

ezra finding the formats

notes to understand editing marks

green highlighted text are hebrew or greek words found in strong's concordance that needed a better meaning for that word. the 8pt text is that hebrew or greek word, the following word is noted by using the 1st 2 letters as upright and the rest of the word is italic.

nothing} *emptiness*

curly brackets { } means hebrew or greek words not needed or needed changing.

brackets [] means text that was moved from one place to another to put words in the correct order. there are noted (brown text) where they are and brackets around those words where they went.

orange text are words that might be made into a format, but i did not use those words

plus sign + means the words in that verse needed to be switched to correct for english reading.

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Ezra 1

1. in his {1st} last years
2. for {cyrus} *darius* our king {persia}
3. he ordered us to {COMPLETE} *FULFILL*
4. *THE WORDS FROM YV*
5. {by the mouth of Jeremiah}
6. for YV {STIRRED} *MOVED*
7. [the spirit in {cyrus} *darius*] + switch word order
8. [*darius* spirit heart] + switch word order
9. and the king for {persia} *babylon*
10. sent-out a proclamation
11. to all the *Israeli's*
12. *living* in his kingdom
13. {also with a letter saying}

14. this is {says} decreed
 15. cyrus by your king for {persia} babylon
 16. YV your CREATOR heavens
 17. HAS GIVEN YOU your {all} {kingdom} Land
 18. {earth} and HE HAS APPOINTED you to rebuild
 19. HIS HOUSE in jerusalem
 20. {which is in Judah}
 21. whoever is from {all} HIS People
 22. your CREATOR SAYS
 23. go to jerusalem
 24. which is in judah
 25. and rebuild the HOUSE
 26. for YV your CREATOR {Israel}
 27. Whose CREATOR
 28. IS WHO is for Jerusalem
 29. and every survivor
 30. from {Israel} wherever
 31. you were placed to live
 32. let my people {place} support you
 33.
 34. with silver and gold
 35. and with goods and {cattle} livestock
 36. together my people
 37. will offer- -willingly to you
 38.
 39. to the HOUSE for your CREATOR
 40. {which is in Jerusalem}
 41. and to your {Head} leaders and {fathers} elders
 42. from judah and {Benjamin} israel
 43. with their priests and levities stood
 44. everyone's spirit
 45. that our CREATOR {STIRRED} MOVED
 46. went to rebuild
 47. the HOUSE for YV
 48. {which is in Jerusalem}
 49. everyone around us
 50. {strengthened} gave us articles
 51. {of silver and gold}
 52. from their goods and {cattle} livestock
 53. {valuables aside all}
 54. they gave them {offered-} willingly
 55. king {cyrus} darius
 56. sent for the Utensils
 57. {HOUSE for YV}
 58. which nebuchadnezzar
 59. {carried} took from jerusalem
 60. from his treasury and put the {house} temple
 61. for his true , creator
 62. cyrus king from persia brought by hand
 63. mithredath and their treasurer gave Them {counted-out}
 64. to {Sheshbazzar} Daniel our leader Judah
 65. {this was their numbering
 66. 30 gold Dishes 1000 silver Dishes

67. 29 Duplicates 30 Gold Bowls
68. 410 Silver Bowls of a 2nd kind
69. *with* 1000's of other Utensils
70. all *the* **Utensils**
71. *were made from* gold *and* silver
72. *they* numbered 5400}
73. *then* {Sheshbazzar} **Daniel** led
74. **everyone to Jerusalem**
75. *our* {captive} **exiled** traveled
76. *from* babylon *to* jerusalem
77. {these *are our* people *from the* provinces}
78. **coming from** captivity
79. {*the* exiles whom nebuchadnezzar *the* king of babylon}
80. *were from them* carried away
81. {to babylon}
82. **and we** returned *to* jerusalem
83. {for Judah}
84. **with everyone in our** Land
85. {those going *with* Zerubbabel
86. Jeshua Nehemiah Seraiah Reelaiah
87. Mordecai Bilshan Mispar
88. Bigvai Rehum Baanah
89. *they* numbered *the* men *from the* people of Israel
90. *the* sons *from* Parosh 2172
91. *the* sons *from* Shephatiah 372
92. *the* sons *from* Arah 775
93. {*the* sons *from* pahath-moab}
94. *the* sons *from* Jeshua *and* Joab 2812
95. *the* sons *from* Elam 1254
96. *the* sons *from* Zattu 945
97. *the* sons *from* Zaccai 760
98. *the* sons *from* Bani 642
99. *the* sons *from* Bebai 623
100. *the* sons *from* Azgad 1222
101. *the* sons *from* Adonikam 666
102. *the* sons *from* Bigvai 2056
103. *the* sons *from* Adin 454
104. *the* sons *from* Ater of Hezekiah 98
105. *the* sons *from* Bezai 323
106. *the* sons *from* Jorah 112
107. *the* sons *from* Hashum 223
108. *the* sons *from* Gibbar 95
109. {*the* men *from* Bethlehem 123}
110. {*the* men *from* Netophah 56}
111. {*the* men *from* Anathoth 128}
112. *the* sons *from* Azmaveth 42
113. *the* sons *from* Kiriath-arim {Chephirah *and* Beeroth} 743
114. *the* sons *from* Ramah {Geba} 621
115. {*the* men *from* Michmas 122}
116. {*the* men *from* Bethel Ai 223}
117. *the* sons *from* Nebo 52
118. *the* sons *from* Magbish 156
119. {*the* sons *from the* other Elam 1254}
120. *the* sons *from* Harim 320
121. *the* sons *from* Lod {Hadid Ono} 725
122. {*the* men of Jericho 345}
123. *the* sons of Senaah 3630
124. {*the* Priests *the* sons of Jedaiah of *the* house of Jeshua 973}
125. *the* sons of Immer 1052
126. *the* sons of Pashhur 1247
127. *the* sons of Harim 1017
128. *the* Levites *the* sons of Jeshua
129. Kadmiel of *the* sons of Hodaviah 74
130. *the* singers *the* sons of Asaph 128
131. *the* sons of *the* gatekeepers *the* sons of Shallum

132. *the sons of Ater the sons of Talmon the sons of Akkub the sons of Hatita*
 133. *the sons of Shobai in all 139*
 134. *the temple servants*
 135. *the sons of Ziha the sons of Hasupha the sons of Tabbaoth the sons of Keros the sons of Siaha the sons of Padon the sons of Lebanah the sons of Hagabah the sons of Akkub the sons of Hagab the sons of Shalmal the sons of Hanan the sons of Giddel the sons of Gahar the sons of Reaiah the sons of Rezin the sons of Nekoda the sons of Gazzam the sons of Uzza the sons of Paseah the sons of Besai the sons of Asnah the sons of Meunim the sons of Nephisim the sons of Bakbuk the sons of Hakupha the sons of Harhur the sons of Bazluth the sons of Mehida the sons of Harsha the sons of Barkos the sons of Sisera the sons of Temah the sons of Nezhiah the sons of Hatipha*
 136. *the sons of Solomon's servants he sons of Sotai the sons of Hassophereth the sons of Peruda the sons of Jaalah the sons of Darkon the sons of Giddel the sons of Shephathiah the sons of Hattil the sons of Pochereth-hazzebaim the sons of Ami*
 137. *all the temple servants and the sons of Solomon's servants were 392*
 138. *these came from tel-melah*
 139. *Tel-harsha Cherub Addan Immer*
 140. *they were not able to give evidence of their fathers' households*
 141. *their descendants whether they were from Israel's sons*
 142. *of delaiah and the sons of tobiah*
 143. *for the sons of Nekoda were 652*
 144. *sons of the Priests the sons of Habaiah the sons of Hakkoz the sons of Barzillai*
 145. *who took a wife from the daughters of barzillai from gilead*
 146. *he was called by their name*
 147. *these searched their ancestral registration located*
 148. *they were considered unclean to be Priests*
 149. *the governor said eat from the Most Holy Things*
 150. *until a Priest stood with the urim and thummim*
 151. *the whole assembly numbered 42360*
 152. *besides their male and female servants who numbered 7337*
 153. *they had 200 singing men and women*
 154. *their horses were 736 their mules 245 their camels 435 their donkeys 6720*
 155. *some of the Head Fathers arriving at the House for YV*
 156. *which is in Jerusalem*
 157. *they willingly offered money for the House for the CREATOR to restore the foundation*
 158. *according to their ability they gave to the treasury*
 159. *for the work 61000 gold drachmas and 5000 silver minas for a 100 Priest Garments*
 160. *Priests Levites with some of the people*
 161. *singers gatekeepers temple servants lived in their cities*
 162. *all Israel were in their cities*
 163. *the 7th month they came*
 164. *the Leading sons for Israel came from their cities*
 165. *the men came together*
 166. *as 1 male to Jerusalem*
 167. *Jeshua the son of Jozadak*
 168. *and his brothers were Priests*
 169. *Zerubbabel the son of Shealtiel*
 170. *his brothers rose*
 171. *they built the ALTAR for the CREATOR for ISRAEL*
 172. *to Offer Burnt Offerings*
 173. *as written in the LAW thru Moses*
 174. *Servant for our CREATOR*
 175. *they set the ALTAR by the FOUNDATION*
 176. *they were terrified because the peoples in their Land*
 177. *they Offered Burnt Offerings to YV*
 178. *Burnt Offerings in the morning and evening*
 179. *they celebrated the Feast of Booths as written*
 180. *and the number for Burnt Offerings daily*
 181. *the Ordinance for each day required*
 182. *after this they continued the Burnt Offerings*
 183. *also on the New Moons*
 184. *and all the fixed Feasts by YV*
 185. *to consecrate everyone's Offering*
 186. *their Freewill Offerings to YV*
 187. *from the 1st day of the 7th month*
 188. *they began to Offer the Burnt Offerings to YV*
 189. *for the Foundation for the House for YV were laid*
 190. *for they gave money to the masons and carpenters*

191. food drink *and* oil to the sidonians and tyrians
192. to bring cedar wood from lebanon by the sea to joppa
193. according to permission from cyrus king of persia}

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194. {in the 2nd year
195. coming to the House for the CREATOR in Jerusalem
196. in the 2nd month
197. Zerubbabel the son of Shealtiel}
198. Jeshua *and* son Jozadak
199. with the rest of their sons
200. were our Priests from Levi
201. {everyone} *and they came with us from captivity*
202. in Jerusalem they gathered
203. *and* began appointing
204. Levites from 20
205. years *and* older

206. *and they oversaw the building*
207. for the **HOUSE FOR YV**
208. {Jeshua} with their sons *and* brothers
209. {stood united
210. with Kadmiel *and* his sons
211. the sons of Judah
212. the sons of Henadad
213. the sons *and* brothers from Levi}
214. were our stonecutters {oversaw} *and* workmen
215. {on the HOUSE for the CREATOR}
216. as the builders began
217. {laid} **working** on the granite
218. {FOUNDATION} for the **HOUSE FOR YV**
219. {the Priests stood
220. in their apparel with horns
221. with the Levites *and* the sons of Asaph with cymbals}
222. they praised **YV**

223. {according to the directions from King David
224. all Israel sang praises}
225. *and as they gave thanks* {YV}
226. for **HIS GOODNESS** *and* **LOVINGKINDNESS**
227. {Israel forever}
228. {all} our people shouted
229. with great shouting
230. {they praised YV
231. because the FOUNDATION
232. for the HOUSE for YV was laid
233. many Priests from Levi *and* our Head Fathers
234. *and* old men who saw the 1st HOUSE
235. they shouted with a loud voice
236. for the FOUNDATION for THIS HOUSE
237. was laid before their eyes}
238. for many were shouting
239. aloud with joy
240. {the people could not distinguish
241. the sounds the shouts of joy
242. from the sound of the weeping of the people}
243. *and as our people were shouting*
244. {with a loud shout *and* the sound}
245. they heard us from afar away

Ezra 3 (part 1) 4:1

246. *the enemies of judah*
 247. *and {Benjamin} israel heard*
 248. *our people from exile*
 249. *were rebuilding {HOUSE} FOR YV*
 250. *{the CREATOR for Israel}*
 251. *they approached {Zerubbabel } {Sheshbazzar} Daniel*
 252. *and our {Head} leaders {fathers} for israel*
 253. *saying you will not rebuild*
 254. *to seek from your CREATOR*

 255. *for you have not sacrificed Offered to HIM since*
 256. *the days for zedek esarhaddon}*
 257. *when the king*
 258. *for {assiria} babylon captured it*
 259. *{sent us here}*
 260. *{Zerubbabel} Daniel and Jeshua*
 261. *{rest} with the {Head} leaders Fathers for Israel*
 262. *replied never we are to rebuild*
 263. *the HOUSE FOR our CREATOR*

 264. *for we ourselves together are to rebuild*
 265. *for YV our CREATOR {Israel}*
 266. *{king} for {cyrus} darius {the king for persia} ordered*
 267. *our people to our Land*
 268. *but they discouraged our people Judah*
 269. *by frightened them from rebuilding*
 270. *for they hired {counselors} men*
 271. *to be against us to break us*

 272. *{counselors all} until the days*
 273. *cyrus was king persia*
 274. *{until in the reign*
 275. *for darius our king persia*
 276. *reign for ahasuerus}*
 277. *and at the beginning of his reign*
 278. *they wrote {accusation} against us*
 279. *{our settlers in judah and jerusalem*
 280. *in the days of ahasuerus}*
 281. *bishlam mithredath*
 282. *and tabeel were their {rest colleagues} leaders*
 283. *and they wrote to {ahasuerus} cyrus*
 284. *our king an {persia} assyrian*

 285. *the {text} words in their letter*
 286. *were written and {in aramaic} translated*
 287. *{from aramaic*
 288. *rehum the commander had shimshai*
 289. *scribed a letter against Jerusalem to king artaxerxes*
 290. *the following then wrote*
 291. *to the rest of their colleagues*
 292. *judges lesser governors*
 293. *officials and secretaries*
 294. *to men of erech and the babylonians*
 295. *and the men of susa*
 296. *that is the elamites and the rest of the nations*
 297. *which the great*
 298. *and honorable esnapper deported*
 299. *settling them in the city of samaria*
 300. *and in the rest of the region*
 301. *beyond the river*

302. now this *is a copy of the* letter
 303. **which** *they* sent
 304. **to king** cyrus {artaxerxes}
 305. said **we are your servants**
 306. {men} **from the region for your** Judeans
 307. {beyond the river}
 308. **now we** make
 309. **known to our king**

 310. **the judeans** who **coming from you**
 311. **have come to jerusalem**
 312. **and are rebuilding a rebellious**
 313. **an evil city**
 314. {they are finishing the walls
 315. and repairing the Foundation}
 316. **now this**
 317. **is to be known to our king**
 318. **if** {city} **jerusalem**
 319. **is rebuilt with walls**
 320. {finished}
 321. **they will** not **pay**
 322. **tribute as is your custom** {or toll}
 323. **and this will damage**
 324. **the revenue for our king**

 325. **now because**
 326. **we are in the service for your** {palace} **reign**
 327. {this} **it is** not **fitting**
 328. **for us to see you** {king} **dishonored**
 329. **therefore we sent**
 330. **to inform our king**
 331. **so a search**
 332. **is made on their** city

 333. **in your recorded** {books} **keepings** {father}
 334. **you will discover** jerusalem {record books}
 335. **and learn their city**
 336. **was a rebellious city**
 337. {and a detriment to the king and his provinces
 338. they incited revolts}
 339. **in past years**
 340. **because of their city**
 341. {was} **we were laid waste**
 342. **so we inform our king**

 343. **if** *their city*
 344. **is rebuilt with walls** {finished}
 345. **it will result in no**
 346. **revenues** {beyond} *from and by their river*

 347. **and our king sent**
 348. **his answer to** bishlam {rehum}
 349. {a commander and {shimshai} scribe
 350. **and to rest of his** {colleagues} **leaders** {who living}
 351. {in samaria and to the rest}
 352. **beyond** **east** **of our river**

353. {peace} now *the* letter
 354. which you sent to me
 355. was translated from _____
 356. and read before me
 357. my {decree} order was {issued} given
 358. and a search was made
 359. and i discovered their city
 360. {has} risen against kings
 361. in past years
 362. they were rebellious and revolted
 363. and it was started from there
 364. for they had mighty kings
 365. ruling {over} in jerusalem
 366. for they governed all
 367. around of their {beyond} Land river
 368. and tribute {custom} taxes
 369. and tolls were paid to them
 370. now i am issuing
 371. my decree is to make
 372. {these} their men stop
 373. so that their city is not rebuilt
 374. {until i decree {issued}
 375. {beware of being negligent in carrying out this
 376. why should damage increase to the detriment of your king}
 377. {then} after {copy} the king's {artaxerxes}
 378. decree was read to them
 379. they brought it to us to read {rehum} by shimshai his scribe
 380. their colleagues went in haste to Jerusalem to the Jews
 381. and they stopped us with his decree {arm}

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382. our work on HIS HOUSE {God}
 383. in jerusalem stopped
 384. stopped until the 2nd
 385. year reign for {darius} cyrus {king of persia}
 386. then our Prophet Haggai
 387. {Prophet Zechariah}
 388. a son from Iddo
 389. PROPHESED {Jews} to everyone
 390. for {Judah} ISRAEL and Jerusalem
 391. in the NAME of God for Israel {over}
 392. {Zerubbabel the son of Shealtiel}
 393. Jeshua and son Jozadak
 394. rose and {began} restarted
 395. building HIS HOUSE {God}
 396. {which is in Jerusalem}
 397. with our Prophets {God were} supporting them
 398. at that time tatte~~nal~~
 399. was sent to be their governor
 400. {beyond} east of our river
 401. {shethar-bozenai}
 402. and with his {colleagues} leaders he came to us

403. *and asked us {thus} who*
 404. *issued us a decree?*
 405. *to rebuild HIS {THIS} HOUSE?*
 406. *and finish {these} your walls?*
 407. *then we told them*
 408. *{accordingly who}*
 409. *the names of our men*
 410. *{who were rebuilding*
 411. *THIS HOUSE for our {Eyes} God*
 412. *the Elders for the Jews did not stop*
 413. *until their answer comes from darius}*
 414. *that wrote our reply*
 415. *{returned} concerning his decree*
 416. *{this copy of the letter*
 417. *which from tatte*
 418. *the governor beyond the river}*
 419. *to shethar-bozenai and his colleagues*
 420. *to the officials who were beyond the river}*
 421. *for they sent a request*
 422. *to {darius} cyrus our king*
 423. *from Daniel we sent to him*
 424. *their report in their {writing} language*
 425. *{thus} to {darius} cyrus our king*
 426. *{all peace}*
 427. *that our know king* switch words
 428. *and for our king to know* + switched word order
 429. *we were sent to jerusalem*
 430. *in the {province} Land is for {Judah} Israelis*
 431. *to our city with HIS HOUSE*
 432. *{GREAT God}*
 433. *{which} are being rebuilt*
 434. *{huge stones*
 435. *beams are being laid}*
 436. *as is our walls for our city*
 437. *{this} and our work is going on*
 438. *with great care*
 439. *and is succeeding by our hands*
 440. *but you can ask {those} our Elders*
 441. *{saying thus} who {issued} decreed for us?*
 442. *to rebuild HIS {THIS} HOUSE*
 443. *and to finish {these} our walls?*
 444. *they {also} then asked*
 445. *for our names to inform him*
 446. *and wrote down our names*
 447. *and our men who leading us*
 448. *{thus} our Priests answered them*
 449. *saying we are his servants too*
 450. *{for God the Heavens and Earth}*
 451. *and we are to rebuild HIS HOUSE*
 452. *and the walls for our city*
 453. *for they were built many*
 454. *years ago*
 455. *by our {great} kings for Israel*
 456. *and we are to rebuild and finished*

457. because *for our forefathers* {enraged} **provoked**
 458. *our* {god} **CREATOR IN HEAVEN** {enraged}
 459. *and HE GAVE* *us* {hand} *to* *nebuchadnezzar*
 460. *the king for* *babylon*
 461. *the* *chaldeans* *destroyed*
 462. **HIS HOUSE** *and our* *cities*
 463. *and* {deported} **took** *our people*
 464. *to* *babylon for* *nebuchadnezzar*
 465. {however} *and in the* {1st} **last** *years*
 466. *for* {cyrus} **darius** *our king* {babylon for king cyrus}
 467. *he* *issued* *our* *decree*
 468. *to* *rebuild* **HIS** {THIS} **HOUSE** {God}
 469. *also* *he* *gave* *to* *us*
 470. {gold silver}
 471. *our* **Utensils** *for* **HIS HOUSE** {God}
 472. *which* *nebuchadnezzar*
 473. *took from* **HIS HOUSE**
 474. *from* *jerusalem* *he* *brought* *Them*
 475. *to* *his* *temple in* *babylon*
 476. *and* *we* *have* **These** *Utensils*
 477. {king cyrus}
 478. *he* *removed from* *his* *temple* *babylon*
 479. *and* *he* *gave* *Them* {name} *to* {Sheshbazzar} **Daniel**
 480. {whom} *as* *he* *appointed* *him* *our* {governor} **leader**
 481. *and* *said for* *him* *take*
 482. **These** **Utensils**
 483. *and* *for* *us* *to* *go* *and* *return* *Them*
 484. *to* **HIS HOUSE** *in* *jerusalem*
 485. *and* *let* **HIS HOUSE** {God}
 486. *be* *rebuilt with* **HIS** *Place* **CITY**
 487. *then* {Sheshbazzar} **Daniel**
 488. *brought* *us* {laid the FOUNDATION to HIS HOUSE God} *to* *jerusalem*
 489. {then} *until* *now*
 490. {this} *we* *are* *rebuilding* {rebuilding} *and* *it* *is* *incomplete*
 491. *now* *if*
 492. *it* {this} *pleases* *our* *king*
 493. *let* *a* *search*
 494. *be* *conducted by* *our* *king*
 495. {treasure house
 496. *which is* *there in* *babylon*}
 497. *for* *the* *decree* *issued* *to* *us*
 498. *by* *king* {cyrus} **darius**
 499. *to* *rebuild* {this} **HIS HOUSE**
 500. *for* *our* {god} **CREATOR** *in* *Jerusalem*
 501. *we* *have* *written* *our* *request*
 502. *king* *cyrus*
 503. *send* *us* *a* *decision*
 504. *concerning* *this*

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505. king {darius} cyrus
 506. {issued} gave an order
 507. and a search was made
 508. in the {archives} records {where the treasury were stored} for babylon
 509. {in ecbatana near a fortress
 510. which is in the province of media}
 511. a {scroll} tablet was found
 512. and there written was the following record
 513. in the {1st} last years
 514. for king {cyrus} darius
 515. i {cyrus} darius your king
 516. issue you my decree
 517. for HIS HOUSE {God} in Jerusalem
 518. {let HIS HOUSE}
 519. and HIS {PLACE} City to be rebuilt
 520. where
 521. your sacrifices are Offered
 522. rebuild the FOUNDATION
 523. retain
 524. the height
 525. 60 cubits
 526. and the width
 527. 60 cubits
 528. 3 layers
 529. of huge stones
 530. and 1 layer of timber
 531. the cost will be paid
 532. from my royal treasury
 533. {also} and the gold and silver
 534. Utensils for HIS HOUSE {God}
 535. what nebuchadnezzar
 536. took from HIS HOUSE {Jerusalem}
 537. They are to be sent with you from babylon
 538. and to remain there with you
 539. HIS Utensils are to be returned
 540. to Their place in HIS HOUSE
 541. for jerusalem is the place
 542. for their HOUSE and their {god} CREATOR
 543. it was addressed to tatte
 544. and his governor {beyond} by our river
 545. {shethar-bozenai
 546. and his colleagues and officials}
 547. and beyond our river
 548. you are to stay away from them there
 549. {leave} for this is their work
 550. for HIS HOUSE and their {god} CREATOR {alone}
 551. it is for their {governor} leaders {Jews} with their Elders {Jews}
 552. to rebuild HIS {THIS} HOUSE {God}
 553. and their city on their Land
 554. i am {issuing} giving you a decree
 555. concerning what
 556. you are to do for their {these} people

557. *for the Elders in Judah*
 558. *are to rebuild* {THIS} **HIS HOUSE** {God}
 559. *and the* {full} *cost is to be paid*
 560. {to these Elders
 561. *from my royal treasury*
 562. *from taxes* {beyond} *by their river*
 563. *without delay*
 564. *and whatever they need*
 565. young bulls rams lambs
 566. *for their Burning Offerings*
 567. *to their God* in Heaven
 568. wheat salt wine Anointing Oil
 569. *as the Priests in Jerusalem request*
 570. *this is to be given to them*
 571. *daily without fail*
 572. *to Offer acceptable sacrifices*
 573. *to their God* in Heaven
 574. *and to pray for the life*
 575. *of your king and his sons*
 576. {i issued a decree
 577. any male who violates this edict
 578. the timber drawn
 579. from his house to be impaled on
 580. his house will be made
 581. a refuse heap
 582. on account of this
 583. God WHO
 584. caused HIS Name to Dwell there
 585. will overthrow any king
 586. or people who
 587. attempt to change
 588. or to destroy this House
 589. for God in Jerusalem}
 590. *i* {darius} *cyrus* issue
 591. *this* decree
 592. *to be observed* {great care} *by tatte*
 593. {governor} *and* {beyond} *east of their river*
 594. {shethar-bozenai and his colleagues}
 595. *you are to observe my decree*
 596. *for all your* {diligence} *reasoning*
 597. *it is to be just as king*
 598. *darius send them*
 599. {the Elders for the Jews}
 600. *they are to be in their rebuilding*
 601. {with Prophet Haggai
 602. and Prophet Zechar
 603. the son of Iddo
 604. we finished building
 605. according to the Command
 606. from God for Israel}

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607. *by the decrees from cyrus*
 608. *and darius* {artaxerxes} *our kings* {persia}
 609. {therefore} **HIS HOUSE** *was finished*
 610. *in the 3rd* {day} *month*
 611. {adar} *in the 6th year* reign
 612. *for king* {darius} *cyrus*
 613. *then our* {sons} *Elders* *from Israel*

614. *and the Priests and Levites*
 615. *with the rest of the {exiles} remnant*
 616. *celebrated by HIS {the dedication to this} HOUSE {God with joy}*
 617. *as they Offered from our {dedication} sacrifice*
 618. *by the {THIS} HOUSE for {God} YV*
 619. *a hundred bulls*
 620. *2 hundred rams*
 621. *4 hundred lambs*
 622. *for our Sin Offering*
 623. *for all Israel*
 624. *10 and 2*
 625. *male {goats} rams*
 626. *{corresponding to the number of the tribes of Israel}*
 627. *we appointed HIS PRIESTS divisions*
 628. *from Levites by order*
 629. *{for the service to God in Jerusalem}*
 630. *as Written by {Book} Moses*
 631. *{the exiles} and we observed HIS PASSOVER*
 632. *on the {10} 1st day {4th}*
 633. *of our 1st month*
 634. *{for the Priests and the Levites*
 635. *purified themselves*
 636. *together all were purified*
 637. *they slaughtered the Passover*
 638. *for all the exiles*
 639. *both for their brothers and the Priests}*
 640. *for the {sons} descendants from Israel*
 641. *{had returned from exile*
 642. *{all} that were separated {uncleanness of people} from our Land}*
 643. *sought YV*
 644. *our CREATOR for Israel*
 645. *{ate} and we observed the Feast*
 646. *of Unleavened Bread*
 647. *{for 7 days}*
 648. *we CELEBRATED to YV {glad}*
 649. *for HE TURNED the hearts*
 650. *of our kings in {assyria} babylon*
 651. *therefore we were strengthen*
 652. *and we rebuilt HIS HOUSE*
 653. *and our City Jerusalem*
 654. *{CREATOR} for our CREATOR for ISRAEL*

Ezra 5 (part 1) 7:1

655. *after many things in the reign*
 656. *arta*
 657. *the king for {persia} egypt*
 658. *summoned*
 659. *for Ezra our*
 660. *{a son from Seraiah*
 661. *son from Azariah*
 662. *son from Hilkiah*
 663. *son from Shallum*
 664. *son from Zadok*
 665. *son from Ahitub*
 666. *son from Amariah*
 667. *son from Azariah*
 668. *son from Meraioth*

669. son *from* Zerariah
 670. son *from* Uzzi
 671. son *from* Bukki
 672. son *from* Abishua
 673. son *from* Phinehas}
 674. a son *from* Eleazar
 675. *and a* son
 676. *from* Aaron *our* {Head}
 677. Priest
 678. {this} *and* Ezra
 679. *came from* babylon
 680. {scribe *for he is skilled*
 681. *for our* LAWS *thru* Moses
 682. which YV *the* CREATOR *FOR* ISRAEL *GAVE him*
 683. *and our* king
 684. granted {all} *his* request
 685. {because
 686. *the* HAND *FROM* YV *was with him*
 687. *our* CREATOR *was against*
 688. *the* sons *from* Israel
 689. some
 690. *of the* Priests *and* Levites
 691. *the* singers *and* gatekeepers
 692. *with the* House servants
 693. *went to* Jerusalem}
 694. *in the* 7th 2nd
 695. *year for our* king
 696. arta
 697. *asked him about*
 698. {came} Jerusalem
 699. { *in the* 5th month
 700. which *is in the* 7th *year of* king
 701. *on the* 1st *of the* 1st month
 702. he began *to go from* babylon
 703. *on the* 1st *of the* 5th month
 704. *he came to* Jerusalem
 705. *and the* {GOODNESS} WONDERS {Hand} *FROM our* CREATOR
 706. {was *with him*
 707. *for* Ezra set *his* heart}
 708. *for him* {study} *heard*
 709. *our* LAWS *FROM* YV
 710. *that we* {practice} *live by*
 711. *and* Teach *FROM HIS* {STATUTES} COMMANDS {ORDINANCES *in* Israel}
 712. {this} *then* {copy}
 713. *was* decreed *by* {which king} arta
 714. *and* given
 715. *to* Ezra *our* Priest
 716. {*and* Scribe}
 717. *for he* {study} *heard*
 718. *the* WORDS {Commandments} *FROM* YV
 719. *HIS* Statutes *for* Israel
 720. artaxerxes *our* king *for* kings
 721. *to* Ezra
 722. *our* Priest *and* Scribe}
 723. *and our* LAWS
 724. *FROM his* {God} CREATOR *IN HEAVEN* *are* perfect
 725. today
 726. *i* issue *a* decree
 727. *to* all
 728. *my* people *from* Israel

729. {and to your Priests and Levites}
 730. *you in my kingdom*
 731. *whomever is willing*
 732. may
 733. *go to Jerusalem* go

 734. *i like*
 735. darius *am sending you*
 736. *for your king*
 737. *and my 7 counselors*
 738. *we searched-out*
 739. concerning *the* Judeans
 740. *in* Jerusalem
 741. *in the LAWS FROM* for our {God} CREATOR

 742. {which are in your hands}
 743. *and you are to take*
 744. silver *and* gold
 745. which
 746. *your king and my counselors*
 747. freely
 748. offer for our {God} CREATOR {ISRAEL}
 749. WHOSE
 750. HOUSE is in Jerusalem

 751. all
 752. *our silver and gold*
 753. {which you find in the whole province of babylon
 754. along with the Freewill Offerings from my people and priests}
 755. we offer
 756. willingly for HIS HOUSE {God}
 757. {which is in Jerusalem this silver
 758. it is for whatever
 759. HE THOROUGHLY}
 760. to make
 761. HIS Utensils
 762. {for bulls rams lambs
 763. for their Grain Offerings and Libation}
 764. for your Offerings
 765. on HIS ALTARS
 766. in the {HOUSE} COURTYARD for our {God} CREATOR
 767. {which is in Jerusalem}

 768. and whatever
 769. is {seems} best for your Priests
 770. {the rest of the silver and gold
 771. do according to the Will of your God
 772. the silver for utensils which i give}
 773. for the service
 774. in the {HOUSE} COURTYARD for our {God} CREATOR
 775. deliver-in-full before your God in Jerusalem
 776. {rest} OR for the needs
 777. for the {HOUSE} City for our {God} CREATOR
 778. {which you have occasional need}
 779. we will provide
 780. from the royal treasury

Ezra 5 (part 2) 7:21

781. king
782. artaxerxes {issue} decreed
783. to all {treasurers}
784. {who beyond} below of our river
785. to give
786. whatever is needed
787. for Ezra
788. **HIS PRIEST** and Scribe
789. for the **LAWS**
790. **FROM** our **God** **CREATOR** {HEAVEN} **DEMANDS**
791. and this
792. will be done diligently hastily
793. { 100 talents of silver
794. 100 kors of wheat and 100 baths of wine
795. 100 baths of oil and salt as needed}
796. whatever
797. is Needed or **DEMAND**
798. **by their God in HEAVEN**
799. be done with zeal
800. for their **HOUSE**
801. is for my **God** **CREATOR** in **HEAVEN**
802. {before} and for **HIS Wrath**
803. **not to be** against my kingdom
804. your king
805. and my sons inform you
806. not to allow
807. or impose tax on them
808. {tribute toll on any Priests or Levites
809. singers doorkeepers nethinim
810. the Servants of this House for God}
811. you Ezra
812. according to your wisdom {God}
813. {which is in your hands}
814. appoint
815. magistrates cities and judges
816. to judge
817. all your people
818. who
819. are {beyond} west of your river
820. and everyone
821. is to know **HIS LAWS** {God}
822. and you are to teach
823. whoever is ignorant unknowing of Them
824. whoever
825. is not observing **HIS LAWS** {God}
826. {or the law from your king}
827. **HIS JUDGMENTS**
828. will be executed against them
829. {strictly whether for death or for banishment
830. or for confiscation of goods or for imprisonment}

Ezra 5 (part 3) 7:27

831. *Blessed*
832. *by YV our CREATOR*
833. *{as our forefathers WHO}*
834. *for PLACING*
835. *{this} in our king's heart*
836. *to honor*
837. *our HOUSE for YV*
838. *{which is in Jerusalem}*
839. *and for YV*
840. *EXTENDING HIS LOVINGKINDNESS to us*
841. *before*
842. *the kings' counselors*
843. *and before*
844. *all {king's} his {mighty} princes governors*
845. *for i was strengthened*
846. *by {Hand} YV our CREATOR*
847. *then i assembled*
848. *our {Head} leaders and {fathers} elders*
849. *for Israel to go with me*
850. *these are the Head Fathers*
851. *this is their genealogical enrollment*
852. *coming from babylon*
853. *in the reign for king artaxerxes*
854. *{the sons from Phinehas and Gershom*
855. *the sons from Ithamar and Daniel*
856. *the sons from David and Hattush*
857. *the sons from Shecaniah*
858. *the sons from Parosh*
859. *Zechariah and with him a hundred*
860. *and 50 men*
861. *the genealogical list*
862. *the sons from pahath-moab Eliehoenai*
863. *the son from Zerariah and 200 men*
864. *the sons from Shecaniah*
865. *the son from Jahaziel and 300 men*
866. *the sons from Adin and Ebed*
867. *the son from Jonathan and 50 men*
868. *the sons from Elam and Jeshaiah*
869. *the son from athaliah*
870. *and 70 men*
871. *the sons from Shephatiah and Zebadiah*
872. *the son from Michael and 80 men*
873. *the sons from Joab and Obadiah*
874. *the son from Jehiel and 218 men*
875. *the sons from Shelomith*
876. *the son from Josiphiah and 160 men*
877. *the sons from Bebai and Zechariah*
878. *the son from Bebai*
879. *and 20 and 8 men*
880. *the sons from Azgad Johanan*
881. *a son from Hakkatan*
882. *and a hundred and 10 men*
883. *the sons from Adonikam were the last ones*
884. *these*
885. *being their names*
886. *Eliphelet Jeuel Shemaiah*
887. *and 60 men*
888. *the sons from Bigvai and Uthai*
889. *Zabbud*
890. *and 70 men with them*
891. *i gathered them by the river*

892. *that runs from* ahava
 893. *where we* camped
 894. *for 3* days
 895. *when i* observed
 896. *the people and the* Priests
 897. *i did not* find any
 898. Levites *there*
 899. *i sent for* Eliezer
 900. Ariel Shemaiah
 901. Elnathan Jarib Elnathan
 902. Nathan Zechariah Meshullam
 903. *Leading*
 904. *men for* Joiarib
 905. *and* Elnathan *as* teachers
 906. *i sent them to* Iddo
 907. *the* leading male
 908. *at the* place casiphia
 909. *i told them what to* say
 910. *to Iddo and his* brothers
 911. *the* House servants
 912. *at the* place of casiphia
 913. bring ministers *to us*
 914. *for the* House of the CREATOR
 915. according
 916. *to the* Good Hand of the CREATOR
 917. *they* brought *us*
 918. *men with* insight
 919. *from the* sons from Mahli
 920. *a son from* Levi
 921. *a son from* Israel
 922. namely Sherebiah
 923. *and his* sons *and* brothers
 924. 10 *and* 8 men
 925. Hashabiah *and* Jeshaiiah
 926. *of the* sons of Merari
 927. *with his* brothers *and their* sons 20 men
 928. 2 hundred
 929. *and 20 of the* House servants
 930. whom David
 931. *and the* princes given
 932. *for the* service of the Levites
 933. all of them designated by name}

Ezra 6 8:21

934. *i* proclaimed *a* fast
 935. *there by the Nile* river ahava
 936. *that we be* humble
 937. *before our* CREATOR
 938. *and* seek
 939. FROM HIM *a* safe journey
 940. *for us and for our* {little ones} young
 941. *and all our* possessions
 942. *for i* was unashamed
 943. *to request* {king} *his* troops *and* horseriders
 944. *to protect* us
 945. *from the* bandits *on the* way
 946. because
 947. *i* said *to their* king
 948. *the* HAND
 949. *of our* CREATOR IS FAVORABLY *with us*

950. *and HE FAVORS*
 951. *all of us seeking HIM* POWER}
 952. *and HIS ANGER*
 953. *IS ON* {against} *all forsaking HIM*
 954. *we* {fasted sought} *petition*
 955. *our CREATOR for our concerns* this
 956. *and YV*
 957. *LISTENED to our* entreaty} *petition*
 958. *we* set apart
 959. 12 {Head} Priests
 960. Sherebiah Hashabiah
 961. *and 10 of their brothers*
 962. *they weighed*
 963. *the silver and gold*
 964. *for the Utensils*
 965. *for the Offerings in the* {HOUSE} *COURTYARD* {CREATOR}
 966. *from their king*
 967. *and his counselors and* princes} *governors*
 968. *with all*
 969. *Israelis present*
 970. *he give to me*
 971. {the weight i handed them
 972. was 6 hundred
 973. was 50 talents}
 974. *their silver and gold*
 975. *in silver*
 976. {utensils worth
 977. 100 talents
 978. *and 100*
 979. *in gold talents*
 980. { 20 Gold Bowls
 981. worth 1000 darics
 982. 2 utensils
 983. of fine shiny bronze
 984. precious as gold}
 985. *i said*
 986. {HOLY to YV
 987. *are for the Utensils is Holy*
 988. *their silver and gold*
 989. *they offered-willingly*
 990. to YV THE CREATOR of our forefathers watch}
 991. *we are to guard it until*
 992. *it is weighed*
 993. *before our* {Head} Priests
 994. {to the Levites the Head Priests for Israel}
 995. *and in Jerusalem chambers at HIS HOUSE*
 996. FOR YV our Priests Levi accepted weighed
 997. *their silver*
 998. *and gold* {Utensils} *we* brought} *carried*
 999. *to Jerusalem*
 1000. to the HOUSE for our CREATOR
 1001. *as we traveled from the Nile* river ahava
 1002. {on the 12th of our 1st}
 1003. *for* month} *days*
 1004. *we traveled to Jerusalem*
 1005. {HAND } *and our CREATOR*

1006. was {over} **WATCHING** *His* People
 1007. for **HE DELIVERED** us
 1008. from {hand} robbers *and* ambushes
 1009. on our way
 1010. going to Jerusalem

 1011. then
 1012. we remained there
 1013. {3 days}
 1014. *but on that* {4th} day
 1015. {the silver and gold
 1016. for the **Utensils** was weighed}
 1017. at our **HOUSE** for our **CREATOR**

 1018. *we gave it*
 1019. {into the hand} **to** {Meremeth a son from Uriah} *our* High Priest
 1020. Eleazar
 1021. a son from {Phinehas} Levi

 1022. *and to* Joshua
 1023. and {Jozabad} Jozadak the sons
 1024. from {Jeshua} Noad^{iah}
 1025. a son from Bin^{ur}

 1026. everything
 1027. was numbered *and* weighed
 1028. *and* all
 1029. the weight was recorded

 1030. *at that* time
 1031. the exiles from babylon
 1032. {came from their captivity}
 1033. were {offering} **sacrificing**
 1034. their **Burning** **Sin** Offerings
 1035. {to the CREATOR for ISRAEL}
 1036. 10
 1037. *and* 2 **bulls** **rams**
 1038. {for {all} Israel
 1039. 96 rams 77 lambs 12 male goats
 1040. as a Sin Offering}
 1041. for everyone's
 1042. **Burning** **Sin** Offering {YV}

 1043. *i* delivered
 1044. *our king's* {edicts} **decree**
 1045. {to {king's satrap} *our* governor
 1046. for {beyond} west of the river}
 1047. *for he* supported
 1048. *our people and HIS* **HOUSE** {CREATOR}

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1049. every-thing
 1050. were completed

 1051. *our* leaders
 1052. approached *me and* said
 1053. *our* people {Israel Priests Levites}
 1054. *did not* separate from *their* peoples {land}
 1055. {abominations canaanites hittites perizzites
 1056. jebusites ammonites moabites
 1057. egyptians amorites}

1058. *for they {took} married*
 1059. *with {among} their daughters and sons*
 1060. *{Holy Race}*
 1061. *we are mixed*
 1062. *with the people from their land*

 1063. *{at the hands*
 1064. *of our leaders and judges*
 1065. *they became*
 1066. *the 1st to be this unfaithfulness}*

 1067. *hearing*
 1068. *this charge*
 1069. *{i tore my garments and robe*
 1070. *i pulled some hair from my head and beard}*
 1071. *i sat*
 1072. *down appalled) disgusted*

 1073. *and everyone*
 1074. *of our people were {trembled} uncomfortable*
 1075. *for our LAW*
 1076. *IS FROM our CREATOR for Israel*

 1077. *{on account} our unfaithful*
 1078. *exiles gathered to me*
 1079. *{we sat appalled until the evening offering}*
 1080. *that evening {offering}*
 1081. *{i rose from their humiliation*
 1082. *even with my garment robe torn}*
 1083. *i fell to my knees*

 1084. *and as i stretched*
 1085. *out my hands*
 1086. *and prayed*
 1087. *YV our CREATOR*

 1088. *i said*
 1089. *to our CREATOR we are ashamed*
 1090. *and embarrassed*
 1091. *to lift our faces to YOU*

 1092. *{CREATOR} for our iniquities) evilness*
 1093. *{risen over our heads}*
 1094. *and our guilt has grown*
 1095. *{ever to the heavens*
 1096. *since*
 1097. *the days of our forefathers*
 1098. *and is this*
 1099. *day {great} we too are guilty*

 1100. *like the iniquities) evilness*
 1101. *by our kings and priests*
 1102. *and we were given*
 1103. *hands to other kings land*
 1104. *by their swords*
 1105. *they were captured and plundered*
 1106. *and is our open*
 1107. *shame this today*

 1108. *{now for a brief moment*
 1109. *YOUR Grace came to us}*

1110. **YV** {CREATOR}
 1111. **YOU ARE BRINGING** us from our {survivors- -escape} **exile**
 1112. **to GIVE** us
 1113. rest {peg} **by YOUR HOLY** {PLACE} **HOUSE**
 1114. **will YOU CREATOR**
 1115. **OPEN YOUR EYES**
 1116. **and GRANT** us
 1117. {a little reviving
 1118. for in bondage we were like slaves
 1119. from our bondage CREATOR YOU freed us}
 1120. **YOUR** {EXTENDED} MERCY **AND LOVINGKINDNESS**
 1121. for in the sight
 1122. of the king for {persia} **babylon**
 1123. **YOU GAVE** to us
 1124. {reviving} for the rebuilding of **YOUR HOUSE** {CREATOR}
 1125. **and to RESTORE**
 1126. **YOUR RUINED** CITY
 1127. **and by GIVING** us
 1128. {walls Judah} our *Land* and Jerusalem
 1129. now
 1130. **CREATOR** what
 1131. *will i* say
 1132. after this
 1133. for we *have* abandoned COMMANDMENTS}
 1134. which} **YOUR COMMANDS** to **YOUR SERVANTS**
 1135. *thru* PROPHET} Moses
 1136. **YOU SAID THE LAND**
 1137. **WHICH**
 1138. **YOU ENTER TO POSSESS**
 1139. {IS UNCLEAN LAND}
 1140. **HAS UNCLEAN**
 1141. **PEOPLE IN THE LAND**
 1142. {their abominations which
 1143. they filled from end to end with their impurity}
 1144. {now} **DO NOT GIVE**
 1145. **YOUR DAUGHTERS TO THEIR SONS**
 1146. **OR TAKE**
 1147. **THEIR DAUGHTERS FOR YOUR SONS**
 1148. NEVER
 1149. SEEK *THEIR* PEACE
 1150. AND YOUR PROSPERITY WILL STRENGTHEN
 1151. YOU WILL CONSUME
 1152. THE BEST FROM THE LAND
 1153. AND LEAVE YOUR INHERITANCE
 1154. TO YOUR SONS FOREVER
 1155. after all
 1156. *i* come to **YOU**
 1157. *with their* evil deeds
 1158. for they added
 1159. more guilt on us
 1160. although
 1161. **CREATOR YOU**

1162. {held less than} **KNOW** *our* iniquities} **evilness**
 1163. yet **YOU GAVE** *us*
 1164. *our* **FREEDOM** to survive like this} *for* **Him**

 1165. *they have* again broke
 1166. **YOUR COMMAND** and intermarried
 1167. {with people
 1168. from this abomination}
 1169. let **YOUR ANGRY**
 1170. *not be* {point} **Provoked** for our destruction

 1171. {until there is no remnant
 1172. nor any who escape}
 1173. for **YOU YV**
 1174. **ARE** our **CREATOR** for **ISRAEL**
 1175. **YOU WERE RIGHTEOUS**
 1176. and left us as {survivors- -escape} exiles

 1177. as is this day}
 1178. behold
 1179. before **YOU** we are guilty
 1180. no one
 1181. *can* stand before **YOU**

 1182. because
 1183. this guilt is ours
 1184. as *i* Ezra
 1185. {interceded}
 1186. make-our-confession to **YOU**

 1187. *i* weep as *i* laid
 1188. before
 1189. the HOUSE for our CREATOR

 1190. with a very
 1191. large assembly
 1192. men
 1193. women and children
 1194. gathered for Israel
 1195. {for the people wept bitterly}

 1196. **S**Hek^{anah}
 1197. a son from Jehiel
 1198. 1
 1199. of the sons from Elam

 1200. spake to me
 1201. saying Ezra
 1202. for them that became
 1203. unfaithful to our **CREATOR**
 1204. for they married with foreigners
 1205. their women are from men in our Land

 1206. now there
 1207. is hope for Israel
 1208. because these

 1209. now there
 1210. a Covenant with our CREATOR
 1211. let them send
 1212. away all their wives and children
 1213. {according to the Advice from our LORD}
 1214. and be comforted
 1215. in the **COMMAND FROM** our **CREATOR**

1216. and observe **HIS LAWS**
 1217. and that i rise
 1218. for this matter
 1219. is our responsibility
 1220. to be courageous and {act} **righteous**

 1221. i Ezra
 1222. rose with our {Head Priests} Levites
 1223. and said
 1224. to everyone of them you are to do **HIS COMMAND** {Israel}
 1225. and to Vow {Oath}
 1226. you will follow {THIS} **HIS COMMAND**
 1227. for your Vowing
 1228. is your {Oath} **Swearing** to your CREATOR

 1229. {Ezra rose from before the House for the CREATOR
 1230. he went to the chamber of Jehohanan a son from Eliashib
 1231. although he went there he did not eat bread nor drink water
 1232. for he was mourning over the unfaithfulness of the exiles}

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1233. {we made
 1234. a proclamation {Judah} in Jerusalem
 1235. everyone {descendents}
 1236. is to gather at Jerusalem

 1237. everyone is to come
 1238. in 3 days
 1239. to met with their Leaders and Elders
 1240. all possessions are forfeited
 1241. himself excluded
 1242. from the assembly from the exiles
 1243. all the men from Judah and Benjamin
 1244. they met in Jerusalem on the 3rd day
 1245. this was the 9th month
 1246. on the 20th of the month

 1247. all the men sat in the open square
 1248. before the HOUSE for their CREATOR
 1249. they were uncomfortable because of this matter

 1250. rain Ezra and the Priests stood among them
 1251. saying this-unfaithfulness marrying foreign women
 1252. is adding to the guilt for Israel

 1253. now make an Oath
 1254. to YV THE CREATOR of your fathers
 1255. do HIS WILL and separate yourselves

 1256. from the people in our Land
 1257. and your foreign wives
 1258. everyone in assembly answered

 1259. they shouted
 1260. with a loud voices
 1261. you are right
 1262. saying is our duty to do

 1263. many men standing in the rainy weather
 1264. we are not able to stand in the open

 1265. nor but the task will 1 or 2 months
 1266. for we have transgressed greatly in this matter
 1267. our Leaders will represent the whole assembly
 1268. many from our cities have married a foreign woman

 1269. come at appointed times
 1270. altogether with their Elders and Judges
 1271. from each of their cities
 1272. until the Fierce Anger from our CREATOR
 1273. until this
 1274. matter and turns-away

1275. only jonathan
 1276. a son *from* asahel
 1277. and jahzeiah
 1278. a son *from* tikvah
 1279. opposed this
 1280. meshullam *and* shabbethai
 1281. a Levite supported *them*
 1282. and sons *from* exiles
 1283. did also
 1284. Ezra *the* Priest
 1285. selected men
 1286. *from the* Head Fathers
 1287. each *for their* Father's
 1288. households by name
 1289. *they* convened
 1290. *on the* 1st day
 1291. *of the* 10th month
 1292. matter *they* finished
 1293. *with all the* men
 1294. married a foreign woman
 1295. by *the* 1st of *the* 1st month
 1296. among *the* sons *from the* Priests
 1297. who married
 1298. a foreign woman
 1299. were found
 1300. sons *from* Jeshua
 1301. *the* son of Jozadak *and his* brothers
 1302. Maaseiah Eliezer
 1303. Jarib Gedaliah
 1304. *they* pledged to put away *their* wives
 1305. being guilty
 1306. *they* a ram *from the* flock *for their* offense
 1307. *the* sons *from* Immer
 1308. Hanani *and* Zebadiah
 1309. *the* sons *from* Harim
 1310. aaseiah Elijah Shemaiah Jehiel Uziah
 1311. *the* sons *from* Pashhur
 1312. Elioenai Maaseiah Ishmael Nethanel Jozabad Elasa
 1313. Levites Jozabad Shimei Kelaiah (*that is* kelita)
 1314. Pethahiah Judah Eliezer
 1315. *the* singer there
 1316. was Eliashib
 1317. gatekeepers Shallum Telem Uri *of* Israel
 1318. sons *from* Parosh
 1319. were Ramiah Izziah Malchijah Mijamin Eleazar Malchijah Benaiah
 1320. sons *from* Elam
 1321. Mattaniah Zechariah Jehiel Abdi Jeremoth Elijah
 1322. sons *from* Zattu
 1323. Elioenai Eliashib Mattaniah Jeremoth Zabad Aziza
 1324. sons *from* Bebai
 1325. Jehohanan Hananiah Zabbai Athlai
 1326. sons *from* Bani
 1327. Meshullam Malluch Adaiah Jashub Sheal Jeremoth
 1328. sons *from* pahath-moab
 1329. Adna Chelal Benaiah Maaseiah Mattaniah Bezalel Binnui Manasseh
 1330. sons *of* Harim
 1331. Eliezer Isshijah Malchijah Shemaiah Shimeon Benjamin Malluch Shemariah
 1332. sons *from* Hashum
 1333. Mattenai Mattattah Zabad Eliphelet Jeremai Manasseh Shimei
 1334. *the* sons *from* Bani
 1335. Maadai Amram Uel benaiah Bedeiah Cheluhi Vaniah Meremoth Eliashib Mattaniah
 Mattenai Jaasu Bani Binnui Shimei Shelemiah Nathan Adaiah Machnadebai Shashai
 Sharai Azarel Shelemiah Shemariah Shallum Amariah Joseph
 1336. sons *from* Nebo
 1337. Jeiel Mattithiah Zabad Zebina Jaddai Joel Benaiah
 1338. all these

- 1339. married foreign wives
- 1340. some wives children}