

Hosea 11

Alte englische Darby-Übersetzung



1 When Israel was a child, then I loved him, and out of Egypt I called my son. **2** As they called them, so they went from them: they sacrificed unto the Baals, and burned incense to graven images. **3** And I it was that taught Ephraim to walk, --He took them upon his arms, --but they knew not that I healed them. **4** I drew them with bands of a man, with cords of love; and I was to them as they that take off the yoke on their jaws, and I gently caused them to eat. **5** He shall not return into the land of Egypt, but the Assyrian shall be his king; for they refused to return to me ; **6** and the sword shall turn about in his cities, and shall consume his bars, and devour them , because of their own counsels. **7** Yea, my people are bent upon backsliding from me: though they call them to the Most High, none at all exalteth him .

8 How shall I give thee over, Ephraim? how shall I deliver thee up, Israel? how shall I make thee as Admah? how shall I set thee as Zeboim? My heart is turned within me, my repentings are kindled together. **9** I will not execute the fierceness of mine anger, I will not again destroy Ephraim; for I am *God, and not man, --the Holy One in the midst of thee: and I will not come in anger. **10** They shall walk after Jehovah; he shall roar like a lion; when he shall roar, then the children shall hasten from the west: **11** they shall hasten as a bird out of Egypt, and as a dove out of the land of Assyria; and I will cause them to dwell in their houses, saith Jehovah. **12** Ephraim encompasseth me about with lies, and the house of Israel with deceit; but Judah yet walketh with *God, and with the holy things of truth.