Word Study H2420 chiydah dark saying, riddle; G3850 parabole parable; G135 anigma enigma

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Introduction

I was trying to figure out what YHVH was saying when speaking to Miriam about Moses as his prophet that was different than the others. I connected this thought into my mind about when the disciples asked Y'shua about why he <u>speaks in parables</u>. I also include the Greek words for **parable** (*parabole* <u>G3850</u>) and the Greek word for **enigma** (*anigma* <u>G135</u>), both of which are obviously English words borrowed from the Greek.

Num 12:6-8 - With Moses I speak mouth to mouth..and not in dark speeches (chiydah)

- ⁶ And he said, Hear now my words: If there be a prophet among you, *I* YHVH will make myself known (*yada*) unto him in a vision (*marah*), *and* will speak unto him in a dream (*chalom*).
- ⁷ My servant Moses *is* not so, who *is* faithful in all mine house.
- ⁸ With him will I speak mouth to mouth, even apparently, and **not in dark speeches** (*chiydah*); and the similitude (*temunah*) of YHVH shall he behold: wherefore then were ye not afraid to speak against my servant Moses?

H2420 *chiydah* ^{KJC 24}; riddle⁹, dark⁵, hard questions², saying^{(s)3}, proverb¹, sentences¹, speaches¹

חידה

From <u>H2330</u>; a *puzzle*; hence a *trick*, *conundrum*, sententious *maxim*: - dark saying (sentence, speech), hard question, proverb, riddle.

LXX: G1335 st. di egesis (KJC1, declaration, 1 Luk 1:1), G135 ainigma (KJC1, darkly, 1 1Co 13:12)

Luk 1:1 - "...set forth a declaration (*diegesis*) of things..."

¹ Forasmuch as many have taken in hand to set forth in order **a declaration of those things** which are most surely believed among us,

1Co 13:11-13 – "...see through a glass, darkly (ainigma)..."

¹¹ When I was a child, I spake as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child: but when I became a man, I put away childish things. ¹² For now we **see through a glass, darkly**; but then face to face: now I know in part; but then shall I know even as also I am known. ¹³ And now abideth faith, hope, charity, these three; but the greatest of these *is* charity.

Total KJV Occurrences: 24

riddle, 9 <u>Jdg_14:12-19</u> (8), <u>Eze_17:2</u> dark, 5 <u>Num_12:8</u>, <u>Psa_49:4</u>, <u>Psa_78:2</u>, <u>Pro_1:6</u>, <u>Dan_8:23</u> hard, 2 <u>1Ki_10:1</u>, <u>2Ch_9:1</u> questions, 2 <u>1Ki_10:1</u>, <u>2Ch_9:1</u> sayings, 2 <u>Psa_78:1-2</u> (2), <u>Pro_1:6</u> proverb, 1 <u>Hab_2:6</u> (2) saying, 1 <u>Psa_49:4</u> sentences, 1 <u>Dan_8:23</u> speeches, 1 <u>Num_12:8</u>

H2330 *chud* ^{KJC: 8} forth⁴; put⁴

חוּד

A primitive root; properly to tie a knot, that is, (figuratively) to propound a riddle: - put forth.

LXX: G1334 di egeomai, G4261 pro ballo

KJC: 8 forth, 4 Jdg_14:12-13 (2), Jdg_14:16, Eze_17:2; put, 4 Jdg_14:12-13 (2), Jdg_14:16, Eze_17:2

Search for "speak" + "parables"

Eze_17:2 Son of man, put forth a riddle,^{H2420 chiydah} and speak a parable H4912 mashal unto the house of Israel;

Eze_20:49 Then said I, Ah Lord GOD! they say of me, Doth he not speak parables?

Mat 13:3 And he spake many things unto them in parables, saying, Behold, a sower went forth to sow;

Mat 13:10 And the disciples came, and said unto him, Why speakest thou unto them in parables? G3850

<u>Mat_13:13</u> Therefore speak I to them in parables: because they seeing see not; and hearing they hear not, neither do they understand.

Parables Fulfilling Prophecy like Eze 17:2?

<u>Mat_13:34</u> All these things spake Jesus unto the multitude in parables; and without a parable spake he not unto them:

<u>Mat_13:35</u> That it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet, saying, I will open my mouth in parables; I will utter things which have been kept secret from the foundation of the world.

<u>Mat_13:53</u> And it came to pass, *that* when Jesus had finished these parables, he departed thence.

<u>Mat_21:45</u> And when the chief priests and Pharisees had heard his parables, they perceived that he spake of them.

<u>Mat_22:1</u> And Jesus answered and spake unto them again by parables, and said,

<u>Mar_3:23</u> And he called them *unto him*, and said unto them in parables, How can Satan cast out Satan?

<u>Mar_4:2</u> And he taught them many things by parables, and said unto them in his doctrine,

<u>Mar_4:11</u> And he said unto them, Unto you it is given to know the mystery of the kingdom of God: but unto them that are without, all *these* things are done in parables:

<u>Mar_4:13</u> And he said unto them, Know ye not this parable? and how then will ye know all parables?

<u>Mar_4:33</u> And with many such parables spake he the word unto them, as they were able to hear *it*.

<u>Mar_12:1</u> And he began to speak unto them by parables. A *certain* man planted a vineyard, and set an hedge about *it*, and digged *a place for* the winefat, and built a tower, and let it out to husbandmen, and went into a far country.

<u>Luk_8:10</u> And he said, Unto you it is given to know the mysteries of the kingdom of God: but to others in parables; that seeing they might not see, and hearing they might not understand.

<u>Luk_12:41</u> Then Peter said unto him, Lord, speakest thou this parable unto us, or even to all?

<u>Luk 20:9</u> Then began he to speak to the people this parable; A certain man planted a vineyard, and let it forth to husbandmen, and went into a far country for a long time.

G3850 *parabole* ^{KJC 50}: parable(s)⁴⁶, figure², comparison¹, proverb¹ παραβολή

From <u>G3846</u>; a *similitude* ("parable"), that is, (symbolically) *fictitious narrative* (of common life conveying a moral), *apoth gm* or *adage:* - comparison, figure, parable, proverb.

LXX H4911 mashal

Total KJV Occurrences: 50

parable, 31 <u>Mat 13:18</u>, <u>Mat 13:24</u>, <u>Mat 13:31</u>, <u>Mat 13:33-34</u> (2), <u>Mat 13:36</u>, <u>Mat 15:15</u>, <u>Mat 21:33</u>, <u>Mat 24:32</u>, <u>Mar 4:10</u>, <u>Mar 4:13</u>, <u>Mar 4:34</u>, <u>Mar 7:17</u>, <u>Mar 12:12</u>, <u>Mar 13:28</u>, <u>Luk 5:36</u>, <u>Luk 6:39</u>, <u>Luk 8:4</u>, <u>Luk 8:9</u>, <u>Luk 8:11</u>, <u>Luk 12:16</u>, <u>Luk 12:41</u>, <u>Luk 14:6-7</u> (2), <u>Luk 15:3</u>, <u>Luk 18:1</u>, <u>Luk 18:9</u>, <u>Luk 19:11</u>, <u>Luk 20:9</u>, <u>Luk 20:19</u>, <u>Luk 21:29</u>

parables, 15 <u>Mat_13:3</u>, <u>Mat_13:10</u>, <u>Mat_13:13</u>, <u>Mat_13:34-35</u> (2), <u>Mat_13:53</u>, <u>Mat_21:45</u>, <u>Mat_22:1</u>, Mar_3:23, <u>Mar_4:2</u>, <u>Mar_4:11</u>, <u>Mar_4:13</u>, <u>Mar_4:33</u>, <u>Mar_12:1</u>, <u>Luk_8:10</u>

figure, 2 Heb_9:9, Heb_11:19

comparison, 1 Mar_4:30

proverb, 1 <u>Luk_4:23</u>

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