

We are here to:

Teach those who want to be taught

Serve those who want to be served

Shepherd those who want to be
shepherded

Prescott AZ 2019



5/30/2020
Shabbat Service
10:30 am

- **Bamidbar** | " | במדבר *In the Wilderness*"
- **Torah:** Numbers 1:1 - 4:20
- **Prophets:** Hosea 2:1-22 (1:10 - 2:20)
- **Brit Hadasha:** Luke 16:1 - 17:10; 1 Corinthians 12:12-31

Sounding the Shofar



Opening Prayer - Mick



Announcements

- **Today is day 49 in the counting of the omer**
- **Shabbat Service Next week – McLeod's**
- **Group Texting Considerations**
- **Assembly Transparency**
 - **Tent**
 - **Building**



Shema

“Hear, O Yisra’ěl: יהוה our Elohim, יהוה is one!
And you shall love יהוה your Elohim with all your heart,
and with all your being, and with all your might. And
these Words which I am commanding you today shall be
in your heart, and you shall impress them upon your
children, and shall speak of them when you sit in your
house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie
down, and when you rise up, and shall bind them as a
sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between
your eyes. And you shall write them on the doorposts of
your house and on your gates.” And you shall love your
neighbor as yourself. I am יהוה.

Deuteronomy 6:4-9 ; Leviticus 19:18

יְבָרֶכְךָ יְהוָה, וַיִּשְׁמְרֶךָ.
יָאֵר יְהוָה פָּנָיו אֵלֶיךָ, וַיַּחֲנֶךָ.
יִשָּׂא יְהוָה פָּנָיו אֵלֶיךָ, וַיִּשֵׁם לְךָ שְׁלוֹם.

yevarechecha YHWH veyishmerechah
ya'eyr YHWH panav eylechah vichunekah
yissa YHWH panav eylechah
veyaseym lecha shalom

*YAHWEH bless you, and keep you:
YAHWEH make His face shine upon you,
and be gracious unto you:
YAHWEH lift up His countenance
upon you, and give you peace.*



***Bamidbar | " | במדבר In the
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Torah

Numbers 1

Numbers 2

Numbers 3

Numbers 4 (1-20)



HafTorah

Hosea 2:1-22





B'rit Ha Dasha

Luke 16:1-31

Luke 17:1-10

1 Corinthians 12:12-31

Blessing of the Bread

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם,

ha'·o·lam me·lekh e·lo·hei·nu **YAHWEH** 'at·tah ba·rukh
the universe king (of) our God are you Blessed



הַמּוֹצִיא לֶחֶם מִן הָאָרֶץ.

ha'·a·rets min le·chem ham·mo·tsi
the earth from bread the Who brings forth

[Respond: *Amen.*]

Blessing of the Vine

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם,

ha'·o·lam

the universe

me·lekh

King of

e·lo·hei·nu

our God

YAHWEH

at·tah

are You

ba·rukh

Bless ed



בוֹרֵא פְּרֵי הַגָּפֶן.

hag·ga·fen

the vine.

pe·ri

fruit of

bo·re

Who creates

Lets Eat



Prayer - Jun



**Torah is the key
to understanding**

YESHUA

“For if you believed Mosheh, you would have believed Me, since he wrote about Me. But if you do not believe his writings how shall you believe My words?”

John 5:46-47

Numbers (Bamidbar)

בְּמִדְבָּר



(bah-meed-BAHR)

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Numbers (Bamidbar)

מִדְבָּר

- **H4057 midbar**

- *From H1696 in the sense of driving; a pasture, that is, open field, a desert; wilderness, also speech*

(bah-meed-BAHR)

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In the Wilderness

- **It's about 1350 before Messiah**
 - the 2 previous centuries were spent as a slave labor force in Mythirim
- **We are in the 13th month of the eventual 40 year journey in the Wilderness**
- **We are entering the second time in 13 months that a census is being conducted, each for different reasons**

“Annual Census”

- The First Census

- Exodus 30:11-16

- Used to count the number of males
- 20 years and older
- given for *atonement* for life
- Exodus 38:25-26
- TOTAL = 603,550

- The Second Census

- Numbers 1

- Used to count the number of males
- 20 years and older
- NO max age
- Given for accounting for *army* service
- TOTAL = 603,550

The 1st Sheqel giving

Exodus 30:11-13

“and Yahweh spoke to Mosheh, saying, when you take the census of the children of Yisra’el to register them, then each one shall give and atonement for his life to Yahweh, when you reister them, so that there is no plague among them when you register them. Everyone among those who are registered are to give this, half a sheqel according to the sheqel of the set-apart place, twenty gerahs being a sheqel. The half sheqel is the contribution to Yahweh”

The 2nd Sheqel giving

Numbers 1:1-4

*And Yahweh spoke to Mosheh in the wilderness of Sinai, in the Tent of Appointment, on the first day to the second new moon, in the second year after they had come out of the land of Mithrayim, saying, take a census of all the congregation of the children of Yisra'el, by their clans, by their father's houses, according to the number of names, ever male, head by head, from twenty years old and above, everyone going out to the army in Yisra'el. **Number them by their division**, you and Aharon”*

Peculiarity of the count

- **13 months apart**
 - Both equaled the *Same exact number*
 - The Torah is silent on births and/or deaths
- **I just found it peculiar that both counts matched up, EXACTLY. It shows the intricacy and detail our Father Yahweh has in every aspect of our lives**

Yisra'el re-grouping

- **Yahweh is now having them assemble by families, clans and tribes**
- **He is reordering them & reuniting them according to tribe**
- **Why would it matter?**
 - **Not by what they do (their work) but who they are (inheritance)**

Yisra'el re-grouping

- **Yahweh brought his people out away from the distractions of their bondage so that He could**
- **Talk to them**
- **Teach them**
- **Reveal Himself to them**



Preparation for Battle (warriors)

- **Yisra'el is being prepared for battle**
 - **Yahweh's battle, not our own**
 - **As a part of HIS army**
 - **Preparation of HIS appointed leaders**
 - **To lead the people into conquering the land**
 - **Who would lay down their own lives**
 - **As we prepare we rid ourselves of distractions and focus on HIM**

Ridding ourselves of distractions

- **Distractions are not:**
 - Your spouse, children or Community (Assembly)
 - Gaining HIS wisdom
- **Distractions are:**
 - Lusts of the flesh, worldly desires, self righteousness
 - Today
 - Facebook/social media, sports, \$\$\$, fleshly desires
 - Cares of the world and the focus on hear/now
 - GIMME GIMME GIMME

Ya'aqob ~~(James)~~ 3:17-18

But the wisdom from above is first clean, then peaceable, gentle, ready to obey, filled with compassion and good fruits, without partiality and without hypocrisy. And then fruit of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace.



“Annual Census”

- *Stand Up and be counted*
- *What are we to be counted for?*
 - *As part of a tribe (not as the entire tribe)*
 - *Each head was counted with the half sheqel*
 - *Signifies the member, not the work or skills of the member*

Wilderness Purpose

- **Family Bonding in the wilderness**
 - Practical application of the given commands in previous books of the Torah
 - Different Elements / Tribal Breakdown
 - Encampment Structure
 - Redemption



Exodus 12:49

There is **ONE Torah** for the native-born and for the stranger who sojourns among you

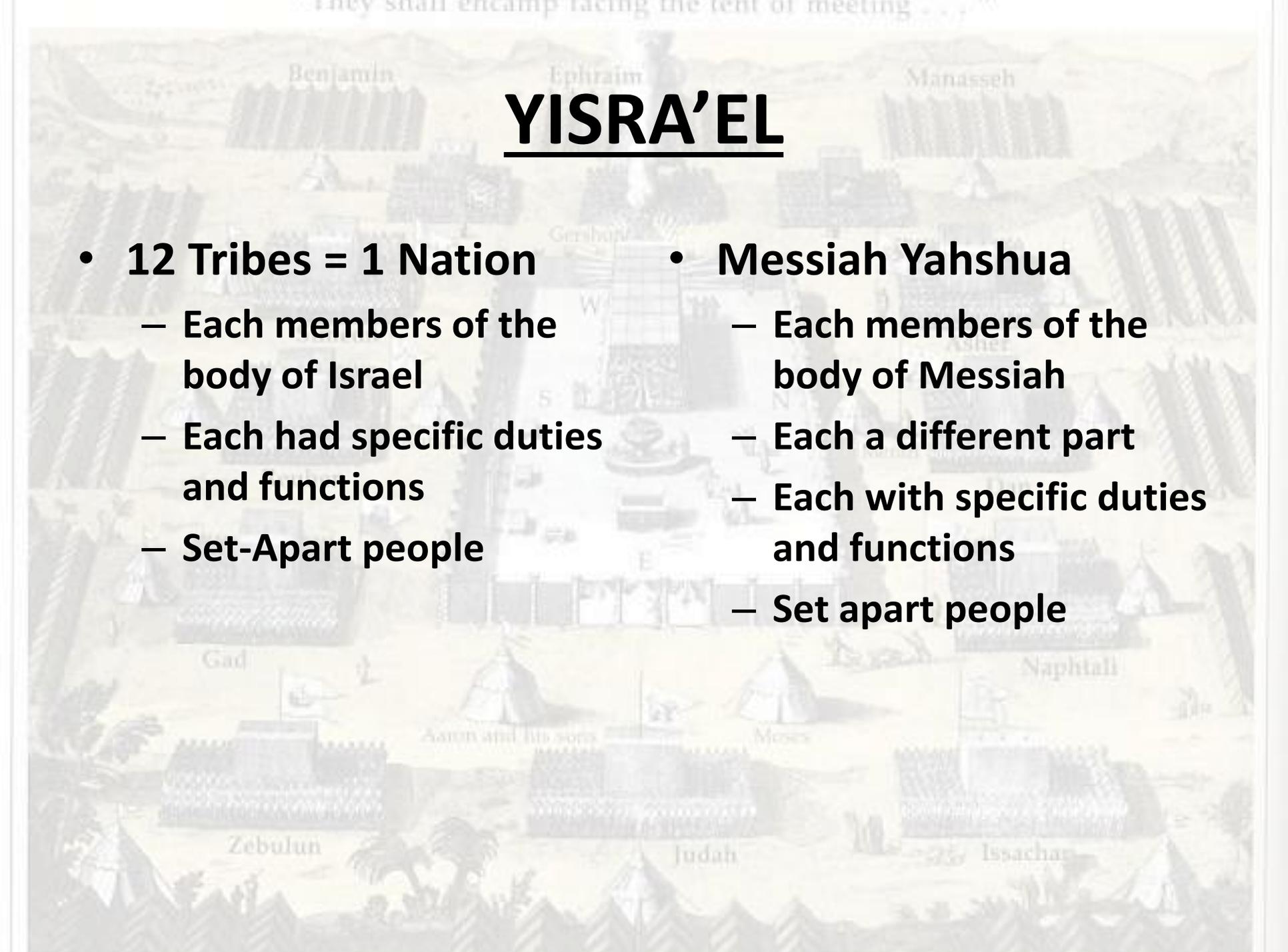
PRACTICAL APPLICATION

- **TORAH application**
 - **Keep the commandments (just given in previous 3 books)**
 - **Keep Moedim, dietary, tzitizit, etc.**
 - **Bonding within newly established roles (Levites, others)**
 - **Can only serve 1 Master (Luke 16:13) and that Master is Yahweh**

“But he said to him, ‘If they do not hear Mosheh and the prophets, neither would they be persuaded even if one should rise from the dead.’ ” Luke 16:31

Numbers 15:15-16

One law is for you of the assembly and for the stranger who sojourns with you – a law forever throughout your generations. As you are, so is the stranger before יהוה. One Torah and one right-ruling is for you and for the stranger who sojourns with you.



YISRA'EL

- **12 Tribes = 1 Nation**
 - Each members of the body of Israel
 - Each had specific duties and functions
 - Set-Apart people
- **Messiah Yahshua**
 - Each members of the body of Messiah
 - Each a different part
 - Each with specific duties and functions
 - Set apart people

ONE (ECHAD) Body

- **Just as a husband who leaves his father and mother and clings to his wife, they become one (echad) flesh**
- **The same rings true when we become a part of the body of Messiah, we become one (echad)**
 - **We frequently say when we pray, let us pray as one, in one accord or united as one (although there are many of us, we come together as one)**

I Corinthians 12:12-14

For as the body is one and has many members, but all the members of that one body, being many, are one body, so also is the Messiah. For indeed by one Spirit we were all immersed into one body, whether Yehudim or Greeks, whether slaves or free, and we were all made to drink into one Spirit. For indeed the body is not one member but many

YISRA'EL

Tribal Duties

- Judges
- Priests
- Kings
- Warriors
- Conquerors

Yahweh Appointed

- Emissaries
- Prophets
- Teachers
- Miracles
- Healings
- Help
- Ministrations
- Kinds of Tongues

Romans 12:4-5

***“For as we have many members in one body,
but all members do not have the same
function, so we, the many, are one body in
Messiah, and members each one of one
another.”***

Ephesians 4:20-25

But you have not so learned Messiah, if indeed you have heard Him and were taught by Him, as truth is in יהושע that you put off – with regard to your former behaviour – the old man, being corrupted according to the desires of the deceit, and to be renewed in the spirit of your mind, and that you put on the renewed man which was created according to Elohim, in righteousness and set-apartness of the truth. Therefore, having put off the false, speak truth, each one with his neighbour, for we are members of one another.

Tribal Breakdown

- *Family (Unit / Household)*
- *Clan (Community / Village)*
- *Tribe (Nation / People)*

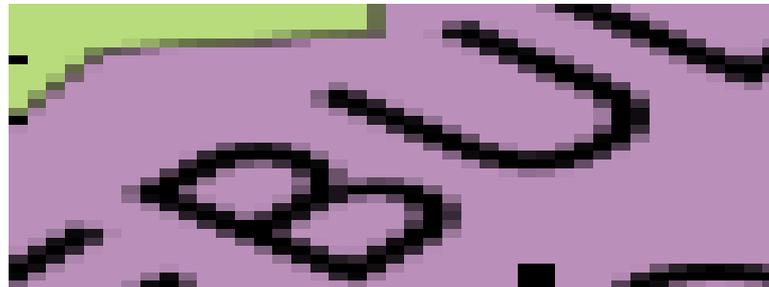
The Heraldic Emblem of Zebulun



THE TRIBE OF ZEBULUN
Zebulun will dwell at the seashore;
And he shall be a haven for ships...
(Genesis 49:13)

Family (Unit / Household)

- **Those in your immediate family**
 - Living within your household
 - Spouse, children, son/daughter in-laws, grandchildren, widowed family members



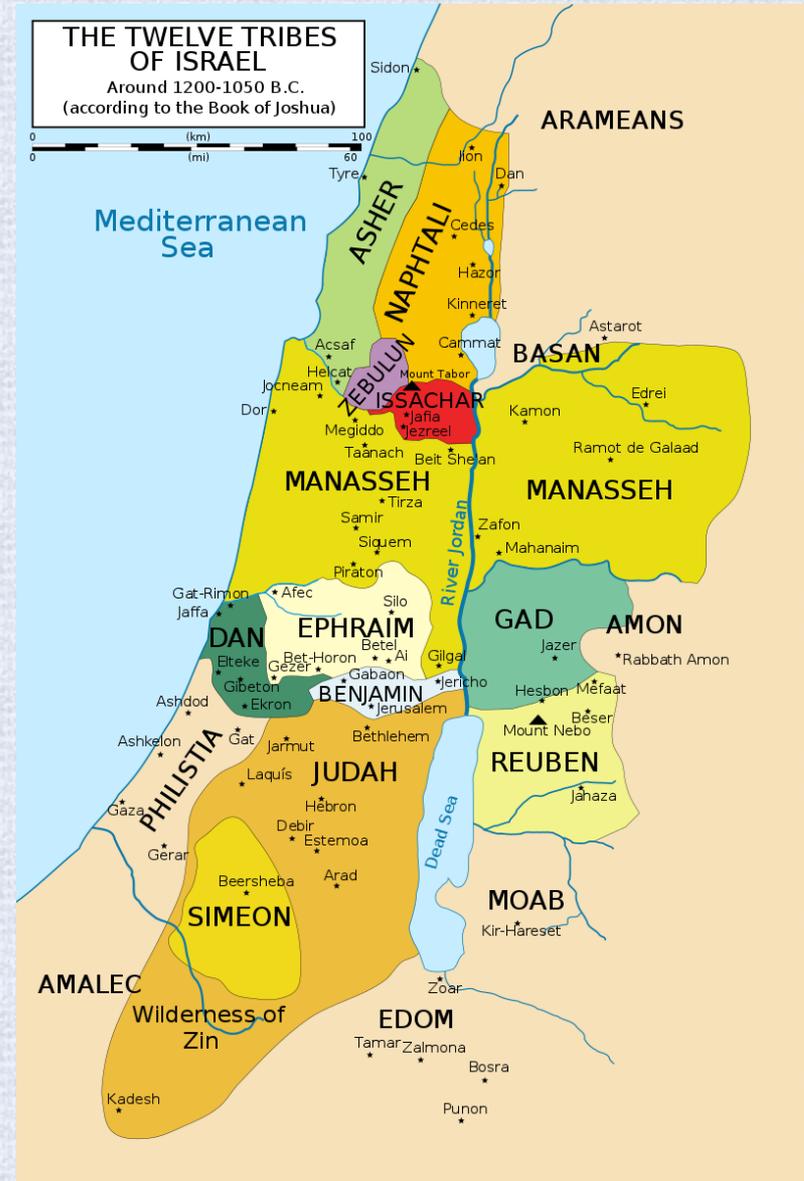
Clan (Community)

- **Extended family Unit**
- **Community (small village or town)**
 - **Uncles, Aunts, Cousins and other extensions of the village**



Tribe (Nation)

- A Specific group of people tied to a specific lineage
- All are associated with the heritage/lineage of Yoseph's Offspring
- Carry out specific tasks within the nation of Yisrael



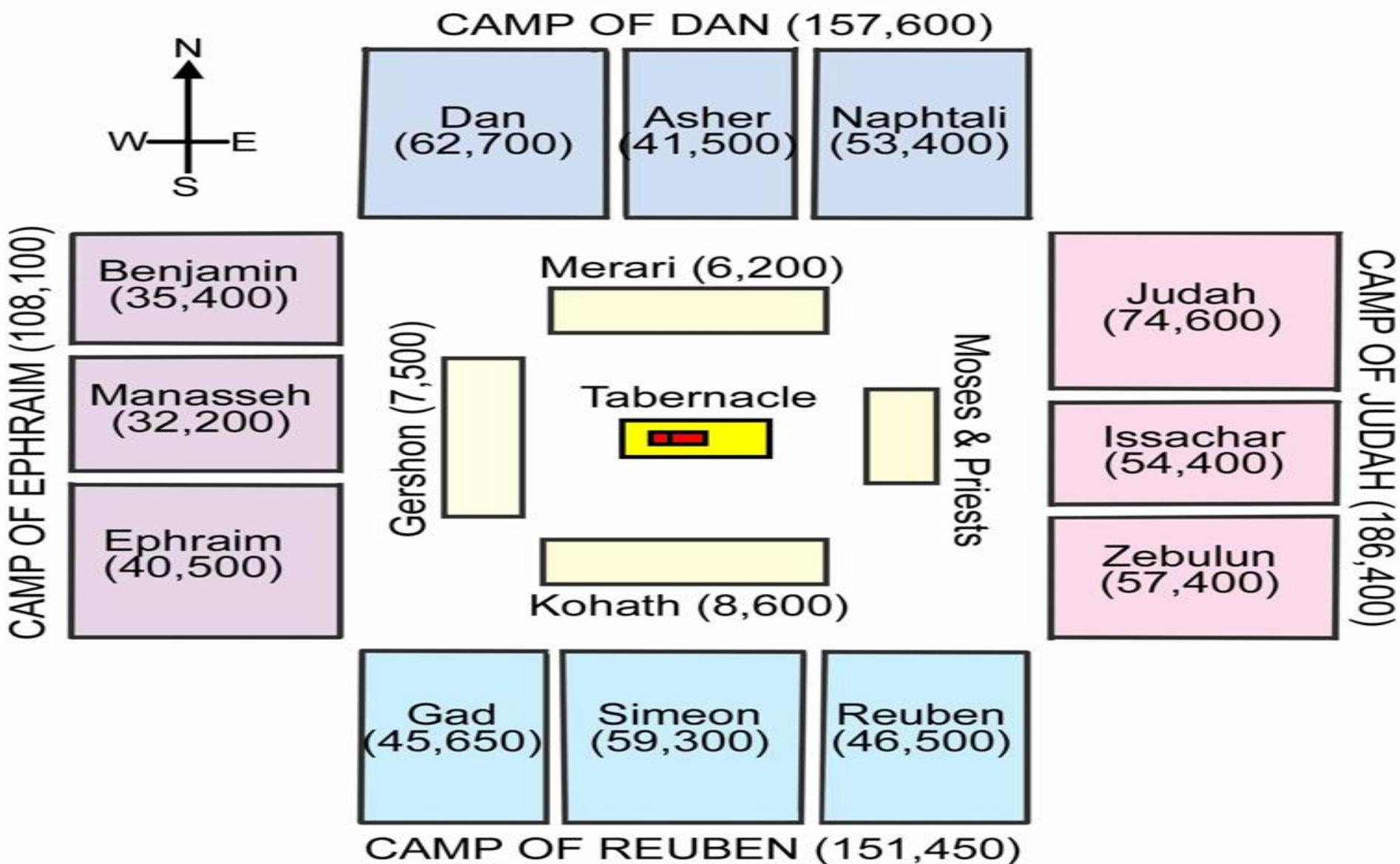
Layout of the Encampment

- Encampment around the Mishkan (tabernacle)
- Starting from the East – the Main Tribes listed
 - Judah (Praise)
 - Reuben (The Son who hears)
 - Ephraim (Who brings much fruit)
 - Dan (Who will judge)
- Prophetic shadow picture
 - Praise the Son who hears and who brings forth much fruit who will judge
 - YAHSHUA

Excuse the Following Picture layouts

Not all are depicted as we are
accustomed to; with North being on
the top





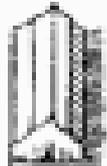
Arrangement of the Camp of Israel

Numbers 2:1-3:39

EAST



NORTH



SOUTH

JUDAH



NAPHTALI



ASHER-



DAN



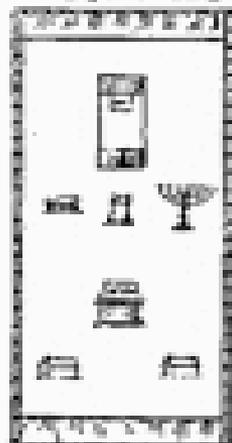
EPHRAIM



ISSACHAR



TABERNACLE



MOSES



AARON



MANASSEH



ZEBULON



REUBEN



SIMEON



GAD

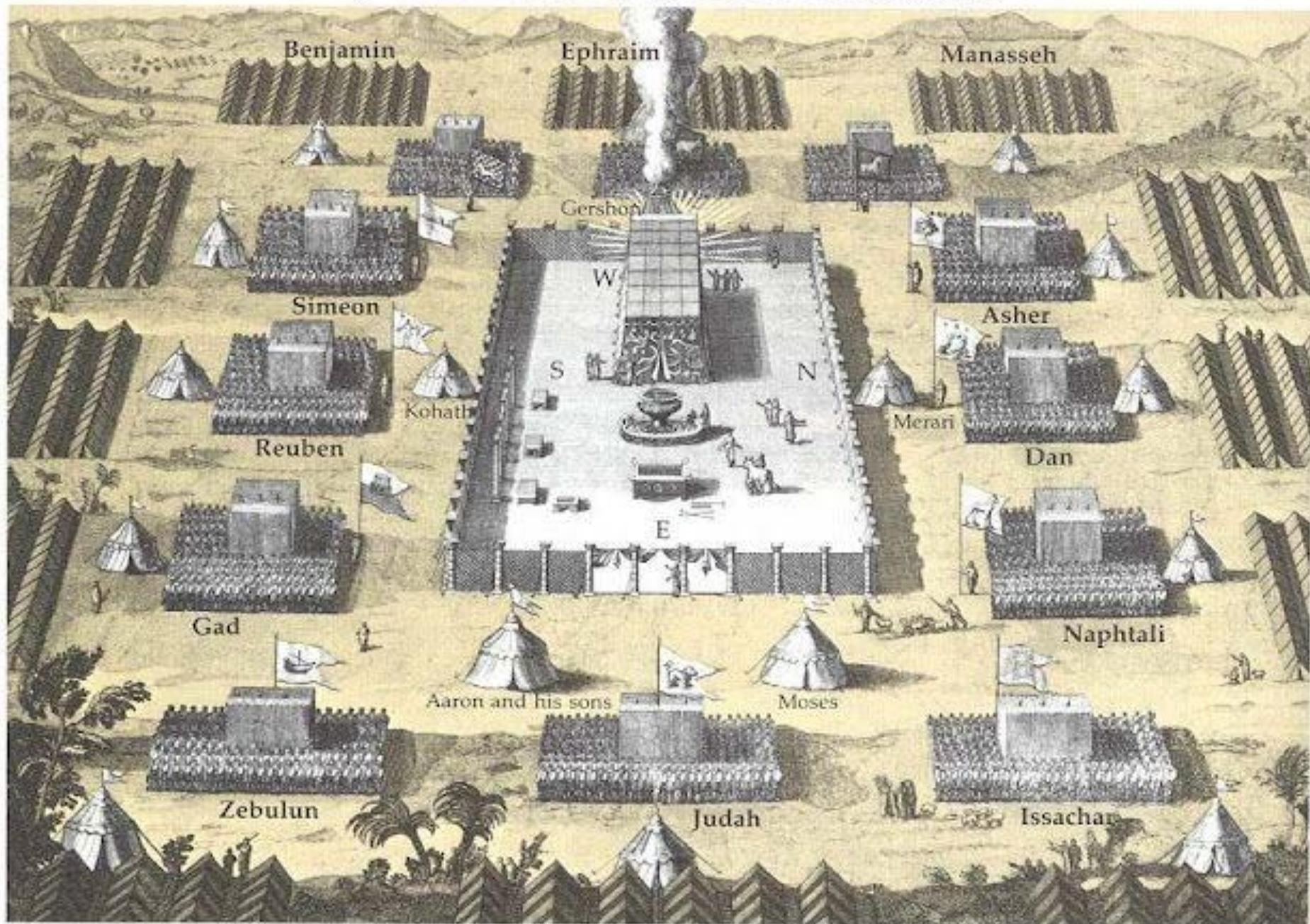


BENJAMIN



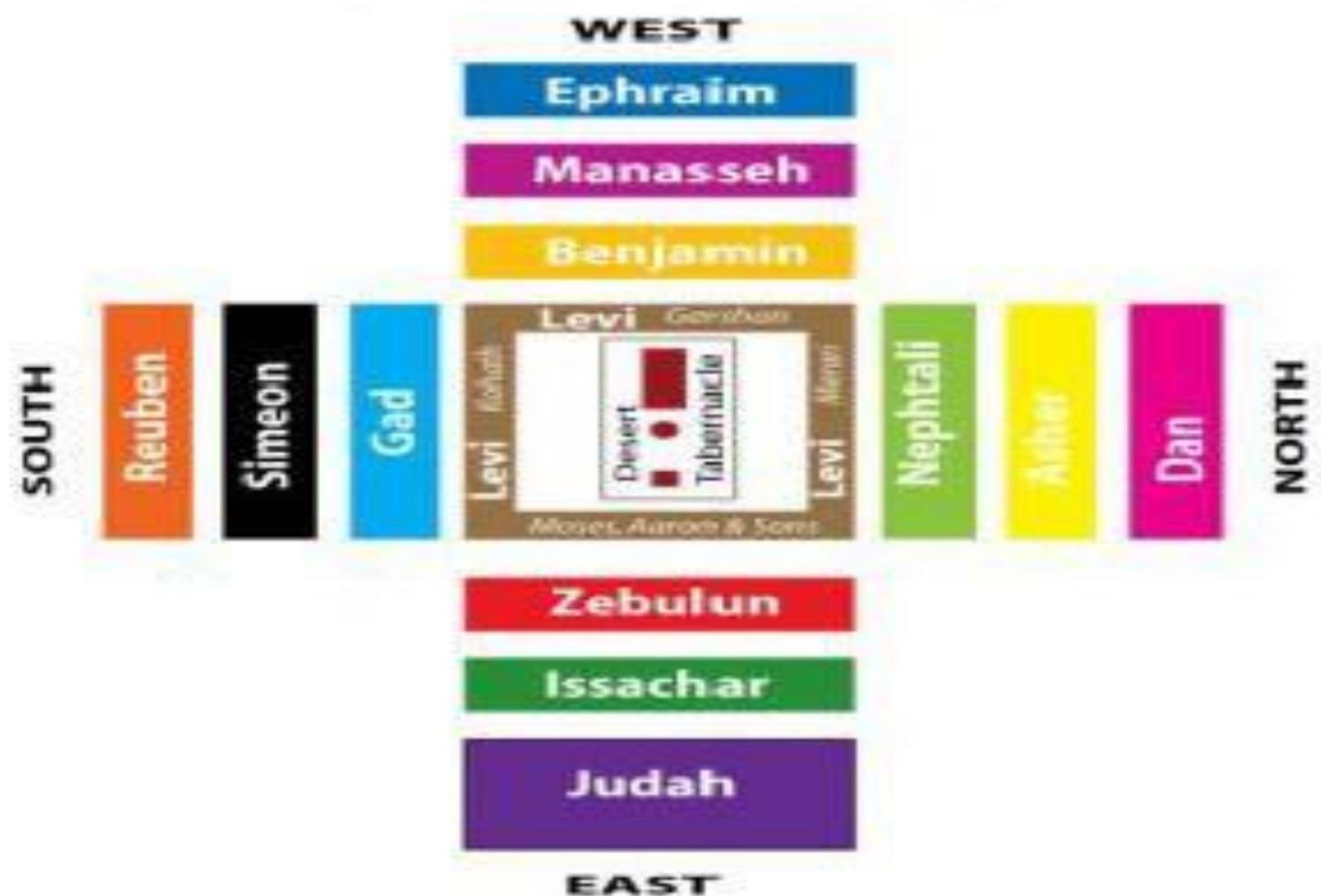
WEST

"They shall encamp facing the tent of meeting . . ."



Encampment of the Tribes

Numbers 2:1-34 & 3:21-38



Redemption of YISRA'EL

- **Bringing the 12 Tribes back to the promised land**
 - **Jeremiah 30:3 “For look, the days are coming, declares Yahweh, when I shall turn back the captivity of My people Yisra’el and Yehudah, declares Yahweh, and I shall bring them back to the land I gave to their fathers, and let them possess it”**
 - **Redeemed (atoned) for a price (half sheqel)**
- **Each tribe promised a particular section**
 - **Includes strangers who sojourn with each tribe**
 - **The GRAFTED IN PRINCIPLE**

Ezekiel 47:21-23

And you shall divide this land among yourselves according to the tribes of Yisra'el. And it shall be that you divide it by lot as an inheritance for yourselves, and for the strangers who sojourn in your midst and who bear children among you. And they shall be to you as native-born among the children of Yisra'el – with you they have an inheritance in the midst of the tribes of Yisra'el. And it shall be that in whatever tribe the stranger sojourns, there you give him his inheritance,” declares the Master יהוה.



Turkey

Turkmenistan

Lebanon
West Bank
Gaza Strip

Syria

Iraq

Iran

Afghanistan

Pakistan

Jordan

Kuwait

Egypt

Saudi Arabia

Bahrain
Qatar

Dubai

UAE

Oman

Sudan



Mediterranean Sea

GAZA STRIP

WEST BANK

Alexandria

Nile Delta

San al Hagar (Tanis)

ISRAEL

LOWER EGYPT

Pyramids at Giza
Saqqara

★ CAIRO

SINAI

El Faiyum

JORDAN

● Bahariya

Nile River

Gulf of Suez

SAUDI ARABIA

+ Mt. Sinai

Gulf of Aqaba

Red Sea

● Farafra

UPPER EGYPT

El Araba al Madfuna (Abydos)

Dendera

Valley of the Kings
Deir el-Bahari

Luxor (Thebes)

● Dakhla

● Kharga

Edfu

● Kom Ombo
● Aswan

Elephantine Island

TROPIC OF CANCER

Lake Nasser

Abu Simbel

EGYPT

Zechariah 10:6-8

And I shall make the house of Yehudāh mighty, and save the house of Yosēph. And I shall bring them back, because I have compassion on them. And they shall be as though I had not pushed them aside. For I am יהוה their Elohim, and I answer them. And Ephrayim shall be as a mighty man, and their heart shall rejoice as if with wine. And their children shall see and rejoice, their heart exulting in יהוה. I shall whistle for them and gather them, for I shall ransom them. And they shall increase as they once increased.

Heirs According to the Promise

- Who did Yahshua come for? (Matt 15:24)
- Abrahams blessing comes to fruition, so we may receive the Ruach (Gal 3:13-14)
- “For him who does *whatever* by mistake there is one Torah, both for him who is native among the children of Yisra’ěl and for the stranger who sojourns in their midst”
Numbers 15:29

Psalm 68:5-6

- **Father of the fatherless and protector of widows is Yahweh in His holy habitation. Yahweh settles the solitary in a home; He leads out the prisoners to prosperity, but the rebellious dwell in a parched land**
- **How many were out there, seemingly alone, and have found a home here with Natzarim Yahshua?**
 - **Yahweh is still settling the solitary in a home**
 - **WELCOME HOME**

