WORD OF THE WEEK

The Subject: Gog and Magog

Ezekiel 38:2-8, 16-21 — (God speaking to Ezekiel) - Set thy face against Gog the land of Magog the chief prince of Meshech and Tubal, and prophesy against them — Behold. I am against thee, O Gog — I will turn thee and put hooks into thy jaws — I will bring thee and all thine army — Persia, Ethiopia, and <u>Libya</u> with them — <u>Gomer</u> and all his bands; and the house of <u>Togarmah</u> of the north quarters — in the latter years thou shalt come into the land that is brought back from the sword (Israel brought back to their homeland after 2600 years of captivity), - against the mountain of Israel (these ancient nations shall attack Israel as one army) - thou shalt ascend (Jerusalem's elevation is higher than these lands) and come like a storm. thou shalt be like a cloud to cover the land - thou shalt come up against my people Israel - it shall be in the latter days, - when Gog shall come against the land of Israel, my fury shall come up in my face (God will be red in the face with anger) - in the fire of my wrath have I spoken - there shall be a great shaking in the land of Israel -- I will call for a sword against him (Gog) – I will plead (judge and sentence) against him (Gog) with pestilence and blood – I will rain upon him an overflowing rain, and great hailstones, fire and brimstone.

Satan is the chief prince of ungodly men. Gog, the leader of this coalition will be Satan-possessed when he calls these nations to rise up and attack Israel at the end. The barbaric Assyrian kings would cut off the big toes and thumbs of enemy kings and run hooks in their mouths and through their jaws. Thereon, they would tie them under their tables and in cages, feeding them periodically, rendering them helpless. God will subdue his enemies in like fashion, in his wrath and fury.

The enemies and nations:

Gog - from Agag, the ancient title of wicked kings; the title that the ancient Assyrians gave to the Caucasus Mountains between the Black Sea and the Caspian (Euxine) Sea (Russia). The kings of these ancient Scythian/Assyrians

(Russians) were called Gog.

Magog - region of Gog; the 2nd son of Japheth (Gen. 10:2); from the coptic ma place or the sanscrit maha - land; the 2nd syllable koka (gogh) - the moon; thus the land of the moon worshipers whose king was Gog. Jerome (the historian) says that the enemies of religion lived in these north quarters (Russia) beyond the Caucasus Mountains.

Meshech - the 6th son of Japheth occupied Cappadocia (Turkey) and placed themselves under the rule of Gog and Magog. They were known as Muskoves giving their name to Russia and its ancient capital (Moscow).

Tubal - Ancient Georgia in Russia and part of Turkey; Tobolsk

Persia - Iran, Iraq, Afghanistan

Gomer - Russia, north of the Black Sea Togarmah - Syria (includes Philistines/Gaza)

Ethiopia - the descendants of Cush the father of Nimrod the founder of Babylon and all her wickedness

<u>Libya</u> - a name used by the Greeks to denote the whole of Africa
The last great attack against Israel in Ezekiel 38 reads as though it was written by Tom Brokaw and Dan Rather (a preview of the evening news at a future date). God will call these Arab nations, who of ancient times worshipped the Lord Moon (in a tree form), against Israel. God will be sanctified (set apart for worship) in the destruction of this chief (Rosh) prince (Gog) and all his armies in their attack on Israel, who has been iberated from captivity and oppression (the Sword - Luke 21:24). Repent, God's fury is soon coming.

GRACE AND TRUTH MINISTRIES

P.O. Box 1109 Hendersonville, TN 37077 Jim Brown - Bible Teacher • 824-8502

Radio Broadcast - Sat. Mom. 8am 1300 AM Dial WNQM TV - Mon. & Sat 10pm, Wed. & Fri. 12am Channel 176; Tues, & Thurs, 5pm Channel 3: Thurs, 11am Channel 49

Join us for fellowship at 394 West Main Street on Sunday Mornings @ 11:00am, Sunday Evenings @ 7:00pm, Wednesday Evenings @ 7:00pm

> Watch us live via U-Stream on the web at www.graceandtruth.net

WORD OF THE WEEK

The Subject: Gog and Magog

Ezekiel 38:2-8, 16-21 — (God speaking to Ezekiel) - Set thy face against Gog the land of Magog the chief prince of Meshech and Tubal, and prophesy against them -- Behold. I am against thee, O Gog - I will turn thee and put hooks into thy jaws - I will bring thee and all thine army - Persia, Ethiopia, and Libya with them - Gomer and all his bands; and the house of Togarmah of the north quarters - in the latter years thou shalt come into the land that is brought back from the sword (Israel brought back to their homeland after 2600 years of captivity), — against the mountain of Israel (these ancient nations shall attack Israel as one army) — thou shalt ascend (Jerusalem's elevation is higher than these lands) and come like a storm. thou shalt be like a cloud to cover the land - thou shalt come up against my people Israel -- it shall be in the latter days, -- when Gog shall come against the land of Israel, my fury shall come up in my face (God will be red in the face with anger) -- in the fire of my wrath have I spoken -- there shall be a great shaking in the land of Israel - I will call for a sword against him (Gog) – I will plead (judge and sentence) against him (Gog) with pestilence and blood – I will rain upon him an overflowing rain, and great hailstones, fire and brimstone.

Satan is the chief prince of ungodly men. Gog, the leader of this coalition will be Satan-possessed when he calls these nations to rise up and attack Israel at the end. The barbaric Assyrian kings would cut off the big toes and thumbs of enemy kings and run hooks in their mouths and through their jaws. Thereon, they would tie them under their tables and in cages, feeding them periodically, rendering them helpless. God will subdue his enemies in like fashion, in his wrath and fury. The enemies and nations:

Gog - from Agag, the ancient title of wicked kings, the title that the ancient Assyrians gave to the Caucasus Mountains between the Black Sea and the Caspian (Euxine) Sea (Russia). The kings of these ancient Scythian/Assyrians (Russians) were called Gog.

Magog - region of Gog; the 2nd son of Japheth (Gen. 10:2); from the coptic ma place or the sanscrit maha - land; the 2nd syllable koka (gogh) - the moon; thus the land of the moon worshipers whose king was Gog. Jerome (the historian) says that the enemies of religion lived in these north quarters (Russia) beyond the Caucasus Mountains.

Meshech - the 6th son of Japheth occupied Cappadocia (Turkey) and placed themselves under the rule of Gog and Magog. They were known as Muskoves giving their name to Russia and its ancient capital (Moscow).

Tubal - Ancient Georgia in Russia and part of Turkey; Tobolsk

Persia - Iran, Iraq, Afghanistan

Gomer - Russia, north of the Black Sea Togarmah - Syria (includes Philistines/Gaza)

Ethiopia - the descendants of Cush the father of Nimrod the founder of Babylon and all her wickedness

Libya - a name used by the Greeks to denote the whole of Africa

The last great attack against Israel in Ezekiel 38 reads as though it was written by Tom Brokaw and Dan Rather (a preview of the evening news at a future date). God will call these Arab nations, who of ancient times worshipped the Lord Moon (in a tree form), against Israel. God will be sanctified (set apart for worship) in the destruction of this chief (Rosh) prince (Gog) and all his armies in their attack on Israel, who has been liberated from captivity and oppression (the Sword - Luke 21:24). Repent, God's fury is soon coming.

GRACE AND TRUTH MINISTRIES

P.O. Box 1109 Hendersonville, TN 37077 Jim Brown - Bible Teacher • 824-8502

Radio Broadcast - Sat. Morn. 8am 1300 AM Dial WNQM TV - Mon. & Sat 10pm, Wed. & Fri. 12am Channel 176; Tues. & Thurs. 5pm Channel 3; Thurs. 11am Channel 49

Join us for fellowship at 394 West Main Street on Sunday Momings @ 11:00am, Sunday Evenings @ 7:00pm, Wednesday Evenings @ 7:00pm

> Watch us live via U-Stream on the web at www.graceandtruth.net