

Glorying in the Lord, Not Idol(ater)s
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God's rule over people

God's power over the earth

YHWH
Comparative
Statement; God's
"Name"

6 Forasmuch as there is none like unto thee, O LORD; thou art great, and thy name is great in might. 7 Who would not fear thee, O King of nations? for to thee doth it appertain: forasmuch as among all the wise men of the nations, and in all their kingdoms, there is none like unto thee.

14 The portion of Jacob is not like them: for he is the former of all things; and Israel is the rod of his inheritance: The LORD of hosts is his name.

Idols
The idol makers
are brutish...

8a But they are altogether brutish and foolish:

14a Every man is brutish in his knowledge:

...from the
influence of the
idols!

8b the instruction of vanities is wooden.

14b every founder is confounded by the graven image:

Vanity, Artificial

9 Silver spread into plates is brought from Tarshish, and gold from Uphaz, the work of the workman, and of the hands of the founder: blue and purple is their clothing: they are all the work of cunning men.

14c for his molten image is falsehood, and there is no breath in them. 15 They are vanity, and the work of errors: in the time of their visitation they shall perish.

YHWH
Control over earth;
cosmic signs

10 But the LORD is the true God, he is the living God, and an everlasting king: at his wrath the earth shall tremble, and the nations shall not be able to abide his indignation.

12 He hath made the earth by his power, he hath established the world by his wisdom, and hath stretched out the heavens by his discretion. 13 When he uttereth his voice, there is a multitude of waters in the heavens, and he causeth the vapours to ascend from the ends of the earth; he maketh lightnings with rain, and bringeth forth the wind out of his treasures.

Idols
Aramaic Focus

11 Thus shall ye say unto them, The gods that the heavens and the earth have not made, even they shall perish from the earth, and from under the heavens, these ones.