2266" w\* w do|strong = "H6213" w\* w  
 what|strong = "H4100" w\* w they|strong = "H1992" w\* w  
 want|strong = "H4270" w\* w to|strong = "H2266" w\* w  
 do|strong = "H6213" w\*.

18When|strong = "H3588" their|strong = "H5493" rulers|strong = "H4043"  
 finish|strong = "H3615" drinking|strong = "H8354" w  
 their|strong = "H5493" w\* w wine|strong = "H5435" w\*,

t hey|strong = "H4043" go|strong = "H5493" to|strong = "H5493"  
 find|strong = "H4672" prostitutes|strong = "H2181";

t hey|strong = "H4043" love|strong = "H0157" their|strong = "H5493"  
 disgraceful|strong = "H5039" behavior|strong = "H3027".

19But|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H1992" will|strong = "H7307"  
 disappear|strong = "H0622"

w as|strong = "H0834" w\* w though|strong = "H3588" w\*  
 [MET|strong = "H6298"] they|strong = "H1992" were|strong = "H3671"  
 blown|strong = "H8628" away|strong = "H3671" by|strong = "H7307"  
 a|strong = "H3671" whirlwind|strong = "H7307".

T hey|strong = "H1992" will|strong = "H7307" become|strong = "H1961" w  
 very|strong = "H3966" w\* ashamed|strong = "H0954"  
 because|strong = "H3588" of|strong = "H7307" their|strong = "H3605"  
 offering|strong = "H4503" sacrifices|strong = "H2077" w  
 to|strong = "H7307" w\* w idols|strong = "H1544" w\*."  
 Yahweh's accusation against the Israeli people

5"Listen|strong = "H8085", you|strong = "H3588" priests|strong = "H3548"!

A nd|strong = "H3478" you|strong = "H3588" w other|strong = "H2063" w\*  
 Israeli people|strong = "H8085", you|strong = "H3588" also|strong = "H3478"  
 pay|strong = "H7181" attention|strong = "H7181"!

**A** nd you who are members of the king's family, w you w also w need w to listen,

**b** ecause w I w am w going w to w judge you!

**Y** our w worshipping w idols w has w been w like w [MET] a w trap w for w the w w people w at w Mizpah w town w;

**i** t w has w been w like w [MET] a w net w spread w out w to w w catch w w people w at w Tabor w Mountain w.

**2**You w have w done w many w evil w things w,

**s** o w I w will w punish w all w of w you w.

**3**I w know w w everything w w about w the w w people w w of w Israel w;

**n** othing w that w they w have w done w is w hidden w from w me w.

**B** ecause|strong="H3588" w the|strong="H3588" w\* w  
 people|strong="H3808" w\* w of|strong="H4480" w\* Israel|strong="H3478"  
 have|strong="H3045" given|strong="H5414" themselves|strong="H3045"  
 w to|strong="H3478" w\* w worshiping|strong="H7812" w\* w  
 idols|strong="H1544" w\*

**I** like|strong="H3478" [MET|strong="H6298"]  
 prostitutes|strong="H2181" w give|strong="H5414" w\* w  
 themselves|strong="H3045" w\* w to|strong="H3478" w\* w  
 the|strong="H3588" w\* w men|strong="H3478" w\* w  
 they|strong="H3588" w\* w sleep|strong="H8142" w\* w  
 with|strong="H3045" w\*,

**t** hey|strong="H3588" have|strong="H3045" become|strong="H2930"  
 unacceptable|strong="H4284" to|strong="H3478" me|strong="H4480".

**4**Because|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" w  
 like|strong="H3808" w\* w to|strong="H7725" w\* w do|strong="H3068" w\* w  
 w evil|strong="H7451" w\* things|strong="H3808",

**t** hey|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808"  
 return|strong="H7725" to|strong="H7725" w me|strong="H5414" w\*,  
 their|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068".

**L** ike|strong="H3808" prostitutes|strong="H6945" w  
 who|strong="H3068" w\* w have|strong="H3068" w\* w  
 abandoned|strong="H5800" w\* w their|strong="H3068" w\* w  
 husbands|strong="H1167" w\* [MET|strong="H6298"],  
 they|strong="H3588" have|strong="H3068" [IDM]  
 abandoned|strong="H5800" [MET|strong="H6298"] me|strong="H5414";

**t** hey|strong="H3588" do|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808" w  
 even|strong="H3588" w\* know|strong="H3045" me|strong="H5414",  
 Yahweh|strong="H3068".

**5**w It|strong="H6440" w\* w is|strong="H1571" w\* w  
 as|strong="H1571" w\* w though|strong="H1571" w\* their|strong="H6440"  
 being|strong="H1961" proud|strong="H1347" testifies|strong="H6030"  
 [PRS] against|strong="H5973" them|strong="H6440".

**T** he|strong="H6440" sins|strong="H5771" that|strong="H3478" w  
the|strong="H6440" w\* w people|strong="H1571" w\* w  
of|strong="H6440" w\* Israel|strong="H3478" have|strong="H1571"  
committed|strong="H3478" w are|strong="H3478" w\* w  
like|strong="H5973" w\* w a|strong="H3478" w\* w  
heavy|strong="H3513" w\* w load|strong="H4853" w\* w  
that|strong="H3478" w\* causes|strong="H5414" them|strong="H6440"  
to|strong="H3478" stumble|strong="H3782",

**a** nd|strong="H3063" w the|strong="H6440" w\* w  
people|strong="H1571" w\* w of|strong="H6440" w\* w  
Judah|strong="H3063" stumble|strong="H3782" with|strong="H5973"  
them|strong="H6440".

6They|strong="H1992" will|strong="H3068" come|strong="H3212"  
to|strong="H3212" worship|strong="H7812" w me|strong="H4672" w\*,  
Yahweh|strong="H3068",

**b** ringing|strong="H0935" their|strong="H3068" herds|strong="H1241"  
of|strong="H3068" sheep|strong="H6629" and|strong="H3068"  
cattle|strong="H1241",

**b** ut|strong="H3808" they|strong="H1992" will|strong="H3068"  
not|strong="H3808" w be|strong="H3808" w\* w able|strong="H3201" w\* w  
w to|strong="H3212" w\* find|strong="H4672" me|strong="H4672",

**b** ecause|strong="H3068" I|strong="H3808" have|strong="H3068"  
abandoned|strong="H5800" them|strong="H1992".

7They|strong="H3588" have|strong="H3068"  
abandoned|strong="H5800" me|strong="H3205";

**a** nd|strong="H1121" their|strong="H3068" children|strong="H1121"  
do|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3588" belong|strong="H1961"  
to|strong="H3068" me|strong="H3205" [MET|strong="H6298"].

**S** o|strong="H6258" w they|strong="H3588" w\* w  
will|strong="H3068" w\* w not|strong="H3588" w\* w  
be|strong="H3068" w\* w able|strong="H3201" w\* w to|strong="H3068" w\* w  
w celebrate|strong="H6213" w\* w their|strong="H3068" w\* w  
festivals|strong="H4150" w\* w at|strong="H3068" w\* the|strong="H3588"  
new|strong="H2320" moons|strong="H2320"



w because|strong = "H3588" w\* w I|strong = "H3588" w\*  
 will|strong = "H3068" destroy|strong = "H7843" them|strong = "H3205"  
 and|strong = "H1121" w the|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
 crops|strong = "H8393" w\* w in|strong = "H3068" w\* their|strong = "H3068"  
 fields|strong = "H7704".

8Blow|strong = "H8628" the|strong = "H8628" w  
 rams'|strong = "H0352" w\* horns|strong = "H7782" in|strong = "H7782"  
 Gibeah|strong = "H1390" w town|strong = "H7151" w\*

w and|strong = "H7414" w\* w blow|strong = "H8628" w\*  
 the|strong = "H8628" trumpets|strong = "H2689" in|strong = "H7782"  
 Ramah|strong = "H7414" w town|strong = "H7151" w\*!

W arn|strong = "H2094" w the|strong = "H8628" w\* w  
 people|strong = "H7321" w\* w at|strong = "H1144" w\*  
 Beth-Aven|strong = "H1007" w town|strong = "H7151" w\*;

y ou|strong = "H0859" warriors|strong = "H1368" of|strong = "H1390"  
 the|strong = "H8628" tribe|strong = "H4294" of|strong = "H1390"  
 Benjamin|strong = "H1144", lead|strong = "H5148" the|strong = "H8628"  
 troops|strong = "H1416" w into|strong = "H0413" w\* w  
 the|strong = "H8628" w\* w battle|strong = "H7321" w\*.

9Israel|strong = "H3478" will|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961"  
 ruined|strong = "H8047" on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117"  
 day|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3045" w I|strong = "H3117" w\*  
 destroy|strong = "H7843" them|strong = "H1961".

W hat|strong = "H3045" I|strong = "H3117" am|strong = "H1961"  
 telling|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3117"  
 tribes|strong = "H7626" of|strong = "H3117" Israel|strong = "H3478"  
 will|strong = "H1961" certainly|strong = "H3045" w  
 happen|strong = "H1961" w\*.

10w Because|strong = "H5921" w\* the|strong = "H5921"  
 leaders|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H8269" Judah|strong = "H3063" w  
 seized|strong = "H8610" w\* w some|strong = "H5253" w\* w  
 land|strong = "H1366" w\* w that|strong = "H4325" w\* w  
 belonged|strong = "H1961" w\* w to|strong = "H1961" w\* w  
 Israel|strong = "H3478" w\*,

**t** hey|strong = "H5921" are|strong = "H4325" like|strong = "H1961" [SIM]  
 those|strong = "H5921" who|strong = "H3063" move|strong = "H5253"  
 boundary|strong = "H1366" markers w to|strong = "H1961" w\* w  
 get|strong = "H3947" w\* w more|strong = "H5921" w\* w  
 land|strong = "H1366" w\* w for|strong = "H5921" w\* w  
 themselves|strong = "H5921" w\*;

w so|strong = "H1961" w\* I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H1961"  
 punish|strong = "H6485" them|strong = "H5921" severely|strong = "H5953"  
 [MET|strong = "H6298"].

11And|strong = "H1980" w the|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
 people|strong = "H5971" w\* w of|strong = "H4941" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478"  
 will|strong = "H4941" suffer|strong = "H5414" greatly|strong = "H3966"  
 when|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" punish|strong = "H6485"  
 them|strong = "H3588",

**b** ecause|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H4941" w  
 very|strong = "H1980" w\* determined|strong = "H2974" to|strong = "H1980"  
 worship|strong = "H7812" idols|strong = "H1544".

12I|strong = "H1004" will|strong = "H1004" destroy|strong = "H7843" w  
 the|strong = "H1004" w\* w people|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
 of|strong = "H1004" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478" like|strong = "H1004" [SIM]  
 □larvae w of|strong = "H1004" w\* moths/cockroaches□  
 destroy|strong = "H7843" wool|strong = "H6785",

**a** nd|strong = "H3063" I|strong = "H1004" will|strong = "H1004"  
 cause|strong = "H2600" w the|strong = "H1004" w\* w  
 people|strong = "H5971" w\* w of|strong = "H1004" w\*  
 Judah|strong = "H3063" to|strong = "H1004" be|strong = "H1004"  
 like|strong = "H1004" [SIM] rotten|strong = "H7538" wood|strong = "H6086".

13When|strong = "H7200" w the|strong = "H7200" w\* w  
 leaders|strong = "H7218" w\* w of|strong = "H4428" w\*  
 Israel|strong = "H3478" and|strong = "H3063" Judah|strong = "H3063"  
 saw|strong = "H7200" that|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200"  
 people|strong = "H3808" were|strong = "H3063" suffering|strong = "H6040"

**b** ecause|strong = "H4480" of|strong = "H4428" what|strong = "H7200" w  
 their|strong = "H7200" w\* w enemies|strong = "H0341" w\* w  
 were|strong = "H3063" w\* w doing|strong = "H4480" w\* w

to|strong = "H3201" w\* w them|strong = "H7971" w\*  
[MET|strong = "H6298"],

t hey|strong = "H3808" sent|strong = "H7971" w  
messages|strong = "H2372" w\* to|strong = "H3201" the|strong = "H7200"  
great|strong = "H1419" King|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428"  
Assyria|strong = "H0804"

r equesting w his|strong = "H7971" w\* w help|strong = "H4480" w\*.

B ut|strong = "H3808" he|strong = "H1931" cannot|strong = "H3808"  
help|strong = "H4480" you|strong = "H7971";

h e|strong = "H1931" cannot|strong = "H3808" cause|strong = "H2600"  
you|strong = "H7971" to|strong = "H3201" stop|strong = "H3808"  
suffering|strong = "H6040",

w because|strong = "H4480" w\* w I|strong = "H3201" w\* w  
am|strong = "H1961" w\* w the|strong = "H7200" w\* w  
one|strong = "H3808" w\* w who|strong = "H1931" w\* w  
is|strong = "H1931" w\* w punishing|strong = "H7725" w\* w  
Israel|strong = "H3478" w\* w and|strong = "H3063" w\* w  
Judah|strong = "H3063" w\*.

14I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1004" become|strong = "H5375"  
like|strong = "H1004" [SIM] a|strong = "H3588" lion|strong = "H3715" [DOU]  
to|strong = "H3212" both|strong = "H8147" nations|strong = "H1471";

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1004" w attack|strong = "H5221" w\* w  
them|strong = "H5375" w\* w and|strong = "H3063" w\* w tear|strong = "H2963"  
them|strong = "H5375" to|strong = "H3212" pieces|strong = "H2963".

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1004" drag|strong = "H5498"  
them|strong = "H5375" away|strong = "H5375",

a nd|strong = "H3063" no|strong = "H5375" one|strong = "H3588"  
will|strong = "H1004" w be|strong = "H1004" w\* w able|strong = "H3201" w\*  
w to|strong = "H3212" w\* w rescue|strong = "H5337" them|strong = "H5375".

15w After|strong = "H1245" w\* w that|strong = "H5704" w\*,  
I|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H5704" return|strong = "H7725"  
to|strong = "H5704" my|strong = "H1245" place|strong = "H4725" w  
in|strong = "H3212" w\* w heaven|strong = "H8064" w\*

**u** ntil|strong="H5704" they|strong="H1992" admit|strong="H8085"  
that|strong="H5704" they|strong="H1992" have|strong="H6862"  
sinned|strong="H2398" [MTY] and|strong="H7725"  
return|strong="H7725" to|strong="H5704" me|strong="H6440";

**w** hen|strong="H5704" they|strong="H1992" will|strong="H5704"  
experience|strong="H7200" w many|strong="H5704" w\*  
troubles|strong="H6869",

**t** hey|strong="H1992" will|strong="H5704" request|strong="H1245"  
me|strong="H6440" w to|strong="H5704" w\* w help|strong="H5826" w\*  
w them|strong="H1992" w\*."

The Israeli people were insincere about repenting

6w The|strong="H3588" w\* Israeli w people|strong="H1931" w\* w  
say|strong="H7725" w\*, "Come|strong="H3212", let's|strong="H5221"  
return|strong="H7725" to|strong="H7725" Yahweh|strong="H3068"!

**H** e|strong="H1931" has|strong="H3068" caused|strong="H5414" w  
us|strong="H7725" w\* to|strong="H7725" be|strong="H3068"  
injured|strong="H8295",

**b** ut|strong="H3588" he|strong="H1931" will|strong="H3068"  
heal|strong="H7495" us|strong="H7725".

**H** e|strong="H1931" has|strong="H3068" caused|strong="H5414" w  
us|strong="H7725" w\* to|strong="H7725" be|strong="H3068"  
wounded|strong="H5221",

**b** ut|strong="H3588" w it|strong="H1931" w\* w is|strong="H3068" w\* w  
as|strong="H3068" w\* w though|strong="H3588" w\* he|strong="H1931"  
will|strong="H3068" put|strong="H7725" bandages on|strong="H3068"  
our|strong="H3068" wounds|strong="H5221" [MET|strong="H6298"].

2After|strong="H3117" a|strong="H3117" very|strong="H3966"  
short|strong="H7138" time|strong="H3117" he|strong="H3117"  
will|strong="H3117" revive|strong="H2421" us|strong="H6440";

**i** n|strong="H3117" less|strong="H0637" than|strong="H6440"  
three|strong="H7992" days|strong="H3117" he|strong="H3117"  
will|strong="H3117" restore|strong="H6965" us|strong="H6440"

i n|strong="H3117" order|strong="H4616" that|strong="H3117"  
we|strong="H3117" may|strong="H3117" live|strong="H2421"  
in|strong="H3117" his|strong="H6440" presence|strong="H6440".

3We|strong="H0587" must|strong="H4191" try|strong="H0974"  
to|strong="H3068" know|strong="H3045" Yahweh|strong="H3068";

w if|strong="H0518" w\* w we|strong="H0587" w\* w  
do|strong="H3068" w\* w that|strong="H3045" w\*, he|strong="H3068"  
will|strong="H3068" come|strong="H3045" w and|strong="H3068" w\* w  
help|strong="H5826" w\* us|strong="H3045",

a s|strong="H3068" surely|strong="H4191" as|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" sun|strong="H8121" rises|strong="H6965" w  
every|strong="H3068" w\* w morning|strong="H7837" w\*,

a s|strong="H3068" surely|strong="H4191" as|strong="H3068"  
rain|strong="H1653" falls|strong="H5307" every|strong="H3068"  
winter|strong="H2779"/cold|strong="H7135" season|strong="H6256",

a nd|strong="H3068" as|strong="H3068" surely|strong="H4191"  
as|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" rain|strong="H1653"  
falls|strong="H5307" again|strong="H7725" □in|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H3068" springtime/at|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"  
end|strong="H7093" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"  
cold|strong="H7135" season|strong="H6256"□."

4w But|strong="H4100" w\* w Yahweh|strong="H3068" w\* w  
knows|strong="H3045" w\* w they|strong="H4100" w\* w  
are|strong="H4100" w\* w insincere;

w so|strong="H6213" w\* w he|strong="H6213" w\* w  
says|strong="H0559" w\* w to|strong="H1980" w\* w  
them|strong="H6213" w\*, "You|strong="H6213" w  
people|strong="H5971" w\* w of|strong="H6213" w\*  
Israel|strong="H3478", and|strong="H1980" you|strong="H6213" w  
people|strong="H5971" w\* w of|strong="H6213" w\*  
Judah|strong="H3063",

w I|strong="H4100" w\* w do|strong="H6213" w\* w  
not|strong="H6213" w\* w know|strong="H3045" w\* [RHQ]  
what|strong="H4100" I|strong="H4100" should|strong="H4100"  
do|strong="H6213" to|strong="H1980" you|strong="H6213".

Y our|strong="H6213" being|strong="H1961" faithful|strong="H2617"  
 w to|strong="H1980" w\* w me|strong="H6213" w\* w  
 will|strong="H3063" w\* w disappear|strong="H0622" w\* w  
 as|strong="H6213" w\* w quickly|strong="H7925" w\* as|strong="H6213"  
 [SIM] the|strong="H6213" morning|strong="H1242"  
 mist|strong="H6051" w disappears|strong="H1980" w\*,

l ike|strong="H1980" [SIM] the|strong="H6213" dew|strong="H2919" w  
 on|strong="H1980" w\* w the|strong="H6213" w\* w  
 ground|strong="H0776" w\* that|strong="H6213"  
 disappears|strong="H1980" quickly|strong="H7925" w  
 when|strong="H1980" w\* w the|strong="H6213" w\* w  
 sun|strong="H8121" w\* w shines|strong="H2224" w\*.

5I|strong="H5921" warned|strong="H2094" [HYP]  
 you|strong="H5921" by|strong="H5921" w the|strong="H5921" w\* w  
 messages|strong="H2372" w\* w that|strong="H3651" w\* w  
 I|strong="H5921" w\* w gave|strong="H3318" w\* w to|strong="H3318" w\*  
 the|strong="H5921" prophets|strong="H5030",

w but|strong="H3651" w\* w you|strong="H5921" w\* w  
 did|strong="H3651" w\* w not|strong="H3318" w\* w  
 pay|strong="H7999" w\* w attention|strong="H5921" w\* w  
 to|strong="H3318" w\* w my|strong="H5921" w\* w  
 messages|strong="H2372" w\*.

T herefore|strong="H3651" I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H6310"  
 completely|strong="H3617" destroy|strong="H2026"  
 you|strong="H5921";

t he|strong="H5921" punishment|strong="H5771" that|strong="H3651"  
 I|strong="H5921" give|strong="H5414" you|strong="H5921"  
 will|strong="H6310" strike|strong="H5221" you|strong="H5921"  
 like|strong="H3651" lightning|strong="H1300".

6I|strong="H3588" want|strong="H2654" w my|strong="H3588" w\* w  
 people|strong="H3808" w\* to|strong="H2654" faithfully|strong="H2617"  
 love|strong="H2617" w me|strong="H3808" w\*

m ore|strong="H3808" than|strong="H3808" w I|strong="H3588" w\* w  
 want|strong="H2654" w\* w them|strong="H3588" w\* w  
 to|strong="H2654" w\* w offer|strong="H2077" w\*  
 sacrifices|strong="H2077" w to|strong="H2654" w\* w  
 me|strong="H3808" w\*;

w I|strong = "H3588" w\* w want|strong = "H2654" w\* w  
them|strong = "H3588" w\* to|strong = "H2654" know|strong = "H1847"  
me|strong = "H3808"

m ore|strong = "H3808" than|strong = "H3808" w I|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
want|strong = "H2654" w\* w them|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
to|strong = "H2654" w\* completely|strong = "H3617" burn|strong = "H8313"  
sacrifices|strong = "H2077" w on|strong = "H2077" w\* w  
the|strong = "H3588" w\* w altar|strong = "H4196" w\*.

7But|strong = "H1992" they|strong = "H1992" have|strong = "H1992"  
refused|strong = "H3985" to|strong = "H5674" obey|strong = "H8085"  
my|strong = "H5674" agreement|strong = "H1285", w  
just|strong = "H3512" w\* like|strong = "H1992" Adam|strong = "H0121"  
did|strong = "H6213";

t hey|strong = "H1992" have|strong = "H1992" not|strong = "H5674"  
been|strong = "H5674" faithful|strong = "H0539" to|strong = "H5674"  
me|strong = "H5674".

8Gilead|strong = "H1568" is|strong = "H1818" a|strong = "H6466"  
city|strong = "H7151" w full|strong = "H4392" w\* of|strong = "H1818"  
people|strong = "H1818" who|strong = "H0834" do|strong = "H6466"  
wicked|strong = "H7563" things|strong = "H1697";

w in|strong = "H1818" w\* w the|strong = "H1568" w\* w  
streets|strong = "H2351" w\* are|strong = "H1818" the|strong = "H1568"  
bloody|strong = "H1818" footprints|strong = "H6119" w  
of|strong = "H1818" w\* w those|strong = "H1992" w\* w  
who|strong = "H0834" w\* w have|strong = "H1961" w\* w  
murdered|strong = "H2026" w\* w others|strong = "H0312" w\*.

9The|strong = "H3588" priests|strong = "H3548" are|strong = "H1870"  
like|strong = "H1870" [SIM] bandits|strong = "H1416" who|strong = "H3548"  
wait|strong = "H2442" □ in|strong = "H6213"  
ambushes|strong = "H0693"/along|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
road|strong = "H1870" □ to|strong = "H6213" attack|strong = "H5221"  
people|strong = "H5971";

t hey|strong = "H3588" murder|strong = "H7523" w  
people|strong = "H5971" w\* w who|strong = "H3548" w\* w  
are|strong = "H1870" w\* w walking|strong = "H1980" w\* on|strong = "H1870"  
the|strong = "H3588" road|strong = "H1870" to|strong = "H6213"  
Shechem|strong = "H7927",

a nd|strong="H3548" they|strong="H3588" commit|strong="H6213"  
other|strong="H0312" disgraceful|strong="H5039"  
crimes|strong="H6588".

10I|strong="H7200" have|strong="H3478" seen|strong="H7200"  
horrible|strong="H8186" things|strong="H3478" w  
being|strong="H1004" w\* w done|strong="H3478" w\* in|strong="H3478"  
Israel|strong="H3478" [MTY].

T he|strong="H7200" people|strong="H7200" have|strong="H3478"  
abandoned|strong="H5800" me|strong="H7200" w  
like|strong="H1004" w\* w prostitutes|strong="H6945" w\* w  
who|strong="H3478" w\* w have|strong="H3478" w\* w  
abandoned|strong="H5800" w\* w their|strong="H7200" w\* w  
husbands|strong="H1167" w\* [MET|strong="H6298"];

w so|strong="H7200" w\* w the|strong="H7200" w\* w  
people|strong="H7200" w\* w of|strong="H1004" w\* Israel|strong="H3478"  
have|strong="H3478" become|strong="H2930"  
unacceptable|strong="H4284" to|strong="H3478" me|strong="H7200".

11And|strong="H3063" you|strong="H7725" w  
people|strong="H5971" w\* w of|strong="H5971" w\*  
Judah|strong="H3063",

I |strong="H1571" have|strong="H5971" appointed|strong="H7896"  
a|strong="H7725" time|strong="H7105" when|strong="H7725"  
I|strong="H1571" will|strong="H5971" punish|strong="H6485"  
[MET|strong="H6298"] you|strong="H7725", too|strong="H1571".

W henever|strong="H3605" I|strong="H1571" wanted|strong="H2654"  
to|strong="H7725" enable|strong="H7980" my|strong="H7725"  
people|strong="H5971" to|strong="H7725" prosper|strong="H6743"  
again|strong="H7725",

7“and|strong="H3478" when|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588"  
wanted|strong="H2654" to|strong="H3478" heal|strong="H7495"  
them|strong="H1540" w again|strong="H3478" w\*,

w I|strong="H3588" w\* w did|strong="H3478" w\* w  
not|strong="H3588" w\* w do|strong="H6466" w\* w it|strong="H3588" w\*,



w because|strong = "H3588" w\* I|strong = "H3588" saw|strong = "H7200"  
 the|strong = "H3588" wicked|strong = "H7451" things|strong = "H7451"  
 that|strong = "H3588" w the|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
 people|strong = "H5971" w\* w of|strong = "H6466" w\*  
 Samaria|strong = "H8111" w city|strong = "H5892" w\* and|strong = "H3478"  
 w other|strong = "H0312" w\* w places|strong = "H1116" w\* w  
 in|strong = "H3478" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478" [DOU]  
 have|strong = "H3478" done|strong = "H6466".

**T** hey|strong = "H3588" constantly|strong = "H8548"  
 deceive|strong = "H5377" others|strong = "H1540";

**b** and its|strong = "H1416" rob|strong = "H1497" people|strong = "H5971"  
 in|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3588" streets|strong = "H2351".

2But|strong = "H1961" they|strong = "H6440" do|strong = "H3605"  
 not|strong = "H1077" realize|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H3605"  
 I|strong = "H6258" do|strong = "H3605" not|strong = "H1077"  
 forget|strong = "H7911" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 evil|strong = "H7451" things|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H3605"  
 they|strong = "H6440" do|strong = "H3605".

w It|strong = "H6440" w\* w is|strong = "H3605" w\* w  
 as|strong = "H1961" w\* w though|strong = "H3588" w\* they|strong = "H6440"  
 are|strong = "H1961" surrounded|strong = "H5437" by|strong = "H7451" w  
 all|strong = "H3605" w\* the|strong = "H3605" sins|strong = "H2403"  
 that|strong = "H3605" they|strong = "H6440" commit|strong = "H6213";

**a** nd|strong = "H6440" w it|strong = "H6440" w\* w is|strong = "H3605" w\* w  
 though|strong = "H3588" w\* those|strong = "H3605" sins|strong = "H2403"  
 are|strong = "H1961" w always|strong = "H3605" w\* w  
 right|strong = "H3225" w\* in|strong = "H6440" front|strong = "H6440"  
 of|strong = "H6440" me|strong = "H6440" [MTY].

3Their|strong = "H7451" king|strong = "H4428" is|strong = "H4428"  
 delighted|strong = "H2654" with|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H8055"  
 wicked|strong = "H7451" things|strong = "H7451" that|strong = "H4428"  
 the|strong = "H8055" people|strong = "H5971" do|strong = "H6213";

**h** is|strong = "H4428" officials|strong = "H8269" are|strong = "H4428"  
 happy|strong = "H8055" about|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H8055"  
 people's|strong = "H5971" lies|strong = "H3585".

4w The|strong = "H3605" w\* w king|strong = "H4428" w\* w  
and|strong = "H3605" w\* w his|strong = "H3605" w\* w  
officials|strong = "H8269" w\* are|strong = "H3117" all|strong = "H3605"  
treacherous|strong = "H0898".

w They|strong = "H5704" w\* w are|strong = "H3117" w\* w  
always|strong = "H3605" w\* w eager|strong = "H1245" w\* w  
to|strong = "H5704" w\* w do|strong = "H3605" w\* w  
wicked|strong = "H7563" w\* w things|strong = "H3605" w\*;

t hey|strong = "H5704" are|strong = "H3117" like|strong = "H3644" [SIM]  
an|strong = "H7673" oven|strong = "H8574" that|strong = "H3605"  
is|strong = "H3605" w very|strong = "H5704" w\* hot|strong = "H2552":

a |strong = "H3644" baker|strong = "H0644" mixes|strong = "H1101"  
the|strong = "H3605" dough|strong = "H1217" and|strong = "H3605"  
waits|strong = "H2442" for|strong = "H5704" it|strong = "H5704"  
to|strong = "H5704" expand,

a nd|strong = "H3605" he|strong = "H5704" does|strong = "H6213"  
not|strong = "H5704" w need|strong = "H4270" w\* w to|strong = "H5704" w\*  
cause|strong = "H2600" the|strong = "H3605" oven|strong = "H8574"  
to|strong = "H5704" become|strong = "H1197" hotter|strong = "H5922".

5The|strong = "H3117" king|strong = "H4428" and|strong = "H4428"  
his|strong = "H3027" officials|strong = "H8269" get|strong = "H3027"  
very|strong = "H3966" drunk|strong = "H3196" during|strong = "H3117"  
their|strong = "H3117" festivals|strong = "H4150",

c arousing with|strong = "H3117" others|strong = "H0312"  
who|strong = "H4428" also|strong = "H3027" do|strong = "H3027"  
foolish|strong = "H3684" things|strong = "H1697".

6The|strong = "H3605" officials|strong = "H8269" angrily|strong = "H2195"  
plan|strong = "H6098" to|strong = "H3820" murder|strong = "H7523"  
the|strong = "H3605" king|strong = "H4428";

i t|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931" like|strong = "H1197" [SIM]  
they|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3605" an|strong = "H7126"  
oven|strong = "H8574" in|strong = "H3820" their|strong = "H3605"  
inner|strong = "H6442" beings|strong = "H2421".

A ll|strong = "H3605" during|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 night|strong = "H3915" their|strong = "H3605" eagerness/w  
 wanting|strong = "H6485" w\* w to|strong = "H3820" w\* w  
 murder|strong = "H7523" w\* w the|strong = "H3605" w\* w  
 king|strong = "H4428" w\* is|strong = "H1931" like|strong = "H1197"  
 a|strong = "H3588" fire|strong = "H0784" that|strong = "H3588"  
 is|strong = "H1931" smouldering,

b ut|strong = "H3588" in|strong = "H3820" the|strong = "H3605"  
 morning|strong = "H1242" it|strong = "H1931" becomes|strong = "H3588"  
 like|strong = "H1197" [MET|strong = "H6298"] a|strong = "H3588"  
 roaring|strong = "H7581" fire|strong = "H0784".

7All|strong = "H3605" those|strong = "H3605" officials|strong = "H8269"  
 are|strong = "H4428" like|strong = "H5307" [MET|strong = "H6298"]  
 hot|strong = "H2552" flames|strong = "H3852"

t hat|strong = "H3605" completely|strong = "H3605" burn|strong = "H8313"  
 up|strong = "H4428" their|strong = "H3605" rulers|strong = "H8199",

s o|strong = "H7121" all|strong = "H3605" their|strong = "H3605"  
 kings|strong = "H4428" are|strong = "H4428" murdered|strong = "H2026",

a nd|strong = "H4428" no|strong = "H3605" one|strong = "H3605"  
 pleads|strong = "H8199" with|strong = "H4428" me|strong = "H7121" w  
 to|strong = "H4428" w\* w help|strong = "H5826" w\* w  
 them|strong = "H7121" w\*."

Other|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471" will|strong = "H4428"  
 not|strong = "H5307" help|strong = "H5826" them|strong = "H7121"

8"w The|strong = "H1961" w\* w leaders|strong = "H7218" w\* w  
 of|strong = "H5971" w\* Israel|strong = "H5971" join|strong = "H2266"  
 with|strong = "H1101" leaders|strong = "H7218" of|strong = "H5971" w  
 godless|strong = "H2611" w\* nations|strong = "H5971";

s o|strong = "H1961" w the|strong = "H1961" w\* w  
 leaders|strong = "H7218" w\* w of|strong = "H5971" w\*  
 Israel|strong = "H5971" are|strong = "H5971" w as|strong = "H1961" w\* w  
 worthless|strong = "H1100" w\* w as|strong = "H1961" w\* a|strong = "H1961"  
 pancake that|strong = "H5971" is|strong = "H1931" cooked|strong = "H2102"  
 on|strong = "H1961" only|strong = "H0389" one|strong = "H1931"  
 side|strong = "H6285".

9Joining|strong = "H1695" with|strong = "H3045" the|strong = "H3045" rulers|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3045" foreign|strong = "H2114" nations|strong = "H1471" has|strong = "H1571" caused|strong = "H5414" Israel|strong = "H3478" to|strong = "H3045" be|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H3808" weak|strong = "H3808" w nation|strong = "H1471" w\*,

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H3045" Israelis do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808" realize|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H3045".

I srael|strong = "H3478" has|strong = "H1571" become|strong = "H1961" w like|strong = "H3808" w\* [MET|strong = "H6298"] a|strong = "H3808" gray-haired|strong = "H7872" old|strong = "H7872" man|strong = "H2114",

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H3045" people|strong = "H3808" of|strong = "H3045" Israel|strong = "H3478" do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808" realize|strong = "H3045" it|strong = "H1931".

10Their|strong = "H3605" being|strong = "H3068" proud|strong = "H1347" [PRS] testifies|strong = "H6030" against|strong = "H6440" them|strong = "H7725",

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" in|strong = "H3478" spite|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H3068" that|strong = "H3605", they|strong = "H3068" do|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725" w me|strong = "H6440" w\*, Yahweh|strong = "H3068", their|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H3068",

**o** r|strong = "H3808" w even|strong = "H3808" w\* try|strong = "H0974" to|strong = "H7725" know|strong = "H3045" me|strong = "H6440".

11w The|strong = "H7121" w\* w people|strong = "H3820" w\* w of|strong = "H3820" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478" have|strong = "H1961" become|strong = "H1961" foolish|strong = "H3684" and|strong = "H1980" stupid|strong = "H1197" like|strong = "H1961" [SIM] doves|strong = "H3123".

w First|strong = "H7223" w\* they|strong = "H7121" called|strong = "H7121" out|strong = "H1980" to|strong = "H1980" Egypt|strong = "H4714" w to|strong = "H1980" w\* w help|strong = "H1961" w\* w them|strong = "H7121" w\*,

w and|strong = "H1980"w\* w then|strong = "H1961"w\*  
 they|strong = "H7121" sought|strong = "H1245" help|strong = "H1961"  
 from|strong = "H1980" Assyria|strong = "H0804".

12But|strong = "H5921" wherever|strong = "H5921" they|strong = "H5921"  
 go|strong = "H3212" w to|strong = "H3381"w\* w get|strong = "H3212"w\* w  
 help|strong = "H5826"w\*,

w I|strong = "H5921"w\* w will|strong = "H8064"w\* w  
 not|strong = "H3212"w\* w allow|strong = "H5414"w\* w  
 them|strong = "H5921"w\* w to|strong = "H3381"w\* w  
 succeed|strong = "H6743"w\*;

w it|strong = "H5921"w\* w will|strong = "H8064"w\* w  
 be|strong = "H8064"w\* w as|strong = "H8064"w\* w  
 though|strong = "H3588"w\* [MET|strong = "H6298"] I|strong = "H5921"  
 will|strong = "H8064" throw|strong = "H7993" a|strong = "H6566"  
 net|strong = "H7568" over|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921"

I ike|strong = "H3381" [SIM] w a|strong = "H6566"w\* w  
 hunter|strong = "H6718"w\* w uses|strong = "H5647"w\* w  
 a|strong = "H6566"w\* w net|strong = "H7568"w\* w to|strong = "H3381"w\* w  
 capture|strong = "H3920"w\* birds|strong = "H5775";

I |strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H8064" punish|strong = "H3256"  
 them|strong = "H5921" for|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
 evil|strong = "H7451" things|strong = "H1697" that|strong = "H3212"  
 they|strong = "H5921" do|strong = "H3381".

13Terrible|strong = "H3372" things|strong = "H1992"  
 will|strong = "H3588" happen|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H1696"  
 them|strong = "H1992"

b ecause|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H1992"  
 abandoned|strong = "H5800"/deserted|strong = "H5307"  
 me|strong = "H5921"!

T hey|strong = "H1992" will|strong = "H3588" be|strong = "H4480"  
 destroyed|strong = "H1696"

b ecause|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H1992"  
 rebelled|strong = "H6586" against|strong = "H5921" me|strong = "H5921".

- I** |strong="H3588" wanted|strong="H2654" to|strong="H1696"  
rescue|strong="H6299" them|strong="H1992",
- b** ut|strong="H3588" they|strong="H1992" tell|strong="H1696"  
lies|strong="H3577" about|strong="H5921" me|strong="H5921".
- 14They|strong="H3588" do|strong="H5493" not|strong="H3808"  
cry|strong="H2199" out|strong="H2199" to|strong="H5921"  
me|strong="H5921" sincerely|strong="H8549" [IDM];
- t** hey|strong="H3588" w only|strong="H3588" w\* lie|strong="H4904"  
on|strong="H5921" their|strong="H5921" beds|strong="H4904"  
and|strong="H1715" wail|strong="H3213".
- T** hey|strong="H3588" gather|strong="H1481" together|strong="H2199"  
and|strong="H1715" ask|strong="H7592" w me|strong="H5921" w\* w  
to|strong="H5921" w\* w give|strong="H5414" w\* w  
them|strong="H5921" w\* grain|strong="H1715" and|strong="H1715"  
wine|strong="H8492",
- b** ut|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" turn|strong="H5493"  
away|strong="H5493" from|strong="H5493" me|strong="H5921".
- 15I|strong="H0589" trained|strong="H3256"/taught|strong="H3256"  
them|strong="H2388" and|strong="H2388" enabled|strong="H5414"  
them|strong="H2388" to|strong="H2803" become|strong="H1961"  
strong|strong="H2388",
- b** ut|strong="H2388" now|strong="H6258" they|strong="H7451"  
plan|strong="H2803" w to|strong="H2803" w\* w do|strong="H6213" w\*  
evil|strong="H7451" things|strong="H7451" to|strong="H2803"  
me|strong="H2388".
- 16They|strong="H3808" have|strong="H1961"  
rejected|strong="H3988" me|strong="H7725", their|strong="H7725"  
Great|strong="H1419" God|strong="H3808", and|strong="H7725"  
turned|strong="H7725" to|strong="H7725" their|strong="H7725"  
god|strong="H3808" Baal|strong="H1168";
- t** hey|strong="H3808" are|strong="H4714" w as|strong="H1961" w\* w  
useless|strong="H3808" w\* as|strong="H1961" [SIM] a|strong="H1961"  
crooked|strong="H6141" bow|strong="H7198".

**T** heir|strong = "H7725" leaders|strong = "H8269" boast|strong = "H1984"  
 w that|strong = "H5307" w\* w they|strong = "H3808" w\* w  
 are|strong = "H4714" w\* w very|strong = "H3966" w\* w  
 strong|strong = "H2388" w\*,

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" they|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H1961"  
 be|strong = "H1961" killed|strong = "H2719" by|strong = "H1961" w  
 their|strong = "H7725" w\* w enemies'|strong = "H0341" w\*  
 swords|strong = "H2719".

**A** s|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961" result|strong = "H6903", w  
 the|strong = "H7725" w\* w people|strong = "H3808" w\* w  
 of|strong = "H8269" w\* Egypt|strong = "H4714" will|strong = "H1961" w  
 laugh|strong = "H7832" at|strong = "H7725" them|strong = "H7725".  
 The Israelis will be punished because of their wrong decisions

8w Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w\* w said|strong = "H0559" w\* w  
 to|strong = "H3068" w\* w me|strong = "H5921" w\*, "Blow|strong = "H8628"  
 [MTY] your|strong = "H3068" trumpet|strong = "H7782"

w to|strong = "H3068" w\* w warn|strong = "H2094" w\* w  
 the|strong = "H5921" w\* w people|strong = "H5971" w\*!

**M** y|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971" have|strong = "H3068"  
 rejected|strong = "H3988" the|strong = "H5921" agreement|strong = "H1285"  
 that|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H5921" made|strong = "H5674"  
 with|strong = "H1004" them|strong = "H5921",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068"  
 rebelled|strong = "H6586" against|strong = "H5921" w  
 obeying|strong = "H8085" w\* my|strong = "H3068" laws|strong = "H8451".

**T** herefore|strong = "H5921", w their|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 enemies|strong = "H0341" w\* are|strong = "H3068"  
 swooping|strong = "H2363" down|strong = "H5921" on|strong = "H5921"  
 my|strong = "H3068" people's|strong = "H5971" country|strong = "H2022"  
 like|strong = "H1004" [SIM] an|strong = "H3068" eagle|strong = "H5404".

2My|strong = "H3045" Israeli people|strong = "H3045"  
 cry|strong = "H2199" out|strong = "H2199" to|strong = "H3478"  
 me|strong = "H3045",

‘ Our|strong = "H3045" God|strong = "H0430", we|strong = "H0587"  
know|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H3045" you|strong = "H3045"  
are|strong = "H3478" our|strong = "H3045" God|strong = "H0430"!'

3But|strong = "H7291" because|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H7291"  
Israeli people|strong = "H5971" have|strong = "H3478"  
rejected|strong = "H2186" what|strong = "H2896" is|strong = "H2896"  
good|strong = "H2896",

t heir|strong = "H3605" enemies|strong = "H0341" will|strong = "H3478"  
pursue|strong = "H7291" them|strong = "H7291".

4The|strong = "H6213" Israel|strong = "H3478" people|strong = "H3808"  
appointed|strong = "H6213" w their|strong = "H1992" w\* w  
last|strong = "H0314" w\* w three|strong = "H7969" w\*  
kings|strong = "H4427",

b ut|strong = "H3808" they|strong = "H1992" did|strong = "H6213"  
not|strong = "H3808" ask|strong = "H7592" me|strong = "H4480"  
if|strong = "H0518" I|strong = "H3045" agreed|strong = "H8085"  
to|strong = "H6213" w what|strong = "H3045" w\* w they|strong = "H1992" w\*  
w were|strong = "H1992" w\* w doing|strong = "H6213" w\*.

T hey|strong = "H1992" chose|strong = "H6213" their|strong = "H1992"  
own|strong = "H1961" leaders|strong = "H7218"

w ithout|strong = "H3808" asking|strong = "H7592" if|strong = "H0518"  
I|strong = "H3045" would|strong = "H6213" approve|strong = "H7200"  
of|strong = "H4480" them|strong = "H1992".

T hey|strong = "H1992" used|strong = "H6213" their|strong = "H1992"  
own|strong = "H1961" silver|strong = "H3701" and|strong = "H3701"  
gold|strong = "H2091" to|strong = "H6213" make|strong = "H6213"  
for|strong = "H6213" themselves|strong = "H1992" idols|strong = "H6091",

a nd|strong = "H3701" doing|strong = "H6213" that|strong = "H3045"  
led|strong = "H1980" them|strong = "H1992" to|strong = "H6213"  
be|strong = "H3808" destroyed|strong = "H3772".



5 You|strong = "H5704" people|strong = "H3808" of|strong = "H3808" Samaria|strong = "H8111", throw|strong = "H7993" away|strong = "H2186" your|strong = "H3808" w idol|strong = "H6459" w\* w that|strong = "H5704" w\* resembles w a|strong = "H5704" w\* calf|strong = "H5695"!

I |strong = "H5704" am|strong = "H1961" extremely|strong = "H5704" angry|strong = "H2734" with|strong = "H2734" you|strong = "H5704" people|strong = "H3808"!

H ow|strong = "H4970" long|strong = "H5704" [RHQ] will|strong = "H3808" you|strong = "H5704" w do|strong = "H3201" w\* w things|strong = "H3808" w\* w that|strong = "H5704" w\* w cause|strong = "H2600" w\* you|strong = "H5704" to|strong = "H5704" be|strong = "H3808" unacceptable|strong = "H4284" to|strong = "H5704" me|strong = "H3808"?

6w Someone|strong = "H0376" w\* w in|strong = "H3478" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478" made|strong = "H6213" that|strong = "H3588" idol|strong = "H3478" for|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588";

w but|strong = "H3588" w\* w I|strong = "H3588" w\* w am|strong = "H1961" w\* God|strong = "H3808" and|strong = "H3478" it|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931" not|strong = "H3808".

S o|strong = "H6213" that|strong = "H3588" idol|strong = "H3478" of|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H1961" calf|strong = "H5695" in|strong = "H3478" Samaria|strong = "H8111" must|strong = "H3478" be|strong = "H1961" smashed|strong = "H7665" to|strong = "H3478" pieces|strong = "H7616".

7w The|strong = "H3588" w\* w foolish|strong = "H3684" w\* w thing|strong = "H3588" w\* w that|strong = "H3588" w\* w the|strong = "H3588" w\* w people|strong = "H5971" w\* w of|strong = "H7307" w\* w Israel|strong = "H3478" w\* w have|strong = "H3588" w\* w done|strong = "H6213" w\* w is|strong = "H7307" w\* w like|strong = "H7307" w\* [MET|strong = "H6298"] trying|strong = "H1156" to|strong = "H6213" plant|strong = "H2232" wind|strong = "H7307";

b ut|strong = "H3588" what|strong = "H6213" they|strong = "H3588" harvest|strong = "H7114" will|strong = "H7307" be|strong = "H2114" like|strong = "H7307" [MET|strong = "H6298"] a|strong = "H6213" whirlwind|strong = "H5492".

**S** o|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3588" grain|strong = "H7054"  
 that|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" planted|strong = "H2232"  
 will|strong = "H7307" have|strong = "H3588" no|strong = "H6213"  
 heads|strong = "H6780" w on|strong = "H6213" w\* w the|strong = "H3588" w\*  
 w stalks|strong = "H6086" w\*,

**a** nd|strong = "H6213" as|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H6213"  
 result|strong = "H6903" w there|strong = "H1097" w\* w  
 will|strong = "H7307" w\* w be|strong = "H2114" w\* w no|strong = "H6213" w\*  
 w grain|strong = "H7054" w\* from|strong = "H7307" which|strong = "H7307"  
 to|strong = "H6213" make|strong = "H6213" flour|strong = "H7058".

**A** nd|strong = "H6213" if|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H3588"  
 did|strong = "H6213" produce|strong = "H6213" good|strong = "H2896"  
 grain|strong = "H7054",

**f** oreigners|strong = "H2114" would|strong = "H6213" w  
 come|strong = "H0935" w\* w and|strong = "H6213" w\* steal|strong = "H1589"  
 it|strong = "H3588".

**8**w The|strong = "H1961" w\* w people|strong = "H1471" w\* w  
 of|strong = "H3627" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478" will|strong = "H1961"  
 be|strong = "H1961" defeated|strong = "H5221" [MET|strong = "H6298"] w  
 by|strong = "H3478" w\* w their|strong = "H1961" w\* w  
 enemies|strong = "H0341" w\*;

**t** hey|strong = "H3478" will|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961" w  
 scattered|strong = "H6327" w\* among|strong = "H3478"  
 other|strong = "H0312" nations|strong = "H1471" and|strong = "H3478"  
 become|strong = "H1961" worthless|strong = "H1100".

**9**Like|strong = "H5927" [MET|strong = "H6298"]  
 donkeys|strong = "H6501" that|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H1992"  
 looking|strong = "H2370" for|strong = "H3588" mates|strong = "H5674",

**t** hey|strong = "H1992" have|strong = "H3588" requested|strong = "H7592"  
 w help|strong = "H5826" w\* from|strong = "H5927" Assyria|strong = "H0804";

**t** hey|strong = "H1992" paid|strong = "H5414" money|strong = "H3701"  
 to|strong = "H5927" w the|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
 leaders|strong = "H7218" w\* w of|strong = "H5927" w\* w  
 Assyria|strong = "H0804" w\*

i n|strong = "H5927" order|strong = "H4616" to|strong = "H5927" w  
 persuade|strong = "H6601" w\* w those|strong = "H1992" w\* w  
 leaders|strong = "H7218" w\* w to|strong = "H5927" w\*  
 protect|strong = "H8104" them|strong = "H1992".

10But|strong = "H3588" although|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588"  
 have|strong = "H1571" agreed|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H2490"  
 pay|strong = "H7999" money|strong = "H3701" each|strong = "H1471"  
 year|strong = "H8141" to|strong = "H2490" w the|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
 leaders|strong = "H8269" w\* w of|strong = "H4428" w\*  
 those|strong = "H3588" countries|strong = "H0776",

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1471" soon|strong = "H4592"  
 gather|strong = "H6908" them|strong = "H2490" together|strong = "H6908" w  
 to|strong = "H2490" w\* w punish|strong = "H6485" w\* w  
 them|strong = "H2490" w\*.

T he|strong = "H3588" great|strong = "H1419" King|strong = "H4428" w  
 of|strong = "H4428" w\* w Assyria|strong = "H0804" w\* will|strong = "H1471"  
 cause|strong = "H2600" them|strong = "H2490" to|strong = "H2490"  
 suffer|strong = "H5414" greatly|strong = "H4428".

11Although|strong = "H3588" w the|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
 people|strong = "H5971" w\* w of|strong = "H4196" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478"  
 built|strong = "H1129" many|strong = "H7235" altars|strong = "H4196"  
 to|strong = "H1961" present|strong = "H1961" offerings|strong = "H3588" w  
 to|strong = "H1961" w\* w their|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
 idols|strong = "H1544" w\* to|strong = "H1961" take|strong = "H1961"  
 away|strong = "H5493" w their|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
 guilt|strong = "H0817" w\* w for|strong = "H3588" w\*  
 sinning|strong = "H2398",

t hose|strong = "H1961" altars|strong = "H4196" have|strong = "H1961"  
 become|strong = "H1961" places|strong = "H1116" where|strong = "H0834"  
 they|strong = "H3588" commit|strong = "H2398" w  
 more|strong = "H7235" w\* sins|strong = "H2398".

12I|strong = "H3644" wrote|strong = "H3789" many|strong = "H7227"  
 laws|strong = "H8451" for|strong = "H2803" them|strong = "H3789",

b ut|strong = "H2114" they|strong = "H3644" disregarded|strong = "H2498"  
 them|strong = "H3789", saying|strong = "H0559" that|strong = "H0834" w  
 they|strong = "H3644" w\* w did|strong = "H6213" w\* w  
 not|strong = "H2803" w\* w have|strong = "H2114" w\* w

to|strong="H2803"w\* w obey|strong="H8451"w\* w  
 them|strong="H3789"w\* w because|strong="H3588"w\*  
 they|strong="H3644" were|strong="H3644" different|strong="H8133"  
 from|strong="H4480" laws|strong="H8451" that|strong="H0834"  
 they|strong="H3644" had|strong="H3068" known|strong="H3045"  
 previously|strong="H8543".

13They|strong="H1992" offer|strong="H2076"  
 sacrifices|strong="H2077" to|strong="H7725" me|strong="H7725",

**a** nd|strong="H3068" they|strong="H1992" eat|strong="H0398" w  
 some|strong="H1992"w\* w of|strong="H3068"w\* the|strong="H3068"  
 meat|strong="H1320" of|strong="H3068" those|strong="H1992"  
 sacrifices|strong="H2077", w which|strong="H3068"w\* w  
 is|strong="H3068"w\* w what|strong="H2142"w\* w I|strong="H6258"w\*  
 w permitted|strong="H5117"w\* w them|strong="H1992"w\* w  
 to|strong="H7725"w\* w do|strong="H3068"w\*.

**B** ut|strong="H3808" I|strong="H6258", Yahweh|strong="H3068",  
 am|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808" pleased|strong="H7521"  
 with|strong="H3068" those|strong="H1992" sacrifices|strong="H2077".

**I** |strong="H6258" remember|strong="H2142" the|strong="H3068"  
 evil|strong="H5771" things|strong="H1992" that|strong="H3068"  
 they|strong="H1992" have|strong="H3068" done|strong="H6213",

**a** nd|strong="H3068" I|strong="H6258" will|strong="H3068"  
 punish|strong="H6485" them|strong="H1992" for|strong="H4714"  
 the|strong="H3068" sins|strong="H2403" that|strong="H3068"  
 they|strong="H1992" have|strong="H3068" committed|strong="H6485":

**I** |strong="H6258" will|strong="H3068" force|strong="H2394"  
 them|strong="H1992" to|strong="H7725" w go|strong="H7725"w\* w  
 to|strong="H7725"w\* w other|strong="H0312"w\* w  
 countries|strong="H0776"w\*

w and|strong="H3068"w\* w become|strong="H7725"w\* w  
 slaves|strong="H5650"w\* w like|strong="H3808"w\* w  
 they|strong="H1992"w\* w were|strong="H1992"w\*  
 [MET|strong="H6298"] in|strong="H3068" Egypt|strong="H4714".

14w The|strong="H6213" w\* w people|strong="H5971" w\* w  
of|strong="H5892" w\* Israel|strong="H3478" have|strong="H3478"  
abandoned|strong="H5800"/forgotten|strong="H7911"  
me|strong="H7971", the|strong="H6213" one|strong="H6213"  
who|strong="H3478" created|strong="H6213" their|strong="H7971" w  
nation|strong="H1471" w\*;

t hey|strong="H6213" have|strong="H3478" built|strong="H1129"  
palaces|strong="H1964",

a nd|strong="H3063" w the|strong="H6213" w\* w  
people|strong="H5971" w\* w of|strong="H5892" w\*  
Judah|strong="H3063" have|strong="H3478" built|strong="H1129"  
walls|strong="H2346" around|strong="H5439" many|strong="H7235"  
towns|strong="H5892".

B ut|strong="H7911" I|strong="H3478" will|strong="H3478"  
send|strong="H7971" a|strong="H6213" fire|strong="H0784"

t hat|strong="H3478" will|strong="H3478" destroy|strong="H6213"  
all|strong="H6213" their|strong="H7971" cities|strong="H5892"  
and|strong="H3063" their|strong="H7971" fortresses|strong="H0759".  
Israel will be punished

9w You|strong="H3588" w\* w people|strong="H5971" w\* w  
of|strong="H5971" w\* Israel|strong="H3478", do|strong="H3605"  
not|strong="H3588" shout|strong="H7321" joyfully|strong="H7321" w  
during|strong="H3605" w\* w your|strong="H3605" w\* w  
festivals|strong="H4150" w\* like|strong="H3478" w  
people|strong="H5971" w\* w of|strong="H5971" w\* w  
other|strong="H3605" w\* nations|strong="H5971" do|strong="H3605"!

w I|strong="H3588" w\* w say|strong="H3478" w\* w  
that|strong="H3588" w\* because|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588"  
have|strong="H5971" □not|strong="H3588" been|strong="H5971"  
faithful|strong="H0539" to|strong="H3478"/abandoned|strong="H5800"□  
me|strong="H5921", your|strong="H3605" God|strong="H0430".

A t|strong="H5921" every|strong="H3605" place|strong="H1637"  
where|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605" people|strong="H5971"  
thresh|strong="H1758" grain|strong="H1715"

y ou|strong="H3588" have|strong="H5971" w  
 presented|strong="H7126" w\* w gifts|strong="H4979" w\* w  
 to|strong="H3478" w\* w your|strong="H3605" w\* w  
 idols|strong="H1544" w\* w like|strong="H3478" w\* w  
 men|strong="H5971" w\* w pay|strong="H7999" money|strong="H3701"  
 to|strong="H3478" prostitutes|strong="H2181".

2w But|strong="H3808" w\* w soon|strong="H3512" w\*  
 there|strong="H8033" will|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"  
 be|strong="H3808" enough|strong="H1767" grain|strong="H1715" [MTY,  
 PRS] and|strong="H8492" wine|strong="H8492" [MTY, PRS]  
 for|strong="H3808" you|strong="H3808".

3And|strong="H3068" you|strong="H7725" people|strong="H3427"  
 will|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808" remain|strong="H3427"  
 in|strong="H3427" the|strong="H3068" land|strong="H0776"  
 that|strong="H3068" I|strong="H4714", Yahweh|strong="H3068", w  
 gave|strong="H7725" w\* w to|strong="H7725" w\* w  
 your|strong="H3068" w\* w ancestors|strong="H0001" w\* w.

Y ou|strong="H7725" will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3808" w  
 captured|strong="H3920" w\* w and|strong="H3068" w\* w  
 taken|strong="H3427" to|strong="H7725" w Assyria|strong="H0804" w\*,

w where|strong="H3808" w\* w you|strong="H7725" w\* w  
 will|strong="H3068" w\* w become|strong="H7725" w\* w  
 slaves|strong="H5650" w\* w like|strong="H3808" w\* w  
 your|strong="H3068" w\* w ancestors|strong="H0001" w\* w  
 were|strong="H4714" w\* w in|strong="H3427" Egypt|strong="H4714";

a nd|strong="H3068" in|strong="H3427" Assyria|strong="H0804"  
 you|strong="H7725" will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3808"  
 forced|strong="H4522" to|strong="H7725" eat|strong="H0398"  
 food|strong="H3899" that|strong="H3068" Yahweh|strong="H3068"  
 has|strong="H3068" forbidden|strong="H6189" you|strong="H7725"  
 to|strong="H7725" eat|strong="H0398".

4You|strong="H3588" Israelis will|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808"  
 w be|strong="H3808" w\* w able|strong="H3201" w\* w  
 to|strong="H3068" w\* w give|strong="H5414" wine|strong="H3196"  
 offerings|strong="H2077" to|strong="H3068" him|strong="H2930",

o r|strong="H3808" bring|strong="H0935" sacrifices|strong="H2077"  
 to|strong="H3068" him|strong="H2930".

**N** one|strong="H3808" of|strong="H1004" your|strong="H3068"  
other|strong="H3605" sacrifices|strong="H2077" will|strong="H3068"  
please|strong="H6148" him|strong="H2930";

**t** hey|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3808"  
unacceptable|strong="H4284" to|strong="H3068" him|strong="H2930",  
like|strong="H1004" [SIM] food|strong="H3899" that|strong="H3588"  
is|strong="H3068" touched|strong="H5060" by|strong="H3068"  
people|strong="H5315" at|strong="H3068" funerals,

**a** nd|strong="H3068" everyone|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605"  
eats|strong="H0398" that|strong="H3588" food|strong="H3899"  
will|strong="H3068" become|strong="H2930"  
unacceptable|strong="H4284" to|strong="H3068" him|strong="H2930".

**T** hey|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3808"  
permitted|strong="H5117" to|strong="H3068" eat|strong="H3899"  
that|strong="H3588" food|strong="H3899" themselves|strong="H5315",

**b** ut|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068"  
not|strong="H3808" w be|strong="H3808" w\* w  
permitted|strong="H5117" w\* w to|strong="H3068" w\*  
bring|strong="H0935" it|strong="H3588" into|strong="H0413"  
the|strong="H3605" temple|strong="H1004".

5At|strong="H3068" that|strong="H3117" time|strong="H3117"  
you|strong="H3117" will|strong="H3068" not|strong="H6213" [RHQ]  
be|strong="H3068" able|strong="H3201" to|strong="H3068"  
celebrate|strong="H6213" the|strong="H6213" feasts|strong="H4150"  
and|strong="H3068" sacred|strong="H6944" festivals|strong="H4150".

6And|strong="H1980" even|strong="H3588" if|strong="H3588"  
you|strong="H3588" escape|strong="H4422" and|strong="H1980"  
are|strong="H4714" not|strong="H3588" killed|strong="H2026" w  
by|strong="H1980" w\* w the|strong="H3588" w\* w  
Assyrians|strong="H0804" w\*,

**y** ou|strong="H3588" will|strong="H4714" be|strong="H3701"  
captured|strong="H3920" by|strong="H1980" w the|strong="H3588" w\* w  
army|strong="H2428" w\* w of|strong="H3423" w\* Egypt|strong="H4714",

and you will w  
die w and be  
buried in Memphis, w  
the w capital w  
of w Egypt w.

B riers will w grow w  
w up w and cover  
your treasures of  
silver,

and thorns will  
grow in your w  
ruined tents/houses.

It is now  
the time for  
Yahweh to punish  
you,

to pay you  
back for all  
the sins that  
you have committed.

You people will w  
soon w know that.

You have w  
committed w very  
many sins,

and you very  
much hate Yahweh.

You consider that  
the prophets are  
foolish,



a nd|strong="H3478" you|strong="H5921" think|strong="H2803"  
that|strong="H3045" those|strong="H5921" who|strong="H3478"  
proclaim|strong="H7121" messages|strong="H2372"  
from|strong="H5921" him|strong="H5921" are|strong="H3117" crazy.

8My|strong="H3605" God|strong="H0430" appointed|strong="H4150"  
w me|strong="H5921" w\* w and|strong="H1004" w\* w  
the|strong="H3605" w\* w other|strong="H3605" w\*  
prophets|strong="H5030"

t o|strong="H5921" be|strong="H5030" w like|strong="H5973" w\*  
[MET|strong="H6298"] watchmen|strong="H6822" w  
to|strong="H5921" w\* w warn|strong="H2094" w\* you|strong="H3605"  
people|strong="H5971" of|strong="H1004" Israel|strong="H3478",

b ut|strong="H1870" everywhere|strong="H3605" that|strong="H3605"  
we|strong="H3605" go|strong="H1980", w it|strong="H5921" w\* w  
is|strong="H1870" w\* w as|strong="H1004" w\* w  
though|strong="H3588" w\* people|strong="H5971" set|strong="H7760"  
traps|strong="H6341" for|strong="H5921" us|strong="H5921"

a nd|strong="H1004" people|strong="H5971" are|strong="H5030"  
hostile|strong="H7489" w to|strong="H5921" w\* w us|strong="H5921" w\*,  
w even|strong="H5921" w\* in|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605"  
temple|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004" our|strong="H3605"  
God|strong="H0430".

9The|strong="H3117" sins|strong="H2403" that|strong="H3117"  
the|strong="H3117" Israeli people|strong="H5971" have|strong="H5771"  
committed|strong="H6485" are|strong="H3117" as|strong="H3117" awful  
as|strong="H3117" w what|strong="H2142" w\* w the|strong="H3117" w\*  
w men|strong="H6485" w\* w of|strong="H3117" w\*  
Gibeah|strong="H1390" did|strong="H3117" long|strong="H3117"  
ago|strong="H3117";

w so|strong="H6485" w\* God|strong="H0430" will|strong="H3117"  
not|strong="H2142" forget|strong="H7911" the|strong="H3117"  
wicked|strong="H7563" things|strong="H1697" that|strong="H3117"  
they|strong="H3117" have|strong="H5771" done|strong="H6213";

h e|strong="H3117" will|strong="H3117" punish|strong="H6485"  
the|strong="H3117" Israelis for|strong="H3117" w all|strong="H6485" w\*  
those|strong="H1992" sins|strong="H2403".

10w Yahweh|strong="H3068" w\* w says|strong="H0559" w\*,  
 "When|strong="H1961" I|strong="H7200" first|strong="H7225"  
 started|strong="H1961" w to|strong="H3478" w\* w do|strong="H4057" w\*  
 w things|strong="H8251" w\* w to|strong="H3478" w\* w  
 help|strong="H1961" w\* Israel|strong="H3478",

i t|strong="H7200" seemed|strong="H1961" to|strong="H3478"  
 me|strong="H7200" as|strong="H1961" though|strong="H3588" [SIM]  
 I|strong="H7200" had|strong="H1961" found|strong="H4672"  
 grapes|strong="H6025" in|strong="H3478" the|strong="H7200"  
 desert|strong="H4057".

Y our|strong="H7200" ancestors|strong="H0001" were|strong="H3478"  
 w delightful|strong="H2656" w\*,

I ke|strong="H1961" [SIM] the|strong="H7200" first|strong="H7225"  
 figs|strong="H8384" that|strong="H7200" grow|strong="H6779"  
 on|strong="H7200" fig|strong="H8384" trees|strong="H8384" w  
 each|strong="H0376" w\* w year|strong="H8141" w\*.

B ut|strong="H1961" when|strong="H1961" they|strong="H1992"  
 came|strong="H1961" to|strong="H3478" Peor|strong="H1187" w  
 Mountain|strong="H2022" w\*,

t hey|strong="H1992" worshiped|strong="H7812" that|strong="H7200"  
 disgusting|strong="H8441" idol|strong="H8251" Baal|strong="H1187",

a nd|strong="H3478" they|strong="H1992" became|strong="H1961"  
 as|strong="H1961" disgusting|strong="H8441" as|strong="H1961"  
 the|strong="H7200" idol|strong="H8251" that|strong="H7200"  
 they|strong="H1992" loved|strong="H0157".

11The|strong="H3205" things|strong="H1697" that|strong="H5775"  
 cause|strong="H2600" Israel|strong="H3478" to|strong="H3205"  
 be|strong="H3519" great|strong="H1419" will|strong="H3519"  
 disappear|strong="H0622"

I ke|strong="H5774" [SIM] a|strong="H3205" bird|strong="H5775"  
 that|strong="H5775" flies|strong="H5774" away|strong="H5774";

w most|strong = "H6944" w\* w of|strong = "H3205" w\* w  
 their|strong = "H3605" w\* w women|strong = "H0802" w\* w  
 will|strong = "H3519" w\* not|strong = "H3808" become|strong = "H3205"  
 pregnant|strong = "H2030" [DOU] or|strong = "H5775"  
 give|strong = "H3205" birth|strong = "H3205" to|strong = "H3205"  
 children|strong = "H3205".

12Even|strong = "H1571" if|strong = "H3588" their|strong = "H1992"  
 children|strong = "H1121" are|strong = "H1992" born|strong = "H1121"  
 and|strong = "H1121" start|strong = "H1870" to|strong = "H1121"  
 grow|strong = "H1431" up|strong = "H1431",

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1571" cause|strong = "H2600"  
 all|strong = "H1571" of|strong = "H1121" them|strong = "H1992"  
 to|strong = "H1121" die|strong = "H1121" w while|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
 they|strong = "H1992" w\* w are|strong = "H1992" w\* w  
 still|strong = "H3588" w\* w young|strong = "H1121" w\*.

T errible|strong = "H3372" things|strong = "H1431" will|strong = "H1571"  
 happen|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H1121" them|strong = "H1992"

w hen|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" abandon|strong = "H5493"  
 them|strong = "H1992"!

13I|strong = "H7200" have|strong = "H1121" seen|strong = "H7200"  
 Israel|strong = "H3478" become|strong = "H3318" beautiful|strong = "H3303"  
 and|strong = "H1121" prosperous|strong = "H6743" like|strong = "H3318"  
 Tyre|strong = "H6865" w city|strong = "H5892" w\* was|strong = "H1121" w  
 before|strong = "H7200" w\* w it|strong = "H7200" w\* w  
 was|strong = "H1121" w\* w destroyed|strong = "H2026" w\*,

b ut|strong = "H7200" now|strong = "H6258" the|strong = "H7200"  
 people|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Israel|strong = "H3478"  
 will|strong = "H1121" w be|strong = "H1121" w\* w  
 forced|strong = "H4522" w\* w to|strong = "H3318" w\* take|strong = "H3318"  
 their|strong = "H7200" children|strong = "H1121" to|strong = "H3318"  
 be|strong = "H1121" slaughtered|strong = "H7819" w by|strong = "H3318" w\*  
 w their|strong = "H7200" w\* w enemies|strong = "H0341" w\*."

14Yahweh|strong = "H3068", w I|strong = "H5414" w\* w  
 do|strong = "H3068" w\* w not|strong = "H5414" w\* w  
 know|strong = "H3045" w\* [RHQ] what|strong = "H4100" I|strong = "H5414"  
 should|strong = "H3068" ask|strong = "H7592" for|strong = "H3068"  
 my|strong = "H5414" people|strong = "H5971".

S o|strong="H5414" I|strong="H5414" ask|strong="H7592"  
that|strong="H3068" you|strong="H5414" do|strong="H3068"  
this|strong="H5414" one|strong="H3068" thing|strong="H4100":

C ause|strong="H5414" the|strong="H5414" women|strong="H0802"  
who|strong="H3068" are|strong="H4100" pregnant|strong="H2030"  
to|strong="H3068" have|strong="H3068" miscarriages|strong="H5309"

a nd|strong="H3068" unable|strong="H3808" w to|strong="H3068" w\*  
w nurse|strong="H3243" w\* w their|strong="H3068" w\* w  
babies|strong="H3245" w\*.

15w Yahweh|strong="H3068" w\* w says|strong="H0559" w\*,  
“Because|strong="H3588" of|strong="H1004" all|strong="H3605”  
the|strong="H3605" wicked|strong="H7451" things|strong="H3605”  
that|strong="H3588" my|strong="H3605" people|strong="H3808”  
did|strong="H3254” at|strong="H5921” Gilgal|strong="H1537”,

t hat|strong="H3588" is|strong="H3605" where|strong="H8033”  
I|strong="H3588” started|strong="H2490” to|strong="H5921”  
hate|strong="H8130” them|strong="H5921”.

w And|strong="H1004” w\* w now|strong="H3588” w\*,  
because|strong="H3588” of|strong="H1004” w all|strong="H3605” w\*  
the|strong="H3605” sinful|strong="H2400” things|strong="H3605”  
that|strong="H3588” they|strong="H3588” have|strong="H3605”  
done|strong="H3254”,

I |strong="H3588” will|strong="H1004” expel|strong="H1644”  
them|strong="H5921” from|strong="H5921” my|strong="H3605”  
country|strong="H2022”.

I |strong="H3588” will|strong="H1004” not|strong="H3808”  
love|strong="H0157” them|strong="H5921” any|strong="H3605”  
longer|strong="H3254”;

a ll|strong="H3605” their|strong="H3605” leaders|strong="H8269”  
rebel|strong="H4775” w against|strong="H5921” w\* w  
me|strong="H8130” w\*.

16Israel|strong="H3478” is|strong="H1571” like|strong="H3001”  
[MET|strong="H6298”] a|strong="H6213” grapevine that|strong="H3588”  
is|strong="H1571” dried|strong="H3001” up|strong="H3001”;

w like|strong = "H3001" w\* w a|strong = "H6213" w\* w  
vine|strong = "H1612" w\* [MET|strong = "H6298"] whose|strong = "H0834"  
roots|strong = "H8328" are|strong = "H1571" withered|strong = "H3001"

a nd|strong = "H6213" that|strong = "H3588" produces|strong = "H3318"  
no|strong = "H6213" fruit|strong = "H6529".

E ven|strong = "H1571" if|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" w  
women|strong = "H0802" w\* w of|strong = "H3205" w\* w  
Israel|strong = "H3478" w\* give|strong = "H3205" birth|strong = "H3205"  
to|strong = "H4191" w more|strong = "H3588" w\* children|strong = "H3205",

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1571" cause|strong = "H6213"  
those|strong = "H6213" children|strong = "H3205", whom|strong = "H3588"  
they|strong = "H3588" love|strong = "H0157", to|strong = "H4191"  
die|strong = "H4191".

17The|strong = "H8085" people|strong = "H1471" of|strong = "H8085"  
Israel|strong = "H3478" have|strong = "H1961" not|strong = "H3808"  
obeyed|strong = "H8085" me|strong = "H3808", their|strong = "H8085"  
God|strong = "H3808",

s o|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1961"  
reject|strong = "H3988" them|strong = "H1961".

w As|strong = "H1961" w\* w a|strong = "H1961" w\* w  
result|strong = "H6903" w\*, they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1961"  
wander|strong = "H5074" among|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H8085" w  
other|strong = "H0312" w\* nations|strong = "H1471", w  
searching|strong = "H2664" w\* w for|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
a|strong = "H1961" w\* w place|strong = "H1961" w\* w to|strong = "H1961" w\*  
w live|strong = "H3427" w\*."

10"Israel|strong = "H3478" was|strong = "H3478" w  
like|strong = "H3478" w\* w a|strong = "H3478" w\* w  
large|strong = "H7230" w\*  
healthy|strong = "H1277"/luxuriant|strong = "H1238" vine|strong = "H1612"  
[MET|strong = "H6298"]

t hat|strong = "H3478" produced|strong = "H6213" w a|strong = "H3478" w\*  
w lot|strong = "H1486" w\* w of|strong = "H4196" w\* grapes|strong = "H6025".

**B** ut|strong = "H3588" as|strong = "H7230" the|strong = "H3190"  
people|strong = "H5971" became|strong = "H7235" richer|strong = "H2896",

**t** hey|strong = "H3478" made|strong = "H7235" more|strong = "H7235"  
altars|strong = "H4196" w at|strong = "H3478" w\* w  
which|strong = "H4196" w\* w to|strong = "H3478" w\* w  
worship|strong = "H3478" w\* w idols|strong = "H1544" w\*.

**A** s|strong = "H7230" the|strong = "H3190" people|strong = "H5971"  
prospered|strong = "H2896",

**t** hey|strong = "H3478" w built|strong = "H1129" w\* w  
and|strong = "H3478" w\* decorated|strong = "H5927"  
sacred|strong = "H6944" pillars|strong = "H4676" w that|strong = "H3478" w\*  
w they|strong = "H3478" w\* w worshiped|strong = "H7812" w\*.

2They|strong = "H1931" are|strong = "H7703" deceitful|strong = "H4820";

w so|strong = "H6258" w\* now|strong = "H6258" they|strong = "H1931"  
are|strong = "H7703" guilty|strong = "H0816" and|strong = "H4196"  
must|strong = "H4191" be|strong = "H3820" punished|strong = "H6485".

w I|strong = "H6258" w\*, Yahweh|strong = "H3068", will|strong = "H3820"  
tear|strong = "H7167" down|strong = "H6202" their|strong = "H7703"  
altars|strong = "H4196"

**a** nd|strong = "H4196" smash|strong = "H7665" those|strong = "H1931"  
pillars|strong = "H4676".

3Then|strong = "H6258" they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"  
say|strong = "H0559", 'It|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H3068"  
because|strong = "H3588" we|strong = "H3588" did|strong = "H6213"  
not|strong = "H3808" revere|strong = "H3372" Yahweh|strong = "H3068"

**t** hat|strong = "H3588" we|strong = "H3588" no|strong = "H3808" w  
longer|strong = "H3808" w\* have|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H6213"  
king|strong = "H4428".

**B** ut|strong = "H3588" w even|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
if|strong = "H3588" w\* w we|strong = "H3588" w\* w had|strong = "H3068" w\*  
a|strong = "H6213" king|strong = "H4428",

h e|strong="H3588" certainly|strong="H3588" could|strong="H4100"  
not|strong="H3808" [RHQ] do|strong="H6213" anything|strong="H4100"  
to|strong="H3068" help|strong="H6213" us|strong="H6213".

4They|strong="H5921" falsely|strong="H7723"  
promise|strong="H1697" w that|strong="H1697" w\* w  
they|strong="H5921" w\* w will|strong="H1697" w\* w  
do|strong="H1697" w\* w many|strong="H7227" w\* w  
things|strong="H1697" w\*;

t hey|strong="H5921" solemnly|strong="H7650"  
promise|strong="H1697" and|strong="H4941" make|strong="H3772"  
agreements,

b ut|strong="H1696" they|strong="H5921" do|strong="H1697"  
not|strong="H1696" do|strong="H1697" what|strong="H1697"  
they|strong="H5921" promise|strong="H1697".

S o|strong="H1697" people|strong="H1696" accuse|strong="H7378"  
and|strong="H4941" sue w each|strong="H0376" w\* w  
other|strong="H0312" w\* w in|strong="H5921" w\* w  
the|strong="H5921" w\* w courts|strong="H2691" w\*;

t hey|strong="H5921" are|strong="H1697" like|strong="H1697" [SIM]  
poisonous|strong="H7219" weeds|strong="H7219" w  
that|strong="H1697" w\* w grow|strong="H6524" w\* in|strong="H5921"  
a|strong="H3772" plowed|strong="H2790" field|strong="H7704".

5The|strong="H5921" people|strong="H5971" who|strong="H5971"  
live|strong="H1481" in|strong="H5921" Samaria|strong="H8111" w  
city|strong="H5892" w\* are|strong="H5971" worried|strong="H1672"  
about|strong="H5921" w what|strong="H3588" w\* w  
may|strong="H5971" w\* w happen|strong="H1961" w\* w  
to|strong="H5921" w\* w the|strong="H5921" w\* w  
idol|strong="H1007" w\* w that|strong="H3588" w\* resembles  
a|strong="H3588" calf|strong="H5697" w that|strong="H3588" w\* w  
they|strong="H3588" w\* w set|strong="H1540" w\* w  
up|strong="H5921" w\* at|strong="H5921" Beth-Aven|strong="H1007" w  
town|strong="H7151" w\*.

T he|strong="H5921" people|strong="H5971" in|strong="H5921"  
Samaria|strong="H8111" will|strong="H5971" mourn|strong="H5921",

**a** nd|strong = "H5971" the|strong = "H5921" priests|strong = "H3649"  
there|strong = "H4480" will|strong = "H5971" cry|strong = "H1523"  
about|strong = "H5921" it|strong = "H5921"

w if|strong = "H3588" w\* w it|strong = "H5921" w\* w  
is|strong = "H3519" w\* w damaged|strong = "H8133" w\* w  
or|strong = "H4480" w\* w destroyed|strong = "H4229" w\*.

w Previously|strong = "H4480" w\* they|strong = "H3588"  
shouted|strong = "H7321" joyfully|strong = "H7321"

**a** bout|strong = "H5921" its|strong = "H5921" being|strong = "H5971"  
very|strong = "H3966" great|strong = "H1419";

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" now|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H5921"  
will|strong = "H5971" not|strong = "H3588" be|strong = "H5971"  
great|strong = "H1419" anymore|strong = "H5750".

6It|strong = "H3947" will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H3478"  
taken|strong = "H3947" to|strong = "H3478" Assyria|strong = "H0804"

**t** o|strong = "H3478" be|strong = "H3478" a|strong = "H3947"  
gift|strong = "H4503" for|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3947"  
great|strong = "H1419" King|strong = "H4428" w of|strong = "H4428" w\* w  
Assyria|strong = "H0804" w\*.

w So|strong = "H3947" w\* w the|strong = "H3947" w\* w  
people|strong = "H1571" w\* w of|strong = "H4428" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478"  
will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H3478" disgraced|strong = "H0954",

**a** nd|strong = "H3478" they|strong = "H3478" will|strong = "H4428"  
be|strong = "H3478" ashamed|strong = "H0954"

**b** ecause|strong = "H6098" w they|strong = "H3478" w\* w  
trusted|strong = "H0982" w\* w in|strong = "H3478" w\* that|strong = "H3478"  
idol|strong = "H3478".

7The|strong = "H6440" King|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428"  
Samaria|strong = "H8111" w and|strong = "H4428" w\* w  
the|strong = "H6440" w\* w other|strong = "H0312" w\* w  
people|strong = "H5971" w\* w in|strong = "H5921" w\* w  
Samaria|strong = "H8111" w\* will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H4428"  
gone|strong = "H7110";



t hey|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H4428"  
 like|strong = "H5921" [SIM] a|strong = "H6440" twig|strong = "H2156" w  
 that|strong = "H4428" w\* w floats|strong = "H1702" w\* w  
 away|strong = "H5493" w\* on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440"  
 surface|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H6440"  
 water|strong = "H4325" w and|strong = "H4428" w\* w  
 disappears|strong = "H0622" w\*.

8The|strong = "H5921" altars|strong = "H4196" on|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" tops|strong = "H7218" of|strong = "H2022"  
 hills|strong = "H1389" w where|strong = "H5921" w\* w  
 the|strong = "H5921" w\* w people|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
 worshiped|strong = "H7812" w\* w idols|strong = "H1544" w\*  
 will|strong = "H3478" be|strong = "H3478" destroyed|strong = "H8045";

t hose|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H3478" been|strong = "H5927"  
 the|strong = "H5921" places|strong = "H1116" where|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H2022"  
 Israel|strong = "H3478" sinned|strong = "H2403" greatly|strong = "H3966".

T horns|strong = "H6975" and|strong = "H3478" weeds|strong = "H6975"  
 will|strong = "H3478" grow|strong = "H5927" and|strong = "H3478"  
 cover|strong = "H3680" those|strong = "H5921" altars|strong = "H4196".

T hen|strong = "H5307" the|strong = "H5921" people|strong = "H5971"  
 will|strong = "H3478" plead|strong = "H7378" to|strong = "H3478"  
 the|strong = "H5921" mountains|strong = "H2022" and|strong = "H3478"  
 hills|strong = "H1389",

‘ Fall|strong = "H5307" w down|strong = "H5307" w\* w  
 and|strong = "H3478" w\* cover|strong = "H3680" us|strong = "H5921"

w to|strong = "H3478" w\* w protect|strong = "H8104" w\* w  
 us|strong = "H5921" w\* w from|strong = "H5921" w\* w  
 God|strong = "H0430" w\* w punishing|strong = "H7725" w\* w  
 us|strong = "H5921" w\*!'

9w You|strong = "H5921" w\* w people|strong = "H1121" w\* w  
 of|strong = "H1121" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478", w ever|strong = "H3117" w\*  
 w since|strong = "H3117" w\* w your|strong = "H5921" w\* w  
 ancestors|strong = "H0001" w\* w did|strong = "H3478" w\* w  
 evil|strong = "H7451" w\* w things|strong = "H3808" w\* at|strong = "H5921"  
 Gibeah|strong = "H1390",

y ou|strong="H5921" have|strong="H1121" continued|strong="H5975"  
to|strong="H3478" sin|strong="H2398".

w When|strong="H3117" w\* w the|strong="H5921" w\* w  
people|strong="H1121" w\* w at|strong="H5921" w\* [PRS]  
Gibeah|strong="H1390" w did|strong="H3478" w\* w  
evil|strong="H7451" w\* w things|strong="H3808" w\*,

t he|strong="H5921" result|strong="H6903" was|strong="H3478"  
a|strong="H5975" war|strong="H4421" w in|strong="H5921" w\* w  
which|strong="H8033" w\* w thousands|strong="H0505" w\* w  
of|strong="H1121" w\* w people|strong="H1121" w\* w  
died|strong="H4191" w\*.

10w So|strong="H5921" w\* w now|strong="H5921" w\*,  
when|strong="H5921" I|strong="H5921" want|strong="H4270"  
to|strong="H5921", I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H5971"  
punish|strong="H3256" the|strong="H5921" Israeli  
people|strong="H5971".

B ecause|strong="H5921" of|strong="H5869" the|strong="H5921"  
many|strong="H7227" sins|strong="H2403" that|strong="H5971"  
they|strong="H5921" have|strong="H5869" committed|strong="H5921",

w the|strong="H5921" w\* w armies|strong="H6635" w\* w  
of|strong="H5869" w\* w other|strong="H8147" w\* w  
nations|strong="H5971" will|strong="H5971" gather|strong="H6908"  
to|strong="H5921" attack|strong="H5221" them|strong="H5921",

a nd|strong="H5971" they|strong="H5921" will|strong="H5971"  
cause|strong="H5971" the|strong="H5921" Israeli people|strong="H5971"  
to|strong="H5921" become|strong="H1961" their|strong="H5921"  
slaves|strong="H5650".

11 Israel|strong="H3478" is|strong="H3063" w like|strong="H5921" w\*  
[MET|strong="H6298"] a|strong="H5921" well-trained|strong="H3925"  
□ heifer|strong="H5697"/young|strong="H5288" cow|strong="H5697"□

t hat|strong="H3063" likes to|strong="H5921" thresh|strong="H1758" w  
grain|strong="H1715" w\*.

w So|strong = "H5674" w\* w now|strong = "H5921" w\* w  
 you|strong = "H5921" w\* w will|strong = "H3063" w\* w  
 become|strong = "H1961" w\* w slaves|strong = "H5650" w\* .

w It|strong = "H5921" w\* w will|strong = "H3063" w\* w  
 be|strong = "H3063" w\* w as|strong = "H3063" w\* w  
 though|strong = "H3588" w\* I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3063"  
 put|strong = "H7392" a|strong = "H5921" yoke|strong = "H5923"  
 on|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921" neck|strong = "H6676" ,

a nd|strong = "H3063" you|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3063"  
 be|strong = "H3063" forced|strong = "H4522" to|strong = "H5921"  
 work|strong = "H4399" hard|strong = "H7186" for|strong = "H5921"  
 your|strong = "H5921" enemies|strong = "H0341" in|strong = "H5921"  
 their|strong = "H5921" fields|strong = "H7704" .

w You|strong = "H5921" w\* w people|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
 of|strong = "H5921" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478" and|strong = "H3063"  
 Judah|strong = "H3063" w will|strong = "H3063" w\* w  
 be|strong = "H3063" w\* w forced|strong = "H4522" w\* w  
 to|strong = "H5921" w\* w go|strong = "H5674" w\* w to|strong = "H5921" w\* w  
 Assyria|strong = "H0804" w\* ;

t here|strong = "H8033" you|strong = "H5921" [DOU]  
 will|strong = "H3063" pull|strong = "H2040" plows|strong = "H6398"  
 to|strong = "H5921" break|strong = "H1758" up|strong = "H5921"  
 the|strong = "H5921" ground|strong = "H0776" w for|strong = "H5921" w\* w  
 planting|strong = "H4302" w\* w seeds|strong = "H2233" w\* .

12w You|strong = "H5704" w\* w plow|strong = "H2790" w\* w  
 your|strong = "H3068" w\* w fields|strong = "H7704" w\* w  
 and|strong = "H3068" w\* w plant|strong = "H2232" w\* w  
 your|strong = "H3068" w\* w seeds|strong = "H2233" w\* and|strong = "H3068"  
 harvest|strong = "H7114" w your|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 crops|strong = "H8393" w\* [MET|strong = "H6298"] ,

w but|strong = "H3068" w\* w what|strong = "H6664" w\* w  
 you|strong = "H5704" w\* w need|strong = "H4270" w\* w  
 to|strong = "H5704" w\* w do|strong = "H3068" w\* w is|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 to|strong = "H5704" act|strong = "H6213" righteously|strong = "H6664"  
 and|strong = "H3068" to|strong = "H5704" faithfully|strong = "H2617"  
 love|strong = "H2617" w me|strong = "H1875" w\* ;

**y** ou|strong="H5704" need|strong="H4270" to|strong="H5704"  
repent|strong="H5162" [MET|strong="H6298"],

**b** ecause|strong="H3068" it|strong="H5704" is|strong="H3068"  
time|strong="H6256" to|strong="H5704" try|strong="H0974"  
to|strong="H5704" know|strong="H3045" w me|strong="H1875" w\*,  
Yahweh|strong="H3068";

**a** nd|strong="H3068" if|strong="H0518" you|strong="H5704"  
do|strong="H3068" that|strong="H3068", I|strong="H5704"  
will|strong="H3068" pour|strong="H8210" out|strong="H1875"  
[MET|strong="H6298"] many|strong="H5704" blessings|strong="H1293"  
on|strong="H3068" you|strong="H5704".

13You|strong="H3588" w plant|strong="H5193" w\* w  
seeds|strong="H2233" w\* w and|strong="H1870" w\* w  
harvest|strong="H7114" w\* w the|strong="H3588" w\* w  
crops|strong="H8393" w\* w and|strong="H1870" w\* w  
eat|strong="H0398" w\* w them|strong="H3588" w\*;

w but|strong="H3588" w\* w what|strong="H1870" w\* w  
I|strong="H3588" w\* w consider|strong="H7200" w\* w  
that|strong="H3588" w\* w you|strong="H3588" w\* w  
have|strong="H3588" w\* w really|strong="H2088" w\* w  
done|strong="H6213" w\* w is|strong="H1870" w\* w that|strong="H3588"  
you|strong="H3588" have|strong="H3588" planted|strong="H5193"  
wicked|strong="H7562" things|strong="H7230" and|strong="H1870"  
harvested|strong="H1219" evil|strong="H7562" things|strong="H7230"

**a** nd|strong="H1870" eaten|strong="H0398" [MET|strong="H6298"]  
the|strong="H3588" results|strong="H6529" [IDM] of|strong="H1870"  
the|strong="H3588" lies|strong="H3585" w that|strong="H3588" w\* w  
you|strong="H3588" w\* w have|strong="H3588" w\* w  
told|strong="H5046" w\*.

w Instead|strong="H3588" w\* w of|strong="H1870" w\* w  
trusting|strong="H0982" w\* w in|strong="H1870" w\* w  
me|strong="H3588" w\*, you|strong="H3588" have|strong="H3588"  
□ depended|strong="H5027" on|strong="H1870"/trusted|strong="H0982"  
in|strong="H1870" □ your|strong="H3588" own|strong="H1961"  
power|strong="H3027"

**a** nd|strong="H1870" in|strong="H1870" your|strong="H3588"  
many|strong="H7230" soldiers|strong="H1368".

14As |strong="H3117" a|strong="H3117" result|strong="H6903",  
 you|strong="H3605" will|strong="H5971" w soon|strong="H3512" w\*  
 hear|strong="H8085" the|strong="H3605" roar|strong="H7580"  
 of|strong="H1121" battle|strong="H4421",

a nd|strong="H1121" all|strong="H3605" your|strong="H3605"  
 cities|strong="H4013" that|strong="H5971" have|strong="H5971"  
 walls|strong="H2346" around|strong="H5921" them|strong="H5921"  
 will|strong="H5971" be|strong="H1121" destroyed|strong="H7703",

l ike|strong="H1121" [SIM] Shalman's w army|strong="H5971" w\*  
 destroyed|strong="H7703" Beth-Arbel|strong="H1009" w  
 city|strong="H4013" w\* in|strong="H5921" a|strong="H3117"  
 battle|strong="H4421",

a nd|strong="H1121" the|strong="H3605" women|strong="H0802" w  
 in|strong="H5921" w\* w that|strong="H5971" w\* w  
 city|strong="H4013" w\* and|strong="H1121" their|strong="H3605"  
 children|strong="H1121" were|strong="H5971" bashed  
 to|strong="H5921" death|strong="H4194".

15w You|strong="H6440" w\* w people|strong="H5971" w\* w  
 of|strong="H4428" w\* [APO] Bethel|strong="H1008" w  
 city|strong="H5892" w\*, that|strong="H3478" is|strong="H3478"  
 what|strong="H7451" will|strong="H4428" happen|strong="H6213"  
 to|strong="H3478" you|strong="H6440",

b ecause|strong="H6440" you|strong="H6440" are|strong="H3478"  
 very|strong="H6213" wicked|strong="H7451".

A nd|strong="H3478" when|strong="H6213" the|strong="H6440"  
 sun|strong="H8121" rises|strong="H6965" w on|strong="H7451" w\* w  
 that|strong="H3478" w\* w day|strong="H7837" w\*,

t he|strong="H6440" King|strong="H4428" of|strong="H4428"  
 Israel|strong="H3478" will|strong="H4428" be|strong="H3478"  
 killed|strong="H2026" w in|strong="H3478" w\* w the|strong="H6440" w\*  
 w battle|strong="H6440" w\*."  
 God's love for Israel

11"Before|strong="H7121" the|strong="H3588" Israeli w  
 people|strong="H1121" w\* became|strong="H3205" a|strong="H3588"  
 nation|strong="H1471" [MET|strong="H6298"],

I |strong = "H3588" loved|strong = "H0157" them|strong = "H7121" w  
like|strong = "H3478" w\* w a|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
man|strong = "H5288" w\* w loves|strong = "H0157" w\* his|strong = "H7121"  
son|strong = "H1121",

a nd|strong = "H1121" I|strong = "H3588" called|strong = "H7121"  
them|strong = "H7121" out|strong = "H3318" of|strong = "H1121"  
Egypt|strong = "H4714".

2But|strong = "H3651" while|strong = "H5704" I|strong = "H3651"  
continued|strong = "H1980" to|strong = "H1980" call|strong = "H7121"  
them|strong = "H6440",

t hey|strong = "H3651" w continued|strong = "H1980" w\* w  
to|strong = "H1980" w\* turn|strong = "H7725" away|strong = "H1980"  
from|strong = "H6440" me|strong = "H6440" more|strong = "H3651"  
and|strong = "H1980" more|strong = "H3651".

T hey|strong = "H3651" offered|strong = "H2076"  
sacrifices|strong = "H6999" to|strong = "H1980" their|strong = "H6440"  
statues|strong = "H2088" of|strong = "H6440" Baal|strong = "H1168",

a nd|strong = "H1980" they|strong = "H3651" burned|strong = "H6999"  
incense|strong = "H6999" to|strong = "H1980" w honor|strong = "H3519" w\*  
them|strong = "H6440".

3w The|strong = "H5921" w\* w people|strong = "H3808" w\* w  
of|strong = "H5921" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478" were|strong = "H5921" w  
like|strong = "H3808" w\* w a|strong = "H3947" w\* w  
little|strong = "H4592" w\* w boy|strong = "H5288" w\*  
[MET|strong = "H6298"],

a nd|strong = "H3045" w it|strong = "H5921" w\* w was|strong = "H3808" w\*  
w as|strong = "H3588" w\* w though|strong = "H3588" w\* it|strong = "H5921"  
was|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H3588" who|strong = "H3588"  
taught|strong = "H3045" them|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H5921"  
walk|strong = "H1980",

h olding|strong = "H2388" them|strong = "H5921" by|strong = "H5921"  
their|strong = "H3947" hands|strong = "H3027".

**B** ut|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" did|strong="H3808"  
not|strong="H3808" realize|strong="H3045" that|strong="H3588"  
it|strong="H5921" was|strong="H3808" I|strong="H3588"  
who|strong="H3588" was|strong="H3808" taking|strong="H3947"  
care|strong="H7495" of|strong="H5921" them|strong="H5921".

4w It|strong="H5921" w\* w was|strong="H1961" w\* w  
as|strong="H1961" w\* w though|strong="H3588" w\* w  
I|strong="H5921" w\* w fastened|strong="H8628" w\* w  
ropes|strong="H5688" w around|strong="H5921" w\* w  
them|strong="H5921" w\* w to|strong="H1961" lead|strong="H5148"  
them|strong="H5921",

w hile|strong="H1961" I|strong="H5921" loved|strong="H0157"  
them|strong="H5921" and|strong="H4900" was|strong="H1961"  
kind|strong="H4327" to|strong="H1961" them|strong="H5921".

w It|strong="H5921" w\* w was|strong="H1961" w\* w  
as|strong="H1961" w\* w though|strong="H3588" w\* w  
they|strong="H5921" w\* w were|strong="H1961" w\* w  
young|strong="H5288" w\* w oxen|strong="H1241" w\* w  
[MET|strong="H6298"],

**a** nd|strong="H4900" I|strong="H5921" lifted|strong="H7311"  
the|strong="H5921" yoke|strong="H5923" from|strong="H5921"  
their|strong="H5921" necks|strong="H6677" and|strong="H4900"  
bent|strong="H5186" down|strong="H5186" to|strong="H1961"  
feed|strong="H7462" them|strong="H5921".

5But|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" people|strong="H3808"  
of|strong="H4428" Israel|strong="H3478" will|strong="H4428"  
become|strong="H7725" w slaves|strong="H5650" w\*  
again|strong="H7725",

**l** ike|strong="H3808" they|strong="H3588" were|strong="H4714"  
in|strong="H4428" Egypt|strong="H4714",

**a** nd|strong="H7725" w the|strong="H3588" w\* w  
people|strong="H3808" w\* w of|strong="H4428" w\* w  
Assyria|strong="H0804" will|strong="H4428" [RHQ] rule|strong="H4428"  
over|strong="H4428" them|strong="H7725",

**b** ecause|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" people|strong = "H3808"  
of|strong = "H4428" Israel|strong = "H3478" refused|strong = "H3985"  
to|strong = "H7725" repent|strong = "H7725".

6w Their|strong = "H3615" w\* w enemies|strong = "H0341" w\*  
will|strong = "H2719" use|strong = "H3615" their|strong = "H3615"  
swords|strong = "H2719" w to|strong = "H5892" w\* w  
attack|strong = "H5221" w\* the|strong = "H3615" cities|strong = "H5892"  
in|strong = "H5892" Israel|strong = "H3478"

**a** nd|strong = "H5892" will|strong = "H2719" destroy|strong = "H3615"  
the|strong = "H3615" bars|strong = "H1280" in|strong = "H5892"  
the|strong = "H3615" gates|strong = "H8179" w of|strong = "H5892" w\* w  
the|strong = "H3615" w\* w city|strong = "H5892" w\* w  
walls|strong = "H2346" w\*.

w As|strong = "H5892" w\* w a|strong = "H5892" w\* w  
result|strong = "H6903" w\*, the|strong = "H3615" people|strong = "H5971"  
of|strong = "H5892" Israeli will|strong = "H2719" not|strong = "H5892"  
be|strong = "H5892" able|strong = "H3201" to|strong = "H5892"  
accomplish|strong = "H3615" the|strong = "H3615" things|strong = "H1697"  
that|strong = "H5892" they|strong = "H5892" planned|strong = "H3289"  
to|strong = "H5892" do|strong = "H6213".

7My|strong = "H7311" people|strong = "H5971" are|strong = "H5971"  
determined|strong = "H2782" to|strong = "H7121" □turn|strong = "H5971"  
away|strong = "H7311" from|strong = "H5971"/abandon|strong = "H5800"□  
me|strong = "H7121".

**T** hey|strong = "H3808" say|strong = "H0559" that|strong = "H5971"  
I|strong = "H3808" am|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H7121"  
great|strong = "H1419" all-powerful God|strong = "H3808",

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" they|strong = "H3808" do|strong = "H6213"  
not|strong = "H3808" honor|strong = "H3519" me|strong = "H7121"  
at|strong = "H3808" all|strong = "H3162".

8w You|strong = "H5414" w\* w people|strong = "H3820" w\* w  
of|strong = "H5921" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478", I|strong = "H5414"  
certainly|strong = "H5414" do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H5414"  
want|strong = "H4270" to|strong = "H3478" [RHQ]  
abandon|strong = "H5414" you|strong = "H5414"



**a** nd|strong = "H3478" allow|strong = "H5414" w your|strong = "H5414" w\*  
w enemies|strong = "H0341" w\* to|strong = "H3478"  
capture|strong = "H3920" you|strong = "H5414".

**I** |strong = "H5414" do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H5414" [RHQ]  
want|strong = "H4270" to|strong = "H3478" act|strong = "H6213"  
toward|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H5414" like|strong = "H3478"  
I|strong = "H5414" acted|strong = "H6213" toward|strong = "H5921"  
Admah|strong = "H0126" and|strong = "H3478" Zeboiim|strong = "H6636",

w cities|strong = "H5892" w\* w that|strong = "H3478" w\* w  
I|strong = "H5414" w\* w completely|strong = "H3162" w\* w  
destroyed|strong = "H2015" w\* w when|strong = "H5921" w\* w  
I|strong = "H5414" w\* w destroyed|strong = "H2015" w\* w  
Sodom|strong = "H5467" w\*.

**I** |strong = "H5414" [SYN] have|strong = "H3478"  
changed|strong = "H2015" my|strong = "H5414" mind|strong = "H3820" w  
about|strong = "H5921" w\* w punishing|strong = "H7725" w\* w  
you|strong = "H5414" w\*;

**m** y|strong = "H5414" desire|strong = "H8378" to|strong = "H3478"  
pity|strong = "H2347" you|strong = "H5414" has|strong = "H3478"  
increased|strong = "H7235".

9Although|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961"  
extremely|strong = "H3966" angry|strong = "H2734",

**I** |strong = "H3588" do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808"  
want|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H7725" punish|strong = "H6213"  
you|strong = "H3588" severely|strong = "H5953";

**I** |strong = "H3588" do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808"  
want|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H7725"  
□devastate|strong = "H7843"/completely|strong = "H3617"  
ruin|strong = "H7843" □ Israel|strong = "H3478".

Humans w would|strong = "H6213" w\* w easily|strong = "H4592" w\* w  
decide|strong = "H3198" w\* w to|strong = "H7725" w\* w  
do|strong = "H6213" w\* w that|strong = "H3588" w\*,

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961"  
 God|strong = "H3808", not|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H6213"  
 human|strong = "H0120".

**I** |strong = "H3588", the|strong = "H3588" Holy|strong = "H6918"  
 One|strong = "H6918", am|strong = "H1961" with|strong = "H6213"  
 you|strong = "H3588";

**a** lthough|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961"  
 very|strong = "H6213" angry|strong = "H2734" w with|strong = "H6213" w\* w  
 you|strong = "H3588" w\*, I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5892"  
 not|strong = "H3808" w destroy|strong = "H7843" w\* w  
 you|strong = "H3588" w\*.

10 You|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" follow|strong = "H3212"  
 me|strong = "H3588" when|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
 roar|strong = "H7580" like|strong = "H1121" [SIM] a|strong = "H3588"  
 lion|strong = "H0738";

**w** hen|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" roar|strong = "H7580", w  
 some|strong = "H4480" w\* w of|strong = "H1121" w\* w  
 you|strong = "H3588" w\* my|strong = "H3068" children|strong = "H1121"  
 will|strong = "H3068" tremble|strong = "H2729" as|strong = "H3068"  
 you|strong = "H3588" return|strong = "H7725" w to|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 Israel|strong = "H3478" w\* from|strong = "H1121" w the|strong = "H3588" w\*  
 w islands|strong = "H0339" w\* w and|strong = "H1121" w\* seacoasts w  
 toward|strong = "H3212" w\* the|strong = "H3588" west|strong = "H3220".

11 w Some|strong = "H4480" w\* w of|strong = "H1004" w\*  
 you|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3068" come|strong = "H2729"  
 swiftly|strong = "H7031" from|strong = "H5921" Egypt|strong = "H4714"

**I** ke|strong = "H1004" w a|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 flock|strong = "H6629" w\* w of|strong = "H1004" w\* birds|strong = "H6833";

w others|strong = "H0312" w\* will|strong = "H3068"  
 return|strong = "H7725" from|strong = "H5921" Assyria|strong = "H0804",  
 like|strong = "H1004" doves|strong = "H3123".

**I** |strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3068" enable|strong = "H7980"  
 you|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H3068" live|strong = "H3427"  
 in|strong = "H3427" your|strong = "H3068" homes|strong = "H1004" w  
 in|strong = "H3427" w\* w Israel|strong = "H3478" w\* again|strong = "H7725".

w That|strong = "H3068" w\* w will|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
surely|strong = "H4191" w\* w happen|strong = "H1961" w\*, w  
because|strong = "H5921" w\* w I|strong = "H5921" w\*,  
Yahweh|strong = "H3068", have|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H5002"  
it|strong = "H5921".  
Israel|strong = "H3478" and|strong = "H3068" Judah|strong = "H3063"  
are|strong = "H3068" condemned|strong = "H7561" now|strong = "H4714"

12w Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w\* w says|strong = "H0559" w\*, "w  
The|strong = "H3605" w\* w people|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
of|strong = "H1121" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478" have|strong = "H1961"  
□surrounded|strong = "H5437" me|strong = "H0413" with|strong = "H5973"  
lies|strong = "H3577"/constantly|strong = "H8548" told|strong = "H5046"  
lies|strong = "H3577" to|strong = "H0413" me|strong = "H0413"□.

A nd|strong = "H3967" the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971"  
of|strong = "H1121" Judah|strong = "H3063" have|strong = "H1961" w  
also|strong = "H1571" w\*  
turned|strong = "H2015"/rebelled|strong = "H4784" against|strong = "H5921"  
me|strong = "H0413", their|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H0430",

t he|strong = "H3605" Holy|strong = "H6944" One|strong = "H0259"  
who|strong = "H0834" always|strong = "H3605" does|strong = "H6213"  
what|strong = "H4100" I|strong = "H0589" promise|strong = "H1697"  
to|strong = "H0413" do|strong = "H6213",

a nd|strong = "H3967" the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971"  
of|strong = "H1121" Judah|strong = "H3063" worship|strong = "H7812"  
other|strong = "H0312" gods|strong = "H0430".

12w The|strong = "H5437" w\* w leaders|strong = "H7218" w\* w  
of|strong = "H1004" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478" are|strong = "H3478"  
constantly|strong = "H8548" wavering|strong = "H4571" w  
about|strong = "H5437" w\* w seeking|strong = "H1245" w\* w  
help|strong = "H5826" w\* w from|strong = "H3478" w\* w  
other|strong = "H5750" w\* w countries|strong = "H0776" w\*.

w Seeking|strong = "H1245" w\* w their|strong = "H5437" w\* w  
help|strong = "H5826" w\* w is|strong = "H3478" w\* w as|strong = "H3063" w\*  
w useless|strong = "H1892" w\* w as|strong = "H3063" w\*  
[MET|strong = "H6298"] chasing|strong = "H0310" the|strong = "H5437"  
wind|strong = "H7307".

**T** hey|strong = "H3478" pile|strong = "H1530" up|strong = "H5927"  
 their|strong = "H5437" lies|strong = "H3585" and|strong = "H3063"  
 violent|strong = "H2555" acts|strong = "H1697".

w First|strong = "H7223" w\*, they|strong = "H3478"  
 make|strong = "H5437" a|strong = "H3478" treaty|strong = "H1285"  
 with|strong = "H5973" Assyria|strong = "H0804",

**a** nd|strong = "H3063" w then|strong = "H3063" w\* w  
 they|strong = "H3478" w\* send|strong = "H7971" olive|strong = "H2132"  
 oil|strong = "H8081" to|strong = "H3478" w the|strong = "H5437" w\* w  
 rulers|strong = "H8269" w\* w of|strong = "H1004" w\* Egypt|strong = "H4714"  
 w to|strong = "H3478" w\* w seek|strong = "H1245" w\* w  
 their|strong = "H5437" w\* w help|strong = "H5826" w\*.

2Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w says|strong = "H0559" w\* w  
 that|strong = "H3605" w\* w he|strong = "H3117" w\* will|strong = "H4714"  
 bring|strong = "H2986" accusations|strong = "H7170"  
 against|strong = "H5973" w the|strong = "H3605" w\* w  
 leaders|strong = "H7218" w\* w of|strong = "H3117" w\*  
 Judah|strong = "H3063",

**a** nd|strong = "H3117" that|strong = "H3605" he|strong = "H3117"  
 will|strong = "H4714" punish|strong = "H6485" w the|strong = "H3605" w\* w  
 descendants|strong = "H2233" w\* w of|strong = "H3117" w\*  
 Jacob|strong = "H3290" for|strong = "H4714" what|strong = "H4100"  
 they|strong = "H3117" have|strong = "H3117" done|strong = "H3605".

3w When|strong = "H7725" w\* w Jacob|strong = "H3290" w\* w  
 was|strong = "H3068" w\* in|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H3068"  
 mother's|strong = "H0517" womb|strong = "H7358", he|strong = "H3068"  
 grabbed|strong = "H2388" his|strong = "H3068" brother|strong = "H0251" w  
 Esau's|strong = "H6215" w\* heel|strong = "H6119" w  
 because|strong = "H5921" w\* w he|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 wanted|strong = "H2654" w\* w to|strong = "H7725" w\* w  
 be|strong = "H3068" w\* w born|strong = "H3205" w\* w  
 first|strong = "H7223" w\*.

**W** hen|strong = "H7725" Jacob|strong = "H3290" grew|strong = "H1431"  
 up|strong = "H5921", he|strong = "H3068" wrestled|strong = "H0079"  
 with|strong = "H5973" God|strong = "H3068".

4He|strong = "H0834" struggled|strong = "H5327" with|strong = "H8280"  
 w the|strong = "H3605" w\* w one|strong = "H0259" w\* w  
 who|strong = "H0834" w\* w had|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 appeared|strong = "H7200" w\* w to|strong = "H0413" w\* w  
 him|strong = "H5414" w\* w in|strong = "H0935" w\* w  
 the|strong = "H3605" w\* w form|strong = "H8389" w\* w  
 of|strong = "H1121" w\* an|strong = "H1129" angel|strong = "H4397",  
 and|strong = "H3967" Jacob|strong = "H3290" defeated|strong = "H5221"  
 him|strong = "H5414",

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" w then|strong = "H0227" w\* he|strong = "H0834"  
 cried|strong = "H7121" and|strong = "H3967" asked|strong = "H7592"  
 the|strong = "H3605" angel|strong = "H4397" to|strong = "H0413"  
 bless|strong = "H1288" him|strong = "H5414".

w Later|strong = "H0310" w\*, God|strong = "H0430"  
 came|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0413" Jacob|strong = "H3290"  
 at|strong = "H3427" Bethel|strong = "H1008"

**a** nd|strong = "H3967" talked|strong = "H1696" with|strong = "H8280"  
 him|strong = "H5414" there|strong = "H8033".

5w That|strong = "H4397" w\* w was|strong = "H4397" w\*  
 the|strong = "H1696" Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H4397"  
 the|strong = "H1696" armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H4397"  
 angels|strong = "H4397"

w hose|strong = "H8033" name|strong = "H8034" is|strong = "H8033"  
 Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w who|strong = "H4397" w\* w  
 talked|strong = "H1696" w\* w with|strong = "H5973" w\* w  
 him|strong = "H4672" w\*!

6But|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H0859" w  
 people|strong = "H5971" w\* w of|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 Israel|strong = "H3478" w\* must|strong = "H4191" return|strong = "H7725"  
 to|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068"!

**Y** ou|strong = "H0859" must|strong = "H4191" faithfully|strong = "H0571"  
 love|strong = "H0157" w him|strong = "H3068" w\*, and|strong = "H3068"  
 you|strong = "H0859" must|strong = "H4191" do|strong = "H3068"  
 what|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H3068"  
 fair|strong = "H3303"/just|strong = "H3512"

a nd|strong = "H3068" always|strong = "H3605" depend|strong = "H7200"  
on|strong = "H3068" him|strong = "H3068".

7The|strong = "H8104" merchants|strong = "H7402" w  
among|strong = "H8432" w\* w you|strong = "H7725" w\* use|strong = "H4399"  
scales|strong = "H3976" that|strong = "H7725" do|strong = "H8104"  
not|strong = "H7725" weigh|strong = "H8254" correctly|strong = "H3651";

t hey|strong = "H1992" love|strong = "H2617"/like|strong = "H7725"  
to|strong = "H7725" cheat|strong = "H5791" people|strong = "H5971".

8w The|strong = "H3027" w\* w people|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
of|strong = "H3027" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478" boast|strong = "H1984",  
saying|strong = "H0559"

“ We|strong = "H0587" are|strong = "H3027" w very|strong = "H3966" w\*  
rich|strong = "H6223" [DOU];

a nd|strong = "H3027" we|strong = "H0587" got|strong = "H6231"  
all|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H3027" money|strong = "H3701"  
by|strong = "H3027" our|strong = "H3027" own|strong = "H3027"  
efforts|strong = "H3021",

a nd|strong = "H3027" without|strong = "H3808"  
committing|strong = "H6213" any|strong = "H3605" sin|strong = "H2403".”

9“I|strong = "H3808" am|strong = "H1961" Yahweh|strong = "H3068"  
your|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H3808",

w the|strong = "H3605" w\* w one|strong = "H3605" w\* w  
who|strong = "H3605" w\* w brought|strong = "H0935" w\* w  
your|strong = "H3605" w\* w ancestors|strong = "H0001" w\* w  
out|strong = "H4672" of|strong = "H3605" Egypt|strong = "H4714".

w And|strong = "H5771" w\* w some|strong = "H3605" w\* w  
day|strong = "H3117" w\* I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3808"  
force|strong = "H2394" you|strong = "H3605" to|strong = "H3808"  
live|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H4672" tents|strong = "H0168"  
again|strong = "H7725" w like|strong = "H3808" w\* w  
your|strong = "H3605" w\* w ancestors|strong = "H0001" w\* w  
did|strong = "H3808" w\*

w hen|strong = "H4672" w they|strong = "H3808" w\* w  
 celebrated|strong = "H6213" w\* the|strong = "H3605"  
 Festival|strong = "H2282" w of|strong = "H3605" w\* w  
 Living|strong = "H3605" w\* w in|strong = "H4672" w\* w  
 Temporary|strong = "H5521" w\* w Shelters|strong = "H5521" w\*.

10w Many|strong = "H7227" w\* w times|strong = "H3117" w\*  
 I|strong = "H3117" spoke|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H3068" prophets|strong = "H5030",

a nd|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3117" gave|strong = "H5414"  
 them|strong = "H3427" many|strong = "H7227" visions|strong = "H2376",

a nd|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3117" gave|strong = "H5414"  
 them|strong = "H3427" parables|strong = "H4912" to|strong = "H3068"  
 tell|strong = "H5046" w to|strong = "H3068" w\* w the|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
 people|strong = "H3427" w\*."

11w The|strong = "H5921" w\* w people|strong = "H1696" w\* w  
 of|strong = "H3027" w\* Gilead|strong = "H1568" w city|strong = "H5892" w\*  
 are|strong = "H3027" [RHQ] extremely|strong = "H3966"  
 wicked|strong = "H7563";

t hey|strong = "H5921" are|strong = "H3027" worthless|strong = "H1100".

T he|strong = "H5921" people|strong = "H1696" sacrifice|strong = "H2077"  
 bulls|strong = "H6499" in|strong = "H5921" Gilgal|strong = "H1537" w  
 city|strong = "H5892" w\*,

b ut|strong = "H1696" their|strong = "H5921" altars|strong = "H4196"  
 will|strong = "H3027" w soon|strong = "H3512" w\* become|strong = "H3027"  
 like|strong = "H1819" [SIM] piles|strong = "H6651" of|strong = "H3027"  
 stone|strong = "H0068" w at|strong = "H5921" w\* w the|strong = "H5921" w\*  
 w edge|strong = "H6310" w\* w of|strong = "H3027" w\* a|strong = "H1696"  
 plowed|strong = "H2790" field|strong = "H7704".

12w Your|strong = "H5921" w\* ancestor Jacob|strong = "H3290"  
 fled|strong = "H5127" w from|strong = "H5921" w\* w his|strong = "H5921" w\*  
 w brother|strong = "H0251" w\* w Esau|strong = "H6215" w\*

a nd|strong = "H4196" went|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H1961"  
 northwest Mesopotamia|strong = "H0763".

**H** e|strong = "H5921" worked|strong = "H2388" w for|strong = "H5921" w\*  
 w his|strong = "H5921" w\* w uncle|strong = "H1730" w\* w  
 Laban|strong = "H3837" w\* w for|strong = "H5921" w\* w  
 many|strong = "H7227" w\* w years|strong = "H8141" w\* to|strong = "H1961"  
 get|strong = "H3947" a|strong = "H1961" wife|strong = "H0802";

**h** e|strong = "H5921" took|strong = "H1961" care|strong = "H5921"  
 of|strong = "H4196" w his|strong = "H5921" w\* w uncle's|strong = "H1730" w\*  
 sheep|strong = "H6629" w to|strong = "H1961" w\* w pay|strong = "H7999" w\*  
 for|strong = "H5921" her|strong = "H5921".

13w Many|strong = "H7227" w\* w years|strong = "H8141" w\* w  
 later|strong = "H0310" w\*, Yahweh|strong = "H3068"  
 enabled|strong = "H5414" a|strong = "H3478" prophet|strong = "H5030"  
 to|strong = "H3478" bring|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H5647" w  
 ancestors|strong = "H0001" w\* w of|strong = "H7704" w\* w  
 you|strong = "H5647" w\* people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H7704"  
 Israel|strong = "H3478" here|strong = "H6311" from|strong = "H3478"  
 Egypt|strong = "H4714";

**t** hat|strong = "H3478" prophet|strong = "H5030", w  
 Moses|strong = "H4872" w\*, took|strong = "H3478" care|strong = "H8104"  
 of|strong = "H7704" them|strong = "H5647".

14w But|strong = "H3068" w\* w now|strong = "H3478" w\* w  
 the|strong = "H8104" w\* w people|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
 of|strong = "H3068" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478" have|strong = "H3068"  
 caused|strong = "H5414" w Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w\* to|strong = "H3478"  
 become|strong = "H1961" very|strong = "H3966" angry|strong = "H2734";

**Y** ahweh|strong = "H3068" says|strong = "H0559" that|strong = "H3068"  
 they|strong = "H3068" deserve|strong = "H0376" to|strong = "H3478"  
 die|strong = "H4191" because|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068"  
 caused|strong = "H5414" w many|strong = "H7227" w\* w  
 others|strong = "H0312" w\* to|strong = "H3478" die|strong = "H4191" [MTY];

**h** e|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" pay|strong = "H8104"  
 them|strong = "H5927" back|strong = "H5927" for|strong = "H3068"  
 the|strong = "H8104" sins|strong = "H2403" that|strong = "H3068"  
 they|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068" committed|strong = "H3478"  
 against|strong = "H5927" him|strong = "H5927" and|strong = "H3478"  
 for|strong = "H3068" insulting him|strong = "H5927".  
 Israel is doomed to be destroyed



13w Previously|strong = "H8543"w\*, when|strong = "H1696" w  
the|strong = "H5375"w\* w leaders|strong = "H7218"w\* w  
of|strong = "H4191"w\* Israel|strong = "H3478" spoke|strong = "H1696",

t he|strong = "H5375" people|strong = "H1931" trembled|strong = "H2729";

t hose|strong = "H1931" leaders|strong = "H7218" were|strong = "H3478"  
highly|strong = "H3966" respected|strong = "H5375" by|strong = "H4191"  
the|strong = "H5375" Israeli people|strong = "H1931".

B ut|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H5375" people|strong = "H1931"  
sinned|strong = "H2398" greatly|strong = "H3966" by|strong = "H4191" w  
worshiping|strong = "H7812"w\* Baal|strong = "H1168",

s o|strong = "H4191" now|strong = "H3478" they|strong = "H1931"  
will|strong = "H3478" be|strong = "H4191" killed|strong = "H4191" w  
by|strong = "H4191"w\* w their|strong = "H5375"w\* w  
enemies|strong = "H0341"w\*.

2Now|strong = "H6258" they|strong = "H1992" sin|strong = "H2398"  
more|strong = "H3254" and|strong = "H3701" more|strong = "H3254";

t hey|strong = "H1992" make|strong = "H6213" idols|strong = "H6091"  
for|strong = "H6213" themselves|strong = "H1992"

w and|strong = "H3701"w\* w coat|strong = "H3801"w\* w  
the|strong = "H3605"w\* w idols|strong = "H6091"w\* with|strong = "H6213"  
their|strong = "H3605" silver|strong = "H3701".

T hose|strong = "H1992" idols|strong = "H6091" are|strong = "H1992"  
statues|strong = "H2088" that|strong = "H3605" are|strong = "H1992"  
very|strong = "H6213" cleverly made|strong = "H6213",

b ut|strong = "H1992" those|strong = "H1992" statues|strong = "H2088"  
are|strong = "H1992" made|strong = "H6213" by|strong = "H3605" w  
mere|strong = "H3605"w\* humans.

B ut|strong = "H1992" w the|strong = "H3605"w\* w  
people|strong = "H5971"w\* w are|strong = "H1992"w\* w  
told|strong = "H6213"w\*, "Kiss|strong = "H5401" those|strong = "H1992"  
idols|strong = "H6091" w that|strong = "H3605"w\* w  
resemble|strong = "H1819"w\* w a|strong = "H6213"w\*  
calf|strong = "H5695",

a nd|strong = "H3701" offer|strong = "H2076" sacrifices|strong = "H2076"  
to|strong = "H6213" them|strong = "H1992"!"

3Therefore|strong = "H3651", those|strong = "H1980"  
people|strong = "H5971" will|strong = "H1961" w  
disappear|strong = "H0622" w\* w quickly|strong = "H7925" w\*  
like|strong = "H1961" [SIM] the|strong = "H1961" morning|strong = "H1242"  
mist|strong = "H6051" or|strong = "H2919" the|strong = "H1961"  
dew|strong = "H2919" that|strong = "H3651" lies|strong = "H1961" w  
on|strong = "H1980" w\* w the|strong = "H1961" w\* w  
ground|strong = "H0776" w\* early|strong = "H7925" w in|strong = "H1980" w\*  
w the|strong = "H1961" w\* w morning|strong = "H1242" w\*;

w they|strong = "H3651" w\* w will|strong = "H1961" w\* w  
disappear|strong = "H0622" w\* like|strong = "H1961" [SIM]  
chaff|strong = "H4671" that|strong = "H3651" is|strong = "H3651"  
blown|strong = "H5590" away|strong = "H1980" from|strong = "H1980"  
where|strong = "H0834" w the|strong = "H1961" w\* w  
wheat|strong = "H2406" w\* is|strong = "H3651" threshed|strong = "H1758",

l ike|strong = "H1961" [SIM] smoke|strong = "H6227"  
that|strong = "H3651" goes|strong = "H1980" out|strong = "H1980"  
of|strong = "H1637" a|strong = "H1961" chimney|strong = "H0699".

4But|strong = "H3808" w Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
says|strong = "H0559" w\* w to|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
his|strong = "H3068" w\* w people|strong = "H3808" w\*, "I|strong = "H3045"  
am|strong = "H3068" Yahweh|strong = "H3068", your|strong = "H3068"  
God|strong = "H3068",

w the|strong = "H3068" w\* w one|strong = "H3808" w\* w  
who|strong = "H3068" w\* w brought|strong = "H3467" w\* w  
your|strong = "H3068" w\* w ancestors|strong = "H0001" w\*  
out|strong = "H3045" of|strong = "H3068" Egypt|strong = "H4714".

Y ou|strong = "H3045" must|strong = "H3808" believe|strong = "H0539"  
that|strong = "H3045" only|strong = "H2108" I|strong = "H3045"  
am|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068"

a nd|strong = "H3068" that|strong = "H3045" there|strong = "H3045"  
is|strong = "H3068" no|strong = "H3808" other|strong = "H1115"  
God|strong = "H3068",

**a** nd|strong="H3068" that|strong="H3045" there|strong="H3045"  
is|strong="H3068" no|strong="H3808" one|strong="H3808"  
else|strong="H3808" who|strong="H3068" can|strong="H3045"  
save|strong="H3467" you|strong="H3045"!

5I|strong="H3045" took|strong="H3045" care|strong="H3027"  
of|strong="H4057" your|strong="H3045" w ancestors|strong="H0001" w\*  
w when|strong="H3045" w\* w they|strong="H3045" w\* w  
were|strong="H4057" w\* in|strong="H3045" the|strong="H3045"  
desert|strong="H4057",

**w** here|strong="H0834" it|strong="H3045" was|strong="H3068"  
extremely|strong="H3966" w hot|strong="H2552" w\* w  
and|strong="H3045" w\* dry|strong="H3004".

6When|strong="H5921" I|strong="H5921" provided|strong="H3557"  
food|strong="H3899" for|strong="H5921" them|strong="H5921",

**t** heir|strong="H5921" w stomachs|strong="H4578" w\*  
were|strong="H5921" full|strong="H7646", and|strong="H3820"  
they|strong="H3651" were|strong="H5921" satisfied|strong="H7646".

**B** ut|strong="H3651" then|strong="H3651" they|strong="H3651"  
became|strong="H7311" proud|strong="H7311"

**a** nd|strong="H3820" they|strong="H3651" forgot|strong="H7911" w  
about|strong="H5921" w\* me|strong="H5921",

w and|strong="H3820" w\* w you|strong="H5921" w\* w  
are|strong="H3820" w\* w like|strong="H3651" w\* w  
your|strong="H5921" w\* w ancestors|strong="H0001" w\*!

7So|strong="H1961" I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H1961"  
attack|strong="H5221" you|strong="H5921" like|strong="H3644" [SIM]  
a|strong="H1961" lion|strong="H7826" w attacks|strong="H5221" w\* w  
other|strong="H0312" w\* w animals|strong="H1961" w\*;

**I** |strong="H5921" will|strong="H1961" be|strong="H1961"  
like|strong="H3644" [SIM] a|strong="H1961" leopard|strong="H5246"  
that|strong="H1961" waits|strong="H2442" beside|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H5921" road|strong="H1870" w to|strong="H1961" w\* w  
attack|strong="H5221" w\* w another|strong="H0312" w\* w  
animal|strong="H1961" w\*.

8 Like a female bear that steals her cubs,

I will attack you Israelis and rip you open.

I will completely destroy you

1 Like lions or w other wild animals tear apart the animals that they catch and devour them.

9w You w people w of Israel, you will be destroyed

b ecause you oppose me, the only one who can help you.

10 You have a king;

□ why is he w unable w to w save you?/but he is w unable w to w save you. □ [RHQ]

You have [RHQ] rulers in all your towns,

**b** ut|strong = "H3605" they|strong = "H3605" are|strong = "H5892"  
not|strong = "H5414" helping|strong = "H5826" you|strong = "H5414", w  
either|strong = "H1571" w\*.

**Y** our|strong = "H3605" w ancestors|strong = "H0001" w\*  
said|strong = "H0559", 'Appoint|strong = "H5414" for|strong = "H5892"  
us|strong = "H5414" a|strong = "H5414" king|strong = "H4428"  
and|strong = "H4428" w other|strong = "H3605" w\* leaders|strong = "H8269"  
w to|strong = "H5414" w\* w rule|strong = "H4428" w\* w  
over|strong = "H4428" w\* w us|strong = "H5414" w\*

w like|strong = "H5892" w\* w the|strong = "H3605" w\* w  
other|strong = "H3605" w\* w nations|strong = "H1471" w\* w  
have|strong = "H5414" w\*!

11I|strong = "H5414" was|strong = "H4428" angry|strong = "H5678"  
with|strong = "H4428" them|strong = "H5414" w for|strong = "H4428" w\*  
requesting w that|strong = "H5414" w\*,

**b** ut|strong = "H3947" I|strong = "H5414" appointed|strong = "H5414"  
a|strong = "H3947" king|strong = "H4428" w to|strong = "H5414" w\* w  
rule|strong = "H4428" w\* w over|strong = "H4428" w\* them|strong = "H5414".

**B** ut|strong = "H3947" w later|strong = "H0310" w\* I|strong = "H5414"  
became|strong = "H3205" very|strong = "H3966" angry|strong = "H5678"  
with|strong = "H4428" them|strong = "H5414" w again|strong = "H3947" w\*,

**s** o|strong = "H3947" I|strong = "H5414" took|strong = "H3947"  
their|strong = "H5414" king|strong = "H4428" away|strong = "H3947".

12w I|strong = "H5771" w\* w have|strong = "H5771" w\* w  
written|strong = "H3789" w\* w on|strong = "H6887" w\* w  
a|strong = "H6887" w\* w scroll|strong = "H5612" w\* a|strong = "H6887"  
record|strong = "H3789" of|strong = "H2403" the|strong = "H6845"  
sins|strong = "H2403" that|strong = "H2403" have|strong = "H5771"  
been|strong = "H6887" committed|strong = "H6213" by|strong = "H5771"  
you|strong = "H5771" people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H2403"  
Israel|strong = "H3478",

**a** nd|strong = "H2403" I|strong = "H5771" have|strong = "H5771"  
stored|strong = "H6845" away|strong = "H6845" that|strong = "H2403"  
record|strong = "H3789".

13 You are people who are not wise;

a nd now w you w\* w are  
are w\* w helpless w\*.

Y ou are like  
[MET] a woman  
who is having  
birth pains

b ut who is  
unable to give  
birth to the  
baby.

14 I certainly will  
not [RHQ] save you  
from being killed

a nd from going  
to the place  
where the dead  
people are.

I will [RHQ] cause  
you to be  
afflicted by plagues

a nd to die  
and be buried  
in graves.

I will not  
be merciful w to w\* w  
you w\*.

15 Even if you  
people of Israel  
prosper more than  
the nearby nations  
do,

w the|strong = "H3605" w\* w army|strong = "H5927" w\* w  
of|strong = "H3068" w\* w Assyria|strong = "H0804" w\* will|strong = "H3068"  
come|strong = "H5927" w like|strong = "H4057" w\* [MET|strong = "H6298"]  
an|strong = "H3588" east|strong = "H6921" wind|strong = "H7307"  
that|strong = "H3588" blows|strong = "H4112" from|strong = "H5927"  
the|strong = "H3605" desert|strong = "H4057";

t he|strong = "H3605" springs|strong = "H4599" and|strong = "H3068"  
wells|strong = "H4599" in|strong = "H3068" Israel|strong = "H3478"  
will|strong = "H3068" become|strong = "H2717" dry|strong = "H2717";

a nd|strong = "H3068" w your|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
enemies|strong = "H0341" w\* will|strong = "H3068" take|strong = "H5927"  
away|strong = "H5927" all|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3068"  
valuable|strong = "H2532" possessions|strong = "H2532".

16w You|strong = "H0859" w\* w people|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
of|strong = "H1121" w\* Samaria|strong = "H8111" must|strong = "H4191"  
be|strong = "H1961" punished|strong = "H6485"

b ecause|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H0859" have|strong = "H1961"  
rebelled|strong = "H4784" against|strong = "H5921" w  
me|strong = "H0413" w\*, your|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H0430".

Y ou|strong = "H0859" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961"  
killed|strong = "H2026" by|strong = "H0801" w your|strong = "H3068" w\* w  
enemies'|strong = "H0341" w\* swords|strong = "H2719";

y our|strong = "H3068" little|strong = "H4592" children|strong = "H1121"  
will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961" w killed|strong = "H2026" w\* w  
by|strong = "H0801" w\* w being|strong = "H1961" w\*  
dashed|strong = "H7376"/thrown|strong = "H7993" to|strong = "H0413"  
the|strong = "H3605" ground|strong = "H0776";

t he|strong = "H3605" bellies w  
of|strong = "H1121" w\* pregnant|strong = "H2030" women|strong = "H0802"  
w among|strong = "H8432" w\* w you|strong = "H0859" w\*  
will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961" ripped|strong = "H1234"  
open|strong = "H6605".

Those who repent will be blessed

14w You|strong = "H3588" w\* w people|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
of|strong = "H2719" w\* Israel|strong = "H3478", return|strong = "H7725"  
to|strong = "H5307" Yahweh|strong = "H3068" our|strong = "H3588"  
God|strong = "H0430".

Y ou|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H5768" being|strong = "H1961"  
punished|strong = "H6485" because|strong = "H3588" of|strong = "H2719"  
the|strong = "H3588" sins|strong = "H2403" which|strong = "H2719"  
you|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3588" committed|strong = "H6213".

2So|strong = "H7725" now|strong = "H3588" return|strong = "H7725"  
to|strong = "H5704" Yahweh|strong = "H3068"

a nd|strong = "H3478" say|strong = "H7725" [MTY] this|strong = "H3588"  
to|strong = "H5704" him|strong = "H7725":

“ Forgive|strong = "H5545" us|strong = "H7725" for|strong = "H3588"  
all|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3588" sins|strong = "H5771"  
that|strong = "H3588" we|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068"  
committed|strong = "H3478",

a nd|strong = "H3478" kindly|strong = "H3820" accept|strong = "H7521"  
□ us|strong = "H7725" /our|strong = "H3068" sacrifices|strong = "H2077" □

i n|strong = "H3478" order|strong = "H4616" that|strong = "H3588"  
we|strong = "H3588" may|strong = "H3068"  
thank|strong = "H3034" /praise|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588"  
[IDM].

3w We|strong = "H3605" w\* w admit|strong = "H8085" w\* w  
that|strong = "H3605" w\* Assyria|strong = "H0804" will|strong = "H3068"  
not|strong = "H7725" save|strong = "H3467" us|strong = "H7725",

a nd|strong = "H3068" our|strong = "H3068" war|strong = "H4421"  
horses|strong = "H5483" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H7725"  
save|strong = "H3467" us|strong = "H7725", either|strong = "H1697".

W e|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H3068" never|strong = "H3808"  
again|strong = "H7725" say|strong = "H7725", ‘You|strong = "H3605"  
are|strong = "H1697" our|strong = "H3068" gods’



**t** o|strong = "H7725" w the|strong = "H3605" w\* w  
 idols|strong = "H1544" w\* w that|strong = "H3605" w\* we|strong = "H3605"  
 [SYN] have|strong = "H3068" made|strong = "H7999".

**Y** ou|strong = "H3605" are|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H3605"  
 one|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" acts|strong = "H1697"  
 mercifully to|strong = "H7725" orphans|strong = "H3490".

4w Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w\* w says|strong = "H0559" w\*, "w  
 If|strong = "H0518" w\* w they|strong = "H3808" w\* w  
 say|strong = "H0559" w\* w that|strong = "H3027" w\* w  
 to|strong = "H5921" w\* w me|strong = "H5921" w\*, I|strong = "H5921"  
 will|strong = "H3027" forgive|strong = "H5545" them|strong = "H5921"  
 for|strong = "H5921" having|strong = "H3808" □ turned|strong = "H2015"  
 away|strong = "H5750"  
 from|strong = "H5921" / abandoned|strong = "H5800" □ me|strong = "H5921",

**a** nd|strong = "H3027" I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3027"  
 love|strong = "H7355" them|strong = "H5921" with|strong = "H5921"  
 all|strong = "H5921" my|strong = "H5921" inner|strong = "H6442"  
 being|strong = "H5750",

**b** ecause|strong = "H5921" I|strong = "H5921" [PRS] will|strong = "H3027"  
 have|strong = "H7355" stopped|strong = "H5975" being|strong = "H5750"  
 angry|strong = "H2734" with|strong = "H5921" them|strong = "H5921".

5I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H7725" be|strong = "H7725"  
 to|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H3588" people|strong = "H5971"  
 of|strong = "H4480" Israel|strong = "H3478"

**I** ke|strong = "H7725" dew|strong = "H2919" w that|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
 refreshes|strong = "H7725" w\* w the|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
 soil|strong = "H0127" w\*.

**W** hen|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" do|strong = "H6213"  
 that|strong = "H3588", they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H7725" w  
 become|strong = "H7495" w\* w as|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
 delightful|strong = "H2656" w\* w as|strong = "H3588" w\* w  
 [MET|strong = "H6298"] lilies|strong = "H7799" are|strong = "H4878"  
 when|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H4878"  
 blooming.

w No|strong = "H4480" w\* w one|strong = "H4480" w\* w  
 will|strong = "H7725" w\* w be|strong = "H7725" w\* w  
 able|strong = "H3201" w\* w to|strong = "H7725" w\* w  
 conquer|strong = "H3423" w\* w them|strong = "H7725" w\*;

t hey|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H7725" be|strong = "H7725" w  
 as|strong = "H3588" w\* unmovable w as|strong = "H3588" w\* [SIM]  
 the|strong = "H3588" roots|strong = "H8328" w of|strong = "H4480" w\* w  
 cedar|strong = "H0730" w\* w trees|strong = "H6086" w\*.

6w Their|strong = "H1961" w\* w good|strong = "H2896" w\* w  
 influence|strong = "H4294" w\* w will|strong = "H1961" w\* w  
 spread|strong = "H6566" w\* like|strong = "H1961" [MET|strong = "H6298"]  
 the|strong = "H5221" branches|strong = "H7070" of|strong = "H5221"  
 a|strong = "H1961" tree|strong = "H6086".

T hey|strong = "H5221" will|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961"  
 like|strong = "H1961" [SIM] beautiful|strong = "H3303"  
 olive|strong = "H2132" trees|strong = "H6086",

a nd|strong = "H3478" w they|strong = "H5221" w\* w  
 will|strong = "H1961" w\* w be|strong = "H1961" w\* w as|strong = "H1961" w\*  
 w delightful|strong = "H2656" w\* w as|strong = "H1961" w\* [SIM]  
 the|strong = "H5221" aroma|strong = "H7381" of|strong = "H5221"  
 the|strong = "H5221" cedar|strong = "H0730" w trees|strong = "H6086" w\* w  
 in|strong = "H3478" w\* Lebanon|strong = "H3844".

7People|strong = "H5971" will|strong = "H1961" w  
 come|strong = "H1961" w\* w to|strong = "H3212" w\* w  
 them|strong = "H1961" w\* w to|strong = "H3212" w\* w  
 be|strong = "H1961" w\* w protected|strong = "H3467" w\*

w like|strong = "H1961" w\* w people|strong = "H5971" w\* w  
 are|strong = "H1961" w\* w protected|strong = "H3467" w\* w  
 from|strong = "H1961" w\* w the|strong = "H1961" w\* w  
 hot|strong = "H2552" w\* w sun|strong = "H8121" w\* w  
 by|strong = "H1961" w\* w being|strong = "H1961" w\*  
 [MET|strong = "H6298"] in|strong = "H3212" the|strong = "H1961"  
 shade|strong = "H6738" w of|strong = "H7381" w\* w a|strong = "H1961" w\* w  
 tree|strong = "H2132" w\*.

T hey|strong="H1992" w will|strong="H1961" w\* □w  
 flourish|strong="H6524" w\*/w be|strong="H1961" w\* w  
 strong|strong="H2388" w\* □ w like|strong="H1961" w\* [SIM]  
 grain|strong="H1715" that|strong="H1961" grows|strong="H3318"  
 well|strong="H3190".

T hey|strong="H1992" will|strong="H1961" w be|strong="H1961" w\* w  
 successful|strong="H6743" w\* w like|strong="H1961" w\*  
 a|strong="H1961" vineyard|strong="H3754" w in|strong="H3212" w\* w  
 which|strong="H3844" w\* w grapes|strong="H6025" w\* w  
 grow|strong="H3212" w\* w abundantly|strong="H8317" w\*.

T hey|strong="H1992" will|strong="H1961" become|strong="H1961"  
 as|strong="H1961" famous|strong="H8034"/well-known  
 as|strong="H1961" [SIM] the|strong="H1961" wines  
 from|strong="H1961" Lebanon|strong="H3844".

8w You|strong="H7725" w\* w people|strong="H3427" w\* w  
 of|strong="H3427" w\* Israel|strong="H3478", do|strong="H1612"  
 not|strong="H7725" [RHQ] have|strong="H1612"  
 anything|strong="H3605" more|strong="H7725" to|strong="H7725"  
 do|strong="H1612" with|strong="H3427" idols|strong="H1544";

i f|strong="H0518" you|strong="H7725" w get|strong="H7725" w\* w  
 rid|strong="H5337" w\* w of|strong="H3427" w\* w  
 your|strong="H7725" w\* w idols|strong="H1544" w\*, I|strong="H6738"  
 will|strong="H3844" answer|strong="H7725" your|strong="H7725" w  
 prayers|strong="H8605" w\* and|strong="H7725" take|strong="H7725"  
 care|strong="H3027" of|strong="H3427" you|strong="H7725".

I |strong="H6738" am|strong="H1961" like|strong="H7725"  
 [MET|strong="H6298"] a|strong="H7725"  
 strong|strong="H2388"/green|strong="H7488" pine|strong="H1992"  
 tree|strong="H1612",

a nd|strong="H7725" your|strong="H7725" blessings|strong="H1293"  
 come|strong="H7725" from|strong="H7725" me|strong="H7725".

9Those|strong="H4480" who|strong="H4672" are|strong="H4100"  
 wise|strong="H2450" will|strong="H4100" understand|strong="H0995"  
 the|strong="H4480" things|strong="H1697" w about|strong="H4480" w\*  
 w which|strong="H4100" w\* w I|strong="H4100" w\* w  
 have|strong="H4672" w\* w written|strong="H3789" w\*.