

¹ مِنْ أَجْلِ صِهْيَوْنَ لَا أَسْكُتُ وَمِنْ أَجْلِ أُورُشَلِيمَ لَا أَهْذَأُ،
 حَتَّى يَخْرُجَ يَرْحَمُهَا كَصَبَاءٍ وَخَلَّاصُهَا كِمَصْبَاحٍ يَتَّقِدُ.² فَتَرَى
 الْأَمَمَ يَبْرِكُ، وَكُلُّ الْمُلُوكِ مَجْدُكَ، وَتُسَمَّنُ بِاسْمِ جَدِيدٍ
 يُعْنِيهِ قَوْمُ الرَّبِّ.³ وَتَكُونِينَ إِكْلِيلَ جَمَالِ بَيْدِ الرَّبِّ، وَتَاجًا
 مَلَكِيًّا يَكْفُ إِلَهِيكَ.⁴ لَا يُقَالُ بَعْدُ لَكَ مَهْجُورَةٌ وَلَا يُقَالُ بَعْدُ
 لِأَرْضِكَ مُوحَّشَةٌ بَلْ تُدْعَيْنَ حَفْصِيَّةً وَأَرْضُكَ تُدْعَى
 بَعُولَةً. لِأَنَّ الرَّبَّ يُسَرُّ بِكَ، وَأَرْضُكَ تَصِيرُ ذَاتَ بَعْلٍ.⁵ لِأَنَّهُ
 كَمَا يَتَرَوَّجُ الشَّابُّ عَذْرَاءً يَتَرَوَّجُكَ بَنُوكَ، وَكَفَرَحِ
 الْعَرِيسِ بِالْعَرُوسِ يَفْرَحُ بِكَ إِلَهِيكَ.⁶ عَلَى أَسْوَارِكَ يَا
 أُورُشَلِيمَ أَقَمْتُ خُرَّاسًا لَا يَسْكُنُونَ كُلَّ النَّهَارِ وَكُلَّ اللَّيْلِ
 عَلَى الدَّوَامِ. يَا ذَاكِرِي الرَّبِّ لَا تَسْكُنُوا وَلَا تَدْعُوهُ
 يَسْكُتُ، حَتَّى يَنْبَتَ وَيَجْعَلَ أُورُشَلِيمَ تَسْبِيحَةً فِي
 الْأَرْضِ.⁸ خَلَفَ الرَّبُّ يَمِينَهُ وَبَذَرَ عِزَّتَهُ قَائِلًا، إِنِّي لَا
 أَدْفَعُ بَعْدُ قَمَحَكَ مَأْكَلًا لِأَعْدَائِكَ، وَلَا يَشْرَبُ بَنُو الْغُرَبَاءِ
 حَمْرَكَ الَّتِي تَعْبَتُ فِيهَا.⁹ بَلْ يَأْكُلُهُ الَّذِينَ جَنُّوهُ وَيُسَبِّحُونَ
 الرَّبَّ، وَيَشْرَبُهُ جَامِعُوهُ فِي دِيَارِ قُدْسِي.¹⁰ اْعْبُرُوا اْعْبُرُوا
 بِالْأَبْوَابِ. هَبُّوا طَرِيقَ الشَّعْبِ. اْعِدُّوا اْعِدُّوا السَّبِيلَ.
 تَقْوُهُ مِنَ الْحَجَارَةِ. اِرْقِعُوا الرَّايَةَ لِلشَّعْبِ.¹¹ هُوَذَا الرَّبُّ
 قَدْ أَحْبَرَ إِلَى أَفْصَى الْأَرْضِ، قُولُوا لِابْنَةِ صِهْيَوْنَ، هُوَذَا
 مُخَلِّصُكَ آتٍ. هَا أَجْرَتُهُ مَعَهُ وَجِرَاؤُهُ أَمَامَهُ.¹² وَيُسَمُّوهُمْ
 سَعْبًا مُقَدَّسًا، مَقْدِيي الرَّبِّ. وَأَنْتِ تُسَمَّنِينَ الْمَطْلُوبَةَ،
 الْمَدِينَةَ غَيْرَ الْمَهْجُورَةِ.

¹For Zion's sake will I not hold my peace, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until the righteousness thereof go forth as brightness, and the salvation thereof as a lamp that burneth.²And the Gentiles shall see thy righteousness, and all kings thy glory: and thou shalt be called by a new name, which the mouth of the LORD shall name.³Thou shalt also be a crown of glory in the hand of the LORD, and a royal diadem in the hand of thy God.⁴Thou shalt no more be termed Forsaken; neither shall thy land any more be termed Desolate: but thou shalt be called Hephzibah, and thy land Beulah: for the LORD delighteth in thee, and thy land shall be married.⁵For as a young man marrieth a virgin, so shall thy sons marry thee: and as the bridegroom rejoiceth over the bride, so shall thy God rejoice over thee.⁶I have set watchmen upon thy walls, O Jerusalem, which shall never hold their peace day nor night: ye that make mention of the LORD, keep not silence,⁷And give him no rest, till he establish, and till he make Jerusalem a praise in the earth.⁸The LORD hath sworn by his right hand, and by the arm of his strength, Surely I will no more give thy corn to be meat for thine enemies; and the sons of the stranger shall not drink thy wine, for the which thou hast laboured:⁹But they that have gathered it shall eat it, and praise the LORD; and they that have brought it together shall drink it in the courts of my holiness.¹⁰Go through, go through the gates; prepare ye the way of the people; cast up, cast up the highway; gather out the stones; lift up a standard for the people.¹¹Behold, the

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LORD hath proclaimed unto the end of the world, Say ye to the daughter of Zion, Behold, thy salvation cometh; behold, his reward is with him, and his work before him.¹² And they shall call them, The holy people, The redeemed of the LORD: and thou shalt be called, Sought out, A city not forsaken.