“PARTHIA—The Forgotten Ancient Superpower”

Third book in 4-book series

re: the history of the ten tribes of Israel

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Isaiah 14:2

“Then people will take them and bring them to their place, and the house of Israel will possess them for servants and maids in the land of the Eternal; they will take them captive whose captives they were, and rule over their oppressors.”
The Greeks and Romans wrote much about Parthia...

Modern history barely mentions Parthia!
Hosea 1:10

“Yet the number of the children of Israel shall be as the sand of the sea, which cannot be measured or numbered. And it shall come to pass in the place where it was said to them ‘you are not My people’ there it shall be said to them ‘You are sons of the living God’.”
“250 BC—227 AD”
Genesis 21:12

“But God said to Abraham, ‘Do not let it be displeasing in your sight because of the lad or because of your bondwoman. Whatever Sarah has said to you, listen to her voice; for in Isaac your seed shall be called’.”
Jeremiah 51:5

“For Israel is not forsaken, nor Judah, by his God the Lord of hosts, Though their land was filled with sin against the Holy One of Israel.”
Names of Parthian cities included:

Asaak
Samariane
Gaza
Three tribes began the Parthian Empire:

Secular Names:
Bactrians, Eranians and Dahanites.

Biblical Names:
Bactrites, Eranites, and Tahanites
[Numbers 26:35]
"For thus says the Lord: ‘David shall never lack a man to sit on the throne of the house of Israel’;"
Royal Line of King David

Israel/Judah:       Judah > Phares > David

Iberia/Scythia:     King Pharesmenes

Parthia/Saka:      King Gondophares
       (India)

Parthia/Sacae:    Kings Phraates, Phraortes, Phraataces

Christ’s Linage:  Phares > David > Jesus Christ
Parthian kings were elected!

By Parthia’s bicameral Royal
House and Senate

The Senate composed of:
Magi and Wise Men

The Royal House composed of
all males of royal seed
Josephus, Antiquities, XI, V, 2:

“...there are but two tribes in Asia and Europe subject to the Romans, while the ten tribes are beyond Euphrates till now, and are an immense multitude, and not to be estimated by numbers.”
PARTHIA dominated by Ephraim’s clans (Bactrites, Eranites, Tahanites)

SCYTHIA (Sacae) dominated by Manasseh (Massa-getae)

[Scythians discussed in book, *Israel’s Lost Empires*]

Parthia and Scythians were related tribesmen; Allies vs. Greeks and Romans.
Israel’s conquering king: David

Greece’s conquering king: Alexander the Great

Rome’s conquering king: Julius Caesar

Parthia’s conquering king: Mithradates the Great
Rome invades Parthia under Crassus with 40,000 soldiers

Roman Empire completely defeated by Parthia.
Rome invades Parthia under Mark Antony with 110,000 soldiers

Roman Empire completely defeated by Parthia.
Caesar Augustus issues decree forbidding new wars with Parthia during the time of King Herod, Jesus Christ and Pontius Pilate.

- Many of the events in the life of Jesus Christ (Yashua) were possible only because of peaceful relations between Rome and Parthia.
Rulers of Parthia from the Arsacids Family  
(includes name of Isaac)

At Christ’s birth, few male Arsacids were alive

Magi/Wise Men searched for any male Arsacids to ensure survival of dynasty
Wise Men/Magi come to Judea seeking one “born a king of the Jews” (Also show text of Matthew 2:1-2)

Parthian Wise Men (Senators) came to Judea to search for Parthian male Arsacids

Parthians knew their dynasty originated among the Jews of Judea!
• Joseph and Mary were both descendants of Judah’s royal dynasty of King David
  [Matthew 1 and Luke 3]
  
  • The child, Jesus (Yashua), was a descendant of David’s dynasty
  
  • Joseph and Jesus (Yashua) were BOTH eligible to serve as Parthia’s Emperor!
Parthian Senators were thrilled to find male descendants of Judah’s dynasty.

Magi/Wise Men (who selected Parthia’s kings) gave royal gifts to Jesus (Yashua).
Jesus (Yashua) was called “Son of David” by crowds.

[His royal birth well-known]
Apostles expected a conquering Messiah,

not a suffering Messiah
Acts 1.6:

“Lord, will you at this time restore again the kingdom to Israel?”
Rev. 19:16: Jesus (Yashua) called “King of Kings”

I Timothy 6:15: Jesus (Yashua) called “King of Kings”

Traditional title of Parthian Emperors was “King of Kings”

John & Timothy both knew Jesus (Yashua) would inherit David’s throne when he returned; giving Jesus (Yashua) the title of Parthia’s Royal Dynasty.
Matthew 1:3

Judah begot Perez and Zerah by Tamar, Perez begot Hezron and Hezron begot Ram.
Parthian generals escorted by 1,000 Parthian knights

Bible doesn’t say how many Parthian Wise Men (Senators) came to Jerusalem

10 Parthian Senators for the 10 tribes of Israel?

Wise Men’s escorts could total 10,000 knights

Parthian army is why Herod and Jerusalem were afraid
John 21:25

“And there are also many other things that Yeshua did, which if they were written one by one, I suppose that even the world itself could not contain the books that would be written. Amen.”
I Thessalonians 5:19

“Do not quench the spirit.”
“And Yeshua increased in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and men.”
Luke 22:30

“that you may eat and drink at My table in My kingdom, and sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel.”
Acts 2:9

“Parthians and Medes and Elamites, those dwelling in Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia.”
Acts 2:14 and 2:22

14: “But Peter, standing up with the eleven, raised his voice and said to them, ‘men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and heed my works.”

22: “Men of Israel, hear these words: Jeshua of Nazareth, a Man attested by God to you by miracles, wonders, and signs which God did through Him in your midst, as you yourselves also know.”
The Hebrew word for covenant ("B-R-TH") was placed on people, places and coins. This word is a strong identifier for locating where the 10 tribes migrated.

**HEBREW WORD FOR “COVENANT”**

- **Without Vowels:** B-R-T, B-R-TH
- **With Vowels:** BERITH, BARAT, BRYTH, BRIT, B’RITH, etc.

**TRIBAL AND PLACE NAMES ASSOCIATED WITH MIGRATING ISRAELITES:**

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• Parthians invented electric batteries

• Parthians sailed 7-masted ships to Indian and Pacific Oceans

• Parthians greeted Chinese Ambassador with 20,000 armed knights
• Final Parthian-Roman War circa 217 AD

• Battle of Nisibis (near border of Turkey and Syria)

• Armies of three continents fought—an ancient World War!

• Massive battle of Nisibis ignored by history texts.
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