

# Paul's Humbling and Joshua's Inauguration

Numbers 30:1-2; 27

## **Acts 18:18b**

He had his hair cut off at Cenchrea,  
for he had taken a vow.

## **Acts 21:19b, 21b, c, 23-24a**

<sup>19b</sup>told them things God had done among the Gentiles...

<sup>21b</sup>you teach...all the Jews...

<sup>21c</sup>not to walk according to the customs...

<sup>23</sup>“Therefore do what we tell you: We have four men who have taken a vow. <sup>24a</sup>Take them and be purified with them, and pay their expenses so that they may shave *their* heads, and that all may know that those things of which they were informed concerning you are nothing”...

## Numbers 30:1b-2

<sup>1</sup>b“*This is* the thing which the LORD has commanded: <sup>2</sup>If a man makes a vow to the LORD, and swears an oath to bind himself by some agreement, he shall not break his word; he shall do according to all that proceeds out of his mouth.”

## **Numbers 6:1-2, 5, 9b**

Then the LORD spoke to Moses, saying, <sup>2</sup>“Speak to the children of Israel, and say to them: ‘When either a man or a woman consecrates an offering to take the vow of a Nazirite, to separate himself to the LORD,...

<sup>5</sup>All the days of the vow of his separation no razor shall come upon his head; until the days are fulfilled for which he separated himself to the LORD, he shall be holy. *Then* he shall let the locks of the hair of his head grow...

<sup>9b</sup>he shall shave his head on the days of his cleansing; on the seventh day he shall shave it.””

**Acts 23:6b**

“Men and brethren, I am a Pharisee...”

## **Acts 26:4-5**

<sup>4</sup>“My manner of life from my youth, which was spent from the beginning among my own nation at Jerusalem, all the Jews know.

<sup>5</sup>They knew me from the first, if they were willing to testify, that according to the strictest sect of our religion I lived a Pharisee.”

## **Philippians 3:4b-5**

<sup>4b</sup>If anyone else thinks he may have confidence in the flesh, I more so:

<sup>5</sup>circumcised the eighth day, of the stock of Israel, *of* the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew of the Hebrews; concerning the law, a Pharisee;

## Numbers 26:63-65

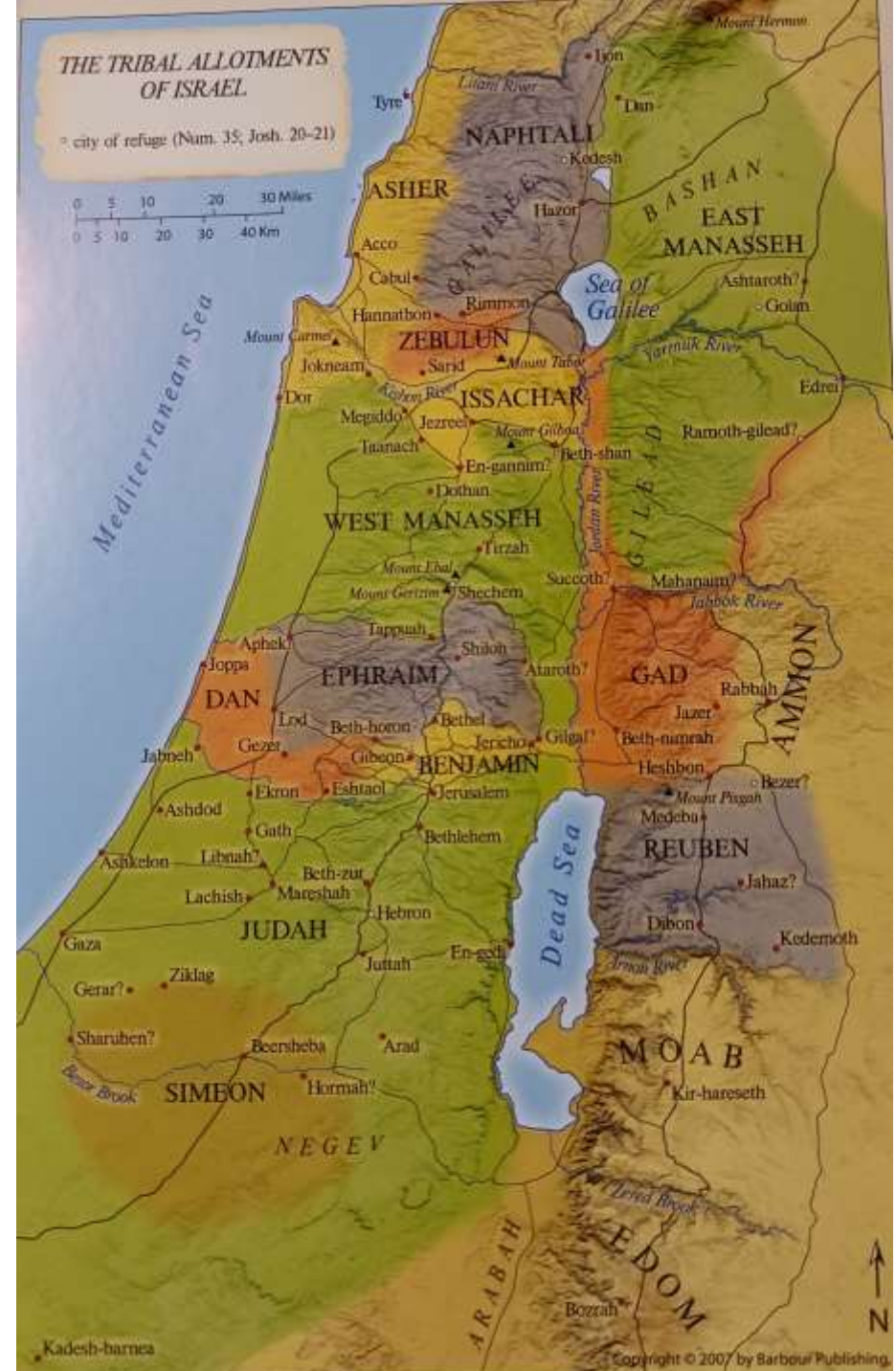
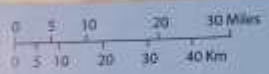
<sup>63</sup>These *are* those who were numbered by Moses and Elēāzar the priest when they numbered the children of Israel in the plains of Mōab by the Jordan across from Jericho. <sup>64</sup>But among these there was not a man of those who were numbered by Moses and Aaron the priest when they numbered the children of Israel in the Wilderness of Sinai. <sup>65</sup>For the LORD had said of them, “They shall surely die in the wilderness.”

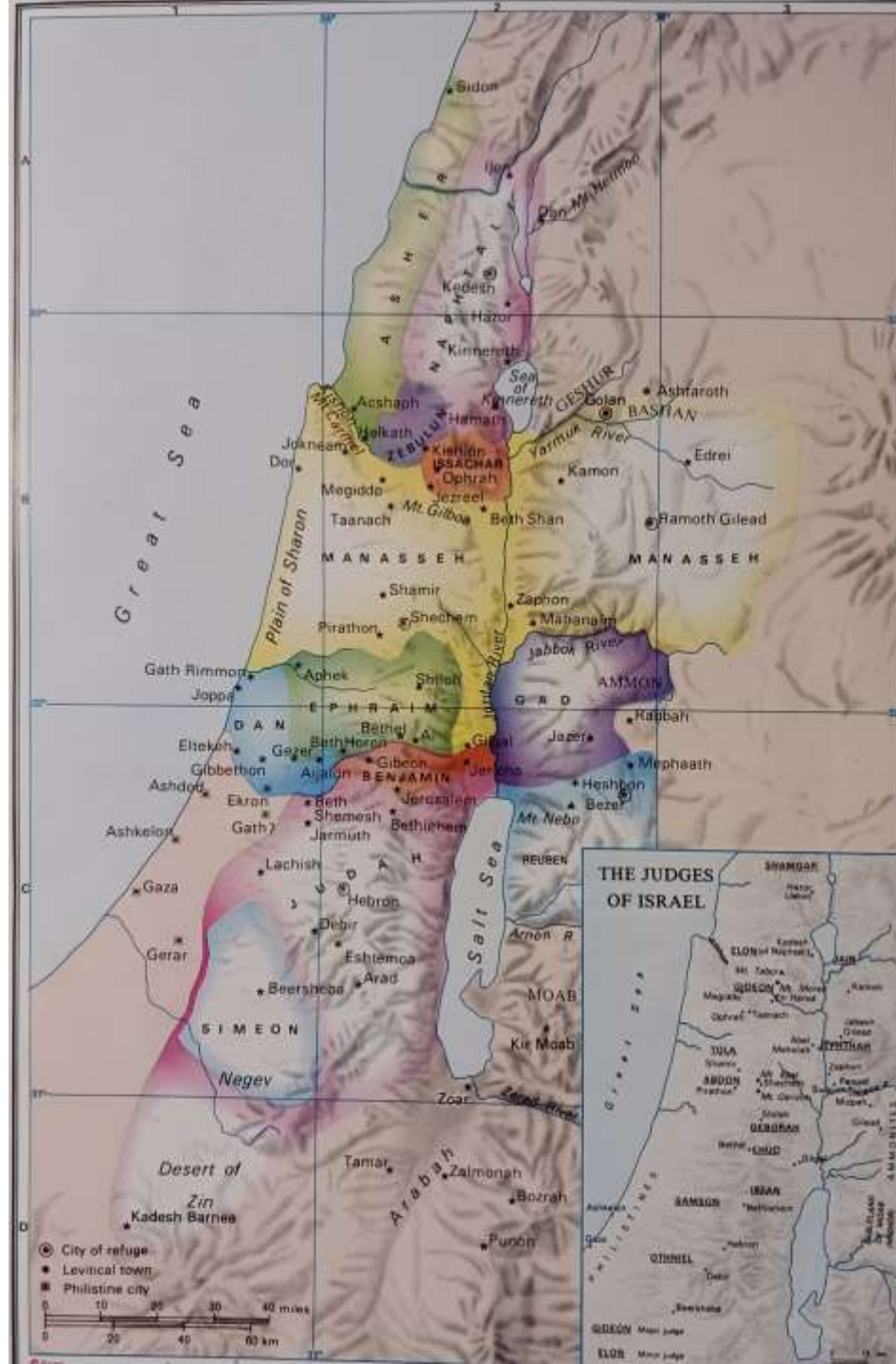
## **Numbers 27:1a**

Then came the daughters of Zelophehad the son of Hēpher, the son of Gilead, the son of Māchir, the son of Manasseh, from the families of Manasseh the son of Joseph;

**THE TRIBAL ALLOTMENTS OF ISRAEL**

• city of refuge (Num. 35; Josh. 20-21)





## Numbers 27:1b-3

<sup>1b</sup>and these *were* the names of his daughters: Mahlah, Noah, Hoglah, Milcah, and Tirzah. <sup>2</sup>And they stood before Moses, before Elēāzar the priest, and before the leaders and all the congregation, *by* the doorway of the tabernacle of meeting, saying: <sup>3</sup>“Our father died in the wilderness; but he was not in the company of those who gathered together against the LORD, in company with Kōrah, but he died in his own sin; and he had no sons.”

## Numbers 27:4-7

<sup>4</sup>“Why should the name of our father [Zelophehad] be removed from among his family because he had no son? Give us a possession among our father’s brothers.” <sup>5</sup>So Moses brought their case before the LORD. <sup>6</sup>And the LORD spoke to Moses, saying: <sup>7</sup>“The daughters of Zelophehad speak *what is* right; you shall surely give them a possession of inheritance among their father’s brothers, and cause the inheritance of their father [Joseph / Manasseh] to pass to them.”

## **Numbers 27:12**

Now the LORD said to Moses: “Go up into this Mount Abarim, and see the land which I have given to the children of Israel.”



## **Numbers 27:13-14**

<sup>13</sup>“And when you have seen it, you also shall be gathered to your people, as Aaron your brother was gathered. <sup>14</sup>For in the Wilderness of Zin, during the strife of the congregation, you rebelled against My command to hallow Me at the waters before their eyes.” (These are the waters of Meribah, at Kādesh in the Wilderness of Zin.)



## Numbers 27:15-17

<sup>15</sup>Then Moses spoke to the LORD, saying:

<sup>16</sup>“Let the LORD, the God of the spirits of all flesh, set a man over the congregation,  
<sup>17</sup>who may go out before them and go in before them, who may lead them out and bring them in, that the congregation of the LORD may not be like sheep which have no shepherd.”

## Numbers 27:18-21

<sup>18</sup>And the LORD said to Moses: “Take Joshua the son of Nun with you, a man in whom is the Spirit, and lay your hand on him; <sup>19</sup>set him before Elēāzar the priest and before all the congregation, and inaugurate him in their sight. <sup>20</sup>And you shall give *some* of your authority to him, that all the congregation of the children of Israel may be obedient. <sup>21</sup>He shall stand before Elēāzar the priest, who shall inquire before the LORD for him by the judgment of the Ūrim. At his word they shall go out, and at his word they shall come in, he and all the children of Israel with him—all the congregation.”

## **John 11:51**

Now this he did not say on his own *authority*;  
but being high priest that year he prophesied  
that Jesus would die for the nation.

## **Numbers 27:22-23**

<sup>22</sup>So Moses did as the LORD commanded him. He took Joshua and set him before Elēāzar the priest and before all the congregation. <sup>23</sup>And he laid hands on him and inaugurated him, just as the LORD commanded by the hand of Moses.

## **Deuteronomy 31:1-2**

Then Moses went and spoke these words to all Israel. <sup>2</sup>And he said to them: “I *am* one hundred and twenty years old today. I can no longer go out and come in. Also the LORD has said to me, ‘You shall not cross over this Jordan.’”

## Deuteronomy 31:3-5

<sup>3</sup>“The LORD your God Himself crosses over before you; He will destroy these nations from before you, and you shall dispossess them. Joshua himself crosses over before you, just as the LORD has said. <sup>4</sup>And the LORD will do to them as He did to Sīhon and Og, the kings of the Amorites and their land, when He destroyed them. <sup>5</sup>The LORD will give them over to you, that you may do to them according to every commandment which I have commanded you.”

## Deuteronomy 31:6-8

<sup>6</sup>“Be strong and of good courage, do not fear nor be afraid of them; for the LORD your God, He is the One who goes with you. He will not leave you nor forsake you.” <sup>7</sup>Then Moses called Joshua and said to him in the sight of all Israel, “Be strong and of good courage, for you must go with this people to the land which the LORD has sworn to their fathers to give them, and you shall cause them to inherit it. <sup>8</sup>And the LORD, He is the One who goes before you. He will not leave you nor forsake you; do not fear nor be dismayed.”

## **2 Corinthians 5:18-20a**

<sup>18</sup>Now all things are of God, who has reconciled us to Himself through Jesus Christ, and has given us the ministry of reconciliation, <sup>19</sup>that is, that God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself, not imputing their trespasses to them, and has committed to us the word of reconciliation. <sup>20a</sup>Now then, we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God were pleading through us...

## **Galatians 5:22-23a**

<sup>22</sup>But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering [patience], kindness, goodness, faithfulness, <sup>23a</sup>gentleness, self-control.

**Deuteronomy 31:7b; 23b;  
Joshua 1:6a, 1:9a, 1:18b; 10:25b;  
1 Chronicles 22:13b; 28:20**

Be strong and of good courage

**Deuteronomy 31:8b;**  
**Joshua 1:5b;**  
**1 Chronicles 28:20b**

“I will be with you. I will not forsake you.”

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