

**Haftarah for Shabbat B'midbar**  
**5 Sivan 5781/May 15, 2021**

**הושע ב': ט"ז - י"ח Hosea 2: 16-18**

(טז) לָכֵן הִנֵּה אֲנֹכִי מְפַתֶּיֶה וְהִלַּכְתִּיָּהּ הַמִּדְבָּר וְדִבַּרְתִּי עַל לִבָּהּ: (16) Assuredly, I will speak coaxingly to her, and lead her through the wilderness, and speak to her tenderly.

(יז) וְנָתַתִּי לָהּ אֶת-כַּרְמֵיהָ מִשָּׁם וְאֶת-עֵמֶק עֲכוֹר לְפֶתַח תְּקוּוֹה וְעָנְתָה שְׁמֵהּ כִּימֵי נְעוּרֶיהָ וְכִיּוֹם עָלְתָה מֵאֶרֶץ-מִצְרָיִם: (17) I will give her vineyards from there, and the Valley of Achor as a plowland of hope. There she shall respond as in the days of her youth, when she came up from the land of Egypt.

(יח) וְהָיָה בַיּוֹם-הַהוּא נֹאֵם-יְהוָה תְּקַרְאֵי אִישִׁי וְלֹא-תְקַרְאֵי-לִי עוֹד בְּעָלַי: (18) And in that day —declares the Eternal— you will call [Me] Ishi, and no more will you call Me Baali.