



# Numbers 24:17

Bamidbar Kaf-Dalet, pasuk Yod-Zayin (א)

אֶרְאָנוּ וְלֹא עִתָּה אֲשֻׁרָנוּ וְלֹא קָרוֹב  
דָּרְךָ כֹּכֶב מֵיעַקְבָ וְקָם שָׁבֵט מִישְׁרָאֵל

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קרוב	ולא	אשרנו	עתה	ולא	אראו
kah-rohv'	ve'-loh'	a-shoo-rei'-noo	a-tah'	ve'-loh'	er-ein'-noo
בָּקָרָב - adj ms "near, nigh, close to" <b>בָּ</b> v "draw near"	וְלֹא - "and" וְ - adv "no, not" negation	שָׁרֵךְ - v "see, behold, regard" qal impf 1cs וְ - 3ms sfx	עִתָּה - adv "now, at this time" contextually the present	וְלֹא - "and" וְ - adv "no, not" negation	רָאָה - v "see, look at" qal impf 1cs וְ - 3ms sfx
I behold him, but [he is] not near			I see him, but [he is] not now		
מִישְׁרָאֵל	שָׁבֵט	וְקָם	מֵיעַקְבָ	כֹּכֶב	דָּרְךָ
mee'-yees-rah-el'	sheh'-vet	ve-kahm'	mee'-ya-a'-kohv'	koh'-khav'	da-rakh'
מִן - prep "from, יִשְׂרָאֵל - n prop Jacob + progeny שָׁרֵךְ - v "prevail + לְאֵל "God"	שָׁבֵט - n ms "tribe, staff, scepter, power, Ruler"	וְ - pfx "and" וְ - vav conse קֹם - v rise, stand, ascend" qal prf 3ms	מִן - prep "from, out of" מֵיעַקְבָ - n ms "Jacob" עַקְבָ - v supplant	כֹּוכֶב - n ms "Star" the Messiah בָּקְבָ - v "shine"	דָּרְךָ - v "tread, walk, march, lead the way" qal prf 3ms
and a Ruler shall arise from Israel			a Star shall lead from Jacob		

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"I see Him, but not now; I behold Him, but not near.

A Star shall lead from Jacob, and  
a Ruler shall rise from Israel." (Num. 24:17\*)



δείξω αὐτῷ καὶ οὐχὶ νῦν μακαρίζω καὶ οὐκ ἐγγίζει  
ἀνατελεῖ ἀστρον ἐξ Ιακώβ καὶ ἀναστήσεται ἀνθρωπος ἐξ Ισραηλ