

Judges 19



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1 And it came to pass in those days^{H3117}, when there was no king^{H4428} in Israel^{H3478}, that there was a certain^{H376} Levite^{H3881} sojourning^{H1481} on the side^{H3411} of mount^{H2022} Ephraim^{H669}, who took^{H3947} to him a concubine^{H802 H6370} out of Bethlehemjudah^{H1035 H3063}. 2 And his concubine^{H6370} played the whore^{H2181} against him, and went away^{H3212} from him unto her father's^{H1} house^{H1004} to Bethlehemjudah^{H1035 H3063}, and was there four^{H702} whole months^{H2320 H3117}. 3 And her husband^{H376} arose^{H6965}, and went^{H3212} after^{H310} her, to speak^{H1696} friendly^{H3820} unto her, and to bring her again^{H7725}, having his servant^{H5288} with him, and a couple^{H6776} of asses^{H2543}: and she brought^{H935} him into her father's^{H1} house^{H1004}: and when the father^{H1} of the damsel^{H5291} saw^{H7200} him, he rejoiced^{H8055} to meet^{H7125} him. 4 And his father in law^{H2859}, the damsel's^{H5291} father^{H1}, retained^{H2388} him; and he abode^{H3427} with him three^{H7969} days^{H3117}: so they did eat^{H398} and drink^{H8354}, and lodged^{H3885} there. 5 And it came to pass on the fourth^{H7243} day^{H3117}, when they arose early^{H7925} in the morning^{H1242}, that he rose up^{H6965} to depart^{H3212}: and the damsel's^{H5291} father^{H1} said^{H559} unto his son in law^{H2860}, Comfort^{H5582} thine heart^{H3820} with a morsel^{H6595} of bread^{H3899}, and afterward^{H310} go your way^{H3212}. 6 And they sat down^{H3427}, and did eat^{H398} and drink^{H8354} both^{H8147} of them together^{H3162}: for the damsel's^{H5291} father^{H1} had said^{H559} unto the man^{H376}, Be content^{H2974}, I pray thee, and tarry all night^{H3885}, and let thine heart^{H3820} be merry^{H3190}. 7 And when the man^{H376} rose up^{H6965} to depart^{H3212}, his father in law^{H2859} urged^{H6484} him: therefore he lodged^{H3885} there again^{H7725}. 8 And he arose early^{H7925} in the morning^{H1242} on the fifth^{H2549} day^{H3117} to depart^{H3212}: and the damsel's^{H5291} father^{H1} said^{H559}, Comfort^{H5582} thine heart^{H3824}, I pray thee. And they tarried^{H4102} until afternoon^{H3117 H5186}, and they did eat^{H398} both^{H8147} of them. 9 And when the man^{H376} rose up^{H6965} to depart^{H3212}, he, and his concubine^{H6370}, and his servant^{H5288}, his father in law^{H2859}, the damsel's^{H5291} father^{H1}, said^{H559} unto him, Behold, now the day^{H3117} draweth^{H7503} toward evening^{H6150}, I pray you tarry all night^{H3885}: behold, the day^{H3117} groweth to an end^{H2583}, lodge^{H3885} here, that thine heart^{H3824} may be merry^{H3190}; and to morrow^{H4279} get you early^{H7925} on your way^{H1870}, that thou mayest go^{H1980} home^{H168 678}. 10 But the man^{H376} would^{H14} not tarry that night^{H3885}, but he rose up^{H6965} and departed^{H3212}, and came^{H935} over against^{H5227} Jebus^{H2982}, which is Jerusalem^{H3389}; and there were with him two^{H6776} asses^{H2543} saddled^{H2280}, his concubine^{H6370} also was with him. 11 And when they were by Jebus^{H2982}, the day^{H3117} was far^{H3966} spent^{H7286}, and the servant^{H5288} said^{H559} unto his master^{H113}, Come^{H3212}, I pray thee, and let us turn in^{H5493} into this city^{H5892} of the Jebusites^{H2983}, and lodge^{H3885} in it. 12 And his master^{H113} said^{H559} unto him, We will not turn aside^{H5493} hither into the city^{H5892} of a stranger^{H5237}, that is not of the children^{H1121} of Israel^{H3478}, we will pass over^{H5674} to Gibeah^{H1390}. 13 And he said^{H559} unto his servant^{H5288}, Come^{H3212}, and let us draw near^{H7126} to one^{H259} of these places^{H4725} to lodge all night^{H3885}, in Gibeah^{H1390}, or in Ramah^{H7414}. 14 And they passed on^{H5674} and went their way^{H3212}, and the sun^{H8121} went down^{H935} upon them when they were by^{H681} Gibeah^{H1390}, which belongeth to Benjamin^{H1144}. 15 And they turned aside^{H5493} thither, to go in^{H935} and to lodge^{H3885} in Gibeah^{H1390}: and when he went in^{H935}, he sat him down^{H3427} in a street^{H7339} of the city^{H5892}: for there was no man^{H376} that took^{H622} them into his house^{H1004} to lodging^{H3885}.

16 And, behold, there came^{H935} an old^{H2205} man^{H376} from his work^{H4639} out of the field^{H7704} at even^{H6153}, which was also^{H376} of mount^{H2022} Ephraim^{H669}; and he sojourned^{H1481} in Gibeah^{H1390}: but the men^{H582} of the place^{H4725} were Benjamites^{H1145}. 17 And when he had lifted up^{H5375} his eyes^{H5869}, he saw^{H7200} a wayfaring^{H732} man^{H376} in the street^{H7339} of the city^{H5892}: and the old^{H2205} man^{H376} said^{H559}, Whither goest^{H3212} thou? and whence^{H370} comest^{H935} thou? 18 And he said^{H559} unto him, We are passing^{H5674} from Bethlehemjudah^{H1035 H3063} toward the side^{H3411} of mount^{H2022} Ephraim^{H669}; from thence am I: and I went^{H3212} to Bethlehemjudah^{H1035 H3063}, but I am now going^{H1980} to the house^{H1004} of the LORD^{H3068}; and there is no man^{H376} that receiveth^{H622} me to house^{H1004}. 19 Yet there is^{H3426} both straw^{H8401} and provender^{H4554} for our asses^{H2543}; and there is bread^{H3899} and wine^{H3196} also for me, and for thy handmaid^{H519}, and for the young man^{H5288} which is with thy servants^{H5650}: there is no want^{H4270} of any thing^{H1697}. 20 And the old^{H2205} man^{H376} said^{H559}, Peace^{H7965} be with thee; howsoever^{H7535} let all thy wants^{H4270} lie upon me; only lodge^{H3885} not in the

street^{H7339}. **21** So he brought^{H935} him into his house^{H1004}, and gave provender^{H1101} unto the asses^{H2543}: and they washed^{H7364} their feet^{H7272}, and did eat^{H398} and drink^{H8354}.

22 Now as they were making their hearts^{H3820} merry^{H3190}, behold, the men^{H582} of the city^{H5892}, certain^{H582} sons^{H1121} of Belial^{H1100}, beset^{H5437} the house^{H1004} round about^{H5437}, and beat^{H1849} at the door^{H1817}, and spake^{H559} to the master^{H1167} of the house^{H1004}, the old^{H2205} man^{H376}, saying^{H559}, Bring forth^{H3318} the man^{H376} that came^{H935} into thine house^{H1004}, that we may know^{H3045} him. **23** And the man^{H376}, the master^{H1167} of the house^{H1004}, went out^{H3318} unto them, and said^{H559} unto them, Nay^{H408}, my brethren^{H251}, nay, I pray you, do not so wickedly^{H7489}; seeing^{H310} that this man^{H376} is come^{H935} into mine house^{H1004}, do^{H6213} not this folly^{H5039}. **24** Behold, here is my daughter^{H1323} a maiden^{H1330}, and his concubine^{H6370}; them I will bring out^{H3318} now, and humble^{H6031} ye them, and do^{H6213} with them what seemeth^{H5869} good^{H2896} unto you: but unto this man^{H376} do^{H6213} not so^{H2063} vile^{H5039} a thing^{H1697}. **25** But the men^{H582} would^{H14} not hearken^{H8085} to him: so the man^{H376} took^{H2388} his concubine^{H6370}, and brought^{H3318} her forth^{H2351} unto them; and they knew^{H3045} her, and abused^{H5953} her all the night^{H3915} until the morning^{H1242}: and when the day^{H7837} began to spring^{H5927}, they let her go^{H7971}. **26** Then came^{H935} the woman^{H802} in the dawning^{H6437} of the day^{H1242}, and fell down^{H5307} at the door^{H6607} of the man's^{H376} house^{H1004} where her lord^{H113} was, till it was light^{H216}. **27** And her lord^{H113} rose up^{H6965} in the morning^{H1242}, and opened^{H6605} the doors^{H1817} of the house^{H1004}, and went out^{H3318} to go^{H3212} his way^{H1870}: and, behold, the woman^{H802} his concubine^{H6370} was fallen down^{H5307} at the door^{H6607} of the house^{H1004}, and her hands^{H3027} were upon the threshold^{H5592}. **28** And he said^{H559} unto her, Up^{H6965}, and let us be going^{H3212}. But none answered^{H6030}. Then the man^{H376} took^{H3947} her up upon an ass^{H2543}, and the man^{H376} rose up^{H6965}, and gat^{H3212} him unto his place^{H4725}. **29** And when he was come^{H935} into his house^{H1004}, he took^{H3947} a knife^{H3979}, and laid hold^{H2388} on his concubine^{H6370}, and divided^{H5408} her, together with her bones^{H6106}, into twelve^{H8147} pieces^{H6240}, and sent^{H5409} her into all the coasts^{H1366} of Israel^{H3478}. **30** And it was so^{H1961}, that all that saw^{H7200} it said^{H559}, There was no such deed^{H2063} done nor seen^{H7200} from the day^{H3117} that the children^{H1121} of Israel^{H3478} came up^{H5927} out of the land^{H776} of Egypt^{H4714} unto this day^{H3117}: consider^{H7760} of it, take advice^{H5779}, and speak^{H1696} your minds.

Fußnoten

1. a concubine: Heb. a woman a concubine, or, a wife a concubine
2. four whole months: or, a year and four month: Heb. days, four months
3. friendly...: Heb. to her heart
4. Comfort: Heb. Strengthen
5. until afternoon: Heb. till the day declined
6. draweth: Heb. is weak
7. the day groweth to an end: Heb. it is the pitching time of the day
8. home: Heb. to thy tent
9. over against: Heb. to over against
10. receiveth: Heb. gathereth
11. so vile...: Heb. the matter of this folly