

~KIR (22)

- The place from which the Aramaeans came to Syria, although not necessarily their original home.
- Are you not like the sons of the Cushites to me, O sons of Israel? Is the utterance of Yehowah. Did I not bring Israel itself up out of the land of Egypt, and the Philistines out of Crete, and Syria out of **Kir**? (**Amos 9:7**)
- Through his prophet,
- And I will break the bar of Damascus and cut off the inhabitant from Bikath-aven, and the holder of the scepter from Beth-eden, and the people of Syria will have to go as exiles to **Kir**, Yehowah has said. (**Amos 1:5**)
- Yehowah indicated that the Aramaeans would return to **Kir**, but as exiles. This prophecy was fulfilled when Tiglath-pileser III, after being bribed by Judean King Ahaz to do so, captured.