



Iran Bible Prophecy – Outline for notes ☺

Ezekiel - written in 6th century BCE

Ezekiel, a Hebrew prophet and priest, was among the exiles taken to Babylon during the early waves of the Babylonian captivity. Chapters 38 and 39 describe a climactic battle in which Yehovah defeats the forces of Gog from the land of Magog.

The Nations in Ezekiel 38–39

Ezekiel 38–39 presents a coalition of nations led by Gog of the land of Magog.

List of Nations and what might be their modern identities ??

Ezekiel's Term	Modern Region
Magog	Anatolia - Turkey
Meshech	Central Turkey
Tubal	Eastern Turkey / NW Iran
Persia	Iran
Cush	Sudan / Ethiopia
Put	Libya / North Africa
Gomer	Black Sea region / Turkey
Beth-Togarmah	Armenia / Eastern Turkey

Gog - pronounced with a hard O like gō. Rhymes with Rogue. Gog, from the land of Magog, is introduced as the leader of a coalition of nations.

Magog - pronounced like Muh - gō -g

Meshech & Tubal were in Turkey at the time of the prophecy but those today took over around the year 1000 - in ancient times these were Greeks, so it is not obvious if these are genealogical (Greeks) descendants or geographical (Turkey) descendants.

Chapter 38 – Verses 1–6 - The Introduction of Gog

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Chapter 38 – Verses 7–13 - The Invasion Plan

Gog is devising an attack on a peaceful and unsuspecting Israel.

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Chapter 38 – Verses 14–23 – Yehovah’s Wrath and making His Name known

Yehovah shows up: earthquakes, hailstones, fire, and brimstone. The purpose is that 'the nations shall know that I am YHWH.

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Chapter 39 – Verses 1–6 - Destruction of Gog

Repeats 38:3–6 but emphasizes the totality of Gog's destruction. Fire falls on Magog and the coastlands demonstrating God's universal sovereignty.

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Chapter 39 – Verses 7–8 - Sanctification of God’s Name

God’s name will be known and no longer profaned. The vindication of YHWH before Israel and the nations.

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Chapter 39 – Verses 9–16 - Burning Weapons and Burial

Seven years of burning and seven months of burial. The Valley of Hamon/ Valley of the Multitude of Gog. Biblical Location: “East of the sea” (possibly the Dead) Might be in the valley in Transjordan (modern-day Jordan). This is also near where ancient Sodom & Gomorrah were located. This is a mass graveyard for Gog’s army.

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Chapter 39 – Verses 17–20 - Feast for Birds and Beasts

Birds and beasts eat the bodies of Gog’s army.

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Chapter 39 – Verses 21–29 - Restoration and Outpouring of the Spirit

Israel's is restored and renewed! Yehovah's Spirit is poured out - this makes way for the transition to Ezekiel's vision of the restored temple and worship and Yehovah dwelling again with His people in holiness and order. (chapters. 40–48). May it be 😊

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