

# Teshuva

# תשובה

The Role of the Remnant



Covenant

New Life

Courtship

Wedding  
Feast

Betrothal



Fig. 1

Chuppah

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"... Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand."

<sup>NKJ</sup> **Matthew 4:17**

"Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand."

ESV **Matthew 3:2**



Fig. 2



**ESV Matthew 3:2** "Repent,  
for the kingdom of  
heaven is at hand."

*eggizo* (Strong's 1448)  
"bring near" – "join together"

# teshuva

תשובה - Strong's 8666

return, turn back, restore, repent

שוב - Strong's 7725

return

# teshuva

But he always **returned** to Ramah, for his home *was* there. There he judged Israel, and there he built an altar to the LORD.

NKJ **1 Samuel 7:17**



# teshuva

"But if a wicked person **turns away** from all his sins that he has committed and keeps all my statutes and does what is just and right, he shall surely live; he shall not die.

ESV **Ezekiel 18:21**

# teshuva

Indeed He says, 'It is too small a thing that You should be My Servant To raise up the tribes of Jacob, And to **restore** the preserved ones of Israel; I will also give You as a light to the Gentiles, That You should be My salvation to the ends of the earth.' “

NKJ **Isaiah 49:6**

# teshuva

Greek Equivalent

“metanoeo” (3340)

“to change ones mind”

“epistrepho “ (1994)

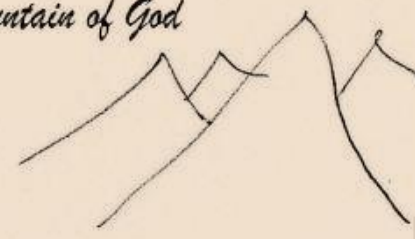
“to turn to; to cause to return, to bring back, to convert”

# teshuva

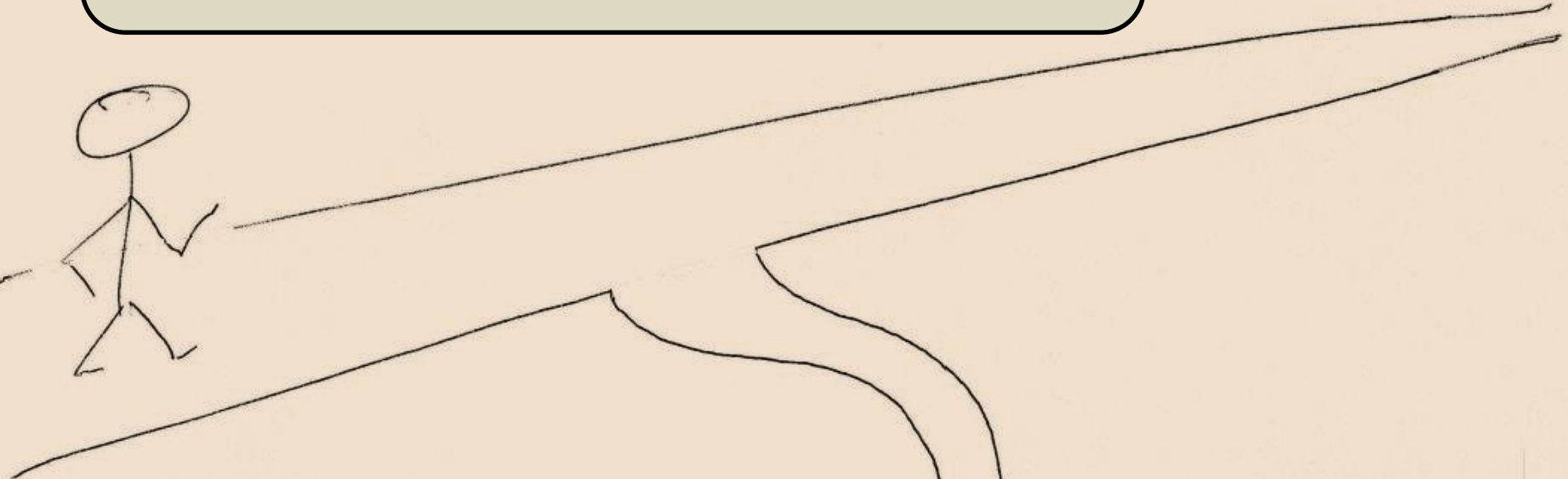
“... but (I) declared first to those in Damascus, then in Jerusalem and throughout all the region of Judea, and also to the Gentiles, that they should repent (*metanoeo*) and turn (*epistrepho*) to God, performing deeds in keeping with their repentance.”

ESV **Acts 26:20**

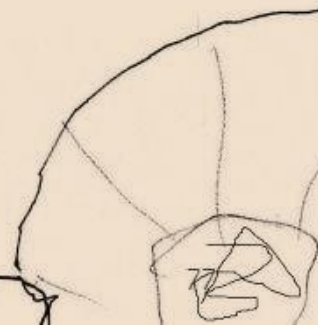
*Mountain of God*



Do not enter the path of the wicked,  
and do not walk in the way of the evil.  
ESV **Proverbs 4:14**



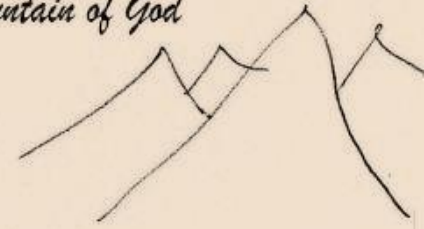
Pit of Destruction



Lead me in the path of your  
commandments, for I delight  
in it (*the path*).

ESV **Psalm 119:35**

*Mountain of God*



Pit of Destruction



# 4 steps to teshuva

1. Regret
2. Cessation of the sin.
3. Confession before God
4. Acceptance for the Future



Fig. 3

John appeared, baptizing in the wilderness and proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. <sup>5</sup> And all the country of Judea and all Jerusalem were going out to him and were being baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins.

ESV **Mark 1:4-5**





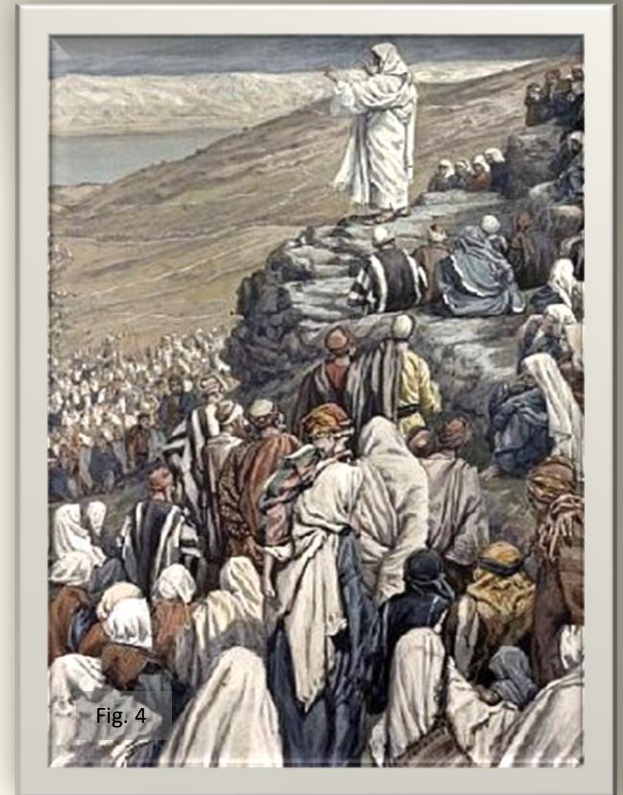
"You brood of vipers! Who warned you to flee from the wrath to come?"

ESV **Luke 3:7**

# the Remnant

And if the Lord of Sabaoth had not left us a seed, we should have been as Sodom, and we should have been made like Gomorrha.

LXE **Isaiah 1:9**

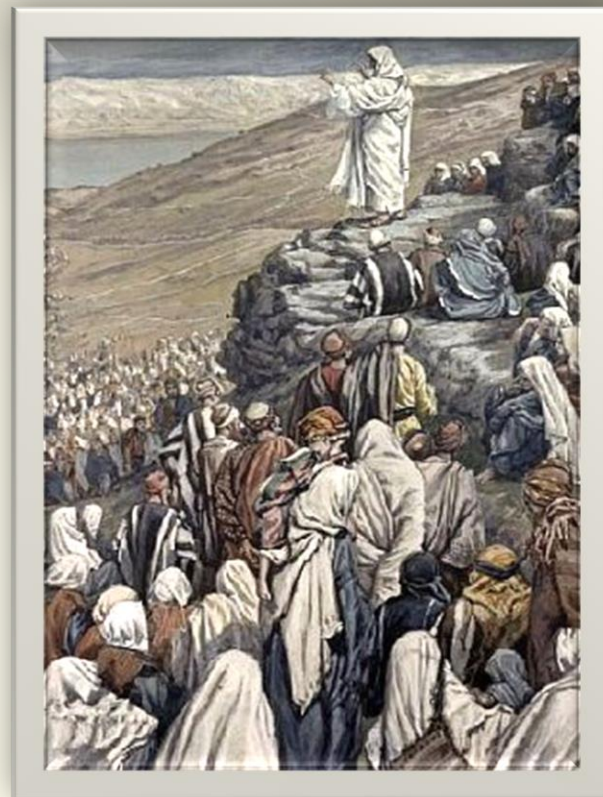


Unless the LORD of hosts Had left to us a very small remnant, We would have become like Sodom, We would have been made like Gomorrah.

NKJ **Isaiah 1:9**

# the Remnant

In that day the remnant of Israel and the survivors of the house of Jacob will no more lean on him who struck them, but will lean on the LORD, the Holy One of Israel, in truth. <sup>21</sup> A remnant will return (*shuwb*), the remnant of Jacob, to the mighty God. <sup>22</sup> For though your people Israel be as the sand of the sea, only a remnant of them will return (*shuwb*). Destruction is decreed, overflowing with righteousness.

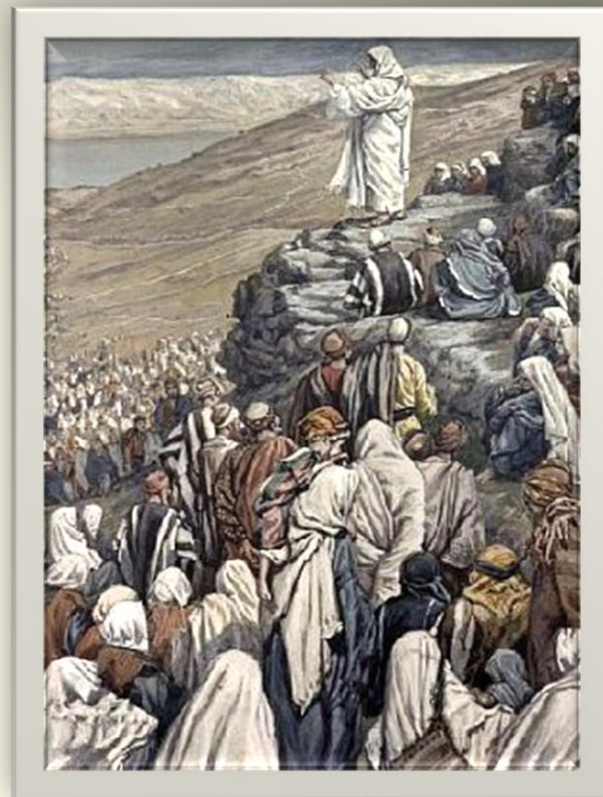


ESV **Isaiah 10:20-22**

# the Remnant

Then I will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the countries where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply.

<sup>4</sup> I will set shepherds over them who will care for them, and they shall fear no more, nor be dismayed, neither shall any be missing, declares the LORD.

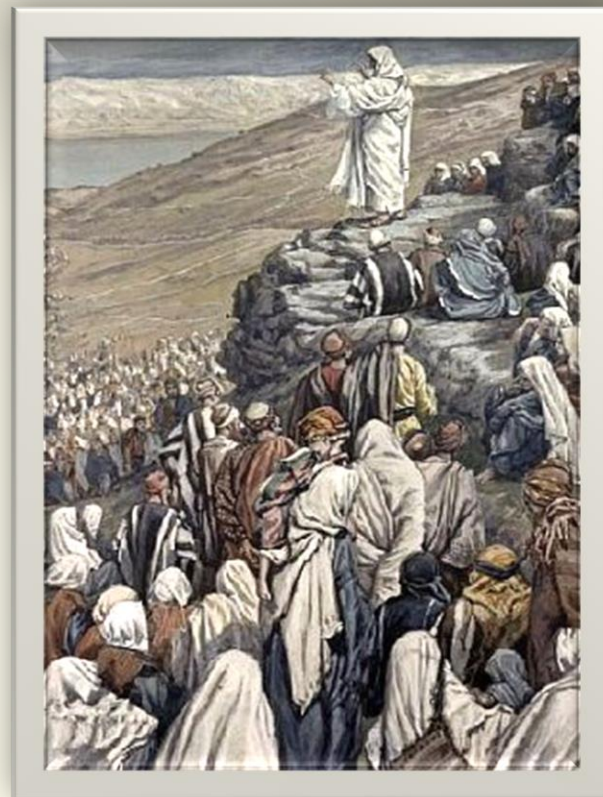


ESV **Jeremiah 23:3-4**

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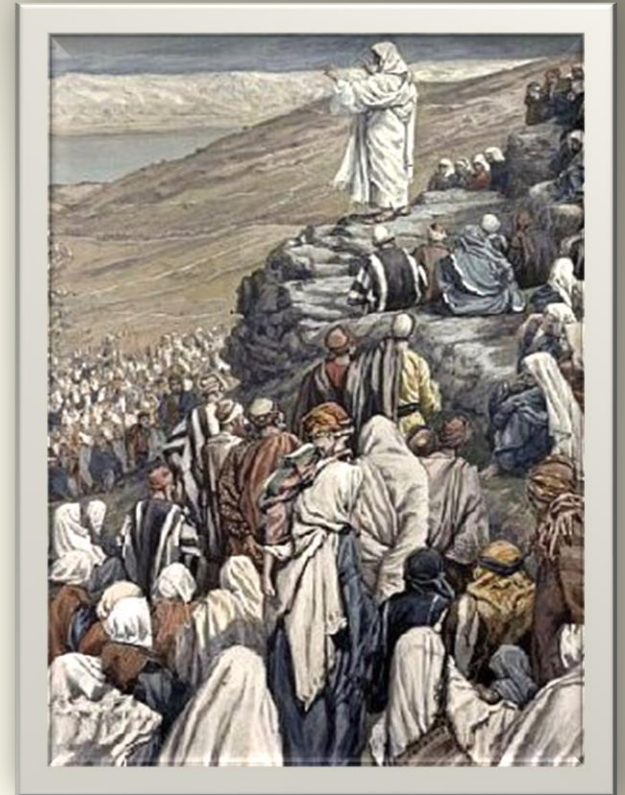
The remnant of Israel shall do no unrighteousness and speak no lies, Nor shall a deceitful tongue be found in their mouth; For they shall feed *their* flocks and lie down, And no one shall make *them* afraid.”

NKJ **Zephaniah 3:13**



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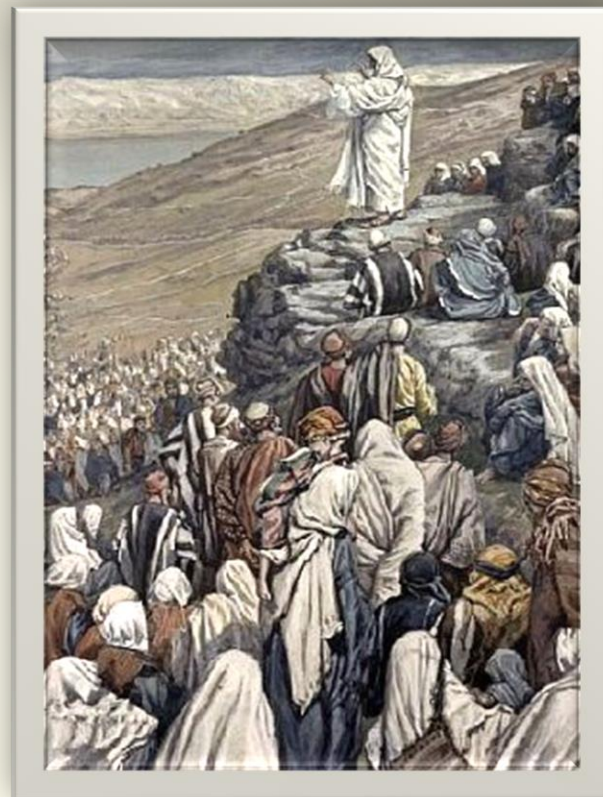
<sup>NKJ</sup> **Isaiah 58:12** . . . the  
Repairer of the Breach, The  
Restorer (*shuwb*) of Streets to  
Dwell In.



# the Remnant

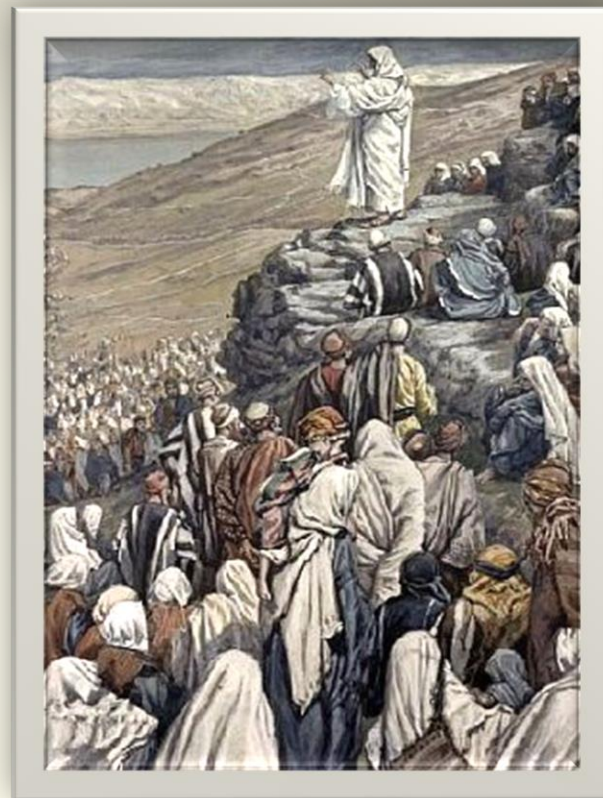
I will surely assemble all of you,  
O Jacob; I will gather the  
remnant of Israel; I will set  
them together like sheep in a  
fold, like a flock in its pasture, a  
noisy multitude of men.

ESV **Micah 2:12**



# the Remnant

<sup>NKJ</sup> **Luke 1:17** "He will also go before Him in the spirit and power of Elijah, 'to **turn** the hearts of the fathers to the children,' and the disobedient to the wisdom of the just, to make ready a people prepared for the Lord."



## **Malachi 4:6** (TK Interpretation )

And Elijah will return the heart of The Fathers – Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, to the children of Israel, And the heart of the children of Israel, will return turn to The Fathers ...



# the Remnant & Teshuva

"Seek the LORD while he may be found; call upon him while he is near; let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return (shuwb) to the LORD, that He may have compassion on him, and to our God, for He will abundantly pardon.

ESV **Isaiah 55:6-7**

# the Remnant & Teshuva



Repent therefore, and turn again (*epistrepho* {1994} – “turn again, return”), that your sins may be blotted out, <sup>20</sup> that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord, and that he may send the Christ appointed for you, Jesus, <sup>21</sup> whom heaven must receive until the time for restoring all the things about which God spoke by the mouth of his holy prophets long ago.

ESV **Acts 3:19-21**

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ESV **Romans 9:6** . . . not all who are descended  
from Israel belong to Israel . . .

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Fig. 6

"Let us be glad and rejoice  
and give Him glory, for the  
marriage of the Lamb has  
come, and His wife has  
made herself ready"

**NKJ Revelation 19:7-9**

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Shalom Alechim

*Peace be Unto You*