



יֵא וַיּוֹשֶׁב יוֹסֵף אֶת־אָבִיו וְאֶת־אָחִיו וַיִּתֵּן לָהֶם אַחְזָה
בְּאֶרֶץ מִצְרַיִם בְּמִיטַב הָאָרֶץ בְּאֶרֶץ רַעְמֶסֶס כַּאֲשֶׁר צִוָּה
פַּרְעֹה: יב וַיִּכְלֹל יוֹסֵף אֶת־אָבִיו וְאֶת־אָחִיו וְאֵת
כָּל־בֵּית אָבִיו לָחֶם לְפִי הַטֶּף: יג וְלָחֶם אֵין בְּכָל־הָאָרֶץ
כִּי־כָבֵד הָרָעַב מְאֹד וַתִּלְהַ אֶרֶץ מִצְרַיִם וְאֶרֶץ כְּנַעַן מִפְּנֵי
הָרָעַב: יד וַיִּלְקֹט יוֹסֵף אֶת־כָּל־הַכֶּסֶף הַנִּמְצָא
בְּאֶרֶץ־מִצְרַיִם וּבְאֶרֶץ כְּנַעַן בַּשֶּׁבֶר אֲשֶׁר־הֵם שֹׁבְרִים
וַיָּבֵא יוֹסֵף אֶת־הַכֶּסֶף בֵּיתָה פַּרְעֹה: טו וַיִּתֶּם הַכֶּסֶף מֵאֶרֶץ
מִצְרַיִם וּמֵאֶרֶץ כְּנַעַן וַיָּבֹאוּ כָּל־מִצְרַיִם אֶל־יוֹסֵף לֵאמֹר
הִבֵּה־לָנוּ לָחֶם וְלָמָּה נִמּוֹת נִגְדָךְ כִּי אִפְס כֶּסֶף: טז וַיֹּאמֶר
יוֹסֵף הָבוּ מִקְנֵיכֶם וְאֶתְנֶה לָכֶם בְּמִקְנֵיכֶם אִם־אִפְס כֶּסֶף:
יז וַיָּבִיאוּ אֶת־מִקְנֵיהֶם אֶל־יוֹסֵף וַיִּתֵּן לָהֶם יוֹסֵף לָחֶם
בְּסוּסִים וּבְמִקְנֵה הַצֹּאן וּבְמִקְנֵה הַבָּקָר וּבַחֲמֹרִים וַיִּנְהַלֵּם
בַּלָּחֶם בְּכָל־מִקְנֵהֶם בַּשָּׁנָה הַהִוא: יח וַתִּתֶּם הַשָּׁנָה הַהִוא
וַיָּבֹאוּ אֵלָיו בַּשָּׁנָה הַשְּׁנִית וַיֹּאמְרוּ לוֹ לֹא־נִכְחַד מֵאֲדֹנָי
כִּי אִם־תֶּם הַכֶּסֶף וּמִקְנֵה הַבְּהֵמָה אֶל־אֲדֹנָי לֹא נִשְׂאָר
לְפָנַי אֲדֹנָי בְּלֹתִי אִם־גּוֹיִתְנוּ וְאֲדַמְתְּנוּ: יט לָמָּה נִמּוֹת

לְעֵינֶיךָ גַם־אֲנַחְנוּ גַם־אֲדַמְתָּנוּ קָנָה־אֹתָנוּ וְאֶת־אֲדַמְתָּנוּ
בְּלֶחֶם וְנָהְיָה אֲנַחְנוּ וְאֲדַמְתָּנוּ עֲבָדִים לְפַרְעֹה וְתֵן־זֶרַע
וְנַחֲיָה וְלֹא נָמוּת וְהָאֲדָמָה לֹא תִשָּׁם: כ וַיִּקֶן יוֹסֵף
אֶת־כָּל־אֲדָמַת מִצְרַיִם לְפַרְעֹה כִּי־מָכְרוּ מִצְרַיִם אִישׁ
שָׂדֵהוּ כִּי־חֲזַק עָלֵהֶם הָרָעַב וַתְּהִי הָאָרֶץ לְפַרְעֹה:
כא וְאֶת־הָעָם הֶעֱבִיר אֹתוֹ לְעָרִים מְקֻצָּה גְבוּל־מִצְרַיִם
וְעַד־קָצָהוּ: כב רַק אֲדָמַת הַכְּהֹנִים לֹא קָנָה כִּי חֹק לַכְּהֹנִים
מֵאֵת פַּרְעֹה וְאָכְלוּ אֶת־חֲקֵם אֲשֶׁר נָתַן לָהֶם פַּרְעֹה
עַל־כֵּן לֹא מָכְרוּ אֶת־אֲדָמָתָם: כג וַיֹּאמֶר יוֹסֵף אֶל־הָעָם
הֵן קָנִיתִי אֶתְכֶם הַיּוֹם וְאֶת־אֲדָמַתְכֶם לְפַרְעֹה הֲא־לְכֶם
זֶרַע וְזָרַעְתֶּם אֶת־הָאֲדָמָה: כד וְהָיָה בַּתְּבוּאָת וּנְתַתֶּם
חֲמִישִׁית לְפַרְעֹה וְאַרְבַּע הַיִּדֹת יִהְיֶה לָכֶם לְזֶרַע הַשָּׂדֶה
וְלֹא־כֹלְכֶם וְלֹא־אֲשֶׁר בְּבֵיתְכֶם וְלֹא־כֹל לְטַפְּכֶם: [מִפְטִיר]
כה וַיֹּאמְרוּ הַחִיתָנוּ נִמְצָא־חֵן בְּעֵינֵי אֲדֹנָי וְהָיִינוּ עֲבָדִים
לְפַרְעֹה: כו וַיִּשֶׂם אֹתָהּ יוֹסֵף לְחֹק עַד־הַיּוֹם הַזֶּה
עַל־אֲדָמַת מִצְרַיִם לְפַרְעֹה לְחֵמֶשׁ רַק אֲדָמַת הַכְּהֹנִים
לְבָדָם לֹא הִיְתָה לְפַרְעֹה: כז וַיֵּשֶׁב יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּאֶרֶץ מִצְרַיִם
בְּאֶרֶץ גֹּשֶׁן וַיֵּאָחֲזוּ בָּהּ וַיִּפְרוּ וַיִּרְבוּ מְאֹד:

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11. And Joseph placed his father and his brothers, and gave them a possession in the land of Egypt, in the best of the land, in the land of Rameses, as Pharaoh had commanded.
12. And Joseph nourished his father, and his brothers, and all his father's household, with

bread, according to their families. 13. And there was no bread in all the land; for the famine was very severe, so that the land of Egypt and all the land of Canaan fainted because of the famine. 14. And Joseph gathered up all the money that was found in the land of Egypt, and in the land of Canaan, for the grain which they bought; and Joseph brought the money into Pharaoh's house. 15. And when money was all spent in the land of Egypt, and in the land of Canaan, all the Egyptians came to Joseph, and said, Give us bread; for why should we die in your presence? for the money is gone. 16. And Joseph said, Give your cattle; and I will give you food for your cattle, if your money is gone. 17. And they brought their cattle to Joseph; and Joseph gave them bread in exchange for horses, and for the flocks, and for the cattle of the herds, and for the asses; and he fed them with bread for all their cattle for that year. 18. When that year was ended, they came to him the second year, and said to him, We will not hide it from my lord that our money is spent; my lord also has our herds of cattle; there is nothing left in the sight of my lord, but our bodies, and our lands; 19. Why shall we die before your eyes, both we and our land? buy us and our land for bread, and we and our land will be servants to Pharaoh; and give us seed, that we may live, and not die, that the land be not desolate. 20. And Joseph bought all the land of Egypt for Pharaoh; for the Egyptians sold every man his field, because the famine prevailed over them; so the land became Pharaoh's. 21. And as for the people, he moved them to cities from one end of the borders of Egypt to the other end of it. 22. Only the land of the priests he did not buy; because the priests had a portion assigned to them from Pharaoh, and ate their portion which Pharaoh gave them; therefore they did not sell their lands. 23. Then Joseph said to the people, Behold, I have bought you this day and your land for Pharaoh; lo, here is seed for you, and you shall sow the land. 24. And it shall come to pass at harvest time, that you shall give the fifth part to Pharaoh, and four parts shall be your own, for seed of the field, and for your food, and for them of your households, and for food for your little ones. 25. And they said, You have saved our lives; let us find grace in the sight of my lord, and we will be Pharaoh's servants. 26. And Joseph made it a law over the land of Egypt to this day, that Pharaoh should have the fifth part; except the land of the priests only, which became not Pharaoh's. 27. And Israel lived in the land of Egypt, in the country of Goshen; and they had possessions in it, and grew, and multiplied exceedingly.