

Do the following passages of the Old Testament (Malachi 1:11, Zechariah 8:7 and in Isaiah 24:15) refer to the island of the Philippines in the Far East?

The passages in Malachi and Zechariah like other passages in the Bible can refer to any place.¹

Isaiah may have been speaking about Judah's devastation as well as future destruction when God judges the entire world (Is 24:1) in the Great Tribulation (Is 24:1–13, 16b–22).

God reveals the future of nations (Da 2:27–45). All nations (Jer 18:7–10) that fail to repent (Ge 15:14) will be judged by him.

Nations inherit separate characteristics (Ge 25:23). They are exalted by righteousness (Pr 14:34) or destroyed by corruption (Le 18:26–28).

¹ Any Place. Ref. Mal 1:11; Ge 1:9; 16:8; 20:13; 24:23, 25, 31; 29:3; 30:25, 36:40, Ex 3:5; 15:13, 17; 16:29; 18:23; 20:24; 33:21; Le 4:12, 29, 33; 6:4, 18; 10:14; 14:40-41, 45; Nu 2:17; 9:17, 18:31; 19:9; 20:5; 22:26; 24:24; 32:1; Dt 12:13; 23:17; 26:15; Jos 20:4; Jdg 20:33; 1 Sa 3:2, 9; 5:3, 11; 6:2; 9:22; 14:46; 20:19, 25, 27, 37; 21:3; 23:22; 26:5; 2; 27:5; 29:4; 2 Sa 6:17; 7:10; 11:16; 17:9; 19:40; 1 Ki 20:24; 2 Ki 6:8-10; 23:14; 1 Ch 16:27; 21:22; 2 Ch 24:11; Ez 2:68; 5:15; 6:5, 7; Ne 2:14; 4:14; 8:7; 9:3; 12:27; 13:11; Is 13:13; 14:2; 21:8; 22:23, 25; 26:10, 21; 32:18; 33:17, 20-21; 46:7; 54:2; 66:1; Je 30:18; Ho 2:1; Am 4:6; 8:3; Mt 4:16; 21:11; Jn 11:30; Ac 7:33; Ro 9:26; 15:20; 2 Co 3:17; Re 17:15; Esd A 2:6, 15; 5:46, 49; 6:22, 8:44-45, 60; 9:13; Enoch 17:2-3; 18:6, 10, 12, 14-15; 21:7-22:1; 23:1; 26:1; 29:1; 30:1.