

# Genesis 4

Interlinear Bible — King James Version

Hebrew text with English translation and Strong's numbers

**1** And Adam knew Eve his wife; and she conceived, and bare Cain, and said, I have gotten a man from the LORD.

וַיֵּדָע אָדָם יְהוָה אִשְׁתּוֹ וַתַּהַר וַתֵּלֶד אֶת קַיִן וַתֹּאמֶר יָרְדָּה לַיהוָה אֶת קַיִן  
**And Adam** **knew** **Eve** **his wife** **and she conceived** **and bare**  
H120 H3045 H853 H2332 H802 H2029 H3205  
אֶת קַיִן וַתֹּאמֶר יָרְדָּה לַיהוָה אֶת קַיִן  
**Cain** **and said** **I have gotten** **a man** **from** **the LORD**  
H853 H7014 H559 H7069 H376 H854 H3068

**2** And she again bare his brother Abel. And Abel was a keeper of sheep, but Cain was a tiller of the ground.

וַתֵּלֶד אֶת אָבֶל אָחִיו אֶת אָבֶל וַיְהִי הֵם בָּלִים וַיְהִי קַיִן עֹבֵד הָאֲדָמָה  
**And she again** **bare** **his brother** **Abel** **Abel**  
H3254 H3205 H853 H251 H853 H1893 H1961 H1893  
וַיְהִי קַיִן עֹבֵד הָאֲדָמָה  
**was a keeper** **of sheep** **but Cain** **was a tiller** **of the ground**  
H7462 H6629 H7014 H1961 H5647 H127

**3** And in process of time it came to pass, that Cain brought of the fruit of the ground an offering unto the LORD.

וַיְהִי כִּי בִּרְמֵז יָבֹא אֶל קַיִן וְאָבֶל וַיִּזְבְּחוּ לַיהוָה  
**And in process** **of time** **brought** **it came to pass that Cain** **of the fruit**  
H1961 H7093 H3117 H935 H7014 H6529  
וַיִּזְבְּחוּ לַיהוָה  
**of the ground** **an offering** **unto the LORD**  
H127 H4503 H3068

**4** And Abel, he also brought of the firstlings of his flock and of the fat thereof. And the LORD had respect unto Abel and to his offering:

וּמִחֲלִבָּהּ | צֹאֵן וּמִבְּכֹר וְתֵּה וְאֵל גַּם הֵב יֵאֵל הָ בֶל  
 And Abel brought he also of the firstlings of his flock and of the fat  
 H1893 H935 H1571 H1931 H1062 H6629 H2459  
 מִנְחָתוֹ: וְאֵל הָ בֶל אֵל יְהוָה הָ וַיִּשַׁע  
 had respect thereof And the LORD And Abel and to his offering  
 H8159 H3068 H413 H1893 H413 H4503

**5** But unto Cain and to his offering he had not respect. And Cain was very wroth, and his countenance fell.

וַיִּהְיֶה שָׁעָה לֹא מִנְחָתוֹ וְאֵל לָקַח יֵן וְאֵל  
 H413 And Cain H413 and to his offering H3808 he had not respect H8159 wroth H2734  
 H7014  
 פָּנָיו: וַיִּפֹּל וַיֵּהָרֵם מְאֹד לָקַח יֵן  
 And Cain was very fell and his countenance  
 H7014 H3966 H5307 H6440

**6** And the LORD said unto Cain, Why art thou wroth? and why is thy countenance fallen?

לָּהּ הָ כִּי לָּמָּה קָלַח יֵן אֵל יְהוָה הָ וַיֹּאמֶר  
 said And the LORD H413 unto Cain H4100 Why art thou wroth H0  
 H559 H3068 H7014 H2734  
 פָּנָיו: וַיִּפֹּל וַיֵּהָרֵם מְאֹד וְלָמָּה  
 H4100 fallen and why is thy countenance  
 H5307 H6440

7 If thou doest well, shalt thou not be accepted? and if thou doest not well, sin lieth at the door. And unto thee shall be his desire, and thou shalt rule over him.

וְאִם יֵשׁ תְּשָׂא תִּשָּׂא וְאִם יֵשׁ תִּשָּׂא תִּשָּׂא  
H3808 If H518 and if thou doest not well H3190 shalt thou not be accepted H7613 If H518  
 וְאִם יֵשׁ תִּשָּׂא תִּשָּׂא וְאִם יֵשׁ תִּשָּׂא תִּשָּׂא  
H3808 and if thou doest not well H3190 at the door H6607 sin H2403 lieth H7257 H413  
 וְאִם יֵשׁ תִּשָּׂא תִּשָּׂא וְאִם יֵשׁ תִּשָּׂא תִּשָּׂא  
And unto thee shall be his desire H8669 H859 and thou shalt rule H4910 H0

8 And Cain talked with Abel his brother: and it came to pass, when they were in the field, that Cain rose up against Abel his brother, and slew him.

וַיְדַבֵּר קַיִן אֶל אָחִיו אָבֶל  
H559 talked H7014 And Cain H413 against H1893 Abel H251 his brother H1961 H1961  
 וַיְדַבֵּר קַיִן אֶל אָבֶל  
and it came to pass when they were in the field H7704 rose up H6965 And Cain H7014 against H413 Abel H1893  
 וַיְדַבֵּר קַיִן אֶל אָבֶל  
his brother H251 and slew him H2026

9 And the LORD said unto Cain, Where is Abel thy brother? And he said, I know not: Am I my brother's keeper?

וַיֹּאמֶר יְהוָה אֶל קַיִן אַיִן אָבֶל  
And he said H559 And the LORD H3068 H413 unto Cain H7014 Where H335 is Abel H1893 not Am I my brother's H251  
 וַיֹּאמֶר יְהוָה אֶל קַיִן אַיִן אָבֶל  
And he said H559 H3808 I know H3045 keeper H8104 not Am I my brother's H251 H595

**10** And he said, What hast thou done? the voice of thy brother's blood crieth unto me from the ground.

צֶעֱקָ יִם אָחִי יִבְּ דָּמִי יִקְוֹל עָשׂוּ יָתְּ מָה וַיֹּאמֶר  
 And he said What hast thou done the voice blood of thy brother's crieth

מִן אֶלַּי הָאֲדָמָה:  
 unto me from the ground

**11** And now art thou cursed from the earth, which hath opened her mouth to receive thy brother's blood from thy hand;

אֲשֶׁר הָאֲדָמָה מִן אֶתְּהָ אַרְוֹר וְעַתָּה הִיא  
 And now art thou cursed from the earth

אָחִי יִבְּ דָּמִי אֶת לֶקַח חַת פִּי יָהּ אֶת פִּצְתָּהּ הִיא  
 which hath opened her mouth to receive blood thy brother's

מִדָּבָר:  
 from thy hand

**12** When thou tillest the ground, it shall not henceforth yield unto thee her strength; a fugitive and a vagabond shalt thou be in the earth.

יִתַּת תִּסֵּף לֹא הָאֲדָמָה אֶת תַּעֲבֹדְךָ כִּי  
 When thou tillest the ground it shall not henceforth yield

תְּהִי הִיא וְנָדָב נָע לָךְ כֹּחַ הִיא  
 unto thee her strength a fugitive and a vagabond

בְּאֶרֶץ:  
 shalt thou be in the earth

**13** And Cain said unto the LORD, My punishment is greater than I can bear.

מִנְשָׂא׃ עֹנִי י גָד וּל יְהוָה אֶל קַיִן וַיֹּאמֶר  
said And Cain H413 unto the LORD is greater My punishment than I can bear  
H559 H7014 H3068 H1419 H5771 H5375

**14** Behold, thou hast driven me out this day from the face of the earth; and from thy face shall I be hid; and I shall be a fugitive and a vagabond in the earth; and it shall come to pass, that every one that findeth me shall slay me.

וּמִפְּנֵי יְכָ מֵעַל הִי וּם אֶת־י גֵר שֵׁת־ הַ  
Behold thou hast driven me out this day and from from the face  
H2005 H1644 H853 H3117 H5921 H6440

נָ ע וְהָיָה אֶסְתִּיר וּמִפְּנֵי יְכָ הָאֲדָמָה הַ  
of the earth from the face shall I be hid and it shall come to pass and I shall be a fugitive  
H127 H6440 H5641 H1961 H5128

מִצָּאִי כָל וְהָיָה בָּאָרֶץ וְגָד  
and a vagabond in the earth and it shall come to pass that every one that findeth me  
H5110 H776 H1961 H3605 H4672

יַהֲרֹגֵנִי׃  
shall slay me  
H2026

**15** And the LORD said unto him, Therefore whosoever slayeth Cain, vengeance shall be taken on him sevenfold. And the LORD set a mark upon Cain, lest any finding him should kill him.

הֲרֹג כָּל לִכְן יְהוָה ל וַיֹּאמֶר  
said H0 And the LORD unto him Therefore H3605 whosoever slayeth  
H559 H3068 H3651 H2026

יְהוָה וַיִּשֶׂם יֶקֱם שְׁבַעַת יָם לְקַיִן  
Cain on him sevenfold vengeance shall be taken set And the LORD  
H7014 H7659 H5358 H7760 H3068

מִצָּאוֹ׃ כָּל אֶת־ו הַכּוֹת לְבַלְתִּי אֶת־לְקַיִן  
Cain a mark lest him should kill H853 H3605 any finding  
H7014 H226 H1115 H5221 H4672

**16** And Cain went out from the presence of the LORD, and dwelt in the land of Nod, on the east of Eden.

וַיֵּצֵא      וְקַיִן      מִלִּפְנֵי      יְהוָה      וַיֵּשֶׁב      בְּאֶרֶץ      נֹד  
 went out      And Cain      from the presence      of the LORD      and dwelt      in the land      of Nod  
 H3318      H7014      H6440      H3068      H3427      H776      H5113

עַדֵּן:      קִדְמַת  
 on the east      of Eden  
 H6926      H5731

**17** And Cain knew his wife; and she conceived, and bare Enoch: and he builded a city, and called the name of the city, after the name of his son, Enoch.

וַיַּדַּע      וְקַיִן      אִשְׁתּוֹ      וַתַּהַר      וַתֵּלֶד      אֶת      עֵנוֹךְ:  
 knew      And Cain      H853      his wife      and she conceived      and bare      H853      Enoch  
 H3045      H7014      H802      H2029      H3205      H2585

וַיְבִנֵהָ      בְּנֵה      עֵיר      וַיִּקְרָא      כְּשֵׁם      עֵיר  
 H1961      and he builded      a city      and called      after the name      a city  
 H1129      H5892      H7121      H8034      H5892

כְּשֵׁם      בְּנוֹ      עֵנוֹךְ:  
 after the name      of his son      Enoch  
 H8034      H1121      H2585

**18** And unto Enoch was born Irad: and Irad begat Mehujael: and Mehujael begat Methusael: and Methusael begat Lamech.

וַיֵּלֶד      וְעֵנוֹךְ      אֶת      אִירָד      וַיַּהַר      אִירָד      וַתֵּלֶד  
 begat      And unto Enoch      H853      Irad      Irad      begat      H853  
 H3205      H2585      H5897      H5897      H3205

וּמֶתוּשָׁאֵל      ל      וּמֶתוּשָׁאֵל      ל      אֶת      וַיֵּלֶד      וּמֶתוּשָׁאֵל      ל      וּמֶתוּשָׁאֵל      ל  
 Mehujael      H4232      Mehujael      H4232      begat      H853      Methusael      H4967      Methusael      H4967

לָמֶךְ:      אֶת      וַיֵּלֶד  
 begat      H853      Lamech  
 H3205      H3929

**19** And Lamech took unto him two wives: the name of the one was Adah, and the name of the other Zillah.

וְלָמֶכַח <sup>took</sup> <sup>H3947</sup> ל <sup>H0</sup> וְשֵׁת <sup>And Lamech</sup> <sup>H3929</sup> י <sup>unto him two</sup> <sup>H8147</sup> נָשִׁים <sup>wives</sup> <sup>H802</sup> וְשֵׁם <sup>and the name</sup> <sup>H8034</sup> הָאֶחָת <sup>of the one</sup> <sup>H259</sup>  
 וְשֵׁם <sup>was Adah</sup> <sup>H5711</sup> הָאֶחָת <sup>and the name</sup> <sup>H8034</sup> זִלְהָה <sup>of the other</sup> <sup>H8145</sup> זִלְהָה <sup>Zillah</sup> <sup>H6741</sup>

**20** And Adah bare Jabal: he was the father of such as dwell in tents, and of such as have cattle.

אָבִי <sup>he was the father</sup> <sup>H1</sup> הָהָא <sup>H1961</sup> הָהָא <sup>H1931</sup> וַאֲבָל <sup>Jabal</sup> <sup>H2989</sup> לָאֵת <sup>And Adah</sup> <sup>H5711</sup> עַד הָוֶתֶלֶד <sup>bare</sup> <sup>H3205</sup>  
 וּמִקְנָה <sup>and of such as have cattle</sup> <sup>H4735</sup> אֵל <sup>in tents</sup> <sup>H168</sup> יֵשׁ ב <sup>of such as dwell</sup> <sup>H3427</sup>

**21** And his brother's name was Jubal: he was the father of all such as handle the harp and organ.

כָּל <sup>H3605</sup> אָבִי <sup>he was the father</sup> <sup>H1</sup> הָהָא <sup>H1961</sup> הָהָא <sup>H1931</sup> וַאֲבָל <sup>was Jubal</sup> <sup>H3106</sup> לָאֵת <sup>And his brother's</sup> <sup>H251</sup> יוֹם <sup>name</sup> <sup>H8034</sup> וְשֵׁם <sup>of all such as handle</sup> <sup>H8610</sup>  
 וְעוּגָבִי <sup>and organ</sup> <sup>H5748</sup> כֵּן <sup>the harp</sup> <sup>H3658</sup> וְתִפְשׁ <sup>of all such as handle</sup> <sup>H8610</sup>

**22** And Zillah, she also bare Tubal-cain, an instructor of every artificer in brass and iron: and the sister of Tubal-cain was Naamah.

לִט שָׁ קַיִן תּוֹבֵל אֶת יִלְדָּה הָוָא גַּם וְצִלָּה הָאֵל  
**And Zillah** H1571 H1931 **she also bare** H853 H0 **Tubalcain** H8423 **an instructor** H3913

קַיִן תּוֹבֵל וְאָחֹתוֹ וּבִרְזֵל וּבְרָזָה לְנִחַשְׁתִּי חֵרֶשׁ שֶׁכָּל  
**H3605** **of every artificer** H2794 **in brass** H5178 **and iron** H1270 **and the sister** H269 H0 **Tubalcain** H8423

נָעָמָה:  
**was Naamah** H5279

**23** And Lamech said unto his wives, Adah and Zillah, Hear my voice; ye wives of Lamech, hearken unto my speech: for I have slain a man to my wounding, and a young man to my hurt.

קוֹלִי שְׁמַעַן וְצִלָּה עָדָה נָשֵׁי לִמְךָ וַיֹּאמֶר  
**said** H559 **And Lamech** H3929 **unto his wives** H802 **Adah** H5711 **and Zillah** H6741 **Hear** H8085 **my voice** H6963

אֶישׁ כִּי אֶמְכַּתִּי הִאֲזִינָה לִמְךָ נָשֵׁי  
**unto his wives** H802 **And Lamech** H3929 **hearken** H238 **unto my speech** H565 H3588 H582

לְחַבְרָתִי: וַיִּלְדֹּם לְפָצַעַי הֵרַגְתִּי  
**for I have slain** H2026 **to my wounding** H6482 **and a young man** H3206 **to my hurt** H2250

**24** If Cain shall be avenged sevenfold, truly Lamech seventy and sevenfold.

שִׁבְעָה יָמִים וְלִמְךָ קַיִן יִקָּם שִׁבְעָתַיִם כִּי  
**If** H3588 **sevenfold** H7659 **shall be avenged** H5358 **Cain** H7014 **truly Lamech** H3929 **seventy** H7657

וְשִׁבְעָה:  
**and sevenfold** H7651

**25** And Adam knew his wife again; and she bare a son, and called his name Seth: For God, said she, hath appointed me another seed instead of Abel, whom Cain slew.

וַתִּקַּח אֵת בֶּן וַתֵּלֶד אִשְׁתּוֹ וְאֵת עוֹד אָדָם יָדַע  
 knew H3045 H121 again H5750 H853 his wife H802 and she bare H3205 a son H1121 and called H7121  
 זָרַע אֱלֹהִים לִי שֵׁת שָׁמָּה כִּי שֵׁת שְׁמִי וְאֵת  
 H853 his name H8034 Seth H8352 whom H3588 said she hath appointed H7896 H0 For God H430 seed H2233  
 קַיִן: הָרַג וְכִי הָבֵל תַּחַת אָחִי  
 me another H312 instead H8478 of Abel H1893 whom H3588 slew H2026 Cain H7014

**26** And to Seth, to him also there was born a son; and he called his name Enos: then began men to call upon the name of the LORD.

בְּשֵׁם וְאֵת לְקָרָא בֶּן יָלַד הוּא גַם וְלֵשֶׁת  
 And to Seth H8352 H1571 to him H1931 also there was born H3205 a son H1121 and he called H7121 H853 his name H8034  
 יְהוָה: בְּשֵׁם וְאֵת לְקָרָא הוּם לֵאמֹר  
 Enos H583 H227 then began men H2490 and he called H7121 his name H8034 of the LORD H3068