

#1767 The Yom Kippur War and the Abomination of Desolation – The post-World War II U.S. waxing great toward the South and toward the East as a *second* Syria/Antiochus IV Epiphanes, part 26, *Irving Berlin: World War I (and Berlin, Germany), World War II (and Berlin, Germany), and the Cold War (and Berlin, Germany) (continued)*

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Key Understanding: *Irving Berlin vs. Berlin, Germany.* In order to better appreciate the Lord synchronizing the life and death of Irving Berlin with the history of Berlin, Germany, it is interesting to note the history of Berlin, Germany, during the lifetime of Irving Berlin.

***Berlin* was the capital of Germany when it was defeated by *Irving Berlin* and the U.S. in World War I;**

***Berlin* was the capital of Germany when it was defeated by *Irving Berlin* and the U.S. in World War II;**



***Berlin* was reunified after the fall of the Berlin Wall in November 1989, which was one of the events that led to the dismantling of the Warsaw Pact and the end of the Soviet Union in the Cold War.**



The Cold War and Berlin, Germany. Even before World War II ended, the Allies had decided to divide Berlin into four sectors. The U.S., Great Britain, France, and the Soviet Union agreed to occupy one sector apiece. Although Berlin lay deep inside the Soviet controlled zone of

Germany, the Western powers expected the Soviet Union to permit them free access to the city. In June 1948, however, the Soviet Union blocked all rail, water, and highway routes through East Germany to West Berlin. The Soviets hoped the blockade would drive Western troops from their sectors and force the people of West Berlin to accept Communism. The West shattered Soviet hopes by organizing a gigantic airlift to supply the more than 2 million West Berliners. At the height of this project, called the Berlin Airlift, planes landed in West Berlin at the rate of one every 45 seconds. The Soviets finally lifted their blockade in May 1949.



The divided city. Berlin then became a divided city with separate governments. West Berlin and East Berlin each had its own police, currency, and public utility systems. Between 1945 and 1961, almost 3 million refugees flocked to West Berlin from East Germany. The refugees would enter East Berlin, and then would simply walk or ride across the border to the western sectors. Western authorities would resettle most of the refugees in West Germany, though almost 200,000 settled in West Berlin itself. On August 13, 1961, East German police began constructing the Berlin Wall to seal off the east-west border. The Berlin Wall stood for 28 years. On November 9-11, 1989, the Berlin Wall was opened.

Daniel 8:23 (KJV) AND IN THE LATTER TIME OF THEIR KINGDOM [NIV . . . IN THE LATTER PART OF THEIR REIGN], WHEN THE TRANSGRESSORS ARE COME TO THE FULL [NIV . . . WHEN REBELS HAVE BECOME COMPLETELY WICKED], A KING OF FIERCE COUNTENANCE [NIV . . . A STERN-FACED KING (represented by the United States through Irving Berlin and Woodrow Wilson in World War I, Irving Berlin and Roosevelt/Truman in World War II, and Irving Berlin and Ronald Reagan in the Cold War)], AND UNDERSTANDING DARK SENTENCES [NIV . . . A MASTER OF INTRIGUE], SHALL ARISE [NIV . . . WILL ARISE].

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