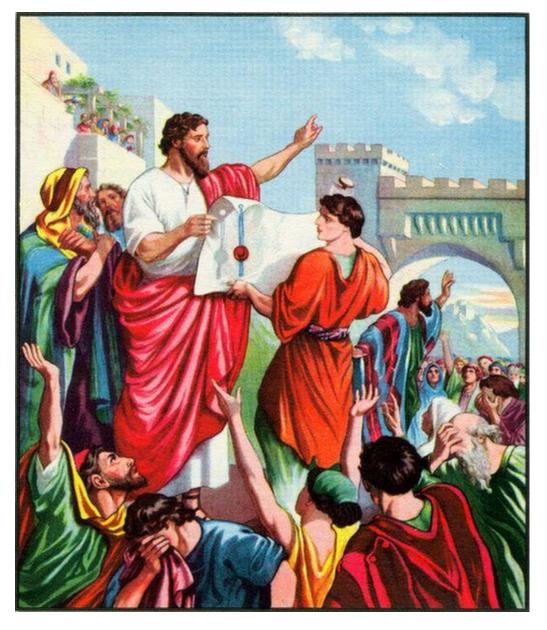




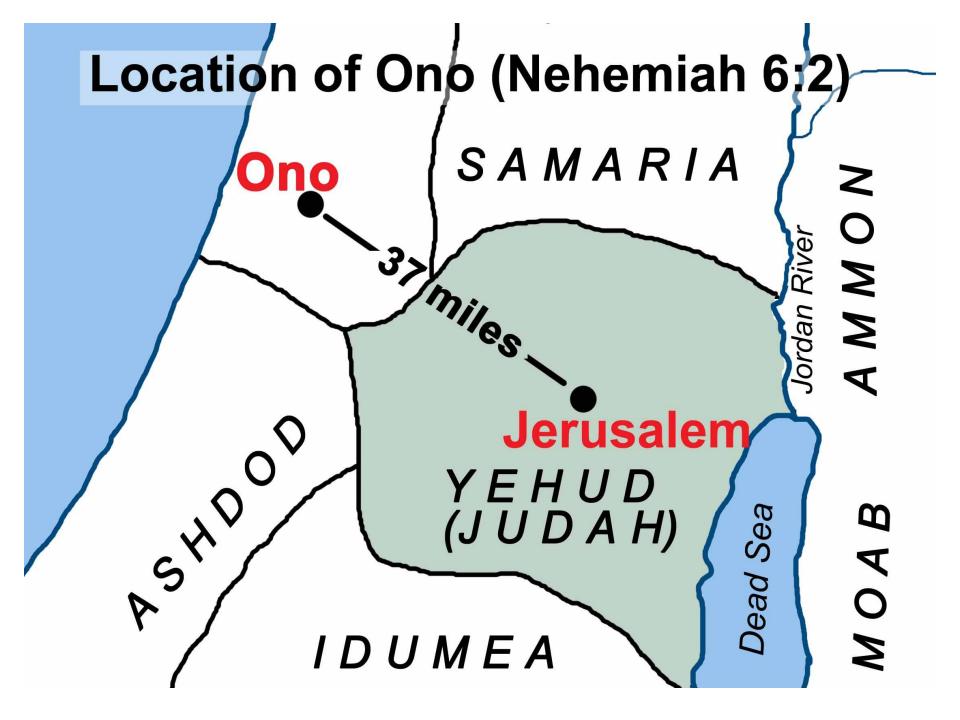
Nehemiah overseeing the rebuilding the walls and gates



Nehemiah is appointed by the Persian King Artaxerxes 1 to be Governor of Judah



4 different armies threatening to attack Jerusalem



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Hebrew Months	Jewish Holidays	Secular Months
Nisan	Passover, Yom HaShoah	March-April
lyar	Yom HaAtzmaut	April-May
Sivan	Shavuot	May-June
Tamuz	lacarver	June-July
Av	Tisha B'Av	July-August
Elul		August-September
Tishri	Rosh HaShanah, Yom Kippur, Sukkot, Simchat Torah	September-October
Cheshvan		October-November
Kislev	Hanukkah	November-December
Tevet	(A.2-40) And (A.2-5)	December-January
Shevat	Tu BiSh'vat	January-February
Adar	Purim	February-March

added strength to the northern wall of the Temple Mount, which also served as the northern city wall in this area. The Temple and the altar were rebuilt soon after the return The Valley Gate (2:13, 15; 3:13), the remains from exile. The dimensions of the temple, given as 60 cubits of which were excavated in 1924, was part of Sheep Gate (90 feet/27 m) high and wide (Ezra 6:3), probably refer to (hidden from view) the western city wall. The other gates and the those of the porch. (For a cutaway illustration of the temple, Tower of the Ovens, mentioned in chs. 3 and 12, see p. 813.) are unattested to in the archaeological record, Tower of but are placed in the drawing in the order in the Hundred which Nehemiah records them. The Temple Mount was The Western Hill was not occupied at this time. However, Tower of restored by Nehemiah as part of the ruins of the Broad Wall (3:8; 12:38), the Middle Gate Gate of the Guard Hananel the fortification of Jerusalem. (cf. Jer. 39:3), and the destroyed houses remained part of Fish Gate Corner Tower the landscape of Jerusalem. This area was not rebuilt until Remains of the the middle of the second century 8.c. Gate of Yeshanah The Broad Wall Middle Gate (Old Gate) Muster Gate Gate of (hidden from view) Ephraim Horse Gate Vall of the Ophel The Buttress The Great Projecting Tower (3:25-27) was tentatively identified by Charles Warren in 1867. Hinnom Valley Remains of ancient walls used The Siloam Pool was again used as the city's to support agricultural terraces. water source. There is no mention in ch. 3 of the Gihon Spring, probably because it was no longer accessible after the Babylonians had The central section of the eastern city wall destrayed its protective towers. Dam was built higher up the hill than the wall that preceded it. The two points where the new The stairs that go wall diverted from its original course were Dung Gate down from the city each called "the buttress" (3:19, 24, 25). of David (3:15) King's Garden (3:15) The Fountain Gate (2:14; 3:15; 12:37) was located in the southern part of the eastern wall, presumably close to the Siloam Pool.

The Tower of Hananel, the Tower of the Hundred, the Sheep Gate, the Gate of the Guard, and the Corner Tower

Jerusalem (after Nehemiah rebuilt the city's walls & gates)



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