

Chapter 11

New inhabitantes of Ierufalem are recited. 20. Likwife who dwelt in other cities of Iuda.

And the princes of the people dwelt in Ierufalem: but the reft of the people caft lottes, to take ^{a)}one part of ten that fhould dwel in Ierufalem the holie citie, and nine partes in the cities. ² And the people bleffed al the men that had ^{b)}voluntarily offered them felues to dwel in Ierufalem. ³ Thefe therfore are the princes of the prouince, which dwelt in Ierufalem, and in the cities of Iuda. And euerie one dwelt in his poffeffion, in their cities, Ifrael, the Prieftes, the Leuites, the Nathineites, and the children of the feruants of Salomon. ⁴ And in Ierufalem there dwelt of the children of Iuda, and of the children of Beniamin: of the children of Iuda, Athaias the fonne of Aziam, the fonne of Zacharias, the fonne of Amarias, the fonne of Saphatias, the fonne of Malaleel: of the children of Phares, ⁵ Maafia the fonne of Baruch, the fonne of Cholhoza, the fonne of Hazia, the fonne of Adaia, the fonne of Ioiarib, the fonne of Zacharias, the fonne of a Silonite. ⁶ Al thefe the childeren of Phares, which dwelt in Ierufalem, foure hundred fixtie eight, valiant men. ⁷ And thefe are the childeren of Beniamin: Sellum the fonne of Mofollam, the fonne of Ioed, the fonne of Phadaia, the fonne of Colaia, the fonne of Mafia, the fonne of Etheel, the fonne of Ifaia, ⁸ and after him Gebbai, Sellai, nine hundred twentie eight, ⁹ and Ioel the fonne of Zechri the ouerfeer of them, and Iudas the fonne of Senua fecond

^a Becaufe Ierufalem was moft impugned by enimies fewe were willing to dwel there,

^b yet many valiant men of the tribes of Iuda Beniamin and Leui offered them felues: of other tribes the tenth part were chofen by lottes. Wherby is gathered that many of the tenne tribes returned alfo into Chanaan, though holie Scripture doth not fo exprefly record what became of them as of the other tenne tribes, becaufe Ierufalem pertained to the lote of Beniamin, Iuda was the Kinglie tribe, and Leui the Prieftlic. *S. Beda lib. 3. cap. 31. in Efdr.*

ouer the citie. ¹⁰ And of the Priestes, Idaia the fonne of Ioarib, Iachim, ¹¹ Saraia the fonne of Helcias, the fonne of Mofollam, the fonne of Sadoc, the fonne of Meraioth, the fonne of Achitob the prince of the houfe of God, ¹² and their bretheren that doe the workes of the temple: eight hundred twentie two. And Adaia the fonne of Ieroham, the fonne of Phelelia, the fonne of Amfi, the fonne of Zacharias, the fonne of Phefthur, the fonne of Melchias, ¹³ and his bretheren the princes of the fathers: two hundred fourtie two. And Amaffai the fonne of Azreel, the fonne of Ahazi, the fonne of Mofolamoth, the fonne of Emmer, ¹⁴ and their bretheren exceding mightie: an hundred twentie eight, and their ouerfeer Zabdiel fonne of the mightie ones, ¹⁵ And of the Leuites Semeia the fonne of Hafub, the fonne of Azaricam, the fonne of Hafabia, the fonne of Boni, ¹⁶ and Sabathai and Iozabed, ouer al the workes, that were without the houfe of God, of the princes of the Leuites. ¹⁷ And Mathania the fonne of Micha, the fonne of Zebedei, the fonne of Afaph prince to prayfe, and to confesse in prayer, and Becbecia fecond of his bretheren, and Abda the fonne of Samua, the fonne of Galal, the fonne of Idithum. ¹⁸ Al the Leuites in the holie citie two hundred eightie foure. ¹⁹ And the porters, Accub, Telmon, and their bretheren, which kept the dores: an hundred feuentie two. ²⁰ And the reft of Ifrael the Priestes and the Leuites in al the cities of Iuda, euerie man in his poffeffion. ²¹ And the Nathineites, that dwelt in Ophel, and Siaha, and Gafpha of the Nathineites. ²² And the ouerfeer of the Leuites in Ierufalem, Azzi the fonne of Bani, the fonne of Hafabia, the fonne of Mathania, the fonne of Micha. Of the children of Afaph, the finging men in the minifterie of the houfe of God. ²³ For the kings commandment was vpon them, and an order among the finging men day by day. ²⁴ And Phathahia the fonne of Mefezebel of the children of Zara the fonne of Iuda in the hand of the king, according to euerie word of the people, ²⁵ and in the houfes through al their countries. Of the children of Iuda there dwelt in Cariatharbe, & in her daughters: and in Dibon, and in her daughters, and in Cabfeel,

and in the villages thereof, ²⁶ and in Iefue, and in Molada, and in Bethphaleth, ²⁷ and in Haferfual, and in Berfabee, & in her daughters, ²⁸ and in Siceleg, and in Mochona, and in her daughters, and in Remmon, and in Saraa, and in Ierimuth, ²⁹ Zanoa, Odellam, and in their townes, Lachis and in her countries, Azeca, and in her daughters. And they abode in Berfabee vnto the vale of Ennom. ³⁰ And the children of Benjamin, of Geba, Mecmas, and Hai, and Bethhel, and her daughters, ³¹ in Anathoth, Nob, Anania, ³² Afor, Rama, Gethaim, ³³ Hadid, Seboim, and Neballac, Lod, ³⁴ and Ono the valley of artificers. ³⁵ And of the Leuites were portions of Iuda and Benjamin.