

v. 11 - a very hard verse

יִי־שֵׁׁ? would be intelligible in

Aram. or Arab, but in Heb. we would expect י instead of שׁ

Heb. י. Aram. & Arab. שׁ

Gr. εωωωωι = יִי־שֵׁׁ?

יִי־שֵׁׁ? occurs also in story of Jephthah.

Inscriptions from Syria later than period
of Assyria of Sargon
show intermixture of Aramaic
and Hebrew.

Settled peoples generally have
advantage in language over invaders.
Only exception - Hittites, where
prob. a larger number of invaders than