

12:1 וַיָּקֹעַ עֵשֶׂב וְעַבְרִים אֶפְרַיִם צָפוֹנָה u.itzqoq aish aphrim u.iobr tzphun.e and.he-is-being-summoned man-of Ephraim and.he-is-crossing-over Zaphon.ward	12:2 וְאַמְרוּ לְיְפֻתְחָה מִדּוּעַ עֲבָרָה לְהַלְלוֹת בָּנֵי עַמּוֹן בָּנֵי אַמּוֹן u.iamr l.iphtch mduo obrth l.elchm b.bni - omun and.they-are-saying to.Jephthah for.what-reason you-passed to.to-nfight-of in.sons-of Ammon	12:3 וְאַרְאָה אַזְנֵבָק כִּי אָנֹנֵךְ מִשְׁעָשׁ וְאַשְׁמָה נֶשֶׁשׁ בְּכֶפֶר u.arae ki - ain.k mushio u.ashim.e npshsh.i b.kph.i and.I-am-seeing that there-is-no.you csaving and.I-am-placing soul-of.me in.palm-of.me	12:4 וַיָּקְבֹּץ יְפֻתְחָה כָּל אֶת אָנְשֵׁי גָּלְעָד וְיַלְחָם אֶת אֱפְרַיִם u.iqbtz iphtch ath - kl - anshi glod u.ilchm ath - and.he-is-mustering Jephthah » all-of mortals-of Gilead and.he-is-nfighting with	12:5 וַיָּלֶךְ יְאַמְרוּ אֶת גָּלְעָד מִעַבְרוֹת אֶת הַיַּרְדֵּן לְאֶפְרַיִם וְהַיִה כִּי u.ilkd glod ath - mobruth e.irdn l.aphrim u.eie ki and.he-is-seizing Gilead » fords-of the.Jordan to.Ephraim and.he-became that	12:6 וַיֹּאמֶר יְאַמְרוּ לֹא אָמַר וְאַמְרֵךְ נָא שְׁבָלָת סְבָלָת u.iamru l.u amr - na shbtlth u.iamr sblth and.they-are-saying to.him say-you ! please ! shibboleth and.he-is-saying sibboleth	12:7 וַיָּשַׁפֵּט וְיִפְתְּחָה לְדָבֶר כָּנְעָנָה אֶת יִשְׂרָאֵל שָׁשׁ שְׁנִים אַל כָּנְעָנָה u.ishpht iphtch ath - ishral shsh shnim u.imth iphtch e.glodi and.he-is-judging Jephthah » Israel six years and.he-is-dying Jephthah the.Gileadite
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<sup>1</sup> And the men of Ephraim gathered themselves together, and went northward, and said unto Jephthah, Wherefore passedst thou over to fight against the children of Ammon, and didst not call us to go with thee? we will burn thine house upon thee with fire.

<sup>2</sup> And Jephthah said unto them, I and my people were at great strife with the children of Ammon; and when I called you, ye delivered me not out of their hands.

<sup>3</sup> And when I saw that ye delivered [me] not, I put my life in my hands, and passed over against the children of Ammon, and the LORD delivered them into my hand: wherefore then are ye come up unto me this day, to fight against me?

<sup>4</sup> Then Jephthah gathered together all the men of Gilead, and fought with Ephraim: and the men of Gilead smote Ephraim, because they said, Ye Gileadites [are] fugitives of Ephraim among the Ephraimites, [and] among the Manassites.

<sup>5</sup> And the Gileadites took the passages of Jordan before the Ephraimites: and it was [so], that when those Ephraimites which were escaped said, Let me go over; that the men of Gilead said unto him, [Art] thou an Ephraimite? If he said, Nay;

<sup>6</sup> Then said they unto him, Say now Shibboleth: and he said Sibboleth: for he could not frame to pronounce [it] right. Then they took him, and slew him at the passages of Jordan: and there fell at that time of the Ephraimites forty and two thousand.

<sup>7</sup> And Jephthah judged Israel six years. Then died Jephthah the Gileadite, and

**וַיָּקֹבֵר** וְעַדְעֶרֶת  
u·iqbr b·ori glod : p  
and·he-is-being-entombed in·cities-of Gilead

12:8 **וַיִּשְׁפַּט** אָחָרְיוֹן אֶת יִשְׂרָאֵל אֶת אַתְּ מִבְּית־לְחָם :  
u·ishphht achri-u ath - ishral abtzn m·bith-lchm :  
and·he-is-judging after·him » Israel Ibzan from·Beth~Lehem

12:9 **וַיְהִי** לֹא בְּנִים שְׁלָשִׁים וְבָנִים שְׁלָשִׁים בָּנָות שְׁלָחָה כְּחֹזֶה  
u·iei - l·u shlshim bnim u·shlshim bnuth shlch e·chutz-e  
and·he-is-becoming to·him thirty sons and·thirty daughters he·let-go the·outside·ward

**וְשְׁלָשִׁים** בָּנָות הַבִּיא לְבִנִּי מִן הַחֹזֶה וַיִּשְׁפַּט אֶת  
u·shlshim bnuth ebia l·bni·u mn - e·chutz u·ishphht ath -  
and·thirty daughters he·brought-in for·sons-of-him from the·outside and·he-is-judging »

**שְׁנָנִים שְׁבָעֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל :**  
ishral shbo shnim :  
Israel seven years

12:10 **וַיָּמַת** נַיְקָבֵר אַבְצָנָן פְּבַבִּית־לְחָם :  
u·imth abtzn u·iqbr b·bith-lchm :  
and·he-is-dying Ibzan and·he-is-being-entombed in·Beth~Lehem

12:11 **וַיִּשְׁפַּט** אָחָרְיוֹן אֶת אַיְלָן יִשְׂרָאֵל אֶת הַזְּבוּלֹנִי וַיִּשְׁפַּט יִשְׂרָאֵל אֶת  
u·ishphht achri-u ath - ishral ailun e·zbulni u·ishphht ath - ishral  
and·he-is-judging after·him » Israel Elon the·Zebulonite and·he-is-judging » Israel

**שְׁנָנִים עָשָׂר :**  
oshr shnim :  
ten years

12:12 **וַיָּמַת** נַיְקָבֵר אַלְעָן בְּאַיָּלוֹן בְּאַיָּלוֹן בְּאַרְצָן  
u·imth alun e·zbulni u·iqbr b·ailun b·ailun b·artz  
and·he-is-dying Elon the·Zebulonite and·he-is-being-entombed in·Aijalon in·land-of

**זָבוּלָן :**  
zbuln : p  
Zebulon

12:13 **וַיִּשְׁפַּט** אָחָרְיוֹן אֶת בֵּן עֲבָדָן יִשְׂרָאֵל הַלֵּל הַפִּרְעָתָהוֹן :  
u·ishphht achri-u ath - ishral obdan bn - ell e·phrothuni :  
and·he-is-judging after·him » Israel Abdon son-of Hillel the·Pirathonite

12:14 **וַיְהִי** לֹא וְשְׁלָשִׁים בָּנִים אֶרְבָּעִים בָּנִים רְכָבִים בָּנִים שְׁבעִים עַל  
u·iei - l·u arboim bnim u·shlshim bni bnim rkbim ol - shboim  
and·he-is-becoming to·him forty sons and·thirty sons-of sons ones-riding on seventy

**וַיִּשְׁפַּט עִירָם :**  
oirm u·ishphht ath - ishral shmne shnim :  
colts and·he-is-judging » Israel eight years

12:15 **וַיָּמַת** נַיְקָבֵר בֵּן עֲבָדָן הַלֵּל הַפִּרְעָתָהוֹן נַיְקָבֵר בְּפִרְעָתָהוֹן  
u·imth obdan bn - ell e·phrothuni u·iqbr b·phrothun  
and·he-is-dying Abdon son-of Hillel the·Pirathonite and·he-is-being-entombed in·Pirathon

**בָּאָרֶץ אֶפְרָאִים בְּבֹרֶר הַעֲמָלָקִי :**  
b·artz aphrim b·er e·omlqi : p  
in·land-of Ephraim in·mountain-of the·Amalekite

was buried in [one of] the cities of Gilead.

<sup>8</sup> And after him Ibzan of Bethlehem judged Israel.

<sup>9</sup> And he had thirty sons, and thirty daughters, [whom] he sent abroad, and took in thirty daughters from abroad for his sons. And he judged Israel seven years.

<sup>10</sup> Then died Ibzan, and was buried at Bethlehem.

<sup>11</sup> And after him Elon, a Zebulonite, judged Israel; and he judged Israel ten years.

<sup>12</sup> And Elon the Zebulonite died, and was buried in Aijalon in the country of Zebulon.

<sup>13</sup> And after him Abdon the son of Hillel, a Pirathonite, judged Israel.

<sup>14</sup> And he had forty sons and thirty nephews, that rode on threescore and ten ass colts: and he judged Israel eight years.

<sup>15</sup> And Abdon the son of Hillel the Pirathonite died, and was buried in Pirathon in the land of Ephraim, in the mount of the Amalekites.