

# "WESTWARD HO" <sup>1</sup>

(Israel's Trek to the West)

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## Gen 28:13-14:

“And, behold, the LORD stood above it, (Jacob’s ladder) and said, I am the LORD God of Abraham thy father, and the God of Isaac: the land whereon thou liest, to thee will I give it, and to thy seed; (descendants) And thy seed shall be as the dust of the earth, and thou SHALT SPREAD ABROAD <sup>2</sup> To The West, and to the east, and to the north, and to the south: and in THEE AND IN THY SEED SHALL ALL THE FAMILIES <sup>3</sup> OF THE EARTH BE BLESSED.”

Our God always qualifies Himself!

## Isa 60:3-5:

“And the Gentiles shall come to thy light, and kings to the brightness of thy rising.”

(Jesus is the light of the world, and it was brought to the “Gentiles”-non-Jewish world by the ‘Children of Israel’ ...not the JEWS.)

“Lift up thine eyes round about, and see: all they gather themselves together, they come to thee: thy sons shall come from far, and thy daughters shall be nursed at thy side.”

“Then thou shalt see, and flow together, and thine heart shall fear, and be enlarged; because the abundance of the sea shall be converted unto thee, (Israel) the forces of the Gentiles shall come unto thee.”

(What race literally owns the OCEANS ANSD THE SEVEN SEAS? Great Britain and the United States.)

The following statistics are taken from “THE WORLD IN A POCKET BOOK”, or “UNIVERSAL POPULAR STATISTICS”, published in 1859 by John E. Potter & Co., Philadelphia.

“The world’s shipping ...estimated at:	145,5000 Vessels
	15,500,000 Tons
Est. Value @\$50 /ton	\$775,000,000

<sup>1</sup> “Westward Ho!” by Charles Kingsley, publisher T. Nelson and Son

<sup>2</sup> “Abroad”, away from His promised land!

<sup>3</sup> (The Church teaches that this is Jesus Christ; but Jesus’ seed line is only one line-straight down from Jacob’s son, JUDAH to JESUS CHRIST. Whereas, it includes Jesus’ line, it also includes the seed-lines of Jacob’s other eleven sons. THEY ARE ALL THE “CHILDREN OF ISRAEL”).

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Of the 15,500,000 tons in the world, more than 10.5 million belong to the Anglo-Saxon race.

The United States...40,500 Vessels...5,661,416 Tons  
Great Britain ... 35,960 Vessels...5,043,270 Tons

Tons of shipping in the world in 1850:

British Empire.....4,232,000  
United States.....3,535,000  
All other nations....1,750,000

The same reference book lists the following figures for the WORLD'S BANKING:

Year 1854...paid in capital: Great Britain.....38,947,000 Pounds  
U.S.A.....82,870,012 Pounds  
All Other Nations.41,004,834 Pounds  
Total World 162,821,849 Pounds

Folks, until we see statistics such as these, we can have no conception of what our Father-God has given us in relation to the rest of the world. He gave it to our race, the ISRAEL RACE, so that we could be a blessing to the other nations (people) of the world. When you look at the total amount of dollars and aid, (Foreign Aid, Red Cross, Salvation Army, etc., Missionary programs, relief programs, military aid, Peace Corps., etc., etc.) you can see, perhaps for the first time, just what a "BLESSING" we are to the other nations of the world.

You may ask the question at this point, why then, do the foreign countries almost to the man – hate us?

Speaker: Because our government in Washington D.C., since WWI (Wilson), has been placed in the hands of the un-believing Anti-Christ. We know they are Anti-Christ, because he tells us so in **Matt 12:30, Luke 9:50, Mark 9:40** "You are either for me or against me!" – no neutrality folks. Aggressively against Christ and his followers. Their Sec. of State, Ambassadors, Consulates, etc., have turned them against us.

We learn in **Gen 28:14** that Jehovah God told Israel that he was going to drive them across the river (Jordan), and place them in captivity – that he would drive them West, North, South, East! Of course, we are in the habit of referring to the compass points as North, South, East, and West!

You can see that God placed West first on Israel's agenda, and he drove them there. Since our Lord's plan for us and our universe was made "in the beginning", we can find it in its execution from the time God first "chose Abraham" to sire His chosen seed.

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You will recall that God required Abraham to leave his home in Ur of the Chaldees, and go to a land that he would give him. This land, which had no name at that time, was South-West of Ur of the Chaldees, and became known as the "Promised Land" – promised by YHVH (Jehovah) to "The Children of Israel."

This land is on the Mediterranean Sea, which divides the European Continent, from the African Continent, and is a straight highway West to the Atlantic Ocean. It was here that King Solomon's ships sailed from Tyre and Sidon West to Farsish! (The East Coast of Iberia (Spain)). "Rightly diving" the word Iberia, we find that it is both the Hebrew and Celtic word for "Hebrews." In other words Solomon had made it "the land of Hebrews."