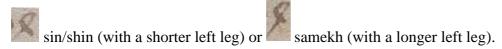
Decoding of the Voynich Manuscript 7

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Abstract

This document contains the transliteration and translation of the entire page 17v of the VMS. The text on this page is partly wrapped by a plant, which can be interpreted as an allegorical representation described below in detail. The glyphs here are very distinct. For nearly all the mapping to Aramaic letters is clear and univocal. We only see a few questionable places where we couldn't recognize certainly if a glyph, according to our mapping alphabet, is a:



Besides, the last glyph in the vord seems to be a misspelling, from which the scribe made a thick dot. We have ignored this glyph and identified the second part of the vord as $b@la' \{bel-aw'\}$ (to wear away, wear out or to harass constantly (fig.)). The text gives us a clue how to read the plant image. Its interpretation and a short conclusion complete this document.

1 Decryption of the page 17v of the VMS

The following translation into English is based mainly on the lexica used in our former papers (see Decoding of the VMS 1..6)¹. In our translation we try to stay as close as possible to the underlying Aramaic text. Naturally, the syntax and sentence structure are that of Aramaic and not English so we have occasionally to change the word order in the translated sentence to make the sentence understandable, though our aim isn't to provide the best possible English translation but to crystallize the meaning of the text, to make sense of it. Verbs are mostly specified in infinitive or imperative mode. We are committed to the idea, that the underlying, crypted text was written in the form of so-called *ketiv* or *kethib*. This form of a consonantal text, handed down by tradition, with only a very limited and ambiguous indication of vowels, is used in written (meaning of ketiv) biblical texts in Hebrew and Aramaic, as preserved by the scribal tradition. This easy to learn writing system (in comparison to e.g., cuneiform) introduces, however, a considerable amount of ambiguity in the process of vocalisation and can therefore lead to plurivalent interpretations of the text. "A simple (infinitive) form can have a variety of grammatical functions and meanings: infinitive, all imperative forms (except feminine pl.),3rd masculine or feminine singular perfect, 3rd plural perfect, singular participle (all forms), plural participle (construct state)"² - like in a genitive of a possessed noun followed by a possessor noun or with propositions requiring a dative (e.g., the suffering (those who suffer) of the world; those withdrawing from the

¹ mainly <u>Hebrew Dictionary of the Old Testament Online Bible with Strong's Exhaustive Concordance, Brown Driver Briggs Lexicon, Etymology, Translations Definitions Meanings & Key Word Studies - Lexiconcordance.com</u>

² Andreas Schuele, An Introduction to Biblical Aramaic

prayer). The abjad text (ketiv) together with the specific of Aramaic to consist of short words makes the resulting writing, whether as plain Aramaic text or as Voynich code, very compact. A page like 17v of the VMS *produces* a translation of several pages in English or German. The mapping to letter-transliteration of Aramaic shows the following picture (rows 1-11):



And further (rows 12-23):



pass for abjad - yr shkr w

not the least the excitement of the intoxicating drink³

עיר iyr {eer}
1) **excitement**, anguish
1a) of terror

³ Intoxication with national and wrong messianic ideas (in the years before the Jewish revolt?)

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2) city, town (a place of waking, guarded)
  2a) city, town
       שבר shakar {shaw-kar'}
       1) to be or become drunk or drunken, be intoxicated
         1a) (Qal) to become drunken
         1b) (Piel) to make drunken, cause to be drunk
         1c) (Hiphil) to cause to be drunk
         1d) (Hithpael) to make oneself drunk
       שבר shekar {shay-kawr'}
       1) strong drink, intoxicating drink, fermented or intoxicating liquor
              ix 'ow {o}
               1) or, rather
                 1a) implying that the latter choice is preferred
                 1b) or if, introducing an example to be seen under a particular principle
                 1c) (in series) either...or, whether...or
                 1d) if perchance
                 1e) except, or else
               2) whether, not the least, if, otherwise, also, and, then
pass for abjad - khh kr ydh
weakens to confess the lamb
בהה kahah {kaw-haw'}
1) to grow weak, grow dim, grow faint, falter, be weak, be dim, be
  darkened, be restrained, be faint, fail
  1a) (Qal) to grow dim, grow faint
  1b) (Piel) to faint, grow weak, grow faint
       אבר {kar}
       1) howdah, palanguin, basket saddle
         1a) an enclosed riding space erected on a camel's saddle
       2) pasture, meadow
       3) ram, lamb, he-lamb
       4) battering-ram
              יַרָה yadah {yaw-daw'}
               1) to throw, shoot, cast
                 1a) (Qal) to shoot (arrows)
                 1b) (Piel) to cast, cast down, throw down
                 1c) (Hiphil)
                   1c1) to give thanks,, laud, praise
                   1c2) to confess, confess (the name of God)
                 1d) (Hithpael)
                  1d1) to confess (sin)
                  1d2) to give thanks
pass for abjad - yd dl zh ll
a burden (to) the poor whom
איד 'eyd {ade}
1) distress, burden, calamity
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1a) burden (of the righteous)
   1b) calamity (of nation)
   1c) disaster (of wicked)
   1d) day of calamity
       ל dal {dal}
        1) low, poor, weak, thin, one who is low
               zeh {zeh}
               1) this, this one, here, which, this...that, the one...the other,
                 another, such
                 1a) (alone)
                    1a1) this one
                    1a2) this...that, the one...the other, another
                  1b) (appos to subst)
                    1b1) this
                 1c) (as predicate)
                    1c1) this, such
                 1d) (enclitically)
                    1d1) then
                    1d2) who, whom
                    1d3) how now, what now
                    1d4) what now
                    1d5) wherefore now
                    1d6) behold here
                    1d7) just now
                    1d8) now, now already
                  1e) (poetry)
                    1e1) wherein, which, those who
                  1f) (with prefixes)
                    1f1) in this (place) here, then
                    1f2) on these conditions, herewith, thus provided, by, through
                       this, for this cause, in this matter
                    1f3) thus and thus
                    1f4) as follows, things such as these, accordingly, to that
                       effect, in like manner, thus and thus
                    1f5) from here, hence, on one side...on the other side
                    1f6) on this account
                    1f7) in spite of this, which, whence, how
pass for abjad - sbr bd dl
the hope perishes, the weak
שַׁבַּר sabar {saw-bar'}
1) to inspect, examine, wait, hope, wait upon
   1a) (Qal) examined (participle)
   1b) (Piel)
     1b1) to wait (for), wait upon
     1b2) to hope (for)
שֶׁבֶּר seber {say'-ber}
1) hope
       אָבַּד' 'abad {aw-bad'}
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1) perish, vanish, go astray, be destroyed
         1a) (Qal)
            1a1) perish, die, be exterminated
            1a2) perish, vanish (fig.)
            1a3) be lost, strayed
          1b) (Piel)
            1b1) to destroy, kill, cause to perish, to give up
               (as lost), exterminate
            1b2) to blot out, do away with, cause to vanish, (fig.)
            1b3) cause to stray, lose
          1c) (Hiphil)
            1c1) to destroy, put to death
               1c1a) of divine judgment
            1c2) object name of kings (fig.)
       abad {ab-ad'}
        1) to perish, vanish
         1a) (P'al) shall perish
         1b) (Aphel) destroy
          1c) (Hophal) be destroyed
       יאבר 'obed {o-bade'}
        1) destruction
              ל dal {dal}
               1) low, poor, weak, thin, one who is low
pass for abjad - sb thh
green plants<sup>4</sup> brought/which came
שַׁעֵּע eseb {eh'-seb}
1) herb, herbage, grass, green plants
       אתה 'athah {aw-thaw'}
        1) to come, arrive
         1a) (Qal) to come (of men, time, beasts, calamity)
         1b) (Hiphil) to bring
       אָתָה 'athah {aw-thaw'}
        1) to come, arrive
         1a) (P'al) to come
         1b) (Aphel) to bring
         1c) (Hophal) to be brought
        2) used in the NT in the phrase "maranatha" - "Lord come"
pass for abjad - khh kr w
fail/are darkened, disturb/make (someone) taboo, rather
נהה kahah {kaw-haw'}
1) to grow weak, grow dim, grow faint, falter, be weak, be dim, be
  darkened, be restrained, be faint, fail
  1a) (Qal) to grow dim, grow faint
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⁴ Green plants are often used as a synonym for the newcomer or the young generation

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1b) (Piel) to faint, grow weak, grow faint
גהה keheh {kay-heh'}
1) dim, dull, colourless, be dark, faint
       עכר akar {aw-kar'}
        1) to trouble, stir up, disturb, make (someone) taboo
          1a) (Qal) to disturb, trouble
          1b) (Niphal)
            1b1) to be disturbed, be stirred up
            1b2) disturbance, calamity (participle)
              ix 'ow {o}
               1) or, rather
                 1a) implying that the latter choice is preferred
                 1b) or if, introducing an example to be seen under a particular principle
                 1c) (in series) either...or, whether...or
                 1d) if perchance
                 1e) except, or else
               2) whether, not the least, if, otherwise, also, and, then
pass for abjad - sb thh shmr
the green plants (had been) brought to guard!
עֵשֶׂב eseb {eh'-seb}
1) herb, herbage, grass, green plants
       אָהָה 'athah {aw-thaw'}
        1) to come, arrive
          1a) (Qal) to come (of men, time, beasts, calamity)
          1b) (Hiphil) to bring
       אתה 'athah {aw-thaw'}
        1) to come, arrive
          1a) (P'al) to come
          1b) (Aphel) to bring
          1c) (Hophal) to be brought
        2) used in the NT in the phrase "maranatha" - "Lord come"
              שׁמֵר shamar {shaw-mar'}
               1) to keep, guard, observe, give heed
                 1a) (Oal)
                    1a1) to keep, have charge of
                    1a2) to keep, guard, keep watch and ward, protect, save life
                       1a2a) watch, watchman (participle)
                    1a3) to watch for, wait for
                    1a4) to watch, observe
                    1a5) to keep, retain, treasure up (in memory)
                    1a6) to keep (within bounds), restrain
                    1a7) to observe, celebrate, keep (sabbath or covenant or commands),
                       perform (vow)
                    1a8) to keep, preserve, protect
                    1a9) to keep, reserve
                 1b) (Niphal)
                    1b1) to be on one's guard, take heed, take care, beware
                    1b2) to keep oneself, refrain, abstain
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1c) (Piel) to keep, pay heed
                 1d) (Hithpael) to keep oneself from
               שמר shemer {sheh'-mer}
               1) lees, dregs
pass for abjad - bddh phw dlph
something lost, (what) now to drop
אַבַדּוֹ 'abaddoh {ab-ad-do'}
1) a lost thing, something lost, a perishing
       יאָפוֹ 'ephow {ay-fo'}
        1) then, now, so
          1a) (who) then, (what) then (with interrog)
          1b) then (with imperative - i.e. know then)
          1c) if...then (with adv)
               קלף dalaph {daw-laf'}
               1) to drop, drip
                 1a) (Qal)
                    1a1) to leak
                    1a2) to weep (of tears)
               קלף deleph {deh'-lef}
               1) a dropping, dripping
                 1a) of contentious wife (fig.)
pass for abjad - yd d' d dy
to fix/appoint this sufficient forever:
יַעַד ya'ad {yaw-ad'}
1) to fix, appoint, assemble, meet, set, betroth
  1a) (Qal) to appoint, assign, designate
  1b) (Niphal)
     1b1) to meet
     1b2) to meet by appointment
     1b3) to gather, assemble by appointment
  1c) (Hiphil) to cause to meet
  1d) (Hophal) to be set, be placed before, be fixed
       אק da' {daw}
        1) this, one ... to ... another
               עד ad {ad}
               1) perpetuity, for ever, continuing future
                 1a) ancient (of past time)
                 1b) for ever (of future time)
                    1b1) of continuous existence
                 1c) for ever (of God's existence)
               עד ad {ad}
               prep
               1) as far as, even to, until, up to, while, as far as
                 1a) of space
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1b3) to be kept, be guarded

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1a1) as far as, up to, even to
                 1b) in combination
                   1b1) from...as far as, both...and (with 'min' - from)
                 1c) of time
                   1c1) even to, until, unto, till, during, end
                 1d) of degree
                   1d1) even to, to the degree of, even like
               2) until, while, to the point that, so that even
              עד ad {ad}
               prep
               1) even to, until, up to, during
               2) until, up to the time that, ere that
                      'day {dahee}
                      1) sufficiency, enough
                        1a) enough
                        1b) for, according to the abundance of, out of the abundance of,
                           as often as
pass for abjad - shbsh bw' shbl/cbl l'
perplexing (the people) comes without dragging oneself along/to burden oneself
พ่าพ่ sh@bash {sheb-ash'}
1) to confuse, be perplexed
  1a) (Ithpael) to be perplexed
       bow' {bo}
        1) to go in, enter, come, go, come in
          1a) (Oal)
            1a1) to enter, come in
            1a2) to come
               1a2a) to come with
               1a2b) to come upon, fall or light upon, attack (enemy)
               1a2c) to come to pass
            1a3) to attain to
            1a4) to be enumerated
            1a5) to go
          1b) (Hiphil)
            1b1) to lead in
            1b2) to carry in
            1b3) to bring in, cause to come in, gather, cause to come,
               bring near, bring against, bring upon
            1b4) to bring to pass
          1c) (Hophal)
            1c1) to be brought, brought in
            1c2) to be introduced, be put
              שׁבֵּל shebel {show'-bel}
               1) flowing skirt, train
              קבַל cabal {saw-bal'}
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1) to bear, bear a load, drag oneself along

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1a) (Qal) to bear (a load)
                 1b) (Pual) laden (participle)
                 1c) (Hithpael) to make oneself a burden, drag oneself along
               סְבַל c@bal {seb-al'}
               1) to bear a load
                 1a) (Poal) laid (participle)
               סבל cebel {say'-bel}
               1) load, burden
               לבל cobel {so'-bel}
               1) burden, load
               lo' {lo} לא
               1) not, no
                 1a) not (with verb - absolute prohibition)
                 1b) not (with modifier - negation)
                 1c) nothing (subst)
                 1d) without (with particle)
                 1e) before (of time)
               לא la' {law}
               1) no, not, nothing
pass for abjad - th bd d'
with one lie to another<sup>5</sup>
אָת 'eth {ayth}
1) with, near, together with
  1a) with, together with
  1b) with (of relationship)
  1c) near (of place)
  1d) with (poss.)
  1e) from...with, from (with other prep)
       bad {bad}
        1) alone, by itself, besides, a part, separation, being alone
          1a) separation, alone, by itself
            1a1) only (adv)
            1a2) apart from, besides (prep)
          1b) part
          1c) parts (eg limbs, shoots), bars
       5 bad {bad}
        1) empty talk, idle talk, liar, lie
              אַ da' {daw}
               1) this, one ... to ... another
               עד dea' {day'-ah}
               1) knowledge, opinion
                 1a) God's knowledge
                 1b) judgment, opinion
pass for abjad - kh hm rshh
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⁵ Good tidings may perplex the people but no need to take away or add anything, stay true

so far/until now these/who (know) the early time

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koh {ko} כֿה
1) thus, here, in this manner
  1a) thus, so
  1b) here, here and there
  1c) until now, until now...until then, meanwhile
kah {kaw} כַּה
1) here, so far, thus
       המה hem {haym}
        1) abundance, clamour (meaning uncertain)
       hem {haym}
        1) they, these, the same, who
              ראשה ri'shah {ree-shaw'}
               1) beginning time, early time
              ro'shah {ro-shaw'}
               1) top, topmost
pass for abjad - shm' ph
oral news/tidings/reports/hearings
שָׁמַע shama' {shaw-mah'}
1) to hear, listen to, obey
  1a) (Qal)
     1a1) to hear (perceive by ear)
     1a2) to hear of or concerning
     1a3) to hear (have power to hear)
     1a4) to hear with attention or interest, listen to
     1a5) to understand (language)
     1a6) to hear (of judicial cases)
     1a7) to listen, give heed
        1a7a) to consent, agree
        1a7b) to grant request
     1a8) to listen to, yield to
     1a9) to obey, be obedient
  1b) (Niphal)
     1b1) to be heard (of voice or sound)
     1b2) to be heard of
     1b3) to be regarded, be obeyed
  1c) (Piel) to cause to hear, call to hear, summon
  1d) (Hiphil)
     1d1) to cause to hear, tell, proclaim, utter a sound
     1d2) to sound aloud (musical term)
     1d3) to make proclamation, summon
     1d4) to cause to be heard
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2) sound
שָׁמֵע sh@ma' {shem-ah'}
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1) to hear
  1a) (P'al) to hear, have a sense of hearing
  1b) (Ithpael) to show oneself obedient
שֶׁמֵע shema' {shay'-mah}
1) report, a hearing
שַׁמֶע shoma' {sho'-mah}
1) report, rumour, news, fame
       pe'ah {pay-aw'}
       1) corner, edge, side, quarter, extremity
         1a) corner
         1b) side
       קה peh {peh}
       1) mouth
         1a) mouth (of man)
         1b) mouth (as organ of speech)
         1c) mouth (of animals)
         1d) mouth, opening, orifice (of a well, river, etc)
         1e) extremity, end
       pa'ah {paw-aw'}
       1) (Qal) to groan, cry out, scream
pass for abjad - khh chrb
lessen, are laid waste
נהה kahah {kaw-haw'}
1) to grow weak, grow dim, grow faint, falter, be weak, be dim, be
  darkened, be restrained, be faint, fail
  1a) (Qal) to grow dim, grow faint
  1b) (Piel) to faint, grow weak, grow faint
kehah {kay-haw'}
1) a quenching, dulling, lessening, healing, alleviation
       הרב charab {khaw-rab'}
       1) to be waste, lay waste, make desolate, be desolate, be in ruins
         1a) (Qal) to be waste, be desolate
         1b) (Niphal)
            1b1) to be made desolate
            1b2) desolate (participle)
         1c) (Hiphil) to lay waste, make desolate
         1d) (Hophal) to be laid waste
       2) to be dry, be dried up
         2a) (Qal) to be dried, be dried up
         2b) (Pual) to be dried
         2c) (Hiphil) to dry up
         2d) (Hophal) to be dried up
       3) to attack, smite down, slay, fight
       להב charab {khar-ab'}
       1) to dry up, be waste
         1a) (Hophal) to be laid waste
       מרב chereb {kheh'-reb}
       1) sword, knife
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1a) sword
1b) knife
1c) tools for cutting stone
יהי chareb {khaw-rabe'}
1) waste, desolate, dry
choreb {kho'-reb}
1) dryness, desolation, drought, heat
1a) dryness
1b) drought
1c) parching heat
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pass for abjad - nh ky r'

forasmuch as encounter/approach the world

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'anah {aw-naw'}
1) to meet, encounter, approach, be opportune
  1a) (Piel) to allow to meet, cause to meet
  1b) (Pual) to be sent, be allowed to meet
  1c) (Hithpael) to seek occasion (quarrel), cause oneself to meet
ענָה anah {an-aw'}
1) (P'al) to be humble, be low
adi
2) poor, needy
ונאַה na'ah {naw-aw'}
1) to be comely, be beautiful, be befitting
  1a) (Pilpel)
     1a1) to be comely
     1a2) to be befitting
na'ah {naw-aw'}
1) pasture, abode, abode of shepherd, habitation, meadow
  1a) pasture, meadow
  1b) abode
ענה anah {aw-naw'}
1) to answer, respond, testify, speak, shout
  1a) (Qal)
     1a1) to answer, respond to
     1a2) to testify, respond as a witness
  1b) (Niphal)
     1b1) to make answer
     1b2) to be answered, receive answer
2) (Qal) to sing, utter tunefully
3) (Qal) to dwell
ענה anah {aw-naw'}
1) (Qal) to be occupied, be busied with
2) to afflict, oppress, humble, be afflicted, be bowed down
  2a) (Qal)
     2a1) to be put down, become low
     2a2) to be depressed, be downcast
     2a3) to be afflicted
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2a4) to stoop
  2b) (Niphal)
     2b1) to humble oneself, bow down
     2b2) to be afflicted, be humbled
  2c) (Piel)
     2c1) to humble, mishandle, afflict
     2c2) to humble, be humiliated
     2c3) to afflict
     2d4) to humble, weaken oneself
  2d) (Pual)
     2d1) to be afflicted
     2d2) to be humbled
  2e) (Hiphil) to afflict
  2f) (Hithpael)
     2f1) to humble oneself
     2f2) to be afflicted
ענה anah {an-aw'}
1) to answer, respond
  1a) (P'al)
     1a1) to answer, make reply
     1a2) to respond
       kiv {kee}
        1) burning, branding
       kiy {kee}
        1) that, for, because, when, as though, as, because that, but, then,
          certainly, except, surely, since
          1a) that
            1a1) yea, indeed
          1b) when (of time)
            1b1) when, if, though (with a concessive force)
          1c) because, since (causal connection)
          1d) but (after negative)
          1e) that if, for if, indeed if, for though, but if
          1f) but rather, but
          1g) except that
          1h) only, nevertheless
          1i) surely
          1i) that is
          1k) but if
          11) for though
          1m) for a smuch as, for therefore
              ארע ara' {ar-ah'}
               1) earth, world, ground
              רע ra' {rah}
               adj
               1) bad, evil
                 1a) bad, disagreeable, malignant
                 1b) bad, unpleasant, evil (giving pain, unhappiness, misery)
                 1c) evil, displeasing
                 1d) bad (of its kind - land, water, etc)
                 1e) bad (of value)
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1f) worse than, worst (comparison)
                  1g) sad, unhappy
                  1h) evil (hurtful)
                  1i) bad, unkind (vicious in disposition)
                  1j) bad, evil, wicked (ethically)
                    1j1) in general, of persons, of thoughts
                    1j2) deeds, actions
                n m
                2) evil, distress, misery, injury, calamity
                  2a) evil, distress, adversity
                  2b) evil, injury, wrong
                  2c) evil (ethical)
                n f
                3) evil, misery, distress, injury
                  3a) evil, misery, distress
                  3b) evil, injury, wrong
                  3c) evil (ethical)
               רַע rea' {ray'-ah}
                1) shouting, roar
                  1a) meaning dubious
               רַע rea' {ray'-ah}
                1) friend, companion, fellow, another person
                  1a) friend, intimate
                  1b) fellow, fellow-citizen, another person (weaker sense)
                  1c) other, another (reciprocal phrase)
               רַע rea' {ray'-ah}
                1) purpose, aim, thought
               roa' {ro'-ah}
                1) badness, evil
                  1a) badness, bad quality
                  1b) wilfulness
                  1c) evil, badness (ethical)
                  1d) sadness
pass for abjad - sb'
satisfactorily
       שבע saba' {saw-bah'}
        1) to be satisfied, be sated, be fulfilled, be surfeited
          1a) (Qal)
             1a1) to be sated (with food)
             1a2) to be sated, be satisfied with, be fulfilled, be filled,
                have one's fill of (have desire satisfied)
             1a3) to have in excess, be surfeited, be surfeited with
                1a3a) to be weary of (fig)
          1b) (Piel) to satisfy
          1c) (Hiphil)
             1c1) to satisfy
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1c2) to enrich
            1c3) to sate, glut (with the undesired)
       שבע saba' {saw-baw'}
        1) plenty, satiety
         1a) plenty (of breadstuffs)
         1b) satiety
       שבש soba' {so'-bah}
        1) satiety, abundance, fullness
         1a) satiety
          1b) abundance
       שבש sabea' {saw-bay'-ah}
        1) sated, satisfied, surfeited
         1a) sated, abounding, satisfied
         1b) surfeited (bad sense)
pass for abjad - yll hthth' cbl
howling, assailing mischief burden
יַלל yalal {yaw-lal'}
1) (Hiphil) to howl, wail, make a howling
ילל y@lel {yel-ale'}
1) a howling (of beasts)
       התה hathath' {haw-thath'}
        1) (Poel) to shout at, be frantic at, assail, break in, overwhelm,
         imagine mischief
              סָבַל cabal {saw-bal'}
               1) to bear, bear a load, drag oneself along
                 1a) (Qal) to bear (a load)
                 1b) (Pual) laden (participle)
                 1c) (Hithpael) to make oneself a burden, drag oneself along
              סְבַל c@bal {seb-al'}
               1) to bear a load
                 1a) (Poal) laid (participle)
              קבל cebel {say'-bel}
               1) load, burden
              לבל cobel {so'-bel}
               1) burden, load
pass for abjad - d d' sh
continuous observance/celebration of God's wisdom
עד ad {ad}
1) perpetuity, for ever, continuing future
  1a) ancient (of past time)
  1b) for ever (of future time)
     1b1) of continuous existence
  1c) for ever (of God's existence)
עד ad {ad}
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prep
1) as far as, even to, until, up to, while, as far as
  1a) of space
    1a1) as far as, up to, even to
  1b) in combination
     1b1) from...as far as, both...and (with 'min' - from)
  1c) of time
     1c1) even to, until, unto, till, during, end
  1d) of degree
     1d1) even to, to the degree of, even like
coni
2) until, while, to the point that, so that even
עד ad {ad}
prep
1) even to, until, up to, during
2) until, up to the time that, ere that
       87 da' {daw}
       1) this, one ... to ... another
       לע dea' {day'-ah}
       1) knowledge, opinion
         1a) God's knowledge
         1b) judgment, opinion
              עשה asah {aw-saw'}
               1) to do, fashion, accomplish, make
                 1a) (Oal)
                   1a1) to do, work, make, produce
                      1a1a) to do
                      1a1b) to work
                      1a1c) to deal (with)
                      1a1d) to act, act with effect, effect
                   1a2) to make
                      1a2a) to make
                      1a2b) to produce
                      1a2c) to prepare
                      1a2d) to make (an offering)
                      1a2e) to attend to, put in order
                      1a2f) to observe, celebrate
                      1a2g) to acquire (property)
                      1a2h) to appoint, ordain, institute
                      1a2i) to bring about
                      1a2j) to use
                      1a2k) to spend, pass
                 1b) (Niphal)
                   1b1) to be done
                   1b2) to be made
                   1b3) to be produced
                   1b4) to be offered
                   1b5) to be observed
                   1b6) to be used
                 1c) (Pual) to be made
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2) (Piel) to press, squeeze

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pass for abjad - cwd dl sb'
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the assembly (of the) poor is surfeited with/weary of (that)

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סוד cowd {sode}
1) council, counsel, assembly
  1a) council (of familiar conversation)
     1a1) divan, circle (of familiar friends)
     1a2) assembly, company
  1b) counsel
     1b1) counsel (itself)
     1b2) secret counsel
     1b3) familiar converse, intimacy (with God)
       ל dal {dal}
        1) low, poor, weak, thin, one who is low
               שַׂבַע saba' {saw-bah'}
               1) to be satisfied, be sated, be fulfilled, be surfeited
                  1a) (Qal)
                    1a1) to be sated (with food)
                    1a2) to be sated, be satisfied with, be fulfilled, be filled,
                       have one's fill of (have desire satisfied)
                    1a3) to have in excess, be surfeited, be surfeited with
                       1a3a) to be weary of (fig)
                  1b) (Piel) to satisfy
                  1c) (Hiphil)
                    1c1) to satisfy
                    1c2) to enrich
                    1c3) to sate, glut (with the undesired)
               שָּׁבָע saba' {saw-baw'}
               1) plenty, satiety
                  1a) plenty (of breadstuffs)
                  1b) satiety
               שֹבַע soba' {so'-bah}
               1) satiety, abundance, fullness
                  1a) satiety
                  1b) abundance
               שָׂבֵעַ sabea' {saw-bay'-ah}
                1) sated, satisfied, surfeited
                  1a) sated, abounding, satisfied
                  1b) surfeited (bad sense)
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pass for abjad - d dy d'

to the point that one pass on/depose

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עד ad {ad}
1) perpetuity, for ever, continuing future
1a) ancient (of past time)
1b) for ever (of future time)
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1b1) of continuous existence
  1c) for ever (of God's existence)
עד ad {ad}
prep
1) as far as, even to, until, up to, while, as far as
  1a) of space
     1a1) as far as, up to, even to
  1b) in combination
     1b1) from...as far as, both...and (with 'min' - from)
  1c) of time
     1c1) even to, until, unto, till, during, end
  1d) of degree
     1d1) even to, to the degree of, even like
conj
2) until, while, to the point that, so that even
עד ad {ad}
prep
1) even to, until, up to, during
2) until, up to the time that, ere that
       day {dahee}
        1) sufficiency, enough
          1a) enough
          1b) for, according to the abundance of, out of the abundance of,
            as often as
       לי div {dee}
        part of relation
        1) who, which, that
        mark of genitive
        2) that of, which belongs to, that
        conj
        3) that, because
              עַדַא ada' {ad-aw'}
               1) to pass on, pass away
                 1a) (P'al)
                    1a1) to pass on, pass over
                    1a2) to pass away
                 1b) (Aphel) to take away, remove, depose
pass for abjad - th b llwph
to consent/agree to ask/seek (after) a friend/intimate
עות uth {ooth}
1) (Qal) to hasten to, help, succour
  1a) meaning dubious
אוּת 'uwth {ooth}
1) (Niphal) to consent, agree
       לעא b@'a' {beh-aw'}
        1) to ask, seek, request, desire, pray, make petition
          1a) (P'al)
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1a1) to ask, request
1a2) to seek (for favour)
קלוף 'alluwph {al-loof'}
1) tame, docile
2) friend, intimate
3) chief

pass for abjad - ydd ph' thm

the friend scorched/branded<sup>6</sup> (as) worthless

77°, yadad {yaw-dad'}
v
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קרי yadad {yaw-dad'}
v
1) (Qal) to throw lots, cast lots
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2) love, loving-one, friend
שַּבָּשׁ epha' {eh'-fah}
1) worthless, of nought
בּתַחַ atham {aw-tham'}
1) (Niphal) to be burned up, be scorched
1a) meaning dubious
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pass for abjad - r' cwd db

the company/circle of friends/fellows became faint

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רע ra' {rah}
adj
1) bad, evil
  1a) bad, disagreeable, malignant
  1b) bad, unpleasant, evil (giving pain, unhappiness, misery)
  1c) evil, displeasing
  1d) bad (of its kind - land, water, etc)
  1e) bad (of value)
  1f) worse than, worst (comparison)
  1g) sad, unhappy
  1h) evil (hurtful)
  1i) bad, unkind (vicious in disposition)
  1j) bad, evil, wicked (ethically)
     1j1) in general, of persons, of thoughts
     1j2) deeds, actions
2) evil, distress, misery, injury, calamity
  2a) evil, distress, adversity
  2b) evil, injury, wrong
  2c) evil (ethical)
3) evil, misery, distress, injury
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⁶ with a figurative iron like in Timothy: "by means of the hypocrisy of liars seared in their own conscience as with a branding iron"

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3a) evil, misery, distress
  3b) evil, injury, wrong
  3c) evil (ethical)
       710 cowd {sode}
        1) council, counsel, assembly
         1a) council (of familiar conversation)
            1a1) divan, circle (of familiar friends)
            1a2) assembly, company
         1b) counsel
            1b1) counsel (itself)
            1b2) secret counsel
            1b3) familiar converse, intimacy (with God)
              דאב da'ab {daw-ab'}
               1) (Qal) to become faint, languish
רע rea' {ray'-ah}
1) friend, companion, fellow, another person
  1a) friend, intimate
  1b) fellow, fellow-citizen, another person (weaker sense)
  1c) other, another (reciprocal phrase)
       סוֹד cowd {sode}
        1) council, counsel, assembly
          1a) council (of familiar conversation)
            1a1) divan, circle (of familiar friends)
            1a2) assembly, company
         1b) counsel
            1b1) counsel (itself)
            1b2) secret counsel
            1b3) familiar converse, intimacy (with God)
              דאב da'ab {daw-ab'}
               1) (Qal) to become faint, languish
pass for abjad - yld d dy
to help to bring forth the witness/testimony of the
יַלִּד yalad {yaw-lad'}
1) to bear, bring forth, beget, gender, travail
  1a) (Qal)
     1a1) to bear, bring forth
        1a1a) of child birth
        1a1b) of distress (simile)
        1a1c) of wicked (behaviour)
     1a2) to beget
  1b) (Niphal) to be born
  1c) (Piel)
     1c1) to cause or help to bring forth
     1c2) to assist or tend as a midwife
     1c3) midwife (participle)
  1d) (Pual) to be born
  1e) (Hiphil)
     1e1) to beget (a child)
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1e2) to bear (fig. - of wicked bringing forth iniquity)
  1f) (Hophal) day of birth, birthday (infinitive)
  1g) (Hithpael) to declare one's birth (pedigree)
       עד ed {ayd}
        1) witness
          1a) witness, testimony, evidence (of things)
          1b) witness (of people)
               לי day {dahee}
               1) sufficiency, enough
                 1a) enough
                 1b) for, according to the abundance of, out of the abundance of,
                    as often as
               זי diy {dee}
               part of relation
               1) who, which, that
               mark of genitive
               2) that of, which belongs to, of that
               coni
               3) that, because
pass for abjad - cwr
band/bond
אָסוּר 'ecuwr {ay-soor'}
1) band, bond
2) house of bonds, prison (figurative)
pass for abjad - cbl l' sb'lly
do not burden yourself (with) a plenty of woe/woes
קבל cabal {saw-bal'}
1) to bear, bear a load, drag oneself along
  1a) (Qal) to bear (a load)
  1b) (Pual) laden (participle)
  1c) (Hithpael) to make oneself a burden, drag oneself along
       lo' {lo} לא
        1) not, no
          1a) not (with verb - absolute prohibition)
          1b) not (with modifier - negation)
          1c) nothing (subst)
          1d) without (with particle)
          1e) before (of time)
               שבע saba' {saw-baw'}
               1) plenty, satiety
                 1a) plenty (of breadstuffs)
                 1b) satiety
               שבע soba' {so'-bah}
               1) satiety, abundance, fullness
                 1a) satiety
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pass for abjad - r qhh nb

to break/crush blunt grapes

רַעַע ra'a' {raw-ah'}

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1) to be bad, be evil
  1a) (Qal)
     1a1) to be displeasing
     1a2) to be sad
     1a3) to be injurious, be evil
     1a4) to be wicked, be evil (ethically)
  1b) (Hiphil)
     1b1) to do an injury or hurt
     1b2) to do evil or wickedly
     1b3) mischief (participle)
2) to break, shatter
  2a) (Qal)
     2a1) to break
     2a2) broken (participle)
     2a3) to be broken
  2b) (Hithpolel) to be broken, be broken in pieces, be broken asunder
רַעַע r@'a' {reh-ah'}
1) (P'al) to crush, break, shatter
       קהה qahah {kaw-haw'}
        1) to be blunt, be dull
          1a) (Qal) to be blunt, be dull
          1b) (Piel) to be blunt
               עַנֵב enab {ay-nawb'}
               1) grape(s)
pass for abjad - w phw khh
not the least then to be restrained
in 'ow {o}
1) or, rather
  1a) implying that the latter choice is preferred
  1b) or if, introducing an example to be seen under a particular principle
  1c) (in series) either...or, whether...or
  1d) if perchance
  1e) except, or else
2) whether, not the least, if, otherwise, also, and, then
       יפל 'ephow {ay-fo'}
        1) then, now, so
          1a) (who) then, (what) then (with interrog)
          1b) then (with imperative - i.e. know then)
          1c) if...then (with adv)
               kahah {kaw-haw'}
               1) to grow weak, grow dim, grow faint, falter, be weak, be dim, be
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1b) (Piel) to faint, grow weak, grow faint
              keheh {kay-heh'}
               1) dim, dull, colourless, be dark, faint
              kehah {kay-haw'}
               1) a quenching, dulling, lessening, healing, alleviation
pass for abjad - nphth w phw zb
(in the) height and so to abandon/forsake/neglect<sup>7</sup>
ופת nepheth {neh'-feth}
1) height
       in 'ow {o}
        1) or, rather
          1a) implying that the latter choice is preferred
          1b) or if, introducing an example to be seen under a particular principle
          1c) (in series) either...or, whether...or
          1d) if perchance
          1e) except, or else
        2) whether, not the least, if, otherwise, also, and, then
              יפל 'ephow {ay-fo'}
               1) then, now, so
                 1a) (who) then, (what) then (with interrog)
                 1b) then (with imperative - i.e. know then)
                 1c) if...then (with adv)
              עוב azab {aw-zab'}
               1) to leave, loose, forsake
                 1a) (Oal) to leave
                    1a1) to depart from, leave behind, leave, let alone
                    1a2) to leave, abandon, forsake, neglect, apostatise
                    1a3) to let loose, set free, let go, free
                 1b) (Niphal)
                    1b1) to be left to
                    1b2) to be forsaken
                 1c) (Pual) to be deserted
               2) to restore, repair
                 2a) (Qal) to repair
pass for abjad - thd w khh
be prepared rather to grow dim/weak
עַתַּד athad {aw-thad'}
1) to be ready, make ready, prepare
  1a) (Piel) to make ready
  1b) (Hithpael) to be prepared
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darkened, **be restrained**, be faint, fail 1a) (Qal) to grow dim, grow faint

⁷ to abandon the apostates

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in 'ow {o}
        1) or, rather
         1a) implying that the latter choice is preferred
         1b) or if, introducing an example to be seen under a particular principle
         1c) (in series) either...or, whether...or
          1d) if perchance
          1e) except, or else
        2) whether, not the least, if, otherwise, also, and, then
              נּהָה kahah {kaw-haw'}
               1) to grow weak, grow dim, grow faint, falter, be weak, be dim, be
                 darkened, be restrained, be faint, fail
                 1a) (Qal) to grow dim, grow faint
                 1b) (Piel) to faint, grow weak, grow faint
              keheh {kay-heh'}
               1) dim, dull, colourless, be dark, faint
              kehah {kay-haw'}
               1) a quenching, dulling, lessening, healing, alleviation
pass for abjad - k t tsh
but gently/softly to bend/tip over
ן 'ak {ak}
1) indeed, surely (emphatic)
2) howbeit, only, but, yet (restrictive)
       מט 'at {at}
        1) gentleness, softness
         1a) gently
          1b) flowing
          1c) softly
          1d) enchanter, necromancer (substantive)
              עצה atseh {aw-tseh'}
               1) spine, backbone, os sacrum
                 1a) either spine or os sacrum
                   1a1) bone close to fat-tail
              עצה etsah {ay-tsaw'}
               1) counsel, advice, purpose
              צַעָה tsa'ah {tsaw-aw'}
               1) to stoop, bend, incline
                 1a) (Qal)
                   1a1) to stoop, bend
                   1a2) to incline, tip
                 1b) (Piel) to tip over
pass for abjad - thwd lly thh
be prepared (for) the Highest/the Most High to come/arrive
עתוּד athuwd {aw-thood'}
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1) ready, prepared

עלי illiy {il-lee'}

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1) upper
       עלֵי illay {il-lah'-ee}
        1) highest, the Most High
              אַתַה 'athah {aw-thaw'}
               1) to come, arrive
                 1a) (Qal) to come (of men, time, beasts, calamity)
                 1b) (Hiphil) to bring
              אָתָה 'athah {aw-thaw'}
               1) to come, arrive
                 1a) (P'al) to come
                 1b) (Aphel) to bring
                 1c) (Hophal) to be brought
               2) used in the NT in the phrase "maranatha" - "Lord come"
pass for abjad - tsh hbl v
counsel/advice is utterly vain where
עצה etsah {ay-tsaw'}
1) counsel, advice, purpose
       habal {haw-bal'}
        1) to act emptily, become vain, be vain
         1a) (Qal)
            1a1) to become vain
            1a2) to be utterly vain (with cognate acc)
         1b) (Hiphil)
            1b1) to cause to become vain
            1b2) to fill with vain hopes
              אי 'ay {ah'ee}
               1) where?, whence?
               2) which?, how? (in prefix with other adverb)
pass for abjad - dlph d d'
dropping (grows) to the degree of/to the point that this
זלף dalaph {daw-laf'}
1) to drop, drip
  1a) (Qal)
     1a1) to leak
     1a2) to weep (of tears)
קלף deleph {deh'-lef}
1) a dropping, dripping
  1a) of contentious wife (fig.)
       עד ad {ad}
        prep
        1) as far as, even to, until, up to, while, as far as
         1a) of space
            1a1) as far as, up to, even to
         1b) in combination
            1b1) from...as far as, both...and (with 'min' - from)
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1c) of time
            1c1) even to, until, unto, till, during, end
          1d) of degree
            1d1) even to, to the degree of, even like
        2) until, while, to the point that, so that even
       עד ad {ad}
        prep
        1) even to, until, up to, during
        2) until, up to the time that, ere that
              לא da' {daw}
               1) this, one ... to ... another
              ערָא ada' {ad-aw'}
               1) to pass on, pass away
                 1a) (P'al)
                   1a1) to pass on, pass over
                   1a2) to pass away
                 1b) (Aphel) to take away, remove, depose
pass for abjad - ph bts'
indeed (means) finishing/completing
קאַ 'aph {af}
conj (denoting addition, esp of something greater)
1) also, yea, though, so much the more
adv
2) furthermore, indeed
קף 'aph {af}
1) also, yea
       שבשע batsa' {baw-tsah'}
        1) to cut off, break off, gain by unrighteous violence, get, finish,
         be covetous, be greedy
          1a) (Qal)
            1a1) to cut off
            1a2) to stop
            1a3) to gain wrongfully or by violence
          1b) (Piel)
            1b1) to cut off, sever
            1b2) to finish, complete, accomplish
            1b3) to violently make gain of
       שבעע betsa' {beh'-tsah}
        1) profit, unjust gain, gain (profit) acquired by violence
pass for abjad - yts kh hm/hmh
to advise/consult here the raging/clamorous
יַעץ ya'ats {yaw-ats'}
1) to advise, consult, give counsel, counsel, purpose, devise, plan
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1a) (Oal)
     1a1) to advise, counsel, give counsel, consult
     1a2) counsellor (participle)
  1b) (Niphal) to consult together, exchange counsel, deliberate,
     counsel together
  1c) (Hithpael) to conspire
       אס koh {ko}
        1) thus, here, in this manner
          1a) thus, so
          1b) here, here and there
          1c) until now, until now...until then, meanwhile
       אם kah {kaw}
        1) here, so far, thus
              קמָה hamah {haw-maw'}
               1) to murmur, growl, roar, cry aloud, mourn, rage, sound, make noise,
                 tumult, be clamorous, be disquieted, be loud, be moved, be troubled,
                 be in an uproar
                 1a) (Qal)
                    1a1) to growl
                    1a2) to murmur (fig. of a soul in prayer)
                    1a3) to roar
                    1a4) to be in a stir, be in a commotion
                    1a5) to be boisterous, be turbulent
pass for abjad - r cbl l'
adversary/foe - don't bear the load/drag oneself along!
ער ar {awr}
1) enemy, adversary, foe
רַעַע ra'a' {raw-ah'}
1) to be bad, be evil
  1a) (Qal)
     1a1) to be displeasing
     1a2) to be sad
     1a3) to be injurious, be evil
     1a4) to be wicked, be evil (ethically)
  1b) (Hiphil)
     1b1) to do an injury or hurt
     1b2) to do evil or wickedly
     1b3) mischief (participle)
2) to break, shatter
  2a) (Qal)
     2a1) to break
     2a2) broken (participle)
     2a3) to be broken
  2b) (Hithpolel) to be broken, be broken in pieces, be broken asunder
       כבל cabal {saw-bal'}
        1) to bear, bear a load, drag oneself along
          1a) (Qal) to bear (a load)
          1b) (Pual) laden (participle)
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1c) (Hithpael) to make oneself a burden, drag oneself along
       לבל c@bal {seb-al'}
        1) to bear a load
          1a) (Poal) laid (participle)
       כבל cebel {say'-bel}
        1) load, burden
       לבל cobel {so'-bel}
        1) burden, load
              lo' {lo} לא
               1) not, no
                 1a) not (with verb - absolute prohibition)
                 1b) not (with modifier - negation)
                 1c) nothing (subst)
                 1d) without (with particle)
                 1e) before (of time)
              la' {law}
               1) no, not, nothing
pass for abjad - shb z mllth
YHWH will draw then the rim/limit<sup>8</sup>
שַאַב sha'ab {sahw-ab'}
1) to draw (water)
  1a) (Qal)
     1a1) to draw (water)
     1a2) water-drawing women (participle)
       זא 'az {awz}
        1) then, at that time
          1a) temporal expressions
            1a1) then (past)
            1a2) then, if...then (future)
            1a3) earlier
          1b) logical expressions
            1b1) in that case
            1b2) that (being so)
              מְלָאת mille'th {mil-layth'}
               1) fullness, setting, border, rim
                 1a) meaning dubious
pass for abjad - yld ph bu
to bear, furthermore (make) a prayer
ילד yalad {yaw-lad'}
1) to bear, bring forth, beget, gender, travail
  1a) (Qal)
     1a1) to bear, bring forth
        1a1a) of child birth
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⁸ for the apostasy

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1a1b) of distress (simile)
        1a1c) of wicked (behaviour)
     1a2) to beget
  1b) (Niphal) to be born
  1c) (Piel)
     1c1) to cause or help to bring forth
     1c2) to assist or tend as a midwife
     1c3) midwife (participle)
  1d) (Pual) to be born
  1e) (Hiphil)
     1e1) to beget (a child)
     1e2) to bear (fig. - of wicked bringing forth iniquity)
  1f) (Hophal) day of birth, birthday (infinitive)
  1g) (Hithpael) to declare one's birth (pedigree)
       ካል 'aph {af}
        conj (denoting addition, esp of something greater)
        1) also, yea, though, so much the more
        adv
        2) furthermore, indeed
              שבעו ba'u {baw-o"}
               1) petition, request
               2) prayer (always in Jewish liturgy)
pass for abjad - sw' kh
rising/propping up the disheartened/cowed
sow' {so}
1) (Qal) rising (infinitive)
       ka'ah {kaw-aw'}
        1) to be sad, be disheartened, be cowed
          1a) (Niphal) to be disheartened, be cowed
          1b) (Hiphil) to make sad
pass for abjad - h' mwc bd
as (they) refused to go astray/give up
הא he' {hay}
1) behold!, lo!
2) even as, like as
       מאוס ma'owc {maw-oce'}
        1) refuse, trash
              אַבַד 'abad {aw-bad'}
               1) perish, vanish, go astray, be destroyed
                 1a) (Qal)
                   1a1) perish, die, be exterminated
                   1a2) perish, vanish (fig.)
                   1a3) be lost, strayed
                 1b) (Piel)
                   1b1) to destroy, kill, cause to perish, to give up
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(as lost), exterminate
                        1b2) to blot out, do away with, cause to vanish, (fig.)
                        1b3) cause to stray, lose
             1c) (Hiphil)
                        1c1) to destroy, put to death
                                       1c1a) of divine judgment
                        1c2) object name of kings (fig.)
אַבַד 'abad {ab-ad'}
   1) to perish, vanish
             1a) (P'al) shall perish
            1b) (Aphel) destroy
             1c) (Hophal) be destroyed
bad {bad} 5 bad 5
   1) alone, by itself, besides, a part, separation, being alone
             1a) separation, alone, by itself
                        1a1) only (adv)
                        1a2) apart from, besides (prep)
             1b) part
             1c) parts (eg limbs, shoots), bars
             1e) (Hophal) to be led or enticed to serve
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pass for abjad - d' sh llw

(God's) judgment puts in order/ordains/institutes though

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דַע dea' {day'-ah}
1) knowledge, opinion
  1a) God's knowledge
  1b) judgment, opinion
       עשה asah {aw-saw'}
       1) to do, fashion, accomplish, make
         1a) (Qal)
            1a1) to do, work, make, produce
               1a1a) to do
               1a1b) to work
               1a1c) to deal (with)
               1a1d) to act, act with effect, effect
            1a2) to make
               1a2a) to make
               1a2b) to produce
               1a2c) to prepare
               1a2d) to make (an offering)
               1a2e) to attend to, put in order
               1a2f) to observe, celebrate
               1a2g) to acquire (property)
               1a2h) to appoint, ordain, institute
               1a2i) to bring about
               1a2j) to use
               1a2k) to spend, pass
         1b) (Niphal)
            1b1) to be done
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1b3) to be produced
            1b4) to be offered
            1b5) to be observed
            1b6) to be used
         1c) (Pual) to be made
        2) (Piel) to press, squeeze
              יאָלּוּ 'illuw {il-loo'}
               1) if, though (contrary to fact)
pass for abjad - ph shwb by
anger to apostatise/turn away (from God) asks for/requests
קף 'aph {af}
conj (denoting addition, esp of something greater)
1) also, yea, though, so much the more
adv
2) furthermore, indeed
קף 'aph {af}
1) also, yea
קף 'aph {af}
1) nostril, nose, face
2) anger
       shuwb {shoob}
       1) to return, turn back
         1a) (Oal)
            1a1) to turn back, return
               1a1a) to turn back
               1a1b) to return, come or go back
               1a1c) to return unto, go back, come back
               1a1d) of dying
               1a1e) of human relations (fig)
               1a1f) of spiritual relations (fig)
                   1a1f1) to turn back (from God), apostatise
                  1a1f2) to turn away (of God)
                  1a1f3) to turn back (to God), repent
                  1a1f4) turn back (from evil)
               1a1g) of inanimate things
               1a1h) in repetition
         1b) (Polel)
            1b1) to bring back
            1b2) to restore, refresh, repair (fig)
            1b3) to lead away (enticingly)
            1b4) to show turning, apostatise
         1c) (Pual) restored (participle)
         1d) (Hiphil) to cause to return, bring back
            1d1) to bring back, allow to return, put back, draw back, give
               back, restore, relinquish, give in payment
            1d2) to bring back, refresh, restore
            1d3) to bring back, report to, answer
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1b2) to be made

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1d4) to bring back, make requital, pay (as recompense)
            1d5) to turn back or backward, repel, defeat, repulse, hinder,
               reject, refuse
            1d6) to turn away (face), turn toward
            1d7) to turn against
            1d8) to bring back to mind
            1d9) to show a turning away
            1d10) to reverse, revoke
          1e) (Hophal) to be returned, be restored, be brought back
          1f) (Pulal) brought back
              בעא b@'a' {beh-aw'}
               1) to ask, seek, request, desire, pray, make petition
                 1a) (P'al)
                   1a1) to ask, request
                   1a2) to seek (for favour)
pass for abjad - cbl d d' y
making oneself a burden up to the time that (God's) judgment (will) ruin
לבל cobel {so'-bel}
1) burden, load
כבל cebel {say'-bel}
1) load, burden
סבל cabal {saw-bal'}
1) to bear, bear a load, drag oneself along
  1a) (Qal) to bear (a load)
  1b) (Pual) laden (participle)
  1c) (Hithpael) to make oneself a burden, drag oneself along
       עד ad {ad}
       1) perpetuity, for ever, continuing future
         1a) ancient (of past time)
         1b) for ever (of future time)
            1b1) of continuous existence
         1c) for ever (of God's existence)
       עד ad {ad}
        prep
        1) as far as, even to, until, up to, while, as far as
         1a) of space
            1a1) as far as, up to, even to
         1b) in combination
            1b1) from...as far as, both...and (with 'min' - from)
         1c) of time
            1c1) even to, until, unto, till, during, end
         1d) of degree
            1d1) even to, to the degree of, even like
        2) until, while, to the point that, so that even
       עד ad {ad}
       prep
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1) even to, until, up to, during
        conj
        2) until, up to the time that, ere that
       עד ed {ayd}
        1) witness
         1a) witness, testimony, evidence (of things)
         1b) witness (of people)
              לא da' {daw}
               1) this, one ... to ... another
              דַע dea' {day'-ah}
               1) knowledge, opinion
                 1a) God's knowledge
                 1b) judgment, opinion
                     אי 'ay {ah'ee}
                      1) where?, whence?
                      2) which?, how? (in prefix with other adverb)
                     אָי 'iy {ee}
                      1) not
                     אָי 'iy {ee}
                      1) alas!, woe!
                     עי iy {ee}
                      1) ruin, heap of ruins
pass for abjad - mch zh hbr
the marrow (substance) herewith/in this matter to divide,
מת moach {mo'-akh}
1) marrow
       זה zeh {zeh}
        1) this, this one, here, which, this...that, the one...the other,
         another, such
         1a) (alone)
            1a1) this one
            1a2) this...that, the one...the other, another
         1b) (appos to subst)
            1b1) this
         1c) (as predicate)
            1c1) this, such
         1d) (enclitically)
            1d1) then
            1d2) who, whom
            1d3) how now, what now
            1d4) what now
            1d5) wherefore now
            1d6) behold here
            1d7) just now
            1d8) now, now already
         1e) (poetry)
            1e1) wherein, which, those who
         1f) (with prefixes)
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1f2) on these conditions, herewith, thus provided, by, through
               this, for this cause, in this matter
            1f3) thus and thus
            1f4) as follows, things such as these, accordingly, to that
               effect, in like manner, thus and thus
            1f5) from here, hence, on one side...on the other side
            1f6) on this account
            1f7) in spite of this, which, whence, how
              הַבַר habar {haw-bar'}
               1) (Qal) to divide
                 1a) be an astrologer (with obj - heavens)
pass for abjad - shbth w
to cease/put an end and
שׁבַת shabath {shaw-bath'}
1) to cease, desist, rest
  1a) (Qal)
     1a1) to cease
     1a2) to rest, desist (from labour)
  1b) (Niphal) to cease
  1c) (Hiphil)
     1c1) to cause to cease, put an end to
     1c2) to exterminate, destroy
     1c3) to cause to desist from
     1c4) to remove
     1c5) to cause to fail
2) (Qal) to keep or observe the sabbath
שֶׁבֶת shebeth {sheh'-beth}
1) cessation, a sitting still
  1a) meaning dubious
       in 'ow {o}
        1) or, rather
          1a) implying that the latter choice is preferred
          1b) or if, introducing an example to be seen under a particular principle
          1c) (in series) either...or, whether...or
          1d) if perchance
          1e) except, or else
        2) whether, not the least, if, otherwise, also, and, then
pass for abjad - phn b w
rather timely to ask for/request/make a petition
אֹכֶּן 'ophen {o'-fen}
1) circumstance, condition, timely
       בעא b@'a' {beh-aw'}
        1) to ask, seek, request, desire, pray, make petition
          1a) (P'al)
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1f1) in this (place) here, then

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1a1) to ask, request
            1a2) to seek (for favour)
               in 'ow {o}
               1) or, rather
                 1a) implying that the latter choice is preferred
                 1b) or if, introducing an example to be seen under a particular principle
                 1c) (in series) either...or, whether...or
                 1d) if perchance
                 1e) except, or else
               2) whether, not the least, if, otherwise, also, and, then
pass for abjad - phw dthbr
now (to) a lawyer/interpreter of decrees/judge/judges
אַפֿו 'ephow {ay-fo'}
1) then, now, so
  1a) (who) then, (what) then (with interrog)
  1b) then (with imperative - i.e. know then)
  1c) if...then (with adv)
       לְּהַבּר d@thabar {deth-aw-bawr'}
       דְּתַבֶּר d@thab {deth-aw}
        1) lawyer, interpreter of decrees, judge
pass for abjad - zh byb shwd
which/who (will) destroy/spoil the young barley ears<sup>9</sup> (youngster)
zeh {zeh}
1) this, this one, here, which, this...that, the one...the other,
  another, such
  1a) (alone)
     1a1) this one
     1a2) this...that, the one...the other, another
  1b) (appos to subst)
     1b1) this
  1c) (as predicate)
     1c1) this, such
  1d) (enclitically)
     1d1) then
     1d2) who, whom
     1d3) how now, what now
     1d4) what now
     1d5) wherefore now
     1d6) behold here
     1d7) just now
     1d8) now, now already
  1e) (poetry)
     1e1) wherein, which, those who
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⁹ repentant petition for resumption?

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1f) (with prefixes)
     1f1) in this (place) here, then
     1f2) on these conditions, herewith, thus provided, by, through
        this, for this cause, in this matter
     1f3) thus and thus
     1f4) as follows, things such as these, accordingly, to that
        effect, in like manner, thus and thus
     1f5) from here, hence, on one side...on the other side
     1f6) on this account
     1f7) in spite of this, which, whence, how
       אַבִּיב 'abiyb {aw-beeb'}
        1) fresh, young barley ears, barley
        2) month of ear-forming, of greening of crop, of growing green
          Abib, month of exodus and passover (March or April)
              שוּד shuwd {shood}
               1) (Qal) to ruin, destroy, spoil, devastate
pass for abjad - d' cbl llh
laid one matter to another -
לא da' {daw}
1) this, one ... to ... another
עַד dea' {day'-ah}
1) knowledge, opinion
  1a) God's knowledge
  1b) judgment, opinion
       כבל cabal {saw-bal'}
        1) to bear, bear a load, drag oneself along
          1a) (Qal) to bear (a load)
          1b) (Pual) laden (participle)
          1c) (Hithpael) to make oneself a burden, drag oneself along
       לבל c@bal {seb-al'}
        1) to bear a load
          1a) (Poal) laid (participle)
       לבל cebel {say'-bel}
        1) load, burden
       לבל cobel {so'-bel}
        1) burden, load
              אַלָּה 'el-leh {ale'-leh}
               1) these
                 1a) used before antecedent
                 1b) used following antecedent
              אלה 'elleh {ale'-leh}
               1) these
              עלָה illah {il-law'}
               1) matter, affair, occasion
pass for abjad - zh hb th bu
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such who love the prayer

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zeh {zeh}
1) this, this one, here, which, this...that, the one...the other,
  another, such
  1a) (alone)
     1a1) this one
     1a2) this...that, the one...the other, another
  1b) (appos to subst)
     1b1) this
  1c) (as predicate)
     1c1) this, such
  1d) (enclitically)
     1d1) then
     1d2) who, whom
     1d3) how now, what now
     1d4) what now
     1d5) wherefore now
     1d6) behold here
     1d7) just now
     1d8) now, now already
  1e) (poetry)
     1e1) wherein, which, those who
  1f) (with prefixes)
     1f1) in this (place) here, then
     1f2) on these conditions, herewith, thus provided, by, through
        this, for this cause, in this matter
     1f3) thus and thus
     1f4) as follows, things such as these, accordingly, to that
        effect, in like manner, thus and thus
     1f5) from here, hence, on one side...on the other side
     1f6) on this account
     1f7) in spite of this, which, whence, how
       אָקֶב 'ahab {aw-hab'}
        1) to love
          1a) (Qal)
            1a1) human love for another, includes family, and sexual
            1a2) human appetite for objects such as food, drink, sleep, wisdom
            1a3) human love for or to God
            1a4) act of being a friend
               1a4a) lover (participle)
               1a4b) friend (participle)
            1a5) God's love toward man
               1a5a) to individual men
               1a5b) to people Israel
               1a5c) to righteousness
          1b) (Niphal)
            1b1) lovely (participle)
            1b2) loveable (participle)
          1c) (Piel)
            1c1) friends
            1c2) lovers (fig. of adulterers)
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2) to like
              אָת 'eth {ayth}
               1) sign of the definite direct object, not translated in English
                 but generally preceding and indicating the accusative
              אָת 'eth {ayth}
               1) with, near, together with
                 1a) with, together with
                 1b) with (of relationship)
                 1c) near (of place)
                 1d) with (poss.)
                 1e) from...with, from (with other prep)
                      בער ba'u {baw-o"}
                      1) petition, request
                      2) prayer (always in Jewish liturgy)
pass for abjad - bdl l' th bu
withdraw not from prayer
badal {baw-dal'}
1) to divide, separate
  1a) (Hiphil)
     1a1) to divide, separate, sever
     1a2) to separate, set apart
     1a3) to make a distinction, difference
     1a4) to divide into parts
  1b) (Niphal)
     1b1) to separate oneself from (reflexive of 1a2)
     1b2) to withdraw from
     1b3) to separate oneself unto
     1b4) to be separated
     1b5) to be excluded
     1b6) to be set apart
       lo' {lo} לא
        1) not, no
          1a) not (with verb - absolute prohibition)
          1b) not (with modifier - negation)
          1c) nothing (subst)
          1d) without (with particle)
          1e) before (of time)
       la' {law}
        1) no, not, nothing
              אָת 'eth {ayth}
               1) with, near, together with
                 1a) with, together with
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1b) with (of relationship)

בּעוּ ba'u {baw-o''}
1) petition, request

1e) from...with, **from** (with other prep)

1c) near (of place)
1d) with (poss.)

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2) prayer (always in Jewish liturgy)
pass for abjad - thwd d' sw'
(what) prepared this rising
עתוּד athuwd {aw-thood'}
1) ready, prepared
       87 da' {daw}
       1) this, one ... to ... another
              אוֹש sow' {so}
               1) (Qal) rising (infinitive)
       לע dea' {day'-ah}
        1) knowledge, opinion
         1a) God's knowledge
         1b) judgment, opinion
              sow' {so}
               1) (Qal) rising (infinitive)
pass for abjad - yld dth ull' (also ol {ole} yoke)
(is) offspring/youth perception/understanding (of) vokes
ילד yeled {yeh'-led}
1) child, son, boy, offspring, youth
  1a) child, son, boy
  1b) child, children
  1c) descendants
  1d) youth
  1e) apostate Israelites (fig.)
       דעת da'ath {dah'-ath}
        1) knowledge
         1a) knowledge, perception, skill
          1b) discernment, understanding, wisdom
              עלא Ulla' {ool-law'}
               Ulla = "yoke"
               1) an Asherite, head of a family in his tribe
pass for abjad - qhh nwph
to be blunt/dull, to shake/brandish against<sup>10</sup>
קהה qahah {kaw-haw'}
1) to be blunt, be dull
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1) to move to and fro, wave, besprinkle

1a) (Qal) to be blunt, be dull

nuwph {noof}

1b) (Piel) to be blunt

¹⁰ to rise the hand to shake somebody off – like parents calling for a prayer?

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1b) (Polel) to wave, brandish (in threat)
         1c) (Hiphil) to swing, wield, wave
            1c1) to wield
            1c2) to wave or shake (the hand)
               1c2a) to wave (hand)
               1c2b) to shake or brandish against
               1c2c) to swing to and fro
            1c3) to wave (an offering), offer
            1c4) to shed abroad
         1d) (Hophal) to be waved
pass for abjad - y bd d' yb
where God's judgment/opinion to be carried out long for/desire
אָי 'ay {ah'ee}
1) where?, whence?
2) which?, how? (in prefix with other adverb)
       7⊉ bad {bad}
       1) alone, by itself, besides, a part, separation, being alone
         1a) separation, alone, by itself
            1a1) only (adv)
            1a2) apart from, besides (prep)
         1b) part
         1c) parts (eg limbs, shoots), bars
       עבד abad {ab-bad'}
       1) to make, do
         1a) (P'al)
            1a1) to make, create
            1a2) to do, perform
         1b) (Ithp'al)
            1b1) to be made into
            1b2) to be done, be wrought, be performed, be executed, be
               carried out
              דַע dea' {day'-ah}
               1) knowledge, opinion
                 1a) God's knowledge
                 1b) judgment, opinion
                     יָאַב ya'ab {yaw-ab'}
                     1) (Qal) to long, long for, desire
pass for abjad - sw' lb bw'
the rising heart/mind to light upon (to be enlightened)
wiw sow' {so}
1) (Qal) rising (infinitive), arising
       leb {labe} לב
       1) inner man, mind, will, heart, understanding
         1a) inner part, midst
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1a) (Qal) to besprinkle, sprinkle

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1a1) midst (of things)
            1a2) heart (of man)
            1a3) soul, heart (of man)
            1a4) mind, knowledge, thinking, reflection, memory
            1a5) inclination, resolution, determination (of will)
            1a6) conscience
            1a7) heart (of moral character)
            1a8) as seat of appetites
            1a9) as seat of emotions and passions
            1a10) as seat of courage
       leb {labe} לבב
        1) heart, mind
              bow' {bo} בוֹא
               1) to go in, enter, come, go, come in
                 1a) (Qal)
                    1a1) to enter, come in
                    1a2) to come
                       1a2a) to come with
                       1a2b) to come upon, fall or light upon, attack (enemy)
                       1a2c) to come to pass
                    1a3) to attain to
                    1a4) to be enumerated
                    1a5) to go
                 1b) (Hiphil)
                    1b1) to lead in
                    1b2) to carry in
                    1b3) to bring in, cause to come in, gather, cause to come,
                       bring near, bring against, bring upon
                    1b4) to bring to pass
                 1c) (Hophal)
                    1c1) to be brought, brought in
                    1c2) to be introduced, be put
pass for abjad - phw ph 1
so then there not be
יאָפּוֹ 'ephow {ay-fo'}
1) then, now, so
  1a) (who) then, (what) then (with interrog)
  1b) then (with imperative - i.e. know then)
  1c) if...then (with adv)
       אף 'aph {af}
        conj (denoting addition, esp of something greater)
        1) also, yea, though, so much the more
        adv
        2) furthermore, indeed
              'al {al}
               1) not, no, nor, neither, nothing (as wish or preference)
                 1a) do not, let not (with a verb)
                 1b) let there not be (with a verb understood)
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1c) not, no (with substantive)
                  1d) nothing (as substantive)
               'al {al}
               1) no, not
pass for abjad - l' s' bddh
nothing rising a lost thing (none of the rising)
lo' {lo}
1) not, no
  1a) not (with verb - absolute prohibition)
  1b) not (with modifier - negation)
   1c) nothing (subst)
   1d) without (with particle)
   1e) before (of time)
       sow' {so}
        1) (Qal) rising (infinitive)
               אַבַדּוֹ 'abaddoh {ab-ad-do'}
               1) a lost thing, something lost, a perishing
pass for abjad - sb' d d'
be fulfilled this forever
שַׁבַע saba' {saw-bah'}
1) to be satisfied, be sated, be fulfilled, be surfeited
  1a) (Qal)
     1a1) to be sated (with food)
     1a2) to be sated, be satisfied with, be fulfilled, be filled,
        have one's fill of (have desire satisfied)
     1a3) to have in excess, be surfeited, be surfeited with
        1a3a) to be weary of (fig)
   1b) (Piel) to satisfy
   1c) (Hiphil)
     1c1) to satisfy
     1c2) to enrich
     1c3) to sate, glut (with the undesired)
       עד ad {ad}
        1) perpetuity, for ever, continuing future
          1a) ancient (of past time)
          1b) for ever (of future time)
            1b1) of continuous existence
          1c) for ever (of God's existence)
       עד ed {ayd}
        1) witness
          1a) witness, testimony, evidence (of things)
          1b) witness (of people)
               אז da' {daw}
               1) this, one ... to ... another
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pass for abjad - sml l' phw
so don't go/turn to the left11 -
שמאל sama'l {saw-mal'}
1) to take the left, go to the left
  1a) (Hiphil)
     1a1) to go to the left
     1a2) to turn (aside) to the left (fig)
     1a3) to use the left hand
       lo' {lo} לא
        1) not, no
          1a) not (with verb - absolute prohibition)
          1b) not (with modifier - negation)
          1c) nothing (subst)
          1d) without (with particle)
          1e) before (of time)
              אַכּוֹ 'ephow {ay-fo'}
               1) then, now, so
                 1a) (who) then, (what) then (with interrog)
                 1b) then (with imperative - i.e. know then)
                 1c) if...then (with adv)
pass for abjad - dphy v zbl l' b
a blemish/fault which (means) not to exalt the Father (God)
לפי dophiy {dof'-ee}
1) a blemish, fault
       אי 'ay {ah'ee}
        1) where?, whence?
        2) which?, how? (in prefix with other adverb)
              זבַל zabal {zaw-bal'}
               1) (Qal) to exalt, honour, (possible) dwell exaltedly
                      lo' {lo}
                      1) not, no
                        1a) not (with verb - absolute prohibition)
                        1b) not (with modifier - negation)
                        1c) nothing (subst)
                        1d) without (with particle)
                        1e) before (of time)
                      la' {law}
                      1) no, not, nothing
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¹¹ as in the parable concerning Jesus' return to set up His kingdom (Matthew 25:31-33). The setting of this event is at the beginning of the millennium after the tribulation. All those on earth at that time will be brought before the Lord, and He will separate them "as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. He will put the sheep on his right and the goats on his left"

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ab {awb} אב
                              1) father of an individual
                              2) of God as father of his people
                              3) head or founder of a household, group, family, or clan
                              4) ancestor
                                4a) grandfather, forefathers -- of person
                                4b) of people
                              5) originator or patron of a class, profession, or art
                              6) of producer, generator (fig.)
                              7) of benevolence and protection (fig.)
                              8) term of respect and honour
                              9) ruler or chief (spec.)
                             ab {ab} אַב
                              1) father
pass for abjad - sb' dth w
be fulfilled the law (of God) and
1) to be satisfied, be sated, be fulfilled, be surfeited
     1a1) to be sated (with food)
     1a2) to be sated, be satisfied with, be fulfilled, be filled,
        have one's fill of (have desire satisfied)
     1a3) to have in excess, be surfeited, be surfeited with
        1a3a) to be weary of (fig)
     1c3) to sate, glut (with the undesired)
       זעת da'ath {dah'-ath}
          1a) knowledge, perception, skill
          1b) discernment, understanding, wisdom
       זת dath {dawth}
        1) decree, law, edict, regulation, usage
          1a) decree, edict, commission
       זה dath {dawth}
          1a) a decree (of the king)
          1c) law (of God)
              ix 'ow {o}
               1) or, rather
                 1a) implying that the latter choice is preferred
                 1b) or if, introducing an example to be seen under a particular principle
                 1c) (in series) either...or, whether...or
                 1d) if perchance
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שַׂבַע saba' {saw-bah'}

1b) (Piel) to satisfy

1c1) to satisfy 1c2) to enrich

1) knowledge

1b) law, rule

1) decree, law

1b) law

1c) (Hiphil)

1a) (Oal)

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1e) except, or else
2) whether, not the least, if, otherwise, also, and, then
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pass for abjad - kh hn r'

be disheartened/cowed these/who (are) shouting

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נאָה ka'ah {kaw-aw'}
1) to be sad, be disheartened, be cowed
  1a) (Niphal) to be disheartened, be cowed
  1b) (Hiphil) to make sad
       hen {hane} קר
        1) they, these, the same, who
               רע ra' {rah}
               adj
                1) bad, evil
                  1a) bad, disagreeable, malignant
                  1b) bad, unpleasant, evil (giving pain, unhappiness, misery)
                  1c) evil, displeasing
                  1d) bad (of its kind - land, water, etc)
                  1e) bad (of value)
                  1f) worse than, worst (comparison)
                  1g) sad, unhappy
                  1h) evil (hurtful)
                  1i) bad, unkind (vicious in disposition)
                  1j) bad, evil, wicked (ethically)
                    1j1) in general, of persons, of thoughts
                    1j2) deeds, actions
               2) evil, distress, misery, injury, calamity
                 2a) evil, distress, adversity
                 2b) evil, injury, wrong
                 2c) evil (ethical)
               n f
                3) evil, misery, distress, injury
                 3a) evil, misery, distress
                 3b) evil, injury, wrong
                 3c) evil (ethical)
               רַע rea' {ray'-ah}
               1) shouting, roar
                  1a) meaning dubious
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pass for abjad - bd d'

to go astray (from)/cause to perish God's judgment

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אָבֵּד 'abad {aw-bad'}
1) perish, vanish, go astray, be destroyed
1a) (Qal)
1a1) perish, die, be exterminated
1a2) perish, vanish (fig.)
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1a3) be lost, strayed
  1b) (Piel)
     1b1) to destroy, kill, cause to perish, to give up
        (as lost), exterminate
     1b2) to blot out, do away with, cause to vanish, (fig.)
     1b3) cause to stray, lose
  1c) (Hiphil)
     1c1) to destroy, put to death
        1c1a) of divine judgment
     1c2) object name of kings (fig.)
       87 da' {daw}
        1) this, one ... to ... another
       לע dea' {day'-ah}
        1) knowledge, opinion
          1a) God's knowledge
          1b) judgment, opinion
pass for abjad - cgd lph w
to prostrate oneself (in worship), to learn and
סגַד cagad {saw-gad'}
1) (Qal) to prostrate oneself (in worship)
קנָד c@gid {seg-eed'}
1) to prostrate oneself, do homage, worship
  1a) (P'al) to do homage
       אַלף 'alaph {aw-laf'}
        1) to learn
          1a) (Qal) to learn
          1b) (Piel) to teach
               ix 'ow {o}
               1) or, rather
                 1a) implying that the latter choice is preferred
                 1b) or if, introducing an example to be seen under a particular principle
                 1c) (in series) either...or, whether...or
                 1d) if perchance
                 1e) except, or else
               2) whether, not the least, if, otherwise, also, and, then
pass for abjad - z bc b
feed/fatten the goat (with) fresh green/green shoots
עז ez {aze}
1) female goat, she-goat, goat, kid
עז ez {aze}
1) she-goat
       אַבַּס 'abac {aw-bas'}
        1) to feed, fatten
          1a) (Qal) fattened (passive participle)
               אַב 'eb {abe}
               1) freshness, fresh green, green shoots, or greenery
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שׁב 'eb {abe}
               1) fruit, fresh, young, greening
pass for abjad - sb db w
green plants (which) cause grief and
עשֵׁב eseb {eh'-seb}
1) herb, herbage, grass, green plants
       אַדָב 'adab {aw-dab'}
       1) to grieve, cause grief
          1a) (Hiph) to cause to grieve, to grieve, to cause grief
       לאב da'ab {daw-ab'}
        1) (Qal) to become faint, languish
              ix 'ow {o}
               1) or, rather
                 1a) implying that the latter choice is preferred
                 1b) or if, introducing an example to be seen under a particular principle
                 1c) (in series) either...or, whether...or
                 1d) if perchance
                 1e) except, or else
               2) whether, not the least, if, otherwise, also, and, then
pass for abjad - phw bh
now are willing/desire
יאָפּוֹ 'ephow {ay-fo'}
1) then, now, so
  1a) (who) then, (what) then (with interrog)
  1b) then (with imperative - i.e. know then)
  1c) if...then (with adv)
       אבה 'abah {aw-baw'}
        1) to be willing, consent
          1a) (Qal)
            1a1) to be willing
            1a2) to consent, yield to, accept
            1a3) to desire
pass for abjad - bdd d'
to withdraw (from) this
badad {baw-dad'} פֿרַד
1) to withdraw, be separate, be isolated
  1a) (Qal) an army straggler (part.)
     1a1) of Ephraim (metaph.)
2) (TWOT) alone
       אָז da' {daw}
        1) this, one ... to ... another
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pass for abjad - yph wbl lw'

fatigued stream/river - if only¹²

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יַעַף ya'aph {yaw-af'}
1) to be or grow weary, be fatigued, be faint
  1a) (Qal) to be or grow weary, be fatigued, be faint
  1b) (Hophal) wearied (participle)
יַעָף ya'@ph {yaw-afe'}
1) faint, weary, fatigued
יעף y@aph {yeh-awf'}
1) weariness, fatigue, faintness
עיֵר ayeph {aw-yafe'}
1) to be faint, be weary
  1a) (Qal) to be faint, be weary
       אובל 'uwbal {oo-bawl'}
        1) stream, river
               luw' {loo} לוּא
               1) if, oh that!, if only!
                 1a) if (unlikely condition)
                 1b) if only!, oh that!, would that!
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pass for abjad - yl lb

determined will/heart -

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אַיִל 'ayil {ah'-yil}
1) ram
  1a) ram (as food)
  1b) ram (as sacrifice)
   1c) ram (skin dyed red, for tabernacle)
2) pillar, door post, jambs, pilaster
3) strong man, leader, chief
4) mighty tree, terebinth
אַיַל 'eyal {eh-yawl'}
1) strength
2) help
יָאַל ya'al {yaw-al'}
1) to begin, make a beginning, show willingness, undertake to do, be
  pleased, be determined
  1a) (Hiphil)
     1a1) to agree to, show willingness, acquiesce, accept an
        invitation, be willing
     1a2) to undertake
     1a3) to resolve, be pleased, be determined
       leb {labe} לב
        1) inner man, mind, will, heart, understanding
          1a) inner part, midst
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¹² some apostates seemingly not only withdrew but turned actively against their former fellows

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1a1) midst (of things)
            1a2) heart (of man)
            1a3) soul, heart (of man)
            1a4) mind, knowledge, thinking, reflection, memory
            1a5) inclination, resolution, determination (of will)
            1a6) conscience
            1a7) heart (of moral character)
            1a8) as seat of appetites
            1a9) as seat of emotions and passions
            1a10) as seat of courage
       leb {labe}
       1) heart, mind
pass for abjad - ph' bddh y
which worthless perishing
אָפַע epha' {eh'-fah}
1) worthless, of nought
       יאבדו 'abaddoh {ab-ad-do'}
       1) a lost thing, something lost, a perishing
              אי 'ay {ah'ee}
              1) where?, whence?
              2) which?, how? (in prefix with other adverb)
pass for abjad - n' bw' cbl
We pray/please, shed light upon the burden
na' {naw} נא
1) I (we) pray, now, please
  1a) used in entreaty or exhortation
       bow' {bo} בוֹא
       1) to go in, enter, come, go, come in
         1a) (Qal)
           1a1) to enter, come in
            1a2) to come
               1a2a) to come with
               1a2b) to come upon, fall or light upon, attack (enemy)
               1a2c) to come to pass
            1a3) to attain to
            1a4) to be enumerated
            1a5) to go
         1b) (Hiphil)
            1b1) to lead in
            1b2) to carry in
            1b3) to bring in, cause to come in, gather, cause to come,
               bring near, bring against, bring upon
            1b4) to bring to pass
         1c) (Hophal)
            1c1) to be brought, brought in
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1c2) to be introduced, be put
               סבל cabal {saw-bal'}
               1) to bear, bear a load, drag oneself along
                 1a) (Qal) to bear (a load)
                 1b) (Pual) laden (participle)
                 1c) (Hithpael) to make oneself a burden, drag oneself along
               סבל c@bal {seb-al'}
               1) to bear a load
                 1a) (Poal) laid (participle)
               סבל cebel {say'-bel}
               1) load, burden
               לבל cobel {so'-bel}
               1) burden, load
pass for abjad - ll' b w
above (the burden), Father, and
עלא ella' {ale-law'}
1) above
       ab {awb} מב 'ab awb}
        1) father of an individual
        2) of God as father of his people
        3) head or founder of a household, group, family, or clan
        4) ancestor
          4a) grandfather, forefathers -- of person
          4b) of people
        5) originator or patron of a class, profession, or art
        6) of producer, generator (fig.)
        7) of benevolence and protection (fig.)
        8) term of respect and honour
        9) ruler or chief (spec.)
               in 'ow {o}
               1) or, rather
                 1a) implying that the latter choice is preferred
                 1b) or if, introducing an example to be seen under a particular principle
                 1c) (in series) either...or, whether...or
                 1d) if perchance
                 1e) except, or else
               2) whether, not the least, if, otherwise, also, and, then
pass for abjad - sb bl'
(above) the green plants harassing constantly
בְּשֵׁעֵ eseb {eh'-seb}
1) herb, herbage, grass, green plants
       # b@la' {bel-aw'}
        1) (Pael) to wear away, wear out
          1a) to harass constantly (fig.)
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pass for abjad - sb' dth w
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be fulfilled the law (of God) and
שַׂבַע saba' {saw-bah'}
1) to be satisfied, be sated, be fulfilled, be surfeited
  1a) (Qal)
     1a1) to be sated (with food)
     1a2) to be sated, be satisfied with, be fulfilled, be filled,
        have one's fill of (have desire satisfied)
     1a3) to have in excess, be surfeited, be surfeited with
        1a3a) to be weary of (fig)
   1b) (Piel) to satisfy
   1c) (Hiphil)
     1c1) to satisfy
     1c2) to enrich
     1c3) to sate, glut (with the undesired)
       דעת da'ath {dah'-ath}
        1) knowledge
          1a) knowledge, perception, skill
          1b) discernment, understanding, wisdom
       זה dath {dawth}
        1) decree, law, edict, regulation, usage
          1a) decree, edict, commission
          1b) law, rule
       זה dath {dawth}
        1) decree, law
          1a) a decree (of the king)
          1b) law
          1c) law (of God)
pass for abjad - sb' d d'
be fulfilled the testimony of God's judgment
שָׂבַע saba' {saw-bah'}
1) to be satisfied, be sated, be fulfilled, be surfeited
  1a) (Oal)
     1a1) to be sated (with food)
     1a2) to be sated, be satisfied with, be fulfilled, be filled,
        have one's fill of (have desire satisfied)
     1a3) to have in excess, be surfeited, be surfeited with
        1a3a) to be weary of (fig)
   1b) (Piel) to satisfy
   1c) (Hiphil)
     1c1) to satisfy
     1c2) to enrich
     1c3) to sate, glut (with the undesired)
       עד ad {ad}
        1) perpetuity, for ever, continuing future
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1a) ancient (of past time)

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1b) for ever (of future time)
            1b1) of continuous existence
         1c) for ever (of God's existence)
       עד ed {ayd}
       1) witness
         1a) witness, testimony, evidence (of things)
         1b) witness (of people)
              לא da' {daw}
               1) this, one ... to ... another
              דַע dea' {day'-ah}
               1) knowledge, opinion
                 1a) God's knowledge
                 1b) judgment, opinion
pass for abjad - sw' bll l'
the rising mingling/mixing ourselves no
sow' {so}
1) (Qal) rising (infinitive)
       שלל balal {baw-lal'}
       1) to mix, mingle, confuse, confound
         1a) (Qal)
            1a1) to mingle, confuse
            1a2) to mix
            1a3) to give provender, feed (animals)
         1b) (Hithpoel) to mix oneself (among others)
         1c) (Hiphil) to fade away
              lo' {lo} לא
              1) not, no
                1a) not (with verb - absolute prohibition)
                1b) not (with modifier - negation)
                1c) nothing (subst)
                1d) without (with particle)
                1e) before (of time)
              ן la' {law}
               1) no, not, nothing
pass for abjad - phh thq llh
baking (of) enduring/durable affair (or) gleaning
אָפַה 'aphah {aw-faw'}
1) to bake
  1a) (Oal)
     1a1) to bake
     1a2) (subst) baker
  1b) (Niphal) to be baked, baked
       עהק atheq {aw-thake'}
       1) handed forward, advanced, enduring, durable, valuable, eminent,
         surpassing
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ילָה illah {il-law'}
              1) matter, affair, occasion
              עוללה olelah {o-lay-law'}
               1) gleaning
pass for abjad - qhh mddd bu
to be blunt/dull (for) continuous prayer
קהה qahah {kaw-haw'}
1) to be blunt, be dull
  1a) (Qal) to be blunt, be dull
  1b) (Piel) to be blunt
       middad {mid-dad'}
        1) (Piel) to make extension, continue
              שבעו ba'u {baw-o"}
               1) petition, request
               2) prayer (always in Jewish liturgy)
pass for abjad - sbr dbbh phn
wait upon unfavourable saying (defamation) circumstance/condition
שַׁבַר sabar {saw-bar'}
1) to inspect, examine, wait, hope, wait upon
  1a) (Qal) examined (participle)
  1b) (Piel)
     1b1) to wait (for), wait upon
     1b2) to hope (for)
       לבה dibbah {dib-baw'}
        1) whispering, defamation, evil report
         1a) whispering
         1b) defamation, defaming
         1c) evil report, unfavourable saying
              אֹפֶּן 'ophen {o'-fen}
               1) circumstance, condition, timely
pass for abjad - uts kh m bu
confined/narrowed, until then/meanwhile – prayer, if possible
אוץ 'uwts {oots}
1) to press, be pressed, make haste, urge, be narrow
  1a) (Qal)
     1a1) to press, hasten
     1a2) to be pressed, confined, narrow
     1a3) to hasten, make haste
     1a4) be narrow
  1b) (Hiphil)
     1b1) to urge, insist
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1b2) to hasten

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koh {ko} לה
        1) thus, here, in this manner
          1a) thus, so
          1b) here, here and there
          1c) until now, until now...until then, meanwhile
              'im {eem}
               1) if
                 1a) conditional clauses
                   1a1) of possible situations
                   1a2) of impossible situations
                 1b) oath contexts
                   1b1) no, not
                 1c) if...if, whether...or, whether...or...or
                 1d) when, whenever
                 1e) since
                 1f) interrogative particle
                 1g) but rather
pass for abjad - tll l' phw
who then have no shade/no roof (over his head)
טַלַל talal {taw-lal'}
1) (Piel) to cover with a roof, cover over, roof
טְלֵל t@lal {tel-al'}
1) (Aphel) to seek shade, have shade
       lo' {lo}
        1) not, no
          1a) not (with verb - absolute prohibition)
          1b) not (with modifier - negation)
          1c) nothing (subst)
          1d) without (with particle)
          1e) before (of time)
       la' {law} לא
        1) no, not, nothing
              אַפּוֹ 'ephow {ay-fo'}
               1) then, now, so
                 1a) (who) then, (what) then (with interrog)
                 1b) then (with imperative - i.e. know then)
                 1c) if...then (with adv)
pass for abjad - tsd d'
side/regard one to another (side one to the other)
נד tsad {tsad}
1) side
נד tsad {tsad}
1) side
2) (CLBL) beside
       אק da' {daw}
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1) this, one ... to ... another
pass for abjad - thwr cbl l'
don't make yourself a burden of pureness/cleanness (of animal meat)
ישהור tahowr {taw-hore'}
1) pure, clean
  1a) clean (ceremonially - of animals)
  1b) pure (physically)
  1c) pure, clean (morally, ethically)
יטָהוֹר t@howr {teh-hore'}
1) pureness, clean, pure
  1a) clean (ceremonially - of animals)
  1b) pure (physically)
  1c) pure, clean (morally, ethically)
       כבל cabal {saw-bal'}
        1) to bear, bear a load, drag oneself along
          1a) (Oal) to bear (a load)
          1b) (Pual) laden (participle)
          1c) (Hithpael) to make oneself a burden, drag oneself along
       לבל c@bal {seb-al'}
        1) to bear a load
          1a) (Poal) laid (participle)
       לבל cebel {say'-bel}
        1) load, burden
               lo' {lo} לא
               1) not, no
                 1a) not (with verb - absolute prohibition)
                 1b) not (with modifier - negation)
                 1c) nothing (subst)
                 1d) without (with particle)
                 1e) before (of time)
               לא la' {law}
               1) no, not, nothing
pass for abjad - sb' thwd ud
to be sated, prepared to testify/bear witness
שַׁבַע saba' {saw-bah'}
1) to be satisfied, be sated, be fulfilled, be surfeited
  1a) (Qal)
     1a1) to be sated (with food)
     1a2) to be sated, be satisfied with, be fulfilled, be filled,
        have one's fill of (have desire satisfied)
     1a3) to have in excess, be surfeited, be surfeited with
        1a3a) to be weary of (fig)
  1b) (Piel) to satisfy
  1c) (Hiphil)
     1c1) to satisfy
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1c2) to enrich
     1c3) to sate, glut (with the undesired)
       מתוד athuwd {aw-thood'}
        1) ready, prepared
              עוּד ud {ood}
               1) to return, repeat, go about, do again
                 1a) (Piel) to surround, go round and round
                 1b) (Pilel) to restore, relieve
                 1c) (Hithpalel) to be restored
               2) to bear witness
                 2a) (Qal) to bear witness, say again and again
                 2b) (Hiphil)
                   2b1) to testify, bear witness
                   2b2) to cause to testify, take or call as witness, invoke
                   2b3) to protest, affirm solemnly, warn, exhort or enjoin solemnly,
                       admonish, charge
                 2c) (Hophal) to protest, give warning
pass for abjad - d d'
of continuous validity (of) God's judgment/knowledge
עד ad {ad}
1) perpetuity, for ever, continuing future
  1a) ancient (of past time)
  1b) for ever (of future time)
     1b1) of continuous existence
  1c) for ever (of God's existence)
       87 da' {daw}
       1) this, one ... to ... another
       דע dea' {day'-ah}
        1) knowledge, opinion
          1a) God's knowledge
          1b) judgment, opinion
pass for abjad - phw bh
consent/accept now (the situation)
יאָפֿי 'ephow {ay-fo'}
1) then, now, so
  1a) (who) then, (what) then (with interrog)
  1b) then (with imperative - i.e. know then)
  1c) if...then (with adv)
       אבה 'abah {aw-baw'}
        1) to be willing, consent
          1a) (Qal)
            1a1) to be willing
            1a2) to consent, yield to, accept
            1a3) to desire
       אָבִי 'abeh {aw-beh'}
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1) entreat, longing, desire pass for abjad - n' bw' ll' I (we) pray/please, come upon/fall upon na' {naw} נא 1) I (we) pray, now, please 1a) used in entreaty or exhortation bow' {bo} בוֹא 1) to go in, enter, come, go, come in 1a) (Qal) 1a1) to enter, come in 1a2) to come 1a2a) to come with 1a2b) to come upon, fall or light upon, attack (enemy) 1a2c) to come to pass 1a3) to attain to 1a4) to be enumerated 1a5) to go 1b) (Hiphil) 1b1) to lead in 1b2) to carry in 1b3) to bring in, cause to come in, gather, cause to come, bring near, bring against, bring upon 1b4) to bring to pass עלָא ella' {ale-law'} 1) above pass for abjad - sw' bd d' the rising to perish/vanish, one to another, wiw sow' {so} 1) (Qal) **rising** (infinitive) אָבַד 'abad {aw-bad'} 1) perish, vanish, go astray, be destroyed 1a) (Oal) 1a1) perish, die, be exterminated 1a2) perish, vanish (fig.) 1a3) be lost, strayed **1b) (Piel)** 1b1) to destroy, kill, cause to perish, to give up (as lost), exterminate 1b2) to blot out, do away with, cause to vanish, (fig.) 1b3) cause to stray, lose 1c) (Hiphil)

1c1) to destroy, put to death 1c1a) of divine judgment 1c2) object name of kings (fig.)

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יאָבַד 'abad {ab-ad'}
        1) to perish, vanish
          1a) (P'al) shall perish
          1b) (Aphel) destroy
          1c) (Hophal) be destroyed
              לא da' {daw}
               1) this, one ... to ... another
pass for abjad - zbd d' b
endow with knowledge the young
zabad {zaw-bad'} [בַּד
1) (Qal) to endow, bestow, endow with, bestow upon
       דע dea' {day'-ah}
        1) knowledge, opinion
          1a) God's knowledge
          1b) judgment, opinion
              אַב 'ab {awb}
               1) father of an individual
               2) of God as father of his people
               3) head or founder of a household, group, family, or clan
               4) ancestor
                 4a) grandfather, forefathers -- of person
                 4b) of people
               5) originator or patron of a class, profession, or art
               6) of producer, generator (fig.)
               7) of benevolence and protection (fig.)
               8) term of respect and honour
               9) ruler or chief (spec.)
              אַב 'ab {ab}
               1) father
              אַב 'eb {abe}
               1) freshness, fresh green, green shoots, or greenery
              שב 'eb {abe}
               1) fruit, fresh, young, greening
pass for abjad - kh hb bu
in this manner to love the prayer,
koh {ko} כֿה koh {ko}
1) thus, here, in this manner
  1a) thus, so
  1b) here, here and there
  1c) until now, until now...until then, meanwhile
kah {kaw} כה
1) here, so far, thus
       אָדֶב 'ahab {aw-hab'}
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1) to love
         1a) (Qal)
            1a1) human love for another, includes family, and sexual
            1a2) human appetite for objects such as food, drink, sleep, wisdom
            1a3) human love for or to God
            1a4) act of being a friend
               1a4a) lover (participle)
               1a4b) friend (participle)
            1a5) God's love toward man
               1a5a) to individual men
               1a5b) to people Israel
               1a5c) to righteousness
         1b) (Niphal)
            1b1) lovely (participle)
            1b2) loveable (participle)
         1c) (Piel)
            1c1) friends
            1c2) lovers (fig. of adulterers)
        2) to like
              שבעו ba'u {baw-o"}
               1) petition, request
               2) prayer (always in Jewish liturgy)
pass for abjad - ydd d'
love this
יָדָד yadad {yaw-dad'}
1) (Qal) to throw lots, cast lots
2) love, loving-one, friend
       87 da' {daw}
       1) this, one ... to ... another
pass for abjad - k hm r'
indeed, like a friend
קד 'ak {ak}
1) indeed, surely (emphatic)
2) howbeit, only, but, yet (restrictive)
       hem {haym}
        1) they, these, the same, who
              רַע rea' {ray'-ah}
               1) friend, companion, fellow, another person
                 1a) friend, intimate
                 1b) fellow, fellow-citizen, another person (weaker sense)
                 1c) other, another (reciprocal phrase)
pass for abjad - qh hm r
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oppression of the bad/evil/wicked

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עקה aqah {aw-kaw'}
1) oppression, pressure
       ham {ham}
          1) of the (like in Beyth ham-Markabowth place of the chariots)
              ער ar {awr}
               1) enemy, adversary, foe
              ער ar {awr}
               1) enemy, adversary, foe
              רַעַע ra'a' {raw-ah'}
               1) to be bad, be evil
                 1a) (Qal)
                    1a1) to be displeasing
                    1a2) to be sad
                    1a3) to be injurious, be evil
                    1a4) to be wicked, be evil (ethically)
                 1b) (Hiphil)
                    1b1) to do an injury or hurt
                    1b2) to do evil or wickedly
                    1b3) mischief (participle)
pass for abjad - w wbl sw'
and the stream of rising
in 'ow {o}
1) or, rather
  1a) implying that the latter choice is preferred
  1b) or if, introducing an example to be seen under a particular principle
  1c) (in series) either...or, whether...or
  1d) if perchance
  1e) except, or else
2) whether, not the least, if, otherwise, also, and, then
       אוּבָּל 'uwbal {oo-bawl'}
        1) stream, river
              wiw sow' {so}
               1) (Qal) rising (infinitive)
pass for abjad - bd d' thwd
lies, this prepared
bad {bad} 

□
1) empty talk, idle talk, liar, lie
       אק da' {daw}
        1) this, one ... to ... another
              עתוּד athuwd {aw-thood'}
               1) ready, prepared
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pass for abjad - ll' ydh thh
above<sup>13</sup>, brought casting down/throwing down -
עֵלֵא ella' {ale-law'}
1) above
       יַדָה yadah {yaw-daw'}
        1) to throw, shoot, cast
         1a) (Qal) to shoot (arrows)
         1b) (Piel) to cast, cast down, throw down
         1c) (Hiphil)
            1c1) to give thanks,, laud, praise
            1c2) to confess, confess (the name of God)
         1d) (Hithpael)
           1d1) to confess (sin)
           1d2) to give thanks
              אַתָה 'athah {aw-thaw'}
               1) to come, arrive
                 1a) (P'al) to come
                 1b) (Aphel) to bring
                 1c) (Hophal) to be brought
               2) used in the NT in the phrase "maranatha" - "Lord come"
pass for abjad - y dlph y
how not to drop?
אָי 'ay {ah'ee}
1) where?, whence?
2) which?, how? (in prefix with other adverb)
       קלף dalaph {daw-laf'}
       1) to drop, drip
         1a) (Oal)
            1a1) to leak
            1a2) to weep (of tears)
              אָי 'iy {ee}
               1) not
pass for abjad - qh hm r
oppression of the bad/evil/wicked
עקה aqah {aw-kaw'}
1) oppression, pressure
       ham {ham}
          1) of the (like in Beyth ham-Markabowth place of the chariots)
              עָר ar {awr}
               1) enemy, adversary, foe
              עָר ar {awr}
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¹³ allegation of organised, orchestrated oppresion

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1) enemy, adversary, foe
              רַעַע ra'a' {raw-ah'}
               1) to be bad, be evil
                 1a) (Qal)
                   1a1) to be displeasing
                   1a2) to be sad
                   1a3) to be injurious, be evil
                   1a4) to be wicked, be evil (ethically)
                 1b) (Hiphil)
                   1b1) to do an injury or hurt
                   1b2) to do evil or wickedly
                   1b3) mischief (participle)
pass for abjad - zm d d dl
shows indignation/anger even to the testimony (of) the poor
זעַם za'am {zaw-am'}
1) to denounce, express indignation, be indignant
     1a1) to have indignation, be indignant, be angrily indignant,
        be defiant
     1a2) to be abhorrent
     1a3) to express indignation in speech, denounce, curse
  1b) (Niphal) to show indignation, show anger
זעַם za'am {zah'-am}
1) anger, indignation
       עד ad {ad}
        1) perpetuity, for ever, continuing future
          1a) ancient (of past time)
          1b) for ever (of future time)
            1b1) of continuous existence
          1c) for ever (of God's existence)
       עד ad {ad}
        prep
        1) as far as, even to, until, up to, while, as far as
          1a) of space
            1a1) as far as, up to, even to
          1b) in combination
            1b1) from...as far as, both...and (with 'min' - from)
          1c) of time
            1c1) even to, until, unto, till, during, end
          1d) of degree
            1d1) even to, to the degree of, even like
        2) until, while, to the point that, so that even
       עד ad {ad}
        prep
        1) even to, until, up to, during
        2) until, up to the time that, ere that
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1a) (Qal)

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עד ed {ayd}
               1) witness
                 1a) witness, testimony, evidence (of things)
                 1b) witness (of people)
                     dal {dal}
                      1) low, poor, weak, thin, one who is low
pass for abjad - yd db' dbbrh
assemble/meet by appointment (to hear) peaceful the words
יַעַד ya'ad {yaw-ad'}
1) to fix, appoint, assemble, meet, set, betroth
  1a) (Qal) to appoint, assign, designate
  1b) (Niphal)
     1b1) to meet
     1b2) to meet by appointment
     1b3) to gather, assemble by appointment
  1c) (Hiphil) to cause to meet
  1d) (Hophal) to be set, be placed before, be fixed
       לבא dobe' {do'-beh}
        1) strength?, rest? (meaning obscure)
              דַּבְרַה dabbarah {dab-baw-raw'}
              word, words
pass for abjad - zn phw cbb
to hear/listen (and) so to turn about/around
אזן 'azan {aw-zan'}
1) to hear, listen
  1a) (Hiphil)
     1a1) to hear, listen, give ear
     1a2) to be obedient, harken
     1a3) to hear or listen to prayers (of God)
       ישׁבּוֹ 'ephow {ay-fo'}
        1) then, now, so
          1a) (who) then, (what) then (with interrog)
         1b) then (with imperative - i.e. know then)
         1c) if...then (with adv)
              סַבַב cabab {saw-bab'}
               1) to turn, turn about or around or aside or back or towards, go about or
around.
                 surround, encircle, change direction
                 1a) (Qal)
                   1a1) to turn, turn about, be brought round, change
                   1a2) to march or walk around, go partly around, circle about,
                      skirt, make a round, make a circuit, go about to, surround,
                      encompass
                 1b) (Niphal)
                   1b1) to turn oneself, close round, turn round
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1b2) to be turned over to
                 1c) (Piel) to turn about, change, transform
                 1d) (Poel)
                   1d1) to encompass, surround
                   1d2) to come about, assemble round
                   1d3) to march, go about
                   1d4) to enclose, envelop
                 1e) (Hiphil)
                   1e1) to turn, cause to turn, turn back, reverse, bring over,
                      turn into, bring round
                   1e2) to cause to go around, surround, encompass
                 1f) (Hophal)
                   1f1) to be turned
                   1f2) to be surrounded
pass for abjad - bw' phw dbbrh
then coming to pass the words
bow' {bo}
1) to go in, enter, come, go, come in
     1a1) to enter, come in
     1a2) to come
        1a2a) to come with
        1a2b) to come upon, fall or light upon, attack (enemy)
        1a2c) to come to pass
     1a3) to attain to
     1a4) to be enumerated
     1a5) to go
  1b) (Hiphil)
     1b1) to lead in
     1b2) to carry in
     1b3) to bring in, cause to come in, gather, cause to come,
        bring near, bring against, bring upon
     1b4) to bring to pass
  1c) (Hophal)
     1c1) to be brought, brought in
     1c2) to be introduced, be put
       יפל 'ephow {ay-fo'}
        1) then, now, so
         1a) (who) then, (what) then (with interrog)
         1b) then (with imperative - i.e. know then)
         1c) if...then (with adv)
              דְּבֶרָה dabbarah {dab-baw-raw'}
               1) word, words
pass for abjad - sn' bw' yd
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1a) (Qal)

of hater (which) brought in the distress/calamity

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שׁנֵא sane' {saw-nay'}
1) to hate, be hateful
  1a) (Qal) to hate
     1a1) of man
     1a2) of God
     1a3) hater, one hating, enemy (participle) (subst)
  1b) (Niphal) to be hated
  1c) (Piel) hater (participle)
     1c1) of persons, nations, God, wisdom
       bow' {bo} בוֹא
        1) to go in, enter, come, go, come in
          1a) (Qal)
            1a1) to enter, come in
            1a2) to come
               1a2a) to come with
               1a2b) to come upon, fall or light upon, attack (enemy)
               1a2c) to come to pass
            1a3) to attain to
            1a4) to be enumerated
            1a5) to go
          1b) (Hiphil)
            1b1) to lead in
            1b2) to carry in
            1b3) to bring in, cause to come in, gather, cause to come,
               bring near, bring against, bring upon
            1b4) to bring to pass
          1c) (Hophal)
            1c1) to be brought, brought in
            1c2) to be introduced, be put
              איד 'eyd {ade}
               1) distress, burden, calamity
                 1a) burden (of the righteous)
                 1b) calamity (of nation)
                 1c) disaster (of wicked)
                 1d) day of calamity
pass for abjad - db' ydd ud db
a discreet friend bearing witness/affirming solemnly becoming faint/languish
לבא dobe' {do'-beh}
1) strength?, rest? (meaning obscure)
       יַדַי yadad {yaw-dad'}
        1) (Qal) to throw lots, cast lots
        2) love, loving-one, friend
              עוד ud {ood}
               1) to return, repeat, go about, do again
                 1a) (Piel) to surround, go round and round
                 1b) (Pilel) to restore, relieve
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1c) (Hithpalel) to be restored
               2) to bear witness
                 2a) (Qal) to bear witness, say again and again
                 2b) (Hiphil)
                   2b1) to testify, bear witness
                   2b2) to cause to testify, take or call as witness, invoke
                   2b3) to protest, affirm solemnly, warn, exhort or enjoin solemnly,
                       admonish, charge
                 2c) (Hophal) to protest, give warning
                             דאב da'ab {daw-ab'}
                              1) (Qal) to become faint, languish
pass for abjad - shwl ll l'
bring/thrust not into Sheol (underworld, hell)
אוֹל sh@'owl {sheh-ole'}
1) sheol, underworld, grave, hell, pit
  1a) the underworld
  1b) Sheol - the OT designation for the abode of the dead
     1b1) place of no return
     1b2) without praise of God
     1b3) wicked sent there for punishment
     1b4) righteous not abandoned to it
     1b5) of the place of exile (fig)
     1b6) of extreme degradation in sin
       עלל alal {aw-lal'}
        1) to act severely, deal with severely, make a fool of someone
          1a) (Poel) to act severely
          1b) (Poal) to be severely dealt with
          1c) (Hithpael) to busy oneself, divert oneself, deal wantonly, deal
            ruthlessly, abuse (by thrusting through)
          1d) (Hithpoel) to practise practices, thrust forth (in wickedness)
        2) (Poel) to glean
        3) (Poel) to act or play the child
        4) (Poel) to insert, thrust, thrust in, thrust upon
       עלל alal {al-al'}
        1) to thrust in, go in, come in
          1a) (P'al) to go in, come in
          1b) (Aphel) to bring in
          1c) (Hophal) to be brought in
              lo' {lo}
               1) not, no
                 1a) not (with verb - absolute prohibition)
                 1b) not (with modifier - negation)
                 1c) nothing (subst)
                 1d) without (with particle)
                 1e) before (of time)
              לא la' {law}
               1) no, not, nothing
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Pass for abjad - thwd dth

the prepared for perception/discernment/understanding (of God),

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עתוּד athuwd {aw-thood'}
1) ready, prepared
       דעת da'ath {dah'-ath}
        1) knowledge
          1a) knowledge, perception, skill
          1b) discernment, understanding, wisdom
       זה dath {dawth}
        1) decree, law, edict, regulation, usage
          1a) decree, edict, commission
          1b) law, rule
       זת dath {dawth}
        1) decree, law
          1a) a decree (of the king)
          1b) law
          1c) law (of God)
pass for abjad - yld d'
(prepared) to help to bring forth God's knowledge/judgment
יַלִּד yalad {yaw-lad'}
1) to bear, bring forth, beget, gender, travail
  1a) (Qal)
     1a1) to bear, bring forth
        1a1a) of child birth
        1a1b) of distress (simile)
        1a1c) of wicked (behaviour)
     1a2) to beget
  1b) (Niphal) to be born
  1c) (Piel)
     1c1) to cause or help to bring forth
     1c2) to assist or tend as a midwife
     1c3) midwife (participle)
  1d) (Pual) to be born
  1e) (Hiphil)
     1e1) to beget (a child)
     1e2) to bear (fig. - of wicked bringing forth iniquity)
  1f) (Hophal) day of birth, birthday (infinitive)
  1g) (Hithpael) to declare one's birth (pedigree)
       שַׁדֵּ dea' {day'-ah}
        1) knowledge, opinion
          1a) God's knowledge
          1b) judgment, opinion
pass for abjad - zn r'
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(to) the receiver of divine revelation (all-over) the earth/world

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אֹנֶן 'ozen {o'-zen}
1) ear, as part of the body
2) ear, as organ of hearing
3) (subjective) to uncover the ear to reveal; the receiver of
  divine revelation
              אַרע ara' {ar-ah'}
               1) earth, world, ground
pass for abjad - l dlph bu
let not drop the prayer
'al {al}
1) not, no, nor, neither, nothing (as wish or preference)
  1a) do not, let not (with a verb)
  1b) let there not be (with a verb understood)
  1c) not, no (with substantive)
  1d) nothing (as substantive)
       קלף dalaph {daw-laf'}
       1) to drop, drip
         1a) (Qal)
            1a1) to leak
            1a2) to weep (of tears)
       דלף deleph {deh'-lef}
        1) a dropping, dripping
         1a) of contentious wife (fig.)
              שבעו ba'u {baw-o"}
               1) petition, request
               2) prayer (always in Jewish liturgy)
pass for abjad - n' bl phw
I (we) pray to mourn/mourning for the dead now
na' {naw} נַא
1) I (we) pray, now, please
  1a) used in entreaty or exhortation
       אבל 'abal {aw-bal'}
        1) to mourn, lament
         1a) (Qal) to mourn, lament
            1a1) of humans
            1a2) of inanimate objects (fig.)
               1a2a) of gates
               1a2b) of land
         1b) (Hiphil)
            1b1) to mourn, cause to mourn (fig.)
         1c) (Hithpael)
            1c1) to mourn
            1c2) play the mourner
       'ebel {ay'-bel}
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1) mourning
          1a) for the dead
          1b) for rites of mourning (metaph)
          1c) mourning garb
          1d) period of mourning
              יאָפּוֹ 'ephow {ay-fo'}
               1) then, now, so
                 1a) (who) then, (what) then (with interrog)
                 1b) then (with imperative - i.e. know then)
                 1c) if...then (with adv)
pass for abjad - phn b bw'
timely brought to the Father,
אֹפָן 'ophen {o'-fen}
1) circumstance, condition, timely
       ab {awb} יאב
        1) father of an individual
        2) of God as father of his people
        3) head or founder of a household, group, family, or clan
        4) ancestor
          4a) grandfather, forefathers -- of person
          4b) of people
        5) originator or patron of a class, profession, or art
        6) of producer, generator (fig.)
        7) of benevolence and protection (fig.)
        8) term of respect and honour
        9) ruler or chief (spec.)
       ab {ab} אב
        1) father
              bow' {bo} בוֹא
               1) to go in, enter, come, go, come in
                 1a) (Qal)
                   1a1) to enter, come in
                   1a2) to come
                       1a2a) to come with
                       1a2b) to come upon, fall or light upon, attack (enemy)
                       1a2c) to come to pass
                   1a3) to attain to
                   1a4) to be enumerated
                   1a5) to go
                 1b) (Hiphil)
                   1b1) to lead in
                   1b2) to carry in
                   1b3) to bring in, cause to come in, gather, cause to come,
                       bring near, bring against, bring upon
                   1b4) to bring to pass
                 1c) (Hophal)
                   1c1) to be brought, brought in
                   1c2) to be introduced, be put
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pass for abjad - thwd ph bw'
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though prepared to go in/enter/come in

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עתוּד athuwd {aw-thood'}
1) ready, prepared
       ካል 'aph {af}
        conj (denoting addition, esp of something greater)
        1) also, yea, though, so much the more
        adv
        2) furthermore, indeed
              bow' {bo}
               1) to go in, enter, come, go, come in
                 1a) (Qal)
                   1a1) to enter, come in
                   1a2) to come
                      1a2a) to come with
                      1a2b) to come upon, fall or light upon, attack (enemy)
                      1a2c) to come to pass
                   1a3) to attain to
                   1a4) to be enumerated
                   1a5) to go
                 1b) (Hiphil)
                   1b1) to lead in
                   1b2) to carry in
                   1b3) to bring in, cause to come in, gather, cause to come,
                      bring near, bring against, bring upon
                   1b4) to bring to pass
                 1c) (Hophal)
                   1c1) to be brought, brought in
                   1c2) to be introduced, be put
pass for abjad - y dlth ll'
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where the doors (of doors of heaven) above

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אָי 'ay {ah'ee}
1) where?, whence?
2) which?, how? (in prefix with other adverb)
       דלת deleth {deh'-leth}
       1) door, gate
         1a) a door
         1b) a gate
         1c) (fig.)
            1c1) of chest lid
            1c2) of crocodile jaws
            1c3) of doors of the heavens
            1c4) of an easily-accessible woman
              עֵלָא ella' {ale-law'}
               1) above
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2 English translation

The plain English translation (synonyms, prepositions and clarifications in brackets):

not the least the excitement of the intoxicating drink¹⁴

weakens to confess the lamb, a burden (to) the poor,

whom the hope perishes, the weak green plants¹⁵, which came,

fail, make (someone) taboo, rather the green plants have been brought to guard something lost, (what) now to drop!

to fix (appoint) this sufficient forever:

perplexing (the people) comes without dragging oneself along (to burden oneself)

with one lie to another¹⁶!

so far these/who (know) the early time,

the oral hearings (tidings), lessen, are laid waste

forasmuch as approach the world satisfactorily,

a howling, assailing mischief burden

continuous observance (celebration) of God's wisdom -

the assembly of the poor is surfeited with that to the point,

that one deposes to consent (to agree) to seek (after) the friend (intimate),

the friend (fellow) branded¹⁷ (as) worthless,

the company (circle) of friends (fellows) became faint

to help to bring forth the witness (testimony) of the band (covenant),

do not burden yourself a plenty of woes to crush blunt grapes,

not the least then to be restrained (in the) height and so to abandon 18,

¹⁴ Intoxication with national and messianic ideas (in the years before the Jewish revolt?)

¹⁵ Green plants are often used as a synonym for the newcomer or the young generation

¹⁶ Good tidings may perplex the people but no need to take away or add anything, stay true

¹⁷ with a figurative iron like in Timothy: "by means of the hypocrisy of liars seared in their own conscience as with a branding iron"

¹⁸ to abandon the apostates

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be prepared rather to grow weak but gently (softly) to bend
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be prepared (for) the Highest to come (to arrive)

counsel (advice) is utterly vain, where dropping (grows) to the point that this

indeed (means) finishing (completing),

to consult (to advise) here the raging (clamorous) adversary - don't drag them along!

YHWH will draw then the limit (rim)¹⁹ to bear, furthermore (make) a prayer

propping up the disheartened (cowed) as (they) refused to go astray (to give up)

God's judgment puts in order (ordains/institutes) though

anger to apostatise (to turn away from God) asks for

making oneself a burden up to the time that God's judgment (will) ruin

the marrow (substance) herewith to divide, to cease and rather timely to ask for

(to make) a petition now (to) a lawyer (interpreter of decrees of the community)

who (will) spoil the young barley ears²⁰ (youngsters) -

laid one matter to another - such who love the prayer,

withdraw not from prayer!

(what) prepared this rising (is) youth (offspring) perception (understanding) of yokes

to be dull, to shake (to brandish) against²¹

where God's judgment (opinion) to be carried out, the rising heart (mind)

desires (longs for) to light upon (it) so then there not be

nothing rising a lost thing (none of the rising) -

be fulfilled this forever - so don't go (turn) to the left²² -

²⁰ repentant petition for resumption?

¹⁹ for the apostasy

²¹ to rise the hand to shake somebody off – like parents calling for a prayer?

²² as in the parable concerning Jesus' return to set up His kingdom (Matthew 25:31-33). The setting of this event is at the beginning of the millennium after the tribulation. All those on earth at that time will be brought before the Lord, and He will separate them "as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. He will put the sheep on his right and the goats on his left"

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a blemish (fault) which (means) not to exalt the Father (God),
to fulfil the law (of God) and to be cowed (by) these who (are) shouting,
to go astray (from) God's judgment - prostrate yourself (in worship)!
to have learned and feed (fatten) the goat (with) fresh green,
green plants (which) caused grief and now are willing to withdraw (from) this
fatigued stream - if only<sup>23</sup>! - determined heart - how worthless (this) perishing!
we pray (please), shed light upon the burden (above the burden),
Father, and (above) the green plants harassing constantly,
be fulfilled the law of God and be fulfilled the testimony of God's judgment,
be the rising mingling (mixing) ourselves no baking (of) enduring (durable) affair
to be dull (for) continuous prayer!
wait upon unfavourable saying (defamation) circumstance (condition)
confined (narrowed) - until then, prayer, if possible!
who then have no shade (no roof over his head),
side one to another (side one to the other),
don't make yourself a burden of cleanness (of animal meat) to be sated,
prepared to bear witness (to testify) of continuous validity (of) God's judgment
accept now (consent to the situation)
we pray (please), fall upon the rising to perish (vanish),
one to another, endow with knowledge the young in this manner to love the prayer,
love this, indeed, like a friend!
oppression of the wicked (evil) and the stream of rising lies, this prepared above<sup>24</sup>,
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 23 some apostates seemingly not only withdrew but turned actively against their former fellows

brought throwing down - how not to drop?

²⁴ allegation of organised, orchestrated oppresion

oppression of the wicked (evil) shows indignation with (anger at) even the testimony (of) the poor – assemble (meet) by appointment to hear (to listen) peaceful the words, so turning about (around) then comes to pass the words of hater, (which) brought in the distress (calamity)!

a discreet friend affirming solemnly becoming faint bring (thrust) not into Sheol²⁵, the prepared for discernment (understanding of God), (prepared) to help to bring forth God's knowledge (teachings)

(to) the receiver of the divine revelation (all over) the world (earth), let not drop the prayer!

we pray (please), mourning for the dead now, timely brought to the Father, though prepared to go in (to enter) where the doors of heaven above

3 Conclusion

What does the text say? A religious community referring to itself as *the poor* or worshiper of *the lamb*, suffers huge hardship, apostasy and prosecution. The fellows, identified as such in the streets, are exposed to hostilities and slander by mostly young people. They can easily be identified and denounced by apostatized members. The hostilities reach that point that a joint prayer must be suspended. Interim a peaceful prayer should take place in privacy – if possible. One or more particular persons are *made taboo* – they have to fear for more than harassment only, they apparently have to fear for their lives. The weak and faint members of this bond (in their faith determination) are beset to depose against them. Many already withdrew from the prayer and service. The text says, somehow helplessly, – *how not to drop?* – under the circumstances.

For us it's impossible to state something other than that this Aramaic passage points to the early Hebrew Christian Church in the times before the word Christian even occurred for the first time. In this case, the hated *friend*, whom the oppressive wicked try to taboo must be identified as St. Paul. We must admit at this point, that our former assessment, attributing these texts to pharisaic and rabbinic authorship, must be revised. The deep devotion to Tanach and to the sayings of the Hebrew bible, expressed in the apocalyptic section of the VMS, make, however, these two groups hardly distinguishable from each other in this regard.

The passage doesn't address the reason for the repression and prosecution directly. That must have been obvious for the direct listener or other audiences, inasmuch this text was intended to be read aloud at various places. Again, we must assume, that it wasn't the content of the teachings of St. Paul but the fact itself, that he preached to the Gentiles, which outraged the opponents, as there are only few references to a controversial exegesis. Still one of the

²⁵ underworld, hell

supposed controversial points is mentioned in the text – that of the eating of *unclean* animal meat, which contradicts the mosaic law.

We hit here upon events, which probably took place in the years directly proceeding the Great Jewish Revolt. The explosive atmosphere against the Roman oppressors and other strangers must have been already tangible before the breakout - zealots, sicarii and other nationalistic groups were already active in Judea and Jerusalem. Under such circumstances, preaching to the *enemies* and embracing them like they were Jews, promising them the same heaven, were most probably considered as collaboration. And wasn't it said in the scripts, that none unclean and uncircumcised will ever pass the gates of the New Jerusalem? In these aspects the beliefs of *the poor* must have been considered by many Jews as treachery against the nation. On the other hand, nothing in this passage points directly to controverses about teachings of Jesus. The mentioning of apostasy means that the community was losing members, some of them described as well prepared to bring forth the testimony of the Highest. This suggests that until then the communion considered itself as a strong and sound growth.

Here we come to a brief interpretation of the depicted plant. Again, as from our point of view, the plant is merely allegorical imagery. The solid roots allude to firm foundations, but at the top the plant is shrivelled and can't carry any grapes. The plant is restricted in the high, exactly as mentioned in the text, and bends towards ground. The crucial aspect in the middle is, that the grapes and leaves are young and unripe. The grapes are not entirely red, but white with a red dot in the middle and the leaves, which can be those of the silver sword (Philodendron Hastatum), are not developed finally. This can be concluded, since their shape resembles more an arrow, when they are matured. The image can then be considered as a symbolic representation of a religious community, which struggles to grow and bends, as its young, *unripe* fellows withdraw for reasons not exhibited thoroughly in the text.

All the references to early Christianity found in the apocalyptical and the plant sections don't rule out the possibility that other parts of this compilation contain purely kabbalistic or rabbinic texts and that the encryption method was inspired by Sefer Yetzirah. Nor can the eventuality be excluded, that these texts are pseudepigraphic, even though the great attention to details and the usage of ketiv contradict this assumption to some degree.