Jeremiah 2:3" Israel was something holy to Yehowah, the first yield to Him. Any persons devouring him would make themselves guilty. Calamity itself would come upon them, was the utterance of Yehowah.

Footnote: Or, was holiness Hebrew, qo'dhesh

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- And you yourselves will become to me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation. These are the words that you are to say to the sons of Israel. (Exodus 19:6)
- Yehowah your God has chosen to become his people, a special property, out of all the peoples that are on the surface of the ground. (Deuteronomy 7:6)
- Because he willed it, he brought us forth by the word of truth, for us to be certain firstfruits of his creatures. (James 1:18)
- These are the ones that did not defile themselves with women, in fact, they are virgins. These are the ones that keep following the Lamb no matter where he goes. These were bought from among mankind as firstfruits to God and to the Lamb. (Revelation 14:4)
- With great indignation I am feeling indignant against the nations that are at ease, because I, for my part, felt indignant to only a little extent, but they, for their part, helped toward calamity. (Zechariah 1:15)
- Hence Joshua vanquished Amalek and his people with the edge of the sword. (Exodus 17:13)
- Look! All those getting heated up against you will become ashamed and be humiliated. The men in a quarrel with you will become as nothing and will perish. (Isaiah 41:11)
- When the Almighty One scattered abroad the kings in it, it began to snow in Zalmon. (Psalms 68:14)
- What business does my beloved one have in my house, that many of them should do this thing, the evil device? And with holy flesh

- will they make it pass over from upon you, when your calamity comes? At that time will you exult? (Jeremiah 11:15)
- This is what Yehowah has said against all my bad neighbors, who are touching the hereditary possession that I caused my people, even Israel, to possess; Here I am uprooting them from off their ground, and the house of Judah I shall uproot from the midst of them. (Jeremiah 12:14)
- All those finding them have eaten them up, and their own adversaries have said; We shall not become guilty, due to the fact that they have sinned against Yehowah the abiding place of righteousness and the hope of their forefathers, Yehowah. (Jeremiah 50:7)
- And their names were Oholah the older one and Oholibah her sister, and they came to be mine and began to give birth to sons and daughters. And as for their names, Oholah is Samaria, and Oholibah is Jerusalem. (Ezekiel 23:4)
- The buyers of which proceed to kill them although they are not held guilty. And those who are selling them say; May Yehowah be blessed, while I shall gain riches. And their own shepherds do not show any compassion upon them. (Zechariah 11:5)