

## **Resource: Translation Questions (unfoldWord)**

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### **Joel 1:1**

**Whose word came to Joel?**

The word of Yahweh came to Joel.

### **Joel 1:3**

**To whom were the elder to tell the word of Yahweh?**

They were to tell their children, and their children were to tell their children.

### **Joel 1:4**

**What happened to what the great locusts have left?**

The grasshopper has eaten what the great locusts have left.

### **Joel 1:5**

**Why will drinkers of wine wail?**

They will wail because the sweet wine has been cut off.

### **Joel 1:7**

**Into what has the enemy made the vineyard?**

He has made the vineyard into a terrifying place.

### **Joel 1:8**

**For what reason does the virgin mourn?**

The virgin mourns for the death of her young husband.

### **Joel 1:10**

**What has happened to the grain?**

The grain had been destroyed.

### **Joel 1:13**

**What has been withheld from the house of God?**

The grain offering and the drink offering have been withheld from the house of God.

### **Joel 1:15**

**When will the day of Yahweh be here?**

The day of Yahweh is almost here.

### **Joel 1:17**

**What has been broken down?**

The barns have been broken down.

### **Joel 1:18**

**Why are the herds of cattle suffering?**

The herds of cattle are suffering because they have no pasture.

### **Joel 1:19**

**To whom does Joel call?**

Joel calls to Yahweh.

### **Joel 1:20**

**For whom do the animals of the field pant?**

The animals of the field pant for Yahweh

### **Joel 2:1**

**Why should all the inhabitants of the land tremble in fear?**

They should tremble in fear, for the day of Yahweh is coming.

### **Joel 2:2**

**When has there been an army like this one?**

There has never been an army like this one, and there never will be again.

### **Joel 2:3**

**What is the land like behind the army?**

The land behind the army is a ruined wilderness.

### **Joel 2:4**

**What does the army look like and act like?**

The army looks like horses and runs like horsemen.

### **Joel 2:9**

**How does the army enter the city?**

They rush on the city, they run on the wall, they climb in houses, and they go through windows like thieves.

### **Joel 2:11**

**Whose army is this?**

This is Yahweh's army.

### **Joel 2:13**

**What two things should the people tear?**

They should tear their hearts and their garments.

### **Joel 2:13 (#2)**

**Why should the people return to Yahweh?**

He is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abundant in love, and he would like to turn from inflicting punishment.

### **Joel 2:15**

**Why should the people blow a trumpet in Zion?**

They should blow a trumpet to consecrate a fast, and to call a sacred assembly.

### **Joel 2:19**

**What had Yahweh's people been among the nations?**

Yahweh's people had been a disgrace among the nations.

### **Joel 2:21**

**Why should the land not fear?**

The land should not fear for Yahweh has done great things.

### **Joel 2:25**

**Who sent the mighty army?**

Yahweh sent the mighty army.

### **Joel 2:26-27**

**Will Yahweh ever bring shame on his people again?**

No, he will never bring shame on his people again.

### **Joel 2:28-29**

**What will happen when Yahweh pours out his Spirit?**

Their sons and your daughters will prophesy, their old men will dream dreams, and their young men will see visions.

### **Joel 2:30**

**What will Yahweh show in heavens and on the earth?**

Yahweh show wonders in heavens and on the earth.

### **Joel 2:31**

**Into what will the sun turn?**

The sun will turn into darkness.

### **Joel 2:32**

**Who will be saved at that time?**

Everyone who calls on the name of Yahweh will be saved.

### **Joel 3:2**

**Who will Yahweh bring to the Valley of Jehoshphat?**

Yahweh will bring the nations to the Valley of Jehoshphat.

### **Joel 3:2 (#2)**

**Who did the nations scatter?**

The nations scattered Yahweh's people.

### **Joel 3:4**

**At whom are Tyre, Sidon and all the regions of Philistia angry?**

Tyre, Sidon and all the regions of Philistia are angry at Yahweh.

### **Joel 3:5**

**What did Tyre, Sidon, and Philistia do with Yahweh's treasures?**

They brought his treasures into their temples.

### **Joel 3:6**

**What did Tyre, Sidon, and Philistia do to the people of Judah and Jerusalem?**

They sold the people to the Greeks in order to remove them far from their territory.

### **Joel 3:8**

**What will Yahweh do to the sons and daughters of Tyre, Sidon, and Philistia?**

Yahweh will sell their sons and daughters to the Sabeans by the hand of the people of Judah.

### **Joel 3:10**

**Into what should the nations beat their plowshares?**

They should beat their plowshares into swords.

### **Joel 3:12**

**What will Yahweh do to all surrounding nations?**

Yahweh will sit to judge all surrounding nations.

### **Joel 3:14**

**What will happen to the sun, moon, and stars?**

The sun and the moon will become dark, and the stars will keep back their brightness.

### **Joel 3:16**

**What two things will Yahweh be for his people?**

Yahweh be a shelter and a fortress for his people.

### **Joel 3:17**

**Who lives in Zion?**

Yahweh theirs God lives in Zion.

### **Joel 3:18**

**With what will the hills flow?**

The hills will flow with milk.

### **Joel 3:19**

**Who will be abandoned because of the violence  
they did to the people of Judah?**

Egypt and Edom will be abandoned.