Isaiah 15

King James Version (KJV)

(Prophecy against Moab)

15 The burden of <u>Moab</u>. Because in the night <u>Ar</u> of Moab is laid waste, and brought to silence; because in the night <u>Kir</u> of Moab is laid waste, and brought to silence; (Moab = of his own father)

(Moabites were descendants of Lot <Abraham's nephew>. Ar and Kir were Moabite cities)

²He is gone up to <u>Bajith</u>, and to <u>Dibon</u>, the high places, to weep: Moab shall howl over <u>Nebo</u>, and over <u>Medeba</u>: on all their heads shall be <u>baldness</u>, and every beard cut off. (Bajith – the house of false gods, and their prophets) (Dibon = a wasting) (Nebo – heathen prophetess of learning) (Medeba = water of rest)

(Baldness & shaven beards – these are signs of mourning, degradation and sorrow)

(The Moabites were Adamic people by birthright. Yet, through the centuries, they abandoned God and took on the idol gods of the heathen nations. They ran to worship false gods and heathen idols. What good will those do for them? Nothing good)

NOTES: (How many Christians today go to church and never hear the Word of God. Instead, they hear sermons written by preachers)

(What good will those sermons do for them when the antichrist arrives? They will be wholly seduced by antichrist's lies and false doctrine; because they never learned God's Word - chapter by chapter, verse by verse)

- ³ In their streets they shall gird themselves with sackcloth: on the tops of their houses, and in their streets, every one shall howl, weeping abundantly. (They lost their blessings because they worship false gods)
- And <u>Heshbon</u> shall cry, and <u>Elealeh</u>: their voice shall be heard even unto Jahaz: therefore the armed soldiers of Moab shall cry out; his life shall be grievous unto him. (Heshbon = their strong place; Elealeh = god has gone up <which god?>)

(Moab was Lot's son. Lot, nephew of Abraham, was blessed by God. And still, he ended up in Sodom. He never made the right choices. Moab, Lot's son, chose idolatry right from the start; instead of God)

⁵My heart shall cry out for Moab; his fugitives shall flee unto <u>Zoar</u>, an heifer of three years old: for by the mounting up of <u>Luhith</u> with weeping shall they go it up; for in the way of <u>Horonaim</u> they shall raise up a cry of destruction. (<u>Zoar</u> = smallness) (<u>Luhith</u> - made of boards, not stone) (<u>Horonaim</u> - two ways - a choice)

(Lot always chose the wrong way. His son, Moab, did the same as his father)

- ⁶ For the waters of <u>Nimrim</u> shall be desolate: for the hay is withered away, the grass faileth, there is no green thing. (Nimrim = pure and clear) (There is drought there both spiritually and physically)
- Therefore the abundance they have gotten, and that which they have laid up, shall they carry away to the brook of the willows. (This is the valley of the Arabians. The word Arab means neither night nor day. It also means braided a braided people)

Septuagint translation: (I shall bring the Arabians upon it and they shall take it. Today, these are all Muslim lands. Christianity is outlawed there)

- *For the cry is gone round about the borders of Moab; the howling thereof unto Eglaim, and the howling thereof unto <u>Beerelim</u>. (<u>Beerlim</u> = well of heroes)
- ⁹ For the waters of <u>Dimon</u> shall be full of blood: for I will bring <u>more</u> upon Dimon, lions upon him that escapeth of Moab, and upon the remnant of the land. (more = the Arabian Septuagint translation) (Dimon= the river bed, the bottom)

(Worshipping idols led to the destruction of the Moabites)

NOTE: (Today, these lands are no better off because they are all Muslim. Islam is a cult; created by Mohammad – a murder, a robber and a rapist. He is their "prophet". Anyone who tries to leave Islam is murdered by other Muslims. It is a cult from hell, itself; and it seeks to destroy Christianity and Judaism. It will fail. God will see to that)