

Tammuz, 4th Month of the Hebrew Calendar

1. This is the Month of Reuben – He lost his inheritance as firstborn. There are lots of issues in this month:

Genesis 49:3-4 describes Reuben:

- Beginning of power
- Excellence and dignity,
- But unstable as water

Reuben did not excel because of issues that he never solved. Reuben had great promise/potential that was never fulfilled. He never dealt with sexual issues. Therefore pray and ask the Lord to show your “issues” and that you can deal with them. I also note that it seems in summer, many Christians tend to “regress” just a bit. Perhaps this is because of vacation mentality or something. Determine to “push ahead” this month.

2. This is a month to see and establish the brilliance of your righteousness – lots of negative stuff goes on at this time. We need to counteract it through praise and declaration.

- Isaiah 58:8, Psalms 112:4, Daniel 12:3

3. We can shine (be brilliant through worship) or we will develop a golden calf – idolatry kicks up during this month

- Moses’ face glowed after being with the Lord.
- People worshipped the calf (Ex 32:1) – they couldn’t accept delay.

4. A month to accept your call or speak an evil report (we actually have a choice of which it will be) – people fall into negativity because do not know how to speak out who they are and what they are about. You must like yourself; if not, then is something about the Lord you don’t like. Look at past prophecies of who you are, and declare those frequently this month. They will be like seeds you sow which will bring a great harvest in September (Feast of Tabernacles).

5. A month of the letter CHET, which is connected to light radiating from your eyes. The devil tries to put this light out

- Isaiah 42:6
- Rev 1:14 – His eyes were like flame of fire

6. Filmstrip month – you can watch your life progress, and stop and adjust. Or prophetically you can see how you will end up if not careful.

7. A month to guard your heart (what you feel and think) and your eyes (what you allow yourself to see (Deut. 11:26, 30:15-19).

8. A month of right hand – the aligning covenant (Song of Solomon 5:2-12) – remember your covenants. (The right hand has to do with relationships and covenants). Affirm the relationships you are to keep. Let God lead and align you with new relationships.