

**Isaiah 24:13~ For thus it will become in the midst of the land, in among the peoples, like the beating off of the olive tree, like the gleaning when the grape gathering has come to an end.**

**1· There will be in among the peoples just a precious few as after the beating off of the olive tree or the gleaning after the gathering of grapes. After religion is destroyed and outlawed by the nations, there will be precious few remaining in her, who still care about God.**

**[Question]** What was left over after the beating of the olive tree or the grape gathering?

**[Question]** Likewise, what precious few will remain, after the nations destroy religion worldwide?

**2· Unless Yehowah of armies himself had left remaining to us just a few survivors, we should have become just like Sodom, we should have resembled Gomorrah itself. (Isaiah 1:9)**

**[Question]** What would Jerusalem and her peoples, have become like, unless Yehowah took such action?

**3· And it must occur that when the harvester is gathering the standing grain and his own arm harvests the ears of grain, he must even become like one gleaning ears of grain in the low plain of Rephaim. (Isaiah 17:5)**

**[Question]** What then, must she become like?

**4· And there must remain in it a gleaning as when there is a beating off of the olive tree, two or three ripe olives in the top of the branch, four or five on the fruit-bearing boughs thereof, is the utterance of Yehowah the God of Israel. (Isaiah 17:6)**

**[Question]** How then, would Israel become like an olive tree already beaten?

**5· In case you beat your olive tree, you must not go over its boughs following up yourself. It should stay for the alien resident, for the fatherless boy and for the widow. (Deuteronomy 24:20)**

**[Question]** What was to be left for the unfortunate ones in Israel when harvesting any crop?

- 6· **This is what Yehowah of armies has said; They will without fail glean the remnant of Israel just like a vine. Put your hand back like one that is gathering grapes upon the vine tendrils. (Jeremiah 6:9)**

**[Question]** How then would Israel be gleaned?

- 7· **And when it occurs I will let **you** have as a remnant the ones escaping from the sword among the nations, when **you** get scattered among the lands. (Ezekiel 6:8)**

**[Question]** Who then would survive as a mere remnant among the nations?