1. The prophecies of Isaiah son of Amoz, who prophesied concerning Judah and Jerusalem in the reigns of Uzziah, Jotham, Ahaz, and Hezekiah, kings of Judah.

Hear, O heavens, and give ear, O earth,
For the LORD has spoken:
“I reared children and brought them up—
And they have rebelled against Me!

An ox knows its owner,
An ass its master’s crib:
Israel does not know,
My people takes no thought.”

Ah, sinful nation!
People laden with iniquity!
Brood of evildoers!
Depraved children!
They have forsaken the LORD,
Spurned the Holy One of Israel,
Turned their backs [on Him].

Why do you seek further beatings,
That you continue to offend?
Every head is ailing,
And every heart is sick.
From head to foot
No spot is sound:
All bruises, and welts,
And festering sores—