

19:1 כִּי יְקִרְתָּה אֶלְهֵיכֶךָ וְיְהוָה אֱלֹהֵיכֶם אַתָּה הַגּוֹיִם אֲשֶׁר יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵיכֶם אֲלֹהֵיכֶךָ  
ki - ikrith ieue alei.k ath - eguim ashr ieue alei.k  
that he-is-cutting-off Yahweh Elohim-of.you > the.nations whom Yahweh Elohim-of.you

נְתָן לְךָ אֶת אָרְצָם אֲרָצָם וְיִשְׁבֶּת בָּעֲרֵיהָ  
nthn l.k ath - artz.m u.irshth.m u.ishbth b.orie.m  
giving to.you > land.of.them and.you-evict.them and.you-dwell in.cities.of.them

וּבְבָתִים :  
u.b.bthi.em :  
and.in.houses.of.them

19:2 תְּבִדֵּיל שְׁלֹשׁ עָרִים שְׁלֹשׁ לְךָ בְּתוֹךְ אָרְצָךְ אֲשֶׁר יְהוָה אֲשֶׁר  
shlush orim thbdil l.k b.thuk artz.k ashr ieue  
three cities you-shall-separate for.you in.midst.of land.of.you which Yahweh

אֲלֹהֵיךְ נְתָן לְךָ לְרִשְׁתָה :  
alei.k nthn l.k l.rshth.e :  
Elohim.of.you giving to.you to.to-tenant.of.her

19:3 תְּכַיֵּן לְךָ הַדְּרָךְ וְשָׁלְשָׁת וּבּוֹל אָרְצָךְ אֲשֶׁר  
thkin l.k e.drk u.shlshth ath - gbul artz.k ashr  
you-shall-prepare for.you the.way and.you-trisect > boundary.of land.of.you which

גַּנְחִילָךְ יְהוָה אֲלֹהֵיךְ וְהִיא לְוָס שָׁמָה  
inchil.k ieue alei.k u.eie l.nus shme.e  
he-shall-give-as-allotment.you Yahweh Elohim.of.you and.he-becomes to.to-flee.of there.ward

רַצֵּחַ - כָּל :  
rtzch kl :  
any.of one-being-murderer

19:4 וְהַדְּבָר הַרְצָחָה יְנוּס אֲשֶׁר שְׁמָה וְהַיִּשְׁרָאֵל אֲשֶׁר  
u.ze dbr e.rtzch yonus ash - inus shme.e u.chi ash  
and.this word.of.the.one-being-murderer who he-is-fleeing there.ward and.he-lives who

וְנִפְתָּח רְעֵהוֹ בְּכָל דָּעַת לְשָׁנָה לֹא  
ike ath - ro.eu b.bli doth u.eua la - shna l.u  
he-is-smiting > associate.of.him in.without knowledge and.he not hating to.him

מִתְמָל שְׁלִשָּׁם :  
m.thml shlshm :  
from.yesterday three-days

19:5 וְאֲשֶׁר יָבָא אֶת רְעֵהוֹ בַּיּוֹר לְחַטֵּב עַזִּים  
u.ashr iba ath - ro.eu b.ior l.chtb ozim  
and.who he-is-coming with associate.of.him in.the.wildwood to.to-chop.of trees

וְנִדְחָה יָדָיו בְּגַרְזָן לְקַרְתָּה הַעַץ נִשְׁלָה הַבְּרוּל  
u.ndche id.u b.grzn l.krth e.ozt u.nshl e.brzl  
and.she-is-impelled hand.of.him in.the.axe to.to-cut-down.of the.tree and.he-eases-off the.iron

מִן חַצֵּן וּמִצָּא אֶת רְעֵהוֹ מְמֻתָּה יְנוּס הוּא אֶל  
mn - e.ozt u.mtza ath - ro.eu u.mth eua inus al -  
from the.wooden-handle and.he-finds > associate.of.him and.he-dies he he-shall-flee to

הַלְּאָלָה הַעֲרִים אֶחָת הַלְּאָלָה וְחַי  
achth e.orim - e.ale u.chi :  
one.of the.cities the.these and.he-lives

19:6 וְרַדְפָּה פָּנָן נָאֵל הַדָּם הַרְצָחָה אַחֲרֵי יְרַבָּה כִּי  
phn - irdpf gal e.dm achri e.rtzch ki -  
lest he-is-pursuing one-redeeming.of the.blood after the.one-being-murderer that

יְחִים לְבָבוֹ הַהְשִׁיגָה יְרַבָּה כִּי הַדְּרָךְ  
ichm lbb.u u.eshig.u ki - irbe e.drk  
he-is-being-furious heart.of.him and.he-overtakes.him that he-is-being-much the.way

וְהַקְרֹבָה נְפָשׁוֹת לְלֹא אַיִן מִשְׁפָּט מְמוֹת לֹא  
u.ekr.bu nphsh u.l.u ain mshpht - muth ki la shna eua l.u  
and.he-smites.him soul and.to.him there.is.no judgment.of death that not hating he to.him

מִתְמָל שְׁלִשָּׁם :  
m.thmul shlshm :  
from.yesterday three-days

19:7 מִצְדָּקָה אֲנָכִי עַל־כֵּן לְאָמֵר שְׁלֹשׁ עָרִים תְּבִדֵּיל  
ol.kn anki mtzu.k l.amr shlsh orim thbdil l.k s  
on.so I minstructing.of.you to.to-say.of three cities you-shall-separate for.you

<sup>1</sup> When the LORD thy God hath cut off the nations, whose land the LORD thy God giveth thee, and thou succeedest them, and dwellest in their cities, and in their houses;

<sup>2</sup> Thou shalt separate three cities for thee in the midst of thy land, which the LORD thy God giveth thee to possess it.

<sup>3</sup> Thou shalt prepare thee a way, and divide the coasts of thy land, which the LORD thy God giveth thee to inherit, into three parts, that every slayer may flee thither.

<sup>4</sup> And this [is] the case of the slayer, which shall flee thither, that he may live: Whoso killeth his neighbour ignorantly, whom he hated not in time past;

<sup>5</sup> As when a man goeth into the wood with his neighbour to hew wood, and his hand fetcheth a stroke with the axe to cut down the tree, and the head slippeth from the helve, and lighteth upon his neighbour, that he die; he shall flee unto one of those cities, and live:

<sup>6</sup> Lest the avenger of the blood pursue the slayer, while his heart is hot, and overtake him, because the way is long, and slay him; whereas he [was] not worthy of death, insasmuch as he hated him not in time past.

<sup>7</sup> Wherefore I command thee, saying, Thou shalt separate three cities for

19:8 וְאִם יָרַחֵב - אֶת יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵיךְ - אֶת גּוֹלְךְ - אֶת כָּאֵשֶׁר נִשְׁבַּע נְשָׁבֵעַ  
u.am - irchib ieue aleik ath - gbl.k k.ashr nshbo  
and-if he-is-widening Yahweh Elohim-of.you > boundary-of.you as·which he-swore  
לְאָבָתֶיךְ - אֶת קָל - אֶת הָרָץ אֲשֶׁר דָּבָר לְתַתְּ  
l.abthi.k u.nthn l.k ath - kl - e.artz ashr dbr l.thth  
to.fathers-of.you and.he-gives to.you > all-of the.land which he-spoke to.to-give-of  
לְאָבָתֶיךְ :  
l.abthi.k :  
to.fathers-of.you

19:9 תְּשַׁמֵּר - כִּי אֶת כָּל - אֶת הַמְצֻוֹת - אֶת הַזָּאת הַזֹּאת לְעַשְׂתָּה אֲשֶׁר אַנְכִּי  
ki - thshmr ath - kl - e.mtzue e.zath l.oshth.e ashr anki  
that you-are-observing > all-of the.instruction the.this to.to-do-of.her which I  
מִצְעֵד מִימֵם לְאַהֲבָה לְאַהֲבָה יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵיךְ וְלַקְרֵב  
mtzu.k e.ium 1.aeb.e ath - ieue alei.k u.l.kth  
instructing-of.you the.day to.to-love-of > Yahweh Elohim-of.you and.to.to-walk-of  
בְּדַרְכֵיכְוּ כָּל קְנִים - וְיִסְפְּתָה לְקָדָע עַד שְׁלִשִּׁים עַל הַשְׁלִשִּׁים  
b.drki.u kl - e.imim u.isphth l.k oud shish orim ol e.shlsh  
in.ways-of.him all-of the.days and.you-add for.you further three cities on the.three

הָאֵלֶּה :  
e.ale :  
the.these

19:10 וְלֹא יִשְׁפַּךְ דָּם נָקִי בְּקָרְבָּן אֶרְצָה אֲשֶׁר יְהוָה אֲשֶׁר  
u.la ishpkh dm nqi b.qrb artz.k ashr ieue  
and.not he-shall-be-shed blood innocent in.within-of land.of.you which Yahweh

אֱלֹהֵיךְ נָתַן לְךָ נְחָלָה נְמִתָּה וְלִיְּכָה דְּמִים : ס  
alei.k nthn l.k nchle u.eie olik dmim : s  
Elohim.of.you giving to.you allotment and.he-becomes on.you bloods

19:11 וְקַיָּה וְיִהְיוֹ אִישׁ שָׁנָא לְרֹעֵה אִירָב לְלוּ וְקַם  
u.ki - ieie aish shna l.ro.eu u.arb l.u u.qm  
and.that he-isbc man hating to.associate.of.him and.he-ambushes for.him and.he-rises

וְהַקְרֵב עַלְיוֹ שְׁפֵשׁ נְמִתָּה וְנָס אֲחַת - אֶל הַעֲרִים הַאֲלָל :  
oli.u u.eke.u nphsh u.mth u.ns al - achth e.orim e.al :  
on.him and.he-csmites.him soul and.he-dies and.he-flees to one.of the.cities the.these

19:12 וְשָׁלַחוּ זָקְנִי עִירּוֹ וְלַקְרֵב אֲתֹה מִשְׁם מִשְׁמָה נָתַנוּ אֲתֹה  
u.shlchu zqni oir.u ulqchu ath.u m.shm u.nthnu ath.u  
and.they-send old.ones.of city.of.him and.they-take >.him from.there and.they-give >.him

בַּיד נָאֵל דָּם וְמִתְּהָ :  
b.id gal e.dm u.mth :  
in.hand.of one-redeeming.of the.blood and.he-dies

19:13 תְּחַסֵּע - לֹא עֵינֶךָ שְׁלָיו וְבָעֵר דָּם - נְקָדֵי  
la - thchus oin.k oli.u u.borth dm - e.ngi  
not she-shall-commiserate eye.of.you over.him and.you-meradicate blood.of the.innocent

מוֹשְׁרָאֵל וְטוֹב לְךָ : ס  
m-ishral u.tub l.k : s  
from.Israel and.good to.you

19:14 תְּסִיג לֹא גּוֹלֵל רַעַךְ גּוֹלְאֵשֶׁר גּוֹלְאֵשֶׁר רָאשִׁים  
la thsig gbul ro.k ashr gblu rashnim  
not you-shall-cmove boundary.of associate.of.you which they-bounded former.ones

בְּנְחַלְתֶּךָ אֲשֶׁר תְּהַנֵּל בָּאָרֶץ אֲשֶׁר יְהֹוָה אֱלֹהֵיךְ נָתַן  
b.nchlth.k ashr thnchl b.artz ashr ieue alei.k nthn  
in.allotment.of.you which you-are-being-allotted in.the.land which Yahweh Elohim.of.you giving

לְךָ לְרַשְׁתָּה : ס  
l.k 1.rshth.e : s  
to.you to.to-tenant.of.her

19:15 יְקַוֵּם - לֹא עֵד אֶחָד בָּאֵישׁ אֶחָד לְכָל עַזְוֹן - עַזְוֹן - וְלַכְלָל חַטָּאת -  
la - iqum od achd b.aish 1.kl -oun u.l.kl -chtath  
not he-shall-rise witness one in.man to.any.of depravity and.to.any.of sin

בְּכָל אֲשֶׁר יְחַטֵּא אֲשֶׁר חַטָּאת - שְׁלִשָּׁה פִּי - עַל אֹז שְׁלִשָּׁה  
b.kl - chta ashr ichta ol - phi shni odim au ol - phi shlshe -  
in.any.of sin which he-is-sinning on mouth.of two.of witnesses or on mouth.of three

thee.

8 And if the LORD thy God enlarge thy coast, as he hath sworn unto thy fathers, and give thee all the land which he promised to give unto thy fathers;

9 If thou shalt keep all these commandments to do them, which I command thee this day, to love the LORD thy God, and to walk ever in his ways; then shalt thou add three cities more for thee, beside these three:

10 That innocent blood be not shed in thy land, which the LORD thy God giveth thee [for] an inheritance, and [so] blood be upon thee.

11 But if any man hate his neighbour, and lie in wait for him, and rise up against him, and smite him mortally that he die, and fleeth into one of these cities:

12 Then the elders of his city shall send and fetch him thence, and deliver him into the hand of the avenger of blood, that he may die.

13 Thine eye shall not pity him, but thou shalt put away [the guilt of] innocent blood from Israel, that it may go well with thee.

14 . Thou shalt not remove thy neighbour's landmark, which they of old time have set in thine inheritance, which thou shalt inherit in the land that the LORD thy God giveth thee to possess it.

15 One witness shall not rise up against a man for any iniquity, or for any sin, in any sin that he sinneth: at the mouth of two witnesses, or at the mouth of three witnesses, shall the matter

be established.

**עָדִים** יְקֻם :  
 odim iqum :  
 witnesses he-shall-be-confirmed matter

19:16 כִּי יְקֻם - עַד חַמֵּס בְּאִישׁ לְנֶגֶת בְּאִישׁ סָרָה בֹּו :  
 ki - iqum od chms b·aish l·onuth b·u sre :  
 that he-is-rising witness-of wronging in-man to-to-answer-of in-him stubbornness

19:17 וְעַמְדוּ שְׂנִי הָנְגִשִּׁים אֲשֶׁר לְהַמִּלְחָמָה הַרְיבָּב לְפָנֵי יְהָוָה  
 u·omdu shni - e·anshim ashr - l·em e·rib l·phni ieu :  
 and they-stand two-of the mortals who to-them the-contention to-faces-of Yahweh

לְפָנֵי הַכְּנִים הַשְּׁפִיטִים וְיִשְׁרָאֵל בְּיָמִים הַיּוֹם :  
 l·phni e·kenim u·e·shphtim ashr ieiu b·imim e·em :  
 to-faces-of the priests and-the.ones-judging who they-shall-become in.the.days the.they

19:18 וְדָרְשָׁו הַשְּׁפִיטִים הַיּוֹם וְיִהְבָּשָׁה עַד שָׁקָר :  
 u·drshu e·shphtim eitb u·ene od shqr :  
 and.they-inquire the.ones-judging to-do-good and behold ! witness-of falsehood

דָּעַד שָׁקָר עַנְהָה בָּאָחִיו :  
 e·od shqr one b·achi.u :  
 the.witness-of falsehood he-answers in.brother-of.him

19:19 וְעַשְׂתָּם לְאַשְׁר קָאָשָׁם זָמָם לְעַשְׂתָּה לְאַחֲיו וּבְעַרְתָּה  
 u·oshithm l·u k·ashr zmm l·oshuth l·achi.u u·borth :  
 and.you(P)-do to.him as·which he-planned to.to-do-of to.brother-of.him and.you-meradicate

הַרְעָה מִקְרָבָה :  
 e·ro m·qrb·k :  
 the.evil from.within-of.you

19:20 וְהַנְּשָׁרִים יִשְׁמְעוּ וַיַּרְא אֱלֹהִים וְלֹא יַסְפֹּה וְלֹא  
 u·e·nsharim ishmou u·irau u·la - isphu :  
 and.the.ones-n-remaining they-shall-hear and.they-shall-fear and.not they-shall-proceed

לְעַשְׂתָּה עֹז כְּדָבָר הַרְעָה כְּזֶה בְּקָרְבָּה :  
 l·oshuth oud k·dbr e·ro e·ze b·qrb·k :  
 to.to-do-of further as.the.matter the.evil the.this in-within-of.you

19:21 וְלֹא תַּחֲזַע עֵינֶךָ שְׁנָא בְּשָׁנָה יָד  
 u·la thchus oin.k nphsh b·nphsh oin b·oин shn b·shn id :  
 and.not she-shall-commiserate eye-of.you soul in.soul eye in.eye tooth in.tooth hand

בְּיד רַגְל בְּרַגְל :  
 b·id rgl b·rgl : s  
 in.hand foot in.foot

16 If a false witness rise up against any man to testify against him [that which is] wrong;

17 Then both the men, between whom the controversy [is], shall stand before the LORD, before the priests and the judges, which shall be in those days;

18 And the judges shall make diligent inquisition: and, behold, [if] the witness [be] a false witness, [and] hath testified falsely against his brother;

19 Then shall ye do unto him, as he had thought to have done unto his brother: so shalt thou put the evil away from among you.

20 And those which remain shall hear, and fear, and shall henceforth commit no more any such evil among you.

21 And thine eye shall not pity; [but] life [shall go] for life, eye for eye, tooth for tooth, hand for hand, foot for foot.