



All Evil Kings Come to an End

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Isaiah 14:3-27

³ It shall come to pass in the day the LORD gives you rest from your sorrow, and from your fear and the hard bondage in which you were made to serve, ⁴ that you will take up this proverb against the king of Babylon, and say: "How the oppressor has ceased, the golden city ceased! ⁵ The LORD has broken the staff of the wicked, the scepter of the rulers; ⁶ He who struck the people in wrath with a continual stroke, he who ruled the nations in anger, is persecuted and no one hinders. ⁷ The whole earth is at rest and quiet; They break forth into singing. ⁸ Indeed the cypress trees rejoice over you, and the cedars of Lebanon, saying, "Since you were cut down, no woodsman has come up against us.'

⁹ "Hell from beneath is excited about you, to meet you at your coming; It stirs up the dead for you, all the chief ones of the earth; It has raised up from their thrones all the kings of the nations. ¹⁰ They all shall speak and say to you: "Have you also become as weak as we? Have you become like us? ¹¹ Your pomp is brought down to Sheol, and the sound of your stringed instruments; The maggot is spread under you, And worms cover you.'

¹² "How you are fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning! How you are cut down to the ground, you who weakened the nations! ¹³ For you have said in your heart: "I will ascend into heaven, I will exalt my throne above the stars of God; I will also sit on the mount of the congregation on the farthest sides of the north; ¹⁴ I will ascend above the heights of the clouds, I will be like the Most High.' ¹⁵ Yet you shall be brought down to Sheol, to the lowest depths of the Pit.

¹⁶ "Those who see you will gaze at you, and consider you, saying: 'Is this the man who made the earth tremble, who shook kingdoms, ¹⁷ who made the world as a wilderness and destroyed its cities, who did not open the house of his prisoners?' ¹⁸ "All the kings of the nations, all of them, sleep in glory, everyone in his own house; ¹⁹ But you are cast out of your grave like an abominable branch, like the garment of those who are slain, thrust through with a sword, who go down to the stones of the pit, like a corpse trodden underfoot. ²⁰ You will not be joined with them in burial, because you have destroyed your land and slain your people. The brood of evildoers shall never be named. ²¹ Prepare slaughter for his children because of the iniquity of their fathers, lest they rise up and possess the land, and fill the face of the world with cities."

²² "For I will rise up against them," says the LORD of hosts, "And cut off from Babylon the name and remnant, and offspring and posterity," says the LORD. ²³ "I will also make it a possession for the porcupine, and marshes of muddy water; I will sweep it with the broom of destruction," says the LORD of hosts. ²⁴ The LORD of hosts has sworn, saying, "Surely, as I have thought, so it shall come to pass, and as I have purposed, so it shall stand: ²⁵ That I will break the Assyrian in My land, and on My mountains tread him underfoot. Then his yoke shall be removed from them, and his burden removed from their shoulders. ²⁶ This is the purpose that is purposed against the whole earth, and this is the hand that is stretched out over all the nations. ²⁷ For the LORD of hosts has purposed, and who will annul it? His hand is stretched out, and who will turn it back?" (Isaiah 14:3-27, NKJV)

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I. Breakdown of this Proverbial Poem:

- **1st Stanza (Earth) -** (vv4-8).
- **2nd Stanza (Sheol) -** (vv9-11).
- **3rd Stanza (Heaven) -** (vv12-15).
- **4th Stanza (Earth) -** (vv16-21).
- **Conclusion -** (vv22-27).

II. Take Away:

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III. Application:

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