Leader: 1 By the rivers of Babylon,

There we sat down, yea, we wept,

When we remembered Zion.

Answer: **2 Upon the willows in the midst thereof**

**We hanged up our harps.**

Leader: 3 For there they that led us captive required of us songs,

And they that wasted us *required of us* mirth, *saying*,

Sing us one of the songs of Zion.

Answer: **4 How shall we sing Jehovah’s song**

**In a foreign land?**

Leader: 5 If I forget thee, O Jerusalem,

Let my right hand forget *her skill*.

Answer: **6 Let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth,**

**If I remember thee not;**

**If I prefer not Jerusalem**

**Above my chief joy.**

Leader: 7 Remember, O Jehovah, against the children of Edom

The day of Jerusalem;

Who said, Rase it, rase it,

Even to the foundation thereof.

Answer: **8 O daughter of Babylon, that art to be destroyed,**

**Happy shall he be, that rewardeth thee**

**As thou hast served us.**

**9 Happy shall he be, that taketh and dasheth thy little ones**

**Against the rock.**