

Hebrew Grammar
Ross Homework Key

IBH 24.9

Section a. #s 1-30

1. שָׁמַר Qal impf 3fs/2ms + 1cs sfx “she/you will keep me”
2. לָכַד Qal pft 3ms + 3ms sfx “he captured him”
3. בָּרָא Qal pft 3ms + 3mp sfx “he created them”
4. זָכַר Qal impf 3mp + 1cs sfx “they will remember me”
5. לָכַד Qal pft 2mp/2fp + 3ms sfx “you captured him”
6. כָּתַב Qal pft 2ms + 3ms sfx “you wrote it”
7. זָכַר Qal pft 3ms + 1cp sfx “he remembered us”
8. שָׁבַר Qal impf 3mp + 3fs sfx “they will break it/her”
9. כָּרַת Qal pft 3cp + 3mp sfx “they cut them”
10. שָׁמַר Qal pft 3fs + 2ms sfx “she guarded you”
11. סָגַר Qal pft 3ms + 3fs sfx “he shut it/her”
12. מָכַר Qal pft 2fs/1cs + 2ms sfx “you/I sold you”
13. שָׁמַר Qal wci 1cs + 3mp sfx “(and) I watched/guarded them”
14. שָׁלַח Qal pft 2ms + 1cs sfx “you sent me”
15. זָכַר Qal impv 2ms + 1cp sfx “remember us!”
16. בָּחַן Qal impv 2ms + 1cs sfx “examine/try me!”
17. שָׁלַח Qal pft 3ms + 1cs sfx “he sent me”¹
18. גָּאֵל Qal pft 2ms + 3ms sfx “you redeemed him”
19. מָצָא Qal pft 3cp + 3ms sfx “they found him”
20. שָׁמַר Qal impv 2ms + 1cs sfx “keep/guard me!”
21. עָזַב Qal pft 2ms + 3mp sfx “you forsook them”
22. מָכַר Qal pft 3ms + 3ms sfx “he sold him/it”
23. פָּקַד Qal impv 2ms “appoint/visit!”²
24. שָׁמַר Qal pft 2ms + 3ms sfx “you kept/guarded him/it”
25. שָׁמַר Qal wci 3mp + 1cs sfx “(and) they kept/guarded me”
26. מָצָא Qal infc + 3mp + prep ב “when they find”

¹ Note that the vowel patterns for 16 and 17 look very similar, but one is impv and the other pft. See the first paragraph on p. 178 under the chart to understand why. The connecting vowel for the perfect is usually A-class (patah or qames), but for the impf and impv, it is usually I-class (segol or sere).

² Note that this is the alternate Qal imperative 2ms form: פָּקֹד or פָּקְדֵה both mean the same thing—“appoint!”

27. קבץ Qal pft 3ms + 1cp sfx “he gathered/assembled us”
28. שבר Qal impv 2mp + 3ms sfx “break it/him”
29. שמר Qal pft 2mp/2fp + 3fp sfx “you kept/guarded them”
30. כתב Qal pft 2fs/1cs + 3mp “you/I wrote them”