Lesson 4

1 Nephi 1:53-54 Nephi was given a choice land

Does the Bible talk about a special land given to Joseph?

JOSEPH'S LAND

[Deut. 33:13] And of Joseph he said, Blessed of the Lord be his land

Productivity and Wealth

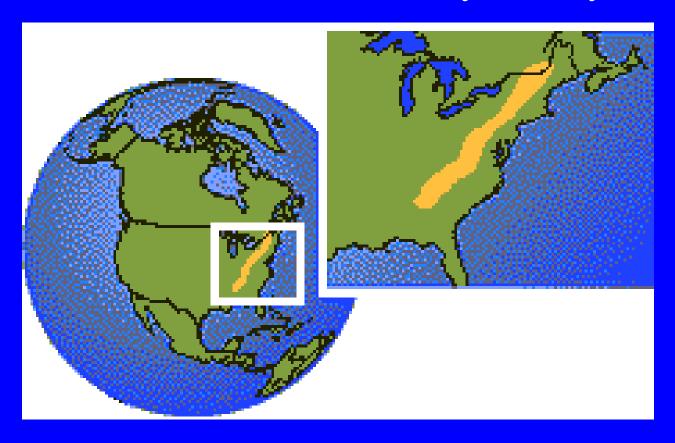
Deuteronomy 33:14-15

- Fruits
- Chief things

• Precious things of the "Lasting Hills"

Ancient Mountains

- Old Mountains
- Appalachian Mountains among the oldest
- "Much older than the Rocky Mt. System"



Rich in Resources

- Heavily forested
 - softwoods
 - hardwoods
- Iron ore
- Anthracite
- Bauxite
- Coal
- Zinc
- Slate
- Limestone

- Salt
- Marble
- Talc
- Gypsum
- Clay
- Asbestos
- Mica
- Granite
- Emery
- Oil
- Natural Gas

Important Rivers

- Connecticut
- Hudson
- Delaware
- Schuylkill
- Susquehanna
- Potomac
- James
- Rappahannock
- Cumberland
- Kanawha

- Allegheny
- Monongahela
- Tennessee
- Others

Deep valleys provide good area for reservoirs

Hydro electric power for dams

Fruits

Chocolate



Corn, cotton, Potato, sweet potato, cassava, lima bean, garden beans, runner bean, tepari bean, yam, tomato, pepper, Jerusalem artichokes, sunflower, squash, pumpkin, fig-leafed pumpkin, musky pumpkin, peanut, chayote, papaya, avocado, pineapple, custard apple, sour-sop, cherimoya, guava, cacao, cashew, sapote, white sapote, sapodilla, mammei, Mexican plumb

Ephraim/Manasseh

- To the ends of the earth
- Sons of Joseph
- Alma 8:3, page 334

Genesis 49:22

- Joseph is a fruitful bough by a well.
 His branches run over the wall
 - What is the wall?
 - -Psalms 80:1 & 8-11 gives us the answer.
- "Joseph...sent her boughs unto the sea."

Exodus 14:22

•The Sea is Called "Wall"

Isaiah 16:8

• They are gone over the _____

SEA

WHAT IS THE WALL?

- THE SEA
- What other things could be natural walls?
- Mountains
- Rivers
- Deserts

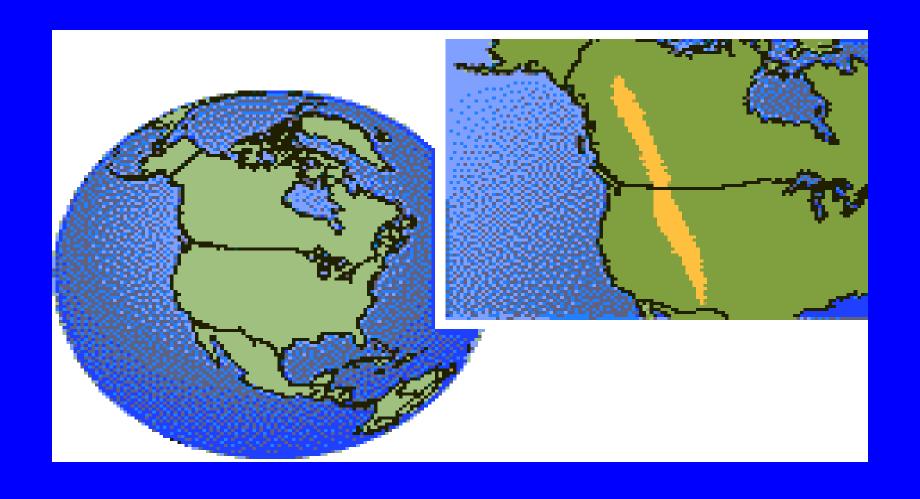
Genesis 49:25-26

- Everlasting hills
- What are the everlasting hills?
- Habakkuk 3:6
 - The everlasting mountains were scattered
- Why are they everlasting?
- They extend from Alaska to the tip of South America

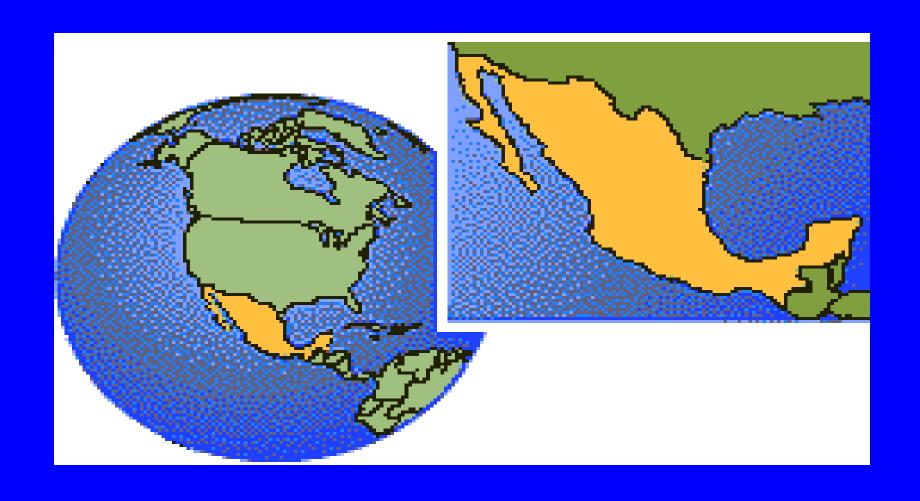
Where are the Everlasting Hills?

What are they called today?

ROCKY MOUNTAINS



SIERRA MADRES



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