107,25° n adde: prps וַיִּעֶבֶּר cf Gn 8,1 יקם ? adde not: l יקם 107,29 ad 109,10 t sic **צ** (יוֶד); al יוֹד et ברכיו 119,3 pr ברכיו prps בּרָבָרִיו אמר אין prps את חקיך 119,8 pr את חקיך prps אּמְרָתְּדָּ בחקתיך 119,16 pr prps אָמָרֶתִּדְּ 119,22 pr עדתיך prps אָמָרֶתִּדְּ 119,28 n adde: prps אָמִרֶתִּדְּ 119,53 et 55 pr תורתך prps קבוֹתֶיּ et מָצְוֹתֶיּך 119,70 pr תורתך מורתך מצְיוֹתֶיּד פוֹתָיּד מוֹתָיד 119,71 pr און דקיף prps מְשָׁפַטֵּיף 119,94 pr קודיך prps קקיף 119,104 pr באָמָרֶתַדְּ prps כדברך 119,107 pr כדברך prps מפקודיך 119,108 pr ומשפטיך prps ומשפטיך בל prps כן 119,127 pr עדותיך 119,144 pr 119,152 n adde: prps מְּבֶּוֹרֶדְּ 119,158 n adde: prps מְצִּוֹתֵיךָ prps חַקֵּיך 119,165 pr תורתך prps חַבֶּיךּ בן 119,176 pr מצותיך prps ערוֹתִיק 127,2 ad 132,13 adde not: אוה al rectius אוה al rectius אוה adde not: prps מֻבֵּן ישבעו (בחצרות (בחב) (בחב) (בחצרות (בחצרות (בחב) (בחצרות (בחצרות (בחב) (בחב) (בחב) (בחב) (בחב) (בחב) ( עצמינו 141,7 t l עצמינו 143,8 pr משכבותם prps משכבותם 149,5 ad משכבותם adde not: l? מִשְּׁמֶרוֹתָם.

Prv 2,15 ad במעגלותם adde not: dl c 6 ב 2,18 ad ביתה adde not: prps נתיבתה 2,22 n ins: 1 ינסחו 3,35 n l מֹרְשִׁים pr יֹרְשִׁים prps בָּרֵאשׁית חֵילְדְּ 3,17 adde not: l וְאָל 6,26 *n* ins: prps בקשה; frt יקרה dl (gloss) mtr cs 7,18 *n* ins: ער־הבקר frt dl mtr cs 8,3 adde not: dl frt לפי (Var = ליד et l תָּקָרָא pro חָרָת pro 8,12° n ins: dl הכמה 8,27 t sic **יצ** ק al ק (gloss = שכנתי et l שכנתי 10,17 ad ♬Ţജ adde 11,9<sup>b</sup> n ins: l ישׁחַת 12,14 n ins: dl מוב mtr cs not: prps ⊓ฺาหั 13,1 ad ]⊒ adde not: ו ? בין (בוֹ 14,8 ad מרמה adde not: l c סמיעה 18,21 a d אכל adde not: l יאכלו 21,11 ad משם adde not: dl frt ל 22,17ª n adde: vel potius trsp דברי הכמים (cf 6) ante מה; haec verba sunt titulus sectionis sequentis, et ins c פּרָבֶר post ושמע post ושמע 23,1 ad תַּבְין adde not: l תַּבָן 23,28 ad ידענו adde not: l בְּנְדִים = fraus בּנְדִים adde not: l ידענו adde not: (כְּמָתְוֹלֶל = fraus (כְּמָתְוֹלֶל (postea). – 26,18 אַחַר (postea). – 28,23 n ins: prps אַחַר (postea). – Hi 4,2 ad ¬¬¬ adde not: l frt ¬¬¬¬ 4,10 ad נתעו adde not: l נַתַּצוֹ  $6,7^{\circ\circ}$  n ins: prps הַאָאָמִין ע׳ בוֹ 6,13 prps הַאָאָמִין ע׳ בוֹ (cf אָ נוֹ (cf אָ נוֹ (כֹּלִים בּיִנוֹי בַּלְחָמִי 6,26 n 8,14 *n* ins: al שָׁרִיקוֹת cf Jes 19,9 ביקוֹת 11,3. 4 prps מָרִיקוֹת et במאתוָ 11,5 ad フユフ adde not: l? יְדְבֶּר 12,2 adde: l (cf 34,2) קיֹדְעָם 12,21<sup>b</sup> n adde: vel אָבָרִים (cf 34,20) 14,10 ad ויגוע adde not: l יווע adde not: l יווע adde not: l frt עָלֶיהָ 16,7ª n adde: vel potius אָת מוֹם יאבל וַרְטַני vel יֵרְטַני vel יֵרְטַני vel יֵרְטַני (cf 🔞 ἔρριψεν et arab לֹמוֹת 17,11<sup>a</sup> n ins: prps לְמוֹת 19,13<sup>b-b</sup> n adde: vel 19,17 n adde: prps וְחַיָּתִי potius l איך זרו 19,24 ad ועפרת adde not: l 19,29° n adde: vel תרעו) יֵשׁ דֵּיַן 20,15 ad וִיקאנו adde not: l וִיקֹאנוּ 20,25<sup>a-a</sup> n ins: prps במרדתו ואפלטה adde not: prps ואפלטה 24,5<sup>d</sup> n ins: pro בפעלם usque ad לנערים prps 23,10 ad ידע adde not: l frt יַדַע ab al בּנְעַרִים בַּנְעַרִים נְסִבְּרוּ לְטֵּרֶף עֲבִדוּ לַלֶּחֶם בַּנְּעַרִים 24,6° n ins: prps בִּשֹׁרֶים 24,9° n ins: prps שָׁבֶּרֶתְם 24,12° n ins: prps מַעֲבֹרֶתָם 29,24 ad וְאוֹר 24,9° 30,11° n ins in fin כי וְתְרֶם, frt recte 30,13°-a n adde: Q adde not: l frt יאוֹר 32,8 n ins: prps במוֹדָ לאל 33,6 n ins: prps איר אנשים להותי 33,14 n ins: vel frt מָּבֶלְנוּ (κ διορίζων) אָנְיִינוּ (κ διορίζων) אַנְיִינוּ 35,11 n adde: l frt מָבְּלֵנוּ קרים cf רוּה מוֹח: prps לֹא יִעַקֶב בּּרָקִים prps 38,24

#### XIII ADDITIONS AND CORRECTIONS

107,25<sup>a</sup> In the notes, add: perhaps 'and he caused to pass over'. Compare Genesis 8:1. 107,29 This difference may not translate. 109,10 Another untranslateable distinction. 119,3 For 'in his ways', perhaps read 'in his words'. 119,4 Instead of 'to observe [them]' – with the object implicit – perhaps read 'to observe them' explicitly. 119,8 Instead of 'thy statutes', perhaps read 'thy word'. 119,16 Instead of 'in thy statutes', perhaps read 'in thy laws'. 119,22 Instead of 'thy testimonies', perhaps read 'thy word'. 119,28 In the notes, add: perhaps 'thy word'. 119,53 and 55 - Instead of 'thy law', perhaps read 'thy testimonies' and 'thy 119,70 For 'thy law', perhaps read 'thy testimonies'. 119,71 For 'thy statutes', read perhaps 'thy judgments'. commandments'. 119,94 For 'thy precepts', perhaps read 'thy statutes'. 119,104 For 'From thy precepts', perhaps read 'From thy statutes'. 119,127 For 'Therefore', perhaps read 'Above all'. 119,144 For 'thy testimonies', perhaps read 'thy statutes'. 119,152 In the notes, add: perhaps 'thy commandments'. 119,165 For 'thy law', perhaps read 'thy statutes'. 119,176 For 'thy commandments', perhaps read 127,2 At 'so' add note: perhaps 'indeed'. 132,13 Add note: Bomberg reads 'hath desired [it]', with the object implicit, while others, more correctly, read 'hath desired it', with the object explicit. (134,1 In the notes read 'in the courts'.) (140,8 This particular note doesn't make much sense to me. I suspect it is mistaken.) 140,14 Instead of 'shall dwell in Thy presence', perhaps read 'shall be satisfied with Thy presence'. 141,7 This variation will not affect translation. 143,8 For 'Cause me to hear', perhaps read 'Fill me with'. 149,5 At 'upon their beds', add a note: read perhaps 'by their [priestly] courses'.

**Proverbs** 2,15 At 'and perverse in their paths', add note: read with Septuagint 'and whose paths are perverse'. 2,18 At 'her house', perhaps read 'byway'. 2,22 This difference will not affect translation. 3,35 In the notes, read 'inherit' instead of 'carry away'. 4,7<sup>a</sup> In the notes, insert: perhaps 'the beginning of thy wealth' (instead of 'the beginning of wisdom'). 5,17 At

The Hebrew term מדות is here translated 'testimony' to match the JPS 1917 translation used as a base text for this project, even though this might not be the best equivalent. Likewise, משפת might not be best rendered as 'judgment', although here it is.

Thr 4,14<sup>b</sup> n adde: prps עַרָמִים Est 1,6 ad חור adde not: prps תחת pr חור et קבלת (dl וֹתכלת (dl במטות) במטות 1,6<sup>b</sup> n adde: prps במטות 1,15 n adde: prps conj קבלת 1,17 adde not: ומדבר 1,18 add not: ובדי adde not: prps ומדבר 1,18 add not: prps ומדבר ירע הדבר למרדכי ויגד לְהָמָן בֵּן־הַמִּדָתָא הָאֲנָגִי מִשֹׁמְרֵי 2,22 adde not: prps וידע הדבר למרדכי ויגד לְהָמָן בֵּן קּסֶר (partim e 21 trsp) 3,4 כי הגידו לו את עם מרדכי 3,6 לי הוודי 1,5 (partim e 21 trsp) קּסֶר et **3,7** adde not: prps om v 7 (gl ad 13) לם מרדכי frt add cfr  ${\bf G}^{\scriptscriptstyle B}$ 7,2 adde not: prps 7,5 adde not: מלאו מלאו מלאו 7,7 adde not עליו 1 אליו 8,5 adde om גם ביום השני not: מחשבת frt add 8,8 adde not: מְחָתֵם prps מְחָתֵם 8,9 adde not: בי בורים אל-היהורים מdd) 9,2 adde not: prps om . . . . כי מללהי add) אל-היהורים מללהי 9,16 adde not: prps om בבוה . . . ידם et transp : post אַדַר v 17 9,19 adde not: קימו וקבל frt gl; l: K פְּרוֹזִים 9,27<sup>ab</sup> adde: pr קימו וקבל prps יוָקמוּ; not ° adde: prps l וְלֹא יַעַבְרוּ et transp post מרדכי פּאָפּיּם מרדכי ופרשת גדלת מרדכי וכל־מעשה תקפו וגבורתו הלוא (sine ו) 10,2 adde not: prps היהודי.

au (Job mere graphicum, indicat radicem אָלֵיה (Job mere graphicum, indicat radicem על הוא (עלה בעלי און אַליה בעלי האָליה בעלי און אַליה (Job mere graphicum, indicat radicem עליה בעלי בעלי בעלי בעלי בעלי בעלי - Esr 5,9ª n adde: vel frt l  $\mathfrak M$  (cf Aram רוצא) (ממטיא, מסגיא באַרָיה מסגיא adde: prps antea בּמָאַרָה (אַ אַרָיה מסגיא adde not: prps בּמָאַרָה (אַרָּה אַרָּה אַרָּה אַרָּה אַרָּה פּאַרָר).

1Ch 26,6 n pone τοῦ (^τῷ) ante πρωτοτ. – 2Ch 22,1 adde not: ७ ὀγδόφ 22,9 t l אֵרְהֵיּ 26,7 n adde: = Petra?

### ACCENTUS CORRIGENDI

I Zāqēph pr R°bî°c Nu 5,18 Jos 1,7 ש התולה (sed vix recte) Jdc 20,44 מבנימון אפלים 12,7 21,7 התולה (sed vix recte) אפלים 12,7 21,7 מליה העלה 12,7 21,7 הרעה אפלים 12,7 21,7 הרעה אפלים 12,7 21,7 המול בעדלם 13,16; 7,1; 8,3 המול בעדלם 15,13.16; 7,1; 8,3 המול בעדלם 15,13.16; 7,1; 8,3 המול בעדלם 15,13.16; 7,1; 8,3 מתפלל מלאלים 15,13.16; 23,4 המול בעדלה.

l R°bî°c pr Zāqēph Jer 52,17 Ez 4,16 אלי 16,46 ממֹך 28,22 ממֹן 16,46 אלי 16,46 Thr 2,19 בליל 20,36,17 המלכה 20

l Pašṭā pr Azlā Jes 35,10 ציון Jer 22,3 תנוֹ 22,17 הנקי 23,27 ממי 36,3 Dan 4,9

l Azlā pr Pašṭā Ex 9,14 אנר 15 13,2 ויהיו 25 18,29 ההמון 25 18,29 אמר 19,27 אמר 19,27 המון 25 18,29 ושלחתי 51,2 השילני בצ אלמן 51,5 ושלחתי 51,2 יהוֹה 51,2 שלושים 2Ch 16.12 שלושים.

l Mêr<sup>e</sup>kā pr Mûnaḥ Jos 1,2 לבני Jer 22,6 הבְית 1Ch 3,3.

l Mûnaḥ pr Měr<sup>®</sup>kā Ez 18,12 42,19 [רוח Dan 9,17 שמָע Dan 9,18 פֿקַחה Dan 9,18 מְלָּבֶל Dan 9,18 והיבָל 10,11,19 מוֹיִם 2Ch 8,15.

l T°bîr pr Mêr°kā Jer 29,8 לֹכֶם 2Ch 7:20 ואתננו 9,27 9.27. הכֶּסף.

Lege: Nu 2,9 אל־שמואל 3,22 ישראל 15 2,13 ישראל 17 10,16 אל־שמואל 3,22 יהוֹה 3,22 ישראל 18 10,16 הצנה 16,55 אל־שמואל 16 בנותייך 16,55 יהוֹה 16,55 הכושׁי 39,16 שֶׁלְר 14,14 עלִי בּנותייך 16,55 מלך לשרה 2,4 עלי 5,5 אשר 16,55 אשר 16,55 אשר 16,59 אַלה 16,250 אַלה 16,250 העלים 2ch 26,8 וַיַּלְך 34,33 אַלה 2,29 אַלה 2,29 אַלה 2,20 מלף 16,250 העלים

Lamentations 4,14<sup>b</sup> In the notes, add: Perhaps read 'naked' instead of 'blind'. - Esther 1,6 At 'white' add a note: Perhaps read 'under' instead of 'white' and 'blue' instead of 'fine linen' (then delete the expression 'and blue'). In the notes, add: Perhaps read 'on beds' instead of 'beds'. 1,15 In the notes, add: Perhaps 'according to law' should be the end of verse 14 rather than the beginning of 15. **1,17** This one probably won't translate. **1.18** This **1,22** In the notes, add: Others omit 'and publish it in each one's language'. difference is barely translateable, if at all. 2,22 Add note: Perhaps 'and the matter was known to Mordechai, and it was reported to Haman son of Hammedatha the Agagite by the gatekeepers'. (This happens to be a proposal by Haupt.) **3,4** 'for he had told ... Jew' is perhaps added. 3,6 'for they had revealed to him Mordecai's people' and the second occurrence of 'Mordecai's people' are possibly additions. **3,7** Add note: Perhaps omit this verse (as a gloss on 13). 7,2 Add note: Perhaps omit 'also on the second day'. 7,7 This issue won't translate in any but the most literal of translations. 8.5 Add note: 'devised by Haman son of Hammedatha the Agagite' is possibly an addition. 8,8 This difference does not matter for the meaning of the verse. 8,9 Add note: the first instance of 'to the Jews' should perhaps be 'against the Jews', and then the words 'and to the Jews in their writing and their language' would be regarded as an addition. **9.2** Here the suggestion of BHK is impossible - one cannot remove 'for ... before them', as this confuses the direction of words in the verse, and implies there are words between ki and lifneyhem which simply aren't there. However, I think the intention may have been to relay a suggestion of Haupt, to delete the words 'for fear of them fell upon all the peoples', for which see Patton, Esther (1908 [1951], p. 285). 9,16 Add note: Perhaps omit 'but they did not lay hands on the spoil', and **9.19**<sup>b-b</sup> Add note: 'who lived in the unwalled cities' transpose the *sof pasuk* to sit after *Adar* in what is currently 9,17. may be a gloss, and there is a Ktiv-Qere issue that shouldn't affect translation. 9,27<sup>b-b</sup> Add: Instead of '[The Jews] ordained and made customary', perhaps read 'And [the Jews] ordained'. To note cadd: Perhaps read lit. 'and they would not fail', that is, 'without fail', and that these words should be transposed to after the word 'year' at the end of the first. 9,29<sup>b-b</sup> Add: others transpose 'Mordecai the Jew', to read, 'And Esther the queen wrote with all the authority of Mordecai the Jew' (see Patton, Esther (1908 [1951]), p. 302). 10,2 Add note: Perhaps 'and the account of the greatness of Mordecai, and all his mighty deeds and his power, are they not ...'

Daniel 4,13 – A variant of no translateable consequence. 4,14 Like the previous verse. 5,21 Same thing here. Ezra 5:9° A variant of no translational consequence. 10,2 A correction to the text's pointing; not translateable. Neh 2,13 In the note, add that perhaps, if 'walls' is to be emended to 'wall', then 'which were' is to be amended to 'which was'. 6,6° In the notes, add: delete, compare v. 7. 10,30 At 'their nobles', perhaps read 'with a curse', following the Septuagint.

1 Chronicles 26,6 In the notes, put the word 'the' before 'firstborn', fixing the currently somewhat scrambled state of the note here. 2 Chronicles 22,1 I do not understand what BHK is trying to say about this verse. 22,9 I do not understand BHK here either. 26,7<sup>a</sup> In the notes, add: '= Petra?'

### **ACCENT CORRECTIONS**

These accents, though they contain details of sentence structure in Hebrew to some extent, are often ignored even by scholarly interpreters. In any case, it is not practical to translate their contents into English – no one unaquainted with the system will understand any of the material, and anyone who does understand the system should be able to figure out what's going on from the left column.

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1 באשֶׁית בָּרָא אֱלֹהֵים אֵת הַשְּׁמַיִם וְאֵת הָאֶרֶץ: יְהָאָבץ הָיְתָה תֹהוּ וָבֹהוּ וְחִשֶּׁךְ עַל־פְּגֵנִ תְהִוֹם וְרַוּחַ אֱלֹהִים יְרָוּחַ אֱלֹהִים יְרָוּחַ יָרָרָהָפֶת עַל־פָּגִי הַמָּיִם: יֹנִיאֹמֶר אֶלֹהָים יְהַי אָוֹר וַיְהִי־אָוֹר: ⁴וַיַּרָא אֶלהָים אֶת־הָאָוֹר כִּי־מֻוֹב וַיַּבְהֵּל אֶלהִים בִּין הָאָוֹר וּבִין הַהְשֶׁך: זַּיִּקְרָא אֱלֹהָים ו לָאוֹר וֹים וְלַחְשֶׁך קָרָא לֶיָלָה וַוְהִי־עֶּרֶב וַוְהִי־בְּקֶר וְוֹם אֶחֶד: פ ַּנְיַּאמֶר אֱלֹהִיםº יָהַיְ רָקִיעַ בְּתִּוֹךְ הַשָּׁמִים וִיהֵי מַבְּהִּיל בֵּין מֻיִם לְמָיִם°: זַיַּעַשׂ אֶלֹהִים אֶת־הָרָקִיעַ וַיַּבְהַּל בָּין הַמַּוֹם אֲשֶׁר מִתַּחַת לָרָלִיעַ וּבֵין הַפַּיִם אֲשֶׁר מֵעַל לָרָקִיעַ יְנִיְהִי־בֵןיּ: יּנִיּקְרָא אֱלֹהָים קַרָקיעַ שָּׁנָגִים וַיְהִי־עֶּרֶב וַיְהִי־בָּקֶר יִוֹם שֵׁנִי: פּ יּוַיֵּאֹמֶר אֶלֹהִים יִקְוֹוּ הַפַּׁיִם מִתַּחַת הַשָּׁמַיִם אֶל־מָקוֹם אֶלְד וְתִרְאֶה הַיַּבְּשָׁת וַיְהִי־בֵןּי: יּוֹנִיּקְרָא אֶלֹהַים ו לַיַּבְּשָׁת אֶבץ וּלְמִּקְוָת הַמַּוִם קָרָא יַמִּים וַיַּרָא אֱלֹהָים כִּי־מְוֹב: יוֹנַיָּאמֶר אֱלֹהִים שַּׁרִי לְמִינֹוֹי אֲשֶׁר זַרְעוֹ־בֻוֹ עַלֹּ־הָאָָרֶץ וַיְהִי־בֵן: יַנִתּוֹצֵא הָאָׁרֶץ נֻלּ־הָאָבֶץ אֲשֶׂב אֲשֶׂב יַנְתוֹצֵא הָאָרֶץ מַזְרֵיעַ זֶּרַע לְמִינֵּהוּ וְעֵץץ עִשֶּה־פְּרֵי אֲשֶׁר זַרְעוֹ־בְוֹ לְמִינֵהוּ יִם שְׁלִשִּׁי: בַּקְר יִוֹם שְׁלִּשִּׁי: בַּקְר יִוֹם שְׁלִּשִׁי: בַּקְר יִוֹם שְׁלִּשִּׁי: פּ זְּוַיָּאמֶר אֱלֹהִים יְהָי מְאֹרֹת בִּרְקִיעַ הַשָּׁמַיִּם לְהַבְּדִּיל בֵּין הַיִּוֹם וּבֵין הַלָּוְלָה וְהָיַוּ לְאֹתֹת וּלְמַוֹעֲדִים וּלְיָמָים וְשָׁנִים: ַנְיָהִי־בֵּן: לִמְאוֹרֹת בִּרְקִיעַ הַשָּׁמַׁיִם לְהָאִירָ עַל־הָאָבֶץ וְיְהִי־בֵּן: ַנַּרַל אֶל הִים אֶת־שָׁגֵי הַמְּאֹרָת הַגְּרֹלֻים אֶת־הַמָּאָוֹר הַנְּרֹל <sup>\*</sup> ַלְמֶמְשֶּׁלֶת הַיּּוֹם וְאֶת־הַפָּאָוֹר הַקְּמוֹן לְמֶמְשֶׁלֶת הַלַּיְלָה וְאֵת הַכּוֹכָבִים: ז'נַיִּתֵן אֹתֶם אֱלֹהָים בִּרְקִיעַ הַשָּׁמָיִם לְהָאָיר יעַל־הָאָָרֶץ:

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<sup>1</sup>IN° the beginning God created the heaven and the earth. 2Now the earth was unformed and void, and darkness was upon the face of the deep; and the spirit of God hovered over the face of the waters. <sup>3</sup>And God said: 'Let there be light.' And there was light. <sup>4</sup>And God saw the light, that it was good; and God divided the light from the darkness. 5And God called the light Day, and the darkness He called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, one day. 6And God said: 'Let there be a firmament in the midst of the waters, and let it divide the waters from the waters.' And God made the firmament, and divided the waters which were under the firmament from the waters which were above the firmament; and it was so.° 8And God called the firmament Heaven. And there was evening and there was morning, a second day. <sup>9</sup>And God said: 'Let the waters under the heaven be gathered together unto one place<sup>a</sup>, and let the dry land appear.' And it was so.<sup>b</sup> <sup>10</sup>And God called the dry land Earth, and the

gathering of the waters called He Seas; and God saw that it was good. <sup>11</sup>And God said: 'Let the earth put forth grass, herb yielding seed, <sup>a</sup>fruit-tree<sup>a</sup> bearing fruit after its kind, wherein is the seed thereof, upon the earth.' And it was so. 12 And the earth brought forth grass, herb yielding seed after its kind, and tree bearing fruit, wherein is the seed thereof, bafter its kind; and God saw that it was good. <sup>13</sup>And there was evening and there was morning, a third day. 14 And God said: 'Let there be lights in the firmament of the heaven to divide the day from the night; and let them be for signs, and for seasons, and for days and years; 15 and let them be for lights in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth.' And it was so. 16 And God made the two great lights: the greater light "to rule" the day, and the lesser light "to rule" the night; and the stars. <sup>17</sup>And God set them in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth,

Cp 1,1 So reads the Masoretic Text (large letter ב). || 6 Insert 'and it was so' from 7; compare the Septuagint and 9. 11. 15. 24. 30. || 7 delete 'and it was so' and insert 'and God saw that it was good'; compare 4. 10. 12 etc. and the Septuagint at 8. || 9 a Read probably 'gathering' (Hebrew בְּלְּבֶּבֶּהְ, equivalent to the Septuagint's συναγωγή). Compare 'gathering of the waters' in verse 10. || b The Septuagint adds 'and the waters which were under the heavens were gathered into their gatherings, and the dry land appeared'. || 11 B Read 'and fruit-tree'. Compare verse 12, along with 3 manuscripts of De Rossi and the Samaritan Pentateuch, Targum Yerushalmi, Syriac, and Vulgate. || b-b These words are missing in the hexaplaric recension of the Septuagint. || 14 There is a minor pointing issue here that does not affect translation. || 15 Here is another pointing issue that does not affect translation. || 16 The Septuagint reads "for the rulership of"; there is no need to emend the Masoretic Text on this basis.

For clarity in the apparatus, I replaced the JPS 'gathering together' in v. 10 with simply 'gathering'.

בְּיֹוֹם עֲשָׂוֹת יְהוֶה אֱלֹהֶים<sup>،</sup> אֶרֶץ וְשָׁמָיִם: ¹וְכָּל ו שֵׂיחַ הַשָּׂבֶּה ָטֶרֶם יְהָיָה בָאָׁרֶץ וְכָל־עֵשֶׂב הַשָּׂדֶה שָׁרֶם יִצְמָח כִּי לֹא הִמְּשִׁיר יְהַנָּה אֶלֹהִים עַל־הָאָבֶץ וְאָרֶם אַֹּיִן לַעֲבָר אֶת־הֶאֲדָמָה: יּוְאָרֵי ַיִּצְלֶה מִן ⁴־הָאֶָרֶץ וְהִשְּׁקָה אֶת־כָּל־פְּנִי־הָאֲדָמָה: יּנִיּיצֶר יְהנָה אֶלֹהִים אֶת־הָאָדָם עָפָּרֹ מִן־הָאָדָטָה וַיִּפַּח בְּאַפֶּיו נִשְׁמַת חַיִּים וַיְהֵי הָאָדֶם לְגָפֶשׁ חַיֵּה: °נִיּשַֿע יְהוֹוֶה אֶלֹהֵים נַּוְ־בְּעֵדֶן מָאֶדֶם וַיָּשֶׂם שָׁם אֶת־הָאָדֶם אֲשֶׁר יָצֶר: °וַיַּצְכַּוֹח יְהוָה אֱלֹהִיםׂ ָמִן־הָאֲדָמָׁה כָּל־עֵץ נָחְמָּד לְמַרְאֶה וְמַוֹב לְמַאֲכָל °וְעֵץ הַחַיִּים וְנָהָר יִצֵּא מֵעֵּדֶן 10 וֹנְהָר ַּרָעיר הַנָּן וְעֵץ הַרָעַת אָוֹב וָרֶע<sup>י</sup>: לְהַשְּׁקוֹת אֶת־הַנָּגֶן וּמִשָּׁם ׁ יָפָּבֶּד וְהָיָה לְאַרְבָּעֲה רָאשִׁים: יוֹשֵׁם הָאֶחֶד פִּישָׁוֹן הַוּא הַפֹּבַב אָת כָּל־אָנֶרֶץ הַחֲוִילָה אֲשֶׁר־שָׁם תַּזָּהֶב: יַּנְוֹתָב הָאֶָרֶץ הַהָּוֹא עֻוֹב° שֲׁם הַבְּּרֻלַח וְאֶבֶן הַשְּׂהַם: יַּ וְשֵׁם־הַנָּהָר הַשַּׁנִי נִּיחָוֹן הַוּא הַפּוֹבֶּב אָת כָּל־אֶָרֶץ כְּוּשׁ: 14 יְשָׁם בּנָּהָר הַשְּׁלִישִׁי חִבֶּבֶל הָוּא הַהֹלֵךְ קְדְמַת אַשִׁוּר וְהַנָּהָר הַרְבִישִׁי הָוּא פְּרֶת: ¹¹נַיִּקָּח יְהוֶה אֱלֹהָים אֶת־הֶאָדֶם וַיַּנִּחַהוּ בְּגַן־עֵּׁדֶן לְעָבְרֶה וּלְשָׁמְרָה: 1ºנִיְצַוֹ יְהוָה אֶלֹהִים עַל־הֶאָדֶם לֵאמִור מִכָּל מֵץ־הַנֶּן אָכָל תּאבֵל: 17 °וּמֵעַץ הַדַּעַת מֲוֹב וָרָע° לְא תֹאכַל מִנֶּזְנּוּ בִּי בְּיָוֹם אֲכָלְךְּ מִמֶּנוּ מִוֹת תְּמְוּת: יהוָה אֱלֹהִים 18 מַּלֹהִים 18 לא־טָוֹב הֶיוֹת הָאָדֶם לְבַדִּוֹ אֱצֶּשֶׂה־לָוֹ עֵזֶר כְּנָנְדְוֹ: ¹¹וַיִּצֶר יְהוָה בְּל־חַיַּתְ הַשָּׂבֶהֹ וְאֵתֹ בְּל־עֲוֹף הַשָּׁמַיִם ׁ מִן־הָאֲדְנָה ۥ אֱלֹהִים בְּל־חַיַּתְ ַניָבֵא אֶל־הָאָלָם לְרְאָוֹת מַה־יִּקְרָא־לָוֹ וְכֹל אֲשֶׁר שמות יהאָדֶם הָאָדָם ניִקרָא 20 ּהַשָּׁלַיִם וּלְכָל חַיַּת הַשָּׂדֶה וּלְאָדֶם ״לְכָל־הַבְּהַמָּה וּלְעַוֹף לָא־מָצָא צָזֶר בְּנֶגְּדְוֹ: יַנַיַּפֵּל יְהוָה אֶל הָים ו תַּרְדִּמָה עַל־הָאָדֶם נַיִּישָׁן נַיִּקַּח אַחַתֹּ מִצַּלְעֹתִיו נַיִּסְנָּר בָּשָּׂר תַּחְמֶנְּה: 22נִיבֶן יְהנָה ָאֶלֹהֵים ו אֶת־הַצֵּלֶעַ אֲשֶׁר־לָקַח מִן־הָאָדֶם אֶל־הָאָדֶם: <sup>23</sup>וַיּאׁמֶר הַאָּדָם

> זָאת הַפַּעַם עָצֶם מִצְצִלֵּי וּבְשָׂר מִבְּשָׂרִי לְזֹאת יִקְרֵא אִשָּׁה כִּי מֵאִישׁ לְקְחָה-וְּאת:

3 GENESIS 2,5-23

... in the day that the LORD God<sup>c</sup> made earth and heaven. 5 No shrub of the field was yet in the earth, and no herb of the field had yet sprung up; for the LORD God had not caused it to rain upon the earth, and there was not a man to till the ground; 6 but there went up a mist<sup>a</sup> from<sup>b</sup> the earth, and watered the whole face of the ground. 7 Then the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul. 8 And the LORD God planted a garden eastward, in Eden; and there He put the man whom He had formed. 9 And out of the ground made the LORD God to grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight, and good for food; "the tree of life also in the midst of the garden, and the tree of good of the knowledge and evil.° 10 And a river went out of Eden to water the garden; and from thence it was parted, and became four heads. 11 The name of the first is Pishon; that is it which compasseth the whole land of othe Havilah°, where there is gold; 12 and the gold of that land is "good"; there is bdellium and the onyx stone. 13 And the name of the second river is Gihon; the same is it that compasseth the whole land of Cush. 14 And the name of the third river is Tigris; that is it which goeth toward the east of Asshur. And the fourth river is the Euphrates. 15 And the LORD God took the man, and put him

into the garden of Eden to dress it and to keep it. 16 And the LORD God commanded the man, saying: 'Of every tree of the garden thou mayest freely eat; 17 °but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it; for in the day that thou eatest thereof thou shalt surely die.' 18 And the LORD God said: 'It is not good that the man should be alone; 'I will make' him a help meet for him.' 19 And out of the ground the LORD Goda formed bevery beast of the field, and every fowl of the air; and brought them unto the man to see what he would call them; and whatsoever the man would call 'every living creature', that was to be the name thereof. 20 And the man gave names to all cattle, and to athe fowl of the air, and to every beast of the field; but bfor Adam there was not found<sup>b</sup> a help meet for him. 21 And the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and he slept; and He took one of his ribs, and closed up the place with flesh instead thereof. 22 And the ribo, which the LORD God had taken from the man, made He a woman, and brought her unto the man. 23 And the man said:

'This is now bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh;

she shall be called Woman, because she was btaken aout of Mana.'

4 ° Either 'the LORD' or 'God' here and 5.7-9 etc all the way to 3,23 seems to be added by a redactor (Septuagint, Vetus Latina more often 'God' || 6 a Septuagint πηγή, perhaps indicating Hebrew מון, 'and a fountain'. Aquila reads ἐπιβλυσμόσ, 'a gushing forth'. || b Targum (Merx) 'upon'. || 9 ° ° read probably 'and in the midst of garden the tree of knowledge' || 11 Samaritan Pentateuch 'Havilah' || 12 One manuscript in De Rossi, plus the Samaritan Pentateuch, read 'very good'. || 17 ° ° delete the words 'of good and evil', or perhaps read 'and of the tree which is in the midst of the garden' (compare 3,3). || 18 Samaritan Pentateuch, Vulgate 'let us make' || 19 a Samaritan Pentateuch adds 'again'. || b Here is a grammatical issue which does not affect English translation. || c ° The words 'living creature' are possibly added; if they are removed, read 'every one'. || 20 a Read with some manuscripts, and the Septuagint, Syriac, Vulgate, and Targum Yerushalmi 'all the fowl'. || b Read 'for the man (there was not found ?)', or else 'the man did not find'. || 22 Bomberg's Bible has a difference of pointing here which will not affect translation. || 23 a Samaritan Pentateuch, Targum Onkelos, 'out of her man'. || b A difference of pointing which will not change the meaning.

In order to more clearly show textual variants, I have amended 'Havilah' to 'the Havilah' in v. 11. English Bible text is otherwise from <a href="https://www.sacred-texts.com/bib/jps/">https://www.sacred-texts.com/bib/jps/</a>. Hebrew Bible text copied in from <a href="https://tanach.us/">https://tanach.us/</a>.