

The Book of Amos

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1The words of Amos, who was amongst the herdsmen of Tekoa, which he saw concerning Israel in the days of Uzziah king of Judah and in the days of Jeroboam the son of Joash, king of Israel, two years before the earthquake.² He said:

“ The LORD will roar from Zion,

and utter his voice from Jerusalem;

and the pastures of the shepherds will mourn,

and the top of Carmel will wither.”

3The LORD says:

“ For three transgressions of Damascus, yes, for four,

¹+ 1:2 When rendered in ALL CAPITAL LETTERS, “LORD” or “GOD” is the translation of God’s Proper Name.

I |strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"
turn|strong = "H7725" away|strong = "H7725" its|strong = "H0853"
punishment,

b ecause|strong = "H5921" they|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3068"
threshed|strong = "H1758" Gilead|strong = "H1568" with|strong = "H3068"
threshing|strong = "H1758" instruments of|strong = "H3068"
iron|strong = "H1270";

4but I|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H1004" send|strong = "H7971"
a|strong = "H7971" fire|strong = "H0784" into the|strong = "H0398"
house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004" Hazael|strong = "H2371",

a nd|strong = "H1004" it|strong = "H0398" will|strong = "H1004"
devour|strong = "H0398" the|strong = "H0398" palaces|strong = "H0759"
of|strong = "H1004" Ben Hadad.

5I|strong = "H3772" will|strong = "H3068" break|strong = "H7665"
the|strong = "H0559" bar|strong = "H1280" of|strong = "H1004"
Damascus|strong = "H1834",

a nd|strong = "H3068" cut|strong = "H3772" off|strong = "H3772"
the|strong = "H0559" inhabitant|strong = "H3427" from|strong = "H3772"
the|strong = "H0559" valley|strong = "H1237" of|strong = "H1004"
Aven|strong = "H0206",

a nd|strong = "H3068" him|strong = "H3772" who|strong = "H3068"
holds|strong = "H8551" the|strong = "H0559" sceptre from|strong = "H3772"
the|strong = "H0559" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"
Eden|strong = "H5730";

a nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H0559" people|strong = "H5971"
of|strong = "H1004" Syria|strong = "H0758" shall|strong = "H3068"
go|strong = "H1540" into|strong = "H1540" captivity|strong = "H1540"
to|strong = "H0559" Kir|strong = "H7024",

s ays|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H0559" LORD|strong = "H3068".

6The|strong = "H0559" LORD|strong = "H3068" says|strong = "H0559":

“ For|strong = "H5921" three|strong = "H7969"
transgressions|strong = "H6588" of|strong = "H3068" Gaza|strong = "H5804",
yes, for|strong = "H5921" four|strong = "H0702",

I |strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"
turn|strong = "H7725" away|strong = "H7725" its|strong = "H5921"
punishment,

b ecause|strong = "H5921" they|strong = "H3808" carried|strong = "H1540"
away|strong = "H7725" captive|strong = "H1540" the|strong = "H0559"
whole|strong = "H8003" community,

t o|strong = "H0559" deliver|strong = "H5462" them|strong = "H5921"
up|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H0559" Edom|strong = "H0123";

7but I|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H0784" send|strong = "H7971"
a|strong = "H7971" fire|strong = "H0784" on|strong = "H7971"
the|strong = "H0398" wall|strong = "H2346" of|strong = "H2346"
Gaza|strong = "H5804",

a nd|strong = "H0398" it|strong = "H0398" will|strong = "H0784"
devour|strong = "H0398" its|strong = "H0398" palaces|strong = "H0759".

8I|strong = "H3772" will|strong = "H3027" cut|strong = "H3772"
off|strong = "H3772" the|strong = "H0559" inhabitant|strong = "H3427"
from|strong = "H7725" Ashdod|strong = "H0795",

a nd|strong = "H3027" him|strong = "H5921" who|strong = "H3427"
holds|strong = "H8551" the|strong = "H0559" sceptre from|strong = "H7725"
Ashkelon|strong = "H0831";

a nd|strong = "H3027" I|strong = "H3772" will|strong = "H3027"
turn|strong = "H7725" my|strong = "H5921" hand|strong = "H3027"
against|strong = "H5921" Ekron|strong = "H6138";

a nd|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H0559" remnant|strong = "H7611"
of|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H0559" Philistines|strong = "H6430"
will|strong = "H3027" perish|strong = "H0006",

s ays|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H0559" Lord|strong = "H0136"²
GOD|strong = "H0136".

9The|strong = "H0559" LORD|strong = "H3068" says|strong = "H0559":

² + 1:8 The word translated "Lord" is "Adonai."

“ For three transgressions of Tyre, yes, for four,

I will not turn away its punishment;

because they delivered up the whole community to Edom,

and didn't remember the brotherly covenant;

but I will send a fire on the wall of Tyre,

and it will devour its palaces.”

11The LORD says:

“ For three transgressions of Edom, yes, for four,

I will not turn away its punishment,

because he pursued his brother with the sword

and cast off all pity,

and his anger raged continually,

a nd|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H3068" kept|strong = "H8104"
his|strong = "H8104" wrath|strong = "H5678" forever|strong = "H5703";

12but I|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H0784" send|strong = "H7971"
a|strong = "H7971" fire|strong = "H0784" on|strong = "H7971"
Teman|strong = "H8487",

a nd|strong = "H0398" it|strong = "H0398" will|strong = "H0784"
devour|strong = "H0398" the|strong = "H0398" palaces|strong = "H0759"
of|strong = "H0398" Bozrah|strong = "H1224".

13The|strong = "H0853" LORD|strong = "H3068" says|strong = "H0559":

“ For|strong = "H5921" three|strong = "H7969"
transgressions|strong = "H6588" of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H0853"
children|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Ammon|strong = "H5983",
yes, for|strong = "H5921" four|strong = "H0702",

I |strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"
turn|strong = "H7725" away|strong = "H7725" its|strong = "H0853"
punishment,

b ecause|strong = "H5921" they|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H1121"
ripped|strong = "H1234" open|strong = "H1234" the|strong = "H0853"
pregnant|strong = "H2030" women|strong = "H2030" of|strong = "H1121"
Gilead|strong = "H1568",

t hat|strong = "H4616" they|strong = "H5921" may|strong = "H3068"
enlarge|strong = "H7337" their|strong = "H3068" border|strong = "H1366".

14But|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H0784"
kindle|strong = "H3341" a|strong = "H3341" fire|strong = "H0784"
in|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117" wall|strong = "H2346"
of|strong = "H3117" Rabbah|strong = "H7237",

a nd|strong = "H0398" it|strong = "H0398" will|strong = "H0784"
devour|strong = "H0398" its|strong = "H0398" palaces|strong = "H0759",

w ith|strong = "H3117" shouting|strong = "H8643" in|strong = "H3117"
the|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"
battle|strong = "H4421",

with a storm
in the day
of the whirlwind;

and their king
will go into captivity,

he and his
princes together,”

says the LORD.

The LORD says:

“ For three
transgressions of Moab,
yes, for four,”

I will not
turn away its
punishment,

because he burnt
the bones of
the king of
Edom into lime;

but I will
send a fire
on Moab,

and it will
devour the
palaces of
Kerioth;

and Moab will
die with
tumult,
with shouting,
and with
the sound of
the trumpet;

3and I will
cut off the
judge from amongst
them,

and will kill
all its princes
with him,

says the LORD.

4The LORD says:

“ For three
transgressions of
Judah, yes, for four,

I will not
turn away its
punishment,

because they have
rejected the LORD's
law,

and have not
kept his statutes,

and their lies
have led them
astray,

after which their
fathers walked;

5but I will send
a fire on
Judah,

and it will
devour the
palaces of
Jerusalem.

6The LORD says:

“ For three
transgressions of Israel,
yes, for four,

I will not
turn away its
punishment,

b ecause they have
sold the righteous
for silver,

a nd the needy
for a pair of
sandals;

7They trample the
heads of the
poor into the
dust of the
earth

a nd deny justice to
the oppressed.

A man and
his father use the
same maiden, to
profane my holy
name.

8They lay themselves
down beside every
altar on clothes taken
in pledge.

In the house
of their God³
they drink the

³+ 2:8 The Hebrew word rendered “God” is “Elohim”.

wine|strong = "H3196" of|strong = "H1004" those|strong = "H3605"
 who|strong = "H3605" have|strong = "H3605" been|strong = "H3605"
 fined|strong = "H6064".

9Yet I|strong = "H0834" destroyed|strong = "H8045" the|strong = "H0853"
 Amorite|strong = "H0567" before|strong = "H6440" them|strong = "H0853",

w hose|strong = "H0834" height|strong = "H1363" was|strong = "H0834"
 like|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H0853" height|strong = "H1363"
 of|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H0853" cedars|strong = "H0730",

a nd|strong = "H6440" he|strong = "H0834" was|strong = "H0834"
 strong|strong = "H2634" as|strong = "H0834" the|strong = "H0853"
 oaks|strong = "H0437";

y et I|strong = "H0834" destroyed|strong = "H8045" his|strong = "H0834"
 fruit|strong = "H6529" from|strong = "H6440" above|strong = "H4605",

a nd|strong = "H6440" his|strong = "H0834" roots|strong = "H8328"
 from|strong = "H6440" beneath|strong = "H8478".

10Also|strong = "H0853" I|strong = "H0595" brought|strong = "H5927"
 you|strong = "H0853" up|strong = "H5927" out|strong = "H3423"
 of|strong = "H0776" the|strong = "H0853" land|strong = "H0776"
 of|strong = "H0776" Egypt|strong = "H4714"

a nd|strong = "H0776" led you|strong = "H0853" forty|strong = "H0705"
 years|strong = "H8141" in|strong = "H8141" the|strong = "H0853"
 wilderness|strong = "H4057",

t o|strong = "H4714" possess|strong = "H3423" the|strong = "H0853"
 land|strong = "H0776" of|strong = "H0776" the|strong = "H0853"
 Amorite|strong = "H0567".

11I|strong = "H3068" raised|strong = "H6965" up|strong = "H6965" some
 of|strong = "H1121" your|strong = "H3068" sons|strong = "H1121"
 for|strong = "H3068" prophets|strong = "H5030",

a nd|strong = "H1121" some of|strong = "H1121" your|strong = "H3068"
 young|strong = "H1121" men|strong = "H0970" for|strong = "H3068"
 Nazirites|strong = "H5139".

I sn't this|strong = "H2063" true|strong = "H3068",

you|strong = "H6965" children|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"
Israel|strong = "H3478"? says|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002"
LORD|strong = "H3068".

12“But|strong = "H3808" you|strong = "H6680" gave|strong = "H6680"
the|strong = "H0853" Nazirites|strong = "H5139" wine|strong = "H3196"
to|strong = "H0559" drink|strong = "H8248",

and|strong = "H3196" commanded|strong = "H6680" the|strong = "H0853"
prophets|strong = "H5030", saying|strong = "H0559",
‘Don't|strong = "H3808" prophesy|strong = "H5012"!'

13Behold|strong = "H2009", ⁴ I|strong = "H0834" will|strong = "H0834"
crush you|strong = "H0834" in|strong = "H8478" your|strong = "H0834"
place|strong = "H8478",

as|strong = "H0834" a|strong = "H0834" cart|strong = "H5699" crushes
that|strong = "H0834" is|strong = "H0834" full|strong = "H4395"
of|strong = "H8478" grain.

14Flight|strong = "H4498" will|strong = "H3808" perish|strong = "H0006"
from|strong = "H5315" the|strong = "H3808" swift|strong = "H7031".

The|strong = "H3808" strong|strong = "H2389" won't|strong = "H3808"
strengthen|strong = "H0553" his|strong = "H3808" force.

The|strong = "H3808" mighty|strong = "H1368" won't|strong = "H3808"
deliver|strong = "H4422" himself|strong = "H5315".

15He|strong = "H3808" who|strong = "H5315" handles
the|strong = "H3808" bow|strong = "H7198" won't|strong = "H3808"
stand|strong = "H5975".

He|strong = "H3808" who|strong = "H5315" is|strong = "H5315"
swift|strong = "H7031" of|strong = "H5315" foot|strong = "H7272"
won't|strong = "H3808" escape|strong = "H4422".

⁴+ 2:13 “Behold”, from , “□□□□□□” means look at, take notice, observe, see, or gaze at. It is often used as an interjection.

He|strong="H3808" who|strong="H5315" rides|strong="H7392"
the|strong="H3808" horse|strong="H5483" won't|strong="H3808"
deliver|strong="H4422" himself|strong="H5315".

16He|strong="H1931" who|strong="H1931" is|strong="H3068"
courageous amongst the|strong="H5002" mighty|strong="H1368"

will|strong="H3068" flee|strong="H5127" away|strong="H5127"
naked|strong="H6174" on|strong="H3117" that|strong="H3117"
day|strong="H3117",

says|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002" LORD|strong="H3068".

3Hear|strong="H8085" this|strong="H2088" word|strong="H1697"
that|strong="H0834" the|strong="H3605" LORD|strong="H3068"
has|strong="H3068" spoken|strong="H1696" against|strong="H5921"
you|strong="H0834", children|strong="H1121" of|strong="H1121"
Israel|strong="H3478", against|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605"
whole|strong="H3605" family|strong="H4940" which|strong="H0834"
I|strong="H0834" brought|strong="H5927" up|strong="H5927"
out|strong="H5921" of|strong="H1121" the|strong="H3605"
land|strong="H0776" of|strong="H1121" Egypt|strong="H4714",
saying|strong="H0559":

2"I|strong="H3651" have|strong="H3045" only|strong="H7535"
chosen|strong="H3045" you|strong="H3605" of|strong="H5921"
all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" families|strong="H4940"
of|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605" earth|strong="H0127".

Therefore|strong="H3651" I|strong="H3651" will|strong="H0127"
punish|strong="H6485" you|strong="H3605" for|strong="H5921"
all|strong="H3605" of|strong="H5921" your|strong="H3605"
sins|strong="H5771".

3Do|strong="H0518" two|strong="H8147" walk
together|strong="H3162",

unless|strong="H1115" they|strong="H0518" have|strong="H0518"
agreed|strong="H3259"?

4Will|strong="H0369" a|strong="H5414" lion|strong="H0738"
roar|strong="H7580" in|strong="H6963" the|strong="H5414" thicket,

w hen|strong="H0518" he|strong="H0518" has|strong="H0369"
no|strong="H0369" prey|strong="H2964"?"

D oes|strong="H0518" a|strong="H5414" young|strong="H3715"
lion|strong="H0738" cry|strong="H6963" out|strong="H7580"
of|strong="H6963" his|strong="H5414" den|strong="H4585",

i f|strong="H0518" he|strong="H0518" has|strong="H0369"
caught|strong="H3920" nothing|strong="H0369"?"

5Can|strong="H0369" a|strong="H4480" bird|strong="H6833"
fall|strong="H5307" in|strong="H5921" a|strong="H4480"
trap|strong="H4170" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"
earth|strong="H0776",

w here|strong="H3808" no|strong="H3808" snare|strong="H4170"
is|strong="H0369" set|strong="H5927" for|strong="H5921"
him|strong="H5921"?"

D oes|strong="H3808" a|strong="H4480" snare|strong="H4170"
spring|strong="H5927" up|strong="H5927" from|strong="H4480"
the|strong="H5921" ground|strong="H0776",

w hen|strong="H4480" there|strong="H0369" is|strong="H0369"
nothing|strong="H3808" to|strong="H5921" catch|strong="H3920"?"

6Does|strong="H6213" the|strong="H3068" trumpet|strong="H7782"
alarm sound|strong="H8628" in|strong="H3068" a|strong="H1961"
city|strong="H5892",

w ithout|strong="H3808" the|strong="H3068" people|strong="H5971"
being|strong="H1961" afraid|strong="H2729"?"

D oes|strong="H6213" evil|strong="H7451" happen|strong="H1961"
to|strong="H1961" a|strong="H1961" city|strong="H5892",

a nd|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" LORD|strong="H3068"
hasn't|strong="H3808" done|strong="H6213" it|strong="H0518"?"

7Surely|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" Lord|strong="H0136"
GOD|strong="H0136" will|strong="H5650" do|strong="H6213"
nothing|strong="H3808",

u nless|strong = "H0518" he|strong = "H3588" reveals|strong = "H1540"
 his|strong = "H0518" secret|strong = "H5475" to|strong = "H0413"
 his|strong = "H0518" servants|strong = "H5650" the|strong = "H3588"
 prophets|strong = "H5030".

8The|strong = "H3069" lion|strong = "H0738" has|strong = "H4310"
 roared|strong = "H7580".

W ho|strong = "H4310" will|strong = "H4310" not|strong = "H3808"
 fear|strong = "H3372"?

T he|strong = "H3069" Lord|strong = "H0136" GOD|strong = "H0136"
 has|strong = "H4310" spoken|strong = "H1696".

W ho|strong = "H4310" can|strong = "H4310" but|strong = "H3808"
 prophesy|strong = "H5012"?

9Proclaim|strong = "H8085" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0559"
 palaces|strong = "H0759" at|strong = "H5921" Ashdod|strong = "H0795",

a nd|strong = "H0776" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0559"
 palaces|strong = "H0759" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0559"
 land|strong = "H0776" of|strong = "H0776" Egypt|strong = "H4714",

a nd|strong = "H0776" say|strong = "H0559", "Assemble|strong = "H0622"
 yourselves|strong = "H8432" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0559"
 mountains|strong = "H2022" of|strong = "H0776" Samaria|strong = "H8111",

a nd|strong = "H0776" see|strong = "H7200" what|strong = "H5921" unrest
 is|strong = "H0776" in|strong = "H5921" her|strong = "H5921",

a nd|strong = "H0776" what|strong = "H5921" oppression|strong = "H6217"
 is|strong = "H0776" amongst them|strong = "H5921"."

10"Indeed|strong = "H3808" they|strong = "H3808" don't|strong = "H3808"
 know|strong = "H3045" to|strong = "H3068" do|strong = "H6213" right,"
 says|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" LORD|strong = "H3068",

" Who|strong = "H3068" hoard|strong = "H0686" plunder
 and|strong = "H3068" loot in|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068"
 palaces|strong = "H0759"."

11 Therefore the Lord GOD says:

“ An adversary will overrun the land;

and he will pull down your strongholds,

and your fortresses will be plundered.”

12 The LORD says:

“ As the shepherd rescues out of the mouth of the lion two legs,

or a piece of an ear,

so shall the children of Israel be rescued who sit on the corner of a couch,

and on the silken cushions of a bed.”

13 “Listen, and testify against the house of Jacob,” says the Lord GOD, the God of Armies.

14“For|strong = ”H3588” in|strong = ”H5921” the|strong = ”H5921”
day|strong = ”H3117” that|strong = ”H3588” I|strong = ”H3588”
visit|strong = ”H6485” the|strong = ”H5921” transgressions|strong = ”H6588”
of|strong = ”H0776” Israel|strong = ”H3478” on|strong = ”H5921”
him|strong = ”H5921”,

I |strong = ”H3588” will|strong = ”H0776” also|strong = ”H3478”
visit|strong = ”H6485” the|strong = ”H5921” altars|strong = ”H4196”
of|strong = ”H0776” Bethel|strong = ”H1008”;

a nd|strong = ”H3478” the|strong = ”H5921” horns|strong = ”H7161”
of|strong = ”H0776” the|strong = ”H5921” altar|strong = ”H4196”
will|strong = ”H0776” be|strong = ”H3478” cut|strong = ”H1438”
off|strong = ”H5921”,

a nd|strong = ”H3478” fall|strong = ”H5307” to|strong = ”H5921”
the|strong = ”H5921” ground|strong = ”H0776”.

15I|strong = ”H5921” will|strong = ”H3068” strike|strong = ”H5221”
the|strong = ”H5002” winter|strong = ”H2779” house|strong = ”H1004”
with|strong = ”H1004” the|strong = ”H5002” summer|strong = ”H7019”
house|strong = ”H1004”;

a nd|strong = ”H3068” the|strong = ”H5002” houses|strong = ”H1004”
of|strong = ”H1004” ivory|strong = ”H8127” will|strong = ”H3068”
perish|strong = ”H0006”,

a nd|strong = ”H3068” the|strong = ”H5002” great|strong = ”H7227”
houses|strong = ”H1004” will|strong = ”H3068” have|strong = ”H3068”
an|strong = ”H5221” end|strong = ”H5486”,

s ays|strong = ”H5002” the|strong = ”H5002” LORD|strong = ”H3068”.

4Listen|strong = ”H8085” to|strong = ”H0559” this|strong = ”H2088”
word|strong = ”H1697”, you|strong = ”H0834” cows|strong = ”H6510”
of|strong = ”H1697” Bashan|strong = ”H1316”, who|strong = ”H0834”
are|strong = ”H0834” on|strong = ”H0935” the|strong = ”H0559”
mountain|strong = ”H2022” of|strong = ”H1697” Samaria|strong = ”H8111”,
who|strong = ”H0834” oppress|strong = ”H6231” the|strong = ”H0559”
poor|strong = ”H0034”, who|strong = ”H0834” crush|strong = ”H7533”
the|strong = ”H0559” needy|strong = ”H0034”, who|strong = ”H0834”
tell|strong = ”H0559” their|strong = ”H8085” husbands|strong = ”H0113”,
“Bring|strong = ”H0935” us|strong = ”H0935” drinks|strong = ”H8354”!”

2The|strong = "H0853" Lord|strong = "H0136" GOD|strong = "H0136"
has|strong = "H0136" sworn|strong = "H7650" by|strong = "H5921"
his|strong = "H5921" holiness|strong = "H6944",

“ Behold|strong = "H2009", the|strong = "H0853" days|strong = "H3117"
shall|strong = "H3117" come|strong = "H0935" on|strong = "H5921"
you|strong = "H3588" that|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588"
will|strong = "H0136" take|strong = "H5375" you|strong = "H3588"
away|strong = "H5375" with|strong = "H5921" hooks,

a nd|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0853" last|strong = "H0319"
of|strong = "H3117" you|strong = "H3588" with|strong = "H5921"
fish|strong = "H1729" hooks.

3You will|strong = "H3068" go|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318"
at|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002" breaks|strong = "H3318"
in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002" wall,

e veryone|strong = "H0802" straight|strong = "H5048"
before|strong = "H5048" her|strong = "H0802";

a nd|strong = "H3068" you will|strong = "H3068" cast|strong = "H7993"
yourselves|strong = "H3068" into|strong = "H3318"
Harmon|strong = "H2038", says|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002"
LORD|strong = "H3068".

4“Go|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0935" Bethel|strong = "H1008",
and|strong = "H0935" sin;

t o|strong = "H0935" Gilgal|strong = "H1537", and|strong = "H0935" sin
more|strong = "H7235".

B ring|strong = "H0935" your|strong = "H0935" sacrifices|strong = "H2077"
every|strong = "H1242" morning|strong = "H1242",

y our|strong = "H0935" tithes|strong = "H4643" every|strong = "H1242"
three|strong = "H7969" days|strong = "H3117",

5offer|strong = "H6999" a|strong = "H3588" sacrifice|strong = "H6999"
of|strong = "H1121" thanksgiving|strong = "H8426" of|strong = "H1121"
that|strong = "H3588" which|strong = "H2557" is|strong = "H3651"
leavened|strong = "H2557",

a nd|strong="H1121" proclaim|strong="H7121" free
will|strong="H3478" offerings|strong="H5071" and|strong="H1121" brag
about|strong="H8085" them|strong="H7121";

f or|strong="H3588" this|strong="H3651" pleases you|strong="H3588",
you|strong="H3588" children|strong="H1121" of|strong="H1121"
Israel|strong="H3478", " says|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002"
Lord|strong="H0136" GOD|strong="H0136".

6"I|strong="H0589" also|strong="H1571" have|strong="H1571"
given|strong="H5414" you|strong="H5414" cleanness|strong="H5356"
of|strong="H3068" teeth|strong="H8127" in|strong="H3068"
all|strong="H3605" your|strong="H3068" cities|strong="H5892",

a nd|strong="H3068" lack|strong="H2640" of|strong="H3068"
bread|strong="H3899" in|strong="H3068" every|strong="H3605"
town|strong="H5892";

y et|strong="H1571" you|strong="H5414" haven't|strong="H3808"
returned|strong="H7725" to|strong="H5704" me|strong="H5414", "
says|strong="H5002" the|strong="H3605" LORD|strong="H3068".

7"I|strong="H0834" also|strong="H1571" have|strong="H0834"
withheld|strong="H4513" the|strong="H0853" rain|strong="H1653"
from|strong="H4480" you|strong="H0834",

w hen|strong="H0834" there|strong="H0834" were|strong="H0834"
yet|strong="H5750" three|strong="H7969" months|strong="H2320"
to|strong="H5921" the|strong="H0853" harvest|strong="H7105";

a nd|strong="H0853" I|strong="H0834" caused|strong="H0834"
it|strong="H5921" to|strong="H5921" rain|strong="H1653"
on|strong="H5921" one|strong="H0259" city|strong="H5892",

a nd|strong="H0853" caused|strong="H0834" it|strong="H5921"
not|strong="H3808" to|strong="H5921" rain|strong="H1653"
on|strong="H5921" another|strong="H0259" city|strong="H5892".

O ne|strong="H0259" field|strong="H2513" was|strong="H0834"
rained|strong="H4305" on|strong="H5921",

and the field where it didn't rain
withered.

So two or three cities staggered to
one city,
to drink water,

and were not satisfied;

yet you haven't returned
to me,"
says the LORD.

"I struck you with blight and
mildew many times in
your gardens and
your vineyards,"

and the swarming
locusts have devoured
your fig trees
and your olive
trees;

yet you haven't returned
to me,"
says the LORD.

10 "I sent plagues
amongst you like I
did Egypt.

I have slain
your young men
with the sword,

and have carried
away your horses.

I |strong="H5704" filled your|strong="H3068" nostrils|strong="H0639" with|strong="H5973" the|strong="H5002" stench|strong="H0889" of|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" camp|strong="H4264",

y et|strong="H3068" you|strong="H7971" haven't|strong="H3808" returned|strong="H7725" to|strong="H5704" me|strong="H7971",
says|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002" LORD|strong="H3068".

11"I|strong="H5704" have|strong="H1961" overthrown|strong="H2015" some of|strong="H0430" you|strong="H5704",

a s|strong="H5704" when|strong="H1961" God|strong="H0430" overthrew|strong="H2015" Sodom|strong="H5467" and|strong="H3068" Gomorrah|strong="H6017",

a nd|strong="H3068" you|strong="H5704" were|strong="H1961" like|strong="H1961" a|strong="H1961" burning|strong="H8316" stick plucked|strong="H5337" out|strong="H8316" of|strong="H0430" the|strong="H0853" fire|strong="H8316";

y et|strong="H3068" you|strong="H5704" haven't|strong="H3808" returned|strong="H7725" to|strong="H5704" me|strong="H7725",
says|strong="H5002" the|strong="H0853" LORD|strong="H3068".

12"Therefore|strong="H3651" I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H0430" do|strong="H6213" this|strong="H2063" to|strong="H3478" you|strong="H3588", Israel|strong="H3478";

b ecause|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H0430" do|strong="H6213" this|strong="H2063" to|strong="H3478" you|strong="H3588",

p repare|strong="H3559" to|strong="H3478" meet|strong="H7125" your|strong="H3588" God|strong="H0430", Israel|strong="H3478".

13For|strong="H3588", behold|strong="H2009", he|strong="H3588" who|strong="H3068" forms|strong="H3335" the|strong="H5921" mountains|strong="H2022", creates the|strong="H5921" wind|strong="H7307", declares|strong="H5046" to|strong="H5921" man|strong="H0120" what|strong="H4100" is|strong="H3068" his|strong="H5921" thought,

who makes the morning
treads on the high
places of the
earth:

The LORD, the
God of Armies,
is his name."

Listen to this
word which I
take up for
a lamentation
over you,
O house
of Israel:

"The virgin
Israel has
fallen;

She shall
no more

She is
cast down
on her
land;

there is
no one
to raise
her up."

For the Lord
GOD says:

"The city
went out
a thousand
a hundred
left,

a nd|strong="H3478" that|strong="H3588" which|strong="H1004" went|strong="H3318" out|strong="H3318" one|strong="H3588" hundred|strong="H3967" shall|strong="H3478" have|strong="H3478" ten|strong="H6235" left|strong="H7604" to|strong="H0559" the|strong="H0559" house|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004" Israel|strong="H3478".

4For|strong="H3588" the|strong="H0559" LORD|strong="H3068" says|strong="H0559" to|strong="H0559" the|strong="H0559" house|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004" Israel|strong="H3478":

“ Seek|strong="H1875" me|strong="H1875", and|strong="H3068" you|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" live|strong="H2421”;

5but|strong="H3588" don't|strong="H0408" seek|strong="H1875" Bethel|strong="H1008”,

n or|strong="H3808" enter|strong="H0935" into|strong="H1540" Gilgal|strong="H1537”,

a nd|strong="H0935" don't|strong="H0408" pass|strong="H5674" to|strong="H0935" Beersheba|strong="H0884”;

f or|strong="H3588" Gilgal|strong="H1537" shall|strong="H3808" surely|strong="H3588" go|strong="H0935" into|strong="H1540" captivity|strong="H1540”,

a nd|strong="H0935" Bethel|strong="H1008" shall|strong="H3808" come|strong="H0935" to|strong="H0935" nothing|strong="H3808”.

6Seek|strong="H1875" the|strong="H0853" LORD|strong="H3068”, and|strong="H3068" you|strong="H0853" will|strong="H3068" live|strong="H2421”,

l est|strong="H6435" he|strong="H3068" break out|strong="H0853" like|strong="H1004" fire|strong="H0784" in|strong="H3068" the|strong="H0853" house|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004" Joseph|strong="H3130”,

a nd|strong="H3068" it|strong="H0398" devour|strong="H0398",
and|strong="H3068" there|strong="H0369" be|strong="H3068"
no|strong="H0369" one|strong="H0369" to|strong="H0369"
quench|strong="H3518" it|strong="H0398" in|strong="H3068"
Bethel|strong="H1008".

7You|strong="H0776" who|strong="H0776" turn|strong="H2015"
justice|strong="H4941" to|strong="H0776" wormwood|strong="H3939",

a nd|strong="H0776" cast down righteousness|strong="H6666"
to|strong="H0776" the|strong="H0776" earth|strong="H0776"!

8Seek him|strong="H5921" who|strong="H3068"
made|strong="H6213" the|strong="H6440" Pleiades|strong="H3598"
and|strong="H3068" Orion|strong="H3685",

a nd|strong="H3068" turns|strong="H2015" the|strong="H6440"
shadow|strong="H6757" of|strong="H0776" death|strong="H6757"
into|strong="H5921" the|strong="H6440" morning|strong="H1242",

a nd|strong="H3068" makes|strong="H6213" the|strong="H6440"
day|strong="H3117" dark|strong="H2821" with|strong="H3068"
night|strong="H3915";

w ho|strong="H3068" calls|strong="H7121" for|strong="H5921"
the|strong="H6440" waters|strong="H4325" of|strong="H0776"
the|strong="H6440" sea|strong="H3220",

a nd|strong="H3068" pours|strong="H8210" them|strong="H5921"
out|strong="H8210" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H6440"
surface|strong="H6440" of|strong="H0776" the|strong="H6440"
earth|strong="H0776", the|strong="H6440" LORD|strong="H3068"
is|strong="H3068" his|strong="H5921" name|strong="H8034",

9who brings|strong="H0935" sudden destruction|strong="H7701"
on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" strong|strong="H5794",

s o|strong="H0935" that|strong="H0935" destruction|strong="H7701"
comes|strong="H0935" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"
fortress|strong="H4013".

10They|strong = "H8179" hate|strong = "H8130" him|strong = "H8130"
 who|strong = "H8130" reproves|strong = "H3198" in|strong = "H1696"
 the|strong = "H1696" gate|strong = "H8179",

a nd|strong = "H1696" they|strong = "H8179" abhor|strong = "H8581"
 him|strong = "H8130" who|strong = "H8130" speaks|strong = "H1696"
 blamelessly|strong = "H8549".

11Therefore|strong = "H3651", because|strong = "H5921"
 you|strong = "H5921" trample on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0853"
 poor|strong = "H1800" and|strong = "H1004" take|strong = "H3947" taxes
 from|strong = "H4480" him|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H1004"
 wheat|strong = "H1250",

y ou|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H3282" built|strong = "H1129"
 houses|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004" cut|strong = "H1496"
 stone|strong = "H1496", but|strong = "H3808" you|strong = "H5921"
 will|strong = "H1004" not|strong = "H3808" dwell|strong = "H3427"
 in|strong = "H3427" them|strong = "H0853".

Y ou|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H3282" planted|strong = "H5193"
 pleasant|strong = "H2531" vineyards|strong = "H3754",

b ut|strong = "H3808" you|strong = "H5921" shall|strong = "H1004"
 not|strong = "H3808" drink|strong = "H8354" their|strong = "H3947"
 wine|strong = "H3196".

12For|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" know|strong = "H3045"
 how|strong = "H3588" many|strong = "H7227" are|strong = "H6588"
 your|strong = "H3947" offences,

a nd|strong = "H3045" how|strong = "H3588" great|strong = "H7227"
 are|strong = "H6588" your|strong = "H3947" sins|strong = "H2403"—

y ou|strong = "H3588" who|strong = "H6662" afflict the|strong = "H3588"
 just|strong = "H6662",

w ho|strong = "H6662" take|strong = "H3947" a|strong = "H3947"
 bribe|strong = "H3724",

a nd|strong = "H3045" who|strong = "H6662" turn|strong = "H5186"
 away|strong = "H5186" the|strong = "H3588" needy|strong = "H0034"
 in|strong = "H6662" the|strong = "H3588" courts|strong = "H8179".

13Therefore a prudent person keeps
silent in such a
time,

for it is
an evil time.

14Seek good, and
not evil,

that you may
live;

and so the
LORD, the God
of Armies, will
be with you,

as you say.

15Hate evil, love
good,

and establish justice
in the courts.

It may be
that the LORD,
the God of
Armies, will be
gracious to
the remnant
of Joseph.

16Therefore the
LORD, the God
of Armies, the
Lord, says:

“ Wailing will be
in all the wide ways.

T hey|strong = "H3651" will|strong = "H3068" say|strong = "H0559"
 in|strong = "H0413" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"
 streets|strong = "H2351", 'Alas|strong = "H1930"! Alas|strong = "H1930"!'

T hey|strong = "H3651" will|strong = "H3068" call|strong = "H7121"
 the|strong = "H3605" farmer|strong = "H0406" to|strong = "H0413"
 mourning|strong = "H0060",

a nd|strong = "H3068" those|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605"
 are|strong = "H3068" skilful in|strong = "H0413"
 lamentation|strong = "H4553" to|strong = "H0413" wailing|strong = "H5092".

17In|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605" vineyards|strong = "H3754"
 there|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068"
 wailing|strong = "H4553",

f or|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"
 pass|strong = "H5674" through|strong = "H5674" the|strong = "H3605"
 middle|strong = "H7130" of|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3588",
 says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3605" LORD|strong = "H3068".

18"Woe|strong = "H1945" to|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3117"
 who|strong = "H1931" desire|strong = "H0183" the|strong = "H0853"
 day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H0853"
 LORD|strong = "H3068"!

W hy|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H4100" you|strong = "H3117"
 long|strong = "H3117" for|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H0853"
 day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H0853"
 LORD|strong = "H3068"?

I t|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H3068" darkness|strong = "H2822",

a nd|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" light|strong = "H0216".

19As|strong = "H0834" if|strong = "H0834" a|strong = "H0935"
 man|strong = "H0376" fled|strong = "H5127" from|strong = "H0935"
 a|strong = "H0935" lion|strong = "H0738",

a nd|strong = "H0935" a|strong = "H0935" bear|strong = "H1677"
 met|strong = "H6293" him|strong = "H5921";

o r|strong="H1004" he|strong="H0834" went|strong="H0935"
 into|strong="H0935" the|strong="H6440" house|strong="H1004"
 and|strong="H0935" leaned|strong="H5564" his|strong="H5921"
 hand|strong="H3027" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H6440"
 wall|strong="H7023",

a nd|strong="H0935" a|strong="H0935" snake|strong="H5175" bit
 him|strong="H5921".

20Won't|strong="H3808" the|strong="H3068" day|strong="H3117"
 of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" LORD|strong="H3068"
 be|strong="H3808" darkness|strong="H2822", and|strong="H3068"
 not|strong="H3808" light|strong="H0216"?"

E ven|strong="H3808" very dark|strong="H2822", and|strong="H3068"
 no|strong="H3808" brightness|strong="H5051" in|strong="H3068"
 it|strong="H3808"?"

21I|strong="H3988" hate|strong="H8130", I|strong="H3988"
 despise|strong="H3988" your|strong="H3808" feasts|strong="H2282",

a nd|strong="H3808" I|strong="H3988" can't|strong="H3808" stand
 your|strong="H3808" solemn|strong="H6116"
 assemblies|strong="H6116".

22Yes|strong="H3588", though|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588"
 offer|strong="H5927" me|strong="H5927" your|strong="H0518"
 burnt|strong="H5930" offerings|strong="H8002" and|strong="H4503"
 meal|strong="H4503" offerings|strong="H8002",

I |strong="H3588" will|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"
 accept|strong="H7521" them|strong="H5927";

n either|strong="H3808" will|strong="H3808" I|strong="H3588"
 regard|strong="H5027" the|strong="H3588" peace|strong="H8002"
 offerings|strong="H8002" of|strong="H4503" your|strong="H0518" fat
 animals.

23Take|strong="H5493" away|strong="H5493" from|strong="H5493"
 me|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" noise|strong="H1995"
 of|strong="H5921" your|strong="H5921" songs|strong="H7892"!

I |strong="H5921" will|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"
listen|strong="H8085" to|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"
music|strong="H7892" of|strong="H5921" your|strong="H5921"
harps|strong="H5035".

24But|strong="H4325" let justice|strong="H4941" roll|strong="H1556"
on|strong="H4325" like|strong="H1556" rivers,

a nd|strong="H4941" righteousness|strong="H6666"
like|strong="H1556" a|strong="H1556" mighty stream|strong="H5158".

25"Did you|strong="H8141" bring|strong="H5066" to|strong="H3478"
me|strong="H5066" sacrifices|strong="H2077" and|strong="H3478"
offerings|strong="H4503" in|strong="H8141" the|strong="H5066"
wilderness|strong="H4057" forty|strong="H0705" years|strong="H8141",
house|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004" Israel|strong="H3478"? ²⁶
You|strong="H0834" also|strong="H0853" carried|strong="H5375"
the|strong="H0853" tent of|strong="H0430" your|strong="H0834" king
and|strong="H0430" the|strong="H0853" shrine of|strong="H0430"
your|strong="H0834" images|strong="H6754", the|strong="H0853"
star|strong="H3556" of|strong="H0430" your|strong="H0834"
god|strong="H0430", which|strong="H0834" you|strong="H0834"
made|strong="H6213" for|strong="H0430" yourselves|strong="H5375".
²⁷ Therefore|strong="H3068" I|strong="H0559" will|strong="H3068"
cause you|strong="H0853" to|strong="H0559" go|strong="H1540"
into|strong="H1540" captivity|strong="H1540" beyond|strong="H1973"
Damascus|strong="H1834", says|strong="H0559" the|strong="H0853"
LORD|strong="H3068", whose|strong="H8034" name|strong="H8034"
is|strong="H3068" the|strong="H0853" God|strong="H0430"
of|strong="H0430" Armies|strong="H6635".

6Woe|strong="H1945" to|strong="H0935" those|strong="H1945"
who|strong="H3478" are|strong="H1992" at|strong="H3478"
ease|strong="H7600" in|strong="H0935" Zion|strong="H6726",

a nd|strong="H0935" to|strong="H0935" those|strong="H1945"
who|strong="H3478" are|strong="H1992" secure|strong="H0982"
on|strong="H0935" the|strong="H0935" mountain|strong="H2022"
of|strong="H1004" Samaria|strong="H8111",

t he|strong="H0935" notable men|strong="H3478" of|strong="H1004"
the|strong="H0935" chief of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H0935"
nations|strong="H1471",

to whom the house of Israel come!

Go to Calneh, and see.

From there go to Hamath the great.

Then go down to Gath of the Philistines.

Are they better than these kingdoms?

Is their border greater than your border?

3Alas for you who put evil day,

and cause the seat of violence to come near,

4who lie on beds of ivory,

and stretch themselves on their couches,

and eat the lambs of the flock,

and the calves of the middle stall,

5who strum on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" strings
of|strong = "H3627" a|strong = "H5921" harp,

w ho invent for|strong = "H5921" themselves|strong = "H1992"
instruments|strong = "H3627" of|strong = "H3627" music|strong = "H7892",
like|strong = "H5921" David|strong = "H1732";

6who|strong = "H8354" drink|strong = "H8354" wine|strong = "H3196"
in|strong = "H5921" bowls|strong = "H4219",

a nd|strong = "H8081" anoint|strong = "H4886"
themselves|strong = "H5921" with|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"
best oils|strong = "H8081",

b ut|strong = "H3808" they|strong = "H3808" are|strong = "H3808"
not|strong = "H3808" grieved for|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"
affliction of|strong = "H5921" Joseph|strong = "H3130".

7Therefore|strong = "H3651" they|strong = "H3651" will
now|strong = "H6258" go|strong = "H1540" captive|strong = "H1540"
with|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H3651" first|strong = "H7218"
who|strong = "H5493" go|strong = "H1540" captive|strong = "H1540".

T he|strong = "H3651" feasting and|strong = "H7218" lounging will end.

8“The|strong = "H0853" Lord|strong = "H3068" GOD|strong = "H0430"
has|strong = "H3068" sworn|strong = "H7650" by|strong = "H3068"
himself|strong = "H5315",” says|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H0853"
LORD|strong = "H3068", the|strong = "H0853" God|strong = "H0430"
of|strong = "H0430" Armies|strong = "H6635”:

“ I|strong = "H0595" abhor the|strong = "H0853" pride|strong = "H1347"
of|strong = "H0430" Jacob|strong = "H3290”,

a nd|strong = "H3068" detest|strong = "H8130" his|strong = "H3068"
fortresses|strong = "H0759”.

T herefore|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H0595" will|strong = "H3068"
deliver|strong = "H5462" up|strong = "H5462" the|strong = "H0853"
city|strong = "H5892" with|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H4393"
that|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H0430"
it|strong = "H4393”.

9It|strong="H0518" will|strong="H1961" happen|strong="H1961"
that|strong="H1961" if|strong="H0518" ten|strong="H6235"
men|strong="H0376" remain|strong="H1961" in|strong="H1004"
one|strong="H0259" house|strong="H1004",

t hey|strong="H0518" will|strong="H1961" die|strong="H4191".

10“When|strong="H3588" a|strong="H3588" man’s relative
carries|strong="H5375" him|strong="H5973", even|strong="H3588"
he|strong="H0834" who|strong="H0834" burns|strong="H2142"
him|strong="H5973", to|strong="H0559" bring|strong="H3318" bodies
out|strong="H3318" of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H0559"
house|strong="H1004", and|strong="H3068" asks|strong="H0559"
him|strong="H5973" who|strong="H0834" is|strong="H0834"
in|strong="H3068" the|strong="H0559" innermost|strong="H3411"
parts|strong="H3411" of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H0559"
house|strong="H1004", ‘Is|strong="H0834" there|strong="H0657"
yet|strong="H5750" any|strong="H4480" with|strong="H5973"
you|strong="H0834"?’ And|strong="H3068" he|strong="H0834"
says|strong="H0559", ‘No|strong="H3808”,’ then|strong="H3318"
he|strong="H0834" will|strong="H3068" say|strong="H0559”, ‘Hush!
Indeed|strong="H3588" we|strong="H3588" must|strong="H5375"
not|strong="H3808" mention|strong="H2142" the|strong="H0559"
LORD’s|strong="H3068" name|strong="H8034”.’

11“For|strong="H3588”, behold|strong="H2009”, the|strong="H3588"
LORD|strong="H3068" commands|strong="H6680”, and|strong="H3068"
the|strong="H3588" great|strong="H1419" house|strong="H1004"
will|strong="H3068" be|strong="H3068" smashed|strong="H5221"
to|strong="H3068" pieces,

a nd|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3588" little|strong="H6996"
house|strong="H1004" into bits.

12Do|strong="H0518" horses|strong="H5483" run|strong="H7323"
on|strong="H7323" the|strong="H3588" rocky|strong="H5553"
crag|strong="H5553"?

D oes|strong="H0518" one|strong="H0518" plough there
with|strong="H4941" oxen|strong="H1241"?

B ut|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" have|strong="H0518"
turned|strong="H2015" justice|strong="H4941" into|strong="H2015"
poison|strong="H7219”,

and the fruit
of righteousness into
bitterness,

13you who rejoice
in a thing
of nothing, who
say,

‘ Haven’t we taken
for ourselves horns
by our
own strength?’

14For, behold, I
will raise up
against you a
nation, house of
Israel,

says the LORD,
the God of
Armies;

“ and they will
afflict you from
the entrance of
Hamath to the
brook of the
Arabah.”

7Thus the Lord
GOD showed me:
behold, he formed
locusts in the
beginning of the
shooting up of the
latter growth; and
it was the latter growth
after the king’s
harvest. ² When they
finished eating the
grass of the
land, then I
said, “Lord GOD,

forgive|strong = "H5545", I|strong = "H3588" beg|strong = "H4994"
 you|strong = "H3588"! How|strong = "H3588" could|strong = "H4310"
 Jacob|strong = "H3290" stand|strong = "H6965"? For|strong = "H3588"
 he|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931" small|strong = "H6996".

3The|strong = "H0559" LORD|strong = "H3068" relented|strong = "H5162"
 concerning|strong = "H5921" this|strong = "H2063". "It|strong = "H5921"
 shall|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H1961",
 says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H0559" LORD|strong = "H3068".

4Thus|strong = "H3541" the|strong = "H0853" Lord|strong = "H0136"
 GOD|strong = "H0136" showed|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H7121":
 behold|strong = "H2009", the|strong = "H0853" Lord|strong = "H0136"
 GOD|strong = "H0136" called|strong = "H7121" for|strong = "H7121"
 judgement by|strong = "H0784" fire|strong = "H0784"; and|strong = "H0398"
 it|strong = "H7121" dried up|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H0853"
 great|strong = "H7227" deep|strong = "H8415", and|strong = "H0398" would
 have|strong = "H7200" devoured|strong = "H0398" the|strong = "H0853"
 land|strong = "H2506". ⁵ Then|strong = "H6965" I|strong = "H3588"
 said|strong = "H0559", "Lord|strong = "H0136" GOD|strong = "H0136",
 stop|strong = "H2308", I|strong = "H3588" beg|strong = "H4994"
 you|strong = "H3588"! How|strong = "H3588" could|strong = "H4310"
 Jacob|strong = "H3290" stand|strong = "H6965"? For|strong = "H3588"
 he|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931" small|strong = "H6996".

6The|strong = "H0559" LORD|strong = "H3068" relented|strong = "H5162"
 concerning|strong = "H5921" this|strong = "H2063". "This|strong = "H2063"
 also|strong = "H1571" shall|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"
 be|strong = "H1961", says|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H0559"
 Lord|strong = "H3068" GOD|strong = "H3068".

7Thus|strong = "H3541" he|strong = "H5921" showed|strong = "H7200"
 me|strong = "H5921": behold|strong = "H2009", the|strong = "H5921"
 Lord|strong = "H0136" stood|strong = "H5324" beside|strong = "H5921"
 a|strong = "H7200" wall|strong = "H2346" made by|strong = "H5921"
 a|strong = "H7200" plumb|strong = "H0594" line|strong = "H0594",
 with|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H7200" plumb|strong = "H0594"
 line|strong = "H0594" in|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921"
 hand|strong = "H3027". ⁸ The|strong = "H0559" LORD|strong = "H3068"
 said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0413" me|strong = "H0413",
 "Amos|strong = "H5986", what|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H4100"
 you|strong = "H0859" see|strong = "H7200"?"

I |strong = "H2005" said|strong = "H0559", "A|strong = "H7760" plumb|strong = "H0594" line|strong = "H0594"."

T hen|strong = "H3254" the|strong = "H0559" Lord|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H0559", "Behold|strong = "H2005", I|strong = "H2005" will|strong = "H3068" set|strong = "H7760" a|strong = "H7760" plumb|strong = "H0594" line|strong = "H0594" in|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0559" middle|strong = "H7130" of|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H7760" people|strong = "H5971" Israel|strong = "H3478".
I|strong = "H2005" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" again|strong = "H5750" pass|strong = "H5674" by|strong = "H3068" them|strong = "H0413" any|strong = "H5750" more|strong = "H5750".⁹
The|strong = "H5921" high|strong = "H1116" places|strong = "H1116" of|strong = "H1004" Isaac|strong = "H3446" will|strong = "H3478" be|strong = "H3478" desolate|strong = "H8074", the|strong = "H5921" sanctuaries|strong = "H4720" of|strong = "H1004" Israel|strong = "H3478" will|strong = "H3478" be|strong = "H3478" laid|strong = "H8074" waste|strong = "H8074"; and|strong = "H6965" I|strong = "H3478" will|strong = "H3478" rise|strong = "H6965" against|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004" Jeroboam|strong = "H3379" with|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H5921" sword|strong = "H2719"."

10Then|strong = "H0853" Amaziah|strong = "H0558" the|strong = "H3605" priest|strong = "H3548" of|strong = "H4428" Bethel|strong = "H1008" sent|strong = "H7971" to|strong = "H0413" Jeroboam|strong = "H3379" king|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428" Israel|strong = "H3478", saying|strong = "H0559", "Amos|strong = "H5986" has|strong = "H3478" conspired|strong = "H7194" against|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H3605" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" middle|strong = "H7130" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3605" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H4428" Israel|strong = "H3478". The|strong = "H3605" land|strong = "H0776" is|strong = "H0776" not|strong = "H3808" able|strong = "H3201" to|strong = "H0413" bear all|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605" words|strong = "H1697".¹¹ For|strong = "H3588" Amos|strong = "H5986" says|strong = "H0559", 'Jeroboam|strong = "H3379" will|strong = "H3478" die|strong = "H4191" by|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0559" sword|strong = "H2719", and|strong = "H3478" Israel|strong = "H3478" shall|strong = "H3478" surely|strong = "H3588" be|strong = "H4191" led|strong = "H1540" away|strong = "H1540" captive|strong = "H1540" out|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921" land|strong = "H0127"."

12Amaziah|strong = "H0558" also|strong = "H3063" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0413" Amos|strong = "H5986", "You|strong = "H0413"

seer|strong = "H2374", go, flee|strong = "H1272" away|strong = "H1272"
 into|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0559" land|strong = "H0776"
 of|strong = "H0776" Judah|strong = "H3063", and|strong = "H3063"
 there|strong = "H8033" eat|strong = "H0398" bread|strong = "H3899",
 and|strong = "H3063" prophesy|strong = "H5012" there|strong = "H8033",¹³
 but|strong = "H3588" don't|strong = "H3808" prophesy|strong = "H5012"
 again|strong = "H5750" any|strong = "H5750" more|strong = "H5750"
 at|strong = "H1004" Bethel|strong = "H1008"; for|strong = "H3588"
 it|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931" the|strong = "H3588"
 king's|strong = "H4428" sanctuary|strong = "H4720", and|strong = "H4428"
 it|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931" a|strong = "H3588"
 royal|strong = "H4428" house|strong = "H1004"!"

14Then|strong = "H6030" Amos|strong = "H5986"
 answered|strong = "H0559" Amaziah|strong = "H0558", "I|strong = "H0595"
 was|strong = "H1121" no|strong = "H3808" prophet|strong = "H5030",
 neither|strong = "H3808" was|strong = "H1121" I|strong = "H0595"
 a|strong = "H3588" prophet's son|strong = "H1121", but|strong = "H3588"
 I|strong = "H0595" was|strong = "H1121" a|strong = "H3588"
 herdsman|strong = "H0951", and|strong = "H1121" a|strong = "H3588"
 farmer of|strong = "H1121" sycamore|strong = "H8256"
 figs|strong = "H1103";¹⁵ and|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H0559"
 LORD|strong = "H3068" took|strong = "H3947" me|strong = "H0413"
 from|strong = "H3478" following|strong = "H0310" the|strong = "H0559"
 flock|strong = "H6629", and|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H0559"
 LORD|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0413"
 me|strong = "H0413", 'Go, prophesy|strong = "H5012" to|strong = "H0413"
 my|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971" Israel|strong = "H3478".'¹⁶
 Now|strong = "H6258" therefore|strong = "H6258" listen|strong = "H8085"
 to|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H0559" LORD's|strong = "H3068"
 word|strong = "H1697": 'You|strong = "H0859" say|strong = "H0559",
 Don't|strong = "H3808" prophesy|strong = "H5012" against|strong = "H5921"
 Israel|strong = "H3478", and|strong = "H3068" don't|strong = "H3808"
 preach|strong = "H5197" against|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0559"
 house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004" Isaac|strong = "H0559".'¹⁷
 Therefore|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H0559" LORD|strong = "H3068"
 says|strong = "H0559": 'Your|strong = "H3068" wife|strong = "H0802"
 shall|strong = "H1121" be|strong = "H4191" a|strong = "H5921"
 prostitute|strong = "H2181" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0559"
 city|strong = "H5892", and|strong = "H1121" your|strong = "H3068"
 sons|strong = "H1121" and|strong = "H1121" your|strong = "H3068"
 daughters|strong = "H1323" shall|strong = "H1121" fall|strong = "H5307"
 by|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0559" sword|strong = "H2719",
 and|strong = "H1121" your|strong = "H3068" land|strong = "H0127"
 shall|strong = "H1121" be|strong = "H4191" divided|strong = "H2505"

by|strong = "H5921" line|strong = "H2256"; and|strong = "H1121"
 you|strong = "H0859" yourself|strong = "H0859" shall|strong = "H1121"
 die|strong = "H4191" in|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H5921"
 land|strong = "H0127" that|strong = "H3651" is|strong = "H3068"
 unclean|strong = "H2931", and|strong = "H1121" Israel|strong = "H3478"
 shall|strong = "H1121" surely|strong = "H4191" be|strong = "H4191"
 led|strong = "H1540" away|strong = "H1540" captive|strong = "H1540"
 out|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H1121" his|strong = "H5921"
 land|strong = "H0127".”

8Thus|strong = "H3541" the|strong = "H3069" Lord|strong = "H0136"
 GOD|strong = "H0136" showed|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H7200":
 behold|strong = "H2009", a|strong = "H7200" basket|strong = "H3619"
 of|strong = "H0136" summer|strong = "H7019" fruit.

2He|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H0559", “Amos|strong = "H5986”,
 what|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H4100" you|strong = "H0859"
 see|strong = "H7200”?”

I |strong = "H7200" said|strong = "H0559", “A|strong = "H7200"
 basket|strong = "H3619" of|strong = "H3068" summer|strong = "H7019"
 fruit.”

T hen|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0559" LORD|strong = "H3068"
 said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H0413" me|strong = "H0413”,

“ The|strong = "H0559" end|strong = "H7093" has|strong = "H3068"
 come|strong = "H0935" on|strong = "H0413" my|strong = "H3068"
 people|strong = "H5971" Israel|strong = "H3478”.

I |strong = "H7200" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"
 again|strong = "H5750" pass|strong = "H5674" by|strong = "H3068"
 them|strong = "H0413" any|strong = "H5750" more|strong = "H5750”.

3The|strong = "H3605" songs|strong = "H7892" of|strong = "H3117"
 the|strong = "H3605" temple|strong = "H1964" will|strong = "H0136"
 be|strong = "H3117" wailing|strong = "H3213" in|strong = "H3117"
 that|strong = "H3605" day|strong = "H3117”,” says|strong = "H5002"
 the|strong = "H3605" Lord|strong = "H0136" GOD|strong = "H0136”.