

2. Samuel 20



Englische King James Version von 1611/1769 mit Strongs

1 And there happened^{H7122} to be there a man^{H376} of Belial^{H1100}, whose name^{H8034} was Sheba^{H7652}, the son^{H1121} of Bichri^{H1075}, a Benjamite^{H1145}: and he blew^{H8628} a trumpet^{H7782}, and said^{H559}, We have no part^{H2506} in David^{H1732}, neither have we inheritance^{H5159} in the son^{H1121} of Jesse^{H3448}: every^{H376} man^{H376} to his tents^{H168}, O Israel^{H3478}. 2 So every man^{H376} of Israel^{H3478} went up^{H5927} from after^{H310} David^{H1732}, and followed^{H310} Sheba^{H7652} the son^{H1121} of Bichri^{H1075}: but the men^{H376} of Judah^{H3063} clave^{H1692} unto their king^{H4428}, from Jordan^{H3383} even to Jerusalem^{H3389}. 3 And David^{H1732} came^{H935} to his house^{H1004} at Jerusalem^{H3389}; and the king^{H4428} took^{H3947} the ten^{H6235} women^{H802} his concubines^{H6370}, whom he had left^{H3240} to keep^{H8104} the house^{H1004}, and put^{H5414} them in ward^{H4931}, and fed^{H3557} them, but went not in^{H935} unto them. So they were shut up^{H6887} unto the day^{H3117} of their death^{H4191}, living^{H2424} in widowhood^{H491}.¹²³

4 Then said^{H559} the king^{H4428} to Amasa^{H6021}, Assemble^{H2199} me the men^{H376} of Judah^{H3063} within three^{H7969} days^{H3117}, and be thou here present^{H5975}. 4 So Amasa^{H6021} went^{H3212} to assemble^{H2199} the men of Judah^{H3063}: but he tarried longer^{H309} than the set time^{H4150} which he had appointed^{H3259} him. 5 And David^{H1732} said^{H559} to Abishai^{H52}, Now shall Sheba^{H7652} the son^{H1121} of Bichri^{H1075} do us more harm^{H3415} than did Absalom^{H53}: take^{H3947} thou thy lord's^{H113} servants^{H5650}, and pursue^{H7291} after^{H310} him, lest he get^{H4672} him fenced^{H1219} cities^{H5892}, and escape^{H5337} us^{H5869}. 6 And there went out^{H3318} after^{H310} him Joab's^{H3097} men^{H582}, and the Cherethites^{H3774}, and the Pelethites^{H6432}, and all the mighty men^{H1368}: and they went out^{H3318} of Jerusalem^{H3389}, to pursue^{H7291} after^{H310} Sheba^{H7652} the son^{H1121} of Bichri^{H1075}. 7 And when they were at the great^{H1419} stone^{H68} which is in Gibeon^{H1391}, Amasa^{H6021} went^{H935} before^{H6440} them. And Joab's^{H3097} garment^{H4055} that he had put on^{H3830} was girded^{H2296} unto him, and upon it a girdle^{H2289} with a sword^{H2719} fastened^{H6775} upon his loins^{H4975} in the sheath^{H8593} thereof; and as he went forth^{H3318} it fell out^{H5307}. 8 And Joab^{H3097} said^{H559} to Amasa^{H6021}, Art thou in health^{H7965}, my brother^{H251}? And Joab^{H3097} took^{H270} Amasa^{H6021} by the beard^{H2206} with the right^{H3225} hand^{H3027} to kiss^{H5401} him. 9 But Amasa^{H6021} took no heed^{H8104} to the sword^{H2719} that was in Joab's^{H3097} hand^{H3027}: so he smote^{H5221} him therewith in the fifth^{H2570} rib, and shed out^{H8210} his bowels^{H4578} to the ground^{H776}, and struck him not again^{H8138}; and he died^{H4191}. So Joab^{H3097} and Abishai^{H52} his brother^{H251} pursued^{H7291} after^{H310} Sheba^{H7652} the son^{H1121} of Bichri^{H1075}. 10 And one^{H376} of Joab's^{H3097} men^{H5288} stood^{H5975} by him, and said^{H559}, He^{H4310} that favoureth^{H2654} Joab^{H3097}, and he that is for David^{H1732}, let him go after^{H310} Joab^{H3097}. 11 And Amasa^{H6021} wallowed^{H1556} in blood^{H1818} in the midst^{H8432} of the highway^{H4546}. And when the man^{H376} saw^{H7200} that all the people^{H5971} stood still^{H5975}, he removed^{H5437} Amasa^{H6021} out of the highway^{H4546} into the field^{H7704}, and cast^{H7993} a cloth^{H899} upon him, when he saw^{H7200} that every one that came^{H935} by him stood still^{H5975}. 12 When he was removed^{H3014} out of the highway^{H4546}, all the people^{H376} went on^{H5674} after^{H310} Joab^{H3097}, to pursue^{H7291} after^{H310} Sheba^{H7652} the son^{H1121} of Bichri^{H1075}.

14 And he went^{H5674} through all the tribes^{H7626} of Israel^{H3478} unto Abel^{H59}, and to Bethmaachah^{H1038}, and all the Berites^{H1276}: and they were gathered together^{H6950} H7035, and went^{H935} also after^{H310} him. 15 And they came^{H935} and besieged^{H6696} him in Abel^{H59} of Bethmaachah^{H1038}, and they cast up^{H8210} a bank^{H5550} against the city^{H5892}, and it stood^{H5975} in the trench^{H2426}: and all the people^{H5971} that were with Joab^{H3097} battered^{H7843} the wall^{H2346}, to throw it down^{H5307}. 16 Then cried^{H7121} a wise^{H2450} woman^{H802} out of the city^{H5892}, Hear^{H8085}, hear^{H8085}, say^{H559}, I pray you, unto Joab^{H3097}, Come near^{H7126} hither, that I may speak^{H1696} with thee. 17 And when he was come near^{H7126} unto her, the woman^{H802} said^{H559}, Art thou Joab^{H3097}? And he answered^{H559}, I am he. Then she said^{H559} unto him, Hear^{H8085} the words^{H1697} of thine handmaid^{H519}. And he answered^{H559}, I do hear^{H8085}. 18 Then she spake^{H559}, saying^{H559}, They were wont^{H1696} to speak^{H1696} in old time^{H7223}, saying^{H559}, They shall surely^{H7592} ask^{H7592} counsel at Abel^{H59}: and so they ended^{H8552} the matter.¹⁰ 19 I am one of them that are peaceable^{H7999} and faithful^{H539} in Israel^{H3478}: thou seekest^{H1245} to

destroy^{H4191} a city^{H5892} and a mother^{H517} in Israel^{H3478}: why wilt thou swallow up^{H1104} the inheritance^{H5159} of the LORD^{H3068}? **20** And Joab^{H3097} answered^{H6030} and said^{H559}, Far be it^{H2486}, far be it^{H2486} from me, that I should swallow up^{H1104} or destroy^{H7843}. **21** The matter^{H1697} is not so: but a man^{H376} of mount^{H2022} Ephraim^{H669}, Sheba^{H7652} the son^{H1121} of Bichri^{H1075} by name^{H8034}, hath lifted up^{H5375} his hand^{H3027} against the king^{H4428}, even against David^{H1732}: deliver^{H5414} him only, and I will depart^{H3212} from the city^{H5892}. And the woman^{H802} said^{H559} unto Joab^{H3097}, Behold, his head^{H7218} shall be thrown^{H7993} to thee over^{H1157} the wall^{H2346}. ¹¹ **22** Then the woman^{H802} went^{H935} unto all the people^{H5971} in her wisdom^{H2451}. And they cut off^{H3772} the head^{H7218} of Sheba^{H7652} the son^{H1121} of Bichri^{H1075}, and cast^{H7993} it out to Joab^{H3097}. And he blew^{H8628} a trumpet^{H7782}, and they retired^{H6327} from the city^{H5892}, every man^{H376} to his tent^{H168}. And Joab^{H3097} returned^{H7725} to Jerusalem^{H3389} unto the king^{H4428}. ¹²

23 Now Joab^{H3097} was over all the host^{H6635} of Israel^{H3478}: and Benaiah^{H1141} the son^{H1121} of Jehoiada^{H3077} was over the Cherethites^{H3774} ^{H3746} and over the Pelethites^{H6432}. **24** And Adoram^{H151} was over the tribute^{H4522}: and Jehoshaphat^{H3092} the son^{H1121} of Ahilud^{H286} was recorder^{H2142,13}: **25** And Sheva^{H7864} ^{H7724} was scribe^{H5608}: and Zadok^{H6659} and Abiathar^{H54} were the priests^{H3548}. **26** And Ira^{H5896} also the Jairite^{H2972} was a chief ruler^{H3548} about David^{H1732}. ¹⁴

Fußnoten

1. ward: Heb. an house of ward
2. shut...: Heb. bound
3. living...: Heb. in widowhood of life
4. Assemble: Heb. Call
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6. escape...: Heb. deliver himself from our eyes
7. struck...: Heb. doubled not his stroke
8. in the trench: or, against the outmost wall
9. battered: Heb. marred to throw down
10. They were...: or, They plainly spake in the beginning, saying, Surely they will ask of Abel, and so make an end
11. by name: Heb. by his name
12. retired: Heb. were scattered
13. recorder: or, remembrancer
14. a chief...: or, a prince