

Some links between Genesis 24.50-60 and post-exilic texts

GENESIS	POST-EXILIC TEXTS
<p><u>24.53</u> "costly ornaments" [migdanoth] given to brother/mother of Rebekah</p>	<p><u>Ezra 1.6</u> All their neighbors aided them with silver vessels, with gold, with goods, with animals, and with valuable gifts [migdanoth], besides all that was freely offered. <i>[only 2 Chr 21.3; 32.23 elsewhere in MT]</i></p>
<p><u>24.53, 59, 61</u> Gifts of jewelry, followed by the names of people going from Mesopotamia to Judah/Jerusalem</p>	<p><u>Ezra 1-2</u> Gifts of jewelry, followed by the names of people going from Mesopotamia to Judah/Jerusalem</p>
<p><u>24.54, 56, 59</u> "send me back" [shlch]</p>	<p><u>Isaiah 45.13</u> I have aroused Cyrus in righteousness, and I will make all his paths straight; he shall build my city and set my exiles free [shlch], not for price or reward, says YHWH of hosts.</p>
<p><u>24.56</u> Make my journey successful [tslch]</p>	<p><u>Isaiah 48.15</u> I, even I, have spoken and called [Cyrus], I have brought him, and he will prosper [tslch] in his way. [cf. 55.11]</p> <p><u>Nehemiah 1.11</u> Give success [tslch] to your servant today, and grant him mercy in the sight of this man!" At the time, I was cup-bearer to the king.</p>