

Genesis 48-50

Chapter 48

V1-11

1. V5-6

* Manasseh/Ephraim – Mine; Others - Yours

* **12 Tribes of Israel Chart – Joseph, Manasseh & Ephraim**

2. V11

Psalm 68:19-20 Blessed be the Lord, Who daily loads us with benefits, The God of our salvation! Selah

Our God is the God of salvation; And to God the Lord belong escapes from death.

Ephesians 1:3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places in Christ,

Ephesians 3:20-21 Now to Him who is able to do exceedingly abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that works in us, to Him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus to all generations, forever and ever. Amen.
sacrifice

V12-22

1. V14 & 19 – Jacob blessed younger over older – knowingly

2. V16 – An understanding of Redemption in OT – Here

Job 19:25 For I know that my Redeemer lives, And He shall stand at last on the earth;

Isaiah 47:4 As for our Redeemer, the Lord of hosts is His name, The Holy One of Israel.

Revelation 5:9 And they sang a new song, saying: “You are worthy to take the scroll, And to open its seals; For You were slain, And have redeemed us to God by Your blood Out of every tribe and tongue and people and nation,

3. V21 - Repeat V30 – From the Promise of God @ Beersheba in 46:4

4. Double Portion of inheritance Over brothers – Mannaseh/Ephraim

Chapter 49

V1-28

V3 – Reuben – Father’s bed – Occurred in Gen 35:22

Reuben, the first-born of Leah, had enjoyed pre-eminence among his brothers. But he forfeited his natural rights. His place as the favored first-born was given to Joseph. His privileges as priest were to pass to the sons of Levi. His right to be the head of the tribes of Israel, i.e., his kingly right, would go to Judah. Thus Reuben, endowed with dignity, first-born rights, and natural excellencies, would forfeit every place of power and influence because of the instability of his character. His unspeakable sin with Bilhah gave evidence of moral weakness that spelled ruin. Wycliffe Commentary V5 – Siemon/Levi – Killing of Shechemites Men/Dinah Gen 34

V10-11 Judah – Messianic Prophecies

V28 – 12 Tribes – With Joseph & Levi (W/out - Manasseh/Ephraim)

V29-33

* PC Bible Atlas – Abraham’s Journey

Chapter 50

V1-21

* Comforted them and spoke kindly to them - **1 Corin 13:4-8** Love suffers long and is kind; love does not envy; love does not parade itself, is not puffed up; does not behave rudely, does not seek its own, is not provoked, thinks no evil; does not rejoice in iniquity, but rejoices in the truth; bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never fails. But whether there are prophecies, they will fail; whether there are tongues, they will cease; whether there is knowledge, it will vanish away.

* Loves - 15 Evidences

* Joseph Demonstrated – 11 of them!

* Our lives? In situations like this?

V22-26

V24-25 – God’s Promise to Jacob/Israel passed on to Joseph

* Became a prophesy:

Hebrews 11:22 By faith Joseph, when he was dying, made mention of the departure of the children of Israel, and gave instructions concerning his bones.

* True “Word of Faith” – Living the Promises of God!!!

Heb 11:1-2 Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. For by it the elders obtained a good testimony.