~KIRIATH-SEPHER (32)

(Kir'i-ath-se'pher) [Town of the Book]

- The ancient name of Debir, a priestly city in the territory of Judah, about 13 kilometers (8 miles) Southwest of Hebron.
- Then he went up from there to the inhabitants of Debir. Now the name of Debir before that was **Kiriath-sepher**. (Joshua 15:15)
- And Caleb proceeded to say; Whoever strikes Kiriath-sepher and does capture it, I shall certainly give him Achsah my daughter as a wife. (Joshua 15:16)
- And to the sons of Aaron the priest they gave the city of refuge for the manslayer, namely, Hebron, and its pasture ground, also Libnah and its pasture ground. (Joshua 21:13)
- And Holon and its pasture ground, and Debir and its pasture ground. (Joshua 21:15)
- And they marched on from there against the inhabitants of Debir. Now the name of Debir before that was Kiriath-sepher. (Judges 1:11)
- Then Caleb said; Whoever strikes Kiriath-sepher and does capture it, why, I will give him Achsah my daughter as a wife. (Judges 1:12)

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