Jeremiah 5

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1 Run ye to and fro^{H7751} through the streets^{H2351} of Jerusalem^{H3389}, and see^{H7200} now, and know^{H3045}, and seek^{H1245} in the broad places^{H7339} thereof, if ye can find^{H4672} a man^{H376}, if there be^{H3426} any that executeth^{H6213} judgment^{H4941}, that seeketh^{H1245} the truth^{H530}; and I will pardon^{H5545} it. **2** And though they say^{H559}, The LORD^{H3068} liveth^{H2416}; surely they swear^{H7650} falsely^{H8267}. **3** O LORD^{H3068}, are not thine eyes^{H5869} upon the truth^{H530}? thou hast stricken^{H5221} them, but they have not grieved^{H2342}; thou hast consumed^{H3615} them, but they have refused^{H3985} to receive^{H3947} correction^{H4148}: they have made their faces^{H6440} harder^{H2388} than a rock^{H5553}; they have refused^{H3985} to return^{H7725}. 4 Therefore I said^{H559}, Surely these are poor^{H1800}; they are foolish^{H2973}: for they know^{H3045} not the way^{H1870} of the LORD^{H3068}, nor the judgment^{H4941} of their God^{H430}. 5 I will get^{H3212} me unto the great men^{H1419}, and will speak^{H1696} unto them; for they have known^{H3045} the way^{H1870} of the LORD^{H3068}, and the judgment^{H4941} of their God^{H430}: but these have altogether^{H3162} broken^{H7665} the voke^{H5923}, and burst^{H5423} the bonds^{H4147}. 6 Wherefore a lion^{H738} out of the forest^{H3293} shall slav^{H5221} them, and a wolf^{H2061} of the evenings^{H6160} shall spoil^{H7703} them, a leopard^{H5246} shall watch^{H8245} over their cities^{H5892}: every one that goeth out^{H3318} thence shall^{H2007} be torn in pieces^{H2963}: because their transgressions^{H6588} are many^{H7231}, and their backslidings^{H4878} are increased^{H6105}.¹² 7 How^{H335} shall I pardon^{H5545} thee for this^{H2063}? thy children^{H1121} have forsaken^{H5800} me, and sworn^{H7650} by them that are no^{H3808} gods^{H430}: when I had fed them to the full^{H7650}, they then committed adultery^{H5003}, and assembled themselves by troops^{H1413} in the harlots^{H2181} houses^{H1004}. 8 They were as fed^{H2109} horses^{H5483} in the morning^{H7904}: every one^{H376} neighed^{H6670} after his neighbour's^{H7453} wife^{H802}. 9 Shall I not visit^{H6485} for these things? saith^{H5002} the LORD^{H3068}: and shall not my soul^{H5315} be avenged^{H5358} on such a nation^{H1471} as this?

10 Go ye up^{H5927} upon her walls^{H8284}, and destroy^{H7843}; but make^{H6213} not a full end^{H3617}: take away^{H5493} her battlements^{H5189}; for they are not the LORD'S^{H3068}. **11** For the house^{H1004} of Israel^{H3478} and the house^{H1004} of Judah^{H3063} have dealt very^{H898} treacherously^{H898} against me, saith^{H5002} the LORD^{H3068}. **12** They have belied^{H3584} the LORD^{H3068}, and said^{H559}, It is not he; neither shall evil^{H7451} come^{H935} upon us; neither shall we see^{H7200} sword^{H2719} nor famine^{H7458}: **13** And the prophets^{H5030} shall become wind^{H7307}, and the word^{H1696} is not in them: thus shall it be done^{H6213} unto them. 14 Wherefore thus saith^{H559} the LORD^{H3068} God^{H430} of hosts^{H6635}, Because ye speak^{H1696} this word^{H1697}, behold, I will make^{H5414} my words^{H1697} in thy mouth^{H6310} fire^{H784}, and this people^{H5971} wood^{H6086}, and it shall devour^{H398} them. **15** Lo, I will bring^{H935} a nation^{H1471} upon you from far^{H4801}, O house^{H1004} of Israel^{H3478}, saith^{H5002} the LORD^{H3068}: it is a mighty^{H386} nation^{H1471}, it is an ancient^{H5769} nation^{H1471}, a nation^{H1471} whose language^{H3956} thou knowest^{H3045} not, neither understandest^{H8085} what they say^{H1696}. **16** Their guiver^{H827} is as an open^{H6605} sepulchre^{H6913}, they are all mighty men^{H1368}. 17 And they shall eat up^{H398} thine harvest^{H7105}, and thy bread^{H3899}, which thy sons^{H1121} and thy daughters^{H1323} should eat^{H398}: they shall eat up^{H398} thy flocks^{H6629} and thine herds^{H1241}: they shall eat up^{H398} thy vines^{H1612} and thy fig trees^{H8384}: they shall impoverish^{H7567} thy fenced^{H4013} cities^{H5892}, wherein thou^{H2007} trustedst^{H982}, with the sword^{H2719}. **18** Nevertheless in those days^{H3117}, saith^{H5002} the LORD^{H3068}, I will not make^{H6213} a full end^{H3617} with you. 19 And it shall come to pass, when ye shall say^{H559}, Wherefore^{H8478 H4100} doeth^{H6213} the LORD^{H3068} our God^{H430} all these things unto us? then shalt thou answer^{H559} them, Like as ye have forsaken^{H5800} me, and served^{H5647} strange^{H5236} gods^{H430} in your land^{H776}, so shall ye serve^{H5647} strangers^{H2114} in a land^{H776} that is not yours.

20 Declare^{H5046} this in the house^{H1004} of Jacob^{H3290}, and publish^{H8085} it in Judah^{H3063}, saying^{H559}, **21** Hear^{H8085} now this, O foolish^{H5530} people^{H5971}, and without understanding^{H3820}; which have eyes^{H5869}, and see^{H7200} not; which have ears^{H241}, and hear^{H8085} not:³ **22** Fear^{H3372} ye not me? saith^{H5002} the LORD^{H3068}: will ye not tremble^{H2342} at my presence^{H6440}, which have placed^{H7760} the sand^{H2344} for the bound^{H1366} of the sea^{H3220} by a perpetual^{H5769} decree^{H2706}, that it cannot pass^{H5674} it: and though the waves^{H1530} thereof toss^{H1607} themselves, yet can they not prevail^{H3201}; though

they roar^{H1993}, yet can they not pass over^{H5674} it? **23** But this people^{H5971} hath a revolting^{H5637} and a rebellious^{H4784} heart^{H3820}; they are revolted^{H5493} and gone^{H3212}. **24** Neither say^{H559} they in their heart^{H3824}, Let us now fear^{H3372} the LORD^{H3068} our God^{H430}, that giveth^{H5414} rain^{H1653}, both the former^{H3138} and the latter^{H4456}, in his season^{H6256}: he reserveth^{H8104} unto us the appointed^{H2708} weeks^{H7620} of the harvest^{H7105}.

25 Your iniquities^{H5771} have turned away^{H5186} these things, and your sins^{H2403} have withholden^{H4513} good^{H2896} things from you. **26** For among my people^{H5971} are found^{H4672} wicked^{H7563} men: they lay wait^{H7789}, as he that setteth^{H7918} snares^{H3353}; they set^{H5324} a trap^{H4889}, they catch^{H3920} men^{H582.4} **27** As a cage^{H3619} is full^{H4392} of birds^{H5775}, so are their houses^{H1004} full^{H4392} of deceit^{H4820}: therefore they are become great^{H1431}, and waxen rich^{H6238.5} **28** They are waxen fat^{H8080}, they shine^{H6245}: yea, they overpass^{H5674} the deeds^{H1697} of the wicked^{H7451}: they judge^{H1777} not the cause^{H1779}, the cause of the fatherless^{H3490}, yet they prosper^{H6743}; and the right^{H4941} of the needy^{H34} do they not judge^{H8199}. **29** Shall I not visit^{H6485} for these things? saith^{H5002} the LORD^{H3068}: shall not my soul^{H5315} be avenged^{H5358} on such a nation^{H1471} as this? **30** A wonderful^{H8047} and horrible thing^{H8186} is committed^{H1961} in the land^{H776,6} **31** The prophets^{H5030} prophesy^{H5012} falsely^{H8267}, and the priests^{H3548} bear rule^{H7287} by their means^{H3027}; and my people^{H5971} love^{H157} to have it so: and what will ye do^{H6213} in the end^{H319} thereof?⁷

Fußnoten

- 1. evenings: or, deserts
- 2. are increased: Heb. are strong
- 3. understanding: Heb. heart
- 4. they lay ...: or, they pry as fowlers lie in wait
- 5. cage: or, coop
- 6. A wonderful...: or, Astonishment and filthiness
- 7. bear...: or, take into their hands