

Zephaniah 1:12· **And it must occur at that time that I shall carefully search Jerusalem with lamps, and I will give attention to the men¹ who are congealing upon their dregs and who are saying in their heart, Yehowah will not do good, and he will not do bad.**

Footnote: The men Hebrew, *ha-ʿana-shim*, plural of *ʿish*

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- For the true God himself **will** bring every sort of work into the judgment in relation to every hidden thing, as to whether it is **good** or bad. (**Ecclesiastes 12:14**)
- For, look! Yehowah is coming forth from his place to call to account the error of the inhabitant of the land against him, and the land **will** certainly expose her bloodshed and **will** no longer cover over her killed ones. (**Isaiah 26:21**)
- If they dig down into Sheol, from there my own hand **will** take them, and if they go up to the heavens, from there I shall bring them down. (**Amos 9:2**)
- And there is not a creation that is not manifest to his sight, but all things are naked and openly exposed to the eyes of him with whom we have an accounting. (**Hebrews 4:13**)
- And her children I **will** kill with deadly plague, so that all the congregations **will** know that I am he who searches the kidneys and **hearts**, and I **will give** to **YOU** individually according to **YOUR** deeds. (**Revelation 2:23**)
- Come, **men!** Let me take some wine, and let us drink intoxicating liquor to the limit. And tomorrow **will** certainly turn out just as today, great in a very much larger way. (**Isaiah 56:12**)
- The Moabites have been at ease since their youth, and they are keeping undisturbed on their **dregs**. And they have not been emptied from one vessel into another vessel, and into exile they have not gone. That is why their taste has stood still within them, and their very scent has not been changed. (**Jeremiah 48:11**)
- Why is it that the wicked one has disrespected God? He has said in his **heart**; You **will** not require an accounting. (**Psalms 10:13**)

- **The senseless one has said in his heart; There is no Yehowah. They have acted ruinously, they have acted detestably in their dealing. There is no one doing good. (Psalms 14:1)**
- **And they keep saying; Yah does not see, and the God of Jacob does not understand it. (Psalms 94:7)**
- **And saying; Where is this promised presence of his? Why, from the day our forefathers fell asleep in death, all things are continuing exactly as from creation's beginning. (2 Peter 3:4)**
- **The wicked one according to his superciliousness makes no search, all his ideas are; There is no God. (Psalms 10:4)**
- **God will hear and answer them, even He that is sitting enthroned as in the past. Those with whom there are no changings and who have not feared God. (Psalms 55:19)**
- **And they have said; How has God come to know? And does there exist knowledge in the Most High? (Psalms 73:11)**
- **And when you will say in your heart; Why is it that these things have befallen me? Because of the abundance of your error your skirts have been taken off as a cover, your heels have been treated violently. (Jeremiah 13:22)**
- **You have said, It is of no value to serve God. And what profit is there in that we have kept the obligation to him, and that we have walked dejectedly on account of Yehowah of armies? (Malachi 3:14)**