

NOTES

Joshua 15:1–20:9 || Faith to Possess Lesson 6 Review

Introduction & Framing the Journey

Scripture: Psalm 73:25–26

- Even the “boring” chapters of Scripture carry eternal purpose.
- God’s Word is alive—every place, name, and border has meaning.
- We are invited to trace not just maps, but the movements of God's promises.

Give Me This Mountain: The Faith to Finish

Scripture: Joshua 15; Numbers 13; Isaiah 46:4

- Caleb models faith that holds on and finishes strong.
- Nachalah (נַחֲלָה) – inheritance: not just land, but promise.
- Achsah teaches us to ask boldly—because we know our Father is generous.

Planted on Purpose: Ephraim’s Inheritance and the Faith to Stay

Scripture: Joshua 16; Psalm 16:5; Acts 17:26

- Ephraim was placed near Shiloh—God’s presence was central.
- Taanath-Shiloh (תַּעֲנַת שִׁלּוֹה): a marker on the path to worship.
- Where we are is not an accident—it’s an assignment.

When Boldness Meets Providence: The Daughters of Zelophehad and the Faith to Ask

Scripture: Joshua 17; Numbers 27; Jeremiah 22:30

- These women secured inheritance through faithful persistence.
- Their faith safeguarded Jesus’ legal right to the throne.
- God sees the overlooked and honors faith that remembers His Word.

Don't Delay: The Tent, the Land, and the Faith to Move

Scripture: Joshua 18:1–10; Numbers 33:50–56; Hebrews 4:1–11

- Shiloh becomes Israel's first center of worship.
- הָרָף (raphah): to be slack, hesitant—Joshua rebukes passive delay.
- “Before the Lord” — a reminder that worship and obedience go hand in hand.

Placed by Design: Tribal Borders and the Sovereign Hand of God

Scripture: Joshua 18:11–19:23; Genesis 49; Deuteronomy 32:8

- Judah and Benjamin—symbolic restoration through geography.
- Every border drawn by God is intentional and redemptive.
- What if your placement is where reconciliation begins?

The Humble Leader: Joshua and the Faith to Wait

Scripture: Joshua 19:49–51; Philippians 2; Psalm 73:25–26

- Joshua receives his inheritance last—and quietly.
- He chooses the very land others rejected.
- Great leaders go last and trust God's timing.

Run to Refuge: The Faith to Flee and the God Who Welcomes

Scripture: Joshua 20:1–9; Numbers 35; Hebrews 6:18–20; Psalm 46:1

- Cities of Refuge (מִקְלָט) reveal God's justice and mercy.
- Jesus is our better miklat—our refuge and high priest.
- No one is too far from grace. The gates are open.

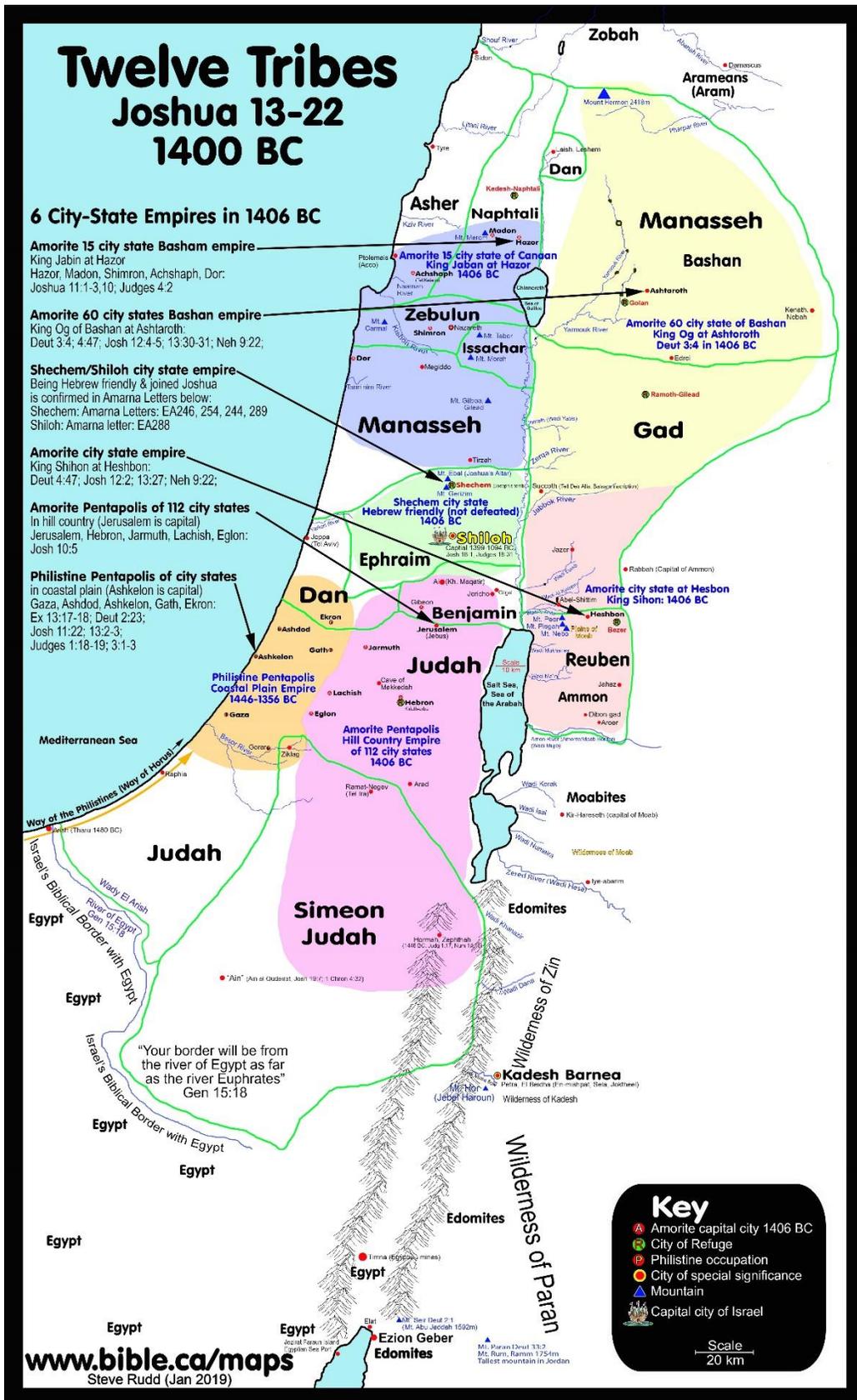
Conclusion: Let Go and Take Hold

Scripture: Psalm 73:26

- Faith to possess also means letting go—of fear, control, shame.
- We're not clinging to land but to the Lord Himself.
- Step forward. The inheritance is already given. Receive it.

MAPS

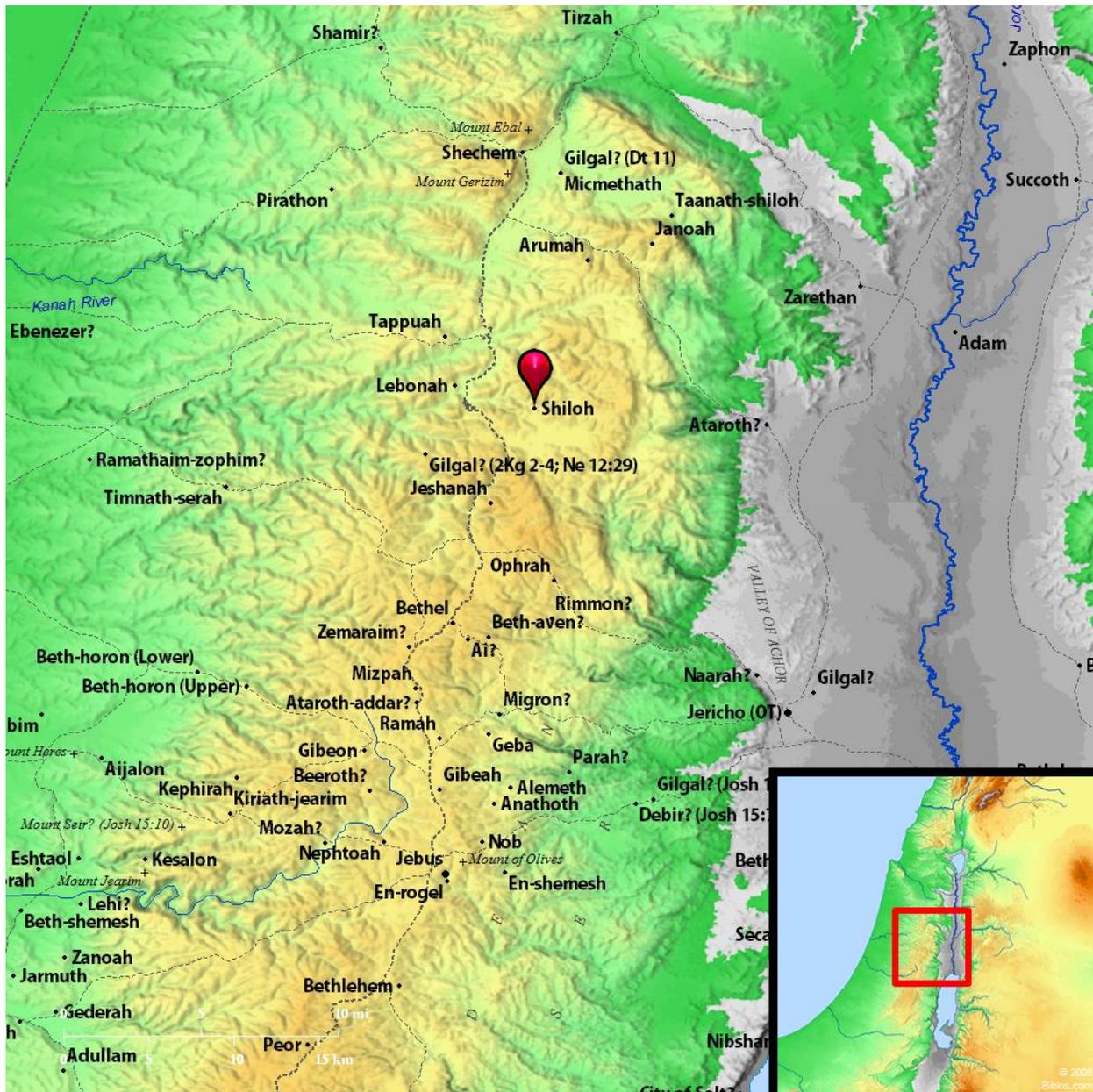
1. Twelve Tribe Joshua 13-22 – 1400BC



2. Joshua 15–17: The Allotment of Judah, Ephraim, and Manasseh



3. Joshua 18:1-10 – Shiloh and the Tent of Meeting



4. Cities of Refuge

