

Chamesh haPekudim / Bemidbar (Numbers)

Chapter 25

וְיָשַׁב יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּשִׁתִּים וַיִּחַל הָעָם לִזְנוֹת אֶל־בְּנֹת מוֹאָב׃ Num25:1

1. **wayesheb Yis'ra'El baShittim wayachel ha`am liz'noth 'el-b'noth Mo'ab.**

Num25:1 While Yisra'El remained at Shittim,
the people began to play the harlot with the daughters of Moab.

καὶ κατέλυσεν Ἰσραὴλ ἐν Σαττίν·
καὶ ἐβεβηλώθη ὁ λαὸς ἐκπορνεύσαι εἰς τὰς θυγατέρας Μωαβ.

1 Kai katelysen Israël en Sattin;

And Israel rested up in Shittim,

kai ebebēlōthē ho laos ekporneusai eis tas thygateras Mōab.

and profaned the people to fornicate with the daughters of Moab.

בְּוֹתְקָרָן לְעַמּוֹד לְזָבְחֵי אֱלֹהִים וַיִּאֲכַל הָעָם וַיִּשְׁתַּחַוו לְאֱלֹהִים׃ 2

2. **watiq're'an la`am l'zib'chey 'eloheyhen**
wayo'kal ha`am wayish'tachauu l'eloheyhen.

Num25:2 For they called the people to the sacrifices of their mighty ones,
and the people ate and bowed down to their mighty ones.

καὶ ἐκάλεσαν αὐτοὺς ἐπὶ ταῖς θυσίαις τῶν εἰδώλων αὐτῶν,
καὶ ἔφαγεν ὁ λαὸς τῶν θυσιῶν αὐτῶν καὶ προσεκύνησαν τοῖς εἰδόλοις αὐτῶν.

2 kai ekalesan autous epi tais thysiais tōn eidōlōn autōn,

And they called them unto the sacrifices of their idols,

kai ephagen ho laos tōn thysiōn autōn kai prosekynēsan tois eidōlois autōn.

and ate the people of their sacrifices, and they did obeisance to their idols.

גַּוְיִצְמָד יִשְׂרָאֵל לְבָעֵל פָּעָר וַיִּחַר־אֲפִיהַי יְהוָה בְּיִשְׂרָאֵל׃ 3

3. **wayitsamed Yis'ra'El l'Ba'al P'or wayichar-'aph Yahúwah b'Yis'ra'El.**

Num25:3 So Yisra'El joined themselves to Baal of Peor,
and the anger of יהוה burned against Yisra'El.

καὶ ἐτελέσθη Ἰσραὴλ τῷ Βεελφεγώρ· καὶ ὥργισθη θυμῷ κύριος τῷ Ἰσραὴλ.

3 kai etelesthē Israël tō Beelphegor;

And Israel was initiated to Baal-peor;

kai ōrgisthē thymō kyrios tō Israēl.

and was provoked to anger in rage YHWH with Israel.

וְיָשַׁב יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּשִׁתִּים וַיִּחַל הָעָם לִזְנוֹת אֶל־בְּנֹת מוֹאָב 4

ד וַיֹּאמֶר יְהוָה אֶל־מֹשֶׁה קֹחْ אֶת־כָּל־רֹאשֵׁי הָעָם
וְהִזְקֻע אֲוֹתָם לִיהוָה נֶגֶד הַשְּׁמֶשׁ וַיֵּשֶׁב חָרוֹן אֶפְרַיִם בְּרֹאשׁ מִשְׁרָאֵל

4. **wayo'mer Yahúwah 'el-Mosheh qach 'eth-kal-ra'shey ha'am**
w'hoqa` 'otham laYahúwah neged hashamesh
w'yashob charon 'aph-Yahúwah miYis'ra'El.

Num25:4 וַיֹּאמֶר יְהוָה אֶל־מֹשֶׁה, Take all the leaders of the people
and hang them up unto הַשְּׁמֶשׁ before the sun,
so that the fierce anger of הַשְּׁמֶשׁ may turn away from Yisra'El.

<4> καὶ εἶπεν κύριος τῷ Μωυσῆ Ἀσθέ πάντας τοὺς ἀρχηγοὺς τοῦ λαοῦ
καὶ παραδειγμάτισον αὐτοὺς κυρίῳ ἀπέναντι τοῦ ἥλιου,
καὶ ἀποστραφήσεται ὁργὴ θυμοῦ κυρίου ἀπὸ Ἰσραὴλ.

4 kai eipen kyrios tō Mōusē Labe pantas tous archēgous tou laou
And YHWH said to Moses, Take all the heads of the people,
kai paradeigmatison autous kyriō apenanti tou hēliou,
and make an example of them for YHWH over against the sun!
kai apostraphēsetai orgē thymou kyriou apo Israēl.
and shall turn away the anger of the rage of YHWH from Israel.

וַיֹּאמֶר מֹשֶׁה אֶל־שְׁפֵטִים יִשְׂרָאֵל
הָרָגוּ אִישׁ אֶנְשִׁירָה הַנְּצָמָדים לְבָעֵל פָּעוֹר:

5. **wayo'mer Mosheh 'el-shoph'tey Yis'ra'El**
hir'gu 'ish 'anashayu hanits'madim l'Ba'al P'or.

Num25:5 So Mosheh said to the judges of Yisrael,
Each of you slay his men who have joined themselves to Baal of Peor.

<5> καὶ εἶπεν Μωυσῆς ταῖς φυλαῖς Ἰσραὴλ
Ἄποκτείνατε ἕκαστος τὸν οἰκεῖον αὐτοῦ τὸν τετελεσμένον τῷ Βεελφεγώρ.

5 kai eipen Mōusēs tais phylais Israēl
And Moses said to the tribes of Israel,
Apokteinate hekastos ton oikeion autou ton tetelesmenon tō Beelphegor.
Let kill each the one of his family being initiated to Baal-Peor!

וַיֹּאמֶר מֹשֶׁה אֶל־שְׁפֵטִים יִשְׂרָאֵל בָּא וַיִּקְרַב אֶל־אַחִיו
וַיֹּהֶנֶּה אִישׁ מַבְנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל בָּא וַיִּקְרַב אֶל־אַחִיו
אֶת־הַמְּדִינִית לְעֵינִי מֹשֶׁה וְלֵעֵינִי כָּל־עֲדָת בְּנֵי־יִשְׂרָאֵל
וְהַמָּה בְּכָים פִּתְחַ אַחֲלָ מָוֶעֶד:

6. **w'hinneh 'ish mib'ney Yis'ra'El ba' wayaq'reb 'el-'echayu 'eth-haMid'yanith l'eyney**
Mosheh ul'eyney kal-'adath b'ney-Yis'ra'El w'hemah bokim pethach 'ohel mo'ed.

Num25:6 Then behold, one of the sons of Yisra'El came and brought to his brothers a Midianite woman, in the sight of Mosheh and in the sight of all the congregation of the sons of Yisra'El, while they were weeping at the doorway of the tent of appointment.

6 Καὶ ἴδού ἄνθρωπος τῶν συναγωγῆς οὗτος ἐλθὼν προσῆγεν τὸν ἀδελφὸν αὐτοῦ πρὸς τὴν Μαδιανῖτιν ἑναντίον Μωσῆν καὶ ἔναντι πάσης συναγωγῆς σὺντονής τοῦ μαρτυρίου.

6 Kai idou anthrōpos tōn huiōn Israēl elthōn prosēgagen ton adelphon autou
And behold, a man of the sons of Israel coming, led forward his brother
pros tēn Madiantin enantion Mōuse
to the Midianitish woman before Moses,
kai enanti pasēs synagōgēs huiōn Israēl,
and before all the congregation of the sons of Israel.
autoi de eklaion para tēn thyran tēs skēnēs tou martyriou.
And they were weeping by the door of the tent of the testimony.

וַיָּקֹם פִּינְחָס בֶּן־אֱלֹעֵזֶר בֶּן־אַהֲרֹן הַכֹּהֵן וַיִּקְרֹם מִתְוָךְ חֲצֵדָה
וַיִּקְרֹב רַמְחָה בְּיַדְוֹ:

7. wayar' Pin'chas ben-'El`azar ben-'Aharon hakohen wayaqam mitok ha`edah wayiqach romach b'yado.

Num25:7 When Phinehas the son of Eleazar, the son of Aharon the priest, saw it, he arose from the midst of the congregation and took a spear in his hand,

7 Καὶ ἴδων Φίνεες υἱὸς Ελεαζαρ υἱοῦ Ααρὼν τοῦ ιερέως ἐξανέστη ἐκ μέσου τῆς συναγωγῆς καὶ λαβὼν σειρομάστην ἐν τῇ χειρὶ⁷
7 kai idōn Phinees huios Eleazar huiou Aarōn tou hiereōs exanestē
And seeing, Phinehas son of Eleazar, son of Aaron the priest, rose up
ek mesou tēs synagōgēs kai labōn seiromastēn en tē cheiri
from the midst of the congregation, and taking a spear in his hand,

וַיִּקְרֹב אַחֲרָא אִישׁ־יִשְׂרָאֵל אֶל־הַקָּבָה
וַיִּדְקֹר אֶת־שְׁנֵיהֶם אֶת־אִישׁ יִשְׂרָאֵל וֶאֱתָה־הָאָשָׁה אֶל־קְבֻתָּה
וַתִּעַצֵּר הַמְּגַפֶּה מֵעַל בְּנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל:⁸

8. wayabo' 'achar 'ish-Yis'ra'El 'el-haqubah wayid'qor 'eth-sh'neyhem 'eth 'ish Yis'ra'El w'eth-ha'ishah 'el-qabathah wate`atsar hamagephah me`al b'ney Yis'ra'El.

Num25:8 and he went after the man of Yisrael into the tent and pierced both of them through, the man of Yisra'El and the woman, through the body. So the plague on the sons of Yisra'El was checked.

<8> εἰσῆλθεν ὁπίσω τοῦ ἀνθρώπου τοῦ Ἰσραηλίτου εἰς τὴν κάμινον καὶ ἀπεκέντησεν ἀμφοτέρους, τόν τε ἄνθρωπον τὸν Ἰσραηλίτην καὶ τὴν γυναῖκα διὰ τῆς μήτρας αὐτῆς· καὶ ἐπαύσατο ἡ πληγὴ ἀπὸ σὺνων Ἰσραηλ.

8 eisēlthen opisō tou anthrōpou tou Israēlitou eis tēn kaminon
he entered after the Israelitish man into the furnace,
kai apekentēsen amphoteros, ton te anthrōpon ton Israēlitēn
and he pierced both the Israelitish man,
kai tēn gynaika dia tēs mētrās autēs;
and the woman through her womb;
kai epausato hē plēgē apo huiōn Israēl.
and ceased the calamity from the sons of Israel.

ט וַיְהִי הַמֹּתִים בְּמַגֵּפָה אֶרְבָּעָה וּשְׁעָרִים אַלְפִים כ : ט

9. wayih'yu hamethim bamagephah 'ar'ba'ah w'esrim 'aleph.

Num25:9 Those who died by the plague were twenty-four thousand.

<9> καὶ ἐγένοντο οἱ τεθνηκότες ἐν τῇ πληγῇ τέσσαρες καὶ εἴκοσι χιλιάδες.

9 kai egenonto hoi tethnēkotes en tē plēgē tessares kai eikosi chiliades.

And were the ones having died by the calamity four and twenty thousand.

וַיֹּאמֶר יְהוָה אֶל־מֹשֶׁה קְลֹא מִשְׁמָךְ : י

10. way'daber Yahūwah 'el-Mosheh le'mor.

Num25:10 Then מֹשֶׁה spoke to Mosheh, saying,

<10> Καὶ ἐλάλησεν κύριος πρὸς Μωυσῆν λέγων

10 Kai elalēsen kyrios pros Mōusēn legōn

And YHWH spoke to Moses, saying,

רִא פִינְחָס בֶּן־אֱלֹעֲזָר בֶּן־אַהֲרֹן הַכֹּהן הַשִּׁיב אֶת־חַמְתִּי
מַעַל בְּנֵי־יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּקָנָאו אֶת־קָנָאתִי בְּתוֹכְם
וְלֹא־כְלִיתִי אֶת־בְּנֵי־יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּקָנָאתִי : י

11. Pin'chas ben-'El'azar ben-'Aharon hakohen heshib 'eth-chamathi
me`al b'ney-Yis'ra'El b'qan'o 'eth-qin'athi b'thokam
w'lo'-kilithi 'eth-b'ney-Yis'ra'El b'qin'athi.

Num25:11 Phinehas the son of Eleazar, the son of Aharon the priest,
has turned away My wrath from the sons of Yisra'El while he was zealous
with My jealousy among them, so that I did not destroy the sons of Yisra'El in My jealousy.

<11> Φινέες νιὸς Ελεαζαρ νιὸν Ααρων τοῦ ἵερέως κατέπαυσεν τὸν θυμόν μου

ἀπὸ σὸν Ἰσραὴλ ἐν τῷ ζηλῷ σαὶ μου τὸν ζῆλον ἐν αὐτοῖς,
καὶ οὐκ ἔξανήλωσα τοὺς νίοὺς Ἰσραὴλ ἐν τῷ ζήλῳ μου.

11 Phinees huios Eleazar huiou Aarōn tou hiereōs

Phinehas, the son of Eleazar, son of Aaron the priest,
katepausen ton thymon mou apo huiōn Israēl en tō zēlōsai mou ton zēlon
caused to cease my rage from the sons of Israel, in my being jealous in the zeal
en autois, kai ouk exanēlōsa tous huious Israēl en tō zēlō mou.
for them; and I did not completely consume the sons of Israel in my zeal.

יבְּכָן אָמַר הָנָנִי נֹתֵן לוֹ אֶת-בְּרִיתִי שָׁלוֹם:¹²

12. laken 'emor hin'ni nothen lo 'eth-b'rithi shalom.

Num25:12 Therefore say, Behold, I give him My covenant of peace;

<12> οὕτως εἰπόν· Ἰδοὺ ἐγὼ δίδωμι αὐτῷ διαθήκην εἰρήνης,

12 houtōs eipon Idou egō didōmi autō diathēkēn eirēnēs,

Thus say! Behold, I give him a covenant of peace;

יג וְהִתְחִתָּה לוֹ וְלֹזְרֹעַ אֶחָרָיו בְּרִית כְּהֻנָּת עֲוָלָם תְּחַת
אֲשֶׁר קָנָא לְאֱלֹהִיו וַיַּכְפֵּר עַל-בָּנָי יִשְׂרָאֵל:¹³

13. w'hay'thah lo ul'zar'^o 'acharayu b'rith k'hunath `olam tachath 'asher qine' l'Elohayu way'kaper `al-b'ney Yis'ra'El.

Num25:13 and it shall be for him and his descendants after him, a covenant of a perpetual priesthood, because he was jealous for his El and made atonement for the sons of Yisra'El.

<13> καὶ ἔσται αὐτῷ καὶ τῷ σπέρματι αὐτοῦ μετ' αὐτὸν διαθήκη ἱερατείας αἰωνία,
ἀνθ' ὧν ἔζηλωσεν τῷ θεῷ αὐτοῦ καὶ ἔξιλάσατο περὶ τῶν νίων Ἰσραὴλ.

13 kai estai autō kai tō spermati autou

and it shall be to him and to his seed

met' auton diathēkē hierateias aiōnia,
after him a covenant priesthood of an eternal,

anth' hōn ezēlōsen tō theō autou kai exilasato peri tōn huiōn Israēl.

because he was jealous for his El, and he atoned for the sons of Israel.

יד וְשֵׁם אִישׁ יִשְׂרָאֵל הַמִּכְהָא אֲשֶׁר הָכָה אֶת-הַמְּדִינִית
זִמְרִי בֶּן-סָלָוָא נְשִׁיא בֵּית-אָב לְשָׁמְעָנִי:¹⁴

14. w'shem 'ish Yis'ra'El hamukeh 'asher hukah 'eth-haMid'yanith

Zim'ri ben-Salu' n'si' beyth-'ab laShim`oni.

Num25:14 Now the name of the slain man of Yisra'El who was slain

with the Midianite woman, was Zimri the son of Salu, a leader of a father's house

among the Shimeonites.

<14> τὸ δὲ ὄνομα τοῦ ἀνθρώπου τοῦ Ἰσραηλίτου τοῦ πεπληγότος, ὃς ἐπλήγη μετὰ τῆς Μαδιανίτιδος, Ζαμβρὶ υἱὸς Σαλὼ ἄρχων οἴκου πατριᾶς τῶν Συμεων.

14 to de onoma tou anthrōpou tou Israēlitou tou peplēgotos, hos eplēgē
And the name of the Israelitish man being struck, who was stricken
meta tēs Madiantidos, Zambri huios Salō
with the Midianitish woman, was Zimri son of Salu,
archōn oikou patrias tōn Symeōn;
ruler of the house of the family of Simeon.

טוֹרֵשׁם קְאַשֶּׁה חֲמֻקָּה הַמִּדְיָנִית 15
עַל-פְּנֵי תְּבִלָּת וְעַל-חַדְּבָלָת
כָּזְבִּי בֶּת-צָוֵר רָאשׁ אֱמֹת בֵּית-אָב בְּמִדְיָן הוּא: פ

15. w'shem ha'ishah hamukkah haMid'yanith
Kaz'bi bath-Tsur ro'sh 'umoth beyth-'ab b'Mid'yan hu'.

Num25:15 The name of the Midianite woman who was slain was
Kazbi the daughter of Tsur, who was head of the people of a father's house in Midyan.

<15> καὶ ὄνομα τῇ γυναικὶ τῇ Μαδιανίτιδι τῇ πεπληγυίᾳ
Χασβὶ θυγάτηρ Σουρ ἄρχοντος ἔθνους Ομμωθ, οἴκου πατριᾶς ἐστιν τῶν Μαδιαν.

15 kai onoma tē gynaiki tē Medianitidi tē peplēguiā
And the name of the Midianitish woman being struck,
Chasbi thygatēr Sour archontos ethnous Ommōth,
was Cozbi, daughter of Zur, a ruler of the nation of Ommoth;
oikou patrias estin tōn Median.
of the house of the family it is of the ones of Midian.

טוֹרֵשׁם קְאַשֶּׁה חֲמֻקָּה הַמִּדְיָנִית 16
טֹזֵנִיבָר יְהוָה אֶל-מֹשֶׁה לֹא מֹר:

16. way'daber Yahūwah 'el-Mosheh le'mor.

Num25:16 Then יְהוָה spoke to Mosheh, saying,

<16> Καὶ ἐλάλησεν κύριος πρὸς Μωυσῆν λέγων Λάλησον τοῖς υἱοῖς Ισραὴλ λέγων

16 Kai elalēsen kyrios pros Mōusēn legōn Lalēson tois huiois Israēl legōn
And YHWH spoke to Moses, saying, Speak to the sons of Israel! saying,

יזְרֹר אֶת-הַמִּדְיָנִים וְהַכִּירָתָם אֶת- 17
יזְרֹר אֶת-הַמִּדְיָנִים וְהַכִּירָתָם אֶת-

17. tsaror 'eth-haMid'yanim w'hikithem 'otham.

Num25:17 Be hostile to the Midyanites and strike them;

<17> Ἐχθραίνετε τοῖς Μαδιηναίοις καὶ πατάξατε αὐτούς,

17 Echthrainete tois Madiēnaiois kai pataxate autous,

Hate the Midianites, and strike them!

עֲשֵׂה תְּהִנֵּת וְעַבְדֵת כָּל־עַמְּךָ
וְעַבְדֵת כָּל־עַמְּךָ כִּי־עַבְדָת
עַבְדָת כָּל־עַמְּךָ כִּי־עַבְדָת
עַבְדָת כָּל־עַמְּךָ כִּי־עַבְדָת
יְחִינְכִּי צְרָרִים הֵם לְכֶם בְּגַלְילֵיכֶם אֲשֶׁר־גַּכְלוּ לְכֶם
עַל־דָּבָר־פְּעוֹר וְעַל־דָּבָר קְזִבִּי בְּתִינְשִׁיא מִדְיָן אֲחַתָּם
הַמְּפָה בְּיוֹם־הַמְּגַפָּה עַל־דָּבָר־פְּעוֹר:

18. **ki tsor'rim hem lakem b'nik'leyhem 'asher-nik'lu lakem `al-d'bar-P'or**
w`al-d'bar Kaz'bi bath-n'si' Mid'yan 'achotham hamukah
b'yom-hamagephah `al-d'bar-P'or.

Num25:18 for they have been hostile to you with their tricks,
with which they have deceived you in the matter of Peor
and in the matter of Kazbi, the daughter of the leader of Midyan,
their sister who was slain on the day of the plague in the matter of Peor.

<18> ὅτι ἐχθραίνουσιν αὐτοὶ ὑμῖν ἐν δολιότητι, ὅσα δολιοῦσιν ὑμᾶς διὰ Φογωρ
καὶ διὰ Χασβὶ θυγατέρα ἄρχοντος Μαδιαν ἀδελφὴν αὐτῶν τὴν πεπληγυναν
ἐν τῇ ἡμέρᾳ τῆς πληγῆς διὰ Φογωρ.

18 hoti echthrainousin autoi hymin en dolioteti,
For are hating you they with deceit,
hosa doliousin hymas dia Phogor kai
with as many things they used deceit against you through Peor,
dia Chasbi thygatera archontos Madian adelphēn autōn
even through Cozbi, daughter of the ruler of Madian, their sister,
tēn peplēguian en tē hēmera tēs plēgēs dia Phogor.
the one being struck in the day of the calamity on account of Peor.