

# Sepher Amos

## Chapter 1

Shavua Reading Schedule (39th sidrah) – Amos 1 - 4

וְיַעֲשֵׂה יְהוָה כָּל-אֹתָהּ אֲשֶׁר-יְהוָה צִוָּה לְעַמּוֹד בְּבָנָיו אֲשֶׁר-יְהוָה צִוָּה  
 אֲשֶׁר-יְהוָה צִוָּה עַל-יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּיָמֵי עָזִיאֵל מֶלֶךְ יְהוּדָה  
 וּבְיָמֵי יְרָבָעֵם בֶּן-יְוָאֵשׁ מֶלֶךְ יִשְׂרָאֵל שְׁנָתִים לְפָנֵי הַקָּרְעָשׁ:

**1. dib'rey `Amos 'asher-hayah banoq'dim miT'qo`a**

**'asher chazah `al-Yis'ra'El bimey 'UzziYah melek-Yahudah**

**ubimey Yarab`am ben-Yo'ash melek Yis'ra'El sh'nathayim liph'ney hara`ash.**

**Amos1:1** The words of Amos, who was among the sheepherders from Tekoa, which he saw concerning Yisra'El in the days of UzziYah king of Yahudah, and in the days of Yaraboam son of Yoash, king of Yisra'El, two years before the earthquake.

**<1:1>** Λόγοι Αμως, οἵ τε ἐγένοντο ἐν νακκαριμ ἐκ Θεκουε,  
οὓς εἶδεν ὑπὲρ Ιερουσαλημ ἐν ἡμέραις Οζιου βασιλέως Ιουδα  
καὶ ἐν ἡμέραις Ιεροβοαμ τοῦ Ιωας βασιλέως Ισραὴλ πρὸ δύο ἔτων τοῦ σεισμοῦ.

**1 Logoi Amōs, hoi egenonto en nakkarim ek Thekoue, hous eiden**

The words of Amos, which took place in Kirjath Jearim of Tekoa, which he saw  
hyper Ierousalēm en hēmerais Oziou basileōs Iouda kai en hēmerais  
concerning Jerusalem in the days of Uzziah king of Judah, and in the days  
Ieroboam tou Iōas basileōs Israēl pro duo etōn tou seismou.  
of Jeroboam son Joash king of Israel, before two years the earthquake.

בְּוַיִּאמֶר יְהוָה מִצְיוֹן יְשָׁאָג וּמִרְוַשְׁלָם יִתְּן קֹלׁוֹ  
 וְאָבְלֵי נָאֹת הָרִיעִים וְרַבֵּשׁ רָאשׁ הַכְּרֶמֶל: בָּ

**2. wayo'mar Yahúwah miTsion yish'ag umiY'rushalam yiten qolo  
w'ab'lū n'oθ haro'im w'yabesh ro'sh haKar'mel.**

**Amos1:2** He said, מִצְיוֹן roars from Tsion and from Yerushalam He utters His voice;  
and the pastures of the shepherds mourn, and the summit of Karmel dries up.

**<2>** Καὶ εἶπεν Κύριος ἐκ Σιων ἐφθέγξατο καὶ ἐξ Ιερουσαλημ ἔδωκεν φωνὴν αὐτοῦ,  
καὶ ἐπένθησαν αἱ νομαὶ τῶν ποιμένων, καὶ ἐξηράνθη ἡ κορυφὴ τοῦ Καρμήλου.

**2 Kai eipen Kyrios ek Siōn ephthegxato**

And he said, YHWH from Zion uttered a sound,

kai ex Ierousalēm edōken phōnēn autou,

and from Jerusalem he gave his voice;

kai epenthēsan hai nomai tōn poimenōn, kai exēranthē hē koryphē tou Karmēlou.

and mourned the pastures of the shepherds, and was dried up the top of Carmel.

גַּפְהָ אָמַר יְהֹוָה עַל־שֶׁלֶשׁ פְּשֻׁעִי דְּמַשְׁקָן וְעַל־אֲרָבָעָה  
לֹא אָשִׁיבֵנוּ עַל־גִּישָׁם בְּחַרְצֹת הַבְּرִזֵּל אֶת־הַגְּלָעֵד:

3. **koh** 'amar Yahúwah `al-sh'loshah pish'ey Dameseq  
w`al-'ar'ba`ah lo 'ashibenu `al-dusham bacularutsoth habar'zel 'eth-haGil`ad.

**Amos1:3** Thus says יהושע, for three transgressions of Dameseq and for four  
I shall not turn back from it, for they threshed Gilead with implements of iron.

«3» Καὶ εἶπεν κύριος Ἐπὶ τὰς τρισὶν ἀσεβείαις Δαμασκοῦ  
καὶ ἐπὶ τὰς τέσσαριν οὐκ ἀποστραφήσομαι αὐτόν,  
ἀνθ' ὧν ἔπριζον πρίοις τιμηροῖς τὰς ἐν γαστρὶ ἔχουσας τῶν ἐν Γαλααδ·

3 Kai eipen kyrios Epi tais trisin asebeiais Damaskou  
And YHWH said, For the three impious deeds of Damascus,

kai epi tais tessarsin ouk apostraphēsomai auton,  
even for the four, I shall not turn away from him.

anth' hōn eprizon priosin sidērois tas en gastri echousas tōn en Galaad;  
Because they sawed saws by iron the ones in the womb having one in Gilead.

ד וְשַׁלְחָתִי אֵשׁ בַּבָּית חֹאֵל וְאֶכְלָה אַרְמָנוֹת בְּנָהָדָה:

4. **w'shilach'ti** 'esh b'beyth Chaza'El w'ak'lah 'ar'm'noth Ben-hadad.

**Amos1:4** So I shall send fire upon the house of Chaza'El  
and it shall consume the citadels of Ben-hadad.

«4» καὶ ἔξαποστελὼ πῦρ εἰς τὸν οἶκον Αζαὴλ, καὶ καταφάγεται θεμέλια σίον Αδερ·

4 kai exapostelō pyr eis ton oikon Azaēl,  
And I shall send a fire unto the house of Hazael,

kai kataphagetai themelia huiou Ader;  
and it shall devour the foundations of the son of Hadad.

ה וְשִׁבְרָתִי בְּרִיחַ דְּמַשְׁקָן וְהַכְּרָתִי יוֹשֵׁב מִבְּקָעַת־אָוֹן  
וְתוֹמֵךְ שְׁבָט מִבְּרִית עָדָן וְגַלְיוֹ עַמְּ-אָרָם קִירָה אָמַר יְהֹוָה: פָּ

5. **w'shabar'ti** b'riach Dameseq w'hik'rati yosheb mibiq'ath-'Awen  
w'thomek shebet miBeyth `Eden w'galu `am-'Aram Qirah 'amar Yahúwah.

**Amos1:5** I shall also break the bar of Dameseq, and cut off the inhabitant from the valley  
of Awen, and him who holds the scepter, from Beyth-Eden;  
so the people of Aram shall go exiled to Qir, says יהושע.

«5» καὶ συντρίψω μοχλοὺς Δαμασκοῦ καὶ ἔξολεθρεύσω κατοικοῦντας  
ἐκ πεδίου Ων καὶ κατακόψω φυλὴν ἐξ ἀνδρῶν Χαρραν,

καὶ αἰχμαλωτευθήσεται λαὸς Συρίας ἐπίκλητος, λέγει κύριος.

5 kai syntripsō mochlous Damaskou

And I shall break the bars of Damascus,

kai exolethreusō katoikountas ek pediou Ὀν

and I shall utterly destroy the inhabitants of the plain of On;

kai katakopsō phylēn ex andrōn Charran,

and I shall cut in pieces a tribe of the men of Eden;

kai aichmalōteuthēsetai laos Syrias epiklētos, legei kyrios.

and shall be captured people of Syria select, says YHWH.

וְכֹה אָמַר יְהוָה עַל־שָׁלֵשׁ הַפְשִׁיעָה עֲזָה וְעַל־אֶרְבָּעָה  
לֹא אָשִׁיבָנוּ עַל־הַגּוֹתָם גָּלוּת שְׁלֹמָה לְהַסְגִּיר לְאֶדוֹם:  
6. koh 'amar Yahúwah `al-sh'loshah pish`ey `Azah  
w`al-'ar'ba`ah lo 'ashibenu `al-hag'lotham galuth sh'lemah l'has'gir le'Edom.

Amos1:6 Thus says יהושע, for three transgressions of Azah

and for four I shall not turn back from it;

for they deported as exiles to deliver up a complete population to Edom.

<6> Τάδε λέγει κύριος Ἐπὶ τὰς τρισὶν ἀσεβείαις Γάζης καὶ ἐπὶ τὰς τέσσαριν οὐκ ἀποστραφήσομαι αὐτούς, ἔνεκεν τοῦ αἰχμαλωτεύσαι αὐτοὺς αἰχμαλωσίαν τοῦ Σαλωμῶν τοῦ συγκλεῖσαι εἰς τὴν Ιδουμαίαν.

6 Tade legei kyrios Epi tais trisin asebeiais Gazēs

Thus says YHWH, For the three impious deeds of Gaza,

kai epi tais tessarsin ouk apostraphēsomai autous,

and for the four, I shall not turn away from them.

heneken tou aichmalōteusai autous aichmalōsian tou Salōmōn

Because of their capturing the captivity of Solomon,

tou sygkleisai eis tēn Idoumaian;

to close them up in Edom.

וְשַׁלְחָה אֲשֶׁר בְּחוֹמָת עֲזָה וְאֶכֶּלֶת אֶרְמָנָתֶךָ:  
7. w'shilach'ti 'esh b'chomath `Azah w'ak'lah 'ar'm'notheyah.

Amos1:7 So I shall send fire upon the wall of Azah and it shall consume her citadels.

<7> καὶ ἔξαποστελὼ πῦρ ἐπὶ τὰ τείχη Γάζης, καὶ καταφάγεται θεμέλια αὐτῆς.

7 kai exapostelō pyr epi ta teichē Gazēs,

And I shall send out fire upon the walls of Gaza,

kai kataphagetai themelia autēs;

and it shall devour her foundations.

וְשַׁלְחָה עַבְדָּלָמִיד עַבְדָּלָמִיד עַבְדָּלָמִיד עַבְדָּלָמִיד  
8. w'shilach'ti ḥayim ḥayim ḥayim ḥayim ḥayim ḥayim ḥayim ḥayim

ח וְהַכְּרָתִי יוֹשֵׁב מַאֲשָׁדָוד וַתָּמַךְ שֶׁבֶט מַאֲשָׁקְלֹן וְהַשִּׁבּוֹתִי  
יְהִי עַל־עֲקָרוֹן וְאַבְדוֹ שָׂאָרִית פָּלָשְׁתִּים אָמַר אָדָנִי יְהוָה: פ

8. w'hik'rati yosheb me'Ash'dod w'thomek shebet me'Ash'q'lon  
wahashibothi yadi `al-`Eq'ron w'ab'du sh'erith P'lish'tim 'amar 'Adonay Yahúwah.

**Amos1:8** I shall cut off the inhabitant from Ashdod, and him who holds the scepter, from Ashkelon; I shall turn My hand upon Eqron, and the remnant of the Pilishtim shall perish, says my Adon **מֶלֶךְ**.

<8> καὶ ἔξολεθρεύσω κατοικοῦντας ἐξ Ἀζώτου,  
καὶ ἔξαρθήσεται φυλὴ ἐξ Ἀσκαλῶνος, καὶ ἐπάξω τὴν χεῖρά μου ἐπὶ Ακκαρῶν,  
καὶ ἀπολοῦνται οἱ κατάλοιποι τῶν ἀλλοφύλων, λέγει κύριος.

8 kai exolethreusō katoikountas ex Azōtou,

And I shall utterly destroy the inhabitants of Ashdod,

kai exarthēsetai phylē ex Askalōnos,  
and shall lift away a tribe from Ashkelon,  
kai epaxō tēn cheira mou epi Akkarōn,  
and I shall bring my hand upon Ekron.

kai apolountai hoi kataloipoi tōn allophylōn, legei kyrios.

And shall be destroyed the rest of the Philistines, says YHWH.

טוֹנָא-בְּזָבְעָה בְּזָבְעָה בְּזָבְעָה בְּזָבְעָה 9  
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ט כִּי אָמַר יְהוָה עַל־שְׁלֹשָׁה פְּשֻׁעִים־צָר וְעַל־אַרְבָּעָה  
לֹא אָשִׁיבָנוּ עַל־הַסְגִּירָם גָּלוּת שְׁלֹמָה לְאָדָום  
וְלֹא זָכַרְיָה בְּרִית אֲחִים:

9. koh 'amar Yahúwah `al-sh'lolah pish'ey-Tsor w`al-'ar'ba`ah lo' 'ashibenu  
'al-has'giram galuth sh'lemaḥ le'Edom w'lo' zak'ru b'rith 'achim.

**Amos1:9** Thus says **מֶלֶךְ**, For three transgressions of Tsor and for four  
I shall not turn it back, for they delivered up as exiles a whole population to Edom  
and did not remember the covenant of brotherhood.

<9> Τάδε λέγει κύριος Ἐπὶ ταῖς τρισὶν ἀσεβείαις Τύρου καὶ ἐπὶ ταῖς τέσσαρσιν οὐκ  
ἀποστραφήσομαι αὐτήν, ἀνθ' ὧν συνέκλεισαν αἰχμαλωσίαν τοῦ Σαλωμῶν  
εἰς τὴν Ιδουμαίαν καὶ οὐκ ἐμνήσθησαν διαθῆκης ἀδελφῶν.

9 Tade legei kyrios Epi tais trisin asebeiaias Tyrou

Thus says YHWH, For the three impious deeds of Tyre,

kai epi tais tessarsin ouk apostraphēsomai autēn,  
even for the four, I shall not turn away from her.

anth' hōn synekleisan aichmalōsian tou Salōmōn eis tēn Idoumaian  
Because they closed up the captivity of Solomon in Edom,

kai ouk emnēsthēsan diathēkēs adelphōn;  
and remembered not the covenant of brethren.

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וַיְשַׁלַּחֲתִי אֶשׁ בְּחוֹמָת צָר וְאַכְלָה אַרְמָנְתֵּיהָ: כ

10. w'shilach'ti 'esh b'chomath Tsur w'ak'lah 'ar'm'notheyah.

Amos1:10 So I shall send fire upon the wall of Tsur and it shall consume her citadels.

<10> καὶ ἔξαποστελῶ πῦρ ἐπὶ τὰ τείχη Τύρου, καὶ καταφάγεται θεμέλια αὐτῆς.

10 kai exapostelō pyr epi ta teichē Tyrou,

And I shall send out fire upon the walls of Tyre,

kai kataphagetai themelia autēs.

and it shall devour her foundations.

יְאָכָה אָמַר יְהֻדָּה עַל־שְׁלַשָּׁה פְּשָׁעֵי אָדוֹם  
וְעַל־אַרְבָּעָה לֹא אָשִׁיבָנוּ עַל־רְדָפֹ בְּחַרְבָּ אָחִיו:  
וְשְׁחַת בְּחָמִרוֹ וַיַּטְרַף לְעֵד אָפֹ וַעֲבַרְתָּ שְׁמָרָה נְצָחָה:

11. koh 'amar Yahūwah `al-sh'lolah pish`ey 'Edom

w`al-'ar'ba`ah lo 'ashibenu `al-rad'pho bachereb 'achiу

w'shicheth rachamayu wayit'roph la`ad 'apo w`eb'ratho sh'marah netsach.

Amos1:11 Thus says יהושע, For three transgressions of Edom and for four  
I shall not turn it back; for he pursued his brother with the sword, while he stifled  
his compassion; His anger also tore continually, and he maintained his fury forever.

<11> Τάδε λέγει κύριος Ἐπὶ ταῖς τρισὶν ἀσεβείαις τῆς Ιδουμαίας  
καὶ ἐπὶ ταῖς τέσσαρσιν οὐκ ἀποστραφήσομαι αὐτούς, ἔνεκα τοῦ διωξαὶ αὐτοὺς  
ἐν ῥομφαίᾳ τὸν ἀδελφὸν αὐτοῦ καὶ ἐλυμήνατο μήτραν ἐπὶ γῆς  
καὶ ἥρπασεν εἰς μαρτύριον φρίκην αὐτοῦ καὶ τὸ ὅρμημα αὐτοῦ ἐφύλαξεν εἰς νεῦκος.

11 Tade legei kyrios Epi tais trisin asebeiais tēs Idoumaiias

Thus says YHWH, For the three impious deeds of Edom,

kai epi tais tessarsin ouk apostraphēsomai

even for the four, I shall not turn away

autous, heneka tou diōxai autous en hromphaiā ton adelphon autou

from them. Because of pursuing them with the broadsword his brother,

kai elymēnato mētran epi gēs kai hērpasen

and he laid waste the mother upon the earth, and seized by force

eis martyriion phrikēn autou kai to hormēma autou ephylaxen eis neikos;

for a testimony of his shuddering awe; and his impulse he kept unto victory.

וְשַׁלַּחֲתִי אֶשׁ בְּתִימָן וְאַכְלָה אַרְמָנוֹת בְּצָרָה: כ

12. w'shilach'ti 'esh b'Theyman w'ak'lah 'ar'm'noth Bats'rah.

Amos1:12 So I shall send fire upon Theyman and it shall consume the citadels of Botsrah.

<12> καὶ ἔξαποστελῶ πῦρ εἰς Θαιμαν, καὶ καταφάγεται θεμέλια τειχέων αὐτῆς.

12 kai exapostelō pyr eis Thaiman,

And I shall send forth fire against Teman,  
kai kataphagetai themelia teicheon autēs.  
and it shall devour the foundations of her walls.

וְעַל־עֲמֹן וְעַל־אַרְבָּעָה  
יָגֵת אָמֶר יְהוָה עַל־שָׁלַשָּׁה פְּשָׁעֵי בְּנֵי־עַמּוֹן וְעַל־אַרְבָּעָה  
לֹא אָשִׁיבֵנו עַל־בְּקֻעַם חֲרוֹת הַגְּלָעֵד לְמַעַן הַרְחִיב אֶת־גְּבוּלָם:  
13. koh 'amar Yahūwah `al-sh'loshah pish'ey b'ney-`Ammon w`al-'ar'ba`ah  
lo' 'ashibenu `al-biq`am haroth haGil`ad l'ma'an har'chib 'eth-g'bulam.

**Amos1:13** Thus says יְהוָה, For three transgressions of the sons of Ammon  
and for four I shall not turn it back, for they ripped open the pregnant women of Gilead  
in order to enlarge their borders.

<13> Τάδε λέγει κύριος Ἐπὶ ταῖς τρισὶν ἀσεβείαις υἱῶν Αμμων  
καὶ ἐπὶ ταῖς τέσσαρσιν οὐκ ἀποστραφήσομαι αὐτόν, ἀνθ' ὃν ἀνέσχιζον τὰς  
ἐν γαστρὶ ἔχουσας τῶν Γαλααδίτων, ὅπως ἐμπλατύνωσιν τὰ ὄρια αὐτῶν.

13 Tade legei kyrios Epi tais trisin asebeiais huiōn Ammōn  
Thus says YHWH, For the three impious deeds of the sons of Ammon,  
kai epi tais tessarsin ouk apostraphēsomai auton,  
even for the four, I shall not turn away from them.  
anth' hōn aneschizon tas en gastri echousas tōn Galaaditōn,  
Because they ripped open the ones in the womb having one of the ones of Gilead,  
hopōs emplatynōsin ta horia autōn;  
so that they should widen their borders.

וְעַל־עֲמֹן וְעַל־אַרְבָּעָה  
יָגֵת אָמֶר יְהוָה בְּחִזְמָת רְבָה  
וְאָכַלְה אַרְמָנוֹתָה בְּתִרְיוֹעָה בַּיּוֹם מִלְחָמָה בְּסֻעַר בַּיּוֹם סָופָה:

14. w'hitsati 'esh b'chomath Rabbah  
w'ak'lah 'ar'm'notheyah bith'ru`ah b'yom mil'chamah b'sa`ar b'yom supah.

**Amos1:14** So I shall kindle a fire on the wall of Rabbah and it shall consume  
her citadels, with a storm in the day of battle, and a storm on the day of tempest.

<14> καὶ ἀνάψω πῦρ ἐπὶ τὰ τείχη Ραββα, καὶ καταφάγεται θεμέλια αὐτῆς  
μετὰ κραυγῆς ἐν ἡμέρᾳ πολέμου, καὶ σεισθήσεται ἐν ἡμέρᾳ συντελείας αὐτῆς.

14 kai anapsō pyr epi ta teichē Rabba,  
And I shall light a fire even against the walls of Rabbah,  
kai kataphagetai themelia autēs meta kraugēs  
and it shall devour her foundations with a cry  
en hēmerā polemou, kai seisthēsetai en hēmerā synteleias autēs;  
in the day of war, and it shall be shaken in the days of her consumption.

וְעַל־עֲמֹן וְעַל־אַרְבָּעָה  
יָגֵת אָמֶר יְהוָה בְּחִזְמָת רְבָה  
וְאָכַלְה אַרְמָנוֹתָה בְּתִרְיוֹעָה בַּיּוֹם מִלְחָמָה בְּסֻעַר בַּיּוֹם סָופָה 15

טו וְהַלְךָ מֶלֶךְ מִלְכָם בְּגֹלֶת הַיּוֹא וְשָׁרֵיר יְחִזְקָר אָמֵר יְהֻדָּה: פ

15. w'halak mal'kam bagolah hu' w'sarayu yach'daw 'amar Yahúwah.

Amos1:15 Their king shall go into exile, He and his princes together, says יהוה.

<15> καὶ πορεύσονται οἱ βασιλεῖς αὐτῆς ἐν αἰχμαλωσίᾳ, οἱ ἱερεῖς αὐτῶν  
καὶ οἱ ἄρχοντες αὐτῶν ἐπὶ τὸ αὐτό, λέγει κύριος.

15 kai poreusontai hoi basileis autēs en aichmalōsiā, hoi hiereis autōn

And shall go king their into captivity –

kai hoi archontes autōn epi to auto, legei kyrios.

the priests and their rulers together, says YHWH.