

# Genesis 37



Englische King James Version von 1611/1769 mit Strongs

1 And Jacob<sup>H3290</sup> dwelt<sup>H3427</sup> in the land<sup>H776</sup> wherein his father<sup>H1</sup> was a stranger<sup>H4033</sup>, in the land<sup>H776</sup> of Canaan<sup>H3667</sup>. 2 These are the generations<sup>H8435</sup> of Jacob<sup>H3290</sup>. Joseph<sup>H3130</sup>, being seventeen<sup>H6240 H7651</sup> years<sup>H8141</sup> old<sup>H1121</sup>, was feeding<sup>H7462</sup> the flock<sup>H6629</sup> with his brethren<sup>H251</sup>; and the lad<sup>H5288</sup> was with the sons<sup>H1121</sup> of Bilhah<sup>H1090</sup>, and with the sons<sup>H1121</sup> of Zilpah<sup>H2153</sup>, his father's<sup>H1</sup> wives<sup>H802</sup>: and Joseph<sup>H3130</sup> brought<sup>H935</sup> unto his father<sup>H1</sup> their evil<sup>H7451</sup> report<sup>H11681</sup>. 3 Now Israel<sup>H3478</sup> loved<sup>H157</sup> Joseph<sup>H3130</sup> more than all his children<sup>H1121</sup>, because he was the son<sup>H1121</sup> of his old age<sup>H2208</sup>: and he made<sup>H6213</sup> him a coat<sup>H3801</sup> of many colours<sup>H6446</sup>. 4 And when his brethren<sup>H251</sup> saw<sup>H7200</sup> that their father<sup>H1</sup> loved<sup>H157</sup> him more than all his brethren<sup>H251</sup>, they hated<sup>H8130</sup> him, and could<sup>H3201</sup> not speak<sup>H1696</sup> peaceably<sup>H7965</sup> unto him.

5 And Joseph<sup>H3130</sup> dreamed<sup>H2492</sup> a dream<sup>H2472</sup>, and he told<sup>H5046</sup> it his brethren<sup>H251</sup>: and they hated<sup>H8130</sup> him yet the more<sup>H3254</sup>. 6 And he said<sup>H559</sup> unto them, Hear<sup>H8085</sup>, I pray you, this dream<sup>H2472</sup> which I have dreamed<sup>H2492</sup>. 7 For, behold, we were binding<sup>H481 H8432</sup> sheaves<sup>H485</sup> in the field<sup>H7704</sup>, and, lo, my sheaf<sup>H485</sup> arose<sup>H6965</sup>, and also stood upright<sup>H5324</sup>; and, behold, your sheaves<sup>H485</sup> stood round about<sup>H5437</sup>, and made obeisance<sup>H7812</sup> to my sheaf<sup>H485</sup>. 8 And his brethren<sup>H251</sup> said<sup>H559</sup> to him, Shalt thou indeed<sup>H4427</sup> reign<sup>H4427</sup> over us? or shalt thou indeed<sup>H4910</sup> have dominion<sup>H4910</sup> over us? And they hated<sup>H8130</sup> him yet the more<sup>H3254</sup> for his dreams<sup>H2472</sup>, and for his words<sup>H1697</sup>. 9 And he dreamed<sup>H2492</sup> yet another<sup>H312</sup> dream<sup>H2472</sup>, and told<sup>H5608</sup> it his brethren<sup>H251</sup>, and said<sup>H559</sup>, Behold, I have dreamed<sup>H2492</sup> a dream<sup>H2472</sup> more; and, behold, the sun<sup>H8121</sup> and the moon<sup>H3394</sup> and the eleven<sup>H6240 H259</sup> stars<sup>H3556</sup> made obeisance<sup>H7812</sup> to me. 10 And he told<sup>H5608</sup> it to his father<sup>H1</sup>, and to his brethren<sup>H251</sup>: and his father<sup>H1</sup> rebuked<sup>H1605</sup> him, and said<sup>H559</sup> unto him, What is this dream<sup>H2472</sup> that thou hast dreamed<sup>H2492</sup>? Shall I and thy mother<sup>H517</sup> and thy brethren<sup>H251</sup> indeed<sup>H935</sup> come<sup>H935</sup> to bow down<sup>H7812</sup> ourselves to thee to the earth<sup>H776</sup>? 11 And his brethren<sup>H251</sup> envied<sup>H7065</sup> him; but his father<sup>H1</sup> observed<sup>H8104</sup> the saying<sup>H1697</sup>.

12 And his brethren<sup>H251</sup> went<sup>H3212</sup> to feed<sup>H7462</sup> their father's<sup>H1</sup> flock<sup>H6629</sup> in Shechem<sup>H7927</sup>. 13 And Israel<sup>H3478</sup> said<sup>H559</sup> unto Joseph<sup>H3130</sup>, Do not thy brethren<sup>H251</sup> feed<sup>H7462</sup> the flock in Shechem<sup>H7927</sup>? come<sup>H3212</sup>, and I will send thee<sup>H7971</sup> unto them. And he said<sup>H559</sup> to him, Here am I. 14 And he said<sup>H559</sup> to him, Go<sup>H3212</sup>, I pray thee, see<sup>H7200</sup> whether it be well<sup>H7965</sup> with thy brethren<sup>H251</sup>, and well<sup>H7965</sup> with the flocks<sup>H6629</sup>; and bring<sup>H7725</sup> me word<sup>H1697</sup> again<sup>H7725</sup>. So he sent<sup>H7971</sup> him out of the vale<sup>H6010</sup> of Hebron<sup>H2275</sup>, and he came<sup>H935</sup> to Shechem<sup>H7927</sup>. 15 And a certain man<sup>H376</sup> found him<sup>H4672</sup>, and, behold, he was wandering<sup>H8582</sup> in the field<sup>H7704</sup>: and the man<sup>H376</sup> asked him<sup>H7592</sup>, saying<sup>H559</sup>, What seekest<sup>H1245</sup> thou? 16 And he said<sup>H559</sup>, I seek<sup>H1245</sup> my brethren<sup>H251</sup>: tell<sup>H5046</sup> me, I pray thee, where<sup>H375</sup> they feed<sup>H7462</sup> their flocks. 17 And the man<sup>H376</sup> said<sup>H559</sup>, They are departed<sup>H5265</sup> hence<sup>H2088</sup>; for I heard<sup>H8085</sup> them say<sup>H559</sup>, Let us go<sup>H3212</sup> to Dothan<sup>H1886</sup>. And Joseph<sup>H3130</sup> went<sup>H3212</sup> after<sup>H310</sup> his brethren<sup>H251</sup>, and found<sup>H4672</sup> them in Dothan<sup>H1886</sup>. 18 And when they saw<sup>H7200</sup> him afar off<sup>H7350</sup>, even before he came near<sup>H7126</sup> unto them, they conspired<sup>H5230</sup> against him to slay<sup>H4191</sup> him. 19 And they said<sup>H559</sup> one<sup>H376</sup> to another<sup>H251</sup>, Behold, this<sup>H1976</sup> dreamer<sup>H1167 H2472</sup> cometh<sup>H935</sup>. 20 Come<sup>H3212</sup> now therefore, and let us slay<sup>H2026</sup> him, and cast<sup>H7993</sup> him into some<sup>H259</sup> pit<sup>H953</sup>, and we will say<sup>H559</sup>, Some evil<sup>H7451</sup> beast<sup>H2416</sup> hath devoured<sup>H398</sup> him: and we shall see<sup>H7200</sup> what will become of his dreams<sup>H2472</sup>. 21 And Reuben<sup>H7205</sup> heard<sup>H8085</sup> it, and he delivered<sup>H5337</sup> him out of their hands<sup>H3027</sup>; and said<sup>H559</sup>, Let us not kill<sup>H5221 H5315</sup> him. 22 And Reuben<sup>H7205</sup> said<sup>H559</sup> unto them, Shed<sup>H8210</sup> no blood<sup>H1818</sup>, but cast<sup>H7993</sup> him into this pit<sup>H953</sup> that is in the wilderness<sup>H4057</sup>, and lay<sup>H7971</sup> no hand<sup>H3027</sup> upon him; that he might rid<sup>H5337</sup> him out of their hands<sup>H3027</sup>, to deliver<sup>H7725</sup> him to his father<sup>H1</sup> again<sup>H7725</sup>.

23 And it came to pass, when Joseph<sup>H3130</sup> was come<sup>H935</sup> unto his brethren<sup>H251</sup>, that they stripped<sup>H6584 H853</sup> Joseph<sup>H3130</sup> out of<sup>H854</sup> his coat<sup>H3801</sup>, his coat<sup>H3801</sup> of many colours<sup>H6446</sup> that was on him;<sup>5</sup> 24 And they took<sup>H3947</sup> him, and cast<sup>H7993</sup> him into a pit<sup>H953</sup>: and the pit<sup>H953</sup> was empty<sup>H7386</sup>, there was no water<sup>H4325</sup> in it. 25 And they sat down<sup>H3427</sup> to eat<sup>H398</sup>

bread<sup>H3899</sup>: and they lifted up<sup>H5375</sup> their eyes<sup>H5869</sup> and looked<sup>H7200</sup>, and, behold, a company<sup>H736</sup> of Ishmeelites<sup>H3459</sup> came<sup>H935</sup> from Gilead<sup>H1568</sup> with their camels<sup>H1581</sup> bearing<sup>H5375</sup> spicery<sup>H5219</sup> and balm<sup>H6875</sup> and myrrh<sup>H3910</sup>, going<sup>H1980</sup> to carry it down<sup>H3381</sup> to Egypt<sup>H4714</sup>. **26** And Judah<sup>H3063</sup> said<sup>H559</sup> unto his brethren<sup>H251</sup>, What profit<sup>H1215</sup> is it if we slay<sup>H2026</sup> our brother<sup>H251</sup>, and conceal<sup>H3680</sup> his blood<sup>H1818</sup>? **27** Come<sup>H3212</sup>, and let us sell<sup>H4376</sup> him to the Ishmeelites<sup>H3459</sup>, and let not our hand<sup>H3027</sup> be upon him; for he is our brother<sup>H251</sup> and our flesh<sup>H1320</sup>. And his brethren<sup>H251</sup> were content<sup>H8085 6</sup>. **28** Then there passed<sup>H5674</sup> by Midianites<sup>H4084</sup> merchantmen<sup>H582 H5503</sup>; and they drew<sup>H4900</sup> and lifted up<sup>H5927</sup> Joseph<sup>H3130</sup> out of the pit<sup>H953</sup>, and sold<sup>H4376</sup> Joseph<sup>H3130</sup> to the Ishmeelites<sup>H3459</sup> for twenty<sup>H6242</sup> pieces of silver<sup>H3701</sup>: and they brought<sup>H935</sup> Joseph<sup>H3130</sup> into Egypt<sup>H4714</sup>. **29** And Reuben<sup>H7205</sup> returned<sup>H7725</sup> unto the pit<sup>H953</sup>; and, behold, Joseph<sup>H3130</sup> was not in the pit<sup>H953</sup>; and he rent<sup>H7167</sup> his clothes<sup>H899</sup>. **30** And he returned<sup>H7725</sup> unto his brethren<sup>H251</sup>, and said<sup>H559</sup>, The child<sup>H3206</sup> is not; and I, whither<sup>H575</sup> shall I go<sup>H935</sup>?

**31** And they took<sup>H3947</sup> Joseph's<sup>H3130</sup> coat<sup>H3801</sup>, and killed<sup>H7819</sup> a kid<sup>H8163</sup> of the goats<sup>H5795</sup>, and dipped<sup>H2881</sup> the coat<sup>H3801</sup> in the blood<sup>H1818</sup>; **32** And they sent<sup>H7971</sup> the coat<sup>H3801</sup> of many colours<sup>H6446</sup>, and they brought<sup>H935</sup> it to their father<sup>H1</sup>; and said<sup>H559</sup>, This have we found<sup>H4672</sup>: know<sup>H5234</sup> now whether it be thy son's<sup>H1121</sup> coat<sup>H3801</sup> or no. **33** And he knew it<sup>H5234</sup>, and said<sup>H559</sup>, It is my son's<sup>H1121</sup> coat<sup>H3801</sup>; an evil<sup>H7451</sup> beast<sup>H2416</sup> hath devoured<sup>H398</sup> him; Joseph<sup>H3130</sup> is without doubt<sup>H2963</sup> rent in pieces<sup>H2963</sup>. **34** And Jacob<sup>H3290</sup> rent<sup>H7167</sup> his clothes<sup>H8071</sup>, and put<sup>H7760</sup> sackcloth<sup>H8242</sup> upon his loins<sup>H4975</sup>, and mourned<sup>H56</sup> for his son<sup>H1121</sup> many<sup>H7227</sup> days<sup>H3117</sup>. **35** And all his sons<sup>H1121</sup> and all his daughters<sup>H1323</sup> rose up<sup>H6965</sup> to comfort<sup>H5162</sup> him; but he refused<sup>H3985</sup> to be comforted<sup>H5162</sup>, and he said<sup>H559</sup>, For I will go down<sup>H3381</sup> into the grave<sup>H7585</sup> unto my son<sup>H1121</sup> mourning<sup>H57</sup>. Thus his father<sup>H1</sup> wept<sup>H1058</sup> for him. **36** And the Midianites<sup>H4092</sup> sold<sup>H4376</sup> him into Egypt<sup>H4714</sup> unto Potiphar<sup>H6318</sup>, an officer<sup>H5631</sup> of Pharaoh's<sup>H6547</sup>, and captain<sup>H8269</sup> of the guard<sup>H2876 78</sup>.

## Fußnoten

1. wherein...: Heb. of his father's sojournings
2. colours: or, pieces
3. see...: Heb. see the peace of thy brethren, etc.
4. dreamer: Heb. master of dreams
5. colours: or, pieces
6. were...: Heb. hearkened
7. officer: Heb. eunuch: but the word doth signify not only eunuchs, but also chamberlains, courtiers, and officers
8. captain...: or, chief marshal: Heb. chief of the slaughter men, or executioners