~BEROTHAH (31)

(Be-ro'thah)[Berothai, Be-ro'thai, Wells]

- In Ezekiel's vision concerning the territorial inheritance of Israel, Berothah is listed as on the northern boundary in the area between Hamath and Damascus.
- Hamath, Berothah, Sibraim, which is between the boundary of Damascus and the boundary of Hamath, Hazer-hatticon, which is toward the boundary of Hauran. (Ezekiel 47:16)
- It appears to be the same as Berothai of;
- And from Betah and Berothai, cities of Hadadezer, King David took copper in very great quantity. (2 Samuel 8:8)
- A city belonging to Hadadezer king of Zobah, from which David carried away copper in very great quantity. In the parallel record at;
- And from Tibhath and Cun, cities of Hadadezer, David took very much copper. With it Solomon made the copper sea and the pillars and the copper utensils. (1 Chronicles 18:8)
- The name Cun appears in its place. Berothah or Berothai is generally identified with present-day Britel, Bereitan, about 10 kilometers (6 miles) Southwest of Baalbek in the valley known as the Beqa`, lying between the Lebanon and the Anti-Lebanon mountains.