

HOSEA

¹ Shoko raJehovha rakasvika kuna Hosea mwanakomana waBheeri panguva yokutonga kwaUzia, Jotamu, Ahazi naHezekia, madzimambo eJudha, napanguva yokutonga kwaJerobhoamu mwanakomana waJehoashi mambo weIsraeri:

Mukadzi waHosea navana vake

² Jehovha paakatanga kutaura kubudikidza naHosea, akati kwaari, “Enda, unozvitorera mukadzi woufeve navana voufeve nokuti nyika ine mhosva yokuita ufeve hwakaipisisa nokuti yakabva kuna Jehovha.” ³ Naizvozvo akawana Gomeri mwanasikana waDibhiraimu, uye akabata pamuviri akamuberekera mwanakomana.

⁴ Ipapo Jehovha akati kuna Hosea, “Mutumidze zita rokuti Jezireeri, nokuti ndava kuda kuranga imba yaJehu zvino nokuda kwavanhu vakaurayiwa paJezireeri, uye ndichagumisa umambo hwaIsraeri. ⁵ Pazuva iro ndichavhuna uta hwaIsraeri mumupata weJezireeri.”

⁶ Gomeri akabatavze pamuviri ndokubereka mwanasikana. Ipapo Jehovha akati kuna Hosea, “Mutumidze zita rokuti Ro-Ruhama, nokuti handichazoratidzizve rudo kuimba yaIsraeri, kuti nditombovaregerera. ⁷ Asi ndicharatidza rudo kuimba yaJudha; uye ndichavaponesa, kwete nouta, munondo kana kurwa, kana namabhiza kana navatasvi vamabhiza, asi naJehovha Mwari wavo.”

⁸ Mushure mokurumura Ro-Ruhama, Gomeri akaberekazve mumwe mwanakomana. ⁹ Ipapo Jehovha akati, “Mutumidze zita rokuti Ro-Ami, nokuti imi hamusi vanhu vangu, uye ini handisi Mwari wenyu.

¹⁰ “Kunyange zvakadaro vaIsraeri vachava se-jecha riri pamahombekombe egungwa, risingabviri kuyerwa kana kuverengwa. Paya pakanga panzi kwavari, ‘Hamuzi vanhu vangu,’ vachanzi ‘vanakomana vaMwari mupenyu.’ ¹¹ Vanhu veJudha navanhu veIsraeri vachabatanazve, uye vachasarudza mutungamiri mumwe chete uye vachasimukira panyika, nokuti zuva raJezireeri richava zuva guru.

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¹ “Uti kuvanun’una vako, ‘Vanhu vangu,’ nokuhandzvadzi dzako ‘vadikanwa vangu.’”

Israeri inorangwa uye inodzorzazve

² “Tsiurai mai venyu, vatsiurei,
nokuti havasi mukadzi wangu,
uye handisi murume wavo.

Ngavabvise kuonekwa kwoufeve pachiso chavo
nokusatendeka pakati pamazamu avo.

³ Kana zvikasadaro, ndichavabvisa nguo dzose
vagosara vakashama sezvavakanga vakaita
musi wavakaberekwa.

Ndichavaita segwenga
ndigovashandura vave nyika yakaoma
uye ndichavauraya nenyota.

⁴ Handizoratidzi vana vavo rudo,
nokuti vana voufeve.

⁵ Mai vavo vakanga vasina kutendeka

- uye vakavaberekera mune zvinonyadzisa.
 Vakati, 'Ndichateverazve vadiwa vangu,
 vanondipa zvokudya zvangu nemvura
 yangu,
 makushe angu nomucheka wangu, mafuta
 angu nezvokunwa zvangu.'
- ⁶ Naizvozvo ndichasosera nzira yavo namasanzu
 eminzwa;
 ndichavapfigira mukati morusvingo zvokuti
 havangawani nzira yavo.
- ⁷ Vachadziganisa vadiwa vavo asi havangav-
 abati;
 vachavatsvaka, asi havangavawani.
- Ipapo vachati, 'Ndichadzokera kumurume
 wangu sapakutanga
 nokuti ipapo ndaiva nani kupfuura pari
 zvino.'
- ⁸ Havana kuzvibvuma kuti ndini
 ndaivapa zviyo, newaini itsva namafuta,
 ndini ndakavapa sirivha negoridhe rakawanda
 izvo zvavakashandira Bhaari nazvo.
- ⁹ "Naizvozvo ndichavatorera zviyo zvangu kana
 zvaibva,
 newaini yangu itsva nenguva yayo.
 Ndichatora makushe angu nomucheka wangu
 zvaifanira kufukidza kushama kwavo.
- ¹⁰ Saka zvino ndichabudisa pachena unzenza
 hwavo
 pamberi pavadiwa vavo;
 hapana achazovatora kubva mumaoko
 angu.
- ¹¹ Ndichagumisa kupembera kwavo kwose:

mitambo yavo yose yegore negore, nguva
dzoKugara kwoMwedzi,
maSabata avo nemitambo yavo yose
yakatarwa.

12 Ndichaparadza mizambiringa yavo nemiti
yavo yemionde
yakanga iri muripo waibva kuvadiwa vavo.

Ndichazviita dondo,
uye mhuka dzesango dzichazvidya.

13 Ndichavaranga nokuda kwamazuva
avakapisira zvinonhuhwira kuna Bhaari;
vakazvishonga nemhete nezvishongo,
vakatevera vadiwa vavo,
asi ini vakandikanganwa,”
ndizvo zvinotaura Jehovha.

14 “Naizvozvo zvino ndichazovakwezva;
ndichavatungamirira kurenje
ndigotaura zvinyoronyoro kwavari.

15 Ikoko ndichavadzosea minda yavo yemizam-
biringa
uye ndichaita kuti mupata weAkori uve
musuo wetariro.

Ikoko vachaimba sapamazuva oumhandara
hwavo,
sapamazuva avakabuda kubva muJjipiti.

16 “Pazuva iro,” ndizvo zvinotaura Jehovha,
“Uchanditi ‘murume wangu;’
hauchazonditi ‘tenzi wangu.’”

17 Ndichabvisa mazita avanaBhaari pamiromo
yavo;
hawangazodani kumazita avozve.

- 18 Pazuva iro ndichavaitira sungano
nemhuka dzesango neshiri dzedenga
uye nezvipuka zvinokambaira pasi.
Uta nomunondo nehondo,
ndichazvibvisa panyika
kuti zvose zvivata pasi zvakachengetedzeka.
- 19 Ndichatsidza kukuwana uve wangu nokusin-
gaperi;
ndichatsidza kukuwana mukururama uye
nomukururamisira,
murudo netsitsi.
- 20 Ndichatsidza kukuwana mukutendeka,
uye uchabvuma kuti ndini Jehovha.
- 21 “Pazuva iro ndichadavira,”
ndizvo zvinotaura Jehovha,
“ndichadavira kumatenga
uye ivo vachadavira kunyika;
- 22 nenyika ichadavira kuzviyo,
waini itsva namafuta,
uye izvo zvichadavira kuna Jezireeri.
- 23 Ndichamusima panyika nokuda kwangu;
ndicharatidza rudo kuno uyo wandakati
‘Haasiye wandinoda.’
Ndichati kuna avo vanonzi ‘Havasi vanhu
vangu,’ ‘Muri vanhu vangu,’
uye ivo vachati, ‘Muri Mwari wangu.’ ”

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Hosea anodzokerana nomukadzi wake

¹ Jehovha akati kwandiri, “Enda, unodazve mukadzi wako, kunyange achidiwa nomumwe uye ari chifeve. Umude sokuda kunoita Jehovha

vaIsraeri, kunyange vachitendeukira kuna vamwe vamwari vachida makeke akaereswa ane marezini.”

² Saka ndakamutenga namashekeri gumi namashanu* esirivha neinenge homeri nereteki† rebhari. ³ Ipapo ndakati kwaari, “Unofanira kugara neni kwamazuva akawanda; haufaniri kuva chifeve kana kudanana nomumwe murume, uye ndichagara newe.”

⁴ Nokuti vaIsraeri vachagara mazuva mazhinji vasina mambo kana muchinda, vasina chibayiro, vasina shongwe, efodhi kana chifananidzo.

⁵ Mushure maizvozvo vaIsraeri vachadzoka vagotsvaka Jehovha Mwari wavo naDhavhidhi mambo wavo. Vachauya vachidedera kuna Jehovha nokumaropafadzo ake mumazuva okupedzisira.

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Israeri inopiwa mhosva

¹ Inzwai shoko raJhovha, imi vaIsraeri, nokuti Jehovha ane mhosva yaari kupa kwamuri imi vagere munyika: “Hapana akatendeka, hapana ane rudo, hapana anoziva Mwari munyika.

² Mune kutuka chete, kunyengera nokuuraya, kuba noupombwe; vanoparadza zvose zvinovadzivisa, uye kudeuka kweropa kunotevera kudeuka kweropa.

³ Nokuda kwaizvozvi nyika inochema,

* **3:2** 3:2 magiramu angaita 170 † **3:2** 3:2 marita angaita 330

navose vanogara mairi vanoperezeka.
Mhuka dzesango neshiri dzedenga
nehove dzegungwa zviru kufa.

⁴ “Asi ngapasava nomunhu anopa mhosva,
ngapasava nomunhu anopomera mumwe
nokuti vanhu venyu vakafanana neavo
vanopomera muprista mhaka.

⁵ Imi munogumburwa masikati nousiku,
uye vaprofito vanogumburwawo pamwe
chete nemi.

Saka ndichaparadza mai venyu.

⁶ Vanhu vangu vanoparadzwa nokuda
kwokushayiwa zivo.

“Sezvo maramba zivo,
ini ndinokurambaiwo savaprista vangu;
nokuti makashayira hanya murayiro waMwari
wenyu,

ini ndichashayirawo hanya vana venyu.

⁷ Vaprista vakati vachiwanda,
kuditadzira kwavo kukawandawo;
vakatsinhanisa kukudzwa nechimwe chinhu
chinonyadzisa.

⁸ Vanodya zvivi zvavanhu vangu
uye vachifarira zvakaipa zvavo.

⁹ Uye zvichaitika kuti: Zvakaita vanhu, ndizvo
zvichaitawo vaprista.

Ndicharanga vose, nokuda kwenzira dzavo
uye ndichavapa mubayiro wamabasa avo.

¹⁰ “Vachadya asi havangaguti;
vachaita ufeve asi havangawandi,

nokuti vakatiza Jehovha kuti vazvipire
¹¹ kuufefe,
 newaini yakare neitsva,
 zvinobvisa kunzwisisa ¹² kwavanhu vangu.
 Vanobvunza chifananidzo chedanda
 uye vanopindurwa netsvimbo yomuti.
 Mweya woufeve unovatumirira mukurasika,
 havana kutendeka kuna Mwari wavo.
¹³ Vanobayira pamusoro pamakomo
 uye vanopisira zvinonhuhwira pazvikomo,
 pasi pemiouki, mipopura nemiterebhini,
 pane mimvuri yakanaka.
 Naizvozvo vanasikana venyu vanotendeukira
 kuufefe
 navaroora venyu kuupombwe.

¹⁴ “Handizorangi vanasikana venyu
 pavanotendeukira kuufefe,
 kana varoora venyu
 pavanoita upombwe,
 nokuti varume pachavo vanoenda kuzvifeve
 uye vanobayira pamwe chete nezvifeve
 zvepashongwe,
 vanhu vasinganzwisisi vachasvika paku-
 paradzwa.

¹⁵ “Kunyange uchiita upombwe, iwe Israeri,
 usaita kuti Judha ave nemhosva.

“Usaenda kuGirigari;
 usakwidza kuBheti Avheni.
 Uye usapika uchiti, ‘Zvirokwazvo naJehovha
 mupenyu!’

- 16 VaIsraeri vakasindimara,
setsiru rakasindimara.
Zvino Jehovha achavafudza sei
samakwayana pamafuro?
- 17 Efuremu akabatana nezvifananidzo;
musiyei ari oga!
- 18 Kunyange zvokunwa zvavo pazvinenge
zvapera,
vanoramba vachiita ufeve hwavo;
vatongi vavo vanoda kwazvo nzira dzi-
nonyadzisa.
- 19 Chamupupuri chichavatsvairira kure,
uye zvibayiro zvavo zvichavaunzira kun-
yadziswa.

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Kutongwa kweIsraeri

- 1 “Inzwi izvi, imi vaprista!
Teerera, imi vaIsraeri!
Teerera, iwe imba youmambo!
Ndiwe uri kutongwa:
Wakanga uri musungo paMizipa,
mumbure wakatambanudzwa paTabhori.
- 2 Vapanduki vari mushishi rokuuraya.
Ndichavaranga vose.
- 3 Ndinoziva zvose zviri pamusoro paEfuremu;
Israeri haina kuvanzika kwandiri.
Efuremu, watendeukira zvino kuufeve;
Israeri aora.
- 4 “Zviito zvavo hazvivatenderi
kudzokera kuna Mwari wavo.
Mweya woufeve uri mumwoyo yavo;
havazivi Jehovha.

- 5 Kuzvikudza kwaIsraeri kunovapa mhosva;
 vaIsraeri, kunyange Efuremu, vanogum-
 burwa muchivi chavo;
 Judha anogumburwawo pamwe chete navo.
- 6 Pavachaenda namakwai nemombe dzavo
 kundotsvaka Jehovha,
 havazomuwani;
 azvibvisa kwavari.
- 7 Havana kutendeka kuna Jehovha;
 vanobereka vana voupombwe.
 Zvino mitambo yavo yoKugara kwoMwedzi
 ichavadya pamwe chete neminda yavo.
- 8 “Ridzai hwamanda paGibhea,
 norunyanga paRama.
 Ridzai mhere yehondo paBheti Avheni;
 tungamira pamberi, iwe Bhenjamini.
- 9 Efuremu achaparadzwa
 pazuva rokutongwa.
 Pakati pamarudzi aIsraeri
 ndinozivisa zvinhu zvechokwadi.
- 10 Vatungamiri vaJudha vakafanana neavo
 vanobvisa mabwe omuganhu.
 Ndichadurura hasha dzangu pavari
 samafashamu emvura.
- 11 Efuremu adzvinyirirwa
 atsikwa-tsikwa mukutongwa,
 nokuti akada kutevera zvifananidzo.
- 12 Ndakafanana nechipfukuto kuna Efuremu,
 sokuora kuvanhu veJudha.
- 13 “Efuremu paakaona kurwara kwake,
 naJudha maronda ake,
 Efuremu ndipo paakatendeukira kuAsiria,

akatuma nhume kuna mambo mukuru kundotsvaka rubatsiro.
 Asi haagoni kukurapa,
 haagoni kuporesa mavanga ako.
 14 Nokuti ndichava seshumba kuna Efuremu,
 seshumba huru kuna Judha.
 Ndichavabvambura kuita zvidimbu zvidimbu ndigoenda;
 ndichaenda navo pagoshaya anovarwira.
 15 Mushure maizvozvo ndichadzokera kundzvimbo yangu,
 kusvikira vabvuma mhosva yavo.
 Uye vachatsvaka chiso changu;
 pakutambudzika kwavo vachanditsvaka nomwoyo wose.”

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Israeri inoramba kutendeuka

1 “Uyai tidzokere kuna Jehovha.
 Akatibvambura kutiita zvidimbu zvidimbu,
 asi achatiporesa;
 akatikuvadza,
 asi achasungazve mavanga edu.
 2 Mushure mamazuva maviri achatimutsiridza;
 pazuva rechitatu achatidzorazve,
 kuti tirarame pamberi pake.
 3 Ngatimuzivei iye Jehovha;
 ngatishingairirei kumuziva.
 Zvirokwazvo sokubuda kwezuya,
 achaonekwa;
 achauya kwatiri semvura yomuchando,
 semvura yebumharutsva inodiridza nyika.”
 4 “Ndichaiteiko newe, Efuremu?
 Ndichaiteiko newe, Judha?”

Rudo rwenyu rwakafanana nemhute yamangwanani,
sedova ramangwanani rinopera.

⁵ Naizvozvo ndinokugurai ndichikuitai zvidimbu
zvidimbu navaprofita vangu,
ndakakuurayai namashoko omuromo
wangu,
kutonga kwangu kwakapenya semheni kwamuri.

⁶ Nokuti ndinoda ngoni, kwete zvibayiro,
nokuziva Mwari kupfuura zvipiriso
zvinopiswa.

⁷ SaAdhamu, vakaputsa sungano,
vakanga vasina kutendeka kwandiri ipapo.

⁸ Gireadhi iguta ravarume vakaipa,
rakasvibiswa norunyoro rwetsoka dzeropa.

⁹ Samakororo anovandira munhu,
ndizvo zvinoita boka ravaprista.

Vanouraya vanhu panzira inoenda kuShekemu,
vachipara mhosva dzinonyadzisa.

¹⁰ Ndakaona chinhu chakaipa kwazvo
muimba yaIsraeri.

Imomo Efuremu anoita ufeve
uye Israeri anosvibiswa.

¹¹ “Nokwauriwo iwe, Judha,
kukohwa kwatarwa.

“Pose pandichadzorerera maropafadzo avanhu vangu.

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¹ Pose pandinoda kuporesa Israeri,
zvivi zvaEfuremu zvinoiswa pachena

uye mhosva dzeSamaria dzinobudiswa
pachena.

Vanoita zvounyengeri,
mbavha dzinopaza dzimba,
uye makororo anotorera vanhu zvinhu mun-
zira;

² asi havazivi kuti
ndinorangarira zvakaipa zvose zvavanoita.
Zvivi zvavo zvinovakomberedza;
zvinoramba zviri pamberi pangu nguva
dzose.

³ “Vanofadza mambo nezvakaipa zvavo,
machinda nenhema dzavo.

⁴ Vose imhombwe,
vanopisa sechoto,
moto wacho usingadi mukanyi wechingwa
kukuchidzira,
kubva pakukanywa kwebundu rechingwa
kusvikira chafuta.

⁵ Pazuva romutambo wamambo wedu
machinda anorwara nokuda kwewaini,
uye iye akabatana navaseki.

⁶ Mwoyo yavo yakafanana nechoto;
vanouya kwaari nounyengeri,
ruchiva rwavo runonyeketa somoto usiku
hwose;
mangwanani ruchizopfuta serimi romoto.

⁷ Vose zvavo vanopisa sechoto;
vanoparadza vatongi vavo.
Madzimambo avo ose anowira pasi,
uye hapana kana mumwe wavo anodana
kwandiri.

- 8 “Efuremu anovhengana namarudzi;
Efuremu chingwa chitete chisina kushan-
durwa.
- 9 Vatorwa vakamusveta simba rake,
asi iye haazvizivi.
Bvudzi rake rava kuchena,
asi iye haazvicherechedzi.
- 10 Kuzvikudza kwaIsraeri kunomupupurira
zvakaipa,
asi kunyange zvakadaro
haadzoki kuna Jehovha Mwari wake
kana kumutsvaka.
- 11 “Efuremu akaita senjiva,
inonyengereka zviriri nyore uye isina njere,
zvino anodana kuIjipiti,
mushure anoenda kuAsiria.
- 12 Pavachaenda, ndichakandira mumbure pamu-
soro pavo;
ndichavakwevera pasi seshiri dzedenga.
Pandichavanzwa vachibhururuka pamwe chete,
ndichavabata.
- 13 Vane nhamo,
nokuti vakarasika vachibva kwandiri!
Ngavaparadzwe,
nokuti vakandipandukira!
Ndinoshuva kuvadzikinura,
asi vanondirevera nhema.
- 14 Havachemi kwandiri zvinobva pamwoyo
yavo,
asi vanoungudza vari panhoo dzavo.
Vanounganira zviyo newaini itsva
asi vanondifuratira.
- 15 Ndakavadzidzisa ndikavasimbisa,
asi vanorangana kundiitira zvakaipa.

16 Havadzokeri kuna iye Wokumusoro-soro;
 vakafanana nouta hunonyengera.
 Vatungamiri vavo vachaparadzwa nomunondo,
 nokuda kwamashoko avo ounhubu.
 Nokuda kwaizvozvi vachasekwa
 munyika yeIjipiti.

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Israeri achakohwa chamupupuri

1 “Isa hwamanda pamuromo wako!
 Gondo riri pamusoro pemba yaJehovha
 nokuti vanhu vakaputsa sungano yangu
 uye vakapandukira murayiro wangu.

2 VaIsraeri vanodana kwandiri vachiti,
 ‘Haiwa, Mwari wedu, tinokuzivai!’

3 Asi Israeri akaramba zvakanaka;
 muvengi achamutevera.

4 Vanogadza madzimambo vasina kutenderwa
 neni;
 vanosarudza machinda pasina mvumo
 yangu.
 Vanozvigadzirira zvifananidzo nesirivha ne-
 goridhe ravo
 kuti vagoparadzwa.

5 Rasira kunze chifananidzo chako chemhuru,
 iwe Samaria!
 Kutsamwa kwangu kunopisa somoto pamu-
 soro pavo.

Vachasvika kupiko vasingagoni kuzvichenesa?
 6 Izvi zvinobva kuIsraeri!
 Chimhuru ichi, chakagadzirwa nomupfuri,
 hachisi Mwari.
 Chichaputsika kuita zvimedu zvimedu,
 icho chimhuru cheSamaria.

- 7 “Vanodyara mhupo
vachikohwa chamupupuri.
Dzinde harina kubereka;
haringabudisi upfu.
Dai raizobereka zviyo,
vatorwa vaizvimedza.
- 8 Israeri yamedzwa;
zvino yava pakati pendudzi
sechinhu chisina maturo.
- 9 Nokuti vakaenda kuAsiria
sembizi inongombeya yoga.
Efuremu akazvitengesa kuvadiwa.
- 10 Kunyange zvavo vakazvitengesa pakati pen-
dudzi,
ndichavaunganidza zvino pamwe chete.
Vachatanga kuperezeka
pasi poudzvinyiriri hwamambo ane simba
guru.
- 11 “Kunyange Efuremu akavaka aritari zhinji
dzezvipiriso zvechivi,
idzi dzava aritari dzokuitira zvivi.
- 12 Ndakavanyorerera zvinhu zvakawanda zvomu-
rayiro wangu,
asi vakazvitora sezvinhu zvisinei navo.
- 13 Vanopa zvibayiro kwandiri
uye vodya nyama yacho,
asi Jehovha haafadzwi navo.
Zvino acharangarira uipi hwavo
uye acharanga zvivi zvavo:
Vachadzokera kuIjipiti.
- 14 Israeri akakanganwa Musiki wake
ndokuvaka mizinda;

Judha akomberedza maguta mazhinji namasvingo.
Asi ndichatumira moto pamaguta avo uchaparadza masvingo avo.”

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Israeri inorangwa

- 1 Rega kufara, iwe Israeri;
rega kupembera sezvinoita dzimwe ndudzi.
Nokuti hauna kunge wakatendeka kuna Mwari wako;
unofarira mubayiro wechifeve, pamapuriro ose.
- 2 Mapuriro nezvisviniro zvewaini hazvingagutsi vanhu.
Waini itsva ichavanyengera.
- 3 Havangarambi vari munyika yaJehovha;
Efuremu achadzokera kuIjipiti
agodya zvokudya zvakasvibiswa muAsiria.
- 4 Havangadiri zvipiriso zvewaini kuna Jehovha,
uye zvibayiro zvavo hazvingamufadzi.
Zvibayiro zvakadai zvichava kwavari sechingwa chavanochema;
vose vanozvidya vachava vakasvibiswa.
Zvokudya izvi zvichava zvavo;
hazvingaunzwi mutemberi yaJehovha.
- 5 Muchaiteiko pazuva rakatarwa remitambo yenyu,
pamazuva emitambo yaJehovha?
- 6 Kunyange dai vakapunyuka kubva pakuparadzwa,
Ijipiti ichavaunganidza,
uye Memufisi ichavaviga.

Matura avo esirivha achafukidzwa norukato,
 uye minzwa ichamera mumatende avo.

⁷ Mazuva okurangwa ari kuuya,
 mazuva okutsiva ava pedyo.
 Israeri ngaazvizive izvi.

Nokuti zvivi zvako zvizhinji kwazvo
 uye ukasha hwako hwakakura kwazvo.

Muprofito anoonekwa sebenzi,
 nomurume ano mweya somunhu anopenga.

⁸ Muprofito, pamwe chete naMwari wangu,
 ndiye nharirire yaEfuremu,
 asi zvakadaro misungo yakamumirira panzira
 dzake dzose,
 uye ruvengo muimba yaMwari wake.

⁹ Vanyura kwazvo kwazvo muhuori,
 sapamazuva eGibhea.

Mwari acharangarira uipi hwavo
 uye achavaranga nokuda kwezvivi zvavo.

¹⁰ “Pandakawana Israeri,
 zvakanga zvakafanana nokuwana mazam-
 biringa murenje;

pandakaona madzibaba enyu,
 zvakanga zvakaita sokuona zvibereko
 zvokutanga pamuti womuonde.

Asi pavakauya kuBhaari Peori,
 vakazvitsaura kuti vazviise kuchiumbwa
 ichocho chinonyadzisa,
 vakava vasina maturo uye vakafanana nech-
 inhu chavakada.

¹¹ Kukudzwa kwaEfuremu kuchabhururuka se-
 shiri,

pasina kubereka, pasina pamuviri, pasina
kubata pamuviri.

12 Kunyange zvavo vakarera vana,
ndichavauraya vose mumwe nomumwe.

Vachava nenhamo
pandichavafuratira!

13 Ndakaona Efuremu, seTire,
akasimwa panzvimbo yakanaka.

Asi Efuremu achabudisa
vana vake kumuurayi.”

14 Vapei, imi Jehovha,
zvino muchavapeiko?
Vapei zvibereko zvinopfupfudzika
namazamu akaoma.

15 “Nokuda kwouipi hwavo hwose muGirigari,
ndakavavenga ikoko.

Nokuda kwamabasa avo akaipa,
ndichavadzinga kubva mumba mangu.

Handichazovadzve;
vatungamiri vavo vose vakapanduka.

16 Efuremu arohwa,
mudzi wavo wasvava,
havabereki chibereko.
Kunyange vakabereka vana,
ndichauraya vana vavo ivava vavanodisa.”

17 Mwari wangu achavaramba
nokuti havana kumuteerera;
vachava vadzungairi pakati pendudzi.

10

1 Israeri akanga ari muzambiringa unotanda;

akazviberekera zvibereko.
 Zvibereko zvake pazvakawanda,
 akavakawo aritari dzakawanda;
 nyika yake payakabudirira,
 akashongedzawo matombo ake anoera.

² Mwoyo wavo unonyengera,
 uye zvino vanofanira kutakura mhosva
 yavo.

Jehovha achaputsa aritari dzavo
 uye achaparadza matombo avo akaereswa.

³ Ipapo vachati, “Hatina mambo
 nokuti hatina kukudza Jehovha.

Asi kunyange taiva namambo,
 angadai akatiitireiko?”

⁴ Vanovimbisa zvakawanda,
 vanoita mhiko dzenhema
 uye vanoita zvibvumirano;
 naizvozvo mhosva dzinoendeswa kudare
 dzinomera sebise rinouraya mumunda
 wakarimwa.

⁵ Vanhu vanogara muSamaria vanotyira
 chifananidzo chemhuru chaBheti Avheni.
 Vanhu vacho vachachichema,
 ndizvo zvichaitawo vaprista vanonamata
 chifananidzo chacho;
 ivavo vakafarira kukudzwa kwacho,
 nokuti vachachitorerwa chigoendeswa kuu-
 tapwa.

⁶ Chichatakurwa chigoendeswa kuAsiria
 somutero kuna mambo mukuru.
 Efuremu achanyadziswa;
 Israeri achanyarawo nokuda kwezvi-
 fananidzo zvakavezwa.

⁷ Samaria namambo wayo ichaeredzwa

- sechimuti pamusoro pemvura.
- 8 Nzvimbo dzakakwirira dzouipi dzichaparadzwa,
 ichi ndicho chivi chaIsraeri.
 Minzwa norukato zvichamera
 zvigofukidza aritari dzavo.
 Ipapo vachati kumakomo, “Tifukidzei!”
 nokuzvikomo, “Wirai pamusoro pedu!”
- 9 “Kubva pamazuva eGibhea, wakatadza, iwe
 Israeri,
 uye ukarambirapo.
 Hondo haina kukunda
 vaiti vezvakaipa paGibhea here?”
- 10 Nenguva yandinoda ndichavaranga;
 ndudzi dzichaungana kuti dzivarwise
 dzivaise muusungwa nokuda kwezvivi
 zvavo zviviri.
- 11 Efuremu itsiru rakapingudzwa
 rinofarira kupura;
 saka ndichaisa joko
 pamutsipa waro wakanaka.
 Ndichatinha Efuremu,
 Judha anofanira kurima,
 uye Jakobho anofanira kuputsa mavhinga
 acho.
- 12 Zvidyarirei kururama,
 kohwai chibereko chorudo rusingaperi,
 mugorima gombo renyu;
 nokuti inguva yokutsvaka Jehovha,
 kusvikira auya
 kuzonayisa utsvene pamusoro penyu.
- 13 Asi makarima uipi,
 mukacheka zvakaipa,

makadya zvibereko zvounyengeri,
 nokuti makavimba nesimba renyu
 uye navarwi venyu vakawanda,
 14 kuomba kwehondo kuchamukira vanhu
 venyu,
 zvokuti masvingo enyu ose achaparadzwa,
 sokuparadzwa kwakaitwa Bheti Aribheri neSha-
 rimani pazuva rokurwa,
 vanamai pavakapanhirwa pasi pamwe chete
 navana vavo.
 15 Ndizvo zvichaitika kwauri, iwe Bheteri,
 nokuti uipi hwako hukuru.
 Kana zuva iroro roswedera,
 mambo weIsraeri achaparadzwa zvachose.

11

Rudo rwaMwari kuna Israeri

- 1 “Israeri paakanga achiri muduku, ndaimuda,
 uye ndakadana mwanakomana wangu
 kubva kuIjipiti.
- 2 Asi pandakanyanya kuvadana,
 vakatonyanya kunditiza.
 Vakabayira kuna vanaBhaari
 uye vakapisira zvinonhuhwira kuzvi-
 fananidzo.
- 3 Ndini ndakadzidzisa Efuremu kufamba,
 ndichivasesedza namaoko avo;
 asi havana kuzvicherechedza
 kuti ndini ndakavarapa.
- 4 Ndakavatungamirira nerwodzi rwounyoro
 hwomunhu,
 nezvisungo zvorudo;
 ndakasimudza joko kubva pamutsipa wavo
 ndikakotama kuti ndivape zvokudya:

- 5 “Havangadzokerizve kuJipiti
 uye vaAsiria havangatongi here
 nokuti vakaramba kutendeuka?
 6 Minondo ichapenya mumaguta avo,
 ichaparadza mazariro pamasuo avo
 uye ichagumisa zvirongwa zvavo.
 7 Vanhu vangu vazvipira kutsauka vachibva
 kwandiri.
 Kunyange dai vakadana kuna Iye
 Wokumusoro-soro,
 haangatongovasimudziri kunyange nenzira
 ipi zvayo.
- 8 “Ndinokuregedza seiko, Efuremu?
 Ndingakuendesa seiko, Israeri?
 Ndingakuitireiko saAdhima?
 Ndingakuenzanisa sei naZebhoimi?
 Mwoyo wangu washanduka mukati mangu;
 tsitsi dzangu dzose dzamutswa.
 9 Handingadzisi kutsamwa kwangu kukuru
 kana kutendeuka kuti ndiparadze Efuremu.
 Nokuti ndiri Mwari, kwete munhu,
 Mutsvene pakati penyu.
 Handingaui ndakatsamwa.
 10 Vachatevera Jehovha;
 achaomba seshumba.
 Paachaomba,
 vana vake vachauya vachidedera vachibva
 kumadokero.
 11 Vachauya vachidedera
 seshiri vachibva kuJipiti,
 senjiva vachibva kuAsiria.
 Ndichavagarisa mudzimba dzavo,”
 ndizvo zvinotaura Jehovha.

Chivi chaIsraeri

- ¹² Efuremu andikomberedza nenhema,
imba yaIsraeri nounyengeri.
Uye Judha akasindimara pamberi paMwari,
kunyange pamberi paIye Mutsvene Akaten-
deka.

12

- ¹ Efuremu anodya mhepo;
anodzingana nemhepo yokumabvazuva
zuva rose
uye anowedzera nhema pamwe chete
nechisimba.
Anoita sungano neAsiria,
uye anoendesa mafuta omuorivhi kuIjipiti.
- ² Jehovha ane mhaka yaanopa Judha;
acharanga Jakobho maererano nenzira
dzake
uye achamupa mubayiro maererano nam-
abasa ake.
- ³ Muchizvaro akabata chitsitsinho chomukoma
wake;
somunhu akaita mutsimba naMwari.
- ⁴ Akaita mutsimba nomutumwa akamukurira;
akachema akakumbira kuti anzwirwe
nyasha naye.
Akamuwana paBheteri
akataura naye ipapo,
- ⁵ Jehovha Mwari Wamasimba Ose,
Jhovha ndiro zita rake raane mukurumbira
naro!
- ⁶ Asi unofanira kudzokera kuna Mwari wako;
chengetedza rudo nokururamisira,
uye umirire Mwari wako nguva dzose.
- ⁷ Mutengesi anoshandisa chiero chinonyengera;

- anofarira kubiridzira.
8 Efuremu anozvikudza achiti,
“Ndakapfuma kwazvo; ndazova mupfumi
chaiye.
Noupfumi hwangu hwose havangawani mandiri
chakaipa chipi zvacho kana chivi mukati
mangu.”
- 9 “Ndini Jehovha Mwari wako,
akakubudisa kubva muJipiti;
ndichakugarisazve mumatende,
sapamazuva emitambo yakatarwa.
- 10 Ndakataura kuvaprofita,
ndikavapa zviratidzo zvizhinji
uye ndikataura mifananidzo kubudikidza
navo.”
- 11 Ko, Gireadhi yakaipa here?
Vanhu vayo havana maturo!
Vanobayira nzombe here paGirigari?
Aritari dzavo dzichava semirwi yamatombo
mumunda wakarimwa.
- 12 Jakobho akatizira kunyika yeAramu;
Israeri akashandira kuti awane mukadzi,
uye kuti amuwane akafudza makwai.
- 13 Jehovha akashandisa muprofita
kuti abudise Israeri kubva muJipiti,
nomuprofita akavachengeta.
- 14 Asi Efuremu akamutsamwisa zvikuru
kusvikira ashatirwa;
Ishe wake achaisa paari mhosva dzake
dzokudeura ropa
uye achamupa mubayiro wokuzvidza
kwake.

13

Kutsamwa kwaJehovha pamusoro peIsraeri

- ¹ Efuremu akati ataura, vanhu vakadedera;
 iye akakudzwa muIsraeri.
 Asi akava nemhosva yokunamata Bhaari
 uye akafa.
- ² Zvino vanoramba vachingotadza;
 vanozwiitira zvifananidzo zvakaumbwa ne-
 sirivha yavo,
 zviri zvifananidzo zvakaumbwa nenjere dzavo,
 zvose ari mabasa emhizha.
 Pamusoro pavanhu ava zvinonzi,
 “Vanobayira zvibayiro zvevanhu
 uye vanotsvoda zviumbwa zvemhuru.”
- ³ Naizvozvo vachava semhute yamangwanani,
 sedova rinokurumidza kupera,
 sehundi inopeperetswa kubva paburiro,
 soutsu hunobuda napawindo.
- ⁴ “Asi ndini Jehovha Mwari wako,
 akakubudisa kubva muJipiti.
 Haungazovi nomumwe Mwari kunze kwangu;
 kana mumwe Muponesi kunze kwangu.
- ⁵ Ndakakuchengeta murenje,
 munyika inopisa kwazvo.
- ⁶ Pandakavapa zvokudya, vakaguta;
 vakati vaguta, vakazvikudza
 ipapo vakandikanganwa.
- ⁷ Saka ndichauya kwavari seshumba,
 ndichavagarira panzira sembada,
- ⁸ Sebere ratorerwa vana varo,
 ndichavarwisa ndigovabvarura.
 Seshumba ndichavaparadza;
 chikara chesango chichavabvambura.

- 9 “Waparadzwa iwe Israeri,
 nokuti unondirwisa, uchirwisa mubatsiri
 wako.
- 10 Mambo wako aripiko, kuti zvimwe an-
 gakuponesa?
 Vatongi vako varipiko mumaguta ako ose,
 avo vawakati, ‘Ndipei mambo namachinda’?
- 11 Saka mukutsamwa kwangu ndakakupa
 mambo,
 uye muhasha dzangu ndakamubvisa.
- 12 Mhosva dzaEfuremu dzakaunganidzwa
 pamwe chete,
 zvivi zvake zvakachengetedzwa muzviny-
 orwa.
- 13 Kurwadziwa sekwomukadzi anosununguka
 kunosvika kwaari,
 asi yu mwana asina uchenjeri;
 kana nguva dzasvika, haauyi kumusuo
 wechizvaro.

- 14 “Ndichavadzikinura kubva pasimba reguva;
 ndichavadzikinura kubva parufu.
 Dziripiko hosha dzako, nhai rufu?
 Kuripiko kuparadza kwako, nhai guva?

“Handingazovi netsitsi,
¹⁵ kunyange akabudirira pakati
 pamadzikoma ake.
 Mhepo yokumabvazuva yaJehovha ichauya,
 ichivhuvhuta ichibva kurenje;
 chitubu chake chichapwa
 uye tsime rake richaoma.
 Dura rake richapambwa
 zvose zvinokosha zviri mariri.

16 Vanhu veSamaria vanofanira kutakura mhaka yavo,
 nokuti vakamukira Mwari wavo.
 Vachaparadzwa nomunondo;
 vacheche vavo vacharoverwa pasi.
 Vakadzi vavo vane mimba vachatumburwa.”

14

Kutendeuka kunouyisa Maropafadzo

1 Iwe Israeri, dzokera kuna Jehovha Mwari wako.
 Zvivi zvako ndizvo zvakaunyisa kuwa kwako!

2 Endai namashoko
 uye mudzokere kuna Jehovha.
 Muti kwaari: “Regererai zvivi zvedu zvose
 mutigamuchire nenyasha,
 kuti tigopa zvibereko zvemiromo yedu.

3 Asiria haingatiponesi;
 hatingatasvi mabhiza ehondo.
 Hatizombotizve, ‘Vamwari vedu’
 kune zvakagadzirwa namaoko edu chaiwo,
 nokuti nherera dzinowana tsitsi mamuri.”

4 “Ndichaporesa kusateerera kwavo
 uye ndichangovada hangu,
 nokuti hasha dzangu dzabva kwavari.

5 Ndichava sedova kuna Israeri;
 achatunga seruva remahapa.
 Somusidhari weRebhanoni
 achadzikisa midzi yake;
 6 mabukira ake achakura.
 Kunaka kwake kuchafanana nekwomuti womuorivhi,
 kunhuhwira kwake sekwomusidhari weRebhanoni.

- 7 Vanhu vachagarazve mumumvuri wake.
Ahabudirira sezviyo.
Achatunga maruva somuzambiringa,
uye mbiri yake ichafanana newaini yeReb-
hanoni.
- 8 Nhai Efuremu, ndichineiko chokuita nezvi-
fananidzo?
Ndichamupindura uye ndichamuchengeta.
Ndakafanana nomuti womupaini wakasvibira;
kubereka kwako kunobva kwandiri.”
- 9 Ndiani akachenjera? Achacherechedza zvinhu
izvi.
Ndiani anonzvera? Achazvinzwisisa.
Nzira dzaJehovha dzakarurama;
vakarurama vanofamba madziri,
asi vatadzi vanogumburwa madziri.

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