

## Bo, Haftarah, January 20, 2024

Jeremiah 46:13-28

(13) The word that GOD spoke to the prophet Jeremiah about the coming of King Nebuchadrezzar of Babylon to attack the land of Egypt: (14) Declare in Egypt, proclaim in Migdol, Proclaim in Noph and Tahpanhes! Say: Take your posts and stand ready, For the sword has devoured all around you!

(15) Why are your stalwarts swept away? They did not stand firm, For GOD thrust them down; (16) Many were made to stumble, They fell over one another. They said: "Up! let us return to our people, To the land of our birth, Because of the deadly sword." (17) There they called Pharaoh king of Egypt: "Braggart who let the hour go by." (18) As I live—declares the King, Whose name is GOD of Hosts—As surely

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(יג) הַדְּבַר אֲשֶׁר דִּבֶּר יְהוָה  
אֶל־יְרֵמְיָהוּ הַנְּבִיא לְבוֹא  
נְבוּכַדְרֶאצַּר מֶלֶךְ בָּבֶל לְהַכּוֹת  
אֶת־אֶרֶץ מִצְרַיִם: (יד) הִגִּידוּ  
בְּמִצְרַיִם וְהִשְׁמִיעוּ בְּמִגְדוֹל  
וְהִשְׁמִיעוּ בְּנוֹף וּבְתַח־פְּנֵהֶם אָמְרוּ  
הַתִּיצֵב וְהִכֵּן לָךְ כִּי־אֶכְלֶה חָרֵב  
סְבִיבֶיךָ: (טו) מִדּוֹעַ נִסְחַף אַבְיֵרֶיךָ  
לֹא עָמַד כִּי יְהוָה הִדְפּוֹ: (טז)  
הַרְבֵּה כּוֹשֵׁל גַּם־נִפְּלֵ אִישׁ  
אֶל־יְרֵעֵהוּ וַיֹּאמְרוּ קוּמָה | וְנִשְׁבָּה  
אֶל־עַמֵּנוּ וְאֶל־אֶרֶץ מוֹלְדֹתֵנוּ מִפְּנֵי  
חָרֵב הַיּוֹנָה: (יז) קָרְאוּ שֵׁם פְּרַעֲה  
מֶלֶךְ־מִצְרַיִם שְׂאוֹן הָעֵבֶיר הַמוֹעֵד:  
(יח) חַי־אֲנִי נְאֻם־הַמֶּלֶךְ יְהוָה  
צָבָאוֹת שְׁמוֹ כִּי פְתָחוּר בְּהָרִים  
וּכְכַרְמֵל בַּיָּם יְבוֹא: (יט) כָּלִי גוֹלָה

as Tabor is among the  
mountains And Carmel is by the  
sea, So shall this come to pass. (19)  
Equip yourself for exile, Fair Egypt,  
you who dwell secure! For Noph  
shall become a waste, Desolate,  
without inhabitants. (20) Egypt is a  
handsome heifer—A gadfly from  
the north is coming, coming! (21)  
The mercenaries, too, in her  
midst Are like stall-fed calves; They  
too shall turn tail, Flee as one, and  
make no stand. Their day of disaster  
is upon them, The hour of their  
doom. (22) She shall rustle away like  
a snake As they come marching in  
force; They shall come against her  
with axes, Like hewers of wood. (23)  
They shall cut down her forest—  
declares GOD —Though it cannot  
be measured; For they are more  
numerous than locusts, And cannot  
be counted. (24) Fair Egypt shall be  
shamed, Handed over to the people  
of the north. (25) GOD of Hosts,  
the God of Israel, has said: I will

עֲשֵׂי לְךָ יוֹשְׁבֵת בֵּת־מִצְרַיִם כִּי־נֹף  
לְשִׁמָּה תִהְיֶה וְנִצְתָה מֵאֵין יוֹשֵׁב:  
{ס} {כ} עֲגֹלָה יִפֶּה־פִיהָ מִצְרַיִם  
קָרִיז מִצָּפוֹן בָּא בָּא: {כא}  
גַם־שֹׁכְרֵיהָ בְקִרְבָּהּ כְּעֲגֹלֵי מְרִיבָק  
כִּי־גַם־הֵמָּה הִפְנוּ נְסוּ יַחֲדָיו לֹא  
עָמְדוּ כִּי יוֹם אִיזֶם בָּא עֲלֵיהֶם עֵת  
פְּקֻדָּתָם: {כב} קוֹלָהּ כַּנְחָשׁ יִלְךָ  
כִּי־בְחַיִל יֵלְכוּ וּבְקִרְדָּמוֹת בָּאוּ לָהּ  
כַח־טְבֵי עֲצִים: {כג} כָּרְתוּ יַעֲרֶהָ  
נְאֻם־יְהוָה כִּי לֹא יִתְקַר כִּי רַבּוֹ  
מֵאַרְבֶּה וְאֵין לָהֶם מִסְפָּר: {כד}  
הַבִּישָׁה בֵּת־מִצְרַיִם נִתְנָה בְיַד  
עַם־צָפוֹן: {כה} אָמַר יְהוָה צְבָאוֹת  
אֱלֹהֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל הִנְנִי פּוֹקֵד אֶל־אֲמֹן  
מִנָּא וְעַל־פְּרַעֲהַ וְעַל־מִצְרַיִם  
וְעַל־אֱלֹהֵיהָ וְעַל־מַלְכֵיהָ וְעַל־פְּרַעֲהַ  
וְעַל הַבְּטָחִים בּוֹ: {כו} וְנִתְּתִים בְּיַד  
מִבְּקָשֵׁי נַפְשָׁם וּבְיַד נְבוּכַדְרֶאֱצַר  
מֶלֶךְ־בָּבֶל וּבְיַד־עַבְדָּיו וְאַחֲרֵי־כֵן  
תִּשְׁכַּן כִּימֵי־קֶדֶם נְאֻם־יְהוָה: {כז}

inflict punishment on Amon of No  
 and on Pharaoh—on Egypt, her  
 gods, and her kings—on Pharaoh  
 and all who rely on him. (26) I will  
 deliver them into the hands of  
 those who seek to kill them, into  
 the hands of King Nebuchadrezzar  
 of Babylon and into the hands of  
 his subjects. But afterward she shall  
 be inhabited again as in former  
 days, declares GOD. (27) But  
 you, Have no fear, My servant  
 Jacob, Be not dismayed, O Israel! I  
 will deliver you from far away, Your  
 folk from their land of  
 captivity; And Jacob again shall have  
 calm And quiet, with none to  
 trouble him. (28) But you, have no  
 fear, My servant Jacob—declares  
 GOD —For I am with you. I will  
 make an end of all the  
 nations Among which I have  
 banished you, But I will not make  
 an end of you! I will not leave you  
 unpunished, But I will chastise you  
 in measure.

(כז) וְאַתָּה אֶל־תִּירָא עֲבָדַי יַעֲקֹב  
 וְאֶל־תַּחַת יִשְׂרָאֵל כִּי הִנְנִי מוֹשְׁעֶךָ  
 מִרְחֹק וְאֶת־זִרְעֶךָ מֵאֶרֶץ שְׂבִים  
 וְשָׁב יַעֲקֹב וְשָׁקֵט וְשָׁאֲנָן וְאִין  
 מִחֲרִיד: (כח) אָתָּה אֶל־תִּירָא עֲבָדַי  
 יַעֲקֹב נְאֻם־יְהוָה כִּי אֲתָךְ אָנֹכִי כִּי  
 אֶעֱשֶׂה כָּל־הַגּוֹיִם | אֲשֶׁר  
 הִדְחַתִּיךָ לְשָׂמָה וְאֲתָךְ לֹא־אֶעֱשֶׂה  
 כָּל־הַיּוֹסֵרֶיךָ לְמִשְׁפָּט וְנִקְהָ לֹא  
 אֲנַקֶּךָ: {פ}

