

Ecclesiastes 11:7-12:8

הָאֹרֶךְ וּמֵתוּקַת 7
the light and sweet/pleasant

הַשֶּׁמֶשׁ לִרְאוֹת אֶת-לְעֵינַיִם וְטוֹב
the sun to see to eyes and good

יַחִיָּה כִּי אִם-שָׁנִים הַרְבֵּה
he will live if for many years

יִשְׂמַח בְּכֻלָּם הָאָדָם
he will rejoice in all of them the man

וַיִּזְכֹּר אֶת-יָמָיו הַחֹשֶׁךְ
and he will/let him remember days of the darkness

כִּי-הַרְבֵּה יִהְיוּ כָל-שְׂבֵאֵהֶבֶל
because many they will be all vanity which it enters

שִׂמְחָה בְּחֹרֶךְ בִּילְדוּתְךָ 9
rejoice/be glad young man in your youth/childhood

וַיִּטִּיבֶךָ לְבָבְךָ בְּיָמֶיךָ בְּחֹרֶךְ
and it will be/do good for you your heart in days of your youth

וְהֵלֵךְ בְּדַרְכֵי לְבָבְךָ וּבְמַרְאֵי עֵינֶיךָ
and walk in ways of your heart and in vision of your eyes

וְדָע כִּי עַל-כָּל-אֵלֶּה
and know that upon all of these

בְּמִשְׁפָּט הָאֱלֹהִים יְבִיאֶךָ
in/into judgment/justice the God and He will bring you

10 וְהִסְרֵם מִלְּבָבְךָ
from your heart care/anxiety and take away

וְהֵעֵבֶר מִבְּשָׂרְךָ רָעָה
from your flesh evil/trouble and cause to pass away/keep away

כִּי-הַיְלָרוֹת וְהַשְּׁחָרוֹת הַבֶּל
vanity/vapor/fleeting and prime of youth youth because

1 וְזָכַר אֶת-בּוֹרְאֶיךָ בְּיָמֵי בְּחֹרְתֶיךָ
and remember One creating you your youth in days of

עַד אֲשֶׁר לֹא-יָבֹאוּ יְמֵי הָרָעָה
which until [before] they will enter not the evil/misery days of

וְהִגִּיעוּ שָׁנִים
years and they arrive

אֲשֶׁר תֹּאמַר אֵין לִי בָהֶם חֶפֶץ
which you will say there is not in them to me pleasure

2 עַד אֲשֶׁר לֹא-תִחְשַׁךְ הַשֶּׁמֶשׁ
which until [before] it will be dark not the sun

וְהָאֹר וְהַיָּרֵחַ וְהַכּוֹכָבִים
and the light and the moon and the stars

וְשָׁבוּ הָעֲבִים אַחַר הַגֶּשֶׁם
and they will return the dark clouds after the rain

הַבַּיִת 3 בַּיּוֹם
the house ones keeping/guarding which they will tremble/shake in the day

הַחֵיל וְהִתְעוּתוֹ
the power men of and they are bent over/stooped

מֵעָטוּ וּבִטְלוּ
they are few because the grinders/molars and they cease working

בְּאַרְבוֹת וַחֲשֹׁכוֹ
through the windows/eye sockets the ones looking and they grow dim

בַּשּׁוּק וְסָגְרוּ דְלֹתַיִם 4
in the street doors and they are shut

הַטְּחִנָּה בְּשִׁפְלֵי קוֹל
the mill/grinding sound of when it is low

הַצִּפּוֹר וַיִּקּוּם לְקוֹל
the bird to sound of and he rises up

הַשִּׁיר בְּנוֹת כָּל-וַיִּשְׁחָוּ
the song daughters of all and they will be muffled

בְּדֶרֶךְ וַחֲתָחֲתִים יִרְאוּ מִגְּבֵהַ גַּם 5
in the way and terrors they fear from height also

הַחֲגָב וַיִּסְתַּבֵּל הַשֶּׁקֶד וַיִּנְאַץ
the grasshopper and he moves slowly the almond tree and it blooms

הָאֲבִיוֹנָה וַתִּפֹּר
the caper-fruit/aphrodisiac and it will fail/be broken

עוֹלָמוֹ בֵּית הָאָדָם אֶל-הַלֶּךְ כִּי-
his eternity house unto the man walking because

בַּשּׁוּק הַסּוֹפְדִים וְסָבְבוּ
the ones mourning in the street and they go around

6 עַד אֲשֶׁר לֹא־ יִרְתֵּק חֶבֶל הַכֶּסֶף
until[before] not which it will be broken the silver cord/rope

וְתִרְץ גִּלְתֵּי הַזָּהָב
and it is crushed the gold bowl

וְתִשָּׁבֵר כַּד עַל־ הַמַּבּוּעַ
and it is broken jar above the spring

וְנִרְץ הַגִּלְגָּל אֶל־ הַבּוֹר
and it will be crushed the paddlewheel into the pit

7 וַיֵּשֶׁב הָעֹפָר עַל־ הָאָרֶץ כַּשֶּׁהָיָה
and it returns the dust unto the land like which it was

וְהָרוּחַ תָּשׁוּב אֶל־ הָאֱלֹהִים אֲשֶׁר נָתַן
and the spirit it returns unto the God which He gave it

8 הַבַּל הַבָּלִים אָמַר הַקּוֹהֵלֶת
vanity of vanities he says the Qoheleth

הַבַּל הַכֹּל
vanity the all