

# Sepher Dawid (Philemon)

## Chapter 1

א פּוֹלּוֹס אָסִיר הַמְשִׁיחַ יְהוָשָׁעַ  
וְתִימּוֹתִיּוֹס הָאָח אֶל־פִּילִימֹן הַחֲבֵיב וְהַעֱזֵר אֶתְנוּ:

1. Polos 'asir haMashiyach Yahushuà

w'Timothios ha'ach 'el-Philemon hechabib w'ha'ozер 'othanu.

**Phm1:1** Polos (Shaul), a prisoner of the Mashiyach Owאַשְׁעַ,

and Timothios the brother, to Philemon the beloved and the assistant with us,

ב וְאֶל־אֲפִיה הָאַחִיבָה וְאֶל־אַרְכְּפּוֹס הַחֲבֵר לְנִי בְמִלְחָמָתֵינוּ  
וְאֶל־הַקָּהָלָה אֲשֶׁר בְּבֵיתֵךְ:

2. w'el-'Appiyah ha'ahubah w'el-'Ar'kippos hechaber lanu b'mil'chamotheynu  
w'el-haq'hilah 'asher b'beytheak.

**Phm1:2** and to Appiyah the beloved, and to Arkippos a friend with us in our battle,  
and to the assembly which was in your house:

ג חֶסֶד לְכֶם וּשְׁלוֹם מִאת אֶלְהִים אָבִינוּ  
וְאֶדְגִּינוּ יְהוָשָׁעַ הַמְשִׁיחַ:

3. chesed lakem w'shalom me'eth 'Elohim 'Abinu

wa'Adoneynu Yahushuà haMashiyach.

**Phm1:3** Grace to you and peace from Elohim our Father  
and our Adon Owאַשְׁעַ the Mashiyach.

ד מָדָח אָנִי לְאֶלְהִי בְּכָל־עַת בְּחַזְקִירִי אֶתְךָ בְּתַפְלוֹתִי:

4. modeh 'ani l'Elohay b'kal-`eth b'haz'kiri 'oth'ak bith'philotay.

**Phm1:4** I thank to my El in all when I mention you of my prayers,

ה אַחֲרֵי שָׁמַעַי אַחֲבָתְךָ וְאִמּוֹנָתְךָ  
אֲשֶׁר־בָּךְ לְאֶדְגִּינוּ יְהוָשָׁעַ וּלְכָל־הַקָּדוֹשִׁים:

5. 'acharey sham'i 'ahabath'ak we'emunath'ak

'asher-b'ak la'Adoneynu Yahushuà ul'kal-haq'doshim.

**Phm1:5** after hearing of your love and of your faith which you have  
toward our Adon Owאַשְׁעַ and toward all the holy ones,

וְלֹמְעֵן אֲשֶׁר תַּתְחֹזֵק הַתְּחִבְרֹות אִמּוֹנָתְךָ בְּדִעַת כָּל־טֻוב  
אֲשֶׁר בְּכֶם לְשֵׁם הַמְשִׁיחַ יְהוָשָׁעַ:

6. I'm'an 'asher tit'hazeq hit'hachab'ruth 'emunath'ak b'da'ath kal-tob  
'asher bakem l'shem haMashiyach Yahushuà.

**Phm1:6** so that the sharing of your faith may become stronger in the knowledge  
of all good things which are in you for the name of the Mashiyach Owאַשְׁעַ.

כ כי שְׁמַחָה גְדוֹלָה וְנִיחְמָה יִשְׁלָנוּ בְאֶחָבָתְךָ  
בְאֵשֶׁר קִיְתָה רֹוחָה לְמַעַי הַקָּדוֹשִׁים עַל־יָדֶךָ אֲחֵינוּ:

7. ki sim'chah g'dolah w'nechamah yesh-lanu b'ahabatheak  
ba'asher hay'thah r'wachah lim'ey haq'doshim `al-yad'ak 'achi.

**Phm1:7** For we have great joy and comfort in your love, because the inward parts of the holy ones have been refreshed through your hands, my brother.

ח לְכָנוּ אַפְ-כִי יִשְׁלָי אָמֵץ רַב בְּמִשְׁרִיחַ לְצִוְתֶךָ אַתָּה  
הַפְּכוֹן הַנֶּה בְּחַרְתִּי לְמַעַן הָאֶחָבָה לְחַלּוֹת אַתְ-פְּנִיקָה:

8. Iaken 'aph-ki yesh-li 'omets rab baMashiyach l'tsauoth'ak 'eth hanakon hinneh  
bachar'ti l'ma'an ha'ahabah l'chaloth 'eth-paneyak.

**Phm1:8** Therefore, although I have much boldness in Mashiyach to command you what is right, behold, because of the love I choose to apply to your presence,

ט אַנְכִי פּוֹלוֹס הַזָּקָן וְעַתָּה גַּם־אָסִיר יְהוָשָׁע הַמִּשְׁרִיחַ:

9. 'anoki Polos hazaqen w'atah gam-'asir Yahushua haMashiyach.

**Phm1:9** I, Shaul, the aged, and now also a prisoner of Owאַנְיָשָׁא the Mashiyach

י הַנְגִי מִמְחֻלָה אַתְ-פְּנִיקָה עַל־בָנִי  
אֵשֶׁר חֹלְלָתָיו בְּחַיּוֹתִי בְמִאָסֶר עַל־אֲנִיסִימּוֹס:

10. hin'ni m'chaleh 'eth-paneyak `al-b'ni  
'asher cholal'tiu bih'yoth bama'asar `al-'Anisimos.

**Phm1:10** Behold, I appeal to your presence concerning my son, whom I had begotten while being in the bonds for Anisimos,

יא אֵשֶׁר מַלְפְנִים לְאֶהוּעִיל לְךָ וְעַתָּה הוּא לְהַזְעִיל  
גַּם־לְךָ גַּם־לְיִ וְהַשִּׁיבָתָיו אֵלֶיךָ:

11. 'asher mil'phanim lo'-ho'il l'ak w'atah hu' l'ho'il gam-l'ak gam-li  
wahashibothiu 'eleyah.

**Phm1:11** who formerly was not useful to you, but now it is useful to you and also to me, and whom I sent back to you,

יב וְאַתָּה קְבָלָנָא אַתָּה שַׁהְיוֹא יִקְרֵב לְלַבִּי:

12. w'atah qabel-na' 'otho shehu' yaqr l'libi.

**Phm1:12** and please you receive him which is dear to my heart,

יג חִפְצָתִי לְעַצְר אַתָּה אַצְלִי שִׁישְׁרָתָנִי תְחִתִּיקָה  
בְּמוֹסְרוֹת הַבְּשָׂרָה:

13. chaphats'ti la`atsor 'otho 'ets'li shey'sharatheni thach'teyak b'mos'roth hab'sorah.

**Phm1:13** I wanted to keep him with me, that he might serve me instead of you in the bonds of the good news.

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יד אָבָל לֹא חִפְצָתִי לַעֲשׂוֹת הַבָּר שֶׁלֹּא בְּرַצּוֹנָךְ כִּי  
שֶׁלֹּא-תְּהִיא טוֹבַתךְ בְּאַנְסֵס כִּי אִם-בְּנַדְבָּח:

**14.** 'abal lo' chaphats'ti la`asoth dabar shel' bir'tsoneak  
k'dey shel'-thih'yeh tobath'ak b'ones ki 'im-bin'dabah.

**Phm1:14** but I did not want to do anything without your consent,  
so that your goodness should not be as if of compulsion but according to your willingness.

טו כִּי אַוְלִי גַּפְרֵד מִמֶּךָ לְשָׁעָה בְּעַבוּר אֲשֶׁר יְהִי-לְךָ לְעוֹלָם:

**15.** ki 'ulay niph'rad mim'ak l'sha`ah ba`abur 'asher yih'yeh-l'ak l`olam.

**Phm1:15** For perhaps he was separated from you for this reason for an hour,  
that you mighty have him forever,

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טו וּמִעְתָּה לֹא כִּעְבֹּד כִּי אִם-לְמַעַלָּה מִעְבָּד  
כִּאֵחֶד בַּיּוֹתֶר לִי וְאָפָּה כִּי-לְךָ הַן בְּבָשָׂר הַן בְּאָדוֹן:

**16.** u'me`atah lo' k`ebed ki 'im-l'ma`lah me`ebed k'ach 'ahub b'yother li  
w'aph ki-t'ak hen babasar hen ba'Adon.

**Phm1:16** and from now, not as a servant, but more than a servant, as a beloved brother,  
especially to me, but how much more to you, both in the flesh and in the Adon.

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יז וְהִנֵּה אִם-תַּחֲשַׁבְנִי לְחֶבֶר לְךָ תִּקְבְּלֵנִי כְּמוֹנִי:

**17.** w'hinneh 'im-tach'sh'beni l'chaber l'ak t'qab'lenu kamoni.

**Phm1:17** Behold, if then you regard me as a partner, receive him like me.

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יח וְאִם-הַרְבֵּעַ לְךָ בְּדָבָר אוֹ חִיבַּדְיוֹא לְךָ הַבָּר חִשְׁבָּדוֹ לִי:

**18.** w'im-hera` l'ak b'dabar 'o chayab-hu' l'ak dabar hash'behu li.

**Phm1:18** But if he has wronged you in anything or he owes you anything,  
Put that to my account.

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יט אָנִי פּוֹלוֹס כְּתַבְתִּי בְּיָדִי אָנִי אַשְׁלֵם וְלֹא אָמַר  
כִּי-אַתָּה חִיבֵּלִי גַּם-אַתְ-נַפְשָׁךְ:

**19.** 'ani Polos kathab'ti b'yadi 'ani 'ashalem w'lo' 'omar  
ki-'atah chayab li gam-'eth-naph'sheak.

**Phm1:19** I, Polos (Shaul), have written this with my own hand, I shall repay it:  
and not to say that you owe to me also your own self.

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כְּכֹן אָחִי אֱחָנֵה-נָא מִמֶּךָ בְּאַדְוֹן נַחֲמֵנָא אֶת-לִבִּי בְּאַדְוֹן:

**20.** ken 'achi 'ehaneh-na' mim'ak ba'Adon nachem-na' 'eth-libi ba'Adon.

**Phm1:20** Yes, my brother, let me have profit of you in the Adon,  
please refresh my inner parts in the Adon.

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כִּא כְתַבְתִּי אֶלְיךָ וְאַנְגֵל בְּטוּחַ בְּךָ שְׂתַשְׁמָע לִי  
וַיֹּהֶעָ אַנְגֵל שְׁתָסִיף לְעַשְׂוֹת עַל־אֲשֶׁר אָמַרְתָּי:

**21.** *kathab'ti 'elejak wa'ani batuach b'ak shetish'ma` li  
w'yode`a 'ani shetosiph la`asoth `al-'asher 'amar'ti.*

**Phm1:21** I write to you and I am confident in you that you hear from me,  
and I know that you shall continue to do on what I say.

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כִּבְ וְגַם־לִי תָכִין בֵית מֶלֶז כִּי אֲקֹנוּ  
אֲשֶׁר אָפַתְּנָן לְכֶם עַל־יְהִי תִּפְלֹותֵיכֶם:

**22.** *w'gam-li thakin beyth malon ki 'aqueh  
'asher 'enathen lakem `al-y'dey t'philotheykem.*

**Phm1:22** And also prepare me a lodging house,  
for I hope that I shall be given to you by your prayers.

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כִּגְ אֶפְפָרָס הַאֲסֹור אֶהָר בְּמִשְׁיחַ יְהִישָׁעַ:

**23.** *'Epaph'ras ha'asur 'iti baMashiyach Yahushuà.*

**Phm1:23** Epaphras, the prisoner with me in the Mashiyach *Owאַשְׁׁעַ*,

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כִּד וּמְרֻקּוּם וְאַרְסְטָרְכוּס וְדִימָס וְלוֹקָס עַזְרִי שְׁאָלִים לְשָׁלוֹמָךְ:

**24.** *uMar'qos wa'Aris'tar'kos w'Dimas w'Luqas 'oz'ray sho'alim lish'lomeak.*

**Phm1:24** and Marqos, Aristarkos, Dimas, Luqas, my assistants. Ask for your peace.

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כִּחְסֵד יְהִישָׁע הַמִּשְׁיחַ אַדְנִינוּ עַמְדָרוֹחַכְם אָמֵן:

**25.** *chesed Yahushuà haMashiyach 'Adoneynu im-ruachkem 'Amen.*

**Phm1:25** The grace of *Owאַשְׁׁעַ* the Mashiyach our Adon be with your spirit. Amen.