

Song of Songs Chapter 7

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Return, return, O Shulammite; Return, return, that we **1**
may look upon thee. What will ye see in the
.Shulammite? As it were a dance of two companies

א שׁוֹבֵי שׁוֹבֵי הַשׁוֹלָמִית, שׁוֹבֵי
שׁוֹבֵי גַּתְּזָה-בָּרָה; מֵה-פָּתָחָזָה,
בְּשׁוֹלָמִית, כְּמַחְלִית, הַמְּחַבִּים.

How beautiful are thy steps in sandals, O prince's **2**
daughter! The roundings of thy thighs are like the links
.of a chain, the work of the hands of a skilled workman

בּ מֵה-יָפָו פָּעֵמִים בְּגַעֲלִים,
בְּת-גַּדְיבָּב, חַמּוֹקִי, יַרְכִּיר-כְּמוֹ
סְלָאִים, מַעֲשָׂה יְדֵי אָמֵן.

Thy navel is like a round goblet, wherein no mingled **3**
wine is wanting; thy belly is like a heap of wheat set
.about with lilies

גּ שְׁרֶבֶר אָגָן פִּסְפִּר, אַל-יְחִסְרָה
הַמְּזָגָן, בְּטַבְּרָא עַרְמָתָ חַטִּים,
סּוֹגָה בְּשֹׁעֲשִׁים.

Thy two breasts are like two fawns that are twins of a **4**
.gazelle

דּ שְׁנֵי שְׁדֵיְךָ כְּשֵׁנֵי עַפְרִים,
תְּאַמִּי צְבִיה.

Thy neck is as a tower of ivory; thine eyes as the pools **5**
in Heshbon, by the gate of Bath-rabbim; thy nose is like
.the tower of Lebanon which looketh toward Damascus

הּ צְנַעַרְתָּ, כְּמַגְדָּל פְּשָׁן; עַיְנֵי
בְּרַכּוֹת בְּחַשְׁבָּן, עַל-שְׁעָרָ בְּתַ
כּוּבִים--אַפְרָר כְּמַגְדָּל פְּלַבְּנָן,
צֹפָה פְּנֵי דְּמָשָׁק.

Thy head upon thee is like Carmel, and the hair of thy **6**
head like purple; the king is held captive in the tresses
.thereof

וּ רַאשְׁךָ עַלְיוֹן כְּכֶרֶמֶל, וְלֹתֶת
רַאשְׁךָ כְּאַרְגָּמָן: מֶלֶךְ, אֲסֹור
בְּרַהֲטִים.

How fair and how pleasant art thou, O love, for **7**
!delights

זּ מֵה-יָפִית, וּמֵה-גַּעֲמָת--
אַבְבָּה, בְּתַעֲנוֹגִים.

This thy stature is like to a palm-tree, and thy breasts **8**
.to clusters of grapes

חּ זֹאת קְוִמְתָּךְ קְמָתָה לְתָמָר,
וְשְׁדֵיְךָ לְאַשְׁכָּלוֹת.

I said: 'I will climb up into the palm-tree, I will take **9**
hold of the branches thereof; and let thy breasts be as
clusters of the vine, and the smell of thy countenance
.like apples

טּ אָמְרָתִי אַעֲלָה בְּתָמָר,
אַחֲרָה בְּסַטְסָבִי; וְהַיּוּ-נָא שְׁדֵיְךָ
כְּאַשְׁכָּלוֹת הַגְּפָן, וְרַיִם אַפְרָר
כְּתַפְפּוֹחִים.

And the roof of thy mouth like the best wine, that **10**
glideth down smoothly for my beloved, moving gently
.the lips of those that are asleep

יּ וְחַכָּה, קַיִן הַטּוֹב הַזָּלָן לְדוֹדִי
לְמִשְׁרִים; דָזְבָב, שְׁפָטִי יְשִׁיבִים.

{I am my beloved's, and his desire is toward me. **{S 11}**

יא אַנְּךָ לְדוֹדִי וְעַלְיִ תְּשׁוּקָתָנוּ.

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Come, my beloved, let us go forth into the field; let **12**
.us lodge in the villages

יב לְכָה דָּוִדִּי נִצְאָה פְּשָׁדָה,
בְּלִינה בְּקָפְרִים.

Let us get up early to the vineyards; let us see **13**
whether the vine hath budded, whether the vine-
blossom be opened, and the pomegranates be in
.flower; there will I give thee my love

יג נִשְׁכִּימָה, לְכָבְמִים--נִרְאָה
אִם-פְּרָמָה בַּגְּפָן פָּתָח הַסְּמִדָּר,
הַגְּנָצָו בְּרָמָונִים; שֶׁם אַתָּה-
דָּוִדִּי, לֹר.

The mandrakes give forth fragrance, and at our **14**
doors are all manner of precious fruits, new and old,
.which I have laid up for thee, O my beloved

יד פְּדוֹדָאִים גַּתְנוּ-רִיחַ, וְעַל-
פְּתַחַינוּ כָּל-מְגַדִּים--חַדְשִׁים,
גַּם-יָשְׁנִים; דָּוִדִּי, אַפְנַתִּי לֹר.