

2. Chronicles 34



Englische King James Version von 1611/1769 mit Strongs

1 Josiah^{H2977} was eight^{H8083} years^{H8141} old^{H1121} when he began to reign^{H4427}, and he reigned^{H4427} in Jerusalem^{H3389} one^{H259} and thirty^{H7970} years^{H8141}. 2 And he did^{H6213} that which was right^{H3477} in the sight^{H5869} of the LORD^{H3068}, and walked^{H3212} in the ways^{H1870} of David^{H1732} his father^{H1}, and declined^{H5493} neither to the right hand^{H3225}, nor to the left^{H8040}. 3 For in the eighth^{H8083} year^{H8141} of his reign^{H4427}, while he was yet young^{H5288}, he began^{H2490} to seek^{H1875} after the God^{H430} of David^{H1732} his father^{H1}: and in the twelfth^{H8147} year^{H6240} he began^{H2490} to purge^{H2891} Judah^{H3063} and Jerusalem^{H3389} from the high places^{H1116}, and the groves^{H842}, and the carved images^{H6456}, and the molten images^{H4541}. 4 And they brake down^{H5422} the altars^{H4196} of Baalim^{H1168} in his presence^{H6440}, and the images^{H2553}, that were on high above them^{H4605}, he cut down^{H1438}, and the groves^{H842}, and the carved images^{H6456}, and the molten images^{H4541}, he brake in pieces^{H7665}, and made dust^{H1854} of them, and strowed^{H2236} it upon^{H6440} the graves^{H6913} of them that had sacrificed^{H2076} unto them.¹² 5 And he burnt^{H8313} the bones^{H6106} of the priests^{H3548} upon their altars^{H4196}, and cleansed^{H2891} Judah^{H3063} and Jerusalem^{H3389}. 6 And so did he in the cities^{H5892} of Manasseh^{H4519}, and Ephraim^{H669}, and Simeon^{H8095}, even unto Naphtali^{H5321}, with their mattocks^{H2719} round about^{H5439}. 7 And when he had broken down^{H5422} the altars^{H4196} and the groves^{H842}, and had beaten^{H3807} the graven images^{H6456} into powder^{H1854}, and cut down^{H1438} all the idols^{H2553} throughout all the land^{H776} of Israel^{H3478}, he returned^{H7725} to Jerusalem^{H3389}.⁴

8 Now in the eighteenth^{H8083} year^{H6240} of his reign^{H4427}, when he had purged^{H2891} the land^{H776}, and the house^{H1004}, he sent^{H7971} Shaphan^{H8227} the son^{H1121} of Azaliah^{H683}, and Maaseiah^{H4641} the governor^{H8269} of the city^{H5892}, and Joah^{H3098} the son^{H1121} of Joahaz^{H3099} the recorder^{H2142}, to repair^{H2388} the house^{H1004} of the LORD^{H3068} his God^{H430}. 9 And when they came^{H935} to Hilkiah^{H2518} the high^{H1419} priest^{H3548}, they delivered^{H5414} the money^{H3701} that was brought^{H935} into the house^{H1004} of God^{H430}, which the Levites^{H3881} that kept^{H8104} the doors^{H5592} had gathered^{H622} of the hand^{H3027} of Manasseh^{H4519} and Ephraim^{H669}, and of all the remnant^{H7611} of Israel^{H3478}, and of all Judah^{H3063} and Benjamin^{H1144}; and they returned^{H7725} to Jerusalem^{H3389}. 10 And they put^{H5414} it in the hand^{H3027} of the workmen^{H6213} that had the oversight^{H6485} of the house^{H1004} of the LORD^{H3068}, and they gave^{H5414} it to the workmen^{H6213} that wrought^{H6213} in the house^{H1004} of the LORD^{H3068}, to repair^{H918} and amend^{H2388} the house^{H1004}. 11 Even to the artificers^{H2796} and builders^{H1129} gave^{H5414} they it, to buy^{H7069} hewn^{H4274} stone^{H68}, and timber^{H6086} for couplings^{H4226}, and to floor^{H7136} the houses^{H1004} which the kings^{H4428} of Judah^{H3063} had destroyed^{H7843}.⁵ 12 And the men^{H582} did^{H6213} the work^{H4399} faithfully^{H530}: and the overseers^{H5329} of them were Jahath^{H3189} and Obadiah^{H5662}, the Levites^{H3881}, of the sons^{H1121} of Merari^{H4847}; and Zechariah^{H2148} and Meshullam^{H4918}, of the sons of the Kohathites^{H6956}, to set it forward^{H6485}; and other of the Levites^{H3881}, all that could skill^{H995} of instruments^{H3627} of musick^{H7892}. 13 Also they were over the bearers of burdens^{H5449}, and were overseers^{H5329} of all that wrought^{H6213} the work^{H4399} in any manner of service^{H5656}: and of the Levites^{H3881} there were scribes^{H5608}, and officers^{H7860}, and porters^{H7778}.

14 And when they brought out^{H3318} the money^{H3701} that was brought into^{H935} the house^{H1004} of the LORD^{H3068}, Hilkiah^{H2518} the priest^{H3548} found^{H4672} a book^{H5612} of the law^{H8451} of the LORD^{H3068} given by^{H3027} Moses^{H4872}.⁶ 15 And Hilkiah^{H2518} answered^{H6030} and said^{H559} to Shaphan^{H8227} the scribe^{H5608}, I have found^{H4672} the book^{H5612} of the law^{H8451} in the house^{H1004} of the LORD^{H3068}. And Hilkiah^{H2518} delivered^{H5414} the book^{H5612} to Shaphan^{H8227}. 16 And Shaphan^{H8227} carried^{H935} the book^{H5612} to the king^{H4428}, and brought^{H7725} the king^{H4428} word^{H1697} back^{H7725} again, saying^{H559}, All that was committed^{H5414} to^{H3027} thy servants^{H5650}, they do^{H6213} it.⁷ 17 And they have gathered together^{H5413} the money^{H3701} that was found^{H4672} in the house^{H1004} of the LORD^{H3068}, and have delivered^{H5414} it into the hand^{H3027} of the overseers^{H6485}, and to the hand^{H3027} of the workmen^{H6213}.⁸ 18 Then Shaphan^{H8227} the scribe^{H5608} told^{H5046} the king^{H4428}, saying^{H559}, Hilkiah^{H2518} the priest^{H3548} hath given^{H5414} me a book^{H5612}. And Shaphan^{H8227} read^{H7121} it before^{H6440} the king^{H4428}.⁹ 19 And it came to pass, when the king^{H4428} had heard^{H8085} the words^{H1697} of the

law^{H8451}, that he rent^{H7167} his clothes^{H899}. **20** And the king^{H4428} commanded^{H6680} Hilkiyah^{H2518}, and Ahikam^{H296} the son^{H1121} of Shaphan^{H8227}, and Abdon^{H5658} the son^{H1121} of Micah^{H4318}, and Shaphan^{H8227} the scribe^{H5608}, and Asaiah^{H6222} a servant^{H5650} of the king's^{H4428}, saying^{H559} ¹⁰ **21** Go^{H3212}, enquire^{H1875} of the LORD^{H3068} for me, and for them that are left^{H7604} in Israel^{H3478} and in Judah^{H3063}, concerning the words^{H1697} of the book^{H5612} that is found^{H4672}: for great^{H1419} is the wrath^{H2534} of the LORD^{H3068} that is poured out^{H5413} upon us, because our fathers^{H1} have not kept^{H8104} the word^{H1697} of the LORD^{H3068}, to do^{H6213} after all that is written^{H3789} in this book^{H5612}. **22** And Hilkiyah^{H2518}, and they that the king^{H4428} had appointed, went^{H3212} to Huldah^{H2468} the prophetess^{H5031}, the wife^{H802} of Shallum^{H7967} the son^{H1121} of Tikvath^{H8616} ^{H8445}, the son^{H1121} of Hasrah^{H2641}, keeper^{H8104} of the wardrobe^{H899}; (now she dwelt^{H3427} in Jerusalem^{H3389} in the college^{H4932};) and they spake^{H1696} to her to that effect. **23** And she answered^{H559} them, Thus saith^{H559} the LORD^{H3068} God^{H430} of Israel^{H3478}, Tell^{H559} ye the man^{H376} that sent^{H7971} you to me, **24** Thus saith^{H559} the LORD^{H3068}, Behold, I will bring^{H935} evil^{H7451} upon this place^{H4725}, and upon the inhabitants^{H3427} thereof, even all the curses^{H423} that are written^{H3789} in the book^{H5612} which they have read^{H7121} before^{H6440} the king^{H4428} of Judah^{H3063}. **25** Because they have forsaken^{H5800} me, and have burned incense^{H6999} ^{H6999} unto other^{H312} gods^{H430}, that they might provoke me to anger^{H3707} with all the works^{H4639} of their hands^{H3027}; therefore my wrath^{H2534} shall be poured out^{H5413} upon this place^{H4725}, and shall not be quenched^{H3518}. **26** And as for^{H413} the king^{H4428} of Judah^{H3063}, who sent^{H7971} you to enquire^{H1875} of the LORD^{H3068}, so shall ye say^{H559} unto him, Thus saith^{H559} the LORD^{H3068} God^{H430} of Israel^{H3478} concerning the words^{H1697} which thou hast heard^{H8085}, **27** Because thine heart^{H3824} was tender^{H7401}, and thou didst humble^{H3665} thyself before^{H6440} God^{H430}, when thou heardest^{H8085} his words^{H1697} against this place^{H4725}, and against the inhabitants^{H3427} thereof, and humbledst^{H3665} thyself before^{H6440} me, and didst rend^{H7167} thy clothes^{H899}, and weep^{H1058} before^{H6440} me; I have even heard^{H8085} thee also, saith^{H5002} the LORD^{H3068}. **28** Behold, I will gather^{H622} thee to thy fathers^{H1}, and thou shalt be gathered^{H622} to thy grave^{H6913} in peace^{H7965}, neither shall thine eyes^{H5869} see^{H7200} all the evil^{H7451} that I will bring^{H935} upon this place^{H4725}, and upon the inhabitants^{H3427} of the same. So they brought^{H7725} the king^{H4428} word^{H1697} again^{H7725}.

29 Then the king^{H4428} sent^{H7971} and gathered together^{H622} all the elders^{H2205} of Judah^{H3063} and Jerusalem^{H3389}. **30** And the king^{H4428} went up^{H5927} into the house^{H1004} of the LORD^{H3068}, and all the men^{H376} of Judah^{H3063}, and the inhabitants^{H3427} of Jerusalem^{H3389}, and the priests^{H3548}, and the Levites^{H3881}, and all the people^{H5971}, great^{H1419} and small^{H6996}: and he read^{H7121} in their ears^{H241} all the words^{H1697} of the book^{H5612} of the covenant^{H1285} that was found^{H4672} in the house^{H1004} of the LORD^{H3068}. **31** And the king^{H4428} stood^{H5975} in his place^{H5977}, and made^{H3772} a covenant^{H1285} before^{H6440} the LORD^{H3068}, to walk^{H3212} after^{H310} the LORD^{H3068}, and to keep^{H8104} his commandments^{H4687}, and his testimonies^{H5715}, and his statutes^{H2706}, with all his heart^{H3824}, and with all his soul^{H5315}, to perform^{H6213} the words^{H1697} of the covenant^{H1285} which are written^{H3789} in this book^{H5612}. **32** And he caused all that were present^{H4672} in Jerusalem^{H3389} and Benjamin^{H1144} to stand^{H5975} to it. And the inhabitants^{H3427} of Jerusalem^{H3389} did^{H6213} according to the covenant^{H1285} of God^{H430}, the God^{H430} of their fathers^{H1}. **33** And Josiah^{H2977} took away^{H5493} all the abominations^{H8441} out of all the countries^{H776} that pertained to the children^{H1121} of Israel^{H3478}, and made all that were present^{H4672} in Israel^{H3478} to serve^{H5647}, even to serve^{H5647} the LORD^{H3068} their God^{H430}. And all his days^{H3117} they departed^{H5493} not from following^{H310} the LORD^{H3068}, the God^{H430} of their fathers^{H1}. ¹⁶¹⁷

Fußnoten

1. the images: or, the sun images
2. graves: Heb. face of the graves
3. mattocks: or, mauls
4. into...: Heb. to make powder
5. to floor: or, to rafter
6. by: Heb. by the hand of
7. to thy...: Heb. to the hand of, etc
8. gathered together: Heb. poured out, or, melted
9. it: Heb. in it

- 10. Abdon: or, Achbor
- 11. Hasrah: or, Harhas, 2.kings.22.14.
- 12. wardrobe: Heb. garments
- 13. in the college: or, in the school, or, in the second part
- 14. great...: Heb. from great even to small
- 15. present: Heb. found
- 16. present: Heb. found
- 17. from...: Heb. from after