

Isaiah 20

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A Sign Against Egypt and Cush

- 1** In the year that Tartan came unto Ashdod, (when Sargon the king of Assyria sent him,) and fought against Ashdod, and took it;
 - 2** At the same time spake the LORD by Isaiah the son of Amoz, saying, Go and loose the sackcloth from off thy loins, and put off thy shoe from thy foot. And he did so, walking naked and barefoot.
 - 3** And the LORD said, Like as my servant Isaiah hath walked naked and barefoot three years for a sign and wonder upon Egypt and upon Ethiopia;
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- 4** So shall the king of Assyria lead away the Egyptians prisoners, and the Ethiopians captives, young and old, naked and barefoot, even with their buttocks uncovered, to the shame of Egypt.
 - 5** And they shall be afraid and ashamed of Ethiopia their expectation, and of Egypt their glory.
 - 6** And the inhabitant of this isle shall say in that day, Behold, such is our expectation, whither we flee for help to be delivered from the king of Assyria: and how shall we escape?

HEBREW & GREEK WORD STUDIES

Lord — יְהוָה / אֲדֹנָי (YHWH / Adonai)

The LORD / Lord

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

CROSS REFERENCES

Isaiah 20:1 **Kingdom:** 2 Kings 18:17

Isaiah 20:2 **Parallel theme:** Isaiah 13:1; 1 Samuel 19:24; Ezekiel 24:17; 24:23; Micah 1:8; 1:11; Zechariah 13:4; Matthew 3:4

Isaiah 20:3 **References Lord:** Isaiah 8:18

Isaiah 20:4 **Kingdom:** Isaiah 19:4. **Parallel theme:** Jeremiah 13:22; 13:26

Isaiah 20:5 **References Egypt:** Isaiah 30:3; 2 Kings 18:21. **Parallel theme:** Isaiah 30:5; Jeremiah 17:5. **Glory:** 1 Corinthians 3:21

Isaiah 20:6 **Parallel theme:** Matthew 23:33; 1 Thessalonians 5:3; Hebrews 2:3

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