

# Amos



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# Amos

1The message of Amos, one of the sheep breeders of Tekoa, which he saw concerning Israel in the King of Judah in the reign of Jeroboam son Joash of Israel, two years before the earthquake.<sup>2</sup>  
Amos said:

Whenever the Lord w<sup>\*</sup> roars from Zion,

and utters his voice from Jerusalem,

the pastures of the shepherds dry up,

the top of Carmel becomes arid.  
God's Judgment on Israel's Neighbours

3The Lord w<sup>\*</sup> says:

For Damascus' three crimes – no, four! –

I will not rescind my judgment.

**T** hey|strong="H3068" have|strong="H3068" threshed|strong="H1758"  
Gilead|strong="H1568"

**w** ith|strong="H3068" threshing|strong="H1758"  
instruments|strong="H2742" of|strong="H3068" iron|strong="H1270".

4Therefore|strong="H7971" I|strong="H1004" will|strong="H1004"  
send|strong="H7971" fire|strong="H0784" on|strong="H1004"  
Hazeal's|strong="H2371" house|strong="H1004",

**i** t|strong="H7971" will|strong="H1004" devour|strong="H0398"  
the|strong="H7971" palaces|strong="H0759" of|strong="H1004"  
Ben-hadad|strong="H1130".

5I|strong="H3772" will|strong="H3068" break|strong="H7665"  
open|strong="H1540" the|strong="H3068" gate|strong="H8179"  
of|strong="H1004" Damascus|strong="H1834",

**I** |strong="H3772" will|strong="H3068" wipe|strong="H4229"  
out|strong="H3427" those|strong="H3427" who|strong="H5971"  
live|strong="H3427" in|strong="H3427" the|strong="H3068"  
valley|strong="H1237" of|strong="H1004" Aven|strong="H0206"

**a** nd|strong="H3068" the|strong="H3068" sceptred  
ruler|strong="H3427" of|strong="H1004" Beth-Eden|strong="H1040".

**T** he|strong="H3068" people|strong="H5971" of|strong="H1004"  
Aram|strong="H0758" will|strong="H3068" go|strong="H1540"  
into|strong="H1540" captivity|strong="H1540" in|strong="H3427"  
Kir|strong="H7024",

**s** ays|strong="H0559" the|strong="H3068" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

6The|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* says|strong="H3541":

**F** or|strong="H5921" Gaza's|strong="H5804" three|strong="H7969"  
crimes|strong="H6588" – no|strong="H3808", four|strong="H7969"! –

**I** |strong="H3541" will|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808" rescind  
my|strong="H3068" judgment|strong="H4941".

**T** hey|strong = "H3068" carried|strong = "H1540" away|strong = "H7725"  
 captive|strong = "H1540" a|strong = "H3068" whole|strong = "H8003"  
 nation|strong = "H1471",

**s** old|strong = "H4376" them|strong = "H5921" as|strong = "H3068"  
 slaves|strong = "H5650" to|strong = "H7725" Edom|strong = "H0112".

**7**Therefore|strong = "H7971" I|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H2346"  
 send|strong = "H7971" fire|strong = "H0784" on|strong = "H7971"  
 the|strong = "H7971" wall|strong = "H2346" of|strong = "H2346"  
 Gaza|strong = "H5804",

**a** nd|strong = "H7971" it|strong = "H7971" shall|strong = "H2346"  
 devour|strong = "H0398" her|strong = "H7971" palaces|strong = "H0759".

**8**And|strong = "H7725" I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3027"  
 wipe|strong = "H4229" out|strong = "H5921" those|strong = "H5921"  
 who|strong = "H3427" live|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427"  
 Ashdod|strong = "H0795",

**a** nd|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H5921" sceptred  
 ruler|strong = "H3427" of|strong = "H3027" Askelon|strong = "H0831".

**I** |strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3027" turn|strong = "H7725"  
 my|strong = "H5921" hand|strong = "H3027" against|strong = "H5921"  
 Ekron|strong = "H6138",

**a** nd|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H5921" remnant|strong = "H7611"  
 of|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H5921" Philistines|strong = "H6430"  
 will|strong = "H3027" perish|strong = "H3772",

**s** ays|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3069" w\*.

**9**The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* says|strong = "H3541".

**F** or|strong = "H5921" Tyre's three|strong = "H7969"  
 crimes|strong = "H6588" – no|strong = "H3808", four|strong = "H7969"! –

**I** |strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" rescind  
 my|strong = "H3068" judgment|strong = "H4941".

**T** hey|strong = "H3068" carried|strong = "H3068" away|strong = "H7725"  
 captive|strong = "H1546" a|strong = "H3068" whole|strong = "H8003"  
 people|strong = "H3808" into|strong = "H7725" exile|strong = "H1546"  
 in|strong = "H5921" Edom|strong = "H0112",

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" did|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"  
 remember|strong = "H2142" the|strong = "H5921"  
 brotherly|strong = "H0251" covenant|strong = "H1285".

10So|strong = "H7971" I|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H2346"  
 send|strong = "H7971" fire|strong = "H0784" on|strong = "H7971"  
 the|strong = "H7971" walls|strong = "H2346" of|strong = "H2346"  
 Tyre|strong = "H6865".

**I** t|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H2346" devour|strong = "H0398"  
 her|strong = "H7971" palaces|strong = "H0759".

11The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
 says|strong = "H3541":

**F** or|strong = "H5921" Edom's|strong = "H2015" three|strong = "H7969"  
 crimes|strong = "H6588" – no|strong = "H3808", four|strong = "H7969"! –

**I** |strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" rescind  
 my|strong = "H8104" judgment|strong = "H4941".

**T** hey|strong = "H3068" pursued|strong = "H7291" their|strong = "H3068"  
 relatives|strong = "H0251" with|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921"  
 sword|strong = "H2719",

**s** tilled|strong = "H2013" their|strong = "H3068" pity|strong = "H7356",

**c** herished|strong = "H5532" their|strong = "H3068" anger|strong = "H5678"  
 continually|strong = "H5703",

**r** etained|strong = "H6113" their|strong = "H3068" fury|strong = "H5678"  
 forever|strong = "H5703".

12So|strong = "H7971" I|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H1224"  
 send|strong = "H7971" a|strong = "H7971" fire|strong = "H0784"  
 into|strong = "H0413" Teman|strong = "H8487".



I t|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H1224" destroy|strong = "H7843"  
the|strong = "H7971" palaces|strong = "H0759" of|strong = "H1121"  
Bozrah|strong = "H1224".

13The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
says|strong = "H3541":

F or|strong = "H5921" Ammonites' three|strong = "H7969"  
crimes|strong = "H6588" – no|strong = "H3808", four|strong = "H7969"! –

I |strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" rescind  
my|strong = "H3068" judgment|strong = "H4941".

T hey|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068" ripped|strong = "H1234"  
open|strong = "H1234" pregnant|strong = "H2030" women|strong = "H2030"  
in|strong = "H5921" Gilead|strong = "H1568",

i n|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H3068" lust|strong = "H5315"  
for|strong = "H5921" land|strong = "H1366".

14So|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3117"  
kindle|strong = "H3341" a|strong = "H3117" fire|strong = "H3341"  
on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117" wall|strong = "H2346"  
of|strong = "H3117" Rabbah|strong = "H7237".

I t|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3117" destroy|strong = "H7843"  
her|strong = "H3341" palaces|strong = "H0759",

w ith|strong = "H3117" a|strong = "H3117" war-cry in|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3117"  
battle|strong = "H4421",

w ith|strong = "H3117" a|strong = "H3117" tempest|strong = "H5591"  
in|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117" day|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117" whirlwind|strong = "H5591".

15Their|strong = "H3068" king|strong = "H4428" will|strong = "H3068"  
go|strong = "H1980" into|strong = "H1980" exile|strong = "H1473",

h e|strong = "H1931" and|strong = "H1980" his|strong = "H3068"  
nobles|strong = "H2715" together|strong = "H3162",

s ays|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

2The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* says|strong = "H3541":

F or|strong = "H5921" Moab's|strong = "H4124" three|strong = "H7969" crimes|strong = "H6588" – no|strong = "H3808", four|strong = "H7969"! –

I |strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" rescind my|strong = "H3068" judgment|strong = "H4941".

T hey|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068" burned|strong = "H8313" to|strong = "H7725" lime|strong = "H7875" the|strong = "H5921" bones|strong = "H6106" of|strong = "H4428" the|strong = "H5921" king|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428" Edom|strong = "H0112",

2to|strong = "H4191" desecrate|strong = "H2490" the|strong = "H7971" dead|strong = "H4191".

S o|strong = "H7971" I|strong = "H6963" will|strong = "H4124" send|strong = "H7971" a|strong = "H7971" fire|strong = "H0784" into|strong = "H0413" Moab|strong = "H4124".

I t|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H4124" devour|strong = "H0398" the|strong = "H7971" palaces|strong = "H0759" of|strong = "H6963" Kiriath,

w ith|strong = "H4191" a|strong = "H7971" war-cry,

w ith|strong = "H4191" the|strong = "H7971" sound|strong = "H6963" of|strong = "H6963" trumpets|strong = "H7782".

3I|strong = "H3772" will|strong = "H3068" kill|strong = "H2026" the|strong = "H3605" ruler|strong = "H8269",

a ll|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605" nobles|strong = "H2715" I|strong = "H3772" will|strong = "H3068" slay|strong = "H2026" with|strong = "H5973" him|strong = "H5973",

s ays|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

4The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* says|strong = "H3541":

**F** or|strong = "H5921" Judah's|strong = "H3063" three|strong = "H7969" crimes|strong = "H6588" – no|strong = "H3808", four|strong = "H7969"! –

**I** |strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" rescind my|strong = "H8104" judgment|strong = "H4941".

**T** hey|strong = "H3068" have|strong = "H3068" rejected|strong = "H3988" the|strong = "H5921" law|strong = "H8451" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*

**a** nd|strong = "H1980" have|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" kept|strong = "H8104" his|strong = "H8104" statutes|strong = "H2706".

**I** nstead|strong = "H3808" their|strong = "H3068" false|strong = "H3577" gods|strong = "H1980" their|strong = "H3068" ancestors|strong = "H0001" followed|strong = "H1980",

**h** ave|strong = "H3068" led|strong = "H1980" them|strong = "H5921" astray|strong = "H8582".

5So|strong = "H7971" I|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H3063" send|strong = "H7971" a|strong = "H7971" fire|strong = "H0784" on|strong = "H7971" Judah|strong = "H3063".

**I** t|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H3063" devour|strong = "H0398" the|strong = "H7971" palaces|strong = "H0759" of|strong = "H3063" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389".

God's|strong = "H0430" Judgment|strong = "H4941" on|strong = "H7971" Israel|strong = "H3478"

6The|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* says|strong = "H3541":

**F** or|strong = "H5921" Israel's|strong = "H3478" three|strong = "H7969" crimes|strong = "H6588" – no|strong = "H3808", four|strong = "H7969"! –

**I** |strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" rescind my|strong = "H3068" judgment|strong = "H4941".

**T** hey|strong = "H3068" sell|strong = "H4376" the|strong = "H5921" righteous|strong = "H6662" for|strong = "H5921" money|strong = "H3701",

t he|strong="H5921" needy|strong="H0034" for|strong="H5921"  
a|strong="H3478" pair|strong="H8147" of|strong="H3068"  
shoes|strong="H5275".

7They|strong="H5921" trample|strong="H7602" on|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H5921" head|strong="H7218" of|strong="H7218"  
the|strong="H5921" poor|strong="H1800",

p ush|strong="H5186" the|strong="H5921" humble|strong="H6035"  
out|strong="H5186" of|strong="H7218" the|strong="H5921"  
way|strong="H1870".

F ather|strong="H0001" and|strong="H3212" son|strong="H1121"  
go|strong="H3212" to|strong="H3212" the|strong="H5921"  
same|strong="H8034" temple|strong="H1004" girl|strong="H5291",

a nd|strong="H3212" so|strong="H4616" profane|strong="H2490"  
my|strong="H5921" holy|strong="H6944" name|strong="H8034".

8They|strong="H5921" stretch|strong="H5186"  
themselves|strong="H5921"

o n|strong="H5921" garments|strong="H0899" taken|strong="H2254"  
in|strong="H5921" pledges|strong="H2254" beside|strong="H5921"  
every|strong="H3605" altar|strong="H4196",

a nd|strong="H1004" they|strong="H5921" drink|strong="H8354"  
the|strong="H3605" wine|strong="H3196"

o f|strong="H1004" those|strong="H3605" who|strong="H3605"  
have|strong="H3605" been|strong="H3605" fined|strong="H6064"  
in|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605" house|strong="H1004"  
of|strong="H1004" their|strong="H3605" God|strong="H0430".

9It|strong="H1931" was|strong="H1931" I|strong="H6440"  
who|strong="H1931" destroyed|strong="H8045" the|strong="H6440"  
Amorites|strong="H0567" for|strong="H8478" your|strong="H6440"  
sake|strong="H4616",

w hose|strong="H0834" height|strong="H1363" was|strong="H1931"  
like|strong="H6440" that|strong="H1931" of|strong="H6440"  
the|strong="H6440" cedars|strong="H0730",

a s|strong="H8478" strong|strong="H2634" as|strong="H8478"  
oaks|strong="H0437".

I |strong="H6440" destroyed|strong="H8045" their|strong="H6440"  
fruit|strong="H6529" from|strong="H6440" above|strong="H4605"

a nd|strong="H6440" their|strong="H6440" roots|strong="H8328"  
from|strong="H6440" below|strong="H8478".

10It|strong="H5927" was|strong="H8141" I|strong="H4714"  
who|strong="H4057" brought|strong="H5927" you|strong="H3212"  
up|strong="H5927" from|strong="H5927" the|strong="H3423"  
land|strong="H0776" of|strong="H8141" Egypt|strong="H4714",

l ed|strong="H3212" you|strong="H3212" forty|strong="H0705"  
years|strong="H8141" in|strong="H8141" the|strong="H3423"  
wilderness|strong="H4057",

b rought|strong="H5927" you|strong="H3212" here|strong="H6311"  
to|strong="H3212" possess|strong="H3423" the|strong="H3423"  
land|strong="H0776" of|strong="H8141" the|strong="H3423"  
Amorites|strong="H0567".

11I|strong="H6965" raised|strong="H6965" up|strong="H6965"  
some|strong="H4480" of|strong="H1121" your|strong="H3068"  
sons|strong="H1121" to|strong="H3478" be|strong="H3068"  
prophets|strong="H5030"

s ome|strong="H4480" of|strong="H1121" your|strong="H3068"  
youths|strong="H1121" to|strong="H3478" be|strong="H3068"  
Nazirites|strong="H5139".

I s|strong="H3068" not|strong="H1121" this|strong="H2063"  
indeed|strong="H3068" so|strong="H6965", Israelites|strong="H3478"?"

s ays|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

12But|strong="H3808" you|strong="H6680" made|strong="H8248"  
the|strong="H5921" Nazirites|strong="H5139" drink|strong="H8248"  
wine|strong="H3196"

**a** nd|strong = "H3196" banned|strong = "H2764" the|strong = "H5921"  
 prophets|strong = "H5030" from|strong = "H5921"  
 prophesying|strong = "H5012".

13Listen|strong = "H2009"!

**I** t|strong = "H2009" is|strong = "H2009" I|strong = "H2009"  
 who|strong = "H0834" will|strong = "H3068" make|strong = "H6213"  
 you|strong = "H8478" groan|strong = "H0584" in|strong = "H8478"  
 your|strong = "H8478" places|strong = "H8478",

**a** s|strong = "H8478" a|strong = "H8478" wagon|strong = "H5699"  
 groans|strong = "H0584" under|strong = "H8478" its|strong = "H8478"  
 load|strong = "H4853" of|strong = "H8478" grain|strong = "H1715".

14Then|strong = "H3808" flight|strong = "H4498" will|strong = "H5315"  
 fail|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H3808" swift|strong = "H7031",

**a** nd|strong = "H5315" the|strong = "H3808" strength|strong = "H3581"  
 of|strong = "H1368" the|strong = "H3808" strongest|strong = "H1368"  
 will|strong = "H5315" be|strong = "H3808" useless|strong = "H3808".

**T** he|strong = "H3808" warrior|strong = "H1368" will|strong = "H5315"  
 not|strong = "H3808" save|strong = "H4422" his|strong = "H3808"  
 life|strong = "H5315",

15the|strong = "H5975" archer|strong = "H1869" will|strong = "H5315"  
 not|strong = "H3808" stand|strong = "H5975" firm|strong = "H5975",

**t** he|strong = "H5975" swift|strong = "H7031" of|strong = "H5315"  
 foot|strong = "H7272" will|strong = "H5315" not|strong = "H3808"  
 escape|strong = "H4422",

**t** he|strong = "H5975" horseman|strong = "H7392" will|strong = "H5315"  
 not|strong = "H3808" save|strong = "H4422" his|strong = "H3808"  
 life|strong = "H5315".

16The|strong = "H5002" bravest|strong = "H0533" of|strong = "H3068"  
 warriors|strong = "H1368"

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

s ays|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.  
A Warning to Israel

3Listen|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H1696" this|strong = "H2088"  
message|strong = "H1697", Israelites|strong = "H3478",

w hich|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
has|strong = "H3068" spoken|strong = "H1696" against|strong = "H5921"  
you|strong = "H3605",

a gainst|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" whole|strong = "H3605"  
nation|strong = "H4940" that|strong = "H3605" I|strong = "H5921"  
brought|strong = "H5927" out|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H1121"  
Egypt|strong = "H4714":

2You|strong = "H3605" alone|strong = "H3045" have|strong = "H3045"  
I|strong = "H5921" cared|strong = "H3045" for|strong = "H5921"  
of|strong = "H4940" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
nations|strong = "H1471" of|strong = "H4940" the|strong = "H3605"  
world|strong = "H8398",

t his|strong = "H3651" is|strong = "H3651" why|strong = "H5921"  
I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H5771" punish|strong = "H6485"  
you|strong = "H3605" for|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H3605"  
crimes|strong = "H6588".

3Do|strong = "H6213" two|strong = "H8147" walk|strong = "H3212"  
together|strong = "H3162"

u nless|strong = "H1115" they|strong = "H3162" agreed|strong = "H3259"  
to|strong = "H3212" meet|strong = "H3259"?

4Does|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H5414" lion|strong = "H3715"  
roar|strong = "H7580" in|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5414"  
forest|strong = "H3293"

w hen|strong = "H6963" there|strong = "H8033" is|strong = "H6963"  
no|strong = "H1115" prey|strong = "H2964" for|strong = "H5414"  
him|strong = "H5414"?

D oes|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H5414" young|strong = "H3715"  
lion|strong = "H3715" cry|strong = "H6963" out|strong = "H5414"  
in|strong = "H5414" his|strong = "H5414" den|strong = "H4585"

**u** nless|strong = "H1115" he|strong = "H5414" has|strong = "H3293"  
caught|strong = "H3920" something|strong = "H1697"?

5Does|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H5927" bird|strong = "H6833"  
swoop|strong = "H5774" down|strong = "H5307" into|strong = "H5927"  
a|strong = "H5927" trap|strong = "H4170"

**i** f|strong = "H4170" no|strong = "H3808" bait|strong = "H4170"  
is|strong = "H3808" set|strong = "H5927" for|strong = "H5921"  
it|strong = "H5921"?

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

**i** f|strong = "H4170" nothing|strong = "H3808" sets|strong = "H5927"  
it|strong = "H5921" off|strong = "H5921"?

6Can|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H1961" trumpet|strong = "H7782"  
be|strong = "H1961" blown|strong = "H8628" in|strong = "H3068"  
a|strong = "H1961" city|strong = "H5892"

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6213" people|strong = "H5971"  
not|strong = "H3808" tremble|strong = "H2729"?

**C** an|strong = "H6213" disaster|strong = "H7451" strike|strong = "H8628"  
a|strong = "H1961" city|strong = "H5892"

**a** nd|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6213" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
not|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H1961" caused|strong = "H1961"  
it|strong = "H6213"?

7Surely|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" Lord|strong = "H3069" w  
God|strong = "H3069" w\* does|strong = "H6213" nothing|strong = "H3808"

**w** ithout|strong = "H3808" revealing|strong = "H1540" his|strong = "H1540"  
purpose|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H6213" his|strong = "H1540"  
servants|strong = "H5650" the|strong = "H3588" prophets|strong = "H5030".

8The|strong = "H3069" lion|strong = "H0738" has|strong = "H4310"  
roared|strong = "H7580"; who|strong = "H4310" does|strong = "H3808"  
not|strong = "H3808" fear|strong = "H3372"?



**T** he|strong="H3069" Lord|strong="H3069" w God|strong="H3069" w\*  
has|strong="H4310" spoken|strong="H1696"; who|strong="H4310"  
will|strong="H4310" not|strong="H3808" prophesy|strong="H5012"?

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

**a** nd|strong="H4714" over|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
palaces|strong="H0759" in|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
land|strong="H7130" of|strong="H2022" Egypt|strong="H4714":

**G** ather|strong="H6908" upon|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
mountain|strong="H2022" of|strong="H2022" Samaria|strong="H8111",

**a** nd|strong="H4714" see|strong="H7200" the|strong="H5921"  
violent|strong="H2555" turmoil|strong="H4103",

**t** he|strong="H5921" acts|strong="H6217" of|strong="H2022"  
oppression|strong="H6217" in|strong="H5921" her|strong="H5921"  
midst|strong="H8432".

10For|strong="H6213" they|strong="H3068" do|strong="H6213"  
not|strong="H3808" know|strong="H3045" how|strong="H3045"  
to|strong="H3068" do|strong="H6213" right|strong="H5229".

**T** hey|strong="H3068" are|strong="H3068" heaping up|strong="H6213"  
violence|strong="H2555"

**a** nd|strong="H3068" oppression|strong="H7701" in|strong="H3068"  
their|strong="H3068" palaces|strong="H0759",

**s** ays|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

11Therefore|strong="H3651" the|strong="H3069" Lord|strong="H3069"  
w God|strong="H3069" w\* says|strong="H3541":

**A** n|strong="H4480" enemy|strong="H6862" will|strong="H3069"  
surround|strong="H5439" the|strong="H3069" land|strong="H0776",

**h** e|strong="H3651" will|strong="H3069" strip|strong="H6584"  
your|strong="H4480" strength|strong="H5797" from|strong="H4480"  
you|strong="H4480".

and your palaces will be looted.

12The w Lord says:

Just as a shepherd rescues from the jaws of a lion

two shinbones or a piece of an ear,

so the Israelites living in Samaria will be rescued –

with the corner of a couch,

and the damask of a divan!

13Listen and testify against the house of Jacob,

says the Lord w God, the God of hosts.

14On the day when I punish Israel for their crimes,

I will also visit in judgment the altars of Bethel,

the horns of  
the altar will  
be hacked off,

and they will  
fall to the  
ground.

I will destroy  
the winter houses

together with the  
summer houses

and the houses  
of ivory will  
perish.

Many great houses  
will be swept  
away,

says the Lord.

Listen to this  
message, women of  
Sameria,

you well-fed cows  
of Bashan,

who oppress the  
poor and crush  
the needy,

who say to  
your husbands, 'Bring  
us another drink!'

The Lord w God w  
has sworn by  
his holiness:

**T** he|strong="H5921" time|strong="H3117" is|strong="H3117"  
coming|strong="H2009" when|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588"  
will|strong="H3117" be|strong="H3117" carried|strong="H5375"  
away|strong="H5375" in|strong="H5921" baskets|strong="H5536",

**y** our|strong="H5921" children|strong="H1121" carried|strong="H5375"  
away|strong="H5375" in|strong="H5921" fish-baskets,

**3**and|strong="H3068" through|strong="H3318" the|strong="H5002"  
breaches|strong="H6556" in|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5002"  
city|strong="H5892" wall|strong="H2346" you|strong="H3318"  
will|strong="H3068" go|strong="H3318",

**t** hrown|strong="H7993" out|strong="H3318" on|strong="H3068"  
the|strong="H5002" garbage dump|strong="H8210",

**s** ays|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

**4**Come|strong="H0935" to|strong="H3117" Bethel|strong="H1008"  
and|strong="H3117" transgress|strong="H6586",

**a** t|strong="H3117" Gilgald increase|strong="H7235"  
your|strong="H7235" transgression|strong="H6586".

**B** ring|strong="H0935" your|strong="H7235" sacrifices|strong="H2077"  
in|strong="H3117" the|strong="H3117" morning|strong="H1242",

**e** very|strong="H1242" third|strong="H7969" day|strong="H3117"  
your|strong="H7235" tithes|strong="H4643"!

**5**Burn|strong="H6999" some|strong="H4480"  
leavened|strong="H2557" bread|strong="H2557" as|strong="H3651"  
a|strong="H3588" thank-offering,

**p** roclaim|strong="H7121" aloud|strong="H3651" your|strong="H8085"  
voluntary|strong="H5071" offerings|strong="H5071",

**f** or|strong="H3588" you|strong="H3588" love|strong="H0157"  
to|strong="H3478" do|strong="H8085" this|strong="H3651",  
Israelites|strong="H3478"!

s ays|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002" Lord|strong="H3069" w  
God|strong="H3069" w\*.

6But|strong="H3808" it|strong="H5414" was|strong="H3068"  
I|strong="H5414" who|strong="H3605" gave|strong="H5414"  
to|strong="H5704" you|strong="H5414"

e mpty|strong="H7387" stomachs|strong="H4578" in|strong="H3068"  
all|strong="H3605" your|strong="H3068" cities|strong="H5892",

a nd|strong="H3068" lack|strong="H2640" of|strong="H3068"  
bread|strong="H3899" in|strong="H3068" all|strong="H3605"  
your|strong="H3068" towns|strong="H5892",

y et|strong="H1571" you|strong="H5414" have|strong="H3068"  
not|strong="H3808" returned|strong="H7725" to|strong="H5704"  
me|strong="H5414",

s ays|strong="H5002" the|strong="H3605" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.

7It|strong="H5921" was|strong="H5892" I|strong="H5921"  
who|strong="H3808" withheld|strong="H4513" from|strong="H4480"  
you|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" rain|strong="H1653",

s ending|strong="H7971" rain|strong="H1653" on|strong="H5921"  
one|strong="H3808" city|strong="H5892",

w hile|strong="H5750" on|strong="H5921" another|strong="H5750"  
I|strong="H5921" allowed|strong="H5414" no|strong="H3808"  
rain|strong="H1653".

O ne|strong="H3808" field|strong="H2513" received|strong="H5921"  
rain|strong="H1653",

w hile|strong="H5750" a|strong="H4480" field|strong="H2513"  
without|strong="H3808" rain|strong="H1653" withered|strong="H3001".

8People|strong="H3808" from|strong="H7725" two|strong="H8147"  
or|strong="H3808" three|strong="H7969" cities|strong="H5892"

r angled as|strong="H5704" far|strong="H5704" as|strong="H5704"  
another|strong="H3808" city|strong="H5892"

f or|strong = "H5704" drinking|strong = "H8354" water|strong = "H4325",

a nd|strong = "H3068" still|strong = "H7725" they|strong = "H3068"  
did|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" have|strong = "H3068"  
enough|strong = "H7646",

y et|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H5704" did|strong = "H3068"  
not|strong = "H3808" return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H5704"  
me|strong = "H7725",

s ays|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

9I|strong = "H5704" struck|strong = "H5221" you|strong = "H5704"  
with|strong = "H3068" blight|strong = "H7711" and|strong = "H3068"  
mildew|strong = "H3420",

I |strong = "H5704" laid|strong = "H7760" waste|strong = "H2723"  
your|strong = "H3068" gardens|strong = "H1593" and|strong = "H3068"  
vineyards|strong = "H3754".

T he|strong = "H5002" swarming|strong = "H8318" locust|strong = "H1501"  
devoured|strong = "H0398" your|strong = "H3068" fig|strong = "H8384"  
and|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" olive|strong = "H2132"  
trees|strong = "H2132",

y et|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H5704" did|strong = "H3068"  
not|strong = "H3808" return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H5704"  
me|strong = "H7725",

s ays|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

10I|strong = "H5704" sent|strong = "H7971" plague|strong = "H1698"  
among|strong = "H5973" you|strong = "H7971" like|strong = "H5973"  
the|strong = "H5002" plagues|strong = "H1870" of|strong = "H3068"  
Egypt|strong = "H4714",

I |strong = "H5704" slew|strong = "H2026" your|strong = "H3068"  
youths|strong = "H3206" with|strong = "H5973" the|strong = "H5002"  
sword|strong = "H2719", your|strong = "H3068" horses|strong = "H5483"  
raided|strong = "H6584" away|strong = "H7971",

I |strong = "H5704" caused|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H5002"  
 stench|strong = "H0889" of|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"  
 camps|strong = "H4264" to|strong = "H5704" rise|strong = "H5927"  
 in|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068" nostrils|strong = "H0639",

y et|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H7971" did|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H5704"  
 me|strong = "H7971",

s ays|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

11I|strong = "H5704" wrought|strong = "H6213" a|strong = "H1961"  
 destruction|strong = "H7667" among|strong = "H3808" you|strong = "H5704",

a s|strong = "H5704" God|strong = "H3068" destroyed|strong = "H2015"  
 Sodom|strong = "H5467" and|strong = "H3068" Gomorrah|strong = "H6017".

Y ou|strong = "H5704" were|strong = "H1961" like|strong = "H1961"  
 a|strong = "H1961" stick|strong = "H6086" snatched|strong = "H5337"  
 from|strong = "H7725" the|strong = "H5002" fire|strong = "H8316",

y et|strong = "H5704" you|strong = "H5704" did|strong = "H3068"  
 not|strong = "H3808" return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H5704"  
 me|strong = "H7725",

s ays|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

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

a nd|strong = "H3478" because|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588"  
 am|strong = "H1961" about|strong = "H6213" to|strong = "H3478"  
 do|strong = "H6213" this|strong = "H2063" to|strong = "H3478"  
 you|strong = "H3588",

p repare|strong = "H3559" to|strong = "H3478" meet|strong = "H7125"  
 your|strong = "H6213" God|strong = "H0430", Israel|strong = "H3478".

13He|strong = "H3588" is|strong = "H3068" here|strong = "H2009"!

- H**e|strong="H3588" who|strong="H3068" forms|strong="H3335"  
the|strong="H5921" mountains|strong="H2022",
- c**reates|strong="H1254" the|strong="H5921" wind|strong="H7307",
- d**eclares|strong="H5046" to|strong="H3068" his|strong="H3068"  
thoughts|strong="H7808" to|strong="H3068" mortals|strong="H4172",
- m**akes|strong="H6213" dawn|strong="H7837" and|strong="H3068"  
darkness|strong="H5890",
- t**reads|strong="H1869" upon|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
heights|strong="H1116" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5921"  
earth|strong="H0776",
- t**he|strong="H5921" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, the|strong="H5921"  
God|strong="H3068" of|strong="H3068" hosts|strong="H6635",  
is|strong="H3068" his|strong="H3068" name|strong="H8034"!  
A Funeral Song for Israel
- 5Listen|strong="H8085" to|strong="H3478" the|strong="H5921"  
words|strong="H1697" of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H5921" funeral  
song|strong="H1697"
- I**|strong="H5921" am|strong="H1961" singing|strong="H7440"  
for|strong="H5921" you|strong="H5921", Israel|strong="H3478":
- 2Fallen|strong="H5307", no|strong="H3808" more|strong="H3254"  
to|strong="H3478" rise|strong="H6965", is|strong="H3478"  
the|strong="H5921" virgin|strong="H1330" Israel|strong="H3478"!
- H**urled|strong="H2904" down|strong="H5307" upon|strong="H5921"  
her|strong="H5921" own|strong="H1961" soil|strong="H0127"  
she|strong="H5921" lies|strong="H3577",
- w**ith|strong="H5921" no|strong="H3808" one|strong="H3808"  
to|strong="H3478" lift|strong="H6965" her|strong="H5921"  
up|strong="H6965"!
- 3For|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" Lord|strong="H3069" w  
God|strong="H3069" w\* says|strong="H3541" this|strong="H3541":



**T** he|strong = "H3588" city|strong = "H5892" that|strong = "H3588"  
marches|strong = "H1980" out|strong = "H3318" with|strong = "H1004"  
a|strong = "H3588" thousand|strong = "H0505" soldiers|strong = "H6235"

**h** as|strong = "H3478" only|strong = "H3588" a|strong = "H3588"  
hundred|strong = "H3967" left|strong = "H7604",

**a** nd|strong = "H3967" the|strong = "H3588" one|strong = "H3588"  
that|strong = "H3588" marches|strong = "H1980" out|strong = "H3318"  
with|strong = "H1004" a|strong = "H3588" hundred|strong = "H3967"

**h** as|strong = "H3478" only|strong = "H3588" ten|strong = "H6235"  
left|strong = "H7604".

4For|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
says|strong = "H3541" this|strong = "H3541" to|strong = "H3478"  
Israel|strong = "H3478":

**S** eek|strong = "H1875" me|strong = "H1875" and|strong = "H3478"  
live|strong = "H2421",

5But|strong = "H3588" do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808"  
seek|strong = "H1875" Bethel|strong = "H1008",

**d** o|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808" enter|strong = "H5674"  
Gilgal|strong = "H1537",

**d** o|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H3808" go|strong = "H5674"  
over|strong = "H5674" to|strong = "H1961" Beer-sheba|strong = "H0884".

**F** or|strong = "H3588" Gilgal|strong = "H1537" will|strong = "H1961"  
enter|strong = "H5674" exile|strong = "H1540",

**a** nd|strong = "H1008" Bethel|strong = "H1008" will|strong = "H1961"  
go|strong = "H5674" to|strong = "H1961" destruction|strong = "H7667".

6Seek|strong = "H1875" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
and|strong = "H3068" live|strong = "H2421",

**o** r|strong = "H6435" he|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
cast|strong = "H3068" fire|strong = "H0784" on|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"  
Joseph|strong = "H3130",

a nd|strong = "H3068" it|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
devour|strong = "H0398"

a nd|strong = "H3068" there|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
be|strong = "H3068" no|strong = "H6435" one|strong = "H2421"  
to|strong = "H3068" quench|strong = "H3518" it|strong = "H3068"  
for|strong = "H3068" Bethel|strong = "H1008".

7You|strong = "H0859" who|strong = "H0834" turn|strong = "H2015"  
judgment|strong = "H4941" to|strong = "H4941" bitter|strong = "H4751"  
wormwood|strong = "H3939",

a nd|strong = "H4941" cast|strong = "H7993"  
righteousness|strong = "H6666" into|strong = "H2015" the|strong = "H2015"  
dirt|strong = "H6083":

8He|strong = "H3117" who|strong = "H3068" made|strong = "H6213"  
the|strong = "H6440" Pleiades|strong = "H3598" and|strong = "H3068"  
Orion|strong = "H3685",

w ho|strong = "H3068" turns|strong = "H2015" deep|strong = "H6757"  
darkness|strong = "H6757" into|strong = "H2015" dawn|strong = "H1242",

w ho|strong = "H3068" darkens|strong = "H2821" day|strong = "H3117"  
again|strong = "H6440" into|strong = "H2015" night|strong = "H3915",

w ho|strong = "H3068" summons|strong = "H7121" the|strong = "H6440"  
waters|strong = "H4325" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440"  
sea|strong = "H3220",

a nd|strong = "H3068" pours|strong = "H8210" them|strong = "H5921"  
out|strong = "H8210" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440"  
earth's|strong = "H0776" surface|strong = "H6440",

t he|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068"  
his|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034"!

9He|strong = "H5921" causes|strong = "H5414"  
destruction|strong = "H7701" to|strong = "H5921" burst|strong = "H1234"  
over|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" strong|strong = "H5794".

**H**e|strong="H5921" brings|strong="H0935"  
devastation|strong="H7701" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
fortress|strong="H4013".

10 You|strong="H1696" who|strong="H8130" hate|strong="H8130"  
the|strong="H1696" arbiters at|strong="H8179" the|strong="H1696"  
city|strong="H8179" gate|strong="H8179",

**a** nd|strong="H1696" abhor|strong="H8581" anyone|strong="H3605"  
who|strong="H8130" speaks|strong="H1696" the|strong="H1696"  
truth|strong="H0571":

11 Because|strong="H5921" you|strong="H5921"  
trample|strong="H7429" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
weak|strong="H1800",

**a** nd|strong="H1004" tax|strong="H4864" their|strong="H3947"  
grain|strong="H1250",

**a** lthough|strong="H3808" you|strong="H5921" have|strong="H1129"  
built|strong="H1129" houses|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004"  
hewn|strong="H1496" stone|strong="H1496",

**y** ou|strong="H5921" will|strong="H1004" not|strong="H3808"  
live|strong="H3427" in|strong="H3427" them|strong="H5921",

**a** lthough|strong="H3808" you|strong="H5921" have|strong="H1129"  
planted|strong="H5193" charming|strong="H2580"  
vineyards|strong="H3754",

**y** ou|strong="H5921" will|strong="H1004" not|strong="H3808"  
drink|strong="H8354" their|strong="H3947" wine|strong="H3196".

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

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

**Y** ou|strong="H3588" persecutors|strong="H7291" of|strong="H8179"  
the|strong="H3588" righteous|strong="H6662", takers of|strong="H8179"  
bribes|strong="H3724"!

**Y**ou|strong = "H3588" deny|strong = "H3584" the|strong = "H3588"  
poor|strong = "H6041" their|strong = "H3947" justice|strong = "H4941"  
at|strong = "H8179" the|strong = "H3588" city|strong = "H8179"  
gate|strong = "H8179".

13It|strong = "H1931" would|strong = "H7451" be|strong = "H7451"  
wise|strong = "H7919" to|strong = "H6256" keep|strong = "H8104"  
quiet|strong = "H8252" in|strong = "H7919" such|strong = "H3651"  
an|strong = "H3588" evil|strong = "H7451" time|strong = "H6256".

14Seek|strong = "H1875" good|strong = "H2896" and|strong = "H3068"  
not|strong = "H1961" evil|strong = "H7451",

**t** hat|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3651" may|strong = "H1961"  
live|strong = "H2421",

**s** o|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*,  
God|strong = "H3068" of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635",

**m** ay|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961" with|strong = "H3068"  
you|strong = "H3651", as|strong = "H1961" you|strong = "H3651"  
have|strong = "H1961" claimed|strong = "H7121" he|strong = "H3651"  
is|strong = "H3068".

15Hate|strong = "H8130" evil|strong = "H7451" and|strong = "H3068"  
love|strong = "H0157" good|strong = "H2896",

**e** stablish|strong = "H3322" justice|strong = "H4941" at|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H3068" city|strong = "H8179" gate|strong = "H8179".

**P** erhaps|strong = "H0194" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, the|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068"  
of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635",

**w** ill|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068" gracious|strong = "H2603"  
to|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H3068" surviving|strong = "H3498"  
remnant|strong = "H7611" of|strong = "H3068" Joseph|strong = "H3130".

16Therefore|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H3605" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*, the|strong = "H3605" God|strong = "H3068"  
of|strong = "H3068" hosts|strong = "H6635", says|strong = "H3541":

I n|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
public|strong = "H1121" squares|strong = "H7339" there|strong = "H3605"  
will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068" wailing|strong = "H4553",

i n|strong = "H3068" every|strong = "H3605" street|strong = "H2351"  
the|strong = "H3605" sound|strong = "H6963" of|strong = "H3068"  
mourning|strong = "H4553".

T hey|strong = "H3651" will|strong = "H3068" summon|strong = "H7121"  
the|strong = "H3605" farmers|strong = "H0406" to|strong = "H3068"  
mourning|strong = "H4553",

a nd|strong = "H3068" professional|strong = "H3045"  
mourners|strong = "H3045" to|strong = "H3068" wailing|strong = "H4553".

17In|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H3605" vineyards|strong = "H3754"  
there|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068"  
lamenting|strong = "H8386",

w hen|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" pass|strong = "H5674"  
through|strong = "H5674" your|strong = "H3068" midst|strong = "H7130",

s ays|strong = "H0559" the|strong = "H3605" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

18Fools|strong = "H3684" who|strong = "H1931" long|strong = "H3117"  
for|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" day|strong = "H3117"  
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*!

W hat|strong = "H4100" does|strong = "H4100" the|strong = "H3068"  
day|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* mean|strong = "H2823" to|strong = "H3068"  
you|strong = "H3117"?

I t|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H3068" darkness|strong = "H2822",  
and|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" light|strong = "H0216".

19It|strong = "H5921" is|strong = "H3027" as|strong = "H6440"  
when|strong = "H5127" one|strong = "H3027" flees|strong = "H5127"  
from|strong = "H6440" a|strong = "H5921" lion|strong = "H0738",

a nd|strong = "H3027" is|strong = "H3027" attacked|strong = "H3027"  
by|strong = "H3027" a|strong = "H5921" bear|strong = "H1677",

**a** s|strong="H6440" when|strong="H5127" one|strong="H3027"  
reaches|strong="H5927" home|strong="H1004", leans|strong="H5564"  
his|strong="H6440" hand|strong="H3027" on|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H6440" wall|strong="H7023",

**a** nd|strong="H3027" a|strong="H5921" snake|strong="H5175"  
bites|strong="H5391" him|strong="H6440".

20Won't|strong="H3808" the|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*'s day|strong="H3117" be|strong="H3808"  
darkness|strong="H2822" and|strong="H3068" not|strong="H3808"  
light|strong="H5051",

**m** urky darkness|strong="H2822" without|strong="H3808"  
a|strong="H3117" ray of|strong="H3068" light|strong="H5051"  
in|strong="H3068" it|strong="H3117"?

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

**I** |strong="H3808" will|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"  
smell|strong="H7306" the|strong="H3808" savour|strong="H7381"  
of|strong="H2282" your|strong="H3808" festivals|strong="H2282",

22I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"  
be|strong="H3808" pleased|strong="H7521" with|strong="H5927"  
your|strong="H3588" burnt|strong="H5930" offerings|strong="H8002",

**y** our|strong="H3588" grain|strong="H1715" offerings|strong="H8002",

**I** |strong="H3588" will|strong="H3808" not|strong="H3808"  
accept|strong="H7521" the|strong="H3588" peace|strong="H8002"  
offerings|strong="H8002"

**o** f|strong="H4503" your|strong="H3588" fattened|strong="H0075"  
calves|strong="H5695".

23Spare|strong="H2550" me|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"  
noise|strong="H1995" of|strong="H5921" your|strong="H5921"  
songs|strong="H7892",

I |strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3808" not|strong = "H3808"  
listen|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
melody|strong = "H2172" of|strong = "H5921" your|strong = "H5921"  
lyres|strong = "H3658".

24But|strong = "H4325" let|strong = "H7971" justice|strong = "H4941"  
roll|strong = "H1556" on|strong = "H4941" as|strong = "H4325"  
a|strong = "H1556" flood|strong = "H5158" of|strong = "H4325"  
waters|strong = "H4325",

a nd|strong = "H4941" righteousness|strong = "H6666"  
like|strong = "H4941" an|strong = "H1129" unending  
stream|strong = "H5158".

25Was|strong = "H3478" it|strong = "H1004" only|strong = "H0389"  
sacrifices|strong = "H2077" and|strong = "H3478" grain|strong = "H1715"  
offerings|strong = "H4503"

y ou|strong = "H1004" brought|strong = "H5066" me|strong = "H5066"

d uring|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H5066" forty|strong = "H0705"  
years|strong = "H8141" in|strong = "H8141" the|strong = "H5066"  
wilderness|strong = "H4057", Israel|strong = "H3478"?

26But|strong = "H3588" now|strong = "H6258" you|strong = "H6213"  
will|strong = "H6213" lift|strong = "H5375" up|strong = "H5375"  
your|strong = "H5375" "king|strong = "H4428" Sikkuth|strong = "H5522"

a nd|strong = "H6213" "star|strong = "H3556" god|strong = "H0430"  
Kiyyun|strong = "H3594",

y our|strong = "H5375" idols|strong = "H1544" which|strong = "H0834"  
you|strong = "H6213" have|strong = "H5375" made|strong = "H6213"  
for|strong = "H6213" yourselves|strong = "H5375",

27as|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3068" drive|strong = "H3068"  
you|strong = "H1540" into|strong = "H1540" exile|strong = "H1540"  
beyond|strong = "H1973" Damascus|strong = "H1834",

says the w Lord w\*,  
 whose name is  
 the God of  
 hosts.  
 The Destruction of Israel

Sorrow awaits who  
 are carefree in  
 Zion,

o verconfident on the  
 mountain of Samaria!

The elite of  
 this, the best  
 of nations,

o n whom the  
 people of Israel  
 rest their hopes!

2You say to  
 the people:

Cross over to  
 Calneh and see,

go from there  
 to Hamath the  
 great,

then go down  
 to Gath of  
 the Philistines:

Are they better  
 than these kingdoms?

Is their territory  
 larger than yours?



3You|strong = "H3117" push|strong = "H5055" away|strong = "H7451"  
all|strong = "H3117" thoughts|strong = "H4284" of|strong = "H3117"  
the|strong = "H3117" evil|strong = "H7451" day|strong = "H3117",

y et|strong = "H3117" have|strong = "H3117" instituted|strong = "H6213"  
a|strong = "H3117" rule|strong = "H4910" of|strong = "H3117"  
violence|strong = "H2555".

4They|strong = "H5921" lie|strong = "H7901" on|strong = "H5921"  
ivory|strong = "H8127" couches|strong = "H4296",

s prawl|strong = "H5628" on|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H5921"  
divans,

e at|strong = "H0398" choice|strong = "H4022" lambs|strong = "H3733"  
from|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" flock|strong = "H6629",

a nd|strong = "H6629" fattened|strong = "H4770" calves|strong = "H5695"  
from|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" stall|strong = "H4770".

5They|strong = "H1992" idly|strong = "H1818" sing|strong = "H7892"  
to|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" sound|strong = "H6310"  
of|strong = "H3627" the|strong = "H5921" lyre|strong = "H3658",

t hinking|strong = "H0559" themselves|strong = "H1992" songwriters  
like|strong = "H2803" David|strong = "H1732",

6they|strong = "H3808" drink|strong = "H8354" bowlfuls  
of|strong = "H5921" wine|strong = "H3196",

a nd|strong = "H8081" anoint|strong = "H4886"  
themselves|strong = "H2470" with|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
finest|strong = "H7225" of|strong = "H5921" oil|strong = "H8081".

B ut|strong = "H3808" they|strong = "H3808" do|strong = "H6213"  
not|strong = "H3808" grieve|strong = "H6087" over|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" ruin|strong = "H7667" of|strong = "H5921"  
Joseph|strong = "H3130".

7Therefore|strong = "H3651" now|strong = "H6258" they|strong = "H3651"  
must|strong = "H4191" go|strong = "H1540" into|strong = "H1540"  
exile|strong = "H1540"

a t|strong="H7218" the|strong="H5493" head|strong="H7218"  
of|strong="H7218" the|strong="H5493" captives|strong="H1540",

a nd|strong="H7218" hushed|strong="H2244" will|strong="H3068"  
be|strong="H6258" the|strong="H5493" revelry of|strong="H7218"  
the|strong="H5493" sprawlers.

8The|strong="H5002" Lord|strong="H3068" w God|strong="H3068" w\*,

t he|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*, the|strong="H5002"  
God|strong="H3068" of|strong="H3068" hosts|strong="H6635",  
has|strong="H3068" sworn|strong="H7650" by|strong="H7650"  
himself|strong="H5315":

I |strong="H5315" abhor|strong="H8374" the|strong="H5002"  
pride|strong="H1347" of|strong="H3068" Jacob|strong="H3290",

I |strong="H5315" hate|strong="H8130" his|strong="H3068"  
palaces|strong="H0759",

t herefore|strong="H3068" I|strong="H5315" will|strong="H3068"  
deliver|strong="H5462" up|strong="H5462" the|strong="H5002"  
city|strong="H5892"

a nd|strong="H3068" all|strong="H4393" that|strong="H5315"  
is|strong="H3068" in|strong="H3068" it|strong="H4393"  
to|strong="H3068" their|strong="H3068" enemies|strong="H8130".

9If|strong="H1961" ten|strong="H6235" people|strong="H5971"  
remain|strong="H3498" in|strong="H1004" one|strong="H1961"  
house|strong="H1004", then|strong="H1961" they|strong="H1992"  
will|strong="H1961" die|strong="H4191". <sup>10</sup> When|strong="H3588"  
the|strong="H3588" uncle|strong="H1730" and|strong="H3068"  
another|strong="H5750" member|strong="H1995" of|strong="H1004"  
the|strong="H3588" family|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004"  
a|strong="H3588" dead|strong="H4191" man|strong="H5375"  
come|strong="H3318" to|strong="H3318" carry|strong="H5375"  
the|strong="H3588" body|strong="H6106" out|strong="H3318"  
of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H3588" house|strong="H1004"  
for|strong="H3588" burial|strong="H6900", they|strong="H3588"  
will|strong="H3068" call|strong="H2142" to|strong="H3318"  
someone|strong="H0376" in|strong="H3068" a|strong="H3588"

corner|strong = "H6438" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3588"  
 house|strong = "H1004", "Any|strong = "H4480" more|strong = "H4480"  
 there|strong = "H4480"? and|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H3588"  
 will|strong = "H3068" answer|strong = "H6030", "No|strong = "H3808",  
 and|strong = "H3068" then|strong = "H3318" he|strong = "H3588"  
 will|strong = "H3068" add|strong = "H3254", "Be|strong = "H3808"  
 quiet|strong = "H2013"! – for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H3588"  
 name|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3588" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* must|strong = "H5375" not|strong = "H3808"  
 be|strong = "H3808" mentioned|strong = "H2142".

11 Look|strong = "H2009"! The|strong = "H3588" w  
 Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* is|strong = "H3068" giving|strong = "H6680"  
 the|strong = "H3588" command|strong = "H6680"!

H e|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" smash|strong = "H7665"  
 the|strong = "H3588" large|strong = "H1419" house|strong = "H1004"  
 to|strong = "H3068" bits|strong = "H6595",

t he|strong = "H3588" small|strong = "H6996" house|strong = "H1004"  
 into|strong = "H0413" fragments|strong = "H1233".

12 Do|strong = "H2790" horses|strong = "H5483" gallop|strong = "H6335"  
 on|strong = "H7323" crags|strong = "H5553"?

D oes|strong = "H6213" one|strong = "H3588" plough the|strong = "H3588"  
 sea|strong = "H3220" with|strong = "H4941" oxen|strong = "H1241"?

Y et|strong = "H3588" you|strong = "H3588" turn|strong = "H2015"  
 justice|strong = "H4941" into|strong = "H2015" poison|strong = "H7219"  
 weed,

a nd|strong = "H4941" the|strong = "H3588" fruit|strong = "H6529"  
 of|strong = "H4941" righteousness|strong = "H6666" into|strong = "H2015"  
 bitter|strong = "H4751" wormwood|strong = "H3939".

13 You|strong = "H3947" who|strong = "H3808" are|strong = "H1697"  
 so|strong = "H3947" proud|strong = "H1343"

o f|strong = "H1697" capturing Lo-debar|strong = "H3810",

w ho|strong="H3808" say|strong="H1697", "Have|strong="H1697"  
we|strong="H1697" not|strong="H3808" by|strong="H3808"  
our|strong="H3947" own|strong="H1961" strength|strong="H2392"

t aken|strong="H3947" Karnaim|strong="H7163" for|strong="H3808"  
ourselves|strong="H0587"?"

14I|strong="H3588" am|strong="H3068" now|strong="H3588"  
raising|strong="H6965" up|strong="H6965" against|strong="H5921"  
you|strong="H3588",

I srael|strong="H3478", a|strong="H3588" nation|strong="H1471",

s ays|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,  
the|strong="H5002" God|strong="H3068" of|strong="H1004"  
hosts|strong="H6635".

T hey|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068" oppress|strong="H3905"  
you|strong="H3588",

f rom|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5002" entrance|strong="H6607"  
of|strong="H1004" Hamath|strong="H2574"

t o|strong="H5704" the|strong="H5002" brook|strong="H5158"  
of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H5002" Arabah|strong="H6160".

A Vision of Locusts

7This|strong="H3541" is|strong="H2009" what|strong="H3541"  
the|strong="H7200" Lord|strong="H3069" w God|strong="H3069" w\*  
showed|strong="H7200" me|strong="H7200": he|strong="H3541"  
was|strong="H4428" forming|strong="H3335" a|strong="H7200"  
swarm|strong="H8317" of|strong="H4428" locusts|strong="H1462",  
when|strong="H7200" the|strong="H7200" late|strong="H0309"  
spring|strong="H5927" grass|strong="H2682" began|strong="H8462"  
to|strong="H5927" come|strong="H5927" up|strong="H5927"  
after|strong="H5927" the|strong="H7200" king's|strong="H4428"  
share|strong="H2506" had|strong="H4428" been|strong="H5927"  
harvested|strong="H1219". <sup>2</sup> And|strong="H6965"  
when|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" had|strong="H1961"  
finished|strong="H3615" devouring|strong="H0398" all|strong="H6996"  
the|strong="H3588" land's vegetation|strong="H6212", I|strong="H3588"  
said|strong="H0559":

‘ Lord w God w\*,  
 forgive I, I beg  
 you!

How can Jacob  
 survive,

for he is  
 so helpless?

3The w Lord w\*  
 relented. This will  
 not happen, said  
 the w Lord w\*.  
 A Vision of  
 Fire

4This is what  
 he showed me:  
 the Lord w God w\*  
 was giving command  
 to execute judgment  
 by fire. It  
 burned up the  
 great deep, and  
 had begun to  
 devour the fields,  
 and I said:

5‘Lord w God w\*,  
 forgive I, I beg  
 you!

How can Jacob  
 survive,

for he is  
 so helpless?

6The w Lord w\*  
 relented. ‘This will  
 not happen either,’  
 said the w Lord w\*.

A|strong = "H1961" Vision|strong = "H2377" of|strong = "H3068"  
a|strong = "H1961" Plumb|strong = "H0594" Line|strong = "H1961"

7This|strong = "H3541" is|strong = "H3027" what|strong = "H3541"  
the|strong = "H5921" Lord|strong = "H3068" w God|strong = "H3027" w\*  
showed|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H7200": the|strong = "H5921"  
Lord|strong = "H3068" was|strong = "H3027" standing|strong = "H5324"  
beside|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H7200" wall|strong = "H2346"  
built|strong = "H1129" with|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H7200"  
plumb|strong = "H0594" line|strong = "H6957", with|strong = "H5921"  
a|strong = "H7200" plumb|strong = "H0594" line|strong = "H6957"  
in|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H5921" hand|strong = "H3027". 8  
And|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H7200" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3478" me|strong = "H7200",

‘ What|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H7760"  
see|strong = "H7200", Amos|strong = "H5986"?’

A nd|strong = "H3478" I|strong = "H2005" answered|strong = "H6030",

‘ A|strong = "H7760" plumb|strong = "H0594" line|strong = "H6957",’

T hen|strong = "H3254" the|strong = "H7200" Lord|strong = "H3068"  
said|strong = "H0559",

‘ Watch|strong = "H7200": I|strong = "H2005" am|strong = "H3068"  
setting|strong = "H5414" a|strong = "H7760" plumb|strong = "H0594"  
line|strong = "H6957"

i n|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H7200" midst|strong = "H7130"  
of|strong = "H3068" my|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971"  
Israel|strong = "H3478",

I |strong = "H2005" will|strong = "H3068" no|strong = "H3808"  
longer|strong = "H5750" overlook|strong = "H5674" their|strong = "H3068"  
crookedness|strong = "H5558".

9And|strong = "H6965" the|strong = "H5921" high|strong = "H1116"  
places|strong = "H1116" of|strong = "H1004" Isaac|strong = "H3446"

w ill|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 = "H2717",

and|strong = "H6965" I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3478"  
rise|strong = "H6965" up|strong = "H6965" against|strong = "H5921"  
the|strong = "H5921" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"  
Jeroboam|strong = "H3379"

with|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H5921" sword|strong = "H2719".  
Amaziah|strong = "H0558" and|strong = "H6965" Amos|strong = "H5986"

10Then|strong = "H7971" Amaziah|strong = "H0558",  
chief|strong = "H3478" priest|strong = "H3548" of|strong = "H4428"  
Bethel|strong = "H1008" sent|strong = "H7971" this|strong = "H1697"  
message|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H3478" King|strong = "H4428"  
Jeroboam|strong = "H3379" of|strong = "H4428" Israel|strong = "H3478":  
'Amos|strong = "H5986" has|strong = "H3478" conspired|strong = "H7194"  
against|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H3605" right|strong = "H3478"  
in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605" heart|strong = "H7130"  
of|strong = "H4428" Israel|strong = "H3478". The|strong = "H3605"  
country|strong = "H2022" cannot|strong = "H3808" survive|strong = "H3557"  
all|strong = "H3605" his|strong = "H3605" words|strong = "H1697". <sup>11</sup>  
Amos|strong = "H5986" has|strong = "H3478" said|strong = "H0559",  
'Jeroboam|strong = "H3379" will|strong = "H3478" die|strong = "H4191"  
by|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" sword|strong = "H2719",  
and|strong = "H3478" Israel|strong = "H3478" will|strong = "H3478"  
be|strong = "H4191" led|strong = "H1540" away|strong = "H1540"  
captive|strong = "H1540" out|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H5921"  
their|strong = "H5921" land|strong = "H0776"."

12And|strong = "H3063" Amaziah|strong = "H0558" said|strong = "H0559"  
to|strong = "H3212" Amos|strong = "H5986", 'Leave|strong = "H5800",  
you|strong = "H3212" who|strong = "H3063" see|strong = "H2374"  
visions|strong = "H2376", go|strong = "H3212" to|strong = "H3212"  
the|strong = "H8033" land|strong = "H0776" of|strong = "H3899"  
Judah|strong = "H3063". Earn your|strong = "H8033"  
bread|strong = "H3899" there|strong = "H8033" and|strong = "H3063"  
prophecy|strong = "H5012" there|strong = "H8033", <sup>13</sup> but|strong = "H3588"  
don't|strong = "H3808" prophecy|strong = "H5012" any|strong = "H5750"  
more|strong = "H3254" at|strong = "H1004" Bethel|strong = "H1008",  
for|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931"

the|strong = "H3588" king's|strong = "H4428" sanctuary|strong = "H4720",  
and|strong = "H4428" it|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H1931"  
the|strong = "H3588" royal|strong = "H4428" residence|strong = "H1004".'

14'I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961" no|strong = "H3808"  
prophet|strong = "H5030", ' Amos|strong = "H5986"  
answered|strong = "H6030" Amaziah|strong = "H0558",  
'nor|strong = "H3808" trained|strong = "H2593" as|strong = "H3588"  
one|strong = "H3808". I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961"  
a|strong = "H3588" shepherd|strong = "H7462" and|strong = "H1121"  
a|strong = "H3588" keeper|strong = "H8104" of|strong = "H1121"  
sycamores|strong = "H8256" fig|strong = "H8384" trees|strong = "H8256".  
<sup>15</sup> But|strong = "H3947" the|strong = "H3947" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
took|strong = "H3947" me|strong = "H3947" away|strong = "H3947"  
from|strong = "H3478" following|strong = "H3212" the|strong = "H3947"  
flock|strong = "H6629", and|strong = "H3478" the|strong = "H3947" w  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w\* said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3478"  
me|strong = "H3947", "Go|strong = "H3212", prophesy|strong = "H5012"  
to|strong = "H3478" my|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971"  
Israel|strong = "H3478"."  
<sup>16</sup> Now|strong = "H6258"  
therefore|strong = "H5921" listen|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H3478"  
the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*'s  
message|strong = "H1697":

" You|strong = "H5921" say|strong = "H1697" not|strong = "H3808"  
to|strong = "H3478" prophesy|strong = "H5012" against|strong = "H5921"  
Israel|strong = "H3478",

n or|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H3478" preach|strong = "H5197"  
against|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" house|strong = "H1004"  
of|strong = "H1004" Isaac|strong = "H3446".

17But|strong = "H3651" the|strong = "H5921" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*  
says|strong = "H3541":

Y our|strong = "H3068" wife|strong = "H0802" will|strong = "H3068"  
become|strong = "H2181" a|strong = "H3478" prostitute|strong = "H2181"  
in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" city|strong = "H5892",

y our|strong = "H3068" sons|strong = "H1121" and|strong = "H1121"  
your|strong = "H3068" daughters|strong = "H1323" will|strong = "H3068"  
fall|strong = "H5307" by|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"  
sword|strong = "H2719",



your land will be divided up,

you will die on unclean soil,

and Israel will be led away captive out of their land.”

The Time is Ripe

8The Lord w God w\* showed me this: a basket of summer fruit. <sup>2</sup> ‘What do you see,’ Amos H5986?’ he asked. I replied, ‘A basket of summer fruit.’ Then the Lord w\* said to H3478 me:

The time is ripe for my people Israel,

I will no longer overlook their crimes.

3The singing women in the palace will howl on that day,

says the Lord w\*:

Corpses everywhere,

thrown out in silence.

4Listen to this, you who trample on the needy,

who oppress the poor of the earth, <sup>5</sup> saying:

When will the feast new moon be over

so that we may sell grain?

And the sabbath ended

so that we may offer wheat for sale?

Reducing the measure and increasing the price,

cheating with false scales,

mixing the sweepings in with the wheat.

Then we can buy the poor for money,

the needy for a pair of shoes.

7 Now the w Lord w\*  
has taken an  
oath

b y the Pride  
of Jacob:

I will never  
forget all their  
deeds!

8 Because of this  
won't the land  
quake,

a nd all its  
inhabitants mourn?

W on't the whole  
of it rise  
like the Nile,

c hurn and subside  
like the Nile  
in Egypt?

9 On that day,  
says the Lord w  
God w\*,

I will make  
the sun set  
at noon

a nd darken the  
earth in broad  
daylight.

10 I will turn  
your feasts into  
mourning,

a ll|strong = "H3605" your|strong = "H3605" songs|strong = "H7892"  
into|strong = "H2015" dirges.

I |strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3117" cause|strong = "H2600"  
you|strong = "H3605" to|strong = "H5927" dress|strong = "H6213"  
in|strong = "H5921" sackcloth|strong = "H8242",

e very|strong = "H3605" head|strong = "H7218" shaved|strong = "H1548".

I |strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3117" make|strong = "H7760"  
you|strong = "H3605" mourn|strong = "H5921" like|strong = "H5927"  
you|strong = "H3605" have|strong = "H3117" lost|strong = "H0006"  
your|strong = "H3605" only|strong = "H3173" son|strong = "H3173",

a ll|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H3605" happens|strong = "H3117"  
will|strong = "H3117" end|strong = "H7093" in|strong = "H5921"  
bitterness|strong = "H4751".

11The|strong = "H5002" day|strong = "H3117" is|strong = "H3068"  
coming|strong = "H2009", says|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H5002"  
Lord|strong = "H3068" w God|strong = "H3068" w\*,

w hen|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"  
send|strong = "H7971" hunger|strong = "H7458" in|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H5002" land|strong = "H0776".

N ot|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H3588" famine|strong = "H7458"  
of|strong = "H3068" bread|strong = "H3899" or|strong = "H3808"  
thirst|strong = "H6772" for|strong = "H3588" water|strong = "H4325",

b ut|strong = "H3588" for|strong = "H3588" hearing|strong = "H8085"  
the|strong = "H5002" message|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H3068"  
the|strong = "H5002" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

12Then|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"  
wander|strong = "H5128" from|strong = "H5704" sea|strong = "H3220"  
to|strong = "H5704" sea|strong = "H3220",

f rom|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3068" north|strong = "H6828"  
to|strong = "H5704" the|strong = "H3068" east|strong = "H4217",

**t** o|strong="H5704" seek|strong="H1245" a|strong="H4672"  
message|strong="H1697" from|strong="H5704" the|strong="H3068" w  
Lord|strong="H3068" w\*,

**b** ut|strong="H3808" they|strong="H3068" will|strong="H3068"  
not|strong="H3808" find|strong="H4672" it|strong="H5704".

13 In|strong="H3117" that|strong="H3117" day|strong="H3117"  
beautiful|strong="H3303" girls|strong="H3207" and|strong="H3117"  
strong|strong="H2388" young|strong="H3117" men|strong="H0376"

**w** ill|strong="H1931" faint|strong="H5968" from|strong="H3117"  
thirst|strong="H6772".

14 Those|strong="H1992" who|strong="H2416" take|strong="H7650"  
oaths|strong="H7650" by|strong="H7650" the|strong="H6965"  
shameful|strong="H1322" idol|strong="H6459" of|strong="H1870"  
Samaria|strong="H8111",

**w** ho|strong="H2416" swear|strong="H7650", "As|strong="H6965"  
surely|strong="H6965" as|strong="H6965" your|strong="H3808"  
God|strong="H3808" lives|strong="H2416", O|strong="H3069"  
Dan|strong="H1835"!"

**a** nd|strong="H6965", "By|strong="H7650" the|strong="H6965"  
sacred|strong="H6944" way|strong="H1870" to|strong="H1870"  
Beer-sheba|strong="H0884"!" –

**t** hey|strong="H3808" will|strong="H3808" fall|strong="H5307"  
and|strong="H6965" never|strong="H3808" rise|strong="H6965"  
again|strong="H5750".

9 I|strong="H5921" saw|strong="H7200" the|strong="H3605"  
Lord|strong="H3068" towering above|strong="H5921"  
the|strong="H3605" altar|strong="H4196", and|strong="H7218"  
he|strong="H3605" commanded|strong="H6680":

**S** trike|strong="H5221" the|strong="H3605" tops|strong="H7218"  
of|strong="H7218" the|strong="H3605" pillars|strong="H3730"

**s** o|strong="H3808" that|strong="H7200" the|strong="H3605"  
foundations|strong="H4144" may|strong="H2719"  
shake|strong="H7493",

**b** ring|strong="H0935" them|strong="H5921" down|strong="H5221"  
on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605" heads|strong="H7218"  
of|strong="H7218" the|strong="H3605" people|strong="H3808"  
below|strong="H8478".

**T** he|strong="H3605" rest|strong="H5117" of|strong="H7218"  
them|strong="H5921" I|strong="H5921" will|strong="H2719"  
slay|strong="H2026" with|strong="H5921" the|strong="H3605"  
sword|strong="H2719":

**n** o|strong="H3808" one|strong="H3605" will|strong="H2719"  
get|strong="H1214" away|strong="H5127",

**n** o|strong="H3808" one|strong="H3605" will|strong="H2719"  
escape|strong="H4422".

2If|strong="H0518" they|strong="H8033" dig|strong="H2864"  
down|strong="H3381" to|strong="H3381" Sheol|strong="H7585",

**t** here|strong="H8033" will|strong="H8064" my|strong="H3947"  
hand|strong="H3027" take|strong="H3947" them|strong="H3027".

**I** f|strong="H0518" they|strong="H8033" climb|strong="H5927"  
up|strong="H5927" to|strong="H3381" the|strong="H3947"  
heavens|strong="H8064",

**f** rom|strong="H3381" there|strong="H8033" will|strong="H8064"  
I|strong="H3027" bring|strong="H5927" them|strong="H3027"  
down|strong="H3381".

3If|strong="H0518" they|strong="H8033" hide|strong="H5641"  
themselves|strong="H2244" on|strong="H5869" the|strong="H3947"  
top|strong="H7218" of|strong="H7218" Carmel|strong="H3760",

**t** here|strong="H8033" will|strong="H5869" I|strong="H6680"  
search|strong="H2664" them|strong="H6680" out|strong="H3947"  
and|strong="H5869" take|strong="H3947" them|strong="H6680".

**I** f|strong="H0518" they|strong="H8033" hide|strong="H5641"  
out|strong="H3947" of|strong="H7218" my|strong="H3947"  
sight|strong="H5869" at|strong="H7218" the|strong="H3947"  
bottom|strong="H7172" of|strong="H7218" the|strong="H3947"  
sea|strong="H3220",

**t** here|strong = "H8033" will|strong = "H5869" I|strong = "H6680"  
 command|strong = "H6680" the|strong = "H3947" sea|strong = "H3220"  
 serpent|strong = "H5175" to|strong = "H6680" bite|strong = "H5391"  
 them|strong = "H6680".

4If|strong = "H7760" they|strong = "H8033" are|strong = "H5869"  
 taken|strong = "H7760" into|strong = "H3212" captivity|strong = "H7628"  
 by|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H7760" enemies|strong = "H0341",

**t** here|strong = "H8033" will|strong = "H5869" I|strong = "H5921"  
 command|strong = "H6680" the|strong = "H6440" sword|strong = "H2719"  
 to|strong = "H3212" slay|strong = "H2026" them|strong = "H5921".

**I** |strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H5869" keep|strong = "H8104"  
 my|strong = "H7760" eye|strong = "H5869" on|strong = "H5921"  
 them|strong = "H5921"

**b** ut|strong = "H3808" for|strong = "H5921" evil|strong = "H7451"  
 and|strong = "H3212" not|strong = "H3808" for|strong = "H5921"  
 good|strong = "H2896".

5It|strong = "H5927" is|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Lord|strong = "H3069" the|strong = "H3605" w God|strong = "H3069" w\*  
 of|strong = "H3427" hosts|strong = "H6635",

**w** ho|strong = "H3605" touches|strong = "H5060" the|strong = "H3605"  
 earth|strong = "H5927" and|strong = "H4714" it|strong = "H5927"  
 trembles|strong = "H2729",

**a** ll|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" live|strong = "H3427"  
 on|strong = "H3427" it|strong = "H5927" mourn|strong = "H5594".

**T** he|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H5927" rises|strong = "H5927"  
 up|strong = "H5927" like|strong = "H5927" the|strong = "H3605"  
 Nile|strong = "H2975",

**a** nd|strong = "H4714" sinks|strong = "H7743" like|strong = "H5927"  
 the|strong = "H3605" Nile|strong = "H2975" of|strong = "H3427"  
 Egypt|strong = "H4714".

6The|strong = "H6440" one|strong = "H3068" who|strong = "H3068"  
 builds|strong = "H1129" in|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440"  
 heavens|strong = "H8064",

- w** ho|strong="H3068" sets|strong="H0935" the|strong="H6440"  
dome|strong="H0092" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H6440"  
sky|strong="H8064" over|strong="H5921" the|strong="H6440"  
earth|strong="H8064",
- w** ho|strong="H3068" summons|strong="H7121" the|strong="H6440"  
waters|strong="H4325" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H6440"  
sea|strong="H3220"
- a** nd|strong="H3068" pours|strong="H8210" them|strong="H5921"  
out|strong="H8210" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H6440"  
face|strong="H6440" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H6440"  
earth|strong="H8064":
- t** he|strong="H6440" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\* is|strong="H3068"  
his|strong="H3068" name|strong="H8034".
- 7To|strong="H3478" me|strong="H3808", Israelites|strong="H3478",  
you|strong="H3808" are|strong="H1121"
- j** ust|strong="H3512" like|strong="H3478" the|strong="H5002"  
Cushites,
- s** ays|strong="H5002" the|strong="H5002" w Lord|strong="H3068" w\*.
- Y** es|strong="H3588", I|strong="H4714" brought|strong="H5927"  
Israel|strong="H3478" up|strong="H5927" out|strong="H3808"  
of|strong="H1121" the|strong="H5002" land|strong="H0776"  
of|strong="H1121" Egypt|strong="H4714",
- b** ut|strong="H3808" also|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5002"  
Philistines|strong="H6430" from|strong="H5927"  
Caphtor|strong="H3731",
- a** nd|strong="H1121" the|strong="H5002" Arameans|strong="H0758"  
from|strong="H5927" Kir|strong="H7024"!
- 8Behold|strong="H2009" the|strong="H6440" eyes|strong="H5869"  
of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H6440" Lord|strong="H3068" w  
God|strong="H3068" w\*
- a** re|strong="H5869" on|strong="H5921" the|strong="H6440"  
sinful|strong="H2400" kingdom|strong="H4467":



**I** |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" destroy|strong = "H8045"  
it|strong = "H5921" from|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440"  
face|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H6440"  
earth|strong = "H0776"!

**B** ut|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"  
not|strong = "H3808" completely|strong = "H8045" destroy|strong = "H8045"  
the|strong = "H6440" house|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"  
Jacob|strong = "H3290",

**s** ays|strong = "H5002" the|strong = "H6440" w Lord|strong = "H3068" w\*.

9For|strong = "H3588" behold|strong = "H2009" I|strong = "H3588"  
am|strong = "H1961" about|strong = "H3478" to|strong = "H3478"  
give|strong = "H6680" the|strong = "H3605" command|strong = "H6680",

**a** nd|strong = "H3478" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1471"  
shake|strong = "H5128" the|strong = "H3605" house|strong = "H1004"  
of|strong = "H1004" Israel|strong = "H3478" among|strong = "H3808"  
all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471"

**j** ust|strong = "H3605" as|strong = "H3588" one|strong = "H3605"  
shakes|strong = "H5128" grain|strong = "H3605" in|strong = "H3478"  
a|strong = "H3588" sieve|strong = "H3531",

**b** ut|strong = "H3588" not|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H3588" pebble  
shall|strong = "H3478" fall|strong = "H5307" to|strong = "H3478"  
the|strong = "H3605" ground|strong = "H0776".

10All|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" sinners|strong = "H2400"  
of|strong = "H5971" my|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971",

**w** ho|strong = "H3605" deny|strong = "H3584" that|strong = "H5971"  
disaster|strong = "H7451" will|strong = "H5971" touch|strong = "H5066"  
or|strong = "H3808" befall|strong = "H7122" them|strong = "H5704",

**w** ill|strong = "H5971" die|strong = "H4191" by|strong = "H4191"  
the|strong = "H3605" sword|strong = "H2719".

A|strong = "H5704" Promise|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H5971"  
Restoration

11 On that day I will raise up the house of David, of David,

I will wall up its gaps and raise up its ruins,

I will rebuild it as it was long ago.

12 They will possess again the rest of Edom,

and all the nations which you ruled for me,

says the Lord who will do this.

13 Listen! The days are coming, says the Lord,

when the harvest is too big to reap

before it is time to plough,

when the grapes cannot be trod