

Ecclesiastes 4:1 And I myself returned that I might see all the acts of oppression that are being done under the sun, and, look! The tears of those being oppressed, but they had no comforter, and on the side of their oppressors there was power, so that they had no comforter.

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- Because of the multitude of **oppressions** they keep calling for aid, they keep crying for help because of the arm of the great ones. (**Job 35:9**)
- Hear this word, **you** cows of Bashan, who are on the mountain of Samaria, who are defrauding the lowly ones, who are crushing the poor ones, who are saying to their masters; Do bring, and let us drink! (**Amos 4:1**)
- And they have desired fields and have seized them, also houses, and have taken them, and they have defrauded an able-bodied man and his household, a man and his hereditary possession. (**Micah 2:2**)
- I will say to God my crag; Why have you forgotten me? Why do I walk sad because of the **oppression** of the enemy? (**Psalms 42:9**)
- For I have eaten ashes themselves just like bread, and the things I drink I have mingled even with weeping. (**Psalms 102:9**)
- Look! The wages due the workers who harvested **your** fields but which are held up by **you**, keep crying out, and the calls for help on the part of the reapers have entered into the ears of Yehowah of armies. (**James 5:4**)
- Reproach itself has broken my heart, and the wound is incurable. And I kept hoping for someone to show sympathy, but there was none, and for **comforters**, but I found none. (**Psalms 69:20**)
- Look to the right hand and **see** that there is no one giving any recognition to me. My place for flight has perished from me, there is no one inquiring for my soul. (**Psalms 142:4**)
- In my first defense no one came to my side, but they all proceeded to forsake me, may it not be put to their account. (**2 Timothy 4:16**)

- **And those who drove them to work kept urging them, saying; Finish **YOUR** works, each one his work, day for day, just as when straw was available. (**Exodus 5:13**)**
- **Then two of the men, good-for-nothing fellows, came in and sat down in front of him, and the good-for-nothing men began to bear witness against him, that is, Naboth, in front of the people, saying; Naboth has cursed God and the king! After that they brought him out to the outskirts of the city and stoned him with stones, so that he died. (**1 Kings 21:13**)**
- **Your father, for his part, made our yoke hard, and now make the hard service of your father and the heavy yoke that he put upon us lighter, and we shall serve you. (**2 Chronicles 10:4**)**
- **From out of the city the dying keep groaning, and the soul of deadly wounded ones cries for help, and God himself considers it not as anything improper. (**Job 24:12**)**
- **A leader that is in want of true discernment is also abundant in fraudulent practices, but he that is hating unjust profit will prolong his days. (**Proverbs 28:16**)**
- **That which is made crooked cannot be made straight, and that which is wanting cannot possibly be counted. (**Ecclesiastes 1:15**)**
- **Those two things were befalling you. Who will sympathize with you? Despoiling and breakdown, and hunger and sword! Who will comfort you? (**Isaiah 51:19**)**
- **Her uncleanness is in her skirts. She did not remember the future for her, and down she goes in a wondrous manner. No **comforter** does she have. O Yehowah, **see** my affliction, for the enemy has put on great airs. (**Lamentations 1:9**)**
- **Why is it that you make me **see** what is hurtful, and you keep looking upon mere trouble? And why are despoiling and violence in front of me, and why does quarreling occur, and why is strife carried? (**Habakkuk 1:3**)**