

Sepher Eyob (Job)

Chapter 19

Shavua Reading Schedule (40th sidrah) - Job 19 - 20

בְּנֵי קָרְבָּן תַּזְכִּיר בְּעֵד יְהוָה Job19:1

אֲנוּ עַזְנֵי אַיּוֹב וַיֹּאמֶר:

1. **waya`an 'Yob wayo'mar.**

Job19:1 Then **Eyob** answered and said,

«19:1» Τοπολαβών δὲ Ἰωβ λέγει

1 Hypolabōn de Iōb legei

And undertaking, **Job** says,

בְּעֵד־אֵנָה תַּזְכִּיר נִפְשֵׁר וַתְּדַקְּאָוְנִי בְּמַלְיכִים:

2. **`ad-'anah tog'yun naph'shi uth'dak'unani b'milim.**

Job19:2 How long shall you torment my soul and crush me with words?

«2» Ἔως τίνος ἔγκοπον ποιήσετε ψυχήν μου καὶ καθαιρεῖτε με λόγοις;

2 Heōs tinos egkopon poiēsete psychēn mou kai kathaireite me logois?

For how long weary shall you make my soul, and demolish me with words?

גַּזְהַ עַשְׂרֵה פְּעֻמִּים תַּכְלִימֵנִי לֹא־תַּבְשַׁח תַּהֲכַרְבֵּלִי:

3. **zeh `eser p`amim tak'limuni lo'-theboshu tah'k'ru-li.**

Job19:3 These ten times you have insulted me;
you are not ashamed that you make yourselves strong to me.

«3» γνῶτε μόνον ὅτι ὁ κύριος ἐποίησέ με οὕτως·
καταλαλεῖτε μου, οὐκ αἰσχυνόμενοί με ἐπίκεισθέ μοι.

3 gnōte monon hoti ho kyrios epoiēse me houtōs;
Know only! that YHWH did thus with me.

katalaleite mou, ouk aischynomenoi me epikeisthe moi.

You speak ill of me; not being ashamed by me, you press upon me.

דַּוְאַפְּ-אָמַנְמָ שְׁגִיתֵי אַתִּי תַּלִּין מְשֻׁגָּתִי:

4. **w'aph-'am'nam shagithi 'iti talin m'shugathi.**

Job19:4 And be it indeed that I have erred, my error remains with me.

«4» ναὶ δὴ ἐπ' ἀληθείας ἐγὼ ἐπλανήθην, παρ' ἐμοὶ δὲ αὐλίζεται πλάνος

4 nai dē ep' alētheias egō eplanēthēn, par' emoi de aulizetai planos

Yes indeed in truth I was misled, in me and lodges delusion,

«4» α λαλῆσαι ρήμα, ὃ οὐκ ἔδει, τὰ δὲ ρήματά μου πλανᾶται καὶ οὐκ ἐπὶ καιροῦ.

4ā **lalēsai hrēma, ho ouk edei, ta de hrēmata mou planatai**
to speak a word which must not be said; but my words mislead,
kai ouk epi kairou.
and are not in time.

הָאָמֵן אָמַנְתִּי עַלְיָהוּ וְתֹכְנִיו תְּגַדְּלֵנוּ כִּי־עַלְיָהוּ ۵

5. ‘im-‘am’nam `alay tag’dilu w’tokichu `alay cher’pati.

Job19:5 If indeed you magnify yourselves against me and prove my disgrace to me,

<5> ἕα δὲ ὅτι ἐπ’ ἐμοὶ μεγαλύνεσθε, ἐνάλλεσθε δέ μοι ὀνείδει.

5 ea de hoti ep’ emoi megalynesthe, enallesthe de moi oneidei.

But alas, for against me you magnify yourselves, and you assail me in scorn.

רְדָעָה אֲפֹתְּךָ אֶלְוֹתְּךָ עַזְתָּנִי וּמְצֹדֹךְ עַלְיָהוּ ۶

6. d’ u-‘epho ki-‘Eloah `iu’thani um’tsodo `alay hiqiph.

Job19:6 Know then that the El has wronged me and has closed His net around me.

<6> γνῶτε οὖν ὅτι ὁ κύριός ἐστιν ὁ ταράξας,
οχύρωμα δὲ αὐτοῦ ἐπ’ ἐμὲ ὑψώσεν.

6 gnōte oun hoti ho kyrios estin ho taraxas,
Know then! that YHWH is the one disturbing;
ochyrōma de autou ep’ eme huyōsen.
fortress and his against me he raised up high.

זָהָן אַצְעָק חַמֵּס וְלֹא אָעֵנָה אַשְׁׁוּעַ וְאֵין מְשֻׁפֶּט: ۷

7. hen ‘ets`aq chamas w’lo’ ‘e`aneh ‘ashaua` w’eyn mish’pat.

Job19:7 Behold, I cry out, Violence! but I am no answered; I cry out,
but there is no justice.

<7> οὐδούν γελῶ ὀνείδει καὶ οὐ λαλήσω· κεκράξομαι, καὶ οὐδαμοῦ κρίμα.

7 idou gelō oneidei kai ou lalēsō;
Behold, I laugh at scorn, and I shall not speak;
kekraxomai, kai oudamou krima.
I shall have cried out, not at all is there judgment.

חָאָרְחִי גָּדָר וְלֹא אָעַבְּרוּ וְעַל נְתִיבָתִי חַשְׁךְ רְשִׁים: ۸

8. ‘ar’chi gadar w’lo’ ‘e`ebor w`al n’tibothay choshek yasim.

Job19:8 He has walled up my way so that I cannot pass,
and He has put darkness on my paths.

<8> κύκλω περιωκοδόμημαι καὶ οὐ μὴ διαβῶ, ἐπὶ πρόσωπόν μου σκότος ἔθετο.

8 kyklō periōkodomēmai

round about I have been enclosed,
kai ou mē diabō, epi prosōpon mou skotos etheto.
and in no way shall I pass over; upon my face darkness he put.

ט כבּוֹדִי מְעַלִּי הַפְּשִׁירָת וַיֵּסֶר עֲטָרָת רָאשִׁי:
9 עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה

9. k'bodi me`alay hiph'shit wayasar `atereth ro'shi.

Job19:9 He has stripped my honor from me and removed the crown from my head.

<9> τὴν δὲ δόξαν ἀπ' ἐμοῦ ἔξεδυσεν, ἀφεῖλεν δὲ στέφανον ἀπὸ κεφαλῆς μου.

9 tēn de doxan ap' emou exedysen, apheilen de stephanon apo kephalēs mou.

And the glory of mine, he stripped me, and removed the crown from my head.

רִיחַצְנִי סְבִיבֵן וְאַלְךָ וַיְשַׁע קָעֵץ תְּקֻווֹתִי:
10 עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה

10. yit'tseni sabib wa'elak wayasa` ka`ets tiq'wathi.

Job19:10 He breaks me down on every side, and I am gone;
and He has uprooted my hope like a tree.

<10> διέσπασέν με κύκλῳ, καὶ ωχόμην· ἔξεκοψεν δὲ ὥσπερ δένδρον τὴν ἐλπίδα μου.

10 diespasen me kyklō, kai ḥomēn;

He pulled me apart round about, and I am set out;
exekopsen de hōsper dendron tēn elpida mou.
and he cut down as if a tree my hope.

רִא וְנִיחַר עַלִי אָפָו וַיְחַשְּׁבַנִי לוֹ כָּצְרוֹו:
11 עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה

11. wayachar `alay 'apo wayach'sh'beni lo k'tsarayu.

Job19:11 He has also kindled His anger against me and considered me as His enemy.

<11> δεινῶς δέ μοι ὄργῃ ἔχρήσατο, ἡγήσατο δέ με ὥσπερ ἔχθρον.

11 deinōs de moi orgē echrēsato, hēgēsato de me hōsper echthron.

awfully And me in anger he treated, and he led me as if an enemy.

וַיְחַדֵּר בְּבָאָגְגָדְיוֹ וַיִּסְלַג עַלִי דְּרָכָם
12 עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה עַזְבָּנָה

וַיִּחַנֵּנוּ סְבִיבֵן לְאַחֲלִי:

12. yachad yabo'u g'dudayu wayasolu `alay dar'kam wayachanu sabib l'ahali.

Job19:12 His troops come together,
and build up their way against me and camp around my tent.

<12> ὅμοθυμαδὸν δὲ ἦλθον τὰ πειρατήρια αὐτοῦ ἐπ' ἐμοὶ ταῖς ὁδοῖς μου,
ἐκύκλωσάν με ἐγκάθετοι.

12 homothymadon de ēlthon ta peiratēria autou ep' emoi tais hodois mou,
And with one accord came his marauders against me; in my ways,

ekyklōsan me egkathetoi.

encircled me ones lying in wait.

13 בָּאֵת שְׁלֹשֶׁת וָעֶשֶׂר צַדְקָה יְמִינָה כַּעֲשֵׂר שְׁלֹשֶׁת:
וְגַם אֶחָד מִלְּלֵי הַרְחִיק וַיַּדְעֵי אֶקְזָרוֹ מִמְּנָה:

13. 'achay me` alay hir'chiq w'yod'ay 'ak-zaru mimeni.

Job19:13 He has removed my brothers far from me,
and my acquaintances are completely estranged from me.

<13> ἀπ' ἐμοῦ δὲ ἀδελφοί μου ἀπέστησαν, ἔγνωσαν ἀλλοτρίους ἢ ἐμέ·
φίλοι δέ μου ἀνελεήμονες γεγόνασιν.

13 ap' emou de adelphoi mou apestēsan, egnōsan allotrious ē eme;
from me brothers My left; they know strangers rather than me;
phili de mou aneleēmones gegonasin.
friends and my unmerciful have become.

14 בָּאֵת שְׁלֹשֶׁת וָעֶשֶׂר צַדְקָה יְמִינָה כַּעֲשֵׂר שְׁלֹשֶׁת:
וְיד חֲדָלוֹ קָרֹבִי וַיַּדְעֵי שְׁכָחוּנִי:

14. chad'lu q'robay um'yuda`ay sh'kechuni.

Job19:14 My relatives have failed, and my intimate friends have forgotten me.

<14> οὐ προσεποιήσαντό με οἱ ἔγγυτατοί μου,
καὶ οἱ εἰδότες μου τὸ ὄνομα ἐπελάθοντό μου.

14 ou prosepoīēsanto me hoi eggytatoi mou,
not to know pretend me The ones near me,
kai hoi eidotes mou to onoma epelathonto mou.
and the ones knowing my name forgot me.

15 בָּאֵת שְׁלֹשֶׁת וָעֶשֶׂר צַדְקָה יְמִינָה כַּעֲשֵׂר שְׁלֹשֶׁת:
טו גָּרִי בֵּיתִי וְאַמְהָתִי לֹזֶר תְּחַשֵּׁבְנִי נְכָרִי קִיְתִּי בְּעִינֵיכֶם:

15. garey beythi w'am'hothay l'zar tach'sh'buni nak'ri hayithi b`eyneyhem.

Job19:15 Those who live in my house and my maids consider me a stranger.
I am a foreigner in their sight.

<15> γείτονες οἰκίας θεράπαιναι τέ μου, ἀλλογενῆς ἥμην ἐναντίον αὐτῶν.

15 geitones oikias therapainai te mou,
As the neighbors of the house, female attendants
allogenēs ēmēn enantion autōn.
and also my, I was foreign before them.

16 בָּאֵת שְׁלֹשֶׁת וָעֶשֶׂר צַדְקָה יְמִינָה כַּעֲשֵׂר שְׁלֹשֶׁת:
טו לְעַבְדִּי קָרָאתִי וְלֹא יַעֲנֵה בְּמוֹדֵפִי אַתְּחַנְּנָלֹ:

16. l`ab'di qara'thi w'lo' ya`aneh b'mo-phi 'eth'chanen-lo.

Job19:16 I call to my servant, but he does not answer; I intreated him with my mouth.

<16> θεράποντά μου ἐκάλεσα, καὶ οὐχ ὑπήκουσεν· στόμα δέ μου ἐδέετο.

16 theraponta mou **ekalesa**, kai **ouch hypēkousen**; **stoma de mou edeeto**.

attendant my **I called**, and **he obeyed not**; **mouth and my beseeched him**.

רִזְרוֹחַי זָרָה לְאַשְׁתֵּי וְחַנְתֵּי לְבָנֵי בְּטֻנִי:
17

17. **ruchi y zarah Pish'ti w'chanothi lib'ney bit'ni.**

Job19:17 My breath is offensive to my wife, and I am loathsome to the sons of my belly.

<17> καὶ ἵκέτευον τὴν γυναῖκά μου,
προσεκαλούμην δὲ κολακεύων οὐδοὺς παλλακίδων μου·

17 kai **hiketeuon tēn gynaika mou**, **prosekaloūmēn de kolakeuōn huious pallakidōn mou**;
And I entreated my wife; and **I called – flattering the sons of my concubines**.

רִיחַ גָּמַעֲוִילִים מִאָסֶוּ בַּי אֲקַוְּמָה וְיִדְבְּרוּ-בִּי:
18

18. **gam-'awilim ma'asu bi 'aqumah way'dab'ru-bi.**

Job19:18 Even young children despise me; I rise up and they speak against me.

<18> οἱ δὲ εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα με ἀπεποιήσαντο· ὅταν ἀναστῶ, κατ’ ἐμοῦ λαλοῦσιν.

18 hoī de **eis ton aiōna me apēpoiēsanto**; **hotan anastō**, **kat' emou lalousin**.

But they into the eon undid me; whenever I rise up, against me they speak.

רִטְתְּעַבְּנִי כָּל-מְתִיר סָודִי וְזָהָד-אַהֲבָתִי בְּהַפְּכוּ-בִּי:
19

19. **ti`abuni kal-m'they sodi w'zeh-'ahab'ti neh'p'ku-bi.**

Job19:19 All the men of my counsel abhorred me,
and those I loved have turned against me.

<19> ἐβδελύξαντο δέ με οἱ εἰδότες με· οὓς δὴ τραπήκειν, ἐπανέστησάν μοι.

19 ebdelyxanto de me hoī eidotes me; hous dē ēgapēkein, epanestēsan moi.

abhorred me The ones knowing me; whom indeed I had loved, rose up against me.

כְּבָעוּרִי וּבְבָשָׂרִי דְּבָקָה עַצְמִי וְאַתְמָלֵטָה בְּעֹור שְׁגַנִּי:
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20. **b'ori ubib'sari dab'qah `ats'mi wa'eth'mal'tah b'or shinay.**

Job19:20 My bone clings to my skin and to my flesh,
and I am escaped with the skin of my teeth.

<20> ἐν δέρματί μου ἔσάπησαν αἱ σάρκες μου, τὰ δὲ ὄστα μου ἐν ὄδοισιν ἔχεται.

20 en dermati mou esapēsan hai sarkes mou, ta de osta mou en odousin echetai.

in my skin festers My flesh; and the things of my bones in teeth are held.

כְּאַחֲנָנִי חֲנָנִי אֲפָם רְעֵי כִּי יְדָאָלָה נְגַעַת בִּי:
21

21. **chanuni chanuni 'atem re`ay ki yad-'Eloah nag'ah bi.**

Job19:21 Pity me, pity me, O you my friends, for the hand of the El has struck me.

<21> ἐλεήσατέ με, ἐλεήσατέ με, ω̄ φίλοι· χεὶρ γὰρ κυρίου ἡ ἀψαμένη μού ἔστιν.

21 eleēsate me, eleēsate me, ὥ philoi;

Show mercy on me, show mercy on me, O friends!

cheir gar kyriou hē hapsamenē mou estin.

the hand for of YHWH touching me it is.

כְּבָלַמְה תִּרְדֹּבְנִי כְּמוֹאֵל וּמַבָּשֵׂרִי לֹא תִּשְׁבֻעֲוָה:²²

22. lamah tir'd'phuni k'mo-'El umib'sari lo' this'ba'u.

Job19:22 Why do you persecute me as El does, and are not satisfied with my flesh?

<22> διὰ τί δέ με διώκετε ὕσπερ καὶ ὁ κύριος, ἀπὸ δὲ σαρκῶν μου οὐκ ἐμπίπλασθε;

22 dia ti de me diōkete hōsper kai ho kyrios, apo de sarkōn mou ouk emiplasthe?

And why do pursue me as also YHWH, with and my flesh you are not filled up?

כְּגָמִירִתִן אֲפֹו וַיְקַתְּבוּ מֶלֶי מִרְיָתִן בְּסֶפֶר וַיְחַקְוּ:²³

23. mi-yiten 'epho w'yikath'bun milay mi-yiten basepher w'yuchaqu.

Job19:23 Oh that my words were now written! Oh that they were engraved in a scroll!

<23> τίς γὰρ ἂν δώῃ γραφῆναι τὰ ρήματά μου,
τεθῆναι δὲ αὐτὰ ἐν βιβλίῳ εἰς τὸν αἰώνα

23 tis gar an dōē graphēnai ta hrēmata mou,
For what that might be given to be written my words,
tethēnai de auta en bibliō eis ton aiōna
and to put them in a scroll for the eon;

כְּדַבְעַטְדְּבָרֶזֶל וְעַפְרָתְלַעַד בְּצִירְיְחַצְבָּין:²⁴

24. b'et-bar'zel w'ophareth la'ad batsur yechats'bun.

Job19:24 That they were graven with an iron pen and lead in the rock forever!

<24> ἐν γραφείῳ σιδηρῷ καὶ μολίβῳ ἡ ἐν πέτραις ἐγγλυφῆναι;

24 en grapheiō sidērō kai molibō ē en petrais egglyphēnai?

written with a stylus of iron and on lead, or on a rock being engraved.

כְּהַוְאַנְרִידְעַתְרִי גָּאֵלִי חַי וְאַחֲרֹן עַלְעַפְרָתְיְקִוִים:²⁵

25. wa'ani yada`ti go'ali chay w'acharon `al-aphar yaqum.

Job19:25 For I know that my Redeemer lives, and He shall rise on the earth at the last.

<25> οἶδα γὰρ ὅτι ἀέναός ἔστιν ὁ ἐκλύειν με μέλλων ἐπὶ γῆς.

25 oida gar hoti aenaos estin ho ekhuein me mellōn epi gēs.

For I know that everlasting is the one to enfeeble me being about upon the earth,

כְּבָלְמַעַדְתְּרִי גָּאֵלִי חַי וְאַחֲרֹן עַלְעַפְרָתְיְקִוִים²⁶

כו וְאַחֲר עֹורִי נִקְפּוֹזָאת וּמִבְשָׁרִי אַחֲזָה אֶלְוֹה:

26. w'achar `ori niq'phu-zo'th umib'sari 'echezeh 'Eloah.

Job19:26 And though after my skin destroy this body, yet from my flesh I shall see the El;

<26> ἀναστήσαι τὸ δέρμα μου τὸ ἀνατλῶν ταῦτα·

παρὰ γὰρ κυρίου ταῦτά μοι συνετελέσθη,

26 anastēsai to derma mou to anatlōn tauta;

to raise up my skin being fatigued by these things.

para gar kyriou tauta moi synetelestē,

For by YHWH these things was exhausted on me,

כֵּז אָשָׁר אָנָּי אַחֲזָה-לִי וְעַינִי רָאוּ וְלֹא-זָר כָּלֹו בְּלִיתִי בְּחַקִּי: 27

27. 'asher 'ani 'echezeh-li w'eynay ra'u w'lo'-zar kalu bil'yothay b'cheqi.

Job19:27 Whom I shall see for myself,

And whom my eyes shall see and not another. My reins faints within me!

<27> ἂ ἐγὼ ἔμαυτῷ συνεπίσταμαι, ἂ ὁ ὄφθαλμός μου ἔόρακεν καὶ οὐκ ἄλλος·
πάντα δέ μοι συντετέλεσται ἐν κόλπῳ.

27 ha egō emautō synepistamai, ha ho ophthalmos mou heoraken kai ouk allos;
which I myself am conscious of, which my eye has seen, and not another;
panta de moi syntetelestai en kolpō.
but all on me has been exhausted in my bosom.

כֵּחַ בַּי תֹּאמֶרְוּ מַה-גְּרָכְפָּלָו וְשָׁרֵשׁ הַבָּר נִמְצָא-בָּי: 28

28. ki tho'm'ru mah-nir'daph-lo w'shoresh dabar nim'tsa'-bi.

Job19:28 For you may say, Why do we persecute him?

And the root of the matter is found in me.

<28> εἰ δὲ καὶ ἐρεῖτε Τί ἐρούμεν ἔναντι αὐτοῦ; καὶ ρύζαν λόγους εὑρήσομεν ἐν αὐτῷ.

28 ei de kai ereite Ti eroumen enanti autou?

But if even you shall say, What shall we say before him,

kai hrizan logou heurēsomen en autō;

and the root of the matter so find in him?

כַּט גּוּרוּ לְכֻם מִפְנִימִי חֶרֶב 29
עַל-אַלְיָה עַל-עַלְיָה עַל-עַלְיָה עַל-עַלְיָה

כַּי-חֶמֶת עַזְנוֹת חֶרֶב לְמַעַן תְּדֻעָן שָׁהִין: ס

29. guru lakem mip'ney-chereb ki-chemah `awonoth chareb l'ma`an ted'un shadin.

Job19:29 Fear for yourselves because of the sword,

for wrath brings the punishment of the sword, so that you may know there is judgment.

<29> εὐλαβήθητε δὴ καὶ ὑμεῖς ἀπὸ ἐπικαλύμματος.

θυμὸς γὰρ ἐπ’ ἀνόμους ἐπελεύσεται, καὶ τότε γνώσονται ποὺ ἔστιν αὐτῶν ἡ ὕλη.

29 eulabēthēte dē kai **hymeis apo epikalymmatos;**

Venerate even to yourselves from a covering!

thymos gar ep’ anomous epeleusetai,

For rage upon the lawless ones shall come,

kai **tote gnōsontai pou estin autōn hē hylē.**

and then they shall know where is their material.