

### Genesis 19:1-29 (NKJV)

1 Now the two angels came to Sodom in the evening, and Lot was sitting in the gate of Sodom. When Lot saw them, he rose to meet them, and he bowed himself with his face toward the ground. 2 And he said,

“Here now, my lords, please turn in to your servant’s house and spend the night, and wash your feet; then you may rise early and go on your way.”

And they said,

“No, but we will spend the night in the open square.”

3 But he insisted strongly; so they turned in to him and entered his house. Then he made them a feast, and baked unleavened bread, and they ate.

4 Now before they lay down, the men of the city, the men of Sodom, both old and young, all the people from every quarter, surrounded the house. 5 And they called to Lot and said to him,

“Where are the men who came to you tonight?

Bring them out to us that we may know them (רָאָה) carnally.”

6 So Lot went out to them through the doorway, shut the door behind him, 7 and said,

“Please, my brethren, do not do so wickedly! 8 See now, I have two daughters who have not known a man; please, let me bring them out to you, and you may do to them as you wish; only do nothing to these men, since this is the reason they have come under the shadow of my roof.”

9 And they said,

“Stand back!”

Then they said,

“This one came in to stay here, and he keeps acting as a judge; now we will deal worse with you than with them.”

So they pressed hard against the man Lot, and came near to break down the door.

10 But the men reached out their hands and pulled Lot into the house with them, and shut the door. 11 And they struck the men who were at the doorway of the house with

blindness, both small and great, so that they became weary trying to find the door.

12 Then the men said to Lot,

“Have you anyone else here? Son-in-law, your sons, your daughters, and whomever you have in the city—take them out of this place! <sup>13</sup>For we will destroy this place, because the outcry against them has grown great before the face of the Lord, and the Lord has sent us to destroy it.”

14 So Lot went out and spoke to his sons-in-law, who had married (לְקַיְיָ) his daughters, and said,

“Get up, get out of this place; for the Lord will destroy this city!”

But to his sons-in-law he seemed to be joking.

15 When the morning dawned, the angels urged Lot to hurry, saying,

“Arise, take your wife and your two daughters who are here, lest you be consumed in the punishment of the city.”

16 And while he lingered, the men took hold of his hand, his wife’s hand, and the hands of his two daughters, the Lord being merciful to him, and they brought him out and set him outside the city. 17 So it came to pass, when they had brought them outside, that he said,

“Escape for your life! Do not look behind you nor stay anywhere in the plain. Escape to the mountains, lest you be destroyed.”

18 Then Lot said to them,

“Please, no, my lords (אֲדֹנָיִם)! <sup>19</sup>Indeed now, your servant has found favor in your sight, and you have increased your mercy which you have shown me by saving my life; but I cannot escape to the mountains, lest some evil overtake me and I die. <sup>20</sup>See now, this city is near enough to flee to, and it is a little one; please let me escape there (is it not a little one?) and my soul shall live.”

21 And he said to him,

“See, I have favored you concerning this thing also, in that I will not overthrow this city for which you

have spoken. <sup>22</sup>Hurry, escape there. For I cannot do anything until you arrive there.”

Therefore the name of the city was called Zoar.

<sup>23</sup>The sun had risen upon the earth when Lot entered Zoar. <sup>24</sup>Then the Lord rained brimstone and fire on Sodom and Gomorrah, from the Lord out of the heavens. <sup>25</sup>So He overthrew those cities, all the plain, all the inhabitants of the cities, and what grew on the ground. <sup>26</sup>But his wife looked back behind him, and she became a pillar of salt.

<sup>27</sup>And Abraham went early in the morning to the place where he had stood before the Lord. <sup>28</sup>Then he looked toward Sodom and Gomorrah, and toward all the land of the plain; and he saw, and behold, the smoke of the land which went up like the smoke of a furnace.

<sup>29</sup>And it came to pass, when God destroyed the cities of the plain, that God remembered Abraham, and sent Lot out of the midst of the overthrow, when He overthrew the cities in which Lot had dwelt.

**Old Testament** - Deuteronomy 29:23, Jeremiah 23:14, 49:18, 50:40, Lamentations 4:6, Isaiah 1:9-10 (Romans 9:29), Amos 4:11, Zephaniah 2:9

Jude 5-7 But I want to remind you, though you once knew this, that the Lord, having saved the people out of the land of Egypt, afterward destroyed those who did not believe. <sup>6</sup>And the angels who did not keep their proper domain, but left their own abode, He has reserved in everlasting chains under darkness for the judgment of the great day; <sup>7</sup>**as Sodom and Gomorrah, and the cities around them in a similar manner to these, having given themselves over to sexual immorality and gone after strange flesh, are set forth as an example, suffering the vengeance of eternal fire.**

<sup>2</sup> Peter 2:5-10 <sup>5</sup>and did not spare the ancient world, but saved Noah, one of eight people, a preacher of righteousness, bringing in the flood on the world of the ungodly; <sup>6</sup>and turning **the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah into ashes, condemned them to destruction, making them an example to those who afterward would live ungodly; <sup>7</sup>and delivered righteous Lot, who was oppressed by the filthy conduct of the wicked <sup>8</sup>(for that righteous man, dwelling among them, tormented his righteous soul from day to day by seeing and hearing their lawless deeds)— <sup>9</sup>then the Lord knows how to deliver the godly out of temptations and to reserve the unjust under punishment for the day of**

judgment, 10and especially those who walk according to the flesh in the lust of uncleanness and despise authority. They are presumptuous, self-willed. They are not afraid to speak evil of dignitaries...

Matthew 10:15 Assuredly, I say to you, it will be more tolerable for the land of **Sodom and Gomorrah** in the day of judgment than for that city!

Matthew 11:23-24 “And you, Capernaum, who are exalted to heaven, will be brought down to Hades; for if the mighty works which were done in you had been done in **Sodom**, it would have remained until this day. 24“But I say to you that it shall be more tolerable for the land of Sodom in the day of judgment than for you.”

### **Genesis 19:30-38 (NKJV)**

30Then Lot went up out of Zoar and dwelt in the mountains, and **his two daughters** were with him; for he was afraid to dwell in Zoar. And he and his two daughters dwelt in a cave. 31Now the firstborn said to the younger,  
“Our father is old, and there is no man on the earth to come in to us as is the custom of all the earth.  
32Come, let us make our father drink wine, and we will lie with him, that we may preserve the lineage of our father.”

33So they made their father drink wine that night. And the firstborn went in and lay with her father, and he did not know when she lay down or when she arose.

34It happened on the next day that the firstborn said to the younger,

“Indeed I lay with my father last night; let us make him drink wine tonight also, and you go in and lie with him, that we may preserve the lineage of our father.”

35Then they made their father drink wine that night also. And the younger arose and lay with him, and he did not know when she lay down or when she arose.

36Thus both the daughters of Lot were with child by their father. 37The firstborn bore a son and called his name Moab; he is the father of the Moabites to this day. 38And the younger, she also bore a son and called his name Ben-Ammi; he is the father of the people of Ammon to this day.