## Zephaniah 2

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**1** Gather yourselves together<sup>H7197</sup>, yea, gather together<sup>H7197</sup>, O nation<sup>H1471</sup> not desired<sup>H3700</sup>;<sup>1</sup> **2** Before the decree<sup>H2706</sup> bring forth<sup>H3205</sup>, before the day<sup>H3117</sup> pass<sup>H5674</sup> as the chaff<sup>H4671</sup>, before<sup>H3808</sup> the fierce<sup>H2740</sup> anger<sup>H639</sup> of the LORD<sup>H3068</sup> come<sup>H935</sup> upon you, before the day<sup>H3117</sup> of the LORD'S<sup>H3068</sup> anger<sup>H639</sup> come<sup>H935</sup> upon you. **3** Seek<sup>H1245</sup> ye the LORD<sup>H3068</sup>, all ye meek<sup>H6035</sup> of the earth<sup>H776</sup>, which have wrought<sup>H6466</sup> his judgment<sup>H4941</sup>; seek<sup>H1245</sup> righteousness<sup>H6664</sup>, seek<sup>H1245</sup> meekness<sup>H6038</sup>: it may be<sup>H194</sup> ye shall be hid<sup>H5641</sup> in the day<sup>H3117</sup> of the LORD'S<sup>H3068</sup> anger<sup>H639</sup>.

**4** For Gaza<sup>H5804</sup> shall be forsaken<sup>H5800</sup>, and Ashkelon<sup>H831</sup> a desolation<sup>H8077</sup>: they shall drive out<sup>H1644</sup> Ashdod<sup>H795</sup> at the noon day<sup>H6672</sup>, and Ekron<sup>H6138</sup> shall be rooted up<sup>H6131</sup>. **5** Woe<sup>H1945</sup> unto the inhabitants<sup>H3427</sup> of the sea<sup>H3220</sup> coast<sup>H2256</sup>, the nation<sup>H1471</sup> of the Cherethites<sup>H3774</sup>! the word<sup>H1697</sup> of the LORD<sup>H3068</sup> is against you; O Canaan<sup>H3667</sup>, the land<sup>H776</sup> of the Philistines<sup>H6430</sup>, I will even destroy<sup>H6</sup> thee, that there shall be no inhabitant<sup>H3427</sup>. **6** And the sea<sup>H3220</sup> coast<sup>H2256</sup> shall be dwellings<sup>H5116</sup> and cottages<sup>H3741</sup> for shepherds<sup>H7462</sup>, and folds<sup>H1448</sup> for flocks<sup>H6629</sup>. **7** And the coast<sup>H2256</sup> shall be for the remnant<sup>H7611</sup> of the house<sup>H1004</sup> of Judah<sup>H3063</sup>; they shall feed<sup>H7462</sup> thereupon: in the houses<sup>H1004</sup> of Ashkelon<sup>H831</sup> shall they lie down<sup>H7257</sup> in the evening<sup>H6153</sup>: for the LORD<sup>H3068</sup> their God<sup>H430</sup> shall visit<sup>H6485</sup> them, and turn away<sup>H7725</sup> their captivity<sup>H7622 H7622 2</sup>

**8** I have heard<sup>H8085</sup> the reproach<sup>H2781</sup> of Moab<sup>H4124</sup>, and the revilings<sup>H1421</sup> of the children<sup>H1121</sup> of Ammon<sup>H5983</sup>, whereby they have reproached<sup>H2778</sup> my people<sup>H5971</sup>, and magnified<sup>H1431</sup> themselves against their border<sup>H1366</sup>. **9** Therefore as I live<sup>H2416</sup>, saith<sup>H5002</sup> the LORD<sup>H3068</sup> of hosts<sup>H6635</sup>, the God<sup>H430</sup> of Israel<sup>H3478</sup>, Surely Moab<sup>H4124</sup> shall be as Sodom<sup>H5467</sup>, and the children<sup>H1121</sup> of Ammon<sup>H5983</sup> as Gomorrah<sup>H6017</sup>, even the breeding<sup>H4476</sup> of nettles<sup>H2738</sup>, and saltpits<sup>H4379 H4417</sup>, and a perpetual<sup>H5704 H5769</sup> desolation<sup>H8077</sup>: the residue<sup>H7611</sup> of my people<sup>H5971</sup> shall spoil<sup>H962</sup> them, and the remnant<sup>H3499</sup> of my people<sup>H1471</sup> shall possess<sup>H5157</sup> them. **10** This shall they have for their pride<sup>H1347</sup>, because they have reproached<sup>H2778</sup> and magnified<sup>H1431</sup> themselves against the people<sup>H5971</sup> of the LORD<sup>H3068</sup> of hosts<sup>H6635</sup>. **11** The LORD<sup>H3068</sup> will be terrible<sup>H3372</sup> unto them: for he will famish<sup>H7329</sup> all the gods<sup>H430</sup> of the earth<sup>H776</sup>; and men shall worship<sup>H7812</sup> him, every one<sup>H376</sup> from his place<sup>H4725</sup>, even all the isles<sup>H339</sup> of the heathen<sup>H1471.3</sup>

**12** Ye Ethiopians<sup>H3569</sup> also, ye<sup>H1992</sup> shall be slain<sup>H2491</sup> by my sword<sup>H2719</sup>. **13** And he will stretch out<sup>H5186</sup> his hand<sup>H3027</sup> against the north<sup>H6828</sup>, and destroy<sup>H6</sup> Assyria<sup>H804</sup>; and will make<sup>H7760</sup> Nineveh<sup>H5210</sup> a desolation<sup>H8077</sup>, and dry<sup>H6723</sup> like a wilderness<sup>H4057</sup>. **14** And flocks<sup>H5739</sup> shall lie down<sup>H7257</sup> in the midst<sup>H8432</sup> of her, all the beasts<sup>H2416</sup> of the nations<sup>H1471</sup>: both the cormorant<sup>H6893</sup> and the bittern<sup>H7090</sup> shall lodge<sup>H3885</sup> in the upper lintels<sup>H3730</sup> of it; their voice<sup>H6963</sup> shall sing<sup>H7891</sup> in the windows<sup>H2474</sup>; desolation<sup>H2721</sup> shall be in the thresholds<sup>H5592</sup>: for he shall uncover<sup>H6168</sup> the cedar work<sup>H731,456</sup> **15** This is the rejoicing<sup>H5947</sup> city<sup>H5892</sup> that dwelt<sup>H3427</sup> carelessly<sup>H983</sup>, that said<sup>H559</sup> in her heart<sup>H3824</sup>, I am, and there is none beside<sup>H657</sup> me: how is she become a desolation<sup>H8047</sup>, a place for beasts<sup>H2416</sup> to lie down in<sup>H4769</sup>! every one that passeth by<sup>H5674</sup> her shall hiss<sup>H8319</sup>, and wag<sup>H5128</sup> his hand<sup>H3027</sup>.

## Fußnoten

- 1. not...: or, not desirous
- 2. for the LORD: or, when, etc
- 3. famish: Heb. make lean
- 4. cormorant: or, pelican
- 5. upper...: or, knops, or, chapiters
- 6. for...: or, when he hath uncovered