Proverbs 31

Englische King James Version von 1611/1769 mit Strongs



1 The words^{H1697} of king^{H4428} Lemuel^{H3927}, the prophecy^{H4853} that his mother^{H517} taught^{H3256} him. **2** What, my son^{H1248}? and what, the son^{H1248} of my woms^{H5088}? **3** Give^{H5414} not thy strength^{H2428} unto women^{H802}, nor thy ways^{H1870} to that which destroyeth^{H4229} kings^{H4428}. **4** It is not for kings^{H4428}, O Lemuel^{H3927}, it is not for kings^{H4428} to drink^{H8354} wine^{H3196}; nor for^{H335 H176} princes^{H7336} strong drink^{H7941}: **5** Lest they drink^{H8354}, and forget^{H7911} the law^{H2710}, and pervert^{H8138} the judgment^{H1779} of any of the afflicted^{H1121 H6040}.¹² **6** Give^{H5414} strong drink^{H8354}, and forget^{H7941} unto him that is ready to perish^{H6}, and wine^{H3196} unto those that be of heavy^{H4751} hearts^{H5315.3} **7** Let him drink^{H8354}, and forget^{H7911} his poverty^{H7389}, and remember^{H2142} his misery^{H5999} no more. **8** Open^{H6605} thy mouth^{H6310} for the dumb^{H483} in the cause^{H1779} of all such as are appointed^{H1121} to destruction^{H2475.4} **9** Open^{H6605} thy mouth^{H6310}, judge^{H8199} righteously^{H6664}, and plead^{H1777} the cause of the poor^{H6041} and needy^{H34}.

10 Who can find H4672 a virtuous H2428 woman H802 ? for her price H4377 is far H7350 above rubies H6443 . **11** The heart H3820 of her husband^{H1167} doth safely trust^{H982} in her, so that he shall have no need^{H2637} of spoil^{H7998}. 12 She will do^{H1580} him $good^{H2896}$ and not evil^{H7451} all the days^{H3117} of her life^{H2416}. 13 She seeketh^{H1875} wool^{H6785}, and flax^{H6593}, and worketh^{H6213} willingly^{H2656} with her hands^{H3709}. **14** She is like the merchants'^{H5503} ships^{H591}; she bringeth^{H935} her food^{H3899} from afar^{H4801}. **15** She riseth^{H6965} also while it is yet night^{H3915}, and giveth^{H5414} meat^{H2964} to her household^{H1004}, and a portion^{H2706} to her maidens^{H5291}. **16** She considereth^{H2161} a field^{H7704}, and buyeth^{H3947} it: with the fruit^{H6529} of her hands^{H3709} she planteth^{H5193} a vineyard^{H3754}.⁵ **17** She girdeth^{H2296} her loins^{H4975} with strength^{H5797}, and strengtheneth^{H553} her arms^{H2220}. **18** She perceiveth^{H2938} that her merchandise^{H5504} is good^{H2896}: her candle^{H5216} goeth not out^{H3518} by night^{H3915}.⁶ 19 She layeth^{H7971} her hands^{H3027} to the spindle^{H3601}, and her hands^{H3709} hold^{H8551} the distaff^{H6418}. **20** She stretcheth out^{H6566} her hand^{H3709} to the poor^{H6041}; yea, she reacheth forth^{H7971} her hands^{H3027} to the needy^{H34,7} 21 She is not afraid^{H3372} of the snow^{H7950} for her household^{H1004}: for all her household^{H1004} are clothed^{H3847} with scarlet^{H8144}.⁸ 22 She maketh^{H6213} herself coverings of tapestry^{H4765}; her clothing^{H3830} is silk^{H8336} and purple^{H713}. 23 Her husband^{H1167} is known^{H3045} in the gates^{H8179}, when he sitteth^{H3427} among the elders^{H2205} of the land^{H776}. **24** She maketh^{H6213} fine linen^{H5466}, and selleth^{H4376} it; and delivereth^{H5414} girdles^{H2289} unto the merchant^{H3669}. **25** Strength^{H5797} and honour^{H1926} are her clothing^{H3830}; and she shall rejoice^{H7832} in time^{H3117} to come^{H314}. **26** She openeth^{H6605} her mouth^{H6310} with wisdom^{H2451}; and in her tongue^{H3956} is the law^{H8451} of kindness^{H2617}. **27** She looketh well^{H6822} to the ways^{H1979 H1979} of her household^{H1004}, and eateth^{H398} not the bread^{H3899} of idleness^{H6104}. **28** Her children^{H1121} arise up^{H6965}, and call her blessed^{H833}; her husband^{H1167} also, and he praiseth^{H1984} her. **29** Many^{H7227} daughters^{H1323} have done^{H6213} virtuously^{H2428}, but thou excellest^{H5927} them all.⁹ **30** Favour^{H2580} is deceitful^{H8267}, and beauty^{H3308} is vain^{H1892}: but a woman^{H802} that feareth^{H3373} the LORD^{H3068}, she shall be praised^{H1984}. **31** Give^{H5414} her of the fruit^{H6529} of her hands^{H3027}; and let her own works^{H4639} praise^{H1984} her in the gates^{H8179}.

Fußnoten

- 1. prevert: Heb. alter
- 2. of any ...: Heb. of all the sons of affliction
- 3. of...: Heb. bitter of soul
- 4. such...: Heb. the sons of destruction
- 5. buyeth: Heb. taketh
- 6. She...: Heb. She tasteth
- 7. She ...: Heb. She spreadeth
- 8. scarlet: or, double garments

9. have ...: or, have gotten riches