

Ezekiel 35

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Prophecy Against Mount Seir

- ¹ Moreover the word of the LORD came unto me, saying,
- ² Son of man, set thy face against mount Seir, and prophesy against it,
- ³ And say unto it, Thus saith the Lord GOD; Behold, O mount Seir, I am against thee, and I will stretch out mine hand against thee, and I will make thee most desolate.
- ⁴ I will lay thy cities waste, and thou shalt be desolate, and thou shalt know that I am the LORD.
- ⁵ Because thou hast had a perpetual hatred, and hast shed the blood of the children of Israel by the force of the sword in the time of their calamity, in the time that their iniquity had an end:
- ⁶ Therefore, as I live, saith the Lord GOD, I will prepare thee unto blood, and blood shall pursue thee: sith thou hast not hated blood, even blood shall pursue thee.
- ⁷ Thus will I make mount Seir most desolate, and cut off from it him that passeth out and him that returneth.
- ⁸ And I will fill his mountains with his slain men: in thy hills, and in thy valleys, and in all thy rivers, shall they fall that are slain with the sword.
- ⁹ I will make thee perpetual desolations, and thy cities shall not return: and ye shall know that I am the LORD.
- ¹⁰ Because thou hast said, These two nations and these two countries shall be mine, and we will possess it; whereas the LORD was there:

11 Therefore, as I live, saith the Lord GOD, I will even do according to thine anger, and according to thine envy which thou hast used out of thy hatred against them; and I will make myself known among them, when I have judged thee.

12 And thou shalt know that I am the LORD, and that I have heard all thy blasphemies which thou hast spoken against the mountains of Israel, saying, They are laid desolate, they are given us to consume.

13 Thus with your mouth ye have boasted against me, and have multiplied your words against me: I have heard them.

14 Thus saith the Lord GOD; When the whole earth rejoiceth, I will make thee desolate.

15 As thou didst rejoice at the inheritance of the house of Israel, because it was desolate, so will I do unto thee: thou shalt be desolate, O mount Seir, and all Idumea, even all of it: and they shall know that I am the LORD.

HEBREW & GREEK WORD STUDIES

Blood — דָּם (Dam)

Blood

The Hebrew **dam** (דָּם) means blood—representing life itself. 'The life of the flesh is in the blood' (Leviticus 17:11), and blood was required for atonement, foreshadowing Christ's sacrifice.

Eternal — עוֹלָם (Olam)

Eternal, everlasting

The Hebrew **olam** (עוֹלָם) means eternal or everlasting—time stretching beyond human comprehension. God is the 'everlasting God' (Genesis 21:33), and His covenant love endures forever.

Iniquity — אָוֶן (Avon)

Iniquity, guilt, punishment

The Hebrew **avon** (אָוֶן) encompasses iniquity, guilt, and its punishment—the twisted nature of sin. 'The LORD hath laid on him the iniquity of us all' (Isaiah 53:6), Christ bearing our guilt and penalty.

Lord — יְהוָה / אֲדֹנָי (YHWH / Adonai)

The LORD / Lord

When 'LORD' appears in small capitals, it represents the Tetragrammaton **YHWH** (יְהוָה), God's personal covenant name meaning 'I AM.' When 'Lord' appears normally, it's **Adonai** (אֲדֹנָי), meaning 'my Lord,' emphasizing sovereignty.

Word — דָּבָר (Davar)

Word, thing, matter

The Hebrew **davar** (דָּבָר) means word, thing, or matter—God's creative and authoritative speech. 'By the word of the LORD were the heavens made' (Psalm 33:6).

Wrath — אַף (Aph)

Wrath, anger

The Hebrew **aph** (אַף) literally means 'nose' or 'nostrils,' idiomatically expressing wrath or anger—God's righteous indignation against sin. Yet God is 'slow to anger' (Exodus 34:6) and 'abundant in mercy.'

CROSS REFERENCES

Ezekiel 35:2 **Parallel theme:** Ezekiel 25:8; Genesis 32:3. **Prophecy:** Ezekiel 6:2

Ezekiel 35:3 **References Lord:** Ezekiel 6:14; Jeremiah 6:12; 15:6. **Parallel theme:** Ezekiel 35:7

Ezekiel 35:4 **References Lord:** Ezekiel 35:9

Ezekiel 35:5 **Parallel theme:** Ezekiel 25:12; Psalms 137:7. **Word:** Amos 1:11. **Sin:** Ezekiel 21:25; 21:29

Ezekiel 35:6 **Blood:** Revelation 18:24. **References Lord:** Obadiah 1:15

Ezekiel 35:7 **Parallel theme:** Ezekiel 29:11; 35:3

Ezekiel 35:8 **Parallel theme:** Ezekiel 31:12

Ezekiel 35:9 **References Lord:** Ezekiel 6:7; 25:13; 35:4

Ezekiel 35:10 **References Lord:** Ezekiel 36:2; 36:5; 48:35; Zephaniah 3:15; Zechariah 2:5. **Parallel theme:** Isaiah 12:6; Obadiah 1:13

Ezekiel 35:11 **Judgment:** Psalms 9:16; Amos 1:11; Matthew 7:2. **References Lord:** Psalms 137:7

Ezekiel 35:12 **References Lord:** Ezekiel 36:2. **Parallel theme:** Psalms 83:12

Ezekiel 35:13

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