



Yeshaya Perek 48

Yeshaya tells the members of Binyamin and Yehudah to stop swearing falsely in the name of Hashem.

The Jewish people and their land bear the same name, Yisrael. (Eretz Yisrael and Klal Yisrael are only truly considered one when they are joined as a unit. Am Yisrael outside of Eretz Yisrael isn't truly considered one with their land.)

Yeshaya continues to relate: " I know Yisrael is a stubborn people. I have foretold the redemption long before it has even happened."

Hashem will restrain his anger at Yisrael.

"I, Hashem, am the First, from prior to creation, and the Last, when creation will cease to exist.

"If you would only have kept My Torah and followed in My ways, you (Yisrael) would have been redeemed.

"Leave your foreign lands and return to Me in Eretz Yisrael."