

29 Kore ni yorite Abusaromu ō ni tsukawasan tote Yoabu wo yobi ni tsukawashikeru ga, kare kitaru koto wo gaenzezu; futa tabi tsukawaseshikadomo,
30 kitaru koto wo gaenzezariki. Abusaromu sono shimobe ni iikeru wa, Miyo, Yoabu no hatake wa ware no chikaku ni arite, soko ni ōmugi ari; yukite sore ni hi wo hanate to. Abusaromu no shimobera hatake ni hi
31 wo hanateri. Yoabu tachite Abusaromu no ie ni kitarite, kore ni iikeru wa, Nani yue ni nanji no shimobera hatake ni hi wo hanachitaru ya? Abusaromu Yoabu ni iikeru wa, Ware hito wo nanji ni tsukawashite, Koko ni kitare; ware nanji wo ō ni tsukawasan to ieri, sunawachi nanji wo shite ō ni, Ware nani no tame ni Geshuru yori kitarishi ya? kashiko ni nao araba, waga tame ni wa kaette yoshi to iwashimen to seri: sareba ware ima ō no kao wo min; moshi ware ni tsumi arabā ō ware
32 wo korosubeshi. Yoabu ō ni itarite kore ni tsugetareba, ō Abusaromu wo mesu; kare ō ni itarite, ō no mae ni chi ni fushite hai seri; ō Abusaromu ni kuchitsuke su.

15 Kono nochi Abusaromu onore no tame niikusaguruma to, uma, narabi ni onore no mae ni kakeru mono go jū nin wo 2 sonaetari. Abusaromu hayaku okite, mon no michi no katawara ni tachi; hito no uttae arite ō ni sabaki wo motomen tote kitaru toki wa, Abusaromu sono hito wo yobite in, Nanji wa izure no machi no mono naru ya to. Sono hito, Shimobe wa Isuraeru no sore no 3 wakare no mono nari to ieba; Abusaromu sono hito ni iu, Miyo, nanji no koto wa yoku mata todashi; saredo nanji ni kikubeki hito wa ō imada 4 tatezu to. Abusaromu mata, Aa, ware wo kono chi no sabakibito to nasu mono mo gana! sasureba subete uttae to kuji aru mono wa ware ni kitarite, ware kore ni kōgi wo nashi atea to 5 iu. Mata hito kare wo hai sen tote chikazuku toki wa, kare te wo nobashite sono hito wo tasuke, kore ni 6 kuchitsuke su. Abusaromu subete ō ni sabaki, wo motomen tote kitaru

Isuraerubito ni kaku no gotoku naseri: kaku Abusaromu wa Isuraeru no hitobito no kokoro wo toreri.
7 Kakute yo nen no noch Abusaromu ō ni iikeru wa, Kou, ware wo shite yukite Heburon nite IEHOBA ni waga katsute 8 tateshi gwan wo hatashimeyo. Sowa shimobe Suria no Geshuru ni orishi toki gwan wo tatete, Moshi IEHOBA makoto ni ware wo Ierusaremu ni tsure kaeri tamawaba, ware IEHOBA ni tsukaen to 9 iitareba nari to. Ō kare ni iikeru wa, Yasuraka ni yuke to. Kare sunawachi tachite, Heburon ni yukeri. Shikashite Abusaromu ukagau mono wo Isuraeru no wakare no uchi ni amaneku tsukawashite iwasekeru wa, Nanjira rappa no oto wo kikaba, Abusaromu Heburon nite ō to na
10 reri to omōbeshi to. Ni hyaku nin no manekaretaru mono Ierusaremu yori Abusaromu to tomo ni yukeri; karera wa nanigokoro naku yukite, nanigoto 11 wo mo shirazariki. Abusaromu ikenie wo sasaguru toki ni, Dabide no gikwan, Girobito Ahitoperu wo sono machi Giro yori yobi yesetari. Totō tsuyoku shite, tami shidai ni Abusaromu ni kuwawarinu.
12 13 Koko ni tsukai Dabide ni kitarite, Isuraeru no hito no kokoro Abusaromu ni shitagau to iu. Dabide onore to tomo ni Ierusaremu ni oru subete no shimobera ni iikeru wa, Tateyo, warera nigen shikarazuba warera Abusaromu yori nogaruru atawazarubeshi: isogi yuke, osoraku wa kare isogite warera ni oi tsuki, warera ni gai wo kōmurase, yaiba wo mote machi wo 14 utan. Ō no shimobera ō ni iikeru wa, Miyo, shimobera ō waga shu no eramu tokoro wo subete nasan. Ō ide yuki, sono zenka kore ni shitagau. Ō jū nin no mekake naru onna wo nokoshin 15 te, ie wo mamorashimu. Ō ide yuki, tami mina kore ni shitagau; karera 16 toku no ie ni yasumeri. Kare no shimobera mina sono katawara ni susumi, Keretebito to Peretebito oyobi kare ni shitagaite Gate yori kitareru 17 18 19 mae ni susumeri. Toki ni ō Gatebito

Ittai ni iikeru wa, Nani yue ni nanji mo mata warera to tomo ni yuku ya? nanji kaerite ō to tomo ni ore: nanji wa kotokunibito ni shite, utsurite tokoro wo motomuru mono nari. Nanji wa kinō kitareri, ware wa konnichi waga uru tokoro ni yuku nareba, ika-de nanji wo shite warera to tomo ni samayowashimubeken ya? nanji kaeri, nanji no kyōdai wo mo tsure kaerubeshi; negawaku wa, megumi to makoto 21 nanji to tomo ni are. Ittai ō ni kotaete iikeru wa, IEHOBA wa iku, ō waga shu wa iku, makoto ni ō waga shu ika-naru tokoro ni imasu to mo, iki shin tomo ni, shimobera mo mata soko ni 22 orubeshi. Dabide Ittai ni iikeru wa, Susumi yuke. Gatebito Ittai sunawachi susumi, kare no subete no jūsha oyobi kare to tomo ni aru tsuma ko 23 mina susumeri. Kokuchū mina ōgoe wo agete naki, tami mina susumu: ō mo mata Kideron Gawa wo watarite susumi, tami mina susumite no no 24 michi ni omomukeri. Miyo, Zadoku oyobi tomo ni aru Rebibito mo mata mina Kami no keiyaku no hako wo kakite itari; Kami no hako wo oroshite, tami no kotogotoku machi yori izuru wo materi, Abiataru mo mata 25 noboreri. Koko ni ō Zadoku ni iikeru wa, Kami no hako wo machi ni kaki modose: moshi ware IEHOBA no mae ni megumi wo uru naraba, IEHOBA ware wo hiki kaerite ware ni kore wo shimeshi, sono sumika wo shimeshi tamawan: 26 saredo IEHOBA moshi, Ware nanji wo yorokobazu to, kaku ii tamawaba; miyo, ware wa koko ni ari, sono me ni yoshi to miyuru tokoro wo 27 ware ni nashi tamae. Ō mata saishi Zadoku ni iikeru wa, Nanji senkensha, Nanjira no futari no ko sunawachi nanji no ko Ahimaazu to, Abiataru no ko Yonatan wo tomonaite yasuraka ni machi 28 ni kaere. Miyo, ware wa nanji yori koto ba no kitarite ware ni tsuguru made no no watariba ni todomaran to. 29 Zadoku to Abiataru sunawachi Kami no hako wo Ierusaremu ni kaki modore kashiko ni todomareru.
30 Koko ni Dabide Kanran Zan no michi wo noborishi ga; noboru toki ni naki, sono kōbe wo tsutsumite hadashi nite yukeri: kare to tomo ni aru tami mina ono-onono sono kōbe wo tsutsumite nobori, naki tsutsu noboreri. Toki ni Ahitoperu ga Abusaromu ni kumi seru mono no uchi ni aru koto Dabide ni kikoekereba Dabide in, IEHOBA, negawaku wa, Ahitoperu no hakarigoto wo oroka narashime tamae to. Dabide itadaki ni aru Kami wo hai suru tokoro ni itareru toki, miyo, Arukibito Hoshai koromo wo saki, tsuchi wo atama ni kamurite, kitarite Dabide wo mukau: Dabide kare ni iikeru wa, Nanji moshi ware to tomo ni susumaba ware 34 no ni to narubeshi: saredo nanji moshi machi ni kaerite Abusaromu ni mukai, ō yo, ware nanji no shimobera to narubeshi kore made nanji no chichi no shimobera tarishi gotoku, ima mata nanji no shimobera to narubeshi to iwaba; nanji wa waga tame ni Ahitoperu no hakarigoto wo yaburu ni itaran. Saishi Zadoku to Abiataru nanji to tomo ni kashiko ni aru ni arazu ya? Kono yue ni nanji ga ō no ie yori kikitatu koto wa kotogotoku saishi Zadoku to 36 Abiataru ni tsugubeshi. Miyo, karera to tomo ni kashiko ni wa sono futari no ko sunawachi Zadoku no ko Ahimaazu to, Abiataru no ko Yonatan oru nari; Nanjira sono kikitatu koto wo kotogotoku karera no te ni yorite 37 ware ni tsūzubeshi. Dabide no tomo Hoshai sunawachi machi ni itarinu: toki ni Abusaromu wa Ierusaremu ni iri itari.
16 Dabide sukoshiku itadaki wo sugi yukeru toki, miyo, Mepibosete no shimobera Jiba kura okeru futatsu no roba wo hiki, sono ue ni pan ni hyaku, hoshibudō ippyaku fusā, hoshi natsume no katamari ippyaku, sake hito fukuro wo nose kitarite Dabide wo mukau.
2 Ō Jiba ni iikeru wa, Korera wa nani naru ka? Jiba iikeru wa, Roba wa ō no kazoku no noru tame, pan to hoshi natsume wa wakamono no kurau tame, sake wa no ni tsukaretaru mono no 3 nomu tame nari. Ō iikeru wa, Nanji

no shujin no ko wa izuko ni aru ya? Jiba ō ni iikeru wa, Kare wa Isurameru ni todomaru: sowa kare, Isuraeru no ie konnichi waga chichi no kuni wo ware ni kaesan to ii oreba nari.
 4 Ō Jiba ni iikeru wa, Miyo, Mepibosete no mono wa kotogotoku nanji no mono to narubeshi. Jiba iikeru wa, Ware hai su, o, waga shu yo, ware wo shite nanji no mae ni megumi wo kōmurasame tamae.
 5 Kakute Dabide ō Bahorimu ni itaru ni, miyo, kashiko yori Sauru no ie no yakara no mono hitori ide kitaru, sono na wo Shimei to iu, Gera no ko nari: kare ide kitarite, kitari tsutsu noroeri.
 6 Mata kare Dabide to Dabide ō no moromoro no kerai ni mukaite ishi wo nagetari. Toki ni tami to yūshi mina
 7 ō no sayū ni ari. Shimei noroi no uchi ni kaku ieri, Nanji chi wo nagasu hito yo, nanji yokoshima naru hito yo, ide
 8 sare, ide sare: nanji ga kawarite kurai ni noborishi Sauru no ie no chi wo subete IEHOBA nanji ni kishi tamaeri; IEHOBA kuni wo nanji no ko Abusaromu no te ni watashi tamaeri: miyo, nanji wa chi wo nagasu hito naru ni yorite wazawai no uchi ni aru nari.
 9 Zeruya no ko, Abishai ō ni iikeru wa, Kono shimitaru iuu nanzo ō waga shu wo norōbeken ya? Kou, ware wo shite watari yukite, kare no kubi wo torashimeyo. Ō iikeru wa, Zeruya no kora yo, nanjira no azukaru tokoro ni arazu: kare no norou wa IEHOBA kare ni, Dabide wo noroe to ii tamaitaru ni yoru nareba, tare ka Nanji nanzo shika
 11 suru ya to iubeken ya? Dabide mata Abishai oyobi onore no subete no kerai ni iikeru wa, Miyo, waga mi yori idetaru waga ko waga inochi wo motomu: iwan ya kono Beniyaminbito wo ya? kare wo yurushite norowashime yo: IEHOBA kare ni meiji tamaeru
 12 nari. IEHOBA waga kannau wo kaerimi tamau koto aran; mata IEHOBA konnichi kare no noroi no tame ni ware ni zen wo mukui tamau koto aran to.
 13 Kakute Dabide to sono jūsha michi wo yūkikeru ni, Shimei wa Dabide ni mukaeru yama no katawara ni yukite,

yuki tsutsu noroi, mata kare ni mukaite
 14 ishi wo nage, chirī wo agetari. Ō oyobi tomo ni aru tami mina Aepimu ni kitarite, kashiko ni iki wo tsugeri.
 15 Sate Abusaromu to subete no tami Isuraeru no hitobito Ierusaremni itarer: Ahitoperu mo Abusaromu to
 16 tomo ni itaru. Dabide no tomo naru Arukibito Hoshai Abusaromu no moto ni kitarishi toki Abusaromu ni iu, Negawaku wa, ō inochi nagakare, negawaku wa, ō inochi nagakare.
 17 Abusaromu Hoshai ni iikeru wa, Kore wa nanji ga sono tomo ni shimesen atsuki kokoro naru ya? nanji nanzo nanji no tomo to yukazaru ya to.
 18 Hoshai Abusaromu ni iikeru wa, Shikarazu; IEHOBA to kono tami to Isuraeru no subete no hitobito no eramu mono ni ware wa zoku shi, katsu sono
 19 hito to tomo ni orubeshi. Katsu mata ware tare ni tsukōbeki ka? sono ko no mae ni tsukōbeki ni arazu ya? ware wa nanji no chichi no mae ni tsukaeishi gotoku, nanji no mae ni tsukōbeshi.
 20 Koko ni Abusaromu Ahitoperu ni iikeru wa, Warera ikani nasubeki ka? Nanjira hakarigoto wo nasubeshi to.
 21 Ahitoperu Abusaromu ni iikeru wa, Nanji no chichi ga nokoshite ie wo marashimurumekaketachi no tokoro ni ire; shikaraba Isuraeru mina nanji ga sono chichi ni nikumaruru wo kikan: shikashite nanji to tomo ni oru subete no mono no te tsuyoku narubeshi
 22 to. Koko ni oite yane ni Abusaromu no tame ni temmaku wo harikereba, Abusaromu Isuraeru no me no mae nite sono chichi nomekaketachi no tokoro ni irinu. Sono koro Ahitoperu ga hakareru hakarigoto wa Kami no kotoba ni toitaru gotoku nariki: Ahitoperu no hakarigoto wa mina Dabide to Abusaromu to ni tomo ni kaku no gotoku mietariki.
 17 Toki ni Ahitoperu Abusaromu ni iikeru wa, Kou, ware ni ichi man ni sen no hito wo erami idasashimeyo; ware tachite konya Dabide no ato wo
 2 oi, kare ga tsukarete tayowaku narishti tokoro wo osōte, kare wo obieshimen: shikashite kare to to

mo ni oru tami no nigen toki ni
 3 ware ō hitori wo uchi tori: subete no tami wo nanji ni kiseshimubeshi: sore mina no kisuru wa nanji ga motomuru kono hito ni yoru nareba, tami mina
 4 odayaka ni narubeshi. Kono kotoba Abusaromu no me to, Isuraeru no subete no toshiyori no me ni yoshi to mietari.
 5 Abusaromu iikeru wa, Arukibito Hoshai wo mo meshi kitare; warera kare ga iu tokoro wo mo kikan to.
 6 Hoshai sunawachi Abusaromu ni itaru ni, Abusaromu kare ni katarite iikeru wa, Ahitoperu kaku no gotoku ieri; warera sono kotoba wo nasubeki ka?
 7 moshi yokarazuba, nanji iubeshi. Hoshai Abusaromu ni iikeru wa, Kono toki ni atarite Ahitoperu ga sazukeshi
 8 bakarigoto wa yokarazu. Hoshai mata iikeru wa, Nanji no shiru gotoku nanji no chichi to sono jūsha wa yūshi nari, katsu karera wa no nite sono ko wo ubawaretaru kuma no gotoku, sono ki iradachi oreri: mata nauji no chichi wa ikusabito nareba, tami to tomo ni
 9 yadorazarubeshi. Kare wa ima izure no ana ni ka, izure no tokoro ni ka kakure oru: moshi sunin no mono tehajime ni taorenaba, sore wo kiku mono wa mina, Abusaromu ni shitagan mono no uchi ni yabure ari to.
 10 iwan. Shikaraba shishi no kokoro no gotoku kokoro aru takeki hito to iu tomo, mattaku kujiken: sowa Isuraeru mina nanji no chichi no yūshi ni shite kare to tomo ni aru mono no takeki
 11 hito naru wo shireba nari. Ware wa hakaru, Isuraeru wo Dan yori Beerushiba ni itaru made, hama no isago no ōki ga gotoku ni, kotogotoku nanji no tokoro ni tsudoe atsumete, nanji mizukara tatakai ni nozomubeshi.
 12 Warera kare no mi idasaruru tokoro nite kare wo osoi, tsuyu no chi ni oriru ga gotoku kare no ne ni kudaran: shikashite kare oyobi kare to tomo ni aru subete no hitobito wo hitori mo amasazarnubeshi. Moshi kare izure ka no machi ni atsumaraba, Isuraeru mina nawa wo sono machi ni kake, warera kore wo kawa ni hiki taoshite, soko ni hitotsu
 22 razaru mono wa nakariki. Ahitoperu wa sono hakarigoto no okonawarezaru

wo mite, sono roba ni kura oki, tachite sono machi ni yukite, sono ie ni itari, ie no hito ni yuigon shite, mizukara kubire shinete, sono chichi no haka ni hōmuraru.

24 Koko ni Dabide Mahanaimu ni itaru. Mata Abusaromu wa onore to tomo ni aru Isuraeru no subete no hitobito to tomo ni Yorudan wo watareri. Abusaromu Amasa wo Yoabu no kawari ni gun no kashira to naseri. Amasa wa kano Nahashi no musume nite, Yoabu no haha Zeruya no imōto naru Abigaru ni tsūjitaru Ishimaerubito, na wa 26 Eteru to iu hito no ko nari. Kakute Isuraeru to Abusaromu wa Gireade no chi ni jindoreri.

27 Dabide Mahanaimu ni itareru toki, Ammon no hitobito no uchi naru, Raba no Nahashi no ko Shobi to, Ro-debaru no Ammieru no ko Makiru, oyobi Roge-28 rimu no Gireadebito Barujirai toko to, nabe, kama to, yakimono no utsuwa to, komugi to, ōmugi to, kona to, irimugi to, mame to, azuki no irituru mono to, 29 mitsu to, gyūraku to, hitsuji to, ko ushi wo Dabide, oyobi tomo ni aru tami no kurau tame ni mochi kitareri: so wa karera tami wa no nite ue tsukare, kawaku naran to iitareba nari.

18 Koko ni Dabide onore to tomo ni aru tami wo shirabete, sono ue ni sen nin no kashira, hyaku nin no kashira wo 2 tatetari. Shikashite Dabide tami wo mitsu ni wakachite, sono hitotsu wo Yoabu no te ni azuke, hitotsu wo Zeruya no ko, Yoabu no kyōdai Abishai no te ni azuke, hitotsu wo Gatebito Ittai no te ni azuketari. Kaku shite ō tami ni iikeru wa, Ware mo mata kana-3 razu nanjira to tomo ni iden to. Saredo tami iu, Nanji wa izubekarazu; warera ika ni niguru tomo, karera wa warera ni kokoro wo tomeji; mata warera nakaba shin tomo, warera ni kokoro wo tomezubeshi: saredo nanji wa warera no ieki man ni hitoshi: yue ni nanji wa machi no uchi yori warera wo 4 tasukenaba yoshi. Ō karera ni iikeru wa, Nanjira no me ni yoshi to miyuru tokoro wo nasubeshi to. Kakute ō mon no katawara ni tachi, tami mina aruiwa

hyaku nin, aruiwa sen nin to narite 5 izu. Ō Yoabu, Abishai, oyobi Ittai ni mejite, Waga tame ni shōnen Abusaromu wo yawaraka ni atsukaeyo to iu. Ō no Abusaromu no koto ni tsuite subete no kashira ni mei wo kudasaru 6 toki tami mina kikeri. Koko ni tami Isuraeru ni mukaite no ni ide; Efurai-7 mu no mori ni tatakaishi ga; Isuraeru no tami soko nite Dabide no kerai no mae ni yaburu: sono hi kashiko no uchijini ō ni shite ni man ni itarer. 8 Shikashite tatakai amaneku sono chi no omote ni hirogarinu; kono hi mori no horoboseru mono wa katana no horoboseru mono yori mo ōkariki. Koko ni Abusaromu Dabide no kerai ni yuki aeri. Toki ni Abusaromu uma ni nori itarishi ga, uma ō naru kashi no ki no shigeki eda no shita wo sugikereba, Abusaromu no atama sono kashi ni kakarite, kare tenchi no aida ni agareri; uma wa kare no shita yori yuki sugita-10 ri. Hitori no hito mite, Yoabu ni tsuge iikeru wa, Ware Abusaromu ga kashi no ki ni kakari oru wo mitari to.

11 Yoabu sono tsugetaru hito ni iikeru wa, Saraba nanji mite, nani yue ni kare wo soko nite chi ni uchi otosazarishi ya? Ware nanji ni gin jū mai to, hito suji 12 no obi wo ataen mono wo. Sono hito Yoabu ni iikeru wa, Tatoi ware waga te ni gin sen mai wo ukubeki mo, ware wa te wo idashite ō no ko ni teki seji: sowa ō warera no kikeru mae nite nanji to Abishai to Ittai ni mejite, Nanjira ono-ono shōnen Abusaromu wo gai suru 13 nakare to ii tamaitareba nari. Ware moshi somuite kare no inochi wo soko nawaba, nanjito mo ō ni kakururu tokoro nakereba, nanji mizukara tachite 14 ware wo semen to. Toki ni Yoabu, Ware kaku nanji to tomo ni todomaru bekarazu to iite, te ni mi suji no yari wo tazusae yukite, kano kashi no ki no naka ni nao iki oru Abusaromu no 15 mune ni kore wo tsuki tōseri. Yoabu no buki wo toru jū nin no wakamono tori makite Abusaromu wo uchi, kore 16 wo shinashimetari. Kakute Yoabu rappa wo fukikereba, tami Isuraeru no ato wo ou koto wo yamete kaereri:

Yoabu tami wo todometareba nari. 17 Hitobito Abusaromu wo torite, mori no naka naru ōi naru ana ni nage ire, sono ue ni hanahada okiku ishi wo tsumi agetari: koko ni oite Isuraeru mina ono-ono sono temmaku ni nige kaereri. Abusaromu, Ware wa waga na wo tsutōbeki ko nashi to iite, sono ikeru aida ni, onore no tame ni hitotsu no hashira wo tatetari; ō no tani ni ari: kare onore no na wo sono hashira ni tsuketari: sono hashira konnichi ni itaru made, Abusaromu no hi to tomaeraru.

19 Koko ni Zadoku no ko Ahimaazu iikeru wa, Kou, ware wo shite hashirite, ō ni IEHOBA no ō wo mamorite sono teki no te wo manukareshime tamaishi otozure wo tsutaeshimeyo 20 to. Yoabu kare ni ikeru wa, Nanji wa kyo otozure wo tsutōru mono to narubekarazu, hoka no hi ni otozure wo tsutōbeshi; kyo wa ō no ko shimitareba, nanji otozure wo 21 tsutōbekarazu. Yoabu Kushibito ni iikeru wa, Yukite nanji ga mitaru tokoro wo ō ni tsugeyo. Kushibito 22 Yoabu ni rei wo nashite hashireri. Zadoku no ko Ahimaazu futa tabi Yoabu ni iikeru wa, Kou, izure ni mo are, ware wo mo mata Kushibito no ato yori hase yukashimeyo. Yoabu iikeru wa, Waga ko yo, nanji wa jūbun no otozure wo motazaru ni, nani yue ni hashiri 23 yukai to suru ya? Kare iu, Izure ni mo are ware wo shite hashiri yukashimeyo to. Yoabu kare ni iu, Hashirubeshi. Koko ni oite Ahimaazu Kubochi no michi wo hashirite, Kushibito wo hase koetari.

24 Toki ni Dabiē wa futatsu no mon no aida ni za shi itari: koko ni ukagau mono mon no yane ni nobori, ishigaki ni noborite, sono me wo agete, miru ni, miyo, tada hitori nite hase kitaru 25 mono ari. Ukagau mono yobawarite, ō ni tsugekereba, ō iu, Moshi hitori naraba, kuchi ni otozure wo motsu naran to. Sono hito susumi kitarite 26 chikazukeri. Ukagau mono mata hito ri no hashiri kitaru wo mishikaba; ukagau mono mon wo mamoru mono ni yobawarite iu, Tada hitori nite hase kitaru mono ari. Ō iu, Sono hito mo mata otozure wo motsu mono nari.

27 Ukagau mono iu, Ware sakidatsu mono no hashiru wo miru ni, Zadoku no ko Ahimaazu no hashiru ga gotoshi to. Ō iikeru wa, Kare wa yoki hito nari, yoki otozure wo mochi kitaru naran.

28 Ahimaazu yobawarite, ō ni iikeru wa, Negawaku wa, yasuraka nare to. Kake ō no mae ni chi ni fushite iu, Nanji no Kami IEHOBA wa homubeki kana, IEHOBA kano te wo agete ō waga shu ni teki shitaru hitobito wo watashi tama-32 eri. Ō iikeru wa, Shōnen Abusaromu wa yasuraka naru ya? Ahimaazu kotaekeru wa, Ō no shimobe Yoabu shimobe wo tsukawaseshi toki, ware ōi naru sawagi wo mitaredomo, nani wo mo shirazaru nari. Ō iikeru wa, Waki ni itarite, soko ni tateyo to. Sunawa-33 chi waki ni itarite tatsu. Toki ni, miyo, Kushibito kitareri; Kushibito iikeru wa, Negawaku wa, ō otozure wo uke tamae; IEHOBA konnichi nanji wo mamorite, subete nanji ni tachi sakarau mono no te wo manukareshime tama-32 eri. Ō Kushibito ni iikeru wa, Shōnen Abusaromu wa yasuraka naru ya? Kushibito iikeru wa, Negawaku wa, ō waga shu no teki, oyobi subete nanji ni tachi sakaraite gai wo nasan to suru mono wa, kano shōnen no gotoku 33 nare to. Ō iu ni itami, mon no nikai ni noborite nakeri: kare yuki nagara, kaku ieri, Waga ko Abusaromu yo, waga ko, waga ko Abusaromu yo! aa ware nanji ni kawarite shinitarau mono wo, Abusaromu, waga ko yo, waga ko yo!

19 Toki ni Yoabu ni tsuguru mono arite iu, Miyo, ō wa Abusaromu no tame 2 ni naki kanashimu to. Sono hi no kachi wa subete no tami no kanashimi to narer: sowa tami sono hi ō wa sono ko no tame ni uryō to iu wo 3 kikitareba nari. Sono hi tami wa tatakai ni nigete hajitaru tami no shinobite saru ga gotoku, shinobite machi 4 ni irinu. Ō wa sono kao wo ōeri: ō ōgoe ni sakebite, Waga ko Abusaromu yo, Abusaromu, waga ko yo, waga

5 ko yo to iu. Koko ni Yoabu ie ni iri, ō no moto ni itarite iikeru wa, Nanji konnichi nanji no inochi to, nanji no musuko, nanji no mume no inochi, oyobi nanji no tsumatachi no inochi to, nanji nomekake-tachi no inochi wo sukitaru, nanji no subete no kerai no kao wo hajisasetari; 6 kowa nanji onore wo nikumu mono wo ai shi, onore wo ai suru mono wo nikumu nari. Nanji kyō nanji ga tsukasa wo mo kerai wo mo kaerimizaru wo shimeseri: kyō ware satoru, moshi Abusaromu iki orite, warera mina shimitaraba, nanji no me ni kanaishi 7 naran. Saredo ima tachite, ide, nanji no keraitachi wo nagusamete katarubeshi: ware IEHOBA wo sashite chikau, nanji moshi idezuba, konya hitoru mo nanji to tomo ni todomaru mono naka-rubeshi: kore wa nanji ga wakaki toki yori ima ni itaru made ni kōmūritaru moromoro no wazawai yori mo nanji 8 ni ashikarubeshi. Koko ni oite ō tachite, mon ni za su. Hitobito subete no tami ni tsugete, Miyo, ō wa mon ni za shi oru to iikereba; tami mina ō no mae ni itaru. Saredo Isuraeru wa ono-onono sono tem- 9 maku ni nige kaereri. Isuraeru no moromoro no wakare no uchi ni tami mina arasoite iikeru wa, Ō wa warera wo teki no te yori sukui idashi, mata warera wo Perishitebito no te yori tasuke idaseri; saredo ima wa Abusaromu no 10 tame ni kuni wo nige idetari. Mata warera ga abura-sosogite warera no ue ni okishi Abusaromu wa ikusa ni shineri. Sareba nanjira nanzo ō wo michibiki kaeran koto wo iwazaru ya? 11 Dabide ō saishi Zadoku to Abiataru ni ii tsukawashikeru wa, Yuda no toshiyoritachi ni tsugete ie, Isuraeru no zenka no kotoba ō no ie ni tasseshi ni, nanjira nanzo ō wo sono ie ni michibiki 12 kaeru iyahate to naru ya? Nanjira wa waga kyōdai, nanjira wa waga kotsuniku nari; shikaru ni nanzo nanjira ō wo michibiki kaeru iyahate to naru ya to. 13 Mata Amasa ni iubeshi, Nanji wa waga kotsuniku ni arazu ya? nanji Yoabu ni 23 ya to. Koko wo mote ō wa Shimei ni, kawarite tsune ni waga mae nite gū no kashira tarubeshi; moshi shikarazuba, Kami ware ni kaku nashi, mata kasanete kaku nashi tamae to.

14 Kaku Dabide Yuda no subete no hito wo shite sono kokoro wo katamukete, ichi nin no gotoku ni narashime-kereba; karera ō ni, Negawaku wa, nanji oyobi nanji no subete no kerai 15 kaeri tamae to ii okureri. Koko ni oite ō kaerite, Yorudan ni itaru ni, Yuda no hitobito ō wo mukaen tote kitarite, Girugaru ni itari, ō wo okuri-te Yorudan wo wataran to su.

16 Toki ni Bahorimu no Beniyaminbito Gera no ko, Shimei isogite Yuda no hitobito to tomo ni kudari, Dabide ō wo mukau. Issen no Beniyaminbito kare to tomo ni ari, mata Sauru no ie no shimobe, Jiba mo sono jū go nin no musuko to, ni jū nin no shimobe wo shitagaete tomo ni itarishi ga; mina ō no mae ni mukaita Yorudan 17 wo kogi watareri. Toki ni ō no kazoku wo watashi, mata ō no me ni yoshi to miyuru tokoro wo nasan tote, watashibune wo wataseri. Koko ni Gera no ko Shimei Yorudan wo watareru toki, ō no mae ni fushite, ō ni 18 iikeru wa, Waga shu yo, negawaku wa, tsumi wo ware ni kisuru nakare, mata ō waga shu no Ierusaremu yori ide tamaeru hi ni, shimobe ga nashitaru ashiki koto wo oboe tamau nakare: negawaku wa, ō kore wo kokoro ni 20 ōki tamau nakare. Sowa shimobe waga tsumi wo okashitaru wo shireba nari: yue ni, miyo, ware konnichi Yosefu no zenka no iyasaki ni kudari kitarite, ō waga shu wo mukau to. 21 Shikaru ni Zeruya no ko Abishai kotaete iikeru wa, Shimei wa IEHOBA no abura-sosogishi mono wo noroitaru ni yorite, sore ga tame ni korosarubeki 22 ni arazu ya to. Dabide iikeru wa, Nanjira Zeruya no ko yo, nanjira no azukaru tokoro ni arazu; nanjira kyō ware ni teki to naru; kyō ani Isuraeru no uchi nite hito wo korusubekeri ya? ware ani waga kyō Isuraeru no ō to naritaru wo shirazaran 23 ya to. Koko wo mote ō wa Shimei ni,

Nanji wa korosareji to iite, ō kare ni chikaeri.

24 Koko ni Sauru no ko Mepibosete kudarite ō wo mukau; kare wa ō no sarishi hi yori yasuraka ni kaeeru hi made, sono ashi wo kazarazu, sono hige wo kazarazu, mata sono koromo 25 wo arawazariki. Kare Ierusaremu yori kitarite ō wo mukōru toki, ō kare ni iikeru wa, Mepibosete, nanji nanzo 26 ware to tomo ni yukazarishi ya? Kare kotaekeru wa, Waga shu, ō yo, waga kerai ware wo azamukeri: shimobe wa, Ware roba ni kura okite, sore ni norite, ō no tokoro ni yukan to ieri; 27 shimobe ashinae nareba nari. Shikaru ni kare shimobe wo ō waga shu ni zangen seri; shikaredomo ō waga shu wa Kami no tsukai no gotsoshi: yue ni nanji no me ni yoshi to miyuru tokoro 28 wo nashi tamae. Waga chichi no zenka wa ō waga shu no mae ni wa shintarū hito maru nomi naru ni; nanji shimobe wo nanji no seki nite kurau mono no uchi ni ōki tamaeri. Sareba ware nani no kotowari arite ka kasa- 29 nete ō ni uttōrū koto wo en? ō kare ni iikeru wa, Nanji nanzo kasanete nanji no koto wo iu ya? ware iu, Nanji to Jiba sono chi wo wakatsubeshi. 30 Mepibosete ō ni iikeru wa, ō waga shu yasuraka ni sono ie ni kaeri tamai-tareba, kare ni kore wo kotogotoku torashime tamae to.

31 Koko ni Gireadebito Barujirai Rogerimur yori kudari; ō wo okurite Yorudan wo wataran tote, ō to tomo ni Yorudan 32 wo watareri. Barujirai wa hanahada oitaru hito nite, hachi jissai nariki; kare wa hanahada ōi naru hito nareba, ō no Mahanaimu ni todomareru aida ō 33 wo yashinaeri. ō Barujirai ni iikeru wa, Nanji ware to tomo ni watarikite, ware Ierusaremu nite nanji wo ware to 34 tomo ni yashinawan. Barujirai ō ni iikeru wa, Waga inochi no toshi no hi nao ikubaku arite ka, ware ō to tomo ni 35 Ierusaremu ni noboran ya? ware wa konnichi hachi jissai nari; yoki to ashiki to wo wakimaeru wo en ya? shimobe sono kurau tokoro to nomu tokoro wo ajiwau wo en ya? ware futa tabi uta-

utau otoko to uta-utau onna no koe wo kiki en ya? shimobe nanzo nao ō waga shu no wazurai to narubeken ya?

36 Shimobe wa ō to tomo ni Yorudan wo watarite tada sukoshiku yukan; ō nanzo kono mukui wo ware ni mukuyuru ni oyoban ya? Kou, shimobe wo kaera-shimeyo, ware onore no machi nite, waga chichi haha no haka no soba ni shinan. Tadashi shimobe Kimuhamu wo mi tamae; kare wo ō waga shu to tomo ni watari yukashime tamae; mata nanji no me ni yoshi to miyuru tokoro wo kare ni nashi tamae. ō iikeru wa, Kimuhamu ware to tomo ni watari yukubeshi, ware nanji no me ni yoshi to miyuru tokoro wo kare ni nasan; mata nanji ga nozomite ware ni motomuru tokoro wa mina ware nanji no tame ni nasubeshi to. Tami mina Yorudan wo watareru: ō watarishi toki, ō Barujirai ni kuchitsuke shite, kore wo shuku su; kare tsui ni onore no tokoro ni kaereri.

40 Kakute ō Girugaru ni susumu ni, Kimuhamu kare to tomo ni susumeri: Yuda no tami mina ō wo okureri, Isuraeru no tami no nakaba mo mata 41 shikari. Koko ni Isuraeru no hitobito mina ō no tokoro ni itarite, ō ni iikeru wa, Warera no kyōdai naru Yuda no hitobito nani yue ni nanji wo nusumi sari, ō to sono kazoku, oyobi Dabide to tomo naru, sono subete no ōjūsha wo okurite, Yorudan wo watarishi ya to. Yuda no hitobito mina Isuraeru no hitobito ni kotaete iu, ō wa ware ni chikaki ga yue nari; nanji nanzo kono koto ni tsuite iku ya? warera ō no mono wo kuraishi koto aru ya? ō warera ni tamamono wo ataaetaru koto aru ya? Isuraeru no hito Yuda no hito ni kotaete ikeru wa, Ware wa ō no uchi ni tō no bun wo mochi, mata Dabide no uchi ni mo ware wa nanji yori mo ōku wo motsu nari; shikaru ni nanji nanzo warera wo karonjitaru ya? waga ō wo michibiki kaeran to iishi wa, ware iyasaki naru ni arazu ya to. Saredo Yuda no hitobito no kotoba wa Isuraeru no hitobito no kotoba yori mo hageshikariki.