### Isaiah

## Chapter 11

1From the root of JesSe, a [shoot] will then sprout,  
 And a flower will grow from his root.  
 2The Spirit of Jehovah will rest upon him…  
 The spirit of wisdom and understanding…  
 The spirit of purpose and strength…  
 The spirit of reverence and knowledge.  
  
3The Spirit will fill him with fear of The God,  
 And he won’t judge men by their wealth,  
 Nor scold them for the things that they’ve said.  
 4He’ll judge the case of the lowly,  
 And [give justice to] the poor of the land.  
  
He’ll strike the earth with the words from his mouth,  
 And wipe the godless away with the breath from his lips.  
 5Justice will be wrapped ‘round his waist  
 And his sides will be girdled in truth.  
  
6Then the wolf and the lamb, together will feed;  
 The leopard will nap with the kid;  
 Bulls, calves, and lions will all graze together,  
 And by a small child, they’ll be led.  
  
7Together, the ox and the bear will eat grass,  
 And together, their young ones [will play];  
 For then, the lion will eat straw like the ox.  
  
8On the burrow of an asp, an infant will play,  
 And lay his hands in a bed of young cobras.  
  
 9‘For, on My holy mountain, none will destroy,  
 Nor will they not do any harm;’  
  
 Since the earth will be filled with the knowledge of [God]  
 As the seas are covered by water.  
  
10In that day, the root of JesSe [will sprout]…  
 He’ll arise to rule [all] the nations.  
 In him, the gentiles will trust,  
 And upon him, honor will rest.  
  
11In that day, God will show the zeal of His hands  
 On behalf of the few who remain…  
 The remnants of the few who’ll return  
 From Assyria, Babylon, and Egypt,  
 As well as Ethiopia and ElAm…  
 Those who will come back from the sunrise  
 And from Arabian lands.  
  
12For He’ll raise a sign to the nations  
 And collect the IsraElites that were being destroyed…  
 He’ll gather the scattered of Judah  
 From the four [corners] of the earth.  
  
13Then, at that time, Ephraim’s envy,  
 And the enemies of Judah will all be destroyed.  
 For, Ephraim will no longer be jealous of Judah,  
 And Judah will oppress Ephraim no more.  
  
14At that time, they will all get together  
 To [attack] the Philistines that live in the west,  
 And plunder the Edomites at the sunrise.  
 MoAb will be conquered first,  
 But the sons of AmMon are first to submit.  
  
15Then the Lord will [split] Egypt’s Sea,  
 And He’ll lay His hands on their River…  
 He’ll send gales to its 7 ravines,  
 So it can be walked through in sandals.  
  
16Then, it will serve as a road for His people…  
 A path for those left behind,  
 And for those in Assyria that have yet to return.  
 Then for IsraEl, it’ll be the same as that day  
 When they first came out of Egypt.