## Daniel's Two Visions of the World Empires World Power shifts from Ham to Japheth for 2600 Years

Genesis 9:27 May God enlarge Japheth, and let him dwell in the tents of Shem; and let Canaan Ham be his servant design specialist

- **Daniel 2:31** "You, O king, were looking and behold look there was a single great statue; that statue, which was large and of extraordinary splendor, was standing in front of you, and its appearance was awesome.
  - 32-33 "The head of that statue was made of fine gold,

its breast and its arms of silver,

its belly and its thighs of bronze,

its legs of iron,

its feet partly of iron and partly of clay

- 36 "This was the dream; now we will tell its interpretation before the king.
- 37 "You, O king, are the king of kings, to whom the God of heaven has given the kingdom, the power, the strength and the glory;
- 38 and wherever the sons of men dwell, or the beasts of the field, or the birds of the sky, He has given them into your hand and has caused you to rule over them all. You are the head of gold.
- 39 "After you there will arise another kingdom inferior to you,

then another third kingdom of bronze,

which will rule over all the earth.

40 "Then there will be a fourth kingdom as strong as iron; inasmuch as iron crushes and shatters all things, so, like iron that breaks in pieces, it will crush and break all these in pieces.

- 41 "In that you saw the feet and toes, partly of potter's clay and partly of iron, it will be a divided kingdom; but it will have in it the toughness of iron, inasmuch as you saw the iron mixed with common clay
  48 Then the king promoted Daniel and gave him many great gifts, and he made him ruler over the whole province of Babylon and chief prefect over all the wise men magi of Babylon.
  Matthew 2:1-2 Now after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the king, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is He who has been born King of the Jews? For we saw His star in the east and have come to worship Him."
- **Daniel 7:2** Daniel said, "I was looking in my vision by night, and behold look, the four winds of heaven were stirring up the great sea.
  - 3 "And four great beasts were coming up from the sea, different from one another.
  - 4 "The first was like a lion and had the wings of an eagle.
  - 5 "And behold, another beast, a second one, resembling a bear. And it was raised up on one side, and three ribs were in its mouth between its teeth
  - **6** "After this I kept looking, and behold, another one, like a leopard, which had on its back four wings of a bird; the beast also had four heads, and dominion was given to it.
  - 7 "After this I kept looking in the night visions, and behold, a fourth beast, dreadful and terrifying and extremely strong; and it had large iron teeth. It devoured and crushed and trampled down the remainder with its feet; and it was different from all the beasts that were before it, and it had ten horns.
  - **8** While I was contemplating the horns, behold, another horn, a little one, came up among them, and three of the first horns were pulled out by the roots before it; and behold, this horn possessed eyes like the eyes of a man and a mouth uttering great boasts.
- **Daniel 4:17** "The Most High is ruler over the realm of mankind, and bestows it on whom He wishes, and sets over it the lowest of men."

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