## Joel 3

King James Version (KJV)

## Joel = Yahoveh is God

- **3** For, behold, <u>in those days</u>, and in that time, when I shall bring again the captivity of Judah and Jerusalem, (Just before the Lord's Day, in the end times, when antichrist is here)
- <sup>2</sup>I will also gather all nations, and will bring them down into the <u>valley of Jehoshaphat</u>, and will plead with them there for my people and for my heritage Israel, whom they have scattered among the nations, and parted my land. (Jehoshaphat means Yahoveh has judged. This is between the Mount of Olives and the East Gate of Jerusalem; where the brook Kidron runs. It is also close to the valley of Hinon, where Gihenna is; which is used as an example of hell)
- <sup>3</sup> And they have cast lots for my people; and have given a boy for an harlot, and sold a girl for wine, that they might drink. (Overtaxed and enslaved through fake religion, corrupt government and one-worldism) (They have abused God's people for their own pleasures)
- <sup>4</sup>Yea, and what have ye to do with me, O Tyre, and Zidon, and all the coasts of Palestine? will ye render me a recompence? and if ye recompense me, swiftly and speedily will I return your recompence upon your own head; (Tyre, a rock island in the Med, was a Kenite center and stronghold of commerce of goods and slavery. Zidon supplied Tyre with food and materials)

(God says to Tyre – What have I done to you that you feel you can correct me? I will judge you for your judgment of Me, and justice will come swiftly down upon you. They are going to get what they deserve)

- <sup>5</sup> Because ye have taken my silver and my gold, and have carried into your temples my goodly pleasant things: (They have robbed and hijacked the worship of God, with traditions on men and false teaching)
- The children also of Judah and the children of Jerusalem have ye sold unto the Grecians, that ye might remove them far from their border. (They infiltrated the 12 tribes in the Promised Land and brought in idolatry, usury and corruption. This later led Israel to be taken by the Assyrians and then scattered over the Caucasus Mountains into Europe

- and America where we became known as Caucasians. 200 years later, they also caused Judah and Benjamin to be taken by Babylon and then scattered into Europe)
- <sup>7</sup>Behold, I will raise them out of the place whither ye have sold them, and will return your recompence upon your own head: (On the Lord's Day) 2Peter-3:7-8 (The Lords Day is the Millennium 1000 years)
- \*And I will sell your sons and your daughters into the hand of the children of Judah, and they shall sell them to the Sabeans, to a people far off: for the LORD hath spoken it.
- Proclaim ye this among the Gentiles; Prepare war, wake up the mighty men, let all the men of war draw near; let them come up: (Gentiles = the nations heathen nations of that time; these are the ethnic peoples of the world) (God will fight that battle Himself at Armageddon, against the heathen peoples; when they come up to destroy the Christian nations)
- <sup>10</sup> Beat your plowshares into swords and your pruninghooks into spears: let the weak say, I am strong. (Heathen with puffed up egos who trust in their weapons)
- <sup>11</sup> Assemble yourselves, and come, all ye heathen, and gather yourselves together round about: thither cause thy mighty ones to come down, O LORD. (This will be Armageddon and Haman-Gog) see Ezekiel-38
- <sup>12</sup>Let the heathen be wakened, and come up to the valley of <u>Jehoshaphat</u>: for there will I sit to judge all the heathen round about. (Jehoshaphat= Yahoveh has judged) (God will show them that there is a God in heaven)
- <sup>13</sup> Put ye in the sickle, for the harvest is ripe: come, get you down; for the press is full, the fats overflow; for their wickedness is great. Revelation-14:19 (Sickles will be used to harvest grapes, instead of grain; A sickle will destroy the grapes; this is symbolic for destruction of the wicked. God's angels will harvest them with sickles. The winepress is full the world is full of evil; the juice overflows the vats)
- <sup>14</sup> Multitudes, multitudes in the valley of decision: for the day of the LORD is near in the valley of decision. (Decision whether or not to return to God or to fight against Him)

- <sup>15</sup>The sun and the moon shall be darkened, and the stars shall withdraw their shining. (Spiritual darkness all over the world because of antichrist's false teaching and deception)
- <sup>16</sup> The LORD also shall roar out of Zion, and utter his voice from Jerusalem; and the heavens and the earth shall shake: but the LORD will be the hope of his people, and the strength of the children of Israel. (God will shake the heavens and the earth one last time; judgment time and the end of antichrist and his minions. Jesus will return to the world as King of kings, Lord of lords)
- <sup>17</sup> So shall ye know that I am the LORD your God dwelling in Zion, my holy mountain: then shall Jerusalem be holy, and there shall no strangers pass through her any more. (strangers = heathen or foreigners)
- <sup>18</sup> And it shall come to pass in that day, that the mountains shall drop down new wine, and the hills shall flow with milk, and all the rivers of Judah shall flow with waters, and a fountain shall come forth out of the house of the LORD, and shall water the valley of Shittim. See Ezekiel-40 -> END (That is the Millennium period 1000 years with Jesus Christ as King of kings, Lord of lords) (The devil is thrown into the pit for that 1000 years, while all people are educated in God's Word)
- <sup>19</sup> Egypt shall be a desolation, and Edom shall be a desolate wilderness, for the violence against the children of Judah, because they have shed innocent blood in their land. (Recompense to the muslim nations for their abuse of Christians over the centuries)
- <sup>20</sup> But Judah shall dwell for ever, and Jerusalem from generation to generation. (This is in the 3<sup>rd</sup> age the Eternity, which comes after the Millennium)
- <sup>21</sup> For I will cleanse their blood that I have not cleansed: for the LORD dwelleth in Zion. (God will remove all guilt and sadness)