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Prophetic Revelation

## THE TWO ETERNAL CITIES TO COME

My beloved brethren, as we all know, the apostle Yokhanan [John] recorded for posterity in the book of Revelation that the eternal dwelling place of Abba YAH and Messiah Yahushua is the Holy City, New Jerusalem. Yet according to the prophecy, there will not be a *temple* in the New City. As it is written, "But I saw no temple in it, for the LORD GOD Almighty and the Lamb are its temple." (Rev. 21:22).

Now the prophet Yechezqel [Ezekiel] also received a revelation about a New City. But the city Ezekiel foresaw includes a new Temple. And as the prophet wrote, "And He (YAHUWAH) said to me, 'Son of man, this is the place of My throne and the place of the soles of My feet, where I will dwell in the midst of the children of Yisrael forever.'" (Ezek 43:7).

This prophecy from Ezekiel reveals that Abba YAH Himself will dwell in this new Temple, located in a New City. So how is it then, my brethren? Are there actually *two* Eternal Cities prophesied to come?

To begin with, throughout Ezekiel's prophecy, the city he recorded is never referred to as New Jerusalem! However, the name of the New City is included in the prophecy – but again, it is not New Jerusalem... As the prophet wrote, "...the name of the city from that day shall be: 'YAHUWAH is there.'" (Ezek. 48:35). So then, the name of the New City to be built in the "Middle East" will be *Yahushámah*, and not Yerushalaim. SÉLAH.

The Ezekiel prophecy specifies that this New Eternal City – which includes a Temple – will be built somewhere in the land originally allotted to the twelve tribes of Yisrael. And according to the blueprint the prophet received, the New City in eretz Yisrael will be 122.5 miles long on each side, creating a four hundred ninety-mile perimeter.

Now the state of Israel as it currently exists is about ninety miles wide at its broadest point. So obviously, the 'Temple Mount,' and even the entire "Old City," even if the ancient City of Dawïd to the south were included, is not nearly large enough to contain the New City revealed to Ezekiel.

Surely, the state of Israel as we know it today cannot be the land Ezekiel envisioned. And surely, the New City recorded by John in the book of Revelation cannot be the same New City described by Ezekiel! And notice, brethren, that the City John saw was not specifically assigned to the original Promised Land!

Also notice that historically speaking, in the 'New World,' the United States of America is "the land of the New." For example, cities and states whose names include the word 'New' are a recurring theme across America – as in New England, New York, New Orleans, New Jersey, and so on; with most names being taken from a city or state in the 'Old World' of the Eastern Hemisphere. And needless to say, the U.S. is far and away the preeminent power in the New World.

Now according to the Hebrew tongue as currently spoken in the state of Israel, and in keeping with the historical purpose of America, the Israeli School System teaches its students that Arzareth-America is "The Land of the New Promise," or "The Land of the New Covenant." SÉLAH.

Finally, brethren, will the New Jerusalem seen by Yokhanan-John in the Revelation exist in a different time period than the new Holy City recorded in Ezekiel? Popularized eschatology says an unequivocal yes. But, could it be that there will be *two* eternal cities – with one in eretz Yisrael, and one in the 'New Promised Land' of America?

Undoubtedly, the "\$64,000,000 question" among Hebrew Yisraelites for 2021 and beyond, will be: Will America be the location of New Jerusalem?

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