

The Two Rivers

John 5:26-27

26 For as the Father hath life in himself; so hath he given to the Son to have life in himself;

27 And hath given him authority to execute judgment also, because he is the Son of man.

Revelation 22:1

And he shewed me a pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding out of the throne of God and of the Lamb.

Ezekiel 47:1-2 AMP

1 THEN HE [my guide] brought me again to the door of the house [of the Lord--the temple], and behold, waters issued out from under the threshold of the temple toward the east, for the front of the temple was toward the east; and the waters came down from under, from the right side of the temple, on the south side of the altar.

2 Then he brought me out by way of the north gate and led me around outside to the outer gate by the way that faces east, and behold, waters were running out on the right side.

❖ Joel 3:18 New Living Translation

In that day the mountains will drip with sweet wine, and the hills will flow with milk. Water will fill the streambeds of Judah, and a fountain will burst forth from the LORD's Temple, watering the arid valley of acacias.

❖ Revelation 21:3

And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and **he will dwell with them,** and they shall be his people, and **God himself shall be with them,** and be their God.

❖ John 7:37-38 AMP

37 Now on the final and most important day of the Feast, Jesus stood, and He cried in a loud voice, If any man is thirsty, **let him come to Me and drink!**

38 He who believes in Me [who cleaves to and trusts in and relies on Me] as the Scripture has said, From his innermost being shall flow [continuously] springs and rivers of living water.

❖ John 4:14 AMP

But whoever takes a drink of the water that I will give him shall never, no never, be thirsty any more. But the water that I will give him shall become **a spring of water welling up (flowing, bubbling) [continually] within him** unto (into, for) eternal life.

Ezekiel 47:3-6 AMP

3 And when the man went on eastward with the measuring line in his hand, he measured a thousand cubits, and he **caused me to pass through the waters, waters that were ankle-deep.**

4 Again he measured a thousand cubits and **caused me to pass through the waters, waters that reached to the knees.** Again he measured a thousand cubits and **caused me to pass through the waters, waters that reached to the loins.**

5 Afterward he measured a thousand, and **it was a river that I could not pass through, for the waters had risen, waters to swim in, a river that could not be passed over or through.**

6 And he said to me, Son of man, have you seen this? Then he **led me and caused me to return to the bank of the river.**

Ezekiel 47:7-12 AMP

7 Now when I had returned, behold, on the bank of the river were very many trees on the one side and on the other.

8 Then he said to me, These waters pour out toward the eastern region and go down into the Arabah (the Jordan Valley) and **on into the Dead Sea.** And when **they shall enter into the sea [the sea of putrid waters], the waters shall be healed and made fresh.**

9 And **wherever the double river shall go,** every living creature which swarms shall live. And there shall be a very great number of fish, **because these waters go there that [the waters of the sea] may be healed and made fresh; and everything shall live wherever the river goes.**

10 The **fishermen shall stand on [the banks of the Dead Sea];** from En-gedi even to En-eglaim shall be a place to spread nets; **their fish shall be of very many kinds, as the fish of the Great or Mediterranean Sea.**

11 But its swamps and marshes will not become wholesome for animal life; they shall [as the river subsides] be left encrusted with salt and given over to it.

12 And on the banks of the river on both its sides, **there shall grow all kinds of trees for food; their leaf shall not fade nor shall their fruit fail [to meet the demand].** Each tree shall bring forth new fruit every month, **[these supernatural qualities being] because their waters came from out of the sanctuary.** And **their fruit shall be for food and their leaves for healing.**

❖ Isaiah 35:5-7

5 Then **the eyes of the blind shall be opened, and the ears of the deaf shall be unstopped.**

6 Then shall **the lame man leap as an hart, and the tongue of the dumb sing: for in the wilderness shall waters break out, and streams in the desert.**

7 And **the parched ground shall become a pool, and the thirsty land springs of water...**

Zechariah 14:8

And it shall be **in that day that living waters shall go out from Jerusalem, half of them to the eastern [Dead] Sea and half of them to the western [Mediterranean] Sea;** in summer and in winter shall it be.