

Mount Ebal



- With Mount Gerizim, Mount Ebal forms twin peaks separated by a pass. It is 3,077 feet high.
- Gerizim and Ebal were the mountains on whose slopes the tribes of Israel assembled under Joshua, fulfilling Moses' command by hearing the curses and the blessings connected with the law.
- Gerizim was the mount of blessing.
- Ebal was the mount of cursing. Upon Mount Ebal the curses of Israel were pronounced. **Deuteronomy 11:29; 27:9-13; Joshua 8:30-35**
- During the pronouncement of the blessings and curses, six of the tribes were to stand on Mount Gerizim and six on Mount Ebal. The six on Mount Ebal were:
 - Asher
 - Zebulun
 - Naphtali
 - Gad
 - Reuben
 - Dan
- The law was to be recorded in a monument on Mount Ebal. **Deuteronomy 27:4-8** (The Samaritan's Pentateuch reads "Gerizim").

