

BEARDS

Full beards are an Israelite tradition and the preference of God Himself. No other race can produce facial hair like this. Look at the beautiful red hair on these true Israelites!

I wish they knew their heritage.



Beards

Lev 19:27

Ye shall not round H5362 the corners H6285 of your heads, neither shalt thou mar H7843 the corners H6285 of thy beard.

This passage is not as open to interpretation as many presume. The misunderstandings come from king James english. Simply see how the words "round" "mar" and "corners" are used elsewhere. This clears up the meaning very well.

To have your beard shaved is a curse from God.

Isa 7:20

In the same day shall the Lord shave with a razor that is hired, namely, by them beyond the river, by the king of Assyria, the head, and the hair of the feet: and it shall also consume the beard.

Isa 15:2

He is gone up to Bajith, and to Dibon, the high places, to weep: Moab shall howl over Nebo, and over Medeba: on all their heads shall be baldness, and every beard cut off.

Jer 48:37

For every head shall be bald, and every beard clipped: upon all the hands shall be cuttings, and upon the loins sackcloth.

"Mar" H7843 means to corrupt or cause damage to

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Ye shall not round the corners of your heads, neither shalt thou mar H7843 the corners of thy beard.

Psa 78:45

He sent divers sorts of flies among them, which devoured them; and frogs, which destroyed H7843 (damage) them.

Ruth 4:6

And the kinsman said, I cannot redeem it for myself, lest I mar H7843 (damage) mine own inheritance: redeem thou my right to thyself; for I cannot redeem it.

Deu 4:16

Lest ye corrupt H7843 (damage) yourselves, and make you a graven image, the similitude of any figure, the likeness of male or female,

Gen 6:11

The earth also was corrupt H7843 (damaged) before God, and the earth was filled with violence.

Psa 14:1

The fool hath said in his heart, There is no God. They are corrupt, H7843 (damaged) they have done abominable works, there is none that doeth good.

1Ch 20:1

And it came to pass, that after the year was expired, at the time that kings go out to battle, Joab led forth the power of the army, and wasted H7843 (damaged) the country of the children of Ammon, and came and besieged Rabbah. But David tarried at Jerusalem. And Joab smote Rabbah, and destroyed it.

1Sa 6:5

Wherefore ye shall make images of your emerods, and images of your mice that mar H7843 (damage) the land; and ye shall give glory unto the God of Israel: peradventure he will lighten his hand from off you, and from off your gods, and from off your land.

Corners H6285 means furthest extent

Lev 19:27

Ye shall not round H5362 the corners H6285 (farthest extent) of your heads, neither shalt thou mar H7843 the corners H6285 of thy beard.

Jer 9:26

Egypt, and Judah, and Edom, and the children of Ammon, H5983 and Moab, and all that are in the utmost corners, H6285 (farthest extent) that dwell in the wilderness: for all these nations are uncircumcised, and all the house of Israel are uncircumcised in the heart.

Jer 25:23

Dedan, and Tema, and Buz, and all that are in the utmost corners, H6285 (farthest extent)

Exo 26:24

And they shall be coupled together beneath, and they shall be coupled together above the head of it unto one ring: thus shall it be for them both; they shall be for the two corners. H4740 (both extremities)

Exo 30:4

And two golden rings shalt thou make to it under the crown of it, by the two corners H6763 (both extremities) thereof, upon the two sides of it shalt thou make it; and they shall be for places for the staves to bear it withal.

Deu 32:26

I said, I would scatter them into corners, H6284 (farthest extent) I would make the remembrance of them to cease from among men:

Neh 9:22

Moreover thou gavest them kingdoms and nations, and didst divide them into corners: H6285 (farthest extent) so they possessed the land of Sihon, and the land of the king of Heshbon, and the land of Og king of Bashan.

Round H5362 means to completely remove or destroy

Job 19:6

Know now that God hath overthrown me, and hath compassed H5362 (removed) me with his net.

Job 19:26

And though after my skin worms destroy H5362 (destroyed) this body, yet in my flesh shall I see God:

Psa 22:16

For dogs have compassed me: the assembly of the wicked have inclosed H5362 (damaged) me: they pierced my hands and my feet.

Isa 10:34

And he shall cut down H5362 (destroyed) the thickets of the forest with iron, and Lebanon shall fall by a mighty one.

Lev 19:27 Translated into modern language is

You should not completely shave your heads bald and you should not even damage the furthest extent of your beard.

Note: There is no punishment for doing so. This is God's preference for the appearance of our faces.