## BOOK OF EZEKIEL UNVEILED (Chronological Sequence — 5<sup>th</sup> scroll of 13)

5<sup>th</sup> Scroll — 10<sup>th</sup> year (587 B.C.)

## Prophesy against Pharaoh and all Egypt

## → 12<sup>th</sup> day

(29:1) In the tenth year, in the tenth month, in the twelfth of the month, the Word of Yahweh came to me, saying, (29:2) Son of man, set your face against Pharaoh king of Egypt, and prophesy against him and against all Egypt.

(29:3) Speak and say, So says the Lord Yahweh: Behold, I, even I, am against you, Pharaoh king of Egypt, the great dragon who lies in the midst of his rivers, who has said, My river is mine, and I have made it. (29:4) But I will put hooks in your jaws, and I will cause the fish of your rivers to stick to your scales, and I will bring you up out of the midst of your rivers, and all the fish of your rivers shall stick to your scales. (29:5) And I will leave you to the wilderness, you and all the fish of your rivers. You shall fall on the open fields; you shall not be removed nor gathered. I have given you for food to the beasts of the field and to the birds of the heavens. (29:6) And all the people of Egypt shall know that I am Yahweh, because they have been a staff of reed to the house of Israel. (29:7) When they took you by your hand, you broke and tore off all their shoulder. And when they leaned on you, you shattered and made all their loins stand.

(29:8) So the Lord Yahweh says this: Behold, I will bring a sword on you, and cut off man and beast from you. (29:9) And the land of Egypt shall be a desert and waste; and they shall know that I am Yahweh, because he has said. The river is mine, and I have made it. (29:10) Behold, and therefore I am against you and against your rivers, and I will make the land of Egypt a complete waste, a ruin, from Migdol to Syene, even to the border of Ethiopia. (29:11) No foot of man shall pass through it, nor foot of beast shall pass through it, and you shall not live in it forty years. (29:12) And I will make the land of Egypt a ruin in the midst of the ruined lands; and her cities shall be deserted forty years among the cities that are laid waste. And I will scatter the Egyptians among the nations, and will scatter them through the lands.

(29:13) Yet so says the Lord Yahweh: At the end of forty years I will gather the Egyptians from the peoples where they were scattered. (29:14) And I will bring again the captivity of Egypt, and will cause them to return to the land of Pathros, into their homeland. And they shall be a low kingdom there. (29:15) It shall be the lowest of the kingdoms, and shall no more exalt itself above the nations. For I will make them so few, that they shall no more rule over the nations. (29:16) And it shall never again be the hope of the house of Israel, recalling the iniquity of their turning after them. And they shall know that I am the Lord Yahweh.

## End of the 10<sup>th</sup> year, 10<sup>th</sup> month, 12 day.

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