

## ~JABNEEL 1 (27)

(Jab'ne-el) [May God Build, God Has Built]

- **A Judean boundary site**
- **And the lot of the tribe of the sons of Judah by their families came to be to the boundary of Edom, the wilderness of Zin, to the Negeb at its southern end. (Joshua 15:1)**
- **And the boundary went out to the slope of Ekron to the north, and the boundary was marked out to Shikkeron and passed over to Mount Baalah and went out to Jabneel, and the boundary's termination proved to be at the sea. (Joshua 15:11)**
- **Probably the same as the Jabneh that King Uzziah, 829-778 B.C.E, wrested from the Philistines.**
- **And he proceeded to go out and fight against the Philistines and break through the wall of Gath and the wall of Jabneh and the wall of Ashdod, after which he built cities in Ashdod territory and among the Philistines. (2 Chronicles 26:6)**
- **Jabneel is identified with modern Yavne. Situated about 6 kilometers (3.5 miles) from the Mediterranean Sea, Yavne stands on an isolated, sandy hill 20 kilometers (12 miles) South of Joppa.**