Jeremiah 9:7... Therefore this is what Yehowah of armies has said; Here I am smelting them, and I have to examine them, because how otherwise shall I act on account of the daughter of my people?

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- For you have examined us, O God; You have refined us as when refining silver. (Psalms 66:10)
- And I will turn back my hand upon you, and I shall smelt away your scummy dross as with lye, and I will remove all your waste products. (Isaiah 1:25)
- Look! I have refined you, but not in the form of silver. I have made choice of you in the smelting furnace of affliction. (Isaiah 48:10)
- And he must sit as a refiner and cleanser of silver and must cleanse the sons of Levi, and he must clarify them like gold and like silver, and they will certainly become to Yehowah people presenting a gift offering in righteousness. (Malachi 3:3)
- And Yehowah the God of their forefathers kept sending against them by means of his messengers, sending again and again, because he felt compassion for his people and for his dwelling. (2 Chronicles 36:15)
- You have examined my heart, you have made inspection by night you have refined me, you will discover that I have not schemed. My mouth will not transgress. (Psalms 17:3)
- The bellows have been scorched. Out from their fire there is lead. One has kept refining intensely simply for nothing, and those who are bad have not been separated. (Jeremiah 6:29)
- How can I give you up, O Ephraim? How can I deliver you up, O Israel? How can I set you as Admah? How can I place you like Zeboiim? My heart has changed within me, at the same time my compassions have grown hot. (Hosea 11:8)