

Notes on Isaiah 25:6-9

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וְעָשָׂה יְהוָה צְבָאוֹת לְכָל-הָעַמִּים בְּהַר הַזֶּה מִשְׁתֵּה שְׂמָנִים מִשְׁתֵּה שְׂמָרִים מִזְקָקִים

καὶ ποιήσει κύριος σαββαωθ πᾶσι τοῖς ἔθνεσιν ἐπὶ τὸ ὄρος τοῦτο πίονται εὐφροσύνην πίονται οἶνον χρίσονται μύρον

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יְהוָה צְבָאוֹת - 62x in Isaiah - *Yahweh Sabbaoth* -

1:9 If the LORD of hosts had not left us a few survivors, we should have been like Sodom, and become like Gomorrah.

1:24 Therefore the Lord says, the LORD of hosts, the Mighty One of Israel: "Ah, I will vent my wrath on my enemies, and avenge myself on my foes.

2:12 For the LORD of hosts has a day against all that is proud and lofty, against all that is lifted up and high;

3:1 For, behold, the Lord, the LORD of hosts, is taking away from Jerusalem and from Judah stay and staff, the whole stay of bread, and the whole stay of water;

3:15 What do you mean by crushing my people, by grinding the face of the poor?" says the Lord GOD of hosts.

5:7 For the vineyard of the LORD of hosts is the house of Israel, and the men of Judah are his pleasant planting; and he looked for justice, but behold, bloodshed; for righteousness, but behold, a cry!

5:9 The LORD of hosts has sworn in my hearing: "Surely many houses shall be desolate, large and beautiful houses, without inhabitant.

5:16 But the LORD of hosts is exalted in justice, and the Holy God shows himself holy in righteousness.

5:24 Therefore, as the tongue of fire devours the stubble, and as dry grass sinks down in the flame, so their root will be as rottenness, and their blossom go up like dust; for they have rejected the law of the LORD of hosts, and have despised the word of the Holy One of Israel.

6:3 And one called to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory."

6:5 And I said: "Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!"

8:13 But the LORD of hosts, him you shall regard as holy; let him be your fear, and let him be your dread.

8:18 Behold, I and the children whom the LORD has given me are signs and portents in Israel from the LORD of hosts, who dwells on Mount Zion.

9:6 For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government will be upon his shoulder, and his name will be called "Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."

9:12 The Syrians on the east and the Philistines on the west devour Israel with open mouth. For all this his anger is not turned away and his hand is stretched out still.

9:18 For wickedness burns like a fire, it consumes briars and thorns; it kindles the thickets of the forest, and they roll upward in a column of smoke.

10:16 Therefore the Lord, the LORD of hosts, will send wasting sickness among his stout warriors, and under his glory a burning will be kindled, like the burning of fire.

10:23 For the Lord, the LORD of hosts, will make a full end, as decreed, in the midst of all the earth.

10:24 Therefore thus says the Lord, the LORD of hosts: "O my people, who dwell in Zion, be not afraid of the Assyrians when they smite with the rod and lift up their staff against you as the Egyptians did.

10:26 And the LORD of hosts will wield against them a scourge, as when he smote Mid'ian at the rock of Oreb; and his rod will be over the sea, and he will lift it as he did in Egypt.

10:33 Behold, the Lord, the LORD of hosts will lop the boughs with terrifying power; the great in height will be hewn down, and the lofty will be brought low.

13:4 Hark, a tumult on the mountains as of a great multitude! Hark, an uproar of kingdoms, of nations gathering together! The LORD of hosts is mustering a host for battle.

13:13 Therefore I will make the heavens tremble, and the earth will be shaken out of its place, at the wrath of the LORD of hosts in the day of his fierce anger.

14:22 "I will rise up against them," says the LORD of hosts, "and will cut off from Babylon name and remnant, offspring and posterity, says the LORD.

14:23 And I will make it a possession of the hedgehog, and pools of water, and I will sweep it with the broom of destruction, says the LORD of hosts."

14:24 The LORD of hosts has sworn: "As I have planned, so shall it be, and as I have purposed, so shall it stand,

14:27 For the LORD of hosts has purposed, and who will annul it? His hand is stretched out, and who will turn it back?

17:3 The fortress will disappear from E'phraim, and the kingdom from Damascus; and the remnant of Syria will be like the glory of the children of Israel, says the LORD of hosts.

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19:4 and I will give over the Egyptians into the hand of a hard master; and a fierce king will rule over them, says the Lord, the LORD of hosts.

19:12 Where then are your wise men? Let them tell you and make known what the LORD of hosts has purposed against Egypt.

19:16 In that day the Egyptians will be like women, and tremble with fear before the hand which the LORD of hosts shakes over them.

19:17 And the land of Judah will become a terror to the Egyptians; every one to whom it is mentioned will fear because of the purpose which the LORD of hosts has purposed against them.

19:18 In that day there will be five cities in the land of Egypt which speak the language of Canaan and swear allegiance to the LORD of hosts. One of these will be called the City of the Sun.
 19:20 It will be a sign and a witness to the LORD of hosts in the land of Egypt; when they cry to the LORD because of oppressors he will send them a savior, and will defend and deliver them.
 19:25 whom the LORD of hosts has blessed, saying, "Blessed be Egypt my people, and Assyria the work of my hands, and Israel my heritage."
 21:10 O my threshed and winnowed one, what I have heard from the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, I announce to you.
 22:12 In that day the Lord GOD of hosts called to weeping and mourning, to baldness and girding with sackcloth;
 22:14 The LORD of hosts has revealed himself in my ears: "Surely this iniquity will not be forgiven you till you die," says the Lord GOD of hosts.
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 22:15 Thus says the Lord GOD of hosts, "Come, go to this steward, to Shebna, who is over the household, and say to him:
 22:25 In that day, says the LORD of hosts, the peg that was fastened in a sure place will give way; and it will be cut down and fall, and the burden that was upon it will be cut off, for the LORD has spoken."
 23:9 The LORD of hosts has purposed it, to defile the pride of all glory, to dishonor all the honored of the earth.
 24:21 On that day the LORD will punish the host of heaven, in heaven, and the kings of the earth, on the earth.
 24:23 Then the moon will be confounded, and the sun ashamed; for the LORD of hosts will reign on Mount Zion and in Jerusalem and before his elders he will manifest his glory.
 25:6 On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of fat things, a feast of wine on the lees, of fat things full of marrow, of wine on the lees well refined.
 28:5 In that day the LORD of hosts will be a crown of glory, and a diadem of beauty, to the remnant of his people;
 28:22 Now therefore do not scoff, lest your bonds be made strong; for I have heard a decree of destruction from the Lord GOD of hosts upon the whole land.
 28:29 This also comes from the LORD of hosts; he is wonderful in counsel, and excellent in wisdom.
 29:6 you will be visited by the LORD of hosts with thunder and with earthquake and great noise, with whirlwind and tempest, and the flame of a devouring fire.
 31:4 For thus the LORD said to me, As a lion or a young lion growls over his prey, and when a band of shepherds is called forth against him is not terrified by their shouting or daunted at their noise, so the LORD of hosts will come down to fight upon Mount Zion and upon its hill.
 31:5 Like birds hovering, so the LORD of hosts will protect Jerusalem; he will protect and deliver it, he will spare and rescue it.
 37:16 "O LORD of hosts, God of Israel, who art enthroned above the cherubim, thou art the God, thou alone, of all the kingdoms of the earth; thou hast made heaven and earth.
 37:32 for out of Jerusalem shall go forth a remnant, and out of Mount Zion a band of survivors. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will accomplish this.
 39:5 Then said to Hezeki'ah, "Hear the word of the LORD of hosts:
 44:6 Thus says the LORD, the King of Israel and his Redeemer, the LORD of hosts: "I am the first and I am the last; besides me there is no god.
 45:13 I have aroused him in righteousness, and I will make straight all his ways; he shall build my city and set my exiles free, not for price or reward," says the LORD of hosts.
 47:4 Our Redeemer -- the LORD of hosts is his name -- is the Holy One of Israel.
 48:2 For they call themselves after the holy city, and stay themselves on the God of Israel; the LORD of hosts is his name.
 51:15 For I am the LORD your God, who stirs up the sea so that its waves roar -- the LORD of hosts is his name.
 54:5 For your Maker is your husband, the LORD of hosts is his name; and the Holy One of Israel is your Redeemer, the God of the whole earth he is called.

צְבָאוֹת -. *army, war, warfare* 1. *army, host: a. organized for war; b. host (organized body) of angels, all the host of heaven; c. of sun, moon and stars (all as objects of worship). d. of the entire creation* II. *instruments of war. . service: a. of Levites in sacred places. b. of hard service of troubled life. as God of war, prob. first in time of warlike David, God of the battle array of Israel.*

לְכָל־הָעַמִּים - 3x in Isaiah - *all people* - although note 25.8 has *all faces* - the phrase is inclusive!

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56:7 **לְכָל־הָעַמִּים** these I will bring to my holy mountain, and make them joyful in my house of prayer; their burnt offerings and their sacrifices will be accepted on my altar; for my house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples.

בְּהַר - 57x in Isaiah - *mountain* - the importance of the mountain and the conversation in John with the Samaritan woman, which mountain? The question is important for Isaiah (although the answer is obviously Zion) for it keeps coming up: 2:2, 2:2, 2:3, 2:14, 4:5, 5:25, 7:25, 8:18, 10:12, 10:32, 11:9, 13:2, 13:4, 14:13, 14:25, 16:1, 17:13, 18:3, 18:6, 18:7, 22:5, 24:23, 25:6, 25:7, 25:10, 27:13, 28:21, 29:8, 30:17, 30:25, 30:29, 31:4, 34:3, 37:24, 37:32, 40:4, 40:9, 40:12, 41:15, 42:11, 42:15, 44:23, 49:11, 49:13, 52:7, 54:10, 55:12, 56:7, 57:7, 57:13, 63:19, 64:2, 65:7, 65:9, 65:11, 65:25, 66:20

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25:10 For the hand of the LORD will rest on this mountain, and Moab shall be trodden down in his place, as straw is trodden down in a dung-pit.

מִשְׁתֵּה - 46x in BHS, 3x in Isaiah - *feasting* - 2x this verse! - *feast or banquet, an occasion for drinking or a drinking bout [wedding feast] the root of this noun comes from the verb for drinking*. 2 possible motives for such a feast end up as one and the same, for it is both a covenant sacrifice and a coronation meal. But God throwing the feast is quite rare, see Jer. 51:39 for the only other occasion.

5:12 They have lyre and harp, timbrel and flute and wine at their feasts; but they do not regard the deeds of the LORD, or see the work of his hands.

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Jer 51:39 While they are inflamed I will prepare them a feast and make them drunk, till they swoon away and sleep a perpetual sleep and not wake, says the LORD.

שְׁמָנִים - occurring 193x in BHS, the mas pl occurs only 7x - *fat, oil* -- 1. *fat, fatness; of food (in fig.)*. a. *oil, specif. olive-oil, as rich product*; b. *as staple (condiment), of value*; . *of plenty; ascribed (falsely) to gift of Baals; as royal treasure; tribute, art. of trade; odoriferous; sign of luxury, of prosperity*. c. *as medicament; as unguent, for shield, person, not for mourner; on head, token of happiness, of hospitality*, d. *for anointing king*. e. *in various figs., of joy; soft words; as penetrating; as clear, transparent*. f. *used in primitive worship, poured on stone*. g. *in later ritual: for anointing priests, tabern., altar utensils, etc., made of various ingred.; for lighting; poured upon; smeared upon wafers, and cakes (or mixed in the making? h. for use in temple*. k. *offered to idols. (1032a) as in fat cattle, this is synonymous with בְּרִיחַ and those were the fat cattle of the dream in Gen.41. There is also the word חֵלֶב which is the fat of the sacrifice reserved for Yahweh (Ex.29, etc) . The point here is that what is offered, is not just the best, but the very best of the best!*

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Isaiah 28:1 Woe to the proud crown of the drunkards of E'phraim, and to the fading flower of its glorious beauty, which is on the head of the rich valley of those overcome with wine!

Isaiah 28:4 and the fading flower of its glorious beauty, which is on the head of the rich valley, will be like a first-ripe fig before the summer: when a man sees it, he eats it up as soon as it is in his hand.

Amos 6:6 who drink wine in bowls, and anoint themselves with the finest oils, but are not grieved over the ruin of Joseph!

Cant 1:3 your anointing oils are fragrant, your name is oil poured out; therefore the maidens love you.

Cant 4:10 How sweet is your love, my sister, my bride! how much better is your love than wine, and the fragrance of your oils than any spice!

שְׁמָרִים - *wine* - 9x in BHS - 2x in this verse! - *the best wine is the wine that matures undisturbed on what will become the dregs (solids that settle out naturally, including the tannic acids that precipitate out.)*

1Kings 16:24 He bought the hill of Sama'ria from Shemer for two talents of silver; and he fortified the hill, and called the name of the city which he built, Sama'ria, after the name of Shemer, the owner of the hill.

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Jer 48:11 "Moab has been at ease from his youth and has settled on his lees; he has not been emptied from vessel to vessel, nor has he gone into exile; so his taste remains in him, and his scent is not changed.

Zeph 1:12 At that time I will search Jerusalem with lamps, and I will punish the men who are thickening upon their lees, those who say in their hearts, The LORD will not do good, nor will he do ill.'

Psalms 75:9 [8e] For in the hand of the LORD there is a cup with foaming wine, well mixed; he will pour a draught from it, and all the wicked of the earth shall drain it down to the dregs.

1Chron 6:31 These are the men whom David put in charge of the service of song in the house of the LORD, after the ark rested there.

1Chron 7:34 The sons of Shemer his brother: Rohgah, Jehub'bah, and Aram.

מִמְחֵיִם - pol participle, BHS Hapax - *garnished with marrow* - in any form the verb occurs 36x, but this is the only pol form - *referring to that which contains fat or marrow, viewed as choice produce. the verb is rare used only here and Job 21;24 as a figure of prosperity.*

מְזַקְקִים - 7x in BHS, any form - here, pol participle - *to refine or purify - well refined (1123a) strained or filtered, (that is the dregs thoroughly removed) used only here and Job 36:27*

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Mal 3:3 he will sit as a refiner and purifier of silver, and he will purify the sons of Levi and refine them like gold and silver, till they present right offerings to the LORD.

Psalms 12:7 [6e] The promises of the LORD are promises that are pure, silver refined in a furnace on the ground, purified seven times.

Job 28:1 "Surely there is a mine for silver, and a place for gold which they refine.

Job 36:27 For he draws up the drops of water, he distils his mist in rain

1Chron 28:18 for the altar of incense made of refined gold, and its weight; also his plan for the golden chariot of the cherubim that spread their wings and covered the ark of the covenant of the LORD.

1Chron 29:4 three thousand talents of gold, of the gold of Ophir, and seven thousand talents of refined silver, for overlaying the walls of the house,

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וּבִלְעַ בְּהַר הַזֶּה פְּנֵי-הַלְלוֹט הַלְלוֹט עַל-כָּל-הָעַמִּים

וְהִמְסַכָּה הַנְּסוּכָה עַל-כָּל-הַגּוֹיִם:

ἐν τῷ ὄρει τούτῳ παράδος ταῦτα πάντα τοῖς ἔθνεσιν ἢ γὰρ βουλὴ αὕτη ἐπὶ πάντα τὰ ἔθνη

And he will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples, the sheet that is spread over all nations; he will swallow up death forever.

וּבִלְעַ - 50x in BHS, 23x in Piel, 5x in Isaiah - . *swallow down, swallow up, engulf (with the idea of quickness or suddenness)* so Jonah was swallowed up (2:1) often it is used figuratively of destruction on massive scale. elsewhere in Isaiah:

3:12 My people -- children are their oppressors, and women rule over them. O my people, your leaders mislead you, and confuse the course of your paths.

19:3 and the spirit of the Egyptians within them will be emptied out, and I will confound their plans; and they will consult the idols and the sorcerers, and the mediums and the wizards;

25:7 And he will destroy on this mountain the covering that is cast over all peoples, the veil that is spread over all nations.

25:8 He will swallow up death for ever, and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth; for the LORD has spoken.

49:19 "Surely your waste and your desolate places and your devastated land -- surely now you will be too narrow for your inhabitants, and those who swallowed you up will be far away.

Piel Perfect 8x in BHS -

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Psalms 35:25 Let them not say to themselves, "Aha, we have our heart's desire!" Let them not say, "We have swallowed him up."

Lam 2:2 The Lord has destroyed without mercy all the habitations of Jacob; in his wrath he has broken down the strongholds of the daughter of Judah; he has brought down to the ground in dishonor the kingdom and its rulers.

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Lam 2:16 All your enemies rail against you; they hiss, they gnash their teeth, they cry: "We have destroyed her! Ah, this is the day we longed for; now we have it; we see it!"

בְּהַר הַזֶּה - see above 25.6 -

פְּנֵי־הַלֹּט - *face covering* (532b) the noun comes from the verb, same root, to wrap closely tightly, envelop, here we have both the noun and the verb, (the noun is a hapax) [a similar root has a meaning of mystery, secrecy, or enchantment, and some of that is probably to be conveyed with our words][note the poetic parallelism]

הִלָּט - 4x in BHS - 3x in Verb, 1x in adjective - here one of each, the verb is a qal participle - *wrap closely, tightly, enwrap, envelop* -

1Sam 21:10 And David rose and fled that day from Saul, and went to A'chish the king of Gath.

1Kings 19:13 And when Eli'jah heard it, he wrapped his face in his mantle and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. And behold, there came a voice to him, and said, "What are you doing here, Eli'jah?"

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כָּל־הָעַמִּים - see 25.6 above - *all people* -

וְהַמִּסְכָּה - 28x in BHS, 5x in Isaiah - *veil* (651b) [another case of poetic parallelism]the word is somewhat obscure, and may refer to a woven mourning veil, in 28:20 refers to bedcovering, 30:1 refers to weaving a web (noun and verb present), it is interesting that this root does not occur outside of this section of Isaiah (and nowhere else in OT!)

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28:20 For the bed is too short to stretch oneself on it, and the covering too narrow to wrap oneself in it.

30:1 "Woe to the rebellious children," says the LORD, "who carry out a plan, but not mine; and who make a league, but not of my spirit, that they may add sin to sin;

30:22 Then you will defile your silver-covered graven images and your gold-plated molten images. You will scatter them as unclean things; you will say to them, "Begone!"

42:17 They shall be turned back and utterly put to shame, who trust in graven images, who say to molten images, "You are our gods."

הַנְּסוּכָה - 27x in BHS, 5x in Isaiah - *to pour out, as a libation* -

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29:10 For the LORD has poured out upon you a spirit of deep sleep, and has closed your eyes, the prophets, and covered your heads, the seers.

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40:19 The idol! a workman casts it, and a goldsmith overlays it with gold, and casts for it silver chains.

44:10 Who fashions a god or casts an image, that is profitable for nothing?

עַל־כָּל־הַגּוֹיִם - *all the peoples* - the goi, not Israel in particular - 100x in BHS, 14x in Isaiah -

2:2 It shall come to pass in the latter days that the mountain of the house of the LORD shall be established as the highest of the mountains, and shall be raised above the hills; and all the nations shall flow to it,

14:18 All the kings of the nations lie in glory, each in his own tomb;

14:26 This is the purpose that is purposed concerning the whole earth; and this is the hand that is stretched out over all the nations.

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29:7 And the multitude of all the nations that fight against Ariel, all that fight against her and her stronghold and distress her, shall be like a dream, a vision of the night.

29:8 As when a hungry man dreams he is eating and awakes with his hunger not satisfied, or as when a thirsty man dreams he is drinking and awakes faint, with his thirst not quenched, so shall the multitude of all the nations be that fight against Mount Zion.

34:2 For the LORD is enraged against all the nations, and furious against all their host, he has doomed them, has given them over for slaughter.

40:17 All the nations are as nothing before him, they are accounted by him as less than nothing and emptiness.

43:9 Let all the nations gather together, and let the peoples assemble. Who among them can declare this, and show us the former things? Let them bring their witnesses to justify them, and let them hear and say, It is true.

52:10 The LORD has bared his holy arm before the eyes of all the nations; and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God.

61:11 For as the earth brings forth its shoots, and as a garden causes what is sown in it to spring up, so the Lord GOD will cause righteousness and praise to spring forth before all the nations.

66:18 "For I know their works and their thoughts, and I am coming to gather all nations and tongues; and they shall come and shall see my glory,

66:20 And they shall bring all your brethren from all the nations as an offering to the LORD, upon horses, and in chariots, and in litters, and upon mules, and upon dromedaries, to my holy mountain Jerusalem, says the LORD, just as the Israelites bring their cereal offering in a clean vessel to the house of the LORD.

Isaiah 66:20

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הַגּוֹיִם - 73x in Isaiah - *nations* -all inclusive [and the construction runs parallel to the peoples of vs.6]

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בְּלֶעַ הַמָּוֶת לְנִצָּחַ וּמָחָה אֲדֹנָי יְהוִה דִּמְעָה מֵעַל כָּל-פָּנִים
וְחָרַפְתָּ עִמּוֹ יְסִיר מֵעַל כָּל-הָאָרֶץ כִּי יְהוָה דִּבֶּר פִּי:

κατέπιεν ὁ θάνατος ἰσχύσας καὶ πάλιν ἀφείλεν ὁ θεὸς πᾶν δάκρυον ἀπὸ παντὸς προσώπου τὸ ὄνειδος τοῦ λαοῦ ἀφείλεν ἀπὸ πάσης τῆς γῆς τὸ γὰρ στόμα κυρίου ἐλάλησεν

Then the Lord GOD will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has spoken.

בְּלֶעַ - *swallow* (118c) as God swallows up the covering(v.7), so he swallows up death [also see above vs.7]

הַמָּוֶת - *death* with the article, take it to be inclusive not just of death, but death as epitomizing all evils.

לְנִצָּחַ - *for ever* (664b) eminence, enduring, everlasting, perpetuity, used in this way in many places but note these in Isaiah :

13:20, It will never be inhabited or lived in for all generations; Arabs will not pitch their tents there, shepherds will not make their flocks lie down there.

25:8 Then the Lord GOD will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has spoken.

Isaiah 28:28 Grain is crushed for bread, but one does not thresh it forever; one drives the cart wheel and horses over it, but does not pulverize it.

33:20 Look on Zion, the city of our appointed festivals! Your eyes will see Jerusalem, a quiet habitation, an immovable tent, whose stakes will never be pulled up, and none of whose ropes will be broken.

34:10 Night and day it shall not be quenched; its smoke shall go up forever. From generation to generation it shall lie waste; no one shall pass through it forever and ever.

57:16 For I will not continually accuse, nor will I always be angry; for then the spirits would grow faint before me, even the souls that I have made.

וּמָחָה - *wipe away* (562a) or wipe out (to blot ones name out of the book, was to exterminate them and remove the memory of their ever having been to remove writing from leather documents you washed or expunged them, so removing the ink) the verb is used 33x's in the OT mostly about the relationship of God and his people and the problem of sin, outside this general summary are 2 special cases: a. the adulterous woman (Prov.30:20) *who wiping her mouth claims she has done no wrong*, and our text from (Is.25:8) and this is the only instance of this *wiping away tears*. Given this, the sense here seems to be no so much a picture of God handing us a tissue, and so comforting us, but rather God removing tears so completely that there is not even memory of them.

אֲדֹנָי - 44x in Isaiah - *Adoni*

3:15, 3:17, 3:18, 4:4, 6:1, 6:8, 6:11, 7:7, 7:14, 7:20, 8:7, 9:7, 9:16, 10:12, 10:23, 10:24, 11:11, 21:6, 21:8, 21:16, 22:12, 22:14, 22:15, 25:8, 28:16, 28:22, 29:13, 30:15, 30:20, 37:24, 38:14, 38:16, 40:10, 48:16, 49:22, 50:4, 50:5, 50:9, 52:4, 56:8, 61:1, 61:11, 65:13, 65:15

21x it is NOT *Adoni Yahweh* -

3:17 the Lord will smite with a scab the heads of the daughters of Zion, and the LORD will lay bare their secret parts.

3:18 In that day the Lord will take away the finery of the anklets, the headbands, and the crescents;

4:4 when the Lord shall have washed away the filth of the daughters of Zion and cleansed the bloodstains of Jerusalem from its midst by a spirit of judgment and by a spirit of burning.

6:1 In the year that King Uzzi'ah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and his train filled the temple.

6:8 And I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" Then I said, "Here am I! Send me."

6:11 Then I said, "How long, O Lord?" And he said: "Until cities lie waste without inhabitant, and houses without men, and the land is utterly desolate,

7:14 Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign. Behold, a young woman shall conceive and bear a son, and shall call his name Imman'u-el.

Notes on Isaiah 25:6-9

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7:20 In that day the Lord will shave with a razor which is hired beyond the River -- with the king of Assyria -- the head and the hair of the feet, and it will sweep away the beard also.
 8:7 therefore, behold, the Lord is bringing up against them the waters of the River, mighty and many, the king of Assyria and all his glory; and it will rise over all its channels and go over all its banks;
 9:7 Of the increase of his government and of peace there will be no end, upon the throne of David, and over his kingdom, to establish it, and to uphold it with justice and with righteousness from this time forth and for evermore. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will do this.
 9:16 for those who lead this people lead them astray, and those who are led by them are swallowed up.
 10:12 When the Lord has finished all his work on Mount Zion and on Jerusalem he will punish the arrogant boasting of the king of Assyria and his haughty pride.
 11:11 In that day the Lord will extend his hand yet a second time to recover the remnant which is left of his people, from Assyria, from Egypt, from Pathros, from Ethiopia, from Elam, from Shinar, from Hamath, and from the coastlands of the sea.
 21:6 For thus the Lord said to me: "Go, set a watchman, let him announce what he sees.
 21:8 Then he who saw cried: "Upon a watchtower I stand, O Lord, continually by day, and at my post I am stationed whole nights.
 21:16 For thus the Lord said to me, "Within a year, according to the years of a hireling, all the glory of Kedar will come to an end;
 29:13 And the Lord said: "Because this people draw near with their mouth and honor me with their lips, while their hearts are far from me, and their fear of me is a commandment of men learned by rote;
 30:15 For thus said the Lord GOD, the Holy One of Israel, "In returning and rest you shall be saved; in quietness and in trust shall be your strength." And you would not,
 30:20 And though the Lord give you the bread of adversity and the water of affliction, yet your Teacher will not hide himself any more, but your eyes shall see your Teacher.
 37:24 By your servants you have mocked the Lord, and you have said, With my many chariots I have gone up the heights of the mountains, to the far recesses of Lebanon; I felled its tallest cedars, its choicest cypresses; I came to its remotest height, its densest forest.
 38:14 Like a swallow or a crane I clamor, I moan like a dove. My eyes are weary with looking upward. O Lord, I am oppressed; be thou my security!
 38:16 O Lord, by these things men live, and in all these is the life of my spirit. Oh, restore me to health and make me live!

אֲדֹנָי יְהוִה - 23x in Isaiah - *Adoni Yahweh* -

3:15 What do you mean by crushing my people, by grinding the face of the poor?" says the Lord GOD of hosts.
 7:7 thus says the Lord GOD: It shall not stand, and it shall not come to pass.
 10:23 For the Lord, the LORD of hosts, will make a full end, as decreed, in the midst of all the earth.
 10:24 Therefore thus says the Lord, the LORD of hosts: "O my people, who dwell in Zion, be not afraid of the Assyrians when they smite with the rod and lift up their staff against you as the Egyptians did.
 22:12 In that day the Lord GOD of hosts called to weeping and mourning, to baldness and girding with sackcloth;
 22:14 The LORD of hosts has revealed himself in my ears: "Surely this iniquity will not be forgiven you till you die," says the Lord GOD of hosts.
 22:15 Thus says the Lord GOD of hosts, "Come, go to this steward, to Shebna, who is over the household, and say to him:
 25:8 He will swallow up death for ever, and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth; for the LORD has spoken.
 28:16 therefore thus says the Lord GOD, "Behold, I am laying in Zion for a foundation a stone, a tested stone, a precious cornerstone, of a sure foundation: He who believes will not be in haste."
 28:22 Now therefore do not scoff, lest your bonds be made strong; for I have heard a decree of destruction from the Lord GOD of hosts upon the whole land.
 30:15 For thus said the Lord GOD, the Holy One of Israel, "In returning and rest you shall be saved; in quietness and in trust shall be your strength." And you would not,
 40:10 Behold, the Lord GOD comes with might, and his arm rules for him; behold, his reward is with him, and his recompense before him.
 48:16 Draw near to me, hear this: from the beginning I have not spoken in secret, from the time it came to be I have been there." And now the Lord GOD has sent me and his Spirit.
 49:22 Thus says the Lord GOD: "Behold, I will lift up my hand to the nations, and raise my signal to the peoples; and they shall bring your sons in their bosom, and your daughters shall be carried on their shoulders.
 50:4 The Lord GOD has given me the tongue of those who are taught, that I may know how to sustain with a word him that is weary. Morning by morning he wakens, he wakens my ear to hear as those who are taught.
 50:5 The Lord GOD has opened my ear, and I was not rebellious, I turned not backward.
 50:9 Behold, the Lord GOD helps me; who will declare me guilty? Behold, all of them will wear out like a garment; the moth will eat them up.
 52:4 For thus says the Lord GOD: My people went down at the first into Egypt to sojourn there, and the Assyrian oppressed them for nothing.
 56:8 Thus says the Lord GOD, who gathers the outcasts of Israel, I will gather yet others to him besides those already gathered."
 61:1 The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon me, because the LORD has anointed me to bring good tidings to the afflicted; he has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison to those who are bound;
 61:11 For as the earth brings forth its shoots, and as a garden causes what is sown in it to spring up, so the Lord GOD will cause righteousness and praise to spring forth before all the nations.
 65:13 Therefore thus says the Lord GOD: "Behold, my servants shall eat, but you shall be hungry; behold, my servants shall drink, but you shall be thirsty; behold, my servants shall rejoice, but you shall be put to shame;
 65:15 You shall leave your name to my chosen for a curse, and the Lord GOD will slay you; but his servants he will call by a different name.

יהוה - 449x in Isaiah - 1:2, 1:4, 1:9, 1:10, 1:11, 1:18, 1:20, 1:24, 1:28, 2:2, 2:3, 2:3, 2:5, 2:10, 2:11, 2:12, 2:17, 2:19, 2:21, 3:1, 3:8, 3:13, 3:14, 3:15, 3:16, 3:17, 4:2, 4:5, 5:7, 5:9, 5:12, 5:16, 5:24, 5:25, 6:3, 6:5, 6:12, 7:3, 7:7, 7:10, 7:11, 7:12, 7:17, 7:18, 8:1, 8:3, 8:5, 8:11, 8:13, 8:17, 8:18, 8:18, 9:6, 9:10, 9:12, 9:13, 9:18, 10:16, 10:20, 10:23, 10:24, 10:26, 10:33, 11:2, 11:2, 11:3, 11:9, 11:15, 12:1, 12:2, 12:4, 12:5, 13:4, 13:5, 13:6, 13:9, 13:13, 14:1, 14:2, 14:3, 14:5, 14:22, 14:22, 14:23, 14:24, 14:27, 14:32, 16:13, 16:14, 17:3, 17:6, 18:4, 18:7, 18:7, 19:1, 19:4, 19:12, 19:14, 19:16, 19:17, 19:18, 19:19, 19:19, 19:20, 19:20, 19:21, 19:21, 19:21, 19:22, 19:22, 19:25, 20:2, 20:3, 21:10, 21:17, 22:12, 22:14, 22:14, 22:15, 22:17, 22:25, 22:25, 23:9, 23:11, 23:17, 23:18, 23:18, 24:1, 24:3, 24:14, 24:15, 24:15, 24:21, 24:23, 25:1, 25:6, 25:8, 25:8, 25:9, 25:10, 26:4, 26:4, 26:8, 26:10, 26:11, 26:12, 26:13, 26:15, 26:16, 26:17, 26:21, 27:1, 27:3, 27:12, 27:13, 28:5, 28:13, 28:14, 28:16, 28:21, 28:22, 28:29, 29:6, 29:10, 29:15, 29:19, 29:22, 30:1, 30:9, 30:15, 30:18, 30:18, 30:26, 30:27, 30:29, 30:30, 30:31, 30:32, 30:33, 31:1, 31:3, 31:4, 31:4, 31:5, 31:9, 32:6, 33:2,

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דְּמָעָה - tears (199c) or more properly, 'the weeping' not particularly common {more prominent in Jeremiah} in Isaiah it is found [3x] here and

16:9 Therefore I weep with the weeping of Jazer for the vines of Sibmah; I drench you with my tears, O Heshbon and Elealeh; for the shout over your fruit harvest and your grain harvest has ceased.

38:5 "Go and say to Hezekiah, Thus says the LORD, the God of your ancestor David: I have heard your prayer, I have seen your tears; I will add fifteen years to your life.

מַעַל - 12x in Isaiah - from over

6:6 Then flew one of the seraphim to me, having in his hand a burning coal which he had taken with tongs from the altar.

7:17 The LORD will bring upon you and upon your people and upon your father's house such days as have not come since the day that E'phraim departed from Judah -- the king of Assyria."

10:27 And in that day his burden will depart from your shoulder, and his yoke will be destroyed from your neck." He has gone up from Rimmon,

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14:25 that I will break the Assyrian in my land, and upon my mountains trample him under foot; and his yoke shall depart from them, and his burden from their shoulder."

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20:2 at that time the LORD had spoken by the son of Amoz, saying, "Go, and loose the sackcloth from your loins and take off your shoes from your feet," and he had done so, walking naked and barefoot --

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34:16 Seek and read from the book of the LORD: Not one of these shall be missing; none shall be without her mate. For the mouth of the LORD has commanded,

56:3 Let not the foreigner who has joined himself to the LORD say, "The LORD will surely separate me from his people"; and let not the eunuch say, "Behold, I am a dry tree."

כָּל-פְּנֵימִים - all faces - 6x in BHS -

Gen 2:6 but a mist went up from the earth and watered the whole face of the ground --

Isaiah 25:8 He will swallow up death for ever, and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth; for the LORD has spoken.

Jer 30:6 Ask now, and see, can a man bear a child? Why then do I see every man with his hands on his loins like a woman in labor? Why has every face turned pale?

Ezek 7:18 They gird themselves with sackcloth, and horror covers them; shame is upon all faces, and baldness on all their heads.

Ezek 21:3 and say to the land of Israel, Thus says the LORD: Behold, I am against you, and will draw forth my sword out of its sheath, and will cut off from you both righteous and wicked.

Joel 2:6 Before them peoples are in anguish, all faces grow pale.

וְחִרְפָּת - reproach 357d) [that is, to say sharp things against; it is the taunt of the enemy, the noun refers to bearing reproach or being the object of reproach], we have this only 6x's in Isaiah (compare with Jeremiah 13x's)

4:1 let us be called by your name, take away our reproach

25:8 [here]

30:5 that brings neither help nor profit but shame and reproach

47:3 your nakedness will be uncovered and your reproach will be seen

51:7 do not fear the reproach of man, do not be bowed by their slander

54:4 you shall forget the reproach of your widowhood

יָסַר - take away (694b) - cause to depart, remove, the burden - 299x in BHS, 32x in hifil imperfect -

Exod 8:4 the frogs shall come up on you and on your people and on all your servants."""
 Exod 10:17 Now therefore, forgive my sin, I pray you, only this once, and entreat the LORD your God only to remove this death from me."
 Exod 34:34 but whenever Moses went in before the LORD to speak with him, he took the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the people of Israel what he was commanded,
 Lev 3:4 and the two kidneys with the fat that is on them at the loins, and the appendage of the liver which he shall take away with the kidneys.
 Lev 3:9 Then from the sacrifice of the peace offering as an offering by fire to the LORD he shall offer its fat, the fat tail entire, taking it away close by the backbone, and the fat that covers the entrails, and all the fat that is on the entrails,
 Lev 3:10 and the two kidneys with the fat that is on them at the loins, and the appendage of the liver which he shall take away with the kidneys.
 Lev 3:15 and the two kidneys with the fat that is on them at the loins, and the appendage of the liver which he shall take away with the kidneys.
 Lev 4:9 and the two kidneys with the fat that is on them at the loins, and the appendage of the liver which he shall take away with the kidneys
 Lev 4:31 And all its fat he shall remove, as the fat is removed from the peace offerings, and the priest shall burn it upon the altar for a pleasing odor to the LORD; and the priest shall make atonement for him, and he shall be forgiven.
 Lev 4:35 And all its fat he shall remove as the fat of the lamb is removed from the sacrifice of peace offerings, and the priest shall burn it on the altar, upon the offerings by fire to the LORD; and the priest shall make atonement for him for the sin which he has committed, and he shall be forgiven.
 Lev 7:4 the two kidneys with the fat that is on them at the loins, and the appendage of the liver which he shall take away with the kidneys;
 Num 21:7 And the people came to Moses, and said, "We have sinned, for we have spoken against the LORD and against you; pray to the LORD, that he take away the serpents from us." So Moses prayed for the people.
 Deut 7:4 For they would turn away your sons from following me, to serve other gods; then the anger of the LORD would be kindled against you, and he would destroy you quickly.
 Judg 9:29 And Samson grasped the two middle pillars upon which the house rested, and he leaned his weight upon them, his right hand on the one and his left hand on the other.
 2Sam 16:9 Then Abi'shai the son of Zeru'iah said to the king, "Why should this dead dog curse my lord the king? Let me go over and take off his head."
 2Kings 23:27 And the LORD said, "I will remove Judah also out of my sight, as I have removed Israel, and I will cast off this city which I have chosen, Jerusalem, and the house of which I said, My name shall be there."
 Isaiah 1:25 I will turn my hand against you and will smelt away your dross as with lye and remove all your alloy.
 Isaiah 3:18 In that day the Lord will take away the finery of the anklets, the headbands, and the crescents;
 Isaiah 5:23 who acquit the guilty for a bribe, and deprive the innocent of his right!
 Isaiah 10:13 For he says: "By the strength of my hand I have done it, and by my wisdom, for I have understanding; I have removed the boundaries of peoples, and have plundered their treasures; like a bull I have brought down those who sat on thrones.
 Isaiah 25:8 He will swallow up death for ever, and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth; for the LORD has spoken.
 Isaiah 58:9 Then you shall call, and the LORD will answer; you shall cry, and he will say, Here I am. "If you take away from the midst of you the yoke, the pointing of the finger, and speaking wickedness,
 Jer 4:1 "If you return, O Israel, says the LORD, to me you should return. If you remove your abominations from my presence, and do not waver,
 Ezek 23:25 And I will direct my indignation against you, that they may deal with you in fury. They shall cut off your nose and your ears, and your survivors shall fall by the sword. They shall seize your sons and your daughters, and your survivors shall be devoured by fire.
 Hosea 2:4 Upon her children also I will have no pity, because they are children of harlotry.
 Zeph 3:11 "On that day you shall not be put to shame because of the deeds by which you have rebelled against me; for then I will remove from your midst your proudly exultant ones, and you shall no longer be haughty in my holy mountain.
 Psalms 18:23 I was blameless before him, and I kept myself from guilt.
 Job 9:34 Let him take his rod away from me, and let not dread of him terrify me.
 Job 27:5 Far be it from me to say that you are right; till I die I will not put away my integrity from me.
 Job 34:20 In a moment they die; at midnight the people are shaken and pass away, and the mighty are taken away by no human hand.
 1Chron 17:13 I will be his father, and he shall be my son; I will not take my
 2Chron 30:9 For if you return to the LORD, your brethren and your children will find compassion with their captors, and return to this land. For the LORD your God is gracious and merciful, and will not turn away his face from you, if you return to him."

עַמּוֹר - *his people* no longer generic, but personal! - 15x in Isaiah -

3:14 The LORD enters into judgment with the elders and princes of his people: "It is you who have devoured the vineyard, the spoil of the poor is in your houses.
 5:25 Therefore the anger of the LORD was kindled against his people, and he stretched out his hand against them and smote them, and the mountains quaked; and their corpses were as refuse in the midst of the streets. For all this his anger is not turned away and his hand is stretched out still.
 7:2 When the house of David was told, "Syria is in league with E'phraim," his heart and the heart of his people shook as the trees of the forest shake before the wind.
 11:11 In that day the Lord will extend his hand yet a second time to recover the remnant which is left of his people, from Assyria, from Egypt, from Pathros, from Ethiopia, from Elam, from Shinar, from Hamath, and from the coastlands of the sea.
 11:16 And there will be a highway from Assyria for the remnant which is left of his people, as there was for Israel when they came up from the land of Egypt.
 13:14 And like a hunted gazelle, or like sheep with none to gather them, every man will turn to his own people, and every man will flee to his own land.
 14:32 What will one answer the messengers of the nation? "The LORD has founded Zion, and in her the afflicted of his people find refuge."
 25:8 He will swallow up death for ever, and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth; for the LORD has spoken.
 28:5 In that day the LORD of hosts will be a crown of glory, and a diadem of beauty, to the remnant of his people;
 30:26 Moreover the light of the moon will be as the light of the sun, and the light of the sun will be sevenfold, as the light of seven days, in the day when the LORD binds up the hurt of his people, and heals the wounds inflicted by his blow.

49:13 Sing for joy, O heavens, and exult, O earth; break forth, O mountains, into singing! For the LORD has comforted his people, and will have compassion on his afflicted.

51:22 Thus says your Lord, the LORD, your God who pleads the cause of his people: "Behold, I have taken from your hand the cup of staggering; the bowl of my wrath you shall drink no more;

52:9 Break forth together into singing, you waste places of Jerusalem; for the LORD has comforted his people, he has redeemed Jerusalem.

56:3 Let not the foreigner who has joined himself to the LORD say, "The LORD will surely separate me from his people"; and let not the eunuch say, "Behold, I am a dry tree."

63:11 Then he remembered the days of old, of Moses his servant. Where is he who brought up out of the sea the shepherds of his flock? Where is he who put in the midst of them his holy Spirit,

כָּל-הָאָרֶץ - 13x in Isaiah - *all the earth* -

6:3 And one called to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory."

7:24 With bow and arrows men will come there, for all the land will be briars and thorns;

10:14 My hand has found like a nest the wealth of the peoples; and as men gather eggs that have been forsaken so I have gathered all the earth; and there was none that moved a wing, or opened the mouth, or chirped."

10:23 For the Lord, the LORD of hosts, will make a full end, as decreed, in the midst of all the earth.

12:5 "Sing praises to the LORD, for he has done gloriously; let this be known in all the earth.

13:5 They come from a distant land, from the end of the heavens, the LORD and the weapons of his indignation, to destroy the whole earth.

14:7 The whole earth is at rest and quiet; they break forth into singing.

14:26 This is the purpose that is purposed concerning the whole earth; and this is the hand that is stretched out over all the nations.

25:8 He will swallow up death for ever, and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth; for the LORD has spoken.

28:22 Now therefore do not scoff, lest your bonds be made strong; for I have heard a decree of destruction from the Lord GOD of hosts upon the whole land.

37:11 Behold, you have heard what the kings of Assyria have done to all lands, destroying them utterly. And shall you be delivered?

37:18 Of a truth, O LORD, the kings of Assyria have laid waste all the nations and their lands,

54:5 For your Maker is your husband, the LORD of hosts is his name; and the Holy One of Israel is your Redeemer, the God of the whole earth he is called.

כִּי יְהוָה דִּבֶּר - 11x in BHS - *for the LORD has spoken* - rather an important and solemn formula, perhaps taken from a covenant renewal, or covenant making.

Num 10:29 And Moses said to Hobab the son of Reu'el the Mid'ianite, Moses' father-in-law, "We are setting out for the place of which the LORD said, I will give it to you"; come with us, and we will do you good; for the LORD has promised good to Israel."

1Kings 14:11 Any one belonging to Jerobo'am who dies in the city the dogs shall eat; and any one who dies in the open country the birds of the air shall eat; for the LORD has spoken it."

Isaiah 1:2 Hear, O heavens, and give ear, O earth; for the LORD has spoken: "Sons have I reared and brought up, but they have rebelled against me.

Isaiah 22:25 In that day, says the LORD of hosts, the peg that was fastened in a sure place will give way; and it will be cut down and fall, and the burden that was upon it will be cut off, for the LORD has spoken."

Isaiah 24:3 The earth shall be utterly laid waste and utterly despoiled; for the LORD has spoken this word.

Isaiah 25:8 He will swallow up death for ever, and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth; for the LORD has spoken.

Jer 13:15 Hear and give ear; be not proud, for the LORD has spoken.

Ezek 5:13 "Thus shall my anger spend itself, and I will vent my fury upon them and satisfy myself; and they shall know that I, the LORD, have spoken in my jealousy, when I spend my fury upon them.

Ezek 37:14 And I will put my Spirit within you, and you shall live, and I will place you in your own land; then you shall know that I, the LORD, have spoken, and I have done it, says the LORD."

Joel 4:8 The word of the LORD that came to Joel son of Pethuel.

Obad 1:18 The house of Jacob will be a fire and the house of Joseph a flame; the house of Esau will be stubble, and they will set it on fire and consume it. There will be no survivors from the house of Esau." The LORD has spoken.

The LXX has God *swallowing up death* by strength ισχυσας, however Symachus has εις τελος [in the completion(end)] and Aquila, Theodotian as well as Paul (1 Cor.15:54 '*death is swallowed up in victory*') has εις νικος [in victory]

NOTE: this verse is also important to Revelation 21:4 which not only talks about God wiping away tears, but also about death being no more, for the former things have passed away [καὶ ἐξαλείψει πᾶν δάκρυον ἐκ τῶν ὀφθαλμῶν αὐτῶν, καὶ ὁ θάνατος οὐκ ἔσται ἔτι οὔτε πένθος οὔτε κραυγὴ οὔτε πόνος οὐκ ἔσται ἔτι, [ὅτι] τὰ πρῶτα ἀπῆλθαν.]. Rev 7:17 while quoting this passage, only uses the part about God wiping away tears. [ὅτι τὸ ἄρνιον τὸ ἀνά μέσον τοῦ θρόνου ποιμανεῖ αὐτούς καὶ ὀδηγήσει αὐτούς ἐπὶ ζωῆς πηγᾶς ὑδάτων, καὶ ἐξαλείψει ὁ θεὸς πᾶν δάκρυον ἐκ τῶν ὀφθαλμῶν αὐτῶν.]
εχαλειφω is to wipe out or erase [remove destroy obliterate] Remember that the LXX uses αφαιρεω which is to take away. So NT is dependent on MT

25:9

וְאָמַר בַּיּוֹם הַהוּא הִנֵּה אֱלֹהֵינוּ יְהוָה קִיְיִנוּ לוֹ וַיִּוָּשִׁיעֵנוּ יְהוָה
הַיְהוָה קִיְיִנוּ לוֹ נִגְלִילָה וְנִשְׁמָחָה בִּישׁוּעָתוֹ:

καὶ ἐροῦσιν τῇ ἡμέρᾳ ἐκείνῃ ἰδοὺ ὁ θεὸς ἡμῶν ἐφ' ᾧ ἠλπίζομεν καὶ ἠγαλλιώμεθα καὶ εὐφρανθησόμεθα ἐπὶ τῇ σωτηρίᾳ ἡμῶν

It will be said on that day, Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us. This is the LORD for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

וְאָמַר - qal perfect - *will be said* -

בַּיּוֹם הַהוּא - *on that day* in OT the phrase is used 201x's, in Isaiah:

2:11 the pride of men shall be humbled; and the LORD alone will be exalted in that day.

2:17 and the LORD alone will be exalted in that day.

2:20 In that day men will cast forth their idols of silver and

3:7 in that day he will speak out, saying: "I will not be a healer;

3:18 In that day the Lord will take away the finery of the anklets,

4:1 And seven women shall take hold of one man in that day, saying, "We will eat our own bread and wear our own clothes, only let us be called by your name; take away our reproach."

4:2 In that day the branch of the LORD shall be beautiful and glorious,

5:30 They will growl over it on that day, like the roaring of the sea

7:18 In that day the LORD will whistle for the fly which is at the sources

7:20 In that day the Lord will shave with a razor which is hired

7:21 In that day a man will keep alive a young cow and two sheep;

7:23 In that day every place where there used to be a thousand vines,

10:20 In that day the remnant of Israel and the survivors of the house of Jacob will no more lean upon him that smote them, but will lean upon the LORD, the Holy One of Israel, in truth.

10:27 And in that day his burden will depart from your shoulder,

11:10 In that day the root of Jesse shall stand as an ensign to the peoples;

11:11 In that day the Lord will extend his hand yet a second time to recover the remnant

12:1 You will say in that day: "I will give thanks to thee, O LORD,

12:4 And you will say in that day: "Give thanks to the LORD,

17:4 And in that day the glory of Jacob will be brought low,

17:7 In that day men will regard their Maker, and their eyes will look to the Holy One of Israel;

17:9 In that day their strong cities will be like the deserted places

19:16 In that day the Egyptians will be like women, and tremble with fear

19:18 In that day there will be five cities in the land of Egypt which speak the language of Canaan and swear allegiance to the LORD of hosts.

19:19 In that day there will be an altar to the LORD in the midst of the land of Egypt, and a pillar to the LORD at its border.

19:21 and the Egyptians will know the LORD in that day and worship with

19:23 In that day there will be a highway from Egypt to Assyria, and

19:24 In that day Israel will be the third with Egypt and Assyria, a blessing in the midst of the earth,

20:6 And the inhabitants of this coastland will say in that day,

"Behold, this is what has happened to those in whom we hoped and to whom we fled for help

22:8 He has taken away the covering of Judah. In that day you looked to the weapons of the House of the Forest,

22:12 In that day the Lord GOD of hosts called to weeping and mourning,

22:20 In that day I will call my servant Eli'akim the son of Hilki'ah,

22:25 In that day, says the LORD of hosts, the peg that was fastened ... it will be cut off, for the LORD has spoken."

23:15 In that day Tyre will be forgotten for seventy years,

24:21 On that day the LORD will punish the host of heaven, in heaven, and the kings of the earth, on the earth.

25:9 It will be said on that day, "Lo, this is our God; we have waited

26:1 In that day this song will be sung in the land of Judah: "We have a strong city; he sets up salvation as walls and bulwarks.

27:1 In that day the LORD with his hard and great and strong sword will punish Leviathan the fleeing serpent,

27:2 In that day: "A pleasant vineyard, sing of it!

27:12 In that day ... you will be gathered one by one, O people of Israel.

27:13 And in that day a great trumpet will be blown, and those who were lost ... will come and worship the LORD on the holy mountain at Jerusalem.

28:5 In that day the LORD of hosts will be a crown of glory,

29:18 In that day the deaf shall hear the words of a book, and out of their gloom and darkness the eyes of the blind shall see.

30:23 In that day your cattle will graze in large pastures;

31:7 For in that day every one shall cast away his idols of silver and

52:6 Therefore my people shall know my name; therefore in that day they shall know that it is I who speak; here am I."

הִנֵּה - *behold* important and emphatic [words of revelation] - 78x in Isaiah -

3:1, 5:7, 5:7, 5:26, 5:30, 6:7, 6:8, 7:14, 8:7, 8:18, 8:22, 10:33, 12:2, 13:9, 13:17, 17:1, 17:14, 19:1, 20:6, 21:9, 22:13, 22:17, 24:1, 25:9, 26:21, 28:2, 28:16, 29:8, 29:8, 29:8, 29:14, 30:27, 34:5, 35:4, 36:6, 37:7, 37:11, 37:36, 38:5, 38:8, 38:17, 39:6, 40:9, 40:10, 40:10, 41:15, 41:27, 41:27, 42:9, 43:19, 47:14, 48:7, 48:10, 49:12, 49:12, 49:22, 51:22, 52:6, 52:13, 54:11, 54:16, 58:9, 59:9, 60:2, 62:11, 62:11, 62:11, 65:1, 65:1, 65:6, 65:13, 65:13, 65:13, 65:14, 65:17, 65:18, 66:12, 66:15

אֵלֹהִינוּ - 94x in Isaiah - *Elohim* - 1:10, 2:3, 7:11, 7:13, 8:19, 8:21, 13:19, 17:6, 17:10, 21:9, 21:10, 21:17, 24:15, 25:1, 25:9, 26:13, 28:26, 29:23, 30:18, 35:2, 35:4, 35:4, 36:7, 36:18, 36:19, 36:19, 36:20, 37:4, 37:4, 37:4, 37:10, 37:12, 37:16, 37:16, 37:17, 37:19, 37:19, 37:20, 37:21, 37:38, 38:5, 40:1, 40:3, 40:8, 40:9, 40:27, 40:28, 41:10, 41:13, 41:17, 41:23, 42:17, 43:3, 44:6, 45:3, 45:5, 45:14, 45:15, 45:18, 45:21, 46:9, 48:1, 48:2, 48:17, 49:4, 49:5, 50:10, 51:15, 51:20, 51:22, 52:7, 52:10, 52:12, 53:4, 54:5, 54:6, 55:5, 55:7, 57:21, 58:2, 58:2, 59:2, 59:13, 60:9, 60:19, 61:2, 61:6, 61:10, 62:3, 62:5, 64:3, 65:16, 65:16, 66:9

זֶה - demonstrative pronoun - *this, here* - 59x in Isaiah -

קָנַינוּ - *wait* (875d) (2x's in this verse) the origin of the verb is found in the concepts of twisting, stretching and tension, of a cord under pressure, its the wait of eagerly looking for. 14x's in Isaiah. as a rule the RSV translates this *look - for'* emphasizing the anticipation rather than the tension.

5:2 and he looked for it to yield grapes, but it yielded wild grapes.
5:4 When I looked for it to yield grapes, why did it yield wild grapes?
5:7 and he looked for justice, but behold, bloodshed; for righteousness, but behold, a cry!
8:17 I will wait for the LORD who is hiding his face from the house of Jacob, and I will look for him.
25:9 we have waited for him, that he might save us.... we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."
26:8 In the path of thy judgments, O LORD, we wait for thee;
33:2 O LORD, be gracious to us; we wait for thee.
40:31 but they who wait for the LORD shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings like eagles,
49:23 Then you will know that I am the LORD; those who wait for me shall not be put to shame."
51:5 the coastlands wait for me, and for my arm they hope.
59:9 we look for light, and behold, darkness, and for brightness,...
59:11 we look for justice, but there is none; for salvation, but it is far from us.
60:9 For the coastlands shall wait for me,
64:2(3) When you did terrifying things, which we did not look for...

וַיִּשְׁעֵנוּ - *save* (446d) [see below]

יְהוָה - see above 25.8

קָנַינוּ - 49x in BHS 15x in Isaiah - *wait for* - piel perfect -

5:2 He digged it and cleared it of stones, and planted it with choice vines; he built a watchtower in the midst of it, and hewed out a wine vat in it; and he looked for it to yield grapes, but it yielded wild grapes.
5:4 What more was there to do for my vineyard, that I have not done in it? When I looked for it to yield grapes, why did it yield wild grapes?
5:7 For the vineyard of the LORD of hosts is the house of Israel, and the men of Judah are his pleasant planting; and he looked for justice, but behold, bloodshed; for righteousness, but behold, a cry!
8:17 I will wait for the LORD, who is hiding his face from the house of Jacob, and I will hope in him.
25:9 It will be said on that day, "Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us. This is the LORD; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."
25:9 It will be said on that day, "Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us. This is the LORD; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."
26:8 In the path of thy judgments, O LORD, we wait for thee; thy memorial name is the desire of our soul.
33:2 O LORD, be gracious to us; we wait for thee. Be our arm every morning, our salvation in the time of trouble.
40:31 but they who wait for the LORD shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint.
49:23 Kings shall be your foster fathers, and their queens your nursing mothers. With their faces to the ground they shall bow down to you, and lick the dust of your feet. Then you will know that I am the LORD; those who wait for me shall not be put to shame."
51:5 My deliverance draws near speedily, my salvation has gone forth, and my arms will rule the peoples; the coastlands wait for me, and for my arm they hope.
59:9 Therefore justice is far from us, and righteousness does not overtake us; we look for light, and behold, darkness, and for brightness, but we walk in gloom.
59:11 We all growl like bears, we moan and moan like doves; we look for justice, but there is none; for salvation, but it is far from us.
60:9 For the coastlands shall wait for me, the ships of Tarshish first, to bring your sons from far, their silver and gold with them, for the name of the LORD your God, and for the Holy One of Israel, because he has glorified you.
64:2 as when fire kindles brushwood and the fire causes water to boil -- to make thy name known to thy adversaries, and that the nations might tremble at thy presence!

נִגְלָה - *glad* (162a) be excited to levity, the verb is used in Isaiah 11x's is relatively rare in the

OT [the noun is used in Isaiah 16;10, 35:2, 65:18]

9:2 The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness, on them has light shined.
25:9 This is the LORD; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."
29:19 The meek shall obtain fresh joy in the LORD, and the poor among men shall exult in the Holy One of Israel.
35:1 The wilderness and the dry land shall be glad, the desert shall rejoice and blossom; like the crocus
35:2 it shall blossom abundantly, and rejoice with joy and singing. The glory of Lebanon shall be given to it, the majesty of Carmel and Sharon. They shall see the glory of the LORD, the majesty of our God.

41:16 You shall winnow them and the wind shall carry them away, and the tempest shall scatter them. And you shall rejoice in the LORD; in the Holy One of Israel you shall glory.
 49:13 Sing for joy, O heavens, and exult, O earth; break forth, O mountains, into singing! For the LORD has comforted his people, and will have compassion on his afflicted.
 61:10 I will greatly rejoice in the LORD, my soul shall exult in my God; for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation, he has covered me with the robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom decks himself with a garland, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels.
 65:18 But be glad and rejoice for ever in that which I create; for behold, I create Jerusalem a rejoicing, and her people a joy.
 65:19 I will rejoice in Jerusalem, and be glad in my people; no more shall be heard in it the sound of weeping and the cry of distress.
 66:10 "Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her, all you who love her; rejoice with her in joy, all you who mourn over her;

וְנִשְׂמְחָהּ - rejoice (970) be glad, take pleasure in, exult (much more common in OT than above ^) used in Isaiah 9x's

9:2(3) You have multiplied the nation, you have increased the joy
 9:16(17) for this the Lord shall not rejoice over the young men
 14:8 The cypresses rejoice at you, the cedars of Lebanon, saying, `Since you were laid low, no hewer comes up against us.'
 14:29 "Rejoice not, O Philistia, all of you, that the rod which smote you is broken,
 25:9 This is the LORD; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."
 39:2 And Hezeki'ah (was glad because of them) welcomed them;
 56:7 these I will bring to my holy mountain, and make them joyful in my house of prayer; their burnt offerings and their sacrifices will be accepted on my altar; for my house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples.
 65:13 Therefore thus says the Lord GOD: "Behold, my servants shall eat, but you shall be hungry; behold, my servants shall drink, but you shall be thirsty; behold, my servants shall rejoice, but you shall be put to shame;
 66:10 "Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her, all you who love her; rejoice with her in joy, all you who mourn over her;

בְּיִשׁוּעָתוֹ - salvation (447b) - noun, feminine - 19x in Isaiah -

12:2 "Behold, God is my salvation; I will trust, and will not be afraid; for the LORD GOD is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation."
 12:2 "Behold, God is my salvation; I will trust, and will not be afraid; for the LORD GOD is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation."
 12:3 With joy you will draw water from the wells of salvation.
 25:9 It will be said on that day, "Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us. This is the LORD; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."
 26:1 In that day this song will be sung in the land of Judah: "We have a strong city; he sets up salvation as walls and bulwarks.
 26:18 we were with child, we writhed, we have as it were brought forth wind. We have wrought no deliverance in the earth, and the inhabitants of the world have not fallen.
 33:2 O LORD, be gracious to us; we wait for thee. Be our arm every morning, our salvation in the time of trouble.
 33:6 and he will be the stability of your times, abundance of salvation, wisdom, and knowledge; the fear of the LORD is his treasure.
 49:6 he says: "It is too light a thing that you should be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob and to restore the preserved of Israel;
 49:8 Thus says the LORD: "In a time of favor I have answered you, in a day of salvation I have helped you; I have kept you and given you as a covenant to the people, to establish the land, to apportion the desolate heritages;
 51:6 Lift up your eyes to the heavens, and look at the earth beneath; for the heavens will vanish like smoke, the earth will wear out like a garment, and they who dwell in it will die like gnats; but my salvation will be for ever, and my deliverance will never be ended.
 51:8 For the moth will eat them up like a garment, and the worm will eat them like wool; but my deliverance will be for ever, and my salvation to all generations."
 52:7 How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him who brings good tidings, who publishes peace, who brings good tidings of good, who publishes salvation, who says to Zion, "Your God reigns."
 52:10 The LORD has bared his holy arm before the eyes of all the nations; and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God.
 56:1 Thus says the LORD: "Keep justice, and do righteousness, for soon my salvation will come, and my deliverance be revealed.
 59:11 We all growl like bears, we moan and moan like doves; we look for justice, but there is none; for salvation, but it is far from us.
 59:17 He put on righteousness as a breastplate, and a helmet of salvation upon his head; he put on garments of vengeance for clothing, and wrapped himself in fury as a mantle.
 60:18 Violence shall no more be heard in your land, devastation or destruction within your borders; you shall call your walls Salvation, and your gates Praise.
 62:1 For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication goes forth as brightness, and her salvation as a burning torch.

Salvation יִשׁוּעַ in Isaiah

a. the verb

14:8 The cypresses rejoice at you, the cedars of Lebanon, saying, `Since you were laid low, no hewer comes up against us.'
 19:20 It will be a sign and a witness to the LORD of hosts in the land of Egypt; when they cry to the LORD because of oppressors he will send them a savior, and will defend and deliver them.
 25:9 It will be said on that day, "Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us. This is the LORD; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."
 30:15 For thus said the Lord GOD, the Holy One of Israel, "In returning and rest you shall be saved; in quietness and in trust shall be your strength." And you would not,
 33:22 For the LORD is our judge, the LORD is our ruler, the LORD is our king; he will save us.
 35:4 Say to those who are of a fearful heart, "Be strong, fear not! Behold, your God will come with vengeance, with the recompense of God. He will come and save you."
 37:20 So now, O LORD our God, save us from his hand, that all the kingdoms of the earth may know that thou alone art the LORD."

37:35 For I will defend this city to save it, for my own sake and for the sake of my servant David."
38:20 The LORD will save me, and we will sing to stringed instruments all the days of our life, at the house of the LORD.
43:3 For I am the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior. I give Egypt as your ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you.
43:11 I, I am the LORD, and besides me there is no savior.
43:12 I declared and saved and proclaimed, when there was no strange god among you; and you are my witnesses," says the LORD.
45:15 Truly, thou art a God who hidest thyself, O God of Israel, the Savior.
45:20 "Assemble yourselves and come, draw near together, you survivors of the nations! They have no knowledge who carry about their wooden idols, and keep on praying to a god that cannot save.
45:21 Declare and present your case; let them take counsel together! Who told this long ago? Who declared it of old? Was it not I, the LORD? And there is no other god besides me, a righteous God and a Savior; there is none besides me.
45:22 "Turn to me and be saved, all the ends of the earth! For I am God, and there is no other.
46:7 They lift it upon their shoulders, they carry it, they set it in its place, and it stands there; it cannot move from its place. If one cries to it, it does not answer or save him from his trouble.
47:13 You are wearied with your many counsels; let them stand forth and save you, those who divide the heavens, who gaze at the stars, who at the new moons predict what shall befall you.
47:15 Such to you are those with whom you have labored, who have trafficked with you from your youth; they wander about each in his own direction; there is no one to save you.
49:25 Surely, thus says the LORD: "Even the captives of the mighty shall be taken, and the prey of the tyrant be rescued, for I will contend with those who contend with you, and I will save your children.
49:26 I will make your oppressors eat their own flesh, and they shall be drunk with their own blood as with wine. Then all flesh shall know that I am the LORD your Savior, and your Redeemer, the Mighty One of Jacob."
59:1 Behold, the LORD's hand is not shortened, that it cannot save, or his ear dull, that it cannot hear;
59:16 He saw that there was no man, and wondered that there was no one to intervene; then his own arm brought him victory, and his righteousness upheld him.
60:16 You shall suck the milk of nations, you shall suck the breast of kings; and you shall know that I, the LORD, am your Savior and your Redeemer, the Mighty One of Jacob.
63:1 Who is this that comes from Edom, in crimsoned garments from Bozrah, he that is glorious in his apparel, marching in the greatness of his strength? "It is I, announcing vindication, mighty to save."
63:5 I looked, but there was no one to help; I was appalled, but there was no one to uphold; so my own arm brought me victory, and my wrath upheld me.
63:8 For he said, Surely they are my people, sons who will not deal falsely; and he became their Savior.
63:9 In all their affliction he was afflicted, and the angel of his presence saved them; in his love and in his pity he redeemed them; he lifted them up and carried them all the days of old.
64:4 From of old no one has heard or perceived by the ear, no eye has seen a God besides thee, who works for those who wait for him.

b. noun masculine

17:10 For you have forgotten the God of your salvation, and have not remembered the Rock of your refuge; therefore, though you plant pleasant plants and set out slips of an alien god,
45:8 "Shower, O heavens, from above, and let the skies rain down righteousness; let the earth open, that salvation may sprout forth, and let it cause righteousness to spring up also; I the LORD have created it.
51:5 My deliverance draws near speedily, my salvation has gone forth, and my arms will rule the peoples; the coastlands wait for me, and for my arm they hope.
61:10 I will greatly rejoice in the LORD, my soul shall exult in my God; for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation, he has covered me with the robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom decks himself with a garland, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels.
62:11 Behold, the LORD has proclaimed to the end of the earth: Say to the daughter of Zion, "Behold, your salvation comes; behold, his reward is with him, and his recompense before him."

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12:2 "Behold, God is my salvation; I will trust, and will not be afraid; for the LORD GOD is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation."
25:9 It will be said on that day, "Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us. This is the LORD; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."
26:1 In that day this song will be sung in the land of Judah: "We have a strong city; he sets up salvation as walls and bulwarks.
26:18 We were with child, we writhed, we have as it were brought forth wind. We have wrought no deliverance in the earth, and the inhabitants of the world have not fallen.
33:2 O LORD, be gracious to us; we wait for thee. Be our arm every morning, our salvation in the time of trouble.
33:6 and he will be the stability of your times, abundance of salvation, wisdom, and knowledge; the fear of the LORD is his treasure.
45:17 But Israel is saved by the LORD with everlasting salvation; you shall not be put to shame or confounded to all eternity.
46:13 I bring near my deliverance, it is not far off, and my salvation will not tarry; I will put salvation in Zion, for Israel my glory."
49:6 he says: "It is too light a thing that you should be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob and to restore the preserved of Israel; I will give you as a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth."
49:8 Thus says the LORD: "In a time of favor I have answered you, in a day of salvation I have helped you; I have kept you and given you as a covenant to the people, to establish the land, to apportion the desolate heritages;
51:6 Lift up your eyes to the heavens, and look at the earth beneath; for the heavens will vanish like smoke, the earth will wear out like a garment, and they who dwell in it will die like gnats; but my salvation will be for ever, and my deliverance will never be ended.
51:8 For the moth will eat them up like a garment, and the worm will eat them like wool; but my deliverance will be for ever, and my salvation to all generations."
52:7 How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him who brings good tidings, who publishes peace, who brings good tidings of good, who publishes salvation, who says to Zion, "Your God reigns."
52:10 The LORD has bared his holy arm before the eyes of all the nations; and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God.
56:1 Thus says the LORD: "Keep justice, and do righteousness, for soon my salvation will come, and my deliverance be revealed.
59:11 We all growl like bears, we moan and moan like doves; we look for justice, but there is none; for salvation, but it is far from us.

59:17 He put on righteousness as a breastplate, and a helmet of salvation upon his head; he put on garments of vengeance for clothing, and wrapped himself in fury as a mantle.

60:18 Violence shall no more be heard in your land, devastation or destruction within your borders; you shall call your walls Salvation, and your gates Praise.

62:1 For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication goes forth as brightness, and her salvation as a burning torch.

62:3 You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the LORD, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God.

62:7 and give him no rest until he establishes Jerusalem and makes it a praise in the earth.