Fightesians 2:12. You were at that particular time without Christ, alienated from the state of Israel and strangers to the covenants of the promise, and you had no hope and were without God in the world. 1

Footnote: In the world Greek, en toi ko'smoi; J¹⁷, ²²(Hebrew), ba·`oh·lam'

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- While they are in darkness mentally, and alienated from the life that belongs to God, because of the ignorance that is in them, because of the insensibility of their hearts. (Ephesians 4:18)
- Indeed, You who were once alienated and enemies because YOUR minds were on the works that were wicked. (Colossians 1:21)
- Who, as such, are Israelites, to whom belong the adoption as sons and the glory and the covenants and the giving of the Law and the sacred service and the promises. (Romans 9:4)
- Moreover, brothers, we do not want you to be ignorant concerning those who are sleeping in death, that you may not sorrow just as the rest also do who have no hope. (1 Thessalonians 4:13)
- I have let myself be searched for by those who had not asked for me. I have let myself be found by those who had not looked for me. I have said, Here I am, here I am! To a nation that was not calling upon my name. (Isaiah 65:1)
- And Yehowah went on to say to Moses and Aaron; This is the statute of the Passover; No foreigner may eat of it. (Exodus 12:43)
- And your own sisters, Sodom and her dependent towns, will return to their former state, and Samaria and her dependent towns will return to their former state, and you yourself and your own dependent towns will return to YOUR former state. (Ezekiel 16:55)
- But he began by saying to her; First let the children be satisfied, for it is not right to take the bread of the children and throw it to the little dogs. (Mark 7:27)

- For instance, all those who sinned without Law will also perish without law, but all those who sinned under Law will be judged by Law. (Romans 2:12)
- Through whom also we have gained our approach by faith into this undeserved kindness in which we now stand, and let us exult, based on hope of the glory of God. (Romans 5:2)
- It is as he says also in Hosea; Those not my people I will call my people, and her who was not beloved beloved. (Romans 9:25)
- For just as you were once disobedient to God but have now been shown mercy because of their disobedience. (Romans 11:30)
- You know that when you were people of the nations, you were being led away to those voiceless idols just as you happened to be led. (1 Corinthians 12:2)
- We who are Jews by nature, and not sinners from the nations.
 (Galatians 2:15)
- Nevertheless, when you did not know God, then it was that you slaved for those who by nature are not gods. (Galatians 4:8)
- For he is our peace, he who made the two parties one and destroyed the wall in between that fenced them off. (Ephesians 2:14)
- Certainly, therefore, you are no longer strangers and alien residents, but you are fellow citizens of the holy ones and are members of the household of God. (Ephesians 2:19)