

# AN EXAMPLE OF ANCIENT TRAVEL INSURANCE

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"A clay tablet from Girsu (below) accounts for the livestock as the ruler's wife journeyed to Lagash from Nina about 2350 B.C. She offered nine goats, eight sheep, and three lambs to thirteen different deities at six different temples, one chapel, and a libation spot. In addition - perhaps as travel insurance - 'one kid was slaughtered at the small marsh canal for the sacred chariot.'"



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## Proverbs 6:11

"So shall thy poverty come as one that travelleth. . . ."