## Appendix IV Yavan & The Isles יא

### Yavan Verses Concerning the Eras of King Solomon (965-931 B.C.) and King Jehoshaphat of Judah (918-891 B.C.)

For the king [Solomon] had at sea a **navy of Tharshish** with the navy of Hiram [King of Tyre]: once in three years came the **navy of Tharshish**, bringing gold, and silver, ivory, and apes, and peacocks. (1Kings 10:22)

**The kings of Tarshish and of the isles** shall bring presents: the kings of Sheba and Seba shall offer gifts. (Psalms 72:10)

Jehoshaphat made **ships of Tharshish** to go to Ophir for gold: but they went not; for the ships were broken at Eziongeber. (Kings 22:48)

## Yavan Verses Concerning the Era of King Nebuchadnezzar and the Fall of Tyre (575 B.C.)

The burden of Tyre. Howl, ye **ships of Tarshish**; for it is laid waste, so that there is no house, no entering in: from the land of **Chittim** it is revealed to them. (Isaiah 23:1)

Pass ye over to Tarshish; howl, ye inhabitants of the isle. (Isaiah 23:6)

Howl, ye ships of Tarshish: for your strength is laid waste. (Isaiah 23:14)

Javan, Tubal, and Meshech, they were thy merchants: they traded the persons of men and vessels of brass in thy market. (Ezekiel 27:13)

Dan also and **Javan going to and fro occupied in thy fairs**: bright iron, cassia, and calamus, were in thy market. (Ezekiel 27:19)

Fine linen with broidered work from Egypt was that which thou spreadest forth to be thy sail; blue and purple from the **isles of Elishah** was that which covered thee. (Ezekiel 27:7)

**Tarshish was thy merchant** by reason of the multitude of all kind of riches; with silver, iron, tin, and lead, they traded in thy fairs. (Ezekiel 27:12)

The ships of Tarshish did sing of thee in thy market: and thou wast replenished, and made very glorious in the midst of the seas. (Ezekiel 27:25)

#### **Post Opening Day Yavan Verses**

And as I was considering, behold, **an he goat** [Yavan] **came from the west on** [over] **the face of the whole earth**, and touched not the ground. (Daniel 8:5)

Sheba, and Dedan, and **the merchants of Tarshish**, with all the young lions thereof, shall say unto thee, Art thou come to take a spoil? hast thou gathered thy company to take a prey? to carry away silver and gold, to take away cattle and goods, to take a great spoil? (Ezekiel 38:13)

Thou breakest the ships of Tarshish with an east wind. (Psalms 48:7)

For the day of the LORD of hosts shall be upon every one that is proud and lofty, and upon every one that is lifted up; and he shall be brought low.... And upon all **the ships of Tarshish**, and upon all pleasant pictures. (Isaiah 2:16)

For I bend Judah for Me, I fill the bow with Ephraim; and I will stir up thy sons, O Zion, against thy sons, O Javan, and will make thee as the sword of a mighty man. And the LORD shall be seen over them, and His arrow shall go forth as the lightning; and the Lord GOD will blow the horn, and will go with whirlwinds of the south. The LORD of hosts will defend them; and they shall devour, and shall tread down the sling-stones. (Zechariah 9.13-15 JPS)

# Post 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming Yavan Verses

Let the high praises of God be in their [Israel's] mouth, and a twoedged sword in their hand; to execute vengeance upon the heathen [Yavan and the other nations], and punishments upon the people; to bind their kings with chains, and their nobles with fetters of iron; to execute upon them the judgment written: **this honour have all his saints**. Praise ye the LORD. (Psalms 149.6-9)

Surely the isles shall wait for me, and the ships of Tarshish first, to bring thy sons from far, their silver and their gold with them, unto the name of the LORD thy God, and to the Holy One of Israel, because he hath glorified thee. (Isaiah 60:9)

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And I will set a sign among them, and I will send those that escape [survive the 2300 days] of them **unto the nations, to Tarshish**, Pul, and Lud, that draw the bow, to Tubal, and **Javan, to the isles afar off**, that have not heard my fame, neither have seen my glory; and they shall declare my glory among the Gentiles. (Isaiah 66:19)

#### The Isles אי

Gen 10:5 By these were the isles of the Gentiles divided in their lands; every one after his tongue, after their families, in their nations.

Est 10:1 And the king Ahasuerus [Xerxes (486-465 B.C.] laid a tribute upon the land, and *upon* the isles of the sea.

Psa 72:10 The kings of Tarshish and of the isles shall bring presents: the kings of Sheba and Seba shall offer gifts.

Isa 11:11 And it shall come to pass in that day, *that* the Lord shall set his hand again the second time to recover the remnant of his people, which shall be left, from Assyria, and from Egypt, and from Pathros, and from Cush, and from Elam, and from Shinar, and from Hamath, and from the islands of the sea.

Isa 24:15 Wherefore glorify ye the LORD in the fires, *even* the name of the LORD God of Israel in the isles of the sea.

Isa 40:15 Behold, the nations *are* as a drop of a bucket, and are counted as the small dust of the balance: behold, he taketh up the isles as a very little thing.

Isa 41:5 The isles saw *it*, and feared; the ends of the earth were afraid, drew near, and came.

Isa 42:10 Sing unto the LORD a new song, *and* his praise from the end of the earth, ye that go down to the sea, and all that is therein; the isles, and the inhabitants thereof.

Isa 49:1 Listen, O isles, unto me; and hearken, ye people, from far; The LORD hath called me from the womb; from the bowels of my mother hath he made mention of my name.

Isa 60:9 Surely the isles shall wait for me, and the ships of Tarshish first, to bring thy sons from far, their silver and their gold with them, unto the name of the LORD thy God, and to the Holy One of Israel, because he hath glorified thee.

Isa 66:19 And I will set a sign among them, and I will send those that escape of them unto the nations, *to* Tarshish, Pul, and Lud, that draw the bow, *to* Tubal, and Javan, *to* the isles afar off, that have not heard my fame, neither have seen my glory; and they shall declare my glory among the Gentiles.

Jer 2:10 For pass over the isles of Chittim, and see; and send unto Kedar, and consider diligently, and see if there be such a thing.

Jer 25:22 And all the kings of Tyrus, and all the kings of Zidon, and the kings of the isles which *are* beyond the sea,

Jer 31:10 Hear the word of the LORD, O ye nations, and declare *it* in the isles afar off, and say, He that scattered Israel will gather him, and keep him, as a shepherd *doth* his flock.

Eze 26:15 Thus saith the Lord GOD to Tyrus; Shall not the isles shake at the sound of thy fall, when the wounded cry, when the slaughter is made in the midst of thee?

Eze 26:18 Now shall the isles tremble in the day of thy fall; yea, the isles that *are* in the sea shall be troubled at thy departure.

Eze 27:3 And say unto Tyrus, O thou that art situate at the entry of the sea, *which art* a merchant of the people for many isles, Thus saith the Lord GOD; O Tyrus, thou hast said, I *am* of perfect beauty.

Eze 27:6 *Of* the oaks of Bashan have they made thine oars; the company of the Ashurites have made thy benches *of* ivory, *brought* out of the isles of Chittim.

Eze 27:7 Fine linen with broidered work from Egypt was that which thou spreadest forth to be thy sail; blue and purple from the isles of Elishah was that which covered thee.

Eze 27:15 The men of Dedan were thy merchants; many isles were the merchandise of thine hand:

Eze 27:35 All the inhabitants of the isles shall be astonished at thee, and their kings shall be sore afraid, they shall be troubled in *their* countenance.

Eze 39:6 And I will send a fire on Magog, and among them that dwell carelessly in the isles: and they shall know that I *am* the LORD.

Zep 2:11 The LORD *will be* terrible unto them: for he will famish all the gods of the earth; and *men* shall worship him, every one from his place, *even* all the isles of the heathen.