

Sepher Eyob (Job)

Chapter 41

בְּהַתְמָשָׁךְ לִוִתָן בְּחַקָה וּבְחֶבֶל תְשַׁקֵע לְשָׁנוֹ: Job40:25

1. (40:25 in Heb.) **tim'shok Liwyathan b'chakah ub'chebel tash'qi'a l'shono.**

Job41:1 Can you draw out Liwyathan with a fishhook?

Or press down his tongue with a cord?

<25> ἄξεις δὲ δράκοντα ἐν ἀγκίστρῳ, περιθήσεις δὲ φορβεὰν περὶ ρῖνα αὐτοῦ;

25 axeis de drakonta en agkistrō, perithēseis de phorbean peri hrina autou?

And shall you lead the dragon by a hook, and put a halter around his nose?

כְוַתְשִׁים אֲגָמָן בְאָפֹו וּבְחוֹחַ תְקוּב לְחִיוֹ: 26

2. (40:26 in Heb.) **hathasim 'ag'mon b'apo ub'choach tiqob lecheyo.**

Job41:2 Can you put a reed rope into his nose or pierce his jaw with a hook?

<26> εὶ δήσεις κρίκον ἐν τῷ μυκτήρι αὐτοῦ, ψελίω δὲ τρυπήσεις τὸ χεῖλος αὐτοῦ;

26 ei dēseis krikon en tō myktēri autou,

Or shalk you tie a hook in his nose,

pseliō de trypēseis to cheilos autou?

for a clasp and shall you make a hole in his lips?

כֹזְרִבָּה אֶלְיךָ תְחִנוּנִים אִם־יַדְבֵּר אֶלְיךָ רְפּוֹת: 27

3. (40:27 in Heb.) **hayar'beh 'eleyah tachanunim 'im-y'daber 'eleyah rakoth.**

Job41:3 Shall he make many supplications to you, or shall he speak to you soft words?

<27> λαλήσει δέ σοι δεήσει, ἵκετηρίᾳ μαλακῶς;

27 lalēsei de soi deēsei, hiketēriā malakōs?

And shall he speak to you supplications earnest softly?

כְחַיְכָרֶת בְּרִית עַמְךָ תְקַחַנְי לְעַבְד עֲזָלָם: 28

4. (40:28 in Heb.) **hayik'roth b'rith 'imak tiqachenu l'ebed 'olam.**

Job41:4 Shall he make a covenant with you? Shall you take him for a servant forever?

<28> θήσεται δὲ διαθήκην μετὰ σοῦ, λήμψῃ δὲ αὐτὸν δοῦλον αἰώνιον;

28 thēsetai de diathēkēn meta sou,

shall he establish And with you a covenant?

lēmpsē de auton doulon aiōnion?

And shall you take him servant for an everlasting?

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כְּתַתְשִׁחָק־בֹּו כַּצְפֹּר וְתַקְשֵׁרָנוּ לְנַעֲרוֹתֶיךָ:

5. (40:29 in Heb.) **hath'sacheq-bo katsipor w'thiq'sh'renu l'na' arotheyak.**

Job41:5 Shall you play with him as with a bird, or shall you bind him for your maidens?

<29> παίξῃ δὲ ἐν αὐτῷ ὥσπερ ὄρνέω ἢ δήσεις αὐτὸν ὥσπερ στρουθίον παιδίῳ;

29 paixē de en autō hōsper orneō

And shall you play with him as a bird?

ē dēseis auton hōsper strouthion paidiō?

Or shall you bind him as a sparrow for a child?

לְיִכְרֹו עַלְיוֹ חֲבָרִים יְחִזְכוּהוּ בֵּין כְּנֻעֲנִים: 30

6. (40:30 in Heb.) **yik'ru `alayu chabarim yechetsuhu beyn k'na`anim.**

Job41:6 Shall the traders bargain over him?

Shall they divide him among the merchants?

<30> ἐνσιτοῦνται δὲ ἐν αὐτῷ ἔθνη, μεριτεύονται δὲ αὐτὸν Φοινίκων γένη;

30 ensitountai de en autō ethnē,

feed And do in him nations?

meriteuontai de auton Phoinikōn genē?

partition And do him of the Phoenicians the nations?

לֹא הַתִּמְלָא בְּשָׁפֹת עֹרוֹן וּבְצָלָצָל הָגִים רָאשׁוֹ: 31

7. (40:31 in Heb.) **hath'male' b'sukkoth `oro ub'tsil'tsal dagim ro'sho.**

Job41:7 Can you fill his skin with harpoons, or his head with fish spears?

<31> πᾶν δὲ πλωτὸν συνελθὸν οὐ μὴ ἐνέγκωσιν βύρσαν μίαν οὐ ρᾶς αὐτοῦ καὶ ἐν πλοιοῖς ἀλιέων κεφαλὴν αὐτοῦ.

31 pan de plōton synelthon ou mē enegkōsin byrsan

And everything afloat coming together in no way shall bear the hide

mian ou ras autou kai en ploiois halieōn kephalēn autou.

one tail of his; nor in the boats of fisherman shall they bear his head.

לְבַשְּׂימָעַלְיוֹ כְּפֶךְ זְכָר מַלְחָמָה אֶל־תּוֹסֶף: 32

8. (40:32 in Heb.) **sim-`alayu kapeak z'kor mil'chamah 'al-tosaph.**

Job41:8 Lay your hand on him; remember the battle; you shall not do it again!

<32> ἐπιθήσεις δὲ αὐτῷ χεῖρα μνησθεὶς πόλεμον τὸν γινόμενον ἐν σώματι αὐτοῦ, καὶ μηκέτι γινέσθω.

32 epithēseis de autō cheira mnēstheis polemon ton ginomenon en sōmati autou,

But shall you place a hand on him, remembering the war taking place in his body,
kai mēketi ginesthō.

and let it no longer take place?

אַתָּה תִּחְלֹתָךְ נִכְזְבָּה הָגָם אֶל-מְرָאָיו יַטֵּל:
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9. (41:1 in Heb.) **hen-tochal'**to **nik'zabah** **hagam** **'el-mar'ayu** **yutal**.

Job41:9 Behold, his hope has made false; Shall you be laid low even at the sight of him?

οὐχ ἔόρακας αὐτὸν οὐδὲ ἐπὶ τοῦ λεγομένους τεθαύμακας;

1 ouch heorakas auton oude epi tois legomenois tethaumakas?

Have you not seen him, nor over the ones speaking wondered?

בְּלֹא־אֲכֹזֶר כִּי רַעֲוָנָנוּ וְמִי הוּא לְפָנָי רַתִּיכְבָּ:

10. (41:2 in Heb.) **lo'-ak'zar ki y'urenu umi hu' l'phanay yith'yatsab**.

Job41:10 None is so fierce that he dares to arouse him;

Who then is he that can stand before Me?

οὐ δέδοικας ὅτι ἡτούμασται μοι; τίς γάρ ἔστιν ὁ ἐμοὶ ἀντιστάς;

2 ou dedoikas hoti hētoimastai moi?

Are you not in awe that it has been prepared by me?

tis gar estin ho emoi antistas?

For who is the one opposing me?

גַּם הַקְּהִימָנִי וְאַשְׁלָמִים תְּחַת כָּל־הַשָּׁמַיִם לִי־הִיא:

11. (41:3 in Heb.) **mi hiq'dimani wa'ashalem tachath kal-hashamayim li-hu'**.

Job41:11 Who has gone before Me that I should repay him?

Whatever is under the whole heavens is Mine.

ἢ τίς ἀντιστήσεται μοι καὶ ὑπομενεῖ, εἰ πᾶσα ἡ ὑπὸ οὐρανὸν ἐμή ἔστιν;

3 ē tis antistēsetai moi kai hypomenei, ei pasa hē hyp' ouranon emē estin?

Or who shall oppose me and remain, since all under the heavens is mine?

דְּלֹא־אָחָרֵישׁ בְּקָרְיוֹ וְדַבְּרָגְבוֹרוֹת וְחַיִן עַרְכָּו:

12. (41:4 in Heb.) **lo'-acharish badayu ud'bar-g'buroth w'chin 'er'ko**.

Job41:12 I shall not keep silence as to his limbs, or the matter of strength,
or the grace of his frame.

οὐ σιωπήσομαι δι' αὐτόν, καὶ λόγον δυνάμεως ἐλεήσει τὸν ἵσον αὐτοῦ.

4 ou siōpēsomai di' auton,

I shall not keep silent because of him;

kai logon dynameōs eleēsei ton ison autou.

and the word of power shall show mercy equal to him.

הַמִּרְגָּלָה פָּנִי לְבִרְשׂוֹ בְּכֶפֶל רָסְנוֹ מִי רְבּוֹא:

13. (41:5 in Heb.) **mi-gilah p'ney l'busho b'kephel ris'no mi yabo'**.

Job41:13 Who can take off the surface of his clothing?

Who can come to him with his double bridle?

«5 τίς ἀποκαλύψει πρόσωπον ἐνδύσεως αὐτοῦ;
εἰς δὲ πτύξιν θώρακος αὐτοῦ τίς ἂν εἰσέλθοι;

5 tis apokaluei prosōpon endyseōs autou?

Who shall uncover the front of his clothing?

eis de ptyxin thōrakos autou tis an eiselthoi?

and into the fold of his chest plate who can enter?

וְהַלְתִּי פָנֵיו מִפֶתֶח סְבִיבוֹת שְׁבִיו אַיִלָה: 6
dal'they phanayu mi phiteach s'biboth shinayu 'eymah.

Job41:14 Who can open the doors of his face? Around his teeth there is terror.

«6 πύλας προσώπου αὐτοῦ τίς ἀνοίξει; κύκλῳ ὁδόντων αὐτοῦ φόβος.

6 pylas prosōpou autou tis anoixei? kyklō odontōn autou phobos.

the gates of his face Who shall open? Round about his teeth is fear;

צ גָּאוֹה אֲפִיקֵר מְגַנִּים סָגוּר חֹתֶם צָר: 7
ga'awah 'aphiqey maginim sagur chotham tsar.

Job41:15 The rows of shields are his pride, shut up together with a tight seal.

«7 τὰ ἔγκατα αὐτοῦ ἀσπίδες χάλκειαι, σύνδεσμος δὲ αὐτοῦ ὥσπερ σμιρίτης λίθος.

7 ta egkata autou aspides chalkeiai, syndesmos de autou hōsper smiritēs lithos;

His insides are as shields of brass, sinews and his are as emery stone.

ח אַחַד בְּאַחַד יִגְשֹׁה וְרוֹחַךְ לְאַיְבוֹא בִּינֵיכֶם: 8
'echad b'echad yigashu w'ruach lo'-yabo' beyneyhem.

Job41:16 One is so near to another that no wind can come between them.

«8 εἷς τοῦ ἐνὸς κολλῶνται, πνεῦμα δὲ οὐ μὴ διέλθῃ αὐτόν.

8 heis tou henos kollontai, pneuma de ou mē dielthē auton;

One of one cleaves together, and wind in no way goes through it;

ט אַרְשָׁד בְּאַחִיהוּ יַדְבָּקוּ יְתַלְכְּדוּ וְלֹא יִתְפַּרְדוּ: 9
'ish-b'achihi y'dubaqu yith'lak'du w'lo' yith'paradu.

Job41:17 They are joined one to another; they clasp each other and cannot be separated.

«9 ἀνὴρ τῷ ἀδελφῷ αὐτοῦ προσκολληθήσεται, συνέχονται καὶ οὐ μὴ ἀποσπασθῶσιν.

9 anēr tō adelphō autou proskollēthēsetai,

as a man to his brother they shall be cleaved;

synechontai kai ou mē apospasthōsin.

they are held together, and in no way draw apart.

וְעַטְרִישָׁתְיוֹ תְּהַל אֹר וְעֵינָיו כַּעֲפָעֵפִיר־שָׁחָר: 10

18. (41:10 in Heb.) `atishothayu **tahel** 'or w`eynayu **k`aph`apey-shachar**.

Job41:18 His sneezes **flash forth light**, and his eyes are **like the eyelids of the morning**.

<10> ἐν πταρμῷ αὐτοῦ ἐπιφαύσκεται φέγγος, οἱ δὲ ὀφθαλμοὶ αὐτοῦ εἶδος ἑωσφόρου.

10 en ptarmō autou epiphauketai pheggos,

In his sneezing **shines forth brightness**,

hoi de ophthalmoi autou eidos heōsporou.

and his eyes are as the appearance of the morning star.

יְאָמֵבּוּ לְפִידִים יְהִלְכּוּ בְּיְהִזְדִּי אֶשׁ יְהִמְלְטוּ: 11

19. (41:11 in Heb.) **mipiyyu lapidim yahaloku kidodey 'esh yith'malatu**.

Job41:19 Out of his mouth go burning torches; sparks of fire leap forth.

<11> ἐκ στόματος αὐτοῦ ἐκπορεύονται λαμπάδες καιόμεναι
καὶ διαρριπτοῦνται ἐσχάραι πυρός·

11 ek stomatos autou ekporeuontai lampades kaiomenai

From out of his mouth shall go forth lamps burning,

kai diariptountai escharai pyros;

and scattered grates of fire.

יְבָמְחִירִיו יַצֵּא עַשְׁנָן כְּרוֹד נְפוּח וְאֲגָמָן: 12

20. (41:12 in Heb.) **min'chirayu yetse' `ashan k'dud naphuach w'ag'mon**.

Job41:20 Out of his nostrils smoke goes forth as from a boiling pot and burning rushes.

<12> ἐκ μυκτήρων αὐτοῦ ἐκπορεύεται καπνὸς καμίνου καιομένης πυρὶ ἀνθράκων·

12 ek myktērōn autou ekporeuetai

From out of his nostrils comes forth

kapnos kaminou kaiomenēs pyri anthrakōn;

smoke of a furnace burning of fire with coals.

וְלֹהֵב מְבִירָוּ צְבָבָעָה צְבָבָעָה צְבָבָעָה צְבָבָעָה: 13

וְלֹהֵב מְבִירָוּ צְבָבָעָה צְבָבָעָה צְבָבָעָה צְבָבָעָה:

21. (41:13 in Heb.) **naph'sho gechalim t'lahet w'lahab miipiuyetse'**.

Job41:21 His breath kindles coals, and a flame goes forth from his mouth.

<13> ἡ ψυχὴ αὐτοῦ ἄνθρακες, φλὸξ δὲ ἐκ στόματος αὐτοῦ ἐκπορεύεται.

13 hē psychē autou anthrakes, phlox de ek stomatos autou ekporeuetai.

His soul is as live coals; and a flame from out of his mouth goes forth.

וְלֹהֵב מְבִירָוּ צְבָבָעָה צְבָבָעָה צְבָבָעָה צְבָבָעָה: 14

יד בְּצֹאָרֶךְ יַלְיָן עַז וְלִפְנֵיו תְּדִוֵּץ דָּאָבָה:

22. (41:14 in Heb.) b'tsaua'ro yalin `oz ul'phanayu taduts d'abah.

Job41:22 In his neck lodges strength, and dismay leaps before him.

<14> ἐν δὲ τραχήλῳ αὐτοῦ αὐλίζεται δύναμις, ἐμπροσθεν αὐτοῦ τρέχει ἀπώλεια.

14 en de trachēlō autou aulizetai dynamis, emprosthen autou trechei apoleia.

And in his neck lodges power. before him runs Destruction.

טו מְפֻלֵּי בָּשָׂרָו דְּבָקָו יְצִוק עַלְיוֹ בְּלִימּוֹת:

23. (41:15 in Heb.) map'ley b'saro dabequ yatsaq `alayu bal-yimot.

Job41:23 The folds of his flesh are joined together, firm on him and immovable.

<15> σάρκες δὲ σώματος αὐτοῦ κεκόλληνται· καταχέει ἐπ’ αὐτόν, οὐ σαλευθήσεται.

15 sarkes de sōmatos autou kekollēntai;

And the flesh of his body cleaves tightly.

katacheei ep' auton, ou saleuthēsetai.

If one pours down upon him, he shall not be shaken.

טו לְבָו יְצִוק כְּמוֹ-אָבָן וְיְצִוק כְּפָלָח תְּחִתִּיתָו:

24. (41:16 in Heb.) libo yatsaq k'mo-'aben w'yatsaq k'phelach tach'tith.

Job41:24 His heart is cast hard as a stone, even cast hard as a lower millstone.

<16> ἡ καρδία αὐτοῦ πέπηγεν ὡς λίθος, ἔστηκεν δὲ ὥσπερ ἄκμων ἀνήλατος.

16 hē kardia autou pepēgen hōs lithos, hestēken de hōsper akmōn anēlatos.

His heart is fixed as stone, and he stands as an anvil, not malleable.

יז מִשְׁתָּו רְגֹרֶרוֹ אֵלִים מְשֻׁבְרִים יַתְחִטְאָו:

25. (41:17 in Heb.) misetho yaguru 'elim mish'barim yith'chata'u.

Job41:25 From his arising, the mighty are afraid,
they are beside themselves from the crashing.

<17> στραφέντος δὲ αὐτοῦ φόβος θηρίοις τετράποσιν ἐπὶ γῆς ἀλλομένοις.

17 straphentos de autou phobos thēriois tetraposin epi gēs hallomenois.

turning And his gives fear wild beasts to the four-footed upon the earth leaping.

יח מִשְׁרָגָהוּ חֶרֶב בְּלִי תְּקוּם חֲנִית מְפֻעָה וְשְׁרִיהָ:

26. (41:18 in Heb.) masigehu chereb b'li thaqum chanith masa` w'shir'yah.

Job41:26 The sword overtakes him, but shall not hold; the spear, the dart or the javelin.

<18> ἐὰν συναντήσωσιν αὐτῷ λόγχαι, οὐδὲν μὴ ποιήσωσιν δόρυ, καὶ θώρακα·

18 ean synantēsōsin autō logchai,

If should meet up with him lances,

ouden mē poiēsōsin dory, kai thōraka;

nothing in any way shall terrify by spear and chest plate.

וְאַתָּה בְּעֵץ בָּרֶצֶל לֹעֲזִים רְקֻבָּן נְחֻשָּׁה: 19

27. (41:19 in Heb.) yach'shab l'teben bar'zel l'ets riqabon n'chushah.

Job41:27 He regards iron as straw, bronze as rotten wood.

<19> ᾧ γιγνται μὲν γὰρ σίδηρον ἄχυρα, χαλκὸν δὲ ὕσπερ ξύλου σαθρόν·

19 hēgētai men gar sidēron achyra, chalkon de hōsper xylon sathron;
For he esteems iron as straw, and brass as wood rotten.

כְּלֹא־יִבְרִיחַנּוּ בָּן־קָשָׁת לְקַשׁ נְחַפְּכוּ־לוּ אֲגִינִּידְקָלָעַ: 20

28. (41:20 in Heb.) lo'-yab'richenu ben-qasheth l'qash neh'p'ku-lo 'ab'ney-qala`.

Job41:28 The arrow of the bow cannot make him flee;
slingstones are turned into stubble for him.

<20> οὐ μὴ τρώσῃ αὐτὸν τόξον χάλκειον, ᾧ γιγνται μὲν πετροβόλον χόρτου·

20 ou mē trōsē auton toxon chalkeion, hēgētai men petrobolon chorton;
In no way shall pierce him the bow of brass. He esteems a slinger indeed as grass;

כְּאַקְשׁ נְחַשָּׁבוּ תֹתָח וַיְשַׁחַק לְרַעַשׁ כִּידּוֹן: 21

29. (41:21 in Heb.) k'qash nech'sh'bu thothach w'yis'chaq l'ra`ash kidon.

Job41:29 Clubs are regarded as stubble; He laughs at the rattling of the javelin.

<21> ὡς καλάμη ἐλογίσθησαν σφύραι, καταγελᾷ δὲ σεισμοῦ πυρφόρου.

21 hōs kalamē elogisthēsan sphyrai, katagelā de seismou pyrphorou.

as stubble are considered hammers; and he ridicules the quaking of a fire-bearer.

כְּבָתְחַטְיוֹ חַדּוֹדִי חַרְשׁ יַרְפֵּד חַרְווֹן עַלְיִידְטִיט: 22

30. (41:22 in Heb.) tach'tayu chadudey chares yir'pad charuts `aley-tit.

Job41:30 Points of potsherds are under him; He spreads sharp pointed marks on the mire.

<22> ἡ στρωμνὴ αὐτοῦ ὅβελίσκοι ὀξεῖς,

πᾶς δὲ χρυσὸς θαλάσσης ὑπ’ αὐτὸν ὕσπερ πηλὸς ἀμύθητος.

22 hē strōmnē autou obeliskoi oxeis,

His strewn bed points is of sharp;

pas de chrysos thalassēs hyp' auton hōsper pēlos amythētos.

and all the gold of the sea under him is as mud untold.

כְּגִירְתִּיחַ כְּסִיר מְצֻולָּה יָם רִישִׁים כְּמַרְקָחָה: 23

31. (41:23 in Heb.) yar'tiach kasir m'tsulah yam yasim kamer'qachah.

Job41:31 He makes the depths boil like a pot; He makes the sea like a jar of ointment.

<23> ἀναζεῖ τὴν ἄβυσσον ὥσπερ χαλκεῖον,
ἥγηται δὲ τὴν θάλασσαν ὥσπερ ἔξαλειπτρον,
23 anazei tēn abysson hōsper chalkeion,
breaks out The abyss as a brazen cauldron;
hēgētai de tēn thalassan hōsper exaleiptron,
and he esteems the sea as an ointment jar.

בְּשִׁבְתַּחַד כֵּבֶשׂ שְׁמַרְתָּךְ יְמִינְךָ תְּמִימָנָךְ 24
כְּדֹאֲחָרְיוֹ יָאִיר נָתִיב רְחַשְׁבָּה תְּהוֹם לְשִׁירְבָּה:

32. (41:24 in Heb.) 'acharayu ya'ir nathib yach'shab t'hom l'seybah.

Job41:32 Behind him he makes a path to shine;
one would think the deep to be gray-haired.

<24> τὸν δὲ τάρταρον τῆς ἄβυσσον ὥσπερ αἰχμάλωτον·
ἔλογύσατο ἄβυσσον εἰς περίπατον.

24 ton de tartaron tēs abyssou hōsper aichmalōton;
the internal region of the abyss is as if a captive;
elogisato abysson eis peripaton.
he considers the abyss for a promenade.

בְּהַאֲינָן עַל־עַפֵּר מְשֻׁלָּו הַעֲשָׂו לְבָלִי־חַתָּה: 25
אַתְּ-עַל-עַפֵּר כְּבָשְׂבָתְךָ יְרַאַתְהָךְ כְּבָשְׂבָתְךָ:

33. (41:25 in Heb.) 'eyn-`al-`aphar mash'lo he`asu lib'li-chath.

Job41:33 There is nothing on earth is like him, one made without fear.

<25> οὐκ ἔστιν οὐδὲν ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς ὅμοιον αὐτῷ
πεποιημένον ἐγκαταπαίζεσθαι ὑπὸ τῶν ἀγγέλων μου·

25 ouk estin ouden epi tēs gēs homoion autō
There is not anything upon the earth likened to him,
pepoiēmenon egkatapaizesthai hypo tōn aggelōn mou;
being made, to be mocked at by my angels.

כְּוֹאַת־כְּלָגְבָּה יְרַאַתְהָךְ הַוָּא מֶלֶךְ עַל־כְּלָגְבָּה בְּנִיר־שְׁחָצָה: 26
כְּוֹאַת־כְּלָגְבָּה יְרַאַתְהָךְ הַוָּא מֶלֶךְ עַל־כְּלָגְבָּה בְּנִיר־שְׁחָצָה:

34. (41:26 in Heb.) 'eth-kal-gaboah yir'eh hu' melek `al-kal-b'ney-shachats.

Job41:34 He looks on all high things; He is king over all the sons of pride.

<26> πᾶν ὑψηλὸν ὄρā, αὐτὸς δὲ βασιλεὺς πάντων τῶν ἐν τοῖς ὕδασιν.

26 pan huyēlon horā, autos de basileus pantōn tōn en tois hydasin.

Every lofty thing he sees; and he is king of all the things in the waters.