**Romans #44 Notes**

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**The Tribe of Asher**

Background: The Anglo-Saxon invaders of Britain consisted of many Scandinavian and Northern Tribes groups among whom the Vandals were important. The Vandals came from just north of the Black Sea by the Don River. The Vandals in the first century A.D. had been known as Lygian (Lugians) or Luigi. They were located near the Upper Vistula River. In this area the Vandals absorbed a Celtic group. Burgundians, Veneti, and Lugians all associated with the Vandals were once in the area of the Upper Vistula River. In western France we see an important and powerful group of people known by the same name “Veneti.” These people eventually move to Scotland, Wales, and Ireland.

Gn. 46.17

1. A portion of the Veneti either went directly from Gaul to Donegal in Northwest \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or as Veniti-Venicones moved there from Wales. They became the Venicnii of Donegal. There seems to be a connections between theVenicnni of Donegal and the name of Irish groups know as Fenni meaning “band or union.” The name of a grandson of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is Heber. The name Heber in Hebrew means “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” or union. The ancestor the Connachta and other Gaelic people of Ireland was named Hiber which in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is an acceptable alternative for Heber.
2. The Lygian-Vandal tribes by the Vistula River in Eastern Europe were the Boreoi, the Omani, and the Heissi. These names are similar to those of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of Asher: Beriah, Jimnah, Ishuah, and Isui.
3. Several factors serve to equate the Israelite Tribe of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as well as with other people groups. In addition to sons, Asher also had a daughter Serah. The sons of Beriah were Heber and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (GN. 46.17)
4. The sons of Asher seem to be the tribes of the Lygian Vandals. Jimnah became the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Isui became the Heissi, and Beriah the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
5. The Vandals more than likely were the Vanes who had dwelt beside the Don River in Southern \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and then moved to Scandinavia.
6. The Vanes had first warred with and them joined with the Aseir people group. The Aseir like the Vanes were to become ancestors to part of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. “AS” in Phoenician Hebrew was a shortened form for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Phoenician Hebrew was the dialect employed by the Northern Ten Tribes of Israel prior to their exile by the Assyrians.
7. The Aseir are also considered by most scholars to be equated with the Ansis who later become the ruling elite among the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The Goths and Vandals spoke the same \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and are considered different branches of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ people.
8. The Vandals had first appeared south of the Burgundians who were south of where the goths had been on the Baltic coast, east of the Vistula River. The Vandals were led by two leaders named Ambri and Assi. The name Ambri can be seen in the names of the Ambrum, Imbri, and Yimbre people groups of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. They were descendants of Jimna (Yimna) son of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
9. The name of Assi is the same as that of the people of “Assi”. They were recorded as having once conquered the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in East Scythia. After that they moved to the Don River region prior to migrating \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. They were also known as the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (AS). They migrated to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The names As and Aseir are Northern Kingdom of Israel Hebrew versions of the name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
10. The Vandals were a federation that included the Vandili, Varnini, Goths, and Burgundians. The Burgundians settled in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. They were also known to be on the Swedish Isle of Bornholm. The French-speaking people among the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ are linked to the Burgundians. The Burgundians descended from Beriah son of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, whose name may be pronounced as Beria(g)h or Veriag. Similar names to Beriag were “Barragos”, “Varegu”, and “Variag”. These names names were applied to the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ who went into Russia. A related people were the Varachan \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ who were among the Khazars in Russia. Another related group was the Varins of “Warings” who came with the Angle and Saxons to where they conquered the Celtic Brigantes.
11. The Brigantes were also descended from Beriah son of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. They were located in northern England, in Gaul (France), in east Switzerland, and in southeast \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
12. Descendants of the Tribe of Asher are found in different regions and are identifiable with various people groups. These included the Vandals who were known as the Lygii. Their main divisions were the Boreoi, Omani, and the Heissi. These groups were descendants of Asher’s sons: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Jimnah, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and Isui. These were once part of a Celtic culture. Others from Asher such as the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ had also been subject to Celtic influence.
13. A group of Vandals who assisted the Anglo-Saxons in invading Britain in the 450’s A.D. The ecclesiastical historian Bede [Ecclesiastical History Book IV, chapter ix] mentions the Rugini people among the Anglo-Saxon forces. The Rugini were a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ group. The Island of Rugen in the Baltic Sea is named after them. The names Rugini, Roga, and Rugen in connection with the Vandals comes from Rohgah, son of Shomer, son of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, son of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, son of Asher. See 1 Chron. 7.30-34
14. Beriah, from whom the Brigantes and Burgundians descend, had two sons, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Cheber) and Malchiel (see NU. 26.45)
15. Heber of Asher gave rise to the Lygae and nearby Lugi, the people groups which formed the basis in Europe upon which the Vandal Federation built itself. The names Lygae and Lugi are derived from a root implying “union” or “alliance”. This root gives us our modern English word \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Heber in Hebrew has the meaning of “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”.
16. Descendants of the tribe of Asher are found primarily in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
17. In the land of Israel the tribe of Asher’s land allotment encompassed the famous Phoenicians city of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Josh. 19.28). Part of the tribe of Asher participated in Phoenician “Sidonian” culture and mercantile activities. This may explain a Phoenician inscription was found in the early 20th century that read “Sidon and Yishuren.” The term “Yishuren” (Jeshurun) is another name of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. See Dt. 33.26
18. Asher and Gad were both sons of Jacob by Zilpah, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_’s hand-maiden. They were the only sons Zilpah had. Tribal family relationships were repeated historically as seen in the case of Scotland. The tribe of Asher was predominant in the north of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, in Scotland, and in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Asher was found among the Brigantes, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Warrings, and Lyges. Gad was also found in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and was represented by the Gaedhals of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and Gadeni of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. A language connections seems to have existed between the Gaelic of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and the Moeso-Gothic of the Goths in the Balkans. Moeso-Gothic was spoken by the Vandals.
19. The Scots state, by tradition, that they descended from the Scyths; and the Goths were regarded as a Scythian people. The historian Herodotus said that among the Scythians the raising of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was prohibited. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ had a similar prohibition that had existed from pre-Christian times.
20. The Vandals of Asher were to become an important group among the “Angle” forces in northern \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
21. In Ptolemy’s Geography from the second century A.D., Britain is referred to as Albion. Albion is a Semitic word from the same root as the name Lebanon and has the same meaning. Lebanon was geographically a part of the promised land and was dominated by the Tribe of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ even though the tribe of Dan also possessed a foothold on the coast. (refer to your maps on the tribal allotments) In Celtic times the largest single ethnic group in Britain were the Brigantes who were in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The Brigantes were descended from Beriah, son of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Other groups in the north such as the Lygi also belonged to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
22. The physical and climatic state of North \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, especially Scotland, is similar to that of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_-mountainous, rocky, cold, and wet.
23. Albania in the Caucasus Mountain region also became a Scythian area and was adjacent to place of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ re-settlement. Albania more than likely was named after the Land of Lebanon in the Kingdom of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The land territory of the Tribe of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ stretched throughout \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and Syria.
24. The Brigantes were descended from Beriah of Asher. They were located in southeast \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and in northern England.
25. The Vandals in Europe may be associated with the Veneti on the shores of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Sea. A contingent of Veneti in the West of Brittany eventually moved to northwest \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Thus, Asher was to be found in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as well as in northern England and Lower Scotland. Ireland is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ domain of the tribe of Asher. Parts of the Tribe of Asher were known to be in Scandinavia and Northern Europe. A few Israelites who remained in Northern Germany and Poland throughout the early migrations and later migrated to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ were descended from the Tribe of Asher. However, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is where Asher achieved tribal predominance.
26. The symbol for the tribe of Asher was an olive tree and the Stone for the Tribe of Asher in the Breastplate of the High Priest was an onyx which often has a yellowish color similar to olive oil. Green was not always the national color of Ireland. Once it was saffron \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ which is a type of light orange. The color green in modern Hebrew is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. But, years ago it was also the word for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. See DT. 33.24 Petroleum has been found in the North Sea area between \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. This more than likely is not just a coincidental discovery.
27. The name “Asher” in Hebrew is derived from a root {ashreca-meaning happy}. Thus the name Asher connotes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The Irish are known for a natural happy disposition. The Irish are often smiling. Many are familiar with a famous song by Chauncy Olcott and George Graff, Jr. with music by Ernest Ball from 1912. That song was often sung in my grandparents home: “When Irish Eyes are smiling, sure tis like a morn in spring, In the lilt of Irish laughter you can hear the angels sing, When Irish hearts are happy all the world seems bright and gay, And when Irish eyes are smiling, sure, they steal your heart away.”
28. The tribe of Asher produced exceptionally fine \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ famous for their military prowess. See DT. 33.29 The most valued military decoration in the British armed forces is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ soldiers in British service have received many more awards of the Victoria Cross, proportionally, than any other military group in service in the United Kingdom.
29. The destinations of the Israelites from their exile migrations seem to parallel their encampments in the wilderness and their positions in their land allotments in Israel. When considering this, the Tribe of Asher would need to be found in either \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Scotland, or Scandinavia. Elements of Asher are found in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ these places; however, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is where Asher is predominant.
30. The Peoples of Asher: 1) Aseir (ancestors of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and came from Scythia) 2) Asii (Scythia) 3) Ansis (a leading family of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Khazars, and Parthians) 4) Aorsi (Scythia) 5) Asianoi (Scythia, east of the Caspian Sea)
31. Clans of Asher: 1) Jimnah = Omanoi (Vandal group in Lowland \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and England). 2) Jesui = Heissi (Vandal group in Lowland Scotland and England). 3) Beriah (Beria-g-h) = Brigantes (Celtic-Britain, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Gaul, Switzerland); Brigands (a branch of Brigantes); Brygges (Brigantes of Britain and ancient \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_); Boreoi (Vandal group); Barrages Variag, Varangians, (Vikings in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_); Varachan (Khazar group of Russian); Warings (Scandinavian group in Anglo-Saxon \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_). 4) Heber (Chever)=Caber (\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_), Chabones (Franks), Ligi and Lygi (Celtic groups absorbed by Vandals. 5) Malchiel =Royal Scythes, Badiloi (Khazars), Basilia (\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_), Sakaraukae (in east Scythia); 6) Amal ( {1 Chron. 7.35}, son of Helem, of the Tribe of Asher=ruling family of the Ostrogoths.
32. After study, we have come to the conclusion that the Irish are Asher, mixed to some degree with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
33. Two famous U.S. Presidents of Irish descent: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was the grandson of Irish Catholic immirgrants from County Tipperary, in southeast Ireland. A famous son begins with, “It’s along way from Tipperary.” Prior to Tipperary, Ronald Reagan’s ancestors may well have been in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was another prominent American President of Irish descent. He displayed the warrior spirit of which the Irish are known following the torpedo attack on PT-109. He swam a long distance pulling a wounded crew member in his teeth, thus saving his life.
34. While the tribe of Asher was dominant in Ireland, Asher also had offshoots in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,Scotland, Wales, Scandinavia, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_