

The Book of Amos

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1The words of Amos, who was among 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:

“ Yahweh¹ 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.”

3Yahweh says:

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

¹+ 1:2 “Yahweh” is God’s proper Name, sometimes rendered “LORD” (all caps) in other translations.

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" scepter|strong = "H7626"
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" Yahweh|strong = "H3068".

6Yahweh|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" scepter|strong = "H7626"
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
Yahweh.

9Yahweh|strong = "H3068" says|strong = "H0559":

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

“ For|strong = "H5921" three|strong = "H7969"
transgressions|strong = "H6588" of|strong = "H3068" Tyre|strong = "H6865",
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"
delivered|strong = "H5462" up|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H0559"
whole|strong = "H8003" community to|strong = "H0559"
Edom|strong = "H0123",

a nd|strong = "H3068" didn't|strong = "H3808" remember|strong = "H2142"
the|strong = "H0559" brotherly covenant|strong = "H1285";

10but 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"
Tyre|strong = "H6865",

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

11Yahweh|strong = "H3068" says|strong = "H0559":

“ For|strong = "H5921" three|strong = "H7969"
transgressions|strong = "H6588" of|strong = "H3068"
Edom|strong = "H0123", 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" he|strong = "H3068" pursued|strong = "H7291"
his|strong = "H8104" brother|strong = "H0251" with|strong = "H3068"
the|strong = "H0559" sword|strong = "H2719"

a nd|strong = "H3068" cast off|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H5331" pity,

a nd|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H8104" anger|strong = "H0639" raged
continually|strong = "H5703",

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".

13Yahweh|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 Yahweh”.

Yahweh says:

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

I will not
turn away its
punishment,

because he burned
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|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3772" will|strong = "H3068"
cut|strong = "H3772" off|strong = "H3772" the|strong = "H3605"
judge|strong = "H8199" from|strong = "H3772" among|strong = "H7130"
them|strong = "H2026",

a nd|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" kill|strong = "H2026"
all|strong = "H3605" its|strong = "H3605" princes|strong = "H8269"
with|strong = "H5973" him|strong = "H5973",

s ays|strong = "H0559" Yahweh|strong = "H3068".

4Yahweh|strong = "H3068" says|strong = "H0559":

“ For|strong = "H5921" three|strong = "H7969"
transgressions|strong = "H6588" of|strong = "H3068"
Judah|strong = "H3063", yes, for|strong = "H5921" four|strong = "H0702",

I |strong = "H0834" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"
turn|strong = "H7725" away|strong = "H7725" its|strong = "H0853"
punishment,

b ecause|strong = "H5921" they|strong = "H0834" have|strong = "H0834"
rejected|strong = "H3988" Yahweh's|strong = "H3068" law|strong = "H8451",

a nd|strong = "H1980" have|strong = "H0834" not|strong = "H3808"
kept|strong = "H8104" his|strong = "H8104" statutes|strong = "H2706",

a nd|strong = "H1980" their|strong = "H3068" lies|strong = "H3577"
have|strong = "H0834" led|strong = "H1980" them|strong = "H0853"
astray|strong = "H8582",

a fter|strong = "H0310" which|strong = "H0834" their|strong = "H3068"
fathers|strong = "H0001" walked|strong = "H1980";

5but I|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H3063" send|strong = "H7971"
a|strong = "H7971" fire|strong = "H0784" on|strong = "H7971"
Judah|strong = "H3063",

a nd|strong = "H3063" it|strong = "H0398" will|strong = "H3063"
devour|strong = "H0398" the|strong = "H0398" palaces|strong = "H0759"
of|strong = "H0398" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389".

6Yahweh|strong = "H3068" says|strong = "H0559":

“ For|strong = "H5921" three|strong = "H7969"
transgressions|strong = "H6588" of|strong = "H3068" Israel|strong = "H3478",
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 = "H5921" have|strong = "H3068"
sold|strong = "H4376" the|strong = "H0559" righteous|strong = "H6662"
for|strong = "H5921" silver|strong = "H3701",

a nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H0559" needy|strong = "H0034"
for|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H5921" pair of|strong = "H3068"
sandals|strong = "H5275";

7They|strong = "H5921" trample the|strong = "H0853"
heads|strong = "H7218" of|strong = "H0776" the|strong = "H0853"
poor|strong = "H1800" into|strong = "H0413" the|strong = "H0853"
dust|strong = "H6083" of|strong = "H0776" the|strong = "H0853"
earth|strong = "H0776"

a nd|strong = "H0776" deny justice to|strong = "H0413"
the|strong = "H0853" oppressed.

A |strong = "H5921" man|strong = "H0376" and|strong = "H0776"
his|strong = "H5921" father|strong = "H0001" use the|strong = "H0853"
same|strong = "H0853" maiden, to|strong = "H0413"
profane|strong = "H2490" my|strong = "H5921" holy|strong = "H6944"
name|strong = "H8034".

8They|strong = "H5921" lay themselves|strong = "H5921"
down|strong = "H5186" beside|strong = "H5921" every|strong = "H3605"
altar|strong = "H4196" on|strong = "H5921" clothes|strong = "H0899" taken
in|strong = "H5921" pledge.

I n|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" house|strong = "H1004"
of|strong = "H1004" their|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H0430"³
they|strong = "H5921" drink|strong = "H8354" the|strong = "H3605"

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",

y ou|strong = "H6965" children|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"
Israel|strong = "H3478"?” says|strong = "H5002" Yahweh|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",

a nd|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",

a s|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".

T he|strong = "H3808" strong|strong = "H2389" won’t|strong = "H3808"
strengthen|strong = "H0553" his|strong = "H3808" force.

T he|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".

H e|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.

H e|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 among|strong = "H1368" the|strong = "H5002"
mighty|strong = "H1368"

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

s ays|strong = "H5002" Yahweh|strong = "H3068".

3Hear|strong = "H8085" this|strong = "H2088" word|strong = "H1697"
that|strong = "H0834" Yahweh|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".

T herefore|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",

u nless|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" Yahweh|strong = "H3068" hasn't|strong = "H3808"
done|strong = "H6213" it|strong = "H0518"?

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

unless he reveals his secret his servants the prophets.

8The lion has roared.

Who will not fear?

The Lord Yahweh has spoken.

Who can but prophesy?

9Proclaim in the palaces at Ashdod,

and in the palaces of Egypt,

and say, "Assemble yourselves on the mountains of Samaria,"

and see what unrest is in her,

and what oppression is among them."

10"Indeed they don't know to do right," says Yahweh,

"Who hoard plunder and loot in their palaces."

11 Therefore the Lord Yahweh says:

“ An adversary will overrun the land;

and he will pull down your strongholds,

and your fortresses will be plundered.”

12 Yahweh says:

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

or a piece of an ear,

so children of Israel will be rescued who sit in Samaria on the corner of the couch,

and on the silken cushions of a bed.”

13 “Listen, and testify against the house of Jacob,” says the Lord Yahweh, 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” Yahweh|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" Yahweh
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"
Yahweh|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" Yahweh.

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" Yahweh|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 Yahweh.

"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 Yahweh.

10 "I sent plagues
among 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" Yahweh|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" Yahweh|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,

w ho|strong="H3068" makes|strong="H6213" the|strong="H5921" morning|strong="H7837" darkness|strong="H5890", and|strong="H3068" treads|strong="H1869" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" high|strong="H1116" places|strong="H1116" of|strong="H0776" the|strong="H5921" earth|strong="H0776":

Y ahweh|strong="H3068", the|strong="H5921" God|strong="H0430" of|strong="H0776" Armies|strong="H6635", is|strong="H3068" his|strong="H5921" name|strong="H8034".

5Listen|strong="H8085" to|strong="H5921" this|strong="H2088" word|strong="H1697" which|strong="H0834" I|strong="H0834" take|strong="H5375" up|strong="H5375" for|strong="H5921" a|strong="H8085" lamentation|strong="H7015" over|strong="H5921" you|strong="H0834", O|strong="H8085" house|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004" Israel|strong="H3478":

2“The|strong="H5921" virgin|strong="H1330" of|strong="H5921" Israel|strong="H3478" has|strong="H0369" fallen|strong="H5307”;

S he|strong="H3808" shall|strong="H3478" rise|strong="H6965" no|strong="H3808" more|strong="H3254”.

S he|strong="H3808" is|strong="H0369" cast|strong="H5307" down|strong="H5307" on|strong="H5921" her|strong="H5921" land|strong="H0127”;

t here|strong="H0369" is|strong="H0369" no|strong="H3808" one|strong="H0369" to|strong="H5921" raise|strong="H6965" her|strong="H5921" up|strong="H6965”.

3For|strong="H3588" the|strong="H0559" Lord|strong="H0136" Yahweh says|strong="H0559”:

“ The|strong="H0559" city|strong="H5892" that|strong="H3588" went|strong="H3318" out|strong="H3318" a|strong="H3588" thousand|strong="H0505" shall|strong="H3478" have|strong="H3478" a|strong="H3588" hundred|strong="H3967" left|strong="H7604”,

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" Yahweh|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" Yahweh|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", Yahweh|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" offenses,

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|strong = "H3651" a|strong = "H3588" prudent person keeps
 silent in|strong = "H1931" such|strong = "H3651" a|strong = "H3588"
 time|strong = "H6256",

f or|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931"
 an|strong = "H3588" evil|strong = "H7451" time|strong = "H6256".

14 Seek good, and not evil,

that you may live;

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

as you say.

15 Hate evil, love good,

and establish justice in the courts.

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

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

“ Wailing will be in all the wide ways.

They will say in all the streets, ‘Alas! Alas!’

They will call the farmer to mourning,

a nd|strong="H3068" those|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605"
are|strong="H3068" skillful|strong="H3045" 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" Yahweh|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" Yahweh|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" Yahweh|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".

20 Won't the day of
Yahweh be
darkness, and
not light?"

E ven very dark, and
no brightness in
it?"

21 I hate I
despise your feasts,

a nd I can't stand
your solemn
assemblies".

22 Yes, though you
offer me your
burnt offerings and
meal offerings,

I will not
accept them;

n either will I
regard the peace
offerings of your fat
animals.

23 Take away from
me the noise
of your songs!

I will not
listen to the
music of your
harps".

24 But let justice roll
on like rivers,

a nd righteousness
like a mighty stream".

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” Yahweh|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”,

t o|strong = ”H0935” whom the|strong = ”H0935” house|strong = ”H1004” of|strong = ”H1004” Israel|strong = ”H3478” come|strong = ”H0935”!

2Go|strong = ”H3381” to|strong = ”H3381” Calneh|strong = ”H3641”, and|strong = ”H8033” see|strong = ”H7200”.

F rom|strong = ”H4480” there|strong = ”H8033” go|strong = ”H3381” to|strong = ”H3381” Hamath the|strong = ”H7200” great|strong = ”H7227”.

T hen go down
to Gath of
the Philistines.

A re they better
than these kingdoms?

I s their border
greater than your
border?

3Alas for you who
put far away
evil day,

a nd cause the seat
of violence to
come near,

4who lie on beds
of ivory,

a nd stretch themselves
on their couches,

a nd eat the
lamb's out of
the flock,

a nd the calves
out of the
middle of the
stall,

5who strum on
of a harp,

w ho invent for
instruments of music,
like David;

6who drink wine
in bowls,

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" Yahweh|strong="H3068"
 has|strong="H3068" sworn|strong="H7650" by|strong="H3068"
 himself|strong="H5315",” says|strong="H5002" Yahweh|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 a man’s relative carries him, even he who burns out of his house, and he asks him who is in the innermost parts of the house, ‘Is there yet any with you?’ And he says, ‘No,’ then he will say, ‘Hush! Indeed we must not mention Yahweh’s name.’”

11“For, Yahweh commands, and the great house will be smashed to pieces,

and the little house into bits.

12Do horses run on the rocky crags?

Does one plow there with oxen?

But you have turned justice into poison,

and the fruit of righteousness into bitterness,

13you|strong = "H3808" who|strong = "H0559" rejoice|strong = "H8055"
 in|strong = "H1697" a|strong = "H3947" thing|strong = "H1697"
 of|strong = "H1697" nothing|strong = "H3808", who|strong = "H0559"
 say|strong = "H0559",

‘ Haven’t|strong = "H3808" we|strong = "H1697" taken|strong = "H3947"
 for|strong = "H3808" ourselves horns|strong = "H7161" by|strong = "H3808"
 our|strong = "H3947" own strength|strong = "H2392"?’

14For|strong = "H3588", behold|strong = "H2005", I|strong = "H3588"
 will|strong = "H3068" raise|strong = "H6965" up|strong = "H6965"
 against|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H3588" a|strong = "H3588"
 nation|strong = "H1471", house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"
 Israel|strong = "H3478",”

s ays|strong = "H5002" Yahweh|strong = "H3068", the|strong = "H0853"
 God|strong = "H0430" of|strong = "H1004" Armies|strong = "H6635”;

“ and|strong = "H0935" they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"
 afflict|strong = "H3905" you|strong = "H3588" from|strong = "H0935"
 the|strong = "H0853" entrance|strong = "H0935" of|strong = "H1004"
 Hamath|strong = "H2574" to|strong = "H0935" the|strong = "H0853"
 brook|strong = "H5158" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H0853"
 Arabah|strong = "H6160”.”

7Thus|strong = "H3541" the|strong = "H3069" Lord|strong = "H0136"
 Yahweh showed|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H0310":
 behold|strong = "H2009", he|strong = "H0310" formed|strong = "H3335"
 locusts|strong = "H1462" in|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3069"
 beginning|strong = "H8462" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3069"
 shooting up|strong = "H5927" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3069"
 latter growth; and|strong = "H4428" behold|strong = "H2009",
 it|strong = "H7200" was|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3069" latter growth
 after|strong = "H0310" the|strong = "H3069" king’s|strong = "H4428"
 harvest|strong = "H1488”. ² When|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588"
 finished|strong = "H3615" eating|strong = "H0398" the|strong = "H0853"
 grass|strong = "H6212" of|strong = "H0776" the|strong = "H0853"
 land|strong = "H0776", then|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H3588"
 said|strong = "H0559", “Lord|strong = "H0136" Yahweh,
 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”.”

3Yahweh|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" Yahweh|strong = "H3068".

4Thus|strong = "H3541" the|strong = "H0853" Lord|strong = "H0136" Yahweh showed|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H7121": behold|strong = "H2009", the|strong = "H0853" Lord|strong = "H0136" Yahweh called|strong = "H7121" for|strong = "H7121" judgment 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" Yahweh, 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"."

6Yahweh|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" Yahweh|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 Yahweh|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" Yahweh|strong = "H3068"
 took|strong = "H3947" me|strong = "H0413" from|strong = "H3478"
 following|strong = "H0310" the|strong = "H0559" flock|strong = "H6629",
 and|strong = "H3068" Yahweh|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"
 Yahweh'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"
 Yahweh|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"
Yahweh 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" Yahweh|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" Yahweh.

" The|strong = "H3605" dead|strong = "H6297" bodies|strong = "H6297"
will|strong = "H0136" be|strong = "H3117" many|strong = "H7227".
In|strong = "H3117" every|strong = "H3605" place|strong = "H4725"
they|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H0136" throw|strong = "H7993"
them|strong = "H7993" out|strong = "H3605" with|strong = "H3117"
silence|strong = "H2013".

4Hear|strong = "H8085" this|strong = "H2063", you|strong = "H0776"
who|strong = "H0776" desire to|strong = "H8085" swallow up
the|strong = "H8085" needy|strong = "H0034",