

# Ezra 7

Interlinear Bible — King James Version

Hebrew text with English translation and Strong's numbers

**1** Now after these things, in the reign of Artaxerxes king of Persia, Ezra the son of Seraiah, the son of Azariah, the son of Hilkiah,

אַרְתַּחְשָׁשׁ סֵתָא בְּמֶלֶךְ וְת הָא לֵה הַדְּבָר יִם וְאַחֵר  
Now after these things in the reign of Artaxerxes  
H310 H1697 H428 H4438 H783  
בֶּן עֲזַרְיָה הָ בֶּן שְׂרָיָה הָ בֶּן עֶזְרָא הָ סֶפֶר ס מֶלֶךְ  
king of Persia Ezra the son of Seraiah the son of Azariah the son  
H4428 H6539 H5830 H1121 H8304 H1121 H5838 H1121  
חִלְקִיָּה׃  
of Hilkiah  
H2518

**2** The son of Shallum, the son of Zadok, the son of Ahitub,

אַחִישׁוּב׃ בֶּן צָד וְזָק בֶּן שָׁל וּם בֶּן  
The son of Shallum The son of Zadok The son of Ahitub  
H1121 H7967 H1121 H6659 H1121 H285

**3** The son of Amariah, the son of Azariah, the son of Meraioth,

מֵרַיּוֹת׃ בֶּן עֲזַרְיָה הָ בֶּן אֲמַרְיָה הָ בֶּן  
The son of Amariah The son of Azariah The son of Meraioth  
H1121 H568 H1121 H5838 H1121 H4812

**4** The son of Zerariah, the son of Uzzi, the son of Bukki,

בִּקְיִ׃ בֶּן עֻזִּי בֶּן זֵרְחִיָּה הָ בֶּן  
The son of Zerariah The son of Uzzi The son of Bukki  
H1121 H2228 H1121 H5813 H1121 H1231

**5** The son of Abishua, the son of Phinehas, the son of Eleazar, the son of Aaron the chief priest:

בֶּן אֲבִישׁוּא בֶּן פִּינְחָס בֶּן אֶלְעָזָר בֶּן  
 The son of Abishua The son of Phinehas The son of Eleazar The son  
 H1121 H50 H1121 H6372 H1121 H499 H1121

אֶהָרִי | הַכֹּהֵן | הָרִאשׁוֹן  
 of Aaron priest the chief  
 H175 H3548 H7218

**6** This Ezra went up from Babylon; and he was a ready scribe in the law of Moses, which the LORD God of Israel had given: and the king granted him all his request, according to the hand of the LORD his God upon him.

מְהִיר סֵפֶר וְהוּא מִבָּבֶל עָלָה עֶזְרָא הוּא  
 H1931 This Ezra went up from Babylon H1931 scribe and he was a ready  
 H5830 H5927 H894 H5608 H4106

יִשְׂרָאֵל לֵאלֹהֵי יְהוָה וְנָתַן אֲשֶׁר מֹשֶׁה בְּתוֹךְ ת  
 in the law of Moses H834 granted of the LORD God of Israel  
 H8451 H4872 H5414 H3068 H430 H3478

עָלָיו אֱלֹהֵי יְהוָה כִּדּוּם לְוִי וְנָתַן  
 granted H0 and the king according to the hand of the LORD God H5921  
 H5414 H4428 H3027 H3068 H430

כָּל בְּקִשָּׁתוֹ:  
 H3605 him all his request  
 H1246

7 And there went up some of the children of Israel, and of the priests, and the Levites, and the singers, and the porters, and the Nethinims, unto Jerusalem, in the seventh year of Artaxerxes the king.

וַעֲלֶה וּמִן־יִשְׂרָאֵל וּמִן־כֹּהֲנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל וּמִן־לְוִיִּם  
 And there went up some of the children of Israel and of the priests  
 H5927 H1121 H3478 H4480 H3548  
 וְהַמְשִׁירִים וְהַשְּׂעִירִים וְהַפֹּתִיחִים וְהַנֶּתִינִים  
 and the Levites and the singers and the porters and the Nethinims  
 H3881 H7891 H7778 H5411 H413  
 הַמֶּלֶךְ לְאַרְתַּחְשַׁשְׁטָאֵשׁ שֶׁבַע בְּשָׁנָה יְרוּשָׁלַם  
 of Artaxerxes in the seventh year unto Jerusalem  
 H3389 H8141 H7651 H783 H4428

8 And he came to Jerusalem in the fifth month, which was in the seventh year of the king.

וַיָּבֹא הוּא וְיָמָיו הָחִמִּישׁ י בַּחֹדֶשׁ יְרוּשָׁלַם  
 And he came to Jerusalem month in the fifth year  
 H935 H3389 H2320 H2549 H1931 H8141  
 לְמֶלֶךְ הַשְּׁבִיעִי  
 of the king which was in the seventh  
 H4428 H7637

9 For upon the first day of the first month began he to go up from Babylon, and on the first day of the fifth month came he to Jerusalem, according to the good hand of his God

וּבְרֵאשִׁית הַחֹדֶשׁ וּבְרֵאשִׁית יוֹם הַחֹדֶשׁ  
 For upon the first month day of the first began  
 H3588 H259 H2320 H7223 H1931 H3246  
 וַיָּבֹא הוּא וְיָמָיו הָחִמִּישׁ י בַּחֹדֶשׁ יְרוּשָׁלַם  
 he to go up from Babylon For upon the first month day of the fifth came  
 H4609 H894 H259 H2320 H2549 H935  
 עֲלֵיוֹ הַטּוֹב הַיּוֹדֵה יוֹדֵה יְרוּשָׁלַם  
 according to the good hand of his God he to Jerusalem  
 H5921 H2896 H430 H3027 H3389 H413

**10** For Ezra had prepared his heart to seek the law of the LORD, and to do it, and to teach in Israel statutes and judgments.

תוֹבַת אֶת לְדָר וְשׁ לִבּוֹ הֵכִין עֶזְרָא כִּי  
H3588 For Ezra H5830 had prepared H3559 his heart H3824 to seek H1875 H853 the law H8451  
 וּמִשְׁפָּט: חֵק בְּיִשְׂרָאֵל לְוַלְלֵם דּוּ וְלַעֲשֹׂת יְהוָה  
of the LORD H3068 and to do H6213 it and to teach H3925 in Israel H3478 statutes H2706 and judgments H4941

**11** Now this is the copy of the letter that the king Artaxerxes gave unto Ezra the priest, the scribe, even a scribe of the words of the commandments of the LORD, and of his statutes to Israel.

הֵמָּה לָךְ נָתַן אֲשֶׁר הִנֵּשְׁתָּן פְּרֹשֶׁת גִּן וְזֶה הוּא  
H2088 Now this is the copy H6572 of the letter H5406 H834 gave H5414 that the king H4428  
 דְּבַר יְהוָה סֵפֶר סֵפֶר אֲרִיִּסְתָּא לְעֶזְרָא אֲרִיִּסְתָּא  
Artaxerxes H783 unto Ezra H5830 the priest H3548 even a scribe H5608 even a scribe H5608 of the words H1697  
 יִשְׂרָאֵל: עַל וְחֻקֵּי יְהוָה וּמִצְוֹת  
of the commandments H4687 of the LORD H3068 and of his statutes H2706 H5921 to Israel H3478

**12** Artaxerxes, king of kings, unto Ezra the priest, a scribe of the law of the God of heaven, perfect peace, and at such a time.

כִּי הִנָּה לְעֶזְרָא מֶלֶכִּי אֲרִיִּסְתָּא מֶלֶכִּי אֲרִיִּסְתָּא  
Artaxerxes H783 king H4430 king H4430 unto Ezra H5831 the priest H3549  
 וְכַעֲנִת: גַּם יֵר שְׁמֵי אֵל הֵאָל דִּי דִּתְ אֲרִיִּסְתָּא  
a scribe H5613 of the law H1882 H1768 of the God H426 of heaven H8065 perfect H1585 peace and at such a time H3706

**13** I make a decree, that all they of the people of Israel, and of his priests and Levites, in my realm, which are minded of their own freewill to go up to Jerusalem, go with thee.

מִתְנַדְּבֵם בְּכָל דֵּי טַעַם שֵׁי יִם מִן  
 I make a decree that all which are minded of their own freewill  
 H4481 H7761 H2942 H1768 H3606 H5069  
 יֵהְיוּ וְלֹא אֶל וְכֹהֵנָה וְהִיא יִשְׂרָאֵל לְעַמָּה הִיא מִן בְּמַלְכוּתִי  
 in my realm I the people of Israel and of his priests and Levites go  
 H4437 H4481 H5972 H3479 H3549 H3879 H1946  
 יֵהְיוּ עִמָּךְ לִירוּשָׁלַם  
 to Jerusalem with thee go  
 H3390 H5974 H1946

**14** Forasmuch as thou art sent of the king, and of his seven counsellors, to enquire concerning Judah and Jerusalem, according to the law of thy God which is in thine hand;

וְשִׁבְעַת מַלְכֵךְ אֶל־קִדְמֵךְ מִן דֵּי יִקְבִּי לְכָל  
 as Forasmuch of the king and of his seven  
 H3606 H6903 H1768 H4481 H6925 H4430 H7655  
 וְלִירוּשָׁלַם יְהוּדָה וְעַל לְבַקֵּךְ אֶת־שְׁלֵי יָחַד יְעִטְהִי  
 counsellors thou art sent to enquire concerning Judah and Jerusalem  
 H3272 H7972 H1240 H5922 H3061 H3390  
 בִּידְךָ דֵּי יִקְבִּי אֶל־ךְ בְּדֵת  
 according to the law of thy God Forasmuch which is in thine hand  
 H1882 H426 H1768 H3028

**15** And to carry the silver and gold, whose which the king and his counsellors have freely offered unto the God of Israel, whose is in Jerusalem, habitation

וְיָעִטְהִי מַלְכֵךְ אֶת־יְהוּדָה וְכֹסֶף וְזָהָב וְלִירוּשָׁלַם  
 And to carry the silver and gold whose which the king and his counsellors  
 H2987 H3702 H1722 H1768 H4430 H3272  
 מִשְׁכְּנָהּ בִּירוּשָׁלַם דֵּי יִשְׂרָאֵל לְאֱלֹהֵי הַתְּנַדְּבוּ בּוֹ  
 have freely offered unto the God of Israel whose is in Jerusalem habitation  
 H5069 H426 H3479 H1768 H3390 H4907

**16** And all the silver and gold that thou canst find in all the province of Babylon, with the freewill offering of the people, and of the priests, offering willingly for the house of their God which is in Jerusalem:

מְדִינַת בָּבֶל ל תְּהַשֵּׁךְ ח דִּי וְדָה ב כֶּסֶף ו בָּכָל ל  
 And all the silver and gold that thou canst find And all the province  
 H3606 H3702 H1722 H1768 H7912 H3606 H4083

מְתַנְדָּב ין וְכֹהֲנֵי עַמָּא מְתַנְדָּב ין עִם  
 of Babylon with offering willingly of the people and of the priests offering willingly  
 H895 H5974 H5069 H5972 H3549 H5069

בִּירוּשָׁלַם: דִּי אֱלֹהֵהּ לִב ית  
 for the house of their God which is in Jerusalem  
 H1005 H426 H1768 H3390

**17** That thou mayest buy speedily with this money bullocks, rams, lambs, with their meat offerings and their drink offerings, and offer them upon the altar of the house of your God which is in Jerusalem.

דָּן ה בְּכֶסֶף א תִּקְנֶה א אֶסְפֵּה רָנָא דָּן ה קִבִּי ל כָּל  
 That with this speedily thou mayest buy money with this  
 H3606 H6903 H1836 H629 H7066 H3702 H1836

וּנְסִיָּהּ ון וּמִנְחָתָהּ ון אֶמְרָן דְּכָרִין תֹּרֶן ין  
 bullocks rams lambs with their meat offerings and their drink offerings  
 H8450 H1798 H563 H4504 H5261

אֱלֹהֵךְ ׀ בֵּית י דִּי מִדְּבַחְהָ עַל הֶמָּה וְתִקְרָה ב  
 and offer them upon the altar of the house of your God  
 H7127 H1994 H5922 H4056 H1768 H1005 H426

בִּירוּשָׁלַם: דִּי  
 which is in Jerusalem  
 H1768 H3390

**18** And whatsoever shall seem good to thee, and to thy brethren, to do with the rest of the silver and the gold, that do after the will of your God.

וְּמָה And whatsoever H4101 דִּי H1768 עַל יְיָ H5921 וְעַל to thee and to H5922 אָחֵי יְיָ thy brethren H252 יִיטֵב shall seem good H3191

אֱלֹהֶיךָ of your God H426 כְּרַע וְתַעֲבֹדוּן that do H5648 וְדָהָב and the gold H1722 כֶּסֶף of the silver H3702 בְּשָׂא with the rest H7606 ר

תַּעֲבֹדוּן that do H5648

**19** The vessels also that are given thee for the service of the house of thy God, those deliver thou before the God of Jerusalem.

בֵּית of the house H1005 לְפָלֶם thee for the service H6402 לְךָ H0 מִתִּיהָבִי also that are given H3052 דִּי H1768 וּמֵאֲנִיָּא The vessels H3984

יְרוּשָׁלַם of Jerusalem H3390 אֶל הָ of thy God H426 קֹדֶם thou before H6925 הַשֵּׁל those deliver H8000 אֶל הָ of thy God H426

**20** And whatsoever more shall be needful for the house of thy God, which thou shalt have occasion to bestow, bestow it out of the king's treasure house.

דִּי H1768 אֶלֶּהָ of thy God H426 בֵּית for the house H1005 חֲשׁוֹת shall be needful H2819 וְשָׂא And whatsoever more H7606 ר

בֵּית for the house H1005 מִן it out of H4481 תְּנִית bestow H5415 תְּנִית bestow H5415 לְךָ H0 וְיָפֵל which thou shalt have occasion H5308

מֶלֶכָא the king's H4430 גְּנִזֵּי treasure H1596 י

**21** And I, even I Artaxerxes the king, do make a decree to all the treasurers which are beyond the river, that whatsoever Ezra the priest, the scribe of the law of the God of heaven, shall require of you, it be done speedily,

כָּל טֵעִם שְׁיִם מֶלֶכָּא אֲרִתְחִשׁ סִתָּא אֲנִי וְ מִנִּי  
 And I even I Artaxerxes the king do make a decree to all  
 H4481 H576 H783 H4430 H7761 H2942 H3606

דִּי כָּל דִּי נָהָר הַ בְּעֵבֶר דִּי גִזְבְּרֵי א  
 the treasurers which are beyond the river to all  
 H1490 H1768 H5675 H5103 H1768 H3606

דִּי דִּתָּא סִפֵּר כְּהֵנָּה הַ עֶזְרָא שְׂאֵלִנְכוּן  
 shall require that whatsoever Ezra the priest the scribe of the law  
 H7593 H5831 H3549 H5613 H1882 H1768

יִתְעַבֵּד: אֶסְפֵּי רְנָא שְׁמֵי אֱלֹהֵי  
 of you it be done speedily of heaven of the God  
 H5648 H629 H8065 H426

**22** Unto an hundred talents of silver, and to an hundred measures of wheat, and to an hundred baths of wine, and to an hundred baths of oil, and salt without prescribing how much.

מֶאָה הַ כֹּר יֵין חֲנִטִּין וְעַד מֶאָה הַ כֶּסֶף יֵין  
 Unto of wheat measures an hundred  
 H5705 H2591 H3734 H3969

וְעַד מֶאָה הַ בָּתִּי יֵין וְעַד מֶאָה הַ חֲמֵשׁ בָּתִּי יֵין  
 Unto of wine baths an hundred Unto baths of oil an hundred  
 H5705 H2562 H1325 H3969 H5705 H1325 H4887 H3969

כְּתֹב: לֹא דִי וּמַלְּחָה  
 without prescribing and salt  
 H3792 H3809 H4416



**23** Whatsoever is commanded by the God of heaven, let it be diligently done for the house of the God of heaven: for why should there be wrath against the realm of the king and his sons?

וְתַעֲבֹד שְׁמִי אֵל הַ טַעַם מִן דִּי כָל  
 Whatsoever for by is commanded of the God of heaven done  
 H3606 H1768 H4481 H2941 H426 H8065 H5648  
 לְהֵיָא לָמָּה הַ דִּי שְׁמִי אֵל הַ לְבַיִת אֲדַרְזֵן א  
 let it be diligently for the house of the God of heaven for why should there be  
 H149 H1005 H426 H8065 H1768 H4101 H1934  
 וּבְנוֹהֵי: מַלְכָּא מַלְכָּא וְתַ עַל קִצֵּי  
 wrath against the realm of the king and his sons  
 H7109 H5922 H4437 H4430 H1123

**24** Also we certify you, that touching any of the priests and Levites, singers, porters, Nethinims, or ministers of this house of God, it shall not be lawful to impose toll, tribute, or custom, upon them.

! לְוִיָּא כֹהֲנֵי אֵל כָּל דִּי מְהוּדַע יֵן וּלְכָּם  
 Also we certify you that touching any of the priests and Levites  
 H0 H3046 H1768 H3606 H3549 H3879  
 אֶלֶּה אֵל בֵּי יֵת וּפִי לֵה י נְתִינִים תַּרְעֵיָא זִמְרֵיָא  
 singers porters Nethinims or ministers house of God  
 H2171 H8652 H5412 H6399 H1005 H426  
 לְמַרְמֵי אֵל שֶׁלֹּא יֵט לֵא וְהָלֵךְ בְּלוֹ מִנְדָּה הַ דָּנָה  
 of this toll tribute or custom it shall not be lawful to impose  
 H1836 H4061 H1093 H1983 H3809 H7990 H7412  
 עֲלֵיהֶם:  
 upon  
 H5922

**25** And thou, Ezra, after the wisdom of thy God, that is in thine hand, set magistrates and judges, which may judge all the people that are beyond the river, all such as know the laws of thy God; and teach ye them that know them not.

מִי־נִי בִידְךָ דִּי אֱלֹהֶיךָ כְּחִכְמֵי ת עֶזְרָא וְאַתָּה  
 And thou Ezra after the wisdom of thy God that is in thine hand set  
 שְׂפָטִים וְשֹׁפְטִים דִּי לְהוֹיָא לְכָל דְּאֲנִין עַמָּה  
 magistrates and judges which may judge all the people  
 וְדִי אֱלֹהֶיךָ דְּתִי תְּהוֹדְעוּן לְכָל נְהָרָה בְּעֵבֶר  
 that are beyond the river all and teach the laws of thy God  
 תְּהוֹדְעוּן תְּהוֹדְעוּן לֹא  
 them not and teach and teach

**26** And whosoever will not do the law of thy God, and the law of the king, let judgment be executed speedily upon him, whether it be unto death, or to banishment, or to confiscation of goods, or to imprisonment.

אֱלֹהֶיךָ דִּי וְדִתָּא מִתְעֵב ד לְהוֹיָא א לֹא דִי וְכָל  
 And whosoever will not be executed and the law of thy God  
 לְהוֹיָא א דִּינָה אָסַפְּ רְנָא מִלְכָּא דִּי וְדִתָּא  
 and the law of the king speedily let judgment be  
 הֵן לְשֹׁרֶשׁ הֵן לְמוֹת הֵן מִנֵּה מִתְעֵב ד  
 executed upon him or it be unto death or to banishment or  
 וְלְאַסוּרִין נְכֹסִין לְעֵבֶר שׁ  
 to confiscation of goods or to imprisonment

**27** Blessed be the LORD God of our fathers, which hath put such a thing as this in the king's heart, to beautify the house of the LORD which is in Jerusalem:

בְּרַךְ יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ אֲשֶׁר  
 Blessed be the LORD God of our fathers which hath put  
 H1288 H3068 H430 H1 H834 H5414  
 בְּלִבְכֹּחַ הַמֶּלֶךְ לְפָאֵר אֶת הַבַּיִת  
 H2063 heart such a thing as this in the king's to beautify H853 the house  
 H3820 H4428 H6286 H1004  
 אֲשֶׁר יְהוָה הִנֵּה בִירוּשָׁלַם:  
 be the LORD H834 which is in Jerusalem  
 H3068 H3389

**28** And hath extended mercy unto me before the king, and his counsellors, and before all the king's mighty princes. And I was strengthened as the hand of the LORD my God was upon me, and I gathered together out of Israel chief men to go up with me.

הִנֵּה לִּי מֵרֶחֱם לִפְנֵי הַמֶּלֶךְ וְלִפְנֵי כָל הַנְּסִיכִים  
 H5921 And hath extended mercy unto me before and before all the king's  
 H5186 H2617 H6440 H4428  
 וְלִפְנֵי כָל הַנְּסִיכִים וְלִפְנֵי כָל הַנְּסִיכִים  
 H3289 and his counsellors H3605 princes and before all the king's mighty H589  
 H1368  
 עָלַי יְהוָה הִנֵּה כַּיַּד הַתְּחַזְּקָה  
 H5921 And I was strengthened as the hand of the LORD my God H2388  
 H3027 H3068 H430  
 וְאֶקְבֹּץ הָעָם לָעֵל וְרָאשֵׁי יִשְׂרָאֵל  
 was upon me and I gathered together out of Israel chief men to go up H5973  
 H6908 H3478 H7218 H5927

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