

~BICHRITES (30) **(Bich'rites)**

- **Apparently descendants of the Benjamite **Bichri** or members of his family. They supported the insurrectionist Sheba the son of **Bichri** in his rebellion against King David.**
- **Now there happened to be there a good-for-nothing man, whose name was Sheba, the son of **Bichri** a Benjaminite, and he proceeded to blow the horn and say; We have no share in David, and we have no inheritance in the son of Jesse. Every one to his gods, O Israel! (2 Samuel 20:1)**
- **At that all the men of Israel began to go up from following David to follow Sheba the son of **Bichri**, but as for the men of Judah, they stuck to their king from the Jordan to Jerusalem. (2 Samuel 20:2)**
- **And Sheba went passing through all the tribes of Israel to Abel of Beth-maacah. As for all the **Bichrites**, they then congregated together and also went in after him. (2 Samuel 20:14)**
- **And they proceeded to come and lay siege against him in Abel of Beth-maacah and cast up a siege rampart against the city, as it was standing within a rampart. And all the people that were with Joab were undermining the wall, to throw it down. (2 Samuel 20:15)**