

Deuteronomy 20

Interlinear Bible — King James Version

Hebrew text with English translation and Strong's numbers

1 When thou goest out to battle against thine enemies, and seest horses, and chariots, and a people more than thou, be not afraid of them: for the LORD thy God is with thee, which brought thee up out of the land of Egypt.

כִּי	תֵצֵא	א	לְמִלְחָמָה	ה	עַל	אֹיְבֶיךָ	וְרָא	יָת
H3588	When thou goest out		to battle		H5921	against thine enemies	and seest	
	H3318		H4421			H341	H7200	
וְסוּסִים	וְרֶגְלֹת	עַם	רַב	מִמֶּנֶּה	לֹא	תִירָא		
horses	and chariots	and a people	more	H4480	H3808	than thou be not afraid		
H5483	H7393	H5971	H7227			H3372		
מֵהֶם	כִּי	יְהוָה	ה	אֱלֹהֶיךָ	עִמָּךְ			
H1992	H3588	of them for the LORD		thy God	H5973			
		H3068		H430				
	הַמַּעֲלֶיךָ		מֵאֶרֶץ	מִצְרַיִם:				
	is with thee which brought thee up		out of the land	of Egypt				
	H5927		H776	H4714				

2 And it shall be, when ye are come nigh unto the battle, that the priest shall approach and speak unto the people,

וְהָיָה	כְּקִרְבְּכֶם	אֶל	הַמִּלְחָמָה	וְנִגַּשׁ
H1961	And it shall be when ye are come nigh	H413	unto the battle	shall approach
	H7126		H4421	H5066
וְהָיָה	וְדִבֶּר	אֶל	הָעָם:	
that the priest	and speak	H413	unto the people	
H3548	H1696		H5971	

3 And shall say unto them, Hear, O Israel, ye approach this day unto battle against your enemies: let not your hearts faint, fear not, and do not tremble, neither be ye terrified because of them;

קִרְבַּיִם אֶתְּ מִיִּשְׂרָאֵל שְׁמַע אֲלֵהֶם וְאָמַר
 And shall say H559 H413 unto them Hear H8085 O Israel H3478 H859 ye approach H7131

יִבֹּא אֶל אֹיְבֵיכֶם עַל לַמִּלְחָמָה הַיּוֹם
 this day H3117 unto battle H4421 H5921 against your enemies H341 H408 faint H7401

וְאַל תִּחְפֹּז וְאַל תִּירָא וְאַל לִבְבְּכֶם
 let not your hearts H3824 H408 fear H3372 H408 not and do not tremble H2648 H408

מִפְּנֵיהֶם: תִּעֲרָצוּ
 neither be ye terrified H6206 because H6440

4 For the LORD your God is he that goeth with you, to fight for you against your enemies, to save you.

לְהִלָּחֵם עִמָּךְ הִהְיֶה אֱלֹהֶיךָ יְהוָה לְפָנֵי
 H3588 For the LORD H3068 your God H430 is he that goeth H1980 H5973 with you to fight H3898

אֶתְּכֶם: לְהוֹשִׁיעַ אֹיְבֵיכֶם עִם לָכֶם
 H0 H5973 for you against your enemies H341 to save H3467 H853

5 And the officers shall speak unto the people, saying, What man is there that hath built a new house, and hath not dedicated it? let him go and return to his house, lest he die in the battle, and another man dedicate it.

וְאִישׁ מִי לֵאמֹר הָעָם אֶל הַשָּׂטְרִים וְדָבַר וֹ
 shall speak And the officers H1696 H7860 H413 H5971 H559 H4310 H376
 וְיִחַנְכֶנּוּ: וְלֹא אֶחָד שֶׁבָּנוּ לְבַיִת וֹ
 H834 H1129 H1004 H3808 H2319 H2596
 וְיִחַנְכֶנּוּ: וְלֹא אֶחָד שֶׁבָּנוּ לְבַיִת וֹ
 H1980 H7725 H1004 H6435 H4191 H4421 H376
 וְיִחַנְכֶנּוּ: וְאִישׁ אֶחָד
 and another and hath not dedicated H312 H2596

6 And what man is he that hath planted a vineyard, and hath not yet eaten of it? let him also go and return unto his house, lest he die in the battle, and another man eat of it.

וְלֹא אֶחָד שֶׁכָּרַם אֲשֶׁר וְאִישׁ וּמִי
 H4310 H376 H834 H5193 H3754 H3808
 וְיִחַנְכֶנּוּ: וְלֹא אֶחָד שֶׁכָּרַם אֲשֶׁר וְאִישׁ וּמִי
 H2490 H1980 H7725 H1004 H6435 H4191
 וְיִחַנְכֶנּוּ: וְאִישׁ אֶחָד שֶׁכָּרַם אֲשֶׁר וְאִישׁ וּמִי
 H4421 H376 H312 H2490

7 And what man is there that hath betrothed a wife, and hath not taken her? let him go and return unto his house, lest he die in the battle, and another man take her.

וְלֹא אִשָּׁה אֲבָ שׁ אֲשֶׁר וְאִישׁ וְמִי
H4310 And what man H834 is there that hath betrothed a wife H3808 H802

בַּמִּלְחָמָה הַיָּמֹת פֶּן יָמוּת וְיָשׁוּב יְלֵךְ וְלֵבִית וְיִקְחָהּ
H6435 lest he die H4191 in the battle H4421 H1980 and return H7725 unto his house H1004 and hath not taken H3947

וְאִישׁ אֲחֵר וְיִקְחָהּ
H376 and what man H312 and another and hath not taken H3947

8 And the officers shall speak further unto the people, and they shall say, What man is there that is fearful and fainthearted? let him go and return unto his house, lest his brethren's heart faint as well as his heart.

מִי וְאָמְרוּ הָעָם אֶל לְדָבָר הַשְּׂטֵרִים וְיִסְפוּ
H4310 and they shall say H559 unto the people H5971 H413 shall speak H1696 And the officers H7860 further H3254

וְיָשׁוּב יְלֵךְ וְכִלְבָּבוֹ כִּלְבָּבוֹ הִנֵּה הָאִישׁ
H1980 and return H7725 H3824 as well as his heart H3824 H7390 and fainthearted H3373 is there that is fearful H376 What man H3254

אֶחָיו וְכִלְבָּבוֹ אֶת יֶמֶס וְלֵבִית וְיִקְחָהּ
H251 lest his brethren's H3824 as well as his heart H3824 H853 faint H4549 H3808 unto his house H1004

כִּלְבָּבוֹ
H3824 as well as his heart

9 And it shall be, when the officers have made an end of speaking unto the people, that they shall make captains of the armies to lead the people.

הָעָם׃ אֶל לִדְבַר הַשָּׁטֵר יִמְּכָל תְּיָהֶּה
H1961 have made an end H3615 And it shall be when the officers H7860 of speaking H1696 H413 the people H5971

הָעָם׃ בָּרֹאשׁ צָבָא וְתִשָּׁרֵי וַיִּקְדּוּ
that they shall make H6485 captains H8269 of the armies H6635 to lead H7218 the people H5971

10 When thou comest nigh unto a city to fight against it, then proclaim peace unto it.

עַל יְהוָה לְהִלָּחֵם עַיִר אֶל תִּקְרַב כִּי
H3588 When thou comest nigh H7126 H413 unto a city H5892 to fight H3898 H5921

לְשָׁלוֹם׃ אֶל יְהוָה וְקָרָא אֵת
against it then proclaim H7121 H413 peace H7965

11 And it shall be, if it make thee answer of peace, and open unto thee, then it shall be, that all the people that is found therein shall be tributaries unto thee, and they shall serve thee.

לְךָ וּפָתַח הַתַּעֲנֵב שָׁלֹם אִם יָהִי
H1961 H518 of peace H7965 And it shall be if it make thee answer H6030 and open H6605 H0

יְהִי וְכִי הַנִּמְצָא הָעָם כָּל יְהוָה
H1961 H3605 unto thee then it shall be that all the people H5971 that is found H4672 H0 H1961

וְעָבְדוּ׃ לָמְסָ לָם
H0 therein shall be tributaries H4522 unto thee and they shall serve H5647

12 And if it will make no peace with thee, but will make war against thee, then thou shalt besiege it:

עַמְּךָ וְעָשִׂיתָ הָ עִמָּךְ וְתַשְׁלִים לֹא יֵאָמַר
H518 H3808 And if it will make no peace H7999 H5973 with thee but will make H6213 H5973
 עָלֶיךָ: וְצָרְתָּ מִלְחָמָה הָ
war H4421 against thee then thou shalt besiege H6696 H5921

13 And when the LORD thy God hath delivered it into thine hands, thou shalt smite every male thereof with the edge of the sword:

אֶת וְהָפִיטָ בְּיָדְךָ אֶלֶּה יְיָ וְנָתַן הָ
hath delivered H5414 And when the LORD H3068 thy God H430 it into thine hands H3027 thou shalt smite H5221 H853
 חֶרֶב: לְפִי זָכוּךְ הָ כָּל
H3605 every male H2138 thereof with the edge H6310 of the sword H2719

14 But the women, and the little ones, and the cattle, and all that is in the city, even all the spoil thereof, shalt thou take unto thyself; and thou shalt eat the spoil of thine enemies, which the LORD thy God hath given thee.

אִשׁ רֹכֵל וְהַבְּהֵמָה הָ וְהַטָּיִף הַ נָּשִׁים בֶּן קָ
H7535 But the women H802 and the little ones H2945 and the cattle H929 H3605 H834
 לָךְ תֵּבֶזְזֶנָּה וְשָׁלַלְךָ כָּל בְּעֵיר יְהוּהָה
H1961 and all that is in the city H5892 H3605 even all the spoil H7998 thereof shalt thou take H962 H0
 אִשׁ רֹכֵל אֵיבֶיךָ וְשָׁלַלְךָ אֶת וְאָכַלְתָּ
unto thyself and thou shalt eat H398 H853 even all the spoil H7998 of thine enemies H341 H834
 לָךְ: אֶלֶּה יְיָ וְנָתַן הָ
hath given H5414 which the LORD H3068 thy God H430 H0

15 Thus shalt thou do unto all the cities which are very far off from thee, which are not of the cities of these nations.

כִּן תַּעֲשֶׂה לְכָל מִעָרֵי תֹרְחָק מְרֹבֶּה
 H3651 Thus shalt thou do H3605 are not of the cities H4480 far off H7350

הָאֵלֶּה מְאֹד לֹא מִעָרֵי יִגְוֹת הָאֵלֶּה
 H3966 which are very H834 are not of the cities H5892 of these nations H428 H1471

הֵנָּה:
 from thee which H2007

16 But of the cities of these people, which the LORD thy God doth give thee for an inheritance, thou shalt save alive nothing that breatheth:

יְהוָה אֲשֶׁר הָאֵלֶּה הָעַמִּים מִעָרֵי יִבֹּק
 H7535 But of the cities H5892 of these people H428 H834 which the LORD H3068

כָּל תַּחֲיֵה לֹא נָחַלְתָּ לְיְהוָה אֱלֹהֶיךָ
 H3605 thou shalt save alive H2421 H3808 thee for an inheritance H5159 H0 doth give H5414 thy God H430

נִשְׁפָּחָה:
 nothing that breatheth H5397

כִּי תַּחֲרִימַם תַּחֲרִימַם הַחֲתִי וְהָאֲמֹרִי

H3588 But thou shalt utterly But thou shalt utterly them namely the Hittites and the Amorites

H2763 H2763 H2850 H567

צִוָּה יְהוָה אֱלֹהֶיךָ
hath commanded as the LORD thy God
H6680 H3068 H430

עַן אֲשֶׁר רָאָה וְלִמְדוּ אֶתְכֶם עַשׂוּ

H4616 H834 H3808 H3925 H853 H6213

That they teach which they have done

וְכַדְּתֶם לַיהוָה
וְכַדְּתֶם לַיהוָה
וְכַדְּתֶם לַיהוָה

so should ye sin
H2398

against the LORD
H3068

unto their gods
H430

19 When thou shalt besiege a city a long time, in making war against it to take it, thou shalt not destroy the trees thereof by forcing an axe against them: for thou mayest eat of them, and thou shalt not cut them down (for the tree of the field is man's life) to employ them in the siege:

לְהִלָּחֵם כָּבֹד יָמַי עִיר אֶל תִּצּוּר כִּי
H3588 When thou shalt besiege H413 a city time a long in making war H3898
H6696 H5892 H3117 H7227

עַץ אֶת תִּשְׁחֵי יָת לֹא לְתַפֵּשׂ הָעֵץ יָה
H5921 against it to take H3808 it thou shalt not destroy H853 for the tree H6086
H8610 H7843

תֹּאכֶל מִמֶּנּוּ כִּי גִרְזֵן עָלָיו לְנִדְחֵי
thereof by forcing H5921 an axe H3588 H4480 against them for thou mayest eat H398
H5080 H1631

הָאָדָם כִּי תִכְרֹת לֹא וְאֵת
H853 H3808 of them and thou shalt not cut them down H3588 is man's H120
H3772

בַּמָּצוֹר: מִפְּנֵי יָם לֵב אֶל הַשָּׂדֶה הָעֵץ
for the tree of the field life to employ them in the siege H4692
H6086 H7704 H935 H6440

20 Only the trees which thou knowest that they be not trees for meat, thou shalt destroy and cut them down; and thou shalt build bulwarks against the city that maketh war with thee, until it be subdued.

ב ק	ע י	אֲשֶׁר	יָדַע	כִּי	לֹא	ע י
H7535	Only the trees H6086	H834	which thou knowest H3045	H3588	H3808	Only the trees H6086
מֵאֲכָל	וְהָ	אֶת	תִּשְׁחֵ	וְכָרְתָּ	וְבִנִּיתָ	
for meat H3978	H1931	H853	thou shalt destroy H7843	and cut them down H3772	and thou shalt build H1129	
עַל	מִצֹּר	הָעִיר	אֲשֶׁר	הָ	עֹשֶׂה	מַעֲמֵךְ
bulwarks H4692	H5921	against the city H5892	H834	H1931	that maketh H6213	H5973
עַד	מְלַחְמָה	רַדָּתָהּ:				
war H4421	H5704	with thee until it be subdued H3381				

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