

Genesis 10:1—14:24

^{10.1} And these are the generations of the sons of Patience—Bearer-of-the-Name, Passion, Expansion. And sons were generated by them after the cataclysm.

[Gen 10:2-32 — Genealogies of Japheth, Ham, and Shem]

^{11.1} And all the earth was one lip and there was one voice for all. ² And it happened when they moved from the springing-up that they found a field in the land of Violence (Shinar) and settled there. ³ And a human said to his neighbor,

“Come, let us make bricks and bake them with fire.”

And it happened for them. The brick was for stone and tar was clay for them. ⁴ And they said,

“Come, let us build for ourselves a city and a tower, of which the head will be up to heaven. And let us make for ourselves a name before being scattered upon the face of all the earth.”

⁵ And the Lord came-down to see the city and tower, which the sons of humans built. ⁶ And the Lord said,

“Look, one group and one lip of all and they began to do this. And now nothing, of all things as much as they might try to do, will fail for them. ⁷ Come and, after going-down there, let us confuse their tongue so they might not listen to the voice of each neighbor.”

⁸ And the Lord scattered them from there upon the face of all the earth and they paused building the city and tower. ⁹ Because of this its name was called Confusion because there the Lord was confusing the lips of all the earth. And from there the Lord Creator scattered them upon the face of all the earth.

[Gen 11:10-26 — Genealogy of Shem to Abram]

²⁷ And these are the genesisises of Spirit-Shaped (Terah). Spirit-Shaped generated Protected (Abram) and Freeman (Nahor) and Gathered (Haran). And Gathered generated Covered (Lot). ²⁸ And Gathered died before his father Spirit-Shaped in the land in which he came-to-be, in the region of the Land-Destroyers (Chaldeans). ²⁹ And Protected and Freeman took for themselves women. The name for Protected’s woman was My-Lady (Sarai). And the name for Freeman’s woman was Queen (Milcha), a daughter of Gathered, father of Queen and Hideout (Iscah). ³⁰ And My-Lady was infertile and was not making-children. ³¹ And Spirit-Shaped took his son Protected and Covered the son of his son Gathered and his daughter-in-law My-Lady woman of his son Protected and led them out of the region of the Land-Destroyers to journey into the land of Oppressed (Canaan). And they came into Burning-Anger (Caran) and settled there. ³² And the days of Spirit-Shaped in Burning-Anger were 205 years and Spirit-Shaped died in Burning-Anger.

^{12.1} And the Lord said to Protected (Abram),

“Come-out of your land and out of your family and out of the house of your father, into the land which I will show you! ²

And I will make you into a great ethnicity and I will bless you and I will magnify your name and you will be a blessing. ³

And I will bless those blessing you and those cursing you, I will curse. And all the tribes of the earth will be blessed through you.”

⁴ And Protected journeyed, just as the Lord said to him. And Covered (Lot) was going with him. And Protected was 75 years-old when he came-out from Burning-Anger (Caran). ⁵ And Protected took My-Lady (Sarai) his woman and Covered the son of his brother and all their possessions, as much as they owned, and every soul which they owned in Burning-Anger. And they came-out to journey into the land of Oppressed (Canaan) and they came into the land of Oppressed. ⁶ And Protected traveled the land to its length until the place of Burden (Shechem), to the high oak. And the Oppressed-Ones (Canaanites) during-this-time were settling the land. ⁷ And the Lord was seen by Protected and said to him,

“I will give this land to your seed.”

And there Protected built an altar to the Lord who had been seen by him. ⁸ And from there he went-away to the mountain east of The-Creator’s-House (Bethel). And there he stood his tent with The-Creator’s-House toward the sea and Distortion (Ai) to the east. And there he built an altar to the Lord and called upon the name of the Lord. ⁹ And Protected took-off and, after journeying, he camped in the wilderness.

¹⁰ And a food-shortage happened upon the land. And Protected went-down into Anxious-Security (Egypt) to live-away-from-home there, because the food-shortage strengthened upon the land. ¹¹ And it happened when Protected arrived to enter into Anxious-Security, Protected said to My-Lady his woman,

“I myself am knowing that you are a beautiful-faced woman. ¹² Therefore, it will be, as those of Anxious-Security see you, they will say, ‘She is his woman,’ and they will kill me and possess you. ¹³ Therefore, you must say, ‘I am his sister,’ so that good should happen to me through you and my soul will live because of you!”

¹⁴ And it happened when Protected entered into Anxious-Security, those of Anxious-Security were seeing that his woman was extremely beautiful. ¹⁵ And the rulers of Great-House (Pharaoh) saw her and praised her to Great-House and brought her into the house of Great-House. ¹⁶ And they treated Protected well because of her and sheep and calves and donkeys, male-dependents and female-dependents, mules and camels came-to-be for him. ¹⁷ And the Creator punished Great-House and his household with great

punishments and ugliness on account of My-Lady the woman of Protected.¹⁸ And Great-House, after calling Protected, said,
“What is this you did to me?! You did not report to me that she was your woman!¹⁹ Why did you say, ‘She is my sister’?!
And I took her to myself for a woman! And now look, your wife is before you, after taking her, you must run-away!”²⁰ And Great-House commanded men concerning Protected to send-away him and his woman and all things, as much as was with him, and Covered with him.

^{13.1} And Protected went-up out of Anxious-Security, he and his woman and all of his things and Covered with him into the wilderness.² And Protected was extremely wealthy with owned-animals and silver and gold.³ And he journeyed from the wilderness to The-Creator’s-House, to the place where his tent was previously, between The-Creator’s-House and Distortion.⁴ To the place of the altar which he made there at the beginning and where Protected called-upon the name of the Lord.⁵ And Covered, who was journeying with Protected, was having sheep and oxen and tents.⁶ And the land was not having-space for them to dwell together because their possessions were being so many and they were not being able to dwell together.⁷ And a fight happened between the herders of Protected’s owned-animals and the herders of Covered’s owned-animals. And the Oppressed-Ones and the Borderless-Ones (Perizzites) dwelled in the land.⁸ And Protected said to Covered,

“A fight must not happen between me and you and between your herders and my herders because we ourselves are human brothers!⁹ Look, is not all the land before you? Separate from me. If you go left, I will go right. And if you go right, I will go left.”

¹⁰ And after Covered lifted-up his eyes, he saw all the surrounding-area of the Descending (Jordan) River. That all of it up to Insignificant (Zoar) was being watered before the Creator brought-catastrophe upon Control (Sodom) and Tyranny (Gomorrah). It was like the paradise of the Creator and like the land of Anxious-Security.¹¹ And Covered chose for himself all the surrounding-area of the Descending River. And Covered took-off from the springing-up and they were separated, each from his brother.¹² And Protected dwelled in the land of Oppressed. And Covered dwelled in a city of the surrounding-areas and he tented in Control.¹³ And the humans in Control were ugly and separated before the Creator, extremely.¹⁴ And the Creator said to Protected after Covered separated from him,

“After looking-up with your eyes, you must look from the place where you are now to north and south and springing-up and sea.¹⁵ Because all the land which you are seeing, I will give to you and to your seed until the age.¹⁶ And I will make your seed as the sand of the earth. If someone is able to count the sand of the earth, then your seed will be counted.¹⁷ After standing-up, you must travel the earth into its length and into its width because I will give it to you.”

¹⁸ And after moving-tent and going, Protected dwelled alongside the oak of Understanding (Mamre) which was in Joined-Together (Hebron). And he built an altar there to the Lord.

[Gen 14:1-10 — The kings of Mesopotamia and Jordan Valley are divided and wage war against each other.]

¹¹ [The kings of Mesopotamia] took every horse of Control (Sodom) and Tyranny (Gomorrah) and all their food and they left.¹² And they also took Covered, the son of Protected’s brother, and his belongings and they were moving-away, for he was dwelling in Control (Sodom).¹³ And after arriving, someone of those being saved reported to Protected the nomad. And he was dwelling at the oak by Understanding (Mamre) the Talker (Amorite), the brother of Brave (Eshcol) and brother of Answer (Aner), who were allies of Protected.¹⁴ And after Protected heard that Covered his brother had been captured, he counted 318 of his own house-members and pursued them into Judgment (Dan).¹⁵ And he fell upon them at night, he and his dependents. And he struck them and pursued them until Hiding-Place (Hobah) which is on the left of The-Beginning-of-Salvation (Damascus).¹⁶ And he returned every horse of Control as well as Covered his brother and all his possessions and the women and the people.¹⁷ And the king of Control came-out for a meeting with him, after he returned from cutting-down Servant-of-Desire and the kings with him in the Valley of Agreement (Shaveh), this was the field of the king.¹⁸ And Ruler-of-Righteousness (Melchizedek), the king of Peace (Salem), brought breads and wine and he was a priest of the highest Creator.¹⁹ And he blessed Protected and said,

“Protected is blessed by the highest Creator, who created heaven and earth.²⁰ And blessed is the highest Creator who gave-away your enemies under-hands to you.”

And Protected gave to him a tenth of all things.²¹ And the king of Control said to Protected,

“You must give to me the men, but take the horses for yourself.”

²² And Protected said to the king of Control,

“I am extending my hand to the highest Creator, who created heaven and earth.²³ Never, from the string to the strap of the sandal, will I take anything of yours, so that you might never say, ‘I myself made Protected wealthy.’²⁴ However, of the things the young-men ate and of the portion belonging to the men journeying with me—Brave (Eshcol), Answer (Aner), Understanding (Mamre)—these will take a portion.”