~TOW (34)

- The original Hebrew word thus translated is understood to designate coarse, short fibers of flax. Tow will burn readily. When Delilah bound Samson with moist sinews, he easily tore them in two, just as a twisted thread of tow is torn in two when it smells fire.
- So the axis lords of the Philistines brought up to her seven stillmoist sinews that had not been dried out. Later she tied him with them. (Judges 16:8)
- Now the ambush was sitting in the interior room of hers, and she began to say to him; The Philistines are upon you, Samson! At that he tore the sinews in two, just as a twisted thread of tow is torn in two when it smells fire. And his power did not become known. (Judges 16:9)
- Yehowah decreed that among his ancient people the wicked and their works would perish together, saying; The vigorous man will certainly become tow, and the product of his activity a spark, and both of them will certainly go up in flames at the same time, with no one to do the extinguishing.
- Therefore the utterance of the true Lord, Yehowah of armies, the Powerful One of Israel, is; Aha! I shall relieve myself of my adversaries, and I will avenge myself on my enemies. (Isaiah 1:24)
- And the vigorous man will certainly become tow, and the product of his activity a spark, and both of them will certainly go up in flames at the same time, with no one to do the extinguishing. (Isaiah 1:31)