

{23} Isaiah

King James Version

(23) Then the moon shall be confounded, and the sun ashamed, when the LORD of hosts shall reign in mount Zion, and in Jerusalem, and before his ancients gloriously.

**Chapter 25**

(1) O LORD, thou *art* my God; I will exalt thee, I will praise thy name; for thou hast done wonderful *things*; *thy* counsels of old *are* faithfulness *and* truth.

(2) For thou hast made of a city an heap; *of* a defenced city a ruin: a palace of strangers to be no city; it shall never be built.

(3) Therefore shall the strong people glorify thee, the city of the terrible nations shall fear thee.

(4) For thou hast been a strength to the poor, a strength to the needy in his distress, a refuge from the storm, a shadow from the heat, when the blast of the terrible ones *is* as a storm *against* the wall.

(5) Thou shalt bring down the noise of strangers, as the heat in a dry place; *even* the heat with the shadow of a cloud: the branch of the terrible ones shall be brought low.

(6) And in this mountain shall the LORD of hosts make unto all people a feast of fat things, a feast of wines on the lees, of fat things full of marrow, of wines on the lees well refined.

King James Paraphrase

(23) Then the moon will be confounded, and the sun ashamed, when the LORD {Jehovah} of hosts {armies; multitudes} will reign in mount Zion, and in Jerusalem, and before His elders gloriously.<sup>a</sup>

**Chapter 25**

(1) O LORD {Jehovah}, You *are* my God; I will exalt You, I will praise Your Name; because You have done wonderful *things*; *Your* counsels of old *are* faithfulness *and* truth.

(2) Because You have made a city a pile of trash; *of* a defenced city a ruin: a palace of strangers to be no city; it will never be built.

(3) Therefore the strong people will glorify You, the city of the terrible nations will fear You.

(4) Because You have been a strength to the poor, a strength to the needy in his distress, a refuge from the storm, a shadow from the heat, when the blast of the terrible ones *is* as a storm *against* the wall.

(5) You will bring down the noise of strangers, as the heat in a dry place; *even* the heat with the shadow of a cloud: the branch of the terrible ones will be brought low.

(6) And in this mountain the LORD {Jehovah} of hosts {armies; multitudes} will make a feast to all people of fat things, a feast of fine wines, of juicy fat things, of fine wines well refined.

24:23a - Is. 13:10; Mat. 24:10; Luke 21:25; Rev. 16:16 - see note on I Cor. 1:8

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(7) And he will destroy in this mountain the face of the covering cast over all people, and the vail that is spread over all nations.  
(8) He will swallow up death in victory; and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from off all faces; and the rebuke of his people shall he take away from off all the earth: for the LORD hath spoken *it*.  
(9) And it shall be said in that day, Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, and he will save us: this is the LORD; we have waited for him, we will be glad and rejoice in his salvation.  
(10) For in this mountain shall the hand of the LORD rest, and Moab shall be trodden down under him, even as straw is trodden down for the dunghill.  
(11) And he shall spread forth his hands in the midst of them, as he that swimmeth spreadeth forth *his hands* to swim: and he shall bring down their pride together with the spoils of their hands.  
(12) And the fortress of the high fort of thy walls shall he bring down, lay low, *and* bring to the ground, *even* to the dust.

(7) And He will destroy in this mountain the face of the covering cast over all people, and the curtain that is spread over all nations.  
(8) He will swallow up death in victory;<sup>a</sup> and the Lord GOD {Jehovah} will wipe away tears from off all faces;<sup>b</sup> and the rebuke of His people He will take away from off all the earth: because the LORD {Jehovah} has spoken *it*.  
(9) And it will be said in that day, Look, this is our God; we have waited for Him, and He will save us: this is the LORD {Jehovah}; we have waited for Him, we will be glad and rejoice in His salvation.<sup>c</sup>  
(10) Because in this mountain the hand of the LORD {Jehovah} will rest, and Moab will be trodden down under Him, even as straw is trodden down for the dunghill.  
(11) And He will spread forth His hands in the midst of them, as he who swims spreads forth *his hands* to swim: and He will bring down their pride together with the spoils of their hands.  
(12) And the fortress of the high fort of your walls He will bring down, lay low, *and* bring to the ground, *even* to the dust.

25:8a - death swallowed up in victory - I Cor. 15:55  
25:8b - Rev. 21:4 - God shall wipe away their tears  
25:9c - Jer. 31:34 - know the Lord