

Exo 22:25-24:18 triennial *Imkeseftalveh* summary

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2B.2) 23:32-33 {p} YOU SHALL MAKE NO COVENANT with them, nor **WITH THEIR GODS**. They shall not dwell in your land--lest they make you sin against Me, for you will **SERVE THEIR GODS**--for they will be a snare to you;

2A) 24:1-18 ISRAEL MADE A COVENANT WITH YHVH TO WALK IN HIS WAYS.

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1A) 22:25-23:19 THE COMMANDMENTS OF YHVH WHICH EXPLAIN HIS WAY OF WALKING;

1a.1) 22:25-27 {s} If you lend money to any of My people, **even to the poor with you**, you shall not be to him as a creditor; neither shall you lay interest on him. If you at all take your neighbour’s garment in pledge, you shall restore it to him by the going down of the sun; for that is his only covering, it is his garment for his skin; within what shall he sleep? And it shall come to pass, when he cries to Me, that I will hear; for I am gracious;

1a.2) 22:28 You shall not revile God, nor curse a ruler of your people;

1a.3) 22:29-30 You shall not delay to offer of the fulness of your harvest, and of the outflow of your presses. The firstborn of your sons you shall give to Me. Likewise you shall do with your oxen, and with your sheep; seven days it shall be with its mother; on the eighth day you shall give it to Me;

1a.4) 22:31 {s} And **you shall be holy men to Me**; therefore you shall not eat any flesh that is torn by beasts in the field; you shall cast it to the dogs;

1b.1) 23:1a You shall not utter **a false report**;

1b.2) 23:1b-2 Nor put your hand with the wicked to be an unrighteous witness. You shall not follow a multitude to do evil; **neither shall you** bear witness in a cause to turn aside after a multitude to **pervert justice**;

1c) 23:3 {s} **Neither shall you favor a poor man in his cause**;

central axis) 23:4-5 {s+s} **If you meet your enemy's ox or his donkey going astray, you shall surely bring it back to him again. If you see the donkey of him that hates you lying under its burden, you shall forbear to pass by him; you shall surely release it with him**;

2c) 23:6 **You shall not subvert the judgment of your poor in his cause**;

2b.1) 23:7a Keep far from you **a false matter**;

2b.2) 23:7b-9 You shall take no bribe, for **it perverts the words of the righteous**;

1a) 23:7b And **the innocent and righteous do not slay**; for I will not justify the wicked;

central axis) 23:8 **And you shall take no bribe; for a bribe blinds those who have sight, and perverts the words of the righteous**;

2a) 23:9 And **a stranger you shall not oppress**; for you know the heart of a stranger, seeing you were strangers in the land of Egypt;

2a.1) 23:10-12 The Sabbatical year **provides for the poor**;

1a) 23:10-11a And **six years you shall sow your land**, and gather in its increase; **but the seventh year you shall let it rest** and lie fallow;

1b) 23:11b **That the poor of your people may eat**; and what they leave the beast of the field shall eat. In like manner you shall deal with your vineyard, and with your oliveyard;

2a) 23:12a **Six days you shall do your work, but on the seventh day you shall rest**;

2b) 23:12b **That your ox and your donkey may have rest**, and the son of your handmaid, and the stranger, may be refreshed;

2a.2) 23:13 And in all things that I have said to you take heed; and **make no mention of the name of other gods**, neither let it be heard out of your mouth;

2a.3) 23:14-19a Three times you shall keep a feast to Me in the year. The feast of unleavened bread you shall keep; seven days you shall eat unleavened bread, as I commanded you, at the time appointed in the month of Abib--for in it you came out from Egypt; and **none shall appear before Me empty**; and the feast of harvest, the firstfruits of your labors, which you sow in the field; and the feast of ingathering, at the end of the year, when you gather in your labors out of the field. Three times in the year all your males shall appear before the Lord YHVH. You shall not offer the blood of My sacrifice with leavened bread; neither shall the fat of My feast remain all night until the morning. **The**

choicest firstfruits of your land you shall bring into the house of YHVH your God;

2a.4) 23:19b {p} You shall not boil a kid in its mother's milk.

1B.1) 23:20-23 I WILL SEND MY ANGEL BEFORE YOU;

1a) 23:20 Behold, **I send an angel before you**, to keep you by the way, and **to bring you into the place which I have prepared;**

1b) 23:21a Take heed of him, and **hearken to his voice;** do not be rebellious against him;

central axis) 23:21b For he will not pardon your transgression; for **My name is in him;**

2b) 23:22 But if you shall indeed **hearken to his voice**, and do all that I speak; then I will be an enemy to your enemies, and an adversary to your adversaries;

2a) 23:23 For **My angel shall go before you**, and **bring you in to** the Amorite, and the **Hittite**, and the Perizzite, and the **Canaanite**, the **Hivite**, and the Jebusite; and I will cut them off;

1B.2) 23:24-25a YOU SHALL NOT BOW DOWN TO THEIR GODS NOR SERVE THEM;

1a) 23:24a You shall not bow down to their gods, nor serve them;

1b) 23:24b Nor do after **their doings;**

central axis) 23:24c But you shall utterly overthrow them;

2b) 23:24d And break in pieces **their pillars;**

2a) 23:25a And **you shall serve YHVH your God;**

CENTRAL AXIS) 23:25b-26 AND HE WILL BLESS YOUR BREAD, AND YOUR WATER; AND I WILL TAKE SICKNESS AWAY FROM YOUR MIDST. {s} 26 NONE SHALL MISCARRY, NOR BE BARREN, IN YOUR LAND; THE NUMBER OF YOUR DAYS I WILL FULFILL;

2B.1) 23:27-31 I WILL SEND MY TERROR and the hornet **BEFORE YOU;**

1a) 23:27a I will send **My terror before you**, and will discomfit all the people to whom you shall come;

central axis) 23:27b And I will make all your enemies turn their backs to you;

2a) 23:28-31 I will send the hornet before you;

1a) 23:28a And **I will send the hornet before you;**

1b) 23:28b Which shall drive out;

1c) 23:28c The **Hivite**, the **Canaanite**, and the **Hittite**, **from before you;**

1d) 23:29-30b Lest the land become desolate;

1a) 23:29a I will not drive them out from before you;

1b) 23:29b In one year;

central axis) 23:29c Lest the land become desolate, and the
beasts of the field multiply against you;

2b) 23:30a By little and little;

2a) 23:30b I will drive them out from before you;

2d) 23:30c-31a Until you are increased to inherit the land;

1a) 23:30c Until you are increased;

central axis) 23:30d And inherit the land;

2a) 23:31a And I will set your border from the Red Sea even to the sea
of the Philistines, and from the wilderness to the River;

2c) 23:31b For I will deliver *the inhabitants of the land* into your
hand;

2b) 23:31c And *you shall drive them out*;

2a) 23:31d *Before you*;

2B.2) 23:32-33 {p} **YOU SHALL MAKE NO COVENANT** with them, nor
WITH THEIR GODS. They shall not dwell in your land--lest they make you sin
against Me, for you will **SERVE THEIR GODS**--for they will be a snare to you;

2A) 24:1-18 **ISRAEL MADE A COVENANT WITH YHVH TO WALK IN HIS
WAYS**;

1a) 24:1-9 **Moses went up with Aaron, Nadab, Abihu, and the seventy
elders of Israel**;

1a) 24:1-2 And to Moses He said: *Come up to YHVH, you, and Aaron,
Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel*; and
worship afar off; and Moses alone shall come near to YHVH; but they
shall not come near; neither shall the people go up with him;

1b) 24:3a And Moses came and told the people *all the words of YHVH*,
and all the ordinances;

1c) 24:3b-4a And all the people answered with one voice, and said: *All the
words which YHVH has spoken will we do*. And *Moses wrote
all the words of YHVH*;

central axis) 24:4b-5 *And rose up early in the morning, and built
an altar under the mount, and twelve pillars, according to the
twelve tribes of Israel. And he sent the young men of the
children of Israel, who offered burnt offerings, and sacrificed
peace offerings of oxen to YHVH*;

2c) 24:6-8b *Moses read all the words of YHVH*/ The people said: *All
that YHVH has spoken we will do*;

1a.1) 24:6 And **Moses took half of the blood**, and put it in basins; and
half of the blood he dashed against the altar;

1a.2) 24:7a And he took the **book of the covenant**;

central axis) 24:7b And **read** in the hearing of the people; and they said: **All that YHVH has spoken will we do, and obey;**

2a.1) 24:8a And **Moses took the blood**, and sprinkled it on the people, and said;

2a.2) 24:8b Behold the **blood of the covenant**, which YHVH has made with you;

2b) 24:8c In agreement with **all these words**;

2a) 24:9 Then **Moses went up, and Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel**;

1b) 24:10a And **they saw the God Elohiym of Israel**;

central axis) 24:10b And there was under His feet the likeness of a paved work of sapphire stone, and the likeness of the very heaven for clearness;

2b) 24:11 {s} And on the nobles of the children of Israel He laid not His hand; and **they beheld God**, and did eat and drink;

2a) 24:12-18 {p} **Moses went up with Joshua**;

1a) 24:12-15a Moses called to **come up into the mount** to God;

1a) 24:12-13 **Come up to Me into the mount/ Moses went up**;

1A) 24:12A And YHVH said to Moses: **COME UP TO ME INTO THE MOUNT** and be there;

CENTRAL AXIS) 24:12B **AND I WILL GIVE YOU THE TABLES OF STONE, AND THE LAW AND THE COMMANDMENT, WHICH I HAVE WRITTEN, THAT YOU MAY TEACH THEM**;

2A) 24:13 And Moses rose up, and Joshua his minister; and **MOSES WENT UP INTO THE MOUNT** of God;

central axis) 24:14 And to the elders he said: **Wait here for us, until we come back to you; and, behold, Aaron and Hur are with you; whosoever has a cause, let him come near to them**;

2a) 24:15a And **Moses went up into the mount**;

1b) 24:15b And **the cloud** covered the mount;

1c) 24:16a And the **glory of YHVH** abode on mount Sinai;

central axis) 24:16b And **the cloud covered it six days; and the seventh day He called to Moses out of the midst of the cloud**;

2c) 24:17 And the appearance of the **glory of YHVH** was like devouring fire on the top of the mount in the eyes of the children of Israel;

2b) 24:18a And Moses entered into the midst of **the cloud**;

2a) 24:18b {p} And **went up into the mount**; and Moses was in the mount forty days and forty nights.