

¹وَعَرَفَ آدَمُ حَوَّاءَ امْرَأَتَهُ فَحَبَلَتْ وَوَلَدَتْ قَايِينَ. وَقَالَتْ،
اَقْتَنَيْتُ رَجُلًا مِنْ عِنْدِ الرَّبِّ. ²ثُمَّ عَادَتْ قَوْلَدَتْ أَخَاهُ
هَابِيلَ. وَكَانَ هَابِيلُ رَاعِيًا لِلْغَنَمِ، وَكَانَ قَايِينُ عَامِلًا فِي
الْأَرْضِ. ³وَحَدَثَ مِنْ بَعْدِ أَيَّامٍ أَنَّ قَايِينَ قَدَّمَ مِنْ أَنْثَارِ
الْأَرْضِ قُرْبَانًا لِلرَّبِّ، ⁴وَقَدَّمَ هَابِيلُ أَيْضًا مِنْ أَبْكَارِ غَنَمِهِ
وَمِنْ سِمَانِهَا. فَتَنَظَرَ الرَّبُّ إِلَى هَابِيلَ وَقُرْبَانِهِ، ⁵وَلَكِنْ
إِلَى قَايِينَ وَقُرْبَانِهِ لَمْ يَنْظُرْ. فَاعْتَاطَ قَايِينُ جِدًا وَسَقَطَ
وَجْهُهُ. ⁶فَقَالَ الرَّبُّ لِقَايِينَ، لِمَاذَا اغْتَطَطْتَ وَلِمَاذَا سَقَطَ
وَجْهُكَ؟ ⁷إِنْ أَحْسَسْتَ أَقْلًا رَفَعُ. وَإِنْ لَمْ تُحْسِنْ فَعِنْدَ الْبَابِ
خَطِيئَةُ رَابِضَةٌ، وَإِلَيْكَ اسْتِيفَافُهَا وَأَنْتَ تَسْبُودُ عَلَيْهَا. ⁸وَكَلَّمَ
قَايِينَ هَابِيلَ أَخَاهُ. وَحَدَثَ إِذْ كَانَا فِي الْحَقْلِ أَنَّ قَايِينَ
قَامَ عَلَى هَابِيلَ أَخِيهِ وَقَتَلَهُ. ⁹فَقَالَ الرَّبُّ لِقَايِينَ، أَيْنَ
هَابِيلُ أَخُوكَ. فَقَالَ، لَا أَعْلَمُ. أَخَارِسُ أَنَا لِأَخِي. ¹⁰فَقَالَ،
مَاذَا فَعَلْتَ. صَوْتُ دَمٍ أَخِيكَ صَارِحٌ إِلَيَّ مِنَ
الْأَرْضِ. ¹¹فَالآنَ مَلْعُونٌ أَنْتَ مِنَ الْأَرْضِ الَّتِي فَتَحْتَ فَاهَا
لِتَقْبَلَ دَمَ أَخِيكَ مِنْ يَدِكَ. ¹²مَتَى عَمِلْتَ الْأَرْضَ لَا تُعْودُ
تُعْطِيكَ قُوَّتَهَا. تَائِهًا وَهَارِبًا تَكُونُ فِي الْأَرْضِ. ¹³فَقَالَ
قَايِينُ لِلرَّبِّ، دَنِييَ اعْظُمُ مِنْ أَنْ يُحْتَمَلَ. ¹⁴إِنَّكَ قَدْ
طَرَدْتَنِي الْيَوْمَ عَنْ وَجْهِ الْأَرْضِ، وَمِنْ وَجْهِكَ أَحْتَفِي
وَأَكُونُ تَائِهًا وَهَارِبًا فِي الْأَرْضِ، فَيَكُونُ كُلُّ مَنْ وَجَدَنِي
يَقْتُلُنِي. ¹⁵فَقَالَ لَهُ الرَّبُّ، لِدَلِّكَ كُلُّ مَنْ قَتَلَ قَايِينَ
فَسَبْعَةٌ أَصْغَافٍ يُسَقِّمُ مِنْهُ. وَجَعَلَ الرَّبُّ لِقَايِينَ عَلَامَةً
لِكَيْ لَا يَقْتُلَهُ كُلُّ مَنْ وَجَدَهُ. ¹⁶فَخَرَجَ قَايِينُ مِنْ لَدُنِ
الرَّبِّ، وَسَكَنَ فِي أَرْضِ نُودٍ شَرْقِيَّ عَدْنِ. ¹⁷وَعَرَفَ
قَايِينُ امْرَأَتَهُ فَحَبَلَتْ وَوَلَدَتْ حَتُوكَ. وَكَانَ بَنِي مَدْيَنَةَ،
فَدَعَا اسْمَ الْمَدْيَنَةِ كَاسِمَ ابْنِهِ حَتُوكَ. ¹⁸وَوُلِدَ لِحَتُوكَ
عَبْرَادُ. وَعَبْرَادُ وَلَدَ مَحُوبَائِيلَ. وَمَحُوبَائِيلُ وَلَدَ مَثُوسَائِيلَ.
وَمَثُوسَائِيلُ وَلَدَ لَامَكَ. ¹⁹وَاتَّخَذَ لَامَكَ لِنَفْسِهِ امْرَأَتَيْنِ،
اسْمُ الْوَاحِدَةِ عَادَةُ واسْمُ الْآخَرَى صِلَةُ. ²⁰فَوَلَدَتْ عَادَةُ
يَابَالَ الَّذِي كَانَ أَبًا لِسَاكِينِي الْخِيَامِ وَزُعَاةِ
الْمَوَاشِي. ²¹وَاسْمُ أَخِيهِ يُوبَالَ الَّذِي كَانَ أَبًا لِكُلِّ صَارِبِ
بِالْفُودِ وَالْمِزْمَارِ. ²²وَصِلَةُ أَيْضًا وَلَدَتْ ثُوبَالَ قَايِينَ
الصَّارِبِ كُلِّ آلَةٍ مِنْ نُحَاسٍ وَحَدِيدٍ. وَأُحْتُ ثُوبَالَ قَايِينَ
تَعْمَةُ. ²³وَقَالَ لَامَكَ لِامْرَأَتَيْهِ عَادَةَ وَصِلَةَ، اسْمَعَا قَوْلِي يَا
امْرَأَتَيَّ لَامَكَ، وَأَصْغِيَا لِكَلَامِي. فَإِنِّي قَتَلْتُ رَجُلًا
لِجُرْحِي، وَفَتَنَ لِسْذَخِي. ²⁴إِنَّهُ يُسَقِّمُ لِقَايِينَ سَبْعَةَ
أَصْغَافٍ، وَأَمَّا لِلَامَكَ فَسَبْعَةٌ وَسَبْعِينَ. ²⁵وَعَرَفَ آدَمُ
امْرَأَتَهُ أَيْضًا، فَوَلَدَتْ ابْنًا وَدَعَتْ اسْمَهُ شِيثًا، قَائِلَةً، لِأَنَّ

¹And Adam knew Eve his wife; and she conceived, and bare Cain, and said, I have gotten a man from the LORD. ²And she again bare his brother Abel. And Abel was a keeper of sheep, but Cain was a tiller of the ground. ³And in process of time it came to pass, that Cain brought of the fruit of the ground an offering unto the LORD. ⁴And Abel, he also brought of the firstlings of his flock and of the fat thereof. And the LORD had respect unto Abel and to his offering: ⁵But unto Cain and to his offering he had not respect. And Cain was very wroth, and his countenance fell. ⁶And the LORD said unto Cain, Why art thou wroth? and why is thy countenance fallen? ⁷If thou doest well, shalt thou not be accepted? and if thou doest not well, sin lieth at the door. And unto thee shall be his desire, and thou shalt rule over him. ⁸And Cain talked with Abel his brother: and it came to pass, when they were in the field, that Cain rose up against Abel his brother, and slew him. ⁹And the LORD said unto Cain, Where is Abel thy brother? And he said, I know not: Am I my brother's keeper? ¹⁰And he said, What hast thou done? the voice of thy brother's blood crieth unto me from the ground. ¹¹And now art thou cursed from the earth, which hath opened her mouth to receive thy brother's blood from thy hand; ¹²When thou tillest the ground, it shall not henceforth yield unto thee her strength; a fugitive and a vagabond shalt thou be in the earth. ¹³And Cain said unto the LORD, My punishment is greater than I can bear. ¹⁴Behold, thou hast driven me out this day from the face of the earth; and from thy face shall I be

اللَّهُ قَدْ وَصَّعَ لِي تَسْلًا آخَرَ عَوَضًا عَنْ هَابِيلَ. لِأَنَّ قَايِينَ
كَانَ قَدْ قَتَلَهُ. ²⁶وَلِشَيْئٍ أَيْضًا وَلَدَ ابْنٌ فَدَعَا اسْمَهُ أُنُوشَ.
جَبْتِيذِ ابْنِي أَنْ بُدْعَى بِاسْمِ الرَّبِّ.

hid; and I shall be a fugitive and a vagabond in the earth; and it shall come to pass, that every one that findeth me shall slay me.¹⁵ And the LORD said unto him, Therefore whosoever slayeth Cain, vengeance shall be taken on him sevenfold. And the LORD set a mark upon Cain, lest any finding him should kill him.¹⁶ And Cain went out from the presence of the LORD, and dwelt in the land of Nod, on the east of Eden.¹⁷ And Cain knew his wife; and she conceived, and bare Enoch: and he builded a city, and called the name of the city, after the name of his son, Enoch.¹⁸ And unto Enoch was born Irad: and Irad begat Mehujael: and Mehujael begat Methusael: and Methusael begat Lamech.¹⁹ And Lamech took unto him two wives: the name of the one was Adah, and the name of the other Zillah.²⁰ And Adah bare Jabal: he was the father of such as dwell in tents, and of such as have cattle.²¹ And his brother's name was Jubal: he was the father of all such as handle the harp and organ.²² And Zillah, she also bare Tubalcain, an instructor of every artificer in brass and iron: and the sister of Tubalcain was Naamah.²³ And Lamech said unto his wives, Adah and Zillah, Hear my voice; ye wives of Lamech, hearken unto my speech: for I have slain a man to my wounding, and a young man to my hurt.²⁴ If Cain shall be avenged sevenfold, truly Lamech seventy and sevenfold.²⁵ And Adam knew his wife again; and she bare a son, and called his name Seth: For God, said she, hath appointed me another seed instead of Abel, whom Cain slew.²⁶ And to Seth, to him also there was born a son;

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and he called his name Enos: then began
men to call upon the name of the LORD.