



walls razed, gates burned per Hannaniah's report. News does not reach Persia till after the revolt of Megabyzus.

Judea cut off from Persia by the revolt of the Satrap of Beyond the River.

Province beyond the river restored to Persia.

Megabyzus' revolt

We have 3 witnesses for this Tishri rendition, AP 6 (464), BM 32234 (465), and AP 8 (460). Nevertheless, the omission of the king's name in Neh. 1:1 also points to a cipher for the 20th year of the Jubilee cycle.

**Neh. 1:1, 20th yr (Jub. cycle), 9th month, Kislev: Hannaniah's report**

cf. 473 BC, **intersecting**

**Neh. 2:1, 20th yr, 1st month, Nisan: wall decree**

cf. 473 BC, **non-intersecting** year

Begin counting 49 years (7 x 7) until the administration of Ezra, the first anointed in Daniel 9.

# Nehemiah

**Eve of the Sabbatic Year**  
**Neh. 5:11: Debt release enforced.**

**Neh. 6:15: walls finished**

**Blowing of Trumpets at the wall dedication on Tishri 1. Neh. 12:41.**  
Cf. Neh. 13:1-3.

**Neh. 7:73b-8:1; Reading of Torah by Ezra the Priest and scribe. Deut. 31:10**

**Sometime after the wall dedication Ezra returned to Babylon to raise support and bring more exiles to Jerusalem.**

*And you should know, and you should understand, from the going out of word to restore and to build Yerushalayim until an Anointed Prince, sevens seven; also sevens sixty and two. She will return, and she will have been built, street and wall, and in distress of the times. And after the sevens sixty and two, Messiah shall be cut off, and none [are] for him.*

*In 444 BC, the new moon of Nisan was April 2, Julian day 1559344.19. A friday in AD 33 (Nisan 14) is April 3, Julian day 1733204. The inclusive difference is 173860 days. This is too short for the assumed theory (360 x 69 x 7 = 173880 days) based on Sir Robert Anderson by 20 days. Also, Anderson's calculation to AD 32 has been disproved by there being no suitable weekday date for 14 Nisan that year.*

*In 444 BC, 25 Elul was on Monday, 21 September. Counting back 52 days leads to Sabbath on August 1st. Nehemiah would not begin a building project on the Sabbath. Compare the 4th year of Solomon, when he began building the Temple.*

20th year of the Jubilee Cycle  
Neh. 1:1

12 months

Sun, July 13

Av 3

Walls finished  
in 52 days

Tue, Sept 2

Elul 25

Biblical date: Neh. 6:15  
Not Persian

High Priest: Eliashib

Neh. 12:10-11

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1 Nehemiah's administration, first term

1 Until Ezra

Count 7x7 = 49 years  
Years to Ezra

2

3

21 Sabbatical Year

First Sabbatical Year

Count 7 Sabbatic  
Years to Ezra

Dan. 9:25

1

22

Addaru II

Artaxerxes I, Egypt

Artaxerxes I, Judean reign

Artaxerxes I, Persian reign

Artaxerxes I, Judean

Artaxerxes I, Egypt

Artaxerxes I, Egyptian

Artaxerxes I, Judean