struck it down with the edge of the cherev, and kol hanefesh therein; he let none remain in it: but did unto the melech thereof as he did unto the melech of Yericho [See Yehoshua 6:21]. [31] And Yehoshua passed from Livnah, and kol Yisroel with him, unto Lachish, and encamped against it, and fought against it; [32] And Hashem delivered Lachish into the yad Yisroel, which took it on the yom hasheni, and struck it down with the edge of the cherev, and kol hanefesh therein, according to all that he had done to Livnah. [33] Then Horam Melech Gezer came up to help Lachish; and Yehoshua struck him down and his army, until he had left him none remaining. [34] And from Lachish, Yehoshua passed unto Eglon, and kol Yisroel with him; and they encamped against it, and fought against it; [35] And they took it on that day, and struck it down with the edge of the cherev, and kol hanefesh therein he utterly destroyed that day, according to all that he had done to Lachish. [36] And Yehoshua went up from Eglon, and kol Yisroel with him, unto Chevron; and they fought against it; [37] And they took it, and struck it down with the edge of the cherev, and the melech thereof, and all the towns thereof, and kol hanefesh therein; he left none remaining, according to all that he had done to Eglon; but destroyed it utterly, and kol hanefesh therein. [38] And Yehoshua returned, and kol Yisroel with him, to Devir; and fought against it; [39] And he took it, and the melech thereof, and all the

towns thereof; and they struck them down with the edge of the cherev, and utterly destroyed kol nefesh therein; he left none remaining; as he had done to Chevron, so he did to Devir, and to the melech thereof; as he had done also to Livnah, and to its melech. 40 So Yehoshua subdued kol HaAretz HaHar, and of the Negev, and of the Shefelah, and of the asedot (slopes), and all their melachim; he left none remaining, but utterly destroyed kol haneshamah, as Hashem Elohei Yisroel commanded.

|41| And Yehoshua struck
them down from KadeshBarnea even unto Azah
(Gaza), and all the country of
Goshen, even unto Giv'on.
|42| And all these melachim
and their land did Yehoshua
take at one time, because
Hashem Elohei Yisroel fought
for Yisroel.

|43| And Yehoshua returned, and kol Yisroel with him, unto the machaneh at Gilgal.

And it came to pass, when Yavin Melech Chatzor had heard those things, that he sent to Yovav Melech Madon, to the Melech Shimron, and to the Melech Achshaph,

|2| And to the melachim to the north, in the har, and the Aravah south of Kinnarot, and in the Shefelah, and in the regions of Dor on the west,
|3| And to the Kena'ani on the east and on the west, and to Emori, and the Chitti, and the Perizzi, and the Yevusi in the har, and to the Chivi at the base of Chermon in Eretz HaMitzpah.

|4| And they went out, they and all their machanot with them, am ray, even as the sand that is upon the sea in

multitude, with susim and chariots rav me'od. [5] And when all these melachim were met together, they came to encamp together at the waters of Merom, to fight against Yisroel. [6] And Hashem said unto Yehoshua, Be not afraid before them; for machar about this time will I deliver them up all slain before Yisroel; thou shalt lame their susim, and burn their merkevot with eish. [7] So Yehoshua, kol Am HaMilchamah with him, came against them by the waters of Merom pitom (suddenly); and they fell upon them. 8 And Hashem delivered them into the yad Yisroel, who struck them down, and pursued them unto Tzidon Rabbah, and unto Misrefot-Mayim, and unto the Valley of Mitzpeh eastward; and they struck them down, until they left them none sarid (remaining). [9] And Yehoshua did unto them just as Hashem directed him; he lamed their susim, and burned their merkevot with eish. [10] And Yehoshua at that time turned back, and took Chatzor, and struck down the melech thereof with the

cherev; for Chatzor formerly had been the rosh kol hamamlachot haelleh. |11| And they struck down kol hanefesh that were therein with the edge of the cherev, utterly destroying them; there was not left kol neshamah; and with eish he burned Chatzor.

|12| And all the towns of those melachim, and all the melachim of them, did Yehoshua take, and struck them down with the edge of the cherev, and he utterly destroyed them, just as Moshe Eved Hashem commanded.