

3rd Nephi 22

¹& then shall that which is written come to pass.

Sing O barren

thou that didst not bear,

break forth into singing & cry aloud

thou that didst not travail with child

for more are the Children of the desolate

than the Children of the Married wife saith the Lord

²enlarge the place place of thy tent

& let them stretch forth the curtains of thy habitations

spare not lengthen thy Cords & strengthen thy stakes

³for thou shalt break forth on the right hand & on the left

& thy seed shall Inherit the Gentiles

& make the desolate Cities to be Inhabited

⁴fear not for thou shalt not be ashamed

neither be thou confounded

for thou shalt not be put to shame

for thou shalt forget the shame of thy Youth

& shalt not remember the reproach of thy widowhood any more

⁵for thy maker thy Husband^d the Lord of Hosts is his name.

& thy redeemer the Holy one of Israel

the God of the whole earth shall he be called

⁶for the Lord hath called thee

as a woman forsaken & grieved in spirit

& a wife of youth

when thou wast refused saith thy God

⁷for a small moment have I forsaken thee

but with great mercies will I gather thee

⁸in a little wrath I hid my face from thee for a moment

but with everlasting kindness will I have mercy on thee

saith the Lord thy redeemer

⁹for this the waters of Noah unto me

for as I have sworn that the waters of Noah should no more go over the earth

so have I sworn that I would not be wroth with thee,

¹⁰for the Mountains shall depart & the hills be removed

but my kindness shall not depart from thee

neither shall the covenant of my peace be removed

saith the Lord that hath mercy on thee

¹¹O thou afflicted tossed with tempest[s] & not comforted

behold I will lay thy Stones with fair Colors

& lay thy foundations with sapphires

¹²& I will make thy windows of agates

& thy gates of Carbunkles

& all thy borders of pleasant stones

¹³& all thy Children shall be taught of the Lord

& great shall be the peace of thy Children

¹⁴in righteousness shalt thou be established
thou shalt be far from oppression for thou shalt not fear
& from terror for it shall not com^e near thee,

¹⁵behold they shall surely gather together against thee not by me
whosoever shall gather together against thee shall fall for thy sake
¹⁶behold I have created the Smith that bloweth the Coals in the fire
& that bring~~in~~geth forth an instrument for his work
& I have created the wa^{waster}~~ter~~ to destroy
¹⁷no weapon that is formed against thee shall prosper
& every tongue that shall rise against thee in Judgment
thou shalt condemn
this is the heritage of the servants of the Lord
& their righteousness is of me saith the Lord