

**~HANAMEL (71)**  
**(Han'a-mel)**

- Son of Shallum the paternal uncle of the prophet Jeremiah. It was from **Hanamel** that the prophet bought the field that was in Anathoth at the time the Babylonians were laying siege to Jerusalem.
- The word that occurred to Jeremiah from Yehowah in the tenth year of Zedekiah the king of Judah, that is, the eighteenth year of Nebuchadrezzar. (**Jeremiah 32:1**)
- And at that time the military forces of the king of Babylon were laying siege to Jerusalem, and as for Jeremiah the prophet, he happened to be under restraint in the Courtyard of the Guard that is in the house of the king of Judah. (**Jeremiah 32:2**)
- Because Zedekiah the king of Judah had restrained him, saying; Why is it that you are prophesying, saying; This is what Yehowah has said; Here I am giving this city into the hand of the king of Babylon, and he will certainly capture it. (**Jeremiah 32:3**)
- And Zedekiah himself, the king of Judah, will not escape from the hand of the Chaldeans, for he will without fail be given into the hand of the king of Babylon, and his mouth will actually speak with the mouth of that one, and his own eyes will see even the eyes of that one. (**Jeremiah 32:4**)
- And to Babylon he will take Zedekiah, and there he will continue until I turn my attention to him, is the utterance of Yehowah, although you men keep warring against the Chaldeans, you will not succeed? (**Jeremiah 32:5**)
- And Jeremiah proceeded to say; The word of Yehowah has occurred to me, saying; (**Jeremiah 32:6**)
- Here is **Hanamel** the son of Shallum your paternal uncle coming in to you, saying; Buy for yourself the field of mine that is in Anathoth, because the right of repurchase belongs to you for buying it. (**Jeremiah 32:7**)
- In time **Hanamel** the son of my paternal uncle came in to me, according to the word of Yehowah, into the Courtyard of the

Guard, and proceeded to say to me; Buy, please, the field of mine that is in Anathoth, which is in the land of Benjamin, for the right of hereditary possession is yours, and the repurchasing power is yours. Buy it for yourself. At that I knew that it had been the word of Yehowah. (**Jeremiah 32:8**)

- So I proceeded to buy from **Hanamel** the son of my paternal uncle the field that was in Anathoth. And I began to weigh out to him the money, seven shekels and ten silver pieces. (**Jeremiah 32:9**)
- Then I wrote in a deed and affixed the seal and took witnesses as I went weighing the money in the scales. (**Jeremiah 32:10**)
- After that I took the deed of purchase, the one sealed according to the commandment and the regulations, and the one left open. (**Jeremiah 32:11**)
- And I then gave the deed of purchase to Baruch the son of Neriah the son of Mahseiah before the eyes of **Hanamel** the son of my paternal uncle and before the eyes of the witnesses, those writing in the deed of purchase, before the eyes of all the Jews who were sitting in the Courtyard of the Guard. (**Jeremiah 32:12**)