Sunday. - Day 1 before Shabbat - Parasha Ha' Azinu - Give Ear. Deuteronomy 32:1-52.

Ha'azinu:

Deuteronomy 32:1-52.

- 1 Give ear, you heavens, and I will speak. Let the earth hear the words of my mouth.
- 2 My doctrine shall drop as the rain. My speech shall condense as the dew, as the small rain on the tender grass, as the showers on the herb.
- 3 For I will proclaim the name of YHWH! Ascribe greatness to our ELOHIM!
- 4 The Rock, his work is perfect, for all his ways are justice: an EL of faithfulness and without iniquity, just and right is he.
- 5 They have dealt corruptly with him. They are not his children, because of their defect. They are a perverse and crooked generation.
- 6 Do you thus requite YHWH, foolish people and unwise? Isn't he your father who has bought you? He has made you, and established you.
- 7 Remember the days of old. Consider the years of many generations. Ask your father, and he will show you; your elders, and they will tell you.
- 8 When the Most High gave to the nations their inheritance, when he separated the children of men, he set the bounds of the peoples according to the number of the children of Israel.
- 9 For YHWH's portion is his people. Jacob is the lot of his inheritance.
- 10 He found him in a desert land, in the waste howling wilderness. He surrounded him. He cared for him. He kept him as the apple of his eye.
- 11 As an eagle that stirs up her nest, that flutters over her young, he spread abroad his wings, he took them, he bore them on his feathers.
- 12 YHWH alone led him. There was no foreign god with him.
- 13 He made him ride on the high places of the earth. He ate the increase of the field. He caused him to suck honey out of the rock, oil out of the flinty rock;
- 14 Butter of the herd, and milk of the flock, with fat of lambs, rams of the breed of Bashan, and goats, with the finest of the wheat. Of the blood of the grape you drank wine.
- 15 But Jeshurun grew fat, and kicked. You have grown fat. You have grown thick. You have become sleek. Then he forsook ELOHIM who made him, and lightly esteemed the Rock of his salvation.
- 16 They moved him to jealousy with strange gods. They provoked him to anger with abominations.
- 17 They sacrificed to demons, not ELOHIM, to gods that they didn't know, to new gods that came up recently, which your fathers didn't dread.
- 18 Of the Rock who became your father, you are unmindful, and have forgotten EL who gave you birth.
- 19 YHWH saw and abhorred, because of the provocation of his sons and his daughters.
- 20 He said, "I will hide my face from them. I will see what their end shall be; for they are a very perverse generation, children in whom is no faithfulness.
- 21 They have moved me to jealousy with that which is not EL! They have provoked me to anger with their vanities. I will move them to jealousy with those who are not a people. I will provoke them to anger with a foolish nation.
- 22 For a fire is kindled in my anger, Burns to the lowest Sheol, Devours the earth with its increase, and sets the foundations of the mountains on fire.
- 23 "I will heap evils on them. I will spend my arrows on them.

- 24 They shall be wasted with hunger, and devoured with burning heat and bitter destruction. I will send the teeth of animals on them, With the poison of crawling things of the dust.
- 25 Outside the sword shall bereave, and in the rooms, terror; on both young man and virgin, The nursing infant with the gray-haired man.
- 26 I said, I would scatter them afar. I would make their memory to cease from among men:
- 27 were it not that I feared the provocation of the enemy, lest their adversaries should judge wrongly, lest they should say, 'Our hand is exalted, YHWH has not done all this."
- 28 For they are a nation void of counsel. There is no understanding in them.
- 29 Oh that they were wise, that they understood this, that they would consider their latter end!
- 30 How could one chase a thousand, and two put ten thousand to flight, unless their Rock had sold them, and YHWH had delivered them up?
- 31 For their rock is not as our Rock, even our enemies themselves being judges.
- 32 For their vine is of the vine of Sodom, of the fields of Gomorrah. Their grapes are grapes of gall, Their clusters are bitter.
- 33 Their wine is the poison of serpents, The cruel venom of asps.
- 34 "Isn't this laid up in store with me, sealed up among my treasures?
- 35 Vengeance is mine, and recompense, at the time when their foot slides; for the day of their calamity is at hand. The things that are to come on them shall make haste."
- 36 For YHWH will judge his people, and have compassion on his servants, when he sees that their power is gone, There is none remaining, shut up or left at large.
- 37 He will say, "Where are their gods, The rock in which they took refuge;
- 38 Which ate the fat of their sacrifices, And drank the wine of their drink offering? Let them rise up and help you! Let them be your protection.
- 39 "See now that I, even I, am he, There is no god with me. I kill, and I make alive. I wound, and I heal. There is no one who can deliver out of my hand.
- 40 For I lift up my hand to heaven, And say, As I live forever,
- 41 if I whet my glittering sword, My hand take hold on judgment; I will render vengeance to my adversaries, and will recompense those who hate me.
- 42 I will make my arrows drunk with blood. My sword shall devour flesh with the blood of the slain and the captives, from the head of the leaders of the enemy."
- 43 Rejoice, you nations, with his people, for he will avenge the blood of his servants. He will render vengeance to his adversaries, And will make expiation for his land, for his people.
- 44 Moses came and spoke all the words of this song in the ears of the people, he and Joshua the son of Nun.
- 45 Moses made an end of speaking all these words to all Israel;
- 46 He said to them, "Set your heart to all the words which I testify to you this day, which you shall command your children to observe to do, all the words of this Torah (teaching and instruction).
- 47 For it is no vain thing for you; because it is your life, and through this thing you shall prolong your days in the land, where you go over the Jordan to possess it."

48 . Moses to Die on Mount Nebo. .

YHWH spoke to Moses that same day, saving.

- 49 "Go up into this mountain of Abarim, to Mount Nebo, which is in the land of Moab, that is over against Jericho; and see the land of Canaan, which I give to the children of Israel for a possession;
- 50 and die on the mountain where you go up, and be gathered to your people, as Aaron

your brother died on Mount Hor, and was gathered to his people:

- 51 because you trespassed against me in the midst of the children of Israel at the waters of Meribah of Kadesh, in the wilderness of Zin; because you didn't sanctify me in the midst of the children of Israel.
- 52 For you shall see the land before you; but you shall not go there into the land which I give the children of Israel."

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Monday. - Day 2 before Shabbat - Parasha Ha' Azinu - Give Ear. 2 Samuel 22.

2 Samuel 22.

1 . Praise for ELOHIM's Deliverance. .

David spoke to YHWH the words of this song in the day that YHWH delivered him out of the hand of all his enemies, and out of the hand of Saul:

- 2 and he said, "YHWH is my rock, my fortress, and my deliverer, even mine;
- 3 ELOHIM, my rock, in him I will take refuge; my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my high tower, and my refuge. My savior, you save me from violence.
- 4 I will call on YHWH, who is worthy to be praised: So shall I be saved from my enemies.
- 5 For the waves of death surrounded me. The floods of ungodliness made me afraid.
- 6 The cords of Sheol were around me. The snares of death caught me.
- 7 In my distress I called on YHWH! Yes, I called to my ELOHIM! He heard my voice out of his temple. My cry came into his ears.
- 8 Then the earth shook and trembled. The foundations of heaven quaked and were shaken, because he was angry.
- 9 Smoke went up out of his nostrils. Fire out of his mouth devoured. Coals were kindled by it.
- 10 He bowed the heavens also, and came down. Thick darkness was under his feet.
- 11 He rode on a cherub, and flew. Yes, he was seen on the wings of the wind.
- 12 He made darkness pavilions around himself: gathering of waters, and thick clouds of the skies.
- 13 At the brightness before him, coals of fire were kindled.
- 14 YHWH thundered from heaven. The Most High uttered his voice.
- 15 He sent out arrows, and scattered them; lightning, and confused them.
- 16 Then the channels of the sea appeared. The foundations of the world were laid bare by the rebuke of YHWH, At the blast of the breath of his nostrils.
- 17 He sent from on high and he took me. He drew me out of many waters.
- 18 He delivered me from my strong enemy, from those who hated me, for they were too mighty for me.
- 19 They came on me in the day of my calamity, but YHWH was my support.
- 20 He also brought me out into a large place. He delivered me, because he delighted in me.
- 21 YHWH rewarded me according to my righteousness. He rewarded me according to the cleanness of my hands.
- 22 For I have kept the ways of YHWH, and have not wickedly departed from my ELOHIM!
- 23 For all his ordinances were before me. As for his statutes, I did not depart from them.
- 24 I was also perfect toward him. I kept myself from my iniquity.
- 25 Therefore YHWH has rewarded me according to my righteousness, According to my cleanness in his eyesight.
- 26 With the merciful you will show yourself merciful. With the perfect man you will show yourself perfect.
- 27 With the pure you will show yourself pure. With the crooked you will show yourself shrewd.
- 28 You will save the afflicted people, But your eyes are on the haughty, that you may bring them down.
- 29 For you are my lamp, YHWH! YHWH will light up my darkness.
- 30 For by you, I run against a troop. By my ELOHIM, I leap over a wall.

- 31 As for EL, his way is perfect. The word of YHWH is tested. He is a shield to all those who take refuge in him.
- 32 For who is EL, besides YHWH? Who is a rock, besides our ELOHIM?
- 33 ELOHIM is my strong fortress. He makes my way perfect.
- 34 He makes his feet like hinds' feet, and sets me on my high places.
- 35 He teaches my hands to war, so that my arms bend a bow of brass.
- 36 You have also given me the shield of your salvation. Your gentleness has made me great.
- 37 You have enlarged my steps under me. My feet have not slipped.
- 38 I have pursued my enemies and destroyed them. I didn't turn again until they were consumed.
- 39 I have consumed them, and struck them through, so that they can't arise. Yes, they have fallen under my feet.
- 40 For you have armed me with strength for the battle. You have subdued under me those who rose up against me.
- 41 You have also made my enemies turn their backs to me, that I might cut off those who hate me.
- 42 They looked, but there was none to save; even to YHWH, but he didn't answer them.
- 43 Then I beat them as small as the dust of the earth. I crushed them as the mire of the streets, and spread them abroad.
- 44 You also have delivered me from the strivings of my people. You have kept me to be the head of the nations. A people whom I have not known will serve me.
- 45 The foreigners will submit themselves to me. As soon as they hear of me, they will obey me.
- 46 The foreigners will fade away, and will come trembling out of their close places.
- 47 YHWH lives! Blessed be my rock! Exalted be ELOHIM, the rock of my salvation,
- 48 even the EL who executes vengeance for me, who brings down peoples under me,
- 49 who brings me away from my enemies. Yes, you lift me up above those who rise up against me. You deliver me from the violent man.
- 50 Therefore I will give thanks to you, YHWH, among the nations. Will sing praises to your name.
- 51 He gives great deliverance to his king, and shows loving kindness to his anointed, to David and to his seed, forevermore."

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Tuesday. Day 3 before Shabbat - Parasha Ha' Azinu - Give Ear. Revelation 15.

Revelation 15.

1 . Prelude to the Bowl Judgments. .

I saw another great and marvelous sign in the sky: seven angels having the seven last plagues, for in them ELOHIM's wrath is finished.

- 2 I saw something like a sea of glass mixed with fire, and those who overcame the beast, his image, and the number of his name, standing on the sea of glass, having harps of ELOHIM!
- 3 They sang the song of Moses, the servant of ELOHIM, and the song of the Lamb, saying, "Great and marvelous are your works, ADONAI ELOHIM, the Almighty! Righteous and true are your ways, you King of the nations.
- 4 Who wouldn't fear you, ADONAI, and glorify your name? For you only are holy. For all the nations will come and worship before you. For your righteous acts have been revealed."
- 5 After these things I looked, and the temple of the tabernacle of the testimony in heaven was opened.
- 6 The seven angels who had the seven plagues came out, clothed with pure, bright linen, and wearing golden sashes around their breasts.
- 7 One of the four living creatures gave to the seven angels seven golden bowls full of the wrath of ELOHIM, who lives forever and ever.
- 8 The temple was filled with smoke from the glory of ELOHIM, and from his power. No one was able to enter into the temple, until the seven plagues of the seven angels would be finished.

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Wednesday . Day 4 before Shabbat - Parasha Ha' Azinu - Give Ear. Revelation 16.

Revelation 16.

1 I heard a loud voice out of the temple, saying to the seven angels, "Go and pour out the seven bowls of the wrath of ELOHIM on the earth!"

2 . First Bowl: Loathsome Sores. .

The first went, and poured out his bowl into the earth, and it became a harmful and evil sore on the people who had the mark of the beast, and who worshiped his image.

3 . Second Bowl: The Sea Turns to Blood. .

The second angel poured out his bowl into the sea, and it became blood as of a dead man. Every living thing in the sea died.

4 . Third Bowl: The Waters Turn to Blood. .

The third poured out his bowl into the rivers and springs of water, and they became blood.

- 5 I heard the angel of the waters saying, "You are righteous, who are and who were, you Holy One, because you have judged these things.
- 6 For they poured out the blood of the holy ones and the prophets, and you have given them blood to drink. They deserve this."
- 7 I heard the altar saying, "Yes, ADONAI ELOHIM, the Almighty, true and righteous are your judgments."

8 . Fourth Bowl: Men Are Scorched. .

The fourth poured out his bowl on the sun, and it was given to him to scorch men with fire

9 People were scorched with great heat, and people blasphemed the name of ELOHIM who has the power over these plagues. They didn't repent and give him glory.

10 . Fifth Bowl: Darkness and Pain. .

The fifth poured out his bowl on the throne of the beast, and his kingdom was darkened. They gnawed their tongues because of the pain,

11 and they blasphemed the ELOHIM of heaven because of their pains and their sores. They didn't repent of their works.

. Sixth Bowl: Euphrates Dried Up. .

The sixth poured out his bowl on the great river, the Euphrates. Its water was dried up, that the way might be prepared for the kings that come from the sunrise.

- 13 I saw coming out of the mouth of the dragon, and out of the mouth of the beast, and out of the mouth of the false prophet, three unclean spirits, something like frogs;
- 14 for they are spirits of demons, performing signs; which go forth to the kings of the whole inhabited earth, to gather them together for the war of that great day of ELOHIM, the Almighty.
- 15 "Behold, I come like a thief. Blessed is he who watches, and keeps his clothes, so that

he doesn't walk naked, and they see his shame."

16 He gathered them together into the place which is called in Hebrew, Har-Megiddo.

. Seventh Bowl: The Earth Utterly Shaken. .

The seventh poured out his bowl into the air. A loud voice came forth out of the temple of heaven, from the throne, saying, "It is done!"

- 18 There were lightnings, sounds, and thunders; and there was a great earthquake, such as was not since there were men on the earth, so great an earthquake, so mighty.
- 19 The great city was divided into three parts, and the cities of the nations fell. Babylon the great was remembered in the sight of ELOHIM, to give to her the cup of the wine of the fierceness of his wrath.
- 20 Every island fled away, and the mountains were not found.
- 21 Great hailstones, about the weight of a talent, came down out of the sky on people. People blasphemed ELOHIM because of the plague of the hail, for this plague is exceedingly severe.

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Thursday - . Day 5 before Shabbat - Parasha Ha' Azinu - Give Ear.

Revelation 17.

Revelation 17.

. The Scarlet Woman and the Scarlet Beast. .

One of the seven angels who had the seven bowls came and spoke with me, saying, "Come here. I will show you the judgment of the great prostitute who sits on many waters.

- 2 with whom the kings of the earth committed sexual immorality, and those who dwell in the earth were made drunken with the wine of her sexual immorality."
- 3 He carried me away in the Spirit into a wilderness. I saw a woman sitting on a scarlet-colored animal, full of blasphemous names, having seven heads and ten horns.
- 4 The woman was dressed in purple and scarlet, and decked with gold and precious stones and pearls, having in her hand a golden cup full of abominations and the impurities of the sexual immorality of the earth.
- 5 And on her forehead a name was written, "MYSTERY, BABYLON THE GREAT, THE MOTHER OF THE PROSTITUTES AND OF THE ABOMINATIONS OF THE EARTH!"
- 6 I saw the woman drunken with the blood of the holy ones, and with the blood of the martyrs of YESHUA! When I saw her, I wondered with great amazement.

7 . The Meaning of the Woman and the Beast. .

The angel said to me, "Why do you wonder? I will tell you the mystery of the woman, and of the beast that carries her, which has the seven heads and the ten horns.

- 8 The beast that you saw was, and is not; and is about to come up out of the abyss and to go into destruction. Those who dwell on the earth and whose names have not been written in the book of life from the foundation of the world will marvel when they see that the beast was, and is not, and shall be present.
- 9 Here is the mind that has wisdom. The seven heads are seven mountains, on which the woman sits.
- 10 They are seven kings. Five have fallen, the one is, the other has not yet come. When he comes, he must continue a little while.
- 11 The beast that was, and is not, is himself also an eighth, and is of the seven; and he goes to destruction.
- 12 The ten horns that you saw are ten kings who have received no kingdom as yet, but they receive authority as kings, with the beast, for one hour.
- 13 These have one mind, and they give their power and authority to the beast.
- 14 These will war against the Lamb, and the Lamb will overcome them, for he is Master of masters, and King of kings. They also will overcome who are with him, called and chosen and faithful."
- 15 He said to me, "The waters which you saw, where the prostitute sits, are peoples, multitudes, nations, and languages.
- 16 The ten horns which you saw, and the beast, these will hate the prostitute, and will make her desolate, and will make her naked, and will eat her flesh, and will burn her utterly with fire.
- 17 For ELOHIM has put in their hearts to do what he has in mind, and to be of one mind, and to give their kingdom to the beast, until the words of ELOHIM should be accomplished.
- 18 The woman whom you saw is the great city, which reigns over the kings of the earth."

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Friday - . Day 6 before Shabbat - Parasha Ha' Azinu - Give Ear. Revelation 18.

Revelation 18.

1 . The Fall of Babylon the Great. .

After these things, I saw another angel coming down out of the sky, having great authority. The earth was illuminated with his glory.

- 2 He cried with a mighty voice, saying, "Fallen, fallen is Babylon the great, and she has become a habitation of demons, a prison of every unclean spirit, and a prison of every unclean and hateful bird!
- 3 For all the nations have drunk of the wine of the wrath of her sexual immorality, the kings of the earth committed sexual immorality with her, and the merchants of the earth grew rich from the abundance of her luxury."
- 4 I heard another voice from heaven, saying, "Come out of her, my people, that you have no participation in her sins, and that you don't receive of her plagues,
- 5 for her sins have reached to the sky, and ELOHIM has remembered her iniquities.
- 6 Return to her just as she returned, and repay her double as she did, and according to her works. In the cup which she mixed, mix to her double.
- 7 However much she glorified herself, and grew wanton, so much give her of torment and mourning. For she says in her heart, 'I sit a queen, and am no widow, and will in no way see mourning.'
- 8 Therefore in one day her plagues will come: death, mourning, and famine; and she will be utterly burned with fire; for ADONAI ELOHIM who has judged her is strong.

9 . The World Mourns Babylon's Fall. .

The kings of the earth, who committed sexual immorality and lived wantonly with her, will weep and wail over her, when they look at the smoke of her burning,

- 10 standing far away for the fear of her torment, saying, 'Woe, woe, the great city, Babylon, the strong city! For your judgment has come in one hour.'
- 11 The merchants of the earth weep and mourn over her, for no one buys their merchandise any more;
- 12 merchandise of gold, silver, precious stones, pearls, fine linen, purple, silk, scarlet, all expensive wood, every vessel of ivory, every vessel made of most precious wood, and of brass, and iron, and marble;
- 13 and cinnamon, incense, perfume, frankincense, wine, olive oil, fine flour, wheat, sheep, horses, chariots, and people's bodies and souls.
- 14 The fruits which your soul lusted after have been lost to you, and all things that were dainty and sumptuous have perished from you, and you will find them no more at all.
- 15 The merchants of these things, who were made rich by her, will stand far away for the fear of her torment, weeping and mourning;
- 16 saying, 'Woe, woe, the great city, she who was dressed in fine linen, purple, and scarlet, and decked with gold and precious stones and pearls!
- 17 For in an hour such great riches are made desolate. Every shipmaster, and everyone who sails anywhere, and mariners, and as many as gain their living by sea, stood far away.
- 18 and cried out as they looked at the smoke of her burning, saying, 'What is like the great city?'
- 19 They cast dust on their heads, and cried, weeping and mourning, saying, 'Woe, woe, the great city, in which all who had their ships in the sea were made rich by reason of her

great wealth!' For in one hour is she made desolate.

20 "Rejoice over her, O heaven, you holy ones, emissaries, and prophets; for ELOHIM has judged your judgment on her."

<u>. Finality of Babylon's Fall.</u>

A mighty angel took up a stone like a great millstone and cast it into the sea, saying, "Thus with violence will Babylon, the great city, be thrown down, and will be found no more at all.

- 22 The voice of harpists, minstrels, flute players, and trumpeters will be heard no more at all in you. No craftsman, of whatever craft, will be found any more at all in you. The sound of a mill will be heard no more at all in you.
- 23 The light of a lamp will shine no more at all in you. The voice of the bridegroom and of the bride will be heard no more at all in you; for your merchants were the princes of the earth; for with your sorcery all the nations were deceived.
- 24 In her was found the blood of prophets and of holy ones, and of all who have been slain on the earth."

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Saturday - Shabbat - Parasha Ha' Azinu - Give Ear.

. Moses to Die on Mount Nebo. .

YHWH spoke to Moses that same day, saying,

- 49 "Go up into this mountain of Abarim, to Mount Nebo, which is in the land of Moab, that is over against Jericho; and see the land of Canaan, which I give to the children of Israel for a possession;
- 50 and die on the mountain where you go up, and be gathered to your people, as Aaron your brother died on Mount Hor, and was gathered to his people:
- 51 because you trespassed against me in the midst of the children of Israel at the waters of Meribah of Kadesh, in the wilderness of Zin; because you didn't sanctify me in the midst of the children of Israel.
- 52 For you shall see the land before you; but you shall not go there into the land which I give the children of Israel."

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