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STROLL THROUGH THE BIBLE

A LOOK AT SHECHEM

SEARCH THE SCRIPTURES; FOR IN
THEM YE THINK YE HAVE ETERNAL
LIFE: AND THEY ARE THEY WHICH
TESTIFY OF ME.

JOHN 5:39

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2 Peter 1:19–21

We have also a **more sure word of prophecy**; whereunto ye do well that ye take heed, as unto a **light that shineth in a dark place**, until the day dawn, and the day star arise in your hearts: Knowing this first, that no prophecy of the scripture is of any private interpretation. For the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man: but holy men of God spake as they were **moved by the Holy Ghost**.



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H7927 shek-em' The same as H7926; ridge; Shekem, a place in Palestine: - Shechem.

H7928 sheh'-kem From H7926; Shekem, the name of a Hivite and two Israelites: - Shechem.



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Genesis 12:6–7

And Abram passed through the land unto the place of **Sichem** [*H7927*], unto the plain of Moreh. And the Canaanite was then in the land. **And the LORD appeared unto Abram**, and said, **Unto thy seed will I give this land:** and there builded he an altar unto the LORD, who appeared unto him.





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Genesis 12:8–9

And he removed from thence unto a mountain on the east of **Bethel**, and pitched his tent, having Bethel on the west, and Hai on the east: and there he builded an altar unto the LORD, and called upon the name of the LORD. And Abram journeyed, going on still toward the south.



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Genesis 33:18–20

And Jacob came to Shalem, a city of **Shechem** [H7927], which is in the land of Canaan, when he came from Padanaram; and pitched his tent before the city. And he bought a parcel of a field, where he had spread his tent, at the hand of the children of Hamor, Shechem's [H7928] father, for an hundred pieces of money. And he erected there an altar, and called it Elelohe-Israel.



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Genesis 34:1–2

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Genesis 34:3–31 – *More wickedness ensues and Jacob flees with his people.*



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Genesis 35:1 – 4

And God said unto Jacob, Arise, go up to **Bethel**, and dwell there: and make there an altar unto God, that appeared unto thee when thou fleddest from the face of Esau thy brother. Then Jacob said unto his household, and to all that were with him, Put away the strange gods that are among you, and be clean, and change your garments: And let us arise, and go up to Bethel; and I will make there an altar unto God, who answered me in the day of my distress, and was with me in the way which I went. **And they gave unto Jacob all the strange gods which were in their hand, and all their earrings which were in their ears; and Jacob hid them under the oak which was by Shechem.**



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Genesis 37:12–13

And his brethren went to feed their father's flock in **Shechem**. And Israel said unto Joseph, Do not thy brethren feed the flock in Shechem? come, and I will send thee unto them.



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Joshua 24:32

And the **bones of Joseph**, which the children of Israel brought up out of Egypt, buried they in **Shechem**, in a parcel of ground which Jacob bought of the sons of Hamor the father of Shechem for an hundred pieces of silver: and it became the inheritance of the children of Joseph.



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Joshua 20:1–3

The LORD also spake unto Joshua, saying, Speak to the children of Israel, saying, **Appoint out for you cities of refuge**, whereof I spake unto you by the hand of Moses: **That the slayer that killeth any person unawares and unwittingly may flee thither:** and they shall be your refuge from the avenger of blood.



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Joshua 20:7

And they appointed Kedesh in Galilee in mount Naphtali, and Shechem in mount Ephraim, and Kirjatharba, which is Hebron, in the mountain of Judah.



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Joshua 21:1–2

Then came near the heads of the fathers of the Levites unto Eleazar the priest, and unto Joshua the son of Nun, and unto the heads of the fathers of the tribes of the children of Israel; And they spake unto them at Shiloh in the land of Canaan, saying, The LORD commanded by the hand of Moses to **give us cities to dwell in**, with the suburbs thereof for our cattle.

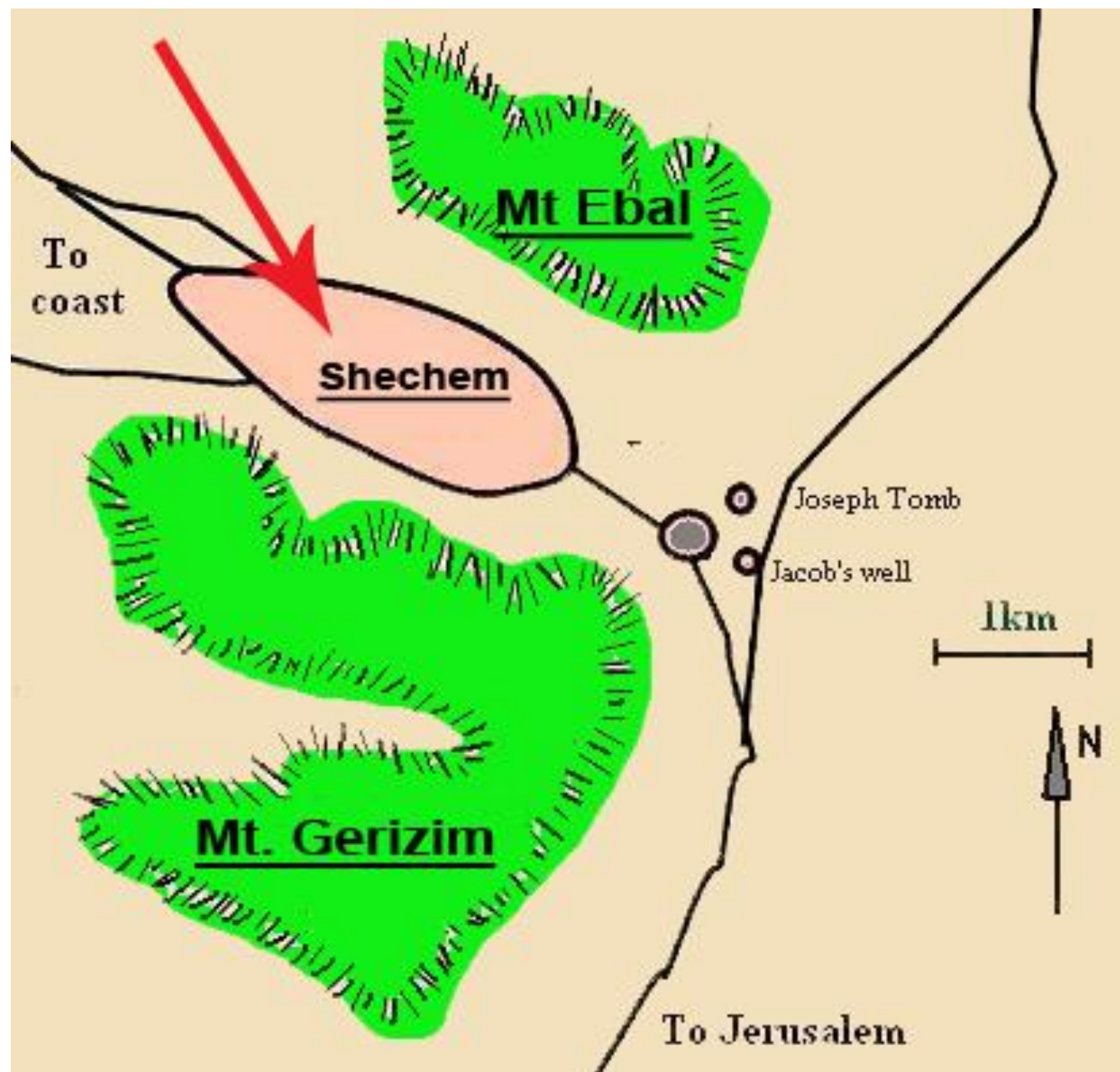


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Joshua 21:20–21

And the families of the children of Kohath, the Levites which remained of the children of Kohath, even they had the cities of their lot out of the tribe of Ephraim. For they gave them **Shechem** with her suburbs in mount Ephraim, to be a city of refuge for the slayer; and Gezer with her suburbs,







MT. GERIZIM
Elv. 2849 ft

MT. EBAL
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Modern Nablus
Elv. approx. 1800 ft
Population in 2007
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Deuteronomy 11:26–29

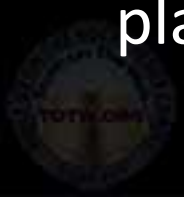
Behold, I set before you this day a blessing and a curse;
A blessing, if ye obey the commandments of the LORD
your God, which I command you this day: And a curse, if
ye will not obey the commandments of the LORD your
God, but turn aside out of the way which I command you
this day, to go after other gods, which ye have not known.
**And it shall come to pass, when the LORD thy God hath
brought thee in unto the land whither thou goest to
possess it, that thou shalt put the blessing upon mount
Gerizim, and the curse upon mount Ebal.**



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Deuteronomy 27:1-18 [1-4]

And Moses with the elders of Israel commanded the people, saying, Keep all the commandments which I command you this day. And it shall be on the day when ye shall pass over Jordan unto the land which the LORD thy God giveth thee, that **thou shalt set thee up great stones, and plaister them with plaister:** And thou shalt write upon them all the words of this law, when thou art passed over, that thou mayest go in unto the land which the LORD thy God giveth thee, a land that floweth with milk and honey; as the LORD God of thy fathers hath promised thee. Therefore it shall be when ye be gone over Jordan, that ye shall set up these stones, which I command you this day, **in mount Ebal,** and thou shalt plaister them with plaister.



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Deuteronomy 27:1-18 [5-9]

And there shalt thou build an altar unto the LORD thy God, an altar of stones: thou shalt not lift up any iron tool upon them. Thou shalt build the altar of the LORD thy God of whole stones: and thou shalt offer burnt offerings thereon unto the LORD thy God: And thou shalt offer peace offerings, and shalt eat there, and rejoice before the LORD thy God. And thou shalt write upon the stones all the words of this law very plainly. And Moses and the priests the Levites spake unto all Israel, saying, Take heed, and hearken, O Israel; this day thou art become the people of the LORD thy God.



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Deuteronomy 27:1-18 [10-14]

Thou shalt therefore obey the voice of the LORD thy God, and do his commandments and his statutes, which I command thee this day. And Moses charged the people the same day, saying, **These shall stand upon mount Gerizim to bless the people**, when ye are come over Jordan; **Simeon, and Levi, and Judah, and Issachar, and Joseph, and Benjamin**: And **these shall stand upon mount Ebal to curse**; **Reuben, Gad, and Asher, and Zebulun, Dan, and Naphtali**. And the Levites shall speak, and say unto all the men of Israel with a loud voice,



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Deuteronomy 27:1-18 [15-18]

Cursed be the man that maketh any graven or molten image, an abomination unto the LORD, the work of the hands of the craftsman, and putteth it in a secret place. And all the people shall answer and say, Amen. Cursed be he that setteth light by his father or his mother. And all the people shall say, Amen. Cursed be he that removeth his neighbour's landmark. And all the people shall say, Amen. Cursed be he that maketh the blind to wander out of the way. And all the people shall say, Amen.



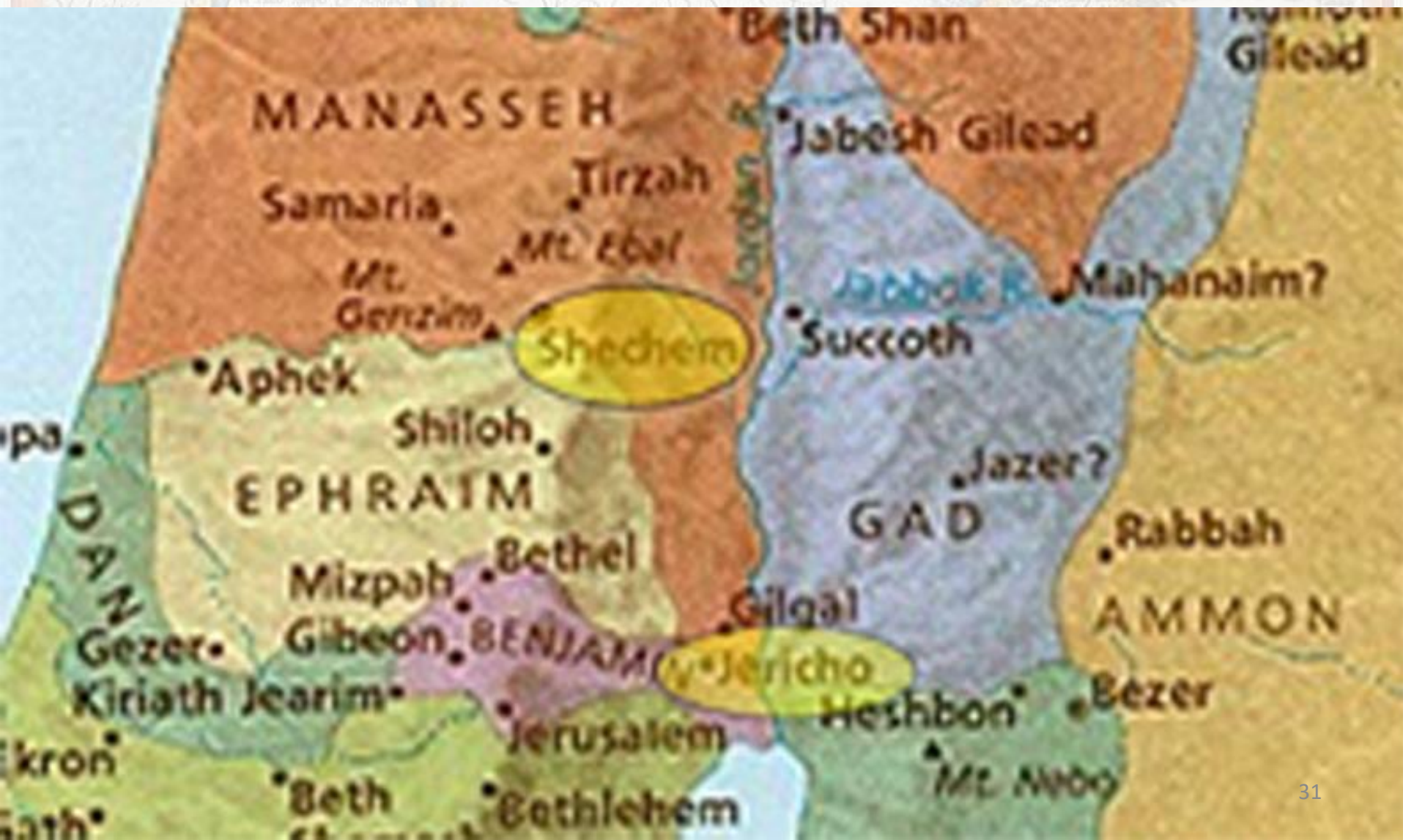
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Joshua 8:30-35 [30]

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Joshua 8:30-35 [31-32]

As Moses the servant of the LORD commanded the children of Israel, as it is written in the book of the law of Moses, an altar of whole stones, over which no man hath lift up any iron: and they offered thereon burnt offerings unto the LORD, and sacrificed peace offerings. And he wrote there upon the stones a copy of the law of Moses, **which he wrote in the presence of the children of Israel.**



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Joshua 8:30-35 [33]

And all Israel, and their elders, and officers, and their judges, stood on this side the ark and on that side before the priests the Levites, which bare the ark of the covenant of the LORD, **as well the stranger, as he that was born among them**; half of them over against mount **Gerizim**, and half of them over against mount **Ebal**; as Moses the servant of the LORD had commanded before, that they should bless the people of Israel.



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Joshua 8:30-35 [34-35]

And afterward he read all the words of the law, the blessings and cursings, according to all that is written in the book of the law. There was not a word of all that Moses commanded, which Joshua read not before **all the congregation of Israel, with the women, and the little ones, and the strangers that were conversant among them.**



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Joshua 24:1

And Joshua gathered all the tribes of Israel to **Shechem**, and called for the elders of Israel, and for their heads, and for their judges, and for their officers; and they presented themselves before God.



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Joshua 24:14–15

Now therefore fear the LORD, and serve him in sincerity and in truth: and put away the gods which your fathers served on the other side of the flood, and in Egypt; and serve ye the LORD. And if it seem evil unto you to serve the LORD, choose you this day whom ye will serve; whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the flood, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land ye dwell: **but as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD.**



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Joshua 24:21-29 [21-24]

And the people said unto Joshua, Nay; but we will serve the LORD. And Joshua said unto the people, **Ye are witnesses against yourselves that ye have chosen you the LORD, to serve him. And they said, We are witnesses.** Now therefore put away, said he, **the strange gods which are among you,** and incline your heart unto the LORD God of Israel. And the people said unto Joshua, The LORD our God will we serve, and his voice will we obey.



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Joshua 24:21-29 [25-27]

So Joshua made a covenant with the people that day, and set them a statute and an ordinance in **Shechem**. And Joshua wrote these words in the book of the law of God, and took a great stone, and set it up there **under an oak**, that was by the sanctuary of the LORD. And Joshua said unto all the people, Behold, **this stone shall be a witness unto us**; for it hath heard all the words of the LORD which he spake unto us: it shall be therefore a witness unto you, lest ye deny your God.



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Joshua 24:21-29 [28-29]

So Joshua let the people depart, **every man unto his inheritance**. And it came to pass after these things, that **Joshua the son of Nun, the servant of the LORD**, died, being an hundred and ten years old.



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1 Kings 12:16–17

So when all Israel saw that the king hearkened not unto them, the people answered the king, saying, What portion have we in David? neither have we inheritance in the son of Jesse: to your tents, O Israel: now see to thine own house, David. So Israel departed unto their tents. But as for the children of Israel which dwelt in the cities of Judah, **Rehoboam** reigned over them.



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1 Kings 12:20

And it came to pass, when all Israel heard that **Jeroboam** was come again, that they sent and called him unto the congregation, and made him king over all Israel: there was none that followed the house of David, but the tribe of Judah only.



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1 Kings 12:25–29 [25-27]

Then Jeroboam built **Shechem** in mount Ephraim, and dwelt therein; and went out from thence, and built Penuel. And Jeroboam said in his heart, Now shall the kingdom return to the house of David: If this people go up to do sacrifice in the house of the LORD at Jerusalem, then shall the heart of this people turn again unto their lord, even unto Rehoboam king of Judah, and they shall kill me, and go again to **Rehoboam king of Judah**.



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1 Kings 12:25–29 [28-29]

Whereupon the king took counsel, and made **two calves of gold**, and said unto them, It is too much for you to go up to Jerusalem: behold thy gods, O Israel, which brought thee up out of the land of Egypt. And he set the **one in Bethel**, and the other put he in **Dan**.





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John 4:3–7

He left Judaea, and departed again into Galilee. And he must needs go through Samaria. Then cometh he to a city of Samaria, which is called Sychar, near to the parcel of ground that Jacob gave to his son Joseph. Now Jacob's well was there. Jesus therefore, being wearied with his journey, sat thus on the well: and it was about the sixth hour. There cometh a woman of Samaria to draw water: Jesus saith unto her, Give me to drink.



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John 4:19–20

The woman saith unto him, Sir, I perceive that thou art a prophet. Our fathers worshipped in **this mountain**; and ye say, that in Jerusalem is the place where men ought to worship.



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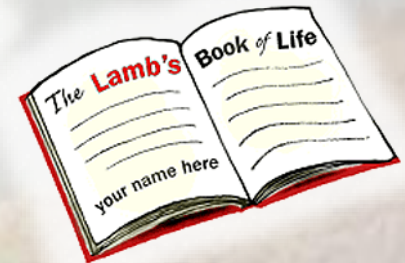
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