|29| And I assign shlita (authority) to you, just as Avi assigned shlita to me; a Malchut (Kingdom), |30| That you may eat and drink at my tish in my Malchut, and you will sit upon kissot (thrones) judging the Shneym Asar Shivtei Yisroel (Twelve Tribes of Yisroel). |31| Shimon, Shimon, hinei, Hasatan asked for you, to sift you like wheat [IYOV 1:6-12; AMOS 9:9] |32| But I davened for you, that your emunah may not fail: and when you have made teshuva, give chizzuk to your Achim bMoshiach. |33| But Shimon Kefa said to him, Adoni, with you I am prepared even to go to the beis hasohar, even to die al kiddush ha-Shem. |34| But Rebbe, Melech HaMoshiach said, I say to you, a tarnegol will not crow hayom until shalosh paamim you, Kefa, will make hakhchashah (denial) of your daas of me. |35| He said to them, When I sent you without a money belt and a bag and sandals, did you lack anything? And they said, Nothing. |36| Rebbe, Melech HaMoshiach said to them, But now the one having a money belt, let him take it; likewise also a bag; and the one not having, let him sell his kaftan and let him buy a cherev. |37| For I say to you, that it is necessary that what stands written be fulfilled in me, VES POSHEIM NIMNAH (and with lawless persons he was numbered YESHAYAH 53:12). For indeed what was written about me is being fulfilled. |38| And they said, Adoni, hinei, here are shtei charavot (two swords). And Rebbe, Melech HaMoshiach said to them, It is enough. |39| And having gone out, he went according to his kvius

(regimen) to the Har HaZevtim, and his talmidim followed him also. |40| And having come to the place, Rebbe, Melech HaMoshiach said to them, Daven and offer tefillos, lest you enter lidey nisayon (into temptation, Mt.6:13). |41| And Rebbe, Melech HaMoshiach had withdrawn from them about a stone's throw, and, having fallen down, he was davening, |42| Saying, Avi, im yirtzeh Hashem, if You are willing, take this kos (cup) away from me. Nevertheless not the ratzon of me but rtzonechah (Thy will) be done. (Mt. 6:10) |43| And a malach min HaShomayim appeared to him, strengthening him. |44| And having been in agony, Rebbe, Melech HaMoshiach was davening more fervently; and his sweat became like drops of dahm falling down upon the adamah. |45| And having got up from davening and having come to the talmidim, he found them sleeping, because of agmat nefesh (grief). 46 And Rebbe, Melech HaMoshiach said to them, Why are you sleeping? Get up, daven, lest you enter lidey nisayon (into temptation). |47| Yet as he was speaking, hinei, a multitude! And going at their head was the one being called Yehudah, one of the Shneym Asar, and he drew near to Rebbe Melech HaMoshiach to give him a neshikah (kiss). |48| And Rebbe Melech HaMoshiach said to him, Yehudah, do you with a neshikah the Ben HaAdam (Moshiach, DANIEL 7:13-14) betray? |49| But having seen what was coming, the ones around

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said, Adoni, should we strike with the cherev (sword)? |50| And a certain one of them struck the eved (servant) of the Rashei Hakohanim and cut off his right ear. |51| And, in reply, Rebbe Melech HaMoshiach said, Blaib shtein! (Stop!) No more of this! And having touched the ear, he healed him. |52| And Rebbe Melech HaMoshiach said to the ones having come against him, the Rashei Hakohanim and the Beis Hamikdash shomrim and the Ziknei HaAm, Do you have the chutzpah to come out as against a ganav (thief) with charavot and clubs? |53| Yom Yom (Daily) I was with you in the Beis Hamikdash and you did not stretch out your hands against me, but this is your hour and the shlita of choshech (power of evil, sitra ahra). |54| And having seized Rebbe, Melech HaMoshiach, they led him away and brought him into the bais of the Rashei Hakohanim. And Kefa was following from a distance. |55| And some kindled a hadlakah (bonfire) in the middle of the courtyard, and having sat down together, Kefa was sitting in their midst. |56| And a certain shiftha, seeing him sitting in the light of the hadlakah (bonfire), staring intently at Kefa, said, And this one was with him. |57| But Kefa denied it, saying, I do not have daas of him, isha. |58| And after a short while, another, having seen him, said, And you are of them! But Kefa said, Man, I am not! [59] And about one hour had passed, and still another was insisting, saying, Beemes (in actuality) this one was with him also, for he also is a Gelili

(inhabitant of the Galil)!