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“But this is a people *robbed and plundered*; they are all of them snared in holes, and they are hid in *prison houses*: they are for a prey and none delivereth; for a spoil, and none saith, restore.”

Isaiah 42:22

If the Nation of Islam, the Black, Hebrew, Israelite Jews or the Rastafarians incorporated the knowledge contained in this book they will surely become a global player at the forefront of the world movements of today.

Anonymous





**One of the Many Black Modonnas**

# Forward

Behold *The Book of Ephraim!* Behold this seminal and very significant shakeup of unchallenged biblical history!

Yahoshuah Israel in the Book of Ephraim asserts that the lost House of Israel holds the birthright to the blessings and leadership of the house of Israel through Joseph's second born twin (Ephraim) while he (Joseph) had previously lived in Egypt because his brothers sold him into slavery.

Israel will make it crystal clear to you who the true birthright tribe of Israel is, where the Lost House of Israel is today and why the name of Ephraim is intentionally omitted from the bible.

Twenty and twenty-first century technology has made it very difficult for modern secular and lay religious scholars to maintain old world practices of hiding of knowledge and information. Prior to the modern industrial age, being correct meant not only being part of a specific religious sect but being in the advantageous time and place.

Ecclesiastical correctness was not about what a priest or layperson could prove in the natural world, or logically present arguments concerning geography or even metaphysics. If it was outside the "church" it was heresy and works of the devil. In every age people have chosen to be seekers of truth, knowing they may pay a very high price or even losing their life for seeking arcane truths.

Fortunately today, we can take for granted advantageous freedoms in this early part of the twenty- first century because we are in a time and space that makes freedom of speech and thought less dangerous. However, lessons in history have taught us that freedoms change

with new geopolitics. This makes the Book of Ephraim a must read now!

Israel's Book of Ephraim is a most vital contemporary reconstruction of biblical history that will hopefully impress upon the "truth seeker" to rethink as they study past biblical commentaries.

Behold! Yahoshuah Israel's masterfully inspired work

Khalif Anderson Gordon Rasshan,

*Founder, Curator of the African American Museum Of  
Beginnings And Research Center*

# DEDICATION

## *TO THE LOST SHEEP OF THE HOUSE ISRAEL*

This work is dedicated to every man, woman and child who is a member of the black *nation* of the earth; but it is especially directed to the descendants of those sold into slavery and residing in the western hemisphere. Know for a certainty that you are the redeemers of a civilization mired in hypocrisy and begotry. A civilization founded on the infamous intentions of destroying the culture, history and memory of every original race on earth. Many of you will never accept it but no other nation in history best fits the description of Babylon depicted in the book of Revelations as does America today. A country that is wicked from the top of its government down to its roots. And today is wracked by disease after disease owing to its polluted waters, soil and air; Even the food that they give you is nothing but poison. Its doctrines are corrupted and the natural laws of nature are ignored and despised. America has gone so far over the edge of a proper life style that what was once known as natural and decent appears strange. Today people accept as normal that which once was considered intolerable and unhealthy for spiritual and human development. A country so violent it is beyond belief. Yet its population moves about as if in a trance unable to mount any sustained or serious resistance to the atrocities committed almost daily. Atrocities not only of your physical bodies but just as important there is a full blown assault on your mental and spritual being. This county, this civiliation is killing your very soul. Cancers of every type imaginable are exploding everywhere because this

nation is cursed, and it will only get worse. I remember when a person rarely died of cancer now it is rare if a person dies of anything else other than cancer. Cancer is the scourge of a cursed society which has vilolated every commandment of the Almighty and every divine law of nature. Do not fool yourself this is not the life that men and women wore intended to live. We have become so mateialistic that we have lost sight of the true meaning of spiritual growth.

Its time to stop building monuments to slavery and oppression. Its time to stop immortalizing your enemies by complaining and begging them to treat you better; pleading with them to stop killing your unarmed childern in the streets of north America. Your history goes beyond slavery, beyond Africa to the very foundations of humanity itself. Like a rare, unrecognized crystal buried in the bowels of the earth you have undergone the greatest pressure in the heart of the most ferocious fire anyone has ever endured. But today you are meant to stand in unquestioned glory like a magnificent brilliant diamond perfectly cut by a master cutter. The world knows who you are. They are wondering how much longer until you awaken, until you know. How much longer until you rise up and build a new world based on truth, justice, and equality. . Rise up O giant and shake off the mental chains that still dangle from you powerful structure. Lift up O beautiful woman who from ancient times has dazzled mens minds. Shake off the lethargy that has belied your true destiny and let the golden radiating light of a lifegiving spiritual sun break on a new day with you at its helm.

# REVELATIONS CHAPTER 7

## THE INEXPLICABLE BIBLICAL ERROR

### UNNOTICED UNTIL NOW

In Chapter 7 of the book of Revelations is portrayed one of the most important occurrences of the Bible. Four angels are described as standing at the four corners of the earth holding back the four winds of the earth that the winds should not blow on the earth, or the sea. A fifth angel ascending from the east cries out to the four angels who were granted the power to harm the earth and the seas and the trees and he screams:

“hurt not the earth the seas or the trees until we have sealed the servants of the Most high” . . . “and I heard the number that was sealed, one hundred and forty-four thousand of *all* of the tribes of the children of Israel”. Rev. 7:4

Immediately after this the bible reveals the following number of *all* the tribes that were sealed:

Revelation 7 New International Version (NIV)

## **144,000 Sealed**

“7 After this I saw four angels standing at the four corners of the earth, holding back the four winds of the earth to prevent any wind from blowing on the land or on the sea or

on any tree.<sup>2</sup> Then I saw another angel coming up from the east, having the seal of the living God. He called out in a loud voice to the four angels who had been given power to harm the land and the sea:<sup>3</sup> “Do not harm the land or the sea or the trees until we put a seal on the foreheads of the servants of our God.”<sup>4</sup> Then I heard the number of those who were sealed: 144,000 from all the tribes of Israel."

<sup>5</sup> From the tribe of Judah 12,000 were sealed,  
from the tribe of Reuben 12,000,  
from the tribe of Gad 12,000,  
<sup>6</sup> from the tribe of Asher 12,000,  
from the tribe of Naphtali 12,000,  
from the tribe of Manasseh 12,000,  
<sup>7</sup> from the tribe of Simeon 12,000,  
from the tribe of Levi 12,000,  
from the tribe of Issachar 12,000,  
<sup>8</sup> from the tribe of Zebulun 12,000,  
from the tribe of Joseph 12,000,  
from the tribe of Benjamin 12,000.

The above verses of Revelations clearly show that twelve thousand members of each of the twelve tribes of Israel were sealed. This totaled to the one hundred and forty-four thousand of all the tribes of Israel that was prophesized by the fifth angel in verse four. This is the 144,000 firstfruits that are famously spoken of in sermons and songs by virtually all bible worshippers the world over and through thousands of years of history. We know that this is a very important prophecy because it explains that the terrible times that are due to come upon the people of the earth at the end of this time period is to

be held off until the one hundred and forty-four thousand servants (children of tribes of Israel) are sealed and provided assurance of their survival. We know that it is expressly stated that these sealed or saved ones shall be from *all* the tribes of Israel. There's only one major problem. *All* the tribes of Israel are not listed. In fact technically two of the original tribes of Israel are not named at all! What I am revealing here, if true, is a very serious problem for the biblical world because it would violate the sanctity of the word or the Almighty. It would create such a huge problem that ultimately the world would have to choose between whether the Almighty had erroneously caused or permitted a major mistake to be written into the holy scriptures and passed down throughout the centuries or has someone (group) intentionally mistranslated the scriptures with the wicked intentions of supplanting and/or excluding the rightful birthright tribe of its heritage.





A biblical scene in an Ethiopian Orthodox Church. Ethiopia is the oldest Christian country on earth. Before Christianity Ethiopia was ruled by Israelite Kings and Queens. The Ark of the Covenant is believed to rest in a small church in the city of Axum, the ancient capital of the Queen of Sheba, Makeda IV.

## **THE TWO MISSING TRIBES OF REVELATIONS**

As you reach for your bible to investigate my assertions that something major and biblically significant is amiss in this book that influences literally billions of people the world over I will give you the names of the two tribes conspicuously left out of this very important prophecy. They are the tribe of Dan and the tribe of Ephraim. Both of which have always been included among the original tribes of Israel. (Please see the book of Numbers for the first numbering of the tribes of Israel.) Bible scholars will recognize that in Revelations chapter 7 when the tribe of Joseph is mentioned and twelve thousand are sealed it is actually accounting for the tribe of Ephraim. Ephraim was Joseph's youngest son who was born in Egypt after the brothers of Joseph had sold him into slavery. In some instances the tribe of Ephraim is referred to as the tribe of Joseph. We will come back to Ephraim in a moment. But for the most part we have solved the mystery of one of the missing tribes of Revelations and if it was only this one tribe in question it could be argued that nothing of consequence was afoot. But because there is another missing tribe which has been left out and there is no feasible or rational explanation to account for it, everything is about to be turned upside down and inside out. Which only magnifies the importance of this book (The Book of Ephraim) to the world and especially to the people who have been viciously and devilishly relegated to the bottom of the worlds economic ladder of this so-called civilized society.

The other missing tribe is Dan and is not so easily fixed. This is because there is just no logical answer or reasoning that the tribe of Dan should be left out of this all important prophecy. Dan has from

the very beginning been recognized as a legitimate tribe of the ancient nation of Israel. Any mentioning of the tribes of Israel will always include Dan as an important component of the Israelites led by Moses into the Holy Land.

So the question arises if the Bible's word is infallable because it is in fact the Almighty's divine word and by its very nature cannot be false, altered or questioned, how can the angel leave out the tribe of Dan? And in such a critical and important aspect as to the one hundred and forty-four thousand saved of all the tribes of Israel during the great and terrible days of the Lord as described in Revelations, how could such a grave mistake, error or (as I will show) a blatant act of forgery and rewritting occur? And if there were only twelve tribes of Israel and twelve tribes are accounted for but the tribe of Dan is missing does this mean that there could be actually thirteen original tribes? That's exactly what it means. We will go into this fact thoroughly later in the book but suffice it to say that you and billions of others throughout history have been taught inaccurate information and in some cases just flat out lies that have nothing to do with the truth of the bible and its principle characters.

## **WHY WAS THE TRIBE OF DAN LEFT OUT OF REVELATIONS?**

The answer to the question “why was the tribe of Dan omitted from the prophecy of Revelations in Chapter 7 is so important that only a few will fully comprehend its significance. Those who know the truth will try to conflate the issue by asserting that the prophecy is only significant in as much as the world experiences an apocalyptic upheaval as represented in the book of Revelations. But I will explain clearly that the mystery of chapter seven is linked to and part and parcel of a conspiracy that spans hundreds of years. It is linked to the lost history of an entire nation of people who have been enslaved and deprived of all knowledge of who they really are. They are in fact the original lost house of Israel and their history, as this book will describe, reflects precisely the prophetic occurrences of the ancient 10 tribe nation of the Kingdom of Israel that went missing over 3,000 years ago and have not been seen since.

In reality the tribe of Dan is left out as an unfortunate “collateral damage”. The omission of Dan is much like the terrible catastrophies that occur today when a bomb kills hundreds of innocents who just happened to be in the vicinity. Those who dropped the bomb knew full well that innocents would be killed but decided that the lost of lives were justified (they call it “collateral” damage). The true target in this case is the tribe of Ephraim. Those who wrote the tribe of Dan out of this prophecy were not really concerned with Dan. Their true intentions were to erase the tribe of Ephraim from the prophecy. They wanted to make sure no one in the future ever equated the name Ephraim with any prophecy of the last days or being a chosen tribe to be saved from the final destruction of a city referred as the daughter

of Babylon. A city (actually a country or world power) so evil and rich that as revelations prophesizes would make all the world drink from the cup of the wine of the wrath of her fornications.

The name Ephraim means “to be fruitful in affliction”. It is the name given to the second born twin of Joseph and Asenath. The first born twin was named Manasseh. The significance of their birth is that they were descendants of a slave. Their father Joseph was sold into slavery by his brothers and rose up to become powerful in the land of his servitude. A biblical story which mirrors the history of the Black man and woman in America who were in many cases sold into slavery by their African brothers yet have rose up to be hugely influential on a global basis. In known history there is nothing even close to their phenomenal impact.

This gigantic blunder totally unnoticed for centuries also reveals its perpetrator. In this particular instance I am reminded of a common saying of all wisdom schools that it requires a certain level of knowledge to be able to perceive knowledge. My favorite saying is of Carlos Castaneda “to be a man of knowledge requires power”. In this revelation it lists the tribes in order and it is naturally assumed that the order is by birth. The eldest to the youngest born sons of Jacob (whose name was changed to Israel) after which the tribes are named. So when we see that the tribe of Judah is listed first the unenlightened would assume Judah was the eldest son and consequently the son and tribe which inherited the most important gift of the birthright blessings passed down from generation to generation. According to biblical scripture the firstborn of Jacob was Rueben. Bible scholars will realize that according to scripture Rueben lost his birthright when he transgressed with his father’s concubine but this did not nullify his being Jacob’s firstborn. So in Chapter 7 of revelations we would expect to see the name Rueben listed first in recounting the number of those sealed of the tribes of Israel. Instead, we find the tribe of Judah who was actually the fourth born son of Jacob, named as if Judah was the firstborn. The question arises why or how would this occur? The simple answer to this

important question is that someone is seeking to displace the true birthright tribe with the tribe of Judah. The Book of Ephraim will make crystal clear who the true birthright tribe of Israel is and where the Lost House of Israel is today and why the name of Ephraim is intentionally omitted here and in other equally as important passages of the bible. But suffice it to say as is written elsewhere in revelations:

“Those who call themselves Jews and are not”

have hijacked the bible and are parading themselves off to the entire world as descendants of Ancient Israel. In so doing they dupe the world into accepting the most racist and genicidal acts committed against men, women and children as righteous. All the while claiming the land and territory of others as their divine heritage. They ingeniously manipulated the ruling world powers to stand aside silently while they brutally and muderously removed people from land who have more legitimate claim to the land then they could ever have; and they continue to perpetrate these evil and unjust acts today. At the same time those who have a legitimate claim to the land and heritage are clueless and actually side with the usurpers. The Book of Ephraim will shed undeniable light on these aspects of the bible and other gravely important subjects that are extremely important to the Black men and women in the western hemisphere and the world.

# **FREEMASONRY AND THE BIRTHRIGHT TRIBE OF EPHRAIM**

Freemasonry is the cornerstone on which American government was established. Every one of the founding fathers of this nation belonged to the secret craft of freemasonry, which transmitted ancient rites associated with the bible and the tribes of Israel. Today freemasonry is virtually unknown to the masses but up until a few decades ago virtually all of the political leaders, government officials, judges, attorneys and presidents were ordained masons. George Washington himself as well as Thomas Jefferson, James Madison and almost every President down to modern day were masons. The entire city capital of Washington D.C. was designed with the symbols and secrets of freemasonry in its very structures and plans.

Most people today have a superficial knowledge if any of this ancient craft that was once and still is a common component of the elite of society. Suffice it to say that freemasonry is much more than meets the eye of the casual observer who views it as a benign fraternity. There are endless chapters written about masonry and its other closely related secret organizations that were designed for one purpose alone and that is the continued dominance of the European nations of the world through the transmission and practice of the laws and ordinances of the House of Israel.

Duncan's Ritual is a book studied by all masons. It instructs the aspiring initiate on what to say and do when being initiated into the secret mysteries of the exalted order of freemasonry. For the purpose of this book we will concern ourselves with a certain passage that is the foundation of the lodge and clearly points to the ultimate aim and

intentions of the order, which, remarkable as it is, confirms the overall premise of this book. And that is the systematic longstanding process of destroying every possible avenue that the birthright tribe of Ephraim could ever learn of his true identity, history and destiny as the leading tribe of the House of Israel. Duncan's Ritual is unique in that most of the other Masonic books of instruction hide this fact or make it extremely difficult to bring it to the surface.

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OR

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The ritual begins by explaining placement of the lodge (which is symbolic to the Temple of Solomon) and positions and duties of the men stationed in the lodge. On page 10 we find the below text (*W.M. stands for Worshipful Master*):

*"... After all are thus seated, the Worshipful Master says: "Is the Tyler present? If so, let him approach the east." At this command, the Tyler, who is all this time near the outer door of the Lodge, approaches the Worshipful Master's seat in the east, with yoke and apron on.*

*W. M. --Brother Tyler, your place in the Lodge?*

*Tyler--Without the inner door. (outside the inner door)*

*W. M.--Your duty there?*



*Tyler--To keep off all cowans and eavesdroppers, and not to pass or repass any but such as are duly qualified and have the Worshipful Master's permission.*

*W. M.--You will receive the implement of your office (handing him the sword). Repair to (go to) your post, and be in the active discharge of your duty. (See Note A, Appendix.)*

This passage is explaining the duties of the Tyler. The Tyler is the guardian or gatekeeper of the lodge. He stands at the outer door and keeps anyone from passing through to the chambers beyond who is not allowed. He is equipped with a sword, which indicates that on pain of death he will carry out his duty. The worshipful master inquires of the Tyler, “what is your duty” and the Tyler responds:

*To keep off all **cowans** and **eavesdroppers**, and not to pass or repass any but such as are duly qualified and have the Worshipful Master's permission.*

Now it is very evident who or what are eavesdroppers but as for cowans it is not clear at all. But the footnote refers us to “Note A” of the appendix where we find the following:

**“. . . An *Ephraimite* was termed a cowan. In Egypt, cohen was the title of a priest or prince, and a term of honor.”**

The obvious question arises of why would the members of the tribe of Ephraim be denied entrance to King Solomon’s temple? And why on threat of death would the descendants of the true birthright tribe of the lost House of Israel be considered an enemy of the most secretive universal organization on earth?

How significant must the little known tribe of Ephraim be to be chronicled in the instructions of freemasonry and transmitted over the centuries to its aspirants? The modern masons of today are in the dark (blindfolded) to the true aspect of their order and rituals. But the learned master masons of freemasonry of the past and those elite of other secret societies were acutely aware of who and why Ephraimites were denied entrance to the secret teachings. They realized that they were appropriating the original teachings of Moses given to the Children of Israel. And they realized that the Tribe of

Ephraim was divinely commissioned with the birthright bestowed upon him by Jacob (Israel). Ephraim who was the son of Joseph; Joseph who was sold into slavery by his brethren who rose to be a Prince (ruler) in the land of his persecution.

These very secret inner circles of secret societies are very much aware of the fact that “god” is not the name of the Most High creator of the universe. In their ritual they honor the sacred name of Jehovah which, as has already been explained in this work is correctly given as “*Yahovah*” for the simple reason that there is no “J” sound in the ancient Hebrew language.

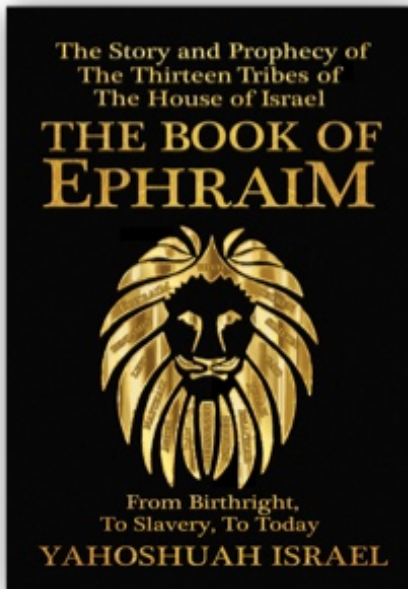
With everything occurring in the world today it is time to understand that what the western world has been propagating as truth is not truth at all but a mixture of false pagan beliefs designed to mislead the masses of the people into idolatry and materialism. This world is entirely addicted to materialism to the extent that it is almost impossible for anyone to find his or her way to a truly satisfying life. The earth is being destroyed by pollution in the air, the water, and in the soil. The government allows corporations to poison the people with so-called foods that bring nothing but death. Corporations that can never make enough money. The people of the world are treated as beast of servitude that are awarded a few crumbs from the tables of the super rich who control all the industries. Politicians have forgotten what it means to be “statesmen”. Statesmen believed in their vision for the people and a better society. They stood on that vision regardless of whether anyone accepted it or not and did not waiver from it for the sake of votes. Today politicians have no true vision for the people. They are bought off and controlled by corporations and the desire for wealth and power.

The knowledge that is transmitted secretly through freemasonry is the rightful heritage of the lost House of Israel headed by the Tribe of Ephraim. Their descendants are being divinely called to their heritage and their mission to reestablish truth and justice in the earth. They will create a new world that will be based on living a natural

wholesome and productive spiritual life. Wolves and deceivers will no longer rule over them, and they will no longer be slaughtered in the streets of their persecutors. The “*dry bones*” of Ezekiel will soon come together and stand up an exceedingly great army. Judah and Ephraim will no longer vex each other. The first fruits of revelations will be saved out of Babylon and be heard singing a new song. That song will have the ancient sacred name of *Yahovah* as its mantra . . . and that song will change everything.

**To all who read these words,  
And take them to heart.  
Peace & Blessings**





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