

# Judges 7



Englische King James Version von 1611/1769 mit Strongs

1 Then Jerubbaal<sup>H3378</sup>, who is Gideon<sup>H1439</sup>, and all the people<sup>H5971</sup> that were with him, rose up early<sup>H7925</sup>, and pitched<sup>H2583</sup> beside the well of Harod<sup>H5878</sup>: so that the host<sup>H4264</sup> of the Midianites<sup>H4080</sup> were on the north side<sup>H6828</sup> of them, by the hill<sup>H1389</sup> of Moreh<sup>H4176</sup>, in the valley<sup>H6010</sup>. 2 And the LORD<sup>H3068</sup> said<sup>H559</sup> unto Gideon<sup>H1439</sup>, The people<sup>H5971</sup> that are with thee are too many<sup>H7227</sup> for me to give<sup>H5414</sup> the Midianites<sup>H4080</sup> into their hands<sup>H3027</sup>, lest Israel<sup>H3478</sup> vaunt<sup>H6286</sup> themselves against me, saying<sup>H559</sup>, Mine own hand<sup>H3027</sup> hath saved<sup>H3467</sup> me. 3 Now therefore go to<sup>H4994</sup>, proclaim<sup>H7121</sup> in the ears<sup>H241</sup> of the people<sup>H5971</sup>, saying<sup>H559</sup>, Whosoever is fearful<sup>H3373</sup> and afraid<sup>H2730</sup>, let him return<sup>H7725</sup> and depart early<sup>H6852</sup> from mount<sup>H2022</sup> Gilead<sup>H1568</sup>. And there returned<sup>H7725</sup> of the people<sup>H5971</sup> twenty<sup>H6242</sup> and two<sup>H8147</sup> thousand<sup>H505</sup>; and there remained<sup>H7604</sup> ten<sup>H6235</sup> thousand<sup>H505</sup>. 4 And the LORD<sup>H3068</sup> said<sup>H559</sup> unto Gideon<sup>H1439</sup>, The people<sup>H5971</sup> are yet too many<sup>H7227</sup>; bring them down<sup>H3381</sup> unto the water<sup>H4325</sup>, and I will try<sup>H6884</sup> them for thee there: and it shall be, that of whom I say<sup>H559</sup> unto thee, This shall go<sup>H3212</sup> with thee, the same shall go<sup>H3212</sup> with thee; and of whomsoever I say<sup>H559</sup> unto thee, This shall not go<sup>H3212</sup> with thee, the same shall not go<sup>H3212</sup>. 5 So he brought down<sup>H3381</sup> the people<sup>H5971</sup> unto the water<sup>H4325</sup>: and the LORD<sup>H3068</sup> said<sup>H559</sup> unto Gideon<sup>H1439</sup>, Every one that lappeth<sup>H3952</sup> of the water<sup>H4325</sup> with his tongue<sup>H3956</sup>, as a dog<sup>H3611</sup> lappeth<sup>H3952</sup>, him shalt thou set<sup>H3322</sup> by himself; likewise every one that boweth down<sup>H3766</sup> upon his knees<sup>H1290</sup> to drink<sup>H8354</sup>. 6 And the number<sup>H4557</sup> of them that lapped<sup>H3952</sup>, putting their hand<sup>H3027</sup> to their mouth<sup>H6310</sup>, were three<sup>H7969</sup> hundred<sup>H3967</sup> men<sup>H376</sup>: but all the rest<sup>H3499</sup> of the people<sup>H5971</sup> bowed down<sup>H3766</sup> upon their knees<sup>H1290</sup> to drink<sup>H8354</sup> water<sup>H4325</sup>. 7 And the LORD<sup>H3068</sup> said<sup>H559</sup> unto Gideon<sup>H1439</sup>, By the three<sup>H7969</sup> hundred<sup>H3967</sup> men<sup>H376</sup> that lapped<sup>H3952</sup> will I save<sup>H3467</sup> you, and deliver<sup>H5414</sup> the Midianites<sup>H4080</sup> into thine hand<sup>H3027</sup>: and let all the other people<sup>H5971</sup> go<sup>H3212</sup> every man<sup>H376</sup> unto his place<sup>H4725</sup>. 8 So the people<sup>H5971</sup> took<sup>H3947</sup> victuals<sup>H6720</sup> in their hand<sup>H3027</sup>, and their trumpets<sup>H7782</sup>: and he sent<sup>H7971</sup> all<sup>H376</sup> the rest of Israel<sup>H3478</sup> every man<sup>H376</sup> unto his tent<sup>H168</sup>, and retained<sup>H2388</sup> those three<sup>H7969</sup> hundred<sup>H3967</sup> men<sup>H376</sup>: and the host<sup>H4264</sup> of Midian<sup>H4080</sup> was beneath him in the valley<sup>H6010</sup>.

9 And it came to pass the same night<sup>H3915</sup>, that the LORD<sup>H3068</sup> said<sup>H559</sup> unto him, Arise<sup>H6965</sup>, get thee down<sup>H3381</sup> unto the host<sup>H4264</sup>; for I have delivered<sup>H5414</sup> it into thine hand<sup>H3027</sup>. 10 But if thou fear<sup>H3373</sup> to go down<sup>H3381</sup>, go<sup>H3381</sup> thou with Phurah<sup>H6513</sup> thy servant<sup>H5288</sup> down<sup>H3381</sup> to the host<sup>H4264</sup>: 11 And thou shalt hear<sup>H8085</sup> what they say<sup>H1696</sup>; and afterward<sup>H310</sup> shall thine hands<sup>H3027</sup> be strengthened<sup>H2388</sup> to go down<sup>H3381</sup> unto the host<sup>H4264</sup>. Then went he down<sup>H3381</sup> with Phurah<sup>H6513</sup> his servant<sup>H5288</sup> unto the outside<sup>H7097</sup> of the armed men<sup>H2571</sup> that were in the host<sup>H4264</sup>. 12 And the Midianites<sup>H4080</sup> and the Amalekites<sup>H6002</sup> and all the children<sup>H1121</sup> of the east<sup>H6924</sup> lay<sup>H5307</sup> along in the valley<sup>H6010</sup> like grasshoppers<sup>H697</sup> for multitude<sup>H7230</sup>; and their camels<sup>H1581</sup> were without number<sup>H4557</sup>, as the sand<sup>H2344</sup> by the sea<sup>H3220</sup> side<sup>H8193</sup> for multitude<sup>H7230</sup>. 13 And when Gideon<sup>H1439</sup> was come<sup>H935</sup>, behold, there was a man<sup>H376</sup> that told<sup>H5608</sup> a dream<sup>H2472</sup> unto his fellow<sup>H7453</sup>, and said<sup>H559</sup>, Behold, I dreamed<sup>H2492</sup> a dream<sup>H2472</sup>, and, lo, a cake<sup>H6742</sup> of barley<sup>H8184</sup> bread<sup>H3899</sup> tumbled<sup>H2015</sup> into the host<sup>H4264</sup> of Midian<sup>H4080</sup>, and came<sup>H935</sup> unto a tent<sup>H168</sup>, and smote<sup>H5221</sup> it that it fell<sup>H5307</sup>, and overturned<sup>H2015</sup> it, that the tent<sup>H168</sup> lay along<sup>H5307</sup>. 14 And his fellow<sup>H7453</sup> answered<sup>H6030</sup> and said<sup>H559</sup>, This is nothing else save the sword<sup>H2719</sup> of Gideon<sup>H1439</sup> the son<sup>H1121</sup> of Joash<sup>H3101</sup>, a man<sup>H376</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup>: for into his hand<sup>H3027</sup> hath God<sup>H430</sup> delivered<sup>H5414</sup> Midian<sup>H4080</sup>, and all the host<sup>H4264</sup>. 15 And it was so, when Gideon<sup>H1439</sup> heard<sup>H8085</sup> the telling<sup>H4557</sup> of the dream<sup>H2472</sup>, and the interpretation<sup>H7667</sup> thereof, that he worshipped<sup>H7812</sup>, and returned<sup>H7725</sup> into the host<sup>H4264</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup>, and said<sup>H559</sup>, Arise<sup>H6965</sup>; for the LORD<sup>H3068</sup> hath delivered<sup>H5414</sup> into your hand<sup>H3027</sup> the host<sup>H4264</sup> of Midian<sup>H4080</sup>.

16 And he divided<sup>H2673</sup> the three<sup>H7969</sup> hundred<sup>H3967</sup> men<sup>H376</sup> into three<sup>H7969</sup> companies<sup>H7218</sup>, and he put<sup>H5414</sup> a trumpet<sup>H7782</sup> in every man's hand<sup>H3027</sup>, with empty<sup>H7386</sup> pitchers<sup>H3537</sup>, and lamps<sup>H3940</sup> within<sup>H8432</sup> the pitchers<sup>H3537</sup>. 17 And he said<sup>H559</sup> unto them, Look<sup>H7200</sup> on me, and do<sup>H6213</sup> likewise: and, behold, when I come<sup>H935</sup> to the outside<sup>H7097</sup> of

the camp<sup>H4264</sup>, it shall be that, as I do<sup>H6213</sup>, so shall ye do<sup>H6213</sup>. **18** When I blow<sup>H8628</sup> with a trumpet<sup>H7782</sup>, I and all that are with me, then blow<sup>H8628</sup> ye the trumpets<sup>H7782</sup> also on every side<sup>H5439</sup> of all the camp<sup>H4264</sup>, and say<sup>H559</sup>, The sword of the LORD<sup>H3068</sup>, and of Gideon<sup>H1439</sup>. **19** So Gideon<sup>H1439</sup>, and the hundred<sup>H3967</sup> men<sup>H376</sup> that were with him, came<sup>H935</sup> unto the outside<sup>H7097</sup> of the camp<sup>H4264</sup> in the beginning<sup>H7218</sup> of the middle<sup>H8484</sup> watch<sup>H821</sup>; and they had but<sup>H389</sup> newly<sup>H6965</sup> set<sup>H6965</sup> the watch<sup>H8104</sup>: and they blew<sup>H8628</sup> the trumpets<sup>H7782</sup>, and brake<sup>H5310</sup> the pitchers<sup>H3537</sup> that were in their hands<sup>H3027</sup>. **20** And the three<sup>H7969</sup> companies<sup>H7218</sup> blew<sup>H8628</sup> the trumpets<sup>H7782</sup>, and brake<sup>H7665</sup> the pitchers<sup>H3537</sup>, and held<sup>H2388</sup> the lamps<sup>H3940</sup> in their left<sup>H8040</sup> hands<sup>H3027</sup>, and the trumpets<sup>H7782</sup> in their right<sup>H3225</sup> hands<sup>H3027</sup> to blow<sup>H8628</sup> withal: and they cried<sup>H7121</sup>, The sword<sup>H2719</sup> of the LORD<sup>H3068</sup>, and of Gideon<sup>H1439</sup>. **21** And they stood<sup>H5975</sup> every man<sup>H376</sup> in his place round about<sup>H5439</sup> the camp<sup>H4264</sup>: and all the host<sup>H4264</sup> ran<sup>H7323</sup>, and cried<sup>H7321</sup>, and fled<sup>H5127</sup>. **22** And the three<sup>H7969</sup> hundred<sup>H3967</sup> blew<sup>H8628</sup> the trumpets<sup>H7782</sup>, and the LORD<sup>H3068</sup> set<sup>H7760</sup> every man's<sup>H376</sup> sword<sup>H2719</sup> against his fellow<sup>H7453</sup>, even throughout all the host<sup>H4264</sup>: and the host<sup>H4264</sup> fled<sup>H5127</sup> to Bethshittah<sup>H1029</sup> in Zererath<sup>H6888</sup>, and to the border<sup>H8193</sup> of Abelmeholah<sup>H65</sup>, unto Tabbath<sup>H2888</sup>.

**23** And the men<sup>H376</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup> gathered themselves together<sup>H6817</sup> out of Naphtali<sup>H5321</sup>, and out of Asher<sup>H836</sup>, and out of all Manasseh<sup>H4519</sup>, and pursued<sup>H7291</sup> after<sup>H310</sup> the Midianites<sup>H4080</sup>. **24** And Gideon<sup>H1439</sup> sent<sup>H7971</sup> messengers<sup>H4397</sup> throughout all mount<sup>H2022</sup> Ephraim<sup>H669</sup>, saying<sup>H559</sup>, Come down<sup>H3381</sup> against<sup>H7125</sup> the Midianites<sup>H4080</sup>, and take<sup>H3920</sup> before them the waters<sup>H4325</sup> unto Bethbarah<sup>H1012</sup> and Jordan<sup>H3383</sup>. Then all the men<sup>H376</sup> of Ephraim<sup>H669</sup> gathered themselves together<sup>H6817</sup>, and took<sup>H3920</sup> the waters<sup>H4325</sup> unto Bethbarah<sup>H1012</sup> and Jordan<sup>H3383</sup>. **25** And they took<sup>H3920</sup> two<sup>H8147</sup> princes<sup>H8269</sup> of the Midianites<sup>H4080</sup>, Oreb<sup>H6159</sup> and Zeeb<sup>H2062</sup>, and they slew<sup>H2026</sup> Oreb<sup>H6159</sup> upon the rock<sup>H6697</sup> Oreb<sup>H6159</sup>, and Zeeb<sup>H2062</sup> they slew<sup>H2026</sup> at the winepress<sup>H3342</sup> of Zeeb<sup>H2062</sup>, and pursued<sup>H7291</sup> Midian<sup>H4080</sup>, and brought<sup>H935</sup> the heads<sup>H7218</sup> of Oreb<sup>H6159</sup> and Zeeb<sup>H2062</sup> to Gideon<sup>H1439</sup> on the other side<sup>H5676</sup> Jordan<sup>H3383</sup>.

## Fußnoten

1. armed men: or, ranks by five
2. interpretation: Heb. breaking
3. a trumpet...: Heb. trumpets in the hand of all of them
4. lamps: or, firebrands, or, torches
5. in: or, toward
6. border: Heb. lip