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JOHN 2:13-16

When it was almost time for the Jewish Passover, Jesus went up to Jerusalem. In the temple courts he found people selling cattle, sheep and doves, and others sitting at tables exchanging money. So he made a whip out of cords, and drove all from the temple courts, both sheep and cattle; he scattered the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables. To those who sold doves he said, "Get these out of here! Stop turning my Father's house into a market!"

2.

EPHESIANS 6:12

For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms.

3.

GENESIS 2:15

The LORD God took the man and put him in the Garden of Eden to work it and take care (*sāmar*) of it.

4.

GENESIS 1:28

God blessed them and said to them, “Be fruitful and increase in number; fill the earth and subdue (*kābas*) it.”

5.

GENESIS 1:1-2

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. Now the earth was formless and empty (*tohu wabohu*), darkness was over the surface of the deep (*tehom*) and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters.

6.

tohu = chaotic, formless upheaval

bohu = emptiness, void, wasteland

7.

JEREMIAH 4:23

I looked at the earth,
and it was formless and empty (*tohu wabohu*)

8.

ISAIAH 45:18

...he who created the heavens, he is God... he did
not create it to be empty (*tohu*) but formed it to be
inhabited...

9.

...darkness was over the surface of the deep
(*tehom*) and the Spirit of God was hovering over the
waters.

10.

PSALM 74:13-17

It was you who split open the sea by your power;
you broke the heads of the monster in the waters.
It was you who crushed the heads of Leviathan...
you established the sun and moon.
It was you who set all the boundaries of the earth;
you made both summer and winter.

11.