## Hosea 4

Englische King James Version von 1611/1769 mit Strongs



**1** Hear<sup>H8085</sup> the word<sup>H1697</sup> of the LORD<sup>H3068</sup>, ye children<sup>H1121</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup>: for the LORD<sup>H3068</sup> hath a controversy<sup>H7379</sup> with the inhabitants<sup>H3427</sup> of the land<sup>H776</sup>, because there is no truth<sup>H571</sup>, nor mercy<sup>H2617</sup>, nor knowledge<sup>H1847</sup> of God<sup>H430</sup> in the land<sup>H776</sup>. **2** By swearing<sup>H422</sup>, and lying<sup>H3584</sup>, and killing<sup>H7523</sup>, and stealing<sup>H1589</sup>, and committing adultery<sup>H5003</sup>, they break out<sup>H6555</sup>, and blood<sup>H1818</sup> toucheth<sup>H5060</sup> blood<sup>H1818</sup>.<sup>1</sup> **3** Therefore shall the land<sup>H776</sup> mourn<sup>H56</sup>, and every one that dwelleth<sup>H3427</sup> therein shall languish<sup>H535</sup>, with the beasts<sup>H2416</sup> of the field<sup>H7704</sup>, and with the fowls<sup>H5775</sup> of heaven<sup>H8064</sup>; yea, the fishes<sup>H1709</sup> of the sea<sup>H3220</sup> also shall be taken away<sup>H622</sup>. **4** Yet let no man<sup>H376</sup> strive<sup>H7378</sup>, nor reprove<sup>H3198</sup> another<sup>H376</sup>: for thy people<sup>H5971</sup> are as they that strive<sup>H7378</sup> with the priest<sup>H3548</sup>. **5** Therefore shalt thou fall<sup>H3782</sup> in the day<sup>H3117</sup>, and the prophet<sup>H5030</sup> also shall fall<sup>H3782</sup> with thee in the night<sup>H3915</sup>, and I will destroy<sup>H1820</sup> thy mother<sup>H517.2</sup>

**6** My people<sup>H5971</sup> are destroyed<sup>H1820</sup> for lack of knowledge<sup>H1847</sup>: because thou hast rejected<sup>H3988</sup> knowledge<sup>H1847</sup>, I will also reject<sup>H3988</sup> thee, that thou shalt be no priest<sup>H3547</sup> to me: seeing thou hast forgotten<sup>H7911</sup> the law<sup>H8451</sup> of thy God<sup>H430</sup>, I will also forget<sup>H7911</sup> thy children<sup>H1121.3</sup> **7** As they were increased<sup>H7230</sup>, so they sinned<sup>H2398</sup> against me: therefore will I change<sup>H4171</sup> their glory<sup>H3519</sup> into shame<sup>H7036</sup>. **8** They eat up<sup>H398</sup> the sin<sup>H2403</sup> of my people<sup>H5971</sup>, and they set<sup>H5375</sup> their heart<sup>H5315</sup> on their iniquity<sup>H5771.4</sup> **9** And there shall be, like people<sup>H5971</sup>, like priest<sup>H3548</sup>: and I will punish<sup>H6485</sup> them for their ways<sup>H1870</sup>, and reward<sup>H7725</sup> them their doings<sup>H4611.56</sup> **10** For they shall eat<sup>H398</sup>, and not have enough<sup>H7646</sup>: they shall commit whoredom<sup>H2181</sup>, and shall not increase<sup>H6555</sup>: because they have left off<sup>H5800</sup> to take heed<sup>H8104</sup> to the LORD<sup>H3068</sup>. **11** Whoredom<sup>H2184</sup> and wine<sup>H3196</sup> and new wine<sup>H8492</sup> take away<sup>H3947</sup> the heart<sup>H3820</sup>.

**12** My people<sup>H5971</sup> ask<sup>H7592</sup> counsel at their stocks<sup>H6086</sup>, and their staff<sup>H4731</sup> declareth<sup>H5046</sup> unto them: for the spirit<sup>H7307</sup> of whoredoms<sup>H2183</sup> hath caused them to err<sup>H8582</sup>, and they have gone a whoring<sup>H2181</sup> from under their God<sup>H430</sup>. **13** They sacrifice<sup>H2076</sup> upon the tops<sup>H7218</sup> of the mountains<sup>H2022</sup>, and burn incense<sup>H6999</sup> upon the hills<sup>H1389</sup>, under oaks<sup>H437</sup> and poplars<sup>H3839</sup> and elms<sup>H424</sup>, because the shadow<sup>H6738</sup> thereof is good<sup>H2896</sup>: therefore your daughters<sup>H1323</sup> shall commit whoredom<sup>H2181</sup>, and your spouses<sup>H3618</sup> shall commit adultery<sup>H5003</sup>. **14** I will not punish<sup>H6485</sup> your daughters<sup>H1323</sup> when they commit whoredom<sup>H2181</sup>, nor your spouses<sup>H3618</sup> when they commit adultery<sup>H5003</sup>: for themselves are separated<sup>H6504</sup> with whores<sup>H2181</sup>, and they sacrifice<sup>H2076</sup> with harlots<sup>H6948</sup>: therefore the people<sup>H5971</sup> that doth not understand<sup>H995</sup> shall fall<sup>H3832.78</sup> **15** Though thou, Israel<sup>H3478</sup>, play the harlot<sup>H2181</sup>, yet let not Judah<sup>H3063</sup> offend<sup>H816</sup>; and come<sup>H3478</sup> slideth back<sup>H5637</sup> as a backsliding<sup>H5637</sup> heifer<sup>H6510</sup>: now the LORD<sup>H3068</sup> will feed<sup>H7462</sup> them as a lamb<sup>H3532</sup> in a large place<sup>H4800</sup>. **17** Ephraim<sup>H669</sup> is joined<sup>H2266</sup> to idols<sup>H6091</sup>: let him alone<sup>H3240</sup>. **18** Their drink<sup>H5435</sup> is sour<sup>H5493</sup>: they have committed whoredom<sup>H2181</sup> continually<sup>H2181</sup>; her rulers<sup>H4043</sup> with shame<sup>H7036</sup> do love<sup>H157</sup>, Give<sup>H3051</sup> ye.<sup>910</sup> **19** The wind<sup>H7307</sup> hath bound her up<sup>H6887</sup> in her wings<sup>H3671</sup>, and they shall be ashamed<sup>H954</sup> because of their sacrifices<sup>H2077</sup>.

## Fußnoten

- 1. blood: Heb. bloods
- 2. destroy: Heb. cut off
- 3. destroyed: Heb. cut off
- 4. set ...: Heb. lift up their soul to
- 5. punish: Heb. visit upon
- 6. reward: Heb. cause to return
- 7. I will not: or, Shall I not
- 8. fall: or, be punished

9. sour: Heb. gone 10. rulers: Heb. shields