Plants of the Song of Solomon

雅歌書中的植物 (Neot Kedumim, Listed Plants)

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1. Cedar/香柏樹 Wood of Lebanon/利巴嫩木

Cedrus libani Loud.

Neot Kedumim No.101

雅歌一章 17 节:「以香柏樹爲房屋的棟樑,以松樹爲椽子。」

Song 1:17 "The beams of our house are *cedar*, and our rafters of fir."

雅歌三章 9 节:「所羅門王用利巴嫩木,爲自己製造一乘華轎。」

Song 3:9 "King Solomon made himself a chariot of the wood of Lebanon."

雅歌五章 15 节:「他的腿好像白玉石柱,安在精金座上。他的形狀如利巴嫩,且佳美如香柏樹。」

Song 5:15 "His legs are as pillars of marble, set upon sockets of fine gold: his countenance is as Lebanon, excellent as the *cedars*."

雅歌八章9节:「她若是牆,我們要在其上建造銀塔。她若是門,我們要用香柏木板圍護她。」

Song 8:9 "If she be a wall, we will build upon her a palace of silver: and if she be a door, we will inclose her with boards of *cedar*."

2. Myrrh/沒藥

Commiphora kataf (Forsk.) Engl.

Commiphora Myrrha (Nees) Engl.

Neot Kedumim No.144

雅歌一章 13 节:「我以我的良人爲一袋沒藥,常在我懷中。」

Song 1:13 "A bundle of *myrrh* is my wellbeloved unto me; he shall lie all night betwixt my breasts."

雅歌三章6节:「那從曠野上來,形狀如煙柱,以沒藥和乳香並商人各樣香粉薰的是誰呢?」

Song 3:6 "Who is this that cometh out of the wilderness like pillars of smoke, perfumed with *myrrh* and frankincense, with all powders of the merchant?"

雅歌五章 5,13 节:「我起來,要給我良人開門。我的兩手滴下*沒藥*,我的指頭有*沒藥汁*滴在門閂上。他的兩腮如香花畦,如香草台。他的嘴唇像百合花,且滴下沒*藥汁*。」

Song 5:5,13 "I rose up to open to my beloved; and my hands dropped with *myrrh*, and my fingers with sweet smelling *myrrh*, upon the handles of the lock. His cheeks are as a bed of spices, as sweet flowers: his lips like lilies, dropping sweet smelling *myrrh*."

3. Fig Tree 無花果樹

Ficus carica

Neot Kedumim No.110

雅歌二章 13 节:「*無花果樹*的果子漸漸成熟,葡萄樹開花放香。我的佳偶,我的美人,起來,與我同去。」 Song 2:13 "The *fig tree* putteth forth her green figs, and the vines with the tender grape give a good smell. Arise, my love, my fair one, and come away."

4. Nuts/核桃

Juglans regia L.

Neot Kedumim No.162

雅歌六章 11 节:「我下入*校桃*園,要看穀中青綠的植物,要看葡萄發芽沒有,石榴開花沒有。」 Song 6:11 "I went down into the garden of *nuts* to see the fruits of the valley, and to see whether the vine flourished, and the pomegranates budded."

5. Camphire/鳳仙

Lawsonia inermis L.

Neot Kedumim No.134

雅歌一章 14 节:「我以我的良人爲一棵鳳仙花,在隱基底葡萄園中。」

Song 1:14 "My beloved is unto me as a cluster of *camphire* in the vineyards of En-gedi."

雅歌四章 13 节:「你園內所種的結了石榴,有佳美的果子,並鳳仙花與哪噠樹。」

Song 4:13"Thy plants are an orchard of pomegranates, with pleasant fruits; *camphire*, with spikenard.

6. Mandrakes/風茄

Mandragora officinarum L.

Neot Kedumim No.163

雅歌七章 13 节:「*風茄*放香,在我們的門內有各樣新陳*佳美的果子*。我的良人,這都是我爲你存留的。」 Song 7:13"The *mandrakes* give a smell, and at our gates are all manner of *pleasant fruits*, new and old, which I have laid up for thee, O my beloved."

7. PalmTree 棕樹

Phoenix dactylifera L.

Neot Kedumim No.155

雅歌七章 7-8 节:「你的身量好像**棕樹**。你的兩乳如同其上的果子,累累下垂。我說,我要上這**棕樹**,抓住枝子。願你的兩乳好像葡萄累累下垂,你鼻子的氣味香如蘋果。」

Song 7:7-8 "This thy stature is like to a *palm tree*, and thy breasts to clusters of grapes. I said, I will go up to the *palm tree*, I will take hold of the boughs thereof: now also thy breasts shall be as clusters of the vine, and the smell of thy nose like apples;"

8. Apple Tree 蘋果樹

Prunus armeniaca L.

Neot Kedumim No.124

雅歌二章 3,5 节:「我的良人在男子中,如同*蘋果樹*在樹林中。我歡歡喜喜坐在他的蔭下,嘗他果子的滋味,覺得甘甜。求你們給我葡萄乾增補我力,給我*蘋果*暢快我心,因我思愛成病。」

Song 2:3,5 "As the *apple tree* among the trees of the wood, so is my beloved among the sons. I sat down under his shadow with great delight, and his fruit was sweet to my taste. Stay me with flagons, comfort me with *apples*: for I am sick of love."

雅歌七章 8 节:「我說,我要上這棕樹,抓住枝子。願你的兩乳好像葡萄累累下垂,你鼻子的氣味香如*蘋* 果。」

Song 7:8 "I said, I will go up to the palm tree, I will take hold of the boughs thereof: now also thy breasts shall be as clusters of the vine, and the smell of thy nose like *apples*;"

雅歌八章 5 节:「那靠著良人從曠野上來的,是誰呢?我在*蘋果樹*下叫醒你。你母親在那裏爲你劬勞,生 養你的在那裏爲你劬勞。」

Song 8:5 "Who is this that cometh up from the wilderness, leaning upon her beloved? I raised thee up under the *apple tree*: there thy mother brought thee forth: there she brought thee forth that bare thee."

9. Pomegranate/石榴

Punica granatum L.

Neot Kedumim No.132

雅歌四章 3,13 节:「你的唇好像一條朱紅線,你的嘴也秀美。你的兩太陽在帕子內,如同一塊*石榴*。你園內所種的結了*石榴*,有佳美的果子,並鳳仙花與哪噠樹。」

Song 4:3,13 "Thy lips are like a thread of scarlet, and thy speech is comely: thy temples are like a piece of a *pomegranate* within thy locks. Thy plants are an orchard of *pomegranates*, with pleasant fruits; camphire, with spikenard,"

雅歌六章 7,11 节:「你的兩太陽在帕子內,如同一塊**石榴**。我下入核桃園,要看穀中青綠的植物,要看葡萄發芽沒有,**石榴**開花沒有。」

Song 6:7,11 "As a piece of a *pomegranate* are thy temples within thy locks. I went down into the garden of nuts to see the fruits of the valley, and to see whether the vine flourished, and the *pomegranates* budded."

雅歌七章 12 节:「我們早晨起來往葡萄園去,看看葡萄發芽開花沒有,**石榴**放蕊沒有。我在那裏要將我的愛情給你。」

Song 7:12 "Let us get up early to the vineyards; let us see if the vine flourish, whether the tender grape appear, and the *pomegranates* bud forth: there will I give thee my loves."

雅歌八章 2 节:「我必引導你,領你進我母親的家。我可以領受教訓,也就使你喝*石榴*汁釀的香酒。」 Song 8:2 "I would lead thee, and bring thee into my mother's house, who would instruct me: I would cause thee to drink of spiced wine of the juice of my *pomegranate*."

10. Rose/玫瑰花

Tulipa sharonensis Dinsm.

Neot Kedumim No.159

雅歌二章 1 节:「我是沙崙的**玫瑰花**(或作水仙花),是谷中的百合花。」

Song 2:1 "I am the *rose* of Sharon, and the lily of the valleys."

11. Grapes/葡萄樹

Vitis vinifera L.

Neot Kedumim No.111

雅歌一章 14 节:「我以我的良人爲一棵鳳仙花,在隱基底**葡萄園**中。

Song 1:14 "My beloved is unto me as a cluster of camphire in the vineyards of En-gedi."

雅歌二章 13,15 节:「無花果樹的果子漸漸成熟, **葡萄樹**開花放香。我的佳偶,我的美人,起來,與我同去。要給我們擒拿狐狸,就是毀壞**葡萄園**的小狐狸。因爲我們的**葡萄**正在開花。」

Song 2:13,15 "The fig tree putteth forth her green figs, and the *vines* with the tender *grape* give a good smell. Arise, my love, my fair one, and come away. Take us the foxes, the little foxes, that spoil the *vines*: for our *vines* have tender *grapes*."

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Song 7:7-8 "This thy stature is like to a palm tree, and thy breasts to clusters of grapes. I said, I will go up to the palm tree, I will take hold of the boughs thereof: now also thy breasts shall be as clusters of the *vine*, and the smell of thy nose like apples;"

12. Aloe/沉香

Aloe Vera

Neot Kedumim No.206

雅歌四章 14 节:「有哪噠和**番紅花**,菖蒲和桂樹,並各樣乳香木,沒藥,*沉香*,與一切上等的果品。」 Song 4:14 "Spikenard and saffron, calamus and cinnamon, with all trees of frankincense, Myrrh and *aloes*, with all the chief spices—"

13 Almond/杏花

Amygdalas Cummunis.

Neot Kedumim No.154

雅歌二章 11-12 节: 「因爲*冬天已往*。雨水止住過去了。 地上*百花*開放。百鳥鳴叫的時候〔或作修理葡萄樹的時候〕已經來到、斑鳩的聲音在我們境內也聽見了。」

Song 2:11-12 "For lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone. The flowers appear on the earth;

The time of singing has come, and the voice of the turtledove is heard in our land."

14. The Winter Crocus/初春花

Crocus hyemalis

Neot Kedumim

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1. Frankincense/ 乳香

Atriplex dimorphostegia Kar. & Kir.

Atriplex halimus L.

Atriplex rosea L.

Atriplex tatarica L.

雅歌三章6节:「那從曠野上來,形狀如煙柱,以沒藥和**乳香**並商人各樣香粉薰的是誰呢?」

Song 3:6 "Who is this that cometh out of the wilderness like pillars of smoke, perfumed with myrrh and *frankincense*, with all powders of the merchant?"

雅歌四章 6,14 节:「我要往沒藥山和**乳香**岡去,直等到天起涼風,日影飛去的時候回來。有哪噠和番紅花, 菖蒲和桂樹,並各樣**乳香**木,沒藥,沉香,與一切上等的果品。」

Song 4:6 &14"Until the day break, and the shadows flee away, I will get me to the mountain of myrrh, and to the hill of *frankincense*. Spikenard and saffron; calamus and cinnamon, with all trees of *frankincense*; myrrh and aloes, with all the chief spices:"

2. Cinnamon/桂樹

Cinnamomum zeylanicum Nees

雅歌四章 14 节:「有哪噠和番紅花,菖蒲和*桂樹*,並各樣乳香木,沒藥,沉香,與一切上等的果品。」 Song 4:14 "Spikenard and saffron; calamus and *cinnamon*, with all trees of frankincense; myrrh and aloes, with all the chief spices:"

3. Powders/香粉

Commiphora opobalsamum (L) Engl.

雅歌三章 6 节:「那從曠野上來,形狀如煙柱,以沒藥和乳香並商人各樣**香粉**薰的是誰呢?」 Song 3:6 "Who is this that cometh out of the wilderness like pillars of smoke, perfumed with myrrh and frankincense, with all *powders* of the merchant?"

4. Tirzah/得撒

Crocus zonatus J. Gay.

雅歌六章 4 节:「我的佳偶阿,你美麗如**得撒**,秀美如耶路撒冷,威武如展開旌旗的軍隊。」 Song 6:4 "Thou art beautiful, O my love, as *Tirzah*, comely as Jerusalem..."

5. Affrons 番紅花

Crocus sativus L.

雅歌四章 14 节:「有哪噠和**番紅花**,菖蒲和桂樹,並各樣乳香木,沒藥,沉香,與一切上等的果品。」 Song 4:14 "Spikenard and *affrons*; calamus and cinnamon, with all trees of frankincense;"

6. Lily 百合花

Hyacinthus orientalis L.

Lilium candidum L.

雅歌二章 1-2,6 节:「我是沙崙的玫瑰花(或作水仙花),是谷中的**百合花**。我的佳偶在女子中,好像百合花在荆棘內。良人屬我,我也屬他。他在**百合花**中牧放群羊。」

Song 2:1-2,16 "I am the rose of Sharon, and the *lily* of the valleys. As the lily among thorns, so is my love among the daughters. My beloved is mine, and I am his: he feedeth among the *lilies*."

雅歌四章 5 节:「你的兩乳好像百合花中吃草的一對小鹿,就是母鹿雙生的。」

Song 4:5 "Thy two breasts are like two young roes that are twins, which feed among the *lilies*."

雅歌六章 2-4 节:「我的良人下入自己園中,到香花畦,在園內牧放群羊,采**百合花**。 我屬我的良人,我的良人也屬我。他在**百合花**中牧放群羊。 我的佳偶阿,你美麗如得撒,秀美如耶路撒冷,威武如展開旌旗的軍隊。」

Song 6:2-4 "My beloved is gone down into his garden, to the beds of spices, to feed in the gardens, and to gather *lilies*. I am my beloved's, and my beloved is mine: he feedeth among the *lilies*. Thou art beautiful, O my love, as Tirzah, comely as Jerusalem, terrible as an army with banners."

7. Lilies/百合花

Lilium chalcedonicum L.

雅歌五章 13 节:「他的兩腮如香花畦,如香草台。他的嘴唇像*百合花*,且滴下沒藥汁。」

Song 5:13 "His cheeks are as a bed of spices, as sweet flowers: his lips like *lilies*, dropping sweet smelling myrrh."

8. Spikenard 哪噠香膏

Nardostachys jatamansi (Wall.) P. DC.

雅歌一章 12 节:「王正坐席的時候,我的*哪噠香膏*發出香味。」

Song 1:12 "While the king sitteth at his table, my spikenard sendeth forth the smell thereof."

雅歌四章 13-14 节:「你園內所種的結了石榴,有佳美的果子,並鳳仙花與**哪噠樹**。有**哪噠**和番紅花,菖 蒲和桂樹,並各樣乳香木,沒藥,沉香,與一切上等的果品。」 Song 4:13-14 "Thy plants are an orchard of pomegranates, with pleasant fruits; camphire, with *spikenard*, *Spikenard* and saffron; calamus and cinnamon, with all trees of frankincense; myrrh and aloes, with all the chief spices:"

9. Spikenard/哪障樹

Rosa Phoenicia Boiss

雅歌四章 13-14 节:「你園內所種的結了石榴,有佳美的果子,並鳳仙花與**哪噠樹**。有哪噠和番紅花,菖 蒲和桂樹,並各樣乳香木,沒藥,沉香,與一切上等的果品。」

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10. Spiced Wine 香酒

Saccharomyces ellipsoideus Reess

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11. Calamus/菖蒲

Andropegor Aromaticus

雅歌四章 14 节:「有哪噠和**番紅花**,*菖蒲*和桂樹,並各樣乳香木,沒藥,沉香,與一切上等的果品。」 Song 4:14 "Spikenard and saffron, *calamus* and cinnamon, with all trees of frankincense, Myrrh and aloes, with all the chief spices—"

12. Fir/松樹

Pinus Halepensis

雅歌一章 17 节:「以**香柏樹**爲房屋的棟樑,以*松樹*爲椽子。」

Song 1:17 "The beams of our houses are cedar, and our rafters of fir."

13 Fruits/果子

Unidentified Plant References

雅歌四章 16 节:「北風阿,興起。南風阿,吹來。吹在我的園內,使其中的香氣發出來。願我的良人進入 自己園裏,吃他佳美的**果子**。」

Song 4:16 "Awake, O north wind; and come, thou south; blow upon my garden, that the spices thereof may flow out. Let my beloved come into his garden, and eat his pleasant *fruits*."