

Zechariah

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This book contains the account of
Zechariah foretelling about God
restoring the Israeli people and
establishing his eternal rule. We call
this book
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Yahweh summons his people to return to him

1w I|strong="H1697" w* w am|strong="H1961" w*
Zechariah|strong="H2148", a|strong="H1961" prophet|strong="H5030",
the|strong="H3068" son|strong="H1121" of|strong="H1121" Berekiah
and|strong="H1121" grandson|strong="H1121" of|strong="H1121"
Iddo|strong="H5714". When|strong="H1961" Darius|strong="H1867" w
had|strong="H3068" w* w been|strong="H1961" w* w
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two|strong="H8147" years|strong="H8141", during|strong="H1961"
November w of|strong="H1121" w* w that|strong="H3068" w* w
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me|strong="H1961" this|strong="H1697" message|strong="H1697":

2“I|strong="H5921" was|strong="H3068" very|strong="H7107"
angry|strong="H7107" with|strong="H3068" your|strong="H3068"
ancestors|strong="H0001". ³ So|strong="H3541" tell|strong="H5046"
this|strong="H3541" to|strong="H7725" the|strong="H5002"
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Commander|strong="H8269" of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5002"
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say|strong="H7725", ‘return to|strong="H7725" me|strong="H7725”,
and|strong="H3068" w if|strong="H0518" w* w you|strong="H7725" w* w
do|strong="H3068" w* w that|strong="H3068" w*, I|strong="H3541"
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now|strong="H4994" died|strong="H4191”, w
continually|strong="H3068" w* proclaimed|strong="H7121"
to|strong="H7725" your|strong="H3068" ancestors|strong="H7223"
that|strong="H8085" they|strong="H3068" should|strong="H3068"
stop|strong="H3808" doing|strong="H1870" the|strong="H5002"

evil|strong="H7451" things|strong="H7223" that|strong="H8085"
 they|strong="H3068" were|strong="H1961" continually|strong="H3068"
 doing|strong="H1870". But|strong="H3808" they|strong="H3068"
 refused|strong="H3808" to|strong="H7725" pay|strong="H7181"
 attention|strong="H7181" to|strong="H7725" what|strong="H7451"
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 ancestors|strong="H0001" w have|strong="H5030" w* w
 died|strong="H4191" w* w and|strong="H5769" w* w
 are|strong="H1992" w* w now|strong="H6258" w* w
 in|strong="H5030" w* w their|strong="H1992" w* w
 graves|strong="H6913" w* [RHQ]. And|strong="H5769"
 the|strong="H2421" prophets|strong="H5030" did|strong="H5030"
 not|strong="H3808" [RHQ] live|strong="H2421" forever|strong="H5769",
 w either|strong="H1571" w*. ⁶ But|strong="H3808" I|strong="H1697"
 punished|strong="H6485" [IDM] w the|strong="H6213" w* w
 people|strong="H3808" w* w for|strong="H6213" w* disobeying
 the|strong="H6213" commands|strong="H6680" and|strong="H3068"
 the|strong="H6213" decrees|strong="H2706" which|strong="H3068"
 I|strong="H1697" commaned|strong="H6680" my|strong="H3068"
 servants|strong="H5650" the|strong="H6213" prophets|strong="H5030" w
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 w the|strong="H6213" w* w people|strong="H3808" w*.

T hen|strong="H3651" they|strong="H3651"
 □repented|strong="H7725"/turned|strong="H7725"
 away|strong="H7725" from|strong="H7725" their|strong="H3068"
 evil|strong="H6213" behavior|strong="H1870"□ and|strong="H3068"
 said|strong="H1697", "The|strong="H6213" Commander|strong="H6680"
 of|strong="H3068" the|strong="H6213" armies|strong="H6635"
 of|strong="H3068" angels|strong="H4397" has|strong="H3068"
 done|strong="H6213" to|strong="H7725" us|strong="H7725"
 what|strong="H1697" we|strong="H6213" deserved|strong="H1576"
 for|strong="H6213" our|strong="H3068" evil|strong="H6213"
 behavior|strong="H1870", just|strong="H1697" like|strong="H3651"
 he|strong="H3651" said|strong="H1697" that|strong="H3068"
 he|strong="H3651" would|strong="H3068" do|strong="H6213".' "

The|strong="H6213" vision|strong="H2377" of|strong="H3068"
 the|strong="H6213" horses|strong="H5483"

7w Three|strong="H7969" w* w months|strong="H2320" w* w
 later|strong="H1961" w*, on|strong="H3117" February 15,
 Yahweh|strong="H3068" gave|strong="H1961" w
 another|strong="H2320" w* message|strong="H1697" to|strong="H3068"
 me|strong="H1961".

8 During the night w I w had w a w vision w. w In w the w saw w an w angel w who w was w on w a w red w horse w. He w was w in w a w narrow w valley w among w some w myrtle w trees w. Behind w him w were w w angels w on w red w, brown w, and w white w horses w.

9 I w asked w the w angel w who w had w been w talking w to w me w, “Sir w, who w are w those w w angels w w on w w the w w horses w?”

He w replied w, “I w will w show w you w who w they w are w.”

10 Then w the w angel w who w had w been w under w the w myrtle w trees w explained w. w He w w said w, “They w are w the w w angels w whom w Yahweh w sent w to w w w patrol w/w see w w what w w is w happening w in w the w w entire w w world w.”

11 Then w those w angels w reported w to w the w angel w who w was w there w among w the w

myrtle|strong = "H1918" trees|strong = "H1918", "We|strong = "H1980"
 have|strong = "H3068" traveled|strong = "H1980"
 throughout|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" world|strong = "H8398",
 and|strong = "H1980" we|strong = "H1980" have|strong = "H3068"
 found|strong = "H3068" out|strong = "H1980" that|strong = "H3605" w
 the|strong = "H3605" w* w army|strong = "H3427" w* w
 of|strong = "H3068" w* w the|strong = "H3605" w* emperor w
 of|strong = "H3068" w* w Persia|strong = "H6539" w* w
 has|strong = "H3068" w* w conquered|strong = "H5221" w* w
 nations|strong = "H1471" w* throughout|strong = "H3605"
 the|strong = "H3605" world|strong = "H8398", w and|strong = "H1980" w* w
 that|strong = "H3605" w* those|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471"
 are|strong = "H3068" now|strong = "H2009"
 □helpless|strong = "H1800"/unable|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H1980"
 resist|strong = "H5975" his|strong = "H3605" army|strong = "H3427" □."

12Then|strong = "H6030" the|strong = "H3068" angel|strong = "H4397"
 asked|strong = "H7592", "Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068"
 the|strong = "H3068" armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068"
 angels|strong = "H4397", how|strong = "H4970" long|strong = "H5704"
 will|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H5704" continue|strong = "H1961"
 to|strong = "H5704" not|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808"
 merciful|strong = "H7355" to|strong = "H5704" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389"
 and|strong = "H3063" the|strong = "H3068" w other|strong = "H2088" w*
 towns|strong = "H5892" in|strong = "H8141" Judah|strong = "H3063"?
 You|strong = "H5704" have|strong = "H7355" been|strong = "H3808"
 angry|strong = "H2194" with|strong = "H3068" them|strong = "H6030"
 for|strong = "H5704" 70 years|strong = "H8141"!"¹³ w
 So|strong = "H1697" w* Yahweh|strong = "H3068" spoke|strong = "H1696"
 kindly|strong = "H2896" to|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H3068"
 angel|strong = "H4397" who|strong = "H3068" had|strong = "H3068"
 talked|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H6030",
 saying|strong = "H1697" things|strong = "H1697" that|strong = "H3068"
 comforted|strong = "H5162"/encouraged|strong = "H2388"
 him|strong = "H6030".

14Then|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H3541" angel|strong = "H4397"
 who|strong = "H3068" had|strong = "H3068" been|strong = "H7065"
 talking|strong = "H1696" with|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H7121"
 said|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H7121",
 "Proclaim|strong = "H7121" this|strong = "H3541" w to|strong = "H1696" w*
 w the|strong = "H3541" w* w people|strong = "H1696" w* w
 of|strong = "H3068" w* w Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" w*:
 The|strong = "H3541" Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068"
 the|strong = "H3541" armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068"

angels|strong = "H4397" says|strong = "H3541" that|strong = "H3068"
 he|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H3068" very|strong = "H1419"
 concerned|strong = "H6485" about|strong = "H3541" w
 the|strong = "H3541" w* w people|strong = "H1696" w* w
 who|strong = "H3068" w* w live|strong = "H7121" w* w
 on|strong = "H3068" w* Zion|strong = "H6726" w Hill|strong = "H2022" w*
 and|strong = "H3068" w in|strong = "H3068" w* w the|strong = "H3541" w* w
 other|strong = "H7121" w* w parts|strong = "H3411" w* w
 of|strong = "H3068" w* Jerusalem|strong = "H3389". ¹⁵
 But|strong = "H1992" he|strong = "H5921" is|strong = "H7451"
 very|strong = "H1419" angry|strong = "H7107" with|strong = "H5921"
 the|strong = "H5921" nations|strong = "H1471" that|strong = "H1471"
 are|strong = "H1992" w proud|strong = "H1419" w* w
 and|strong = "H1419" w* w feel|strong = "H4184" w* safe|strong = "H7965".
 He|strong = "H5921" was|strong = "H7451" only|strong = "H0389"
 a|strong = "H5921" little|strong = "H4592" bit|strong = "H5391"
 angry|strong = "H7107" w with|strong = "H5921" w* w
 the|strong = "H5921" w* w people|strong = "H1471" w* w
 of|strong = "H5921" w* w Judah|strong = "H3063" w*, but|strong = "H1992"
 w he|strong = "H5921" w* w is|strong = "H7451" w* w
 very|strong = "H1419" w* w angry|strong = "H7107" w* w
 with|strong = "H5921" w* w the|strong = "H5921" w* w
 surrounding|strong = "H5439" w* w nations|strong = "H1471" w* w
 because|strong = "H5921" w* w they|strong = "H1992" caused|strong = "H5414"
 w the|strong = "H5921" w* w people|strong = "H1471" w* w
 of|strong = "H5921" w* w Judah|strong = "H3063" w* w
 to|strong = "H5921" w* w experience|strong = "H7200" w*
 complete|strong = "H3617" disaster|strong = "H7451".

16Therefore|strong = "H3651", this|strong = "H3651" is|strong = "H3068"
 what|strong = "H3541" he|strong = "H3651" says|strong = "H5002":
 'I|strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" again|strong = "H7725"
 be|strong = "H3068" merciful|strong = "H2603" to|strong = "H7725" w
 the|strong = "H5002" w* w people|strong = "H5971" w* w
 of|strong = "H1004" w* Jerusalem|strong = "H3389", and|strong = "H3068"
 they|strong = "H3651" will|strong = "H3068" rebuild|strong = "H1129"
 my|strong = "H3068" temple|strong = "H1004". Men|strong = "H6635"
 will|strong = "H3068" measure|strong = "H4058" w all|strong = "H5921" w* w
 the|strong = "H5002" w* w land|strong = "H0776" w* w
 in|strong = "H5921" w* w the|strong = "H5002" city|strong = "H5892" w
 before|strong = "H5921" w* w they|strong = "H3651" w* w
 start|strong = "H1870" w* w rebuilding|strong = "H1129" w* w
 the|strong = "H5002" w* w houses|strong = "H1004" w*.'

17The|strong = "H3541" Commander|strong = "H8269"
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541" armies|strong = "H6635"
of|strong = "H3068" angels|strong = "H4397" w also|strong = "H3068" w*
said|strong = "H7121" this|strong = "H3541": 'Tell|strong = "H5046"
the|strong = "H3541" people|strong = "H5971" that|strong = "H3068" w
the|strong = "H3541" w* w people|strong = "H5971" w* w
in|strong = "H3068" w* my|strong = "H3068" towns|strong = "H5892" w
in|strong = "H3068" w* w Judah|strong = "H3063" w* will|strong = "H3068"
soon|strong = "H5750" be|strong = "H5750" very|strong = "H2896"
prosperous|strong = "H6743" again|strong = "H5750", and|strong = "H3068"
I|strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" encourage|strong = "H2388" w
the|strong = "H3541" w* w people|strong = "H5971" w* w
of|strong = "H3068" w* Jerusalem|strong = "H3389", and|strong = "H3068"
their|strong = "H3068" city|strong = "H5892" will|strong = "H3068"
again|strong = "H5750" be|strong = "H5750" my|strong = "H3068"
chosen|strong = "H0977" w city|strong = "H5892" w*."
The|strong = "H3541" vision|strong = "H2377" of|strong = "H3068"
the|strong = "H3541" four|strong = "H0702" horns|strong = "H7161"

18Then|strong = "H0227" I|strong = "H0589" looked|strong = "H7200"
up|strong = "H5927", and|strong = "H3967" I|strong = "H0589"
saw|strong = "H7200" in|strong = "H0935" front|strong = "H6440"
of|strong = "H1121" me|strong = "H0413" four|strong = "H0702" w
animal|strong = "H0929" w* horns|strong = "H7161". ¹⁹ I|strong = "H0589"
asked|strong = "H7592" the|strong = "H3605" angel|strong = "H4397"
who|strong = "H0834" had|strong = "H3068" been|strong = "H1961"
speaking|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H0413" me|strong = "H0413",
"What|strong = "H4100" are|strong = "H3117" those|strong = "H1992" w
horns|strong = "H7161" w*?"

H e|strong = "H0834" replied|strong = "H0559", "Those|strong = "H1992"
horns|strong = "H7161" w represent|strong = "H7969" w* w
the|strong = "H3605" w* w armies|strong = "H6635" w* w
that|strong = "H0834" w* forced|strong = "H4522" w the|strong = "H3605" w*
w people|strong = "H5971" w* w of|strong = "H1121" w*
Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" and|strong = "H3967" w
other|strong = "H0312" w* w places|strong = "H1116" w* w
in|strong = "H0935" w* Judah|strong = "H3063" and|strong = "H3967"
Israel|strong = "H3478" to|strong = "H0413" go|strong = "H1980" w
to|strong = "H0413" w* w other|strong = "H0312" w* w
countries|strong = "H0776" w*."

20Then|strong = "H0227" Yahweh|strong = "H3068"
showed|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H0413" four|strong = "H0702"
□craftsmen|strong = "H2796"/men|strong = "H0376" who|strong = "H0834"

make|strong = "H6213" things|strong = "H1697" from|strong = "H4480"
 metal|strong = "H2830"□. ²¹ I|strong = "H0589" asked|strong = "H7592",
 "What|strong = "H4100" are|strong = "H3117" those|strong = "H1992"
 men|strong = "H0376" coming|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0413"
 do|strong = "H6213"?"

H e|strong = "H0834" replied|strong = "H0559", "w
 The|strong = "H3605" w* w armies|strong = "H6635" w* represented w
 by|strong = "H0801" w* those|strong = "H1992" horns|strong = "H7161"
 caused|strong = "H5414" w the|strong = "H3605" w* w
 people|strong = "H5971" w* w of|strong = "H1121" w*
 Judah|strong = "H3063" to|strong = "H0413" be|strong = "H1961"
 scattered|strong = "H6327", with|strong = "H5973" the|strong = "H3605"
 result|strong = "H6903" that|strong = "H0834" they|strong = "H1992"
 suffered|strong = "H5414" greatly|strong = "H3966". But|strong = "H3588"
 the|strong = "H3605" craftsmen|strong = "H2796" have|strong = "H1961"
 come|strong = "H0935" to|strong = "H0413" cause|strong = "H2600"
 those|strong = "H1992" who|strong = "H0834" attacked|strong = "H5221"
 [IDM] Judah|strong = "H3063" to|strong = "H0413" be|strong = "H1961"
 terrified|strong = "H0926" and|strong = "H3967" crushed|strong = "H7533".
 The man with a measuring line

2Then|strong = "H2009" I|strong = "H2009" looked|strong = "H7200"
 up|strong = "H5375" and|strong = "H5869" saw|strong = "H7200"
 a|strong = "H5375" man|strong = "H5375" with|strong = "H5869"
 a|strong = "H5375" measuring|strong = "H4060" line|strong = "H6957"/tape.
² I|strong = "H4100" asked|strong = "H4100" him|strong = "H3389",
 "Where|strong = "H4100" are|strong = "H3478" you|strong = "H4100"
 going|strong = "H1980"?"

H e|strong = "H3389" replied|strong = "H1696", "w I|strong = "H4100" w* w
 am|strong = "H1961" w* w going|strong = "H1980" w* to|strong = "H1696"
 measure|strong = "H4058" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389", to|strong = "H1696"
 determine|strong = "H7200" how|strong = "H4100" wide|strong = "H7341"
 it|strong = "H1696" is|strong = "H4100" and|strong = "H3063"
 how|strong = "H4100" long|strong = "H4100" it|strong = "H1696"
 is|strong = "H4100"."

3Then|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200" angel|strong = "H4397"
 who|strong = "H3068" had|strong = "H3068" been|strong = "H3068"
 talking|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H7200"
 started|strong = "H2490" to|strong = "H3068" leave|strong = "H5800",
 and|strong = "H3068" another|strong = "H7200" angel|strong = "H4397"
 walked|strong = "H1980" toward|strong = "H3068" him|strong = "H7200". ⁴

That|strong = "H1471" other|strong = "H6310" angel|strong = "H4397"
 said|strong = "H6310" to|strong = "H6213" him|strong = "H6213",
 "Run|strong = "H7323" and|strong = "H3063" tell|strong = "H5046"
 that|strong = "H1471" young|strong = "H5288" man|strong = "H5375"
 that|strong = "H1471" w some|strong = "H4480" w* w
 day|strong = "H3117" w* there|strong = "H8033" will|strong = "H1471"
 be|strong = "H3808" very|strong = "H6213" many|strong = "H4100"
 people|strong = "H1471" and|strong = "H3063" livestock|strong = "H4735"
 in|strong = "H6213" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389", with|strong = "H6213"
 the|strong = "H5375" result|strong = "H6903" that|strong = "H1471"
 there|strong = "H8033" will|strong = "H1471" be|strong = "H3808"
 too|strong = "H3808" many|strong = "H4100" to|strong = "H6213"
 live|strong = "H3427" inside|strong = "H8432" the|strong = "H5375"
 city|strong = "H5892" walls|strong = "H2346"; many|strong = "H4100"
 will|strong = "H1471" w live|strong = "H3427" w* w
 outside|strong = "H2351" w* the|strong = "H5375" walls|strong = "H2346". 5
 And|strong = "H3027" Yahweh|strong = "H3068" says|strong = "H0559"
 that|strong = "H7200" he|strong = "H3027" w himself|strong = "H3027" w*
 will|strong = "H5869" be|strong = "H3027" w like|strong = "H5869" w*
 [MET|strong = "H5375"] a|strong = "H5375" wall|strong = "H2346"
 of|strong = "H3027" fire|strong = "H0784" around|strong = "H3027" w
 the|strong = "H7200" w* w city|strong = "H5892" w*, and|strong = "H3027"
 he|strong = "H3027" will|strong = "H5869" be|strong = "H3027"
 there|strong = "H2009" with|strong = "H3027" his|strong = "H5375"
 glory|strong = "H3519".

6Yahweh|strong = "H3068" declares|strong = "H5002" w
 to|strong = "H1980" w* w the|strong = "H7200" w* w
 people|strong = "H7200" w* w who|strong = "H3389" w* w
 were|strong = "H7200" w* w exiled|strong = "H1540" w* w
 to|strong = "H1980" w* w Babylonia|strong = "H0894" w*,
 "Run|strong = "H1980"! Flee|strong = "H5127" from|strong = "H1980"
 Babylonia|strong = "H0894" [MTY], the|strong = "H7200"
 country|strong = "H2022" east|strong = "H6921" w of|strong = "H7341" w* w
 Israel|strong = "H3478" w*, and|strong = "H1980" flee|strong = "H5127"
 in|strong = "H1980" all|strong = "H7200" directions|strong = "H7253"
 from|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H7200" places|strong = "H1116"
 where|strong = "H4100" I|strong = "H7200" caused|strong = "H5414"
 you|strong = "H4100" to|strong = "H1980" be|strong = "H3389"
 scattered|strong = "H6327"!

7You|strong = "H1696" people|strong = "H1696" w
 who|strong = "H4397" w* w previously|strong = "H8543" w* w
 lived|strong = "H3427" w* w in|strong = "H1696" w* w
 Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" and|strong = "H3318" who|strong = "H4397" w

now|strong = "H2009"w* live|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H1696"
 Babylon|strong = "H0894", flee|strong = "H3318" from|strong = "H3318"
 there|strong = "H2009"! ⁸ The|strong = "H8432" w
 armies|strong = "H6635"w* w of|strong = "H3427"w* w
 the|strong = "H8432"w* nations|strong = "H1471" that|strong = "H5288" w
 attacked|strong = "H5221"w* w you|strong = "H8432"w* w
 and|strong = "H3389"w* took|strong = "H3947" away|strong = "H7323"
 your|strong = "H1696" valuable|strong = "H3368"
 possessions|strong = "H7399" have|strong = "H5288"
 attacked|strong = "H5221" those|strong = "H1696" who|strong = "H3427"
 are|strong = "H5288" very|strong = "H7323" precious|strong = "H3368"
 to|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H8432" Commander|strong = "H8269"
 of|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H8432" armies|strong = "H6635"
 of|strong = "H3427" angels|strong = "H4397" [IDM]. So|strong = "H1696"
 he|strong = "H3389" says|strong = "H1696" this|strong = "H1696"
 about|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H1696": 'After|strong = "H0310"
 I|strong = "H5288" have|strong = "H5288" honored|strong = "H3513"
 him|strong = "H3389" and|strong = "H3389" sent|strong = "H7971"
 him|strong = "H3389" to|strong = "H1696" w rebuke|strong = "H1606"w*
 the|strong = "H8432" nations|strong = "H1471", ⁹ w it|strong = "H8432"w*
 w is|strong = "H3068"w* w as|strong = "H1961"w* w
 though|strong = "H3588"w* I|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"
 strike|strong = "H5221" them|strong = "H5439" with|strong = "H3068"
 my|strong = "H3068" fist|strong = "H0106", with|strong = "H3068"
 the|strong = "H5002" result|strong = "H6903" that|strong = "H3068"
 those|strong = "H1961" who|strong = "H3068" were|strong = "H1961"
 their|strong = "H3068" slaves|strong = "H5650" will|strong = "H3068" w
 now|strong = "H1961"w* take|strong = "H1961" back|strong = "H7725"
 their|strong = "H3068" possessions|strong = "H7399" from|strong = "H3068"
 those|strong = "H1961" who|strong = "H3068" caused|strong = "H1961"
 them|strong = "H5439" to|strong = "H3068" become|strong = "H1961"
 slaves|strong = "H5650".' And|strong = "H3068" when|strong = "H1961"
 that|strong = "H3068" happens|strong = "H1961", you|strong = "H8432"
 will|strong = "H3068" know|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H3068"
 the|strong = "H5002" Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068"
 the|strong = "H5002" armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068"
 angels|strong = "H4397" is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002"
 one|strong = "H1961" who|strong = "H3068" sent|strong = "H3068"
 me|strong = "H1961".

10Yahweh|strong = "H3068" says|strong = "H5002", "w
 You|strong = "H3588"w* w people|strong = "H5971"w* w
 of|strong = "H3068"w* Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" [APO],
 shout|strong = "H7321" and|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068"
 happy|strong = "H0835", w because|strong = "H3588"w* I|strong = "H3588"

will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068" coming|strong = "H0935" w
to|strong = "H3068" w* w you|strong = "H3588" w* and|strong = "H3068"
I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" live|strong = "H3427"
among|strong = "H8432" you|strong = "H3588"!"

11 At|strong = "H3427" that|strong = "H4422" time|strong = "H6256", w
people|strong = "H3427" w* w of|strong = "H1323" w* many|strong = "H7227"
nations|strong = "H1471" will|strong = "H1323" be|strong = "H6726"
united|strong = "H3161" to|strong = "H1323" Yahweh|strong = "H3068"
and|strong = "H3427" will|strong = "H1323" become|strong = "H1961"
his|strong = "H4422" people|strong = "H3427". He|strong = "H3427"
will|strong = "H1323" live|strong = "H3427" among|strong = "H3427" w
all|strong = "H3427" w* w of|strong = "H1323" w* you|strong = "H6726";
and|strong = "H3427" you|strong = "H6726" will|strong = "H1323"
know|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H4422" the|strong = "H3427"
Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H1323" the|strong = "H3427"
armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H1323" angels|strong = "H4397" w
is|strong = "H6726" w* w the|strong = "H3427" w* w one|strong = "H4422" w*
w who|strong = "H3427" w* sent|strong = "H7971" me|strong = "H0413"
to|strong = "H1323" you|strong = "H6726". ¹² w The|strong = "H3588" w* w
people|strong = "H1471" w* w of|strong = "H3068" w*
Judah|strong = "H3063" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068"
a|strong = "H3588" very|strong = "H3966" special|strong = "H6381"
part|strong = "H7992" of|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H3068"
sacred|strong = "H6944" country|strong = "H2022", and|strong = "H3068"
Jerusalem|strong = "H3519" will|strong = "H3068" again|strong = "H7971"
be|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" city|strong = "H5892"
that|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" has|strong = "H3068"
chosen|strong = "H0977". ¹³ Everyone|strong = "H3605", w
everywhere|strong = "H5921" w*, should|strong = "H3068"
be|strong = "H1961" silent|strong = "H2790" in|strong = "H5921"
the|strong = "H5921" presence|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H3068"
Yahweh|strong = "H3068", because|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588" w
again|strong = "H7971" w* will|strong = "H3068" come|strong = "H1961" w
down|strong = "H7971" w* from|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"
sacred|strong = "H6944" place|strong = "H3027" where|strong = "H5921"
he|strong = "H3588" lives|strong = "H1961" in|strong = "H5921"
heaven|strong = "H8064" w to|strong = "H3068" w* w do|strong = "H3068" w*
w great|strong = "H1419" w* w things|strong = "H1961" w* w
for|strong = "H3588" w* w us|strong = "H5921" w*.

The vision of the Supreme Priest

³ Then|strong = "H5975" w Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w*
showed|strong = "H7200" me|strong = "H6440" Joshua|strong = "H3091",
the|strong = "H6440" Supreme Priest|strong = "H3548", w

who|strong = "H3068" w* w was|strong = "H3068" w*
 standing|strong = "H5975" in|strong = "H5921" front|strong = "H6440"
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440" angel|strong = "H4397"
 that|strong = "H7200" Yahweh|strong = "H3068" had|strong = "H3068"
 sent|strong = "H3068". And|strong = "H3068" Satan|strong = "H7854"
 was|strong = "H3068" standing|strong = "H5975" at|strong = "H5921"
 Joshua's|strong = "H3091" right|strong = "H3225" side|strong = "H3225", w
 ready|strong = "H3559" w* to|strong = "H3068" accuse|strong = "H7853"
 him|strong = "H6440". ² But|strong = "H3808" Yahweh|strong = "H3068"
 said|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3068" Satan|strong = "H7854",
 "Satan|strong = "H7854", I|strong = "H2088" am|strong = "H3068"
 rebuking|strong = "H1606" you|strong = "H3808"! I|strong = "H2088" w
 am|strong = "H3068" w* w the|strong = "H3068" w* w
 one|strong = "H2088" w* who|strong = "H3068" has|strong = "H3068"
 chosen|strong = "H0977" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" w
 to|strong = "H3068" w* w be|strong = "H3808" w* w my|strong = "H3068" w* w
 w special|strong = "H6381" w* w city|strong = "H5892" w*, w
 and|strong = "H3068" w* w I|strong = "H2088" w* w am|strong = "H3068"
 rebuking|strong = "H1606" you|strong = "H3808"! This|strong = "H2088" w
 man|strong = "H2088" w*, w Joshua|strong = "H3091" w*, w
 has|strong = "H3068" w* w been|strong = "H3808" w* w
 brought|strong = "H3068" w* w back|strong = "H7725" w* w
 from|strong = "H3068" w* w Babylonia|strong = "H0894" w*;
 he|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H3068" surely|strong = "H5337" w
 like|strong = "H3808" w* [MET|strong = "H6298", RHQ] a|strong = "H3068"
 burning|strong = "H2740" stick|strong = "H6086" that|strong = "H3068"
 has|strong = "H3068" been|strong = "H3808" snatched|strong = "H5337"
 from|strong = "H3068" a|strong = "H3068" fire|strong = "H0784".

³ Joshua|strong = "H3091" was|strong = "H1961"
 wearing|strong = "H2296" filthy|strong = "H6674" clothes|strong = "H3847"
 while|strong = "H1961" he|strong = "H4397" was|strong = "H1961"
 standing|strong = "H5975" in|strong = "H3847" front|strong = "H6440"
 of|strong = "H6440" the|strong = "H6440" angel|strong = "H4397". ⁴
 The|strong = "H6440" angel|strong = "H4397" said|strong = "H6030"
 to|strong = "H5921" those|strong = "H5921" w other|strong = "H0312" w* w
 angels|strong = "H4397" w* who|strong = "H5975" were|strong = "H5921"
 standing|strong = "H5975" in|strong = "H5921" front|strong = "H6440"
 of|strong = "H6440" him|strong = "H6440", "Take|strong = "H5493"
 off|strong = "H5493" his|strong = "H6440" filthy|strong = "H6674"
 clothes|strong = "H3847"!

w After|strong = "H5921" w* w they|strong = "H5921" w* w
 did|strong = "H7200" w* w that|strong = "H7200" w*, the|strong = "H6440"
 angel|strong = "H4397" said|strong = "H6030" to|strong = "H5921"

Joshua|strong = "H3091", "Look|strong = "H7200"! I|strong = "H5921"
 have|strong = "H5771" taken|strong = "H5493" away|strong = "H5493" w
 the|strong = "H6440" w* w guilt|strong = "H5771" w* w
 of|strong = "H6440" w* your|strong = "H5921" sins|strong = "H5771",
 and|strong = "H6030" I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H5771"
 put|strong = "H3847" beautiful|strong = "H3303" clothes|strong = "H3847"
 on|strong = "H5921" you|strong = "H6440"."

5Then|strong = "H5975" I|strong = "H5921" said|strong = "H0559"
 to|strong = "H3068" them|strong = "H5921", "Put|strong = "H7760"
 a|strong = "H7760" clean|strong = "H2889" turban|strong = "H6797"
 on|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H7760" head|strong = "H7218"!"
 So|strong = "H5975" they|strong = "H3068" put|strong = "H7760"
 a|strong = "H7760" clean|strong = "H2889" turban|strong = "H6797"
 on|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H7760" head|strong = "H7218"
 and|strong = "H3068" put|strong = "H7760" w new|strong = "H2319" w*
 clothes|strong = "H3847" on|strong = "H5921" him|strong = "H5921",
 while|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" angel|strong = "H4397"
 sent|strong = "H3068" by|strong = "H5921" Yahweh|strong = "H3068"
 was|strong = "H3068" standing|strong = "H5975" there|strong = "H5975".

6Then|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" angel|strong = "H4397"
 said|strong = "H0559" w this|strong = "H3068" w* to|strong = "H3068"
 Joshua|strong = "H3091": ⁷ "The|strong = "H5414"
 Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H5414"
 armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H1004" angels|strong = "H4397"
 says|strong = "H3541" that|strong = "H3068" if|strong = "H0518"
 you|strong = "H5414" do|strong = "H3068" what|strong = "H3541"
 I|strong = "H5414" want|strong = "H4270" you|strong = "H5414"
 to|strong = "H3068" do|strong = "H3068" [IDM], and|strong = "H3068"
 obey|strong = "H8104" my|strong = "H8104" instructions|strong = "H1870",
 you|strong = "H5414" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068"
 in|strong = "H3068" charge|strong = "H4931"
 of|strong = "H1004"/have|strong = "H3068" authority|strong = "H3027"
 over|strong = "H5414" w what|strong = "H3541" w* w
 is|strong = "H3068" w* w done|strong = "H5414" w* w in|strong = "H3068" w*
 my|strong = "H8104" temple|strong = "H1004" and|strong = "H3068"
 its|strong = "H5414" courtyard|strong = "H2691". And|strong = "H3068"
 I|strong = "H5414" will|strong = "H3068" allow|strong = "H5414"
 you|strong = "H5414" to|strong = "H3068" speak|strong = "H1696"
 at|strong = "H3068" any|strong = "H5414" time|strong = "H6635"
 to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5414" angels|strong = "H4397"
 who|strong = "H3068" are|strong = "H3068" standing|strong = "H5975"
 near|strong = "H5975" to|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H5414".

8Joshua|strong = "H3091", w you|strong = "H3588" w* w
 are|strong = "H1992" w* the|strong = "H6440" Supreme
 Priest|strong = "H3548", and|strong = "H1419" your|strong = "H6440"
 □ associates|strong = "H4962"/fellow|strong = "H7453"
 priests|strong = "H3548" □ are|strong = "H1992" sitting|strong = "H3427"
 in|strong = "H3427" front|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H3427"
 you|strong = "H3588". They|strong = "H1992"
 symbolize/represent|strong = "H7969" things|strong = "H1419"
 that|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5650" happen|strong = "H1961"
 in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H6440" future|strong = "H0319". w
 Some|strong = "H1992" w* w day|strong = "H3117" w* I|strong = "H3588"
 am|strong = "H2005" going|strong = "H2005" to|strong = "H6440"
 bring|strong = "H0935" someone|strong = "H0376" who|strong = "H3548"
 will|strong = "H5650" work|strong = "H4399" for|strong = "H3588"
 me|strong = "H6440", someone|strong = "H0376" who|strong = "H3548"
 will|strong = "H5650" be|strong = "H4994" called|strong = "H8085"
 the|strong = "H6440" Branch|strong = "H6780". ⁹ Look|strong = "H2009"
 at|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440" stone|strong = "H0068"
 that|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068"
 put|strong = "H5414" in|strong = "H5921" front|strong = "H6440"
 of|strong = "H3068" Joshua|strong = "H3091". There|strong = "H2009"
 are|strong = "H3117" seven|strong = "H7651" sides|strong = "H3411"
 on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H6440" stone|strong = "H0068".
 I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" engrave|strong = "H6605"
 a|strong = "H5414" message|strong = "H3068" on|strong = "H5921"
 that|strong = "H3588" stone|strong = "H0068", and|strong = "H3068"
 in|strong = "H5921" one|strong = "H1931" day|strong = "H3117"
 I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" remove|strong = "H4185"
 the|strong = "H6440" guilt|strong = "H5771" of|strong = "H3068" w
 all|strong = "H5414" w* w the|strong = "H6440" w* w
 people|strong = "H1931" w* w of|strong = "H3068" w* this|strong = "H1931"
 country|strong = "H2022".

10At|strong = "H3068" that|strong = "H3117" time|strong = "H3117",
 each|strong = "H3117" of|strong = "H3068" you|strong = "H3117"
 will|strong = "H3068" invite|strong = "H7121" his|strong = "H3068"
 friends|strong = "H7453" w to|strong = "H3068" w* w
 come|strong = "H6635" w* w and|strong = "H3068" w* w
 sit|strong = "H3427" w* w under|strong = "H8478" his|strong = "H3068"
 grapevine and|strong = "H3068" under|strong = "H8478"
 his|strong = "H3068" fig|strong = "H8384" tree|strong = "H8384". w
 That|strong = "H3117" w* w is|strong = "H3068" w* w
 what|strong = "H4100" w* the|strong = "H5002"
 Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002"
 armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068" angels|strong = "H4397"

declares|strong = "H5002".
The vision of the lampstand

4Then|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H7725" angel|strong = "H4397"
who|strong = "H4397" had|strong = "H3068" been|strong = "H1961"
talking|strong = "H1696" with|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H7725"
returned|strong = "H7725", and|strong = "H7725" he|strong = "H1696"
called|strong = "H7121" to|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H7725"
as|strong = "H1696" though|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H5782"
had|strong = "H3068" been|strong = "H1961" asleep|strong = "H8142". ²
He|strong = "H3605" asked|strong = "H4100" me|strong = "H7200",
"What|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H4100" you|strong = "H3605"
see|strong = "H7200"?"

I |strong = "H2009" replied|strong = "H0559", "I|strong = "H2009"
see|strong = "H7200" a|strong = "H7200" lampstand|strong = "H4501" w
made|strong = "H3605" w* completely|strong = "H3605" of|strong = "H7218"
gold|strong = "H2091". There|strong = "H2009" is|strong = "H4100"
a|strong = "H7200" small|strong = "H6996" bowl|strong = "H1543" w
for|strong = "H5921" w* w olive|strong = "H2132" w* w
oil|strong = "H8081" w* at|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"
top|strong = "H7218", and|strong = "H2091" there|strong = "H2009"
are|strong = "H4100" seven|strong = "H7651" w small|strong = "H6996" w*
lamps|strong = "H5216" around|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"
bowl|strong = "H1543", and|strong = "H2091" a|strong = "H7200"
place|strong = "H3605" for|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H7200"
wick|strong = "H6594" on|strong = "H5921" each|strong = "H3605"
lamp|strong = "H5216". ³ Furthermore|strong = "H1571",
I|strong = "H5921" see|strong = "H7200" two|strong = "H8147"
olive|strong = "H2132" trees|strong = "H2132", one|strong = "H8147"
at|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" right|strong = "H3225"
side|strong = "H3225" of|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"
lampstand|strong = "H4501" and|strong = "H8147" one|strong = "H8147"
at|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921" left|strong = "H8040"
side|strong = "H3225"."

4I|strong = "H4100" asked|strong = "H4100" the|strong = "H1696"
angel|strong = "H4397" who|strong = "H4397" was|strong = "H4397"
talking|strong = "H1696" with|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H1696",
"Sir|strong = "H0113", what|strong = "H4100" are|strong = "H4100"
these|strong = "H1696"?"

5He|strong = "H3808" replied|strong = "H6030", "Surely|strong = "H3808"
you|strong = "H3045" know|strong = "H3045" [RHQ] what|strong = "H4100"
they|strong = "H1992" are|strong = "H1992"?"

I |strong = "H3045" replied|strong = "H6030", "No|strong = "H3808",
I|strong = "H3045" do|strong = "H4100" not|strong = "H3808"
know|strong = "H3045"."

6Then|strong = "H6030" he|strong = "H3588" said|strong = "H1697"
to|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H6030", "This|strong = "H2088"
is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" message|strong = "H1697"
that|strong = "H3588" Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w says|strong = "H1697" w*
w that|strong = "H3588" w* w you|strong = "H3588" w* w
should|strong = "H3068" w* w give|strong = "H6030" w* to|strong = "H3068"
Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216" w the|strong = "H3588" w* w
governor|strong = "H6346" w* w of|strong = "H3068" w* w
Judah|strong = "H3063" w*: 'w You|strong = "H3588" w* w
will|strong = "H3068" w* w do|strong = "H3068" w* w
what|strong = "H1697" w* w I|strong = "H3588" w* w
want|strong = "H3808" w* w you|strong = "H3588" w* w
to|strong = "H3068" w* w do|strong = "H3068" w*, w but|strong = "H3588" w*
w it|strong = "H3588" w* w will|strong = "H3068" w* not|strong = "H3808"
be|strong = "H3808" by|strong = "H3068" your|strong = "H3068"
own|strong = "H1961" strength|strong = "H3581" or|strong = "H3808"
power|strong = "H3581". It|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"
be|strong = "H3808" w done|strong = "H1697" w* by|strong = "H3068" w
the|strong = "H3588" w* w power|strong = "H3581" w* w
of|strong = "H3068" w* my|strong = "H3068" Spirit|strong = "H7307",
says|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H3588" Commander|strong = "H8269"
of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" armies|strong = "H6635"
of|strong = "H3068" angels|strong = "H4397".

7Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216", you|strong = "H6440" w
have|strong = "H2022" w* w many|strong = "H1419" w* w
difficult|strong = "H1419" w* w matters|strong = "H1419" w* w
to|strong = "H3318" w* w handle|strong = "H8610" w*. w
They|strong = "H6440" w* w are|strong = "H4310" w* w
like|strong = "H3318" w* high|strong = "H1419" mountains|strong = "H2022"
[MET|strong = "H6298"]. But|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H6440"
will|strong = "H4310" w become|strong = "H3318" w* w
easy|strong = "H7043" w* w to|strong = "H3318" w* w
handle|strong = "H8610" w*, w as|strong = "H3318" w* w
though|strong = "H3588" w* they|strong = "H6440" will|strong = "H4310"
become|strong = "H3318" flat|strong = "H8478" land|strong = "H6440".
And|strong = "H1419" you|strong = "H6440" will|strong = "H4310"
bring|strong = "H3318" w to|strong = "H3318" w* w the|strong = "H6440" w*
w temple|strong = "H1004" w* the|strong = "H6440" final|strong = "H0319"
stone|strong = "H0068" w to|strong = "H3318" w* w
complete|strong = "H3617" w* w the|strong = "H6440" w* w

rebuilding|strong = "H1129" w* w of|strong = "H2022" w* w
 the|strong = "H6440" w* w temple|strong = "H1004" w*.
 When|strong = "H3318" you|strong = "H6440" do|strong = "H3318"
 that|strong = "H2022", w all|strong = "H1419" w* w the|strong = "H6440" w*
 w people|strong = "H5971" w* will|strong = "H4310" shout|strong = "H7321"
 repeatedly|strong = "H7725", "It|strong = "H6440" is|strong = "H4310"
 beautiful|strong = "H3303"! May|strong = "H4310" God|strong = "H4310"
 bless|strong = "H1288" it|strong = "H6440"!""

8Then|strong = "H1961" Yahweh|strong = "H3068" gave|strong = "H1961"
 me|strong = "H1961" w another|strong = "H0312" w*
 message|strong = "H1697". ⁹ He|strong = "H3588" said|strong = "H0559" w
 to|strong = "H3068" w* w me|strong = "H7971" w*,
 "Zerubbabel|strong = "H2216" [SYN] laid|strong = "H3245"
 the|strong = "H3588" first|strong = "H2088" stone|strong = "H0068"
 in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" foundation|strong = "H3245"
 of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3588" temple|strong = "H1004",
 and|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"
 put|strong = "H7971" the|strong = "H3588" last|strong = "H3588"
 stone|strong = "H0068" in|strong = "H3068" its|strong = "H3045"
 place|strong = "H3027". When|strong = "H3588" that|strong = "H3588"
 happens|strong = "H1961", the|strong = "H3588" people|strong = "H3045"
 will|strong = "H3068" know|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H3588" w
 it|strong = "H3588" w* w is|strong = "H3068" w* w I|strong = "H3588" w*, w
 the|strong = "H3588" w* w Commander|strong = "H8269" w* w
 of|strong = "H1004" w* w the|strong = "H3588" w* w
 armies|strong = "H6635" w* w of|strong = "H1004" w* w
 angels|strong = "H4397" w*, w who|strong = "H3068" w*
 have|strong = "H3068" sent|strong = "H7971" you|strong = "H3588"
 to|strong = "H3068" them|strong = "H7971"." And|strong = "H3068"
 he|strong = "H3588" said|strong = "H0559", "The|strong = "H3588"
 seven|strong = "H7651" bowls|strong = "H4219" represent|strong = "H7969"
 the|strong = "H3588" eyes|strong = "H5869" of|strong = "H1004"
 Yahweh|strong = "H3068", who|strong = "H3068" looks|strong = "H7200"
 back|strong = "H3045" and|strong = "H3068" forth|strong = "H7971"
 at|strong = "H3068" everything|strong = "H3605" w that|strong = "H3588" w*
 w happens|strong = "H1961" w* on|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3588"
 earth|strong = "H0776"."

10No|strong = "H3605" one|strong = "H3605" [RHQ]
 should|strong = "H3068" think|strong = "H5869" that|strong = "H3588"
 little|strong = "H6996" things|strong = "H3605" that|strong = "H3588"
 are|strong = "H3117" done|strong = "H3027" at|strong = "H3068"
 the|strong = "H3605" beginning|strong = "H7225" of|strong = "H3068"
 a|strong = "H3588" big|strong = "H0931" project|strong = "H4399"

are|strong="H3117" unimportant. w When|strong="H3588" w* w
 the|strong="H3605" w* w temple|strong="H1004" w* w
 is|strong="H3068" w* w almost|strong="H3117" w* w
 finished|strong="H3615" w* w being|strong="H3068" w* w
 rebuilt|strong="H1129" w*, Zerubbabel|strong="H2216"
 will|strong="H3068" use|strong="H4399" a|strong="H3588"
 □plumb|strong="H0594" line|strong="H6957"/string|strong="H8439"
 with|strong="H3068" a|strong="H3588" stone|strong="H0068"
 fastened|strong="H8628" to|strong="H3068" it|strong="H3588" □ w
 to|strong="H3068" w* w see|strong="H7200" w* w if|strong="H3588" w*
 w the|strong="H3605" w* w walls|strong="H2346" w* w
 they|strong="H1992" w* w are|strong="H3117" w* w
 building|strong="H1129" w* w are|strong="H3117" w* w
 straight|strong="H3474" w*; so|strong="H3588" when|strong="H3588"
 the|strong="H3605" people|strong="H5869" see|strong="H7200"
 that|strong="H3588", they|strong="H1992" will|strong="H3068"
 rejoice|strong="H8055"."

11 Then|strong="H6030" I|strong="H5921" asked|strong="H4100"
 the|strong="H5921" angel|strong="H4397", "What|strong="H4100"
 is|strong="H4100" w the|strong="H5921" w* w
 meaning|strong="H0998" w* w of|strong="H5921" w* the|strong="H5921"
 two|strong="H8147" olive|strong="H2132" trees|strong="H2132",
 one|strong="H8147" on|strong="H5921" each|strong="H8147"
 side|strong="H3225" of|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"
 lampstand|strong="H4501"? 12 And|strong="H6030"
 what|strong="H4100" is|strong="H4100" w the|strong="H5921" w* w
 meaning|strong="H0998" w* w of|strong="H3027" w* the|strong="H5921"
 two|strong="H8147" olive|strong="H2132" branches|strong="H7641",
 one|strong="H8147" alongside|strong="H5921" each|strong="H8147"
 of|strong="H3027" the|strong="H5921" gold|strong="H2091"
 pipes|strong="H6804" from|strong="H5921" which|strong="H4100" w
 olive|strong="H2132" w* oil|strong="H7324" flows|strong="H2100"
 to|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921" lamps|strong="H5216"?"

13 He|strong="H3808" replied|strong="H0559",
 "Surely|strong="H3808" [RHQ] you|strong="H3045"
 know|strong="H3045" what|strong="H4100" they|strong="H3808"
 are|strong="H4100"?"

I |strong="H3045" replied|strong="H0559", "No|strong="H3808",
 sir|strong="H0113", w I|strong="H3045" w* w do|strong="H4100" w* w
 not|strong="H3808" w* w know|strong="H3045" w*."

14So he said, "They represent the two who were appointed to serve the Lord who were w rules the entire earth." The vision of the flying scroll

5I looked up again, and I saw a scroll that was flying through the air.

2The angel asked me, "What do you see?"

I replied, "I see a flying scroll that is w huge, 10 yards/9 meters long and 5 yards/4.5 meters wide."

3Then he said to me, "On this scroll is written w that w Yahweh is w speaking w to w curse the entire country. On w one w side of w the scroll it is written that every thief will be banished. On w the w other w side it is written that everyone

who|strong = "H3605" tells|strong = "H1696" a|strong = "H3588"
 lie|strong = "H7901" when|strong = "H3588" he|strong = "H3588"
 is|strong = "H2088" solemnly|strong = "H7650" promising|strong = "H1696"
 to|strong = "H3318" tell|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"
 truth|strong = "H0571" will|strong = "H2088" also|strong = "H2088"
 be|strong = "H6440" banished|strong = "H5080" from|strong = "H3318"
 the|strong = "H3605" country|strong = "H2022". ⁴ The|strong = "H5002"
 Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H5002"
 armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H1004" angels|strong = "H4397"
 says|strong = "H5002", 'I|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"
 send|strong = "H3318" copies w of|strong = "H1004" w* this|strong = "H3068"
 scroll|strong = "H5612" to|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H5002"
 places|strong = "H1004" where|strong = "H1004" thieves|strong = "H1590"
 live|strong = "H8034" and|strong = "H3068" to|strong = "H3318"
 the|strong = "H5002" houses|strong = "H1004" of|strong = "H1004"
 those|strong = "H3318" who|strong = "H3068" use|strong = "H3615"
 my|strong = "H3068" name|strong = "H8034" when|strong = "H3615"
 they|strong = "H3068" solemnly|strong = "H7650" promise|strong = "H7650"
 to|strong = "H3318" tell|strong = "H5046" the|strong = "H5002"
 truth|strong = "H0571". w The|strong = "H5002" w* copies w
 of|strong = "H1004" w* this|strong = "H3068" scroll|strong = "H5612"
 will|strong = "H3068" stay|strong = "H3885" in|strong = "H3068"
 their|strong = "H3068" houses|strong = "H1004", until|strong = "H3885"
 those|strong = "H3318" houses|strong = "H1004" and|strong = "H3068"
 all|strong = "H3885" their|strong = "H3068" wood|strong = "H6086"
 and|strong = "H3068" stones|strong = "H0068" are|strong = "H3068"
 destroyed|strong = "H3615".' ”
 The|strong = "H5002" vision|strong = "H2377" of|strong = "H1004"
 the|strong = "H5002" woman|strong = "H8034" in|strong = "H3068"
 a|strong = "H3318" basket|strong = "H5536"

5Then|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H7200" angel|strong = "H4397"
 who|strong = "H4397" had|strong = "H5869" been|strong = "H5375"
 talking|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H4994"
 came|strong = "H3318" closer|strong = "H5066" to|strong = "H1696"
 me|strong = "H4994" and|strong = "H5869" said|strong = "H1696",
 "Look|strong = "H7200" up|strong = "H5375" and|strong = "H5869"
 see|strong = "H7200" what|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H4100"
 appearing|strong = "H7200"!"

6I|strong = "H4100" asked|strong = "H4100" him|strong = "H3318",
 "What|strong = "H4100" is|strong = "H1931" it|strong = "H1931"?"

H e|strong = "H1931" replied|strong = "H0559", "It|strong = "H1931"
 is|strong = "H1931" a|strong = "H3318" big|strong = "H0931"

basket|strong = "H5536" w for|strong = "H3605" w* w
 measuring|strong = "H4060" w* w grain|strong = "H3605" w*.
 But|strong = "H1931" it|strong = "H1931" represents the|strong = "H3605"
 sins|strong = "H2403" that|strong = "H3605" everyone|strong = "H3605"
 in|strong = "H5869" this|strong = "H2063" nation|strong = "H1471"
 has|strong = "H4100" committed|strong = "H6213".

7Then|strong = "H2009" w the|strong = "H5375" w* w
 angel|strong = "H4397" w* lifted|strong = "H5375" the|strong = "H5375"
 basket's cover|strong = "H3603", w which|strong = "H0834" w* w
 was|strong = "H3427" w* w made|strong = "H6213" w* of|strong = "H3427"
 lead|strong = "H5777". There|strong = "H2009" was|strong = "H3427"
 a|strong = "H5375" woman|strong = "H0802" sitting|strong = "H3427"
 inside|strong = "H8432" the|strong = "H5375" basket|strong = "H5536"! ⁸
 The|strong = "H8432" angel|strong = "H4397" said|strong = "H6310",
 "She|strong = "H2063" represents the|strong = "H8432"
 wicked|strong = "H7563" things|strong = "H1697" w
 that|strong = "H6310" w* w people|strong = "H5971" w* w
 do|strong = "H6213" w*." Then|strong = "H0227" the|strong = "H8432"
 angel|strong = "H4397" pushed|strong = "H1920" her|strong = "H2063"
 back|strong = "H7725" into|strong = "H8432" the|strong = "H8432"
 basket|strong = "H5536" and|strong = "H6310" closed|strong = "H5462"
 the|strong = "H8432" very|strong = "H3966" heavy|strong = "H3513"
 lid|strong = "H1817" w again|strong = "H7725" w*.

9Then|strong = "H3318" I|strong = "H2009" looked|strong = "H7200"
 up|strong = "H5375" and|strong = "H8064" saw|strong = "H7200"
 two|strong = "H8147" women|strong = "H0802" in|strong = "H8064"
 front|strong = "H6440" of|strong = "H7307" me|strong = "H7200".
 They|strong = "H2007" w were|strong = "H5869" w* w
 flying|strong = "H3671" w* w toward|strong = "H3318" w* w
 us|strong = "H7200" w*, with|strong = "H3318" their|strong = "H5375"
 wings|strong = "H3671" spread|strong = "H3318" out|strong = "H3318"
 in|strong = "H8064" the|strong = "H7200" wind|strong = "H7307".
 Their|strong = "H5375" wings|strong = "H3671" were|strong = "H5869" w
 large|strong = "H1419" w*, like|strong = "H3318" [SIM] storks'
 wings|strong = "H3671". They|strong = "H2007" lifted|strong = "H5375"
 the|strong = "H7200" big|strong = "H0931" basket|strong = "H5536"
 up|strong = "H5375" into|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H7200"
 sky|strong = "H8064".

10I|strong = "H3212" asked|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H1696"
 angel|strong = "H4397" who|strong = "H1992" had|strong = "H3068"
 been|strong = "H1961" talking|strong = "H1696" to|strong = "H1696"
 me|strong = "H1696", "Where|strong = "H1992" are|strong = "H1992"

they|strong = "H1992" taking|strong = "H3947" that|strong = "H4397"
basket|strong = "H5536"?"

11He|strong = "H8033" replied|strong = "H0559", "w
They|strong = "H8033" w* w are|strong = "H1004" w* w
taking|strong = "H3947" w* w it|strong = "H5921" w* to|strong = "H5921"
Babylonia|strong = "H0894" to|strong = "H5921" build|strong = "H1129"
a|strong = "H1129" temple|strong = "H1004" for|strong = "H5921"
it|strong = "H5921". When|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"
temple|strong = "H1004" is|strong = "H8033" finished|strong = "H3615",
they|strong = "H8033" will|strong = "H1004" set|strong = "H3559"
the|strong = "H5921" basket|strong = "H5536" there|strong = "H8033"
on|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H1129" pedestal|strong = "H3653" w
for|strong = "H5921" w* w people|strong = "H3240" w* w
to|strong = "H5921" w* w worship|strong = "H7812" w* w
it|strong = "H5921" w*."

The vision of four chariots

6I|strong = "H2009" looked|strong = "H7200" up|strong = "H5375"
again|strong = "H7725", and|strong = "H7725" w in|strong = "H7725" w* w
the|strong = "H7200" w* w vision|strong = "H7200" w* I|strong = "H2009"
saw|strong = "H7200" four|strong = "H0702" chariots|strong = "H4818"
coming|strong = "H3318" toward|strong = "H3318" me|strong = "H7725". w
They|strong = "H5375" w* w were|strong = "H5869" w* w
coming|strong = "H3318" w* between|strong = "H0996" two|strong = "H8147"
mountains|strong = "H2022" w that|strong = "H7200" w* w
were|strong = "H5869" w* w made|strong = "H7725" w* of|strong = "H2022"
bronze|strong = "H5178". ² The|strong = "H7223" first|strong = "H7223"
chariot|strong = "H4818" w was|strong = "H5483" w* w
pulled|strong = "H5265" w* w by|strong = "H0801" w* red|strong = "H5488"
horses|strong = "H5483", the|strong = "H7223" second|strong = "H8145"
chariot|strong = "H4818" w was|strong = "H5483" w* w
pulled|strong = "H5265" w* w by|strong = "H0801" w* black|strong = "H7838"
horses|strong = "H5483", ³ the|strong = "H7992" third|strong = "H7992"
chariot|strong = "H4818" w was|strong = "H5483" w* w
pulled|strong = "H5265" w* w by|strong = "H0801" w*
white|strong = "H3836" horses|strong = "H5483", and|strong = "H5483"
the|strong = "H7992" fourth|strong = "H7243" chariot|strong = "H4818" w
was|strong = "H5483" w* w pulled|strong = "H5265" w* w
by|strong = "H0801" w* spotted|strong = "H1261" gray|strong = "H7872"
horses|strong = "H5483". They|strong = "H7243" were|strong = "H5483"
all|strong = "H3605" very|strong = "H3966" strong|strong = "H2388"
horses|strong = "H5483". ⁴ I|strong = "H4100" asked|strong = "H4100"
the|strong = "H1696" angel|strong = "H4397" who|strong = "H4397"
had|strong = "H4100" been|strong = "H1961" speaking|strong = "H1696"

to|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H1696", "Sir|strong = "H0113",
 what|strong = "H4100" do|strong = "H4100" those|strong = "H1696"
 chariots|strong = "H7393" mean|strong = "H2823"?"

5The|strong = "H3605" angel|strong = "H4397" replied|strong = "H6030",
 "They|strong = "H5921" have|strong = "H3605" come|strong = "H3318"
 from|strong = "H3318" standing|strong = "H3320" in|strong = "H5921"
 the|strong = "H3605" presence|strong = "H5921" of|strong = "H7307"
 the|strong = "H3605" Lord|strong = "H3068" who|strong = "H3605"
 controls|strong = "H3820"/rules|strong = "H4910" the|strong = "H3605"
 entire|strong = "H3605" earth|strong = "H8064". They|strong = "H5921"
 will|strong = "H8064" go|strong = "H3318" across|strong = "H5921"
 the|strong = "H3605" sky|strong = "H8064" in|strong = "H5921"
 four|strong = "H0702" directions|strong = "H7253". ⁶ The|strong = "H3318"
 chariot|strong = "H7393" w pulled|strong = "H5265" w* w
 by|strong = "H3318" w* black|strong = "H7838" horses|strong = "H5483"
 will|strong = "H6828" go|strong = "H3318" north|strong = "H6828",
 the|strong = "H3318" w one|strong = "H0259" w* w
 pulled|strong = "H5265" w* w by|strong = "H3318" w* w
 white|strong = "H3836" horses|strong = "H5483" will|strong = "H6828"
 go|strong = "H3318" west|strong = "H3220", the|strong = "H3318"
 one|strong = "H0259" w pulled|strong = "H5265" w* w
 by|strong = "H3318" w* spotted|strong = "H1261" gray|strong = "H7872"
 horses|strong = "H5483" will|strong = "H6828" go|strong = "H3318"
 south|strong = "H8486"."

7When|strong = "H3318" those|strong = "H3318"
 powerful|strong = "H2392" horses|strong = "H5483" left|strong = "H3318",
 their|strong = "H1245" chariot-drivers were|strong = "H3318"
 eager|strong = "H1245" to|strong = "H1980" go|strong = "H1980"
 throughout|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H3318" world|strong = "H8398".
 w As|strong = "H3318" w* w they|strong = "H3318" w* w
 were|strong = "H3318" w* w leaving|strong = "H3318" w*,
 the|strong = "H3318" angel|strong = "H4397" said|strong = "H3318"
 to|strong = "H1980" them|strong = "H3318", "Go|strong = "H1980"
 throughout|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H3318" world|strong = "H8398"
 w and|strong = "H1980" w* w see|strong = "H7200" w* w
 what|strong = "H4100" w* w is|strong = "H0369" w* happening!"
 So|strong = "H1980" that|strong = "H3212" is|strong = "H0369"
 what|strong = "H4100" they|strong = "H3318" did|strong = "H1980".

8Then|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H7200" angel|strong = "H4397"
 called|strong = "H2199" to|strong = "H1696" me|strong = "H7200" w
 and|strong = "H7200" w* w said|strong = "H1696" w*,
 "Look|strong = "H7200"/Listen|strong = "H8085", the|strong = "H7200"

drivers w of|strong = "H7307" w* w the|strong = "H7200" w*
 chariots|strong = "H7393" that|strong = "H7200" have|strong = "H7200"
 gone|strong = "H3318" north|strong = "H6828" will|strong = "H7307"
 do|strong = "H3318" what|strong = "H7200" the|strong = "H7200"
 Spirit|strong = "H7307" w of|strong = "H7307" w* w
 Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w* w wants|strong = "H2656" w* w
 them|strong = "H5117" w* w to|strong = "H1696" w* w
 do|strong = "H3318" w* there|strong = "H7200".
 A|strong = "H7200" crown|strong = "H5850" was|strong = "H7307"
 given|strong = "H5117" to|strong = "H1696" Joshua|strong = "H3091"

9Then|strong = "H1961" Yahweh|strong = "H3068" gave|strong = "H1961"
 me|strong = "H1961" w another|strong = "H0312" w*
 message|strong = "H1697". 10 He|strong = "H1931" said|strong = "H0559",
 "Heldai|strong = "H2469", Tobijah|strong = "H2900", and|strong = "H1121"
 Jedaiah|strong = "H3048" will|strong = "H1121" be|strong = "H1121"
 bringing|strong = "H0935" some|strong = "H3117" silver|strong = "H3701"
 and|strong = "H1121" gold|strong = "H2091" from|strong = "H1121"
 the|strong = "H3947" people|strong = "H1121" who|strong = "H1931"
 were|strong = "H1121" exiled|strong = "H1540"
 in|strong = "H1004"/forced|strong = "H4522" to|strong = "H3117"
 go|strong = "H1980" to|strong = "H3117" Babylon|strong = "H0894".
 As|strong = "H3117" soon|strong = "H3512" as|strong = "H3117"
 they|strong = "H3117" arrive|strong = "H0935", go|strong = "H1980"
 to|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3947" house|strong = "H1004"
 of|strong = "H1121" Josiah|strong = "H2977" the|strong = "H3947"
 son|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Zephaniah|strong = "H6846". 11
 Take|strong = "H3947" w some|strong = "H4480" w* w
 of|strong = "H1121" w* w that|strong = "H3548" w* silver|strong = "H3701"
 and|strong = "H1121" gold|strong = "H2091" from|strong = "H1121"
 them|strong = "H6213" and|strong = "H1121" make|strong = "H6213"
 a|strong = "H3947" crown|strong = "H5850". Then|strong = "H3947"
 put|strong = "H7760" it|strong = "H7760" on|strong = "H7760"
 the|strong = "H3947" head|strong = "H7218" of|strong = "H1121"
 Jehozadak's son|strong = "H1121" Joshua|strong = "H3091",
 the|strong = "H3947" Supreme Priest|strong = "H3548". 12
 Tell|strong = "H5046" him|strong = "H8478" that|strong = "H3068" w
 I|strong = "H3541" w*, the|strong = "H3541" Commander|strong = "H8269"
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541" armies|strong = "H6635"
 of|strong = "H3068" angels|strong = "H4397", say|strong = "H0559"
 that|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541" man|strong = "H0376"
 who|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H3068" called|strong = "H8034"
 the|strong = "H3541" Branch|strong = "H6780" will|strong = "H3068"
 come|strong = "H6635". He|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"
 leave|strong = "H5800" the|strong = "H3541" place|strong = "H8478"

where|strong = "H8478" he|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H3068"
 now|strong = "H2009", and|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H3068"
 will|strong = "H3068" w supervise|strong = "H5329" w* w
 those|strong = "H1992" w* w who|strong = "H3068" w*
 build|strong = "H1129" my|strong = "H3068" temple|strong = "H1964". ¹³
 He|strong = "H1931" is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921"
 one|strong = "H1931" who|strong = "H1931" w will|strong = "H3068" w* w
 tell|strong = "H5046" w* w those|strong = "H5921" w* w
 who|strong = "H1931" w* will|strong = "H3068" build|strong = "H1129"
 my|strong = "H3068" temple|strong = "H1964" w what|strong = "H5921" w*
 w to|strong = "H3068" w* w do|strong = "H3068" w*. He|strong = "H1931"
 will|strong = "H3068" wear|strong = "H5375" royal|strong = "H4438"
 clothing|strong = "H3830" and|strong = "H3068" he|strong = "H1931"
 will|strong = "H3068" sit|strong = "H3427" on|strong = "H5921"
 his|strong = "H5375" throne|strong = "H3678" and|strong = "H3068"
 rule|strong = "H4910". There|strong = "H1961" will|strong = "H3068"
 also|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"
 priest|strong = "H3548" w sitting|strong = "H3427" w* next|strong = "H5921"
 to|strong = "H3068" his|strong = "H5375" throne|strong = "H3678",
 and|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" two|strong = "H8147"
 of|strong = "H3068" them|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3068"
 work|strong = "H4399" together|strong = "H5921" harmoniously. ¹⁴
 The|strong = "H3068" crown|strong = "H5850" must|strong = "H1121"
 be|strong = "H1961" w kept|strong = "H1961" w* in|strong = "H3068"
 my|strong = "H3068" temple|strong = "H1964" to|strong = "H3068"
 remind|strong = "H5046" people|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"
 what|strong = "H4100" Heldai|strong = "H2469", Tobijah|strong = "H2900",
 Jedaiah|strong = "H3048", and|strong = "H1121" Josiah|strong = "H2977" w
 did|strong = "H3068" w* w for|strong = "H3068" w* w
 them|strong = "H1961" w*. ¹⁵ People|strong = "H3045"
 who|strong = "H3068" are|strong = "H3068" w living|strong = "H2416" w*
 far|strong = "H7350" away|strong = "H7971" will|strong = "H3068"
 come|strong = "H1961" and|strong = "H3068" w help|strong = "H1961" w* w
 to|strong = "H3068" w* build|strong = "H1129" my|strong = "H8085"
 temple|strong = "H1964". When|strong = "H3588" that|strong = "H3588"
 happens|strong = "H1961", the|strong = "H8085" people|strong = "H3045"
 will|strong = "H3068" know|strong = "H3045" that|strong = "H3588" w
 I|strong = "H3588" w*, the|strong = "H8085" Commander|strong = "H8269"
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8085" armies|strong = "H6635"
 of|strong = "H3068" angels|strong = "H4397", have|strong = "H1961"
 sent|strong = "H7971" you|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H3068"
 them|strong = "H7971". w That|strong = "H3588" w* w
 will|strong = "H3068" w* w happen|strong = "H1961" w* if|strong = "H3588"
 they|strong = "H3588" faithfully|strong = "H0571" obey|strong = "H8085"
 me|strong = "H7971", Yahweh|strong = "H3068",
 your|strong = "H3068"/their|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068".

The people must act justly and mercifully, not only habitually abstain from eating food

7When|strong = "H1961" Darius|strong = "H1867" had|strong = "H3068" been|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H3068" emperor for|strong = "H3068" almost|strong = "H4592" four|strong = "H0702" years|strong = "H8141", on|strong = "H3068" December 7, Yahweh|strong = "H3068" gave|strong = "H1961" me|strong = "H1961" w another|strong = "H2320" w* message|strong = "H1697". ² The|strong = "H6440" people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H3068" Bethel|strong = "H1008" w city|strong = "H5892" w* sent|strong = "H7971" two|strong = "H8147" men|strong = "H0376", Sharezer|strong = "H8272" and|strong = "H3068" Regem-Melech|strong = "H7278", along|strong = "H6440" with|strong = "H3068" some|strong = "H4480" other|strong = "H0312" men|strong = "H0376", w to|strong = "H3068" w* w the|strong = "H6440" w* w temple|strong = "H1004" w* w of|strong = "H3068" w* w Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w*, w the|strong = "H6440" w* w Commander|strong = "H8269" w* w of|strong = "H3068" w* w the|strong = "H6440" w* w armies|strong = "H6635" w* w of|strong = "H3068" w* w angels|strong = "H4397" w*, to|strong = "H3068" request|strong = "H7971" that|strong = "H3068" Yahweh|strong = "H3068" bless|strong = "H1288" them|strong = "H7971". ³ They|strong = "H3068" also|strong = "H3068" asked|strong = "H4100" the|strong = "H6213" priests|strong = "H3548" at|strong = "H3068" Yahweh's|strong = "H3068" temple|strong = "H1004" and|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6213" prophets|strong = "H5030" w this|strong = "H2088" w* w question|strong = "H1697" w*: "For|strong = "H6213" many|strong = "H4100" years|strong = "H8141", during|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H6213" fifth|strong = "H2549" month|strong = "H2320" w and|strong = "H3068" w* w during|strong = "H3117" w* w the|strong = "H6213" w* w seventh|strong = "H7637" w* w month|strong = "H2320" w* w of|strong = "H1004" w* w each|strong = "H2088" w* w year|strong = "H8141" w*, we|strong = "H6213" have|strong = "H3068" mourned|strong = "H1058" and|strong = "H3068" fasted|strong = "H6684"/abstained from|strong = "H3068" eating|strong = "H0398" food|strong = "H1004". Should|strong = "H3068" we|strong = "H6213" w continue|strong = "H1961" w* w to|strong = "H3068" w* w do|strong = "H6213" w* w that|strong = "H3068" w*?"

4Then|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H3068" Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068" angels|strong = "H4397" gave|strong = "H1961" me|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961" message|strong = "H1697". ⁵ w He|strong = "H3588" w* w

said|strong = "H0559" w*, "Tell|strong = "H3605" [RHQ]
 the|strong = "H3605" priests|strong = "H3548" and|strong = "H3548"
 all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" w other|strong = "H2088" w*
 people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H8141" Judah|strong = "H3063"
 that|strong = "H3588" during|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"
 past|strong = "H5674" 70 years|strong = "H8141", when|strong = "H3588"
 they|strong = "H3588" mourned|strong = "H5594" and|strong = "H3548"
 fasted|strong = "H6684" during|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"
 fifth|strong = "H2549" and|strong = "H3548" seventh|strong = "H7637"
 months|strong = "H7637" w of|strong = "H8141" w* w
 each|strong = "H3605" w* w year|strong = "H8141" w*, it|strong = "H3588"
 was|strong = "H8141" not|strong = "H2088" really|strong = "H2088" [RHQ]
 me|strong = "H3588", w Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w*,
 whom|strong = "H5971" they|strong = "H3588" were|strong = "H5971" w
 honoring|strong = "H3513" w*. ⁶ And|strong = "H8354"
 when|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" ate|strong = "H0398"
 and|strong = "H8354" drank|strong = "H8354", it|strong = "H3588"
 was|strong = "H3808" really|strong = "H2088" [RHQ] to|strong = "H3808" w
 benefit|strong = "H1576" w* themselves|strong = "H0905". ⁷
 That|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H3068" certainly|strong = "H3808" [RHQ]
 what|strong = "H1697" I|strong = "H1697" continually|strong = "H3068"
 told|strong = "H1697" the|strong = "H3068" former|strong = "H7223"
 prophets|strong = "H5030" to|strong = "H3068" proclaim|strong = "H7121" w
 to|strong = "H3068" w* w the|strong = "H3068" w* w
 people|strong = "H3427" w*, when|strong = "H1961"
 Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" and|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"
 nearby|strong = "H7138" towns|strong = "H5892" were|strong = "H1961"
 prosperous|strong = "H7961" and|strong = "H3068" filled|strong = "H4390"
 with|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H3427", and|strong = "H3068"
 people|strong = "H3427" w also|strong = "H3068" w* lived|strong = "H3427"
 in|strong = "H3427" the|strong = "H3068" desert|strong = "H6160"
 area|strong = "H5439" to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"
 south|strong = "H5045" and|strong = "H3068" in|strong = "H3427"
 the|strong = "H3068" foothills|strong = "H8219" w to|strong = "H3068" w* w
 the|strong = "H3068" w* w west|strong = "H3220" w*."

⁸Yahweh|strong = "H3068" gave|strong = "H1961"
 another|strong = "H0312" message|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H3068"
 me|strong = "H1961", saying|strong = "H1697" ⁹ "w
 Tell|strong = "H5046" w* w the|strong = "H3541" w* w
 people|strong = "H5971" w* w that|strong = "H3068" w* this|strong = "H6213"
 is|strong = "H3068" what|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H3541"
 Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541"
 armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068" angels|strong = "H4397"
 says|strong = "H3541": 'Do|strong = "H6213" what|strong = "H6213"

is|strong = "H3068" just|strong = "H4941"/right|strong = "H4941",
 and|strong = "H3068" act|strong = "H6213" kindly|strong = "H2617"
 and|strong = "H3068" mercifully toward|strong = "H3068"
 each|strong = "H3541" other|strong = "H3541". ¹⁰ Do|strong = "H6213"
 not|strong = "H2803" □ oppress|strong = "H6231"/treat|strong = "H6213"
 cruelly|strong = "H7188" □ widows|strong = "H0490" or|strong = "H1616"
 orphans|strong = "H3490" or|strong = "H1616" foreigners|strong = "H1616"
 or|strong = "H1616" poor|strong = "H6041" people|strong = "H5971".
 Do|strong = "H6213" not|strong = "H2803" even|strong = "H1571"
 think|strong = "H2803" about|strong = "H3824" doing|strong = "H7451"
 evil|strong = "H7451" to|strong = "H3824" anyone|strong = "H3605"
 else|strong = "H5750".' "

11But|strong = "H3513" the|strong = "H8085" people|strong = "H8085"
 refused|strong = "H3985" to|strong = "H5414" pay|strong = "H5414"
 attention|strong = "H7181" w to|strong = "H5414" w* w
 what|strong = "H8085" w* w Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w* w
 said|strong = "H8085" w*. They|strong = "H5414" turned|strong = "H5414"
 their|strong = "H5414" backs|strong = "H3802" w to|strong = "H5414" w* w
 him|strong = "H5414" w*, and|strong = "H8085" put|strong = "H5414"
 their|strong = "H5414" hands|strong = "H3802" over|strong = "H5414"
 their|strong = "H5414" ears|strong = "H0241" in|strong = "H8085"
 order|strong = "H4616" to|strong = "H5414" not|strong = "H5414"
 hear|strong = "H8085" w what|strong = "H8085" w* w he|strong = "H5414" w*
 w said|strong = "H8085" w*. ¹² They|strong = "H3068"
 were|strong = "H1961" very|strong = "H1419" stubborn|strong = "H5637"
 [IDM], and|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068" would|strong = "H3068"
 not|strong = "H1961" listen|strong = "H8085" to|strong = "H3068"
 the|strong = "H8085" laws|strong = "H8451" w that|strong = "H8085" w* w
 God|strong = "H3068" w* w gave|strong = "H7760" w* w
 to|strong = "H3068" w* w Moses|strong = "H4872" w* w or|strong = "H8085"
 the|strong = "H8085" messages|strong = "H1697" that|strong = "H8085"
 the|strong = "H8085" Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068"
 the|strong = "H8085" armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068"
 angels|strong = "H4397" told|strong = "H1697" his|strong = "H7760"
 Spirit|strong = "H7307" to|strong = "H3068" give|strong = "H7760"
 to|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8085" prophets|strong = "H5030"
 who|strong = "H3068" were|strong = "H1961" now|strong = "H1961"
 dead|strong = "H4191". So|strong = "H7971" the|strong = "H8085"
 Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8085"
 armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068" angels|strong = "H4397"
 was|strong = "H3068" very|strong = "H1419" angry|strong = "H7110".

13The|strong = "H8085" Commander|strong = "H8269"
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H8085" armies|strong = "H6635"

of|strong = "H3068" angels|strong = "H4397" says|strong = "H0559",
 "When|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H3651"
 called|strong = "H7121"/spoke|strong = "H1696" w to|strong = "H3068" w* w
 the|strong = "H8085" w* w people|strong = "H3808" w*,
 they|strong = "H3651" would|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"
 listen|strong = "H8085". So|strong = "H3651" when|strong = "H1961"
 they|strong = "H3651" called|strong = "H7121"/prayed|strong = "H7121" w
 to|strong = "H3068" w* w me|strong = "H7121" w*, I|strong = "H3651"
 did|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" listen|strong = "H8085". ¹⁴
 And|strong = "H7725" I|strong = "H5921" caused|strong = "H5674"
 them|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H7725" be|strong = "H3808"
 scattered|strong = "H590" among|strong = "H5921" many|strong = "H3808"
 nations|strong = "H1471", where|strong = "H5921" they|strong = "H3808"
 were|strong = "H1471" strangers|strong = "H2114". w It|strong = "H7760" w*
 w was|strong = "H3605" w* w as|strong = "H3605" w* w
 though|strong = "H3588" w* [MET|strong = "H6298"] a|strong = "H7760"
 whirlwind|strong = "H590" w picked|strong = "H5375" w* w
 them|strong = "H5921" w* w up|strong = "H7760" w* w
 and|strong = "H7725" w* w carried|strong = "H7725" w* w
 them|strong = "H5921" w* w away|strong = "H7725" w* w
 from|strong = "H7725" w* w their|strong = "H3605" w* w
 country|strong = "H2022" w*. The|strong = "H3605"
 country|strong = "H2022"/land|strong = "H0776" that|strong = "H3045"
 they|strong = "H3808" w were|strong = "H1471" w* w
 forced|strong = "H4522" w* w to|strong = "H7725" w* w leave|strong = "H7760"
 was|strong = "H3605" ruined|strong = "H8047", with|strong = "H5921"
 the|strong = "H3605" result|strong = "H6903" that|strong = "H3045"
 no|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H3605" could|strong = "H3045" w
 live|strong = "H3427" w* w there|strong = "H3605" w* w
 or|strong = "H3808" w* w even|strong = "H3808" w* w travel|strong = "H5674"
 through|strong = "H5674" it|strong = "H7760". w It|strong = "H7760" w* w
 was|strong = "H3605" w* w previously|strong = "H3808" w* w
 a|strong = "H7760" delightful|strong = "H2656" land|strong = "H0776",
 but|strong = "H3808" they|strong = "H3808" caused|strong = "H5674"
 it|strong = "H7760" to|strong = "H7725" become|strong = "H7725"
 □desolate|strong = "H8047"/like|strong = "H3808" a|strong = "H7760"
 desert|strong = "H6160"□."

Yahweh promised to bless Jerusalem

8Yahweh|strong = "H3068" gave|strong = "H1961" me|strong = "H1961" w
 another|strong = "H0312" w* message|strong = "H1697".
 He|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H1697", ² "This|strong = "H3541"
 is|strong = "H3068" what|strong = "H3541" w I|strong = "H3541" w*,
 the|strong = "H3541" Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068"
 the|strong = "H3541" armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068"

angels|strong = "H4397", say|strong = "H0559": 'I|strong = "H3541"
 love|strong = "H0157" w the|strong = "H3541" w* w
 people|strong = "H5971" w* w of|strong = "H3068" w*
 Jerusalem|strong = "H3389"; I|strong = "H3541" love|strong = "H0157"
 them|strong = "H3068" very|strong = "H1419" much|strong = "H1419",
 and|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3541" am|strong = "H3068"
 very|strong = "H1419" angry|strong = "H2534" with|strong = "H3068"
 their|strong = "H3068" enemies|strong = "H0341".'

3So|strong = "H3541" this|strong = "H3541" is|strong = "H3068"
 what|strong = "H3541" I|strong = "H3541" say|strong = "H7725": 'w
 Some|strong = "H4480" w* w day|strong = "H6944" w* I|strong = "H3541"
 will|strong = "H3068" return|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725"
 Zion|strong = "H6726" w Hill|strong = "H2022" w* and|strong = "H3068"
 I|strong = "H3541" will|strong = "H3068" live|strong = "H7931"
 there|strong = "H2022". w At|strong = "H3068" w* w
 that|strong = "H3068" w* w time|strong = "H6635" w*,
 Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068"
 called|strong = "H7121" the|strong = "H3541" city|strong = "H5892" w
 where|strong = "H7931" w* w people|strong = "H5971" w*
 □are|strong = "H3068" faithful|strong = "H0539"
 to|strong = "H7725"/faithfully|strong = "H0571" obey|strong = "H8085"□
 me|strong = "H7725", and|strong = "H3068" w people|strong = "H5971" w* w
 will|strong = "H3068" w* w say|strong = "H7725" w* w
 that|strong = "H3068" w* w Zion|strong = "H6726" w* Hill|strong = "H2022"
 w is|strong = "H3068" w* holy|strong = "H6944" because|strong = "H3068"
 it|strong = "H7121" is|strong = "H3068" where|strong = "H7931"
 the|strong = "H3541" Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068"
 the|strong = "H3541" armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068"
 angels|strong = "H4397" dwells|strong = "H7931".''

4The|strong = "H3541" Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068"
 the|strong = "H3541" armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068"
 angels|strong = "H4397" also|strong = "H3068" says|strong = "H3541"
 this|strong = "H3541": "w Some|strong = "H3117" w* w
 day|strong = "H3117" w* old|strong = "H2205" men|strong = "H2205"
 and|strong = "H3068" old|strong = "H2205" women|strong = "H2205"
 will|strong = "H3068" again|strong = "H5750" sit|strong = "H3427"
 along|strong = "H3027" the|strong = "H3541" streets|strong = "H7339"
 of|strong = "H3068" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389", each|strong = "H3117"
 of|strong = "H3068" them|strong = "H3027" holding|strong = "H2388"
 a|strong = "H3117" cane|strong = "H7070" because|strong = "H7230"
 of|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068" being|strong = "H5750"
 very|strong = "H7230" old|strong = "H2205". ⁵ And|strong = "H5892"
 the|strong = "H4390" city|strong = "H5892" streets|strong = "H7339"

with|strong = "H4390" be|strong = "H5892" full|strong = "H4390"
of|strong = "H5892" boys|strong = "H3206" and|strong = "H5892"
girls|strong = "H3207" playing|strong = "H7832".

6The|strong = "H5002" Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068"
the|strong = "H5002" armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068"
angels|strong = "H4397" w also|strong = "H1571" w* says|strong = "H5002"
this|strong = "H2088": "w When|strong = "H3588" w* w
those|strong = "H1992" w* w things|strong = "H6381" w* w
happen|strong = "H1961" w*, it|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"
seem|strong = "H5869" marvelous|strong = "H6381" to|strong = "H3068"
the|strong = "H5002" people|strong = "H5971" who|strong = "H5971"
are|strong = "H3117" still|strong = "H5971" alive|strong = "H2416",
but|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "H3588" certainly|strong = "H3588"
will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H2088" [RHQ] seem|strong = "H5869"
marvelous|strong = "H6381" to|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H5869"!"

7The|strong = "H3541" Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068"
the|strong = "H3541" armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068"
angels|strong = "H4397" w also|strong = "H3068" w* says|strong = "H3541"
this|strong = "H3541": "I|strong = "H2005" will|strong = "H3068"
rescue|strong = "H3467" my|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971"
from|strong = "H3068" countries|strong = "H0776" to|strong = "H3068"
the|strong = "H3541" northeast and|strong = "H3068" to|strong = "H3068"
the|strong = "H3541" southwest w to|strong = "H3068" w* w
which|strong = "H3068" w* w they|strong = "H3068" w* w
were|strong = "H5971" w* w forced|strong = "H6635" w* w
to|strong = "H3068" w* w go|strong = "H5971" w*. 8 I|strong = "H8432"
will|strong = "H1961" bring|strong = "H1961" them|strong = "H8432"
back|strong = "H7725" w to|strong = "H1961" w* w
Judah|strong = "H3063" w*, and|strong = "H5971" they|strong = "H5971"
will|strong = "H1961" w again|strong = "H1961" w* live|strong = "H7931"
in|strong = "H7931" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389". They|strong = "H5971"
will|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961" my|strong = "H1961"
people|strong = "H5971", and|strong = "H5971" I|strong = "H8432"
will|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961" their|strong = "H8432"
God|strong = "H0430". I|strong = "H8432" will|strong = "H1961"
be|strong = "H1961" faithful|strong = "H0539" w to|strong = "H1961" w* w
them|strong = "H8432" w* and|strong = "H5971" act|strong = "H1961"
righteously|strong = "H6666" w toward|strong = "H0413" w* w
them|strong = "H8432" w*."

9The|strong = "H8085" Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H1004"
the|strong = "H8085" armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H1004"
angels|strong = "H4397" w also|strong = "H3068" w* says|strong = "H3541"

this|strong = "H3541": "When|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H8085"
 foundation|strong = "H3245" for|strong = "H3027" my|strong = "H8085"
 temple|strong = "H1004" was|strong = "H3068" laid|strong = "H3245",
 there|strong = "H3117" were|strong = "H3117" prophets|strong = "H5030"
 there|strong = "H3117" who|strong = "H3068" proclaimed|strong = "H8085"
 messages|strong = "H1697" w from|strong = "H3027" w* w
 me|strong = "H2388" w*. Some|strong = "H1697" of|strong = "H1004"
 you|strong = "H3117" heard|strong = "H8085" what|strong = "H1697"
 those|strong = "H8085" prophets|strong = "H5030" said|strong = "H1697". w
 So|strong = "H3541" w* be|strong = "H1697"
 brave|strong = "H2428"/courageous|strong = "H2388" [MTY] w
 while|strong = "H3117" w* w you|strong = "H3117" w* w
 are|strong = "H3117" w* w building|strong = "H1129" w*
 the|strong = "H8085" temple|strong = "H1004", in|strong = "H3068"
 order|strong = "H3027" that|strong = "H3117" you|strong = "H3117"
 may|strong = "H3068" w finish|strong = "H3615" w*
 building|strong = "H1129" it|strong = "H3117". ¹⁰ Before|strong = "H6440"
 w you|strong = "H3588" w* w started|strong = "H1961" w* w
 to|strong = "H3318" w* w rebuild|strong = "H1129" w* w
 the|strong = "H3605" w* w temple|strong = "H1004" w*, w
 no|strong = "H3808" w* w one|strong = "H3605" w* w
 could|strong = "H3201" w* w hire|strong = "H7939" w* men|strong = "H3605"
 or|strong = "H3808" animals|strong = "H1961" w to|strong = "H3318" w* w
 work|strong = "H4399" w* w for|strong = "H3588" w* w
 them|strong = "H1992" w*, w because|strong = "H3588" w*
 there|strong = "H1961" was|strong = "H1961" no|strong = "H3808"
 money|strong = "H3701" to|strong = "H3318" pay|strong = "H7999"
 for|strong = "H3588" them|strong = "H1992". And|strong = "H7971"
 people|strong = "H3808" were|strong = "H1961" afraid|strong = "H3372"
 to|strong = "H3318" go|strong = "H3318" anywhere|strong = "H3605"
 because|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" had|strong = "H1961"
 caused|strong = "H1961" people|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H3318"
 oppose|strong = "H7853" each|strong = "H3605" other|strong = "H7453",
 and|strong = "H7971" w they|strong = "H1992" w* w
 thought|strong = "H0559" w* w that|strong = "H3588" w*
 there|strong = "H1961" were|strong = "H1961" enemies|strong = "H6862" w
 everywhere|strong = "H3605" w*. ¹¹ But|strong = "H3808"
 now|strong = "H6258" I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068"
 act|strong = "H6213" differently toward|strong = "H3068" w
 you|strong = "H3117" w* people|strong = "H5971" who|strong = "H5971"
 are|strong = "H3117" still|strong = "H5971" alive|strong = "H2416",
 differently than|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H3117" did|strong = "H5971"
 previously|strong = "H3808". w That|strong = "H5971" w* w
 is|strong = "H3068" w* w what|strong = "H2088" w* w I|strong = "H3117" w*,
 the|strong = "H5002" Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068"
 the|strong = "H5002" armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068"

angels|strong = "H4397", say|strong = "H0559".

12w From|strong = "H8064" w* w now|strong = "H3588" w* w
 on|strong = "H3605" w*, it|strong = "H5414" will|strong = "H5971"
 be|strong = "H5414" peaceful|strong = "H7965" when|strong = "H3588"
 you|strong = "H3588" plant|strong = "H5414" w your|strong = "H3605" w* w
 seeds|strong = "H2233" w*, and|strong = "H8064" your|strong = "H3605"
 grapevines will|strong = "H5971" produce|strong = "H6529"
 grapes|strong = "H2981", and|strong = "H8064" good|strong = "H2896"
 crops|strong = "H2981" will|strong = "H5971" grow|strong = "H6779"
 in|strong = "H5414" your|strong = "H3605" fields|strong = "H7704".
 There|strong = "H2088" will|strong = "H5971" be|strong = "H5414"
 rain|strong = "H4306". I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H5971"
 give|strong = "H5414" all|strong = "H3605" those|strong = "H3605"
 things|strong = "H3605" to|strong = "H5414" w you|strong = "H3588" w*
 people|strong = "H5971" who|strong = "H3605" are|strong = "H5971"
 still|strong = "H5971" alive|strong = "H2416". ¹³ You|strong = "H3651" w
 people|strong = "H1471" w* w of|strong = "H1004" w*
 Judah|strong = "H3063" and|strong = "H3063" Israel|strong = "H3478", w
 the|strong = "H2388" w* w people|strong = "H1471" w* w
 of|strong = "H1004" w* w other|strong = "H0312" w*
 nations|strong = "H1471" have|strong = "H1961" cursed|strong = "H0779"
 you|strong = "H3651". But|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H3651"
 will|strong = "H1961" rescue|strong = "H3467" you|strong = "H3651",
 and|strong = "H3063" you|strong = "H3651" will|strong = "H1961"
 be|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961" blessing|strong = "H1293" w
 to|strong = "H3478" w* w the|strong = "H2388" w* w
 people|strong = "H1471" w* w of|strong = "H1004" w* w
 many|strong = "H7227" w* w nations|strong = "H1471" w*. w
 So|strong = "H3651" w* do|strong = "H3063" not|strong = "H1961"
 be|strong = "H1961" afraid|strong = "H3372"; work|strong = "H3027"
 hard|strong = "H1004" [MTY] w to|strong = "H3478" w* w
 finish|strong = "H3615" w* w building|strong = "H1129" w* w
 the|strong = "H2388" w* w temple|strong = "H1004" w*."

14The|strong = "H3588" Commander|strong = "H8269"
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588" armies|strong = "H6635"
 of|strong = "H3068" angels|strong = "H4397" w also|strong = "H3068" w*
 says|strong = "H3541" this|strong = "H3541": "When|strong = "H3588"
 your|strong = "H3068" ancestors|strong = "H0001" caused|strong = "H5414"
 me|strong = "H3808" to|strong = "H3068" become|strong = "H5162"
 very|strong = "H7107" angry|strong = "H7107", I|strong = "H3588"
 decided|strong = "H5162" to|strong = "H3068" punish|strong = "H7489"
 them|strong = "H3588". And|strong = "H3068" I|strong = "H3588"
 did|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" change|strong = "H5162"

my|strong = "H3068" mind|strong = "H5162". ¹⁵ But|strong = "H3651"
 now|strong = "H3117" w I|strong = "H3117" w* w will|strong = "H1004" w* w
 do|strong = "H3190" w* w something|strong = "H1697" w* w
 different|strong = "H8133" w*. I|strong = "H3117" am|strong = "H1961"
 planning|strong = "H2803" to|strong = "H7725" do|strong = "H3190"
 good|strong = "H3190" things|strong = "H3372" to|strong = "H7725" w
 the|strong = "H3117" w* w people|strong = "H5971" w* w
 of|strong = "H1004" w* Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" and|strong = "H3063" w
 other|strong = "H0312" w* w towns|strong = "H1323" w* w
 in|strong = "H1004" w* Judah|strong = "H3063". w So|strong = "H3651" w*
 do|strong = "H3190" not|strong = "H7725" be|strong = "H3117"
 afraid|strong = "H3372". ¹⁶ These|strong = "H1696" are|strong = "H1697"
 the|strong = "H6213" things|strong = "H1697" that|strong = "H1697"
 you|strong = "H6213" should|strong = "H6213" do|strong = "H6213": w
 You|strong = "H6213" w* w should|strong = "H6213" w* w
 always|strong = "H3605" w* tell|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H6213"
 truth|strong = "H0571" to|strong = "H1696" each|strong = "H8179"
 other|strong = "H7453". In|strong = "H6213" the|strong = "H6213"
 courts|strong = "H8179", w your|strong = "H6213" w* w
 judges|strong = "H8199" w* w must|strong = "H4191" w*
 make|strong = "H6213" decisions|strong = "H4941"
 according|strong = "H4941" to|strong = "H1696" what|strong = "H1697"
 is|strong = "H1697" correct|strong = "H3256" and|strong = "H4941"
 fair|strong = "H1696". ¹⁷ Do|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3588"
 plan|strong = "H2803" to|strong = "H3068" do|strong = "H3068"
 evil|strong = "H7451" things|strong = "H3605" to|strong = "H3068"
 others|strong = "H0312", and|strong = "H3068" do|strong = "H3068"
 not|strong = "H3588" falsely|strong = "H8267" promise|strong = "H3068" w
 to|strong = "H3068" w* w do|strong = "H3068" w* w
 things|strong = "H3605" w* w that|strong = "H3588" w* w
 you|strong = "H3588" w* w know|strong = "H3045" w* w
 that|strong = "H3588" w* w you|strong = "H3588" w* w
 will|strong = "H3068" w* w not|strong = "H3588" w* w
 do|strong = "H3068" w*. I|strong = "H3588" hate|strong = "H8130"
 all|strong = "H3605" those|strong = "H3605" things|strong = "H3605".

¹⁸The|strong = "H3068" Commander|strong = "H8269"
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" armies|strong = "H6635"
 of|strong = "H3068" angels|strong = "H4397" spoke|strong = "H1697"
 to|strong = "H3068" me|strong = "H1961" w again|strong = "H1961" w*. ¹⁹
 This|strong = "H3541" is|strong = "H3068" what|strong = "H2896"
 he|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H0559": "The|strong = "H3541"
 times|strong = "H4150" when|strong = "H1961" you|strong = "H8057"
 people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H1004" Judah|strong = "H3063"
 □fast|strong = "H6685"/abstain|strong = "H5144" from|strong = "H3068"

food|strong = "H1004"□ during|strong = "H1961" the|strong = "H3541"
 fourth|strong = "H7243", fifth|strong = "H2549", seventh|strong = "H7637",
 and|strong = "H3063" tenth|strong = "H6224" months|strong = "H7637" w
 of|strong = "H1004" w* w each|strong = "H3541" w* w
 year|strong = "H7637" w* will|strong = "H3068" become|strong = "H1961"
 good|strong = "H2896" and|strong = "H3063" very|strong = "H2896"
 happy|strong = "H2896"/joyful|strong = "H8342" [DOU]
 festivals|strong = "H4150". But|strong = "H1961" you|strong = "H8057"
 must|strong = "H4191" want|strong = "H4270" w to|strong = "H3068" w* w
 speak|strong = "H1696" w* truthfully|strong = "H0530" and|strong = "H3063"
 w be|strong = "H1961" w* peaceful|strong = "H7965".

20The|strong = "H3541" Commander|strong = "H8269"
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3541" armies|strong = "H6635"
 of|strong = "H3068" angels|strong = "H4397" w also|strong = "H3068" w*
 says|strong = "H3541" this|strong = "H3541": "w Some|strong = "H7227" w*
 w day|strong = "H3117" w* people|strong = "H5971" from|strong = "H3068"
 many|strong = "H7227" people-groups w and|strong = "H3068" w* w
 foreign|strong = "H5237" w* cities|strong = "H5892" will|strong = "H3068"
 come|strong = "H5971" w here|strong = "H3541" w* w to|strong = "H3068" w*
 w Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" w*. ²¹ People|strong = "H3427"
 from|strong = "H6440" one|strong = "H1571" city|strong = "H5892"
 will|strong = "H3068" go|strong = "H1980" to|strong = "H1980" w
 the|strong = "H6440" w* w people|strong = "H3427" w* w
 in|strong = "H3427" w* another|strong = "H1571" w city|strong = "H5892" w*
 and|strong = "H1980" say|strong = "H0559", 'Let's|strong = "H1980" w
 go|strong = "H1980" w* w together|strong = "H1571" w* w
 to|strong = "H1980" w* w Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" w* to|strong = "H1980"
 worship|strong = "H7812" Yahweh|strong = "H3068" and|strong = "H1980"
 ask|strong = "H1245" him|strong = "H6440" to|strong = "H1980"
 bless|strong = "H1288" us|strong = "H6440"; we|strong = "H1980" w
 ourselves|strong = "H0587" w* are|strong = "H3068" going|strong = "H1980".'
²² And|strong = "H3068" w people|strong = "H5971" w* w
 from|strong = "H6440" w* many|strong = "H7227" people-groups
 and|strong = "H3068" w from|strong = "H6440" w*
 powerful|strong = "H6099" nations|strong = "H1471" will|strong = "H3068"
 come|strong = "H5971" to|strong = "H3068" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389"
 to|strong = "H3068" worship|strong = "H7812" Yahweh|strong = "H3068"
 and|strong = "H3068" ask|strong = "H1245" him|strong = "H6440"
 to|strong = "H3068" bless|strong = "H1288" them|strong = "H6440".

23The|strong = "H3605" Commander|strong = "H8269"
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3605" armies|strong = "H6635"
 of|strong = "H3068" angels|strong = "H4397" w also|strong = "H3068" w*
 says|strong = "H3541" this|strong = "H3541": "At|strong = "H3068"

that|strong = "H3588" time|strong = "H3117", w this|strong = "H3541" w* w
 is|strong = "H3068" w* w what|strong = "H3541" w* w
 will|strong = "H3068" w* w happen|strong = "H1961" w* w
 everywhere|strong = "H3605" w*: A|strong = "H3588"
 group|strong = "H7235" of|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H1471"
 from|strong = "H8085" one|strong = "H3605" nation|strong = "H1471"
 or|strong = "H8085" a|strong = "H3588" group|strong = "H7235"
 of|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H1471" who|strong = "H3605"
 speak|strong = "H1696" another|strong = "H3671" language|strong = "H3956"
 will|strong = "H3068" grab|strong = "H2388" the|strong = "H3605"
 fringe|strong = "H6734"/edge|strong = "H3671" of|strong = "H3068"
 the|strong = "H3605" robe|strong = "H4598" of|strong = "H3068"
 a|strong = "H3588" Jew|strong = "H3064" and|strong = "H3068"
 say|strong = "H0559" w to|strong = "H3068" w* w him|strong = "H5973" w*,
 'We|strong = "H3588" have|strong = "H3068" heard|strong = "H8085" w
 people|strong = "H1471" w* w say|strong = "H0559" w* that|strong = "H3588"
 God|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H3068" with|strong = "H5973"
 you|strong = "H3588". So|strong = "H3541" allow|strong = "H5414"
 us|strong = "H3588" to|strong = "H3068" go|strong = "H3212"
 with|strong = "H5973" you|strong = "H3588" w to|strong = "H3068" w* w
 Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" w* w to|strong = "H3068" w* w
 worship|strong = "H7812" w* w him|strong = "H5973" w*."
 Israel's enemies will be punished

9w This|strong = "H1697" w* w is|strong = "H3068" w* w
 another|strong = "H0312" w* message|strong = "H1697" w
 that|strong = "H3588" w* w I|strong = "H3588" w* w
 received|strong = "H3947" w* from|strong = "H3478"
 Yahweh|strong = "H3068".

w Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w* w said|strong = "H1697" w*,
 "I|strong = "H3588" watch|strong = "H5869" [MTY]
 everyone|strong = "H3605", especially|strong = "H3966"
 the|strong = "H3605" tribes|strong = "H7626" of|strong = "H3068"
 Israel|strong = "H3478";

w so|strong = "H3588" w* I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" w
 punish|strong = "H6485" w* w the|strong = "H3605" w* w
 people|strong = "H5869" w* w in|strong = "H3478" w* the|strong = "H3605"
 Hadrach|strong = "H2317" w region|strong = "H2256" w*
 and|strong = "H3478" in|strong = "H3478" Damascus|strong = "H1834" w
 city|strong = "H5892" w*

w because|strong = "H3588" w* w of|strong = "H3068" w* w
 what|strong = "H1697" w* w they|strong = "H3588" w* w

did|strong = "H3478" w* w to|strong = "H3478" w* w the|strong = "H3605" w*
w people|strong = "H5869" w* w of|strong = "H3068" w* w
Israel|strong = "H3478" w*.

2w I|strong = "H3588" w* w will|strong = "H1571" w* w
also|strong = "H1571" w* w punish|strong = "H6485" w* w
the|strong = "H3588" w* w people|strong = "H1571" w* w
in|strong = "H1571" w* nearby|strong = "H7138" Hamath|strong = "H2574" w
city|strong = "H5892" w*.

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H1571" also|strong = "H1571" w
punish|strong = "H6485" w* w the|strong = "H3588" w* w
people|strong = "H1571" w* w in|strong = "H1571" w* Tyre|strong = "H6865"
and|strong = "H3966" Sidon|strong = "H6721" w cities|strong = "H5892" w*,

e ven|strong = "H1571" though|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588"
are|strong = "H1571" w considered|strong = "H2803" w* w
to|strong = "H3588" w* w be|strong = "H1571" w* [IRO]
very|strong = "H3966" wise|strong = "H2449".

3w The|strong = "H1129" w* w people|strong = "H5971" w* w
in|strong = "H1129" w* Tyre|strong = "H6865" built|strong = "H1129"
a|strong = "H1129" high|strong = "H1129" wall|strong = "H2742" w
around|strong = "H5439" w* w their|strong = "H3605" w* w
city|strong = "H5892" w*.

T hey|strong = "H2351" piled|strong = "H6651" up|strong = "H1129" w
huge|strong = "H1995" w* w amounts|strong = "H4948" w* w
of|strong = "H2351" w* silver|strong = "H3701" and|strong = "H3701"
gold|strong = "H2742"

a s|strong = "H2351" though|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H2351"
were|strong = "H3701" w piles|strong = "H6651" w* w of|strong = "H2351" w*
dirt|strong = "H6083" in|strong = "H1129" the|strong = "H1129"
streets|strong = "H2351".

4But|strong = "H2009" w I|strong = "H2009" w*, Yahweh|strong = "H3068",
will|strong = "H1931" cause|strong = "H2600" their|strong = "H3423"
precious|strong = "H3368" possessions|strong = "H7399" to|strong = "H3220"
be|strong = "H3220" taken|strong = "H5221" away|strong = "H5493"

a nd|strong = "H3220" all|strong = "H2009" their|strong = "H3423"
ships|strong = "H0591" to|strong = "H3220" be|strong = "H3220"
destroyed|strong = "H5221",

and|strong = "H3220" their|strong = "H3423" city|strong = "H1931" will|strong = "H1931" be|strong = "H3220" destroyed|strong = "H5221" by|strong = "H0801" a|strong = "H5221" fire|strong = "H0784".

5w The|strong = "H7200" w* w people|strong = "H3427" w* w in|strong = "H3427" w* w Ashkelon|strong = "H0831" w* w city|strong = "H5892" w* will|strong = "H4428" see|strong = "H7200" that|strong = "H3588" w happen|strong = "H1961" w*,

and|strong = "H4428" they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H4428" become|strong = "H3372" very|strong = "H3966" afraid|strong = "H3372".

w The|strong = "H7200" w* w people|strong = "H3427" w* w in|strong = "H3427" w* w Gaza|strong = "H5804" w city|strong = "H5892" w* will|strong = "H4428" shake|strong = "H7493" because|strong = "H3588" of|strong = "H4428" being|strong = "H1961" terrified|strong = "H3966",

and|strong = "H4428" w the|strong = "H7200" w* w people|strong = "H3427" w* w in|strong = "H3427" w* w Ekron|strong = "H6138" w* w city|strong = "H5892" w* will|strong = "H4428" shake|strong = "H7493" too|strong = "H3966",

because|strong = "H3588" they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H4428" no|strong = "H3808" longer|strong = "H3808" expect|strong = "H6960" w to|strong = "H4428" w* w prosper|strong = "H2342" w*.

The|strong = "H7200" king|strong = "H4428" of|strong = "H4428" w the|strong = "H7200" w* w city|strong = "H5892" w* w of|strong = "H4428" w* w Gaza|strong = "H5804" will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H3808" killed|strong = "H2026",

and|strong = "H4428" w the|strong = "H7200" w* w city|strong = "H5892" w* w of|strong = "H4428" w* w Ashkelon|strong = "H0831" will|strong = "H4428" be|strong = "H3808" deserted|strong = "H5307".

6Foreigners|strong = "H1121" will|strong = "H6430" occupy|strong = "H3423" Ashdod|strong = "H0795" w city|strong = "H5892" w*.

I |strong="H3772" will|strong="H6430" cause|strong="H2600"
 the|strong="H3772" w people|strong="H3427" w* w in|strong="H3427" w*
 w all|strong="H3772" w* w those|strong="H3427" w* w
 cities|strong="H5892" w* w of|strong="H3427" w*
 Philistia|strong="H6429" to|strong="H3427" no|strong="H3772"
 longer|strong="H5750" be|strong="H1961" proud|strong="H1347".

7I|strong="H1571" will|strong="H1961" no|strong="H7604"
 longer|strong="H5493" allow|strong="H5414" them|strong="H1961"
 to|strong="H1961" eat|strong="H6310" [MTY] meat|strong="H1320"
 that|strong="H1931" still|strong="H1571" has|strong="H1961"
 blood|strong="H1818" in|strong="H7604" it|strong="H1931",

a nd|strong="H3063" I|strong="H1571" will|strong="H1961"
 forbid|strong="H2486" them|strong="H1961" to|strong="H1961"
 eat|strong="H6310" [MTY] food|strong="H3899" that|strong="H1931"
 I|strong="H1571" [MTY] have|strong="H1961" not|strong="H1961"
 allowed|strong="H5414" them|strong="H1961" to|strong="H1961"
 eat|strong="H6310" w because|strong="H3588" w* w
 it|strong="H1931" w* w was|strong="H1961" w* w
 offered|strong="H5927" w* w to|strong="H1961" w* w
 idols|strong="H8251" w*.

w At|strong="H1961" w* w that|strong="H1931" w* w
 time|strong="H1961" w*, the|strong="H5493" people|strong="H1818"
 in|strong="H7604" w* w Philistia|strong="H6429" w*
 who|strong="H1931" survive|strong="H7604" will|strong="H1961"
 worship|strong="H7812" me|strong="H1961",

a nd|strong="H3063" they|strong="H6310" will|strong="H1961"
 become|strong="H1961" w my|strong="H1961" w* w
 people|strong="H1818" w*, w like|strong="H1961" w* the|strong="H5493"
 people|strong="H1818" of|strong="H6310" Judah|strong="H3063"
 are|strong="H6310".

T he|strong="H5493" Philistine|strong="H6430" people|strong="H1818"
 of|strong="H6310" Ekron|strong="H6138" will|strong="H1961"
 also|strong="H1571" become|strong="H1961" my|strong="H1961"
 people|strong="H1818"

I ke|strong="H1961" [SIM] the|strong="H5493" people|strong="H1818"
 of|strong="H6310" Jebus|strong="H2982" did|strong="H3063" w
 when|strong="H1961" w* w they|strong="H6310" w* w
 were|strong="H1961" w* w conquered|strong="H5221" w*.

8 I will protect
my temple,

and I will not allow any warrior
to enter it.

No warrior will harm my people
again,

because I will be watching over
my people carefully.
The King

9 Rejoice very much,
you warrior people of
Jerusalem [APO, DOU]

and shout joyfully,

because your king will be coming
to you.

He is righteous
and victorious;

but warrior he warrior
will warrior be gentle,

and warrior he warrior
will warrior be riding
on a donkey,

on a young female
donkey.

10I|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H1471" get|strong = "H3947"
 rid|strong = "H5337" of|strong = "H7393" the|strong = "H5704"
 chariots|strong = "H7393" in|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H5704"
 Ephraim|strong = "H0669" w region|strong = "H2256" w* w
 that|strong = "H1471" w* w are|strong = "H1471" w* w
 used|strong = "H6213" w* w in|strong = "H1696" w* w
 battles|strong = "H4421" w*

a nd|strong = "H3389" w all|strong = "H5704" w* the|strong = "H5704"
 war|strong = "H4421" horses|strong = "H5483" in|strong = "H1696"
 Jerusalem|strong = "H3389".

w All|strong = "H5704" w* the|strong = "H5704" bows|strong = "H7198"
 used|strong = "H6213" in|strong = "H1696" wars|strong = "H4421"
 will|strong = "H1471" be|strong = "H1471" broken|strong = "H7665".

w Your|strong = "H3772" w* w king|strong = "H4428" w*
 will|strong = "H1471" proclaim|strong = "H7121" that|strong = "H1471"
 he|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H1471" cause|strong = "H2600"
 things|strong = "H1697" to|strong = "H1696" go|strong = "H1980"
 well|strong = "H7965" and|strong = "H3389" peacefully|strong = "H7965"
 in|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H5704" nations|strong = "H1471".

H e|strong = "H5704" will|strong = "H1471" rule|strong = "H4910" w
 the|strong = "H5704" w* w area|strong = "H1508" w* from|strong = "H3772"
 the|strong = "H5704" Mediterranean Sea|strong = "H3220"
 to|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H5704" w Dead|strong = "H4191" w*
 Sea|strong = "H3220",

a nd|strong = "H3389" from|strong = "H3772" the|strong = "H5704" w
 Euphrates|strong = "H5104" w* River|strong = "H5104" to|strong = "H1696"
 the|strong = "H5704" most|strong = "H6944" distant|strong = "H7350"
 places|strong = "H1116" on|strong = "H1696" the|strong = "H5704"
 earth|strong = "H0776".

11As|strong = "H1571" for|strong = "H7971" you|strong = "H7971" w
 my|strong = "H7971" w* w people|strong = "H1818" w* w
 of|strong = "H4325" w* w Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" w*,

b ecause|strong = "H3588" of|strong = "H4325" the|strong = "H7971"
 blood|strong = "H1818" w of|strong = "H4325" w* w the|strong = "H7971" w*
 w animals|strong = "H0929" w* w that|strong = "H4325" w* w
 were|strong = "H4325" w* w sacrificed|strong = "H2076" w* w

to|strong = "H7971" w* w make|strong = "H6213" w* my|strong = "H7971"
agreement|strong = "H1285" with|strong = "H1285" you|strong = "H7971",

I |strong = "H1571" will|strong = "H1571" free|strong = "H7971"
your|strong = "H7971" people|strong = "H1818" who|strong = "H0834"
were|strong = "H4325" forced|strong = "H4522" to|strong = "H7971"
go|strong = "H7971" to|strong = "H7971" other|strong = "H0312"
countries|strong = "H0776"

w here|strong = "H0834" w it|strong = "H7971" w* w
was|strong = "H4325" w* w as|strong = "H1571" w* w
though|strong = "H1571" w* w they|strong = "H1571" w* w
were|strong = "H4325" w* w kept|strong = "H8104" w* in|strong = "H7971"
a|strong = "H7971" waterless|strong = "H2215" pit|strong = "H0953".

12w You|strong = "H3117" w* w people|strong = "H1571" w* w
who|strong = "H0834" w* w were|strong = "H3117" w* w
prisoners|strong = "H0615" w in|strong = "H3117" w* w
those|strong = "H1992" w* w countries|strong = "H0776" w* w
who|strong = "H0834" w still|strong = "H7725" w* w
confidently|strong = "H2388" expect|strong = "H6960" w
God|strong = "H0430" w* w to|strong = "H7725" w* w
help|strong = "H5826" w* w you|strong = "H3117" w*,

r eturn|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725" w
Judah|strong = "H3063" w*, where|strong = "H0834" you|strong = "H3117"
will|strong = "H1571" be|strong = "H1571" safe|strong = "H7965".

T his|strong = "H7725" day|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117"
declare|strong = "H5046" that|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117"
will|strong = "H1571" give|strong = "H7725" you|strong = "H3117"
two|strong = "H8147" blessings|strong = "H1293"

f or|strong = "H3117" w each|strong = "H3117" w* w of|strong = "H3117" w* w
w the|strong = "H3117" w* w troubles|strong = "H6869" w* w
that|strong = "H3117" w* w you|strong = "H3117" w* w
have|strong = "H1571" w* w experienced|strong = "H1571" w*.

13I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H2719" cause|strong = "H2600"
Judah|strong = "H3063" to|strong = "H5921" be|strong = "H1121"
like|strong = "H1121" [MET|strong = "H6298"] my|strong = "H7760"
bow|strong = "H7198",

and|strong = "H1121" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H2719"
 cause|strong = "H2600" Israel|strong = "H3478" to|strong = "H5921"
 be|strong = "H1121" w like|strong = "H1121" w* [MET|strong = "H6298"]
 my|strong = "H7760" arrow|strong = "H1121".

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H2719" enable|strong = "H7980"
 you|strong = "H3588" young|strong = "H1121" men|strong = "H1368"
 of|strong = "H1121" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" to|strong = "H5921"
 fight|strong = "H3898" against|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"
 soldiers|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121" Greece|strong = "H3120";

y ou|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H2719" be|strong = "H1121"
 like|strong = "H1121" [SIM] a|strong = "H3588" warrior's|strong = "H1368"
 sword|strong = "H2719".
 Yahweh|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H2719" protect|strong = "H8104"
 his|strong = "H7760" people|strong = "H1121"

14w Some|strong = "H4480" w* w day|strong = "H3117" w*
 Yahweh|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" appear|strong = "H7200" w
 in|strong = "H5921" w* w the|strong = "H5921" w* w sky|strong = "H8064" w*
 above|strong = "H5921" his|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H7200",

and|strong = "H1980" the|strong = "H5921" arrows|strong = "H2671"
 that|strong = "H7200" he|strong = "H3068" shoots|strong = "H3318"
 will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068" like|strong = "H3318" [SIM]
 lightning|strong = "H1300".

Y ahweh|strong = "H3068" w our|strong = "H3068" w*
 Lord|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" blow|strong = "H8628"
 his|strong = "H3068" trumpet|strong = "H7782",

and|strong = "H1980" he|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"
 march|strong = "H1980" w fiercely|strong = "H1481" w*

I ke|strong = "H3318" [MET|strong = "H6298"] the|strong = "H5921"
 storms from|strong = "H3318" the|strong = "H5921" south|strong = "H8486".

15The|strong = "H5921" Commander|strong = "H8269"
 of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" armies|strong = "H6635"
 of|strong = "H3068" angels|strong = "H4397" will|strong = "H3068"
 protect|strong = "H1598" w his|strong = "H3068" w* w
 people|strong = "H5971" w*;

w the|strong = "H5921" w* w soldiers|strong = "H6635" w* w
of|strong = "H3068" w* w Judah|strong = "H3063" w* will|strong = "H3068"
attack|strong = "H5221" and|strong = "H3068" defeat|strong = "H5221" w
their|strong = "H3068" w* w enemies|strong = "H0341" w* w
who|strong = "H3068" w* w attack|strong = "H5221" w* w
them|strong = "H5921" w* using|strong = "H5927" slingshots.

w Those|strong = "H5921" w* w soldiers|strong = "H6635" w* w
of|strong = "H3068" w* w Judah|strong = "H3063" w* will|strong = "H3068"
drink|strong = "H8354" and|strong = "H3068" celebrate|strong = "H6213"
and|strong = "H3068" shout|strong = "H7321" like|strong = "H3644" [SIM]
people|strong = "H5971" who|strong = "H3068" are|strong = "H3068"
drunk|strong = "H8354";

t hey|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068"
as|strong = "H3644" full|strong = "H4390" w of|strong = "H3068" w* w
wine|strong = "H3196" w* as|strong = "H3644" the|strong = "H5921"
bowl|strong = "H4219" that|strong = "H3068" holds|strong = "H4013" w
the|strong = "H5921" w* w blood|strong = "H1818" w* w
of|strong = "H3068" w* w the|strong = "H5921" w* w
animals|strong = "H0929" w* w that|strong = "H3068" w* w
are|strong = "H3068" w* w sacrificed|strong = "H2076" w*

a nd|strong = "H3068" w which|strong = "H3068" w* w
is|strong = "H3068" w* w then|strong = "H3068" w* w
sprinkled|strong = "H2236" on|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H5921"
corners|strong = "H2106" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921"
altar|strong = "H4196".

16On|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H3588" day|strong = "H3117",
Yahweh|strong = "H3068" our|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068"
will|strong = "H3068" save|strong = "H3467" his|strong = "H3068"
people|strong = "H5971"

w like|strong = "H5921" w* w a|strong = "H3588" w* w
shepherd|strong = "H7462" w* w saves|strong = "H3467" w* w
his|strong = "H3068" flock|strong = "H6629" w of|strong = "H3068" w* w
sheep|strong = "H6629" w* w from|strong = "H5921" w* w
danger|strong = "H7451" w* w.

I n|strong = "H5921" their|strong = "H3068" land|strong = "H0776",
they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H3068"
like|strong = "H5921" [SIM] jewels|strong = "H3627" that|strong = "H3588"
sparkle on|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H3588" crown|strong = "H5145".

17 They will be
delightful and
beautiful.

The young men
will become strong
from eating grain,

and the young
women will
become strong
from drinking
new wine.
Yahweh's promises for Judah and Israel

10 Ask Yahweh to
cause rain to
fall in the
springtime/before
the hot season starts,

because he is
the one who
makes the clouds
from which
the rain falls.

He causes showers
to fall on
us,

and he causes
crops to grow
well in the
fields.

2w What w people w
think w that the
idols in their
houses suggest w is w
only nonsense,

and|strong="H6629" people|strong="H1696" who|strong="H3588" w
say|strong="H1696" w* w that|strong="H3588" w* w
they|strong="H3588" w* w can|strong="H4310" w*
interpret|strong="H6622" dreams|strong="H2472" tell|strong="H1696" w
only|strong="H3588" w* lies|strong="H8267".

When|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" w tell|strong="H1696" w*
w people|strong="H1696" w* w things|strong="H3644" w* w
to|strong="H1696" w* comfort|strong="H5162" w
them|strong="H5921" w*, w what|strong="H3651" w* w
they|strong="H3588" w* w say|strong="H1696" w* is|strong="H3651"
useless|strong="H1892",

so|strong="H3651" the|strong="H5921" people|strong="H1696" w
who|strong="H3588" w* w consult|strong="H3289" w*/w
trust|strong="H0982" w* w in|strong="H5921" w* w
them|strong="H5921" w* are|strong="H2472" like|strong="H3644"
lost|strong="H0006" sheep|strong="H6629";

they|strong="H3588" are|strong="H2472" attacked|strong="H5221"
because|strong="H3588" they|strong="H3588" have|strong="H7462"
no|strong="H1696" w one|strong="H3588" w* w to|strong="H1696" w* w
protect|strong="H8104" w* w them|strong="H5921" w*

w like|strong="H3644" w* [MET|strong="H6298"] a|strong="H3588"
shepherd|strong="H7462" w protects|strong="H8104" w* w
his|strong="H5921" w* w sheep|strong="H6629" w*.

3w Yahweh|strong="H3068" w* w says|strong="H0559" w*,
“I|strong="H3588" am|strong="H3068" angry|strong="H2734"
with|strong="H1004" the|strong="H5921" leaders|strong="H6260"
[MET|strong="H6298"] of|strong="H1004" my|strong="H3068"
people|strong="H5971”,

and|strong="H3063" I|strong="H3588" will|strong="H3068"
punish|strong="H6485" them|strong="H5921”.

w I|strong="H3588" w*, the|strong="H5921"
Commander|strong="H8269" of|strong="H1004" the|strong="H5921"
armies|strong="H6635" of|strong="H1004" angels|strong="H4397",
take|strong="H7760" care|strong="H6485" of|strong="H1004"
my|strong="H3068" people|strong="H5971”, the|strong="H5921"
people|strong="H5971" of|strong="H1004" Judah|strong="H3063”,

w like|strong = "H1004"w* w a|strong = "H3588"w* w
 shepherd|strong = "H7462"w* w takes|strong = "H7760"w* w
 care|strong = "H6485"w* w of|strong = "H1004"w* w
 his|strong = "H7760"w* [MET|strong = "H6298"] flock|strong = "H5739",

a nd|strong = "H3063" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"
 cause|strong = "H2600" them|strong = "H5921" to|strong = "H3068"
 be|strong = "H3068" like|strong = "H1004" [SIM]
 proud|strong = "H1343"/powerful|strong = "H2392" war|strong = "H4421"
 horses|strong = "H5483".

4From|strong = "H4480" Judah|strong = "H3063" will|strong = "H7198"
 come|strong = "H3318" rulers|strong = "H8269" w who|strong = "H3605"w*
 w will|strong = "H7198"w* w be|strong = "H3162"w* w
 very|strong = "H3966"w* w important|strong = "H5704"w*,

w like|strong = "H3318"w* [MET|strong = "H6298"] a|strong = "H3318"
 cornerstone|strong = "H6438" is|strong = "H3605" w the|strong = "H3605"w*
 w most|strong = "H4480"w* w important|strong = "H5704"w* w
 stone|strong = "H0068"w* w for|strong = "H3605"w* w
 a|strong = "H3318"w* w house|strong = "H1004"w*,

w like|strong = "H3318"w* [MET|strong = "H6298"] a|strong = "H3318"
 tent|strong = "H3489" peg|strong = "H3489" w is|strong = "H3605"w* w
 very|strong = "H3966"w* w important|strong = "H5704"w* w
 for|strong = "H3605"w* w a|strong = "H3318"w* w tent|strong = "H3489"w*,

w like|strong = "H3318"w* [MET|strong = "H6298"] a|strong = "H3318"
 bow|strong = "H7198" w is|strong = "H3605"w* w very|strong = "H3966"w*
 w important|strong = "H5704"w* w for|strong = "H3605"w* □w
 an|strong = "H4480"w* w archer|strong = "H1869"w*/w
 a|strong = "H3318"w* w man|strong = "H3605"w* w
 who|strong = "H3605"w* w shoots|strong = "H3318"w* w
 arrows|strong = "H7198"w*□.

5They|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" all|strong = "H5973"
 be|strong = "H1961" like|strong = "H1961" [SIM] mighty|strong = "H1368"
 warriors|strong = "H1368"

t rampling|strong = "H0947" w their|strong = "H3068"w* w
 enemies|strong = "H0341"w* in|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3588"
 mud|strong = "H2916" during|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961"
 battle|strong = "H4421".

w I|strong = "H3588" w*, Yahweh|strong = "H3068", will|strong = "H3068"
be|strong = "H1961" with|strong = "H5973" them|strong = "H1961",

s o|strong = "H1961" they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"
fight|strong = "H3898" and|strong = "H3068" defeat|strong = "H5221"
their|strong = "H3068" enemies|strong = "H0341" who|strong = "H3068"
ride|strong = "H7392" on|strong = "H7392" horses|strong = "H5483".

6I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" cause|strong = "H7725"
the|strong = "H3588" people|strong = "H3808" [MTY] of|strong = "H1004"
Judah|strong = "H3063" to|strong = "H7725" become|strong = "H1961"
strong|strong = "H2388",

a nd|strong = "H3063" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"
rescue|strong = "H3467" the|strong = "H3588" people|strong = "H3808"
[MTY] of|strong = "H1004" Israel|strong = "H3478".

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" bring|strong = "H7725"
them|strong = "H7725" back|strong = "H7725" w from|strong = "H7725" w* w
the|strong = "H3588" w* w countries|strong = "H0776" w* w
to|strong = "H7725" w* w which|strong = "H3068" w* w
they|strong = "H3588" w* w were|strong = "H1961" w* w
exiled|strong = "H1540" w*/w forced|strong = "H4522" w* w
to|strong = "H7725" w* w go|strong = "H7725" w* w;

w I|strong = "H3588" w* w will|strong = "H3068" w* w
do|strong = "H3068" w* w that|strong = "H3588" w* w
because|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" pity|strong = "H7355"
them|strong = "H7725".

T hen|strong = "H6030" they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"
be|strong = "H1961" as|strong = "H1961" though|strong = "H3588"
I|strong = "H3588" had|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"
abandoned|strong = "H5800" them|strong = "H7725",

b ecause|strong = "H3588" I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H1961"
Yahweh|strong = "H3068", their|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068",

a nd|strong = "H3063" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068"
answer|strong = "H6030" them|strong = "H7725" w
when|strong = "H3588" w* w they|strong = "H3588" w* w
pray|strong = "H6419" w* w for|strong = "H3588" w* w
help|strong = "H3467" w* w.

7The|strong = "H7200" people|strong = "H1121" of|strong = "H1121"
Israel|strong = "H3478" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961"
like|strong = "H3644" [SIM] strong|strong = "H1368"
soldiers|strong = "H1121";

t hey|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961"
as|strong = "H1961" happy|strong = "H8055" as|strong = "H1961" w
people|strong = "H1121" w* w who|strong = "H3068" w* w
have|strong = "H1961" w* w drunk|strong = "H3196" w* w
a|strong = "H1961" w* w lot|strong = "H1486" w* w of|strong = "H1121" w*
wine|strong = "H3196".

T heir|strong = "H3068" children|strong = "H1121" will|strong = "H3068"
see|strong = "H7200" w their|strong = "H3068" w* w
fathers|strong = "H0001" w* w being|strong = "H1961" w* w
very|strong = "H8055" w* w happy|strong = "H8055" w*,

a nd|strong = "H1121" they|strong = "H3068" w also|strong = "H3068" w*
will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961" happy|strong = "H8055"
because|strong = "H3068" of|strong = "H1121" what|strong = "H7200"
Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w has|strong = "H3068" w* w
done|strong = "H1961" w* w for|strong = "H3068" w* w
them|strong = "H7200" w*.

8I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3588" signal|strong = "H5251"
for|strong = "H3588" my|strong = "H6299" people|strong = "H6908" w
to|strong = "H6908" w* w return|strong = "H7725" w* w
from|strong = "H6299" w* w being|strong = "H1961" w* w
exiled|strong = "H1540" w* w /w other|strong = "H0312" w* w
countries|strong = "H0776" w* w,

a nd|strong = "H7235" I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3588"
gather|strong = "H6908" them|strong = "H3588" together|strong = "H6908" w
in|strong = "H7235" w* w their|strong = "H3588" w* w
own|strong = "H1961" w* w country|strong = "H2022" w*.

I |strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3588" rescue|strong = "H6299"
them|strong = "H3588",

a nd|strong = "H7235" they|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3588"
become|strong = "H1961" very|strong = "H7235" numerous|strong = "H7235"
like|strong = "H3644" w they|strong = "H3588" w* w
were|strong = "H3644" w* w previously|strong = "H8543".

9I |strong = "H2142" have|strong = "H5971" caused|strong = "H5414"
 them|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "H7725" be|strong = "H1121"
 scattered|strong = "H5971" among|strong = "H5971" many|strong = "H7227"
 people-groups,

b ut|strong = "H7725" in|strong = "H1121" those|strong = "H1121"
 distant|strong = "H4801" countries|strong = "H4801" they|strong = "H5971"
 will|strong = "H5971" think|strong = "H2142" about|strong = "H5971"
 me|strong = "H7725" again|strong = "H7725".

T hey|strong = "H5971" and|strong = "H1121" their|strong = "H7725"
 children|strong = "H1121" will|strong = "H5971" remain|strong = "H2142"
 alive|strong = "H2421" and|strong = "H1121" return|strong = "H7725" w
 to|strong = "H7725" w* w Judah|strong = "H3063" w*.

10I |strong = "H4714" will|strong = "H4714" bring|strong = "H7725"
 them|strong = "H7725" w back|strong = "H7725" w* from|strong = "H7725"
 Egypt|strong = "H4714" and|strong = "H7725" from|strong = "H7725"
 Assyria|strong = "H0804";

I |strong = "H4714" will|strong = "H4714" bring|strong = "H7725"
 them|strong = "H7725" w back|strong = "H7725" w* from|strong = "H7725"
 the|strong = "H7725" Gilead|strong = "H1568" and|strong = "H7725"
 Lebanon|strong = "H3844" w regions|strong = "H2506" w*,

a nd|strong = "H7725" there|strong = "H4672" will|strong = "H4714"
 hardly|strong = "H0389" be|strong = "H3808" enough|strong = "H4672"
 [HYP] space|strong = "H3117" for|strong = "H4714" them|strong = "H7725"
 all|strong = "H6908" w to|strong = "H7725" w* w live|strong = "H3427" w* w
 in|strong = "H4672" w* w Judah|strong = "H3063" w*.

11 They|strong = "H5221" will|strong = "H4714"
 endure|strong = "H5975"/experience|strong = "H7200"
 many|strong = "H7227" difficulties

w as|strong = "H3605" w* w though|strong = "H3588" w* w
 they|strong = "H5221" w* w were|strong = "H4714" w* w
 walking|strong = "H1980" w* [MET|strong = "H6298"]
 through|strong = "H5674" a|strong = "H5221" sea|strong = "H3220",

b ut|strong = "H5221" w I|strong = "H4714" w* will|strong = "H4714"
 calm|strong = "H8367" the|strong = "H3605" waves|strong = "H1530"
 of|strong = "H7626" the|strong = "H3605" sea|strong = "H3220";

t he|strong = "H3605" Nile|strong = "H2975" w River|strong = "H2975" w*
 w which|strong = "H7626" w* w is|strong = "H3605" w* w
 usually|strong = "H2370" w* deep|strong = "H4688" will|strong = "H4714"
 dry|strong = "H3001" up|strong = "H3001".

w I|strong = "H4714" w* will|strong = "H4714" defeat|strong = "H5221"
 the|strong = "H3605" proud|strong = "H1347" w soldiers|strong = "H5650" w*
 w of|strong = "H7626" w* Assyria|strong = "H0804",

a nd|strong = "H4714" w I|strong = "H4714" w* w will|strong = "H4714" w*
 w cause|strong = "H2600" w* Egypt|strong = "H4714" to|strong = "H3381"
 no|strong = "H3605" longer|strong = "H5493" be|strong = "H3220"
 powerful|strong = "H2392" [MTY].

12I|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068" enable|strong = "H7980"
 my|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H5971" to|strong = "H1980"
 be|strong = "H3068" strong|strong = "H2388",

a nd|strong = "H1980" they|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"
 honor|strong = "H8034" me|strong = "H1980" and|strong = "H1980"
 obey|strong = "H1980" [IDM] me|strong = "H1980".

w That|strong = "H3068" w* w will|strong = "H3068" w* w
 surely|strong = "H1980" w* w happen|strong = "H1961" w* w
 because|strong = "H3068" w* w I|strong = "H3068" w*,
 Yahweh|strong = "H3068", have|strong = "H3068" said|strong = "H5002"
 it|strong = "H8034".

11w You|strong = "H6605" w* w people|strong = "H5971" w* w
 of|strong = "H1817" w* [APO] Lebanon|strong = "H3844" w
 should|strong = "H3068" w* open|strong = "H6605" your|strong = "H6605"
 gates|strong = "H1817",

w because|strong = "H3588" w* w you|strong = "H6605" w* w
 will|strong = "H3844" w* w not|strong = "H6605" w* w
 be|strong = "H1961" w* w able|strong = "H3201" w* w to|strong = "H3844" w*
 w stop|strong = "H2308" w* fire|strong = "H0784" from|strong = "H4480"
 burning|strong = "H2740" your|strong = "H6605" cedar|strong = "H0730" w
 trees|strong = "H6086" w*!

2Your|strong = "H3588" cypress|strong = "H1265"/pine|strong = "H1992"
 w trees|strong = "H1265" w* [APO] should|strong = "H3588" w
 also|strong = "H3588" w* wail|strong = "H3213"

b ecause|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" cedar|strong="H0730" w
trees|strong="H1265" w* have|strong="H3588" been|strong="H1961"
cut|strong="H3772" down|strong="H3381".

T hose|strong="H3588" glorious|strong="H8597"/great|strong="H1419"
trees|strong="H1265" have|strong="H3588" been|strong="H1961"
destroyed|strong="H7703".

T he|strong="H3588" oak|strong="H0424" trees|strong="H1265"
in|strong="H5307" the|strong="H3588" Bashan|strong="H1316" w
region|strong="H2256" w* should|strong="H3588" also|strong="H3588"
wail|strong="H3213",

b ecause|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" other|strong="H0312"
trees|strong="H1265" in|strong="H5307" the|strong="H3588"
forest|strong="H3293" have|strong="H3588" been|strong="H1961"
cut|strong="H3772" down|strong="H3381".

3And|strong="H6963" listen|strong="H6963" to|strong="H3383"
the|strong="H3588" shepherds|strong="H7462" crying|strong="H6963"

b ecause|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" fertile|strong="H3759"
pastures|strong="H7462" have|strong="H7462" been|strong="H1961"
ruined|strong="H7703".

L isten|strong="H6963" to|strong="H3383" the|strong="H3588"
lions|strong="H3715" roar|strong="H7581";

t hey|strong="H3588" roar|strong="H7581" because|strong="H3588"
the|strong="H3588" delightful|strong="H2656" forest|strong="H3293" w
where|strong="H0834" w* w they|strong="H3588" w* w
live|strong="H3427" w* near|strong="H7126" the|strong="H3588"
Jordan|strong="H3383" w River|strong="H3588" w* has|strong="H3588"
been|strong="H1961" ruined|strong="H7703".

The|strong="H3588" parable|strong="H4912" of|strong="H6963"
the|strong="H3588" two|strong="H8147" shepherds|strong="H7462"

4This|strong="H3541" is|strong="H3068" what|strong="H3541"
Yahweh|strong="H3068" my|strong="H3068" God|strong="H3068"
said|strong="H0559" w to|strong="H3068" w* w me|strong="H0413" w*:
"w I|strong="H3541" w* w want|strong="H4270" w* w
you|strong="H0859" w* w to|strong="H3068" w* become|strong="H1961"
a|strong="H3068" shepherd|strong="H7462" for|strong="H3068"

a|strong = "H3068" flock|strong = "H6629" w of|strong = "H3068" w* w
 sheep|strong = "H6629" w* w that|strong = "H3068" w* w
 are|strong = "H3068" w* w about|strong = "H3541" w* to|strong = "H3068"
 be|strong = "H3068" slaughtered|strong = "H7819". ⁵ The|strong = "H5921"
 people|strong = "H3808" who|strong = "H3068" are|strong = "H3068"
 going|strong = "H1980" to|strong = "H3068" buy|strong = "H7069"
 the|strong = "H5921" sheep|strong = "H6629" will|strong = "H3068"
 kill|strong = "H2026" the|strong = "H5921" sheep|strong = "H6629",
 and|strong = "H3068" they|strong = "H3068" will|strong = "H3068"
 not|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808" punished|strong = "H6485".
 Those|strong = "H5921" who|strong = "H3068" are|strong = "H3068"
 selling|strong = "H4376" the|strong = "H5921" sheep|strong = "H6629"
 say|strong = "H0559", 'w I|strong = "H5921" w* praise|strong = "H1288"
 Yahweh|strong = "H3068", w because|strong = "H5921" w*
 I|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3068" become|strong = "H6238"
 rich|strong = "H6238"! Even|strong = "H3808" the|strong = "H5921"
 shepherds|strong = "H7462" do|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"
 feel|strong = "H4184" sorry|strong = "H5162" for|strong = "H5921"
 the|strong = "H5921" sheep|strong = "H6629". ⁶ And|strong = "H3068"
 similarly|strong = "H2088", I|strong = "H3588" no|strong = "H3808"
 longer|strong = "H5750" feel|strong = "H4184" sorry|strong = "H5162"
 for|strong = "H3588" the|strong = "H5002" people|strong = "H3427"
 of|strong = "H4428" this|strong = "H3588" country|strong = "H2022".
 I|strong = "H3588" am|strong = "H3068" going|strong = "H4672"
 to|strong = "H3068" allow|strong = "H5414" many|strong = "H3808"
 of|strong = "H4428" them|strong = "H5921" [HYP] to|strong = "H3068"
 be|strong = "H3808" captured|strong = "H3920" by|strong = "H3027"
 other|strong = "H5750" people|strong = "H3427" or|strong = "H3808"
 by|strong = "H3027" their|strong = "H3068" king|strong = "H4428".
 Those|strong = "H5921" who|strong = "H3068" capture|strong = "H3920"
 them|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H3068" ruin|strong = "H2723"
 this|strong = "H3588" country|strong = "H2022", and|strong = "H3068"
 I|strong = "H3588" will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808"
 rescue|strong = "H5337" any|strong = "H5750" w of|strong = "H4428" w* w
 the|strong = "H5002" w* w people|strong = "H3427" w* ."

7So|strong = "H3651" I|strong = "H3651" became|strong = "H6629"
 the|strong = "H3947" shepherd|strong = "H7462" of|strong = "H6629"
 a|strong = "H3947" flock|strong = "H6629" w of|strong = "H6629" w* w
 sheep|strong = "H6629" w* w that|strong = "H3651" w* w
 were|strong = "H6629" w* w about|strong = "H3947" w* to|strong = "H7121"
 be|strong = "H2256" slaughtered|strong = "H7819" w for|strong = "H7121" w*
 w their|strong = "H3947" w* w meat|strong = "H1320" w* w
 to|strong = "H7121" w* w be|strong = "H2256" w* w sold|strong = "H4376" w*
 to|strong = "H7121" the|strong = "H3947" dealers|strong = "H0898". w

I|strong = "H3651" w* w took|strong = "H3947" w* w
 good|strong = "H2896" w* w care|strong = "H3027" w* w
 of|strong = "H6629" w* w the|strong = "H3947" w* w
 sheep|strong = "H6629" w*, w even|strong = "H3651" w* w
 the|strong = "H3947" w* w ones|strong = "H2945" w* w
 that|strong = "H3651" w* w were|strong = "H6629" w* w
 the|strong = "H3947" w* weakest w sheep|strong = "H6629" w*. w
 Then|strong = "H3947" w* I|strong = "H3651" took|strong = "H3947"
 two|strong = "H8147" w shepherds'|strong = "H7462" w*
 □staffs|strong = "H4731" /walking|strong = "H1980"
 sticks|strong = "H4731" □. I|strong = "H3651" named|strong = "H7121"
 the|strong = "H3947" one|strong = "H8147" w staff|strong = "H4731" w*
 'Kindness' and|strong = "H6041" the|strong = "H3947"
 other|strong = "H8147" w staff|strong = "H4731" w* 'Union'.
 And|strong = "H6041" I|strong = "H3651" took|strong = "H3947"
 good|strong = "H2896" care|strong = "H3027" of|strong = "H6629"
 the|strong = "H3947" sheep|strong = "H6629". 8 But|strong = "H1571"
 the|strong = "H1571" three|strong = "H7969" shepherds|strong = "H7462" w
 who|strong = "H5315" w* w had|strong = "H5315" w* w
 been|strong = "H1961" w* w working|strong = "H4639" w* w
 with|strong = "H5315" w* w me|strong = "H5315" w*
 detested|strong = "H8251" me|strong = "H5315", and|strong = "H5315"
 I|strong = "H5315" became|strong = "H7114" impatient|strong = "H7114"
 with|strong = "H5315" them|strong = "H7462". Within|strong = "H7130"
 one|strong = "H1571" month|strong = "H3391" I|strong = "H5315"
 □dismissed|strong = "H7971" /got|strong = "H6965" rid|strong = "H5337"
 of|strong = "H5315" □ those|strong = "H5315" shepherds|strong = "H7462".

9So|strong = "H3808" I|strong = "H3808" said|strong = "H0559" w
 to|strong = "H4191" w* w the|strong = "H4191" w* w
 dealers|strong = "H0898" w*, "I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H1320"
 no|strong = "H3808" w longer|strong = "H3808" w* be|strong = "H4191"
 the|strong = "H4191" shepherd|strong = "H7462". I|strong = "H3808"
 will|strong = "H1320" allow|strong = "H5414" the|strong = "H4191"
 ones|strong = "H2945" that|strong = "H1320" are|strong = "H1320"
 dying|strong = "H4191" to|strong = "H4191" die|strong = "H4191".
 I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H1320" allow|strong = "H5414"
 the|strong = "H4191" ones|strong = "H2945" that|strong = "H1320"
 are|strong = "H1320" getting|strong = "H7075" lost|strong = "H0006"
 to|strong = "H4191" get|strong = "H3947" lost|strong = "H0006".
 And|strong = "H4191" I|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H1320"
 not|strong = "H3808" prevent|strong = "H6923" those|strong = "H1992"
 that|strong = "H1320" remain|strong = "H7604" from|strong = "H4191"
 destroying|strong = "H7843" each|strong = "H0376" other|strong = "H0312"."

10 Then I took the staff that I had named 'Kindness' and I broke it. w That w showed w that w Yahweh was annulling/canceling the agreement that he had made with all the people-groups. ¹¹ So that agreement was ended immediately. And the men who bought and sold sheep who were watching me knew w by seeing w what I was doing was giving them a message from Yahweh.

12 I told them, "If you think it is what you should do, pay me w for taking of w sheep do that you should do, do not pay me." So they paid me w only w pieces of silver.

13 Then Yahweh said to me, "w That w is w a w ridiculously w small w amount w of w money w

that|strong="H3068" w* w they|strong="H3068" w* w
 have|strong="H3068" w* w paid|strong="H5414" w* w
 you|strong="H5921" w*! w So|strong="H3947" w* throw|strong="H7993"
 it|strong="H5921" to|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5921"
 man|strong="H0376" who|strong="H3068" makes|strong="H3068"
 clay|strong="H2635" pots|strong="H5518"! So|strong="H3947"
 I|strong="H5921" took|strong="H3947" the|strong="H5921"
 silver|strong="H3701" to|strong="H3068" the|strong="H5921"
 temple|strong="H1004" of|strong="H1004" Yahweh|strong="H3068",
 and|strong="H3068" I|strong="H5921" threw|strong="H7993"
 it|strong="H5921" in|strong="H5921" the|strong="H5921"
 chest|strong="H0727" where|strong="H1004" the|strong="H5921"
 offerings|strong="H3068"/money|strong="H3701" is|strong="H3068"
 kept|strong="H8104".

14Then|strong="H3063" I|strong="H3478" broke|strong="H6565"
 my|strong="H6565" second|strong="H8145" staff|strong="H4731", w
 the|strong="H6565" w* w one|strong="H8145" w* w
 that|strong="H3478" w* w I|strong="H3478" w* w
 named|strong="H7121" w* 'Union'. That|strong="H3478" indicated w
 that|strong="H3478" w* Judah|strong="H3063" and|strong="H3063"
 Israel|strong="H3478" would|strong="H3478" no|strong="H3478"
 longer|strong="H5750" be|strong="H3478" united|strong="H3161".

15Then|strong="H3947" Yahweh|strong="H3068" said|strong="H0559"
 to|strong="H3068" me|strong="H3947", "Take|strong="H3947"
 again|strong="H5750" the|strong="H3947" things|strong="H3627"
 that|strong="H3068" a|strong="H3947" foolish|strong="H3684"
 shepherd|strong="H7462" uses|strong="H5647", ¹⁶
 because|strong="H3588" I|strong="H3588" am|strong="H6485"
 going|strong="H1980" to|strong="H1245" appoint|strong="H6485"
 a|strong="H3588" new|strong="H2319" king|strong="H4428"
 for|strong="H3588" the|strong="H3588" people|strong="H1320", w
 one|strong="H3808" w* w who|strong="H3588" w* w
 will|strong="H1320" w* w not|strong="H3808" w* w
 take|strong="H6485" w* w care|strong="H6485" w* w
 of|strong="H1320" w* w my|strong="H1245" w* w
 people|strong="H1320" w*. w He|strong="H3588" w* w
 will|strong="H1320" w* w be|strong="H3808" w* w
 like|strong="H3808" w* w a|strong="H3588" w* w
 foolish|strong="H3684" w* w shepherd|strong="H7462" w*.
 [MET|strong="H6298"] He|strong="H3588" will|strong="H1320"
 not|strong="H3808" take|strong="H6485" care|strong="H6485"
 of|strong="H1320" those|strong="H3588" who|strong="H3588"
 are|strong="H1245" dying|strong="H0006", those|strong="H3588"

who|strong="H3588" are|strong="H1245" very|strong="H3966"
 young|strong="H5288", those|strong="H3588" who|strong="H3588"
 have|strong="H7462" been|strong="H6485" injured|strong="H7665",
 or|strong="H3808" those|strong="H3588" who|strong="H3588"
 do|strong="H6213" not|strong="H3808" have|strong="H7462"
 enough|strong="H1767" food|strong="H3899". Instead|strong="H3588",
 he|strong="H3588" will|strong="H1320" w treat|strong="H6213" w* w
 them|strong="H7462" w* w very|strong="H3966" w* w
 cruelly|strong="H7188" w*, w like|strong="H3808" w* w
 a|strong="H3588" w* w shepherd|strong="H7462" w* w
 who|strong="H3588" w* w would|strong="H1320" w*
 [MET|strong="H6298"] kill|strong="H2026" and|strong="H6965"
 eat|strong="H7462" the|strong="H3588" best|strong="H5324"
 sheep|strong="H6561" and|strong="H6965" tear|strong="H6561"
 off|strong="H3582" their|strong="H1245" hoofs|strong="H6541".

17But|strong="H5800" terrible|strong="H3372" things|strong="H1697"
 will|strong="H5869" happen|strong="H1961" to|strong="H5921"
 that|strong="H5869" foolish|strong="H3684"/useless|strong="H1892"
 king|strong="H5921"

w ho|strong="H1945" abandons|strong="H5800" the|strong="H5921"
 people|strong="H5800" [MET|strong="H6298"] over|strong="H5921"
 whom|strong="H5869" he|strong="H5921" rules|strong="H4910".

w His|strong="H5921" w* w enemies|strong="H0341" w*
 will|strong="H5869" strike|strong="H5221" his|strong="H5921"
 arm|strong="H2220" and|strong="H5869" his|strong="H5921"
 right|strong="H3225" eye|strong="H5869" with|strong="H5921"
 their|strong="H5921" swords|strong="H2719".

w The|strong="H5921" w* w result|strong="H6903" w* w
 will|strong="H5869" w* w be|strong="H5869" w* w
 that|strong="H5869" w* he|strong="H5921" will|strong="H5869"
 have|strong="H5869" no|strong="H3808" strength|strong="H2220"
 in|strong="H5921" his|strong="H5921" arm|strong="H2220",

a nd|strong="H5869" his|strong="H5921" right|strong="H3225"
 eye|strong="H5869" will|strong="H5869" become|strong="H3001"
 completely|strong="H3001" blind|strong="H3543"."

Jerusalem will be rescued

12w This|strong = "H1697" w* w is|strong = "H3068" w* a|strong = "H3478" message|strong = "H1697" from|strong = "H5921" Yahweh|strong = "H3068" concerning|strong = "H5921" Israel|strong = "H3478".

Yahweh|strong = "H3068" is|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5002" one|strong = "H1697" who|strong = "H3068" stretched|strong = "H5186" out|strong = "H5186" the|strong = "H5002" sky|strong = "H8064", who|strong = "H3068" created|strong = "H3335" the|strong = "H5002" earth|strong = "H8064", and|strong = "H3478" who|strong = "H3068" □ gave|strong = "H5414" life|strong = "H5315" to|strong = "H3478" humans/caused|strong = "H1697" humans to|strong = "H3478" be|strong = "H1697" alive|strong = "H2416" □. This|strong = "H1697" is|strong = "H3068" what|strong = "H1697" he|strong = "H3068" says|strong = "H5002": ² "I|strong = "H2009" will|strong = "H1961" soon|strong = "H3512" cause|strong = "H5971" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" to|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961" w like|strong = "H1961" w* [MET|strong = "H6298"] a|strong = "H1961" cup|strong = "H5592" full|strong = "H3605" w of|strong = "H5971" w* w very|strong = "H1571" w* w strong|strong = "H4692" w* alcoholic w drink|strong = "H8354" w*, and|strong = "H3063" the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H5971" other|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H5971" who|strong = "H3605" drink|strong = "H8354" it|strong = "H7760" will|strong = "H1961" stagger|strong = "H5128" around|strong = "H5439".

And|strong = "H3063" they|strong = "H5921" will|strong = "H1961" come|strong = "H1961" and|strong = "H3063" attack|strong = "H5221" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" and|strong = "H3063" w the|strong = "H3605" w* w other|strong = "H3605" w* w towns|strong = "H1323" w* w in|strong = "H5921" w* Judah|strong = "H3063". ³ At|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H5971" time|strong = "H3117", w the|strong = "H3605" w* w armies|strong = "H6635" w* w of|strong = "H3117" w* all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471" will|strong = "H1961" gather|strong = "H6908" to|strong = "H1961" attack|strong = "H5221" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389", but|strong = "H1961" I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H1961" cause|strong = "H5971" w the|strong = "H3605" w* w leaders|strong = "H7218" w* w of|strong = "H3117" w* Judah|strong = "H3063" to|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961" w like|strong = "H1961" w* [SIM] a|strong = "H1961" very|strong = "H3966" heavy|strong = "H4614" rock|strong = "H6697", and|strong = "H3117" all|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" w try|strong = "H0974" w* w to|strong = "H1961" w* lift|strong = "H6006" it|strong = "H7760" will|strong = "H1961" be|strong = "H1961" badly|strong = "H3966" injured|strong = "H8295". ⁴ At|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H5971" time|strong = "H3117" I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068" cause|strong = "H5971" every|strong = "H3605" w one|strong = "H3605" w* w of|strong = "H1004" w* w their|strong = "H3605" w* w enemies'|strong = "H0341" w* horses|strong = "H5483" to|strong = "H3068" panic|strong = "H2865", and|strong = "H3063" their|strong = "H3605"

riders|strong = "H7392" to|strong = "H3068" become|strong = "H1961" crazy.
 I|strong = "H3117" [IDM] will|strong = "H3068" protect|strong = "H3117"
 the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971" of|strong = "H1004"
 Judah|strong = "H3063", but|strong = "H5221" I|strong = "H3117"
 will|strong = "H3068" cause|strong = "H5971" all|strong = "H3605"
 their|strong = "H3605" enemies'|strong = "H0341" horses|strong = "H5483"
 to|strong = "H3068" become|strong = "H1961" blind|strong = "H5788".⁵
 Then|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068" leaders|strong = "H7218"
 of|strong = "H3068" Judah|strong = "H3063" will|strong = "H3068"
 say|strong = "H0559" to|strong = "H3068" themselves|strong = "H0905",
 'The|strong = "H3068" people|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427"
 Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" are|strong = "H3068" strong|strong = "H2388"
 because|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"
 Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H3068"
 armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068" angels|strong = "H4397"
 is|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068" God|strong = "H3068".'

6At|strong = "H3427" that|strong = "H5971" time|strong = "H3117"
 I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H5971" enable|strong = "H7980"
 the|strong = "H3605" leaders|strong = "H7218" of|strong = "H3117"
 Judah|strong = "H3063" to|strong = "H5921" be|strong = "H5750"
 like|strong = "H5921" [SIM] a|strong = "H7760" pan|strong = "H3595"
 containing|strong = "H8033" hot|strong = "H2552" coals|strong = "H1513" w
 that|strong = "H5971" w* w is|strong = "H1931" w* w put|strong = "H7760" w*
 in|strong = "H3427" a|strong = "H7760" woodpile w to|strong = "H5921" w*
 w set|strong = "H7760" w* iit w on|strong = "H5921" w* w
 fire|strong = "H0784" w*, or|strong = "H3117" like|strong = "H5921" [SIM]
 a|strong = "H7760" burning|strong = "H3940" torch|strong = "H3940" w
 that|strong = "H5971" w* w is|strong = "H1931" w* w put|strong = "H7760" w*
 in|strong = "H3427" a|strong = "H7760" w field|strong = "H7704" w* w
 of|strong = "H3117" w* ripe|strong = "H1310" grain|strong = "H3605" w
 to|strong = "H5921" w* w set|strong = "H7760" w* w it|strong = "H7760" w* n
 w fire|strong = "H0784" w*. The|strong = "H3605" leaders|strong = "H7218"
 of|strong = "H3117" Judah|strong = "H3063" w and|strong = "H3063" w* w
 their|strong = "H3605" w* w army|strong = "H5971" w* will|strong = "H5971"
 destroy|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" people|strong = "H5971"
 of|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3605" surrounding|strong = "H5439"
 nations|strong = "H5971" in|strong = "H3427" all|strong = "H3605"
 directions|strong = "H7253". But|strong = "H1931" w
 the|strong = "H3605" w* w people|strong = "H5971" w* w
 of|strong = "H3117" w* Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" will|strong = "H5971"
 remain|strong = "H3427" safe|strong = "H7965".

7And|strong = "H3063" w I|strong = "H5921" w*,
 Yahweh|strong = "H3068", will|strong = "H3068" protect|strong = "H8104"

the|strong = "H5921" tents|strong = "H0168" of|strong = "H1004" w
 the|strong = "H5921" w* w soldiers|strong = "H5650" w* w
 in|strong = "H3427" w* w other|strong = "H0312" w* w
 places|strong = "H1004" w* w in|strong = "H3427" w*
 Judah|strong = "H3063" before|strong = "H5921" w I|strong = "H5921" w* w
 rescue|strong = "H3467" w* w the|strong = "H5921" w* w
 people|strong = "H3427" w* w of|strong = "H1004" w* w
 Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" w*, in|strong = "H3427" order|strong = "H4616"
 that|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H5921" leaders|strong = "H7218"
 of|strong = "H1004" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389" [DOU]
 will|strong = "H3068" not|strong = "H3808" be|strong = "H3808"
 honored|strong = "H3513" more|strong = "H3808" than|strong = "H3808" w
 the|strong = "H5921" w* w people|strong = "H3427" w* w
 in|strong = "H3427" w* w other|strong = "H0312" w* w
 places|strong = "H1004" w* w in|strong = "H3427" w*
 Judah|strong = "H3063" w are|strong = "H3068" w* w
 honored|strong = "H3513" w*. ⁸ At|strong = "H3427" that|strong = "H3117"
 time|strong = "H3117", I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068"
 protect|strong = "H1598" [MET|strong = "H6298"] the|strong = "H6440"
 people|strong = "H3427" of|strong = "H1004" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389".
 When|strong = "H1961" that|strong = "H3117" happens|strong = "H1961",
 even|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440" weakest
 people|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389"
 will|strong = "H3068" be|strong = "H1961" w strong|strong = "H2388" w*
 like|strong = "H1961" w King|strong = "H6440" w* David|strong = "H1732" w
 was|strong = "H3068" w*. And|strong = "H3068" the|strong = "H6440"
 descendants|strong = "H2233" [MTY] of|strong = "H1004"
 David|strong = "H1732" will|strong = "H3068" w rule|strong = "H3427" w* w
 the|strong = "H6440" w* w people|strong = "H3427" w* like|strong = "H1961"
 I|strong = "H3117" w would|strong = "H3068" w*, as|strong = "H3117"
 though|strong = "H1931" an|strong = "H1961" angel|strong = "H4397"
 sent|strong = "H1732" from|strong = "H6440" w me|strong = "H6440" w*,
 Yahweh|strong = "H3068", was|strong = "H3068" their|strong = "H3068"
 leader|strong = "H5387". ⁹ At|strong = "H5921" that|strong = "H3605"
 time|strong = "H3117", I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H1961"
 prepare|strong = "H3559" to|strong = "H1961" destroy|strong = "H8045"
 all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605" nations|strong = "H1471"
 that|strong = "H3605" attack|strong = "H5221" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389".
 Mourning|strong = "H0060" for|strong = "H5921" the|strong = "H3605"
 one|strong = "H3605" who|strong = "H3605" will|strong = "H1961"
 be|strong = "H1961" stabbed|strong = "H1856"

10"I|strong = "H5921", w Yahweh|strong = "H3068" w*,
 will|strong = "H1004" cause|strong = "H2600" the|strong = "H5921"
 descendants|strong = "H2233" [MTY] of|strong = "H1004" w

King|strong = "H5921" w* David|strong = "H1732" to|strong = "H5921"
 act|strong = "H6213" very|strong = "H3966" kindly|strong = "H3820"
 and|strong = "H1004" mercifully. They|strong = "H5921"
 will|strong = "H1004" look|strong = "H5027" at|strong = "H3427"
 me|strong = "H5921", w the|strong = "H5921" w* w one|strong = "H3173" w*
 who|strong = "H3427" has|strong = "H7307" been|strong = "H1961"
 stabbed|strong = "H1856", and|strong = "H1004" they|strong = "H5921"
 will|strong = "H1004" cry|strong = "H7121" bitterly|strong = "H4843",
 like|strong = "H1004" people|strong = "H3427" cry|strong = "H7121"
 for|strong = "H5921" a|strong = "H5921" firstborn|strong = "H1060"
 son|strong = "H3173" w who|strong = "H3427" w* w has|strong = "H7307" w*
 w died|strong = "H4191" w* [DOU]. ¹¹ At|strong = "H3117"
 that|strong = "H3117" time|strong = "H3117", many|strong = "H7227"
 people|strong = "H1931" in|strong = "H3117" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389"
 will|strong = "H3389" be|strong = "H3117" crying|strong = "H1058"
 bitterly|strong = "H4751", like|strong = "H3117" people|strong = "H1931"
 cried|strong = "H7121" w when|strong = "H3117" w* w
 King|strong = "H4428" w* w Josiah|strong = "H2977" w* w
 was|strong = "H1931" w* w killed|strong = "H2026" w* w
 in|strong = "H3117" w* w the|strong = "H3117" w* w
 battle|strong = "H3117" w* at|strong = "H3117" Hadad-Rimmon
 on|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117" Megiddo|strong = "H4023"
 Plain|strong = "H1237". ¹² Many|strong = "H7227" people|strong = "H4940"
 in|strong = "H1004" Judah|strong = "H3063" will|strong = "H1004"
 cry|strong = "H7121", each|strong = "H0376" family|strong = "H4940"
 by|strong = "H4940" themselves|strong = "H0905": the|strong = "H1732"
 male|strong = "H2145" descendants|strong = "H4940" of|strong = "H1004"
 David|strong = "H1732" by|strong = "H4940" themselves|strong = "H0905",
 and|strong = "H1004" their|strong = "H1732" wives|strong = "H0802"
 by|strong = "H4940" themselves|strong = "H0905", the|strong = "H1732"
 male|strong = "H2145" descendants|strong = "H4940" of|strong = "H1004" w
 David's|strong = "H1732" w* w son|strong = "H1121" w*
 Nathan|strong = "H5416" by|strong = "H4940" themselves|strong = "H0905",
 and|strong = "H1004" their|strong = "H1732" wives|strong = "H0802"
 by|strong = "H4940" themselves|strong = "H0905", ¹³ the|strong = "H1004"
 male|strong = "H2145" descendants|strong = "H4940" [MTY]
 of|strong = "H1004" Levi|strong = "H3878" by|strong = "H4940"
 themselves|strong = "H0905", and|strong = "H1004" their|strong = "H3605"
 wives|strong = "H0802" by|strong = "H4940" themselves|strong = "H0905",
 the|strong = "H1004" male|strong = "H2145" descendants|strong = "H4940"
 of|strong = "H1004" w Levi's|strong = "H3878" w* w
 grandson|strong = "H1121" w* Shimei|strong = "H8097" by|strong = "H4940"
 themselves|strong = "H0905", and|strong = "H1004" their|strong = "H3605"
 wives|strong = "H0802" by|strong = "H4940" themselves|strong = "H0905",
¹⁴ and|strong = "H3605" all|strong = "H3605" the|strong = "H3605"
 other|strong = "H3605" members|strong = "H3338" w of|strong = "H4940" w*

w the|strong = "H3605" w* w kings'|strong = "H4428" w* w
 clans|strong = "H4940" w* w and|strong = "H3605" w* w
 the|strong = "H3605" w* w priests'|strong = "H3548" w* w
 clans|strong = "H4940" w* by|strong = "H3605" themselves|strong = "H0905",
 and|strong = "H3605" their|strong = "H3605" wives|strong = "H0802"
 by|strong = "H3605" themselves|strong = "H0905".
 Getting rid of idols and false prophets

13At|strong = "H3427" that|strong = "H3117" time|strong = "H3117" w
 it|strong = "H1931" w* w will|strong = "H1961" w* w be|strong = "H1961" w*
 w as|strong = "H3117" w* w though|strong = "H1931" w*
 [MET|strong = "H6298"] there|strong = "H1961" will|strong = "H1961"
 be|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "H1961" fountain|strong = "H4726"
 from|strong = "H3117" which|strong = "H1931" water|strong = "H4325"
 flows|strong = "H2100" continually|strong = "H3117" to|strong = "H1961"
 cleanse|strong = "H2891" the|strong = "H3117"
 descendants|strong = "H2233" [MTY] of|strong = "H1004" w
 King|strong = "H4428" w* David|strong = "H1732" and|strong = "H3117" w
 all|strong = "H3117" w* the|strong = "H3117" w other|strong = "H0312" w*
 people|strong = "H3427" in|strong = "H3427" Jerusalem|strong = "H3389"
 from|strong = "H3117" the|strong = "H3117" guilt|strong = "H0817"
 of|strong = "H1004" the|strong = "H3117" sins|strong = "H2403"
 that|strong = "H3117" they|strong = "H3117" have|strong = "H1961"
 committed|strong = "H1961", w especially|strong = "H3966" w*
 from|strong = "H3117" becoming|strong = "H1961"
 unacceptable|strong = "H4284" to|strong = "H1961" me|strong = "H1961" w
 by|strong = "H3117" w* w worshiping|strong = "H7812" w* w
 idols|strong = "H1544" w*.

2The|strong = "H5002" Commander|strong = "H8269" of|strong = "H3068"
 the|strong = "H5002" armies|strong = "H6635" of|strong = "H3068"
 angels|strong = "H4397" says|strong = "H5002", "At|strong = "H3068"
 that|strong = "H3117" time|strong = "H3117", I|strong = "H3117"
 will|strong = "H3068" prevent|strong = "H6923" w
 people|strong = "H3808" w* w from|strong = "H4480" w* w
 even|strong = "H1571" w* w mentioning|strong = "H2142" w*
 the|strong = "H5002" names|strong = "H8034" of|strong = "H3068"
 the|strong = "H5002" idols|strong = "H6091" in|strong = "H3068"
 their|strong = "H3068" country|strong = "H2022", and|strong = "H3068"
 no|strong = "H3808" one|strong = "H3808" will|strong = "H3068"
 remember|strong = "H2142" them|strong = "H5674"
 anymore|strong = "H5750". I|strong = "H3117" will|strong = "H3068"
 also|strong = "H1571" expel|strong = "H1644" from|strong = "H4480"
 the|strong = "H5002" land|strong = "H0776" all|strong = "H3772"
 the|strong = "H5002" people|strong = "H3808" who|strong = "H1931"