



MISSION SUNDAY The GOD of The Nations

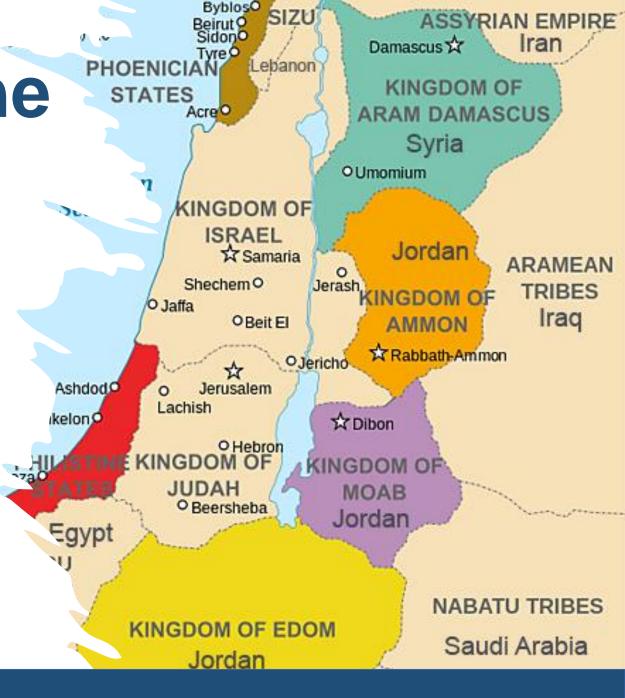
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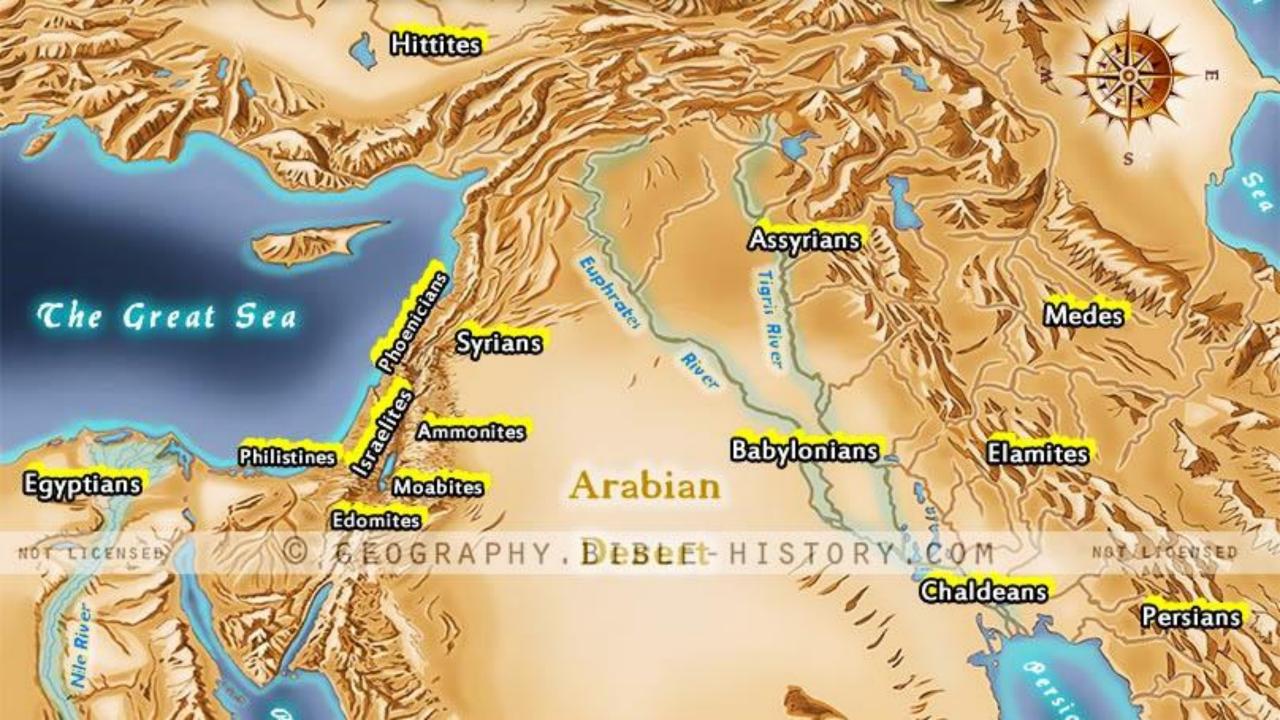
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1. The God of The Nations

They shall know that I am the **LORD**.

Ezekiel 25-39







Psalm 47:6-8

⁶ Sing praises to God, sing praises! Sing praises to our King, sing praises! ⁷ For God *is* the King of all the earth; Sing praises with understanding.

⁸ God reigns over the nations; God sits on His holy throne.



Psalm 117:1

¹ O praise the LORD, all ye **nations**:

Praise him, all ye people.



2. God's Heart For The Nations Genesis 1:1-3

¹ Now the LORD had said to Abram:

"Get out of your country, From your family And from your father's house, To a land that I will show you.

² I will make you a **great nation**; I will bless you And make your name great; And you shall be **a blessing**.



³ I will bless those who bless you, And I will curse him who curses you; And in you all the families of the earth

shall be **blessed**."



2. God's Heart For The Nations

What about the political landscape all around the world?

What should our response be?

What is the heart of God for the nations?

Jonah 1:1-2

- Now the word of the Lord came to Jonah the son of Amittai, saying,
- ² "Arise, go to Nineveh, that great city, and cry out against it; for their wickedness has come up before Me."



Jonah 4:11

¹¹ And should I not pity Nineveh, that great city, in which are more than one hundred and twenty thousand persons who cannot discern between their right hand and their left—and much





Isaiah 52:10

10 The LORD has made bare
His holy arm
In the eyes of all the
nations;
And all the ends of the earth
shall see
The salvation of our God.



Isaiah 66:18

¹⁸ "For I know their works and their thoughts. It shall be that I will gather all nations and tongues; and they shall come and see My glory.



Isaiah 2:2

Now it shall come to pass in the latter days That the mountain of the LORD's house Shall be established on the top of the mountains, And shall be exalted above the hills; And all nations shall flow to it.



3. God's Vision For His Church

- A Revelation of Christ the Head and His Body (worldwide/nations)
- A Body made up of Jews and Gentiles IN CHRIST (New Man)
- Let us ask God to enlarge our vision



To Abraham

³ I will bless those who bless you,
And I will curse him who curses you;
And in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed."

Genesis 12:3



Galatians 3:6-9

⁶ just as Abraham "believed God, and it was accounted to him for righteousness." ⁷ Therefore know that *only* those who are of faith are sons of Abraham.

And the Scripture, foreseeing that God would justify the **Gentiles** by faith, preached the **gospel** to **Abraham** beforehand, *saying*, "In you **all the nations** shall be **blessed**."

⁹ So then those who are of faith are blessed with believing Abraham.



The Revelation of The Vision of Christ

Isaiah 6:1-8

¹ In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lifted up, and the train of His robe filled the temple.

² Above it stood seraphim; each one had six wings: with two he covered his face, with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew.

³ And one cried to another and said:

"Holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; The whole earth is full of His glory!"



⁴ And the posts of the door were shaken by the voice of him who cried out, and the house was filled with smoke.

⁵ So I said:

"Woe is me, for I am undone!
Because I am a man of unclean lips,
And I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips;
For my eyes have seen the King,
The LORD of hosts."

⁶ Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a live coal *which* he had taken with the tongs from the altar.



⁷ And he touched my mouth *with it,* and said: "Behold, this has touched your lips; Your iniquity is taken away, And your sin purged."

⁸ Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying:

"Whom shall I send, And who will go for Us?"

Then I said, "Here am I! Send me."

