

Ecclesiastes 8:8 There is no man having power over the spirit¹ to restrain the spirit, neither is there any power of control in the day of death, nor is there any discharge in the war. And wickedness will provide no escape for those indulging in it.²

Footnote: Over the spirit (breath) Hebrew, *ba·ru'ach*, Greek, *pneu'ma·ti*

Footnote: Literally, the owners of it Hebrew, *be`a·lav'*

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- If he sets his heart upon anyone, if that one's **spirit** and breath he gathers to himself. (**Job 34:14**)
- Then the dust returns to the earth just as it happened to be and the **spirit** itself returns to the true God who gave it. (**Ecclesiastes 12:7**)
- What able-bodied man is there alive who **will** not see **death**? Can he **provide escape** for his soul from the hand of Sheol? (**Psalms 89:48**)
- If you conceal your face, they get disturbed. If you take away their **spirit**, they expire, and back to their dust they go. (**Psalms 104:29**)
- His **spirit** goes out, he goes back to his ground, in that **day** his thoughts do perish. (**Psalms 146:4**)
- That is why, just as through one man sin entered into the world and **death** through sin, and thus **death** spread to all men because they had all sinned. (**Romans 5:12**)
- Nevertheless, **death** ruled as king from Adam down to Moses, even over those who had not sinned after the likeness of the transgression by Adam, who bears a resemblance to him that was to come. (**Romans 5:14**)
- Wicked people **will** turn back to Sheol, even all the nations forgetting God. (**Psalms 9:17**)
- God himself **will** also pull you down forever, he **will** knock you down and tear you away from your tent, and he **will** certainly root you out of the land of the living ones. (**Psalms 52:5**)

- **Because of his badness the wicked will be pushed down, but the righteous will be finding refuge in his integrity. (Proverbs 14:32)**
- **And YOUR covenant with Death will certainly be dissolved, and that vision of YOURS with Sheol will not stand. The overflowing flash flood, when it passes through, YOU must also become for it a trampling place. (Isaiah 28:18)**
- **And the ark of God itself was captured, and the two sons of Eli, Hophni and Phinehas, died. (1 Samuel 4:11)**
- **Small and great are there the same, and the slave is set free from his master. (Job 3:19)**
- **You overpower him forever so that he goes away, you are disfiguring his face so that you send him away. (Job 14:20)**
- **Look! Their well-being is not in their own power. The very counsel of wicked ones has kept far from me. (Job 21:16)**
- **Here is the able-bodied man that does not put God as his fortress, but that trusts in the abundance of his riches, that takes shelter in adversities by him. (Psalms 52:7)**
- **For man also does not know his time. Just like fishes that are being taken in an evil net, and like birds that are being taken in a trap, so the sons of men themselves are being ensnared at a calamitous time, when it falls upon them suddenly. (Ecclesiastes 9:12)**
- **My own habitation has been pulled out and removed from me like the tent of shepherds. I have rolled up my life just like a loom worker; one proceeds to cut me off from the very threads of the warp. From daylight till night you keep handing me over. (Isaiah 38:12)**