

Chapter 9

VWho of Ifrael (after the captiuitie) firft inhabited Ierufalem. 10. VWho exercifed the offices of Prieftes, 14. and Leuites, 35. with repetition of part of Sauls progenie.

Al Ifrael therefore ^{a)}was numbred: and the fumme of them was written in the Booke of the kinges of Ifrael, and Iuda: and they were tranfported into Babylon for their finne. ² And they that dwelt firft in their poffeffions and in their cities: Ifrael, and the Prieftes, and the Leuites, and the Nathineans. ³ There dwelt in Ierufalem of the children of Iuda, and of the children of Beniamin, alfo of the children of Ephraim, and Manaffes. ⁴ Othei the fonne of Ammiud, the fonne of Amri, the fonne of Omrai, the fonne of Bonni, of the fonnes of Phares the fonne of Iuda. ⁵ And of Siloni: Afaia the firftbegotten, and his fonnes. ⁶ And of the fonnes of Zara: Iehuel, and their brethren, fix hundred ninetie. ⁷ Moreouer of the fonnes of Beniamin: Salo the fonne of Mofollam, the fonne of Odiua the fonne of Afana: ⁸ and Iobania the fonne of Ieroham: and Ela the fonne of Ozi, the fonne of Mochori: and Mofollam the fonne of Saphatias, the fonne of Rahuel, the fonne of Iebania, ⁹ and their brethren by their families, nine hundred fiftie fix. Al thefe princes of their kinredes by the houfes of their fathers. ¹⁰ And of the prieftes: Iedaia, Ioiarib, and Iachin: ¹¹ Azarias alfo the fonne of Helcias, the fonne of Mofollam, the fonne of Sadoc, the fonne of Maraioth, the fonne of Achitob, high priefte of the houfe of God. ¹² Moreouer Adaias the fonne of Ieroham, the fonne of Phaffur, the fonne of Melchias: and Maafai the fonne of Adiel, the fonne of Iezra, the fonne of Mofollam, the fonne of Mofollamith, the fonne of Emmer. ¹³ Their brethren alfo princes by their families a thoufand feuen hundred three fcore, moft able men of

^a The genealogies of al Ifrael being hitherto recited before their captiuitie, others are now added which firft returned to Ierufalem after their releafe.

ftrength to the worke of the minifterie in the houfe of God. ¹⁴ And of the Leuites: Semeia the fonne of Haffub, the fonne of Ezricam, the fonne of Hafebia of the fonnes of Merari. ¹⁵ Bacbacar alfo a carpenter, and Galal, and Mathania the fonne of Micha, the fonne of Zechri, the fonne of Afaph: ¹⁶ and Obdia the fonne of Semeia, the fonne of Galal, the fonne of Idithun: and Barachia the fonne of Afa, the fonne of Elcana, who dwelt in the courtes of Netophati. ¹⁷ And the porters: Sellum, and Accub, and Telmon, and Ahimam: and their brother Sellum the prince, ¹⁸ vntil that time, in the kinges gate toward the eaft, wayted by their courfes of the children of Leui. ¹⁹ But Sellum the fonne of Core the fonne of Abiafaph, the fonne of Core, with his brethren, and his fathers houfe, thefe are the Corites ouer the workes of the minifterie, keepers of the entrances of the tabernacle: and their families in courfe keeping the entrance of the campe of our Lord. ²⁰ And Phinees the fonne of Eleafar, was their prince before our Lord. ²¹ Moreouer Zacharias the fonne of Mofollamia, porter of the gate of the tabernacle of teftimonie. ²² Al thefe chofen men for porters, at euerie gate, two hundred twelue: and appointed out in their proper townes. Whom Dauid and Samuel the Seer appointed, vpon their fidelitie. ²³ As wel them as their fonnes, in the doores of the houfe of our Lord, and in the tabernacle by their courfes. ²⁴ By the foure windes were the porters: that is to fay, toward the Eaft, and toward the Weft, and toward the North, and toward the South. ²⁵ And their brethren dwelt in villages, and came vpon their Sabbathes from time to time. ²⁶ To thefe four Leuites was committed al the number of porters, and they were ouer the chambers, and treafures of the houfe of our Lord. ²⁷ Alfo round about the temple of our Lord they abode in their watches: that when it was time, they in the morning might open the doores. ²⁸ Of thefe mens ftocke there were alfo ouer the veffels of the minifterie: for by number the veffels were both brought in and caried out. ²⁹ Of them alfo they that had the implements of the fanctuarie committed vnto them, did ouerfee the floure, and wine, and oile, and frankincenfe,

and spices. ³⁰ And the wives of priests made ornaments of the spices. ³¹ And Mathathias a Levite the firstborn of Sellum the Corite, was overseer of those things, which were fried in the frying pan. ³² Moreover of the children of Caath their brethren, there were over the loaves of proposition, to prepare always new euerie Sabbath. ³³ These are the chief of the singing men by the families of the Levites, which abode in the chambers, that they might day and night continually serve in their ministerie. ³⁴ The heads of the Levites, princes in their families, taried in Ierusalem. ³⁵ And in Gabaon abode Iehiel the father of Gabaon, and the name of his wife Maacha. ³⁶ His first born wife Abdon, and Sur, and Cis, and Baal, and Ner, and Nadab, ³⁷ Gedor also, and Ahio, and Zacharias, and Macelloth. ³⁸ Moreover Macelloth begat Samaan: these dwelt over against their brethren in Ierusalem, with their brethren. ³⁹ And Ner begat Cis: and Cis begat Saul: and Saul begat Ionathas, and Melchifua, and Abinadab, and Efbaal. ⁴⁰ And the wife of Ionathas, Meribbaal: and Meribbaal begat Micha. ⁴¹ Moreover the wives of Micha: Phithon, and Melech, and Tharaa, and Ahaz. ⁴² And Ahaz begat Iara, and Iara begat Alamath, and Azmoth, and Zamri. And Zamri begat Mofa. ⁴³ And Mofa begat Banaa: whose wife Raphaia begat Elafa: of whom was borne Afel. ⁴⁴ Moreover Afel had six wives of these names: Ezricam, Bochrui, Ifmael, Saria, Obdia, Hanan, these are the wives of Afel.