שחרית לתשעה באב - קינות

מָה אָעֵשָׁה לָבֶם בָּנֵי / אֵנְה הִיא מִלְּפָנַי. וְאֵיֵה הַבְּטְחַת, וְאֶרִּבְּרִיתִּי אֶקִים אֶרִּייִאְחָק: לְשַׁוֹא כִּי טֵבַח הוּחַק / וְהֵן זַרְעִי נִשְׁחַק וִנְמְחַק כה צוח וצְחָק / פְנֵי שוֹבֵן שְׁתַק.

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ילְפָּה מַבָּה פָּנֵיהָ / בִּלְהָה מְּקוֹנֵגֵת בִּשְׁתֵּי יָדֵיהָ: קול בְּכִי לַאֲה, מְתוֹפֵפֶת עַל לְבְבֵּיהָ רְתֵל אֲחוֹתָה, מְבַבְּה עַל בְּנֵיהָ.

אָלְחִוּגִּי בַּבֵּלְה לְמַעַּנְכָם / חִנְּגִּי מְשוּבֵּב נְּלְּוּת בְּנֵיכָם: שִּׁוֹבוּ תְּמִימִים לְמְנוּחַתְּבָּם / מַלֵּא אֲמַלֵּא כְּלְ מִשְׁאֵלוִתֵּיכָם.

So Isaac screamed to the One who dwells on high,

"Was it in vain that I was inscribed to be slaughtered? Now my descendants are crushed and obliterated.

Where is the promise, 'My covenant, I will maintain with Isaac!'?"

What can I do for you, My children? This is My decree

ם [God responded,] "They rebelled against Jeremiah and profaned Mount Moriah.

I tire of hearing the cry

that rises up from oblivion.

How can I restrain Myself over the murder of Zechariah?

If they, mortal men, transgressed the covenant, where is the merit of those who accepted the covenant [the patriarchs]?

D [Jacob,] who was born to study, spoke up, shedding tears like a crocodile,

 ${\mathfrak P}$ "The children I raised with such travail, how they have been shorn from me and are gone.

And I have been punished a thousand-fold for the blood they shed What can I do for you, My children? This is My decree!

5 The faithful shepherd [Moses] uttered, ground into ash and dirtied,

"The sheep I nurtured in my lap are prematurely shorn!

Where is the promise, '[Israel] is not bereft!'?"

If they, mortal men, transgressed the covenant, where is the merit of those who accepted the covenant [the patriarchs]?

7 The sound of Leah's wail, pounds upon her heart; ↑ her sister Rachel bemoans her children;

Zilpah, slaps her face;

Bilhah, laments with both hands!

What can I do for you, My children? This is My decree!

 $m{arphi}$ [God's final response:] "Return, perfect ones, to your place of rest. I will indeed fulfill your requests

was sent to Babylon because of you, and will return your children from exile."

Is. 1:14

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calling upon the patriarchs to beg for mercy for their exiled children. Commentary for this kina kina is based on the Midrash (Eikha Raba, Petihta 24) which describes the prophet Jeremiah between God and the mourning nation, with alternating refrains reflecting the two voices. The In this kina, HaKalir uses a similar structure to that of Kina 9, namely an imagined dialogue

אָז פַּהַלֹּךְ יִרְמְיֵהוּ אֶל לִבְּרֵי אָבוֹת / וְנָם, עִּצְמוֹת חֲבִיבוֹת, מָה אַבֶּם

בְּנֵיכֶם גָּלוּ, וּבִתְּקוּם בַּחָרָבוֹת / וָאֵיֵה זְכוּת אָבוֹת, בְּאֵרֵץ תַּלְאוּבוֹת: אָם כְּאָדָם עְבְרוּ בְּרִיתּ / אֵיֵה וְכוּת בְּרוּתֵי בְּרִית.

מָה אֶשֶשׁה לָבֶּם בְּנֵי / נְּוְדָה הִיא מִלְפָנַי. וְאֵיֵה הַבְּטְתַת, וְזָבַוְהִּי לָהֶם בְּנִית רִאשׁנִים: דובבו בְּקוֹל הַחֲנוּנִים / פְנֵי שוֹכֵן מְעוֹנִים. נְעוּ כְלֶם בְּקִינִם / עַל חֶסְרוֹן בְּנִים

ויקרא כו, מה

אָם כְּאָדָם עָבְרוּ בְּרִית / אַיֵּה וְכוּת בְּרוּהֵי בְּרִית. וַאַעְלִים עֵינֵי מֵהֶם, וְלֹא שֲבוּ וְלֹא נְחֵר. חֵם הַמְירוּ כְבוֹדִי בְּוְהוּ / וְלֹא פְּתֲדוּ וְלֹא רָחוּ. וְאֵרָ אֶרְאַפַּלְ עַל אֲמִירֵת לֹא הּוֹאֵ:

מָה אָשֶׁמָה לֶנֶם בְּנֵי / מְּנָה הִיא מּלְפָנַי. חִבָּם נְפֵיתִי עֵשֶׁר בְּחִינוֹת עֲבוּרֶם / וְהֵן חָוִיתִּי שִׁבְּרֶם. וְעַלְ אַב הַמוֹן בַּעֲבוּרֶם / וְחִגֵּן פְּנֵי אֵל רְם. וְאֵיֵה הַבְּטְתַת, אַל־פִּירָא אָבְרָם:

בראשית טו, א

אָם בְּאָרֶם עָבְרוּ בְּרִית / אֵיֵה וְטוּת בְּרוּתֵי בְרִית. וֹאֵין אֶרְאָפַּק עַל בִּפוּל עֲשֵׁרֵת הַזְּבָּרוֹת: ּיָעֵצוּ לַחְצֹב בֹארוֹת / בֹארֹת נִשְבַּרוֹת. טְעוּ לְהַיְרוֹת / בַּצְבוֹדוֹת יְרוֹת.

N Then, Jeremiah went to the graves of the patriarchs why do you lie dormant? and said, "Dear departed ones,

Your children are exiled, and their homes destroyed! Where is the merit of their forefathers, earned in the wilderness?

If they, mortal men, transgressed the covenant, where is the merit of those who accepted the covenant [the patriarchs]?

3 They all cried out in lament over the absent children.

7 They prayed for mercy from the One who dwells on high: "Where is the promise, 'I will remember the covenant with the ancients'?" What can I do for you, My children? This is My decree!

Lev. 26:45

↑ [God responded,] "They exchanged My honor for naught They had no fear and no remorse.

1 I turned My eyes from them, but they did not repent or show distress. How can I restrain Myself when they deny Me?" If they, mortal men, transgressed the covenant, where is the

The father of the multitude [Abraham] shouted in their defense, and pleaded with the exalted God

merit of those who accepted the covenant [the patriarchs]?

Π "Is it in vain that I suffered ten trials?

Now I see their collapse.

Where is the promise, 'Fear not, Abraham!'?'

What can I do for you, My children? This is My decree!

Gen. 15:1

ט [God responded,] "They erred and estranged themselves by worshiping idols.

' They intended to hew cisterns, broken cisterns How can I restrain Myself when they have annulled the Ten Commandments?

If they, mortal men, transgressed the covenant, where is the merit of those who accepted the covenant [the patriarchs]?

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A Fair-Maiden or a Demon? The Impact of Galus

An Analysis of the 26th and 27th Kinnos

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וַבְּיִגִי עָם, אֵיכָה וְשְבָּה בְּוָד: דוֹדִי מֵאָו בָּרַח וַיְבֵּד. קעַם אֲדֶלִי, בְּעַל בְּרָחִי שְׁבַּד שלון מקדשי, בעוני נדד

שַׁח לֵאלהֵׁיְךָ, בְּעֵּר סוֹעֲרָה מַבַּת עֲנֵיָה. מֵחָה הָאִשָּׁה לַנְּבִיא יִרְמְיָה וֹנִם אוּי לַבֵּן, שָׁבְּשְׁלְחַן אָב אֵינוּ: אָעַק, אוּי לְאָב שָׁהָגְלֶה נִינוּ מְלֵא רַחֲמִים, רַחֵם כְּאָב עַל בְּנוֹ. עַר יַענָה אֵל, וְיֹאמֶר דַּיָּה וְיִצִּילֵנִי מַתְרָב וְשִׁבְיָה: פִּלֵל הַּוֹתָּה לִפְּנֵי קונו

רועים לְבָיאוּ, קִינָה לְהָנְשֵא לֵדְ קְנָא לְאָבוֹת, וְאַנְּהוֹ וּמֹשֶׁה רועים לְבָיאוּ, קינָה לְהַנְּשֵא בי וֹאַבֵי עוֹב קוֹפוּ אֶת השָׁה:

הָעוּ בְנִיכֶּם, הֲרֵי הֵן בַּשֶּׂבִי: על מַכְפֵּלָה, נוֹהֵם כְּלְבִיא. תְנוּ קוֹל בְּבְכִי, אֲבוֹת הַאְבִי שואַג הָנְה וְרְמָיִה הַנְּבוֹא

שְׁמֵם מִקְדָשׁ מִבְּלִי בְאֵי מוֹעֵד שְׁרַחֵם אִיּוֹן, כִּי בָא מוֹעַד: הַשִּיבֵם כְּמֵאָז, סוֹמֵן וְסוֹעֵד על כִּי יְדִידִים נִהְנוּ לְהַמְּעֵד.

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"My holy Temple wanders because of my sins.

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a My pleasant abode has been plundered against my will How she, who once was filled with people, is now all alone!" My Beloved of yore has fled and flown away.

D The woman entreated the prophet Jeremiah, "Speak to your God on behalf of the tempest-torn, afflicted people,

y so that He will answer and say, 'Enough,' and save me from sword and captivity."

5 [Jeremiah] prayed, entreating his Maker,

¥ [God] shouted, "Woe to the father who expelled his son, "Most compassionate One, have pity as a father would for his son." and woe, too, to the son who is gone from his father's table!

7 "Rise, Jeremiah! Why be silent? Go summon the patriarchs, Aaron, and Moses

7 Let the shepherds come and express lament. Wolves of the wilderness have attacked the sheep."

U Jeremiah the prophet roared,

howling like a lion, in the cave of the patriarchs,

 Π "Give voice to your tears, ye fathers of the gazelle [Israel]! Your children have lost their way; they are in captivity!

Have mercy upon Zion; its time has come May He who supports and sustains bring them back as before. because its comrades have fallen and faltered בּבְּשָׁ "The Temple lies desolate with no one gathering for festivals,

Lam. 1:4

In this kina the prophet Jeremiah meets a woman of unearthly beauty, a personification of Knesset Yisrael. Commentary for this kina begins on page 482.

הן אָרְאֵלְם, צְעֲקר הְצְתְּר. פָּן־חִלְקְנְהוּ מֵאַרְמוּן בְּיָצְא גווְרֵנִי עְלֵיךְ, בְּשֵׁם אֱלְהִים וְאָרָם אָם שֵׁדְ לְשֵׁרִים אַהְ, אוֹ לְבֵנֵי אָרָם. דְמוּת יְפְּיֵן בְּבְשֶׁר וְדָם פּחְדֵן וְיִרְאָתֵּךְ, כְּמִלְאָכִים לְבַדָּם: אַז במלאת ספָק, יפָּה פְתְּרְצָה אשְׁנוּ יְפְּת הְּאֵר מְנֵילְת, מְצְא:

יְדְּוְעְהַ הְּיְיְתִּי בְּשׁוּבְּהְ וָנְחֲת. וְחֵן, לְשְׁלֹשׁ צֵּנִי, וּלְשִׁבְעִים וְאֵחָד הן לא שֵד אֵנִי, וְלֹא גֵלֶם פַּחַת וְלְשְׁנֵים מְשְׁר, וְשִׁשִּׁיִם, וְאֵהָר: וֶה הְאַהְר אַבְרְהָם הְיָה וְבָּן הַשְּׁלְשָׁה, אָבוֹת שְּׁלִישִּיָה. חק שְׁנֵים מְשֶׁר, הֵו הֵו שְׁבְשִׁי יָה נששים ובוא, ושבעים נאחר סנהדרי יה: טְעְמִי חַקְשְׁיבִי, וַעֲשִׁי רְשׁוּבָה יַעַן הֱיוֹתֵךְ בְּלְ כְּךְ חֲשׁוּבָה. יפה ליך בעלא, ולשמח בטובה ולא לקרא עוד בת השובבה: בּי אֵין אֲשְׁמַח, וְקוּלִי מָה אָרִים הַן עוֹלֶלֵי נְהְנוּ בְּיֵד צְרִים. לקי נביאי, ודמם מגרים גלי מְלְכֵי וְשֶׁרִי, וְכֹחֲנֵי בְּקוֹלְוִים:

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★ Then, when the measure of the sins of she [Israel] who is as beautiful as Tirzah, had reached its fill, the Arielites [angels] cried out aloud.

Is. 33:7

[Jeremiah,] the son of Hilkiyahu came upon, leaving the Temple, a once beautiful woman, now disheveled.

that you tell me] whether you are a demon among demons, [He said,] "I insist in the name of God and man, or a mortal human.

but you are as awesome and frightening as only an angel can be." 7 For you are as comely as one of flesh and blood,

I once knew stillness and quiet.

" [She responded,] "I am neither a demon nor something of little value.

I am of the stock of three and seventy-one, and twelve, and sixty, and one.

"One was father Abraham,

and I am a child of the triad of three patriarchs.

and sixty ten-thousands [the six hundred thousand Jews who left Egypt], and the seventy-one members of the holy Sanhedrin." The number twelve refers to the tribes of the LORD,

U [Jeremiah responded,] "Heed my counsel and repent, because you are indeed of great consequence.

no longer should you be called 'wayward daughter'!" Laughter and joy, they behoove you;

∑ [She responded,] "How can I rejoice and raise my voice proudly? My babes are given over to the foe!

My prophets are stricken, their blood flowing! My kings are exiled, and my priests, in chains!