



ח אִם־חִפֵּץ בְּנֹו יְהוָה וְהִבִּיא אֶתְנֹו אֶל־הָאָרֶץ הַזֹּאת
וְנִתְּנָה לָנוּ אָרֶץ אֲשֶׁר־הוּא זֹבֵת חֶלֶב וּדְבַשׁ: ט אַךְ בִּיהוָה
אֶל־תִּמְרְדוּ וְאַתֶּם אֶל־תִּירְאוּ אֶת־עַם הָאָרֶץ כִּי לַחֲמִנֹו
יֵם סָר צֶלֶם מַעֲלִיָּהֶם וַיהוָה אֶתְנֹו אֶל־תִּירְאֵם: י וַיֹּאמְרוּ
כָּל־הָעֵדָה לְרָגוּם אֶתֶם בְּאֲבָנִים וְכָבוֹד יְהוָה נִרְאָה
בְּאַהֲל מוֹעֵד אֶל־כָּל־בְּנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל: יא וַיֹּאמֶר יְהוָה
אֶל־מֹשֶׁה עַד־אָנָּה יִנְאַצְנִי הָעָם הַזֶּה וְעַד־אָנָּה
לֹא־יֵאֱמִינוּ בִּי בְּכֹל הַאֲתוֹת אֲשֶׁר עָשִׂיתִי בְּקִרְבּוֹ: יב אַכְּנֹו
בְּדָבָר וְאוֹרְשָׁנֹו וְאַעֲשֶׂה אֶתְךָ לְגֹי־גְדוֹל וְעָצוּם מִמֶּנּוּ:
יג וַיֹּאמֶר מֹשֶׁה אֶל־יְהוָה וְשָׁמְעוּ מִצְרַיִם כִּי־הֵעֲלִיתָ
בְּכַחֲךָ אֶת־הָעָם הַזֶּה מִקִּרְבּוֹ: יד וַאֲמָרוּ אֶל־יֹושֵׁב הָאָרֶץ
הַזֹּאת שָׁמְעוּ כִּי־אַתָּה יְהוָה בְּקִרְבֵּי הָעָם הַזֶּה אֲשֶׁר־עִין
בְּעֵין נִרְאָה | אַתָּה יְהוָה וְעַנְנְךָ עֲמֵד עֲלֵהֶם וּבַעֲמֵד עַנְן
אַתָּה הֹלֵךְ לְפָנֵיהֶם יוֹמָם וּבַעֲמֹוד אֵשׁ לַיְלָה: טו וְהִמַּתָּה
אֶת־הָעָם הַזֶּה כְּאִישׁ אֶחָד וַאֲמָרוּ הַגֹּיִם אֲשֶׁר־שָׁמְעוּ
אֶת־שְׁמֵעֶךָ לֵאמֹר: טז מִבְּלַתִּי יִכְלֹת יְהוָה לְהִבִּיא
אֶת־הָעָם הַזֶּה אֶל־הָאָרֶץ אֲשֶׁר־נִשְׁבַּע לָהֶם וַיִּשְׁחָטֵם

בַּמִּדְבָּר׃ יז וְעַתָּה יִגְדַל־נָא כַח אֲדֹנָי כַּאֲשֶׁר דִּבַּרְתָּ לֵאמֹר׃
יח יְהוָה אֶרֶץ אֲפִים וְרַב־חֶסֶד נִשְׂא עֶז וּפִשֵׁע וְנִקְה לֹא
יִנְקֶה פִקֵּד עֶז אָבוֹת עַל־בָּנִים עַל־שְׁלֵשִׁים וְעַל־רִבְעִים׃
יט סִלַּח־נָא לַעֲזוֹן הָעַם הַזֶּה כְּגִדְל חֶסֶדְךָ וְכַאֲשֶׁר נִשְׂאָתָה
לְעַם הַזֶּה מִמִּצְרַיִם וְעַד־הַנְּהָה׃ כ וַיֹּאמֶר יְהוָה סִלַּחְתִּי
כְּדַבְּרְךָ׃ כא וְאוֹלָם חִי־אֲנִי וַיִּמְלֵא כְבוֹד־יְהוָה
אֶת־כָּל־הָאָרֶץ׃ כב כִּי כָל־הָאֲנָשִׁים הָרְאִים אֶת־כְּבֹדִי
וְאֶת־אֲתֹתַי אֲשֶׁר־עָשִׂיתִי בְּמִצְרַיִם וּבַמִּדְבָּר וַיִּנְסוּ אֹתִי
זֶה עָשָׂה פְעָמִים וְלֹא שָׁמְעוּ בְּקוֹלִי׃ כג אִם־יִרְאוּ
אֶת־הָאָרֶץ אֲשֶׁר נִשְׁבַּעְתִּי לְאַבְתָּם וְכָל־מְנַאֲצֵי לֹא
יִרְאוּהָ׃ כד וְעַבְדֵי כָל־בְּעֵקֶב הִיתָה רוּחַ אַחֲרֵת עִמּוֹ וַיִּמְלֵא
אֲחֵרֵי וְהִבִּיֹּאתִיו אֶל־הָאָרֶץ אֲשֶׁר־בָּא שָׁמָּה וְזָרְעוּ
יִוְרְשׁוּהָ׃ כה וְהִעֲמַלְקִי וְהִכְנַעְנִי יוֹשֵׁב בְּעַמְּק מַחֲר פָּנָו
וְסָעוּ לָכֶם הַמִּדְבָּר דֶּרֶךְ יַם־סוּף׃

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8. If Hashem delights in us, then he will bring us into this land, and give it to us; a land which flows with milk and honey. 9. Only do not rebel against Hashem, nor fear the people of the land; for they are bread for us; their defense is departed from them, and Hashem is with us; fear them not. 10. But all the congregation said to stone them with stones. And the glory of Hashem appeared in the Tent of Meeting before all the people of Israel. 11. And Hashem said to Moses, How long will this people provoke me? And how long will it be before they believe me, for all the signs which I have shown among them? 12. I will afflict them with the pestilence, and disinherit them, and will make of you a greater nation and mightier than they. 13. And Moses said to Hashem, Then the Egyptians shall hear it, for you brought up this people in your might from among them; 14. And they will tell it to the inhabitants of this land; for they have heard that you Lord are among this people, that you Lord are seen face to face, and that your cloud stands over them, and that you go before them, by day time in a pillar of a cloud, and in a pillar

of fire by night. 15. Now if you shall kill all this people as one man, then the nations which have heard your fame will speak, saying, 16. Because Hashem was not able to bring this people into the land which he swore to them, therefore he has slain them in the wilderness. 17. And now, I beseech you, let the power of my Lord be great, according to what you have spoken, saying, 18. Hashem is long suffering, and of great mercy, forgiving iniquity and transgression, and by no means clearing the guilty, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children to the third and fourth generation. 19. Pardon, I beseech you, the iniquity of this people according to the greatness of your mercy, and as you have forgiven this people, from Egypt until now. 20. And Hashem said, I have pardoned according to your word; 21. But as truly as I live, all the earth shall be filled with the glory of Hashem. 22. Because all those men which have seen my glory, and my miracles, which I did in Egypt and in the wilderness, and have tempted me now these ten times, and have not listened to my voice; 23. Surely they shall not see the land which I swore to their fathers, nor shall any of them who provoked me see it; 24. But my servant Caleb, because he had another spirit with him, and has followed me fully, him will I bring into the land where he went; and his seed shall possess it. 25. Now the Amalekites and the Canaanites live in the valley. Tomorrow turn, and go to the wilderness by the way of the Red Sea.