

# 1. Kings 20



Englische King James Version von 1611/1769 mit Strongs

1 And Benhadad<sup>H1130</sup> the king<sup>H4428</sup> of Syria<sup>H758</sup> gathered<sup>H6908</sup> all his host<sup>H2428</sup> together<sup>H6908</sup>: and there were thirty<sup>H7970</sup> and two<sup>H8147</sup> kings<sup>H4428</sup> with him, and horses<sup>H5483</sup>, and chariots<sup>H7393</sup>: and he went up<sup>H5927</sup> and besieged<sup>H6696</sup> Samaria<sup>H8111</sup>, and warred<sup>H3898</sup> against it. 2 And he sent<sup>H7971</sup> messengers<sup>H4397</sup> to Ahab<sup>H256</sup> king<sup>H4428</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup> into the city<sup>H5892</sup>, and said<sup>H559</sup> unto him, Thus saith<sup>H559</sup> Benhadad<sup>H1130</sup>, 3 Thy silver<sup>H3701</sup> and thy gold<sup>H2091</sup> is mine; thy wives<sup>H802</sup> also and thy children<sup>H1121</sup>, even the goodliest<sup>H2896</sup>, are mine. 4 And the king<sup>H4428</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup> answered<sup>H6030</sup> and said<sup>H559</sup>, My lord<sup>H1113</sup>, O king<sup>H4428</sup>, according to thy saying<sup>H1697</sup>, I am thine, and all that I have. 5 And the messengers<sup>H4397</sup> came again<sup>H7725</sup>, and said<sup>H559</sup>, Thus speaketh<sup>H559</sup> Benhadad<sup>H1130</sup>, saying<sup>H559</sup>, Although I have sent<sup>H7971</sup> unto thee, saying<sup>H559</sup>, Thou shalt deliver<sup>H5414</sup> me thy silver<sup>H3701</sup>, and thy gold<sup>H2091</sup>, and thy wives<sup>H802</sup>, and thy children<sup>H1121</sup>; 6 Yet I will send<sup>H7971</sup> my servants<sup>H5650</sup> unto thee to morrow<sup>H4279</sup> about this time<sup>H6256</sup>, and they shall search<sup>H2664</sup> thine house<sup>H1004</sup>, and the houses<sup>H1004</sup> of thy servants<sup>H5650</sup>; and it shall be<sup>H1961</sup>, that whatsoever is pleasant<sup>H4261</sup> in thine eyes<sup>H5869</sup>, they shall put<sup>H7760</sup> it in their hand<sup>H3027</sup>, and take it away<sup>H3947</sup>. 7 Then the king<sup>H4428</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup> called<sup>H7121</sup> all the elders<sup>H2205</sup> of the land<sup>H776</sup>, and said<sup>H559</sup>, Mark<sup>H3045</sup>, I pray you, and see<sup>H7200</sup> how this man seeketh<sup>H1245</sup> mischief<sup>H7451</sup>: for he sent<sup>H7971</sup> unto me for my wives<sup>H802</sup>, and for my children<sup>H1121</sup>, and for my silver<sup>H3701</sup>, and for my gold<sup>H2091</sup>; and I denied<sup>H4513</sup> him not.<sup>2</sup> 8 And all the elders<sup>H2205</sup> and all the people<sup>H5971</sup> said<sup>H559</sup> unto him, Hearken<sup>H8085</sup> not unto him, nor consent<sup>H14</sup>. 9 Wherefore he said<sup>H559</sup> unto the messengers<sup>H4397</sup> of Benhadad<sup>H1130</sup>, Tell<sup>H559</sup> my lord<sup>H1113</sup> the king<sup>H4428</sup>, All that thou didst send<sup>H7971</sup> for to thy servant<sup>H5650</sup> at the first<sup>H7223</sup> I will do<sup>H6213</sup>: but this thing<sup>H1697</sup> I may<sup>H3201</sup> not do<sup>H6213</sup>. And the messengers<sup>H4397</sup> departed<sup>H3212</sup>, and brought<sup>H7725</sup> him word<sup>H1697</sup> again<sup>H7725</sup>. 10 And Benhadad<sup>H1130</sup> sent<sup>H7971</sup> unto him, and said<sup>H559</sup>, The gods<sup>H430</sup> do so<sup>H6213</sup> unto me, and more also<sup>H3254</sup>, if the dust<sup>H6083</sup> of Samaria<sup>H8111</sup> shall suffice<sup>H5606</sup> for handfuls<sup>H8168</sup> for all the people<sup>H5971</sup> that follow<sup>H7272</sup> me.<sup>3</sup> 11 And the king<sup>H4428</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup> answered<sup>H6030</sup> and said<sup>H559</sup>, Tell<sup>H1696</sup> him, Let not him that girdeth<sup>H2296</sup> on his harness boast<sup>H1984</sup> himself as he that putteth it off<sup>H6605</sup>.

12 And it came to pass, when Benhadad heard<sup>H8085</sup> this message<sup>H1697</sup>, as he was drinking<sup>H8354</sup>, he and the kings<sup>H4428</sup> in the pavilions<sup>H5521</sup>, that he said<sup>H559</sup> unto his servants<sup>H5650</sup>, Set<sup>H7760</sup> yourselves in array. And they set<sup>H7760</sup> themselves in array against the city<sup>H5892</sup>. 13 And, behold, there came<sup>H5066</sup> a prophet<sup>H259</sup> unto Ahab<sup>H256</sup> king<sup>H4428</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup>, saying<sup>H559</sup>, Thus saith<sup>H559</sup> the LORD<sup>H3068</sup>, Hast thou seen<sup>H7200</sup> all this great<sup>H1419</sup> multitude<sup>H1995</sup>? behold, I will deliver<sup>H5414</sup> it into thine hand<sup>H3027</sup> this day<sup>H3117</sup>; and thou shalt know<sup>H3045</sup> that I am the LORD<sup>H3068</sup>. 14 And Ahab<sup>H256</sup> said<sup>H559</sup>, By whom? And he said<sup>H559</sup>, Thus saith<sup>H559</sup> the LORD<sup>H3068</sup>, Even by the young men<sup>H5288</sup> of the princes<sup>H8269</sup> of the provinces<sup>H4082</sup>. Then he said<sup>H559</sup>, Who shall order<sup>H631</sup> the battle<sup>H4421</sup>? And he answered<sup>H559</sup>, Thou.<sup>89</sup> 15 Then he numbered<sup>H6485</sup> the young men<sup>H5288</sup> of the princes<sup>H8269</sup> of the provinces<sup>H4082</sup>, and they were two<sup>H8147</sup> hundred<sup>H3967</sup> and thirty<sup>H7970</sup> two<sup>H8147</sup>: and after<sup>H310</sup> them he numbered<sup>H6485</sup> all the people<sup>H5971</sup>, even all the children<sup>H1121</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup>, being seven<sup>H7651</sup> thousand<sup>H505</sup>. 16 And they went out<sup>H3318</sup> at noon<sup>H6672</sup>. But Benhadad<sup>H1130</sup> was drinking<sup>H8354</sup> himself drunk<sup>H7910</sup> in the pavilions<sup>H5521</sup>, he and the kings<sup>H4428</sup>, the thirty<sup>H7970</sup> and two<sup>H8147</sup> kings<sup>H4428</sup> that helped<sup>H5826</sup> him. 17 And the young men<sup>H5288</sup> of the princes<sup>H8269</sup> of the provinces<sup>H4082</sup> went out<sup>H3318</sup> first<sup>H7223</sup>; and Benhadad<sup>H1130</sup> sent out<sup>H7971</sup>, and they told<sup>H5046</sup> him, saying<sup>H559</sup>, There are men<sup>H582</sup> come out<sup>H3318</sup> of Samaria<sup>H8111</sup>. 18 And he said<sup>H559</sup>, Whether they be come out<sup>H3318</sup> for peace<sup>H7965</sup>, take<sup>H8610</sup> them alive<sup>H2416</sup>; or whether they be come out<sup>H3318</sup> for war<sup>H4421</sup>, take<sup>H8610</sup> them alive<sup>H2416</sup>. 19 So these young men<sup>H5288</sup> of the princes<sup>H8269</sup> of the provinces<sup>H4082</sup> came out<sup>H3318</sup> of the city<sup>H5892</sup>, and the army<sup>H2428</sup> which followed<sup>H310</sup> them. 20 And they slew<sup>H5221</sup> every one<sup>H376</sup> his man<sup>H376</sup>: and the Syrians<sup>H758</sup> fled<sup>H5127</sup>; and Israel<sup>H3478</sup> pursued<sup>H7291</sup> them: and Benhadad<sup>H1130</sup> the king<sup>H4428</sup> of Syria<sup>H758</sup> escaped<sup>H4422</sup> on an horse<sup>H5483</sup> with the horsemen<sup>H6571</sup>. 21 And the king<sup>H4428</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup> went out<sup>H3318</sup>, and smote<sup>H5221</sup> the horses<sup>H5483</sup> and chariots<sup>H7393</sup>, and slew<sup>H5221</sup> the Syrians<sup>H758</sup> with a great<sup>H1419</sup> slaughter<sup>H4347</sup>.

22 And the prophet<sup>H5030</sup> came<sup>H5066</sup> to the king<sup>H4428</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup>, and said<sup>H559</sup> unto him, Go<sup>H3212</sup>, strengthen<sup>H2388</sup> thyself, and mark<sup>H3045</sup>, and see<sup>H7200</sup> what thou doest<sup>H6213</sup>: for at the return<sup>H8666</sup> of the year<sup>H8141</sup> the king<sup>H4428</sup> of Syria<sup>H758</sup> will come up<sup>H5927</sup> against thee. 23 And the servants<sup>H5650</sup> of the king<sup>H4428</sup> of Syria<sup>H758</sup> said<sup>H559</sup> unto him, Their gods<sup>H430</sup> are gods<sup>H430</sup> of the hills<sup>H2022</sup>; therefore they were stronger<sup>H2388</sup> than we; but<sup>H199</sup> let us fight<sup>H3898</sup> against them in the plain<sup>H4334</sup>, and surely<sup>H3808</sup> we shall be stronger<sup>H2388</sup> than they. 24 And do<sup>H6213</sup> this thing<sup>H1697</sup>, Take<sup>H5493</sup> the kings<sup>H4428</sup> away, every man<sup>H376</sup> out of his place<sup>H4725</sup>, and put<sup>H7760</sup> captains<sup>H6346</sup> in their rooms: 25 And number<sup>H4487</sup> thee an army<sup>H2428</sup>, like the army<sup>H2428</sup> that thou hast lost<sup>H5307</sup>, horse<sup>H5483</sup> for horse<sup>H5483</sup>, and chariot<sup>H7393</sup> for chariot<sup>H7393</sup>: and we will fight<sup>H3898</sup> against<sup>H854</sup> them in the plain<sup>H4334</sup>, and surely we shall be stronger<sup>H2388</sup> than they. And he hearkened<sup>H8085</sup> unto their voice<sup>H6963</sup>, and did so<sup>H6213</sup>. 26 And it came to pass at the return<sup>H8666</sup> of the year<sup>H8141</sup>, that Benhadad<sup>H1130</sup> numbered<sup>H6485</sup> the Syrians<sup>H758</sup>, and went up<sup>H5927</sup> to Aphek<sup>H663</sup>, to fight<sup>H4421</sup> against Israel<sup>H3478</sup>. 27 And the children<sup>H1121</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup> were numbered<sup>H6485</sup>, and were all present<sup>H3557</sup>, and went<sup>H3212</sup> against<sup>H7125</sup> them: and the children<sup>H1121</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup> pitched<sup>H2583</sup> before them like two<sup>H8147</sup> little flocks<sup>H2835</sup> of kids<sup>H5795</sup>; but the Syrians<sup>H758</sup> filled<sup>H4390</sup> the country<sup>H776</sup>. 28 And there came<sup>H5066</sup> a man<sup>H376</sup> of God<sup>H430</sup>, and spake<sup>H559</sup> unto the king<sup>H4428</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup>, and said<sup>H559</sup>, Thus saith<sup>H559</sup> the LORD<sup>H3068</sup>, Because the Syrians<sup>H758</sup> have said<sup>H559</sup>, The LORD<sup>H3068</sup> is God<sup>H430</sup> of the hills<sup>H2022</sup>, but he is not God<sup>H430</sup> of the valleys<sup>H6010</sup>, therefore will I deliver<sup>H5414</sup> all this great<sup>H1419</sup> multitude<sup>H1995</sup> into thine hand<sup>H3027</sup>, and ye shall know<sup>H3045</sup> that I am the LORD<sup>H3068</sup>. 29 And they pitched<sup>H2583</sup> one<sup>H428</sup> over against<sup>H5227</sup> the other<sup>H428</sup> seven<sup>H7651</sup> days<sup>H3117</sup>. And so it was, that in the seventh<sup>H7637</sup> day<sup>H3117</sup> the battle<sup>H4421</sup> was joined<sup>H7126</sup>: and the children<sup>H1121</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup> slew<sup>H5221</sup> of the Syrians<sup>H758</sup> an hundred<sup>H3967</sup> thousand<sup>H505</sup> footmen<sup>H7273</sup> in one<sup>H259</sup> day<sup>H3117</sup>. 30 But the rest<sup>H3498</sup> fled<sup>H5127</sup> to Aphek<sup>H663</sup>, into the city<sup>H5892</sup>; and there a wall<sup>H2346</sup> fell<sup>H5307</sup> upon twenty<sup>H6242</sup> and seven<sup>H7651</sup> thousand<sup>H505</sup> of the men<sup>H376</sup> that were left<sup>H3498</sup>. And Benhadad<sup>H1130</sup> fled<sup>H5127</sup>, and came<sup>H935</sup> into the city<sup>H5892</sup>, into an inner<sup>H2315</sup> chamber<sup>H2315</sup>.

31 And his servants<sup>H5650</sup> said<sup>H559</sup> unto him, Behold now, we have heard<sup>H8085</sup> that the kings<sup>H4428</sup> of the house<sup>H1004</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup> are merciful<sup>H2617</sup> kings<sup>H4428</sup>: let us, I pray thee, put<sup>H7760</sup> sackcloth<sup>H8242</sup> on our loins<sup>H4975</sup>, and ropes<sup>H2256</sup> upon our heads<sup>H7218</sup>, and go out<sup>H3318</sup> to the king<sup>H4428</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup>: peradventure he will save<sup>H2421</sup> thy life<sup>H5315</sup>. 32 So they girded<sup>H2296</sup> sackcloth<sup>H8242</sup> on their loins<sup>H4975</sup>, and put ropes<sup>H2256</sup> on their heads<sup>H7218</sup>, and came<sup>H935</sup> to the king<sup>H4428</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup>, and said<sup>H559</sup>, Thy servant<sup>H5650</sup> Benhadad<sup>H1130</sup> saith<sup>H559</sup>, I pray thee, let me live<sup>H2421</sup>. And he said<sup>H559</sup>, Is he yet alive<sup>H2416</sup>? he is my brother<sup>H251</sup>. 33 Now the men<sup>H582</sup> did diligently observe<sup>H5172</sup> whether any thing would come from him, and did hastily<sup>H4116</sup> catch<sup>H2480</sup> it: and they said<sup>H559</sup>, Thy brother<sup>H251</sup> Benhadad<sup>H1130</sup>. Then he said<sup>H559</sup>, Go<sup>H935</sup> ye, bring<sup>H3947</sup> him. Then Benhadad<sup>H1130</sup> came forth<sup>H3318</sup> to him; and he caused him to come up<sup>H5927</sup> into the chariot<sup>H4818</sup>. 34 And Benhadad said<sup>H559</sup> unto him, The cities<sup>H5892</sup>, which my father<sup>H1</sup> took<sup>H3947</sup> from thy father<sup>H1</sup>, I will restore<sup>H7725</sup>; and thou shalt make<sup>H7760</sup> streets<sup>H2351</sup> for thee in Damascus<sup>H1834</sup>, as my father<sup>H1</sup> made<sup>H7760</sup> in Samaria<sup>H8111</sup>. Then said Ahab, I will send thee away<sup>H7971</sup> with this covenant<sup>H1285</sup>. So he made<sup>H3772</sup> a covenant<sup>H1285</sup> with him, and sent him away<sup>H7971</sup>. 35 And a certain<sup>H259</sup> man<sup>H376</sup> of the sons<sup>H1121</sup> of the prophets<sup>H5030</sup> said<sup>H559</sup> unto his neighbour<sup>H7453</sup> in the word<sup>H1697</sup> of the LORD<sup>H3068</sup>, Smite<sup>H5221</sup> me, I pray thee. And the man<sup>H376</sup> refused<sup>H3985</sup> to smite<sup>H5221</sup> him. 36 Then said<sup>H559</sup> he unto him, Because thou hast not obeyed<sup>H8085</sup> the voice<sup>H6963</sup> of the LORD<sup>H3068</sup>, behold, as soon as thou art departed<sup>H1980</sup> from me, a lion<sup>H738</sup> shall slay<sup>H5221</sup> thee. And as soon as he was departed<sup>H3212</sup> from him<sup>H681</sup>, a lion<sup>H738</sup> found<sup>H4672</sup> him, and slew<sup>H5221</sup> him. 37 Then he found<sup>H4672</sup> another<sup>H312</sup> man<sup>H376</sup>, and said<sup>H559</sup>, Smite<sup>H5221</sup> me, I pray thee. And the man<sup>H376</sup> smote<sup>H5221</sup> him, so that in smiting<sup>H5221</sup> he wounded<sup>H6481</sup> him. 38 So the prophet<sup>H5030</sup> departed<sup>H3212</sup>, and waited<sup>H5975</sup> for the king<sup>H4428</sup> by the way<sup>H1870</sup>, and disguised<sup>H2664</sup> himself with ashes<sup>H666</sup> upon his face<sup>H5869</sup>. 39 And as the king<sup>H4428</sup> passed by<sup>H5674</sup>, he cried<sup>H6817</sup> unto the king<sup>H4428</sup>: and he said<sup>H559</sup>, Thy servant<sup>H5650</sup> went out<sup>H3318</sup> into the midst<sup>H7130</sup> of the battle<sup>H4421</sup>; and, behold, a man<sup>H376</sup> turned aside<sup>H5493</sup>, and brought<sup>H935</sup> a man<sup>H376</sup> unto me, and said<sup>H559</sup>, Keep<sup>H8104</sup> this man<sup>H376</sup>: if by any means<sup>H6485</sup> he be missing<sup>H6485</sup>, then shall thy life<sup>H5315</sup> be for his life<sup>H5315</sup>, or else thou shalt pay<sup>H8254</sup> a talent<sup>H3603</sup> of silver<sup>H3701</sup>. 40 And as thy servant<sup>H5650</sup> was busy<sup>H6213</sup> here and there, he was gone<sup>H369</sup>. And the king<sup>H4428</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup> said<sup>H559</sup> unto him, So shall thy judgment<sup>H4941</sup> be; thyself hast decided<sup>H2782</sup> it. 41 And he hasted<sup>H4116</sup>, and took the ashes<sup>H666</sup> away<sup>H5493</sup> from his face<sup>H5869</sup>; and the king<sup>H4428</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup> discerned<sup>H5234</sup> him that he was of the prophets<sup>H5030</sup>. 42 And he said<sup>H559</sup> unto him, Thus saith<sup>H559</sup> the LORD<sup>H3068</sup>, Because thou hast let go<sup>H7971</sup> out of thy hand<sup>H3027</sup> a man<sup>H376</sup> whom I appointed to utter destruction<sup>H2764</sup>, therefore thy life<sup>H5315</sup> shall go for his life<sup>H5315</sup>, and thy people<sup>H5971</sup> for his people<sup>H5971</sup>. 43 And the

king<sup>H4428</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup> went<sup>H3212</sup> to his house<sup>H1004</sup> heavy<sup>H5620</sup> and displeased<sup>H2198</sup>, and came<sup>H935</sup> to Samaria<sup>H8111</sup>.

## Fußnoten

1. pleasant: Heb. desirable
2. I denied...: Heb. I kept not back from him
3. follow...: Heb. are at my feet
4. message: Heb. word
5. pavilions: or, tents
6. Set yourselves...: or, Place the engines. And they placed the engines
7. came: Heb. approached
8. young...: or, servants
9. order: Heb. bind, or, tie
10. that thou...: Heb. that was fallen
11. to fight...: Heb. to the war with Israel
12. were all...: or, were nourished
13. into an...: or, from chamber to chamber: Heb. into a chamber within a chamber
14. so that...: Heb. smiting and wounding
15. pay: Heb. weigh
16. he was...: Heb. he was not