

Haggai

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The call to rebuild the Temple

1 In the second year of the king of Darius, the first day of the sixth month, this message from the Lord came through Haggai the prophet to Zerubbabel the son of Shealtiel, governor of Judah, and to Joshua the son of Jehozadak, the high priest:

2 The Lord says:

The people say, "The time has not yet come to rebuild the temple of the Lord."

3 Then this message from the Lord came to Haggai the prophet:

4 Is it time for you yourselves to live in well-roofed houses,

while this temple lies in ruins?

5The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w* of|strong = "H3068"
hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H3541":

C onsider|strong = "H7760" your|strong = "H3068" past|strong = "H5674"
experiences|strong = "H3045".

6You|strong = "H3847" sow|strong = "H2232" much|strong = "H7235",

b ut|strong = "H3588" bring|strong = "H0935" in|strong = "H3847"
little|strong = "H4592";

y ou|strong = "H3847" eat|strong = "H0398",

b ut|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3847" do|strong = "H6213"
not|strong = "H8354" have|strong = "H4592" enough|strong = "H4592";

y ou|strong = "H3847" drink|strong = "H8354",

b ut|strong = "H3588" are|strong = "H3117" not|strong = "H8354"
filled|strong = "H7654";

y ou|strong = "H3847" clothe|strong = "H3847"
yourselves|strong = "H3847",

b ut|strong = "H3588" not|strong = "H8354" enough|strong = "H4592"
to|strong = "H7235" be|strong = "H4592" warm|strong = "H2527";

a nd|strong = "H8354" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H8354" earn
wages|strong = "H7936",

p ut|strong = "H3847" those|strong = "H1992" wages|strong = "H7936"
in|strong = "H3847" a|strong = "H7936" bag|strong = "H6872"
with|strong = "H3847" holes|strong = "H5344".

7The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w* of|strong = "H3068"
hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H3541":

C onsider|strong = "H7760" your|strong = "H3068"
experiences|strong = "H3045".

8Go|strong = "H5927" up|strong = "H5927" to|strong = "H3068"
the|strong = "H3068" mountains|strong = "H2022",

and bring wood

and rebuild the temple;

then I will be pleased with it,

and I will reveal my glory.

The Lord says:

You looked for much,

and it came to little;

and when you brought the harvest home,

I blew it away.

Why?

The Lord of hosts says:

Because my temple lies in ruins,

while you shelter in your own houses.

The heavens withhold the dew,

a nd|strong = "H8064" the|strong = "H5921" earth|strong = "H8064"
withholds|strong = "H2820" its|strong = "H5921" fruit|strong = "H2981",

11and|strong = "H2022" I|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H3605"
called|strong = "H7121" forth|strong = "H3318" a|strong = "H7121"
drought|strong = "H2721" upon|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"
land|strong = "H0776"

a nd|strong = "H2022" upon|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"
mountains|strong = "H2022",

a nd|strong = "H2022" upon|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"
grain|strong = "H1715" and|strong = "H2022" the|strong = "H3605"
new|strong = "H8492" wine|strong = "H8492" and|strong = "H2022"
the|strong = "H3605" oil|strong = "H3323"

a nd|strong = "H2022" upon|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H3605"
which|strong = "H2022" the|strong = "H3605" ground|strong = "H0776"
brings|strong = "H3318" forth|strong = "H3318",

a nd|strong = "H2022" upon|strong = "H5921" people|strong = "H3709"
and|strong = "H2022" animals|strong = "H0929",

a nd|strong = "H2022" upon|strong = "H5921" all|strong = "H3605"
the|strong = "H3605" labor|strong = "H3018" of|strong = "H2022"
your|strong = "H3605" hands|strong = "H3709".

12Then|strong = "H7971" Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216"
the|strong = "H3605" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"
Shealtiel|strong = "H7597" and|strong = "H1121" Joshua|strong = "H3091"
the|strong = "H3605" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"
Jehozadak|strong = "H3087" the|strong = "H3605" high|strong = "H1419"
priest|strong = "H3548", with|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605"
the|strong = "H3605" rest|strong = "H7611" of|strong = "H1121"
the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971", obeyed|strong = "H8085"
the|strong = "H3605" command|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H1121"
the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w* their|strong = "H3605"
God|strong = "H3068" and|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605"
words|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H1121" Haggai|strong = "H2292"
the|strong = "H3605" prophet|strong = "H5030", as|strong = "H1697"
the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w* their|strong = "H3605"
God|strong = "H3068" had|strong = "H3068" sent|strong = "H7971"
him|strong = "H6440" to|strong = "H3068" them|strong = "H5921".
They|strong = "H3068" showed|strong = "H3372" proper|strong = "H2896"

respect|strong = "H5921" for|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" w
Lord|strong = "H3068" w*.

13Haggai|strong = "H2292", the|strong = "H5002"
prophet|strong = "H5030" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002" w
Lord|strong = "H3068" w*, as|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002" w
Lord|strong = "H3068" w* commanded|strong = "H6680"
him|strong = "H3068", told|strong = "H5046" the|strong = "H5002"
people|strong = "H5971": "The|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w*
says|strong = "H5002": I|strong = "H3068" am|strong = "H3068"
with|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H5971"."

14And|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w*
stirred|strong = "H5782" up|strong = "H5782" the|strong = "H3605"
spirit|strong = "H7307" of|strong = "H1121" Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216"
the|strong = "H3605" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"
Shealtiel|strong = "H7597", governor|strong = "H6346" of|strong = "H1121"
Judah|strong = "H3063", and|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605"
spirit|strong = "H7307" of|strong = "H1121" Joshua|strong = "H3091"
the|strong = "H3605" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"
Jehozadak|strong = "H3087" the|strong = "H3605" high|strong = "H1419"
priest|strong = "H3548", and|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3605"
spirit|strong = "H7307" of|strong = "H1121" all|strong = "H3605"
the|strong = "H3605" rest|strong = "H7611" of|strong = "H1121"
the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971", so|strong = "H6213"
that|strong = "H5971" they|strong = "H3068" came|strong = "H3068"
and|strong = "H1121" worked|strong = "H6213" on|strong = "H3068"
the|strong = "H3605" temple|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1121"
the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w* of|strong = "H1121"
hosts|strong = "H6635", their|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H3068", ¹⁵
in|strong = "H8141" the|strong = "H3117" twenty-fourth|strong = "H6242"
day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3117"
sixth|strong = "H8345" month|strong = "H2320".
The|strong = "H3117" future|strong = "H0319" glory|strong = "H3519"
of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H3117" new|strong = "H2320"
Temple|strong = "H1004"

I n|strong = "H8141" the|strong = "H3117" second|strong = "H8147"
year|strong = "H8141" of|strong = "H4428" Darius|strong = "H1867"
the|strong = "H3117" king|strong = "H4428",

2on|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3068" twenty-first|strong = "H6242"
day|strong = "H2320" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"
seventh|strong = "H7637" month|strong = "H2320", this|strong = "H1697"

message|strong = "H1697" from|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3068" w
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w* came|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H3068"
 Haggai|strong = "H2292" the|strong = "H3068" prophet|strong = "H5030", ²
 telling|strong = "H1696" him|strong = "H3091" to|strong = "H1121"
 speak|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H1121" Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216"
 son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Shealtiel|strong = "H7597",
 governor|strong = "H6346" of|strong = "H1121" Judah|strong = "H3063",
 and|strong = "H1121" to|strong = "H1121" Joshua|strong = "H3091",
 the|strong = "H3091" son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"
 Jehozadak|strong = "H3087", the|strong = "H3091" high|strong = "H1419"
 priest|strong = "H3548", and|strong = "H1121" to|strong = "H1121"
 all|strong = "H1419" the|strong = "H3091" rest|strong = "H7611"
 of|strong = "H1121" the|strong = "H3091" people|strong = "H5971":

3Who|strong = "H4310" is|strong = "H2088" left|strong = "H7604"
 among|strong = "H4310" you|strong = "H3808" that|strong = "H7200"
 saw|strong = "H7200" this|strong = "H2088" temple|strong = "H1004"
 in|strong = "H1004" its|strong = "H7604" former|strong = "H7223"
 glory|strong = "H3519"?

A nd|strong = "H1004" how|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H4100"
 you|strong = "H3808" see|strong = "H7200" it|strong = "H7200"
 now|strong = "H6258"?

D oesn't|strong = "H3808" it|strong = "H7200" seem|strong = "H5869"
 as|strong = "H3644" though|strong = "H3588" there|strong = "H2088"
 is|strong = "H2088" nothing|strong = "H3808" there|strong = "H2088"?

4The|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w* says|strong = "H5002":

Y et|strong = "H3588" now|strong = "H6258" be|strong = "H3068"
 strong|strong = "H2388", Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216",

b e|strong = "H3068" strong|strong = "H2388", Joshua|strong = "H3091",
 son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Jehozadak|strong = "H3087",
 the|strong = "H3605" high|strong = "H1419" priest|strong = "H3548",

b e|strong = "H3068" strong|strong = "H2388", all|strong = "H3605"
 you|strong = "H3588" people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H1121"
 the|strong = "H3605" land|strong = "H0776".

T he|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w* says|strong = "H5002":

B egin|strong = "H2490" the|strong = "H3605" work|strong = "H6213",
for|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H3068"
with|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3588".

T he|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w* of|strong = "H1121"
hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H5002":

5When|strong = "H3318" your|strong = "H3772"
ancestors|strong = "H0001" left|strong = "H3318" Egypt|strong = "H4714"
I|strong = "H1697" made|strong = "H3772" a|strong = "H3772"
promise|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H3318" you|strong = "H8432",

a nd|strong = "H4714" I|strong = "H1697" am|strong = "H1961"
still|strong = "H5975" with|strong = "H1697" you|strong = "H8432".

D o|strong = "H3318" not|strong = "H3318" be|strong = "H1697"
afraid|strong = "H3372"!

6The|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w* of|strong = "H3068"
hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H3541":

I n|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H3588" little|strong = "H4592"
while|strong = "H5750", I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"
shake|strong = "H7493" the|strong = "H3588" heavens|strong = "H8064",

a nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" earth|strong = "H8064",
and|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" sea|strong = "H3220",
and|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" land|strong = "H2724".

7And|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H2088" will|strong = "H3068"
shake|strong = "H7493" all|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471",

a nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" precious|strong = "H2532"
things|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H1004" all|strong = "H3605"
nations|strong = "H1471" shall|strong = "H3068" come|strong = "H6635"
here|strong = "H2088";

a nd|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H2088" will|strong = "H3068"
fill|strong = "H4390" this|strong = "H2088" temple|strong = "H1004"
with|strong = "H4390" glory|strong = "H3519".

T he|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w* of|strong = "H1004"
hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H0559":

8The silver mine is
mine

a nd the gold is
is mine

9The later glory
of this temple

s hall be greater
than the former

T he w Lord w* of
hosts says

I n this place
I will grant
prosperity

T his is the
message of the
Lord w* of
Former displeasure and
the new promise
of blessings

10In the
twenty-fourth day of
the ninth month
in the second
year of Darius
this message from
the w Lord came
to Haggai the
prophet: ¹¹ The w
Lord w* of
says: "Ask the
priests for a
ruling: ¹² 'If one
carries consecrated
meat in the
fold of his
garment, and with
that garment touches

bread|strong = "H3899", or|strong = "H3808" stew|strong = "H5138",
 or|strong = "H3808" wine|strong = "H3196", or|strong = "H3808"
 oil|strong = "H8081", or|strong = "H3808" any|strong = "H3605"
 food|strong = "H3899", will|strong = "H1320" it|strong = "H5375"
 become|strong = "H6942" holy|strong = "H6944"?"

A nd|strong = "H6030" the|strong = "H3605" priests|strong = "H3548"
 answered|strong = "H6030": "No|strong = "H3808"."

13Then|strong = "H6030" said|strong = "H6030" Haggai|strong = "H2292",
 "If|strong = "H0518" one|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605"
 is|strong = "H5315" unclean|strong = "H2931" by|strong = "H3605"
 reason|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H3605" a|strong = "H6030"
 dead|strong = "H5315" body|strong = "H5315" touches|strong = "H5060"
 any|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H3605" these|strong = "H3605",
 will|strong = "H5315" it|strong = "H2930" be|strong = "H5315"
 unclean|strong = "H2931"?"

A nd|strong = "H6030" the|strong = "H3605" priests|strong = "H3548"
 answered|strong = "H6030": "It|strong = "H2930" would|strong = "H5315"
 be|strong = "H5315" unclean|strong = "H2931"."

14Haggai|strong = "H2292" replied|strong = "H6030":
 "So|strong = "H3651" is|strong = "H3068" this|strong = "H2088"
 people|strong = "H5971" and|strong = "H3068" so|strong = "H3651"
 is|strong = "H3068" this|strong = "H2088" nation|strong = "H1471"
 before|strong = "H6440" me|strong = "H6440", the|strong = "H3605" w
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w* declares|strong = "H5002", and|strong = "H3068"
 so|strong = "H3651" is|strong = "H3068" every|strong = "H3605"
 work|strong = "H4639" of|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3605"
 hands|strong = "H3027"; and|strong = "H3068" that|strong = "H5971"
 which|strong = "H1931" they|strong = "H3651" offer|strong = "H7126"
 there|strong = "H8033" is|strong = "H3068" unclean|strong = "H2931". ¹⁵
 Think|strong = "H3824" back|strong = "H7725" from|strong = "H4480"
 this|strong = "H2088" day|strong = "H3117", before|strong = "H4480"
 a|strong = "H7760" stone|strong = "H0068" was|strong = "H3068"
 laid|strong = "H7760" upon|strong = "H7760" a|strong = "H7760"
 stone|strong = "H0068" in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"
 temple|strong = "H1964" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w*. ¹⁶ How|strong = "H4100" were|strong = "H1961"
 you|strong = "H1961"? When|strong = "H1961" you|strong = "H1961"
 came|strong = "H1961" to|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"
 heap|strong = "H6194" of|strong = "H6194" grain|strong = "H6194" expecting
 twenty|strong = "H6242" measures|strong = "H6333", there|strong = "H1961"

were|strong="H1961" only|strong="H0389" ten|strong="H6235";
 when|strong="H1961" you|strong="H1961" came|strong="H1961"
 to|strong="H1961" the|strong="H1961" wine|strong="H3342"
 vat|strong="H3342" to|strong="H1961" draw|strong="H2834"
 out|strong="H2834" fifty|strong="H2572" vessels|strong="H3627",
 there|strong="H1961" were|strong="H1961" only|strong="H0389"
 twenty|strong="H6242". ¹⁷ 'I|strong="H3027" struck|strong="H5221"
 all|strong="H3605" the|strong="H3605" work|strong="H4639"
 of|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068" hands|strong="H3027"
 with|strong="H3068" blasting|strong="H7711" and|strong="H3068"
 blight|strong="H7711", with|strong="H3068" mildew|strong="H3420"
 and|strong="H3068" with|strong="H3068" hail|strong="H1259".
 Yet|strong="H3068" you|strong="H3605" didn't|strong="H3808"
 turn|strong="H7725" to|strong="H3068" me|strong="H5221",'
 says|strong="H5002" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w*, ¹⁸
 'Think|strong="H3824" back|strong="H7725" from|strong="H4480"
 this|strong="H2088" day|strong="H3117", think|strong="H3824"!
 From|strong="H4480" the|strong="H3068" twenty-fourth|strong="H6242"
 day|strong="H3117" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068"
 ninth|strong="H8671" month|strong="H2320", from|strong="H4480"
 the|strong="H3068" day|strong="H3117" when|strong="H3117"
 the|strong="H3068" foundations|strong="H3245" of|strong="H3068"
 the|strong="H3068" temple|strong="H1964" of|strong="H3068"
 the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w* were|strong="H3117"
 laid|strong="H7760", and|strong="H3068" consider|strong="H7760". ¹⁹
 The|strong="H5375" seed|strong="H2233" is|strong="H2088"
 in|strong="H3117" the|strong="H5375" granary, but|strong="H3808"
 the|strong="H5375" vine|strong="H1612" and|strong="H3117"
 the|strong="H5375" fig|strong="H8384" tree|strong="H6086"
 and|strong="H3117" the|strong="H5375" pomegranate|strong="H7416"
 and|strong="H3117" the|strong="H5375" olive|strong="H2132"
 tree|strong="H6086" have|strong="H3117" not|strong="H3808"
 yet|strong="H5750" brought|strong="H5375" forth|strong="H5375"
 fruit|strong="H6086". From|strong="H4480" this|strong="H2088"
 day|strong="H3117" will|strong="H3808" I|strong="H3117"
 bless|strong="H1288" you|strong="H3117"."
 Zerubbabel|strong="H2216"

20This|strong="H1697" message|strong="H1697" from|strong="H3068"
 the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w* came|strong="H1961"
 to|strong="H3068" Haggai|strong="H2292" a|strong="H1961"
 second|strong="H8145" time|strong="H8145" on|strong="H3068"
 the|strong="H3068" twenty-fourth|strong="H6242" day|strong="H2320"
 of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" month|strong="H2320":

21 Tell|strong = "H5046" Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216",
governor|strong = "H6346" of|strong = "H6346" Judah|strong = "H3063":

I |strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H8064" shake|strong = "H7493"
the|strong = "H2216" heavens|strong = "H8064" and|strong = "H3063"
the|strong = "H2216" earth|strong = "H8064";

22 and|strong = "H2719" I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H1471"
overthrow|strong = "H2015" the|strong = "H2015" throne|strong = "H3678"
of|strong = "H3678" kingdoms|strong = "H4467";

a nd|strong = "H2719" I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H1471"
destroy|strong = "H8045" the|strong = "H2015" strength|strong = "H2392"
of|strong = "H3678" the|strong = "H2015" kingdoms|strong = "H4467"
of|strong = "H3678" the|strong = "H2015" nations|strong = "H1471";

a nd|strong = "H2719" I|strong = "H0589" will|strong = "H1471"
overthrow|strong = "H2015" the|strong = "H2015" chariots|strong = "H4818",

a nd|strong = "H2719" those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H1471"
ride|strong = "H7392" in|strong = "H1471" them|strong = "H3381";

a nd|strong = "H2719" the|strong = "H2015" horses|strong = "H5483"
and|strong = "H2719" their|strong = "H2015" riders|strong = "H7392"
shall|strong = "H1471" come|strong = "H3381" down|strong = "H3381",

e ach|strong = "H1471" by|strong = "H3678" the|strong = "H2015"
sword|strong = "H2719" of|strong = "H3678" his|strong = "H2015"
fellow|strong = "H7453".

23 In|strong = "H3068" that|strong = "H3588" day|strong = "H3117",

t he|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w* of|strong = "H1121"
hosts|strong = "H6635" says|strong = "H5002",

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" take|strong = "H3947"
you|strong = "H3588", Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216", my|strong = "H3068"
servant|strong = "H5650", the|strong = "H5002" son|strong = "H1121"
of|strong = "H1121" Shealtiel|strong = "H7597",

t he|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w* says|strong = "H5002",

- a nd|strong="H1121" will|strong="H3068" make|strong="H7760"
you|strong="H3588" like|strong="H1121" a|strong="H3947"
signet|strong="H2368" ring|strong="H2885", for|strong="H3588"
I|strong="H3588" have|strong="H3068" chosen|strong="H3947"
you|strong="H3588",
- t he|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w* of|strong="H1121"
hosts|strong="H6635" says|strong="H5002".