

~JEDAIAH 4 (67)

(Je-da'iah)[3-8, Hebrew, *Yedha`-yah'*, Yah Knows]

- A priest, or possibly members of the above-mentioned paternal house, who resided in Jerusalem after the return from Babylon. **Jedaiah's** being called, the son of Joiarib at;
- Of the priests, **Jedaiah** the son of Joiarib, Jachin. (**Nehemiah 11:10**)
- May be a copyists addition, as is indicated by comparison with,
- And of the priests there were **Jedaiah** and Jehoiarib and Jachin. (**1 Chronicles 9:10**)
- **Jedaiah** and the other two, Joiarib or Jehoiarib and Jachin, at the beginning of the lists in Nehemiah and Chronicles are the same names as those of paternal houses in the time of David.
- Then Shemaiah the son of Nethanel the secretary of the Levites wrote them down before the king and the princes and Zadok the priest and Ahimelech the son of Abiathar and the heads of the fathers of the priests and of the Levites, one paternal house being picked out for Eleazar and one being picked out for Ithamar. (**1 Chronicles 24:6**)
- And the lot proceeded to come out, the first for Jehoiarib, for **Jedaiah** the second. (**1 Chronicles 24:7**)
- For Jachin the twenty-first, for Gamul the twenty-second. (**1 Chronicles 24:17**)
- So it may be that reference is simply to the paternal houses, indicating that they were represented, whereas the names following may be of individuals, or it could be that all the names are of individuals then living.
- And of the priests there were **Jedaiah** and Jehoiarib and Jachin. (**1 Chronicles 9:10**)
- And Azariah the son of Hilkiah the son of Meshullam the son of Zadok the son of Meraioth the son of Ahitub, a leader of the

house of the true God. (**1 Chronicles 9:11**)

- And Adaiah the son of Jeroham the son of Pashhur the son of Malchijah, and Maasai the son of Adiel the son of Jahzerah the son of Meshullam the son of Meshillemith the son of Immer. (**1 Chronicles 9:12**)
- Of the priests: **Jedaiah** the son of Joiarib, Jachin. (**Nehemiah 11:10**)
- Seraiah the son of Hilkiah the son of Meshullam the son of Zadok the son of Meraioth the son of Ahitub, a leader of the house of the true God. (**Nehemiah 11:11**)
- And their brothers the doers of the work of the house, eight hundred and twenty-two, and Adaiah the son of Jeroham the son of Pelaliah the son of Amzi the son of Zechariah the son of Pashhur the son of Malchijah. (**Nehemiah 11:12**)
- And his brothers, heads of paternal houses, two hundred and forty-two, and Amashsai the son of Azarel the son of Ahzai the son of Meshillemoth the son of Immer. (**Nehemiah 11:13**)