



1 And it came to pass in the days^{H3117} of Ahaz^{H271} the son^{H1121} of Jotham^{H3147}, the son^{H1121} of Uzziah^{H5818}, king^{H4428} of Judah^{H3063}, that Rezin^{H7526} the king^{H4428} of Syria^{H758}, and Pekah^{H6492} the son^{H1121} of Remaliah^{H7425}, king^{H4428} of Israel^{H3478}, went up^{H5927} toward Jerusalem^{H3389} to war^{H4421} against it, but could^{H3201} not prevail^{H3898} against it. 2 And it was told^{H5046} the house^{H1004} of David^{H1732}, saying^{H559}, Syria^{H758} is confederate^{H5117} with Ephraim^{H669}. And his heart^{H3824} was moved^{H5128}, and the heart^{H3824} of his people^{H5971}, as the trees^{H6086} of the wood^{H3293} are moved^{H5128} with^{H6440} the wind^{H7307}. 3 Then said^{H559} the LORD^{H3068} unto Isaiah^{H3470}, Go forth^{H3318} now to meet^{H7125} Ahaz^{H271}, thou, and Shearjashub^{H7610} thy son^{H1121}, at the end^{H7097} of the conduit^{H8585} of the upper^{H5945} pool^{H1295} in the highway^{H4546} of the fuller's^{H3526} field^{H7704}. 4 And say^{H559} unto him, Take heed^{H8104}, and be quiet^{H8252}, fear^{H3372} not, neither be fainthearted^{H7401} for the two^{H8147} tails^{H2180} of these smoking^{H6226} firebrands^{H181}, for the fierce^{H2750} anger^{H639} of Rezin^{H7526} with Syria^{H758}, and of the son^{H1121} of Remaliah^{H7425}. 5 Because Syria^{H758}, Ephraim^{H669}, and the son^{H1121} of Remaliah^{H7425}, have taken evil^{H7451} counsel^{H3289} against thee, saying^{H559}, 6 Let us go up^{H5927} against Judah^{H3063}, and vex^{H6973} it, and let us make a breach^{H1234} therein for us, and set^{H4427} a king^{H4428} in the midst^{H8432} of it, even the son^{H1121} of Tabeal^{H2870}. 7 Thus^{H3541} saith^{H559} the Lord^{H136} GOD^{H3069}, It shall not stand^{H6965}, neither shall it come to pass. 8 For the head^{H7218} of Syria^{H758} is Damascus^{H1834}, and the head^{H7218} of Damascus^{H1834} is Rezin^{H7526}, and within threescore^{H8346} and five^{H2568} years^{H8141} shall Ephraim^{H669} be broken^{H2865}, that it be not a people^{H5971}. 9 And the head^{H7218} of Ephraim^{H669} is Samaria^{H8111}, and the head^{H7218} of Samaria^{H8111} is Remaliah's^{H7425} son^{H1121}. If ye will not believe^{H539}, surely ye shall not be established^{H539}.

10 Moreover the LORD^{H3068} spake^{H1696} again^{H3254} unto Ahaz^{H271}, saying^{H559}, 11 Ask^{H7592} thee a sign^{H226} of the LORD^{H3068} thy God^{H430}; ask^{H7592} it either in the depth^{H6009}, or in the height^{H1361} above^{H4605}. 12 But Ahaz^{H271} said^{H559}, I will not ask^{H7592}, neither will I tempt^{H5254} the LORD^{H3068}. 13 And he said^{H559}, Hear^{H8085} ye now, O house^{H1004} of David^{H1732}, Is it a small thing^{H4592} for you to weary^{H3811} men^{H582}, but will ye weary^{H3811} my God^{H430} also? 14 Therefore the Lord^{H136} himself shall give^{H5414} you a sign^{H226}; Behold, a virgin^{H5959} shall conceive^{H2030}, and bear^{H3205} a son^{H1121}, and shall call^{H7121} his name^{H8034} Immanuel^{H410}. 15 Butter^{H2529} and honey^{H1706} shall he eat^{H398}, that he may know^{H3045} to refuse^{H3988} the evil^{H7451}, and choose^{H977} the good^{H2896}. 16 For before the child^{H5288} shall know^{H3045} to refuse^{H3988} the evil^{H7451}, and choose^{H977} the good^{H2896}, the land^{H127} that thou abhorrest^{H6973} shall be^{H6440} forsaken^{H5800} of both^{H8147} her kings^{H4428}.

17 The LORD^{H3068} shall bring^{H935} upon thee, and upon thy people^{H5971}, and upon thy father's^{H1} house^{H1004}, days^{H3117} that have not come^{H935}, from the day^{H3117} that Ephraim^{H669} departed^{H5493} from Judah^{H3063}; even the king^{H4428} of Assyria^{H804}. 18 And it shall come to pass in that day^{H3117}, that the LORD^{H3068} shall hiss^{H8319} for the fly^{H2070} that is in the uttermost part^{H7097} of the rivers^{H2975} of Egypt^{H4714}, and for the bee^{H1682} that is in the land^{H776} of Assyria^{H804}. 19 And they shall come^{H935}, and shall rest^{H5117} all of them in the desolate^{H1327} valleys^{H5158}, and in the holes^{H5357} of the rocks^{H5553}, and upon all thorns^{H5285}, and upon all bushes^{H5097}. 20 In the same day^{H3117} shall the Lord^{H136} shave^{H1548} with a razor^{H8593} that is hired^{H7917}, namely, by them beyond^{H5676} the river^{H5104}, by the king^{H4428} of Assyria^{H804}, the head^{H7218}, and the hair^{H8181} of the feet^{H7272}; and it shall also consume^{H5595} the beard^{H2206}. 21 And it shall come to pass in that day^{H3117}, that a man^{H376} shall nourish^{H2421} a young^{H1241} cow^{H5697}, and two^{H8147} sheep^{H6629}; 22 And it shall come to pass, for the abundance^{H7230} of milk^{H2461} that they shall give^{H6213} he shall eat^{H398} butter^{H2529}; for butter^{H2529} and honey^{H1706} shall every one eat^{H398} that is left^{H3498} in^{H7130} the land^{H776}. 23 And it shall come to pass in that day^{H3117}, that every place^{H4725} shall be, where there were a thousand^{H505} vines^{H1612} at a thousand^{H505} silverlings^{H3701}, it shall even be for briers^{H8068} and thorns^{H7898}. 24 With arrows^{H2671} and with bows^{H7198} shall men come^{H935} thither; because all the land^{H776} shall become briers^{H8068} and thorns^{H7898}. 25 And on all hills^{H2022} that shall be digged^{H5737} with the mattock^{H4576}, there

shall not come thither^{H935} the fear^{H3374} of briers^{H8068} and thorns^{H7898}: but it shall be for the sending forth^{H4916} of oxen^{H7794}, and for the treading^{H4823} of lesser cattle^{H7716}.

Fußnoten

1. is confederate...: Heb. resteth on
2. Shearjashub: that is, The remnant shall return
3. highway: or, causeway
4. neither...: Heb. let not thy heart be tender
5. vex: or, waken
6. that...: Heb. from a people
7. If...: or, Do ye not believe? it is because ye are not stable
8. Moreover...: Heb. And the LORD added to speak
9. ask it...: or, make thy petition deep
10. shall call: or, thou, O virgin, shalt call
11. bushes: or, commendable trees
12. the land: Heb. the midst of the land