

1. Kings 12

Englische King James Version von 1611/1769 mit Strongs



1 And Rehoboam^{H7346} went^{H3212} to Shechem^{H7927}: for all Israel^{H3478} were come^{H935} to Shechem^{H7927} to make him king^{H4427}. 2 And it came to pass, when Jeroboam^{H3379} the son^{H1121} of Nebat^{H5028}, who was yet in Egypt^{H4714}, heard^{H8085} of it, (for he was fled^{H1272} from the presence^{H6440} of king^{H4428} Solomon^{H8010}, and Jeroboam^{H3379} dwelt^{H3427} in Egypt^{H4714};) 3 That they sent^{H7971} and called^{H7121} him. And Jeroboam^{H3379} and all the congregation^{H6951} of Israel^{H3478} came^{H935}, and spake^{H1696} unto Rehoboam^{H7346}, saying^{H559}, 4 Thy father^{H1} made^{H7185} our yoke^{H5923} grievous^{H7185}: now therefore make thou the grievous^{H7186} service^{H5656} of thy father^{H1}, and his heavy^{H3515} yoke^{H5923} which he put^{H5414} upon us, lighter^{H7043}, and we will serve^{H5647} thee. 5 And he said^{H559} unto them, Depart^{H3212} yet for three^{H7969} days^{H3117}, then come again^{H7725} to me. And the people^{H5971} departed^{H3212}. 6 And king^{H4428} Rehoboam^{H7346} consulted^{H3289} with the old men^{H2205}, that stood^{H5975} before^{H6440} Solomon^{H8010} his father^{H1} while he yet lived^{H2416}, and said^{H559}, How do ye advise^{H3289} that I may^{H7725} answer^{H1697} this people^{H5971}? 7 And they spake^{H1696} unto him, saying^{H559}, If thou wilt be a servant^{H5650} unto this people^{H5971} this day^{H3117}, and wilt serve^{H5647} them, and answer^{H6030} them, and speak^{H1696} good^{H2896} words^{H1697} to them, then they will be thy servants^{H5650} for ever^{H3117}. 8 But he forsook^{H5800} the counsel^{H6098} of the old men^{H2205}, which they had given^{H3289} him, and consulted^{H3289} with the young men^{H3206} that were grown up^{H1431} with him, and which stood^{H5975} before^{H6440} him: 9 And he said^{H559} unto them, What counsel give^{H3289} ye that we may^{H7725} answer^{H1697} this people^{H5971}, who have spoken^{H1696} to me, saying^{H559}, Make^{H7043} the yoke^{H5923} which thy father^{H1} did put^{H5414} upon us lighter^{H7043}? 10 And the young men^{H3206} that were grown up^{H1431} with him spake^{H1696} unto him, saying^{H559}, Thus shalt thou speak^{H559} unto this people^{H5971} that spake^{H1696} unto thee, saying^{H559}, Thy father^{H1} made^{H3513} our yoke^{H5923} heavy^{H3513}, but make thou it lighter^{H7043} unto us; thus shalt thou say^{H1696} unto them, My little^{H6995} finger shall be thicker^{H5666} than my father's^{H1} loins^{H4975}. 11 And now whereas my father^{H1} did lade^{H6006} you with a heavy^{H3515} yoke^{H5923}, I will add^{H3254} to your yoke^{H5923}: my father^{H1} hath chastised^{H3256} you with whips^{H7752}, but I will chastise^{H3256} you with scorpions^{H6137}. 12 So Jeroboam^{H3379} and all the people^{H5971} came^{H935} to Rehoboam^{H7346} the third^{H7992} day^{H3117}, as the king^{H4428} had appointed^{H1696}, saying^{H559}, Come to me again^{H7725} the third^{H7992} day^{H3117}. 13 And the king^{H4428} answered^{H6030} the people^{H5971} roughly^{H7186}, and forsook^{H5800} the old men's^{H2205} counsel^{H6098} that they gave^{H3289} him; 14 And spake^{H1696} to them after the counsel^{H6098} of the young men^{H3206}, saying^{H559}, My father^{H1} made^{H3513} your yoke^{H5923} heavy^{H3513}, and I will add^{H3254} to your yoke^{H5923}: my father^{H1} also chastised^{H3256} you with whips^{H7752}, but I will chastise^{H3256} you with scorpions^{H6137}. 15 Wherefore the king^{H4428} hearkened^{H8085} not unto the people^{H5971}; for the cause^{H5438} was from the LORD^{H3068}, that he might perform^{H6965} his saying^{H1697}, which the LORD^{H3068} spake^{H1696} by^{H3027} Ahijah^{H281} the Shilonite^{H7888} unto Jeroboam^{H3379} the son^{H1121} of Nebat^{H5028}.

16 So^{H7725} when all Israel^{H3478} saw^{H7200} that the king^{H4428} hearkened^{H8085} not unto them, the people^{H5971} answered^{H1697} the king^{H4428}, saying^{H559}, What portion^{H2506} have we in David^{H1732}? neither have we inheritance^{H5159} in the son^{H1121} of Jesse^{H3448}: to your tents^{H168}, O Israel^{H3478}: now see^{H7200} to thine own house^{H1004}, David^{H1732}. So Israel^{H3478} departed^{H3212} unto their tents^{H168}. 17 But as for the children^{H1121} of Israel^{H3478} which dwelt^{H3427} in the cities^{H5892} of Judah^{H3063}, Rehoboam^{H7346} reigned^{H4427} over them. 18 Then king^{H4428} Rehoboam^{H7346} sent^{H7971} Adoram^{H151}, who was over the tribute^{H4522}, and all Israel^{H3478} stoned^{H7275} him with stones^{H68}, that he died^{H4191}. Therefore king^{H4428} Rehoboam^{H7346} made speed^{H553} to get him up^{H5927} to his chariot^{H4818}, to flee^{H5127} to Jerusalem^{H3389}. 19 So Israel^{H3478} rebelled^{H6586} against the house^{H1004} of David^{H1732} unto this day^{H3117}. 20 And it came to pass, when all Israel^{H3478} heard^{H8085} that Jeroboam^{H3379} was come again^{H7725}, that they sent^{H7971} and called^{H7121} him unto the congregation^{H5712}, and made him king^{H4427} over all Israel^{H3478}: there was none that followed^{H310} the house^{H1004} of David^{H1732}, but^{H2108} the tribe^{H7626} of Judah^{H3063} only. 21 And when Rehoboam^{H7346} was come^{H935} to Jerusalem^{H3389}, he assembled^{H6950} all the house^{H1004} of Judah^{H3063}, with the tribe^{H7626} of Benjamin^{H1144}, an hundred^{H3967} and fourscore^{H8084} thousand^{H505} chosen men^{H977}, which were warriors^{H6213}, to fight^{H3898} against the house^{H1004} of Israel^{H3478}, to bring^{H7725} the kingdom^{H4410}.

again^{H7725} to Rehoboam^{H7346} the son^{H1121} of Solomon^{H8010}. **22** But the word^{H1697} of God^{H430} came unto Shemaiah^{H8098} the man^{H376} of God^{H430}, saying^{H559}, **23** Speak^{H559} unto Rehoboam^{H7346}, the son^{H1121} of Solomon^{H8010}, king^{H4428} of Judah^{H3063}, and unto all the house^{H1004} of Judah^{H3063} and Benjamin^{H1144}, and to the remnant^{H3499} of the people^{H5971}, saying^{H559}, **24** Thus saith^{H559} the LORD^{H3068}, Ye shall not go up^{H5927}, nor fight^{H3898} against your brethren^{H251} the children^{H1121} of Israel^{H3478}: return^{H7725} every man^{H376} to his house^{H1004}; for this thing^{H1697} is^{H1961} from me. They hearkened^{H8085} therefore to the word^{H1697} of the LORD^{H3068}, and returned^{H7725} to depart^{H3212}, according to the word^{H1697} of the LORD^{H3068}.

25 Then Jeroboam^{H3379} built^{H1129} Shechem^{H7927} in mount^{H2022} Ephraim^{H669}, and dwelt^{H3427} therein; and went out^{H3318} from thence, and built^{H1129} Peniel^{H6439}. **26** And Jeroboam^{H3379} said^{H559} in his heart^{H3820}, Now shall the kingdom^{H4467} return^{H7725} to the house^{H1004} of David^{H1732}: **27** If this people^{H5971} go up^{H5927} to do^{H6213} sacrifice^{H2077} in the house^{H1004} of the LORD^{H3068} at Jerusalem^{H3389}, then shall the heart^{H3820} of this people^{H5971} turn again^{H7725} unto their lord^{H1113}, even unto Rehoboam^{H7346} king^{H4428} of Judah^{H3063}, and they shall kill^{H2026} me, and go again^{H7725} to Rehoboam^{H7346} king^{H4428} of Judah^{H3063}. **28** Whereupon the king^{H4428} took counsel^{H3289}, and made^{H6213} two^{H8147} calves^{H5695} of gold^{H2091}, and said^{H559} unto them, It is too much^{H7227} for you to go up^{H5927} to Jerusalem^{H3389}: behold thy gods^{H430}, O Israel^{H3478}, which brought thee up^{H5927} out of the land^{H776} of Egypt^{H4714}. **29** And he set^{H7760} the one^{H259} in Bethel^{H1008}, and the other^{H259} put^{H5414} he in Dan^{H1835}. **30** And this thing^{H1697} became a sin^{H2403}: for the people^{H5971} went^{H3212} to worship before^{H6440} the one^{H259}, even unto Dan^{H1835}. **31** And he made^{H6213} an house^{H1004} of high places^{H1116}, and made^{H6213} priests^{H3548} of the lowest^{H7098} of the people^{H5971}, which were not of the sons^{H1121} of Levi^{H3878}. **32** And Jeroboam^{H3379} ordained^{H6213} a feast^{H2282} in the eighth^{H8066} month^{H2320}, on the fifteenth^{H2568} day^{H3117} of the month^{H2320}, like unto the feast^{H2282} that is in Judah^{H3063}, and he offered^{H5927} upon the altar^{H4196}. So did^{H6213} he in Bethel^{H1008}, sacrificing^{H2076} unto the calves^{H5695} that he had made^{H6213}: and he placed^{H5975} in Bethel^{H1008} the priests^{H3548} of the high places^{H1116} which he had made^{H6213}. **33** So he offered^{H5927} upon the altar^{H4196} which he had made^{H6213} in Bethel^{H1008} the fifteenth^{H2568} day^{H3117} of the eighth^{H8066} month^{H2320}, even in the month^{H2320} which he had devised^{H908} of his own heart^{H3820}; and ordained^{H6213} a feast^{H2282} unto the children^{H1121} of Israel^{H3478}: and he offered^{H5927} upon the altar^{H4196}, and burnt incense^{H6999}.

Fußnoten

1. roughly: Heb. hardly
2. made...: Heb. strengthened himself
3. rebelled: or, fell away
4. offered...: or, went up to the altar, etc
5. sacrificing: or, to sacrifice
6. offered...: or, went up to the altar, etc
7. and burnt...: Heb. to burn incense