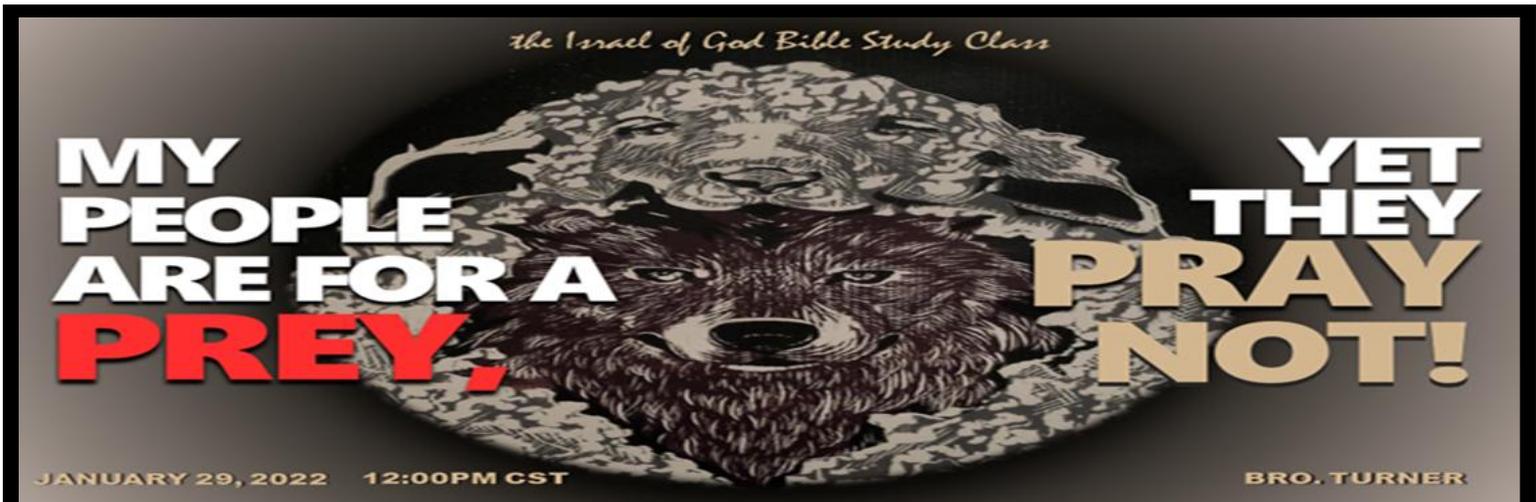


The Israel of God Bible Study Class

MY PEOPLE ARE FOR A **PREY,**

YET THEY PRAY NOT!



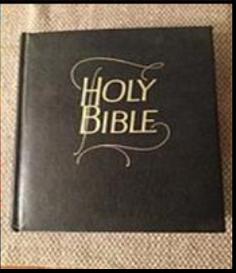
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Prayer: Psalms 32:2, 5, 7, 10 Blessed is the man unto whom the LORD imputeth not iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no guile. Selah. **5** I acknowledged my sin unto thee, and mine iniquity have I not hid. I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the LORD; and thou forgavest the iniquity of my sin. Selah. **7** Thou art my hiding place; thou shalt preserve me from trouble; thou shalt compass me about with songs of deliverance. Selah. **10** Many sorrows shall be to the wicked: but he that trusteth in the LORD, mercy shall compass him about.



Deuteronomy 30:15-16, 11-13 See, I have set before thee this day life and good, and death and evil; (16) In that I command thee this day to love the LORD thy God, to walk in his ways, and to keep his commandments and his statutes and his judgments, that thou mayest live and multiply: and the LORD thy God shall bless thee in the land whither thou goest to possess it. **11** For this commandment which I command thee this day, it is not hidden from thee, neither is it far off. (12) It is not in heaven, that thou shouldest say, Who shall go up for us to heaven, and bring it unto us, that we may hear it, and do it? (13) Neither is it beyond the sea, that thou shouldest say, Who shall go over the sea for us, and bring it unto us, that we may hear it, and do it?

Notes

- Life & Good = Salvation
- Death & Evil = Damnation
- The choice has always been ours to make.

Proverbs 3:1-8, 11-18, 21-26, 31 My son, forget not my law; but let thine heart keep my commandments: (2) For length of days, and long life, and peace, shall they add to thee. (3) Let not mercy and truth forsake thee: bind them about thy neck; write them upon the table of thine heart: (4) So shalt thou find favour and good understanding in the sight of God and man. (5) Trust in the LORD with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. (6) In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths. (7) Be not wise in thine own eyes: fear the LORD, and depart from evil. (8) It shall be health to thy navel, and marrow to thy bones. **11** My son, despise not the chastening of the LORD; neither be weary of his correction: (12) For whom the LORD loveth he correcteth; even as a father the son in whom he delighteth. (13) Happy is the man that

findeth wisdom, and the man that getteth understanding. (14) For the merchandise of it is better than the merchandise of silver, and the gain thereof than fine gold. (15) She is more precious than rubies: and all the things thou canst desire are not to be compared unto her. (16) Length of days is in her right hand; and in her left hand riches and honour. (17) Her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace. (18) She is a tree of life to them that lay hold upon her: and happy is every one that retaineth her. **[21]** My son, let not them depart from thine eyes: keep sound wisdom and discretion: (22) So shall they be life unto thy soul, and grace to thy neck. (23) Then shalt thou walk in thy way safely, and thy foot shall not stumble. (24) When thou liest down, thou shalt not be afraid: yea, thou shalt lie down, and thy sleep shall be sweet. (25) Be not afraid of sudden fear, neither of the desolation of the wicked, when it cometh. (26) For the LORD shall be thy confidence, and shall keep thy foot from being taken. **[31]** Envy thou not the oppressor, and choose none of his ways.

Notes

- Heart = Mind
- The Law is in our minds, not on fringes.
- Our understanding = Knowing the Word of God
- Length of days = Long life
- The condition of Israel is by God because of Israel's disobedience.

Life & Death

Deuteronomy 30:19-20 I call heaven and earth to record this day against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing: therefore choose life, that both thou and thy seed may live: (20) That thou mayest love the LORD thy God, and that thou mayest obey his voice, and that thou mayest cleave unto him: for he is thy life, and the length of thy days: that thou mayest dwell in the land which the LORD sware unto thy fathers, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, to give them.

Notes

- God will not save you in spite of yourself. Fear him and keep his commandments so you and your seed may live.

Deuteronomy 5:28-29 And the LORD heard the voice of your words, when ye spake unto me; and the LORD said unto me, I have heard the voice of the words of this people, which they have spoken unto thee: they have well said all that they have spoken. (29) O that there were such an heart in them, that they would fear me, and keep all my commandments always, that it might be well with them, and with their children for ever!

Notes

- The Children of Israel always forget their promises and end up being punished by God.



Deuteronomy 28:1-8, 10-12, 14-20, 25, 28-29, 32-33, 36-37, 45-47, 58-67 And it shall come to pass, if thou shalt hearken diligently unto the voice of the LORD thy God, to observe and to do all his commandments which I command thee this day, that the LORD thy God will set thee on high above all nations of the earth: (2) And all these blessings shall come on thee, and overtake thee, if thou shalt hearken unto the voice of the LORD thy God. (3) Blessed shalt thou be in the city, and blessed shalt thou be in the field. (4) Blessed shall be the fruit of thy body, and the fruit of thy ground, and the fruit of thy cattle, the increase of thy kine, and the flocks of thy sheep. (5) Blessed shall be thy basket and thy store. (6) Blessed shalt thou be when thou comest in, and blessed shalt thou be when thou goest out. (7) The LORD shall cause thine enemies that rise up against thee to be smitten before thy face: they shall come out against thee one way, and flee before thee seven ways. (8) The LORD shall command the blessing upon thee in thy storehouses, and in all that thou settest thine hand unto; and he shall bless thee in the land which the LORD thy God giveth thee. **[10]** And all people of the earth shall see that thou art called by the name of the LORD; and they shall be afraid of thee. (11) And the LORD shall make thee plenteous in goods, in the fruit of thy body, and in the fruit of thy cattle, and in the fruit of thy ground, in the land which the LORD sware unto thy fathers to give

thee. (12) The LORD shall open unto thee his good treasure, the heaven to give the rain unto thy land in his season, and to bless all the work of thine hand: and thou shalt lend unto many nations, and thou shalt not borrow. **14** And thou shalt not go aside from any of the words which I command thee this day, to the right hand, or to the left, to go after other gods to serve them. (15) But it shall come to pass, if thou wilt not hearken unto the voice of the LORD thy God, to observe to do all his commandments and his statutes which I command thee this day; that all these curses shall come upon thee, and overtake thee: (16) Cursed shalt thou be in the city, and cursed shalt thou be in the field. (17) Cursed shall be thy basket and thy store. (18) Cursed shall be the fruit of thy body, and the fruit of thy land, the increase of thy kine, and the flocks of thy sheep. (19) Cursed shalt thou be when thou comest in, and cursed shalt thou be when thou goest out. (20) The LORD shall send upon thee cursing, vexation, and rebuke, in all that thou settest thine hand unto for to do, until thou be destroyed, and until thou perish quickly; because of the wickedness of thy doings, whereby thou hast forsaken me. **25** The LORD shall cause thee to be smitten before thine enemies: thou shalt go out one way against them, and flee seven ways before them: and shalt be removed into all the kingdoms of the earth. **28** The LORD shall smite thee with madness, and blindness, and astonishment of heart: (29) And thou shalt grope at noonday, as the blind gropeth in darkness, and thou shalt not prosper in thy ways: and thou shalt be only oppressed and spoiled evermore, and no man shall save thee. **32** Thy sons and thy daughters shall be given unto another people, and thine eyes shall look, and fail with longing for them all the day long: and there shall be no might in thine hand. (33) The fruit of thy land, and all thy labours, shall a nation which thou knowest not eat up; and thou shalt be only oppressed and crushed away: **36** The LORD shall bring thee, and thy king which thou shalt set over thee, unto a nation which neither thou nor thy fathers have known; and there shalt thou serve other gods, wood and stone. (37) And thou shalt become an astonishment, a proverb, and a byword, among all nations whither the LORD shall lead thee. **45** Moreover all these curses shall come upon thee, and shall pursue thee,

and overtake thee, till thou be destroyed; because thou hearkenedst not unto the voice of the LORD thy God, to keep his commandments and his statutes which he commanded thee: (46) And they shall be upon thee for a sign and for a wonder, and upon thy seed for ever. (47) Because thou servedst not the LORD thy God with joyfulness, and with gladness of heart, for the abundance of all things; **58** If thou wilt not observe to do all the words of this law that are written in this book, that thou mayest fear this glorious and fearful name, THE LORD THY GOD; (59) Then the LORD will make thy plagues wonderful, and the plagues of thy seed, even great plagues, and of long continuance, and sore sicknesses, and of long continuance. (60) Moreover he will bring upon thee all the diseases of Egypt, which thou wast afraid of; and they shall cleave unto thee. (61) Also every sickness, and every plague, which is not written in the book of this law, them will the LORD bring upon thee, until thou be destroyed. (62) And ye shall be left few in number, whereas ye were as the stars of heaven for multitude; because thou wouldest not obey the voice of the LORD thy God. (63) And it shall come to pass, that as the LORD rejoiced over you to do you good, and to multiply you; so the LORD will rejoice over you to destroy you, and to bring you to nought; and ye shall be plucked from off the land whither thou goest to possess it. (64) And the LORD shall scatter thee among all people, from the one end of the earth even unto the other; and there thou shalt serve other gods, which neither thou nor thy fathers have known, even wood and stone. (65) And among these nations shalt thou find no ease, neither shall the sole of thy foot have rest: but the LORD shall give thee there a trembling heart, and failing of eyes, and sorrow of mind: (66) And thy life shall hang in doubt before thee; and thou shalt fear day and night, and shalt have none assurance of thy life: (67) In the morning thou shalt say, Would God it were even! and at even thou shalt say, Would God it were morning! for the fear of thine heart wherewith thou shalt fear, and for the sight of thine eyes which thou shalt see.

Notes:

- Overtake = surpass, go beyond
- Israel is the Lord's name. He adopted Jacob and gave him his name.

- Removed = detached, taken away
- Grace = Space to repent
- Fruit of thy body = Children
- The Israelites in Timbuktu know they are Israelites but their religion is Islam because that's the religion that was put upon them in that nation.
- Bywords are pet names given to Israel to demean them.
- Stranger = Everyone who isn't an Israelite
 - There was a mixed multitude that followed the children of Israel out of Egypt.
- Tail = Israel is at the bottom and no one is below them because Israel broke the covenant.
 - All of our merchants look like someone else.
- A sign is something that identifies. The CURSES identify who are the REAL children of Israel.
- Grope = We don't know what to do to solve our condition.
- Other gods = the gods of Christmas, Easter, Sunday, All Saints Day (Halloween), etc.
- Egypt = Captivity, house of bondage
- Ships = Slave ships; The first slave ship to America was called the 'Good Ship Jesus' ([Jesus of Lübeck](#))
- Bondmen & Bondwomen = Male & Female Slaves
- Buy you = to buy Israel out of their condition.
- Belize, Jamaica, Haiti, South America, Panama, the Virgin Islands, Bahamas & Cuba were all slave camps.
- The word 'PICNIC' means to 'PICK ~A~Ni**er.'
- Israel's destruction is a DIVINE destruction; otherwise, it wouldn't be so perfect.
- No matter what time of day it is, Israel is always in fear because of the crime in the communities they live.

Daniel 9:11 Yea, all Israel have transgressed thy law, even by departing, that they might not obey thy voice; therefore the curse is poured upon us, and the oath that [is] written in the law of Moses

the servant of God, because we have sinned against him.

Notes:

- A Great Evil was brought upon the children of Israel because of their disobedience.
- The Children of Israel are under the CURSE written in Deut. 28.
- The treatment of Israel is the same no matter where they are, be it among the Gentiles, Hamites or other Shemites (Ishmael, Children of the East).



Deuteronomy 30:1-2 And it shall come to pass, when all these things are come upon thee, the blessing and the curse, which I have set before thee, and thou shalt call [them] to mind among all the nations, whither the LORD thy God hath driven thee, (2) *And shalt return unto the LORD thy God, and shalt obey his voice according to all that I command thee this day, thou and thy children, with all thine heart, and with all thy soul;*

Notes:

- Israel as a whole will not return to the land of Israel until Jesus returns.

Judges 2:11-14, 16-17 And the children of Israel did evil in the sight of the LORD, and served Baalim: [12] And they forsook the LORD God of their fathers, which brought them out of the land of Egypt, and followed other gods, of the gods of the people that were round about them, and bowed themselves unto them, and provoked the LORD to anger. [13] And they forsook the LORD, and served Baal and Ashtaroth. [14] And the anger of the LORD was hot against Israel, and he delivered them into the hands of spoilers that spoiled them, and he sold them into the hands of their enemies round about, so that they could not any longer stand before their enemies. [16] Nevertheless the LORD raised up judges, which delivered them out of the hand of those that spoiled them. [17] And yet they would not hearken unto their judges, but they went a whoring after other gods, and bowed

themselves unto them: they turned quickly out of the way which their fathers walked in, obeying the commandments of the LORD; but they did not so.

Notes:

- Baalim, Baal, & Ashtaroth = Pagan gods
- The Children of Israel chose to worship the gods of the people (Canaanites) around them rather than their own God.

Compelling Truth Article

'Who was the goddess Asherah/Ashtoreth?'

<https://www.compellingtruth.org/asherah.html>

Notes:

The Israelites also worshiped Asherah from as early as the time immediately following the death of Joshua.

**Read more at the link above.

CURSED

Deuteronomy 28:18, 25, 28-29, 41, 23, 47, 46 Cursed shall be the fruit of thy body, and the fruit of thy land, the increase of thy kine, and the flocks of thy sheep. [25] The LORD shall cause thee to be smitten before thine enemies: thou shalt go out one way against them, and flee seven ways before them: and shalt be removed into all the kingdoms of the earth. [28] The LORD shall smite thee with madness, and blindness, and astonishment of heart: [29] And thou shalt grope at noonday, as the blind gropeth in darkness, and thou shalt not prosper in thy ways: and thou shalt be only oppressed and spoiled evermore, and no man shall save thee. [41] Thou shalt beget sons and daughters, but thou shalt not enjoy them; for they shall go into captivity. [23] And thy heaven that is over thy head shall be brass, and the earth that is under thee shall be iron. [47] Because thou servedst not the LORD thy God with joyfulness, and with gladness of heart, for the abundance of all things; [46] And they shall be upon thee for a sign and for a wonder, and upon thy seed for ever.

Notes:

- Modern Captivity = Prison

The Sentencing Project.org

<https://www.sentencingproject.org/issues/racial-disparity/>

Black Americans are incarcerated in state prisons across the country at nearly five times the rate of whites. (Read more at the link below.)

<https://www.sentencingproject.org/publications/color-of-justice-racial-and-ethnic-disparity-in-state-prisons/>

Israel's representation in prison is small but our incarceration rates are large.

Amos 4:10 I have sent among you the pestilence after the manner of Egypt: your young men have I slain with the sword, and have taken away your horses; and I have made the stink of your camps to come up unto your nostrils: yet have ye not returned unto me, saith the LORD.

Notes:

- Pestilence = plague, epidemic, deadly disease
- Return unto me = Repent and keep the commandments of God



Isaiah 42:19-20, 22-25 Who [is] blind, but my servant? or deaf, as my messenger [that] I sent? who [is] blind as [he that is] perfect, and blind as the LORD'S servant? (20) Seeing many things, but thou observest not; opening the ears, but he heareth not. [22] But this [is] a people robbed and spoiled; [they are] all of them snared in holes, and they are hid in prison houses: they are for a prey, and none delivereth; for a spoil, and none saith, Restore. (23) Who among you will give ear to this? [who] will hearken and hear for the time to come? (24) *Who gave Jacob for a spoil, and Israel to the robbers? did not the LORD, he against whom we have sinned?* for they would not walk in his ways, neither were they obedient unto his law. (25) Therefore he hath poured upon him the fury of his anger, and the strength of battle: and it hath set him on fire round

about, yet he knew not; and it burned him, yet he laid [it] not to heart.

Notes:

- Deaf/Blind = Spiritually dead
- My Messenger/Servant = Children of Israel
- The Children of Israel out populate everyone in prison.
- Robbers = Nations



Isaiah 1:3 The ox knoweth his owner, and the ass his master's crib: [but] Israel doth not know, my people doth not consider.

Notes:

- The Arabs (Ishmael) and the Edomites (Esau's children) have been fighting over Israel for a long time, even in B.C. (before Christ). Edom had southern Jerusalem and was converted to Judaism in 125 B.C.
- They are in Israel's land and occupying it and fighting over it while the real Israelites (Negroes) watch and do nothing because many Israelites have no clue that the land of Israel belongs to them.

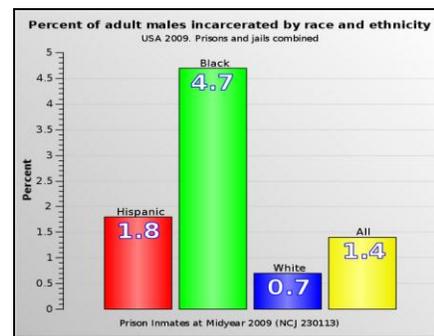


Zechariah 11:3-9 [There is] a voice of the howling of the shepherds; for their glory is spoiled: a voice of the roaring of young lions; for the pride of Jordan is spoiled. (4) Thus saith the LORD my God; Feed the flock of the slaughter; (5) Whose possessors slay them, and hold themselves not guilty: and they that sell them say, Blessed [be] the LORD; for I am rich: and their own shepherds pity them not. (6) For I will no more pity the inhabitants of the land, saith the LORD: but, lo, I will deliver the men every one into his neighbour's hand, and into the hand of his king: and they shall

smite the land, and out of their hand I will not deliver them. (7) And I will feed the flock of slaughter, even you, O poor of the flock. And I took unto me two staves; the one I called Beauty, and the other I called Bands; and I fed the flock. (8) Three shepherds also I cut off in one month; and my soul loathed them, and their soul also abhorred me. (9) Then said I, I will not feed you: that that dieth, let it die; and that that is to be cut off, let it be cut off; and let the rest eat every one the flesh of another.

Notes:

- Flock of the Slaughter = Children of Israel
- Everyone kills us including ourselves. From lack of medical treatment, police brutality and indifference, gangs, abuse, etc. we are dying.
- Young Lions = Israel
- Pride of Jordan = Children of Israel
- Possessors = Slave masters
- Shepherds = Preachers/Pastors
 - They pity us not because they won't teach the people the truth and tell them who they are, which is Israel.
- Three shepherds/kings = The last 3 Kings of Jerusalem (Jehoiakim, Jehoiachin & Zedekiah)



Isaiah 42:20, 19, 17-18, 21-23 Seeing many things, but thou observest not; opening the ears, but he heareth not. [19] Who is blind, but my servant? or deaf, as my messenger that I sent? who is blind as he that is perfect, and blind as the LORD'S servant? [17] They shall be turned back, they shall be greatly ashamed, that trust in graven images, that say to the molten images, Ye are our gods. [18] Hear, ye deaf; and look, ye blind, that ye may see. [21] The LORD is well pleased for his righteousness' sake; he will magnify the law, and make it honourable. [22] But this is a people robbed and spoiled; they

are all of them snared in holes, and they are hid in prison houses: they are for a prey, and none delivereth; for a spoil, and none saith, Restore. [23] Who among you will give ear to this? who will hearken and hear for the time to come?

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Job 35:9-13 By reason of the multitude of oppressions they make the oppressed to cry: they cry out by reason of the arm of the mighty. [10] But none saith, Where is God my maker, who giveth songs in the night; [11] Who teacheth us more than the beasts of the earth, and maketh us wiser than the fowls of heaven? [12] There they cry, but none giveth answer, because of the pride of evil men. [13] Surely God will not hear vanity, neither will the Almighty regard it.

Notes:

- Vanity = words that mean nothing
- Almighty = Jesus

JESUS

Isaiah 59:1-4, 7-9, 12-15 Behold, the LORD'S hand is not shortened, that it cannot save; neither his ear heavy, that it cannot hear: [2] But your iniquities have separated between you and your God, and your sins have hid his face from you, that he will not hear. [3] For your hands are defiled with blood, and your fingers with iniquity; your lips have spoken lies, your tongue hath muttered perverseness. [4] None calleth for justice, nor any pleadeth for truth: they trust in vanity, and speak lies; they conceive mischief, and bring forth iniquity. [7] Their feet run to evil, and they make haste to shed innocent blood: their thoughts are thoughts of iniquity; wasting and destruction are in their paths. [8] The way of peace they know not; and there is no judgment in their goings: they have made them crooked paths: whosoever goeth therein shall not know peace. [9] Therefore is judgment far from us, neither doth justice overtake us: we wait for light, but behold obscurity; for

brightness, but we walk in darkness. [12] For our transgressions are multiplied before thee, and our sins testify against us: for our transgressions are with us; and as for our iniquities, we know them; [13] In transgressing and lying against the LORD, and departing away from our God, speaking oppression and revolt, conceiving and uttering from the heart words of falsehood. [14] And judgment is turned away backward, and justice standeth afar off: for truth is fallen in the street, and equity cannot enter. [15] Yea, truth faileth; and he that departeth from evil maketh himself a prey: and the LORD saw it, and it displeased him that there was no judgment.

Notes:

- God doesn't hear the prayers of willful sinners.
- Iniquity = Sin
- Vanity = Pride, egoism, conceit, arrogance
- In the world, the truth (The WORD OF GOD) has fallen to the street as if it means nothing and has no value and fairness doesn't really exist anymore. The growing mantra is "Do as thou wilt", "I don't need a god, I am a god", "All I care about is me and mine, no one else", etc.
- As servants of God, we make ourselves a prey because we speak the truth, we love and fear God, we don't steal, we believe the Bible is the Word of God; we try to help, and try to bring many to Christ.
- Due to Adam's sin, we are dying daily.
- Redeemer = JESUS
- My Spirit = The Word of God
- Our young people should be filled with the knowledge of God, but they hate knowledge and wisdom and pursue wickedness and evil. Harming people is a way of life.



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Isaiah 65:1-5 I am sought of them that asked not for me; I am found of them that sought me not: I said, Behold me, behold me, unto a nation that was not

called by my name. [2] I have spread out my hands all the day unto a rebellious people, which walketh in a way that was not good, after their own thoughts; [3] A people that provoketh me to anger continually to my face; that sacrificeth in gardens, and burneth incense upon altars of brick; [4] Which remain among the graves, and lodge in the monuments, which eat swine's flesh, and broth of abominable things is in their vessels; [5] Which say, Stand by thyself, come not near to me; for I am holier than thou. These are a smoke in my nose, a fire that burneth all the day.

Notes:

- Rebellious people = Children of Israel
- Them = Other nations
- To my face = Purposely breaking God's law
- Graves = the spiritually dead
- Monuments = Churches of the spiritually dead
- Smoke = an irritation
- Swine's flesh = Pig/Pork
- Broth of abominable things = all of the animals and sea creatures that God said not to eat.

Idolatry & Whoredom

Hosea 4:1-7, 12-13, 16-17 Hear the word of the LORD, ye children of Israel: for the LORD hath a controversy with the inhabitants of the land, because there is no truth, nor mercy, nor knowledge of God in the land. [2] By swearing, and lying, and killing, and stealing, and committing adultery, they break out, and blood toucheth blood. [3] Therefore shall the land mourn, and every one that dwelleth therein shall languish, with the beasts of the field, and with the fowls of heaven; yea, the fishes of the sea also shall be taken away. [4] Yet let no man strive, nor reprove another: for thy people are as they that strive with the priest. [5] Therefore shalt thou fall in the day, and the prophet also shall fall with thee in the night, and I will destroy thy mother. [6] My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge: because thou hast rejected knowledge, I will also reject thee, that thou shalt be no priest to me: seeing thou hast forgotten the law of thy God, I will also forget thy children. [7] As they were increased, so they sinned

against me: therefore will I change their glory into shame. [12] My people ask counsel at their stocks, and their staff declareth unto them: for the spirit of whoredoms hath caused them to err, and they have gone a whoring from under their God. [13] They sacrifice upon the tops of the mountains, and burn incense upon the hills, under oaks and poplars and elms, because the shadow thereof is good: therefore your daughters shall commit whoredom, and your spouses shall commit adultery. [16] For Israel slideth back as a backsliding heifer: now the LORD will feed them as a lamb in a large place. [17] Ephraim is joined to idols: let him alone.

Notes

- There is no truth (knowledge) of God in the land, not even schools.
- Blood toucheth blood = Israel killing each other
- My people = Children of Israel
- Nobody remembers the so-called Negro as the Children of Israel.
- Israel forgot God's Law and his purpose for the world and thus He has forgotten Israel's children. They are suffering and dying every day.
- Mother = Nation (Land) of Israel
- To this day, Israel has a lot of zeal for God, but not according to knowledge (the Word of God).
- Ephraim = Israel
- Only Israel can be backsliders because we are the ones God gave His Word to.
- Many Israelites have turned away from God.
- Jesus came to his own (Israel) and no one else. He had to teach Israel before they could go and teach the other nations.
- Whoredom = Idol worship, both physical and spiritual.



Fall of Jerusalem in 70 AD

Isaiah 3:8-9, 11-12, 25 For Jerusalem is ruined, and Judah is fallen: because their tongue and their

doings are against the LORD, to provoke the eyes of his glory. [9] The shew of their countenance doth witness against them; and they declare their sin as Sodom, they hide it not. Woe unto their soul! for they have rewarded evil unto themselves. [11] Woe unto the wicked! it shall be ill with him: for the reward of his hands shall be given him. [12] As for my people, children are their oppressors, and women rule over them. O my people, they which lead thee cause thee to err, and destroy the way of thy paths. [25] Thy men shall fall by the sword, and thy mighty in the war.

Notes

- The children of Israel are scattered all over the earth because of sin and were cast out of the land of Israel. They are in captivity even though they think they are free.
- Children are feared and women run the homes.
- They which lead thee = Pastors, ministers, preachers, senators, politician, etc.



Jeremiah 8:18-22, 11 When I would comfort myself against sorrow, my heart is faint in me. [19] Behold the voice of the cry of the daughter of my people because of them that dwell in a far country: Is not the LORD in Zion? is not her king in her? Why have they provoked me to anger with their graven images, and with strange vanities? [20] The harvest is past, the summer is ended, and we are not saved. [21] For the hurt of the daughter of my people am I hurt; I am black; astonishment hath taken hold on me. [22] Is there no balm in Gilead; is there no physician there? why then is not the health of the daughter of my people recovered? [11] For they have healed the hurt of the daughter of my people slightly, saying, Peace, peace; when there is no peace.

Notes

- There is no peace among the children of Israel because of the curse brought upon us for disobeying God.
- Far country = All over the world

- Strange vanities = Odd or bizarre practices or beliefs
- Balm = medicine, cure, which is the Word of God
- Truth = Word of God
- Physician = priests/preachers/ministers
- Health = Spiritual healing

Proverbs 16:18 Pride goeth before destruction, and an haughty spirit before a fall.

BuzzFeed News Article

'Video Footage Shows A Police Officer Fatally Shooting A Teen Girl Seconds After Arriving To The Scene'

<https://www.buzzfeednews.com/article/skbaer/ma-kiyah-bryant-killed-police-shooting>

Notes:

While protesting the verdict by marching in the streets, a teen girl was gunned down by police in Ohio. No one marched for her. Many among Israel kill each other non-stop even while others are protesting. Israel was so happy and yet, another teen was murdered. We are so proud as a people rather than being humble.

James 4:5-7 Do ye think that the scripture saith in vain, The spirit that dwelleth in us lusteth to envy? [6] But he giveth more grace. Wherefore he saith, God resisteth the proud, but giveth grace unto the humble. [7] Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.

Notes

- Spirit in us = Word of God
- Grace = Free gift
- Humble = Meek, modest
- Submit = Surrender yourself to God

Daniel 9:3-4, 7 And I set my face unto the Lord God, to seek by prayer and supplications, with fasting, and sackcloth, and ashes: [4] And I prayed unto the LORD my God, and made my confession, and said, O Lord, the great and dreadful God, keeping the covenant and mercy to them that love him, and to them that keep his commandments; [7] O Lord, righteousness belongeth unto thee, but unto us confusion of faces, as at this day; to the men of Judah, and to the inhabitants of Jerusalem, and unto all Israel, that are near, and that are far

