

### ~TARSHISH 3 (25)

(Tar'shish) [from a root meaning, shatter]

- One of seven princely counselors of King Ahasuerus who considered the case of rebellious Queen Vashti.
- But Queen Vashti kept refusing to come at the king's word that was conveyed by means of the court officials. At this the king grew highly indignant and his very rage flared up within him. (Esther 1:12)
- And the king proceeded to say to the wise men having knowledge of the times, for in this way the king's matter came before all those versed in Law and legal cases. (Esther 1:13)
- And those closest to him were Carshena, Shethar, Admatha, **Tarshish**, Meres, Marsena, and Memucan, seven princes of Persia and Media, having access to the king, and who were sitting first in the kingdom. (Esther 1:14)
- According to Law what is to be done with Queen Vashti because she has not performed the saying of King Ahasuerus by means of the court officials? (Esther 1:15)