

### ~DERIDING (34)

[English, ridiculing, scoffing, putting down, disparaging, mocking, scornful, disdaining, knocking, Opposite of, **approving**]

- Through runners Hezekiah invited all Israel to celebrate the Passover in Jerusalem, but they **derided** them and spoke in mockery of them, only Asher, Manasseh and Zebulun came to Jerusalem.
- So the runners continued on, passing along from city to city throughout the land of Ephraim and Manasseh, even to Zebulun, but they were continually speaking in mockery of them and **deriding** them. (2 Chronicles 30:10)
- Sanballat **derided** the Jews for building the wall of Jerusalem.
- Now it came about that, as soon as Sanballat heard that we were rebuilding the wall, he became angry and highly offended, and he kept **deriding** the Jews. (Nehemiah 4:1)
- Job asked if his companions would keep **deriding** him without anyone rebuking them. Eventually Yehowah himself did rebuke them.
- Will your empty talk itself put men to silence, and will you keep **deriding** without having anyone rebuke you? (Job 11:3)
- The Psalmist bemoaned that Yehowah had allowed Israel's enemies to continue **deriding** them as they please.
- You set us for strife to our neighbors, and our very enemies keep **deriding** as they please. (Psalms 80:6)