Bible Verses about 'Lost' Ten Tribes of Israel

AN ETERNAL COVENANT FORMED

Genesis 32:28

And He said, "Your name shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel; for you have struggled with God and with men, and have prevailed."

A "Man" appeared to Jacob as he fled from his brother for cheating his brother. Jacob means "Supplanter" or "Cheater, "Lier." God wanted to change Jacob. Be assured that the "Man" was fully capable to defeating Jacob. But God put Jacob's hip out of joint permanently. Anyone who has had a displaced hip or shoulder knows how much that hurts. Jacob had just said, "I will not let you go until you bless me." God did bless Jacob and changed his name to, Israel, "He who has wrestled with God and has prevailed." But he always had a limp because he was a man who could not trust his natural strength so he had to trust the strength of God instead.

IT IS ALL ABOUT COMING BACK:

Genesis 48:16

The Angel who has redeemed me from all evil,

Bless the lads;

Let my name be named upon them,

And the name of my fathers Abraham and Isaac;

And let them grow into a multitude in the midst of the earth."

Amos 9:9

" For surely I will command,

And will sift the house of Israel among all nations,

As grain is sifted in a sieve;

Yet not the smallest grain shall fall to the ground.

Isaiah 11:12

He will set up a banner for the nations, And will assemble the outcasts of <u>Israel</u>, And gather together the dispersed of <u>Judah</u> From the four corners of the earth.

Notice here that Judah (Southern Kingdom Judah - Two Tribes) and Israel (Northern Kingdom Israel - Ten Tribes) are clearly distinguished.

Jeremiah 31:7-8

For thus says the LORD:

"Sing with gladness for Jacob,

And shout among the chief of the nations;

Proclaim, give praise, and say,

'O LORD, save Your people,

The remnant of Israel!'

Behold, I will bring them from the north country,

And gather them from the ends of the earth,

Among them the blind and the lame, The woman with child And the one who labors with child, together; A great throng shall return there.

Genesis 49:10

The scepter shall not depart from Judah, Nor a lawgiver from between his feet, Until Shiloh comes; And to Him shall be the obedience of the people.

Shiloh is the "Peaceful One," Jesus The Messiah. Jesus is from the tribe of Judah. A Scepter indicates Royal Authority.

Jeremiah 3:18

"In those days the house of <u>Judah shall walk with</u> the house of <u>Israel</u>, and they shall come together out of the land of the north to the land that I have given as an inheritance to your fathers.

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Jeremiah 30:3

For behold, the days are coming,' says the LORD, 'that I will bring back from captivity My people <u>Israel and Judah,</u>' says the LORD. 'And I will cause them to return to the land that I gave to their fathers, and they shall possess it.

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Jeremiah 31:10

'Hear the word of the LORD, O nations,

And declare it in the isles afar off, and say,

'He who scattered Israel will gather him,

And keep him as a shepherd does his flock.'

• Hosea 1:11

Then the children of Judah and the children of Israel

Shall be gathered together,

And appoint for themselves one head;

And they shall come up out of the land,

For great will be the day of Jezreel!

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Hosea 11:10

"They shall walk after the LORD.

He will roar like a lion.

When He roars,

Then His sons shall come trembling from the west.

1 Thessalonians 4:16

For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: