

~PILLAGE (110)

[English, plunder, sack, rob, steal, embezzle, despoil]

- Yehowah God's anger blazed against his people Israel so that he gave them over to the **pillagers**.
- At this Yehowah's anger blazed against Israel, so that he gave them into the hands of the **pillagers**, and they began to pillage them, and he proceeded to sell them into the hand of their enemies round about, and they were no longer able to stand before their enemies. (**Judges 2:14**)
- And I shall indeed forsake the remnant of my inheritance and give them into the hand of their enemies, and they will simply become plunder and **pillage** to all their enemies. (**2 Kings 21:14**)
- Just as the king of Assyria arrogantly felt, that he could use his own wisdom, power and understanding to remove the boundaries of the peoples, likewise the United Nations will set up a New World Order, rearranging all of its older boundaries. They will then **pillage** religion worldwide, and bring down all of religion's powerful inhabitants.
- For he has said; With the power of my hand I shall certainly act, and with my wisdom, for I do have understanding, and I shall remove the boundaries of peoples, and their things stored up I shall certainly **pillage**, and I shall bring down the inhabitants just like a powerful one. (**Isaiah 10:13**)
- Today his people allow themselves to be **pillaged** and plundered spiritually by the clergy classes, who take this **delight** away from them, and then tell them; We will tell you everything you need to do in true worship.
- All of the **sects** of Christendom and Judaism have **trapped** them in **holes**, of **limited traditional understanding**, and in **houses of detention** where they are kept from the glorious word of truth. All of the clergy are the same, they plunder them without a deliverer.
- But it is a people plundered and **pillaged**, all of them being trapped in the holes, and in the houses of detention they have been kept hidden. They have come to be for plunder without a deliverer, for pillage without anyone to say; Bring back! (**Isaiah**

42:22)

- Why was Fleshly Israel given to **pillage** and plundering? It was because they had sinned against God, and they did not want to walk in his ways, and they eventually refused to even listen to him through his approved servants. They worshiped dungy idols, and did not know the true God Yehowah. Are not those who purport to be Spiritual Israel today, doing exactly the same things in a spiritual way?
- Who has given Jacob for mere **pillage**, and Israel to the plunderers? Is it not Yehowah, the One against whom we have sinned, and in whose ways they did not want to walk and to whose Law they did not listen? (**Isaiah 42:24**)
- Yehowah then illustrates, that even if Israel should somehow prosper, he will come in upon them like a dry east wind, drying up their produce. This dry wind will also drain Israel's well and his spring, sources of clean clear water for growth, and it will **pillage** the treasure of all their desirable articles. Yehowah God is standing in opposition to them, and even their past blessings, will perish in face of his denunciation.
- In case he himself as the son of reed plants should show fruitfulness, an east wind, the wind of Yehowah, will come. From a wilderness it is coming up, and it will dry up his well and drain his spring. That one will **pillage** the treasure of all desirable articles. (**Hosea 13:15**)
- Will not the men claiming that this man owes them interest rise up suddenly, and the man wake up suddenly at the hand of those who are violently shaking him. Then to them, he will become only something to **pillage**.
- Will not those claiming interest of you rise up suddenly, and those wake up who are violently shaking you, and you certainly become to them something to **pillage**? (**Habakkuk 2:7**)
- Then their wealth must come to be for **pillage**, and their houses will become a desolate waste. They will build houses, but not have the occupancy of them, and they will indeed plant vineyards, but they will not be around to drink the wine of them.
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have occupancy, and they will plant vineyards, but they will not drink the wine of them. (**Zephaniah 1:13**)