

'BRAIN PICKERS': Genesis 10 (part 5)

Genesis 10 Twins/ Multiple Births

Somewhere in the vast amount of Creation Science research out there, I either read or heard about how right after the Flood there must have been a large number of multiple births in order to reestablish the population. I never really gave the idea much more thought until I had been studying Genesis 10 for about 3 years, & then it began to sink in. Since then, I have come to the conclusion that there are 12 sets of twins mentioned in Genesis 10. Here's the list:

- 1)Asshur & Arphaxad** (happy/blessed & set free from your enemies)[Shem's sons]
- 2)Phut & Canaan** (afflicted & humble)[Ham's sons]
- 3)Madie & Javan** (from what is sufficient & wine effervesce)[Japheth's sons]
- 4)Lud & Aram** ("If only I could fly/soar" & to be high)[Shem's sons]
- 5)Anam & Lehab** (2-fountains & flame/to-burn)[Mizram's sons]
- 6)Heth & Jebus** (terror & to tread underfoot)[Canaan's sons]
- 7)Seba & Havilah** (surrounds entrance & circular)[Cush's sons]
- 8)Ark & Sin** (to flee & mire)[Canaan's sons]
- 9)Sheba & Dedan** (broken/consumed entrance & breast judgment) [Raamah's sons]
- 10)Peleg & Joktan** ('Divided' (by channels of water) & 'Diminished')[Eber's sons]
- 11)Sheba & Ophir** (broken/consumed entrance & to be covered in ashes) [Joktan's sons]
- 12)Havilah & Jobab** (circular & a type of shrill howling noise)[Joktan's sons]

In those days a baby was named after the current 'headline events' (just like we see the headlines in a newspaper). All the names from #5 through #12 are describing geological events, which is something that is to be expected after a global Flood. For more information about each set of twins, read the 'Brain Pickers' for Genesis 10 at www.w-rocs.org

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