

~BETHUEL 2 (31)
(Be-thu'el)

- A comparison of the lists of towns given at;
- And Eltolad and **Chesil** and Hormah. (**Joshua 15:30**)
- Lists of towns given at;
- And Eltolad and **Bethul** and Hormah. (**Joshua 19:4**)
- And in **Bethuel** and in Hormah and in Ziklag. (**1 Chronicles 4:30**)
- Indicates that this town is also called **Bethul** and **Chesil**. It was in the southern part of the territory of Judah but was assigned to the tribe of Simeon as an enclave city. It, therefore, appears also to be the **Bethel** referred to at;
- To those who were in **Bethel**, and to those in Ramoth of the south, and to those in Jattir. (**1 Samuel 30:27**)
- As one of the places to which David sent portions of spoil as a gift. A tentative identification is with **Khirbet el-Qaryatein**, **Tel Qeriyot**, about 19 kilometers (12 miles) South of Hebron, although some prefer **Khirbet er-Reassure**, **Horvat Rosh**, about 24 kilometers (15 miles) to the West of this site.

See Also CHESIL