

2Samuel

1:1 וַיְהִי מֹת אֶחָרִי מֹת שָׁאָלָיל וַיָּרֹد שָׁב מֵהַכֹּת אֲתָה -
u-ie iachri muth shaul u-dud shb m-ekuth ath -
and-he-is-becoming after death-of Saul and-David he-returned from-to-smite-of >

הָעֲמָלֵק וַיֵּשֶׁב בְּצִקְלָג וְדֹוד בְּצִקְלָג שְׁנָוּם יָמִים :
e-omlg u-ishb dud b-tzqlg imim shnim :
the-Amalek and-he-is-dwelling David in-Ziklag days two

1:2 וַיְהִי בַּיּוֹם הַשְׁלִישִׁי וְהַבָּהּ אִישׁ בָּא מִן הַמָּחַנָּה מִן מַעַם
u-ie b-yom e-shlishi u-ene aish ba mn - e-mchne m-om
and-he-is-becoming in-the-day the-third and-behold ! man coming from the-camp from-with

וְבְגִדְיּוֹן שָׁאָל וְקָרְשִׁים וְאַדְמָה רָאשׁ עַל יְהִי
shaul u-bgdy-u qroim u-adme ol - rash-u u-ie
Saul and-clothes-of-him ones-being-torn and-ground on head-of-him and-he-is-becoming

בְּבָאָל דָּוד יְיִפְלֵל אַרְצָה יְשֻׁתָּחַווּ :
b-ba-u al - dud u-iphl artz-e u-ishthchu :
in-to-come-of-him to David and-he-is-falling earth-ward and-he-is-prostrating-himself

1:3 וַיֹּאמֶר לְוֹ דָוד אֱלֹהִים קָנָה קְבוֹא יְאַמֵּר אֲלֹי
u-iamr l-u dud ai m-ze thbua u-iamr ali-u
and-he-is-saying to-him David where ? from-this you-are-coming and-he-is-saying to-him

מִמְחַנָּה נַמְלָטָה יִשְׂרָאֵל :
m-mchne ishral nmltthi :
from-camp-of Israel I-escaped

1:4 וַיֹּאמֶר אֶלְיוֹן דָוד מָה תֹּחַי תְּדַבֵּר תְּפַדֵּן נָא לְ
u-iamr ali-u dud me - eie e-dbr egd - na l-i
and-he-is-saying to-him David what ? he-is-to the-matter tell-you ! please ! to-me

וַיֹּאמֶר נָסֵן אֲשֶׁר כָּן הָעָם כָּן גַּם הַמְלָחָמָה כָּן גַּם הַרְבָּה כָּנֶל
u-iamr ashra - ns e-om mn - e-mlchme u-gm - erbe npchl
and-he-is-saying which he-fled the-people from the-battle and-moreover to-be-many he-fell

כָּן הַעַם וַיָּמָתוּ גַּם וַיָּמָת שָׁאָל וַיָּמָת בָּנוֹ מַתָּה :
mn - e-om u-imthu u-gm shaul u-yeunthn bn-u mthu :
from the-people and-they-are-dying and-moreover Saul and-Jonathan son-of-him they-died

1:5 וַיֹּאמֶר דָוד אֶל הַנֶּעֶר הַמְגִיד לֹא אִיךְ יְדַעַת קִי מַת כִּי
u-iamr dud al - e-nor e-mgid l-u aik idoth ki - mth
and-he-is-saying David to the-lad the-one-telling to-him how ? you-know that he-died

וְיַהֲוֹת שָׁאָל בְּנוֹ :
shaul u-yeunthn bn-u :
Saul and-Jonathan son-of-him

1:6 וַיֹּאמֶר הַנֶּעֶר הַמְגִיד לֹא נִקְרָא נִקְרִיתִי בְּהַר
u-iamr e-nor e-mgid l-u ngra nqrithi ber
and-he-is-saying the-lad the-one-telling to-him to-happen I-happened in-mountain-of

הַגְּלֹבָה וְהַנֶּה שָׁאָל נְשָׁעַן עַל חַנִּיתֹו וְהַנֶּה כְּרָכֶב
e-glbo u-ene shaul nshon ol - chnith-u u-ene e-rkb
the-Gilboa and-behold ! Saul leaning on spear-of-him and-behold ! the-chariot

וּבְעָלָי הַפְּרִשִׁים הַדְּבָקָתָה :
u-boli e-phrshim edbg-eu :
and-possessors-of the-horsemen they-followed-hard-him

1:7 וַיְהִי אֶחָרִי וַיְרַא אֶתְנָאָרִי וַיִּקְרָא וַיֹּאמֶר אֶלְיוֹן
u-iphn achri-u u-ira-ni u-igra al-i u-amr
and-he-is-facing-about after-him and-he-is-seeing-me and-he-is-calling to-me and-I-am-saying

הַנְּגִנִּי :
en-ni :
behold-me !

1:8 וַיֹּאמֶר לְיִהְיֶה מֵאֲתָה וַיֹּאמֶר וַיֹּאמֶר
u-iamr 1-i mi - athe u-iamr u-amr al-i omqli
and-he-is-saying to-me who ? you and-he-is-saying and-I-am-saying to-him Amalekite

אַנְכִּי :
anki :
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¹. Now it came to pass after the death of Saul, when David was returned from the slaughter of the Amalekites, and David had abode two days in Ziklag;

² It came even to pass on the third day, that, behold, a man came out of the camp from Saul with his clothes rent, and earth upon his head: and [so] it was, when he came to David, that he fell to the earth, and did obeisance.

³ And David said unto him, From whence comest thou? And he said unto him, Out of the camp of Israel am I escaped.

⁴ And David said unto him, How went the matter? I pray thee, tell me. And he answered, That the people are fled from the battle, and many of the people also are fallen and dead; and Saul and Jonathan his son are dead also.

⁵ And David said unto the young man that told him, How knowest thou that Saul and Jonathan his son be dead?

⁶ And the young man that told him said, As I happened by chance upon mount Gilboa, behold, Saul leaned upon his spear; and, lo, the chariots and horsemen followed hard after him.

⁷ And when he looked behind him, he saw me, and called unto me. And I answered, Here [am] I.

⁸ And he said unto me, Who [art] thou? And I answered him, I [am] an Amalekite.

1:9 **וַיֹּאמֶר** אֱלֹהִים עַמְדֵךְ נָא עַל מִתְחַנֵּן כִּי
u.i.amr al.i omd - na ol.i u.mthth.ni ki
and.he-is-saying to.me stand-you ! please ! over.me and.put-to-death-you.me ! that

אֲחַנְנִי הַשְׁבֵץ כִּי כָּל נֶפֶשׁ עָזָד כִּי כִּי כִּי
achz.ni e.shbtz ki - kl - oud nphsh.i b.i :
he-holds.me the.shroud-of-anguish that all-of still soul-of.me in-me

1:10 **וְאַעֲמֹד** עַלְיוֹן אַמְתַּחַת כִּי יְחִי לֹא כִּי יְדֻעַּת כִּי
u.aomd oli.u u.anthch.eu ki idothi ki la ichie
and.I-am-standing over.him and.I-am-putting-to-death.him that I-knew that not he-is-living

נִפְלָלוּ אַחֲרִי אֲקַח הַנְּגָר אֲשֶׁר רָאשׂ עַל אֲצַדְכָה
achri nphl.u u.aqch e.nrz ash.r ol - rash.u a.tzode
after to-fall-of.him and.I-am-taking the.insignia which on head-of.him and.marching-bracelet

וְרָעָוָה עַל אֲשֶׁר אֲבָיאָם אֶל אֲדֹנִי אֶל הַנְּהָר
ashr ol - zro.u u.abia.m al - adn.i ene :
which on arm-of.him and.I-am-bringing.them to lord-of.me hither

1:11 **וַיַּחַזֵּק** דָּוד בְּבוֹרוֹ בְּבָגְדִּיו יִקְרָעָם
u.ichzq dud b.bgd.u b.bgdi.u u.iqro.m
and.he-is-holding-fast David in.cloak-of.him in.clothes-of.him and.he-is-tearing.them

וְגַם כָּל הָאָנָשִׁים אֲשֶׁר אָתוּ אֲשֶׁר
u.gm kl - e.anshim ashr ath.u :
and.moreover all-of the.mortals who with.him

1:12 **וַיַּסְפְּדוּ** וַיַּכְבְּכוּ וַיִּצְמֹטוּ וְעַל הַעֲרָבָה
u.isphdu u.ibku u.itzmu od - e.orb ol -
and.they-are-wailing and.they-are-lamenting and.they-are-fasting until the.evening over

וְעַל שָׁאֵל כָּל בֵּית יְהֹוָה כָּל בֵּית יְהֹוָה כָּל בֵּית יְהֹוָה
shaul u.ol - ieunthn bn.u u.ol - om ieu.e u.ol - bith ishral ki
Saul and.over Jonathan son.of.him and.over people.of Yahweh and.over house.of Israel that

נִפְלָלוּ בְּחַרְבָּה : ס
nphlu b.chrb : s
they-fell in.the.sword

1:13 **וַיֹּאמֶר** דָּוד הַנְּגָר אֶל הַמְגִיד לֹא אֵין מִזְהָה אֲתָה
u.i.amr dud al - e.nor e.mgid l.u ai m.ze athe
and.he-is-saying David to the.lad the.one-telling to.him where ? from.this you

וַיֹּאמֶר בָּן גֶּר אִישׁ אָנֹכִי עַמְלָקִי אֲנֹכִי :
u.i.amr bn gr omlqi anki :
and.he-is-saying son.of man sojourner Amalekite I

1:14 **וַיֹּאמֶר** אָלְיוֹן הַדָּוד אֵיךְ לֹא יְרַא תְּלַשֵּׁחַ יְדֵךְ
u.i.amr ali.u dud aik la irath l.shlch id.k
and.he-is-saying to.him David how ? not you-feared to.to-stretch-out hand.of.you

לְשַׁחַת אָתָּה מָשִׁיחַ יְהֹוָה :
l.shchth ath - mschich ieu.e :
to.to-wreck-of » anointed-one.of Yahweh

1:15 **וַיִּקְרָא** דָּוד לְאַחֲרֵי מִזְהָרִים וַיֹּאמֶר וְגַם
u.iqra dud l.achd m.e.norim u.i.amr gsh
and.he-is-calling David to.one from.the.lads and.he-is-saying come-close-you !

פָּנָع בָּו וַיַּכְהַבֵּה וַיִּמְתַּהֵּת וַיִּמְתַּהֵּת :
phgo - b.u u.ik.eu u.imth :
come-on-you ! in.him and.he-is-smiting.him and.he-is-dying

1:16 **וַיֹּאמֶר** אָלְיוֹן הַדָּוד דְּמִיקָּה דְּמַקָּה רָאשָׁךְ עַל כִּי
u.i.amr ali.u dud dimi.k dm.k ol - rash.k ki
and.he-is-saying to.him David bloods.of.you blood.of.you on head.of.you that

פִּיךְ עַנְהָה בָּקָר לְאַמְרָה מִתְחַנֵּן אָתָּה מִשְׁחָחָה יְהֹוָה :
phi.k one b.k l.amr anki mththi ath - mshich ieu.e :
mouth.of.you he-responded in.you to.to-say.of I I.put-to-death » anointed-one.of Yahweh

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1:17 **וַיַּקְרַן** דָּוד אָתָּה הַקְּוִינָה אֶת הַזָּאת עַל בָּנָיו
u.iqnn dud ath - e.qine e.zath ol - shaul u.ol - ieunthn bn.u :
and.he-is-dirging David » the.dirge the.this over Saul and.over Jonathan son.of.him

9 He said unto me again, Stand, I pray thee, upon me, and slay me: for anguish is come upon me, because my life [is] yet whole in me.

10 So I stood upon him, and slew him, because I was sure that he could not live after that he was fallen: and I took the crown that [was] upon his head, and the bracelet that [was] on his arm, and have brought them hither unto my lord.

11 . Then David took hold on his clothes, and rent them; and likewise all the men that [were] with him:

12 And they mourned, and wept, and fasted until even, for Saul, and for Jonathan his son, and for the people of the LORD, and for the house of Israel; because they were fallen by the sword.

13 And David said unto the young man that told him, Whence [art] thou? And he answered, I [am] the son of a stranger, an Amalekite.

14 And David said unto him, How wast thou not afraid to stretch forth thine hand to destroy the LORD'S anointed?

15 And David called one of the young men, and said, Go near, [and] fall upon him. And he smote him that he died.

16 And David said unto him, Thy blood [be] upon thy head; for thy mouth hath testified against thee, saying, I have slain the LORD'S anointed.

17 . And David lamented with this lamentation over Saul and over Jonathan his

1:18 וַיֹּאמֶר יְהוָה בְּנֵי יְהוּדָה כִּי קָשַׁת יְהוּדָה עַל כִּתְבוֹת כֶּבֶשׂ - עַל
u·iamr l·lmd bni - ieude qshth ene kthube ol - sphr
and he is saying to-to-teach-of sons-of Judah bow behold ! being-written on scroll-of

הַיּוֹשֵׁר :
e·ishr :
the.upright

1:19 הַצְבֵּי בְּמָטוֹךְ - עַל יִשְׂרָאֵל חַלְל אַיִק נְפָלוּ גְּבוּרִים :
e·tzbi ishral ol - bmuthi·k chill aik nphlu gburim
the.stateliness Israel on high-places-of.you one-wounded how ! they-fell masterful-men

1:20 אֲלֹהִים תְּגִידְךָ בְּנֵת אֲלֹהִים תְּבִשְׁרוּ בְּנֵת אֲלֹהִים :
al - thgidu b·gth al - thbshru
must-not-be you(p)-are-telling in.Gath must-not-be you(p)-are-bearing-tidings

בְּחֻצֶּת אַשְׁקָלֹן תְּשִׁמְחַנָּה בְּנָתָן בְּנָתָן פְּלִשְׁתִּים בְּנָתָן :
b·chutzth ashqlun phn - thshmcgne bnuth phlshtim phn -
in.streets-of Ashkelon lest they-are-rejoicing daughters-of Philistines lest

פְּעֻלֵּת בְּנָתָן בְּנָתָן הַעֲלִים :
tholzne bnuth e·orlim
they-are-being-joyous daughters-of the.uncircumcised-ones

1:21 הַרְיָה בְּגִלְבֹּעַ אֲלֹהִים טַל וְאַל עַלְיכֶם מָטָר שָׁאוֹל :
eri b·glbo al - tl u·al - mtr oli·km
mountains-of in.the.Gilboah must-not-be night-mist and.must-not-be rain on.you(p)

וְשָׁדֵי תְּרוּמָת קַי שֵׁם נְגַעַל מָגָן גְּבוּרִים מָגָן שָׁאוֹל :
u·shdi thrumth ki shm ngol mgn gburim mgn shaul
and.fields-of heave-offerings that there he-was-loathed shield-of masterful-men shield-of Saul

כָּל מִשְׁחָה בְּשָׁמְן :
bli mshich b·shmn :
without being-anointed in.the.oil

1:22 מִדְם חַלְלִים מִחְלָב גְּבוּרִים קָשַׁת יְהוֹנָתָן לֹא נִשְׁׁוֹג :
m·dm chllim m·chlbd gburim qshth ieunthn la nshug
from.blood-of ones-wounded from.fat-of masterful-men bow-of Jonathan not he-was-turned-away

וְחַרְבָּה אַחֲרָה קְשֻׁוב לֹא שָׁוֵיל רִיקָם :
achur u·chrb shaul la thshub riqm :
back and.sword-of Saul not she-is-returning empty

1:23 שָׁאוֹל וַיְהִי תְּנוּמָת הַנְּאָבִים הַנְּעִימָם בְּתִיְהָם :
shaul u·ieunthn e·naebim u·e·noimm b·chii·em
Saul and.Jonathan the.ones-being-loved and.the.pleasant-ones in.lives-of.them

וּבְמוֹתָם לֹא נִפְרְדוּ מִנְשָׁרִים קָלָו מַאֲרִיתָה :
u·b·muth·m la nphrdu m·nshrim qlu m·arith
and.in.death-of.them not they-were-parted from.vultures they-were-fleet from.lions

גָּבָר :
gbru :
they-were-masterful

1:24 בְּנָתָן בְּכִינָה שָׁאוֹל אֲלֹהִים הַמִּלְבָשָׁם :
bnuth ishral al - shaul bkin e·mlbsh·km
daughters-of Israel for Saul lament-you(p) ! the.one-clothing-of.you(p)

שְׁנִי עַם עֲדָנִים הַמְּעֻלָּה עַדְיוֹ עַל זָהָב :
shni om - odnim e·mole odi zeb ol
double-dipped-scarlet with luxuries the.one-csetting-up ornament-of gold on

לְבַשְׁכָן :
lbush·kn :
clothing-of.you(p)

1:25 אַיִק נְפָלוּ גְּבוּרִים בְּתוּךְ הַמְּלֹחָמָה יְהוֹנָתָן עַל בְּמָטוֹךְ :
aik nphlu gbrim b·thuk e·mlchme ieunthn ol - bmuthi·k
how ! they-fell masterful-men in.midst-of the.battle Jonathan on high-places-of.you

חַלְל :
chll :
one-wounded

1:26 צָר לִי עַלְיָק אֲדִי יְהוֹנָתָן נַעֲמָת לִי מָאָד :
tzr - l·i oily ach·i ieunthn nomth l·i mad
he-distresses to.me over.you brother-of.me Jonathan you.were-pleasant to.me very

son:

18 (Also he bade them teach the children of Judah [the use of] the bow: behold, [it is] written in the book of Jasher.)

19 The beauty of Israel is slain upon thy high places: how are the mighty fallen!

20 Tell [it] not in Gath, publish [it] not in the streets of Askelon; lest the daughters of the Philistines rejoice, lest the daughters of the uncircumcised triumph.

21 Ye mountains of Gilboa, [let there be] no dew, neither [let there be] rain, upon you, nor fields of offerings: for there the shield of the mighty is vilely cast away, the shield of Saul, [as though he had] not [been] anointed with oil.

22 From the blood of the slain, from the fat of the mighty, the bow of Jonathan turned not back, and the sword of Saul returned not empty.

23 Saul and Jonathan [were] lovely and pleasant in their lives, and in their death they were not divided: they were swifter than eagles, they were stronger than lions.

24 Ye daughters of Israel, weep over Saul, who clothed you in scarlet, with [other] delights, who put on ornaments of gold upon your apparel.

25 How are the mighty fallen in the midst of the battle! O Jonathan, [thou wast] slain in thine high places.

26 I am distressed for thee, my brother Jonathan: very pleasant hast thou been unto

נְפָלָאתָה **אַהֲבָתְךָ** **לִ** **מֵאַהֲבָתְךָ** **וּ** **נְשִׁים** :

nphlathe aebth.k l.i m.aebth nshim :

she-was=marvelous love-of.you for.me from.love-of women

1:27 **אֵיךְ** **נִפְלוּ** **גְּבוּרִים** **וַיַּאֲבֹדוּ** **כָּלִ** **פָּ : מַלְכָמָה**

aik nphlu gburim u.iabdu kli mlchme : p

how ! they-fell masterful-men and.they-are-perishing implements-of war

me: thy love to me was wonderful, passing the love of women.

²⁷ How are the mighty fallen, and the weapons of war perished!